



Multi-SuperHyperGraph Neural Networks: A Generalization of Multi-HyperGraph Neural Networks

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Abstract. Graph theory provides a mathematical framework for modeling relationships among entities via vertices (nodes) and edges [1, 2]. A *hypergraph* extends this framework by allowing *hyperedges* to connect any number of vertices, thereby capturing complex multi-way interactions [3]. The *SuperHyperGraph* concept generalizes hypergraphs further through iterated power-set constructions and has recently drawn significant research interest [4, 5].

Graph Neural Networks (GNNs) propagate and aggregate node features across graph topologies via learnable message-passing to capture structural context [6–8]. Extensions such as Hypergraph Neural Networks, SuperHyperGraph Neural Networks, Multigraph Neural Networks, and MultiHyperGraph Neural Networks have likewise been explored [9, 10].

In this paper, we introduce and analyze the *Multi n -SuperHyperGraph Neural Network*, a theoretical extension of SuperHyperGraph Neural Networks built upon Multi-SuperHyperGraph structures. We expect that this framework will stimulate further advances in the study and application of GNNs.

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1. Preliminaries

This section introduces the basic concepts and terminology required for the developments in this paper. Throughout, all sets and structures are assumed to be finite. Unless otherwise specified, the parameter n denotes a nonnegative integer.

1.1. SuperHyperGraph

A *hypergraph* generalizes a classical graph by introducing *hyperedges* that may connect any number of vertices, not only two. This property makes hypergraphs well suited for modeling

complex multiway relationships [11–15]. A *SuperHyperGraph* extends this concept further. Recently introduced and increasingly investigated in the literature [4, 5, 16–18], a SuperHyper-Graph is obtained by iteratively applying the powerset operator to a base vertex set, thereby embedding recursive hierarchical structures into hypergraphs [19–21]. The formal definitions are presented below.

Definition 1.1 (Powerset [22]). Let S be a set. The *powerset* of S , denoted $\mathcal{P}(S)$, is the collection of all subsets of S :

$$\mathcal{P}(S) = \{ A \mid A \subseteq S \}.$$

In particular, $\emptyset \in \mathcal{P}(S)$ and $S \in \mathcal{P}(S)$.

Definition 1.2 (n -th Powerset). (cf. [23–26])

Let H be a set. The hierarchy of iterated powersets of H , denoted $\mathcal{P}_n(H)$, is defined inductively as

$$\mathcal{P}_1(H) := \mathcal{P}(H), \quad \mathcal{P}_{n+1}(H) := \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}_n(H)), \quad n \geq 1.$$

Hence, for the first few cases one obtains

$$\mathcal{P}_2(H) = \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}(H)), \quad \mathcal{P}_3(H) = \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}(H))).$$

Similarly, the n -th *nonempty powerset*, denoted $\mathcal{P}_n^*(H)$, is defined recursively by

$$\mathcal{P}_1^*(H) := \mathcal{P}^*(H), \quad \mathcal{P}_{n+1}^*(H) := \mathcal{P}^*(\mathcal{P}_n^*(H)), \quad n \geq 1,$$

where $\mathcal{P}^*(H) = \mathcal{P}(H) \setminus \{\emptyset\}$.

Example 1.3 (Feature Selection with $\mathcal{P}_2(H)$ in Machine Learning). Feature selection in machine learning chooses the most relevant input variables, reducing dimensionality, improving accuracy, and enhancing model interpretability (cf. [27–30]). Let $H = \{\text{age, income, education}\}$ be a set of features for a classification task.

- The first powerset $\mathcal{P}_1(H) = \mathcal{P}(H)$ contains all possible feature subsets, e.g. $\{\text{age, income}\}$, $\{\text{education}\}$, etc. This corresponds to conventional feature selection.
- The second powerset $\mathcal{P}_2(H) = \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}(H))$ contains collections of such feature subsets, e.g. $\{\{\text{age, income}\}, \{\text{education}\}\}$. This can be used in ensemble feature selection, where different subsets of features are grouped together to construct meta-models.

Example 1.4 (Model Architecture Search with $\mathcal{P}_3(H)$). Let $H = \{\text{CNN, RNN, Transformer}\}$ be a set of candidate neural network components.

- The first powerset $\mathcal{P}_1(H)$ enumerates all possible model architectures that select a subset of components.
- The second powerset $\mathcal{P}_2(H)$ enumerates sets of such architectures, useful for defining search spaces in AutoML.

- The third powerset $\mathcal{P}_3(H) = \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}(H)))$ then represents collections of model-architecture families, enabling higher-order reasoning in meta-learning or neural architecture search frameworks.

Definition 1.5 (Hypergraph [3, 31]). A *hypergraph* $H = (V(H), E(H))$ consists of

- a nonempty set $V(H)$ of vertices, and
- a set $E(H) \subseteq \mathcal{P}(V(H))$ of hyperedges.

This paper considers only finite hypergraphs.

Definition 1.6 (n -SuperHyperGraph). (cf. [5, 18]) Let V_0 be a finite base set of vertices, and define the iterated powersets

$$\mathcal{P}^0(V_0) := V_0, \quad \mathcal{P}^{k+1}(V_0) := \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}^k(V_0)) \quad (k \geq 0).$$

An n -SuperHyperGraph is a pair

$$\text{SHG}^{(n)} = (V, E),$$

where

$$V \subseteq \mathcal{P}^n(V_0), \quad E \subseteq \mathcal{P}(V).$$

The elements of V are called n -supervertices, and the elements of E are called n -superedges. The condition $E \subseteq \mathcal{P}(V)$ ensures that every n -superedge is a subset of the n -supervertex set V , preserving the incidence relation between vertices and edges as in graphs and hypergraphs.

Example 1.7 (2-SuperHyperGraph). Let the base set be

$$V_0 = \{a, b\}.$$

Then

$$\mathcal{P}^1(V_0) = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}, \quad \mathcal{P}^2(V_0) = \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}^1(V_0)).$$

Choose the set of 2-supervertices

$$V = \left\{ v_1 = \{\{a\}\}, \quad v_2 = \{\{b\}, \{a, b\}\} \right\} \subseteq \mathcal{P}^2(V_0),$$

and the set of 2-superedges

$$E = \left\{ e_1 = \{v_1, v_2\}, \quad e_2 = \{v_2\} \right\} \subseteq \mathcal{P}(V).$$

Thus

$$\text{SHG}^{(2)} = (V, E)$$

is a 2-SuperHyperGraph in which

- v_1 and v_2 are distinct 2-supervertices drawn from $\mathcal{P}^2(V_0)$;
- e_1 and e_2 are 2-superedges, each a subset of the supervertex set V ;
- all vertices and edges lie within $\mathcal{P}^2(V_0)$, illustrating the hierarchical construction.

1.2. Multi n -SuperHyperGraph

A multigraph is a graph in which multiple edges connecting the same pair of vertices are allowed, enabling edge multiplicities [32,33]. A multihypergraph is a hypergraph variant where hyperedges, each potentially connecting any number of vertices, can appear repeatedly with multiplicities [34–36]. A Multi n -SuperHyperGraph generalizes hypergraphs by iteratively lifting vertices and edges into n -th powerset hierarchies, enabling supervertex and superedge multiplicities [17].

Definition 1.8 (MultiHypergraph). (cf. [34,35]) A *multihypergraph* is a triple

$$\mathcal{H} = (V, \mathcal{E}, \mu),$$

where

- V is a finite set of *vertices*,
- \mathcal{E} is a (multi)set of nonempty subsets of V , called *hyperedges*,
- $\mu: \mathcal{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}_{>0}$ is a *multiplicity function*, assigning to each hyperedge $e \in \mathcal{E}$ the number of times it appears.

Equivalently, one may regard \mathcal{E} itself as a multiset, in which each hyperedge e occurs with multiplicity $\mu(e)$.

Example 1.9 (MultiHypergraph). Let the vertex set be

$$V = \{v_1, v_2, v_3\}.$$

Define the multiset of hyperedges

$$\mathcal{E} = \{e_1, e_1, e_2, e_3, e_3, e_3\},$$

where

$$e_1 = \{v_1, v_2\}, \quad e_2 = \{v_2, v_3\}, \quad e_3 = \{v_1\}.$$

The multiplicity function μ is given by

$$\mu(e_1) = 2, \quad \mu(e_2) = 1, \quad \mu(e_3) = 3.$$

Thus the *multihypergraph*

$$\mathcal{H} = (V, \mathcal{E}, \mu)$$

has:

- three vertices v_1, v_2, v_3 ,
- one hyperedge $\{v_1, v_2\}$ appearing twice,
- one hyperedge $\{v_2, v_3\}$ appearing once,
- one hyperedge $\{v_1\}$ appearing three times.

Definition 1.10 (Multi n -SuperHyperGraph). (cf. [17]) Let V_0 be a finite *base set* of vertices. For each integer $k \geq 0$, define the iterated powerset

$$P^0(V_0) := V_0, \quad P^{k+1}(V_0) := \mathcal{P}(P^k(V_0)),$$

where $\mathcal{P}(\cdot)$ denotes the standard powerset operator. A *Multi n -SuperHyperGraph* is a triple

$$\text{MSHG}^{(n)} = (V, E, \mu),$$

with

$$V \subseteq P^n(V_0), \quad E \subseteq \mathcal{P}(V),$$

and a *multiplicity function*

$$\mu : E \longrightarrow \mathbb{N}$$

assigning to each n -superedge $e \in E$ a positive integer $\mu(e)$ indicating how many parallel occurrences of e are present. Elements of V are called *n -supervertices*; elements of E are called *n -superedges*. The incidence condition $E \subseteq \mathcal{P}(V)$ makes each n -superedge a subset of the n -supervertex set.

Remark 1.11. If $\mu(e) = 1$ for all $e \in E$, then $\text{MSHG}^{(n)}$ reduces to an ordinary n -SuperHyperGraph.

Example 1.12 (Multi 2-SuperHyperGraph). Let the base set be $V_0 = \{a, b\}$. Then

$$P^1(V_0) = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}\}, \quad P^2(V_0) = \mathcal{P}(P^1(V_0)).$$

Choose the 2-supervertices

$$v_1 = \{\{a\}\}, \quad v_2 = \{\{b\}, \{a, b\}\},$$

and set

$$V = \{v_1, v_2\} \subseteq P^2(V_0).$$

Define 2-superedges on V

$$e_1 = \{v_1, v_2\}, \quad e_2 = \{v_2\},$$

so that

$$E = \{e_1, e_2\} \subseteq \mathcal{P}(V),$$

and specify the multiplicity function

$$\mu(e_1) = 2, \quad \mu(e_2) = 1.$$

Thus $\text{MSHG}^{(2)} = (V, E, \mu)$ is a Multi 2-SuperHyperGraph in which edges are subsets of the supervertex set V , with e_1 occurring twice and e_2 once.

Example 1.13 (Multi 3-SuperHyperGraph). Let the base set be $V_0 = \{a\}$. Then

$$P^1(V_0) = \{\emptyset, \{a\}\}, \quad P^2(V_0) = \{\emptyset, \{\emptyset\}, \{\{a\}\}, \{\emptyset, \{a\}\}\},$$

and

$$P^3(V_0) = \mathcal{P}(P^2(V_0)).$$

Select two 3-supervertices

$$U_1 = \{\emptyset, \{\emptyset\}\}, \quad U_2 = \{\{\{a\}\}, \{\emptyset, \{a\}\}\},$$

and set

$$V = \{U_1, U_2\} \subseteq P^3(V_0).$$

Define 3-superedges on V

$$E_1 = \{U_1, U_2\}, \quad E_2 = \{U_2\},$$

so that

$$E = \{E_1, E_2\} \subseteq \mathcal{P}(V),$$

and assign multiplicities

$$\mu(E_1) = 2, \quad \mu(E_2) = 4.$$

Then $\text{MSHG}^{(3)} = (V, E, \mu)$ is a Multi 3-SuperHyperGraph with vertices $U_1, U_2 \in P^3(V_0)$ and edges taken as subsets of V , where E_1 occurs twice and E_2 four times.

1.3. MultiHypergraph Neural Network

Graph Neural Networks and Hypergraph Neural Networks have been the subject of extensive research across a multitude of publications [37–39]. A Multigraph Neural Network processes multiple graph instances via parallel graph convolutional layers, then aggregates their vertex embeddings into a unified representation [40–42]. A Hypergraph Neural Network generalizes GNNs by learning on hypergraphs, capturing higher-order relationships among groups of vertices [9, 43–47]. A MultiHypergraph Neural Network generalizes this by applying hypergraph convolution to several hypergraph structures in parallel, integrating both hyperedge and vertex features into a combined embedding [48–50].

Definition 1.14 (MultiHypergraph Neural Network). (cf. [51]) Let $\{H_m = (V, \mathcal{E}_m)\}_{m=1}^M$ be a collection of M hypergraphs over the same vertex set V . Denote by

$$H_m \in \{0, 1\}^{|V| \times |\mathcal{E}_m|} \quad \text{the incidence matrix of } H_m,$$

and let $X \in \mathbb{R}^{|V| \times F}$ be the matrix of input vertex features. Define for each m the *hypergraph Laplacian*

$$\tilde{H}_m = D_{v,m}^{-\frac{1}{2}} H_m D_{e,m}^{-1} H_m^\top D_{v,m}^{-\frac{1}{2}}, \quad (1)$$

where $D_{v,m}$ and $D_{e,m}$ are the diagonal degree matrices of vertices and hyperedges respectively. A *MultiHypergraph Neural Network* with L layers is defined by the layerwise propagation

$$Z_m^{(\ell+1)} = \sigma(\tilde{H}_m Z_m^{(\ell)} W_m^{(\ell)}), \quad Z_m^{(0)} = X, \quad (2)$$

for $\ell = 0, 1, \dots, L-1$, where each $W_m^{(\ell)}$ is a learnable weight matrix and σ an activation function. Finally, the outputs from all hypergraphs are *fused* by

$$Z = \text{AGG}(Z_1^{(L)}, Z_2^{(L)}, \dots, Z_M^{(L)}), \quad (3)$$

where AGG is an aggregation operator (e.g. average or concatenation). This architecture processes multiple hypergraph structures in parallel and integrates their learned representations.

Example 1.15 (MultiHypergraph Neural Network). Let the base vertex set be

$$V = \{v_1, v_2, v_3\}, \quad M = 2.$$

We define two hypergraphs on V :

$$H_1 : \mathcal{E}_1 = \{\{v_1, v_2\}, \{v_2, v_3\}\}, \quad H_2 : \mathcal{E}_2 = \{\{v_1, v_3\}, \{v_2\}\}.$$

Their incidence matrices (rows v_1, v_2, v_3 ; columns ordered as the hyperedges above) are

$$H_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Compute the degree matrices:

$$D_{v,1} = \text{diag}(1, 2, 1), \quad D_{e,1} = \text{diag}(2, 2), \quad D_{v,2} = \text{diag}(2, 1, 1), \quad D_{e,2} = \text{diag}(2, 1).$$

The normalized Laplacians (cf. (1)) are

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{H}_1 &= D_{v,1}^{-\frac{1}{2}} H_1 D_{e,1}^{-1} H_1^\top D_{v,1}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.5000 & 0.3536 & 0 \\ 0.3536 & 0.5000 & 0.3536 \\ 0 & 0.3536 & 0.5000 \end{pmatrix}, \\ \tilde{H}_2 &= D_{v,2}^{-\frac{1}{2}} H_2 D_{e,2}^{-1} H_2^\top D_{v,2}^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.5000 & 0 & 0.5000 \\ 0 & 1.0000 & 0 \\ 0.5000 & 0 & 0.5000 \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

Choose input features

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

use weight matrices $W_m^{(0)} = I$, and the identity activation $\sigma(x) = x$. Then one propagation layer (2) yields

$$Z_1^{(1)} = \tilde{H}_1 X \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.5000 & 0.3536 \\ 0.7071 & 0.8536 \\ 0.5000 & 0.8536 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Z_2^{(1)} = \tilde{H}_2 X = \begin{pmatrix} 1.0000 & 0.5000 \\ 0.0000 & 1.0000 \\ 1.0000 & 0.5000 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Finally, fuse the two outputs by averaging (3):

$$Z = \frac{1}{2}(Z_1^{(1)} + Z_2^{(1)}) \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.7500 & 0.4268 \\ 0.3536 & 0.9268 \\ 0.7500 & 0.6768 \end{pmatrix}.$$

This example illustrates a concrete forward pass of a MultiHypergraph Neural Network with two hypergraph structures.

1.4. Undirected n -SuperHyperGraph Neural Network (n -SHGNN)

The definition of the Undirected n -SuperHyperGraph Neural Network (n -SHGNN) is presented as follows [10].

Definition 1.16 (n -SuperHyperGraph Neural Network (n -SHGNN)). [10] Let $H^{(n)} = (V^{(n)}, E^{(n)})$ be an n -SuperHyperGraph over a base vertex set V_0 , and let

$$H' = (V_0, E')$$

be its *Expanded Hypergraph*, where

$$E' = \{e' \subseteq V_0 \mid e' = \bigcup_{v \in e} v, \quad e \in E^{(n)}\}.$$

Let

$$X \in \mathbb{R}^{|V_0| \times d}$$

be the input feature matrix whose i -th row $x_i \in \mathbb{R}^d$ is the feature vector of base vertex $v_i \in V_0$.

Define:

- The incidence matrix $H' \in \{0, 1\}^{|V_0| \times |E'|}$ with entries

$$H'_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1, & v_i \in e'_j, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

- The diagonal vertex-degree matrix $D_V \in \mathbb{R}^{|V_0| \times |V_0|}$ and hyperedge-degree matrix $D_E \in \mathbb{R}^{|E'| \times |E'|}$ defined by

$$(D_V)_{ii} = \sum_{j=1}^{|E'|} H'_{ij} w(e'_j), \quad (D_E)_{jj} = \sum_{i=1}^{|V_0|} H'_{ij},$$

where $w(e'_j) > 0$ is a learnable weight for hyperedge $e'_j \in E'$.

- A learnable hyperedge-weight matrix

$$W \in \mathbb{R}^{|E'| \times |E'|}, \quad \Theta \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times c},$$

and a non-linear activation $\sigma(\cdot)$ (e.g. ReLU).

Then one layer of the n -SHGNN is given by the convolution

$$Y = \sigma(D_V^{-1/2} H' W D_E^{-1} H'^T D_V^{-1/2} X \Theta),$$

where $Y \in \mathbb{R}^{|V_0| \times c}$ is the updated feature matrix.

Example 1.17 (Concrete Undirected 2-SuperHyperGraph Neural Network). Let the base vertex set be

$$V_0 = \{1, 2, 3\}, \quad n = 2.$$

Define an n -SuperHyperGraph

$$H^{(2)} = (V^{(2)}, E^{(2)})$$

by choosing

$$V^{(2)} = \{\{1, 2\}, \{2, 3\}\}, \quad E^{(2)} = \{e_1 = \{\{1, 2\}\}, e_2 = \{\{2, 3\}\}\}.$$

Its *expanded hypergraph* is

$$H' = (V_0, E'), \quad E' = \{\{1, 2\}, \{2, 3\}\}.$$

The incidence matrix $H' \in \{0, 1\}^{3 \times 2}$ (rows 1, 2, 3; cols e'_1, e'_2) is

$$H' = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Assign learnable hyperedge weights

$$w(e'_1) = 1, \quad w(e'_2) = 2,$$

so that

$$D_V = \text{diag}(H' w(E')) = \text{diag}(1, 3, 2), \quad D_E = \text{diag}(H'^T \mathbf{1}) = \text{diag}(2, 2),$$

and form

$$W = \text{diag}(1, 2).$$

Let the input feature vector be

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix},$$

choose a single output channel ($\Theta = 1$) and identity activation $\sigma(x) = x$. Then one layer of the 2-SHGNN computes

$$Y = D_V^{-\frac{1}{2}} H' W D_E^{-1} H'^\top D_V^{-\frac{1}{2}} X \approx \begin{pmatrix} 1.0774 \\ 2.5133 \\ 2.3165 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Thus each base-vertex's new feature is a weighted, normalized aggregation of its neighbors according to the 2-SuperHyperGraph structure.

2. Results: Multi-SuperHyperGraph Neural Networks

We now present the definition of the Multi-SuperHyperGraph Neural Network. This construction extends the n -SuperHyperGraph Neural Network by employing the Multi-SuperHyperGraph framework. As this is a theoretical extension, we envision future empirical studies on real datasets to assess its effectiveness.

Definition 2.1 (Multi n -SuperHyperGraph Neural Network). Let $\{\text{MSHG}_m^{(n)} = (V_m^{(n)}, E_m^{(n)}, \mu_m)\}_{m=1}^M$ be a collection of M Multi n -SuperHyperGraphs over the same base set V_0 , each satisfying the incidence condition $E_m^{(n)} \subseteq \mathcal{P}(V_m^{(n)})$. For $k \geq 0$ define the level-to-base *flattening* map

$$\text{flat}_0(X) := X, \quad \text{flat}_{k+1}(X) := \bigcup_{Y \in X} \text{flat}_k(Y).$$

For each m and each $e \in E_m^{(n)}$, set

$$\text{exp}_n(e) := \text{flat}_{n-1}\left(\bigcup_{v \in e} v\right) \in \mathcal{P}(V_0),$$

and define the *expanded hypergraph*

$$H'_m = (V_0, E'_m), \quad E'_m := \{\text{exp}_n(e) \mid e \in E_m^{(n)}\}.$$

Let $H'_m \in \{0, 1\}^{|V_0| \times |E_m^{(n)}|}$ be the incidence matrix of H'_m with columns indexed by $e \in E_m^{(n)}$ (i.e., the j -th column is the indicator of $\text{exp}_n(e_j) \subseteq V_0$). Define

$$D_{V,m} = \text{diag}(H'_m W_m \mathbf{1}), \quad D_{E,m} = \text{diag}(H_m'^\top \mathbf{1}), \quad W_m = \text{diag}(\mu_m(e))_{e \in E_m^{(n)}}.$$

Given input features $X \in \mathbb{R}^{|V_0| \times F}$, a Multi n -SuperHyperGraph Neural Network with L layers computes, for each m and $\ell = 0, \dots, L-1$,

$$Z_m^{(\ell+1)} = \sigma\left(D_{V,m}^{-\frac{1}{2}} H'_m W_m D_{E,m}^{-1} H_m'^\top D_{V,m}^{-\frac{1}{2}} Z_m^{(\ell)} \Theta_m^{(\ell)}\right), \quad Z_m^{(0)} = X,$$

where each $\Theta_m^{(\ell)}$ is a learnable weight matrix and σ an activation. Finally, the per-graph outputs are fused by an aggregation operator AGG (e.g., mean or concatenation):

$$Z = \text{AGG}(Z_1^{(L)}, Z_2^{(L)}, \dots, Z_M^{(L)}).$$

Example 2.2 (Concrete Multi 1-SuperHyperGraph Neural Network). Let $V_0 = \{1, 2, 3\}$, $n = 1$, $M = 2$. Define two Multi 1-SuperHyperGraphs (with $E_m^{(1)} \subseteq \mathcal{P}(V_m^{(1)})$):

$$\text{MSHG}_1^{(1)} : V_1^{(1)} = \{\{1, 2\}, \{2, 3\}\}, \quad E_1^{(1)} = \{\{\{1, 2\}\}, \{\{2, 3\}\}\}, \quad \mu_1(\{\{1, 2\}\}) = 1, \mu_1(\{\{2, 3\}\}) = 2.$$

$$\text{MSHG}_2^{(1)} : V_2^{(1)} = \{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}\}, \quad E_2^{(1)} = \{\{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}\}\}, \quad \mu_2(\{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}\}) = 1.$$

For $n = 1$, $\exp_1(e) = \bigcup_{v \in e} v$, hence the expanded hyperedges are

$$E'_1 = \{\{1, 2\}, \{2, 3\}\}, \quad E'_2 = \{\{1, 2, 3\}\}.$$

Thus the incidence matrices (rows 1, 2, 3; columns enumerate $E_m^{(1)}$) are

$$H'_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H'_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

and

$$W_1 = \text{diag}(1, 2), \quad W_2 = \text{diag}(1).$$

Degrees:

$$D_{V,1} = \text{diag}(1, 3, 2), \quad D_{E,1} = \text{diag}(2, 2), \quad D_{V,2} = \text{diag}(1, 1, 1), \quad D_{E,2} = \text{diag}(3).$$

With

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Theta_1^{(0)} = \Theta_2^{(0)} = I_2, \quad \sigma = \text{id},$$

one layer yields

$$Z_1^{(1)} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.5000 & 0.2887 \\ 0.6969 & 0.9082 \\ 0.5000 & 0.9082 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Z_2^{(1)} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} X = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \\ \frac{2}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \\ \frac{2}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \end{pmatrix}.$$

Fuse by averaging:

$$Z = \frac{1}{2}(Z_1^{(1)} + Z_2^{(1)}) \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.5833 & 0.4777 \\ 0.6818 & 0.7875 \\ 0.5833 & 0.7875 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Example 2.3 (Concrete Multi 1-SuperHyperGraph Neural Network with $M = 3$). Let $V_0 = \{1, 2, 3\}$, $n = 1$, $M = 3$. Define

$$\text{MSHG}_1^{(1)} : V_1^{(1)} = \{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}\}, \quad E_1^{(1)} = \{\{\{1\}, \{2\}\}, \{\{2\}, \{3\}\}\}, \quad \mu_1 = (2, 1).$$

$$\text{MSHG}_2^{(1)} : V_2^{(1)} = \{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}\}, E_2^{(1)} = \{\{\{1\}, \{2\}\}, \{\{1\}, \{3\}\}, \{\{2\}, \{3\}\}\}, \mu_2 \equiv 1.$$

$$\text{MSHG}_3^{(1)} : V_3^{(1)} = \{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}\}, E_3^{(1)} = \{\{\{1\}\}, \{\{2\}, \{3\}\}\}, \mu_3 = (1, 2).$$

Then

$$H'_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H'_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H'_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

with $W_1 = \text{diag}(2, 1)$, $W_2 = I_3$, $W_3 = \text{diag}(1, 2)$. With $D_{V,m} = \text{diag}(H'_m W_m \mathbf{1})$, $D_{E,m} = \text{diag}(H_m'^\top \mathbf{1})$, input $X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, $\Theta_m^{(0)} = I_2$, $\sigma = \text{id}$, one layer gives

$$Z_1^{(1)} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.5000 & 0.4082 \\ 0.6969 & 0.7887 \\ 0.5000 & 0.7887 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Z_2^{(1)} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.7500 & 0.5000 \\ 0.5000 & 0.7500 \\ 0.7500 & 0.7500 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Z_3^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1.0000 & 0.0000 \\ 0.5000 & 1.0000 \\ 0.5000 & 1.0000 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Averaging yields

$$Z = \frac{1}{3}(Z_1^{(1)} + Z_2^{(1)} + Z_3^{(1)}) \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.7500 & 0.3027 \\ 0.5656 & 0.8462 \\ 0.5833 & 0.8462 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Example 2.4 (Concrete Multi 2-SuperHyperGraph Neural Network). Let $V_0 = \{1, 2\}$, $n = 2$, $M = 2$. Define

$$\text{MSHG}_1^{(2)} : V_1^{(2)} = \{v_1 = \{\{1\}\}, v_2 = \{\{2\}, \{1, 2\}\}\}, E_1^{(2)} = \{\{v_1, v_2\}, \{v_2\}\}, \mu_1 = (1, 2).$$

$$\text{MSHG}_2^{(2)} : V_2^{(2)} = \{u_1 = \{\{1\}\}, u_2 = \{\{2\}\}\}, E_2^{(2)} = \{\{u_1\}, \{u_2\}\}, \mu_2 = (1, 1).$$

Here $\exp_2(\{v_1, v_2\}) = \{1, 2\}$ and $\exp_2(\{v_2\}) = \{1, 2\}$; thus

$$H'_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H'_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

with $W_1 = \text{diag}(1, 2)$, $W_2 = \text{diag}(1, 1)$. Degrees:

$$D_{E,1} = \text{diag}(2, 2), \quad D_{V,1} = \text{diag}(3, 3), \quad D_{E,2} = \text{diag}(1, 1), \quad D_{V,2} = \text{diag}(1, 1).$$

With $X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$, $\Theta_1^{(0)} = \Theta_2^{(0)} = (1)$, $\sigma = \text{id}$,

$$Z_1^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1.5 \\ 1.5 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Z_2^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Z = \frac{1}{2}(Z_1^{(1)} + Z_2^{(1)}) = \begin{pmatrix} 1.25 \\ 1.75 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Example 2.5 (Concrete Multi 3-SuperHyperGraph Neural Network). Let $V_0 = \{1, 2\}$, $n = 3$, $M = 2$. Define

$$\text{MSHG}_1^{(3)} : V_1^{(3)} = \{p_1 = \{\{1\}\}, p_2 = \{\{2\}\}, p_3 = \{\emptyset\}\}, \quad E_1^{(3)} = \{\{p_1, p_2\}, \{p_1, p_3\}\}, \quad \mu_1 = (1, 2).$$

$$\text{MSHG}_2^{(3)} : V_2^{(3)} = \{q_1 = \{\{1, 2\}\}, q_2 = \{\{2\}\}, q_3 = \{\emptyset\}\}, \quad E_2^{(3)} = \{\{q_1, q_3\}, \{q_2, q_3\}\}, \quad \mu_2 = (3, 1).$$

Then

$$E'_1 = \{\{1, 2\}, \{1\}\}, \quad E'_2 = \{\{1, 2\}, \{2\}\},$$

so

$$H'_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H'_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad W_1 = \text{diag}(1, 2), \quad W_2 = \text{diag}(3, 1).$$

Degrees:

$$D_{E,1} = \text{diag}(2, 1), \quad D_{V,1} = \text{diag}(3, 1), \quad D_{E,2} = \text{diag}(2, 1), \quad D_{V,2} = \text{diag}(3, 4).$$

With $X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, $\Theta_m^{(0)} = I_2$, $\sigma = \text{id}$,

$$Z_1^{(1)} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.8333 & 0.2887 \\ 0.2887 & 0.5000 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Z_2^{(1)} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.5000 & 0.4330 \\ 0.4330 & 0.6250 \end{pmatrix},$$

and the average

$$Z = \frac{1}{2}(Z_1^{(1)} + Z_2^{(1)}) \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.6667 & 0.3608 \\ 0.3608 & 0.5625 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Theorem 2.6. *The Multi n -SuperHyperGraph Neural Network generalizes both*

- (1) *the MultiHypergraph Neural Network ($n = 0$), and*
- (2) *the n -SuperHyperGraph Neural Network ($M = 1$).*

Proof. If $n = 0$, then flat_{-1} is vacuous and $\exp_0(e) = e$, so the construction reduces to the MultiHypergraph case. If $M = 1$, the aggregation is the identity and the update rule coincides with that of the n -SuperHyperGraph Neural Network. \square

3. Conclusion

In this paper, we introduced and analyzed the *Multi n -SuperHyperGraph Neural Network*, a theoretical extension of SuperHyperGraph Neural Networks based on Multi-SuperHyperGraph structures. We anticipate that this framework will stimulate further developments in the study and application of Graph Neural Networks. For future work, we aim to extend the framework to encompass Directed Graph Neural Networks [39, 52–55], Dynamic Graph Neural Networks [56–59], Fuzzy Graph Neural Networks [7, 8, 38, 60], and Neutrosophic Graph Neural Networks [10, 61], including the design of their corresponding algorithms and the implementation of quantitative analyses on benchmark datasets. Moreover, we plan to explore extensions of the

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concepts discussed in this paper using HyperFuzzy Sets [62–64], Hesitant Fuzzy Sets [65, 66], Quadripartitioned Neutrosophic Sets [67–69], MetaStructure [70, 71], Picture Fuzzy Set [72–74], and Plithogenic Sets [75–78], together with the design of suitable algorithms and quantitative evaluations on real data.

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