Lecture 17.4: Relational Representations

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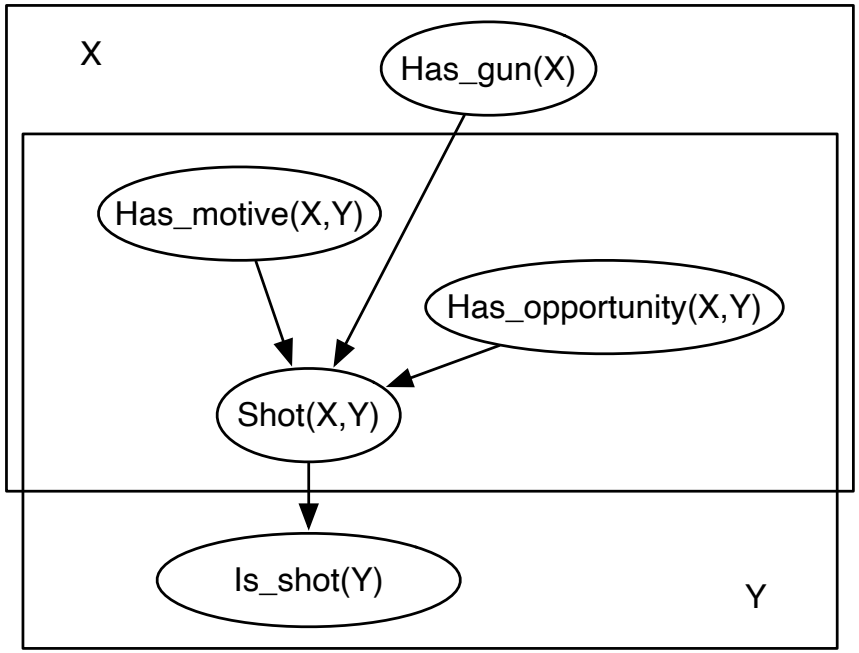

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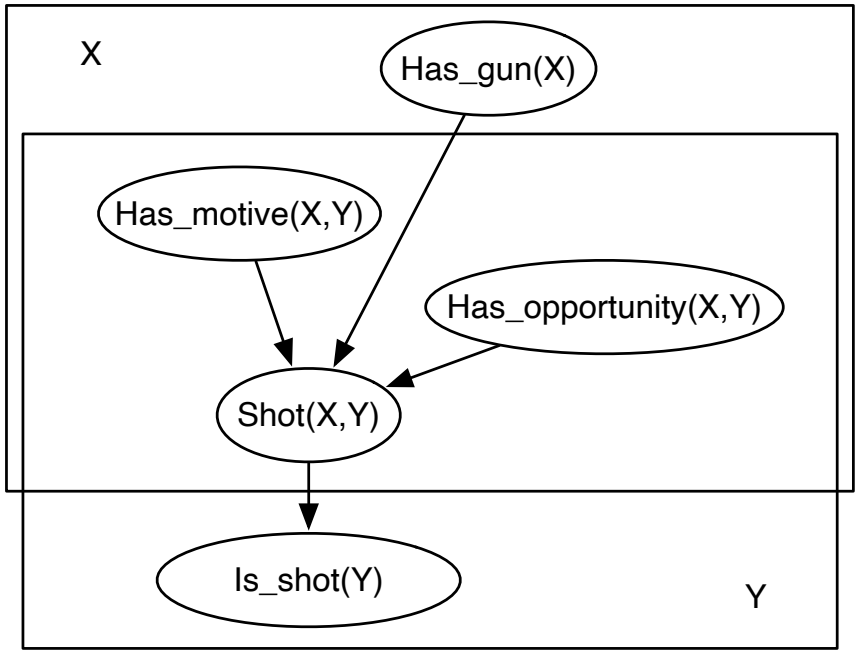

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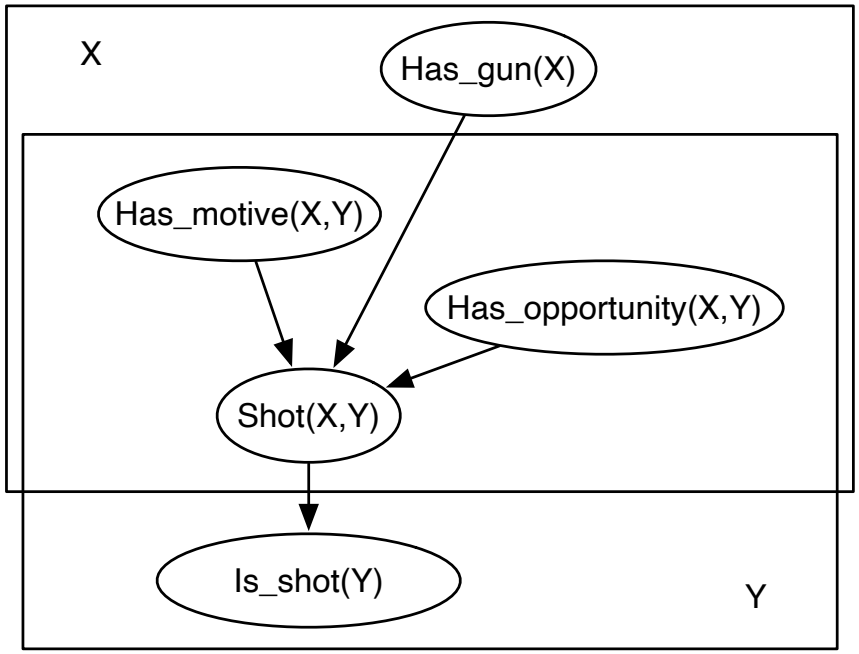

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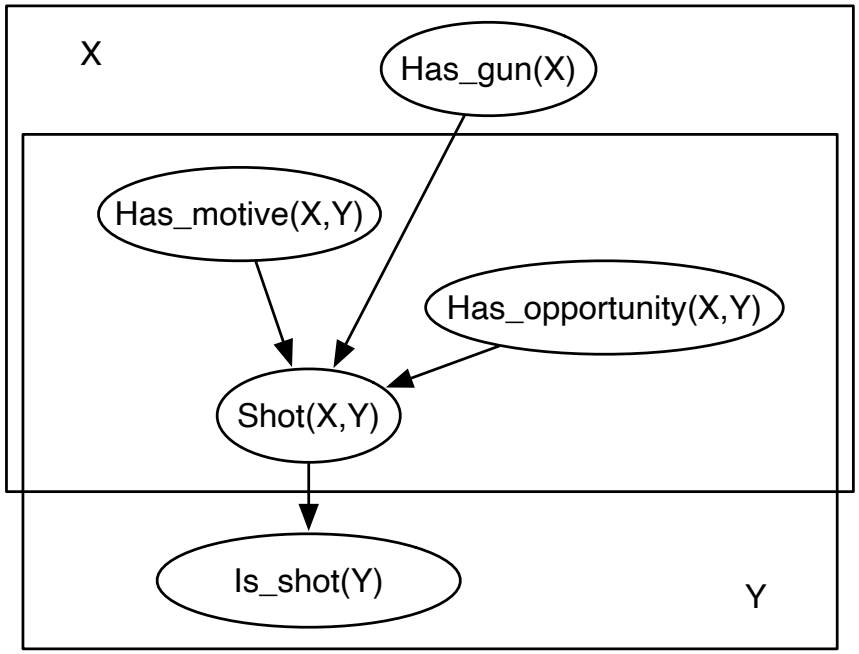

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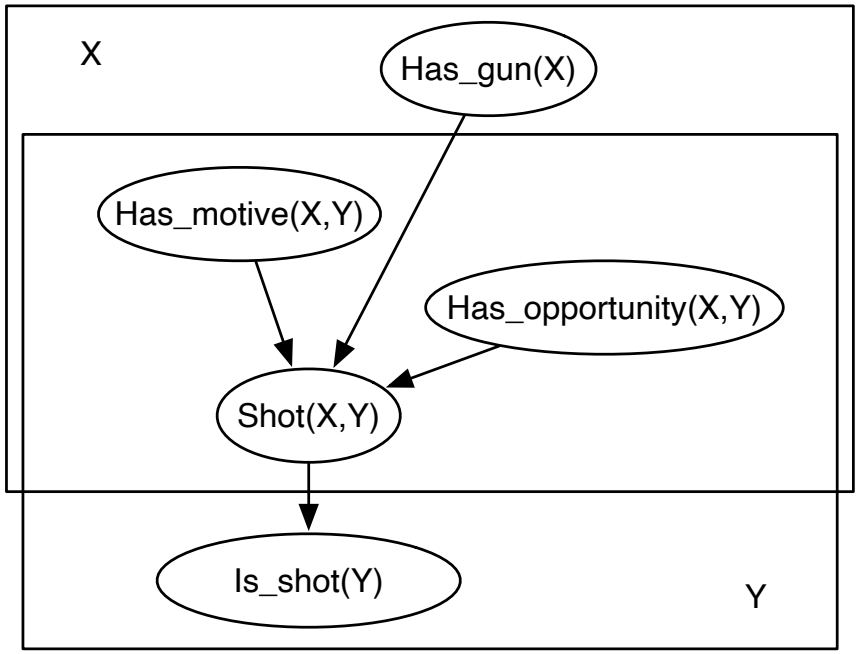

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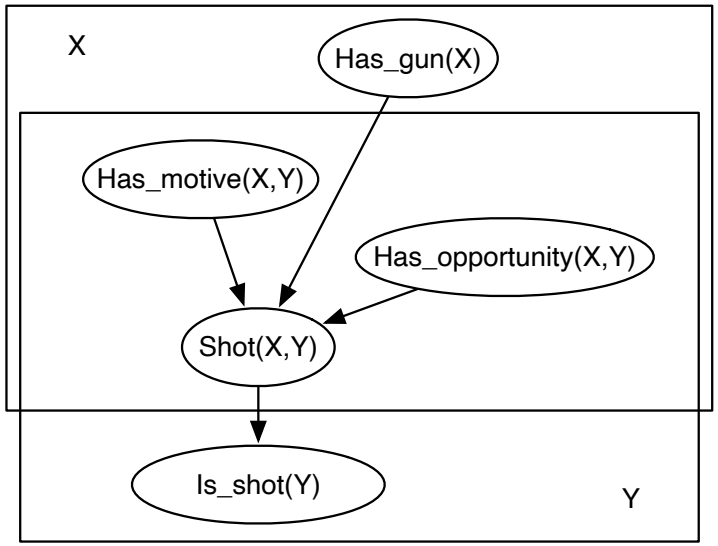

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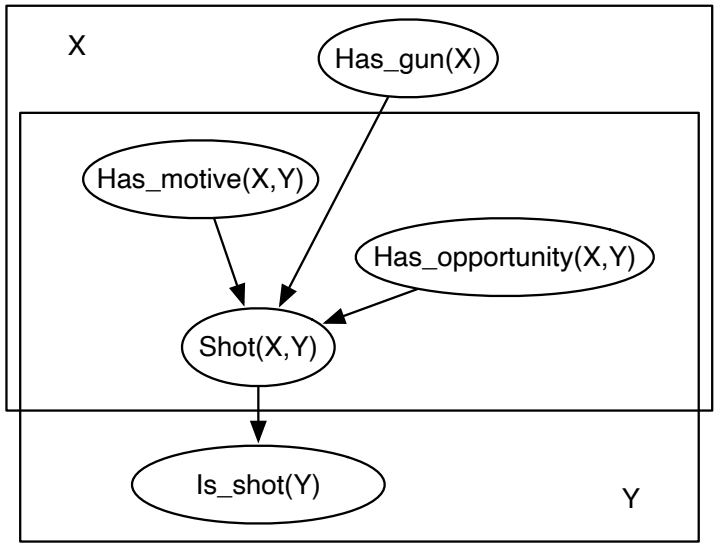

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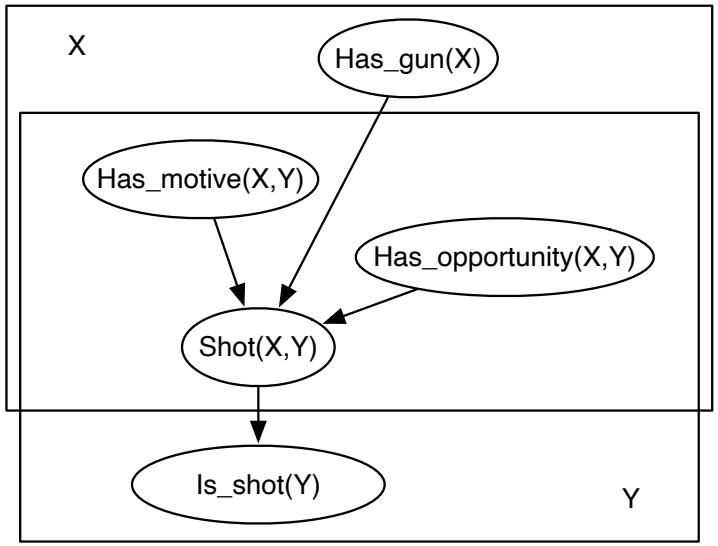

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Graph Neural Networks

- Graph neural networks are neural networks that act on graph data.
- Each node has an embedding that is inferred from parametrized linear functions and activation functions of the node's neighbors, and their neighbors, to some depth.
- A relational graph convolutional network (R-GCN) is used to learn embeddings for knowledge graphs, where nodes are entities and arcs are labelled with relations.

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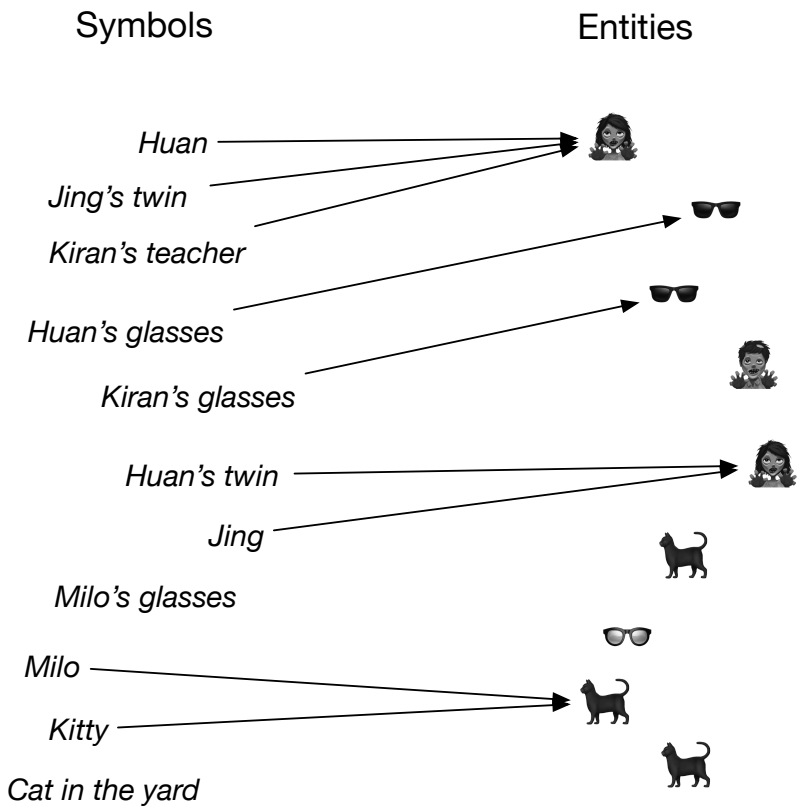

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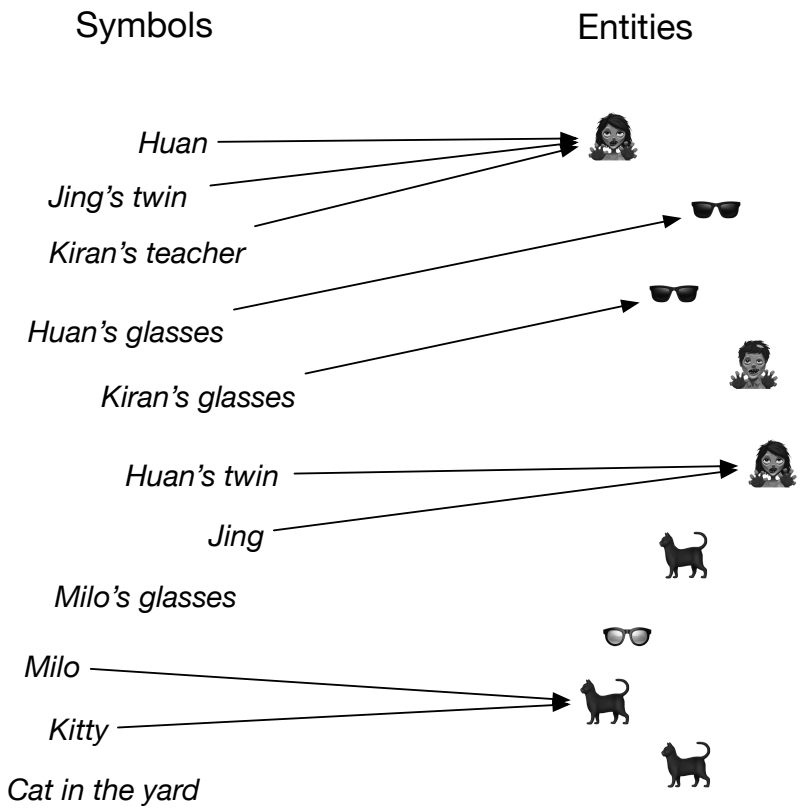

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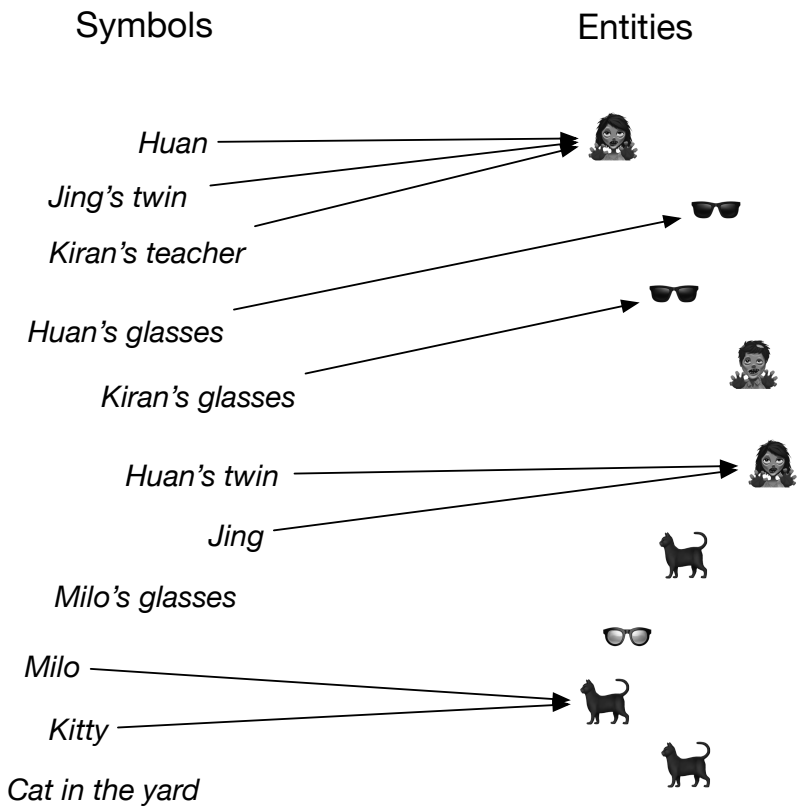

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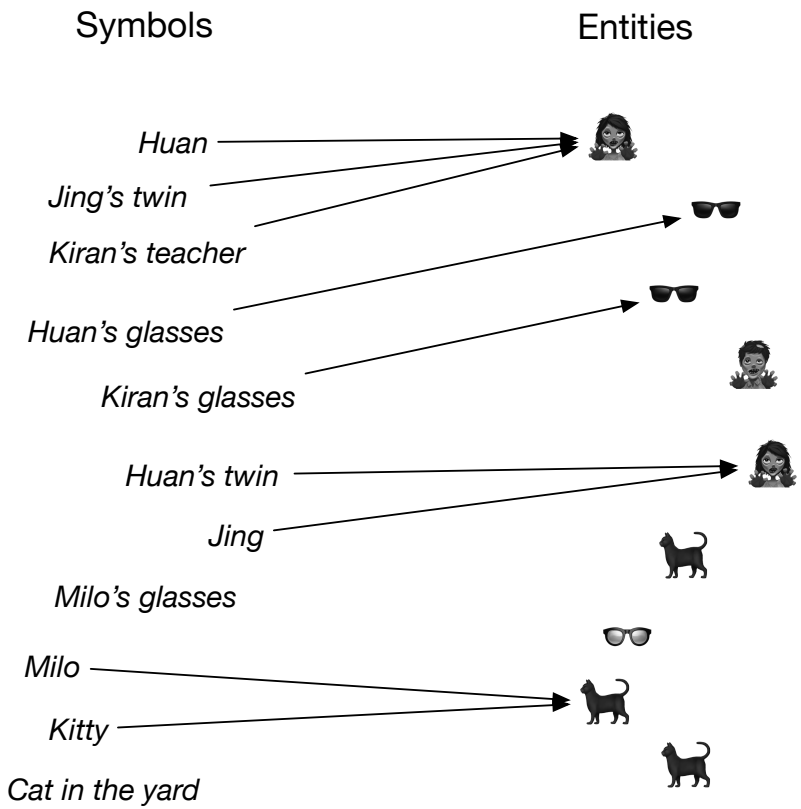

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