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# **An Insect-Inspired Randomly, Weighted Neural Network** with Random Fourier Features For Neuro-Symbolic **Relational Learning**

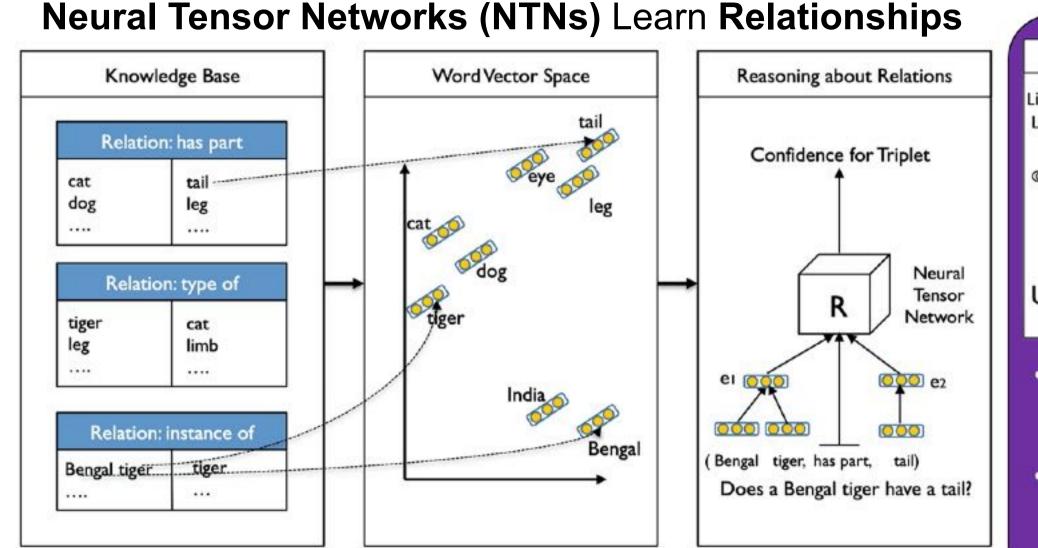
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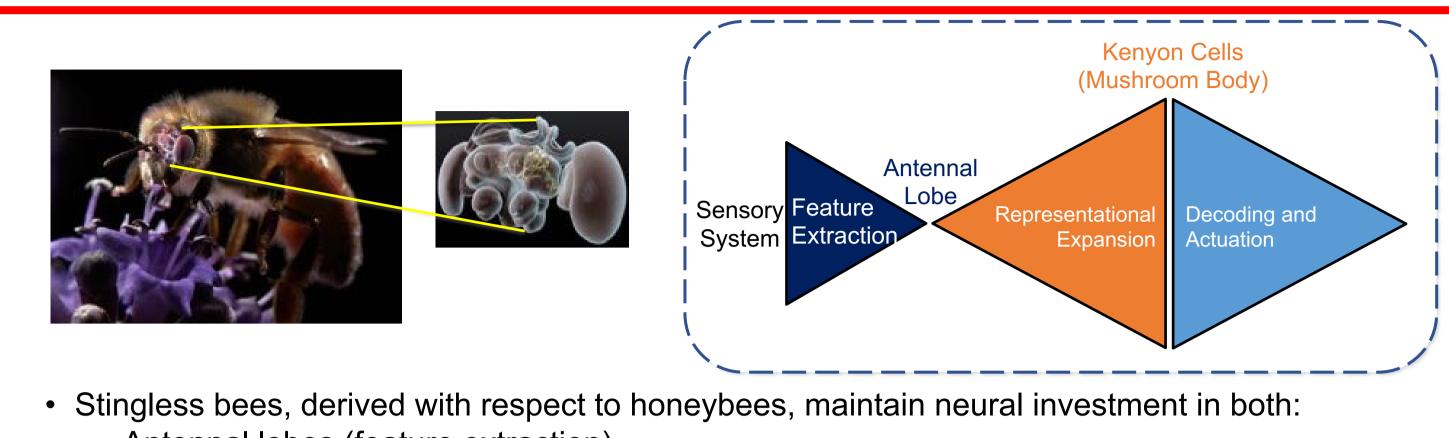
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# MOTIVATION



#### Neural Tensor Layer Bias Slices of Standard inear Tensor Laver Layer + 8 $\begin{bmatrix} e_1 \\ e_2 \end{bmatrix} + b$ $U^{T} f(e_{1}^{T} W^{[1:2]} e_{2} + V$ Each slice of tensor represents membership degree of a relationship being queried

## RANDOM WEIGHTED FEATURE NETWORK (RWFN)



- Antennal lobes (feature extraction)
- Mushroom bodies (high-order reasoning)

NTN can be trained on a given relationship set and then used to infer other relationships

#### Logic Tensor Networks (LTNs)

NTN's can be generalized to learn and reason over **knowledge** that can be represented as predicates in First-Order Logic.

For example) *friend*(*Mary*, *John*)

Individuals are grounded with real features (e.g. vectors, matrices, ...).

e.g.  $\mathcal{G}(Mary) = [6.2, 1.5, \ldots] \in \mathbb{R}^m$ 

Predicates are grounded with operations (e.g. neural networks, ...) that project in the interval [0,1]. The output denotes a satisfaction level. e.g.  $\mathcal{G}(friend): \mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}^m \longrightarrow [0,1]$ 

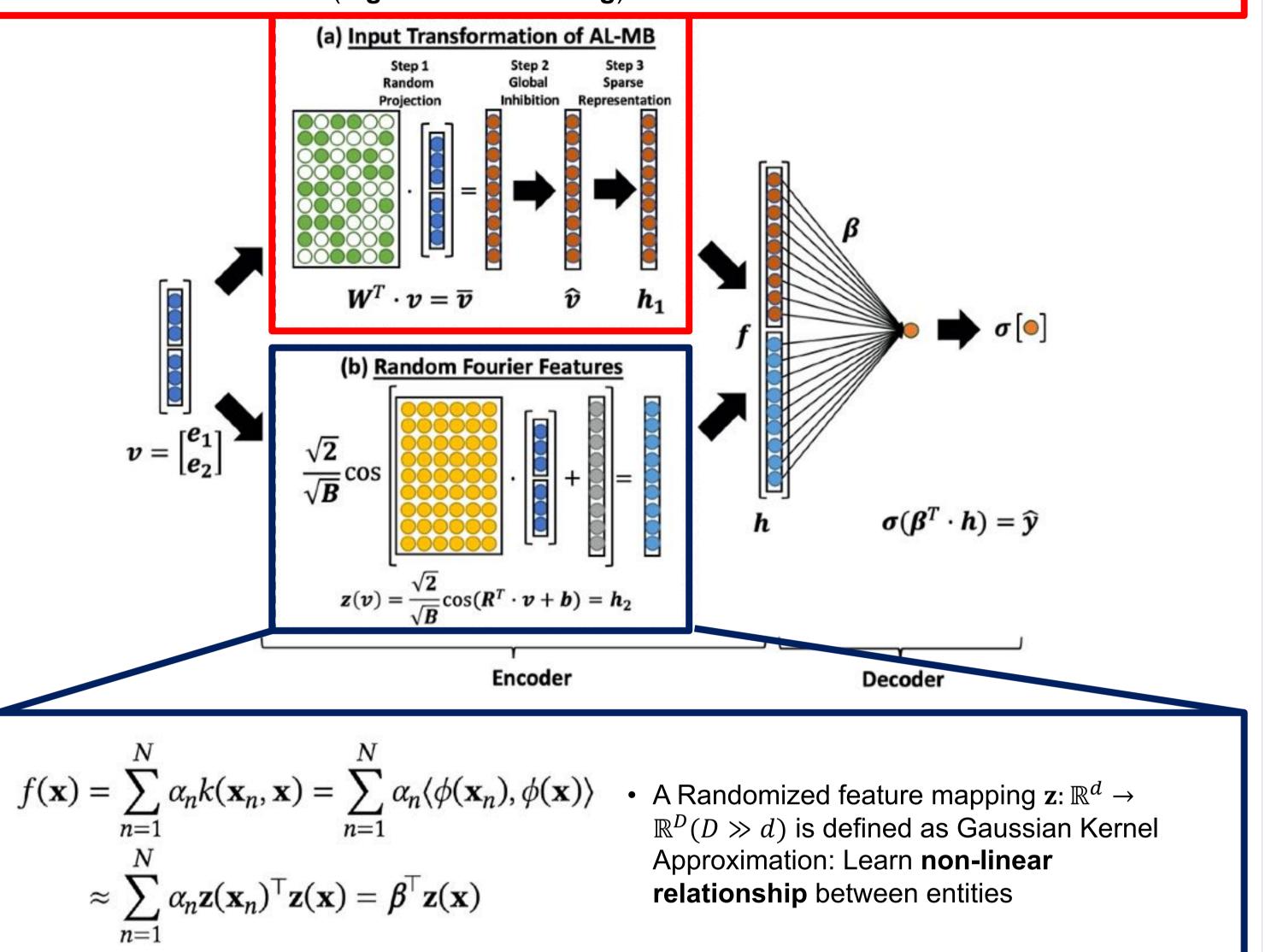
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\forall x (friend(John, x) \rightarrow friend(Mary, x))
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Connectives (  $\land, \lor, \rightarrow, \neg$  ) are interpreted using fuzzy semantics e.g.  $0.7 \wedge_{
m prod} 0.2 = 0.7 \cdot 0.2 = 0.14$ 

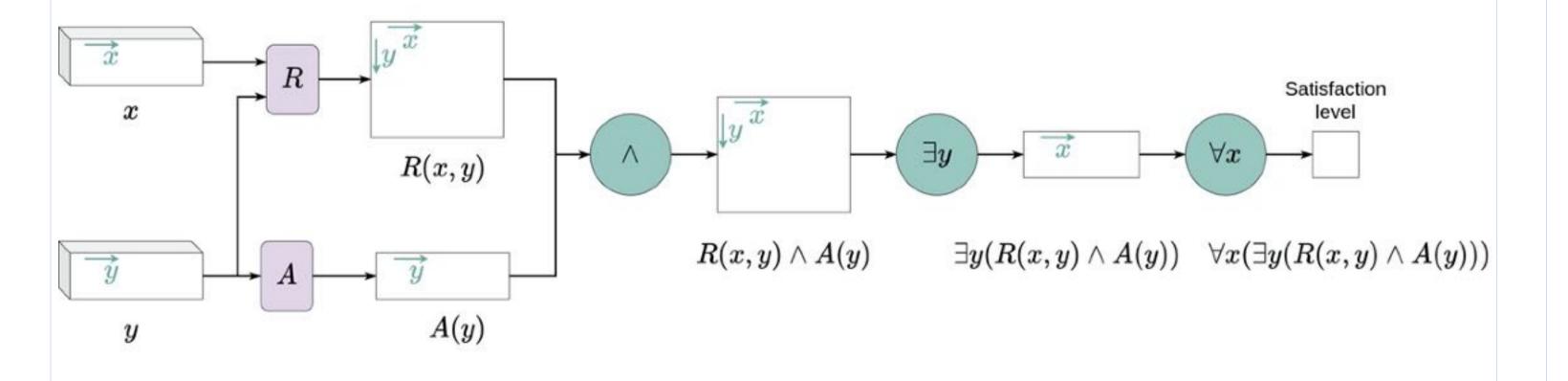
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Variables are grounded as a list of n individuals
  e.g. x \in \mathbb{R}^{n 	imes m}
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Quantifiers (  $\forall, \exists$  ) are interpreted as aggregators e.g.  $\forall_{\text{mean}}(0.7, 0.2, \ldots) = \frac{1}{n}(0.7 + 0.2 + \ldots)$ 

e.g. if R denotes the predicate for *friends*, and A denotes the predicate for *Italian*, the following computational graph translates the English sentence "everybody has a friend that is Italian".



## **RWFN WITH WEIGHT SHARING**



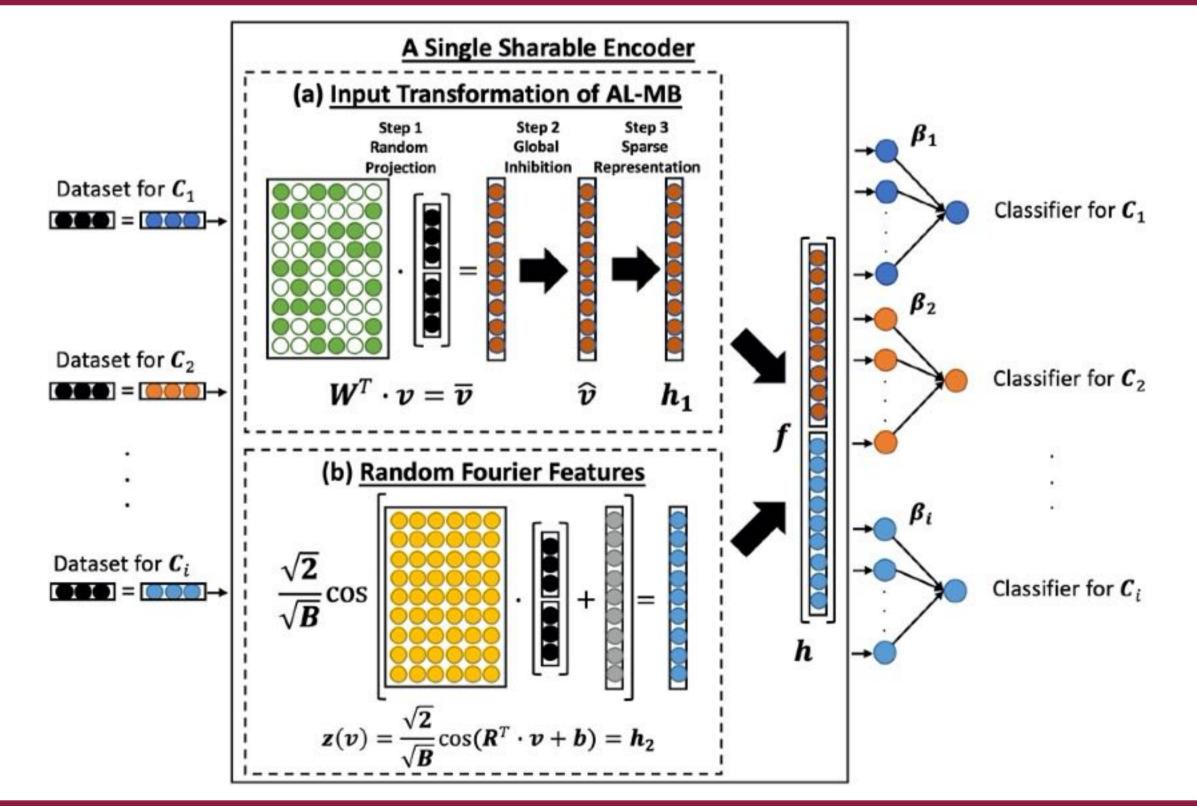
# **EVALUATION**

- Semantic Image Interpretation (SII) Tasks
  - 1. Classification of bounding boxes in an image  $\rightarrow$  Unary Predicate, Cat, Dog,...
  - 2. Detection of the *part-of* relation between any two bounding boxes  $\rightarrow$  Binary Predicate, *partOf*.

#### Table 1

AUC of T1 (object type classification) and T2 (detection of *part-of* relation) for LTN, RWFN, and RWFN with weight sharing across label groups. MEAN<sub> $\pm 2 \times SD$ </sub> for all models. Best performances shown in **bold**.

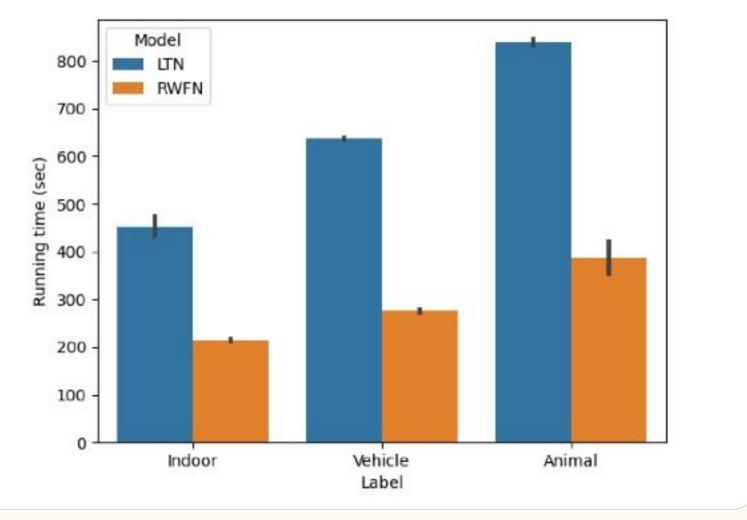
Label-Task	LTN	RWFN	RWFN w/ W.S
Indoor-T1	$.769_{\pm .0314}$	$.770_{\pm .0092}$	<b>.773</b> <sub>±.028</sub>
Indoor-T2	$.619_{\pm .082}$	$.648_{\pm .0621}$	
Vehicle-T1	$.709_{\pm .0289}$	<b>.711</b> <sub>±.0162</sub>	$.706_{\pm.0111}$
Vehicle-T2	$.576_{\pm .0355}$	$.613_{\pm .0489}$	
Animal-T1	$\textbf{.701}_{\pm.024}$	$.700_{\pm .024}$	$.697_{\pm .0237}$
Animal-T2	$.640_{ \pm .0783}$	$\textbf{.661}_{\pm.0364}$	



### CONTRIBUTION

- To the best of our knowledge, our work is the first research to integrate both insect neuroscience and neuro-symbolic approaches for reasoning under uncertainty and for learning in the presence of data and rich knowledge.
- RWFNs achieve better or similar performance despite the faster learning process compared to traditional neural networks due to their special structural characteristics.

- The Ratio of Total Number of Learnable Parameters between RWFNs and LTNs:  $400:24,972 \approx 1:62$
- Space Complexity between RWFNs and RWFNs with Weight Sharing:  $O(i \cdot B \cdot n):O(B \cdot n)$  for SII tasks.
- Comparison of Running Time between LTNs and RWTNs



RWFNs provide a new economical way to reduce the space complexity that was not in the existing method because its encoder part can be shared with other predicates.

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