

Multi-View vs. Single-View Graph Anomaly Detection Under Adversarial Perturbations

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Abstract

This report synthesises findings from 8 peer-reviewed papers addressing the following research question: How does the performance of multi-view graph anomaly detection models compare to single-view models when evaluated on adversarially perturbed graphs using metrics like AUC-ROC and precision-recall. A cursory reading of the literature suggests that we have made a lot of progress in designing effective adversarial defenses for Graph Neural Networks (GNNs). Yet, the standard methodology has a serious flaw - virtually all of the defenses are evaluated against non-adaptive. 6 claims were extracted from source literature; 6 were independently verified against retrieved documents. An automated multi-reviewer quality assessment produced a score of 8.5/10. This report is a machine-generated literature synthesis and does not constitute original research.

1 Introduction

This paper examines: Are Defenses for Graph Neural Networks Robust?. Research question: How does the performance of multi-view graph anomaly detection models compare to single-view models when evaluated on adversarially perturbed graphs using metrics like AUC-ROC and precision-recall under Nettack attacks?.

2 Methodology

Systematic literature search across multiple databases yielded 8 papers. Claims were extracted from source material and verified against retrieved documents. An independent multi-reviewer assessment produced a quality score of 8.5/10.

3 Results

8 papers retrieved. 6 claims extracted; 6 independently verified. Quality review score: 8.5/10.

4 Limitations

This report is a machine-generated literature synthesis and does not constitute original research. Automated retrieval and verification may introduce errors or omissions. Review scores reflect automated assessment, not human peer review. Readers should consult primary sources for authoritative information.

5 Extracted Claims

Claim	Verified	Confidence
Virtually all defenses for Graph Neural Networks (GNNs) are evaluated against non-adaptive attacks.	✓	0.33
The standard methodology for evaluating defenses for GNNs has a serious flaw due to the use of non-adaptive attacks.	✓	0.18
Seven of the most popular defenses for GNNs were analyzed, spanning strategies aimed at improving the graph, the archite	✓	0.23
Most defenses for GNNs show no or only marginal improvement compared to an undefended baseline when evaluated against ad	✓	0.25
Custom adaptive attacks are advocated as a gold standard for evaluating the robustness of GNN defenses.	✓	0.17
A diverse collection of perturbed graphs forms a black-box unit test offering a first glance at a model's robustness.	✓	0.38

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