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# Noisy Subspace Clustering via Matching Pursuits

(M.Tschannen and H. Bolcskei)

- sparse subspace clustering(SSC), Thresholding-SC (TSC), nearest subspace neighbor (NSN)
- SSC-OMP, SSC-MP - proposed, Analytic performance characterization for noisy data. Better clustering performance and running time.
- $Y = Y_1 \cup \dots \cup Y_L$ ,  $Y_l \in \mathcal{S}_l \subset \mathbb{R}^m$ ,  $\dim(\mathcal{S}_l) = d_l$ , randomly distributed on  $\mathcal{S}_l \cap \mathbb{S}^{m-1}$ , perturbed by additive random noise
- $y_i^\ell = x_i^\ell + z_i^\ell = U^{(\ell)} a_i^\ell + z_i^\ell$ ,  $i \in [n_\ell]$ ,  $U^{(\ell)} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times d_\ell}$  – orthonormal basis for  $\mathcal{S}_l$ ,  $a_i^\ell$ 's independently and uniformly distributed on  $\mathbb{S}^{d_\ell}$ ,  $z_i^\ell \sim iid \mathcal{N}(0, \frac{\sigma^2}{m})$

- $$\text{aff}(S_k, S_\ell) =: \frac{1}{\sqrt{\min\{d_k, d_\ell\}}} \|U^{(k)T} U^{(\ell)}\|_F =$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{\cos^2(\theta_1) + \dots + \cos^2(\theta_{\min\{d_k, d_\ell\}})}{\min\{d_k, d_\ell\}}}, \theta_1 \leq \dots \leq \theta_{\min\{d_k, d_\ell\}}$$
 principle angles between  $S_k$  and  $S_\ell$ .
- No false connections (NFC) property: The graph  $G$  satisfies NFC property if, for all  $\ell \in [L]$ , the nodes corresponding to  $\ell$  are connected to the other nodes corresponding to  $Y_\ell$  only.
- Sampling density  $\rho_\ell := \frac{(n_\ell - 1)}{d_\ell}$ ,  $d_{\max} := \max_{\ell \in [L]} d_\ell$ ,  
 $\rho_{\min} = \min_{\ell \in [L]} \rho_\ell$
- Assume  $m \geq 2d_{\max}$ ,  $\rho_{\min} \geq c_\rho$ ,  $\sigma \leq \frac{1}{2}$ ,  
 $s_{\max} \leq \min_{\ell \in [L]} \{c_s d_\ell / \log(n_\ell - 1) e / s_{\max}\}$ ,  
 $c_\rho > 1, 0 < c_s \leq 1/10$

- (SSC-OMP with DI-Stopping): The clustering condition

$$\max_{k, \ell: k \neq \ell} \text{aff}(S_k, S_\ell) + \frac{10\sigma}{\sqrt{\log(N^3 s_{\max})}}$$

$$\left( \frac{\sqrt{d_{\max}}}{\sqrt{m}} c_\rho + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{\rho_{\min}}} \left(1 + \frac{3}{2}\rho\right) \right) \leq \frac{1}{8 \log(N^3 s_{\max})}$$

with  $c_\rho = 10 + 13\sigma$  guarantees the graph generated by SSC-OMP satisfies NFC property w.p. at least

$$P^* := 1 - 6/N - 5Ne^{-c_m m} - 6 \sum_{\ell \in [L]} n_\ell e^{c_d d_\ell}$$

for  $0 < c_d \leq 1/18$  and  $0 < c_m \leq 1/8$ .

# Weighted Matrix Completion and Recovery With Prior Subspace Information (A. Eftekhari, D. Yang, M. Wakin)

- Goal: Use of prior knowledge on matrix recovery and completion problem
- $M_{n \times n} = U \sum V^*$ , for  $r \leq n$  define  $U_r, V_r, \sum_r, M_r = U_r \sum_r V_r^*, M_{r+} = M - M_r$
- Matrix recovery:  $y = R_m(M + E)$ ,  $\|R_m(E)\|_2 \leq e$ ,  $R_m$  linear operator collects  $m$  measurements of  $M$ . Recover  $M$  from  $y$ .
- Matrix completion:  $R_p(M) = \sum_{i,j=1}^n \frac{\epsilon_{ij}}{p} M[i,j] C_{ij}$ ,  $\{\epsilon_{ij}\}_{i,j}$  is a sequence of independent Bernoulli random variables taking one with probability  $p$  and zero elsewhere,  $R(\cdot) : M \rightarrow R_M$  observe each entry of  $M$  with probability  $p = m/n^2$ ,  $R_p(M)$  contains  $m$  entries of  $M$ .  $Y = R_p(M + E)$ ,  $\|R_p(E)\|_F \leq e$ , recover  $M$  from  $Y$

## Existing results:

- $(r, \delta_r)$ -RIP:  $(1 - \delta_r)\|X\|_F \leq \|R_m(X)\|_2 \leq (1 + \delta_r)\|X\|_F$ ,  
 $\text{rank}(X) \leq r$
- $\min_X \|X\|_*$ , subject to  $\|R_m(X) - y\|_2 \leq e$  (1)
- $\delta_{5r} \leq 0.1$ , then

$$\|\tilde{M} - M\|_F \leq \frac{\|M_{r^+}\|_*}{\sqrt{r}} + e,$$

$\tilde{M}$  solution of (1)

- $\eta(M_r) = \frac{n}{r} \max\{\|U_r\|_{2 \rightarrow \infty}^2, \|V_r\|_{2 \rightarrow \infty}^2\}$ ,  $\|X\|_{2 \rightarrow \infty}^2$  largest  $\ell_2$  norm of the rows of  $X$
- $\min_X \|X\|_*$ , subject to  $\|R_p(X) - Y\|_F \leq e$  (2)

$$\|\tilde{M} - M\|_F \leq \frac{\|M_{r^+}\|_*}{\sqrt{r}} + e\sqrt{pn}, \quad 1 \geq p \geq \frac{\eta(M_r)r \log^2 n}{n},$$

$\tilde{M}$  solution of (2)

## Prior information: Matrix recovery

- $\tilde{U}_r, \tilde{V}_r$  prior knowledge on column and row spaces of  $M_r$ , define  $Q_{\tilde{U}_r, \lambda} := \lambda P_{\tilde{U}_r} + P_{\tilde{U}_r^\perp}$  and  $Q_{\tilde{V}_r, \rho}$
- $\min_X \|Q_{\tilde{U}_r, \lambda} \cdot X \cdot Q_{\tilde{V}_r, \rho}\|$ , sub to  $\|R_m(X) - y\|_2 \leq e$  (3)
- $U_r = \text{span}(M_r), V_r = \text{span}(M_r^*), u = \angle[U_r, \tilde{U}_r], v = \angle[V_r, \tilde{V}_r]$   
 $R_m(\cdot)$  is  $(r, \delta_{32r})$ -RIP with

$$\delta_{32r} \leq \frac{0.9 - \max[\alpha_3, \alpha_4]/\sqrt{30}}{0.9 + \max[\alpha_3, \alpha_4]/\sqrt{30}}$$

then

$$\|\tilde{M} - M\|_F \leq \frac{\|M_{r^+}\|_*}{\sqrt{r}} + e,$$

$\tilde{M}$  solution of (3),  $\alpha_i = \text{function}(u, v, \lambda, \rho)$



# Prior information: Matrix completion

- $\min_X \|Q_{\tilde{U}_r, \lambda} \cdot X \cdot Q_{\tilde{V}_r, \rho}\|$ , sub to  $\|R_p(X) - Y\|_F \leq \epsilon$  (4)



$$\|\tilde{M} - M\|_F \leq \frac{\|M_{r^+}\|_*}{\sqrt{r}} + \epsilon\sqrt{pn}, \quad 1 \geq p \geq \frac{\eta(M_r)r \log^2 n}{n},$$

except with probability  $o(n^{-19})$  and provided

$$1 \geq p \geq \max[\log(\alpha_5 n), 1] \cdot \frac{\eta(M_r)r \log n}{n} \cdot \max[\alpha(1 + \sqrt{\frac{\eta_{\tilde{U}}\tilde{V}^*}}{\eta_{U_r}V_r^*})]$$

$\tilde{M}$  solution of (4)

# Generalized Line Spectral Estimation via Convex Optimization (R. Heckel and M. Soltanolkotabi)

- $z \in \mathbb{C}^{2N+1}$  - equispaced samples of a complex sinusoids  
 $z = \sum_{k=1}^S b_k f(v_k),$   
 $f(v_k) := [e^{-i2\pi N\nu}, e^{-i2\pi(N-1)\nu}, \dots, e^{i2\pi N\nu}]^T$   
 $b_k \in \mathbb{C}$  - coefficients,  $\{v_k \in [0, 1]\}$  - frequency parameter
- Recover  $b_k, v_k$  from  $y = Az$ , where  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{M \times L}$  and  $L = 2N + 1$ .
- A invertible - line spectral estimation problem (LSEP),  $M < L$   
- generalized LSEP
- Sparse recovery problem: recovery of  $\{(b_k, v_k)\}$  corresponding to recovery of a sparse signal in the continuous indexed dictionary  $\{Af(\nu) : \nu \in [0, 1]\}$

- Components of the mixtures are sufficiently separated,  
 $|v_k - v_{k'}| \geq \frac{2}{N}, \forall k, k' \in [S] k \neq k'$
- $F$  corresponds to a distribution that picks a vector  $a \in \mathbb{C}^L$  uniformly at random from the rows of  $A$ .
- Isotropy property:  $a \sim F$  obey  $\mathbb{E}_{a \sim F}[aa^H] = \frac{1}{M}\mathbf{I}$ .
- Incoherence property: if for all  $a \sim F$   
 $\sup_{f \in \mathbb{C}^L: \|f\|_\infty \leq 1} |\langle f, a \rangle|^2 = \|a\|_{\ell_1}^2 \leq \frac{L}{M}\mu, \mu$  incoherence parameter
- Subsampled Orthogonal Matrices:  $\mu = \max_k \frac{L}{M} \|u_k\|_{\ell_1}^2$ ,  
 $u_k$  :  $k$ -th row of  $U$ .

# Extensions to Higher Dimensions

- $z = \sum_{k=1}^S b_k f(r_k)$ ,  $r_k \in [0, 1]^d$ ,  $f(r) = [f(r)_p] = e^{i2\pi\langle p, r \rangle}$ ,  $p$  is an integer vector with  $\ell$ -th entry,  $\ell = 1, \dots, d$ , given by  $[p]_\ell = -N, \dots, N$ . If  $d = 2$  then  $f(r) = [e^{i2\pi(-Nr_1 - Nr_2)}, e^{i2\pi(-Nr_1 - (N-1)r_2)}, \dots, e^{i2\pi(Nr_1 + Nr_2)}]$
- $y = Az$ , where  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{M \times L^d}$  and  $L = 2N + 1$ .
- minimum separation condition:  
 $\max_{\ell=1, \dots, d} |[r_k]_\ell - [r_{k'}]_\ell| \geq \frac{c(d)}{N}$
- Atomic norm:  $\mathcal{A} := \{f(r) : r \in [0, 1]^d\}$

$$\|z\|_{\mathcal{A}} := \inf_{b_k \in \mathbb{C}, r_k \in [0, 1]^d} \left\{ \sum_k |b_k| : z = \sum_k b_k f(r_k) \right\}$$

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$$AN(y) : \min_{\tilde{z}} \|\tilde{z}\|_{\mathcal{A}} \quad \text{sub to} \quad y = A\tilde{z} \quad (1)$$

## Theorem

$A \in \mathbb{C}^{M \times L^3}$  with  $L \geq 1024$ , be a random matrix with rows  $a_r$  chosen independently from a distribution obeying the isometry and incoherence property

$$\mathbb{E}[a_r a_r^H] = \frac{1}{M} \mathbf{I} \quad \text{and} \quad \sup_{f \in \mathbb{C}^{L^3}: \|f\|_\infty \leq 1} |\langle f, a_r \rangle|^2 \leq \frac{L^3}{M} \mu \text{ for fixed}$$

$\mu \geq 1$ .  $y = Az$  with  $z = \sum_{k=1}^S b_k f(r_k)$ .  $(b_k) \sim iid$  symmetric distributions on the complex unit circle and  $r_k = (\beta_k, \tau_k, \nu_k)$  obeys minimum separation condition

$$\max(|\beta_k - \beta_{k'}|, |\tau_k - \tau_{k'}|, |\nu_k - \nu_{k'}|) \geq \frac{5}{N}, \quad k \neq k'. \quad \text{Then as long as}$$

$$m \geq c \log^2(L/\delta),$$

with  $c$  a fixed numerical constant,  $z$  is the unique minimizer of  $AN(y)$  in (1) with probability at least  $1 - \delta$ .

**Thank You**