

The Surprising Effectiveness of Bayesian Sparse Signal Recovery



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Outline



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- Sparse Bayesian Learning
- Joint-sparse recovery
 - Support recovery guarantees
- Extensions and new algorithms
- Applications in communication systems

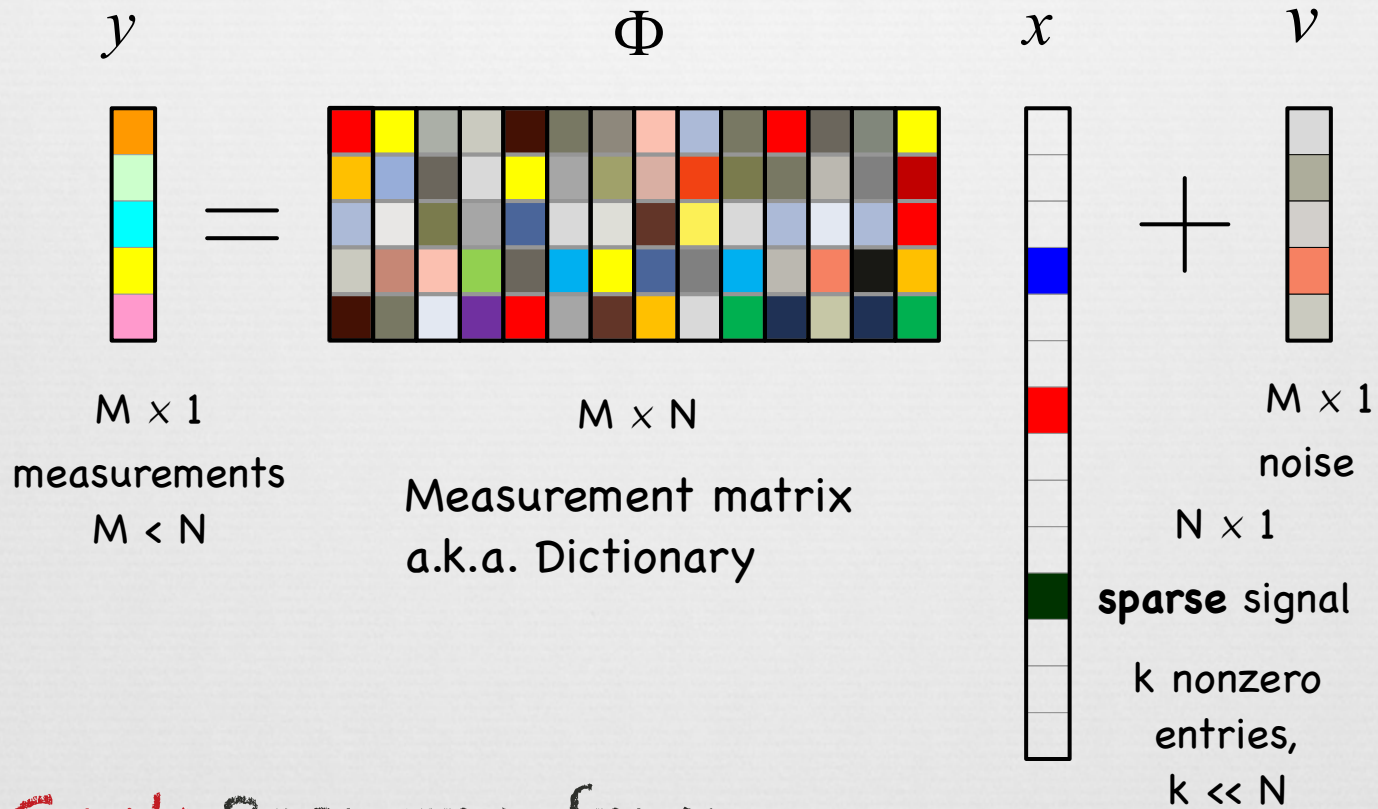
Part 1: Setting the Stage



Motivation and background

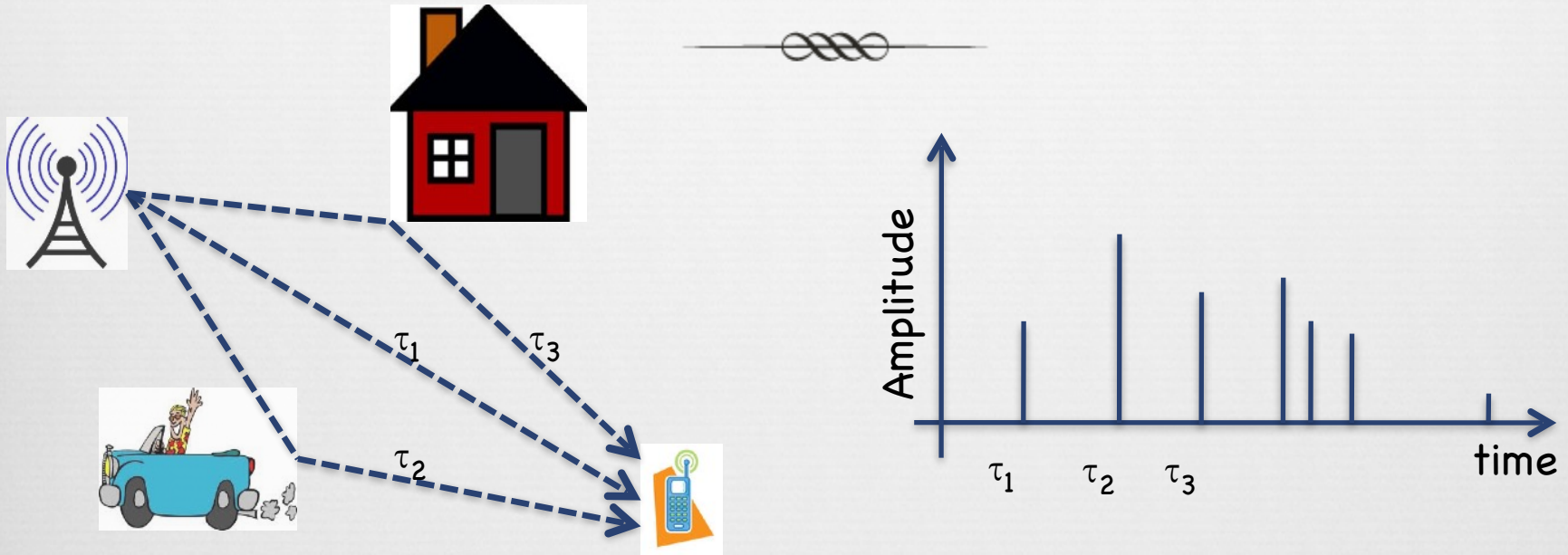
Basic results

Sparse Signal Recovery



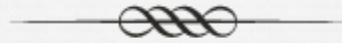
- **Goal:** Recover x from y
- $M \ll N$: infinitely many solutions

Wireless Channel Estimation



- Wireless channels exhibit multipath
 - Naturally sparse in the lag-domain
 - Need to estimate both support & channel
- Channel equalization & data detection

Compressed Sensing



- Deals with three main questions:

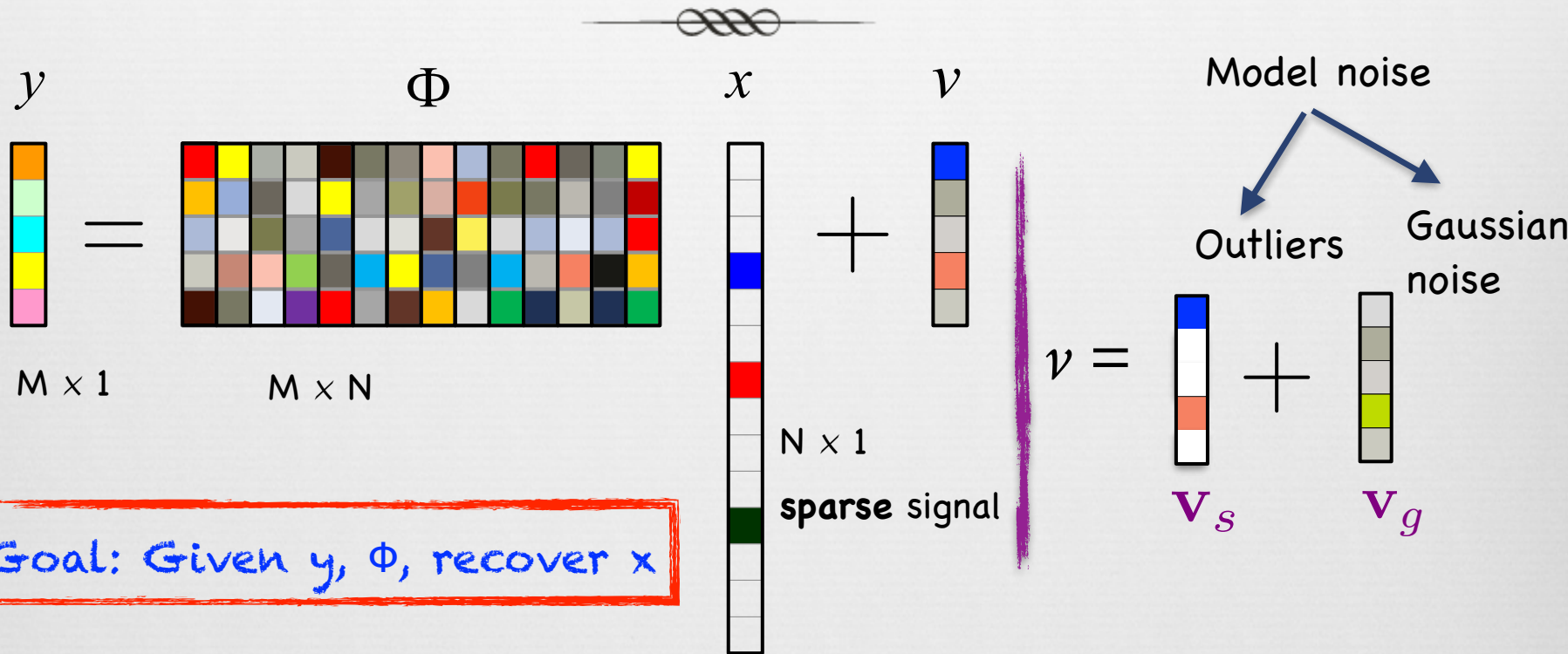
- Design of sensing matrices

$$\Phi_{M \times N} = \mathbf{A}_{M \times N} \Psi_{N \times N}$$

Sparsifying
Basis

- Guarantees for recovery
- Computationally efficient algorithms
- This talk: New algorithms and guarantees for sparse signal recovery!

Robust Linear Regression: Underdetermined Case



- Transform into an overcomplete problem:

$$Y = \Phi x + \Psi v_s + v_g, \text{ where } \Psi = I$$

$$\text{or } Y = [\Phi, \Psi] \begin{bmatrix} x \\ v_s \end{bmatrix} + v_g$$

Sparse recovery algos are now applicable!

Robust Linear Regression: Overdetermined Case



- Measurement model:

$$\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{E} + \mathbf{e}$$

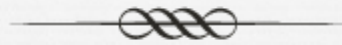
$$\begin{array}{lll} M \times N; & \text{Outliers;} & \text{Noise} \\ M \geq N & \text{sparse} & \end{array}$$

- Use SVD: $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{U}_1 \mathbf{\Sigma} \mathbf{V}_1^T$; $\mathbf{U}_2^T \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{0}$
- Processed measurements:

$$\tilde{\mathbf{y}} = \mathbf{U}_2^T \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{U}_2^T \mathbf{E} + \mathbf{U}_2^T \mathbf{e}$$

- Can now directly apply sparse signal recovery algorithms to estimate and remove outliers!

The Problem



- Noiseless case: Given \mathbf{y} and Φ , solve

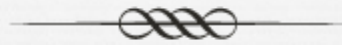
$$\min \|\mathbf{x}\|_0 \text{ subject to } \mathbf{y} = \Phi \mathbf{x}$$

- Noisy case: solve

$$\min \|\mathbf{x}\|_0 \text{ subject to } \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \mathbf{x}\|_2 \leq \beta$$

- L_0 norm minimization
 - Combinatorial complexity
 - Not robust to noise

Breakthrough 1: The Null Space Property



- Underdetermined systems: $y = \Phi x$; Φ is $M \times N$, $M < N$, x is k -sparse:
 - Infinitely many solutions, but ...
 - Unique soln. if nullspace of Φ has no "sparse" vectors
[Donoho, Elad '02]
 - Recovery of all k -sparse x : $M \geq 2k$ is nec. & suff.
 - Given x , unique soln. with high probability, if $M \geq k+1$
[Bresler; Wakin etc]
- Thus: Sub-Nyquist sampling (compression) possible:
 - When we restrict to sparse signals
 - And sample in an "appropriate" basis Φ

Breakthrough 2: Just Relax!



- L_1 min. instead of L_0 min.

$$\min \|\mathbf{x}\|_1 \text{ subject to } \mathbf{y} = \Phi \mathbf{x}$$

- Convex optimization problem; linear program
- Same solution as L_0 minimization!
- If the measurement matrix is **random**
- Use slightly **larger number of measurements**
- **Robust** to measurement noise $M \approx k \log \left(\frac{N}{k} \right) \ll N$
- See [Donoho; Candes, Romberg, Tao etc]

Breakthrough 3: Recovery Guarantees



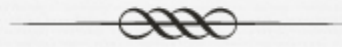
- Noisy measurements: $y = \Phi x + v$
- We solve $(P_{1,\eta}) : \min_{\mathbf{z}} \|\mathbf{z}\|_1$ subject to $\|\Phi \mathbf{z} - \mathbf{y}\|_2 \leq \eta$
- Robust NSP: Φ satisfies RNSP(k) if, $\forall S$ of cardinality k ,

$$\|\mathbf{w}_S\|_1 \leq \rho \|\mathbf{w}_{S^c}\|_1 + \tau \|\Phi \mathbf{w}\|_1 \quad \forall \mathbf{w}$$
- **Result:** If Φ satisfies RNSP(k), a sol. \mathbf{x}^* of $(P_{1,\eta})$ with $\|v\|_2 \leq \eta$ and $y = \Phi x + v$ satisfies

$$\|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}^*\|_1 \leq 2 \left(\frac{1 + \rho}{1 - \rho} \right) \sigma_k(\mathbf{x})_1 + \frac{4\tau}{1 - \rho} \eta$$

Error in approximating \mathbf{x} by a k -sparse vector (points to $\sigma_k(\mathbf{x})_1$)
 Noise (points to η)

Analysis of BP: stable and robust recovery



- Theorem: Suppose $2k^{\text{th}}$ Restricted Isometry Constant of Φ satisfies

$$\delta_{2k} < \frac{4}{\sqrt{41}} \approx 0.6246$$

then for \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} with $\|\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\|_2 \leq \eta$, the sol \mathbf{x}^* of

$\min_{\mathbf{z}} \|\mathbf{z}\|_1$ subject to $\|\Phi\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{y}\|_2 \leq \eta$
satisfies

$$\|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}^*\|_1 \leq C\sigma_k(\mathbf{x})_1 + D\sqrt{k}\eta$$

$$\|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}^*\|_2 \leq \frac{C}{\sqrt{k}}\sigma_k(\mathbf{x})_1 + D\eta$$

where $C, D > 0$ depend only on δ_{2k}

Breakthrough 4: Recovery Algorithms



- Greedy algorithms:

- Matching pursuit [Mallat, Zhang; Cotter, Rao]
- Orthogonal matching pursuit [Tropp 03]
- CoSAMP [Needell, Tropp]

- Relaxation based methods (minimize diversity meas.):

- Basis pursuit (l_1 , with $p=1$) [Chen et al.]
- Lasso (BPDN) [Tibshirani]
- Dantzig selector [Candes, Tao]
- Homotopy based methods (e.g., LARS) [Garrigues et al. 09]
- FOCUSS (l_1 , with $p < 1$) [Gordonitsky et al.]

- Iterative methods:

- Basic/Iterative hard thresholding
- Hard thresholding pursuit

Recovery guarantees exist
for most of these algorithms!
See [Rauhut & Foucart]

Limitations of Greed & Relaxation



- Performance of BP and OMP depend on Φ
 - Poor performance when conditions are violated
 - Hard to relate estimation error to the dictionary
 - **Correlated dictionary:** disrupts L_0 - L_1 equivalence
 - **BP:** performance independent of nonzero coeffs [Malikoutov et al. 2004]
 - Cannot improve when situation is favorable
 - **OMP:** performance highly sensitive to magnitudes of nonzero coefficients
 - Poor performance with unit magnitudes
- **Other issues:**
 - Estimating embedded parameters, exploiting additional structure when available

To Recap



- Sparse signal recovery
 - Basic problem, breakthroughs in CS
 - Algorithms
 - Guarantees
- Limitations
 - Scaling/shrinkage
 - Correlated dictionary
 - Embedded parameters

Part 2: Don't Relax!



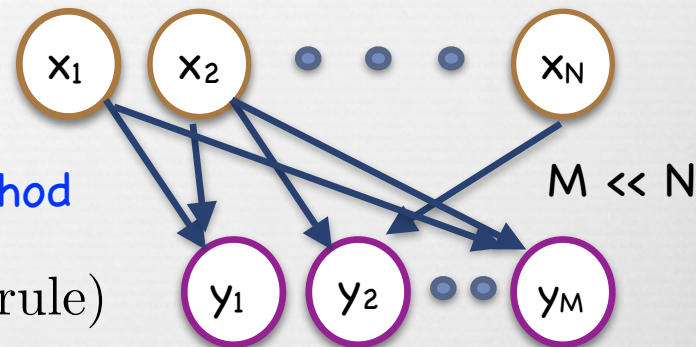
A time and place for nonconvex methods?

Bayesian Methods



- MAP estimation (Type I):
 - Also a regression problem with sparsity promoting penalties (e.g., L_p -norm)
 - L_1 -min (BP/LASSO) is a special case
- Hierarchical Bayesian methods (Type II):
 - Iterative reweighted L_1 [Candes et al. 2008]
 - Iterative reweighted L_2 [Chartrand & Yin 2008]
 - EM-based SBL [Tipping, 2001], [Wipf, Rao 2007]
 - AMP [Schniter 2008], [Rangan 2011]

MAP Estimation



$$\hat{\mathbf{x}} = \arg \max_{\mathbf{x}} p(\mathbf{x}|\mathbf{y})$$

← Type-I method

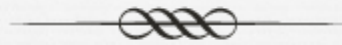
$$= \arg \min_{\mathbf{x}} -\log p(\mathbf{y}|\mathbf{x}) - \log p(\mathbf{x}) \quad (\text{Bayes' rule})$$

$$= \arg \min_{\mathbf{x}} \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \mathbf{x}\|_2^2 + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^N g(|x_i|)$$

← Separable prior

- For sparse solutions, $g(|x_i|)$ should be a **concave, nondecreasing function**
 - Example: $g(|x_i|) = |x_i|^p, p \leq 1$
 - Lasso is a special case: $p=1$
- Any local min. of the MAP estimation problem has **at most M nonzeros** [Rao et al., 99]

The Optimization Problem



- To solve

$$\arg \min_{\mathbf{x}} G(\mathbf{x}) \triangleq \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \mathbf{x}\|_2^2 + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^N g(|x_i|)$$

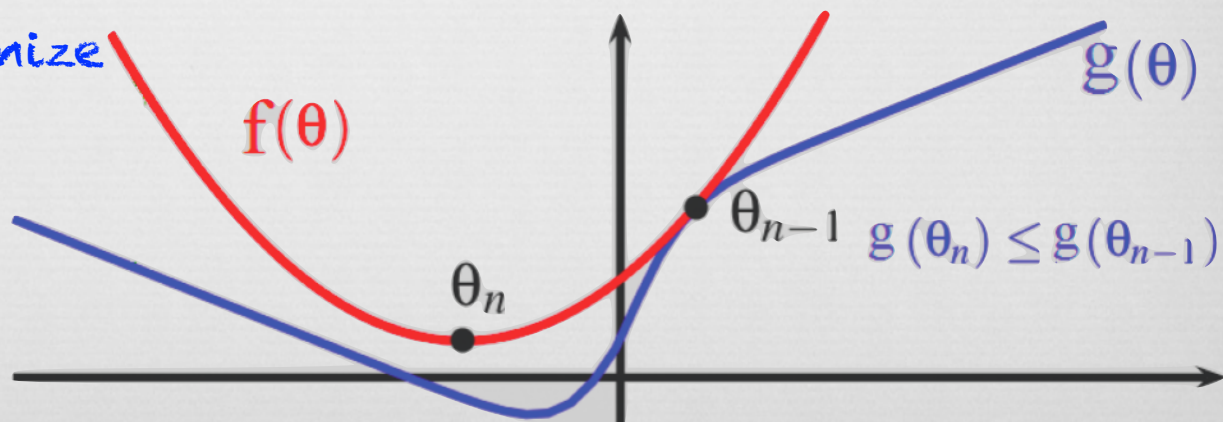
- $g(x)$ concave, monotonically \uparrow in $|x|$
- $G(x)$ convex + concave
- Many options for $g(x)$ to promote sparsity
- Many options for solving the optz. problem

Sparsity-Promoting Penalties



- Concave penalty fns. promote sparsity
 - $g(x) = \log(x^2 + \epsilon)$, $\epsilon > 0$ [Chartrand & Yin 2008]
 - $g(x) = \log(|x| + \epsilon)$, $\epsilon > 0$ [Candes et al. 2008]
 - $g(x) = |x|^p$, $0 < p < 1$ [Rao et al., 99]

- A general approach:
majorize-minimize



Majorization-Minimization Approach



- Find an upper bound $g(x) \leq f(x|x^{(m)})$
 - Equality at $x = x^{(m)}$, convenient for opt.
- Step 1: Optimize

$$\arg \min_{\mathbf{x}} F(\mathbf{x}|x^{(m)}) \triangleq \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \mathbf{x}\|_2^2 + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^N f(|x_i| | x_i^{(m)})$$

- Step 2: Set $m \leftarrow m+1$, update $f(x|x^{(m)})$, iterate
- Works because
$$G(x^{(m+1)}) \leq F(x^{(m+1)}|x^{(m)}) \leq F(x^{(m)}|x^{(m)}) = G(x^{(m)})$$

Iterative Reweighted L_1



- Concavity in $|x|$: $g(x) \leq g'(x^{(m)})(x - x^{(m)}) + g(x^{(m)})$
 - Equality at $x = x^{(m)}$, **linear** in x

- **Iterative reweighted L_1** : [Candes et al. 08]

- Init: $m = 0$, $x^{(m)}$ = something convenient

- Iterate:

- Optimize

$$\mathbf{x}^{(m+1)} = \arg \min_{\mathbf{x}} \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \mathbf{x}\|_2^2 + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^N g'(x_i^{(m)}) |x_i|$$

- $m \leftarrow m+1$, update $g'(x_i^{(m)})$

- Until convergence

Weighted L_1 minimization

Iterative Reweighted L₂



- $g(x)$ concave in x^2 : $g(x) \leq \left(\frac{\partial g(\sqrt{x^2})}{\partial (x^2)} \Big|_{x=x_0} \right) (x^2 - x_0^2) + g(x_0)$

- Optimization problem

$$\mathbf{x}^{(m+1)} = \arg \min_{\mathbf{x}} \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \mathbf{x}\|_2^2 + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^N w_i^{(m)} |x_i|^2$$

- **Iterative reweighted L₂** [Chartrand et al. 08]

- Init: $m = 0$, $\mathbf{x}^{(m)}$ = something convenient

- Iterate:

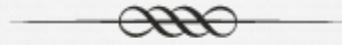
- Compute $\mathbf{x}^{(m+1)} = \mathbf{W}_m \Phi^T (\lambda \mathbf{I} + \Phi \mathbf{W}_m \Phi^T)^{-1} \mathbf{y}$

- $m \leftarrow m+1$, update \mathbf{W}_m

- Until convergence

$$\|\mathbf{W}_m^{-\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{x}\|_2^2$$

An Example



- Suppose $g(x) = \log(|x| + \epsilon)$, $\epsilon > 0$
- Concave in $|x|$, x^2

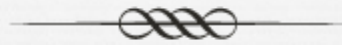
- Iterative reweighted L1

$$g' \left(x_i^{(m)} \right) = \left[\left| x_i^{(m)} \right| + \epsilon \right]^{-1}$$

- Iterative reweighted L2

$$w_i^{(m)} = \left[\left(x_i^{(m)} \right)^2 + \epsilon \left| x_i^{(m)} \right| \right]^{-1}$$

Limitations of MAP



- Many local minima $O(NC_M)$
 - May get stuck at a local minimum
- MAP only guarantees $\max p(x = x_0|y)$
 - Probability mass, rather than mode, may be more relevant for continuous random vars
 - Perhaps posterior mean $E(x|y)$?
- Even with the true prior, MAP estimators do not minimize MSE: so MSE may be high!
 - In fact, using "true" statistics often does not lead to the lowest MSE!

To Recap



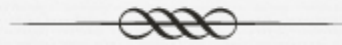
- Bayesian estimation
 - Basic MAP estimation
 - Majorization-minimization approach
 - Iterative reweighted algorithms
- Limitations
 - Many local minima
 - Posterior mean vs. posterior mode

Part 3: Sparse Bayesian Learning



Use lots of priors and pick the best one!

Point of Departure: Alternative Prior



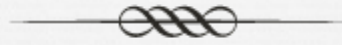
- Gaussian Scaled Mixtures (GSM)

$$\mathbf{x} = \gamma G; G \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{g}; 0, 1)$$

$$p(\mathbf{x}) = \int p(\mathbf{x}|\gamma)p(\gamma)d\gamma = \int \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x}; 0, \gamma)p(\gamma)d\gamma$$

- γ : +ve random variable, indep. of G
 - Spike-and-slab model if $\gamma = \text{Bern}(0,1)$
- Most priors can be expressed using GSM (incl. ones with concave g) [Palmer et al., 2006]

Examples



- Laplacian density

- We use: $p(\gamma) = \frac{a^2}{2} \exp\left(-\frac{a^2}{2}\gamma\right), \gamma \geq 0$

- And get: $p(x_i; a) = \frac{a}{2} \exp(-a|x_i|)$

- Which leads to the familiar LASSO problem

- Student's t distribution

- We use: gamma distribution

- And get:

$$p(x_i; a, b) = \frac{b^a \Gamma(a + 1/2)}{\sqrt{2\pi} \Gamma(a)} \frac{1}{(b + x_i^2/2)^{a+1/2}}$$

Examples



- Generalized Gaussian

- We use: positive alpha-stable density of order $p/2$

- And get:
$$p(x_i; p) = \frac{1}{2\Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{p}\right)} \exp(-|x_i|^p)$$

- Generalized logistic distribution

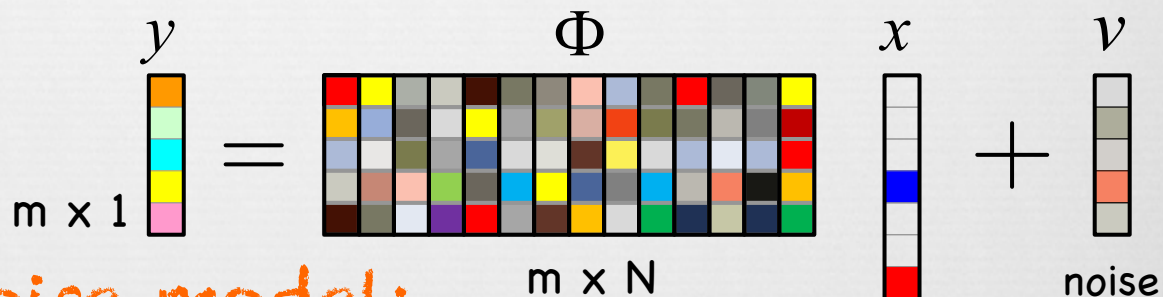
- We use: A scale mixing density related to the Kolmogorov Smirnov distance

- And get:
$$p(x_i; \alpha) = \frac{\Gamma(2\alpha)}{\Gamma(\alpha)^2} \frac{\exp(-\alpha|x_i|)}{(1 + \exp(-|x_i|))^{2\alpha}}$$

Sparse Bayesian Learning



- Canonical model



- Gaussian noise model:

$$p(\mathbf{y}|\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{(2\pi\sigma^2)^{\frac{N}{2}}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi\mathbf{x}\|_2^2\right)$$

k -sparse
signal
 $N \times 1$

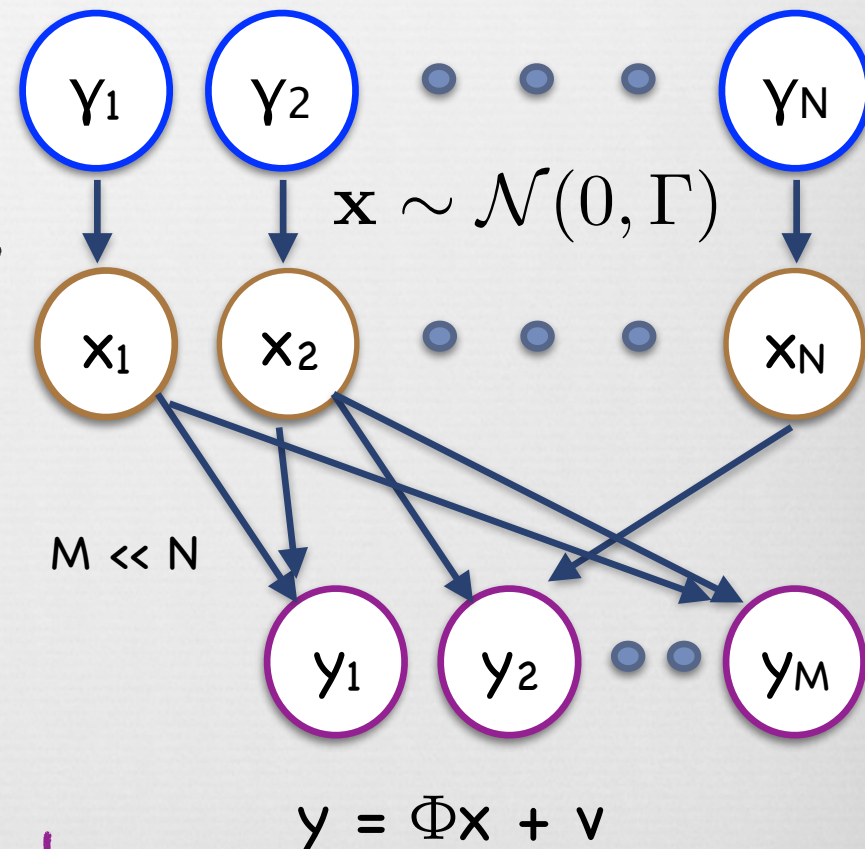
- Parameterized Gaussian prior:

$$p(x_i; \gamma_i) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\gamma_i}} \exp\left(-\frac{x_i^2}{2\gamma_i}\right), \gamma_i \geq 0$$

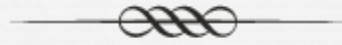
Graphical Model



- Markov chain (graphical model): $y \rightarrow x \rightarrow y$
- $p(x; y)$ Gaussian - leads to tractable algorithms
- Given y , $p(x|y; \gamma)$ is Gaussian: easy to find point estimates
- But we don't know γ
- When in doubt, approximate!
Find $p(x|y; \hat{\gamma})$ instead

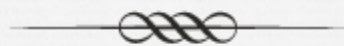


Approach



- First, estimate hyperparameters: $\hat{\gamma} = \arg \max_{\gamma} p(\gamma | \mathbf{y})$
- γ : deterministic and unknown, or random with hyperprior distbn.
- Then, find posterior distribution $p(\mathbf{x} | \mathbf{y}; \hat{\gamma})$
$$p(\mathbf{x} | \mathbf{y}; \hat{\gamma}) = \mathcal{N}(\mu_x, \Sigma_x)$$
$$\mu_x = \hat{\Gamma} \Phi^T (\Phi \hat{\Gamma} \Phi^T + \lambda \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{y}$$
$$\Sigma_x = \hat{\Gamma} - \hat{\Gamma} \Phi^T (\Phi \hat{\Gamma} \Phi^T + \lambda \mathbf{I})^{-1} \Phi \hat{\Gamma}$$
- For point estimates: e.g., posterior mean: $\mathbb{E}(\mathbf{x} | \mathbf{y}; \hat{\gamma})$

Estimating the Hyperparameters



- Estimate γ_i from the data: Type-II ML

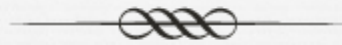
$$\mathcal{L}(\Gamma) = \log p(\mathbf{y}; \Gamma) = \log \int p(\mathbf{y}|\mathbf{x}; \Gamma)p(\mathbf{x}; \Gamma)d\mathbf{x}$$

$$\mathbf{y} = \Phi\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{v} \quad p(\mathbf{y}; \Gamma) = \mathcal{N} \left(0, \underbrace{\sigma^2\mathbf{I} + \Phi\Gamma\Phi^T}_{\Sigma_{\mathbf{y}}} \right)$$

- SBL cost function:

$$\mathcal{L}(\Gamma) \propto -\log \det(\Sigma_{\mathbf{y}}) - \mathbf{y}^T \Sigma_{\mathbf{y}}^{-1} \mathbf{y}$$

Optimization via EM



- Log likelihood of the complete data

$$-\log p(\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x}; \gamma) = \underbrace{\frac{\|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \mathbf{x}\|_2^2}{2\sigma^2}}_{\substack{-\log p(\mathbf{y}|\mathbf{x}; \gamma) \\ \text{indep. of } \gamma}} + \frac{1}{2} \left[\underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^N \frac{x_i^2}{\gamma_i}}_{-\log p(\mathbf{x}; \gamma)} + \log \gamma_i \right]_{\substack{-\log p(\mathbf{x}; \gamma) \\ \text{func. of } \gamma}}$$

- **E-Step:** compute "Q-function"

$$Q(\Gamma | \Gamma^{(t)}) = \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{x}|\mathbf{y}; \Gamma^{(t)}} [-\log p(\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x}; \Gamma)] \quad \text{from previous iteration}$$
$$= \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{\mathbb{E}(x_i^2 | \mathbf{y}; \Gamma^{(t)})}{\gamma_i} + \log \gamma_i$$

- Easy to compute: $p(x_i | \mathbf{y}; \Gamma^{(t)})$ is Gaussian

The EM Iterations



- **E-step (continued):** $p(\mathbf{x}|\mathbf{y}; \Gamma^{(t)}) = \mathcal{N}(\mu, \Sigma)$

$$\Sigma = \left(\sigma^{-2} \Phi^T \Phi + \left(\Gamma^{(t)} \right)^{-1} \right)^{-1} \quad \mu = \sigma^{-2} \Sigma \Phi^T \mathbf{y}$$

- **M-step:** maximize $Q(\Gamma|\Gamma^{(t)})$ given posteriors gathered in the E-step: $\mathbb{E}(x_i^2 | \mathbf{y}; \Gamma^{(t)})$

$$\Gamma^{(t+1)} = \arg \max_{\gamma_i \geq 0} Q(\Gamma|\Gamma^{(t)}) = \text{diag}(\mu_i^2 + \Sigma_{ii})$$

- Component-wise updates

The SBL Algorithm



1. Initialize $\Gamma = \mathbf{I}$

2. Compute
$$\Sigma = \left(\sigma^{-2} \Phi^T \Phi + \left(\Gamma^{(t)} \right)^{-1} \right)^{-1}$$
$$\mu = \sigma^{-2} \Sigma \Phi^T \mathbf{y}$$

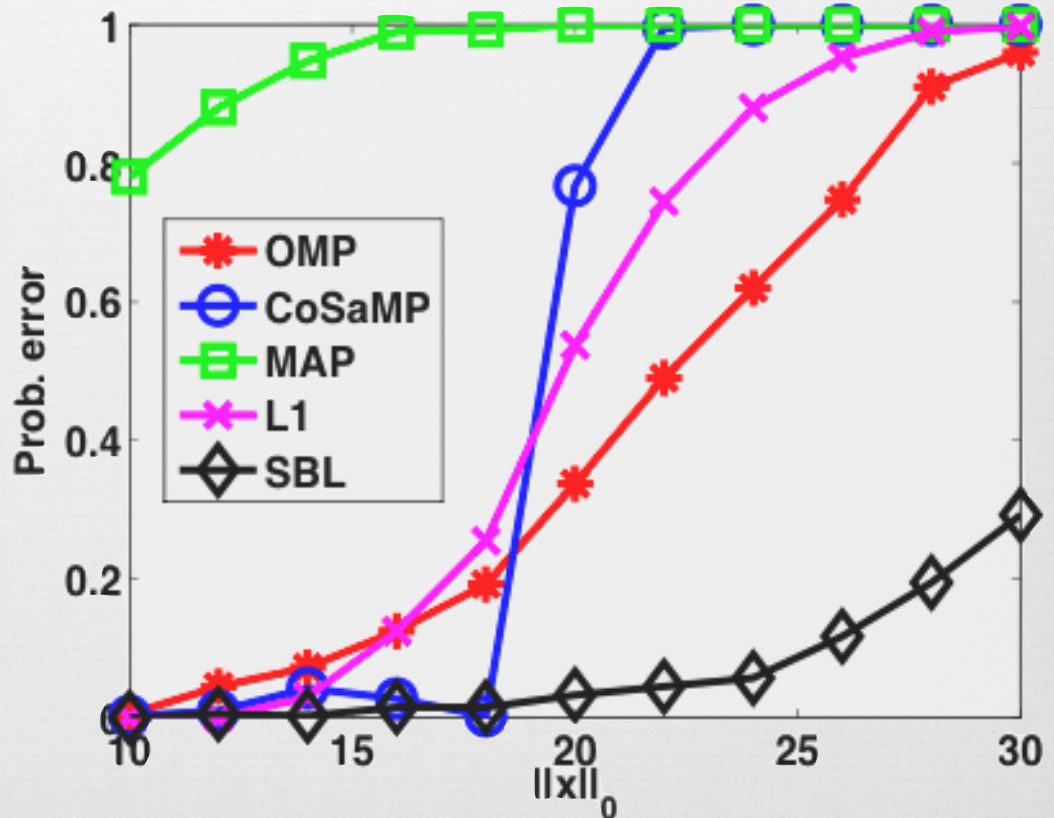
3. Update $\Gamma^{(t+1)} = \text{diag} (\mu_i^2 + \Sigma_{ii})$

4. Repeat steps 2 and 3

5. Output μ after convergence

Empirical Example

- Generate random 50×100 matrix A
- Generate sparse vector x_0
- Compute $y = Ax_0$
- Solve for x_0 , average over 1000 trials
- Repeat for different sparsity values



Highly scaled nonzero entries

Convergence



- Convergence guaranteed to a fixed pt. of L from any initialization (property of EM)
- The global min of L occurs at the **sparsest solution** in the noiseless case [Wipf et al. 04]
- All local minima occur at **sparse** solutions in the noisy case [Wipf et al. 04]
- Strictly better than MAP estmn. with a factorial prior [Wipf and Nagarajan 09]
 - Always has fewer local minima
 - Global min. at global optimum of L_0 min.

Other Options



- **McKay updates** [Tipping, 2001]
 - Set gradient of SBL cost = 0
 - Faster convergence than EM
- **Greedy approach:**
 - Update hyperparams one at a time [Tipping & Faul, 2003]
 - Closed-form update for each hyperparam
 - Fast, but can get trapped in a local min.
 - Fast Bayesian matching pursuit [Schniter et al., 08]

Other Options



- Use **dual-form of SBL**. Cost function:

$$\mathbf{x}_{\text{opt}} = \arg \min_{\mathbf{x}} \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \mathbf{x}\|_2^2 + \sigma^2 g_{\text{SBL}}(\mathbf{x})$$

$$g_{\text{SBL}}(\mathbf{x}) \triangleq \min_{\gamma \geq 0} \mathbf{x}^T \Gamma^{-1} \mathbf{x} + \log \det (\sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \Phi \Gamma \Phi^T)$$

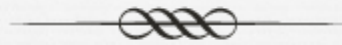
- **Facilitates iterative reweighted L_1 and L_2 algorithms** [Wipf and Nagarajan, 09]
- Replace E-step with an approx. posterior computation: **AMP-SBL** [Al-Shoukairi and Rao 14]

Approximate Message Passing

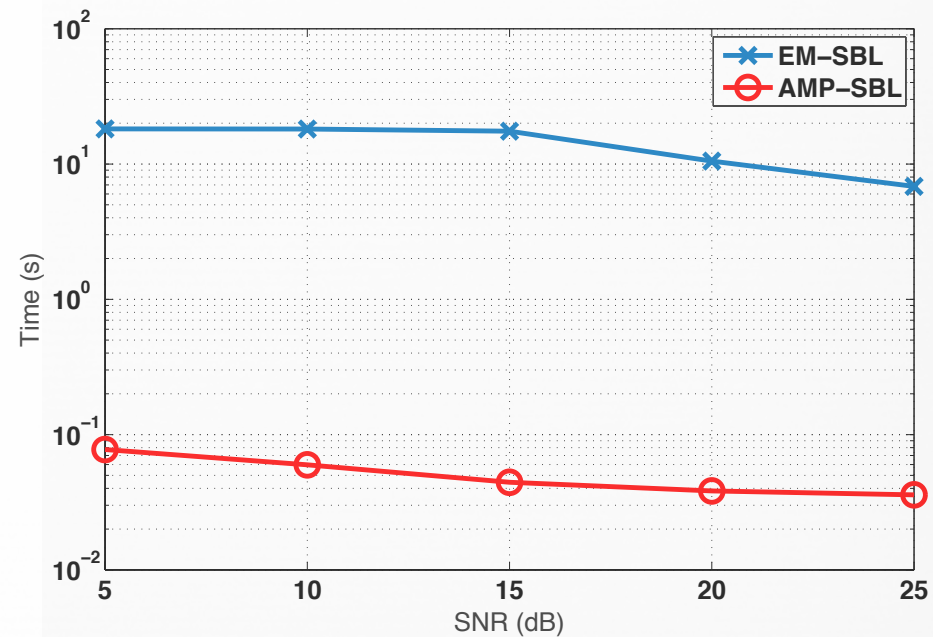
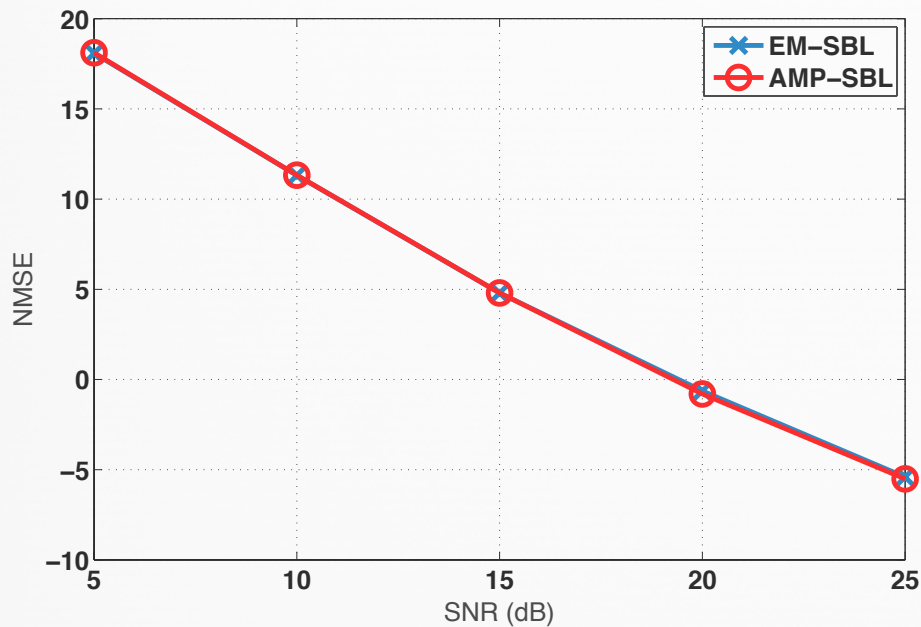


- AMP [Donoho, Maleki, Montanari 09]:
 - Uses loopy belief propagation + Gaussian approximations to solve LASSO
 - Key advantage: low complexity
- In SBL:
 - All Gaussian PDFs: approximation is not necessary
 - Only need to track means and variances
 - Can replace computationally expensive E-step with the AMP based iterations

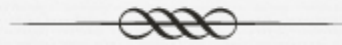
Empirical Example



- $N = 200$, $M = 100$, $K = 20$, Gaussian measurement matrix

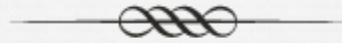


Advantages of SBL



- Averaging over x : fewer minima in $p(y;Y)$
- Get an estimate of the error in recovery
- Allows for "exact inference"
- **Versatile:** γ can also be used to tie several params. together - easier to estimate
- **Useful extensions:** incorporate structure
 - Intra/inter-vector correlation
 - SBL allows the use of Kalman framework
 - Block/cluster sparsity
 - Colored noise (rank-deficient cov.)

To Recap



- Sparse Bayesian Learning
 - Sparse vector recovery via estimating hyperparameters
 - Expectation-maximization iterations
 - Convergence properties
 - Alternative implementations
- Limitations
 - Computational complexity
 - More recent algos overcome this
 - Slow convergence
 - Fast versions exist, but without the same convergence guarantees

Part 4: Joint Sparse Signal Recovery



One important variant of the sparse recovery problem

Outline

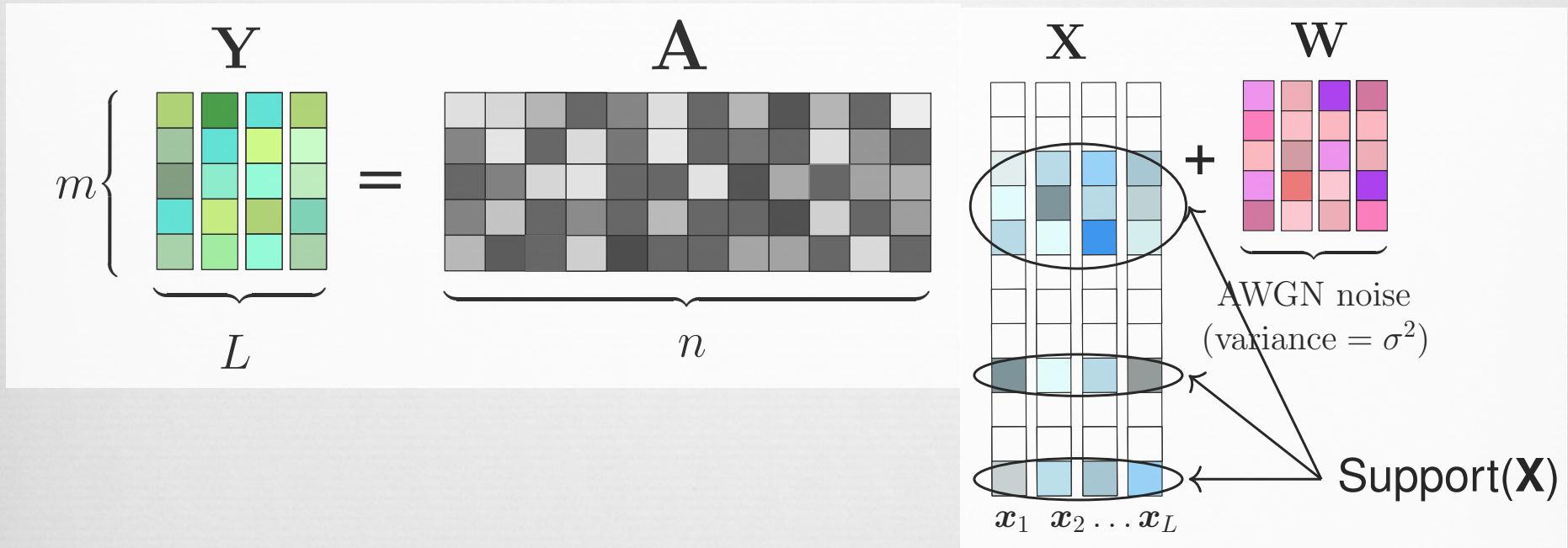


- The joint sparse signal recovery problem
- L_0 bound in support recovery
- Sparse Bayesian Learning (the MMV version)
 - Performance guarantees and new insights
- New algorithms
 - Covariance matching framework
- New theoretical results
 - Restricted isometry of Khatri-Rao product

Joint Sparse Recovery Problem



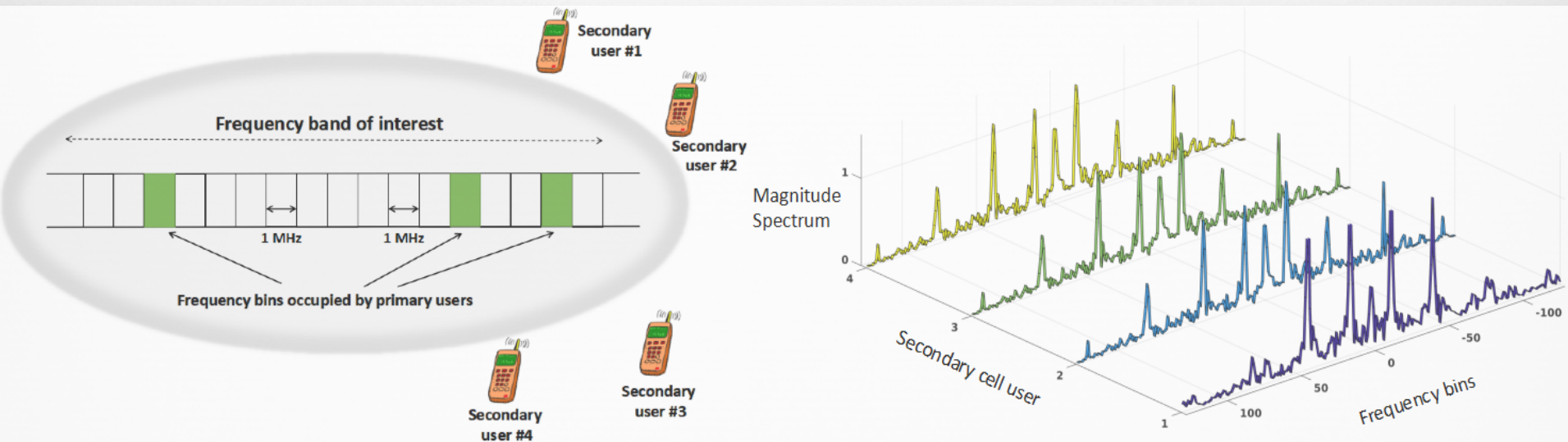
Observation model



Let $k =$ number of nonzero rows in X .

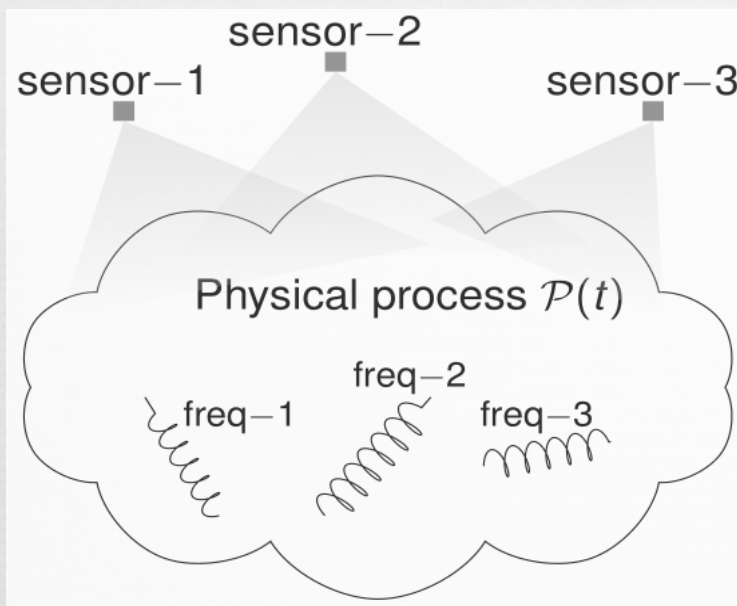
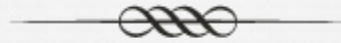
Want to recover X or $\text{support}(X)$ from the Multiple Measurement Vectors (MMVs) Y

Wideband Spectrum Sensing



- Magnitude spectrum across secondary cell users is approximately *jointly sparse*.
- Exploit structure to improve accuracy.

Multi-sensor Data



- Signals acquired by different sensors have overlapping subspaces



- Approximate as different linear combinations of the same elementary signals

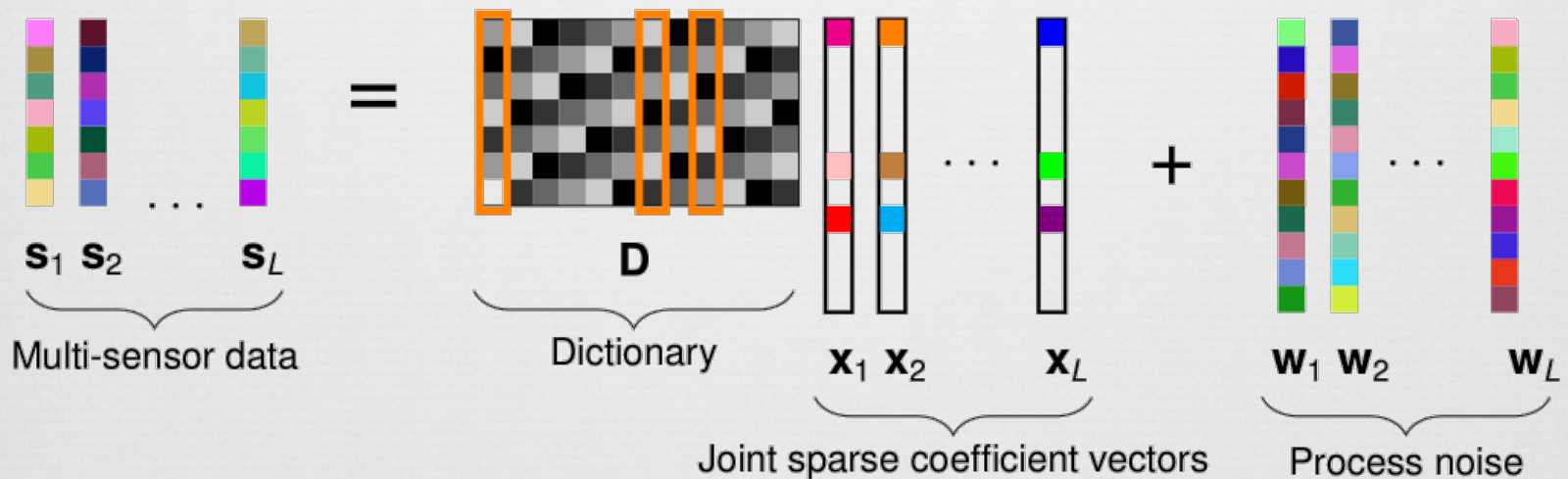
Why do subspaces overlap?

Commonality of physical process being sensed
Overlapping sensing regions

Generative Model for Multi-sensor Data



- Simultaneous sparse approximation (SSA)
[Tropp 04]

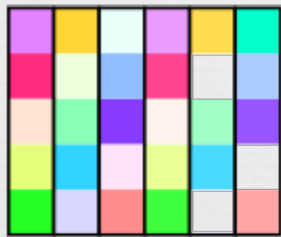


Overlapping subspace = column-space(D_S).

Compression of Multi-sensor Data



- Linear encoder



$y_1 y_2 \dots y_L$

low dimensional
sketch

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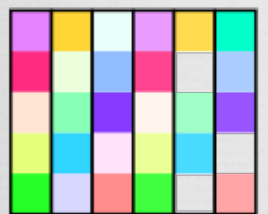
with random rows



$s_1 s_2 \dots s_L$

high dimensional
data from L sensors

Two-Stage Decoder



$y_1 y_2 \dots y_L$

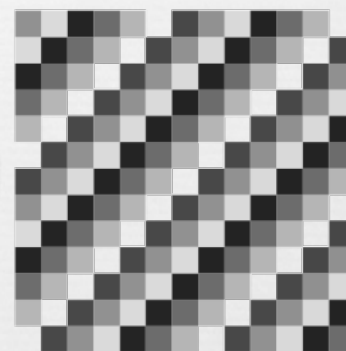
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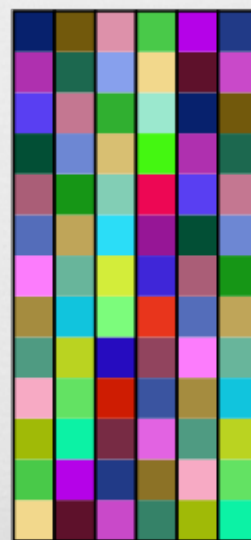
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dictionary



$x_1 x_2 \dots x_L$

joint sparse coefficients

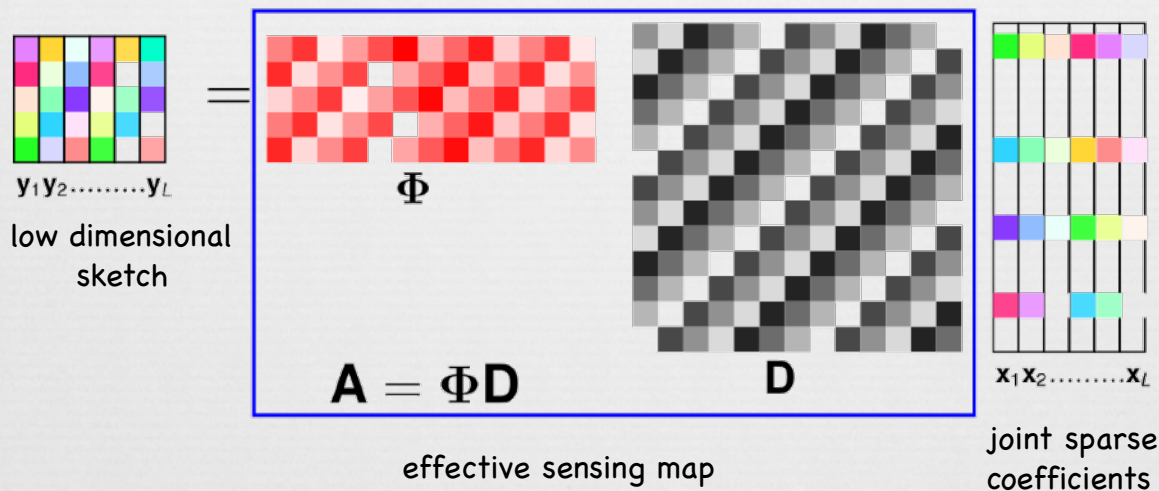


$s_1 s_2 \dots s_L$

Two-Stage Decoder



- Two stage decoder



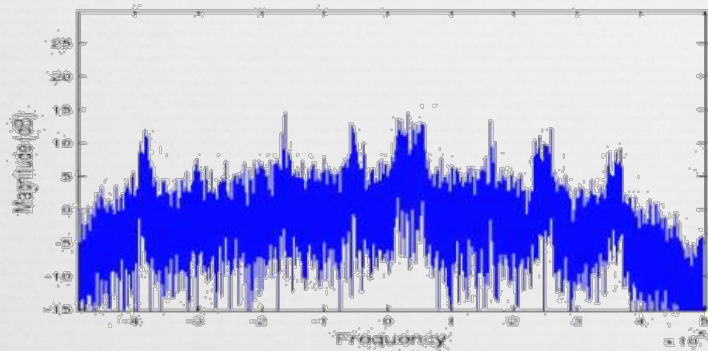
Stage 1: Recover joint-sparse X_{est} from sketch Y

Stage 2: $S_{est} = D X_{est}$

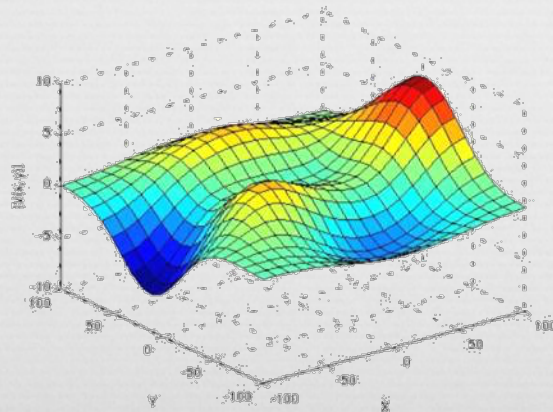
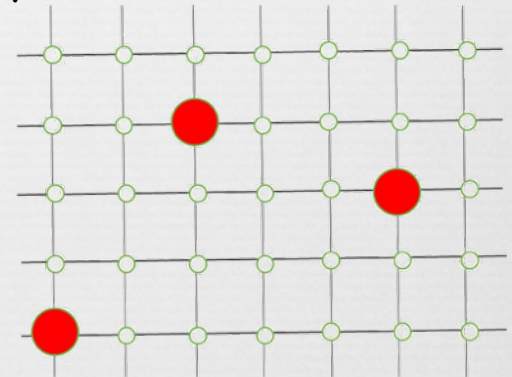
Support Recovery is also Important



Wideband spectrum sensing

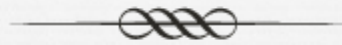


Sparse event localization



Subspace filtering
by projecting to
common signal subspace

L_0 Bound



- Canonical L_0 problem:

$$(\mathbf{L}_0): \quad \min_{\mathbf{X}} \mathcal{R}(\mathbf{X}) \quad \text{subject to } \mathbf{Y} = \Phi \mathbf{X}.$$

$\mathcal{R}(\mathbf{X}) =$ No. of nonzero rows in \mathbf{X}

- Unique k -sparse solution if [Chen & Huo, 06]

$$k < \frac{\text{Spark}(\Phi) - 1 + \text{Rank}(\mathbf{Y})}{2} \quad (\ell_0 - \text{bound})$$

- $\text{Spark}(\Phi) =$ min. num. of lin. dep. cols in Φ .
- L_0 bound on num. of nonzero rows: $k < m$.

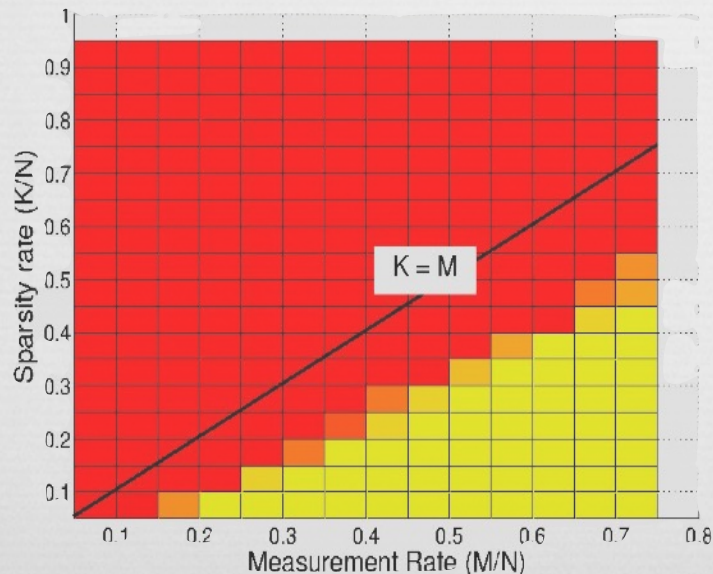
Support Recovery Beyond L_0 Bound



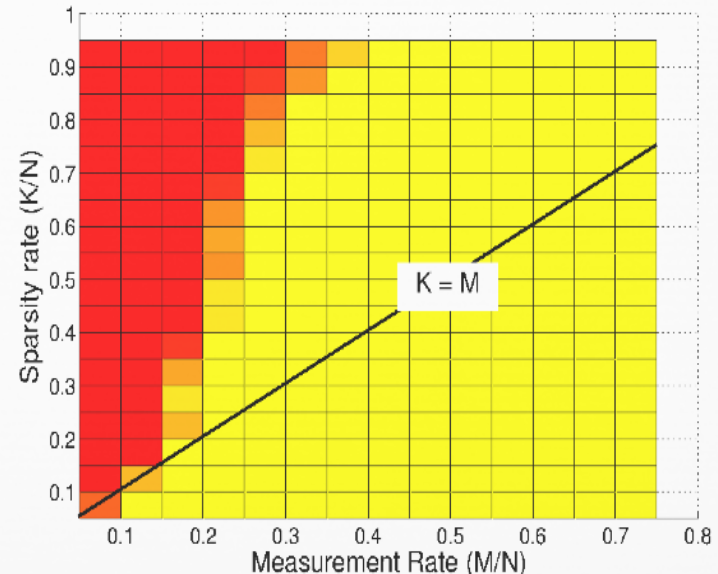
- Supports of size $k > m$ are recoverable!
- Key idea: Use correlation-aware priors

Support recovery phase transition

Simultaneous Orthogonal Matching Pursuit (SOMP)



Sparse Bayesian Learning (M-SBL)



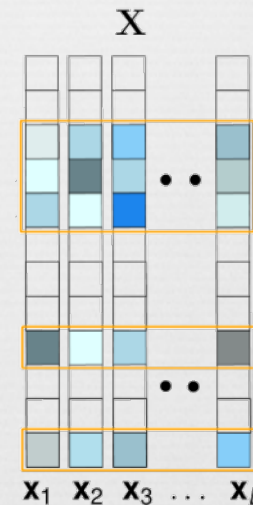
Correlation Awareness



- Latent structure within joint sparse vectors!

Zero intra-vector correlation

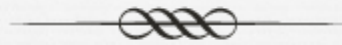
$$\mathbb{E}[\mathbf{x}_j(i)\mathbf{x}_j(k)] \approx 0$$



Correlation-aware prior [Pal & Vaidyanathan, 15]

$$\mathbf{x}_j \stackrel{i.i.d.}{\sim} \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{0}, \Gamma), \quad \Gamma = \text{diag}(\gamma).$$

M-SBL-Sparse Bayesian Learning using MMVs

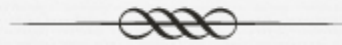


- Observation model: $\mathbf{Y} = \Phi\mathbf{X} + \mathbf{W}$
- Correlation-aware prior: $\mathbf{x}_j \stackrel{i.i.d.}{\sim} \mathcal{N}(0, \Gamma)$, $\Gamma = \text{diag}(\gamma)$
 - Common Γ enforces same support in columns of \mathbf{X} .
 - Gaussian MMVs:

$$\mathbf{y}_j \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \Phi\Gamma\Phi^T)$$

- M-SBL algorithm: $\hat{\gamma} = \underset{\gamma \in \mathbb{R}_+^n}{\text{argmax}} \log p(\mathbf{Y}; \gamma)$
 - Nonconvex objective
 - Solved via Expectation Maximization (EM)
 - Estimated support = $\text{support}(\hat{\gamma})$.

The M-SBL Algo



- Cost function

$$p(\mathbf{Y}; \gamma) = \int p(\mathbf{Y}, \mathbf{X}; \gamma) d\mathbf{X} = \prod_{j=1}^L \int p(\mathbf{y}_j | \mathbf{x}_j) p(\mathbf{x}_j; \gamma) d\mathbf{x}_j$$

- Key point: γ couples the sparsity pattern across \mathbf{x}_j

- Fewer parameters to estimate: $N \ll (N \times L)$

- EM iterations

$$\text{E-step: } Q(\gamma | \gamma^k) = \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{X} | \mathbf{Y}, \gamma^k} [\log p(\mathbf{Y}, \mathbf{X}; \gamma)]$$

$$\text{M-step: } \gamma^{k+1} = \arg \max_{\gamma \in \mathbb{R}_+^N} Q(\gamma | \gamma^k)$$

- Posterior distbn.: $p(\mathbf{x}_j | \mathbf{y}_j; \gamma^k) \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_j^{k+1}, \Sigma_j^{k+1})$

E & M Steps



- E Step:

$$\Sigma_j^{k+1} = \Gamma^k - \Gamma^k \Phi_j^T (\sigma_j^2 \mathbf{I}_M + \Phi_j \Gamma^k \Phi_j^T)^{-1} \Phi_j \Gamma^k$$

$$\mu_j^{k+1} = \sigma_j^{-2} \Sigma_j^{k+1} \Phi_j^T \mathbf{y}_j$$

- M Step:

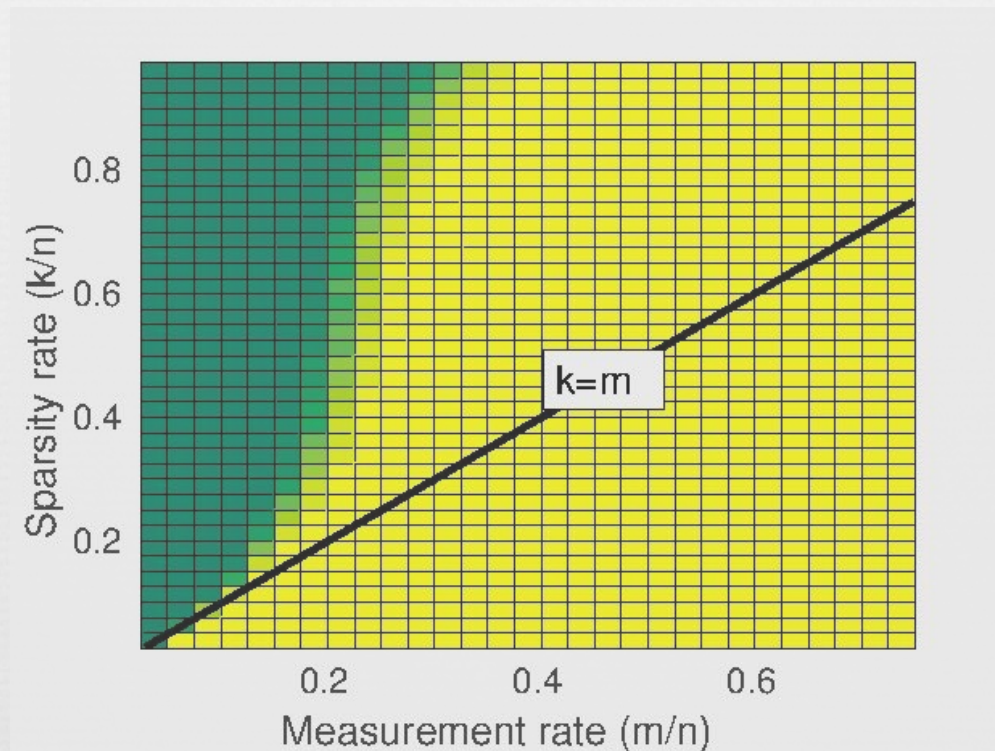
$$\gamma^{k+1}(i) = \frac{1}{L} \sum_{j=1}^L \mu_j^{k+1}(i)^2 + \Sigma_j^{k+1}(i, i)$$

- Average of the individual estimates of γ_i across measurements

Performance of MSBL



Support recovery phase transition



$n=200,$
 $L=400,$
 $SNR=20$ dB

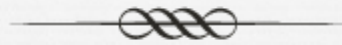
Recoverable support size k grows as $O(m^2)$!

Part 5: Performance Guarantees for Sparse Bayesian Learning



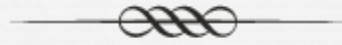
Sufficient conditions for support recovery by M-SBL

Sufficient Conditions for Support Recovery in SBL



- Single measurement vector ($L = 1$)
- Noiseless observations
- Result: SBL correctly recovers the support for all $1 \leq k < \text{spark}(\Phi) - 1$
 - spark: min. number of lin. dep. cols
 - Usually, in CS, $\text{spark}(\Phi) = m + 1$
- For L_1 recovery, $1 \leq k \leq O(m / \log N)$

Sufficient Conditions for Support Recovery in MSBL



- Suppose x_1, x_2, \dots, x_L have common support S^* of size k . Nonzero entries i.i.d. zero mean Gaussian with variance in $[\gamma_{\min}, \gamma_{\max}]$. Then,

$$\mathbb{P}(\text{supp}(\hat{\gamma}) \neq S^*) \leq \exp\left(-\frac{\eta L}{8}\right)$$

- Under Conditions 1 & 2 (next slide)

Conditions 1 & 2

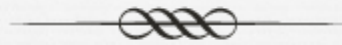


- **Condition 1:** The self Khatri-Rao product matrix $\Phi \odot \Phi$ has a strictly positive minimum singular value

- **Condition 2:**

$$\eta \geq \inf_{\gamma \in \Theta_K} \frac{\|(\Phi \odot \Phi)(\gamma - \gamma^*)\|_2^2}{\left(\sigma^2 + \gamma_{\max} \|\Phi_{SUS^*}^T \Phi_{SUS^*}\|_2\right)^2}$$

Proof Outline



- Error event $\mathcal{E}_{S^*} = \bigcup_{S \in \mathcal{S}_K \setminus \{S^*\}} \left\{ \max_{\gamma \in \Theta(S)} \mathcal{L}(Y; \gamma) \geq \max_{\gamma \in \Theta(S^*)} \mathcal{L}(Y; \gamma) \right\}$
- Apply union bound, replace first max. by a finite sized union over an epsilon net
- Use a large deviation property on the likelihood function to bound error prob.

$$\mathbb{P}(\mathcal{E}_{S^*}) \leq \sum_{S \in \mathcal{S}_K \setminus S^*} \sum_{\gamma \in \Theta^\epsilon(S)} \exp(-LD_{1/2}^*/4)$$

- Lower bound the worst case exponent

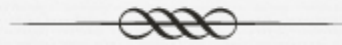
$$D_{1/2}^* \geq \eta$$

- Hence

$$\mathbb{P}(\mathcal{E}_{S^*}) \leq \exp \left(-L \left(\frac{\eta}{4} - \frac{\log |\mathcal{S}_K|}{L} - \frac{\log(\max_{S \in \mathcal{S}_K} |\Theta^\epsilon(S)|)}{L} \right) \right)$$

- Bound the cardinality of the epsilon net
 - Lipschitz const. of the log likelihood

When will Condition 1 hold?



- Theorem (paraphrased): Suppose Φ has real i.i.d. Gaussian(0,1) entries. Then,

$$\mathbb{P} \left(\delta_k \left(\frac{\Phi}{\sqrt{m}} \odot \frac{\Phi}{\sqrt{m}} \right) \geq \delta \right) \leq 5n^{-2(\beta-1)}$$

for all $\beta > 1$, provided

$$m \geq 4c_3\beta \left(\frac{k \log n}{\delta} \right)$$

If A has i.i.d. Gaussian entries,
$$\mathbb{P} \left(\delta_k \left(\frac{A}{\sqrt{m}} \right) > \delta \right) \leq \frac{1}{n^\alpha}$$
provided
$$m \geq \frac{c}{\delta^2} (k + \alpha) \log n$$

[Foucart & Rauhut, Thm. 9.27]

Proof Outline



- Point of departure

$$\delta_k \left(\frac{\Phi}{\sqrt{m}} \odot \frac{\Phi}{\sqrt{m}} \right) = \sup_{\mathbf{z} \in \mathbb{R}^n, \|\mathbf{z}\|_2=1, \|\mathbf{z}\|_0 \leq k} \left| \left\| \left(\frac{\Phi}{\sqrt{m}} \odot \frac{\Phi}{\sqrt{m}} \right) \mathbf{z} \right\|_2^2 - 1 \right|$$

- Union bound $\Pr(\text{RHS} \geq \delta)$. Use

$$(\Phi \odot \Phi)^T (\Phi \odot \Phi) = \Phi^T \Phi \circ \Phi^T \Phi$$

- Then use Gaussian tail bounds and the Hanson Wright inequality:

$$\mathbb{P} \left\{ |\mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{x} - \mathbb{E} \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{x}| > t \right\}$$

$$\leq 2 \exp \left[-c \min \left(\frac{t^2}{K^4 \|\mathbf{A}\|_{HS}^2}, \frac{t}{K^2 \|\mathbf{A}\|} \right) \right]$$

Implications



- In MSBL, for a **fixed n** , we get perfect support recovery w.h.p., with noisy meas. Φ even if $k > m$
- For $1 \leq k \leq \text{krank}(\Phi \odot \Phi)/2$
- $\text{krank}(\Phi \odot \Phi)$: Largest p s.t. any p cols of $\Phi \odot \Phi$ are linearly independent
- For suitable¹ Φ , $\text{krank}(\Phi \odot \Phi) = \mathcal{O}(m^2)$
- Sparsity level up to $\mathcal{O}(m^2)$ is potentially recoverable!

¹P. Pal and P. P. Vaidyanathan, "Correlation-Aware Techniques for Sparse Support Recovery", SSP Workshop, 2012.

New Interpretation of M-SBL Cost Function

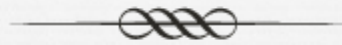


- M-SBL cost:

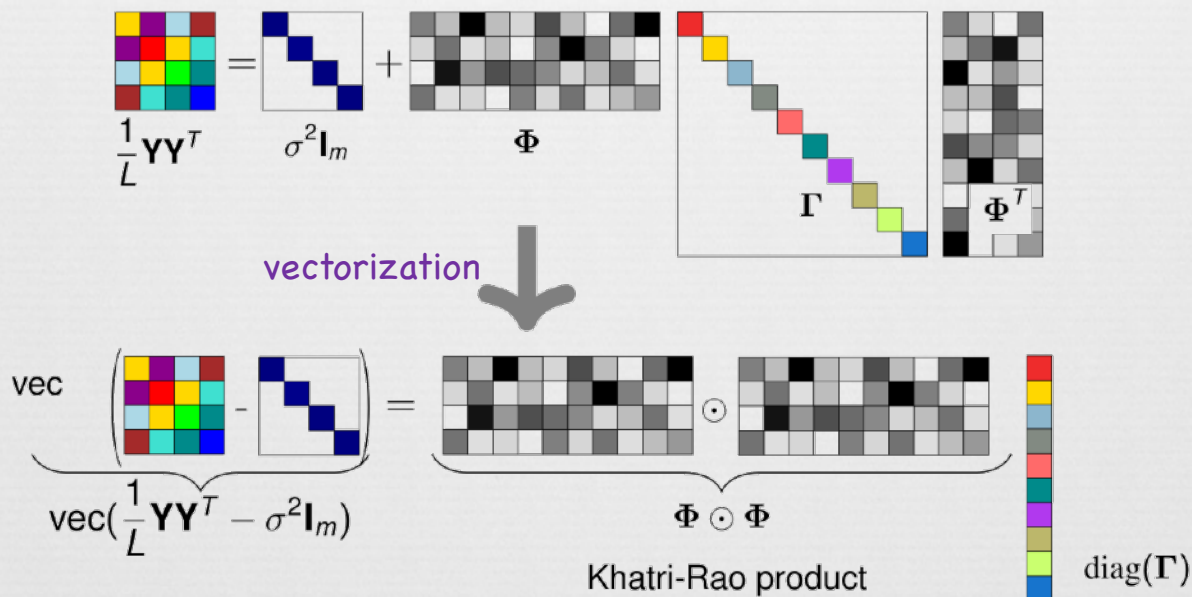
$$\begin{aligned} -\log p(\mathbf{Y}; \gamma) &= -\sum_{j=1}^L \log \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{y}_j; 0, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I}_m + \mathbf{\Phi} \Gamma \mathbf{\Phi}^T) \\ &\propto \log |\sigma^2 \mathbf{I}_m + \mathbf{\Phi} \Gamma \mathbf{\Phi}^T| + \text{tr} \left((\sigma^2 \mathbf{I}_m + \mathbf{\Phi} \Gamma \mathbf{\Phi}^T)^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{L} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T \right) \right) \\ &\propto \mathcal{D}_{-\log \det}^{\text{Bregman}} \left(\frac{1}{L} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I}_m + \mathbf{\Phi} \Gamma \mathbf{\Phi}^T \right) + \text{const. terms} \end{aligned}$$

- Motivates covariance matching based approaches to sparse recovery
- Can we use some other divergence?

A Closer Look at Covariance Matching



- Covariance matching constraints: $\frac{1}{L} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T \approx \sigma^2 \mathbf{I}_m + \Phi \Gamma \Phi^T$



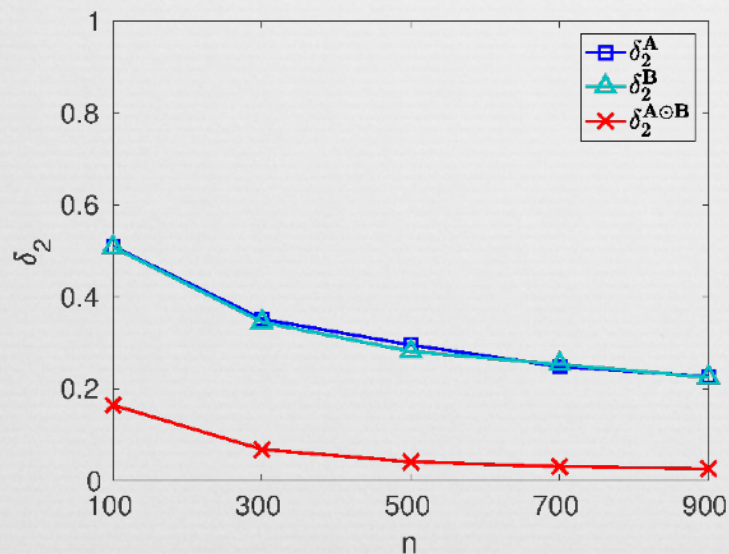
- Restricted isometry of $\Phi \circ \Phi$ ensures robust recovery of sparse γ
- Also, $\gamma \geq 0$. Want a non-negative null space property

Empirical Study

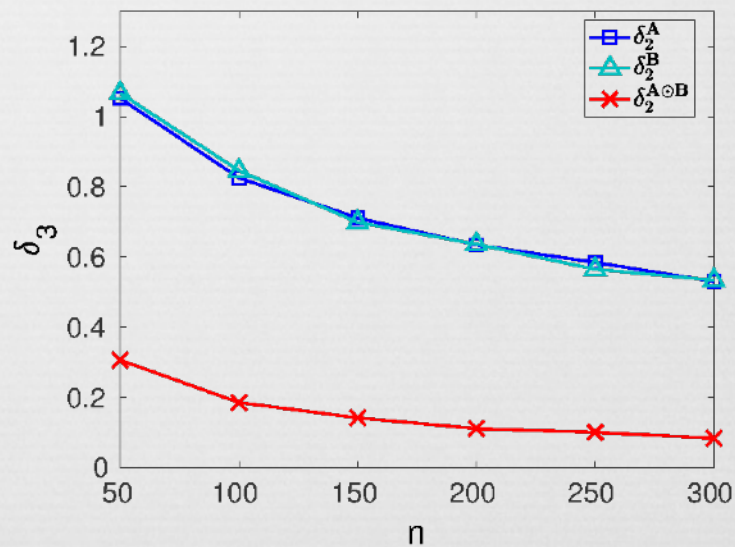


- $A_{ij}, B_{ij} \sim N(0, 1/m)$ & $m = 0.5n$

2-RIC



3-RIC



RIP improved by taking Khatri-Rao product!

Deterministic RIC bound for Khatri-Rao product



- Theorem: [Khanna & M., TSP 2018]
For $m \times n$ sized matrices \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} with unit norm columns,

$$\delta_k(\mathbf{A} \odot \mathbf{B}) \leq [\max(\delta_k(\mathbf{A}), \delta_k(\mathbf{B}))]^2$$

- Proof technique:
 - $(\mathbf{A} \odot \mathbf{B})^T (\mathbf{A} \odot \mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A} \circ \mathbf{B}^T \mathbf{B}$
 - Kantorovitch matrix inequalities

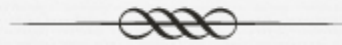
- Useful corollary: $\delta_k(\mathbf{A} \odot \mathbf{A}) \leq (\delta_k(\mathbf{A}))^2 < \delta_k(\mathbf{A})$ RIP improves!

Part 6: New Algorithms



Covariance matching is the key!

Covariance Matching framework



- Observation
Model:

$$\mathbf{Y} = \Phi \mathbf{X} + \mathbf{W}$$

- Principle:

$$\hat{\gamma} = \arg \min_{\gamma \in \mathbb{R}_+^n} \text{dist} \left(\underbrace{\frac{1}{L} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T}_{\text{Empirical covariance matrix}}, \underbrace{\sigma^2 \mathbf{I}_m + \Phi \Gamma \Phi^T}_{\text{Parametrized covariance matrix}} \right)$$

Support estimate = Support($\hat{\gamma}$)

Correlation-aware
Gaussian prior

$$\mathbf{x}_j \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \text{diag}(\gamma))$$

$$\mathbf{y}_j \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I}_m + \Phi \Gamma \Phi^T)$$

Covariance Matching Algorithm 1



- Distance = Frobenius norm
- Algorithm = CO-LASSO [Pal & Vaidyanathan, 15]

$$\hat{\gamma} = \arg \min_{\gamma \in \mathbb{R}_+^n} \left\| \left\| \frac{1}{L} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T - (\sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \Phi \Gamma \Phi^T) \right\| \right\|_F^2 + \lambda \|\gamma\|_1$$

- Convex objective
- High memory requirements (to store $\Phi \odot \Phi$)

Covariance Matching Algorithm 2



- Distance = Log-Det Bregman Matrix Divergence
- Algorithm = M-SBL [Wipf & Rao, 07]

$$\hat{\gamma} = \arg \min_{\gamma \in \mathbb{R}_+^n} \log \left| \sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \Phi \Gamma \Phi^T \right| + \text{tr} \left(\left(\sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \Phi \Gamma \Phi^T \right)^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{L} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T \right) \right)$$

- Nonconvex objective (optimize using EM)
- Slow convergence
- Best performance

Covariance Matching Algorithm 3



- Distance = Log-Det Jensen Difference
- Algorithm = Rényi Divergence based Covariance Matching Pursuit (RD-CMP) [Khanna & M., 17]

- A new correlation-aware prior

$$\mathbf{x}_j \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \gamma \text{diag}(\mathbf{1}_S))$$

Covariance matrix
parameterized by
support S

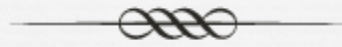
- Induces Gaussian distributed MMVs

$$\mathbf{y}_j \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I}_m + \gamma \Phi_S \Phi_S^T)$$

- Covariance matching with α -Rényi divergence

$$\hat{S} = \underset{S \subseteq [n]}{\operatorname{argmin}} D_\alpha \left(\mathcal{N} \left(0, \frac{1}{L} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T \right), \mathcal{N} \left(0, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I}_m + \gamma \Phi_S \Phi_S^T \right) \right)$$

Rényi Divergence based Covariance Matching Pursuit



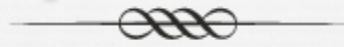
- Covariance matching using α -Rényi Divergence

$$\hat{S} = \operatorname{argmin}_{S \subseteq [n]} D_\alpha \left(\mathcal{N} \left(0, \frac{1}{L} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T \right), \mathcal{N} \left(0, \sigma^2 \mathbf{I}_m + \gamma \Phi_S \Phi_S^T \right) \right)$$

$$\hat{S} = \operatorname{argmin}_{S \subseteq [n]} \underbrace{\log \left| (1 - \alpha) \frac{1}{L} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T + \alpha \left(\sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \gamma \Phi_S \Phi_S^T \right) \right|}_{f(S), \text{ submodular in } S} - \underbrace{\alpha \log \left| \sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \gamma \Phi_S \Phi_S^T \right|}_{g(S), \text{ submodular in } S}$$

- Generalizes M-SBL cost
- RD-CMP objective = difference of submodular funcs.

Submodular functions: a primer



- $V =$ ground set of elements
- Set func. $f: V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$ **submodular** if, for $S \subseteq T \subseteq V$,
 - f is Monotonic: $f(S) \leq f(T)$
 - f follows Law of Diminishing Returns
$$f(T \cup \{a\}) - f(T) \leq f(S \cup \{a\}) - f(S) \quad \forall a \in V \setminus T$$
- Examples:
 - Rank of a matrix
 - Joint entropy
 - $f(S) = \log |\mathbf{A} + \gamma \mathbf{B}_S \mathbf{B}_S^T|$ is submodular in S for $A, \gamma > 0$

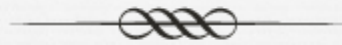
Submodular functions: a primer



- Maximizing a submodular function subject to cardinality constraints is easy!
- A Greedy algorithm will maximize a submodular function f to within $\left(1 - \frac{1}{e}\right) f_{\text{opt}}$
- Tight modular upper bnd for submodular f

$$f(S) \leq h_X^f(S) \triangleq f(X) - \sum_{j \in X \setminus S} \left[f(X) - f(X \setminus \{j\}) \right] + \sum_{j \in S \setminus X} \left[f(j) - f(\phi) \right]$$

Rényi Divergence based Covariance Matching Pursuit



- RD-CMP objective

$$\hat{S} = \operatorname{argmin}_{S \subseteq [n]} \underbrace{\log \left| (1 - \alpha) \frac{1}{L} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T + \alpha \left(\sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \gamma \Phi_S \Phi_S^T \right) \right|}_{f(S), \text{ submodular in } S} - \underbrace{\alpha \log \left| \sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \gamma \Phi_S \Phi_S^T \right|}_{g(S), \text{ submodular in } S}$$

- Find \hat{S} via majorization-minimization

- Majorization

- Replace 1st log-det term $f(S)$ by its modular upper bound $h_{S_t}(S)$: tight at S_t

- Minimization

$$S_{t+1} = \operatorname{arg min}_{S \subseteq [n]} \underbrace{h_{S_t}(S) - \alpha \log \left| \sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \gamma \Phi_S \Phi_S^T \right|}_{\text{Supermodular func., minimized by greedy search}}$$

Supermodular func., minimized
by greedy search

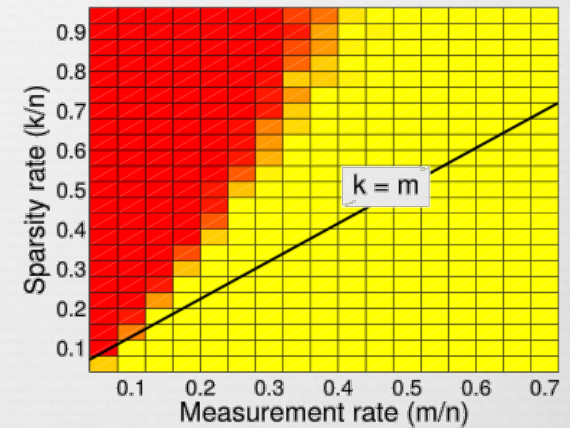
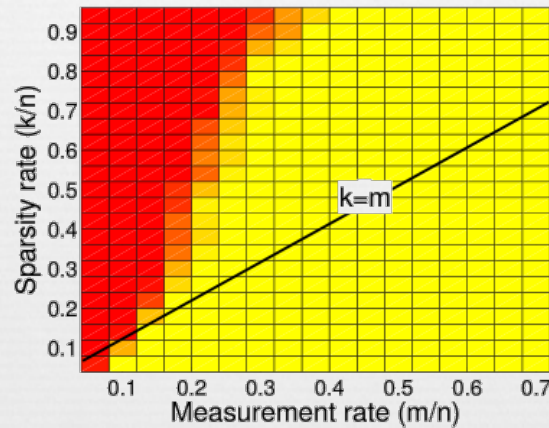
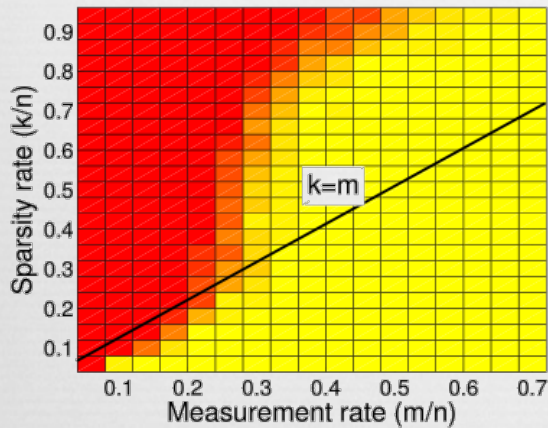
RD-CMP Performance



Co-LASSO

MSBL

RD-CMP

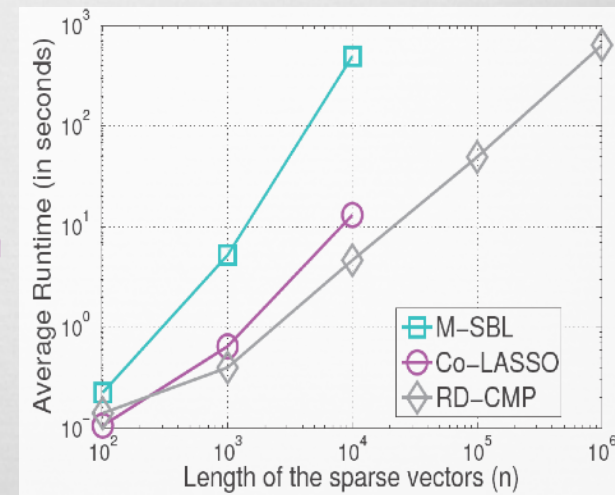


SNR = 10 dB; $n = 200$; $L = 200$

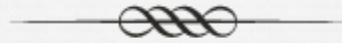
SNR = 10 dB; $k = 50 \log n$
 $m = 0.75 k$, $mL = 50 k \log n$

RD-CMP currently the FASTEST
 covariance matching based MMV solver!

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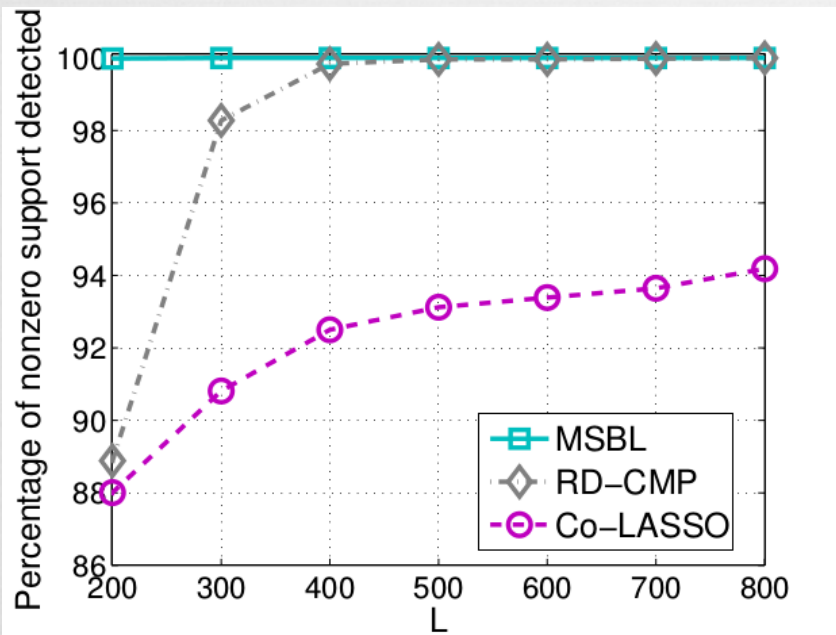


RD-CMP Performance

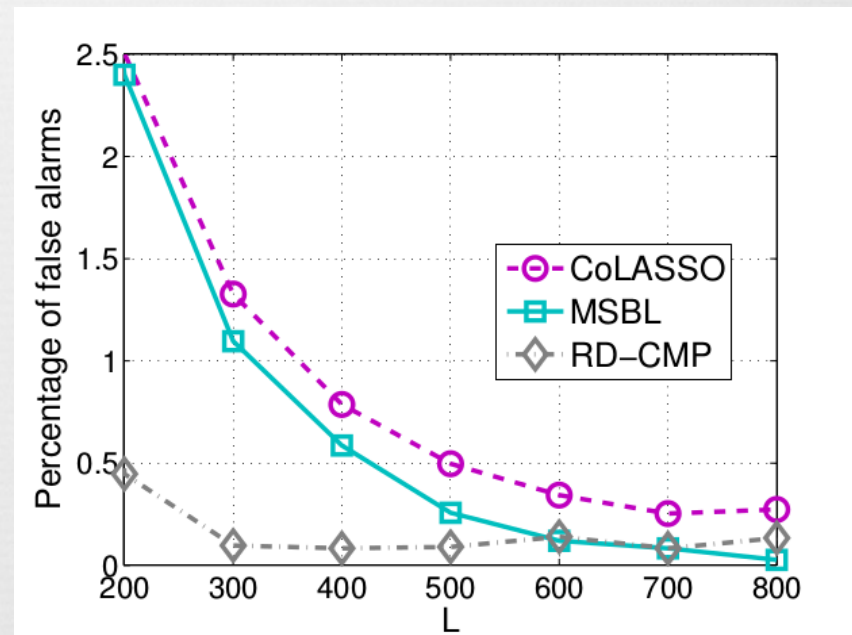


SNR=20 dB, $n=500$, $k=200$, $m=100$

Support detection rate



Support false alarm rate



RD-CMP performs better than Co-LASSO but slightly worse than M-SBL

Support Recovery via Non-negative Parameter Estimation



- Covariance matching principle:

find sparse, nonnegative diagonal Γ s.t.

$$\frac{1}{L} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T \approx \sigma^2 \mathbf{I}_m + \Phi \Gamma \Phi^T$$

- Example: Recover Γ via nonnegative LASSO

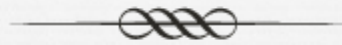
$$\hat{\gamma} = \arg \min_{\gamma \in \mathbb{R}_+^n} \left\| \left\| \frac{1}{L} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T - (\sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \Phi \Gamma \Phi^T) \right\| \right\|_F^2 + \lambda \|\gamma\|_1$$

Non-negative Least Squares Based Approach



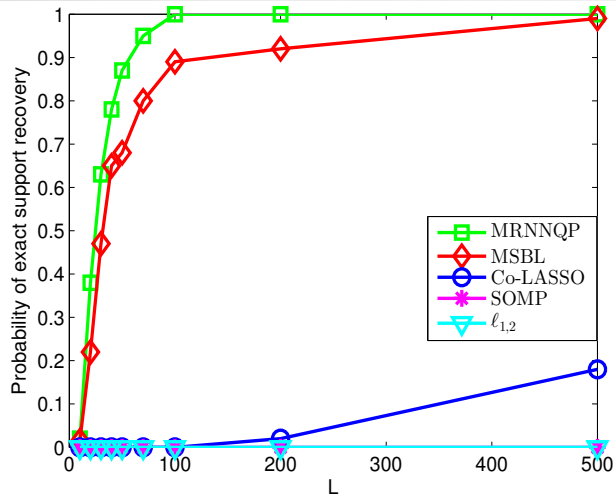
- We write $\hat{\Sigma} = \frac{1}{L} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{Y}^T = \Sigma + \mathbf{E}$
- In the **noiseless case**, $\Sigma = \Phi \Gamma \Phi^T$
- Noisy case: L. Ramesh and M. ICASSP 18
- Vectorize: $\mathbf{r} \triangleq \text{vec}(\hat{\Sigma}) = (\Phi \odot \Phi) \gamma + \mathbf{e}$
- Model \mathbf{e} as Gaussian distributed with mean zero and covariance
$$\mathbf{W} \triangleq \text{cov}(\mathbf{e}) = \frac{1}{L} (\Phi \otimes \Phi) (\Gamma^{\frac{1}{2}} \otimes \Gamma^{\frac{1}{2}}) \mathbf{B} (\Gamma^{\frac{1}{2}} \otimes \Gamma^{\frac{1}{2}}) (\Phi \otimes \Phi)^T$$
- Here, $\mathbf{B} = \text{cov}(\mathbf{z} \mathbf{z}^T)$ where \mathbf{z} is $N(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{I}_n)$. Can be found in closed form

ML estimation of γ

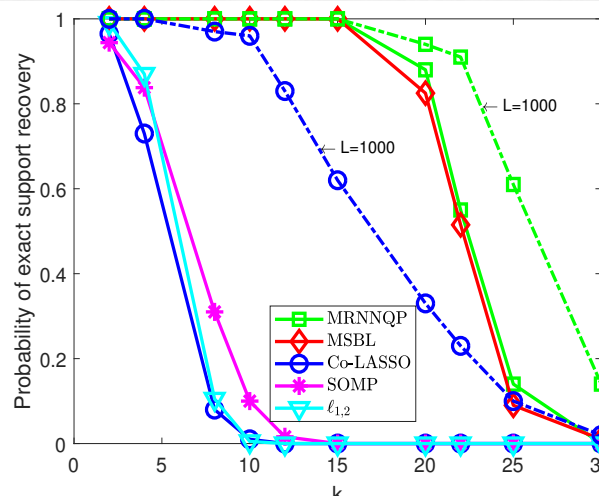


- We seek to solve: $\gamma_{\text{ML}} = \arg \max_{\gamma \geq 0} p(\mathbf{r}; \gamma)$
- Optimization problem:
$$\gamma_{\text{ML}} = \arg \min_{\gamma \geq 0} \log |\mathbf{W}| + (\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{A}\gamma)^\top \mathbf{W}^{-1} (\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{A}\gamma)$$
- For a given \mathbf{W} , it is a non-negative weighted least-squares problem
 - Can solve using non-negative quadratic programming (NNQP)
- Reweighted minimization procedure:
(1) Compute \mathbf{W} , (2) solve an NNQP; iterate

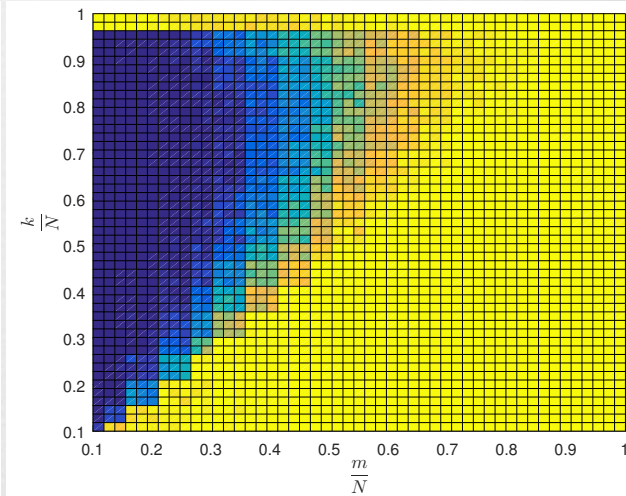
Performance



$N = 40, M = 20, k = 25$



$N = 70, M = 20, L = 50, 1000$



$N = 20, L = 200$

Non-negativity Encourages Sparsity!



$$\min_{\mathbf{x}} \|\mathbf{x}\|_0 \quad (\mathcal{P}_0^+)$$

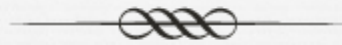
$$\text{s. t. } \mathbf{y} = \Phi \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \geq 0$$

$$\min_{\mathbf{x}} \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \mathbf{x}\|_2^2 \quad (\text{NNQP})$$

$$\text{s. t. } \mathbf{x} \geq 0$$

- When do the two yield the same soln?
- [Uniqueness]: \mathbf{x}_0 k -sparse & $\mathbf{y} = \Phi \mathbf{x}_0$. Then, \mathbf{x}_0 is unique sol. to (\mathcal{P}_0^+) iff every $\mathbf{v} \in \ker(\Phi) \setminus \{\mathbf{0}\}$ has at least $(k+1)$ +ve or $(k+1)$ -ve entries
- [Recoverability via NNQP]: \mathbf{x}_0 is exactly recovered by NNQP if every $\mathbf{v} \in \ker(\Phi) \setminus \{\mathbf{0}\}$ has at least $(k+1)$ +ve and $(k+1)$ -ve entries

Non-Negative Parameter Estimation Framework



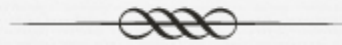
- Minimize a convex loss $L : S_+^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$
- [Tsuda, Rätsch and Warmuth, Matrix Exponentiated Gradient Updates for On-line Learning and Bregman Projection, 2005]

$$\mathbf{W}_{t+1} = \arg \min_{\mathbf{W} \in S_+^n} \mathcal{D}_F(\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{W}_t) + \eta L(\mathbf{W})$$

Proximal term Tradeoff parameter Loss

- Proximal term $\mathcal{D}_F(\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{W}_t)$: Bregman matrix divergence

Bregman Matrix Divergence



- Bregman matrix divergence

$$D_F(\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{W}_t) = F(\mathbf{W}) - \underbrace{F(\mathbf{W}_t) - \text{tr} \left(f(\mathbf{W}_t)^T (\mathbf{W} - \mathbf{W}_t) \right)}_{\text{first order approx. of } F(\mathbf{W}) \text{ around } \mathbf{W}_t}$$

- $f = \nabla F$
- Seed function F : strictly convex and differentiable
- Choice of F
 - $F(W) = -\log \det(W)$
 - $F(W) = \text{tr}(W \log W)$

Matrix Exponentiated Gradient (MEG) Updates



$$\mathbf{W}_{t+1} = \arg \min_{\mathbf{W} \in \mathcal{S}_+^n} \mathcal{D}_F(\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{W}_t) + \eta L(\mathbf{W})$$

Proximal term Tradeoff parameter Loss

MEG update: (zero gradient condition)

$$\mathbf{W}_{t+1} = f^{-1} (f(\mathbf{W}_t) - \eta \nabla L(\mathbf{W}_t)), \quad \text{where } f = \nabla F.$$

MEG Updates



- $F(\mathbf{W}) = -\log \det \mathbf{W}$

$$\mathcal{D}_F(\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{W}_t) = \log \frac{|\mathbf{W}_t|}{|\mathbf{W}|} + \text{tr}(\mathbf{W}_t^{-1} \mathbf{W}) - n$$

Log-Det Bregman
Matrix divergence

MEG update: $\mathbf{W}_{t+1} = \left((\mathbf{W}_t)^{-1} + \eta \nabla L(\mathbf{W}_t) \right)^{-1}$

- $F(\mathbf{W}) = \text{tr}(\mathbf{W} \log \mathbf{W})$

$$\mathcal{D}_F(\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{W}_t) = \text{tr}(\mathbf{W} \log \mathbf{W} - \mathbf{W} \log \mathbf{W}_t - \mathbf{W} + \mathbf{W}_t)$$

Von-Neumann Matrix divergence

MEG update: $\mathbf{W}_{t+1} = \exp(\log \mathbf{W}_t - \eta (\nabla L(\mathbf{W}_t)))$

MEG Updates for Covariance Matching



- Loss $L(\Gamma): \left\| \mathbf{R}_{yy} - \Phi \Gamma \Phi^T \right\|_F^2 + \lambda \|\gamma\|_1$

- Parameter space: all p.s.d. diagonal matrices

- Log-Det divergence based MEG update

$$\gamma_{t+1}(i) = \gamma_t(i) \left(\frac{1}{1 + 2\eta \gamma_t(i) [\phi_i^T (\Phi \Gamma \Phi^T - \mathbf{R}_{yy}) \phi_i + \lambda]} \right), \quad \forall i \in [n]$$

- Von-Neumann divergence based MEG

update $\gamma_{t+1}(i) = \gamma_t(i) \cdot e^{-2\eta [\phi_i^T (\Phi \Gamma \Phi^T - \mathbf{R}_{yy}) \phi_i + \lambda]}, \quad \forall i \in [n].$

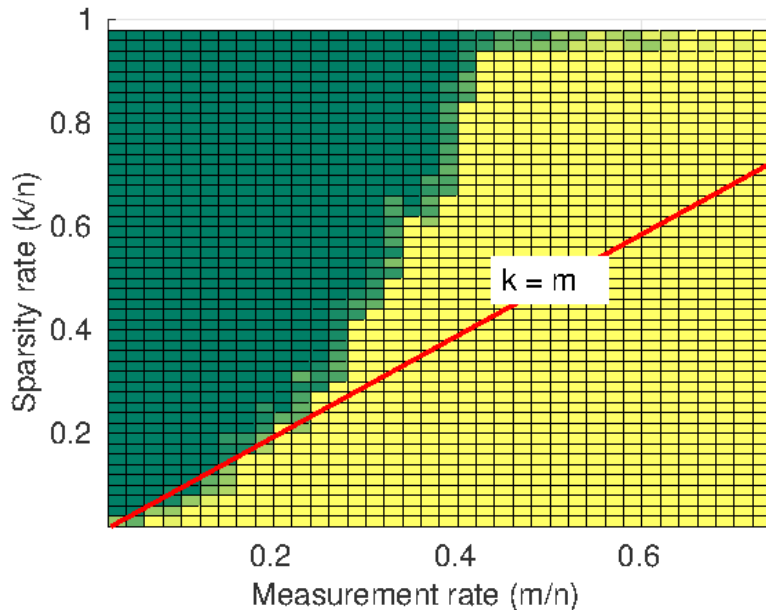
Performance



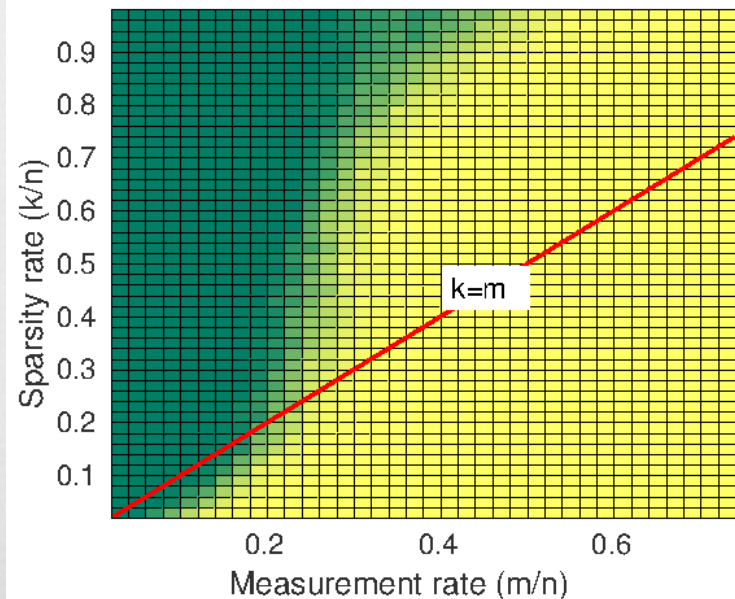
Support recovery phase transition

($n = 200, L = 400, \text{SNR} = 20\text{dB}, \lambda = 0.25, \eta = 0.5$)

Log-Det divergence
based MEG



Von-Neumann divergence
based MEG

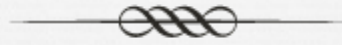


Part 7: Other Extensions



1. Cluster-sparsity, inter-vector correlation
2. Online sparse signal recovery
3. Distributed sparse signal recovery

Block Sparsity & Intra-Block Correlation



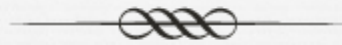
- Intra-vector correlation is often present, and is important to model & exploit



- g blocks; **few nonzero**
- Intra-block **correlation**

sparse
signal

Block-Sparse Bayesian Learning Framework



- Measurement model: $y = \Phi \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{v}$

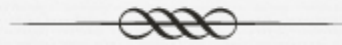
$$\mathbf{x} = \left[\underbrace{x_1, \dots, x_{d_1}}_{\mathbf{x}_1^T}, \dots, \underbrace{x_{d_{g-1}+1}, \dots, x_{d_g}}_{\mathbf{x}_g^T} \right]^T$$

- Parameterized prior

$$p(\mathbf{x}_i; \gamma_i, \mathbf{B}_i) \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \gamma_i \mathbf{B}_i), \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, g$$

- γ_i controls sparsity
- \mathbf{B}_i controls intra-block correlation

Optimization Problem



- Posterior distribution

$$p(\mathbf{x}|\mathbf{y}; \sigma^2, (\gamma_i \mathbf{B}_i)_{i=1}^g) \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_x, \Sigma_x)$$

- where $\mu_x = \Sigma_0 \Phi^T (\sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \Phi \Sigma_0 \Phi^T)^{-1} \mathbf{y}$

$$\Sigma_x = \Sigma_0 - \Sigma_0 \Phi^T (\sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \Phi \Sigma_0 \Phi^T)^{-1} \Phi \Sigma_0$$

$$\Sigma_0 = \text{diag}(\gamma_1 \mathbf{B}_1, \dots, \gamma_g \mathbf{B}_g)$$

- All params. can be estimated by maximizing:

$$\mathcal{L}(\Theta) = -2 \log \int p(\mathbf{y}|\mathbf{x}; \sigma^2) p(\mathbf{x}; \Sigma_0) d\mathbf{x}$$

$$= \log \det (\sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \Phi \Sigma_0 \Phi^T) + \mathbf{y}^T (\sigma^2 \mathbf{I} + \Phi \Sigma_0 \Phi^T)^{-1} \mathbf{y}$$

Several Options for Optimization



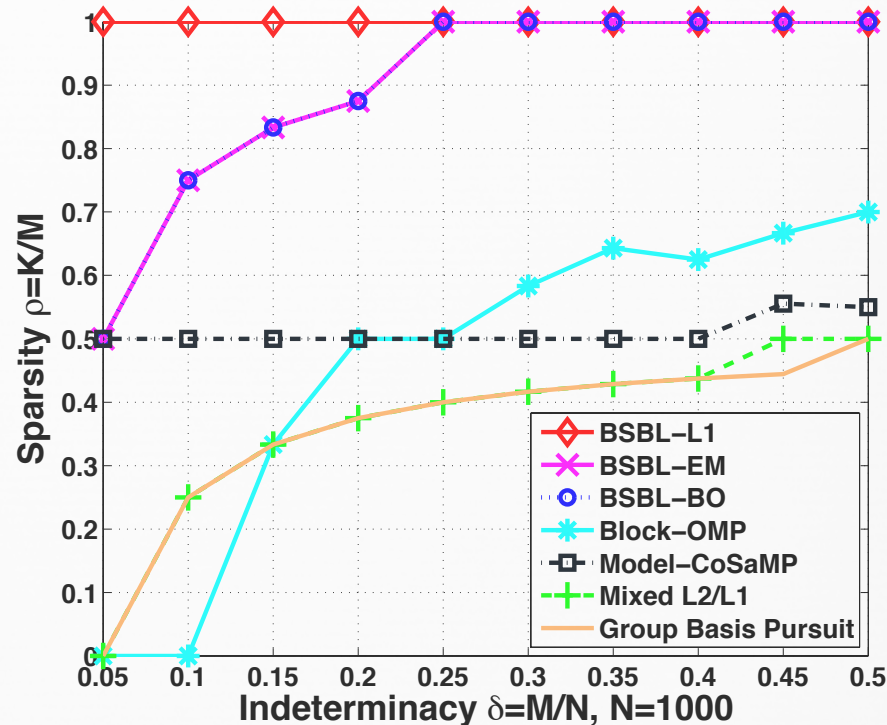
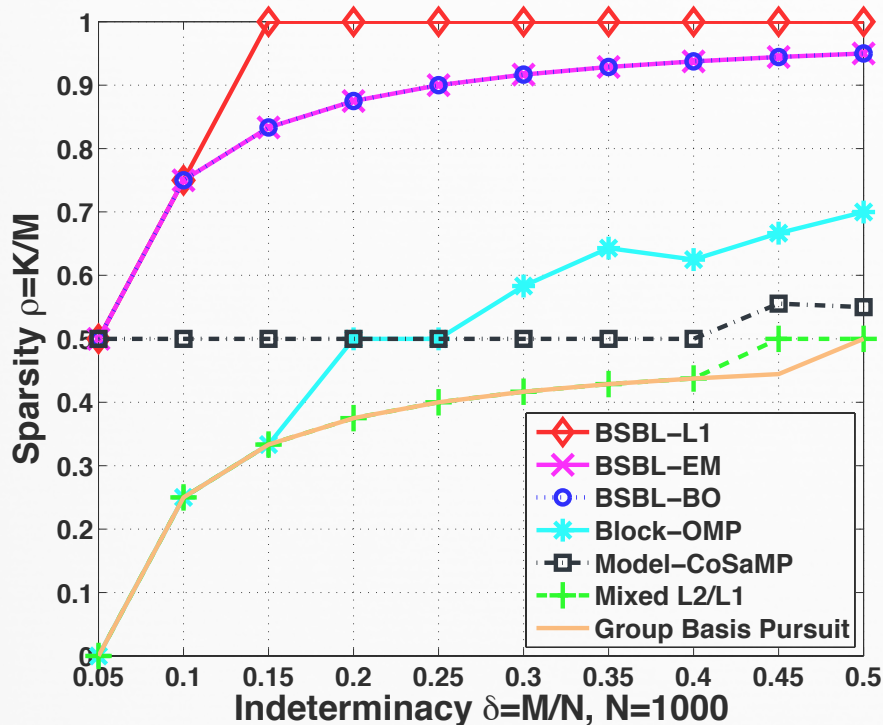
- **BSBL-EM:** Use expectation-maximization
- **BSBL-B0:** Use bounded optimization, i.e., a form of majorization-minimization
- **BSBL-L1:** Use a reweighted L1 procedure (special case of BSBL-B0)
- Different strategies offer a variety of performance-complexity tradeoffs

Phase Transition



Correlation = 0

Correlation = 0.95



$N = 1000, M = \delta N, g = 40, \text{block size} = 25$

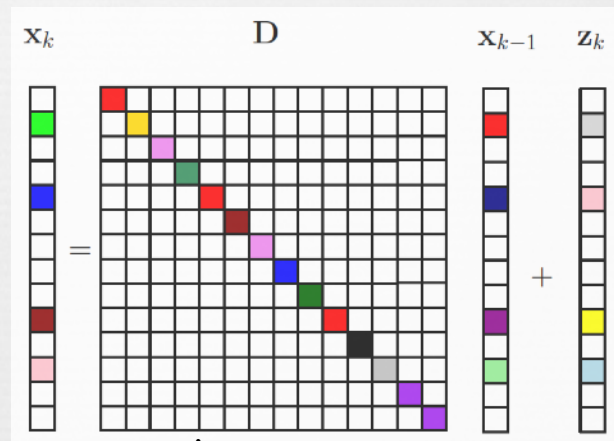
Curves indicate > 99% success

[Zhang et al. 2013]

Delay-Constrained Sparse Vector Recovery



- Temporally correlated sparse vectors with a common support
- Goal: Given $y_{1:k}$ estimate $x_{k-\Delta}$
- Max. delay constraint between measurement and estimation



Offline approach:

M-step: Compute $\Gamma^{(r+1)}$ as a closed-form function of the state statistics

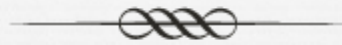
$$\text{Mean: } \hat{x}_{t|K} = \mathbb{E}\{x_t | y_{1:K}\}$$

$$\text{Autocov.: } P_{t|K} = \text{cov}\{x_t, x_t | y_{1:K}\}$$

$$\text{Cross-cov: } P_{t,t-1|K} = \text{cov}\{x_t, x_{t-1} | y_{1:K}\}$$

E-step: Compute state statistics using fixed interval Kalman smoothing

Online Version



- Key idea: Update γ once as each input arrives and compute sparse vector
- Online recursion:

Non-iterative!

$$\gamma_k = \gamma_{k-1} + \frac{1}{k} \text{Diag} \left\{ (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{D}^2)^{-1} \mathbf{T}_{k|k+\Delta} - \Gamma_{k-1} \right\}$$

fcn. of $\hat{\mathbf{x}}_{t|t+\Delta}, \mathbf{P}_{t|t+\Delta}, \mathbf{P}_{t,t-1|t+\Delta}$

- Two implementations of the Kalman filter:
 - fixed lag smoothing
 - sawtooth lag smoothing
- Main advantage: reduced computational and memory costs

Convergence Analysis



- Assume $D=0$ (uncorrelated sparse vecs)
- Simplified algorithm:

$$\gamma_k = \gamma_{k-1} + \frac{1}{k} \text{diag}\{\mathbf{P}(\gamma_{k-1}) + \hat{\mathbf{x}}(\gamma_{k-1})\hat{\mathbf{x}}(\gamma_{k-1})^T - \Gamma_{k-1}\}$$

$$\mathbf{P}(\gamma) = \Gamma - \Gamma\Phi^T (\Phi\Gamma\Phi^T + \sigma^2\mathbf{I})^{-1} \Phi\Gamma$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{x}}(\gamma) = \mathbf{P}(\gamma)\Phi^T \mathbf{y}_k / \sigma^2$$

- Stochastic approximation recursion

$$\gamma_k = \gamma_{k-1} + \frac{1}{k} \mathbf{f}(\gamma_{k-1}) + \frac{1}{k} \mathbf{e}_k$$

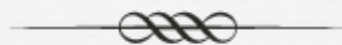
Mean field function

$$\mathbf{e}_k = \text{diag}\{\mathbf{P}(\gamma_{k-1}) + \hat{\mathbf{x}}(\gamma_{k-1})\hat{\mathbf{x}}(\gamma_{k-1})^T\} - \gamma_{k-1} - \mathbf{f}(\gamma_{k-1})$$

Martingale difference sequence

$$\mathbf{f}(\gamma) = \mathbb{E}\{\text{diag}(\mathbf{P}(\gamma) + \hat{\mathbf{x}}(\gamma)\hat{\mathbf{x}}(\gamma)^T - \Gamma)\}$$

Convergence Result



- Theorem:

If $\text{Rank} \{ \Phi \odot \Phi \} = N$, then $\gamma_k \rightarrow \gamma \in \{ \mathbf{0}, \gamma_{\text{opt}} \}$ a. s.

- Result independent of

- Sparsity level

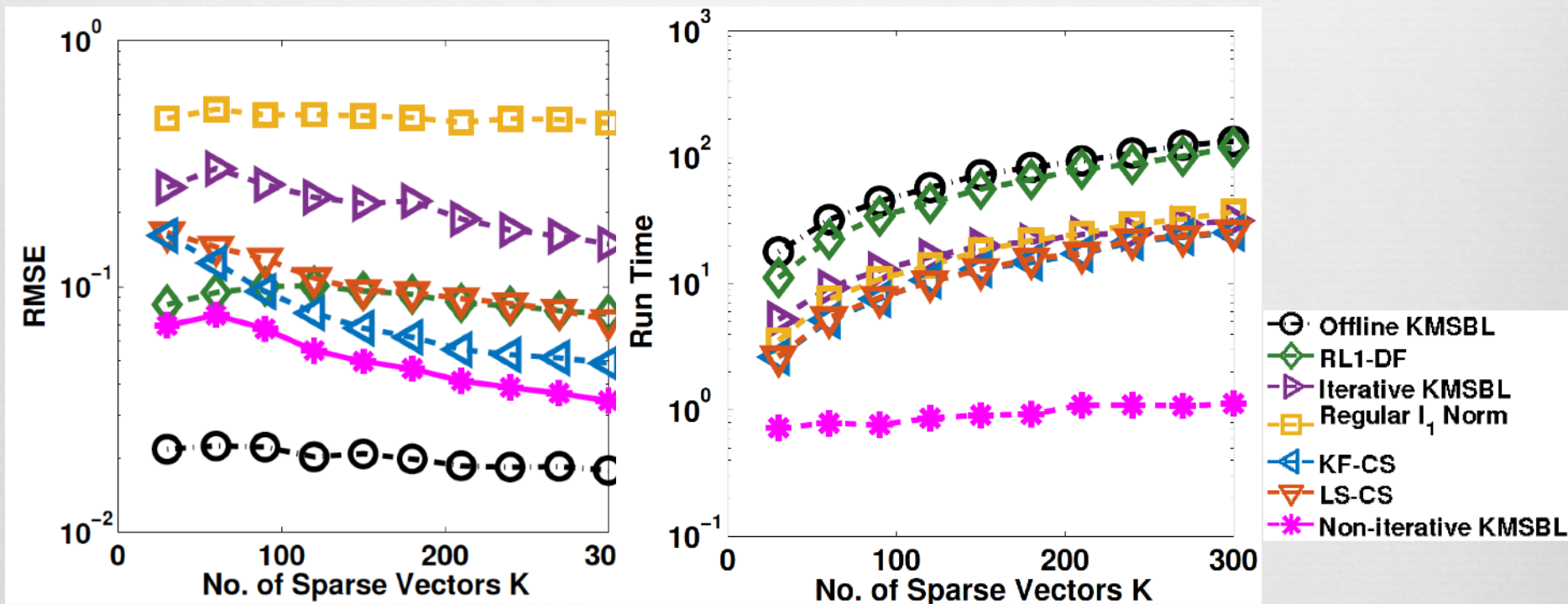
- Initialization

- Distribution of sparse vecs

- Restricted isometry properties of Φ

- Noise level

Performance

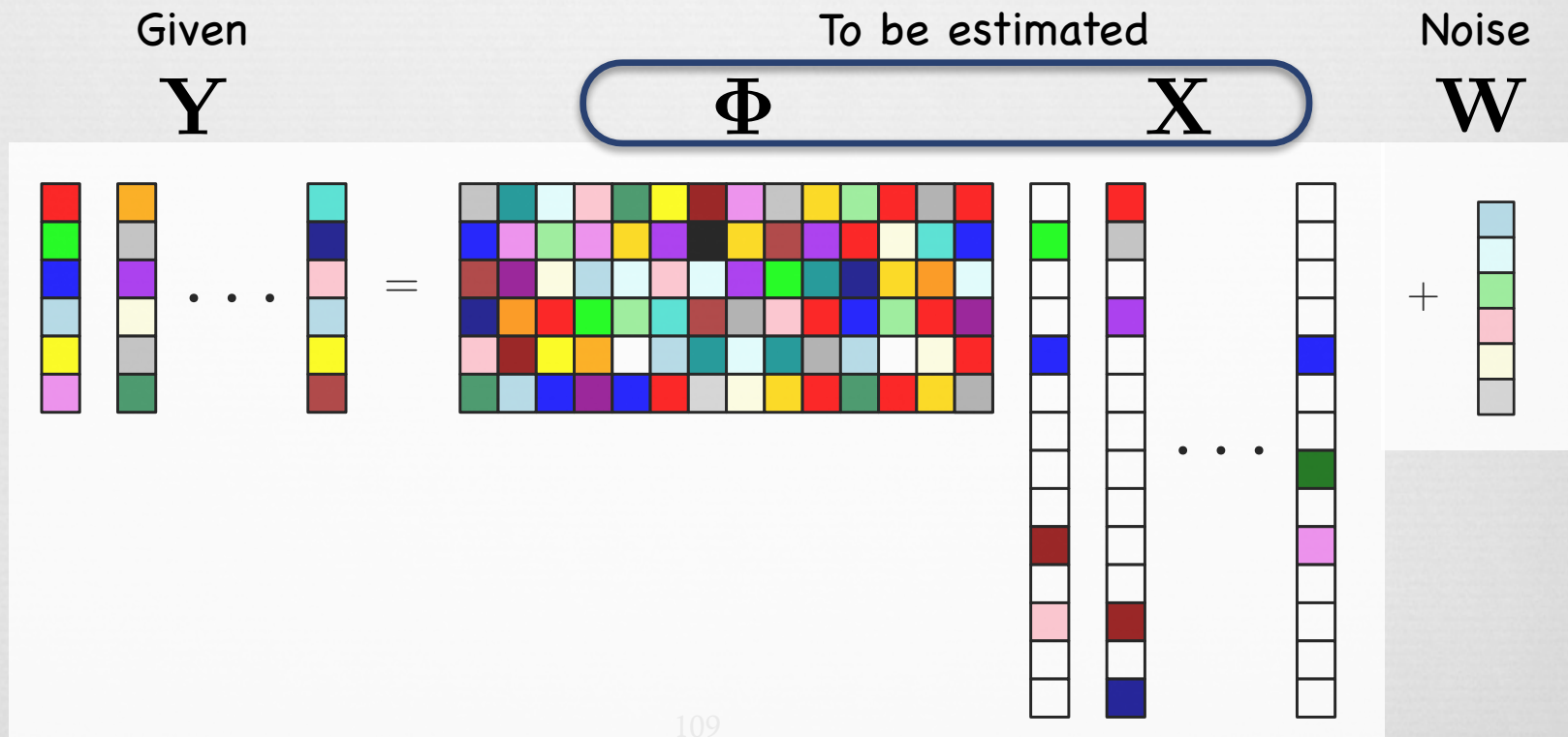


$m = 20, N = 60, \text{ sparsity} = 6, \text{ SNR} = 20 \text{ dB}$

Dictionary Learning



- Matrix factorization problem:



SBL framework for DL



- Type-II ML: solve $\max_{\Lambda=(\Phi, \Gamma)} -\log p(\mathbf{Y}; \Lambda)$
- EM procedure:
 - E-step: update statistics of X , as before
 - M-step: separable in variables Φ, Γ
 - Closed-form update for Γ
 - Non-convex in Φ
 - Alternating minimization (AM):
update one column of Φ at a time

M-Step Analysis



- Cost function for updating Φ :

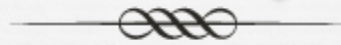
$$g(\Phi) = -\text{Tr} \{ \mathbf{M} \mathbf{Y}^T \Phi \} + \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} \{ \Phi (\Sigma - \mathcal{D}\{\Sigma\}) \Phi^T \}$$

- **Proposition:** The sequence of matrices generated by AM converges to a fixed point of $g(\Phi)$, and every fixed point is a Nash equilibrium, i.e.,

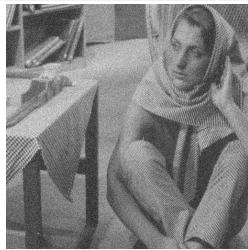
$$g(\Phi_1^*, \dots, \Phi_{i-1}^*, \Phi_i^*, \Phi_{i+1}^*, \dots, \Phi_N^*) \leq g(\Phi_1^*, \dots, \Phi_{i-1}^*, \mathbf{a}, \Phi_{i+1}^*, \dots, \Phi_N^*), \forall i \in [N]$$

for any unit norm \mathbf{a}

Image Denoising Example



(a) Original image



(b) Corrupted image, PSNR = 20 dB



(c) DL-SBL, PSNR = 28.96 dB,
run time = 105.7 s



(d) SimCO, PSNR = 28.64 dB,
run time = 58.7 s



(e) DL-MM, PSNR = 28.54 dB,
run time = 98.7 s



(f) KSVD, PSNR = 28.34 dB,
run time = 76.7 s



(g) SGK, PSNR = 27.44 dB,
run time = 82.5 s



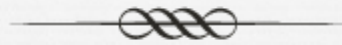
(h) PAU, PSNR = 27.44 dB,
run time = 84.5 s



(i) MOD, PSNR = 27.42 dB,
run time = 79.2 s

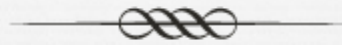
- 512 x 512 image "Barbara"
- Goal: remove AWGN
- Learn dictionary using 1000 8 x 8 blocks, randomly chosen
- $N = 256$
- Learn dictionary
- Reconstruct image using OMP

Sparsity and Linear Dynamical Systems



- System Model:
$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{x}_{k+1} &= \mathbf{D}\mathbf{x}_k + \mathbf{H}\mathbf{h}_k \\ \mathbf{y}_k &= \mathbf{A}_k\mathbf{x}_k \end{aligned}$$
- Want to observe, control and stabilize linear dynamical systems under sparsity constraints
 - Examples:
 - Known inputs: recover sparse state
 - Unknown sparse inputs: recover state and inputs

Applications



- Diffusion processes with sparse initialization
 - Disease/epidemic spreading
 - Pollution
 - Computer/mobile nwk virus spreading
 - Info. propagation in social networks
- Identifying the initial state of the system is critical to control the spreading
- Goal: Observability of the system when initialized with a sparse x_0

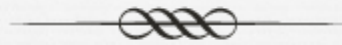
Compressed Sensing Formulation

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{y}_0 \\ \mathbf{y}_1 \\ \dots \\ \mathbf{y}_{K-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{(0)} \\ \mathbf{A}_{(1)} \mathbf{D} \\ \dots \\ \mathbf{A}_{(K-1)} \mathbf{D}^{K-1} \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}_0$$

$\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_{(K)}$

- Challenges:
 - Non-identically distributed rows
 - Columns not independent
 - \mathbf{D} can be arbitrary

Independent Subgaussian A_k

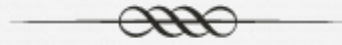


- **RIP condition:** The RIC δ_s of $\tilde{A}_{(K)}$ satisfies $\delta_s < \delta$ for all $\delta > 1 - \lambda^{2(K-1)}$ with probability at least $1 - \epsilon$ if

$$Km \left(\delta - 1 + \lambda^{2(K-1)} \right)^2 \geq \tilde{c} \left[9 \log \left(\frac{eN}{s} \right) + 2 \log(2\epsilon^{-1}) \right]$$

- $\lambda \leq 1$ is the ratio of the smallest to largest singular value of D
- System observable if $\delta_s < \text{threshold}$
- Total number of meas. $Km = O(s \log N)$!

Joint Recovery of Initial State and Sparse Inputs



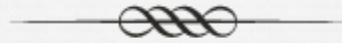
$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{y}_0 \\ \mathbf{y}_1 \\ \dots \\ \mathbf{y}_{K-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{(0)} & \mathbf{0} & \dots & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{A}_{(1)}\mathbf{D} & \mathbf{A}_{(1)}\mathbf{H} & \dots & \mathbf{0} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \mathbf{A}_{(K-1)}\mathbf{D}^{K-1} & \mathbf{A}_{(K-1)}\mathbf{D}^{K-2}\mathbf{H} & \dots & \mathbf{A}_{(K-1)}\mathbf{H} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}_0 \\ \mathbf{h}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{h}_K \end{bmatrix}$$

- Same conditions as before, with

$$\tilde{\lambda} = 1 - \max_{i=0,1,\dots,K-1} \delta_i$$

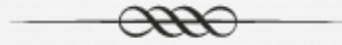
$$\delta_i = \text{RIC of } [\mathbf{D}^i \mathbf{D}^{i-1}\mathbf{H} \dots \mathbf{H}] \text{ of order } s$$

Key Observations

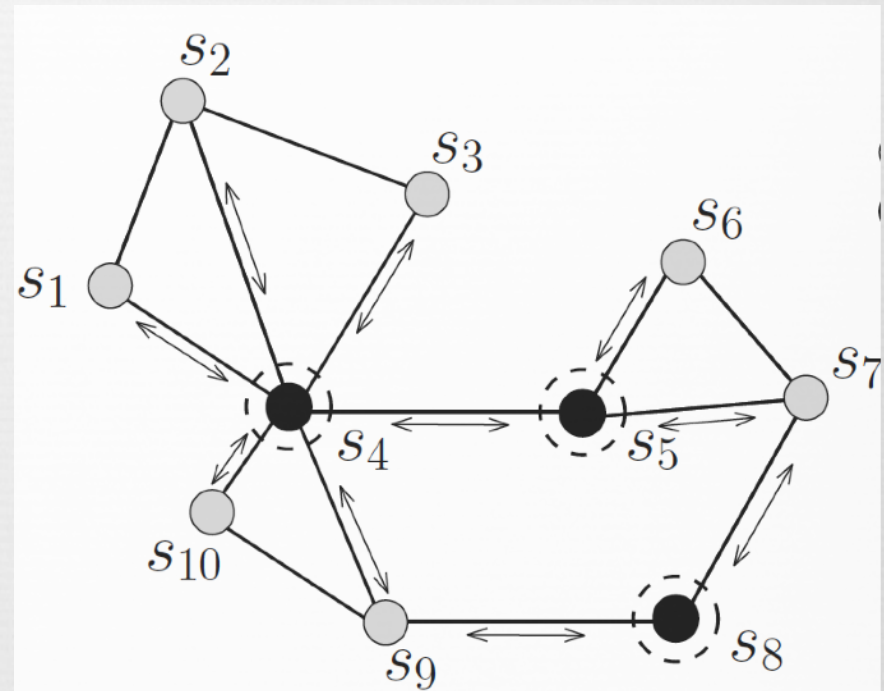


- Num. meas. sufficient for observability reduced from $O(N)$ to $O(s \log N)$
- Fewer measurements if
 - Transfer matrix D is well conditioned
 - Sparsity s is small
- Systems unobservable in the classical setting are observable under sparsity constraints!

Distributed Recovery: Learning Over a Network



- Network of L data centers
 - Node j has observation y_j
- Want to learn x_j :
 - Statistically related to y_j
- Centralized processing:
 - Optimal, but
 - Computationally demanding
- Distributed (in-network) processing:
 - Secure
 - Robust to node failures



Recap: SBL for Joint Sparse Recovery



- EM Iterations:

- E-step:

$$\Sigma_j^{k+1} = \Gamma^k - \Gamma^k \Phi_j^T (\sigma_j^2 \mathbf{I}_M + \Phi_j \Gamma^k \Phi_j^T)^{-1} \Phi_j \Gamma^k$$

$$\mu_j^{k+1} = \sigma_j^{-2} \Sigma_j^{k+1} \Phi_j^T \mathbf{y}_j$$

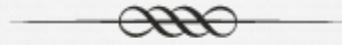
- Separable: x_j are independent given Γ

- Can be computed locally at each node

- M-step: not separable

$$\Gamma^{k+1} = \frac{1}{L} \sum_{j=1}^L \mathbf{a}_j^{(k+1)}$$

A Simple Trick



- Equivalent problems

$$\gamma^* = \frac{1}{L} \sum_{j=1}^L a_j \quad \gamma^* = \arg \min_{\gamma} \sum_{j=1}^L |\gamma - a_j|^2$$

- For distributed implementation

- Can now use, e.g., ADMM to solve

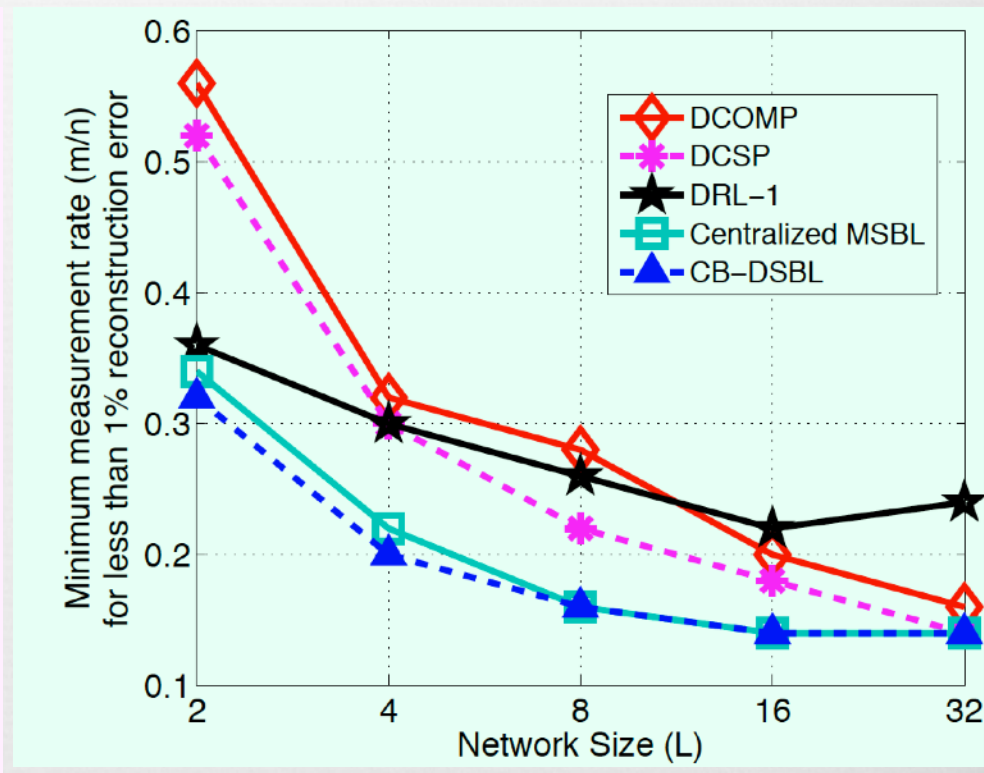
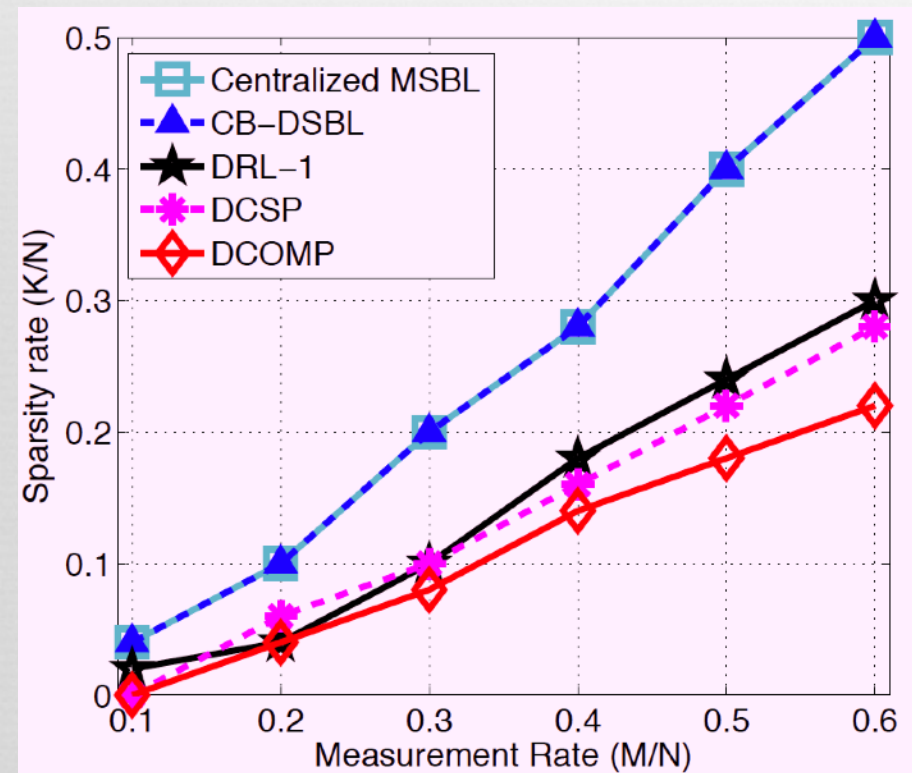
Can be computed
locally at each node!
Objective fn. separable

$$\arg \min_{\gamma_j, j \in [L]} \sum_{j=1}^L |\gamma_j - a_j|^2$$

Bridge nodes
Linear constraints

subject to $\gamma_j = \gamma_b, b \in \mathcal{B}_j, j \in [L]$

Simulation Result: NMSE Phase Transition



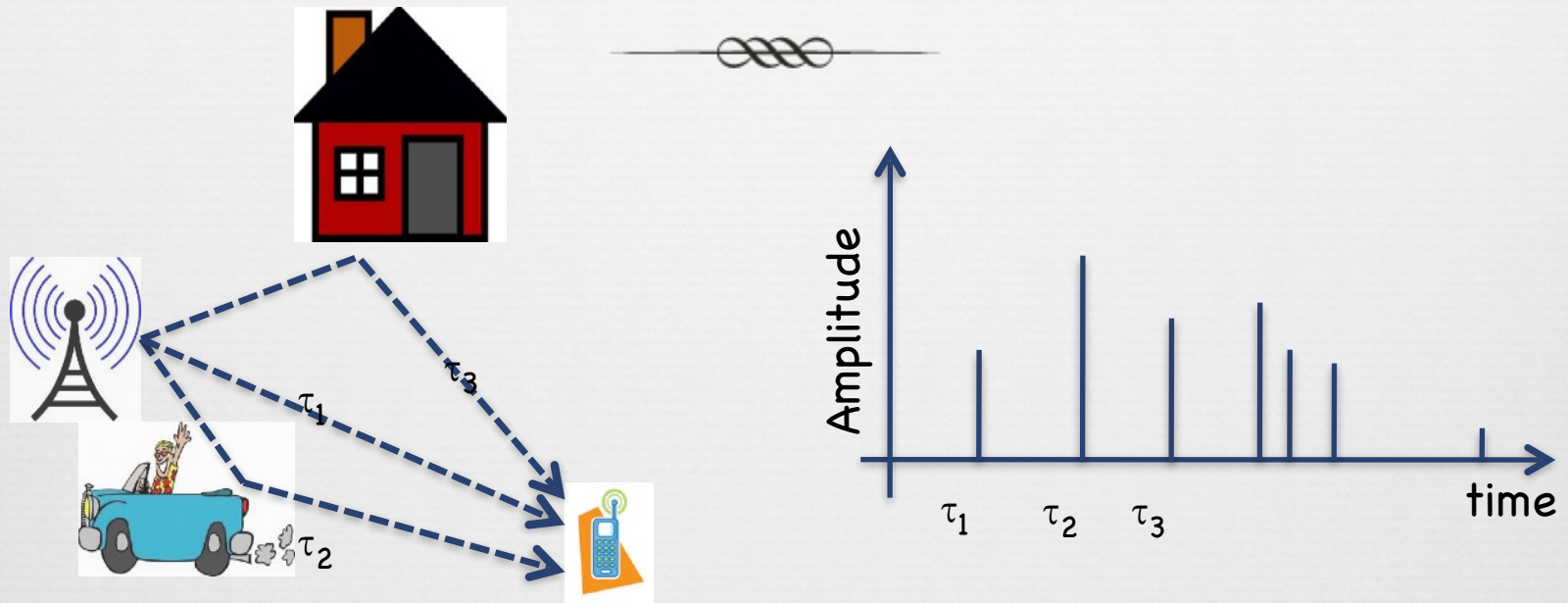
$L = 5$ nodes, $n = 50$, $m = 10$, 10% sparsity, SNR = 30 dB

Part 8: Applications



Wireless channel estimation & data detection

Wireless Channels



- Wireless channels exhibit multipath
 - Naturally sparse in the lag-domain
- Channel equalization & data detection
 - Need to estimate both support & channel

Channel Models



- Block fading channel:

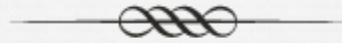
Channel constant for the duration of a block (say, K symbols), changes i.i.d. from block-to-block (classic SMV-SBL)

- Time-varying channel:

Channel varies from symbol-to-symbol

- Want to exploit temporal correlation and group-sparsity (MMV-SBL)

Outline



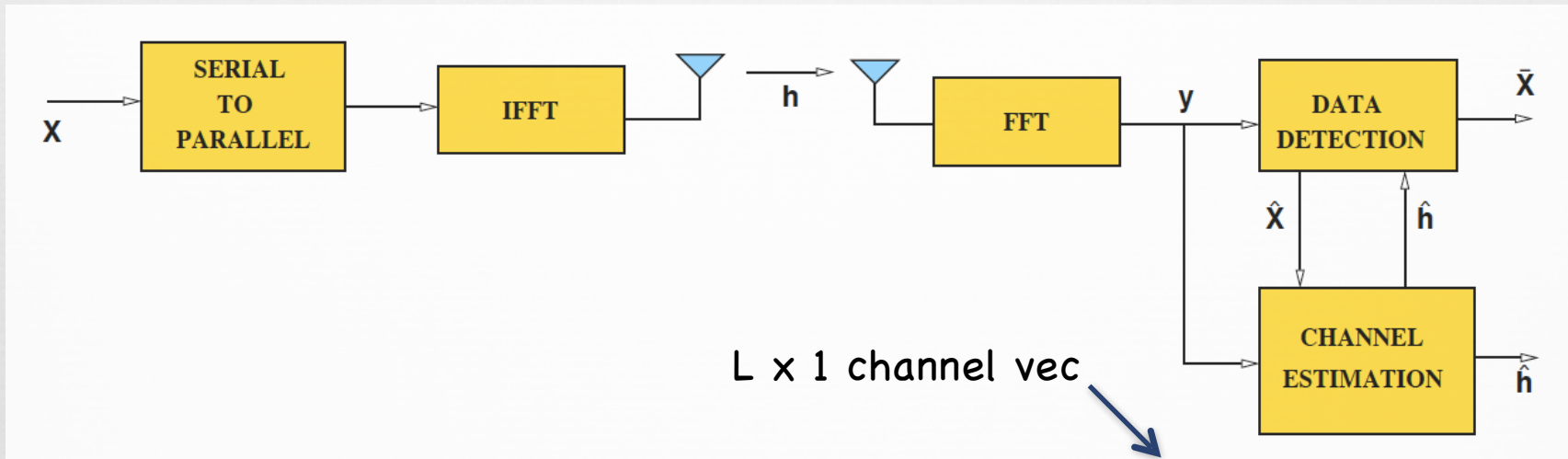
1. Block fading case:

1. **Known channel support:** Joint channel estimation & data detection
2. **Unknown channel support:** Channel and support estimation using pilot symbols
3. **Unknown data & support:** Joint support, channel estimation & data detection

2. Time-varying case:

1. **AR model:** Kalman-EM algo for joint support, channel estimation & data detn

OFDM with Block Fading Channel



- Received signal model $y = X F h + v$

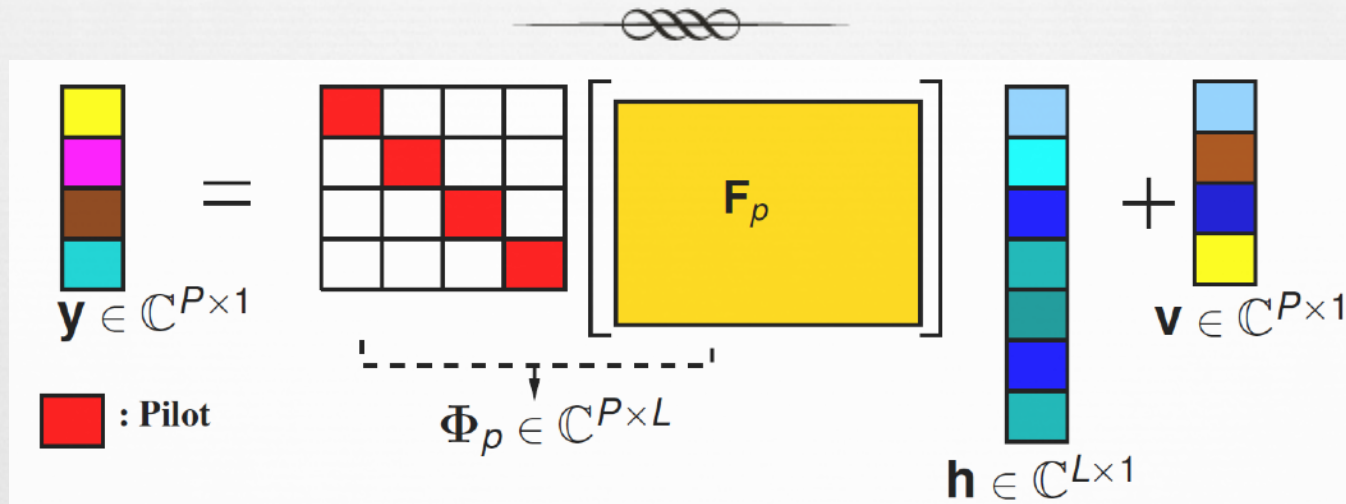
Diagonal data matrix; $N \times N$
 N : number of subcarriers

$N \times L$ DFT matrix, containing
 first L cols of $N \times N$ DFT matrix
 L : max channel delay spread

Noise

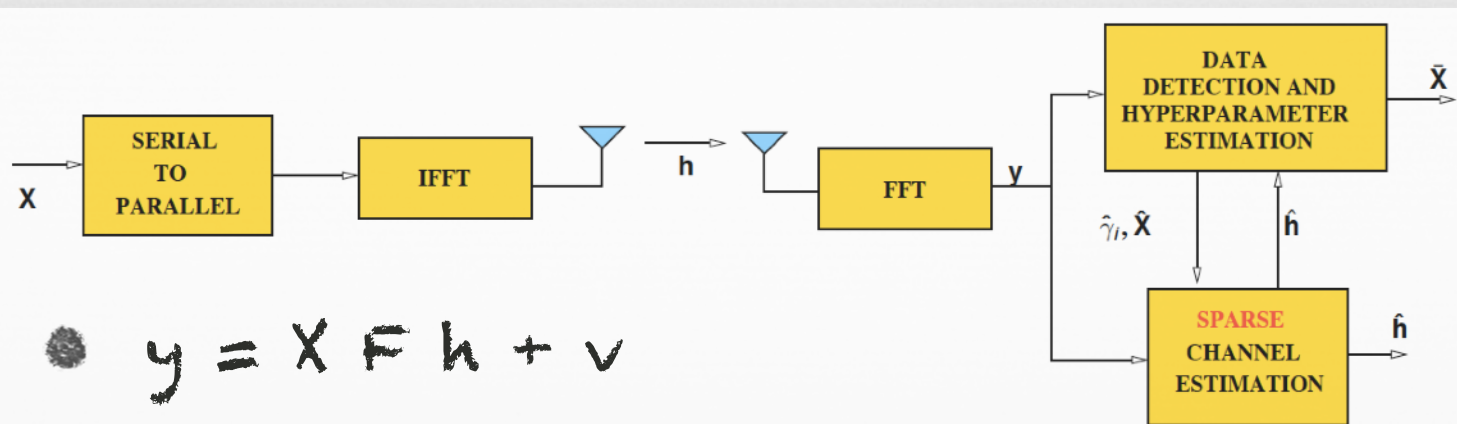
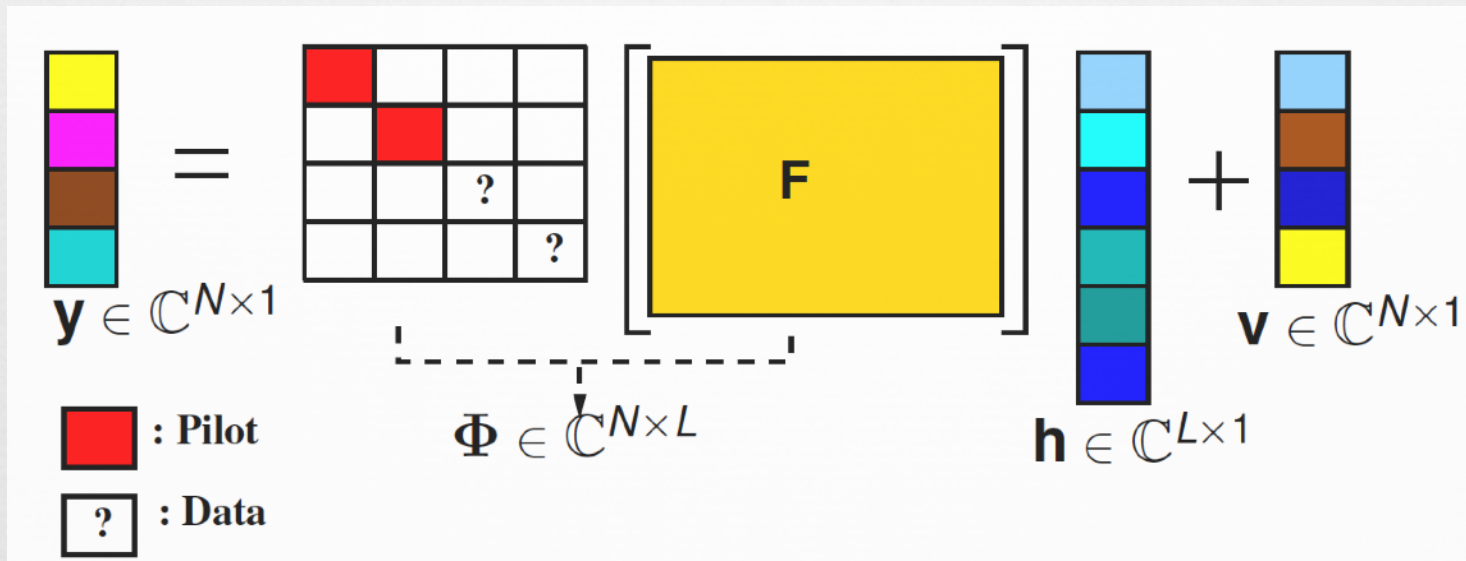
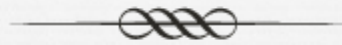
- Goal: Given y , jointly estimate X & h

Sparse Channel Estimation from Pilot Symbols



- h sparse in time (lag) domain
- Hierarchical prior: $h(i) = \mathcal{CN}(0, \gamma_i)$
 γ_i deterministic, unknown **hyperparams**
- Goal:
 Given \mathbf{y} , \mathbf{X} , estimate h & sparsity profile

Joint Channel, Support Estm. & Data Detn.



Joint Channel, Support Estm. & Data Detn.



E-step:

$$E_{\mathbf{h}/\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{X}^{(p)}, \Gamma^{(p)}} [\log p(\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{h}; \mathbf{X}, \Gamma)]$$

M-step:

$$\arg \max_{\Gamma, \mathbf{X}} \{ \text{E-step} \}$$

$$\arg \max_{\Gamma} E_{\mathbf{h}/\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{X}^{(p)}, \Gamma^{(p)}} [\log p(\mathbf{h}; \Gamma)]$$

Γ_{ML}

$$\arg \max_{\mathbf{X}} E_{\mathbf{h}/\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{X}^{(p)}, \Gamma^{(p)}} [\log p(\mathbf{y}/\mathbf{h}; \mathbf{X})]$$

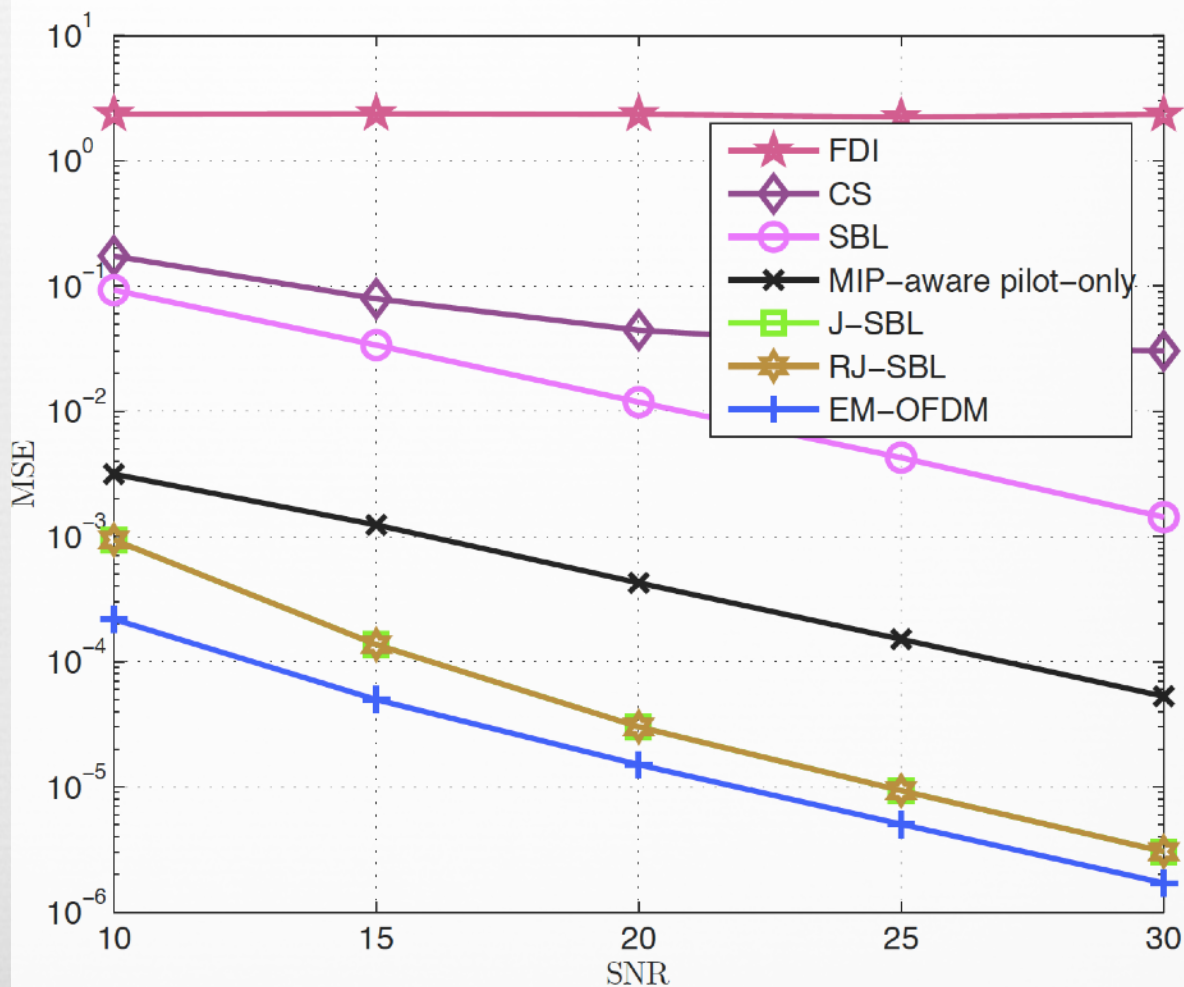
\mathbf{X}_{ML}

- Get \mathbf{h} as a by-product of the E-step

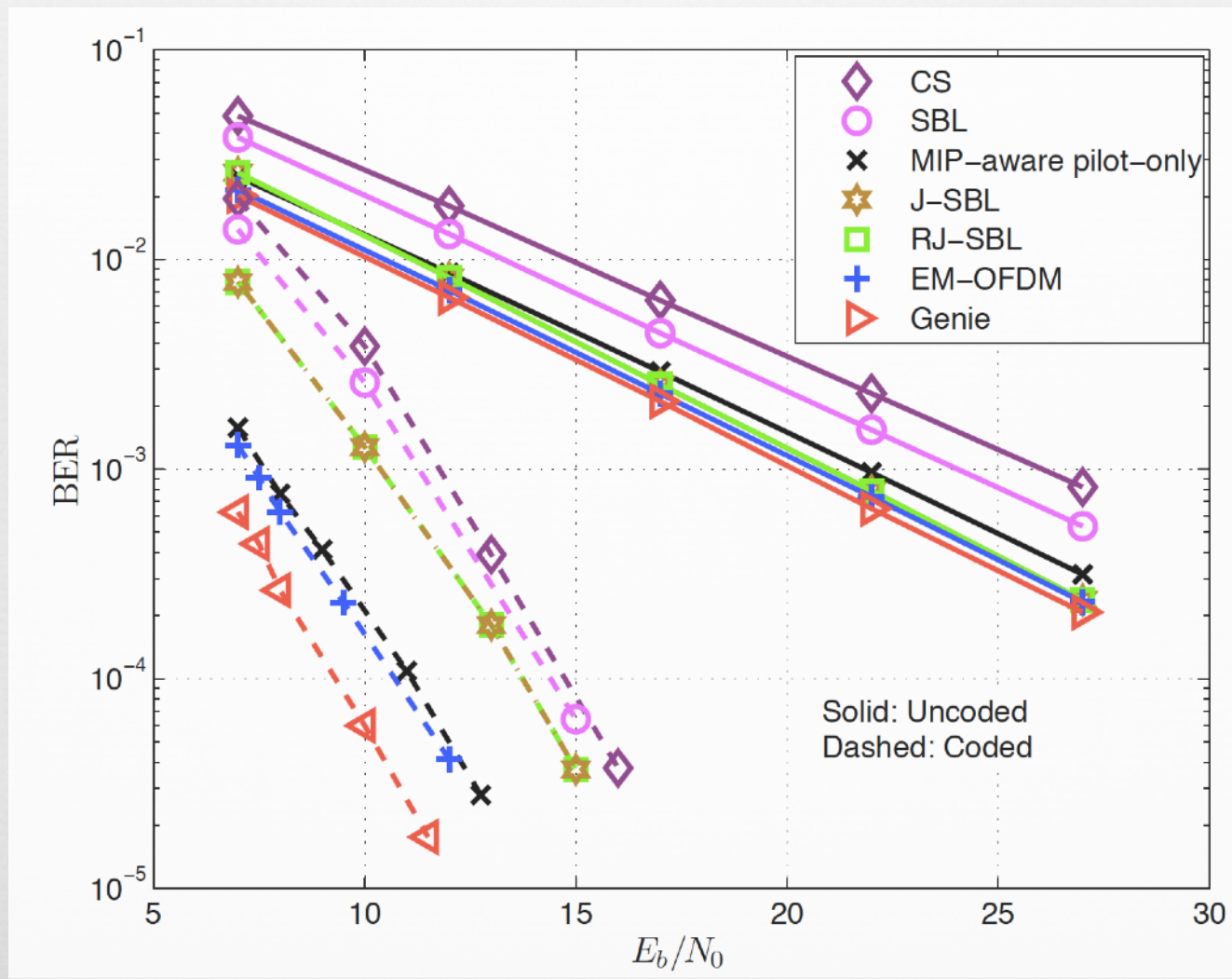
Simulation Result



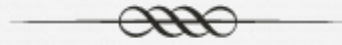
- OFDM system
- $N=256$ subcarriers,
- max delay spread $L=64$
- $K=7$ symbols/slot
- PedB PDP:
6 nonzero taps
- 44 pilot subcarriers
- Data: rate $\frac{1}{2}$ turbo code, QPSK



BER Performance



Time-Varying Channels

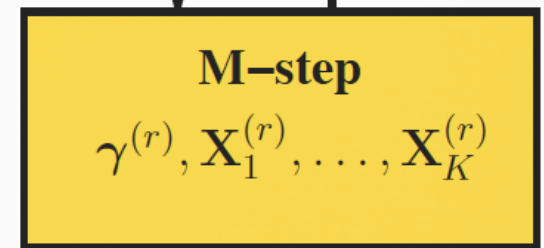
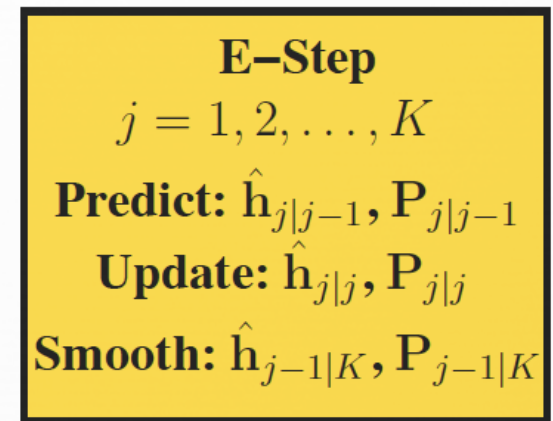


- Channel correlated from symbol-to-symbol
- AR model: $\mathbf{h}_k = \rho \mathbf{h}_{k-1} + \mathbf{u}_k$
- The factor ρ depends on the **normalized doppler freq**, which in turn depends on the speed of the mobile
- SBL framework can be extended to incorporate the temporal correlation

Joint Kalman SBL (JK-SBL)

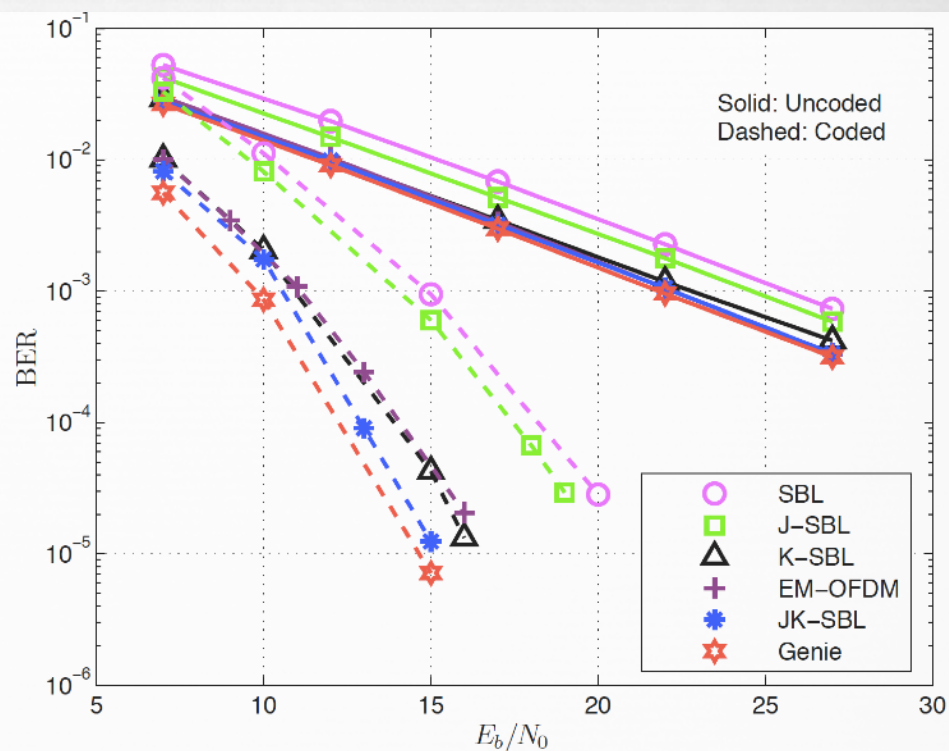
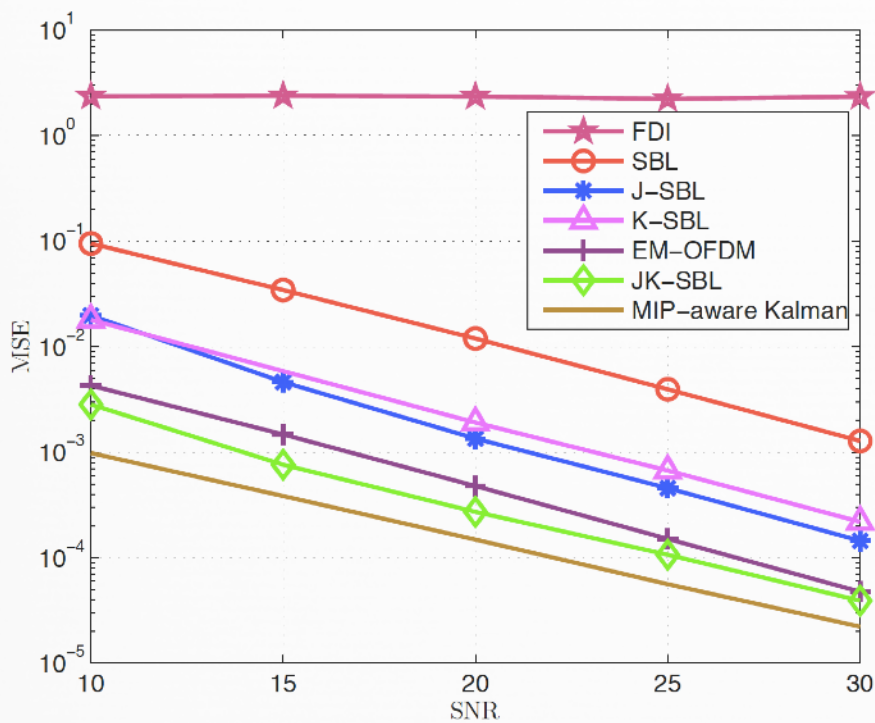


- **Complexity** $O(KL^3)$: smaller than block-based methods $O(K^3L^3)$ [Zhang et al. 10]
- (K = num. OFDM symbols used in joint estimation)
- In the **block-fading case**: get recursive, more computationally efficient versions of our algos



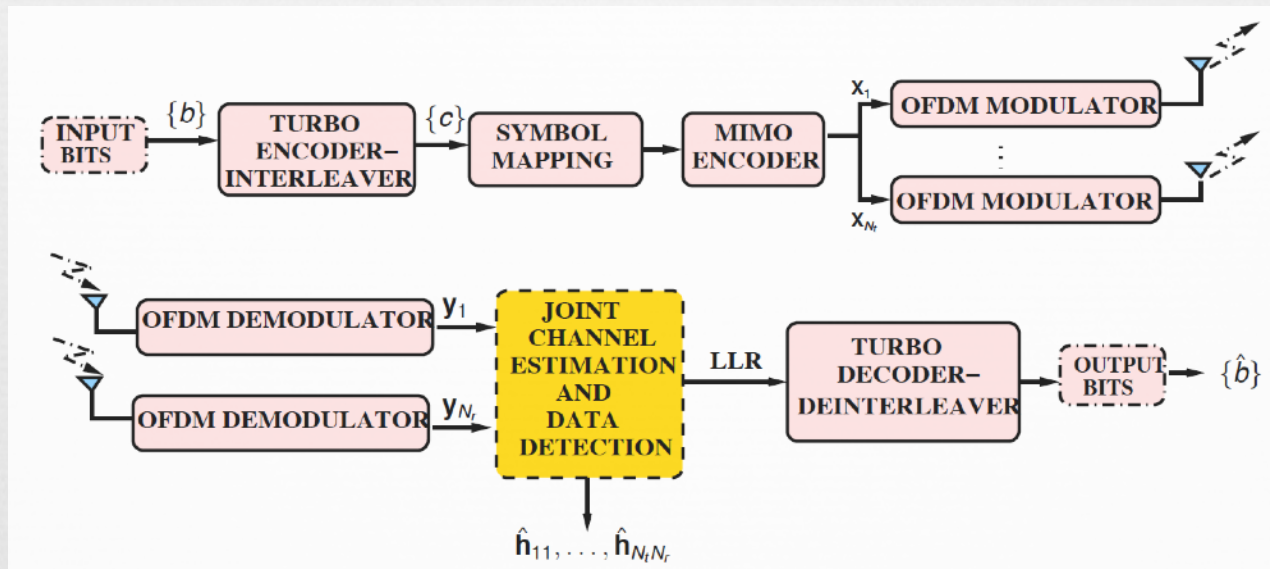
$$O(KL^3)$$

Simulation Result



● $f_d T_s = 0.001$ (slowly time-varying)

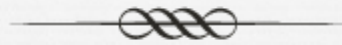
MIMO-OFDM



$$\mathbf{y}_{n_r} = \sum_{n_t=1}^{N_t} \mathbf{X}_{n_t} \mathbf{F} \mathbf{h}_{n_t n_r} + \mathbf{v}_{n_r}, \quad n_r = 1, \dots, N_r$$

- Goal: Recover h_1, \dots, h_{N_r} from $y_1 \dots y_{N_r}$

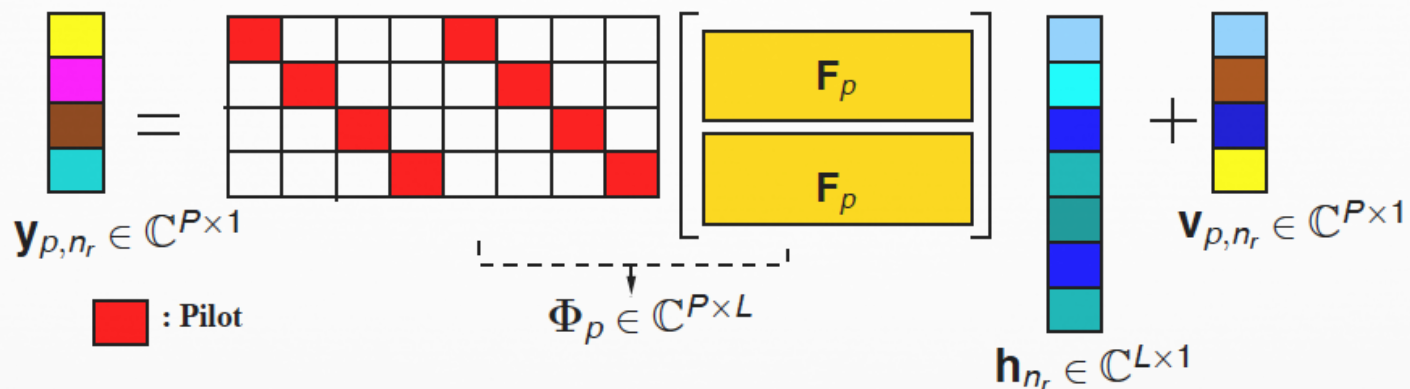
MMV Framework



- Measurement model

$$\underbrace{[\mathbf{y}_1, \dots, \mathbf{y}_{N_r}]}_{\mathbf{Y} \in \mathbb{C}^{N \times N_r}} = \underbrace{\mathbf{X}(\mathbf{I}_{N_t} \otimes \mathbf{F})}_{\Phi \in \mathbb{C}^{N \times LN_t}} \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{h}_{11} & \dots & \mathbf{h}_{1N_r} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \mathbf{h}_{N_t1} & \dots & \mathbf{h}_{N_tN_r} \end{pmatrix}}_{\mathbf{H} \in \mathbb{C}^{LN_t \times N_r}} + \underbrace{[\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \dots, \mathbf{v}_{N_r}]}_{\mathbf{V} \in \mathbb{C}^{N \times N_r}}$$

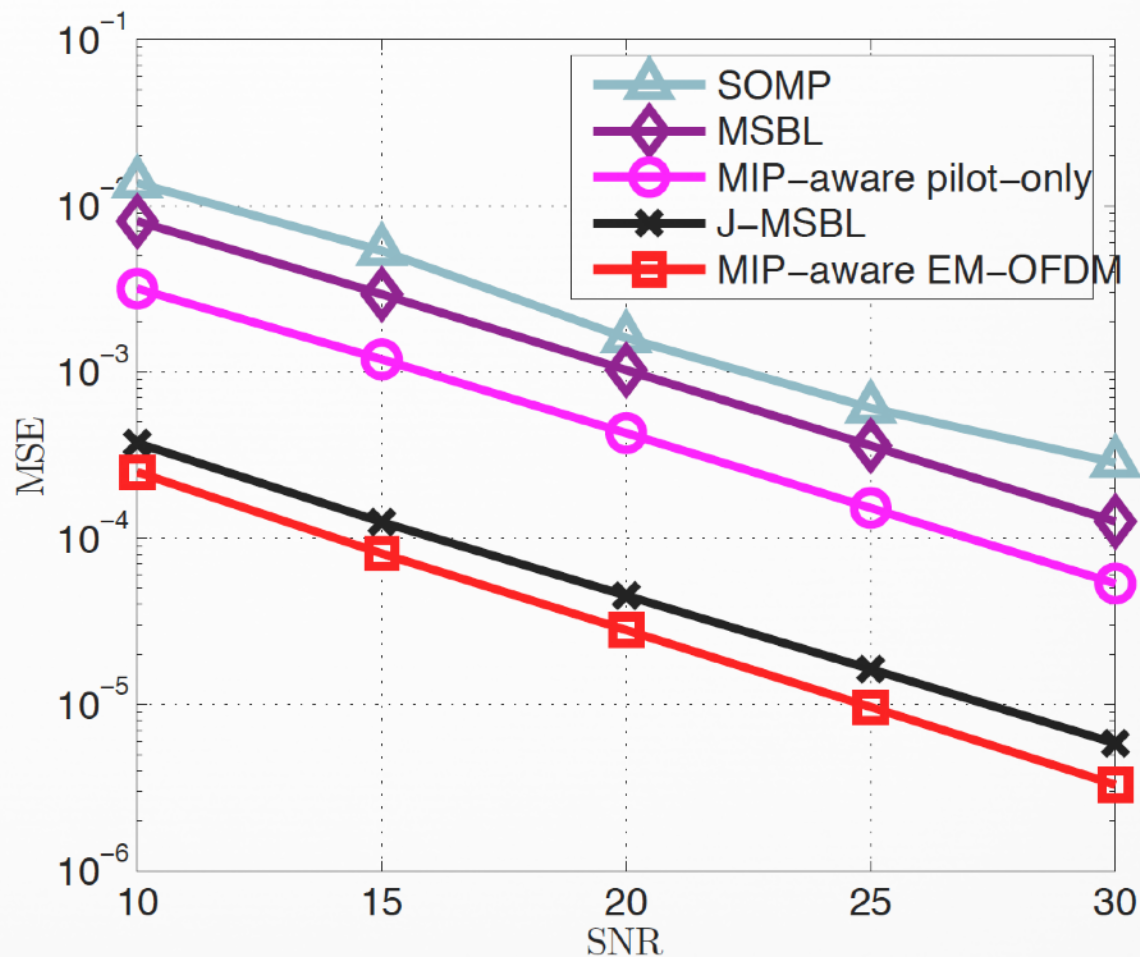
- Pilot subcarriers



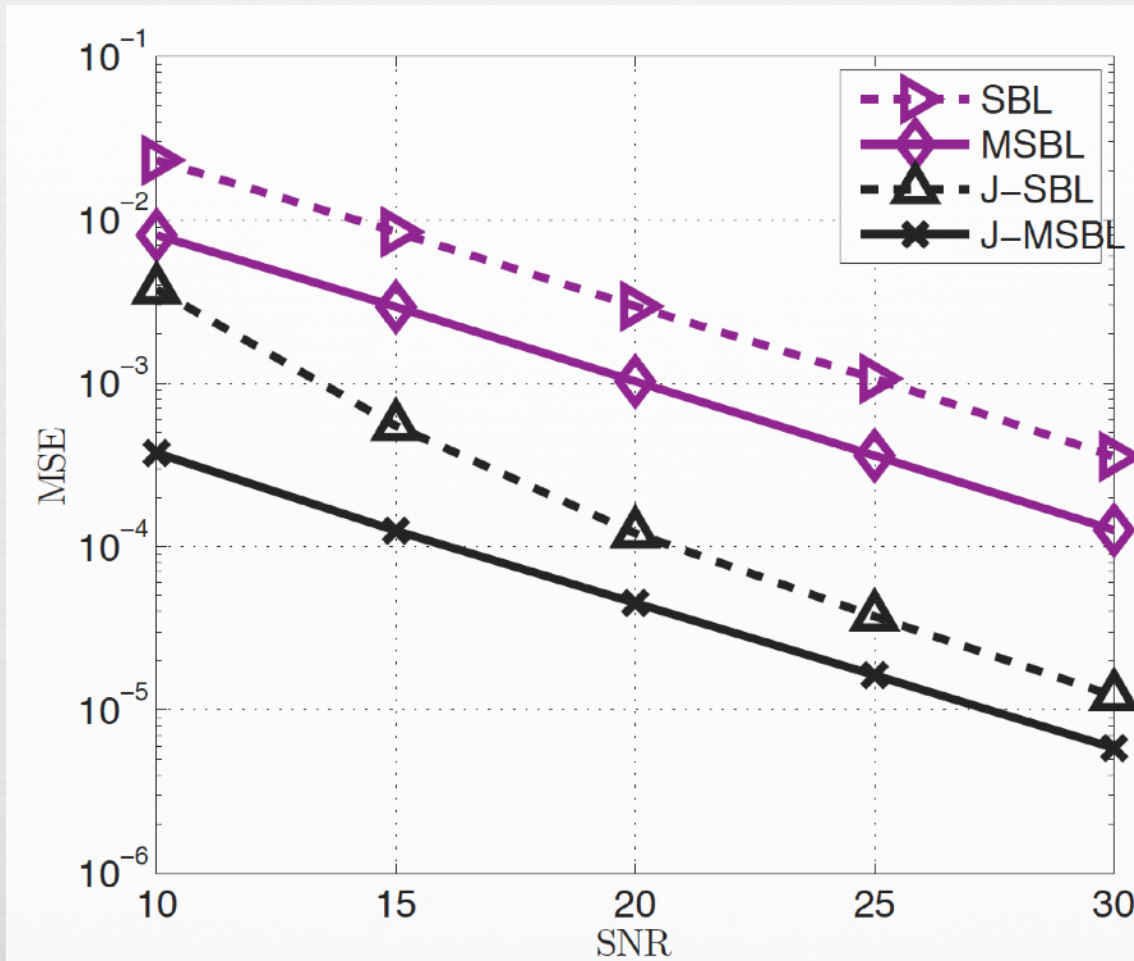
MSE Performance



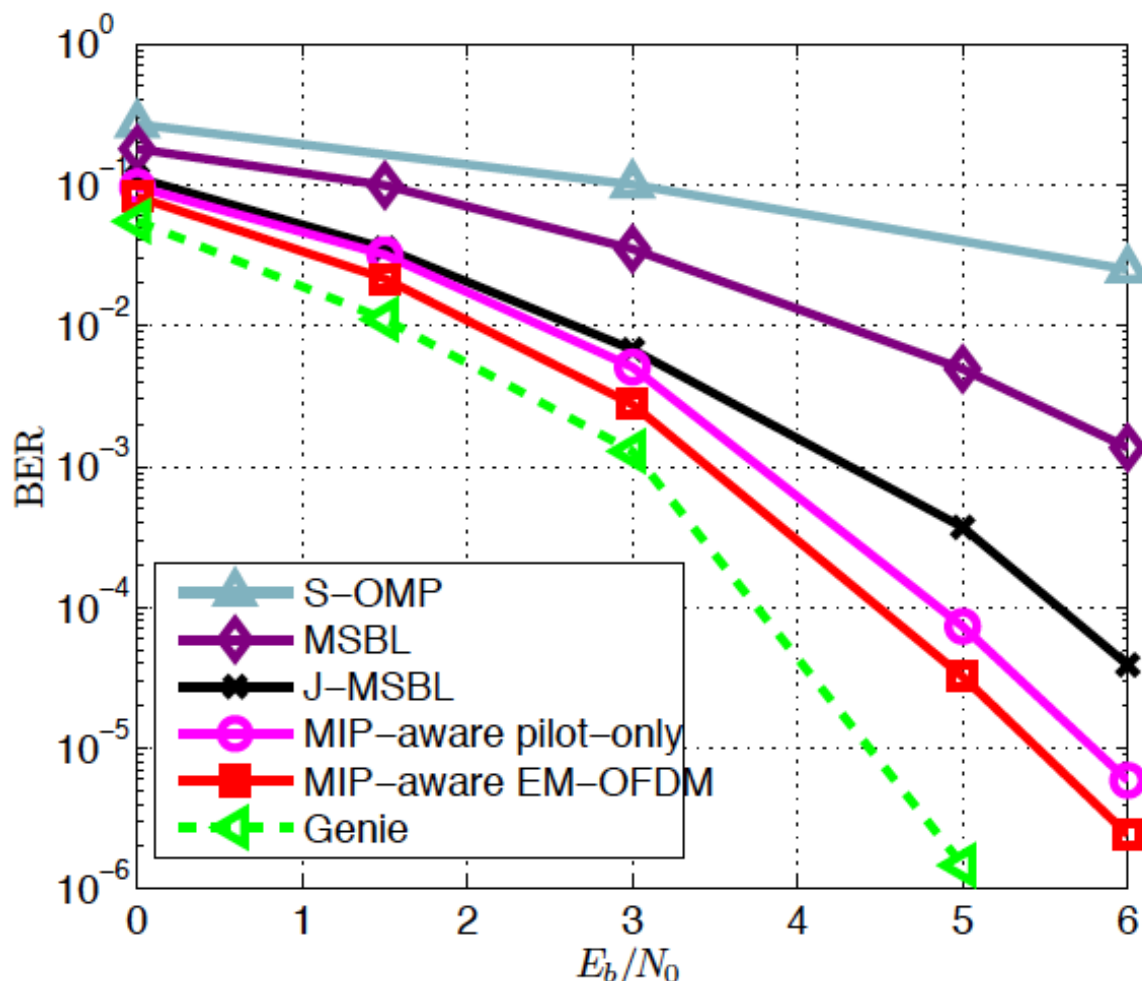
- 2 x 2 MIMO-OFDM System
- 256 subcarriers
- CP length 64
- 44 pilot subcarriers
- PedB PDP
- QPSK constellation



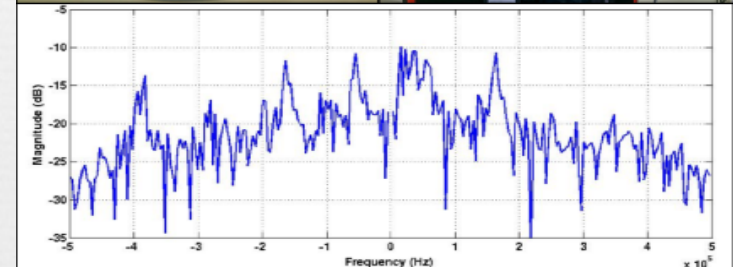
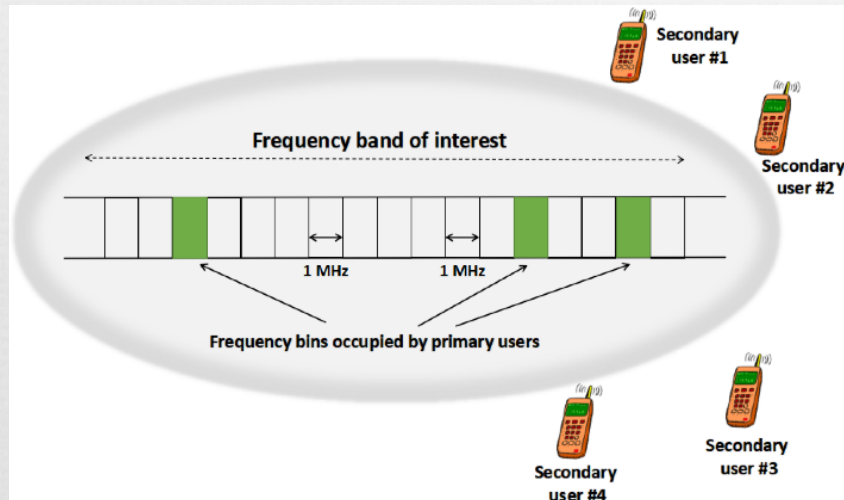
Exploiting Structure Helps!



BER Performance

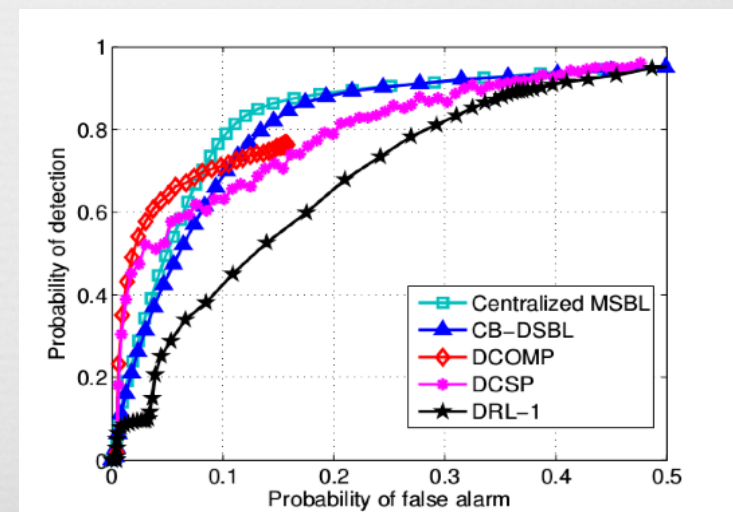


Wideband spectrum sensing using compressive measurements

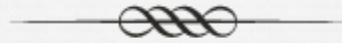


Experimental setup

- No. primary users = 5
- No. secondary users = 10
- 11 of total 128 frequency subbands are in use
- SNR range: -2.4 to 7.8 dB.
- Compression ratio = 12.5



Summary



- Bayesian methods:
 - Simple updates
 - Promising performance
- Challenges:
 - Theoretical analysis
 - New algorithms
 - Novel applications
- Plenty of opportunities!

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