

Compressed Sensing of Low Complexity High Dimensional Data

Application to Hyperspectral Imaging

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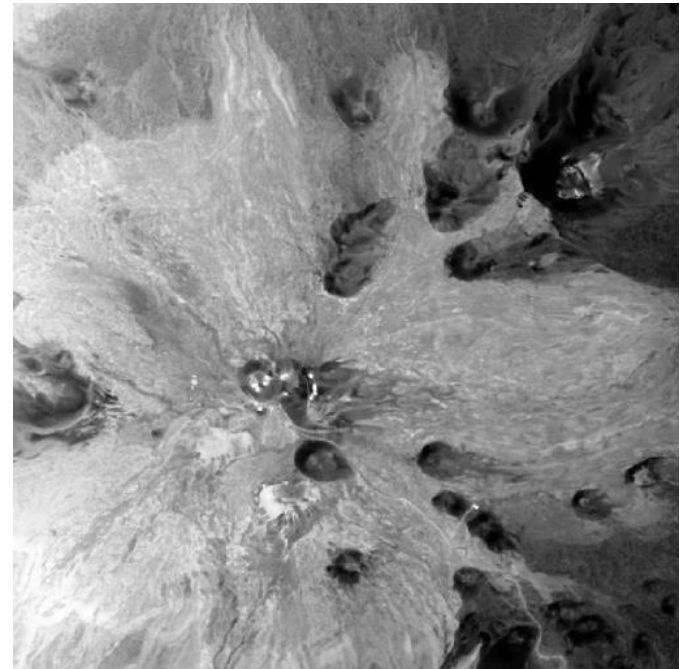
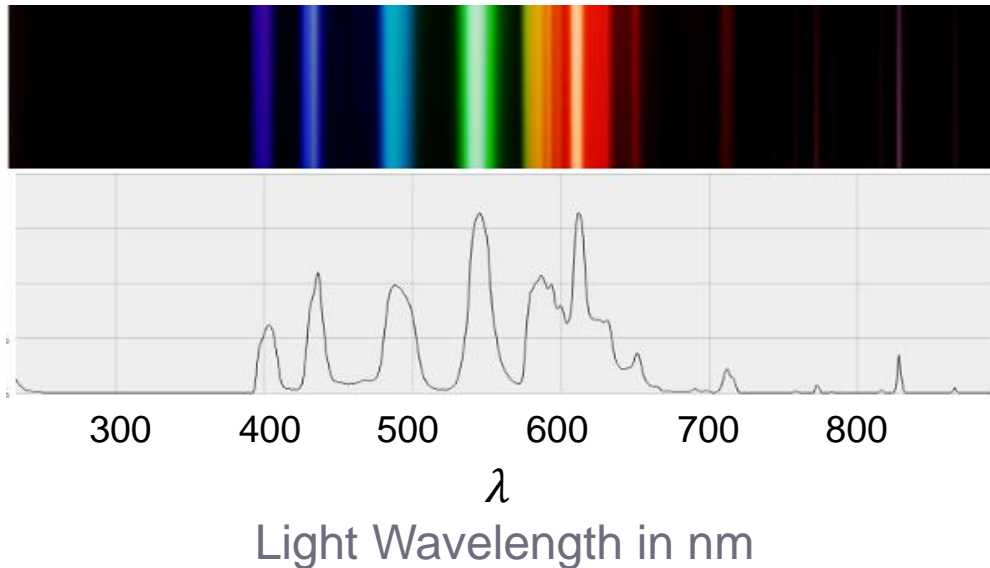
Hyperspectral imaging is the fusion of spectrometry and imaging

Spectrometry

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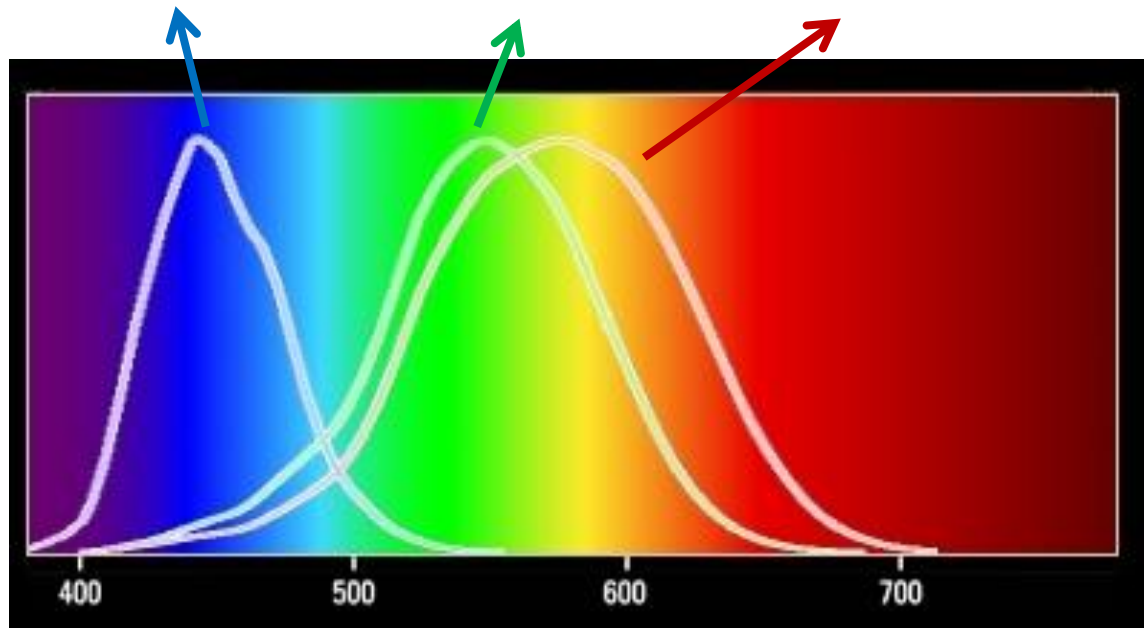
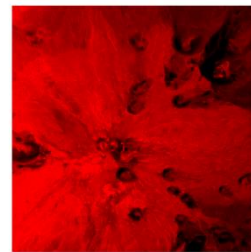
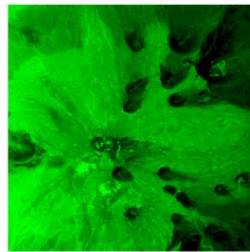
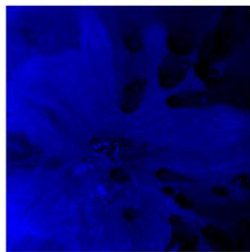
Imaging

Emission (or absorption) spectrum

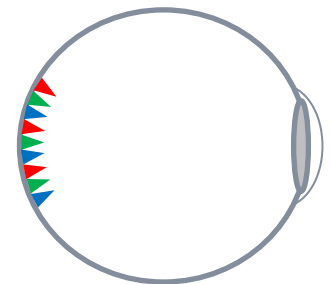


RGB imaging mimics the Human Visual System

3 large bands to get chrominance

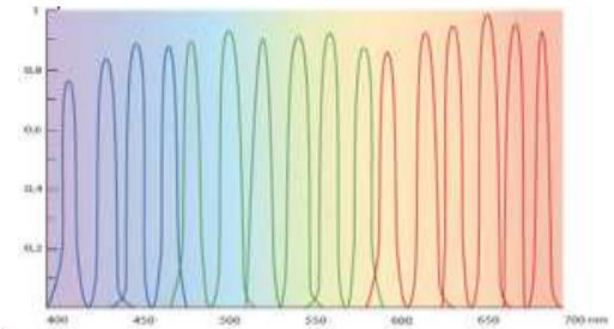
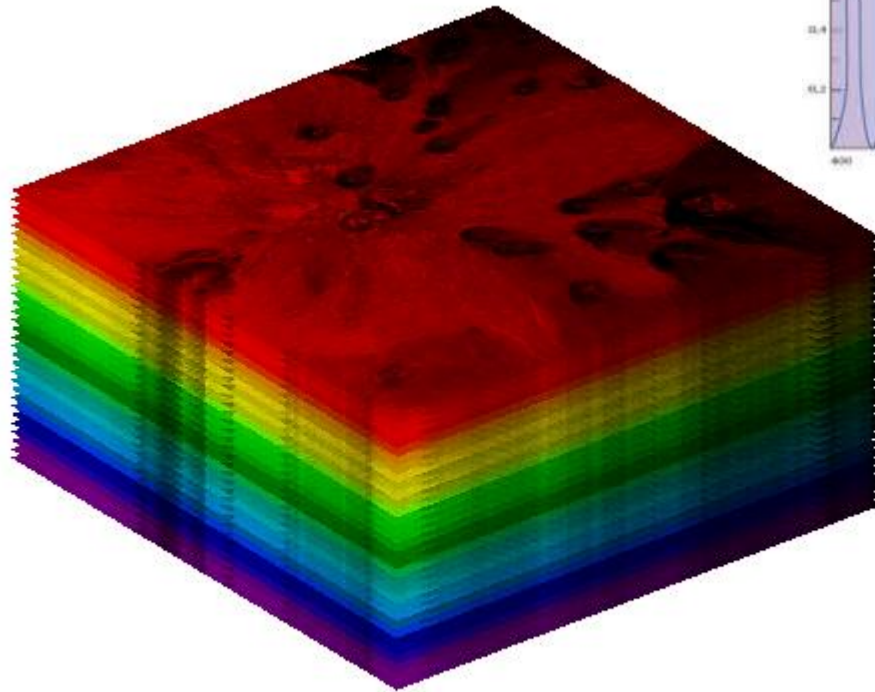


Short, Medium
and Long retina
cones



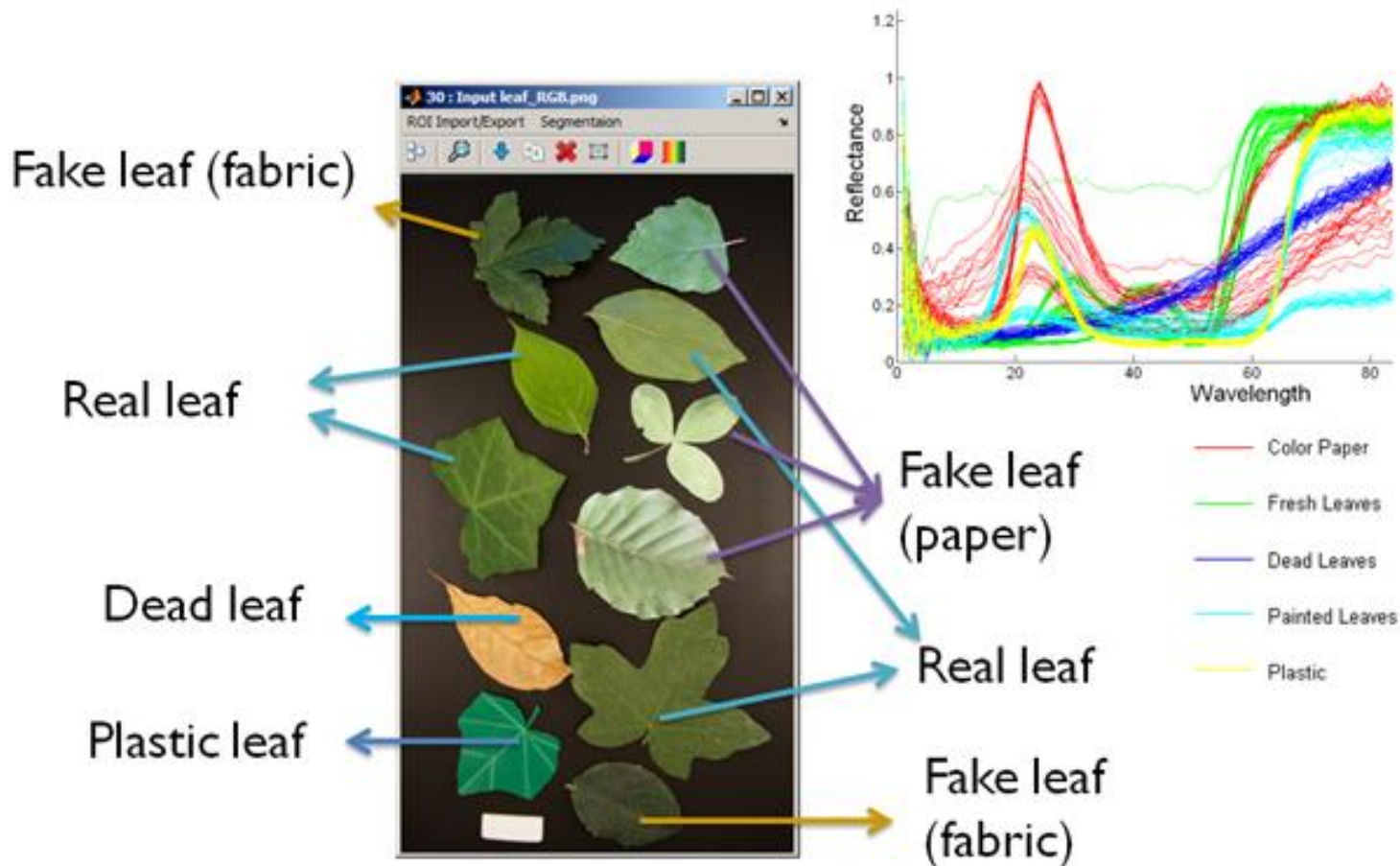
Multi/Hyper-spectral imaging goes beyond

Full spectrum (a lot of narrow bands)
at **every pixel**



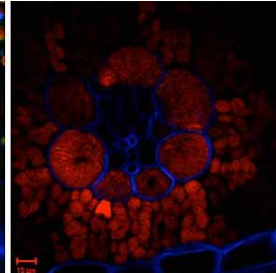
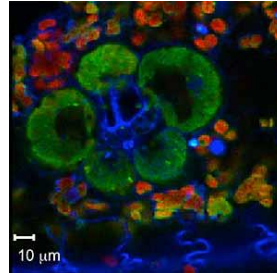
HSI mixes **spatial** and **spectral** information

Classify several materials spatially on an image thanks to their **unique** spectral **signature** (« fingerprint »).



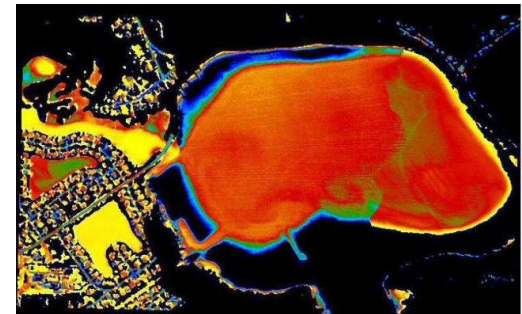
Applications

Microscopy, Spectroscopy



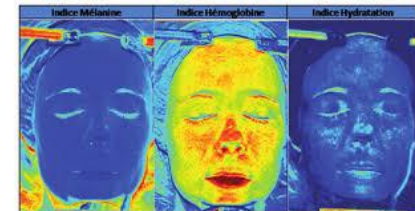
Counterfeit detection

Agriculture, Environmental Monitoring

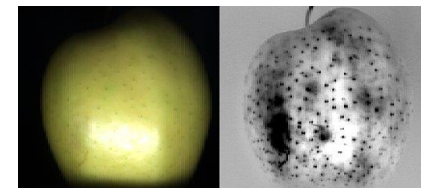


Biotechnology, Skin health, Endoscopy,...

Surveillance, Security and Defense

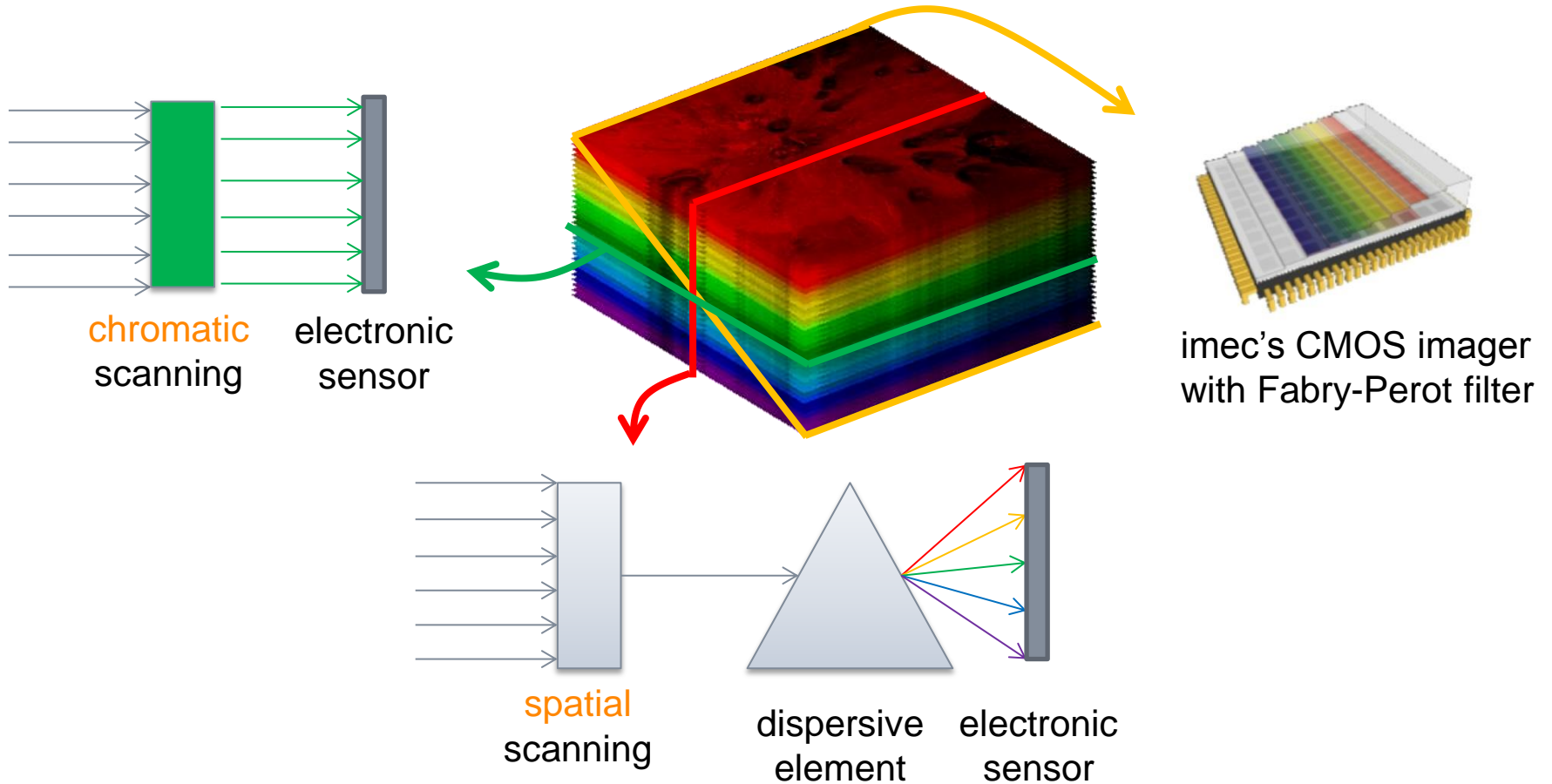


Non-contact quality control (e.g. Thin Films, Food, Pharmaceutical,...)



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How is it usually done?



What are the **issues**?

Spatially very restrictive (low resolution, line scanning...)

Low speed and **power** consuming acquisition

Big amount of data (e.g. 200 spectral bands for every pixel) to acquire, compress, transmit and store.

Complex devices

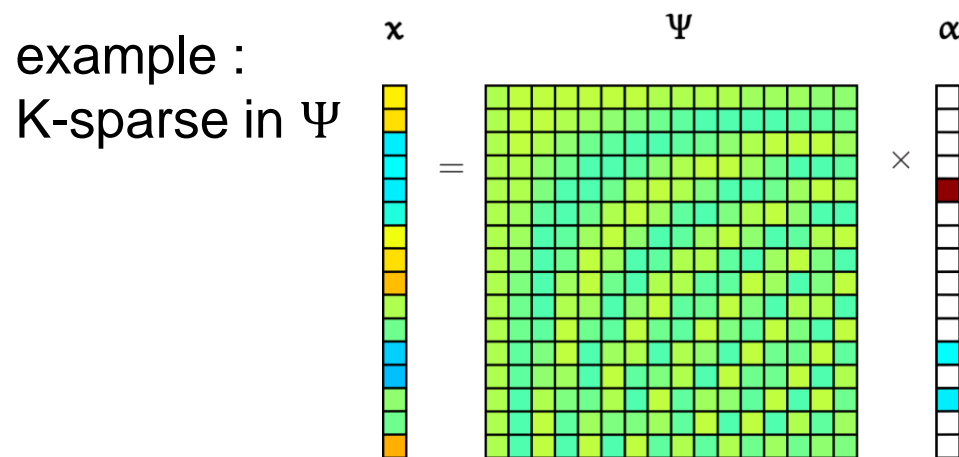
Why “Low Complexity” HD signals? The paradox

Huge amount of data

→ Big effort to **acquire** (expensive sensors) \$ ⚡ $\leftarrow m \rightarrow$

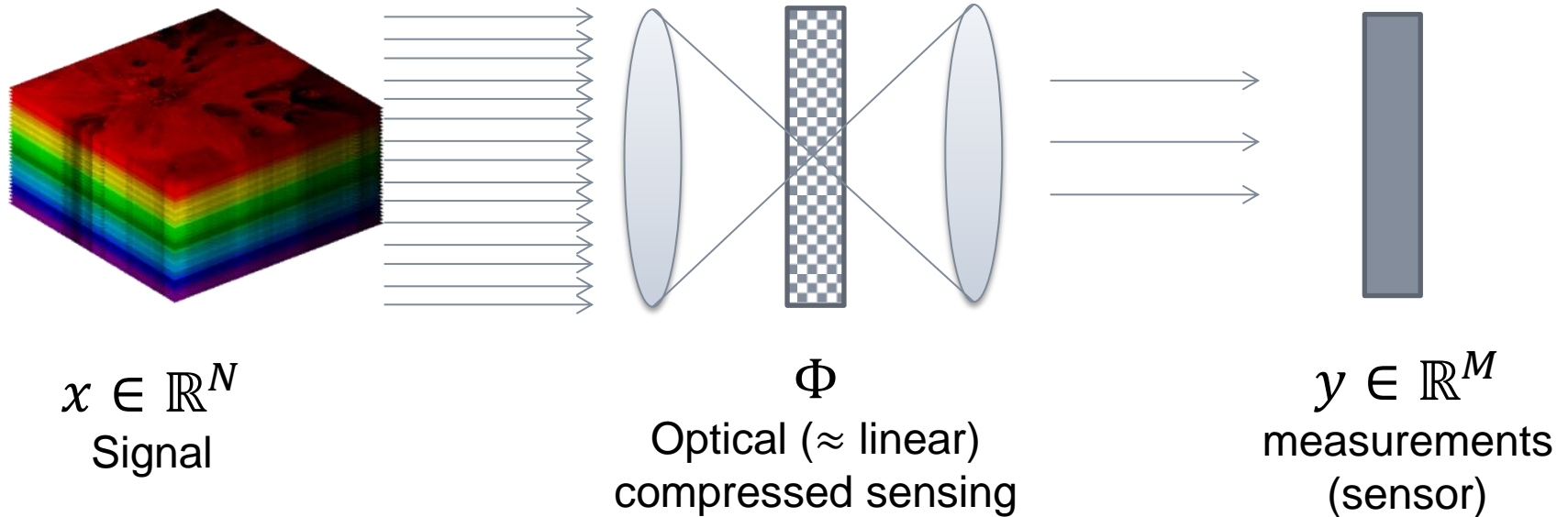
But high level of “**redundancy**”

→ Big effort to **compress** (expensive DSP) \$ ⚡ $\leftarrow m \rightarrow$



HD Data is the **ideal** field for **Compressed Sensing**

Compression at the acquisition (e.g. optically).



Big gain both in the sensor and in the DSP.

HD Data is the **ideal** field for **Compressed Sensing**

Asymptotic theory → Works **better** at high dimensions

Classically in CS theory if K is the signal sparsity,

Compression rate ← $\frac{M}{N} \geq C \frac{K}{N} \log\left(\frac{N}{K}\right)$

relative sparsity

For HD data K increases slower than N so,

$$\frac{K}{N} \downarrow \text{ and } \frac{M}{N} \downarrow$$

Compressed Sensing of High Dimensional Data

How to?

Model good signal priors

Build and assess accurate signal **model**

Use suited **sparsity basis** Ψ (wavelets, DCT,...)

Combine sparsity bases $\Psi = \Psi_x \otimes \Psi_y \otimes \Psi_\lambda$

Append bases $\Psi = [\Psi_1, \Psi_2, \dots]$ \rightarrow dictionaries

Learn or design application specific dictionaries

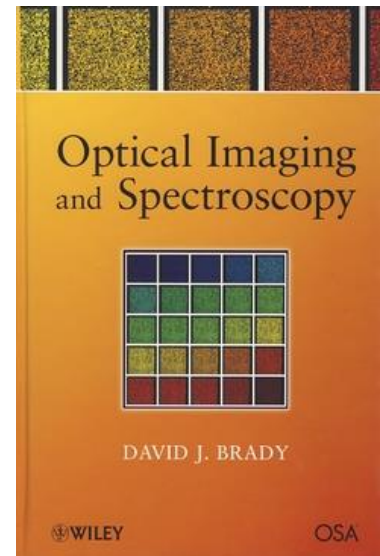
Use other low complexity priors e.g. TV, **low rank** (see later)

Design efficient sensing

In terms of **physical** implementation

→ Physically (e.g. optically) **feasible**

→ “Simple” **efficient** electronics



Design efficient sensing

In terms of mathematical properties

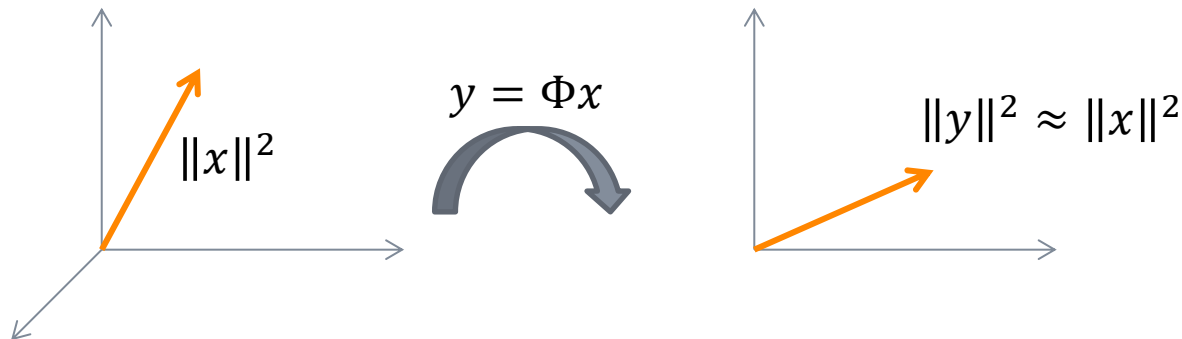
Linear... Or not? (e.g. quantization);

Fidel to reality;

Restricted Isometry Property

$\exists 0 < \delta < 1$ such that for any “low complexity” (sparse, low rank,...) signal x ,

$$(1 - \delta)\|x\|^2 \leq \|\Phi x\|^2 \leq (1 + \delta)\|x\|^2$$



Design efficient sensing

In terms of numerical algorithms efficiency

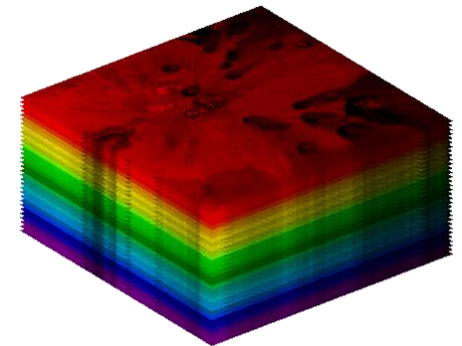
Φ = Bottleneck of reconstruction algorithms

→ Sparse, block sparse, block diagonal, binary matrices, FFT, FWT,...

→ **NOT full** random (e.g. Gaussian) matrices!!

For a 512x512x32 hyperspectral volume (8M voxels)

→ sensing matrix with 2^{46} entries i.e. 512 TB !



Reconstruct

Use prior to build an optimization program

assume x is sparse: low ℓ_0 “norm”

$$\arg \min_x \|x\|_0 \quad s.t. \quad \|\Phi x - y\|_2 \leq \epsilon$$

non convex → hard to solve

Reconstruct

Use prior to build an optimization program

Either **exact** solution of **convex** relaxation

e.g. **BPDN**

$$\arg \min_x \|x\|_1 \quad s. t. \quad \|\Phi x - y\|_2 \leq \epsilon$$

convex

Or **approximate** solution of **non convex** problem

e.g. **L0-LASSO**

$$\approx \arg \min_x \|\Phi x - y\|_2^2 \quad s. t. \quad \|x\|_0 \leq K$$

non convex

Reconstruct

Choose the **solver**

see Parikh and Boyd's monograph
for a good intro



Generic slow **convex** optimization (proximal algorithms,...)
e.g. Douglas-Rashford, **Chambolle-Pock**

Dedicated non convex fast **greedy** methods
e.g. **IHT**, OMP, CoSaMP

Reconstruct

Implement: HD data is challenging

Optimized libraries (BLAS, LAPACK,...),

Randomization (power method, truncated SVD, ...)

Parallel computing

- Multi-core (e.g. OpenMP)
- GPU (CUDA, OpenCL...)
- HW accelerators (Xeon Phi,...)
- Clusters (MPI...)

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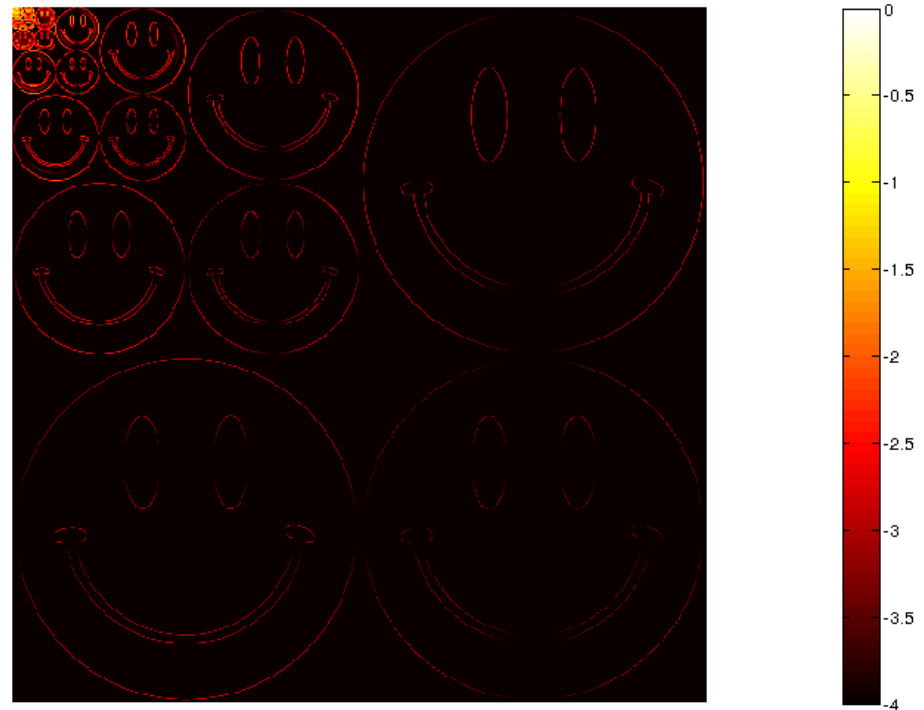
Some examples

CS of a monochromatic image

512x512 Smile

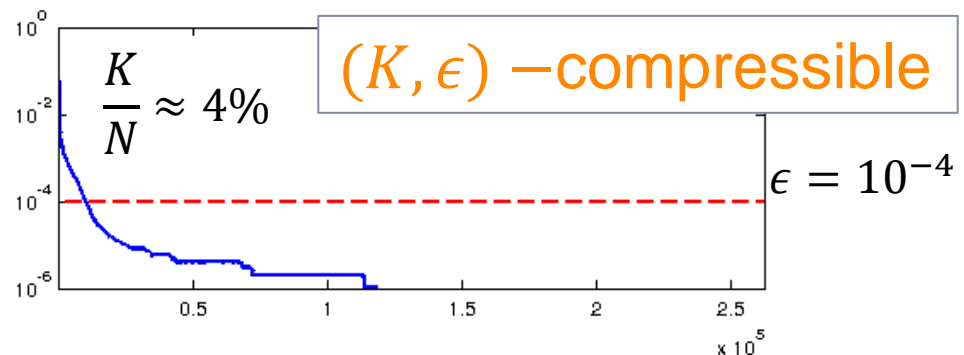


Log Scale Haar DWT coefficients $\alpha/\|\alpha\|$



Sensor provides only 256x256 measurements ($\frac{M}{N} = 25\%$).

We can play with optics.



CS of a monochromatic image

Choice of the sensing

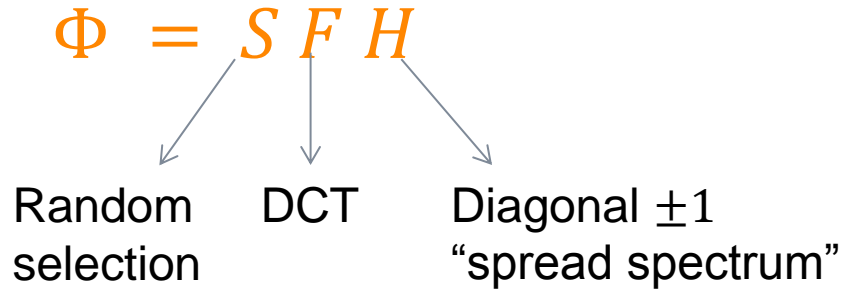
Spread Spectrum Random “Fourier” (DCT) Ensemble

$$\Phi = S F H$$

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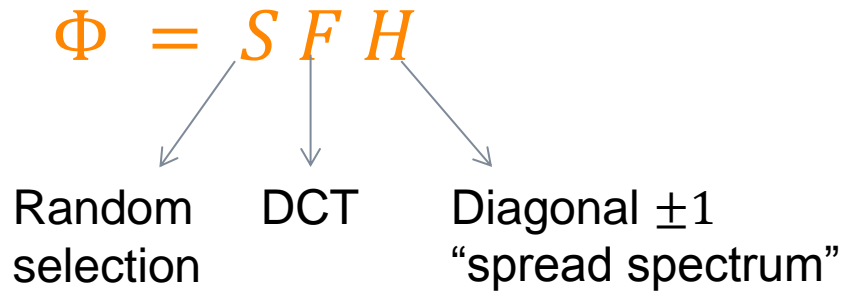
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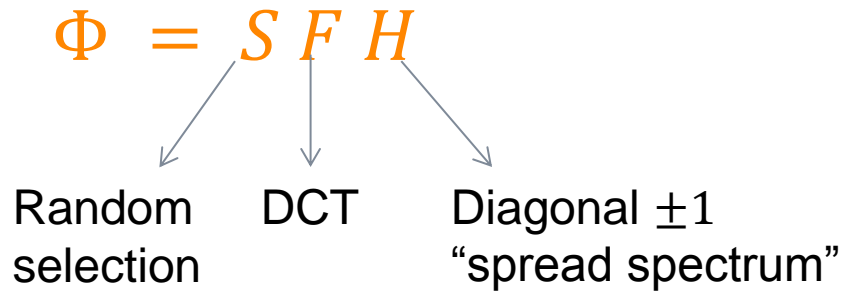


Good math property if $\frac{M}{N} \geq C \frac{K}{N} \ln N$

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Choice of the sensing

Spread Spectrum Random “Fourier” (DCT) Ensemble



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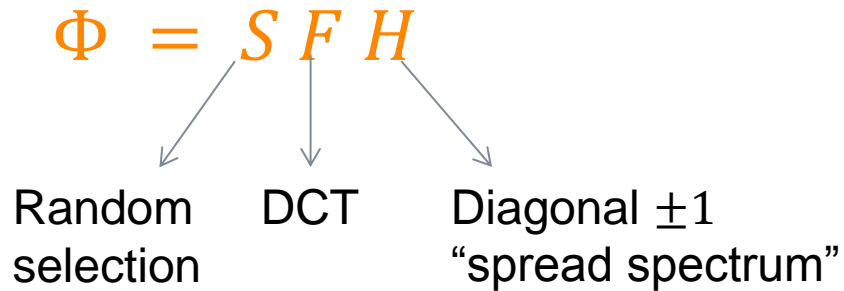
Small (?) constant
 $\approx 1 ?$
 $< 1 ?$

High ☹️

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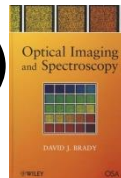
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Numerically efficient 😊

(optically feasible?)



Let's try anyway...

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Result : BPDN solved with CP

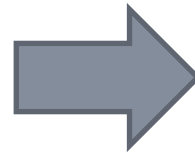
“super-resolution”

without CS (but with BPDN)

Φ is a simple average over 4px blocks



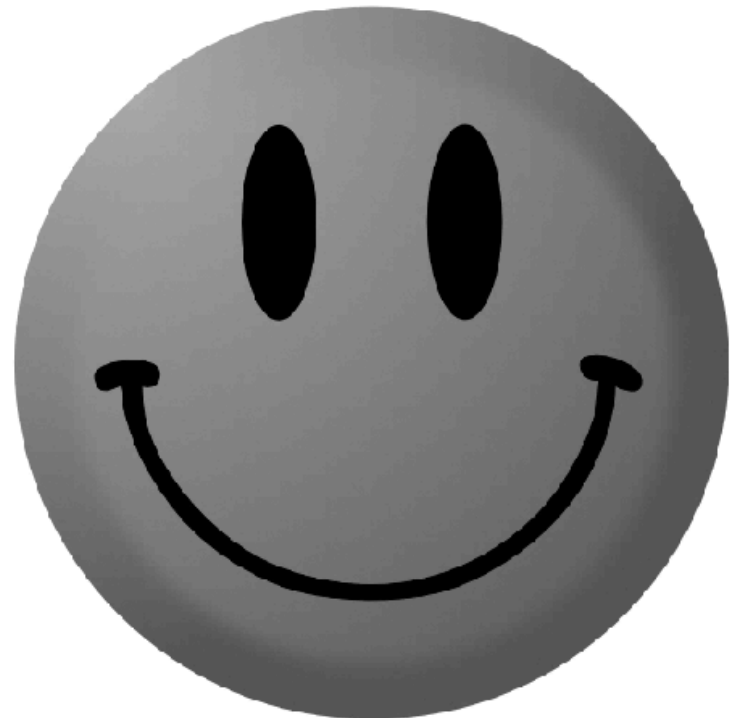
PSNR = 32dB



+18dB

CS

Φ is the SSRFE



PSNR = 50dB

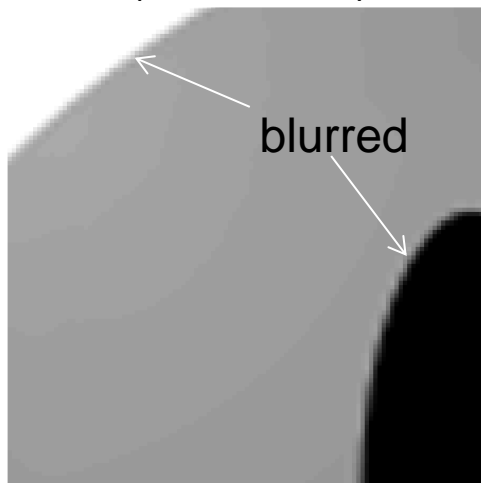
CS of a monochromatic image

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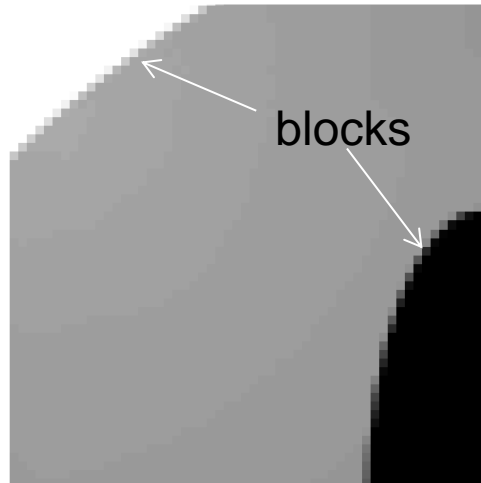
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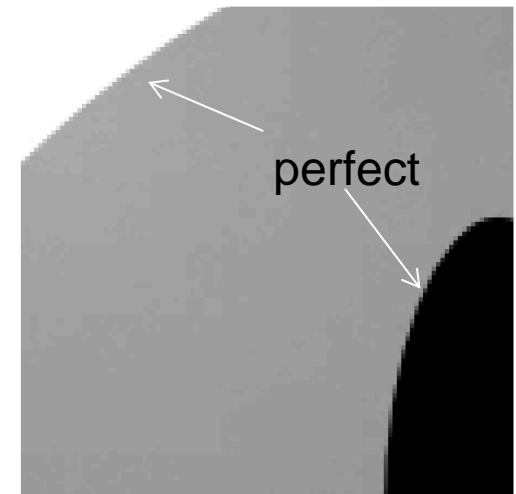
Bi-cubic interpolation
(not BPDN)



"super-resolution"
BPDN without CS



CS



CS of a monochromatic image

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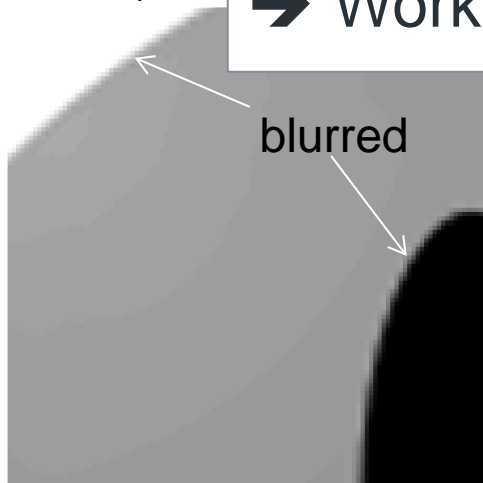
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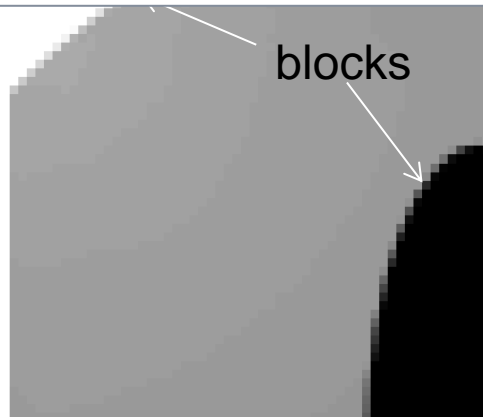
This is a good **small & sparse** toy example. More “natural” small (512x512) images are not sparse enough (Lena,...)

→ Works better when $N \uparrow$ and $\frac{K}{N} \downarrow$

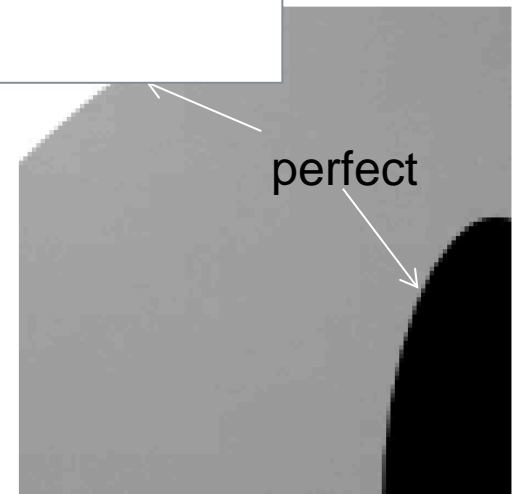
Bicubic in
(not



blurred



blocks



perfect

CS

Reshape

A discrete signal and in particular an image can also be mathematically treated as a matrix

$$x \in \mathbb{R}^N \rightarrow X \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times n_2}$$

Low-Rank Prior

Rank and Singular Value Decomposition (SVD) of $X \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times n_2}$


$$X = USV^* = [u_1 \ \cdots \ u_{n_1}] \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \sigma_r & \\ & & & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_1^* \\ \vdots \\ v_{n_2}^* \end{bmatrix}$$

output unitary matrix
singular values rank r
input unitary matrix

$$= \sum_{i=1}^r \sigma_i \underbrace{u_i v_i^*}_{\text{rank 1 matrices}}$$

Low rank means highly redundant (generalization of sparsity for matrices)

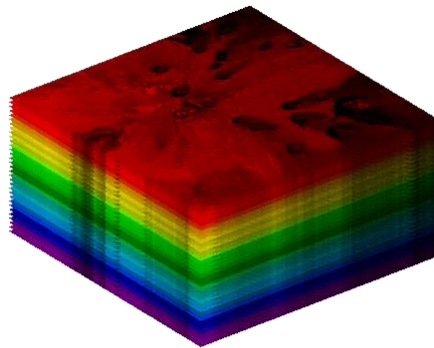
Best rank r approximation (LS) = SV hard thresholding or truncated SVD


 \exists efficient algorithms e.g. Matlab `svds(X, r)` or approx. with randomization :
 D. Achlioptas, F. Mcsherry, *Fast Computation of Low Rank Matrix Approximations*, 2007

Reshape

A discrete signal and in particular an **hyperspectral image** can also be treated as a 3-ways tensor

$$\mathcal{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times n_2 \times n_3}$$



Tensors and Low Rank Prior

Rank of a tensor : minimum r such that there exists a decomposition

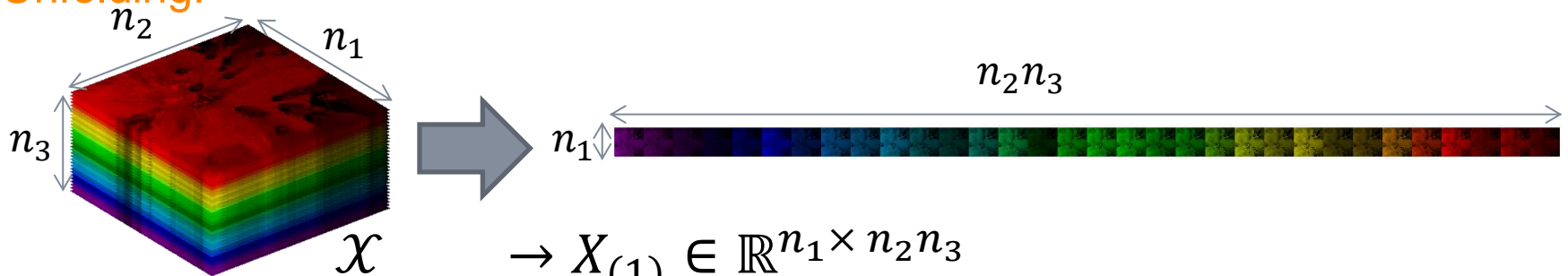
$$\mathcal{X} = \sum_{i=1}^r \underbrace{a_i \circ b_i \circ c_i}_{\text{rank 1 tensors}} \quad \begin{array}{l} a_i \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1} \\ b_i \in \mathbb{R}^{n_2} \\ c_i \in \mathbb{R}^{n_3} \end{array}$$

Exterior tensor product

The rank is **NP-complete** (J. Håstad 1990).

Instead, we can use the “n-rank” i.e. rank of the n-unfolding matrix $X_{(n)}$

Unfolding:



$$\rightarrow X_{(1)} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times n_2 n_3}$$

$$\rightarrow X_{(2)} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_2 \times n_3 n_1}$$

$$\rightarrow X_{(3)} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_3 \times n_1 n_2}$$

Tensors and Low Rank Prior

We would like to solve

$$\arg \min_{\mathcal{X}} \text{rank}(\mathcal{X}) \quad s.t. \quad \|\Phi\mathcal{X} - y\| \leq \epsilon$$

NP-complete
↑

n-rank relaxation

$$\arg \min_{\mathcal{X}} \text{rank}(X_{(1)}) + \text{rank}(X_{(2)}) + \text{rank}(X_{(3)}) \quad s.t. \quad \|\Phi\mathcal{X} - y\| \leq \epsilon$$

This problem is **not convex** and (like the ℓ_0 minimization) combinatorial.

Nuclear norm convex relaxation (analogy with ℓ_1)

$$\text{rank}(X) = \#\{\sigma_i | \sigma_i > 0\} \rightarrow \|X\|_* = \sum_i \sigma_i$$

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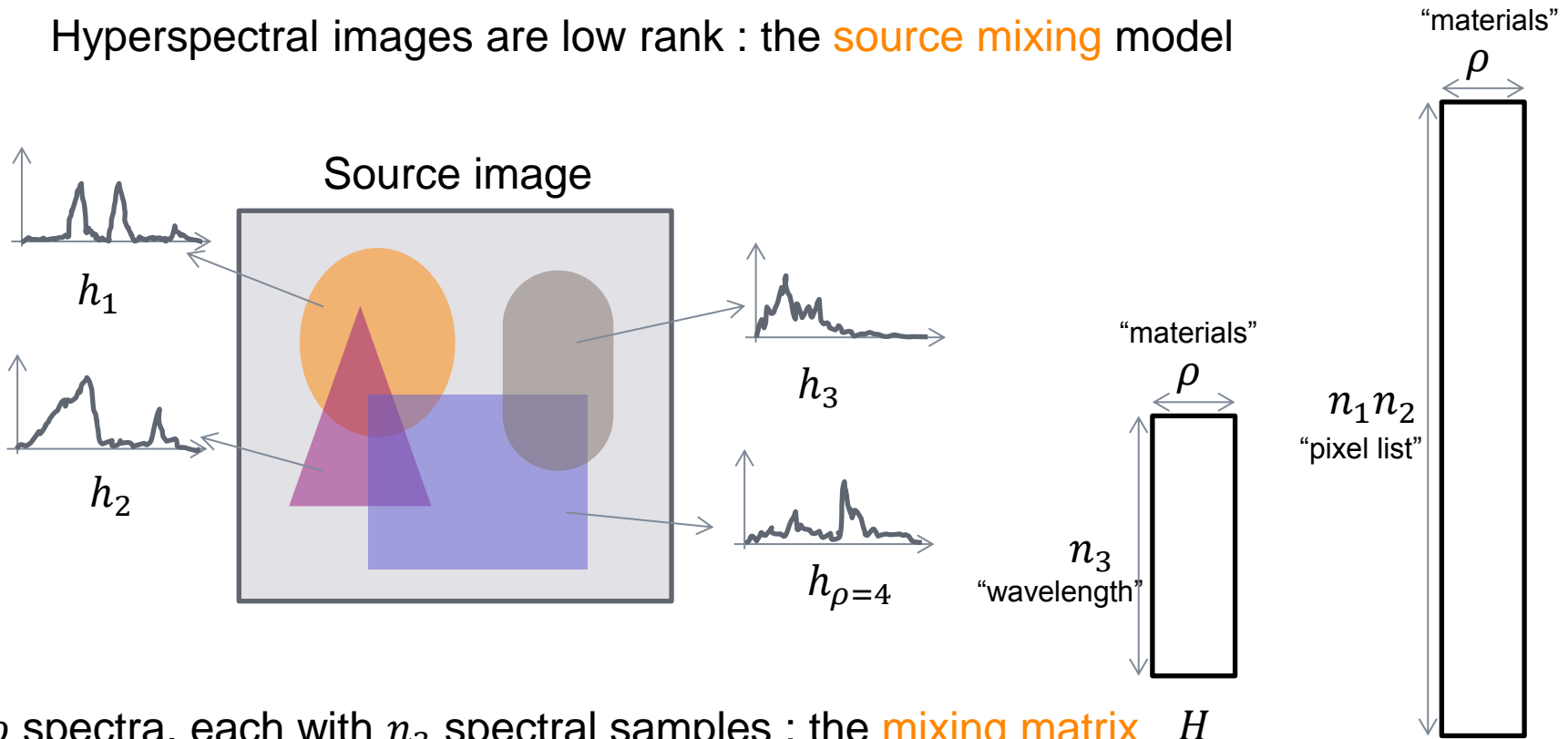
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OK ... But why low rank?

Tensors and Low Rank Prior

Hyperspectral images are low rank : the **source mixing** model



ρ spectra, each with n_3 spectral samples : the **mixing matrix** H

$n_1 n_2$ pixels, each with a concentration of the ρ sources : the **source matrix** S

$$X_{(3)} = HS^T = \sum_{i=1}^{\rho} h_i s_i^T \Rightarrow \text{rank}(X) \leq \text{rank}(X_{(3)}) \leq \rho$$

Tensors and Low Rank Prior

Rank in the spatial directions ($X_{(1)}$ or $X_{(2)}$) may not be a good proxy for tensor rank and is **not particularly relevant** for natural images.

$r = 16$, PSNR = 24.3dB



SVT

$K = 16384$, PSNR = 33dB



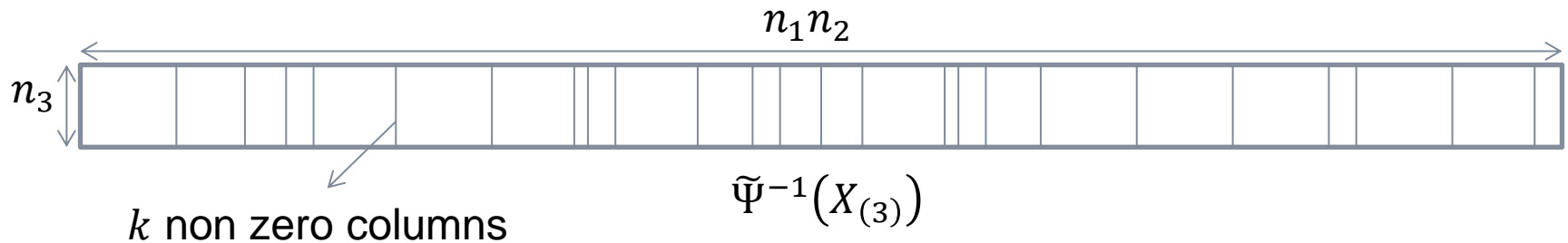
Haar wavelets

Same number of 'degrees of freedom' $K = r(n_1 + n_2)$

Low Rank and Joint Sparse

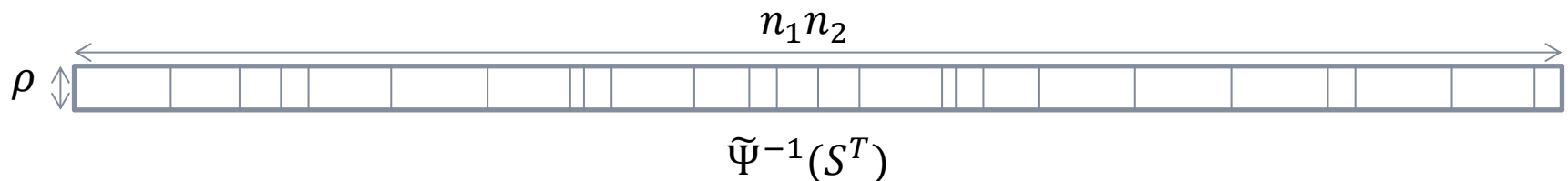
[M. Golbabe, P. Vandergheynst 2012]

Joint sparsity of the unfolded tensor $X_{(3)}$ (in sparsity basis Ψ)



Same support for wavelet transform of each spectral band
(= union of supports of each spectral band).

Low-rank and joint sparse with the source mixing model :
Source matrix is joint sparse (in the sparsity basis).



Low Rank and Joint Sparse

Some theoretical results from Golbabee & Vandergheynst :

Sparsity : $\|X_{vec}\|_0 = \#\{x_{i,j} | x_{i,j} \neq 0\}$ (number of non zero entries)

Convex relaxation $\|X_{vec}\|_1 = \sum_{i,j} |x_{i,j}|$

Convex minimization for sparse signal (BPDN)

$$\arg \min_X \|X_{vec}\|_1 \quad s.t. \quad \|\Phi(X) - y\| \leq \epsilon$$

$$M \leq O\left(K \log\left(\frac{n_1 n_2 n_3}{K}\right)\right) = O\left(k n_3 \log\left(\frac{n_1 n_2}{k}\right)\right)$$

(for nice (sub)Gaussian Φ)

NB : we note $X = X_{(3)} = (x_{i,j})$
and assume $\Psi = \text{Id}$

Low Rank and Joint Sparse

Some theoretical results from Golbabee & Vandergheynst :

Joint sparsity : $\|X\|_{p,0} = \#\{x_{\cdot,i} \mid \|x_{\cdot,i}\|_p > 0\}$ (number of non zero **columns**)

Convex relaxation $\|X\|_{2,1} = \sum_i \|x_i\|_2$

Convex minimization for **joint** sparse signal

$$\arg \min_X \|X\|_{2,1} \quad s.t. \quad \|\Phi(X) - y\| \leq \epsilon$$

$$M \geq O\left(k \log\left(\frac{n_1 n_2}{k}\right) + kn_3\right) \approx O(kn_3)$$

(for nice (sub)Gaussian Φ)

Low Rank and Joint Sparse

Some theoretical results from Golbabee & Vandergheynst :

Low rank: $\text{rank}(X) = \#\{\sigma_i | \sigma_i > 0\}$ (number of non zero **singular values**)

Convex relaxation $\|X\|_* = \sum_i \sigma_i$

Convex minimization for **low rank** signal

$$\arg \min_X \|X\|_* \quad s.t. \quad \|\Phi(X) - y\| \leq \epsilon$$

$$M \geq O(r(n_1 n_2 + n_3))$$

(for nice (sub)Gaussian Φ)

Low Rank and Joint Sparse

Some theoretical results from Golbabee & Vandergheynst :

Convex minimization for **low rank** and **joint sparse** signal (one example)

$$\hat{X} = \arg \min_X \|X\|_{2,1} + \lambda \|X\|_* \quad s.t. \quad \|\Phi(X) - y\| \leq \epsilon$$

$$M \geq O\left(k \log\left(\frac{n_1 n_2}{k}\right) + kr + n_3 r\right)$$

(for nice (sub)Gaussian Φ)

Error bound

$$\|X - \hat{X}\|_F \leq \kappa'_0 \left(\frac{\|X - X_{r,k}\|_{2,1}}{\sqrt{k}} + \frac{\|X - X_{r,k}\|_*}{\sqrt{2r}} \right) + \kappa'_1 \epsilon$$

if not exactly joint-sparse

if not exactly low rank

if noisy measurements

Low Rank and Joint Sparse

Demo example 512x512x32

Block diagonal sensing matrix $\Phi = \tilde{\Phi} \otimes \text{Id}_{n_3}$

Where $\tilde{\Phi}$ is the **SSRFE** (applied spatially) with $\frac{m}{n_1 n_2} = 25\%$

No spectral mixing \approx no dispersive optical element.

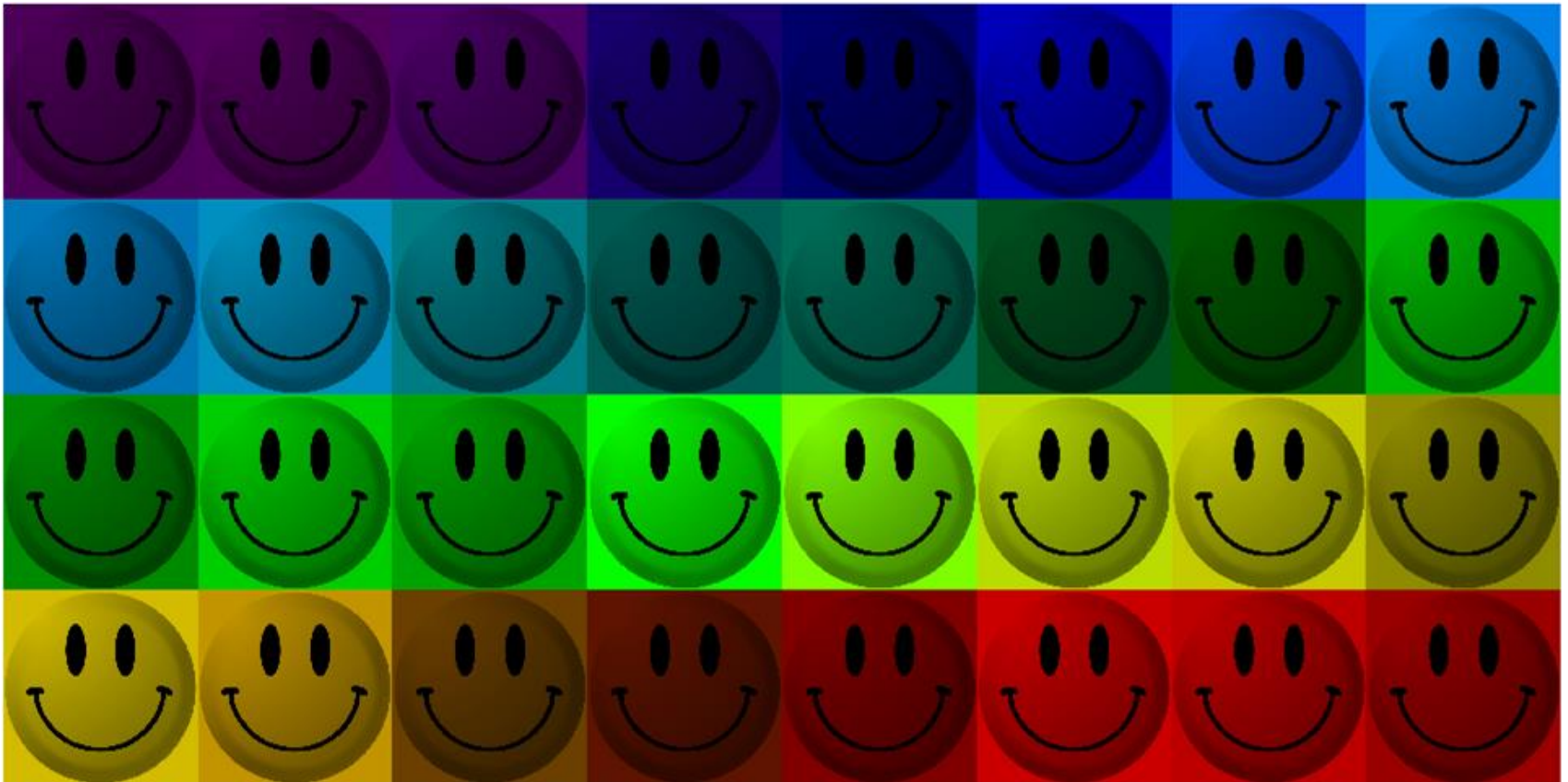
→ quite far from full Gaussian.

Generated (k, ϵ) **–joint-compressible low rank** HS image (from smile).

With $r = 6$ and $\frac{k}{n_1 n_2} = 4\%$ for $\epsilon = 10^{-4}$

Low Rank and Joint Sparse

Demo example $512 \times 512 \times 32$ (target)



Low Rank and Joint Sparse

Demo example $512 \times 512 \times 32$ (reconstruction)



PSNR = 43,5dB

Source Separation

[M. Golbabe, S. Arberet, P. Vandergherst 2012]

There exist extensive spectral **databases** with spectra associated to a lot of materials.

We can use a subset of these databases as a **dictionary for sparsity prior**.

$$X = SH^T$$

unknown
concentration
Image
 $\in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 n_2 \times \rho}$

known spectral
database
 $\in \mathbb{R}^{n_3 \times \rho}$

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Modified reconstruction model:

$$y = \Phi X_{vec} = \Phi(SH^T)_{vec} = \underbrace{\Phi(H \otimes \text{Id}_{n_1 n_2})}_{\Phi' \in \mathbb{R}^{M \times \rho n_1 n_2}} S_{vec}$$

$\in \mathbb{R}^M$

$$\arg \min_X \|S_{vec}\|_1 \quad s.t. \quad \|\Phi' S_{vec} - y\| \leq \epsilon$$

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When $\Phi = \tilde{\Phi} \otimes \text{Id}_{n_3}$ (no spectral mixing) we can write

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \in \mathbb{R}^{M \times n_1 n_2} & \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n_1 n_2} & Y = \tilde{\Phi} X \\ & & \downarrow \\ & & \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n_3} \\ (M = m n_3) & & \end{array}$$

Decorrelation before reconstruction (dimensionality reduction)

$$\begin{array}{c} Y^* = Y(H^\dagger)^T = \tilde{\Phi} S \\ \downarrow \\ \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times \rho} \end{array}$$

No dependency in H and smaller dimension.

Much easier to handle in reconstruction algorithms!

Thank You !



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