

Figure 2: (a) A sparse vector s lies on a K-dimensional hyperplane aligned with the coordinate axes in \mathbb{R}^N and thus close to the axes. (b) Compressive sensing recovery via ℓ_2 minimization does not find the correct sparse solution s on the translated nullspace (green hyperplane) but rather the non-sparse vector $\hat{\mathbf{s}}$. (c) With enough measurements, recovery via ℓ_1 minimization does find the correct sparse solution s.