

## Recover Sparse Signals from Under-Sampled Observations.

Date. 1.

1. sparse signal: a signal contains only a small number of non-zero elements compared to its dimension,

for sparse signal, it has good performance in compression.

① kernels can be used for efficient data analysis

② general signals can be transformed into sparse signals through simple operations.

2. For a sparse signal, its supple set is:

$\text{supp}(\underline{x}) = \text{index of non-zero entries}$ .

$$S = \{i \mid x_i \neq 0\}$$

the sparsity of  $\underline{x}$  is the size of  $S$ .

For  $\underline{1} = \text{supp}(\underline{x})$ ,  $\underline{A1}$  is just the compact vector constructed by  $\underline{1}$ , then.

$$\underline{y} = \underline{A}\underline{x} = \underline{A1}\underline{x1}$$

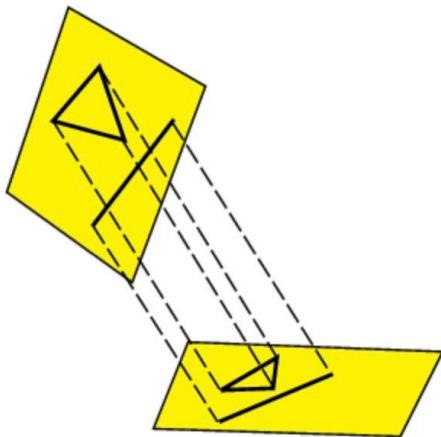
Hard thresholding function  $H_s(x) \quad (x \in \mathbb{R}^n, s < n)$

Remain the  $s$  largest entries (in magnitude) and set all the other entries to 0.

2. Projection:

A projection is the transformation of points and line in one plane onto another plane by connecting corresponding points on the two

planes with parallel lines.



Date 2.

### Exercise 1.

according to the question.

$A \in R^{m \times n}$  is a random Gaussian matrix, and need to column normalization.

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编辑器 - E:\Desktop\Lab\WD\wd1.m
wd1.m x +
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1 - close all;
2 - clc;
3 - m=128;
4 - n=256;
5 - A=normc(rand(m, n));
6 - x=randn(n, 1);
7 - y=A*x;
8 - x1=pinv(A)*y;
9 - x2=A\y; |
```

We can get the result:

|    | $\underline{x}$ | $\hat{\underline{x}}_1$ | $\hat{\underline{x}}_2$ |
|----|-----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1  | 1.3170          | 0.8990                  | 0                       |
| 2  | -0.3726         | -0.0948                 | 0                       |
| 3  | 1.7504          | 1.3314                  | -1.8612                 |
| 4  | 1.2969          | 0.8569                  | 4.8958                  |
| 5  | 1.3646          | 0.3297                  | -2.3347                 |
| 6  | 0.6011          | 0.7239                  | -2.7327                 |
| 7  | -1.4182         | -1.1342                 | -1.3405                 |
| 8  | -1.1523         | -0.7381                 | 0                       |
| 9  | -0.7873         | 0.2945                  | -0.2907                 |
| 10 | 0.1265          | -0.2987                 | 0.0011                  |
| 11 | -0.7378         | -0.1526                 | 0                       |
| 12 | -0.4158         | -0.6667                 | -4.6947                 |
| 13 | 0.4423          | 0.0923                  | 0                       |
| 14 | 0.4003          | 0.3706                  | 0                       |
| 15 | 0.3899          | 0.3606                  | 0                       |
| 16 | 0.1400          | -0.1092                 | 0                       |
| 17 | 0.9496          | 0.6087                  | 4.0248                  |
| 18 | 0.8588          | -0.1983                 | -0.8858                 |
| 19 | -0.4334         | 0.3871                  | 3.4714                  |
| 20 | -1.5787         | -0.5323                 | 0                       |
| 21 | 0.8568          | 0.3985                  | 0                       |
| 22 | 0.7340          | 1.0407                  | 1.0612                  |
| 23 | 0.2676          | 0.9329                  | 1.9010                  |
| 24 | 0.1300          | 0.4593                  | 0                       |
| 25 | 1.4696          | 0.6356                  | 0                       |
| 26 | 0.1994          | 0.2926                  | -1.5145                 |
| 27 | -0.5492         | -0.5539                 | 0.2523                  |
| 28 | 1.6112          | 1.3741                  | 0                       |
| 29 | -1.1482         | -0.2856                 | 0                       |
| 30 | 1.0402          | 0.4745                  | 0                       |
| 31 | -1.2368         | -0.0825                 | 2.0668                  |

We can see that

$\underline{x}$ ,  $\hat{\underline{x}}_1$ ,  $\hat{\underline{x}}_2$ , these three vectors are distinct.

for  $\underline{y} = A \underline{x}$ , where  $\underline{y} \in R^m$ ,

$\hat{\underline{x}} \in R^n$  and  $m \neq n$ ,

there are many different solutions.

Date. 3.

### 1. Greedy Algorithm.

a greedy algorithm is an algorithm paradigm that follows the problem solving heuristic of making the locally optimal choice at each stage with the intent of finding a global optimum

### 2. Orthogonal Matching Pursuit (OMP) Algorithm:

Select one column that is most correlated to the current residue from the dictionary matrix  $\underline{A}$  at each step, then add it to current selected column set. the current residue is obtained by projecting the observation  $\underline{y}$ . when the stop condition satisfies, the  $\underline{y}$  can be generated.

### 3. the Subspace Pursuit (SP) Algorithm.

SP improves the OMP, in SP, the selected column in each step may be abandoned in next iteration. However, the selected column in OMP will be kept. therefore, the SP has backtracking, it has low computation complexity, especially for reconstruction of relatively sparse signal. And it has similar reconstruction accuracy to the linear LP algorithm.

## 4. The Iterative Hardthresholding (IHT)

for IHT, we first substantiate that there exists a threshold. it can find the optimal sparse signal  $\mathbf{x}$  by continuously iterating with the hardthresholding equations. It learns from the residue and optimize the result in each iteration

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For these three Algorithms:

**Exercise 2.**

```
%-----OMP Algorithm
function[x_OMP]=OMP(S, A, y)
x_OMP=zeros(256, 1);
S_set=[];
yr=y;
for l=1:S
    H1=H(1, A.'*yr);
    S_set = union(S_set, supp(H1));
    x_OMP=zeros(256, 1);
    x_OMP(S_set)=A(:, S_set)\y;
    %judge stop
    yr_pre=yr;
    yr=y-A*x_OMP;
    if norm(yr, 2)/norm(y, 2)<1e-6 || norm(yr, 2)>norm(yr_pre, 2)
        break;
    end
end
%----IHT Algorithm
function[x_IHT]=IHT(S, A, y)
x_IHT=zeros(256, 1);
yr=y;
while(1)
    x_IHT=H(S, x_IHT+A.'*(y-A*x_IHT));
    %judge stop
    yr_pre=yr;
    yr=y-A*x_IHT;
    if norm(yr, 2)/norm(y, 2)<1e-6 || norm(yr, 2)>norm(yr_pre, 2)
        break;
    end
end

%-----SP Algorithm
function[x_SP]=SP(S, A, y)
x_SP=zeros(256, 1);
S_set=supp(H(S, A.'*y));
yr=resid(y, A(:, S_set));
for l=1:2:S
    S_exp=union(S_set, supp(H(S, A.'*yr)));
    b=zeros(256, 1);
    b(S_exp)=A(:, S_exp)\y;
    S_set=supp(H(S, b));
    x_SP=zeros(256, 1);
    x_SP(S_set)=A(:, S_set)\y;
    %judge stop
    yr_pre=yr;
    yr=y-A*x_SP;
    if norm(yr, 2)/norm(y, 2)<1e-6 || norm(yr, 2)>norm(yr_pre, 2)
        break;
    end
end
```

Here is the core algorithm  
for the exercise 2.

**Result:** For  $\pi$ ,  $\pi_1$ ,  $\pi_2$ , they are totally different.

```
>> length(find(x~=0))
ans =
12
>> length(find(x1~=0))
ans =
256
>> length(find(x2~=0))
ans =
128
```

For  $\pi$ .  $\pi$ -OMP.  $\pi$ -SP.  $\pi$ -IHT,

```
>> x(find(x~=0))'
ans =
0.7928 0.0257 -1.5383 -0.1471 -0.4593 0.0394 1.3952 -0.4365 1.6290 -0.0364 -0.7552 0.4716
>> x_OMP(find(x_OMP~=0))'
ans =
0.7928 0.0257 -1.5383 -0.1471 -0.4593 0.0394 1.3952 -0.4365 1.6290 -0.0364 -0.7552 0.4716
>> x_SP(find(x_SP~=0))'
ans =
0.7928 0.0257 -1.5383 -0.1471 -0.4593 0.0394 1.3952 -0.4365 1.6290 -0.0364 -0.7552 0.4716
>> x_IHT(find(x_IHT~=0))'
ans =
-0.5178 -0.6283 0.6104 -1.1864 -0.7141 0.8483 -0.5145 0.8665 -0.5079 0.4998 -0.5289 -0.5047
```

we can see that

$\pi$ -OMP and  $\pi$ -SP are always equal to  $\pi$ .

but  $\pi$ -IHT always has error.

according to the above. we can see that under the sparsity of 12. OMP and SP can recover the original sparse signal.

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according to the question,  
we need to use success rate comparison.

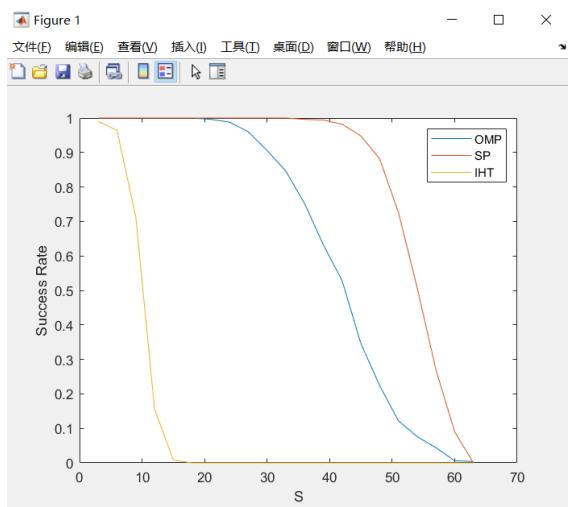
for Iteration:  $s = 3, 6, 9 \dots 63$ ,

or Iteration  $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, 500$ ,

execute OMP, SP, and IHT Algorithm.  
we just need to execute the Algorithm,  
and if the result succeed, plus 1,  
based on exercise 2.

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if ((norm(x_OMP-x, 2)/norm(x))<1e-6)
    succ_numo=succ_numo+1;
end
if ((norm(x_SP-x, 2)/norm(x)<1e-6)
    succ_numsp=succ_numsp+1;
end
if ((norm(x_IHT-x, 2)/norm(x)<1e-6)
    succ_numiht=succ_numiht+1;
end
end
succ_omp(Sn)=succ_numo/N;
succ_sp(Sn)=succ_numsp/N;
succ_iht(Sn)=succ_numiht/N;
```

and we can get the result:



We can see that  
SP has higher accuracy  
and IHT has the  
worst performance.