

4.1 Summary

Firstly, we learned about the Haar wavelet transform. It basically is mapping a signal to an orthobasis in a Helbert space. After learning 3 weeks about linear algebra, the wavelet transform connect the abstract mathmatic to siganl processing. It should be very useful as I can imagine.

Then we learned about othonormal wavelet basis, which I do not really understand.

After That we learned about the important inverse problems. This section introduces some example of using linear inverse problem to simplify a question.

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4.2. (Orthogonal transform, 2 pts) Consider a linear mapping $f : H \rightarrow H$, where H is a Hilbert space with inner-product $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_H$. Let $\{e_i\}_{i=1}^N$ be an orthogonal basis of H . Show that the following statements are equivalent:

1. f preserves orthogonality, i.e., $\{f(e_i)\}_{i=1}^N$ is also an orthogonal basis.
2. f preserves norm, i.e., $\|f(x)\|_H = \|x\|_H, \forall x \in H$.

(1) \rightarrow (2)

$$\begin{aligned}\|f(x)\|_H^2 &= \langle f(x), f(x) \rangle_H \\&= \left\langle \sum_{i=1}^N x_i f(e_i), \sum_{j=1}^N y_j f(e_j) \right\rangle_H \\&= \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^N \langle x_i f(e_i), y_j f(e_j) \rangle_H \\&= \sum_{i=1}^N \langle x_i f(e_i), y_i f(e_i) \rangle_H \\&= \sum_{i=1}^N x_i y_i \\&= \sum_{i=1}^N \langle x_i e_i, y_i e_i \rangle_H \\&= \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^N \langle x_i e_i, y_j e_j \rangle_H \\&= \left\langle \sum_{i=1}^N x_i e_i, \sum_{j=1}^N y_j e_j \right\rangle_H \\&= \langle x, x \rangle_H \\&= \|x\|_H^2\end{aligned}$$

Since $\|f(x)\|_H \geq 0$ and $\|x\|_H \geq 0$, so we have $\|f(x)\|_H = \|x\|_H$

(2) \rightarrow (1)

let $i \neq j$

$$\begin{aligned}\|f(e_i) + f(e_j)\|_H^2 + \|f(e_i) - f(e_j)\|_H^2 &= \langle f(e_i), f(e_j) \rangle_H + \overline{\langle f(e_i), f(e_j) \rangle_H} + 2\operatorname{Re}\{\langle f(e_i), f(e_j) \rangle_H\} \\ &\quad + \langle f(e_i), f(e_j) \rangle_H + \overline{\langle f(e_i), f(e_j) \rangle_H} - 2\operatorname{Re}\{\langle f(e_i), f(e_j) \rangle_H\} \\ &= 2\langle f(e_i), f(e_j) \rangle_H + 2\overline{\langle f(e_i), f(e_j) \rangle_H} \\ &= 4\langle f(e_i), f(e_j) \rangle_H\end{aligned}$$

So,

$$\begin{aligned}\langle f(e_i), f(e_j) \rangle_H &= \frac{1}{4}(\|f(e_i) + f(e_j)\|_H^2 + \|f(e_i) - f(e_j)\|_H^2) \\ &= \frac{1}{4}(\|f(e_i) + f(e_j)\|_H^2 + \|f(e_i) - f(e_j)\|_H^2)\end{aligned}\tag{1}$$

Now lets take a look at $f(e_i) + f(e_j)$:

$$\begin{aligned}e_i &= \frac{(e_i + e_j)}{2} + \frac{(e_i - e_j)}{2} \\ e_j &= \frac{(e_i + e_j)}{2} - \frac{(e_i - e_j)}{2}\end{aligned}$$

Since f is a linear mapping:

$$\begin{aligned}f(e_i) &= f\left(\frac{(e_i + e_j)}{2} + \frac{(e_i - e_j)}{2}\right) \\ &= f\left(\frac{(e_i + e_j)}{2}\right) + f\left(\frac{(e_i - e_j)}{2}\right)\end{aligned}$$

So,

$$f(e_j) = f\left(\frac{(e_i + e_j)}{2}\right) - f\left(\frac{(e_i - e_j)}{2}\right)$$

Then we have:

$$\begin{aligned}f(e_i) + f(e_j) &= f\left(\frac{(e_i + e_j)}{2}\right) - f\left(\frac{(e_i - e_j)}{2}\right) + f\left(\frac{(e_i + e_j)}{2}\right) + f\left(\frac{(e_i - e_j)}{2}\right) \\ &= 2f\left(\frac{(e_i + e_j)}{2}\right) \\ &= f(e_i + e_j)\end{aligned}\tag{2}$$

Take (2) into (1):

$$\begin{aligned}
\langle f(e_i), f(e_j) \rangle_H &= \frac{1}{4} (\|f(e_i) + f(e_j)\|_H^2 + \|f(e_i) - f(e_j)\|_H^2) \\
&= \frac{1}{4} (\|f(e_i + e_j)\|_H^2 + \|f(e_i - e_j)\|_H^2) \\
&= \frac{1}{4} (\|e_i + e_j\|_H^2 + \|e_i - e_j\|_H^2) \\
&= \langle e_i, e_j \rangle_H \\
&= 0
\end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

4.3

4.3. (Haar Wavelet, 3 pts) Consider a signal in Haar scaling space $x \in V_2$ where

$$x(t) = \begin{cases} 2, & 0 \leq t < 1/4, \\ 0, & 1/4 \leq t < 2/4, \\ 2, & 2/4 \leq t < 3/4, \\ 3, & 3/4 \leq t < 1, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

- Apply Haar Transform. Determine the scaling coefficients $s_{0,0}$ at scale 0, detail coefficients $w_{0,0}$ at scale 0, and detail coefficients $\{w_{1,0}, w_{1,1}\}$ at scale 1.
- Verify that the energy is preserved during the Haar Transform:

$$\int x^2(t) dt = s_{0,0}^2 + \sum_{j,n} w_{j,n}^2$$

a)

We first calculate $\phi_{2,0}, \phi_{2,1}, \phi_{2,2}, \phi_{2,3}$:

$$\phi_{2,0} = \begin{cases} 2, & t \in [0, \frac{1}{4}) \\ 0, & \text{others} \end{cases}$$

$$\phi_{2,1} = \begin{cases} 2, & t \in [\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}) \\ 0, & \text{others} \end{cases}$$

$$\phi_{2,2} = \begin{cases} 2, & t \in [\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{4}) \\ 0, & \text{others} \end{cases}$$

$$\phi_{2,3} = \begin{cases} 2, & t \in [\frac{3}{4}, 1] \\ 0, & \text{others} \end{cases}$$

So, we have $s_{2,0}, s_{2,1}, s_{2,2}, s_{2,3}$:

$$\begin{aligned}
s_{2,0} &= \langle x, \phi_{2,0} \rangle = 1 \\
s_{2,1} &= \langle x, \phi_{2,1} \rangle = 0 \\
s_{2,2} &= \langle x, \phi_{2,2} \rangle = 1 \\
s_{2,3} &= \langle x, \phi_{2,3} \rangle = \frac{3}{2}
\end{aligned}$$

So, we got $s_{1,0}$, $s_{1,1}$ and $w_{1,0}$, $w_{1,1}$:

$$\begin{aligned}
s_{1,0} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\phi_{2,0} + \phi_{2,1}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\
s_{1,1} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\phi_{2,2} + \phi_{2,3}) = \frac{5}{2\sqrt{2}} \\
w_{1,0} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\phi_{2,0} - \phi_{2,1}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\
w_{1,1} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\phi_{2,2} - \phi_{2,3}) = -\frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}
\end{aligned}$$

Then we will get $s_{0,0}$:

$$s_{0,0} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\phi_{1,0} + \phi_{1,1}) = \frac{7}{4}$$

b)

$$\begin{aligned}
\int x^2(t)dt &= s_{0,0}^2 + \sum_{j,n} w_{j,n}^2 \\
&= s_{0,0}^2 + \sum_{j=0}^J \sum_{n=0}^{2^J} w_{j,n}^2
\end{aligned}$$

4.4

4.4. (Linear Inverse Problem, 3 pts) For an image signal $x[m, n] \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N}$, a simple way to add blurring effect is to replace original pixels with average value of their neighbors:

$$y[m, n] = \frac{1}{|P_{mn}|} \sum_{m', n' \in P_{mn}} x[m', n'], 1 \leq m, n \leq N$$

where $P_{mn} = \{m', n' : \max(m' - m, n' - n) \leq R\}$ is a R -neighborhoods of pixel (m, n) . Please formulate a linear inverse problem $y = Ax$ to find the best de-blurred image x for a given observed image y . What is the size of your system matrix A , and is there any way we can reduce its size?

$$y[m, n] = \frac{1}{|P_{mn}|} \sum_{m', n' \in P_{mn}} x[m', n'], 1 \leq m, n \leq N$$

We can use a convolution core to accomplish this thing.

The core will be in shape of $R \times R$:

$$\frac{1}{R^2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$