Multiresolution Analysis

Basis of translates

$$\boldsymbol{V_0} = span \big\{ \boldsymbol{\phi}(\boldsymbol{x} - \boldsymbol{k}) \big\}_{\boldsymbol{k} \in \boldsymbol{Z}} \ \boldsymbol{W_0} = span \big\{ \boldsymbol{\psi}(\boldsymbol{x} - \boldsymbol{k}) \big\}_{\boldsymbol{k} \in \boldsymbol{Z}}$$

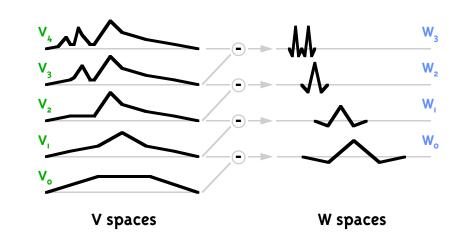
Translation and Dilation

$$f(x) \in V_j \Rightarrow f(x+1) \in V_j \quad \ f(x) \in V_j \Rightarrow f(2x) \in V_{j+1}$$

Ladder of spaces

$$\begin{aligned} & \boldsymbol{V_j} \subset \boldsymbol{V_{j+1}} \\ & \boldsymbol{V_{j+1}} = \boldsymbol{V_j} \oplus \boldsymbol{W_j} \end{aligned} \qquad & \bigoplus_{j \in \boldsymbol{Z}} \boldsymbol{W_j} = \boldsymbol{L_2}(\boldsymbol{R}) \end{aligned}$$

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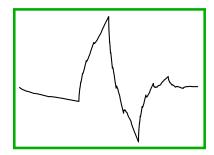
Other Classic Constructions

Daubechies

■ orthogonal wavelets of arbitrary smoothness

Tons of others... Lifting

any finite filter



Other Properties

Orthogonality

- preserves energy
- bi-orthogonality more flexible

Smoothness

■ localization towards high frequencies

Vanishing moments

■ localization towards low frequencies

Stability

Web Resources

Wavelet digest

- http://www.math.sc.edu/~wavelet
 - newsletter, search engine, bibs, software

Amara's wavelet page

- http://www.amara.com/current/wavelet.html
 - short intro to wavelets
 - overview of many software packages

Web Resources

Mathsoft wavelet resources

- http://www.mathsoft.com/wavelets.html
 - links to many online papers

Course page

- http://www.cs.caltech.edu/~ps/ waveletcourse/
 - online course materials and these slides
 - liftpack

Books on Wavelets

Wavelets and Subband Coding

- Vetterli/Kovacevic
- signal processing point of view
 - http://cm.bell-labs.com/math/people/jelena/book.html

Wavelets for Computer Graphics: Theory and Applications

- Stollnitz/DeRose/Salesin
 - http://www.amath.washington.edu/~stoll/ pub.html#WaveletBook

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Wavelets and Filter Banks

- Strang/Nguyen
- combines math and signal processing: very accessible with many exercices and Matlab toolbox
- http://saigon.ece.wisc.edu/~waveweb/ Tutorials/book.html