

Eighth exercise: MR image reconstruction from Cartesian data

In this tutorial we will reconstruct an MR image from Cartesian under-sampled kspace measurements.

We use the toy datasets available in pysap, more specifically a 2D brain slice and the cartesian acquisition scheme. We compare zero-order image reconstruction with Compressed sensing reconstructions (analysis vs synthesis formulation) using the FISTA algorithm for the synthesis formulation and the Condat-Vu algorithm for the analysis formulation. Sparsity will be promoted in the wavelet domain, using either Symmlet-8 (analysis and synthesis) or undecimated bi-orthogonal wavelets (analysis only).

We remind that the synthesis formulation reads (minimization in the sparsifying domain): $\hat{z} = \arg \min_{z \in C_\Psi^n} \frac{1}{2} \|y - \Omega F x\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\Psi x\|_1$ and the image solution is given by $\widehat{x} = \Psi^* \widehat{z}$. For an orthonormal wavelet transform, we have $\|\Psi\| = 1$ while for a frame we may have $\|\Psi\| > 1$.

while the analysis formulation consists in minimizing the following cost function (min. in the image domain): $\widehat{x} = \arg \min_{x \in C^n} \frac{1}{2} \|y - \Omega F x\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\Psi x\|_1$.

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In [27]:

```
# Package import
from modopt.math.metrics import ssim
#from mri.numerics.fourier import FFT2
#from mri.numerics.reconstruct import sparse_rec_condatvu, sparse_rec_fista
#from mri.numerics.utils import generate_operators
#from mri.numerics.utils import convert_mask_to_locations

from mri.operators import FFT, WaveletN, WaveletUD2
from mri.operators.utils import convert_mask_to_locations
from mri.reconstructors import SingleChannelReconstructor
import pysap
from pysap.data import get_sample_data

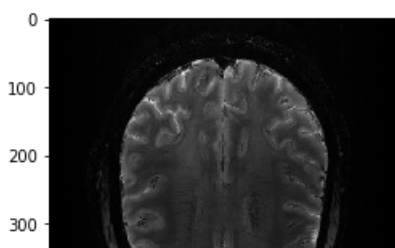
# Third party import
from modopt.math.metrics import ssim
from modopt.opt.linear import Identity
from modopt.opt.proximity import SparseThreshold
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

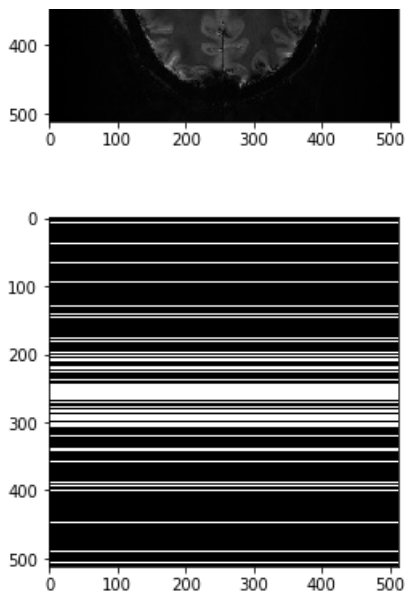
In [12]:

```
# Loading input data
image = get_sample_data('2d-mri')

# Obtain K-Space Cartesian Mask
mask = get_sample_data("cartesian-mri-mask")

# View Input
plt.figure()
plt.imshow(image, cmap='gray')
plt.figure()
plt.imshow(mask, cmap='gray')
plt.show()
```





Generate the kspace

From the 2D brain slice and the acquisition mask, we retrospectively undersample the k-space using a cartesian acquisition mask. We then reconstruct the zero order solution as a baseline.

Get the locations of the kspace samples

In [14]:

```
#kpace_loc = convert_mask_to_locations(np.fft.fftshift(mask.data))
# Generate the subsampled kspace
#fourier_op = FFT2(samples=kpace_loc, shape=image.shape)
#kpace_data = fourier_op.op(image)

kpace_loc = convert_mask_to_locations(mask.data)
fourier_op = FFT(samples=kpace_loc, shape=image.shape)
kpace_data = fourier_op.op(image)
```

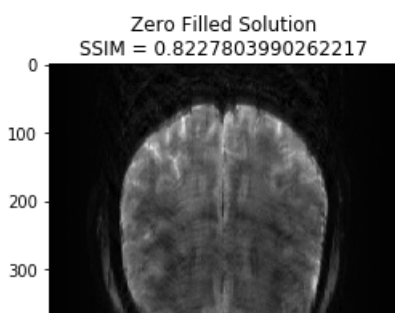
/home/ciuciu/work/code/git/pysap-mri/mri/operators/fourier/utils.py:76: FutureWarning: Using a non-tuple sequence for multidimensional indexing is deprecated; use `arr[tuple(seq)]` instead of `arr[seq]`. In the future this will be interpreted as an array index, `arr[np.array(seq)]`, which will result either in an error or a different result.

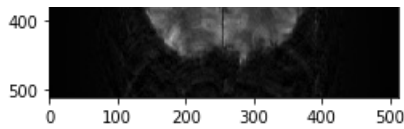
```
mask[test] = 1
```

Zero order solution

In [16]:

```
image_rec0 = pysap.Image(data=fourier_op.adj_op(kpace_data),
                          metadata=image.metadata)
plt.imshow(np.abs(image_rec0), cmap='gray')
# Calculate SSIM
base_ssim = ssim(image_rec0, image)
plt.title('Zero Filled Solution\nSSIM = ' + str(base_ssim))
plt.show()
```





Synthesis formulation: FISTA optimization

We now want to refine the zero order solution using a FISTA optimization. The cost function is set to Proximity Cost + Gradient Cost

In [17]:

```
linear_op = WaveletN(wavelet_name="sym8", nb_scales=4)
regularizer_op = SparseThreshold(Identity(), 2 * 1e-7, thresh_type="soft")

reconstructor = SingleChannelReconstructor(
    fourier_op=fourier_op,
    linear_op=linear_op,
    regularizer_op=regularizer_op,
    gradient_formulation='synthesis',
    verbose=1,
)
```

WARNING: Making input data immutable.

Lipschitz constant is 1.10000000000000558
The lipschitz constraint is satisfied

In [18]:

```
x_final, costs, metrics = reconstructor.reconstruct(
    kspace_data=kspace_data,
    optimization_alg='fista',
    num_iterations=200,
)
image_rec = pysap.Image(data=np.abs(x_final))
plt.imshow(np.abs(image_rec), cmap='gray')
recon_ssim = ssim(image_rec, image)
plt.title('FISTA Reconstruction\nSSIM = ' + str(recon_ssim))
plt.show()

#gradient_op, linear_op, prox_op, cost_op = generate_operators(
#    data=kspace_data,
#    wavelet_name="sym8",
#    samples=kspace_loc,
#    nb_scales=4,
#    mu=8 * 1e-7,
#    non_cartesian=False,
#    uniform_data_shape=None,
#    gradient_space="analysis",
#    padding_mode="periodization")
```

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```
- mu: 2e-07
- lipschitz constant: 1.10000000000000558
- data: (512, 512)
- wavelet: <mri.operators.linear.wavelet.WaveletN object at 0x7f470638fdd0> - 4
- max iterations: 200
- image variable shape: (512, 512)
- alpha variable shape: (291721,)
```

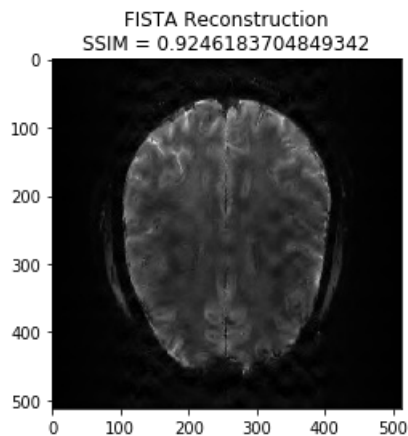
Starting optimization...

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```
- final iteration number: 200
- final log10 cost value: 6.0
- converged: False
```

Done.

Execution time: 64.62713299999999 seconds



Analysis formulation: Condat-Vu reconstruction

In [22]:

```
linear_op = WaveletUD2(  
    wavelet_id=24,  
    nb_scale=4,  
)
```

In [23]:

```
reconstructor = SingleChannelReconstructor(  
    fourier_op=fourier_op,  
    linear_op=linear_op,  
    regularizer_op=regularizer_op,  
    gradient_formulation='analysis',  
    verbose=1,  
)
```

WARNING: Making input data immutable.

Lipschitz constant is 1.1
The lipschitz constraint is satisfied

In [24]:

```
x_final, costs, metrics = reconstructor.reconstruct(  
    kspace_data=kspace_data,  
    optimization_alg='condatvu',  
    num_iterations=200,  
)  
image_rec = pysap.Image(data=np.abs(x_final))  
plt.imshow(np.abs(image_rec), cmap='gray')  
recon_ssim = ssim(image_rec, image)  
plt.title('Condat-Vu Reconstruction\nSSIM = ' + str(recon_ssim))  
plt.show()
```

```
- mu: 2e-07  
- lipschitz constant: 1.1  
- tau: 0.937465492611657  
- sigma: 0.5  
- rho: 1.0  
- std: None  
- 1/tau - sigma||L||^2 >= beta/2: True  
- data: (512, 512)  
- wavelet: <mri.operators.linear.wavelet.WaveletUD2 object at 0x7f47407f4b50> - 4  
- max iterations: 200  
- number of reweights: 0  
- ... (512, 512)
```

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- primal variable shape: (512, 512)
- dual variable shape: (2621440,)
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Starting optimization...
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```
- final iteration number: 200
- final cost value: 1000000.0
- converged: False
```

```
Done.
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Execution time: 894.429451 seconds
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