

Multimedia Graph-Based Processing

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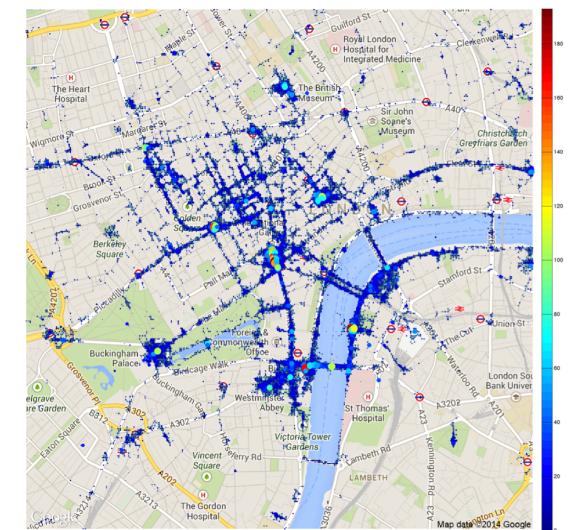
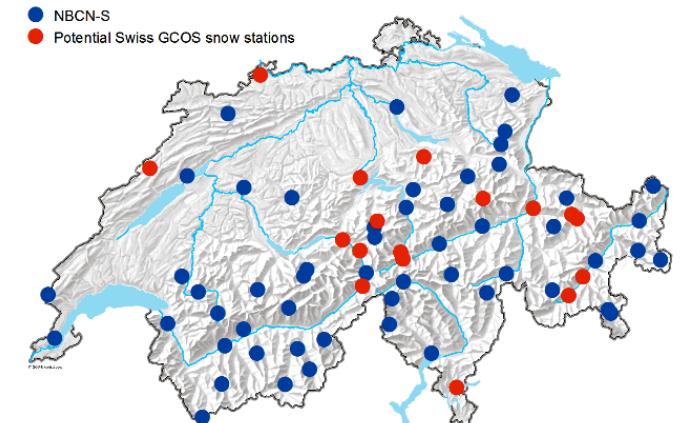
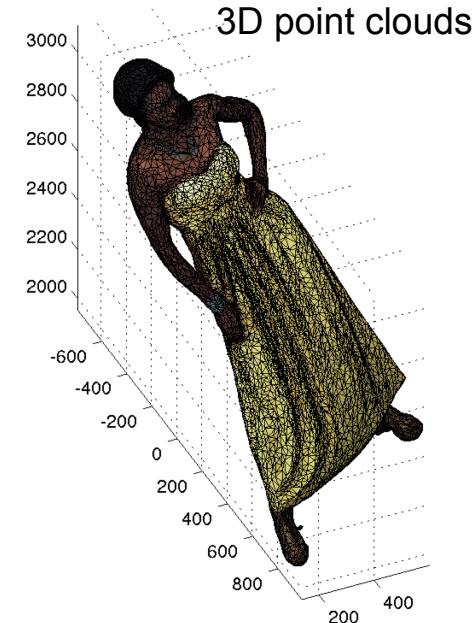
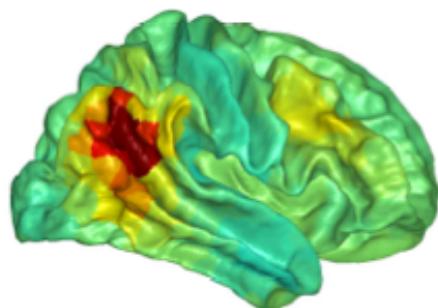
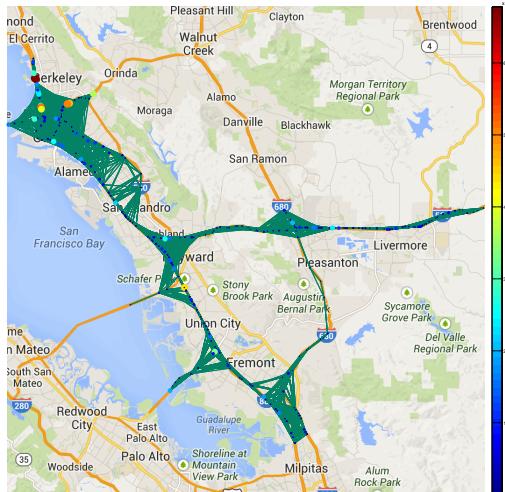
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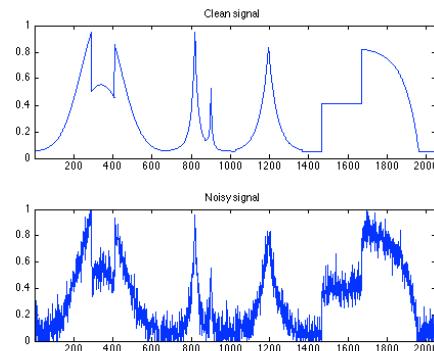


Structured data are everywhere

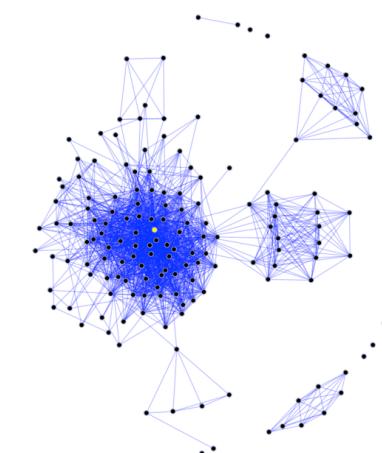
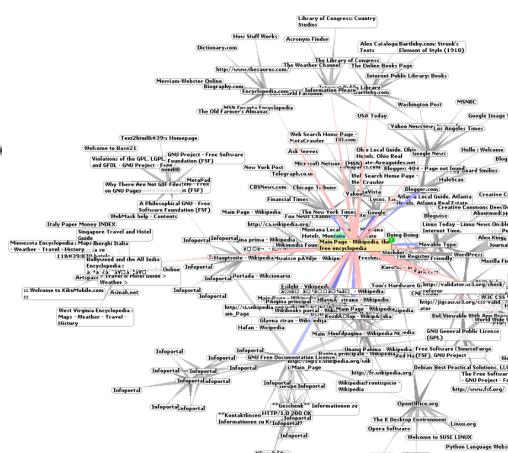


Irregular data structure

- Traditional signal processing in Euclidean space



- Irregular (graph) structures: new challenges for multimedia signal processing?



Talk outline

- Overview of the Graph Signal Processing framework
 - Tools to process signals that live on irregular structures
 - Emerging field that combines spectral graph theory and harmonic analysis, as well as application expertise
- Illustrative graph-based multimedia applications
 - Data compression
 - Image filtering and enhancement
 - Multimedia data analysis
- Focus on the interplay between data and structure

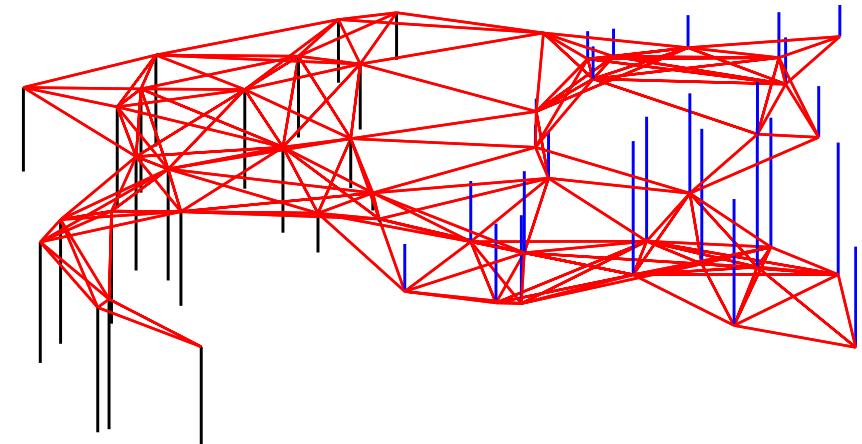


Signals on Graphs

- Connected, undirected, weighted graph $\mathcal{G} = (V, E, W)$
where $W_{i,j}$ is the weight of the edge $e = (i, j)$
- Graph signal: a function $f : \mathcal{V} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ that assigns real values to each vertex of the graph

- Graph description:

- Weight matrix \mathbf{W}
- Degree matrix \mathbf{D} : diagonal matrix with sum of weights of incident edges
- Laplacian matrix \mathcal{L} : difference operator



(Unnormalized) Laplacian

- Laplacian is a difference operator $\mathcal{L} := \mathbf{D} - \mathbf{W}$

$$(\mathcal{L}f)(i) = \sum_{j \in \mathcal{N}_i} W_{i,j} [f(i) - f(j)]$$

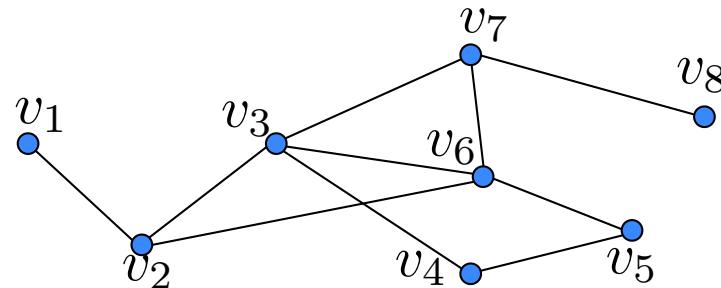
- It is a real symmetric matrix
- It has a complete set of eigenvectors $\{\mathbf{u}_\ell\}_{\ell=0,1,\dots,N-1}$
- The eigenvectors are associated with real, nonnegative eigenvalues $\{\lambda_\ell\}_{\ell=0,1,\dots,N-1}$

$$\mathcal{L}\mathbf{u}_\ell = \lambda_\ell \mathbf{u}_\ell, \quad \forall \ell = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

- Its spectrum is defined as $\sigma(\mathcal{L}) := \{\lambda_0, \lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_{N-1}\}$
- $$0 = \lambda_0 < \lambda_1 \leq \lambda_2 \dots \leq \lambda_{N-1} := \lambda_{\max}$$



Laplacian example



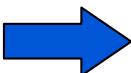
$G = \{V, E\}$ with unitary weights

$D = \text{diag}(\text{degree}(v_1) \dots \text{degree}(v_n))$

$$\mathcal{L} := \mathbf{D} - \mathbf{W}$$

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\mathbf{W}



$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 3 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 4 & -1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & -1 & 4 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

\mathcal{L}

- Symmetric
 - Off-diagonal entries non-positive
 - Rows sum up to zero
 - Has a complete set of orthonormal eigenvectors: $L = \chi \Lambda \chi^T$
- $$0 = \lambda_0 < \lambda_1 \leq \dots \leq \lambda_{n-1}$$

Normalized Laplacian

- Each weight $W_{i,j}$ is normalised by $\frac{1}{\sqrt{d_i d_j}}$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{L}} := \mathbf{D}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \mathcal{L} \mathbf{D}^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$(\tilde{\mathcal{L}} f)(i) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{d_i}} \sum_{j \in \mathcal{N}_i} W_{i,j} \left[\frac{f(i)}{\sqrt{d_i}} - \frac{f(j)}{\sqrt{d_j}} \right]$$

- The set of eigenvalues is $0 = \tilde{\lambda}_0 < \tilde{\lambda}_1 \leq \dots \leq \tilde{\lambda}_{\max} \leq 2$
- The normalized Laplacian has often stability benefits



Graph Fourier Transform

- The eigenvectors of the graph Laplacian are used for defining the Graph Fourier Transform

GFT

$$\hat{f}(\lambda_\ell) := \langle \mathbf{f}, \mathbf{u}_\ell \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^N f(i) u_\ell^*(i)$$

IGFT

$$f(i) = \sum_{\ell=0}^{N-1} \hat{f}(\lambda_\ell) u_\ell(i)$$

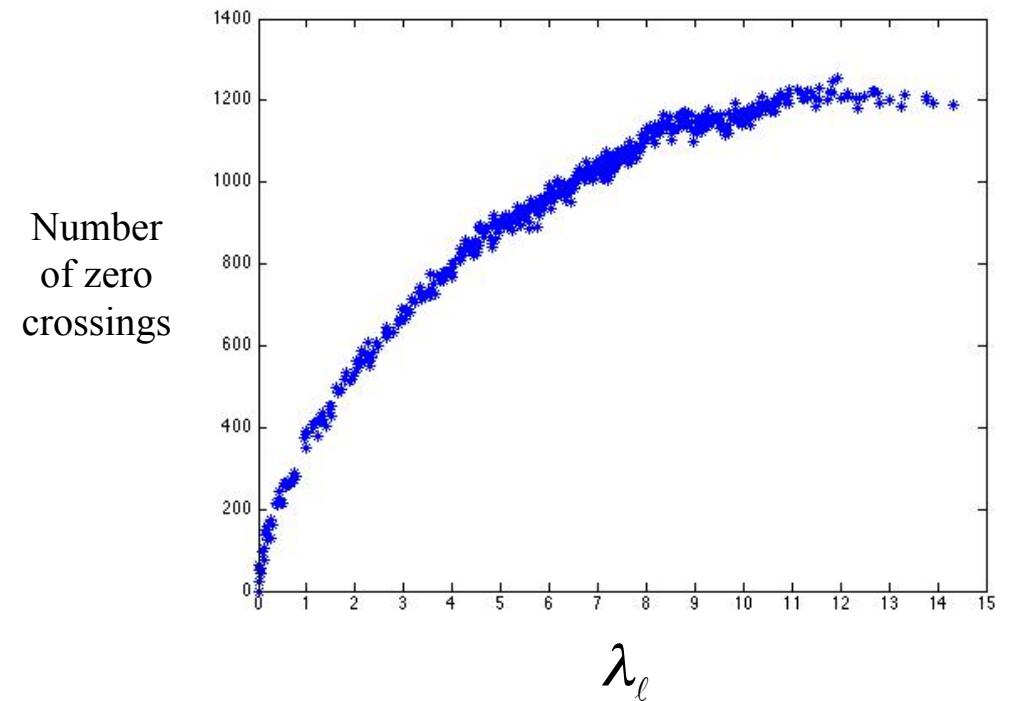
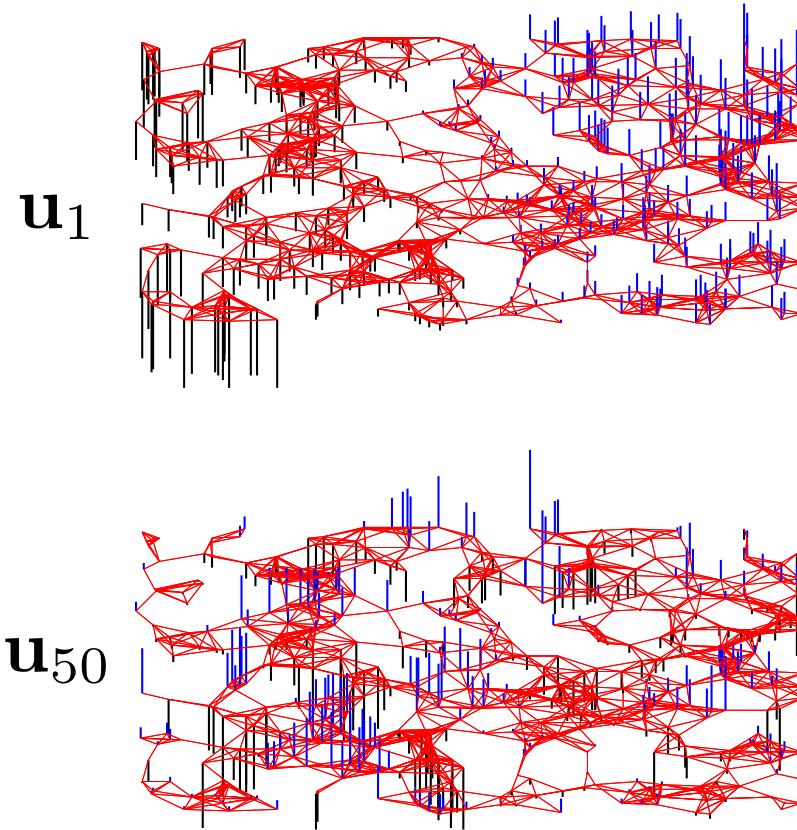
- This is analogous to the classical Fourier Transform built on eigenfunctions of the 1-D Laplace operator

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{f}(\xi) &:= \langle f, e^{2\pi i \xi t} \rangle = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(t) e^{-2\pi i \xi t} dt \\ -\Delta(e^{2\pi i \xi t}) &= -\frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} e^{2\pi i \xi t} = (2\pi \xi)^2 e^{2\pi i \xi t} \end{aligned}$$



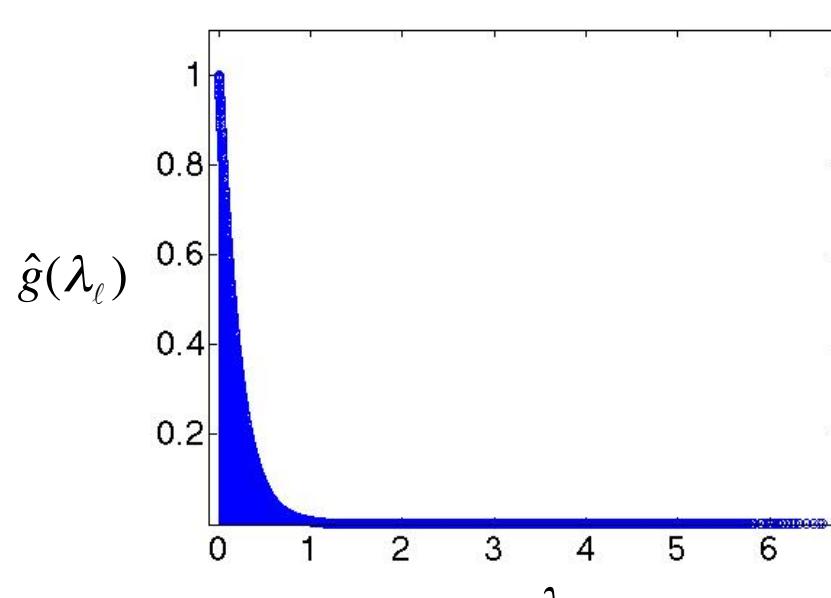
Notion of ‘frequency’

- The graph Laplacian eigenvalues and eigenvectors carry a notion of frequency

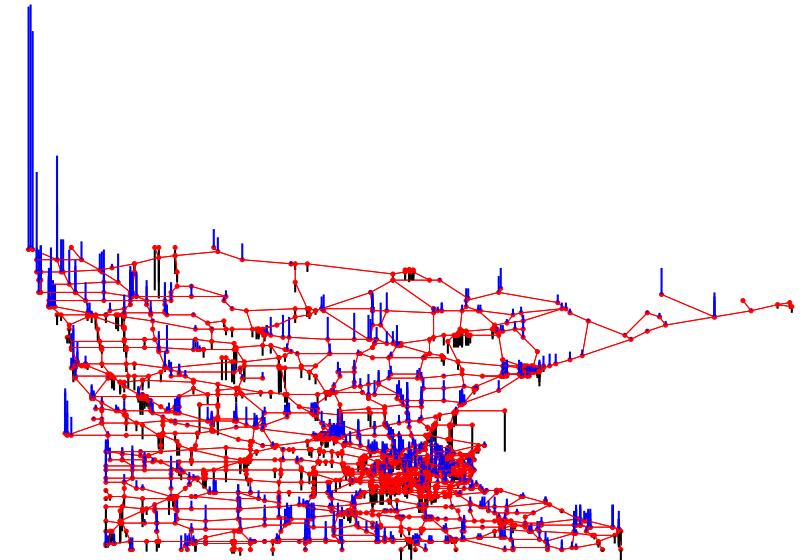


Dual representations

- Graph signals represented in either the vertex or the spectral domains (*kernels, or graph Fourier multipliers*)
 - example: (smooth) heat kernel



$$\hat{g}(\lambda_\ell) = e^{-5\lambda_\ell}$$



$$g(n) \xleftarrow{\text{IGFT}} \hat{g}(\lambda_\ell)$$

Local Smoothness

- **Assumption:** strong interplay between signal and graph
 - Signal analysis driven by data structure
- Local smoothness at vertex i

$$\|\nabla_i \mathbf{f}\|_2 := \left[\sum_{j \in \mathcal{N}_i} W_{i,j} [f(j) - f(i)]^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

- with the gradient $\nabla_i \mathbf{f} := \left[\left\{ \sqrt{W_{i,j}} [f(j) - f(i)] \right\}_{j \in \mathcal{V} \text{ s.t. } e=(i,j) \in \mathcal{E}} \right]$



Global Smoothness

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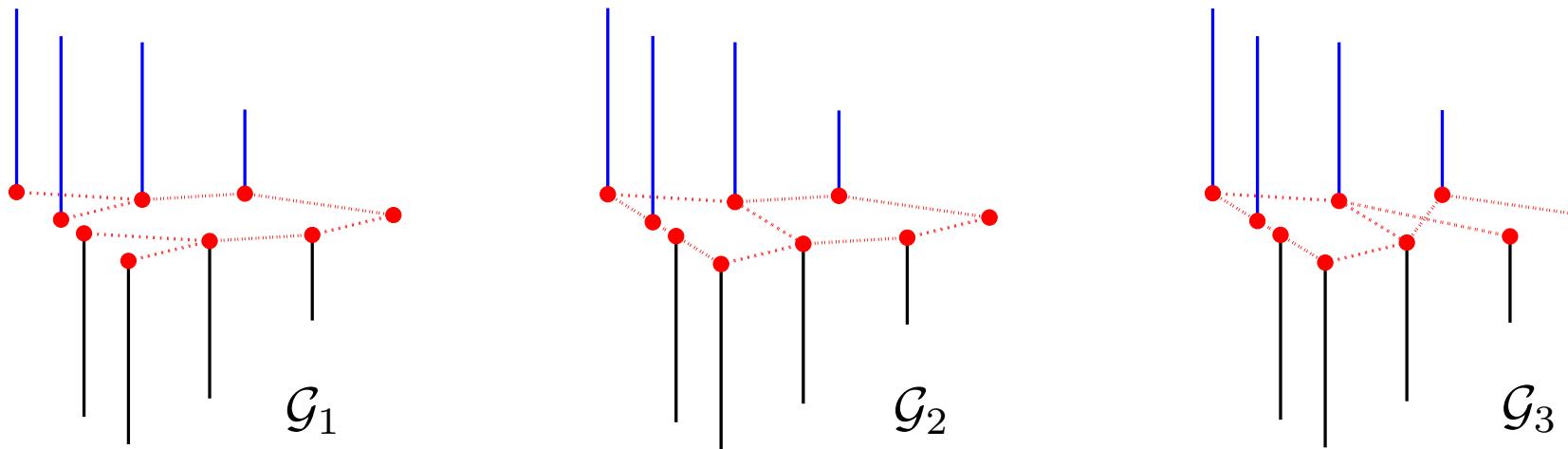
$$S_p(\mathbf{f}) := \frac{1}{p} \sum_{i \in V} \|\nabla_i \mathbf{f}\|_2^p = \frac{1}{p} \sum_{i \in V} \left[\sum_{j \in \mathcal{N}_i} W_{i,j} [f(j) - f(i)]^2 \right]^{\frac{p}{2}}$$

- with $p = 1$: total variation of the signal wrt the graph
- with $p = 2$: graph Laplacian quadratic form

$$S_2(\mathbf{f}) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i \in V} \sum_{j \in \mathcal{N}_i} W_{i,j} [f(j) - f(i)]^2 = \sum_{(i,j) \in \mathcal{E}} W_{i,j} [f(j) - f(i)]^2 = \mathbf{f}^\top \mathcal{L} \mathbf{f}$$



Importance of the structure

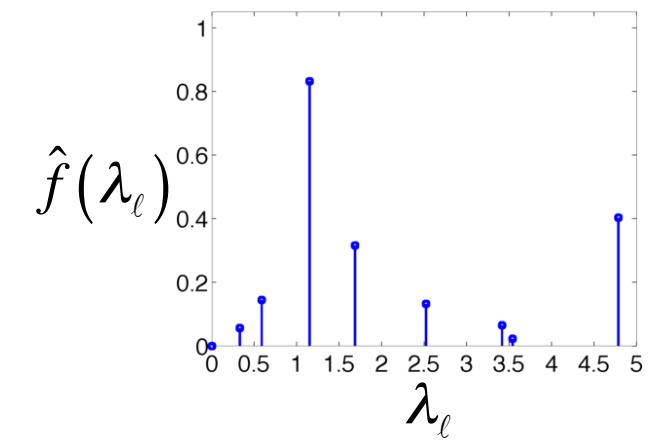
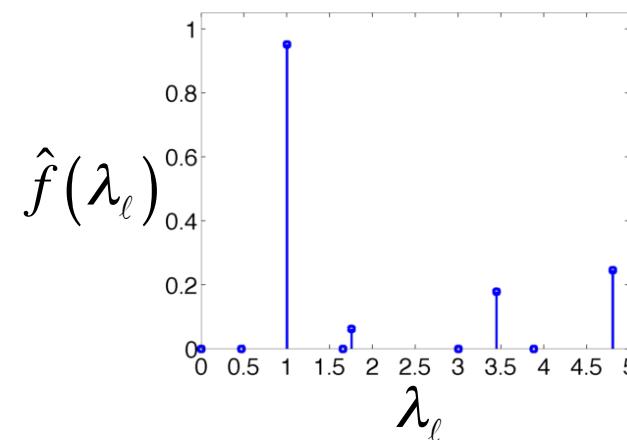
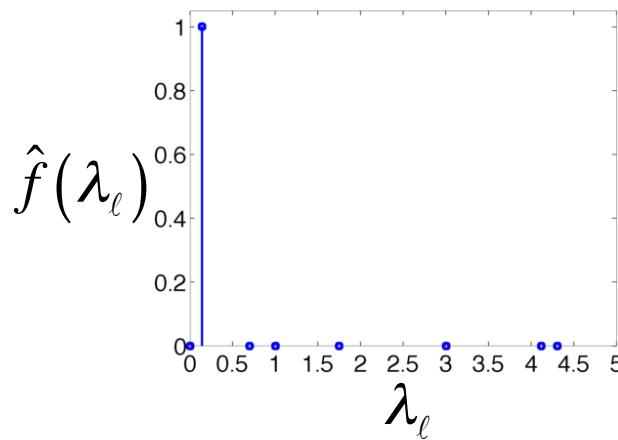


The same signal has different smoothness wrt different graphs

$$\mathbf{f}^T \mathcal{L}_1 \mathbf{f} = 0.14$$

$$\mathbf{f}^T \mathcal{L}_2 \mathbf{f} = 1.31$$

$$\mathbf{f}^T \mathcal{L}_3 \mathbf{f} = 1.81$$



Frequency filtering

- Analogously to classical filtering, one can perform graph spectral filtering with transfer function $\hat{h}(\lambda_\ell)$

$$\hat{f}_{out}(\lambda_\ell) = \hat{f}_{in}(\lambda_\ell)\hat{h}(\lambda_\ell)$$

- Equivalently $f_{out}(i) = \sum_{\ell=0}^{N-1} \hat{f}_{in}(\lambda_\ell)\hat{h}(\lambda_\ell)u_\ell(i)$

- In matrix notation: $\mathbf{f}_{out} = \hat{h}(\mathcal{L})\mathbf{f}_{in}$

$$\hat{h}(\mathcal{L}) := \mathbf{U} \begin{bmatrix} \hat{h}(\lambda_0) & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & \hat{h}(\lambda_{N-1}) \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{U}^T$$

Example: Tikhonov regularization

- Consider a classical denoising problem

- noisy signal $\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{f}_0 + \boldsymbol{\eta}$
- smooth regularization prior $\mathbf{f}^T \mathcal{L} \mathbf{f}$
- optimization problem: $\underset{\mathbf{f}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \left\{ \|\mathbf{f} - \mathbf{y}\|_2^2 + \gamma \mathbf{f}^T \mathcal{L} \mathbf{f} \right\}$
- optimal solution

$$f^*(i) = \sum_{\ell=0}^{N-1} \left[\frac{1}{1 + \gamma \lambda_\ell} \right] \hat{y}(\lambda_\ell) u_\ell(i) \quad \text{or} \quad \mathbf{f} = \hat{h}(\mathcal{L}) \mathbf{y} \quad \text{with} \quad \hat{h}(\lambda) := \frac{1}{1 + \gamma \lambda}$$



Original



Noisy



Gaussian filtering



Graph filtering

Filtering in the vertex domain

- Linear combination of values at neighbour vertices

$$f_{out}(i) = b_{i,i} f_{in}(i) + \sum_{j \in \mathcal{N}(i,K)} b_{i,j} f_{in}(j)$$

- localized linear transform

- Example: polynomial filter as $\hat{h}(\lambda_\ell) = \sum_{k=0}^K a_k \lambda_\ell^k$

$$f_{out}(i) = \sum_{\ell=0}^{N-1} \hat{f}_{in}(\lambda_\ell) \hat{h}(\lambda_\ell) u_\ell(i)$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^N f_{in}(j) \sum_{k=0}^K a_k (\mathcal{L}^k)_{i,j} \xrightarrow{\text{blue arrow}} b_{i,j} := \sum_{k=d_G(i,j)}^K a_k (\mathcal{L}^k)_{i,j}$$

Convolution on graphs

- The classical convolution does not generalise to the graph settings

- $h(t - \tau)$ does not have any equivalent on graphs

$$f_{out}(t) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f_{in}(\tau)h(t - \tau)d\tau =: (f_{in} * h)(t)$$

- Instead, it can be defined by multiplication in the graph spectral domain

$$(f * h)(i) := \sum_{\ell=0}^{N-1} \hat{f}(\lambda_\ell) \hat{h}(\lambda_\ell) u_\ell(i)$$



Translation on graphs

- The classical translation $(T_u f)(t) := f(t - u)$ does not generalise to non-regular graphs
- A generalized translation operator on graphs can still be defined as

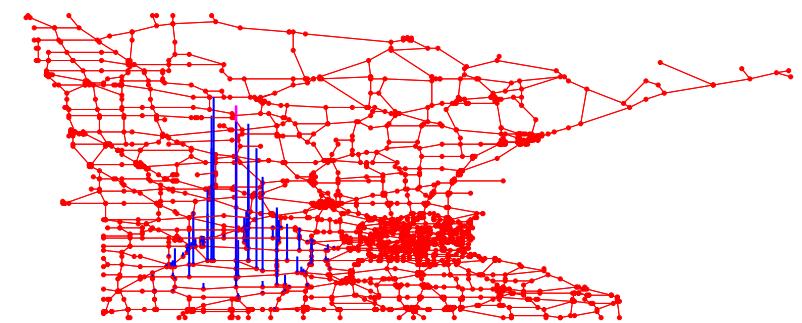
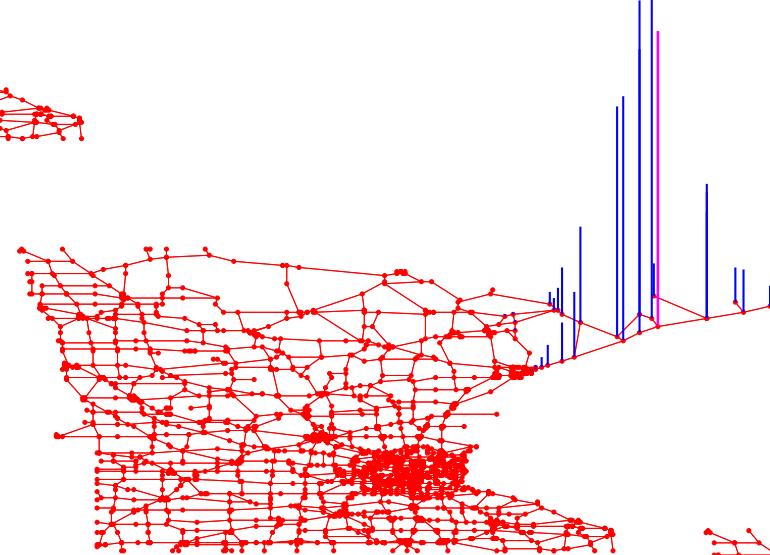
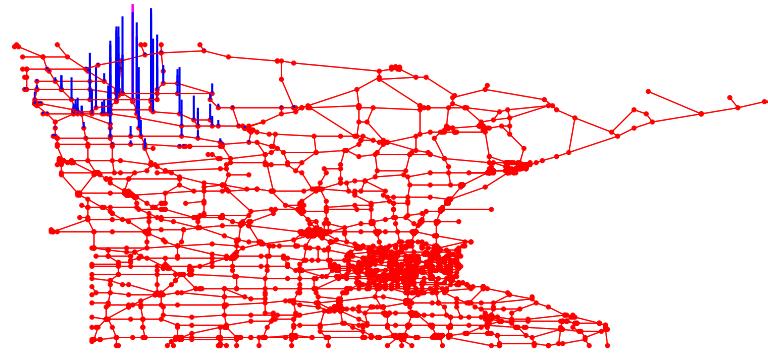
$$T_n : \mathbb{R}^N \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^N$$

$$(T_n g)(i) := \sqrt{N}(g * \delta_n)(i) = \sqrt{N} \sum_{\ell=0}^{N-1} \hat{g}(\lambda_\ell) u_\ell^*(n) u_\ell(i)$$

$$\delta_n(i) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i = n \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



Translation example



Translation of the heat kernel to
different locations of the Minnesota graph



Transforms on graphs

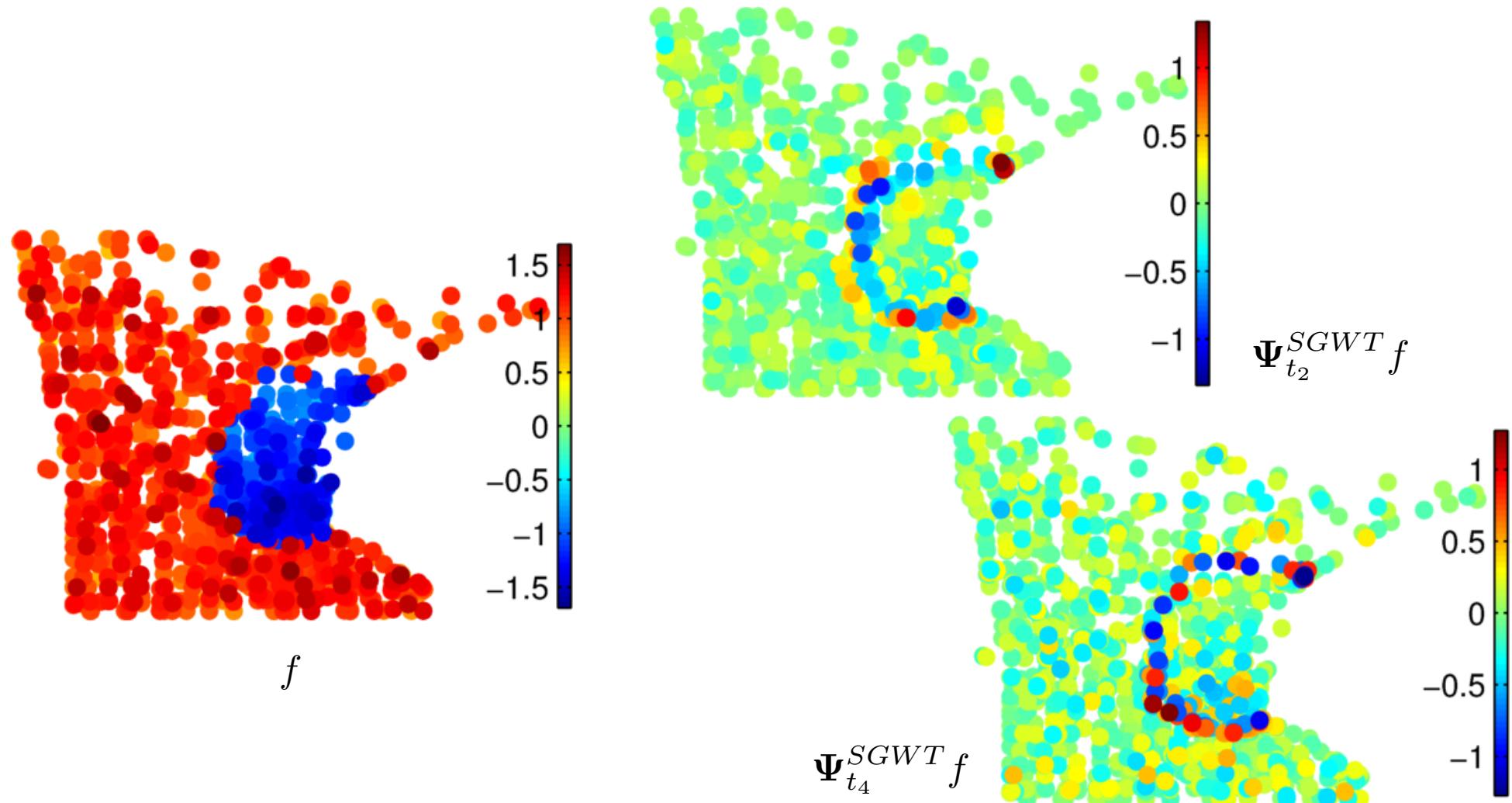
- Localized transforms are ideal to analyse graph signals
 - analysis properties and scalable implementations
- Wavelet transforms are particularly interesting
 - localization in both the vertex and spectral domains
 - different designs in the vertex or the spectral domain [Shuman:2013]
 - Diffusion wavelets [Coifman:2006], Vertex-based graph wavelets [Crovella: 2003], Graph quadrature mirror filterbanks [Narang:2012]
 - *Example:* Spectral Graph Wavelets [Hammond:2011]

$$\Psi^{SGWT} : \mathbb{R}^N \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{N(K+1)} \quad \Psi^{SGWT} = [\Psi_{scal}^{SGWT}; \Psi_{t_1}^{SGWT}; \dots; \Psi_{t_K}^{SGWT}]$$

- Dilations and translations of a band-pass kernel $\psi_{t_k, i}^{SGWT} := T_i \mathcal{D}_{t_k} \mathbf{g} = \widehat{\mathcal{D}_{t_k} g}(\mathcal{L}) \boldsymbol{\delta}_i$
- Translation of a low-pass kernel $\psi_{scal, i}^{SGWT} := T_i \mathbf{h} = \widehat{h}(\mathcal{L}) \boldsymbol{\delta}_i$



SGWT illustration



[Shuman:2013]



Another SGWT illustration

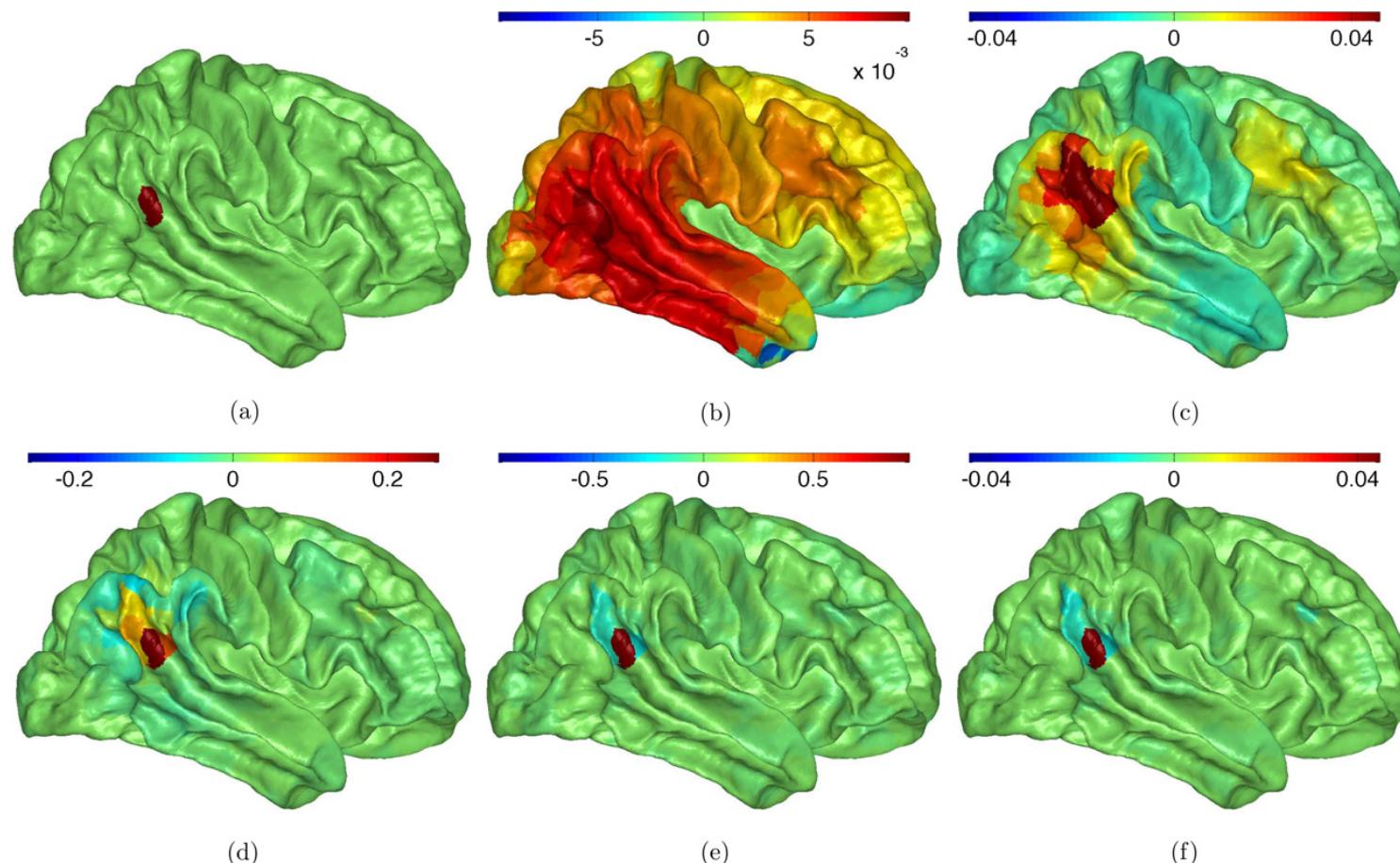
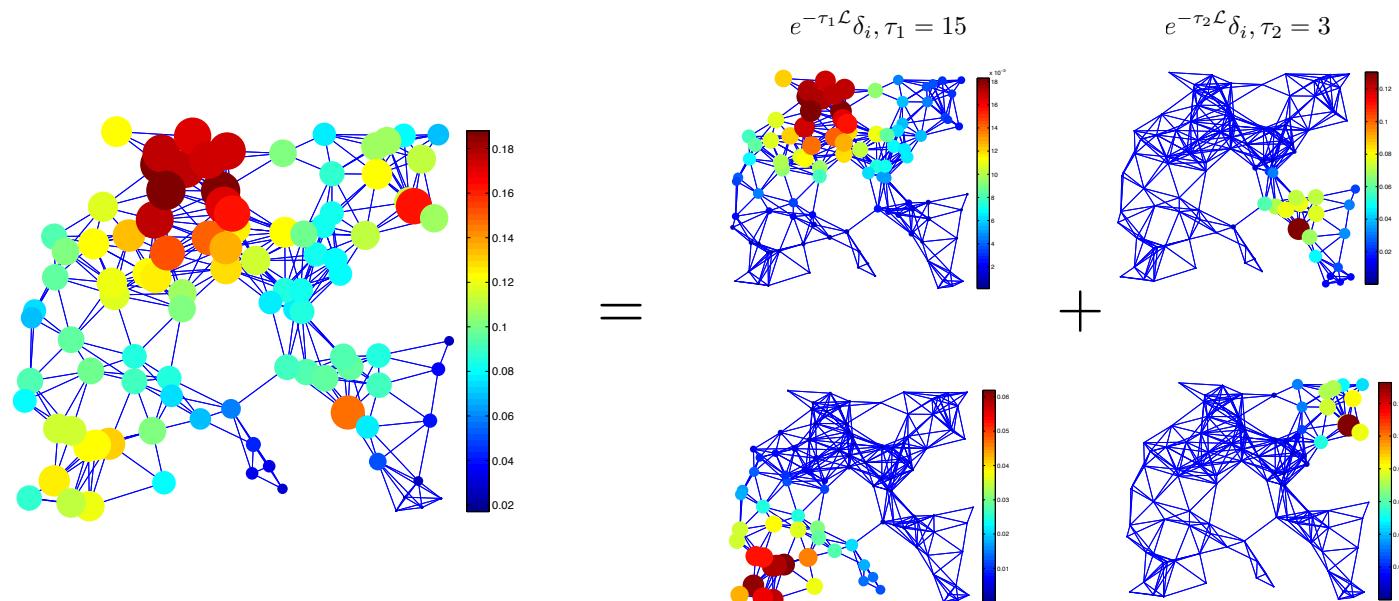


Fig. 5. Spectral graph wavelets on cerebral cortex, with $K = 50$, $J = 4$ scales. (a) ROI at which wavelets are centered, (b) scaling function, (c)–(f) wavelets, scales 1–4.

[Hammond:2011]

Data-adaptive representations

- The representation can be adapted to the data by numerical optimisation
 - Signals = *sparse* linear combinations of *graph atoms*
 - Learning of wavelets [Rustamov:2013] or dictionaries [Thanou:2014]



Graph spectral dictionaries

- A parametric graph dictionary $\mathcal{D} = [\mathcal{D}_1, \mathcal{D}_2, \dots, \mathcal{D}_S]$ is a concatenation of S subdictionaries
- Each subdictionary built on a polynomial spectral kernel

$$\mathcal{D}_s = \widehat{g}_s(\mathcal{L}) = \chi \left(\sum_{k=0}^K \alpha_{sk} \Lambda^k \right) \chi^T = \sum_{k=0}^K \alpha_{sk} \mathcal{L}^k$$

- Each atom (column of \mathcal{D}_s) corresponds to a K-hop localized pattern centered on a node of the graph, i.e.,

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} T_n g_s$$

[Thanou:2014]



Spectral Dictionary Learning

- Learning consists in computing $\{\alpha_{sk}\}_{s=1,2,\dots,S; k=1,2,\dots,K}$
- Given a set of training signals $Y = [y_1, y_2, \dots, y_M] \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times M}$ on the graph \mathcal{G} , solve

$$\underset{\alpha \in \mathbb{R}^{(K+1)S}, X \in \mathbb{R}^{SN \times M}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \left\{ \|Y - \mathcal{D}X\|_F^2 + \mu \|\alpha\|_2^2 \right\}$$

subject to $\|x_m\|_0 \leq T_0, \quad \forall m \in \{1, \dots, M\},$

$$\mathcal{D}_s = \sum_{k=0}^K \alpha_{sk} \mathcal{L}^k, \quad \forall s \in \{1, 2, \dots, S\}$$

$$0 \preceq \mathcal{D}_s \preceq c, \quad \forall s \in \{1, 2, \dots, S\}$$

$$(c - \epsilon_1)I \preceq \sum_{s=1}^S \mathcal{D}_s \preceq (c + \epsilon_2)I,$$

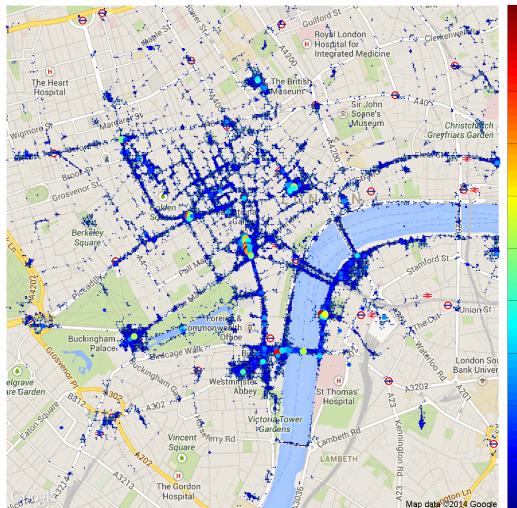
The spectral constraints guarantee that:
 1. The learned kernels cover the whole spectrum
 2. The dictionary is a frame

[Thanou:2014]

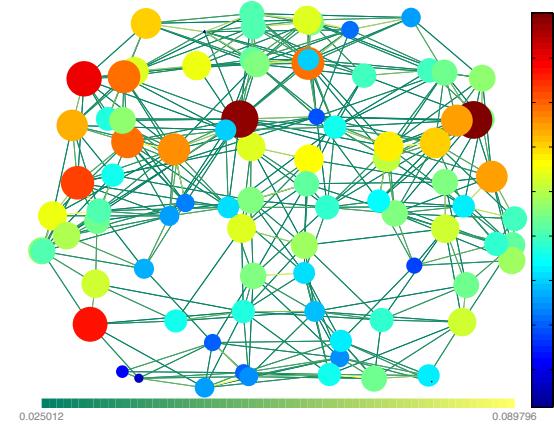


Graph-based transforms examples

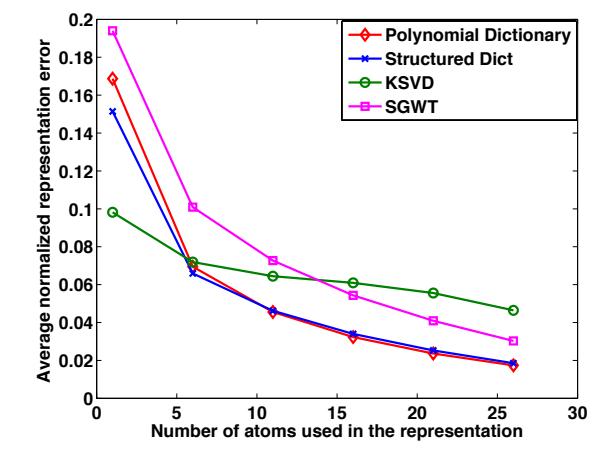
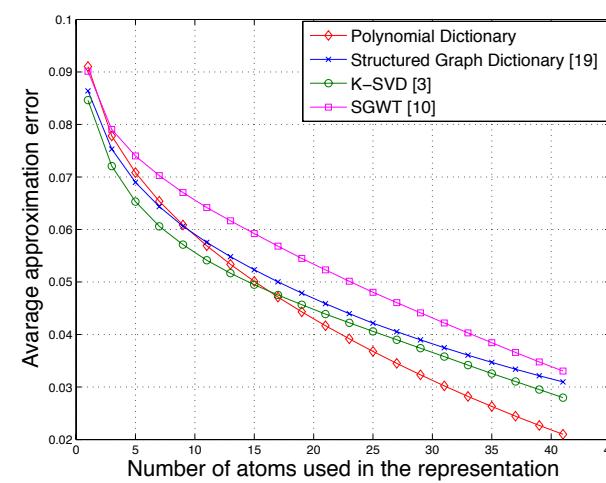
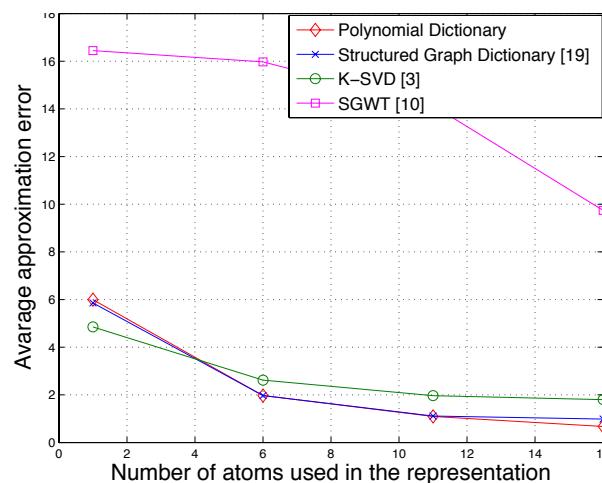
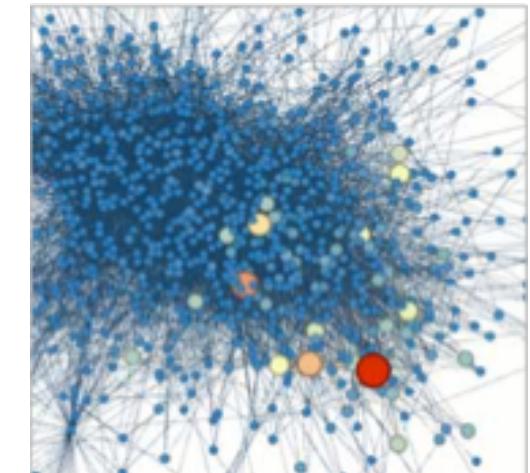
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Brain fMRI

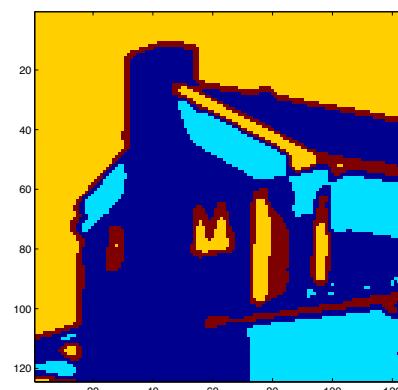
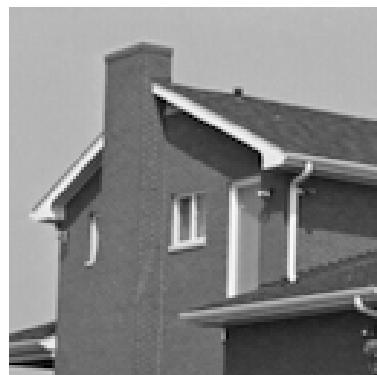
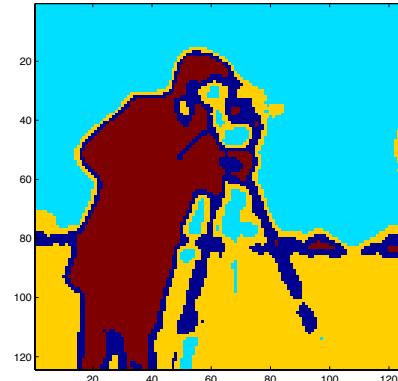


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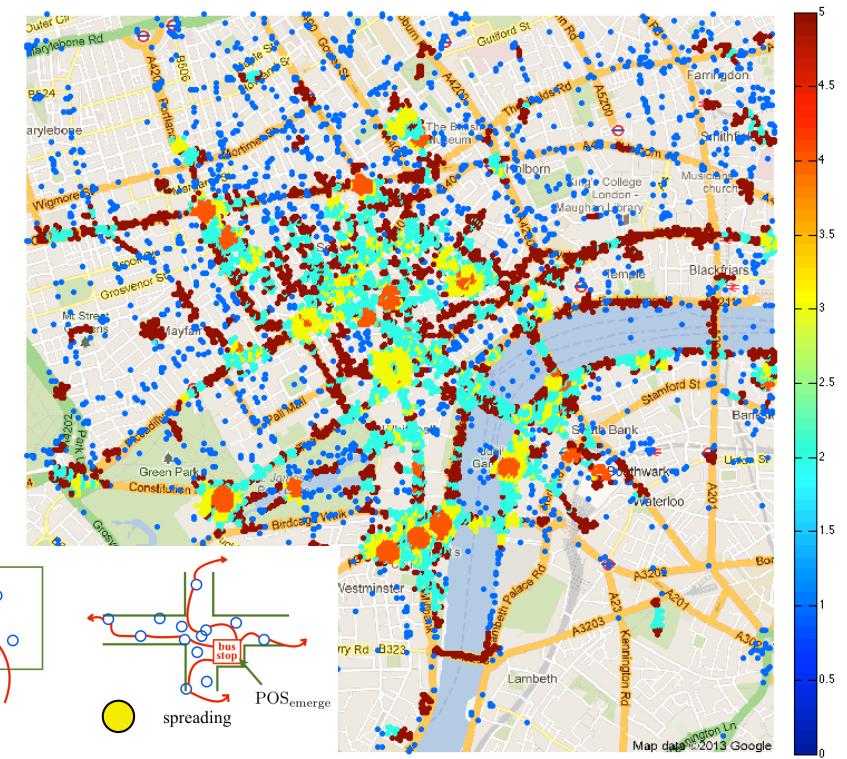


Graph signal analysis examples

Dictionary-based image segmentation



SGWT-based mobility inference from Flickr



[Thanou:2014]



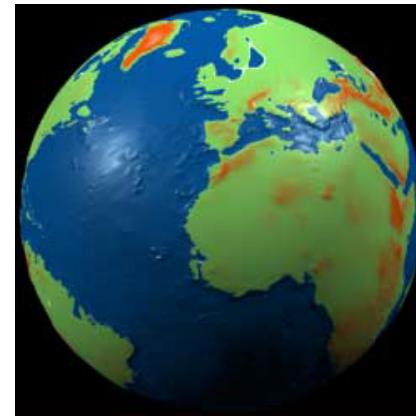
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[Dong:2013]

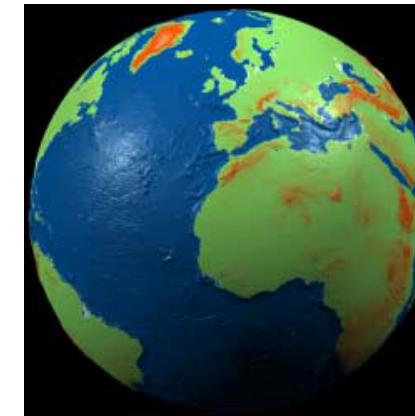


Related frameworks

- Other GSP frameworks
 - GFT based on the adjacency matrix [Sandryhaila:2013]
 - Probabilistic framework [Zhang:2015]
- Discrete calculus [Elmoataz:2008] [Grady:2010] [Lozes:2015]
 - discretized PDE framework for regularization on graphs
- Spherical wavelets
 - efficient mesh-based representation [Schroeder:1995]



15000 wavelets coefficients



190000 wavelets coefficients

[Schroeder:1995]

GSP: what are the benefits?

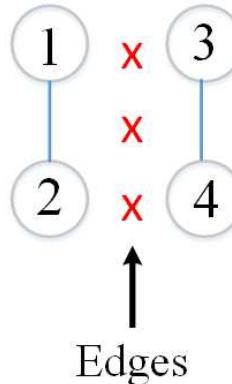
- Graphs are very generic data representations
- GSP offers flexible processing tools (transforms, shift)
 - data on irregular structures or networks
 - data on regular structures but with irregular boundaries
- Intuitions from classical framework extend to graphs
 - spectral representation used for filtering or feature construction
- Multimedia applications are emerging
 - compression, quality enhancement, analysis... many more to come!



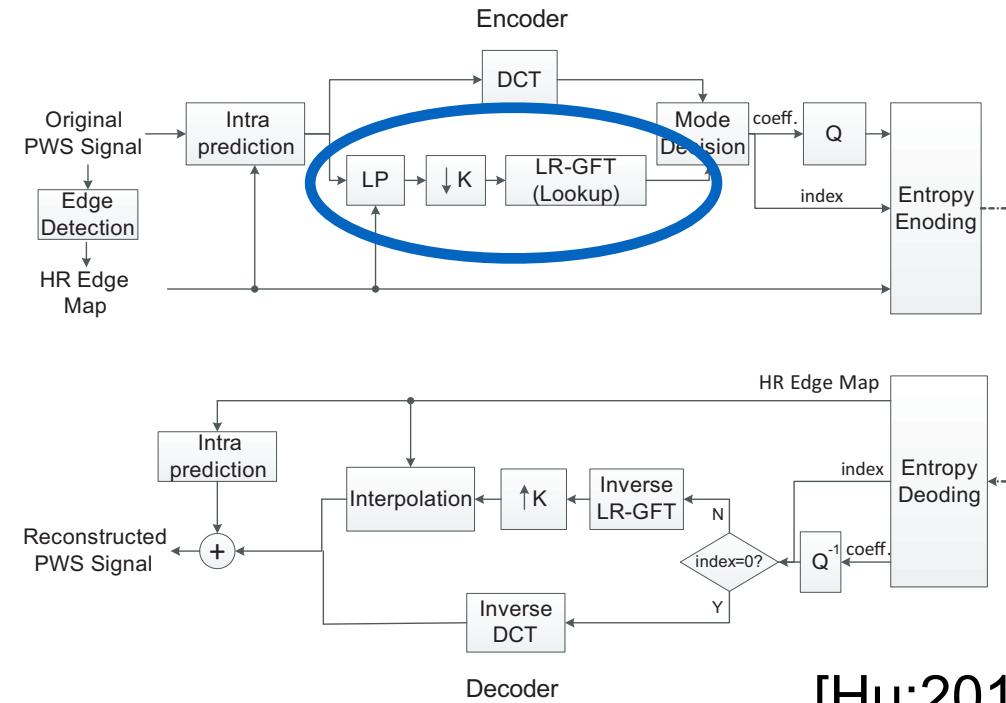
Compression by adaptive transform

- Compression of piecewise-smooth images (depth maps or animation images)
 - Adapt graphs for maximally smooth signals
 - Optimize graph transform for better compression

$$\mathbf{x}^T \mathcal{L} \mathbf{x} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^N W_{i,j} (x_i - x_j)^2$$

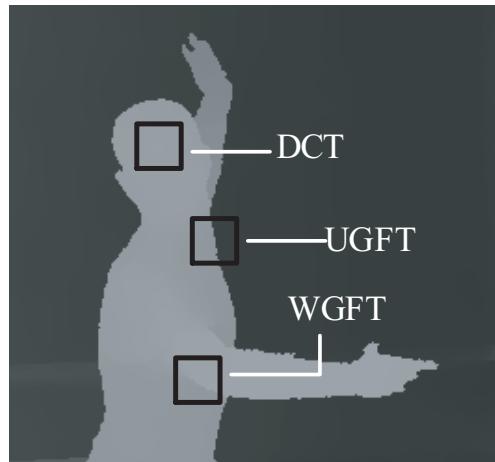


$$\begin{aligned} \min_{\mathbf{W}} \quad & R_\alpha(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{W}) + R_T(\mathbf{W}) \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & W_{i,j} \in \mathcal{C} \quad \forall i, j \in \mathcal{V} \end{aligned}$$



[Hu:2015]

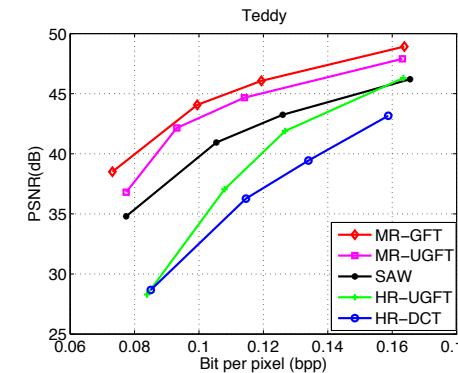
Compression of PWS images



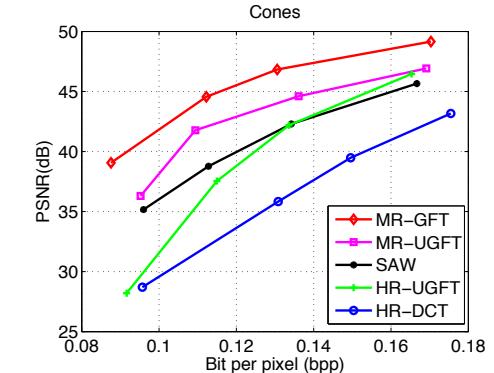
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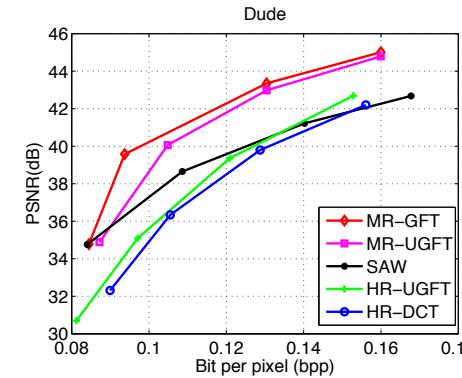
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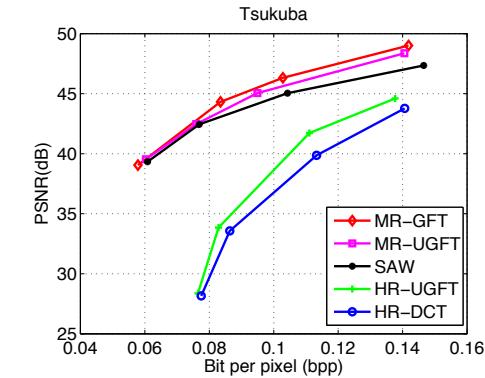
(a)



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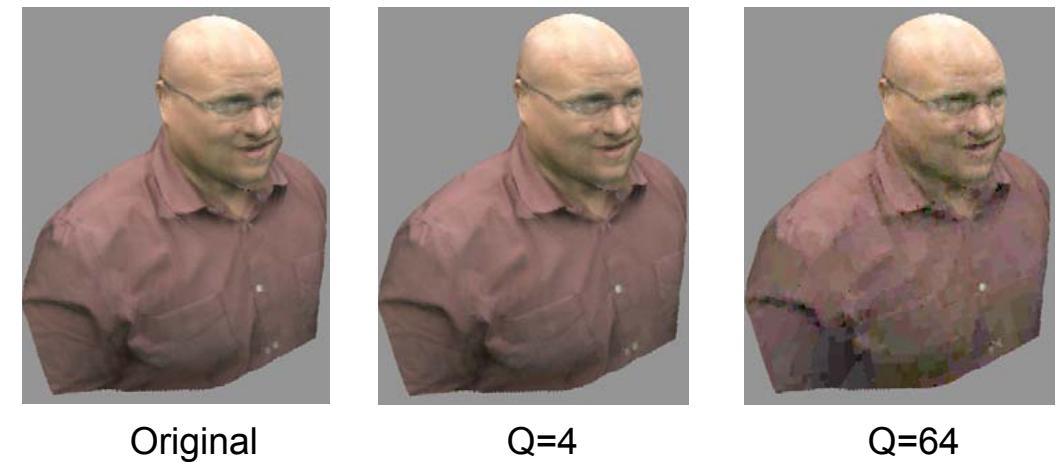
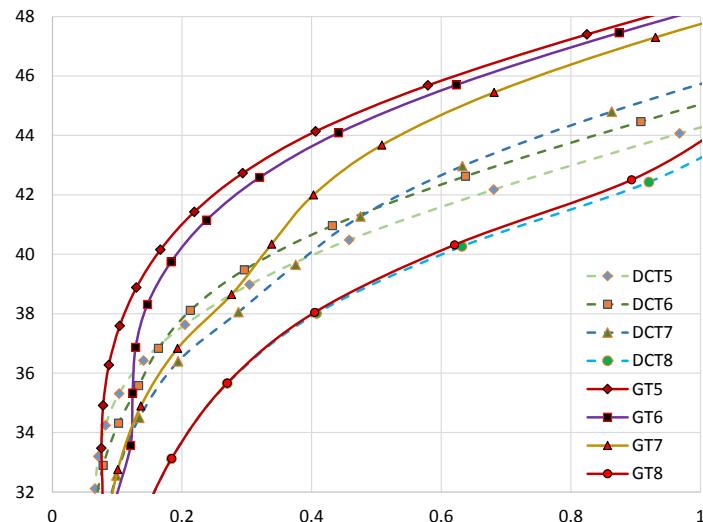


R-D performance

[Hu:2015]

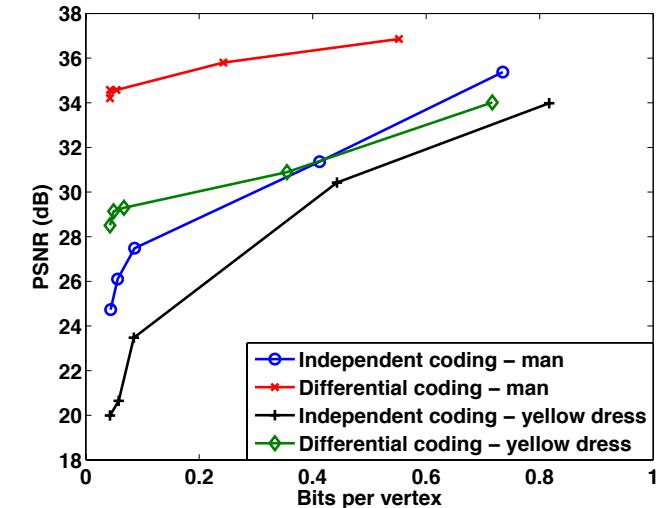
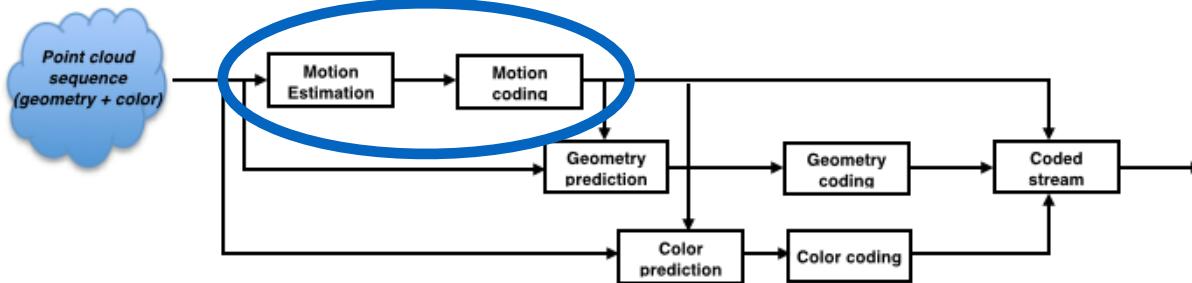
Coding of point cloud attributes

- Compression of colors or normal directions in 3D point clouds [Zhang:2014]
 - Octree representation transformed into a graph
 - weights inversely proportional to the distance between voxels
 - Values of attributes become signals on the graph
- Graph transform, quantization and entropy coding



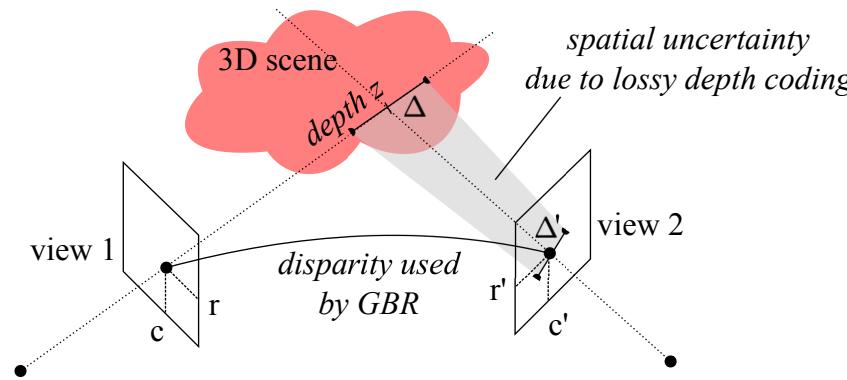
Point cloud sequences coding

- Graph signals from point clouds
 - Geometry and color signals
- Graph matching for ME
 - Pairing of SGWT features
- Graph-based coding of residuals



[Thanou:2015]

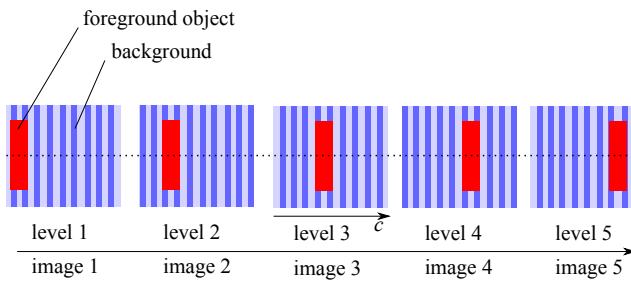
Coding in flexible representations



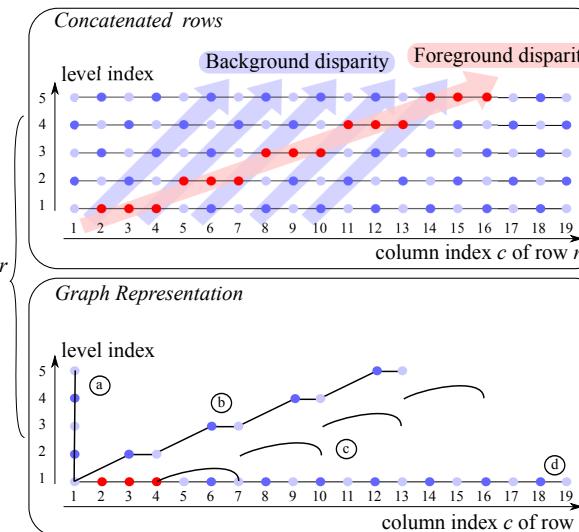
Graph-based representation of multiview images

- graph to connect corresponding pixels in different views
- graph-based transform to code luminance values on GBR

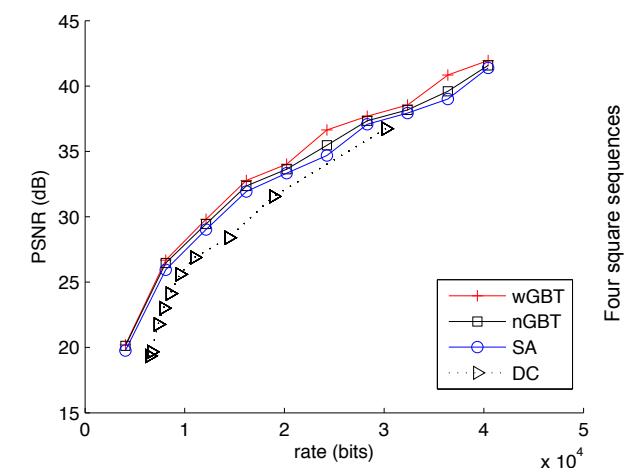
GBR representation



[Maugey:2014]



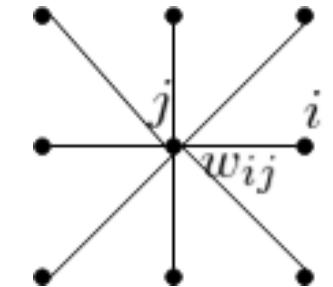
Illustrative performance



Graph-based bilateral filtering

- Bilateral filtering computes weighted average

$$x_{out}[j] = \sum_i \frac{w_{ij}}{\sum_i w_{ij}} x_{in}[i]$$



- data-adaptive weights (euclidian and photometric distance)

$$w_{ij} = \exp\left(-\frac{\|p_i - p_j\|^2}{2\sigma_d^2}\right) \exp\left(-\frac{(x_{in}[i] - x_{in}[j])^2}{2\sigma_r^2}\right)$$

- Graph spectral interpretation

$$\mathbf{x}_{out} = \mathbf{D}^{-1} \mathbf{W} \mathbf{x}_{in}$$

with

$$\mathbf{D}_{jj} = \sum_i w_{ij}$$

$$\mathbf{x}_{out} = \mathbf{D}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{D}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{W} \mathbf{D}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{D}^{\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{x}_{in}$$

$$\mathbf{D}^{\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{x}_{out} = (\mathbf{I} - \mathcal{L}) \mathbf{D}^{\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{x}_{in} \quad \leftrightarrow \quad \mathbf{x}_{out} =$$

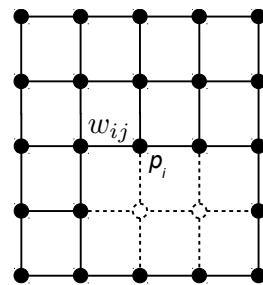
$$\underbrace{\mathbf{U}}_{\text{Inverse GFT}} \underbrace{h(\Lambda)}_{\text{Spectral response}} \underbrace{\mathbf{U}^t}_{\text{GFT}} \mathbf{x}_{in} = h(\mathcal{L}) \mathbf{x}_{in}$$

[Gadde:2013]



Graph-based 3D image enhancement

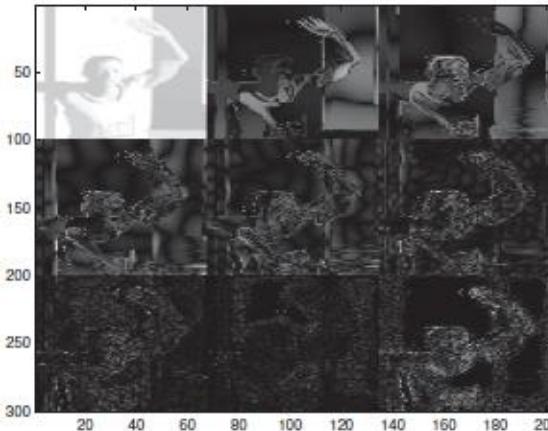
- Multiview images of asymmetric quality
 - Enhance low quality image with help of high quality one
 - Construct graph using warped high quality image as guiding image



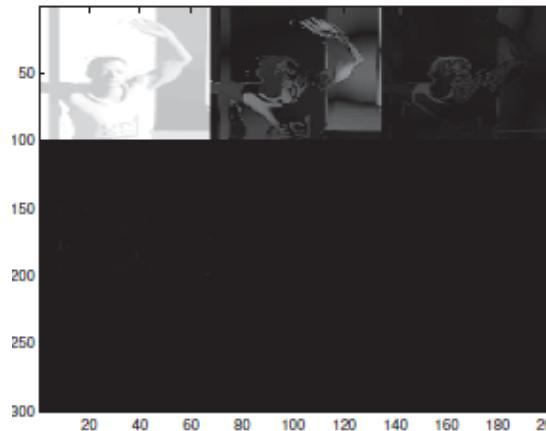
$$w_{ij} = \exp\left(-\frac{\|p_i - p_j\|^2}{2\sigma_d^2}\right) \exp\left(-\frac{(x_{in}[i] - x_{in}[j])^2}{2\sigma_r^2}\right)$$

$$\mathbf{x}^* = \arg \min_{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^N} \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}\|^2 + \frac{\rho}{2} \|h_R \mathbf{x}\|^2$$

Graph spectral decomposition



Filtered decomposition

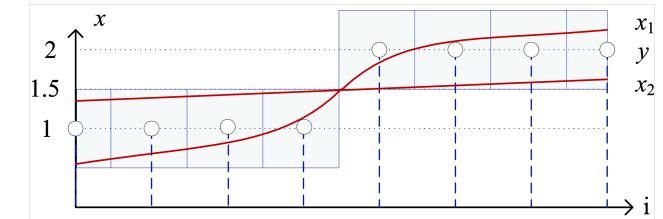
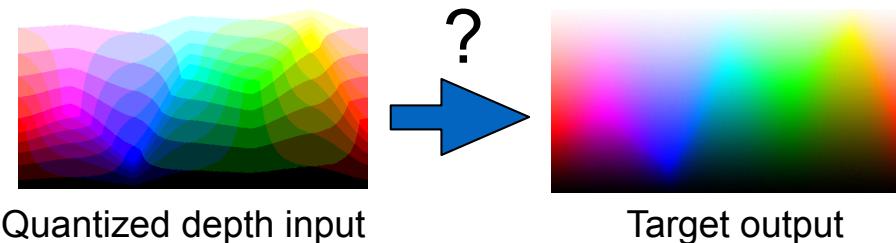


Denoising results

Seqs	Kendo	Poznan_Street
JBF	32.53	32.78
3-POLY	32.28	33.05
3-CG	35.76	34.49
3-CHEB	35.67	34.35

[Tian:2014]

Image Bit-Depth Enhancement



MAP problem: $\hat{x}^* = \operatorname{argmin}_{\hat{x}} \int \|\hat{x} - x\|_2^2 f(x|y) dx$

Graph-signal smoothness: $f(x) = \frac{1}{K} \exp(-\sigma x^T L x)$

Posterior: $f(x|y) \propto f(y|x)f(x)$

Likelihood: $f(y|x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \operatorname{quant}(x_i) = y_i, \forall i \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$



[Wan:2014]

Deformable shape analysis

- Discrete shape manifold approximation with graphs
 - Laplace-Beltrami operator approximated by graph Laplacian
- Localized features with Windowed GFT [Shuman:2015]



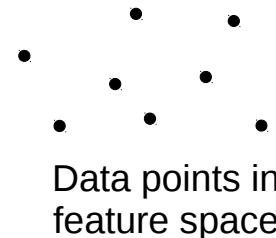
- Features fed into a localised spectral CNN (using graph convolution)



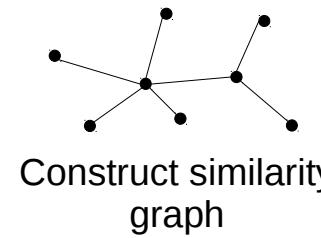
[Boscaini:2015]

Graph-based Active SSL

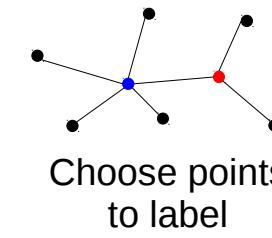
Active SSL
problem



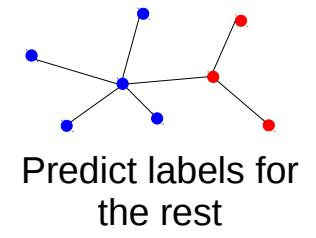
Data points in
feature space



Construct similarity
graph



Choose points
to label

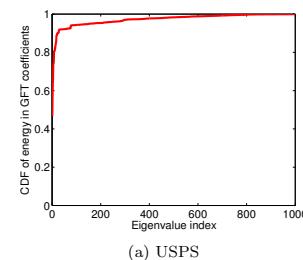


Predict labels for
the rest

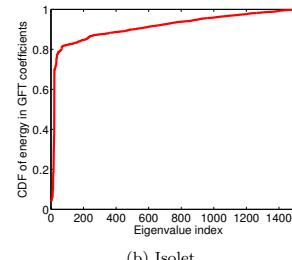
- Graph nodes are data points, weights are similarity values
- Graph signals are class membership functions

$$f^c(j) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if node } j \text{ is in class } c \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

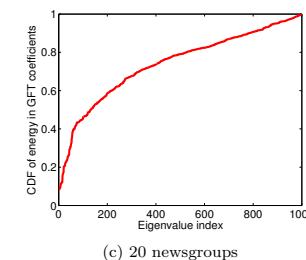
- these functions can be approximated by bandlimited graph signals



(a) USPS



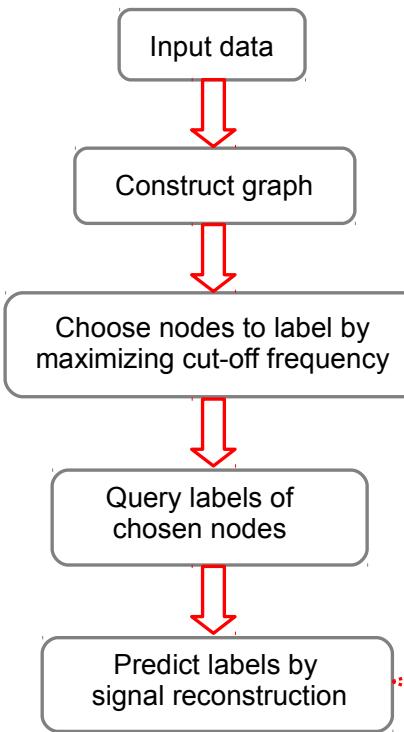
(b) Isolet



(c) 20 newsgroups

[Gadde:2014]

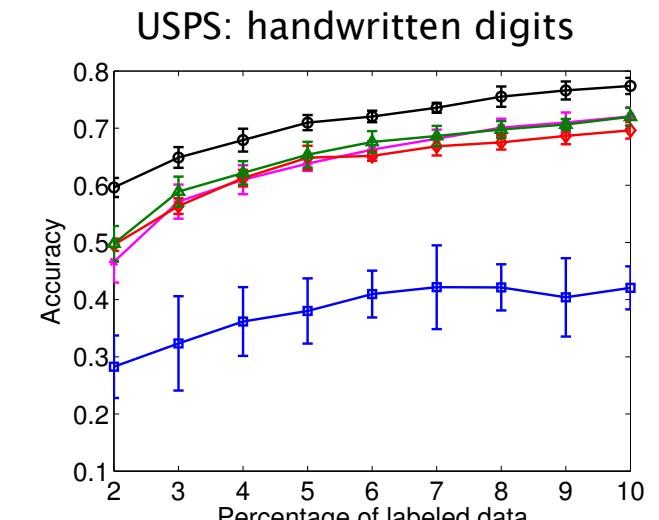
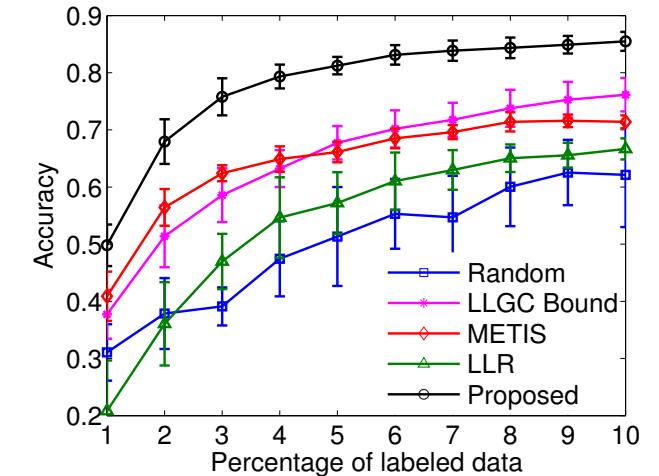
Graph sampling-based learning



Input: $G = \{\mathcal{V}, \mathcal{E}\}$, \mathbf{L} , target size m , parameter $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$
Initialize: $\mathcal{S} = \{\emptyset\}$
while $|\mathcal{S}| \leq m$

For \mathcal{S} , compute the smoothest signal $\phi_k^{\text{opt}} \in L_2(\mathcal{S}^c)$
 $v \leftarrow \arg \max_i [(\phi_k^{\text{opt}}(i))^2]$
 $\mathcal{S} \leftarrow \mathcal{S} \cup v$
end while

POCS iteration: $\mathbf{f}_{i+1} = \mathbf{P}_{C_1} \mathbf{P}_{C_2} \mathbf{f}_i$
Label of node $n = \arg \max_c \mathbf{f}^c(n)$



[Gadde:2014]



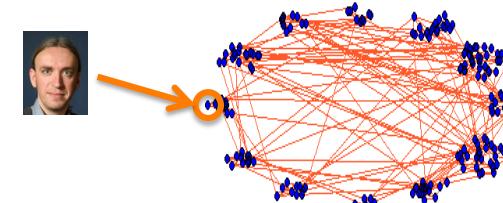
Matrix completion on graphs



- Assumption: users and movies each form a smooth low-dimensional manifold
 - Manifold samples form a graph
 - Graph Laplacian used to ‘force’ consistency in sample distributions

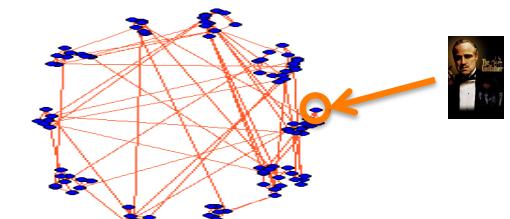
Graphs: (1) Row/user graph:

$$G^r = (V^r, E^r, W^r)$$



(2) Column/movie graph:

$$G^c = (V^c, E^c, W^c)$$



[Kalofolias:2014]

Graph-based low rank solution

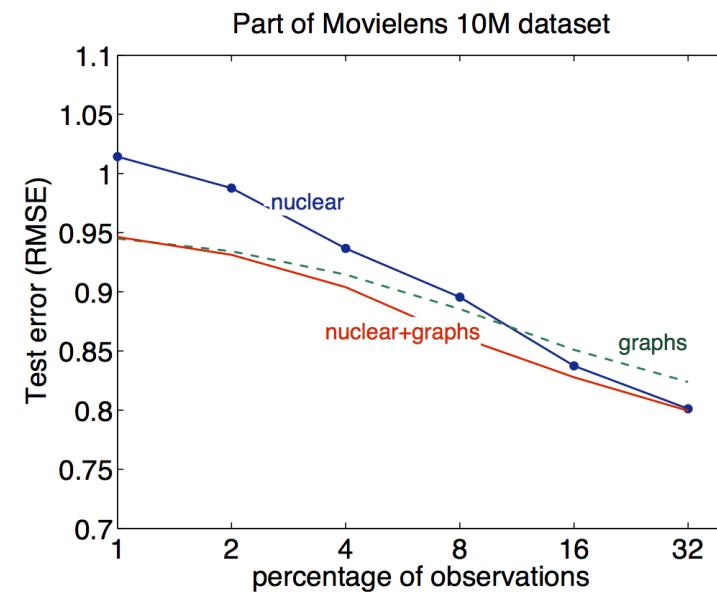
$$\min_X \underbrace{\gamma_n \|X\|_*}_{\text{Nuclear norm}} + \underbrace{\|A_\Omega \circ (X - M)\|_{\mathcal{F}}^2}_{\text{Frobenius norm}} + \frac{\gamma_r}{2} \underbrace{\|X\|_{\mathcal{D},r}}_{\text{Dirichlet norm w.r.t. rows}} + \frac{\gamma_c}{2} \underbrace{\|X\|_{\mathcal{D},c}}_{\text{Dirichlet norm w.r.t. columns}}$$

Hadamard product

$$\|X\|_{\mathcal{D},r} = \text{tr}(XL_rX^t) = \sum_{j,j'} w_{j,j'}^r \|X_j^r - X_{j'}^r\|_2^2$$

Output: low rank solutions with the rows and columns structured wrt to proximity in the respective graphs

[Kalofolias:2014]

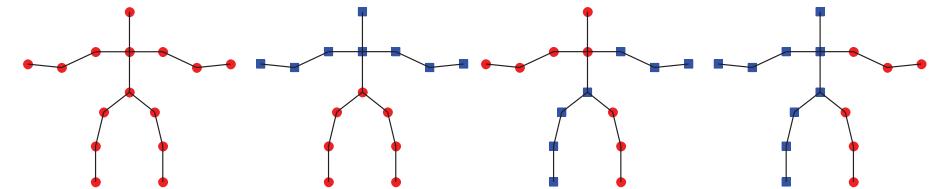


Other applications

- Representation of human motion [Kao:2014]

- graph-based representation
- spectral analysis

Eigenvector 1 Eigenvector 2 Eigenvector 3 Eigenvector 4



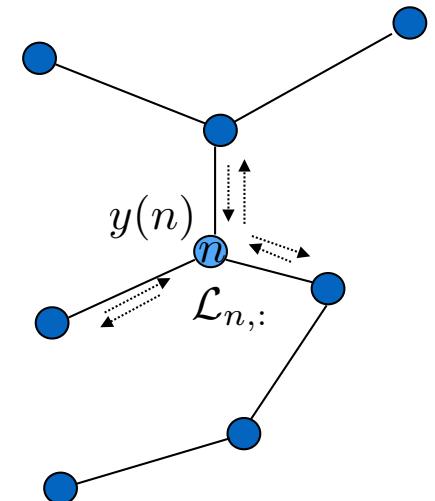
- Speech semantic analysis

- sentences constructed by GSP from words on a graph [Trifan:2015]

- Compressed Sensing applications

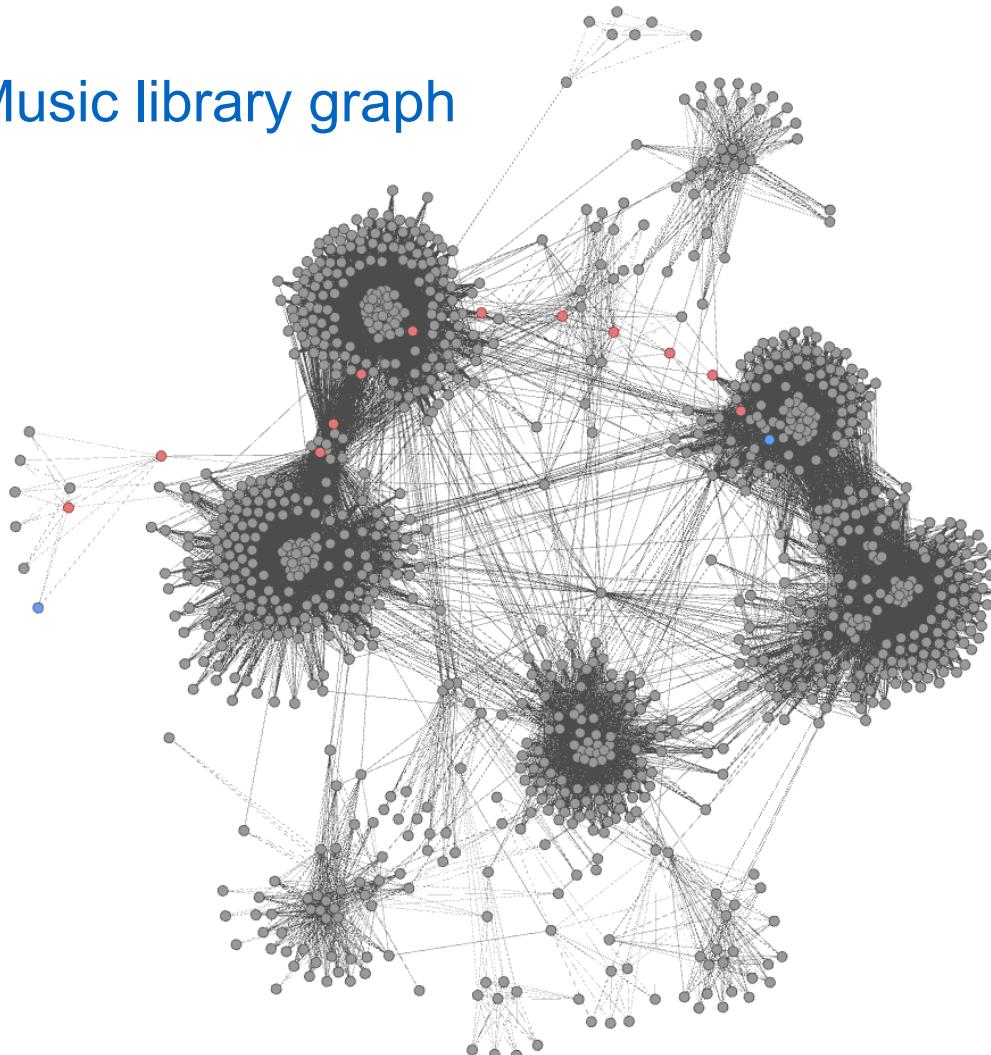
- Sensor networks [Zhu:2012]
- Image texture reconstruction [Colonnese:2014]

- Distributed data processing in networks [Shuman:2011]

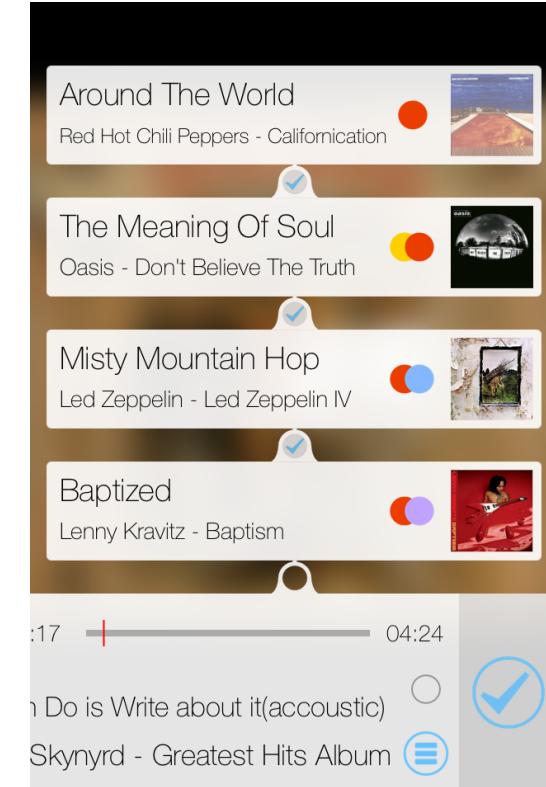


A realworld application: Genezik

Music library graph



Shortest path playlist



<http://kirellbenzi.com/genezik/>

Summary

- Take-home messages:
 - Emerging framework for representing, compressing and analysing multimedia data living on irregular structures
 - Many of the classical data processing operators extend to graphs
 - Very generic framework with numerous multimedia applications
 - Opportunities for inter-disciplinary work
- Still many open questions:
 - What is a good graph (when not naturally given)?
 - Smoothness priors have been mostly used so far, how about sparsity?
 - How to develop effective implementations at large scale?



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