# A Tensor Subspace Representation-Based Method for Hyperspectral Image Denoising

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• Noise: especially Gaussian nosie

## Tensor-Singular Value Decomposition (T-SVD)

## Tensor-tensor product (t-prod) [Kilmer et al., LAA, 2011]

The tensor-tensor-product (t-prod) C = A \* B of  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times n_2 \times n_3}$  and  $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n_2 \times n_4 \times n_3}$  is a tensor of size  $n_1 \times n_4 \times n_3$ , where the (i, j)-th tube  $\mathbf{c}_{ij:}$  is given by

$$\mathbf{c}_{ij:} = \mathcal{C}(i,j,:) = \sum_{k=1}^{n_2} \mathcal{A}(i,k,:) * \mathcal{B}(k,j,:)$$

where  $\ast$  denotes the circular convolution between two tubes of same size.

Tensor-Singular Value Decomposition (T-SVD)

t-SVD [Kilmer et al.. LAA, 2011] For  $\mathcal{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times n_2 \times n_3}$ , the t-SVD of  $\mathcal{A}$  is given by  $\mathcal{A} = \mathcal{U} * \mathcal{S} * \mathcal{V}^{\mathsf{H}}$ 

where  $\mathcal{U} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times n_1 \times n_3}$  and  $\mathcal{V} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_2 \times n_2 \times n_3}$  are orthogonal tensors, and  $\mathcal{S} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times n_2 \times n_3}$  is an f-diagonal tensor.

The t-SVD is illustrated in Figure 1.



Figure 1: The t-SVD of an  $n_1 \times n_2 \times n_3$  tensor.

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- Subspace perspective: linear representation
- Related work:

FastHyDe [Zhuang et al. IEEE J-STARS 2018], NGmeet [He et al. CVPR 2019]

## **Tensor Subspace**



# Subspace for tensors?

# HSI tensor

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## Inspiration





#### Tensor-linear (T-linear) Representation and Tensor Subspace



Figure 2: The *k*th lateral slice of  $\vec{x}$ , i.e., the *k*th band of HSI, is represented by a t-linear combination of the *r* bases and coefficients.



Figure 3: The clean HSI is represented by the basis tensor and coefficient tensor.

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#### Advantage of Tensor Subspace



Figure 4: Presentation capability comparison of the matrix and tensor subspace. (a) Reconstruction MPSNR with respect to the subspace dimension; (b) Reconstruction error with respect to the subspace dimension.

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## **Denoising Model**

## Degradation model:

$$\mathcal{Y} = \mathcal{X} + \mathcal{N},$$

## Prior knowledge:



## Intrinsic property

Global correlation in spectrum and space (GCSS) Nonlocal self-similarity (NSS)

## **Denoising Model**

## **Regularization Design:**





### **Denoising Model**

## Regularization Design:





Main model:

$$\min_{\mathcal{A},\mathcal{Z}} \frac{1}{2} \|\vec{\mathcal{Y}} - \mathcal{A} * \mathcal{Z}\|_{F}^{2} + \lambda \sum_{i} \|\mathbf{R}_{i}\mathcal{Z}\|_{\mathbf{w},*},$$

$$s.t. \ \mathcal{A}^{T} * \mathcal{A} = \mathcal{I},$$
(2)

## **Solving Algorithm**

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s.t.  $\mathcal{A}^{T} * \mathcal{A} = \mathcal{I},$  (3)

Proximal alternating minimization (PAM) algorithm:

$$\begin{cases} \mathcal{Z}^{k+1} = \arg\min_{\mathcal{Z}} \frac{1}{2} \|\vec{\mathcal{Y}} - \mathcal{A}^{k} * \mathcal{Z}\|_{F}^{2} + \lambda \sum_{i} \|\mathbf{R}_{i}\mathcal{Z}\|_{\mathbf{w},*} + \frac{\rho}{2} \|\mathcal{Z} - \mathcal{Z}^{k}\|_{F}^{2} \\ \mathcal{A}^{k+1} = \arg\min_{\mathcal{A}^{T} * \mathcal{A} = \mathcal{I}} \frac{1}{2} \|\vec{\mathcal{Y}} - \mathcal{A} * \mathcal{Z}^{k+1}\|_{F}^{2} + \frac{\rho}{2} \|\mathcal{A} - \mathcal{A}^{k}\|_{F}^{2}, \end{cases}$$

$$\tag{4}$$

## $\mathcal{Z} \text{ subproblem}$

$$\mathcal{Z}^{k+1} = \arg\min_{\mathcal{Z}} \frac{1}{2} \| (\mathcal{A}^{k})^{T} * \vec{\mathcal{Y}} - \mathcal{Z} \|_{F}^{2} + \lambda \sum_{i} \| \mathbf{R}_{i} \mathcal{Z} \|_{\mathbf{w},*} + \frac{\rho}{2} \| \mathcal{Z} - \mathcal{Z}^{k} \|_{F}^{2}$$
$$= \arg\min_{\mathcal{Z}} \frac{1}{2} \left\| \frac{(\mathcal{A}^{k})^{T} * \vec{\mathcal{Y}} + \rho \mathcal{Z}^{k}}{1 + \rho} - \mathcal{Z} \right\|_{F}^{2} + \frac{\lambda}{1 + \rho} \sum_{i} \| \mathbf{R}_{i} \mathcal{Z} \|_{\mathbf{w},*}.$$
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(5)

We apply the alternating direction method of multipliers (ADMM) to solve problem (5), which can be guaranteed to converge globally [Wang et al. J. Sci. Comput, 2019]. Introducing auxiliary variables  $M_i = \mathcal{Z}(i = 1, 2, \dots, N)$  to (5), we have

$$\min_{\mathcal{M}_i,\mathcal{Z}} \frac{1}{2} \|\tilde{\mathcal{Z}} - \mathcal{Z}\|_F^2 + \frac{\lambda}{1+\rho} \sum_i \|\mathbf{M}_i^{(2)}\|_{\mathbf{w},*}, \ \boldsymbol{s}.t. \ \mathbf{M}_i^{(2)} = \mathbf{R}_i \mathcal{Z}.$$
(6)

## $\mathcal{Z} \text{ subproblem}$

The augmented Lagrangian function of (6) is defined as

$$L(\mathcal{M}_{i},\mathcal{Z},\mathcal{T}_{i}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\tilde{\mathcal{Z}} - \mathcal{Z}\|_{F}^{2} + \frac{\lambda}{1+\rho} \sum_{i} \|\mathbf{M}_{i}^{(2)}\|_{\mathbf{w},*} + \frac{\gamma}{2} \sum_{i} \|\mathcal{M}_{i} - \mathbf{R}_{i}\mathcal{Z} + \frac{\mathcal{T}_{i}}{\gamma}\|_{F}^{2},$$
(7)

Updating:

$$\left\{ \left( \mathbf{M}_{i}^{(2)} \right)^{p+1} = \min_{\mathbf{M}_{i}^{(2)}} \frac{\gamma(1+\rho)}{2\lambda} \left\| \mathbf{M}_{i}^{(2)} - \left( \mathbf{R}_{i} \mathcal{Z}^{p} - \frac{(\mathbf{T}_{i}^{(2)})^{p}}{\gamma} \right) \right\|_{F}^{2} + \left\| \mathbf{M}_{i}^{(2)} \right\|_{\mathbf{w},*}, \\
\mathcal{Z}^{p+1} = \min_{\mathcal{Z}} \frac{1}{2} \left\| \tilde{\mathcal{Z}} - \mathcal{Z} \right\|_{F}^{2} + \frac{\gamma}{2} \sum_{i} \left\| \mathbf{R}_{i} \mathcal{Z} - \left( \mathcal{M}_{i}^{p+1} + \frac{\mathcal{T}_{i}^{p}}{\gamma} \right) \right\|_{F}^{2}, \quad (8) \\
\mathcal{T}_{i}^{p+1} = \mathcal{T}_{i}^{p} + \gamma (\mathcal{M}_{i}^{p+1} - \mathbf{R}_{i} \mathcal{Z}^{p+1}).$$

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#### Algorithm 1

Algorithm 1 ADMM algorithm for solving (3) Input: The penalty parameter  $\gamma$ . 1: Initialize:  $\mathcal{Z}^0 = \tilde{\mathcal{Z}}, \mathcal{T}_i^0 = 0$ . 2: for p = 0 : P do 3: Update  $\mathcal{M}_i^{p+1}$  by (10),  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$ ; 4: Update  $\mathcal{Z}_i^{p+1}$  by (12); 5: Update  $\mathcal{T}_i^{p+1}$  by (8),  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$ . 6: end for Output: The solution  $\mathcal{Z}^{p+1}$ .

## $\mathcal{A}$ subproblem

$$\mathcal{A}^{k+1} = \arg\min_{\mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{T}}*\mathcal{A}=\mathcal{I}} \frac{1}{2} \|\vec{\mathcal{Y}} - \mathcal{A}*\mathcal{Z}^{k+1}\|_{F}^{2} + \frac{\rho}{2} \|\mathcal{A} - \mathcal{A}^{k}\|_{F}^{2},$$
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To solve (9), we give the following theorem.

## Theorem

For any  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times n_2 \times n_3}$ , the following problem:

$$\min_{\mathcal{A}} \frac{1}{2} \|\mathcal{Y} - \mathcal{A} * \mathcal{Z}\|_{F}^{2} + \frac{\rho}{2} \|\mathcal{A} - \mathcal{B}\|_{F}^{2}, \ s.t.\mathcal{A}^{T} * \mathcal{A} = \mathcal{I},$$
(10)

has the closed-form solution  $\mathcal{A}^* = \mathcal{V} * \mathcal{U}^T$ , where  $\mathcal{U}$  and  $\mathcal{V}$  are from the *t*-SVD of  $\mathcal{Z} * \mathcal{Y}^T + \rho \mathcal{B}^T = \mathcal{U} * \mathcal{S} * \mathcal{V}^T$ .

## Algorithm 2

#### Algorithm 2 PAM Algorithm for TenSRDe

- **Input:** Noisy HSI  $\mathcal{Y}$ , regularization parameter  $\lambda$ , proximal parameter  $\rho$ , iterative regularization parameter  $\theta$ , and increment  $\delta$ .
  - 1: Initialize:  $\mathcal{A}^0$ ,  $\mathcal{Z}^0 = (\mathcal{A}^0)^T * \vec{\mathcal{Y}}$ ,  $\mathcal{X}^0 = \mathcal{O}$ , and  $\epsilon = 10^{-3}$ .

2: for 
$$t = 0 : T - 1$$
 do

3: Compute 
$$r^{t+1} = r^t + \delta$$
;

4: Compute 
$$\mathcal{Y}^{t+1} = \theta \mathcal{X}^t + (1-\theta)\mathcal{Y}$$
.

5: while not converged do

6: Update 
$$\mathcal{Z}^{k+1}$$
 by (3);

7: Update 
$$A^{k+1}$$
 by (18);

8: Check the convergence condition:

$$\|\mathcal{A}^{k+1} * \mathcal{Z}^{k+1} - \mathcal{A}^k * \mathcal{Z}^k\|_F^2 / \|\mathcal{A}^k * \mathcal{Z}^k\|_F^2 \le \epsilon.$$

#### 9: end while

10: Let 
$$\mathcal{X}^{t+1} = \text{inv-Permute}(\mathcal{A}^{k+1} * \mathcal{Z}^{k+1}).$$

11: end for

**Output:** Estimated HSI  $\mathcal{X}$ .

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Datasets:

- Pavia Centre (PaC)
- Washington DC (WDC)
- Indian Pines
- Urban

Metrics: PSNR, SSIM, and ERGAS

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Table 1: Quantitative Evaluation and Running Time (in Minutes) of Different Methods on Three Datasets with Simulated Noise.

Dataset	$\sigma$	Index	Noisy	BM3D	BM4D	KBR	TDL	LRTFL0	FastHyDe	SNLRSF	NGmeet	TenSRDe
PaC	0.02	MPSNR	33.983	36.744	43.862	45.994	46.367	45.010	47.078	47.761	48.251	49.247
		MSSIM	0.9326	0.9670	0.9930	0.9954	0.9959	0.9948	0.9966	0.9971	0.9973	0.9978
		ERGAS	74.069	53.384	23.703	18.909	18.211	21.220	16.753	15.589	14.677	13.469
		Time	_	0.5245	1.6773	7.6816	0.1454	15.127	0.0873	6.3234	0.5243	0.3777
	0.10	MPSNR	19.998	28.100	33.655	35.500	35.642	35.702	37.046	37.483	38.210	38.645
		MSSIM	0.4362	0.7984	0.9334	0.9585	0.9586	0.9580	0.9701	0.9733	0.9775	0.9783
		ERGAS	370.51	144.13	76.337	62.159	61.375	61.528	52.530	49.573	45.543	44.932
		Time	_	0.6334	1.6863	6.5056	0.1443	5.8963	0.0877	6.1883	0.5176	0.2777
WDC	0.02	MPSNR	33.977	36.315	43.604	47.556	47.592	46.742	49.687	49.041	49.787	51.623
		MSSIM	0.9366	0.9667	0.9934	0.9971	0.9973	0.9964	0.9981	0.9980	0.9982	0.9988
		ERGAS	75.448	56.575	24.684	16.245	16.733	17.797	12.891	14.826	12.645	10.368
		Time	_	2.1015	7.6493	24.075	0.5627	127.33	0.1565	10.543	0.9347	1.5100
	0.10	MPSNR	20.001	27.311	32.935	35.949	35.913	36.764	38.702	39.203	39.113	40.263
		MSSIM	0.4741	0.7788	0.9279	0.9679	0.9671	0.9703	0.9803	0.9835	0.9829	0.9859
		ERGAS	377.06	158.62	83.534	59.399	61.032	54.871	44.322	41.511	42.031	37.456
		Time	_	2.4635	7.5322	23.983	0.5167	36.033	0.1617	10.682	0.9404	1.2337

#### Simulated Experiments



Figure 5: (a) Original image and residual image of the WDC dataset in band 163; (b) Noisy image and residual image under Gaussian noise level  $\sigma = 0.06$ ; (c)-(k) Denoised images and residual images (the difference between each denoised band with the original band) of different methods.

#### **Real Experiments**



Figure 6: (a) Pseudo-color image (R: 200, G: 144, B: 3) of the original Indian Pines dataset; (b)-(j) Pseudo-color image of the denoising results by different methods.

#### Conclusions

- We design a novel basis tensor and develop a tensor subspace representation.
- We propose a TenSR-based HSI denoising model for Gaussian noise removal.
- We develop an efficient PAM algorithm to solve the proposed non-convex model.

# Thank you!