

# Inverse Problems Exercises: 2024s s02 (non-sc)

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## Notes

- Please **DO NOT** change the name of the `.ipynb` file.
- Please **DO NOT** import extra packages to solve the tasks.
- Please put the `.ipynb` file directly into the `.zip` archive without any intermediate folder.

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## I06: Convolution theorem

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In [ ]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

from scipy.linalg import toeplitz
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In [ ]: from urllib.request import urlopen
import matplotlib.image as mpimg

# create a file-like object from the url
file_input = urlopen('https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/1/12/12.jpg')

# Load the input image
image_input = mpimg.imread(file_input, 'jpg')

# pick the central line as signal f
f_true = image_input[image_input.shape[0] // 2, :]
```

## Imaging model

The imaging model can be represented by

$$g = h \otimes f_{\text{true}} = Af_{\text{true}} = \mathcal{F}^{-1}\{\mathcal{F}\{h\}\mathcal{F}\{f_{\text{true}}\}\}.$$

- $f_{\text{true}}$  is the input signal
- $h$  is the point spread function (kernel)
- $\otimes$  is the convolution operator
- $A$  is the Toeplitz matrix of  $h$
- $\mathcal{F}$  and  $\mathcal{F}^{-1}$  are the Fourier transform operator and inverse Fourier transform operator
- $g$  is the output signal

## Gaussian kernel

Implement the Gaussian kernel function  $h$

- Given the standard deviation of the Gaussian  $\sigma_h$
- Given the kernel size  $s_h$
- Define the origin of the kernels in the middle of the array
- Normalize the kernel, i.e. the sum of the kernel elements equals to 1
- Implement the function `get_gaussian_1d()` (using `numpy.array`)

Generate the Gaussian kernels

- Parameter options of  $(\sigma_h, s_h)$ 
  - (1, 5)
  - (4, 21)
  - (7, 35)
  - (20, 35)
- Save the outputs in the variable `list_h_psf` (as `list` of `numpy.array`)

Display the result

- Plot the kernels in `list_h_psf` in the same order of the parameter options in the axes `ax`
- Show the legend in the axes `ax`

```
In [ ]: def get_gaussian_1d(sigma, kernel_size):
        """ Returns a gaussian kernel, with a specified kernel size.
            Low pass (blurring) kernel.

            :param sigma: Standard deviation of the Gaussian function.
            :param kernel_size: Kernel size.
            :returns: normalized Gaussian kernel.
            """

        # YOUR CODE HERE
        raise NotImplementedError()

        fig, ax = plt.subplots() # Create a figure and an axes.
        ax.set_title('Gaussian kernel')

        # YOUR CODE HERE
        raise NotImplementedError()
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## Convolution operation

Convolution with the Gaussian kernels  $g = h \otimes f_{\text{true}}$  (using `numpy.convolve()` )

- Apply the kernels in `list_h_psf` to `f_true`
- Return the outputs with the same length as `f_true`
- Save the outputs in the variable `list_g_cov` (as `list` of `numpy.array` )

Display the result

- Plot the outputs in `list_g_cov` in the same order of the parameter options in the axes `ax`
- Plot `f_true` in the axes `ax` (after `list_g_cov` )
- Show the legend in the axes `ax`

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In [ ]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(1, 1, figsize = (15, 3)) # Create a figure and an axes.
        ax.set_title('Convolution output')

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# Toeplitz matrix

See: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Toeplitz\\_matrix#Discrete\\_convolution](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Toeplitz_matrix#Discrete_convolution)

Implement the Toeplitz matrix  $A$  corresponding to  $h$  (using

`scipy.linalg.toeplitz()` optionally)

- Given  $h$
- Given signal size  $s_f$
- Take the zero-padding option, i.e the input array values outside the bounds of the array are assigned 0
- Implement the function `get_convolution_matrix()` (using `numpy.array` )

Generate the Toeplitz matrices

- Return the outputs of each kernel in `list_h_psf` for `f_true`
- Save the outputs in the variable `list_A_psf` (as `list` of `numpy.array` )

Display the result

- Plot the matrices in `list_A_psf` as grayscale images in the same order of the parameter options in the subplots of `axs`
- Add proper titles to the subplots of `axs`

```
In [ ]: def get_convolution_matrix(kernel, n):
        """ Create a Toeplitz matrix for discrete 1d convolution.

        :param kernel: 1d convolution kernel.
        :param n: Size of the signal, which should be convolved with the kernel.
        :returns: 2d matrix of size (n,n) for convolution by matrix-vector multiplic
        """

        # YOUR CODE HERE
        raise NotImplementedError()

fig, axs = plt.subplots(2, 2, figsize=(10, 10))
fig.suptitle('Toeplitz matrix')

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## Convolution with the Toeplitz matrix

Convolution with the Toeplitz matrix  $g = Af_{\text{true}}$

- Apply the Toeplitz matrix in `list_A_psf` to `f_true`
- Save the outputs in the variable `list_g_toe` (as `list` of `numpy.array`)

Display the result

- Plot the outputs in `list_g_toe` in the same order of the parameter options in the axes `ax`
- Plot `f_true` in the axes `ax` (after `list_g_toe`)
- Show the legend in the axes `ax`

```
In [ ]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(1, 1, figsize = (15, 3)) # Create a figure and an axes.
ax.set_title('Convolution with the Toeplitz matrix')

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for g_cov, g_toe in zip(list_g_cov, list_g_toe):
    np.testing.assert_almost_equal(g_cov, g_toe) # zero-padding
```

## Question: Matrix expression

- What's the advantage to use the matrix expression of convolution  $g = Af_{\text{true}}$  for inverse problems?

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## Fourier transform

Fourier transform of the Gaussian kernels  $\mathcal{F}\{h\}$  (using `numpy.fft.fft()` )

- Pad zeros to both sides of the kernels in `list_h_psf`
- Adjust the kernels as long as `f_true`
- Shift the origin of the kernels to the first element of the array
- Apply the Fourier transform to the shifted padded kernels
- Save the outputs in the variable `list_h_fft` (as `list` of `numpy.array` )

Display the result

- Plot the absolute value of the outputs in `list_h_fft` in the same order of the parameter options in the axes `ax`
- Plot the outputs properly in the frequency domain
- Show the legend in the axes `ax`

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In [ ]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(1, 1, figsize = (15, 3)) # Create a figure and an axes.
ax.set_title('Fourier transform')

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## Convolution with the Fourier transform

Convolution with the Fourier transform  $g = \mathcal{F}^{-1}\{\mathcal{F}\{h\}\mathcal{F}\{f_{\text{true}}\}\}$

- Apply the transformed kernels in `list_h_fft` to `f_true`
- Return the absolute value of the inverse transform
- Save the outputs in the variable `list_g_dft` (as `list` of `numpy.array` )

Display the result

- Plot the outputs in `list_g_dft` in the same order of the parameter options in the axes `ax`
- Plot `f_true` in the axes `ax` (after `list_g_dft` )
- Show the legend in the axes `ax`

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In [ ]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(1, 1, figsize = (15, 3)) # Create a figure and an axes.
ax.set_title('Convolution with the Fourier transform')

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for g_cov, g_dft in zip(list_g_cov, list_g_dft):
    np.testing.assert_almost_equal(g_cov[40:-40], g_dft[40:-40]) # with boundary
```

## Question: Fourier transform

- What's the advantage to use the Fourier transform for convolution

$\mathcal{F}\{g\} = \mathcal{F}\{h\}\mathcal{F}\{f_{\text{true}}\}$  for inverse problems?

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