

## Problem 2:

Given compressive measurements  $y = \Phi x + \eta$   
 $\|\eta\|_2 \leq \varepsilon$ . The set of indices of non-zero elements of  $x$  is  $S$ , which is known for obtaining the oracular solution.

And we are given that  $\Phi_S^T \Phi_S$  is invertible.

(a) To obtain the oracular solution, we need to only solve for the elements of  $\tilde{x}$  at indices in  $S$ . let us denote this vector as  $x_S$ . We have:

$$y = \Phi x + \eta = \Phi_S x_S + \eta$$

since elements on indices outside  $S$  are 0.

Since we don't know  $\eta$ , we can ~~use~~ use the following optimisation problem to obtain  $\tilde{x}_S$ :

$$\rightarrow \text{minimise } L(\theta) = \|y - \Phi_S \theta\|_2^2, \quad \theta \in \mathbb{R}^{|S|}$$

The minimizer is  $\tilde{x}_S$ .

The above is a good way of obtaining  $\tilde{x}_S$  if  $\eta$  has elements which are mean 0 gaussian, i.e.,  $\eta_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$ . It is a generally used procedure in most cases anyways. Now let us solve the problem, (note it is convex)

$$L(\theta) = \|y - \Phi_S \theta\|_2^2 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} = -2 \Phi_S^T (y - \Phi_S \theta)$$

At minimizer  $\tilde{x}_S$ ,  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} = 0$

$$\frac{\partial L(\tilde{x}_s)}{\partial \theta} = 0 \Rightarrow -2\Phi_s^T(y - \Phi_s \tilde{x}_s) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \Phi_s^T \Phi_s \tilde{x}_s = \Phi_s^T y$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{x}_s = (\Phi_s^T \Phi_s)^{-1} \Phi_s^T y \quad (\because \Phi_s^T \Phi_s \text{ is invertible})$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\tilde{x}_s = \Phi_s^+ y}, \text{ where } \Phi_s^+ = (\Phi_s^T \Phi_s)^{-1} \Phi_s^T$$

is pseudo-inverse of  $\Phi_s$

We can obtain  $\tilde{x}$  from  $\tilde{x}_s$  by padding zeroes at all indices in  $\tilde{x}_{s^c}$ .

i.e.  $\tilde{x}_{s^c} = 0$ ,  $\tilde{x}_s = \Phi_s^+ y$ , completely gives us  $\tilde{x}$ .

Since  $L(\theta)$  is ~~convex~~ strictly convex, this  $\tilde{x}_s$  is the unique minimizer.

(b) In this part, let us first prove a result:

Result 1: Let  $\theta \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ ,  $A$  has a SVD,  $A = UDV^T$ , ( $U - m \times m$ ,  $V - n \times n$ ) ~~is orthogonal~~ and let ~~the~~ maximum singular value be  $D_{\max}$  and minimum singular value be  $D_{\min}$ . Then

$$D_{\min} \|\theta\|_2 \leq \|A\theta\|_2 \leq D_{\max} \|\theta\|_2$$

Proof: note that  $\|A\theta\|_2^2 = \|UDV^T\theta\|_2^2 = \|DV^T\theta\|_2^2$  ( $\because U$  is unitary / orthogonal)

$$\text{let } \beta = V^T \theta \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\Rightarrow \|A\theta\|_2^2 = \|D\beta\|_2^2$$

let the singular values in the diagonal of  $D$  be  $D_1, D_2, D_3, \dots, D_r$ . ( $r = \min(m, n)$ )

$$\Rightarrow \|D\beta\|_2^2 = \sum_{i=1}^r |D_i \beta_i|^2$$

$D_{\max} \geq D_i \geq D_{\min} > 0 \quad \forall i$ , so

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^r D_{\min}^2 |\beta_i|^2 &\leq \|D\beta\|_2^2 \leq \sum_{i=1}^r D_{\max}^2 |\beta_i|^2 \\ &= D_{\min}^2 \|\beta\|_2^2 &= D_{\max}^2 \|\beta\|_2^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow D_{\min} \|\beta\|_2 \leq \|D\beta\|_2 \leq D_{\max} \|\beta\|_2$$

and

$$\|\beta\|_2 = \|V^T \theta\|_2 = \|\theta\|_2 \quad (\text{V is orthogonal})$$

$$\|D\beta\|_2 = \|A\theta\|_2$$

$$\Rightarrow D_{\min} \|\theta\|_2 \leq \|A\theta\|_2 \leq D_{\max} \|\theta\|_2 \quad \blacksquare$$

Also note that if we picked ~~not~~ a suitable  $\beta$  the equality holds for that  $\beta$  (upper or ~~lower~~ lower). That is, there exist  $\theta_1, \theta_2 \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , such that  $\|A\theta_1\|_2 = D_{\min} \|\theta_1\|_2$  and  $\|A\theta_2\|_2 = D_{\max} \|\theta_2\|_2$ . Keep this in mind as well. (here  $\theta_1, \theta_2 \neq 0$ )

Now, with this result, we can proceed:

$$\|\tilde{x} - x\|_2 = \|\tilde{x}_s - x_s\|_2 = \|\Phi_s^T y - x_s\|_2$$

$$\text{and } \Phi_s^T y = \Phi_s^T (\Phi_s x_s + \eta) = \Phi_s^T \Phi_s x_s + \Phi_s^T \eta$$

$$= x_s + \Phi_s^T \eta$$

$$\text{here, } \Phi_s^T \Phi_s = (\Phi_s^T \Phi_s)^{-1} \Phi_s^T \Phi_s$$

$$= I$$

$$\Rightarrow \|\tilde{x} - x\|_2 = \|\Phi_s^T y - x_s\|_2 = \|\Phi_s^T \eta\|_2$$

And from result 1, if  $\|\Phi_s^+\|_{\min}$  and  $\|\Phi_s^+\|_{\max} = \|\Phi_s^+\|_2$  denote the minimum and maximum singular values of  $\Phi_s^+$ , we have:

$$\|\Phi_s^+\|_{\min} \|\eta\|_2 \leq \|\Phi_s^+ \eta\|_2 \leq \|\Phi_s^+\|_{\max} \|\eta\|_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \|\Phi_s^+\|_{\min} \|\eta\|_2 \leq \|\tilde{x} - x\|_2 \leq \|\Phi_s^+\|_{\max} \|\eta\|_2 \\ = \|\Phi_s^+\|_2 \|\eta\|_2$$

(C) Given  $k = |S|$ , let's ~~XXXXXX~~ consider a vector  $\theta$ , which is non-zero only on indices in  $S$ .  $\therefore \theta$  is  $k$ -sparse. But this also means that  $\theta$  is almost  $2k$  sparse. So, we can say:

$$(1 - \delta_{2k}) \|\theta\|_2^2 \leq \|\Phi \theta\|_2^2 \leq (1 + \delta_{2k}) \|\theta\|_2^2$$

we know  $\|\theta\|_2 = \|\theta_S\|_2$

and  $\Phi \theta = \Phi_S \theta_S$ . So, we can say that  $\forall z \in \mathbb{R}^k$ .

$$(1 - \delta_{2k}) \|z\|_2^2 \leq \|\Phi_S z\|_2^2 \leq (1 + \delta_{2k}) \|z\|_2^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{1 - \delta_{2k}} \|z\|_2 \leq \|\Phi_S z\|_2 \leq \sqrt{1 + \delta_{2k}} \|z\|_2$$

$\|\Phi_S\|_{\min}, \|\Phi_S\|_{\max}$  are min and max, singular values of  $\Phi_S$ . From what we showed earlier, there exist  $z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{R}^k$ , such that

$$(z_1, z_2 \neq 0)$$

$$\|\Phi_S z_1\|_2 = \|\Phi_S\|_{\min} \|z_1\|_2, \|\Phi_S z_2\|_2 = \|\Phi_S\|_{\max} \|z_2\|_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \|\Phi_S\|_{\min} \|z_1\|_2 \geq \sqrt{1 - \delta_{2k}} \|z_1\|_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \|\Phi_S\|_{\min} \geq \sqrt{1 - \delta_{2k}}$$

$$\text{and } \|\Phi_S\|_{\max} \|z_2\|_2 \leq \sqrt{1 + \delta_{2k}} \|z_2\|_2 \Rightarrow \|\Phi_S\|_{\max} \leq \sqrt{1 + \delta_{2k}}$$

Now with this, let us use the following:

Let  $\Phi_S$  have a SVD

$$\Phi_S = UDV^T.$$

Then  $\Phi_S^+$  has a SVD

$$\begin{aligned}\Phi_S^+ &= (\Phi_S^\top \Phi_S)^{-1} \Phi_S^\top \\ &= V(D^\top D)^{-1} D^\top U^\top \\ &= V D^+ U^\top\end{aligned}$$

where  $D^+$  has diagonal values which are reciprocal of diagonal values of  $D$ , that is:

$$D_{ii}^+ = \frac{1}{D_{ii}} \quad (\text{here } D_{ii} \neq 0)$$

and rest of its elements are 0. So, singular values of  $\Phi_S^+$  are reciprocal of singular values of  $\Phi_S$ . In particular:

$$\|\Phi_S^+\|_{\max} = \frac{1}{\|\Phi_S\|_{\min}} \quad \text{and} \quad \|\Phi_S^+\|_{\min} = \frac{1}{\|\Phi_S\|_{\max}}$$

and using

$$\sqrt{1 - \delta_{2k}} \leq \|\Phi_S\|_{\min} \leq \|\Phi_S\|_{\max} \leq \sqrt{1 + \delta_{2k}}$$

we get

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \delta_{2k}}} \leq \|\Phi_S^+\|_{\min} \leq \|\Phi_S^+\|_{\max} \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \delta_{2k}}}$$

which proves the result that

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \delta_{2k}}} \leq \|\Phi_S^+\|_2 = \|\Phi_S^+\|_{\max} \leq \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \delta_{2k}}}$$

(d) From results of (b) and (c) part, we have:

$$\frac{\|\eta\|_2}{\sqrt{1+\delta_{2k}}} \leq \|\Phi_S^+\|_{\min} \|\eta\|_2 \leq \|x - \tilde{x}\|_2 \leq \|\Phi_S^+\|_{\max} \|\eta\|_2 \leq \frac{\|\eta\|_2}{\sqrt{1-\delta_{2k}}}$$

The bound of error  $\|\eta\|_2$  is  $\varepsilon$ , so in the worst case ( $\|\eta\|_2 = \varepsilon$ ), we have:

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\varepsilon}{\sqrt{1+\delta_{2k}}} \leq \|x - \tilde{x}\|_2 \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{\sqrt{1-\delta_{2k}}}$$

On the other hand, theorem 3 for ~~a~~ a  $k$ -sparse  $x$  gives us an error bound:

(here  $x^*$  is the reconstruction using BP)

$$\|x - x^*\|_2 \leq \frac{C_0}{\sqrt{k}} \|x - x_S\|_1 + C_1 \varepsilon = C_1 \varepsilon$$

So,  $\|x - x^*\|_2 \leq C_1 \varepsilon$ , ( $C_1$  depends only on  $\delta_{2k}$ , which means, given  $\Phi$ , which is fixed for given  $\Phi$ )  
 $\|x - x^*\|_2$  is  $O(\varepsilon)$  [big O notation]

and  $\|x - \tilde{x}\|_2$

is  $O(\varepsilon)$  and also  $\Omega(\varepsilon)$ .  $\therefore \|x - \tilde{x}\|_2$  is  $\Theta(\varepsilon)$

Thus  $\|x - \tilde{x}\|_2$  is only a constant factor ~~more~~ than  $\|x - x^*\|_2$ , ~~and~~ and we have: better

$$\|x - \tilde{x}\|_2 \geq \frac{\varepsilon}{\sqrt{1+\delta_{2k}}} \geq \left( \frac{1}{C_1 \sqrt{1+\delta_{2k}}} \right) \|x - x^*\|_2$$

This shows that,  $\|x - x^*\|_2 \leq C_1 \sqrt{1+\delta_{2k}} \|x - \tilde{x}\|_2$  giving us the required justification.

That is,  $x^*$  is different from  $x$  not more than a constant factor times  $\|x - \tilde{x}\|_2$ .

Problem 5:

$$P_1: \min_{\mathbf{x}} \|\mathbf{x}\|_1, \text{ s.t. } \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \mathbf{x}\|_2 \leq \varepsilon$$

$$\text{LASSO: } \min_{\mathbf{x}} J(\mathbf{x}), \quad J(\mathbf{x}) = \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \mathbf{x}\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\mathbf{x}\|_1,$$

Given  $\mathbf{x}$  is a minimizer of LASSO, define  
 $\varepsilon' = \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \mathbf{x}\|_2$ . (for a given  $\lambda > 0$ )

For all vectors  $\theta$ ,  $J(\theta) \geq J(x)$   
 (of same dim as  $x$ )  $\Rightarrow \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \theta\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\theta\|_1 \geq \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi x\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\mathbf{x}\|_1$ ,

$$\Rightarrow \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \theta\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\theta\|_1 \geq (\varepsilon')^2 + \lambda \|\mathbf{x}\|_1,$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \|\theta\|_1 \geq (\varepsilon')^2 - \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \theta\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\mathbf{x}\|_1, \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

now consider all  $\theta$  satisfying  $\|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \theta\|_2 \leq \varepsilon'$ .

$$\text{Thus, } \Rightarrow (\varepsilon')^2 - \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \theta\|_2^2 \geq 0$$

From (1), this gives us:

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \|\theta\|_1 \geq (\varepsilon')^2 - \|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \theta\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\mathbf{x}\|_1 \geq \lambda \|\mathbf{x}\|_1,$$

$$\Rightarrow \|\theta\|_1 \geq \|\mathbf{x}\|_1, \quad (\because \lambda > 0)$$

Thus,  $\nexists \theta$  with  $\|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \theta\|_2 \leq \varepsilon'$ ,  
 we have  $\|\theta\|_1 \geq \|\mathbf{x}\|_1$ .

Thus  $x$  is a minimizer of the problem  
 $P_1$ .

(Note  $x$  also satisfies the required constraint, i.e.,

$$\|\mathbf{y} - \Phi \mathbf{x}\|_2 \leq \varepsilon')$$

### Problem 6 :

$n$  subjects,  $k < n$  are infected. Dorfman pooling with group size  $g$ . [ $n/g$  is integer]

So, number of groups,  $m = \frac{n}{g}$

All  $m$  pools are tested in 1st stage.

If  $R$  of the  $m$  groups test +ve, all members in the  $R$  groups are tested in the second stage. So, number of total tests,  $T = m + Rg$ , as  $Rg$  members are tested in 2<sup>nd</sup> stage.

Now, assuming the  $k$  cases to be uniformly randomly distributed, let  $\beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_3, \dots, \beta_m$  be random variables representing the number of cases in the groups 1 to  $m$ .

We know  $\sum_{i=1}^m \beta_i = k$ , total +ve cases.

So, the random variable  $R$ , which is the number of non-zero  $\beta_i$  (i.e., rows with non-zero cases) is given by :

$$R = \sum_{i=1}^m \mathbb{I}[\beta_i > 0]. \quad (\text{here } \mathbb{I}[X] \text{ is indicator R.V. of event } X)$$

So the random variable  $T$  is:

$$T = m + g \sum_{i=1}^m \mathbb{I}[\beta_i > 0]$$

So, the average number of tests  $\langle T \rangle$ , is the same as  $E[T]$  (expectation of  $T$ )

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle T \rangle &= E[m + g \sum_{i=1}^m \mathbb{I}[\beta_i > 0]] \\
 &= m + g \sum_{i=1}^m E[\mathbb{I}[\beta_i > 0]] \\
 &= m + g \sum_{i=1}^m \Pr[\beta_i > 0] \quad [\because E[\mathbb{I}(X)] = \Pr[X] \rightarrow \text{prob}]
 \end{aligned}$$

Note that due to uniformity and symmetry  $\Pr[\beta_i > 0] = p \forall i \leq m$ .  
 That is all groups ~~all~~  $i$  have the same value of  $\Pr[\beta_i > 0] = p \Rightarrow \langle T \rangle = m + mgp$ .

Note

$$p = \Pr[\beta_i > 0] = 1 - \Pr[\beta_i = 0] \quad (\because \beta_i \text{ takes values in } \mathbb{Z}^+ \cup \{0\})$$

$\Pr[\beta_i = 0]$  can be found by taking number of ways to sample ~~all~~  $g$  subjects from the  $(n-k)$  non-infected subjects:  
 $n_1 = \binom{n-k}{g}$ , and dividing it by the total

number of ways to pick  $g$  out of  $n$  subjects:

$$n_2 = \binom{n}{g} \quad \Pr[\beta_i = 0] = \frac{n_1}{n_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow p = 1 - \Pr[\beta_i = 0] = 1 - \frac{n_1}{n_2} = 1 - \frac{\binom{n-k}{g}}{\binom{n}{g}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle T \rangle = m + gm p = m \left( 1 + g \left( 1 - \frac{\binom{n-k}{g}}{\binom{n}{g}} \right) \right)$$

$$\langle T \rangle = \frac{n}{g} + n \left( 1 - \frac{\binom{n-k}{g}}{\binom{n}{g}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{n}{g} + n \left( 1 - \frac{(n-k)! \cdot (n-g)!}{n! (n-g-k)!} \right)$$

Now consider the worst case, i.e., when  $T$  takes its maximum value. Note that since there are  $k$  total cases, there can be atmost  $k$  groups which give positive result in 1st stage, and this is when  $k$  groups have 1 case each, and rest of the groups have 0 cases. That is, the maximum value of the R.V.,  $R$  is:

$$R_{\max} = k \geq R.$$

so

$$T_{\max} = m + g R_{\max} = m + kg \geq T.$$

$T_{\max}$  is the worst case number of tests.

If  $n, k$  are fixed and  $g$  is the variable which we want to optimise, then we can write:  $T_{\max}(g) = \frac{n}{g} + kg$

$$T_{\max}(g) = \frac{n}{g} + kg, \Rightarrow \frac{dT_{\max}}{dg} = k - \frac{n}{g^2} = 0$$

$\Rightarrow \boxed{g^* = \sqrt{\frac{n}{k}}}$  is the group size which

minimizes  $T_{\max}(g)$ .

So, for worst case:

$$\rightarrow \text{Optimal group size, } g^* = (n/k)^{1/2}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{optimal number of groups, } m^* = \frac{n}{g^*} = (nk)^{1/2}$$

### Problem 1:

(1) For  $\Phi$ , if  $\delta_{2s} = 1$ . Then  $\Phi$  is sparse  
 $\Theta$ , we have

$$0 \leq \|\Phi\Theta\|_2^2 \leq 2\|\Theta\|_2^2 \rightarrow \text{not necessarily however}$$

and thus it may be possible that

$$\|\Phi\Theta\|_2 = 0 \text{ for some non-zero } 2s\text{-sparse}$$

~~elements~~ of  $\Theta$ . If  $S_1$  is the set of indices of non-zero elements of  $\Theta$ , then  $\|\Phi_{S_1}\Theta_{S_1}\|_2 = 0$  [ $|S_1| \leq 2s$ ]

$$\Rightarrow \Phi_{S_1}\Theta_{S_1} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i \in S_1} \Phi_i \Theta_i = 0, \text{ and } \Theta_{S_1} \neq 0$$

This means that columns of  $\Phi_{S_1}$  are linearly ~~independent~~ dependent, i.e., ~~the~~  $\Phi$  may have  $2s$  linearly dependent columns.

(2)  $\|\Phi(x^* - x)\|_{\ell_2} = \|(\Phi(x^*) - y) + (y - \Phi x)\|_{\ell_2}$   
 by triangular inequality, we have:

$$\|(\Phi x^* - y) + (y - \Phi x)\|_{\ell_2} \leq \|\Phi x^* - y\|_{\ell_2} + \|y - \Phi x\|_{\ell_2}$$

We also know:  $y = \Phi x + \eta$  where  $\varepsilon \geq \|\eta\|_{\ell_2}$   
 so  $\|y - \Phi x\|_{\ell_2} = \|\eta\|_{\ell_2} \leq \varepsilon$

Also to find  $x^*$ , a constraint is that

$$\|y - \Phi x^*\|_{\ell_2} \leq \varepsilon \quad [\text{constraint in BP}]$$

$$\text{So: } \|y - \Phi x^*\|_{\ell_2} + \|y - \Phi x\|_{\ell_2} \leq \varepsilon + \varepsilon = 2\varepsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow \|\Phi(x^* - x)\|_{\ell_2} \leq \|\Phi x^* - y\|_{\ell_2} + \|y - \Phi x\|_{\ell_2} \leq 2\varepsilon$$

(3) First let us show  $\|x\|_{\ell_2} \leq \|x\|_{\ell_\infty} s^{1/2}$

+  $s$ -sparse  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$  for some given  $n$ .

for this let  $x_i$  be the  $i$ th element of  $x$ ,  
and  $S_0$  be the set of indices with non-zero  
elements of  $x$ :  ~~$|S_0| \leq s$~~  (here  $|S_0| = s$ )

$$\|x\|_{\ell_2}^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2 = \sum_{i \in S_0} |x_i|^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{here } \|x\|_{\ell_\infty} &\leq \sum_{i \in S_0} \|x\|_{\ell_\infty}^2 = |S_0| \|x\|_{\ell_\infty}^2 \\ &= \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i|) && \leq s \|x\|_{\ell_\infty}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } \|x\|_{\ell_2}^2 \leq s \|x\|_{\ell_\infty}^2 \Rightarrow \|x\|_{\ell_2} \leq s^{1/2} \|x\|_{\ell_\infty}$$

Note that  $h_{T_j}$  is also  $s$ -sparse, so

$$\|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_2} \leq s^{1/2} \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_\infty}$$

now we know that all <sup>non-zero</sup> coefficients of  
 $h_{T_{j-1}}$  are larger (in magnitude) than  
all coefficients of  $h_{T_j}$ , by the way

all  $h_{T_j}$ 's are chosen. If  ~~$h_{T_{j-1}} = z$~~

$$\Rightarrow \|z\|_{\ell_1} = \sum_{i \in S} |z_i| \geq \sum_{i \in S} \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_\infty}$$

where  $S$  is indices of  $z$  with non-zero coefficients.

and  $|z_i| \geq \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_\infty}$  follows from the earlier  
argument. So:  $\|z\|_{\ell_1} \geq \sum_{i \in S} \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_\infty} = s \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_\infty}$

$$\Rightarrow \|z\|_{\ell_1} \geq s \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_\infty} \geq s^{1/2} \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_2} \leq s^{1/2} \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_\infty} \leq \frac{\|h_{T_{j-1}}\|_{\ell_1}}{s^{1/2}}$$

$\therefore$  proved.

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(4) From last part  $\|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_2} \leq s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|h_{T_{j-1}}\|_{\ell_2}$   $\forall j \geq 2$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so } \sum_{j \geq 2} \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_2} &\leq \sum_{j \geq 2} s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|h_{T_{j-1}}\|_{\ell_2} \\ &= s^{-\frac{1}{2}} (\|h_{T_1}\|_{\ell_2} + \|h_{T_2}\|_{\ell_2} + \dots) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{now note that } T_0^c &= T_1 \cup T_2 \cup T_3 \dots \\ &= \bigcup_{j \geq 1} T_j \end{aligned}$$

so

$$\begin{aligned} \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_2} &= \sum_{i \in T_0^c} |h_i| = \sum_{i \in T_1} |h_i| + \sum_{i \in T_2} |h_i| \\ &\quad + \sum_{i \in T_3} |h_i| + \dots \\ &= \sum_{j \geq 1} \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_2} = \|h_{T_1}\|_{\ell_2} + \|h_{T_2}\|_{\ell_2} + \dots \quad \boxed{\geq \sum_{j \geq 2} \|h_{T_{j-1}}\|_{\ell_2}} \\ \therefore \sum_{j \geq 2} \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_2} &\leq s^{-\frac{1}{2}} (\|h_{T_1}\|_{\ell_2} + \|h_{T_2}\|_{\ell_2} + \dots) \\ &\leq s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_2} \quad = s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \sum_{j \geq 2} \|h_{T_{j-1}}\|_{\ell_2} \end{aligned}$$

(5) note that  $(T_0 \cup T_1)^c = \bigcup_{j \geq 2} T_j = T_2 \cup T_3 \cup T_4 \cup \dots$

$$\text{so } h_{(T_0 \cup T_1)^c} = \sum_{j \geq 2} h_{T_j} \Rightarrow \|h_{(T_0 \cup T_1)^c}\|_{\ell_2} = \|\sum_{j \geq 2} h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_2}$$

$$\|\sum_{j \geq 2} h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_2} \leq \sum_{j \geq 2} \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_2} \quad (\text{by triangular inequality})$$

$$\text{from last part } \sum_{j \geq 2} \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_2} \leq s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_2},$$

$$\therefore \|h_{(T_0 \cup T_1)^c}\|_{\ell_2} \leq \sum_{j \geq 2} \|h_{T_j}\|_{\ell_2} \leq s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_2},$$

(6)  $\|x^*\|_{\ell_1} = \|x + h\|_{\ell_1}$  is a minimum  
for the BP optimisation problem

so  $\forall z$  with  $\|y - \Phi z\|_{\ell_2} \leq \varepsilon \Rightarrow \|z\|_{\ell_1} \geq \|x^*\|_{\ell_1}$   
since  $\|y - \Phi z\|_{\ell_2} = \|y\|_{\ell_2} \leq \varepsilon$   
 $\Rightarrow \|z\|_{\ell_1} \geq \|x^*\|_{\ell_1}$

so

$$\|x\|_{\ell_1} \geq \|x + h\|_{\ell_1} = \sum_{i \in (T_0 \cup T_0^c)} |x_i + h_i|$$

$$= \sum_{i \in T_0} |x_i + h_i| + \sum_{i \in T_0^c} |x_i + h_i|$$

now  $|x_i + h_i| \geq |x_i| - |h_i| \Rightarrow \sum_{i \in T_0} |x_i + h_i| \geq \sum_{i \in T_0} |x_i| - \sum_{i \in T_0} |h_i|$   
(triangle inequality)  
 $\Rightarrow \sum_{i \in T_0} |x_i + h_i| \geq \|x_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} - \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1}$

similarly,  $|x_i + h_i| \geq |h_i| - |x_i|$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i \in T_0^c} |x_i + h_i| \geq \cancel{\sum_{i \in T_0}} \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} - \|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \|x\|_{\ell_1} \geq \|x_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} - \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} + \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} - \|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1}$$

(7) From last part :

$$\|x\|_{\ell_1} \geq \|x_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} + \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} - \|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} - \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} &\leq \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} + \|x_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} + \|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} - \|x_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1}, \\ &= \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} + \|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} + (\|x\|_{\ell_1} - \|x_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1}) \end{aligned}$$

now we know  $x = x_{T_0} + x_{T_0^c}$ .

$$\Rightarrow \|x\|_{\ell_1} = \|x_{T_0} + x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} \leq \|x_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} + \|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\|x\|_{\ell_1} - \|x_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1}) \leq \|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} \quad (\text{by } \ell_1 \text{ norm triangular inequality})$$

so from this <sup>↑ (In fact an equality holds)</sup>

$$\begin{aligned} \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} &\leq \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} + \|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} + (\|x\|_{\ell_1} - \|x_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1}) \\ &\leq \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} + 2\|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} \end{aligned}$$

∴ proved.

(8) Results from previous parts :

$$(i) \|h_{(T_0 \cup T_1)^c}\|_{\ell_2} \leq s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1}$$

$$(ii) \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} \leq \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} + 2\|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1}$$

From (i) and (ii), clearly,  $\|h_{(T_0 \cup T_1)^c}\|_{\ell_2} \leq s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} + 2s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{now let } e_0 &\equiv s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1}, \\ &= s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|x - x_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} = s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|x - x_s\|_{\ell_1}, \end{aligned}$$

and note that

$$\|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} = \sum_{i \in T_0} |h_{il}| \leq |T_0| \sqrt{\left( \sum_{i \in T_0} |h_{il}|^2 \right) \times \frac{1}{|T_0|}}$$

(by RMS  $\geq$  AM inequality)

$$\Rightarrow \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} \leq \sqrt{|T_0|} \sqrt{\sum_{i \in T_0} |h_{il}|^2} = \sqrt{s} \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} \leq \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2}$$

This gives us  $\|h_{(T_0 \cup T_1)^c}\|_{\ell_2} \leq \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2} + 2e_0$ .

(9) Firstly, by cauchy schwartz inequality,

$$\begin{aligned} |\langle \Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1}, \Phi h \rangle| &\leq \| \Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1} \|_{\ell_2} \| \Phi h \|_{\ell_2} \\ &\leq \| \Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1} \|_{\ell_2} \| \Phi h \|_{\ell_2} \end{aligned}$$

now, from an earlier part, we have:

$$\| \Phi h \|_{\ell_2} = \| \Phi(x^* - x) \|_{\ell_2} \leq 2\varepsilon \quad \textcircled{1}$$

Moreover, by the RIP of  $\Phi$  and since  $h_{T_0 \cup T_1}$  is  $2s$  sparse, we have:

$$\| \Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1} \|_{\ell_2}^2 \leq (1 + \delta_{2s}) \| h_{T_0 \cup T_1} \|_{\ell_2}^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \| \Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1} \|_{\ell_2} \leq \sqrt{1 + \delta_{2s}} \| h_{T_0 \cup T_1} \|_{\ell_2} \quad \textcircled{2}$$

From  $\textcircled{1}$  and  $\textcircled{2}$ , we can conclude:

$$|\langle \Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1}, \Phi h \rangle| \leq 2\varepsilon \sqrt{1 + \delta_{2s}} \| h_{T_0 \cup T_1} \|_{\ell_2}$$

(10) In the paper Lemma 2.1 states and proves that

$$|\langle \Phi x, \Phi x' \rangle| \leq \delta_{s+s'} \| x \|_{\ell_2} \| x' \|_{\ell_2}$$

where  $x$  is  $s$ -sparse and  $x'$  is  $s'$ -sparse

In our case  $h_{T_0}$  and  $h_{T_j}$  are both  $s$ -sparse  
+  $j$ . So directly from Lemma 2.1:

$$\begin{aligned} |\langle \Phi h_{T_0}, \Phi h_{T_j} \rangle| &\leq \delta_{s+s} \| h_{T_0} \|_{\ell_2} \| h_{T_j} \|_{\ell_2} \\ &= \delta_{2s} \| h_{T_0} \|_{\ell_2} \| h_{T_j} \|_{\ell_2} \end{aligned}$$

The same holds for  $T_1$  in place of  $T_0$  as  $T_1$  is also  $s$ -sparse.

(II) note that  $T_0$  and  $T_1$  are disjoint. So

$$\begin{aligned}\|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2}^2 &= \sum_{i \in T_0 \cup T_1} |h_i|^2 = \sum_{i \in T_0} |h_i|^2 + \sum_{i \in T_1} |h_i|^2 \\ &= \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2}^2 + \|h_{T_1}\|_{\ell_2}^2\end{aligned}$$

so, by RMS  $\geq$  AM inequality, we get :

$$\sqrt{\left(\frac{\|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2}^2 + \|h_{T_1}\|_{\ell_2}^2}{2}\right)} \geq \frac{1}{2} (\|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2} + \|h_{T_1}\|_{\ell_2})$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{(\|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2}^2)} \geq \frac{1}{2} (\|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2} + \|h_{T_1}\|_{\ell_2})$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{2} \|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2} \geq \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2} + \|h_{T_1}\|_{\ell_2} \quad \blacksquare$$

(12) From the RIP of  $\Phi$  and using the fact that  $h_{T_0 \cup T_1}$  is  $2s$ -sparse, we get:

$$(1 - \delta_{2s}) \|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2}^2 \leq \|\Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2}^2$$

$$\text{and } \|\Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2}^2 = \langle \Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1}, \Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1} \rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \langle \Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1}, (\Phi h - \sum_{j \geq 2} \Phi h_{T_j}) \rangle \quad [\because h = \\&\quad \cancel{\Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1}} + \cancel{\sum_{j \geq 2} \Phi h_{T_j}}] \\&= \langle \Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1}, \Phi h \rangle - \sum_{j \geq 2} \langle \Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1}, \Phi h_{T_j} \rangle\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \langle \Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1}, \Phi h \rangle - \sum_{j \geq 2} \langle \Phi h_{T_0}, \Phi h_{T_j} \rangle - \sum_{j \geq 2} \langle \Phi h_{T_1}, \Phi h_{T_j} \rangle \\&\leq |\langle \Phi h_{T_0 \cup T_1}, \Phi h \rangle| \quad (\because)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}&\quad + \sum_{j \geq 2} |\langle \Phi h_{T_0}, \Phi h_{T_j} \rangle| \quad h_{T_0 \cup T_1} \\&\quad + \sum_{j \geq 2} |\langle \Phi h_{T_1}, \Phi h_{T_j} \rangle|\end{aligned}$$

From result in previous parts, we have:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \| \Phi h_{T_0 \text{UT}_1} \|_{\ell_2}^2 &\leq |\langle \Phi h_{T_0 \text{UT}_1}, \Phi h \rangle| + \sum_{j \geq 2} |\langle \Phi h_{T_0}, \Phi h_{T_j} \rangle| \\
 &\quad + \sum_{j \geq 2} |\langle \Phi h_{T_1}, \Phi h_{T_j} \rangle| \\
 &\leq 2\varepsilon \sqrt{1+\delta_{2s}} \| h_{T_0 \text{UT}_1} \|_{\ell_2} \\
 &\quad + \sum_{j \geq 2} (\delta_{2s} (\| h_{T_0} \|_{\ell_2} + \| h_{T_1} \|_{\ell_2}) \| h_{T_j} \|_{\ell_2}) \\
 &\leq 2\varepsilon \sqrt{1+\delta_{2s}} \| h_{T_0 \text{UT}_1} \|_{\ell_2} + \sqrt{2} \delta_{2s} \left( \sum_{j \geq 2} \| h_{T_j} \|_{\ell_2} \| h_{T_0 \text{UT}_1} \|_{\ell_2} \right) \\
 &= \| h_{T_0 \text{UT}_1} \|_{\ell_2} (2\varepsilon \sqrt{1+\delta_{2s}} + \sqrt{2} \delta_{2s} \sum_{j \geq 2} \| h_{T_j} \|_{\ell_2})
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we have proved that:

$$(1-\delta_{2s}) \| h_{T_0 \text{UT}_1} \|_{\ell_2}^2 \leq \| \Phi h_{T_0 \text{UT}_1} \|_{\ell_2}^2 \leq \| h_{T_0 \text{UT}_1} \|_{\ell_2} (2\varepsilon \sqrt{1+\delta_{2s}} + \sqrt{2} \delta_{2s} \sum_{j \geq 2} \| h_{T_j} \|_{\ell_2})$$

(13) from result of last part : (canceling  
 $0 \neq \| h_{T_0 \text{UT}_1} \|_{\ell_2}$  on both sides)

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1-\delta_{2s}) \| h_{T_0 \text{UT}_1} \|_{\ell_2} &\leq (2\sqrt{1+\delta_{2s}}) \varepsilon \\
 &\quad + \sqrt{2} \delta_{2s} \sum_{j \geq 2} \| h_{T_j} \|_{\ell_2}
 \end{aligned}$$

(note that  
if  
 $\| h_{T_0 \text{UT}_1} \|_{\ell_2} = 0$

now, from result of earlier  
parts:  $\sum_{j \geq 2} \| h_{T_j} \|_{\ell_2} \leq s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \| h_{T_0^c} \|_{\ell_2}$ ,  
then the inequality holds  
anyways ( $\varepsilon \geq 0$ )

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{so, } (1-\delta_{2s}) \| h_{T_0 \text{UT}_1} \|_{\ell_2} &\leq (2\sqrt{1+\delta_{2s}}) \varepsilon \\
 &\quad + \sqrt{2} \delta_{2s} s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \| h_{T_0^c} \|_{\ell_2} \\
 \Rightarrow \| h_{T_0 \text{UT}_1} \|_{\ell_2} &\leq \alpha \varepsilon + \rho s^{-\frac{1}{2}} \| h_{T_0^c} \|_{\ell_2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{where } \alpha \equiv \frac{2\sqrt{1+\delta_{2s}}}{(1-\delta_{2s})}, \quad \rho \equiv \frac{\sqrt{2} \delta_{2s}}{(1-\delta_{2s})}$$

(14) From last part and part 7-8, we have:

$$\|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} \leq s^{1/2} \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} &\leq s^{1/2} \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2} + 2\|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} \\ &= s^{1/2} \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2} + 2s^{1/2} (\|x - x_s\|_{\ell_1} s^{-1/2}) \\ &= s^{1/2} (\|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2} + 2e_0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow s^{-1/2} \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} \leq \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2} + 2e_0$$

so from last part:

$$\begin{aligned} \|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2} &\leq \alpha \varepsilon + \rho(s^{-1/2} \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1}) \\ &\leq \alpha \varepsilon + \rho \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2} + 2\rho e_0 \end{aligned}$$

now

$$\|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_2}^2 + \|h_{T_1}\|_{\ell_2}^2 = \|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2}^2 \geq \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2}^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2} \geq \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2}$$

so,

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2} &\leq \alpha \varepsilon + \rho \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2} + 2\rho e_0 \\ &\leq \alpha \varepsilon + \rho \|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2} + 2\rho e_0 \end{aligned}$$

$$(15) \|h\|_{\ell_2} = \|h_{(T_0 \cup T_1)^c} + h_{(T_0 \cup T_1)^c}\|_{\ell_2}$$

$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \because h \\ = h_{T_0 \cup T_1} \\ + h_{(T_0 \cup T_1)^c} \end{array} \right]$

$$\leq \|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2} + \|h_{(T_0 \cup T_1)^c}\|_{\ell_2} \quad (\text{triangle ineq.})$$

and we proved in part 8 that:

$$\begin{aligned} \|h_{(T_0 \cup T_1)^c}\|_{\ell_2} &\leq \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2} + 2e_0 \quad (\because \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2} \\ &\leq \|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2} + 2e_0 \quad \leq \|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2}) \end{aligned}$$

so

$$\begin{aligned} \|h\|_{\ell_2} &\leq \|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2} + (\|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2} + 2e_0) \\ &= 2\|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2} + 2e_0 \end{aligned}$$

From last part, we have:

$$\|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2} \leq (1-p)^{-1} (\alpha \varepsilon + 2pe_0)$$

So, putting it together:

$$\begin{aligned} \|h\|_{\ell_2} &\leq 2\|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2} + 2e_0 \\ &\leq 2[(1-p)^{-1}(\alpha \varepsilon + 2pe_0) + e_0] \\ &= 2(1-p)^{-1}(\alpha \varepsilon + 2pe_0 + (1-p)e_0) \\ &= 2(1-p)^{-1}(\alpha \varepsilon + (1+p)e_0) \quad \blacksquare \end{aligned}$$

$$(16) \|h\|_{\ell_1} = \|h_{T_0} + h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} = \|h_{T_0 \cup T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1}$$

( $T_0, T_0^c$  are disjoint)

$$= \sum_{i \in T_0 \cup T_0^c} |h_i| = \sum_{i \in T_0} |h_i| + \sum_{i \in T_0^c} |h_i|$$

$$= \cancel{\sum_{i \in T_0} |h_i|} = \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} + \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1}$$

In lemma 2.2 we proved:

$$\begin{aligned} \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} &\leq s^{1/2} \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_2} \leq s^{1/2} \|h_{T_0 \cup T_1}\|_{\ell_2} \\ &\leq s^{1/2} (\alpha \times 0 + ps^{-1/2} \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_2}) \\ \Rightarrow \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} &\leq p \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1}, \quad (\varepsilon = 0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, } \|h\|_{\ell_1} \leq \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} (1+p)$$

and from prev. parts.  $\|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} \leq 2(1-p)^{-1} \|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \|h\|_{\ell_1} &\leq 2(1+p)(1-p)^{-1} \|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} \\ \therefore \text{proved.} & \quad \left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{we proved earlier} \leftarrow \\ \text{explanation} \end{array} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} &\leq \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} + 2\|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} \\ &\leq p \|h_{T_0}\|_{\ell_1} + 2\|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} \\ \Rightarrow (1-p) \|h_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} &\leq 2\|x_{T_0^c}\|_{\ell_1} \end{aligned}$$

# Assignment - 2 (Problem - 3)

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## 1 Problem - 3

The definition of the Restricted Isometry Constant (RIC) is as follows: the RIC  $\delta_s$  of a matrix  $A$  of size  $m \times n$  is the smallest value  $x$  such that:

$$(1 - x)\|\theta\|^2 \leq \|A\theta\|^2 \leq (1 + x)\|\theta\|^2 \quad (1)$$

where  $\theta$  is an  $s$ -sparse  $n \times 1$  vector.

Thus, if there exists a  $y$  such that  $(1 - y)\|\theta\|^2 \leq \|A\theta\|^2 \leq (1 + y)\|\theta\|^2$  then  $\delta_s \leq y$ . Now suppose we have two positive integers  $s$  and  $t$  with corresponding RICs  $\delta_s$  and  $\delta_t$  respectively and  $s \leq t$ , then it is clear that for any  $t$ -sparse vector  $\theta_t$ ,

$$(1 - \delta_t)\|\theta_t\|^2 \leq \|A\theta_t\|^2 \leq (1 + \delta_t)\|\theta\|^2 \quad (2)$$

Any  $s$ -sparse vector  $\theta_s$  will also be a  $t$ -sparse vector as  $s \leq t$ . Thus, for any  $s$ -sparse vector  $\theta_s$ ,

$$(1 - \delta_t)\|\theta_s\|^2 \leq \|A\theta_s\|^2 \leq (1 + \delta_t)\|\theta\|^2 \quad (3)$$

From our previous conclusion, we can conclude that for such a number  $\delta_t$  then  $\delta_s \leq \delta_t$ .

Q.E.D.

# Assignment - 2 (Problem - 4)

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## 1 Details of the Paper

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## 2 Imaging System

In this system, we have a set of  $M_t$  transmitters and  $N_r$  receivers. Each transmitter transmits periodic narrow-band pulses of duration  $T_p$  and pulse repetition interval  $T$ . Let  $L$  denote the number of  $T - s$ -spaced samples of the transmitted waveforms within one pulse.  $T_s$  is also the time duration of one sub-pulse,  $T_s = \frac{T_p}{L}$ . The compressive receiver is pre-multiplies by matrix  $\Phi_l$  a  $T_s$ -sampled version of the received pulse. The size of  $\Phi_l$  is  $M \times (L + L)$ , where  $L = \frac{2R_u}{c}$  where  $R_u$  is the maximum unambiguous range. A suitable basis matrix  $\Psi_{lm}$  is also chosen and a new matrix  $S_{lm} = \Phi_l \Psi_{lm}$  is constructed.

## 3 Sensing Matrix Construction

In this paper, we are trying to optimize the sum of coherence of two columns of the matrix  $S$  which is  $\Sigma_{k \neq k'} \mu_{k,k'}$  along with a new property called SIR (Signal to Interference Ratio). This interference occurring in the radar measurement is assumed to be i.i.d. Gaussian with zero mean i.e.  $n_{lm}(t) \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$ . Specifically, we have the following optimization problem:

$$\min_{\Phi} (\Sigma_{k \neq k'} \mu_{k,k'} + \frac{\lambda}{SIR}) \quad (1)$$

Where,  $\lambda$  is a tradeoff coefficient.

Here, we need to enforce the constraint on the sensing matrix such that the columns of  $S$  should have unity norm. Applying this condition, we get that,

$$SIR = \frac{1}{Tr(\Phi^H \Phi)} \quad (2)$$

This is a convex optimization problem and can be solved using the CVX functionality in Matlab.

## 4 Simulation Results

This design improves the Signal to Interference Ratio in signals thereby reducing the effects of interference caused in Radar Signals as can be seen from the graph below:

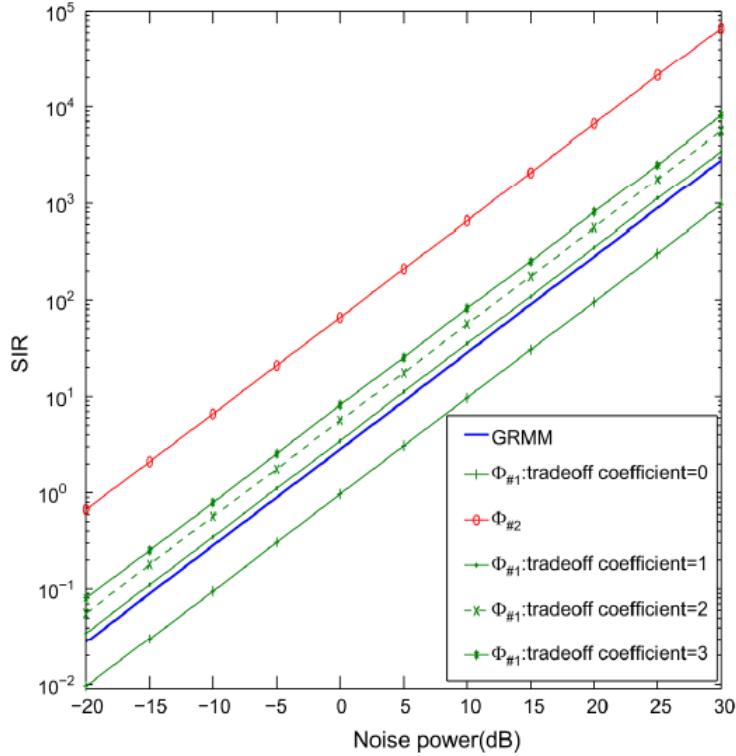


Figure 1: SIR values as the tradeoff coefficient is varied