

Deep Ridgelet Transform: Harmonic Analysis for Deep Neural Networks

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Self-Introduction—Sho Sonoda

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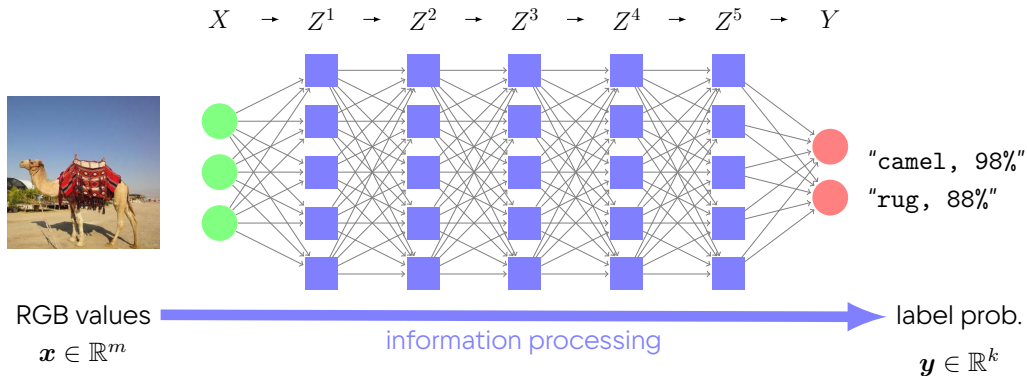
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Backgrounds:

- **Neural Network Theory** based on
 - harmonic analysis, differential equations
- Machine Learning Applications for...
 - theorem proving, quantum machine learning, autonomous driving, EEG analysis, steel making

Q. What is a typical solution obtained by deep learning?



- Want to identify what solution is typically acquired via deep learning
- Want to know why (and when) deep learning performs better (than shallow networks)

Problem Formulation

Problem (NN Learning Equation)

Given a data generating function $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, find a parameter γ of DNN satisfying

$$\text{DNN}[\gamma] = f.$$

We call a solution operator $R = \text{DNN}^\dagger$ the *ridgelet transform*, which satisfies

$$\text{DNN}[R[f]] = f.$$

Today's setting:

- Depth-2 fully-connected NN on Euclidean space $X = \mathbb{R}^m$
and
- Depth- n fully-connected NN on Euclidean space $X = \mathbb{R}^m$

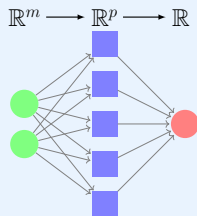
Shallow neural network (SNN)

Definition (single-hidden-layer fully-connected neural network)

For any function $\sigma : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$,

$$\text{SNN}(\mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\theta}) := \sum_{i=1}^p c_i \sigma(\mathbf{a}_i \cdot \mathbf{x} - b_i), \quad \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^m$$

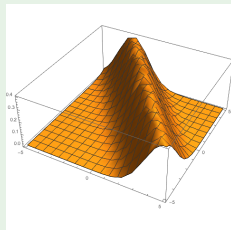
Here $\boldsymbol{\theta} = \{(\mathbf{a}_i, b_i, c_i)\}_{i=1}^p \subset \mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ is the parameters



Visual Example: single Gaussian hidden unit

- input dimension $m = 2$
- hidden layer width $p = 1$
- activation function $\sigma(t) = \exp(-t^2/2)$

$$\text{SNN}(\mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\theta}) = c\sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b), \quad \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^2$$



Visual understanding of how SNN approximates functions

Theorem (Universal Approximation Property, or Universality)

A SNN can approximate any continuous function

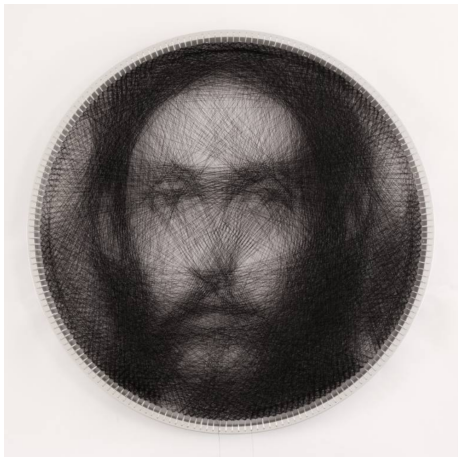


Figure: Petros Vrellis, Knit#1, 2016

Recap:

$$\text{SNN}(\mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \sum_{i=1}^p c_i \sigma(\mathbf{a}_i \cdot \mathbf{x} - b_i)$$

\mathbf{a} : width and direction of a ridge

b : location of a ridge

c : height of a ridge

drawing method by lines

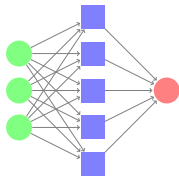
- Fourier series expansion, X-ray tomography

drawing method by points (pixels/dots)

- pixel art, computer screen, kernel regression

Integral Representation of Neural Network $S[\gamma]$

Finite-width (Discrete, or "Ordinary") NN



- $\text{SNN}(\mathbf{x}; \theta_p) = \sum_{i=1}^p c_i \sigma(\mathbf{a}_i \cdot \mathbf{x} - b_i)$

- *nonlinear* parameters: $\theta_p = \{(\mathbf{a}_i, b_i, c_i)\}_{i=1}^p \in \mathbb{R}^{(m+2)p}$

continuum limit

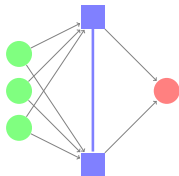


discretization



$$\gamma_p = \sum_{i=1}^p c_i \delta(\mathbf{a}_i, b_i)$$

Infinite-width (Continuous, or Integral Representation of) NN



- $S[\gamma](\mathbf{x}) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}} \gamma(\mathbf{a}, b) \sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b) d\mathbf{a} db$

- *linear* parameter: $\gamma \in \text{Map}(\mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C})$

Ridgelet Transform $R[f; \rho]$

Definition (Ridgelet Transform)

For any function $f : \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ and $\rho : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, put

$$R[f; \rho](\mathbf{a}, b) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} f(\mathbf{x}) \overline{\rho(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b)} d\mathbf{x}, \quad (\mathbf{a}, b) \in \mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}.$$

Theorem (Reconstruction Formula)

For any $\sigma \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R})$, $\rho \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R})$ and $f \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^m)$, we have

$$S[R[f; \rho]](\mathbf{x}) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}} R[f; \rho](\mathbf{a}, b) \sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b) d\mathbf{a} db = ((\sigma, \rho)) f(\mathbf{x}), \quad \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^m$$

where $((\sigma, \rho)) = (2\pi)^{m-1} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \sigma^\sharp(\omega) \overline{\rho^\sharp(\omega)} |\omega|^{-m} d\omega$ and \sharp denotes the Fourier transform

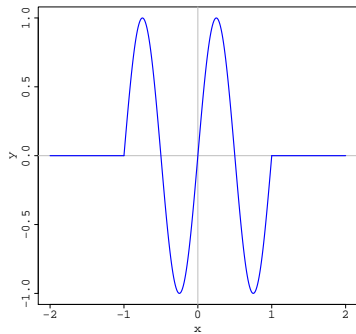
- Meaning 1: Continuous NN is a universal approximator
- Meaning 2: R and S play the same role as Fourier F and inverse Fourier F^{-1} transforms:

$$F^{-1}[F[f]](\mathbf{x}) = (2\pi)^{-m} \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} F[f](\boldsymbol{\xi}) e^{i\mathbf{x} \cdot \boldsymbol{\xi}} d\boldsymbol{\xi} = f(\mathbf{x})$$

Numerical Example of Ridgelet Transform $R[f; \rho](a, b)$

- $f(x) = \sin(2\pi x) \mathbf{1}_{[-1,1]}(x)$
- $R[f; \rho](a, b) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x) \rho(ax - b) dx \approx \sum_i \sin(2\pi x_i) \rho(ax_i - b) \Delta x$
- $\rho_2(b) := H[\rho_0^{(2)}](b)$ with $\rho_0(b) := \exp(-b^2/2)$

where H is Hilbert transform, $H[\rho_0]$ is the [Dawson function](#)



data $f(x)$

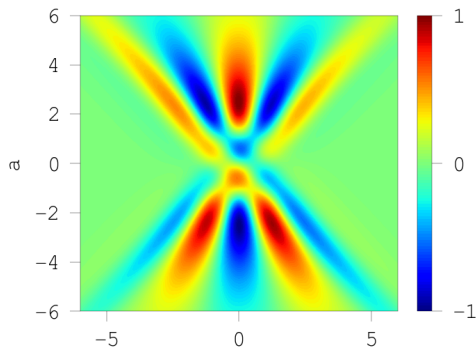
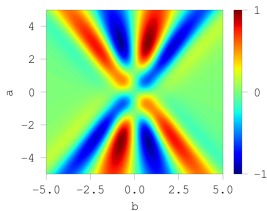


image $R[f; \rho_2](a, b)$

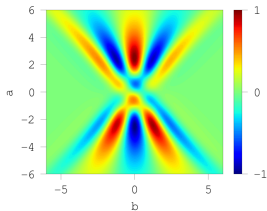
Visualization Results of Reconstruction Formula $S[R[f; \rho]] = ((\sigma, \rho))f$

- $\rho_k := H\rho_0^{(k)}$, $\sigma(b) = \tanh(b)$
- $S[R[f; \rho]] = ((\sigma, \rho))f \equiv 0$ (degenerate) when $((\sigma, \rho_k)) = 0$

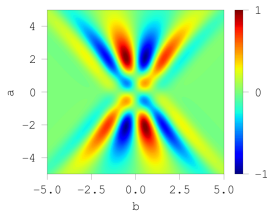
$((\sigma, \rho_1)) = 0$



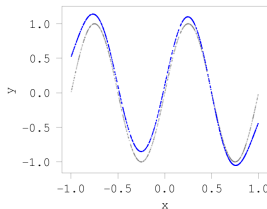
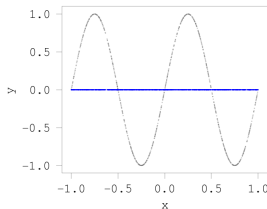
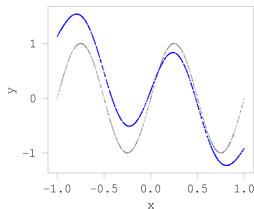
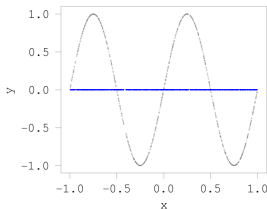
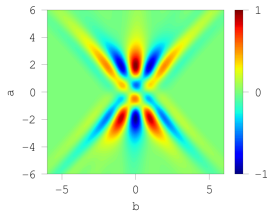
$((\sigma, \rho_2)) \neq 0$



$((\sigma, \rho_3)) = 0$



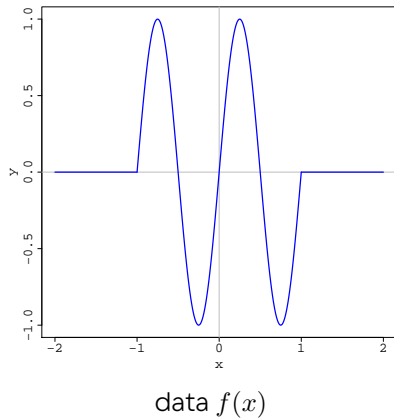
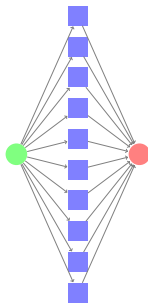
$((\sigma, \rho_4)) \neq 0$



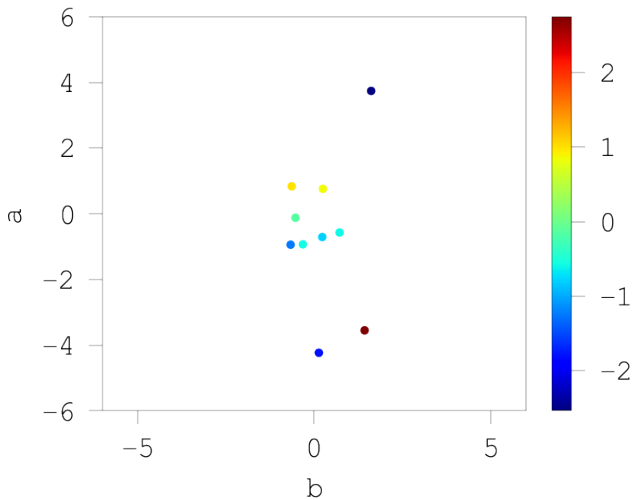
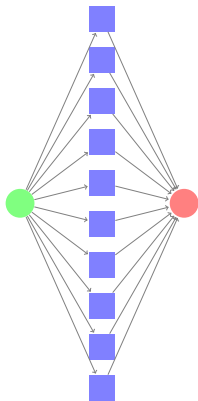
How the parameter distribution looks like?

We will train many ($n = 1,000$) neural networks $\text{SNN}(x; \theta) = \sum_{j=1}^p c_j \sigma(a_j \cdot x - b_j)$ with $p = 10$ hidden units, and see the distribution of trained parameters (a_j, b_j, c_j) .

- $f(x) = \sin(2\pi x) \mathbf{1}_{[-1,1]}(x)$
- $\sigma(z) = \tanh(z)$
- $\hat{L}(\theta)$ is square error loss
- SGD with weight decay

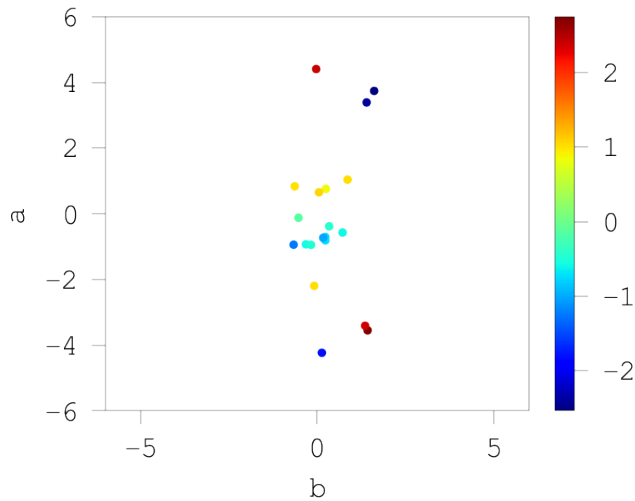
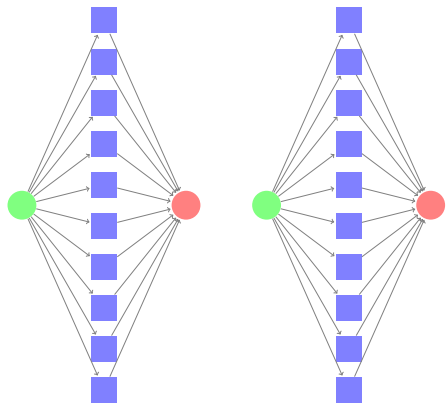


A scatter plot of $d \times n = 10$ hidden parameters (a_j, b_j, c_j) obtained from $n = 1$ neural network $\sum_{j=1}^d c_j \sigma(a_j \cdot x - b_j)$ with $p = 10$ hidden units.



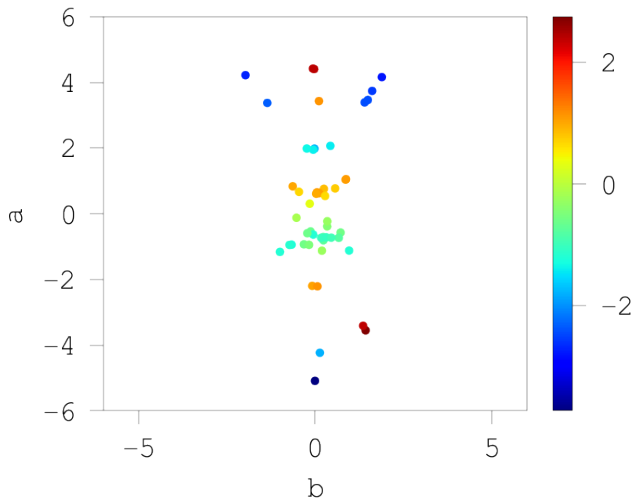
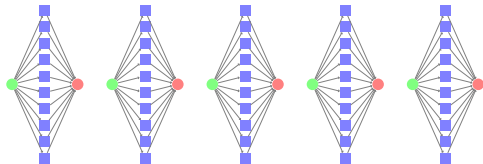
$\arg \min \hat{L}(\theta)$

A scatter plot of $d \times n = 20$ hidden parameters (a_j, b_j, c_j) obtained from $n = 2$ neural networks with $p = 10$ hidden units.



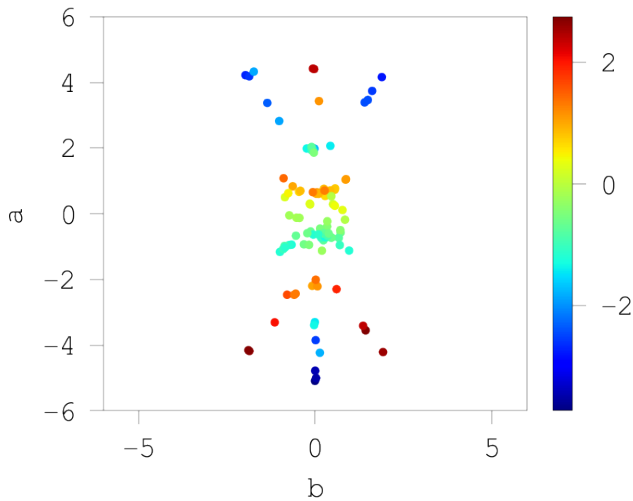
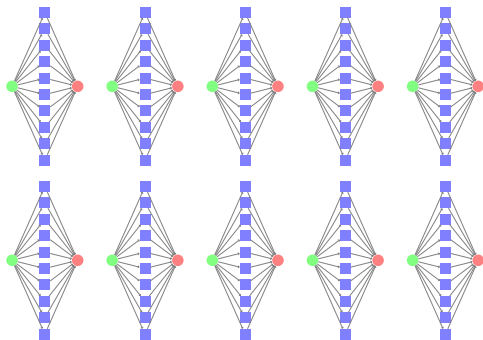
$$\arg \min \hat{L}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$$

A scatter plot of $d \times n = 50$ hidden parameters (a_j, b_j, c_j) obtained from $n = 5$ neural networks with $p = 10$ hidden units.



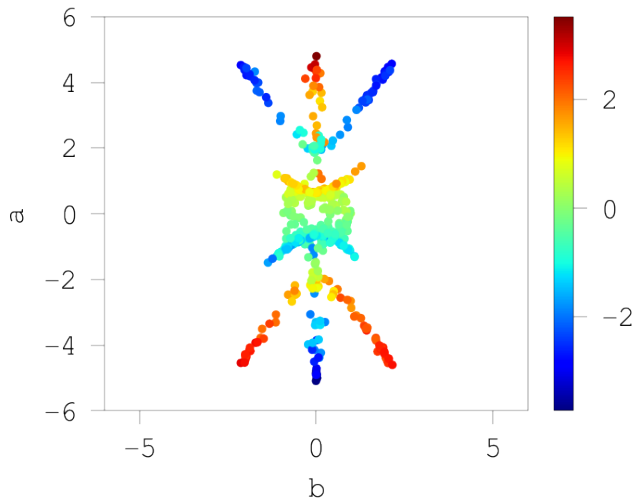
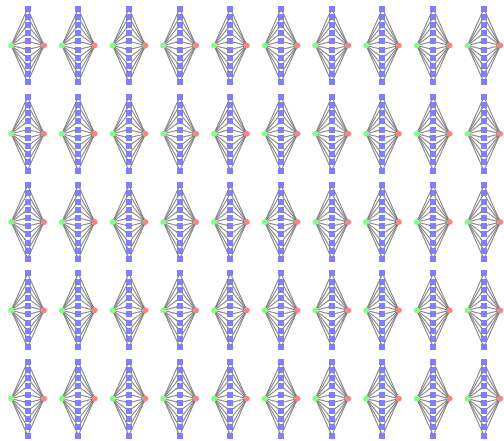
$$\arg \min \hat{L}(\theta)$$

A scatter plot of $d \times n = 100$ hidden parameters (a_j, b_j, c_j) obtained from $n = 10$ neural networks with $p = 10$ hidden units.



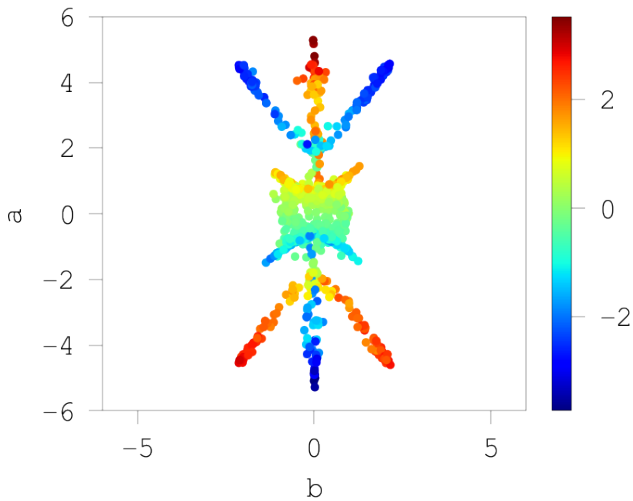
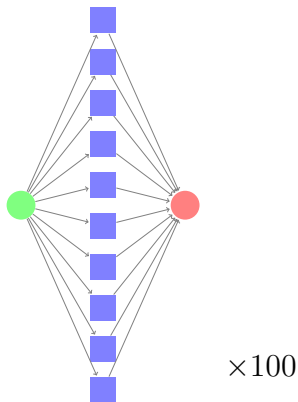
$$\arg \min \hat{L}(\theta)$$

A scatter plot of $d \times n = 500$ hidden parameters (a_j, b_j, c_j) obtained from $n = 50$ neural networks with $p = 10$ hidden units.



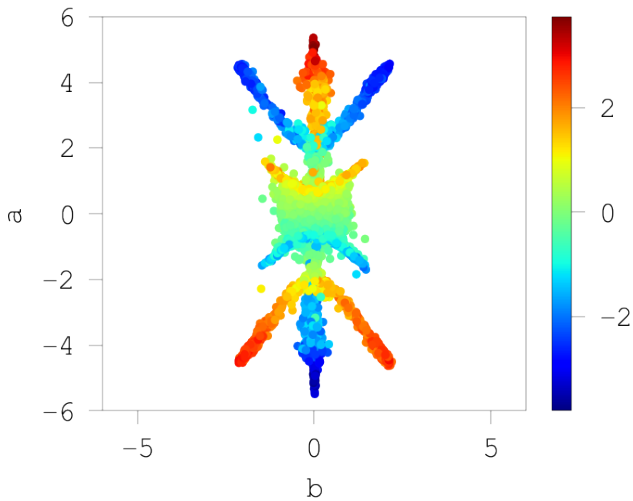
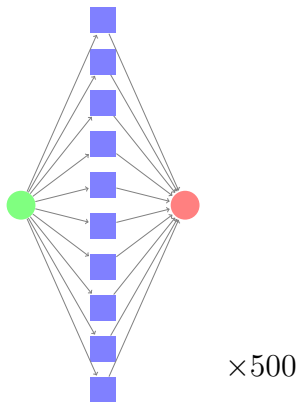
$$\arg \min \hat{L}(\boldsymbol{\theta})$$

A scatter plot of $d \times n = 1,000$ hidden parameters (a_j, b_j, c_j) obtained from $n = 100$ neural networks with $p = 10$ hidden units.



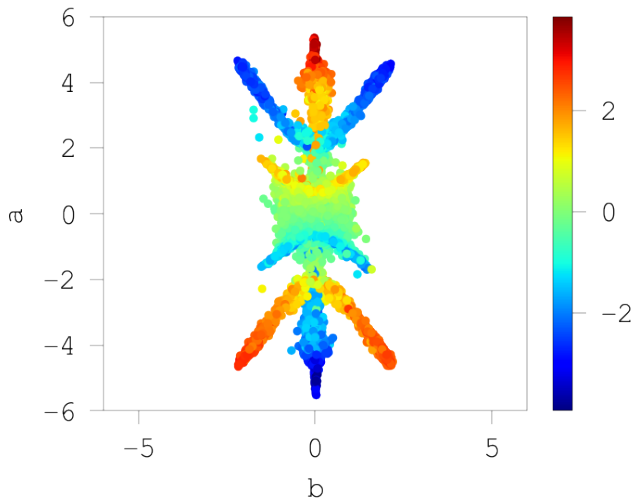
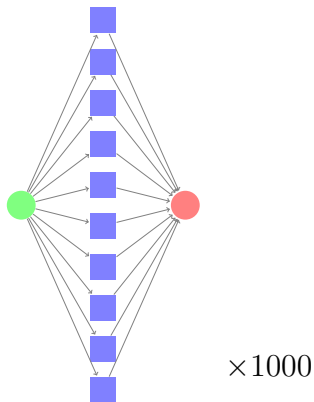
$$\arg \min \hat{L}(\theta)$$

A scatter plot of $d \times n = 5,000$ hidden parameters (a_j, b_j, c_j) obtained from $n = 500$ neural networks with $p = 10$ hidden units.



$$\arg \min \hat{L}(\theta)$$

A scatter plot of $d \times n = 10,000$ hidden parameters (a_j, b_j, c_j) obtained from $n = 1,000$ neural networks with $p = 10$ hidden units.

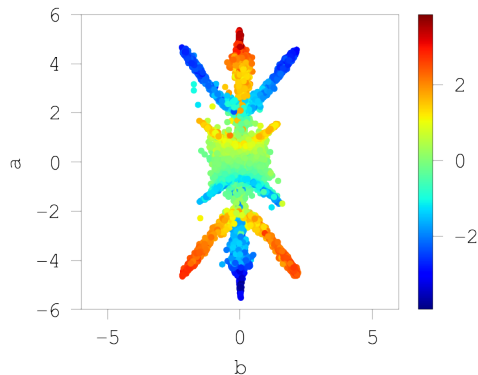


$\arg \min \hat{L}(\theta)$

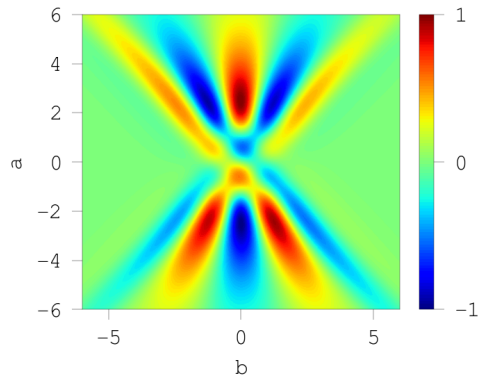
Ridgelet Transform Characterizes Gradient Descent Solutions

Theorem (simplified, S-Ishikawa-Ikeda, AISTATS2021)

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{d \rightarrow \infty} \arg \min_{\gamma_d = \sum_{i=1}^d c_i \delta_{(\mathbf{a}_i, b_i)}} \left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n |f(\mathbf{x}_i) - S[\gamma_d](\mathbf{x}_i)|^2 + \beta \| (c_i) \|_{\ell^2}^2 \right] = R \left[\frac{f}{\beta + 1}; \sigma_* \right]$$



scatter plot of GD trained parameters



ridgelet transform

How to find the ridgelet transform R ?

Problem: NN learning equation

Given a data generating function f and network $\text{NN}[\gamma]$, find the unknown parameter γ satisfying

$$\text{NN}[\gamma] = f$$

- By inspiration
 - Murata, [An Integral Representation of Functions...](#), Neural Networks, 1996.
 - Candes, [Ridgelets: Theory and Applications](#), dissertation, 1998.
- By Fourier expression
 - General solution for fully-connected SNN [S-Ishikawa-Ikeda, arXiv:2106.04770](#)
 - SNN on finite fields $\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$ [Yamasaki-Subramanian-Hayakawa-S, ICML2023](#)
 - Group convolution network [S-Ishikawa-Ikeda, NeurIPS2022](#)
 - SNN on manifold (noncompact symmetric space G/K) [S-Ishikawa-Ikeda, ICML2022](#)
- By group equivariant/invariant functions
 - joint-group-equivariant map [S-Hashimoto-Ishikawa-Ikeda, arXiv2405.13682](#) ← NEW!
 - joint-group-invariant map [S-Ishi-Ishikawa-Ikeda, NeurReps2023](#)
 - formal deep network [S-Hashimoto-Ishikawa-Ikeda, NeurReps2023](#)

Solve $S[\gamma] = f$

Appendix A.3, in Sonoda-Ishikawa-Ikeda, arXiv:2106.04770

Step 1. Turn the network into a *Fourier expression* as below.

$$S[\gamma](\boldsymbol{x}) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \left[\int_{\mathbb{R}} \gamma(\boldsymbol{a}, b) \sigma(\boldsymbol{a} \cdot \boldsymbol{x} - b) db \right] d\boldsymbol{a}$$

By an identity $\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \gamma^\sharp(\boldsymbol{a}, \omega) \sigma^\sharp(\omega) e^{i\omega b} d\omega = (\gamma(\boldsymbol{a}, \bullet) * \sigma)(b)$,

$$= \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \left[\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \gamma^\sharp(\boldsymbol{a}, \omega) \sigma^\sharp(\omega) e^{i\omega \boldsymbol{a} \cdot \boldsymbol{x}} d\omega \right] d\boldsymbol{a}$$

By changing the variable $(\boldsymbol{a}, \omega) = (\boldsymbol{\xi}/\omega, \omega)$,

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left[\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \gamma^\sharp(\boldsymbol{\xi}/\omega, \omega) e^{i\boldsymbol{\xi} \cdot \boldsymbol{x}} d\boldsymbol{\xi} \right] |\omega|^{-m} \sigma^\sharp(\omega) d\omega,$$

where \cdot^\sharp denotes the Fourier transform in b

Recap:

$$S[\gamma](\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left[\int_{\mathbb{R}^m} \gamma^\sharp(\boldsymbol{\xi}/\omega, \omega) e^{i\boldsymbol{\xi} \cdot \mathbf{x}} d\boldsymbol{\xi} \right] |\omega|^{-m} \sigma^\sharp(\omega) d\omega$$

Step 2. Assume a *separation-of-variables* form

$$\gamma_{f,\rho}^\sharp(\boldsymbol{\xi}/\omega, \omega) := \widehat{f}(\boldsymbol{\xi}) \overline{\rho^\sharp(\omega)}$$

Then, $\gamma_{f,\rho}$ is a particular solution

$$S[\gamma_{f,\rho}] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left[\int \sigma^\sharp(\omega) \overline{\rho^\sharp(\omega)} |\omega|^{-m} d\omega \right] \left[\int \widehat{f}(\boldsymbol{\xi}) e^{i\boldsymbol{\xi} \cdot \mathbf{x}} d\boldsymbol{\xi} \right] = ((\sigma, \rho)) f$$

Furthermore, $\gamma_{f,\rho}(\mathbf{a}, b) = R[f; \rho](\mathbf{a}, b)$.

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma_{f,\rho}(\mathbf{a}, b) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \widehat{f}(\omega \mathbf{a}) \overline{\rho^\sharp(\omega)} e^{ib\omega} d\omega \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}} f(\mathbf{x}) \overline{\rho^\sharp(\omega)} e^{i\omega(b - \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x})} d\mathbf{x} d\omega \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} f(\mathbf{x}) \overline{\rho(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b)} d\mathbf{x} \\ &=: R[f; \rho](\mathbf{a}, b). \end{aligned}$$

A *general solution* is given by

$$\gamma_f := R[f; \rho_0] + \sum_{ij} c_{ij} R[e_i; \rho_j].$$

Here,

- $\{c_{ij}\}_{i,j \in \mathbb{N}^2}$ is an ℓ^2 -sequence
- $\{e_i\}_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$ is an o.n.b. of $L^2(\mathbb{R}^m)$,
- $\{\rho_j\}_{j \in \mathbb{N}}$ is a subsystem of o.n.s. of $L_m^2(\mathbb{R})$ satisfying $((\sigma, \rho_j)) = 0$.

Necessity: γ_f is a solution.

$$S[\gamma_f] = ((\sigma, \rho_0))f(\mathbf{x}) + \sum_{ij} c_{ij} ((\sigma, \rho_j))e_i(\mathbf{x}) = ((\sigma, \rho_0))f(\mathbf{x}) + 0.$$

Sufficiency: (Lemma) Any $\gamma \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R})$ can be expanded as

$$\gamma = \sum_{ij} \langle \gamma, R[e_i; \rho_j] \rangle R[e_i; \rho_j]$$

Deep Ridgelet Transform for Joint-Equivariant Feature Maps ¹

—the first ridgelet transform for deep networks—

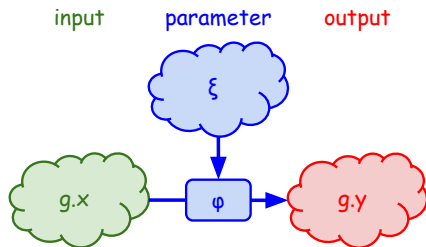
¹S-Hashimoto-Ishikawa-Ikeda, [arXiv:2405.13682](https://arxiv.org/abs/2405.13682), 2024

Joint- G -Equivariant Map

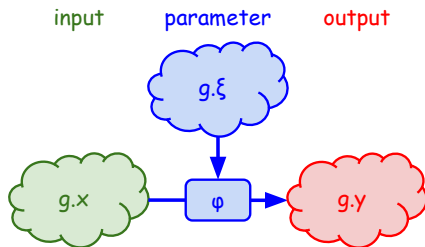
Definition (Joint- G -Equivariant Map)

- Let G be a group
- Let X, Y and Ξ be G -spaces
- A map $\phi : X \times \Xi \rightarrow Y$ is **joint- G -equivariant** when it satisfies

$$\phi(g \cdot x, g \cdot \xi) = g \cdot \phi(x, \xi), \quad \text{for all } g \in G \text{ and } (x, \xi) \in X \times \Xi$$



G -equivariance



joint- G -equivariance

Joint-Equivariant Maps are Ubiquitous

Lemma (1. Easy to synthesize)

- Let G be a group, and X, Y be G -spaces
- Let $\phi_0 : X \rightarrow Y$ be any map
- Then, the following $\phi : X \times G \rightarrow Y$ with

$$\phi(x, \xi) := \xi \cdot \phi_0(\xi^{-1} \cdot x), \quad (x, \xi) \in X \times G$$

is joint-equivariant

Lemma (2. Easy to be realized as a network)

- Let $\phi : \mathbb{R}^m \times G \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ be a joint-equivariant map
- Then, the following depth-2 fully-connected network

$$\text{NN}(\mathbf{x}, \xi) := \int_{\mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}} \mathbf{R}_2[\phi(\bullet, \xi)](\mathbf{a}, b) \sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b) d\mathbf{a} db, \quad (\mathbf{x}, \xi) \in \mathbb{R}^m \times G$$

is joint-equivariant

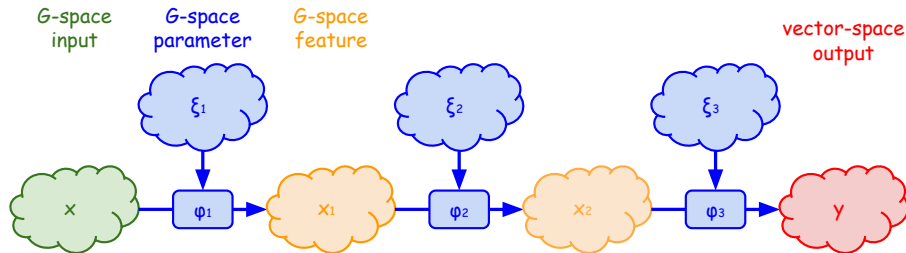
Composite of joint-equivariant maps is joint-equivariant

Lemma (3. Easy to compose)

- Let $\phi_i : X_{i-1} \times \Xi_i \rightarrow X_i$ be joint-equivariant maps
- Then, the composite $\phi : X_0 \times (\Xi_1 \times \cdots \times \Xi_n) \rightarrow X_n$

$$\phi(x, \xi) := \phi_n(\bullet, \xi_n) \circ \cdots \circ \phi_1(x, \xi_1)$$

is joint-equivariant as well.



Main Results

Definition

- Let G be a locally compact group
- Let X (input domain) and Ξ (parameter domain) be G -spaces with Haar measures dx and $d\xi$,
- Let Y (output domain) be a separable Hilbert space with unitary G -action
- Let $\phi, \psi : X \times \Xi \rightarrow Y$ be joint-equivariant maps
- For any maps $f : X \rightarrow Y$ and $\gamma : \Xi \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, put

$$\text{DNN}[\gamma; \phi](x) := \int_{\Xi} \gamma(\xi) \phi(x, \xi) d\xi, \quad \text{R}[f; \psi](\xi) := \int_X \langle f(x), \psi(x, \xi) \rangle_Y dx.$$

Theorem (Reconstruction Formula)

- Suppose that the induced representation $\pi : G \rightarrow \mathcal{U}(L^2(X; Y))$ is irreducible
- Then, there exists a constant $c_{\phi, \psi}$ such that for any $f \in L^2(X; Y)$,

$$\text{DNN} \circ \text{R}[f] = c_{\phi, \psi} f.$$

Proof

Theorem (Schur's Lemma)

A unitary representation π of G on \mathcal{H} is irreducible

\iff If a bounded operator $T : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathcal{H}$ commutes with π , then $T = c \text{Id}_{\mathcal{H}}$ for some $c \in \mathbb{C}$

We can check $T := \text{DNN} \circ \mathbf{R} : L^2(X; Y) \rightarrow L^2(X; Y)$ commutes with π as below: For each $g \in G$,

$$\mathbf{R}[\pi_g[f]](\xi) = \int_X \langle g \cdot f(g^{-1} \cdot x), \psi(x, \xi) \rangle_Y dx = \int_X \langle f(x), \psi(x, g^{-1} \cdot \xi) \rangle_Y dx = \widehat{\pi}_g[\mathbf{R}_\psi[f]](\xi),$$

$$\text{NN}[\widehat{\pi}_g[\gamma]](x) = \int_{\Xi} \gamma(g^{-1} \cdot \xi) \phi(x, \xi) d\xi = \int_{\Xi} \gamma(\xi) (g \cdot \phi(g^{-1} \cdot x, \xi)) d\xi = \pi_g[\text{NN}_\phi[\gamma]](x).$$

Therefore,

$$\text{NN} \circ \mathbf{R} \circ \pi_g = \text{NN} \circ \widehat{\pi}_g \circ \mathbf{R} = \pi_g \circ \text{NN} \circ \mathbf{R}.$$

Hence Schur's lemma yields that there exist a constant $c_{\phi, \psi} \in \mathbb{C}$ such that

$$\text{NN}_\phi \circ \mathbf{R}_\psi = c_{\phi, \psi} \text{Id}_{L^2(X; Y)}.$$

Example: Depth-2 Fully-Connected Network

- G is the affine group $\text{Aff}(m) = GL(m) \ltimes \mathbb{R}^m$
- $X = \mathbb{R}^m$ (data domain) with G -action

$$g \cdot \mathbf{x} := L\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{t}, \quad g = (L, \mathbf{t}) \in G,$$

- $\Xi = \mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}$ (parameter domain) with dual G -action

$$g \cdot (\mathbf{a}, b) = (L^{-\top} \mathbf{a}, b + \mathbf{t}^\top L^{-\top} \mathbf{a}), \quad g = (L, \mathbf{t}) \in G$$

- Then, $\phi(\mathbf{x}, (\mathbf{a}, b)) := \sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b)$ and $\psi(\mathbf{x}, (\mathbf{a}, b)) := \rho(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b)$ are joint- G -invariant. Indeed,

$$\phi(g \cdot \mathbf{x}, g \cdot (\mathbf{a}, b)) = \sigma(L^{-\top} \mathbf{a} \cdot (L\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{t}) - (b + \mathbf{t}^\top L^{-\top} \mathbf{a})) = \sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b) = \phi(\mathbf{x}, (\mathbf{a}, b))$$

- Put

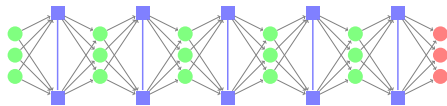
$$\text{NN}_2[\gamma](\mathbf{x}) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}} \gamma(\mathbf{a}, b) \sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b) d\mathbf{a} db, \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{R}_2[f](\mathbf{a}, b) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} f(\mathbf{x}) \overline{\rho(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b)} d\mathbf{x}$$

Lemma

The regular representation $\pi_g : \text{Aff}(m) \rightarrow \mathcal{U}(L^2(\mathbb{R}^m; \mathbb{R}))$ is irreducible

- So, $\text{NN}_2 \circ \mathbf{R}_2 = ((\sigma, \rho)) \text{Id}_{L^2(\mathbb{R}^m)}$

Example: Depth- n Fully-Connected Network



- For any $\mathbf{f}_i \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^m; \mathbb{R}^m)$ and $\xi = G := (Q, L, \mathbf{t}) \in O(m) \times (GL(m) \ltimes \mathbb{R}^m)$, put

$$\text{NN}_i(\mathbf{x}; \xi) := \int_{\mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}} Q\mathbf{R}_2[\mathbf{f}_i](\mathbf{a}, b) \sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot L^{-1}(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{t}) - b) d\mathbf{a} db$$

- For any functions $\gamma : \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ and $\mathbf{f} : \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$, put

$$\text{DNN}[\gamma](\mathbf{x}) := \int_{G^n} \gamma(\xi) \text{NN}_n(\bullet, \xi_n) \circ \cdots \circ \text{NN}_1(\mathbf{x}, \xi_1) d\xi,$$

$$\mathbf{R}_n[\mathbf{f}](\xi) := \int_X \langle \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}), \text{NN}_n(\bullet, \xi_n) \circ \cdots \circ \text{NN}_1(\mathbf{x}, \xi_1) \rangle d\mathbf{x}$$

Lemma

The unitary representation $\pi_g : G \rightarrow \mathcal{U}(L^2(\mathbb{R}^m; \mathbb{R}^m))$ is irreducible

Thus, $\text{DNN} \circ \mathbf{R}_n[\mathbf{f}] = c\mathbf{f}$

Conclusion

- Ultimate goal:
 - Characterize deep solutions
- integral representation $S[\gamma]$ is a linearization trick of NN parameters
- ridgelet transform $R[f]$ is its right inverse operator: $S[R[f]] = ((\sigma, \rho))f$
 - can prove the universality in a constructive manner
 - can visualize/analyze the distribution γ of parameters
- How to find the ridgelet transform?
 - (By inspiration)
 - By Fourier expression
 - By group equivariant functions

Supplementary Slides

NNs on Finite Field

Yamasaki et al. Quantum Ridgelet Transform: Winning Lottery Ticket of Neural Networks with Quantum Computation, ICML2023

Let $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$.

$$S[\gamma](\mathbf{x}) := \sum_{(\mathbf{a}, b) \in \mathbb{F}^m \times \mathbb{F}} \gamma(\mathbf{a}, b) \sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b), \quad \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{F}^m$$

$$R[f; \rho](\mathbf{a}, b) = \sum_{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{F}^m} f(\mathbf{x}) \overline{\rho(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b)}, \quad (\mathbf{a}, b) \in \mathbb{F}^m \times \mathbb{F}$$

$$((\sigma, \rho)) = \frac{1}{|\mathbb{F}|^{m-1}} \sum_{\omega \in \mathbb{F}} \sigma^\sharp(\omega) \overline{\rho^\sharp(\omega)}$$

$$S[R[f; \rho]](\mathbf{x}) = ((\sigma, \rho)) f(\mathbf{x})$$

Sketch Proof

First, turn to the Fourier expression. Then, assume the separation-of-variables form.

$$\begin{aligned} S[\gamma](\mathbf{x}) &:= \sum_{(\mathbf{a}, b) \in \mathbb{F}^m \times \mathbb{F}} \gamma(\mathbf{a}, b) \sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b) \\ &= \frac{1}{|\mathbb{F}|} \sum_{(\mathbf{a}, \omega) \in \mathbb{F}^m \times \mathbb{F}} \gamma^\sharp(\mathbf{a}, \omega) \sigma(\omega) e^{2\pi i \omega \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x}} \end{aligned}$$

Put $\boldsymbol{\xi} = \omega \mathbf{a}$

$$= \frac{1}{|\mathbb{F}|} \sum_{(\boldsymbol{\xi}, \omega) \in \mathbb{F}^m \times \mathbb{F}} \gamma^\sharp(\boldsymbol{\xi}/\omega, \omega) \sigma(\omega) e^{2\pi i \boldsymbol{\xi} \cdot \mathbf{x}}$$

Assume $\gamma^\sharp(\boldsymbol{\xi}/\omega, \omega) = \widehat{f}(\boldsymbol{\xi}) \overline{\rho^\sharp(\omega)}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \left(|\mathbb{F}|^{m-1} \sum_{\omega \in \mathbb{F}} \sigma^\sharp(\omega) \overline{\rho^\sharp(\omega)} \right) \left(\frac{1}{|\mathbb{F}|^m} \sum_{\boldsymbol{\xi} \in \mathbb{F}^m} \widehat{f}(\boldsymbol{\xi}) e^{2\pi i \boldsymbol{\xi} \cdot \mathbf{x}} \right) \\ &= ((\sigma, \rho)) f(\mathbf{x}) \end{aligned}$$

Group Convolutional NNs on Hilbert Space \mathcal{H}^2

Fourier Transform on a Hilbert space $\mathcal{H}_m \subset \mathcal{H}$

Definition

Let \mathcal{H} be a Hilbert space, $\mathcal{H}_m \subset \mathcal{H}$ be an m -dimensional subspace, and λ be the Lebesgue measure induced from \mathbb{R}^m . Put

$$\widehat{f}(\xi) := \int_{\mathcal{H}_m} f(x) e^{-i\langle x, \xi \rangle} d\lambda(x), \quad x \in \mathcal{H}_m$$

Theorem

For any $f \in L^2(\mathcal{H}_m)$,

$$\frac{1}{(2\pi)^m} \int_{\mathcal{H}_m} \widehat{f}(\xi) e^{i\langle x, \xi \rangle} d\lambda(\xi) = f(x), \quad x \in \mathcal{H}_m$$

Definition (Generalized group convolution)

Let G be a group, \mathcal{H} be a Hilbert space, and $T : G \rightarrow GL(\mathcal{H})$ be a group representation. The (G, T) -convolution is given by

$$(a * x)(g) := \langle T_{g^{-1}}[x], a \rangle_{\mathcal{H}}, \quad a, x \in \mathcal{H}.$$

Definition (Group CNN)

Let $\mathcal{H}_m \subset \mathcal{H}$ be an m -dimensional subspace equipped with the Lebesgue measure λ . Put

$$S[\gamma](x)(g) := \int_{\mathcal{H}_m \times \mathbb{R}} \gamma(a, b) \sigma((a * x)(g) - b) d\lambda(a) db, \quad x \in \mathcal{H}, g \in G$$

Example (Cyclic CNN for n -channel $m \times m$ -image)

$$\text{CNN}(\mathbf{x})(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}) = \sum_{\ell=1}^{n'} c^\ell \sigma \left(\sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{i,j=1}^m a_{ij}^{k\ell} x_{i+\mathbf{p}, j+\mathbf{q}}^k - b^\ell \right), \quad \mathbf{x} = (x_{ij}^k) \in \mathbb{R}^{m^2 \times n}, (\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}) \in (\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z})^2$$

i.e., $G = (\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z})^2$, $\mathcal{H} = \mathbb{R}^{m^2 \times n}$, $T_{\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}}(\mathbf{x}) := (x_{\bullet - \mathbf{p}, \bullet - \mathbf{q}})$

In the following, $e \in G$ denotes the identity element.

Definition (Ridgelet Transform)

For any function $f : \mathcal{H}_m \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^G$ and $\rho : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, put

$$R[f; \rho](a, b) := \int_{\mathcal{H}_m} f(x)(e) \overline{\rho(\langle a, x \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} - b)} d\lambda(x).$$

Definition $((G, T)$ -Equivariance)

A (nonlinear) map $f : \mathcal{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^G$ is (G, T) -equivariant when

$$f(T_g[x])(h) = f(x)(g^{-1}h), \quad \forall x \in \mathcal{H}_m, g, h \in G$$

Theorem (Reconstruction Formula)

Suppose that f is (G, T) -equivariant and $f(\bullet)(e) \in L^2(\mathcal{H}_m)$, then $S[R[f; \rho]] = ((\sigma, \rho))f$.

- Meaning: Universality of **continuous** GCNN
- Corollary: *cc*-universality of **finite** GCNNs

Sketch Proof

Step 1. Turn to Fourier expression:

$$\begin{aligned} S[\gamma](x)(g) &= \int_{\mathcal{H}_m \times \mathbb{R}} \gamma(a, b) \sigma(\langle T_{g^{-1}}[x], a \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} - b) da db \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathcal{H}_m \times \mathbb{R}} \gamma^{\#}(a, \omega) \sigma^{\#}(\omega) e^{i\omega \langle T_{g^{-1}}[x], a \rangle_{\mathcal{H}}} da d\omega \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathcal{H}_m \times \mathbb{R}} \gamma^{\#}(\xi/\omega, \omega) \sigma^{\#}(\omega) e^{i\langle T_{g^{-1}}[x], \xi \rangle_{\mathcal{H}}} |\omega|^{-m} d\xi d\omega. \end{aligned}$$

Step 2. Put separation-of-variables form:

$$\gamma_{f,\rho}^{\#}(\xi/\omega, \omega) := \widehat{f}(\xi)(e) \overline{\rho^{\#}(\omega)}.$$

By the construction it is a particular solution:

$$\begin{aligned} S[\gamma_{f,\rho}](x)(g) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathcal{H}_m} \widehat{f}(\xi)(e) e^{i\langle T_{g^{-1}}[x], \xi \rangle_{\mathcal{H}}} d\lambda(\xi) \int_{\mathbb{R}} \sigma^{\#}(\omega) \overline{\rho^{\#}(\omega)} |\omega|^{-m} d\omega \\ &= ((\sigma, \rho)) f(x)(g). \end{aligned}$$

and $\gamma_{f,\rho} = R[f; \rho]$.

Fully-Connected NNs on Noncompact Symmetric Space³

³S-Ishikawa-Ikeda, ICML2022

Past Attempts to Design Neural Networks on Manifolds " G/K "

Difficulty: But, how to define an "affine map $a \cdot x - b$ on a manifold"?

Hyperbolic NNs (Ganea+18, Gulcehre+19, Shimizu+21)

- For each point $x \in \mathbb{H}^m$,
- the affine map is re-defined by Gyrovector calculus,
- the elementwise activation is defined on a tangent space: $\exp_0 \circ \sigma \circ \log_0(x)$

SPDNets (Huang-Gool17, Dong+17, Gao+19)

- For an SPD matrix $x \in \mathbb{P}_m$,
- BiMap layer: $w^\top x w$
- ReEig layer: $u^\top \max(0, \lambda - b) u$ where $x = u^\top \lambda u$

Ideas

1. Use the Fourier transform on manifolds, and
2. geometrically rewrite $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b$ as the *distance between point \mathbf{x} and hyperplane ξ* , namely,

$$\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b = rd(\mathbf{x}, \xi).$$

where

- $\mathbf{a} = r\mathbf{u}$ (polar coordinates $(r, \mathbf{u}) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{S}^{m-1}$)
- $\xi := \{\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^m \mid \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{y} = b\}$ (a hyperplane passing through point $(b/r)\mathbf{u}$ with normal \mathbf{u})
- $d(\mathbf{x}, \xi)$ signed distance from point \mathbf{x} to hyperplane ξ

Geometric Reparametrization of Euclidean NN

For scales $r_i > 0$, hyperplanes $\xi_i \subset \mathbb{R}^m$, and weights $c_i \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\text{SNN}(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^p c_i \sigma(r_i d(\mathbf{x}, \xi_i)), \quad \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^m$$

3. we employed *horospheres* as the G/K -counter of hyperplanes

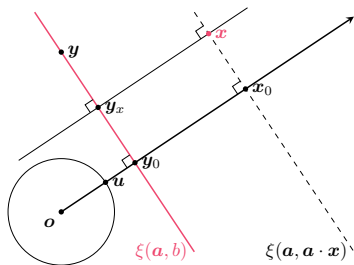


Figure: Points \mathbf{x} and hyperplane ξ in the Euclidean space \mathbb{R}^m

A Noncompact Symmetric Space G/K

- is a homogeneous space G/K with *nonpositive sectional curvature* on which G acts *transitively*

Definition (Noncompact Symmetric Space G/K)

- Let G be a connected semisimple real Lie group, and
- let $G = KAN$ be the Iwasawa decomposition (K compact, A abelian, N nilpotent).
- A noncompact symmetric space is given by the quotient (the set of all left cosets)

$$X := G/K = \{gK \mid g \in G\}.$$

Example (Hyperbolic Space $\mathbb{H}^m = O(1, m)/O(1) \times O(m)$)

for embedding words, and tree-structured dataset

Example (SPD Manifold $\mathbb{P}_m = GL(m)/O(m)$)

or a manifold of positive definite matrices, e.g., covariance matrices

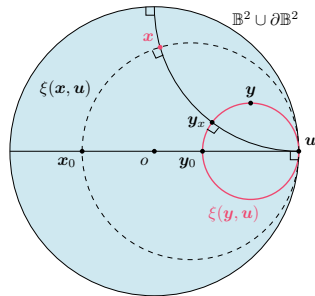


Figure: Poincaré Disk \mathbb{B}^2 is a noncompact symmetric space $SU(1, 1)/SO(2)$

Basic Example: Hyperbolic Space \mathbb{H}^m

Poincaré ball model \mathbb{B}^m —One of a few models of \mathbb{H}^m

- Unit ball $\mathbb{B}^m := \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^m \mid |\mathbf{x}|_E < 1\}$ equipped with metric $g_{\mathbf{x}} = \frac{4}{(1-|\mathbf{x}|_E^2)^2} \sum_{i=1}^m dx_i \otimes dx_i$,
- $d_P(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) = \cosh^{-1} \left(1 + \frac{2|\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y}|_E^2}{(1-|\mathbf{x}|_E^2)(1-|\mathbf{y}|_E^2)} \right)$; $d \operatorname{vol}_g(\mathbf{x}) = \left(\frac{2}{1-|\mathbf{x}|_E^2} \right)^m d\mathbf{x}$

Basic objects in \mathbb{B}^m

- Boundary/Ideal sphere $\partial\mathbb{B}^m :=$ the set of points at infinity
 - Unit sphere $\partial\mathbb{B}^m = \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^m \mid |\mathbf{x}|_E = 1\}$
- Geodesic
 - Euclidean arcs/lines orthogonal to $\partial\mathbb{B}^m$
- (Hyperbolic) sphere $S(\mathbf{x}, r) := \{\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{B}^m \mid d_P(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) = r\}$
 - Euclidean sphere (but the center is biased outward)
- Horosphere $\xi :=$ a sphere with infinite radius $S(\mathbf{x}, \infty)$
 - Euclidean sphere tangent to $\partial\mathbb{B}^m$
 - A hyperbolic counterpart of the *Euclidean hyperplane*, since it is a *Euclidean sphere with infinite radius*

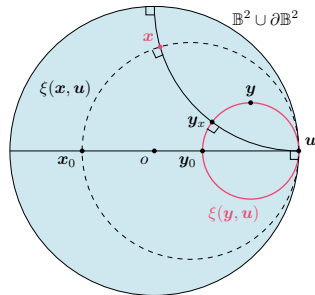
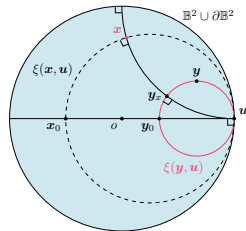


Figure: Poincaré Disk \mathbb{B}^2

Horospheres in G/K and Vector-Valued Composite Distance $\langle x, u \rangle$

Known Facts on the Horospheres in G/K

- On every G/K , the horosphere ξ can be defined.
- A horosphere $\xi(x, u)$ is parametrized by points $x \in X$ and $u \in \partial X$
like "a horosphere ξ passing through point x with normal u "



Vector-Valued Composite Distance $\langle x, u \rangle$

- denotes the distance between origin o and a horosphere $\xi(x, u)$ as

$$\langle x, u \rangle := d(o, \xi(x, u)) \quad \left(= d(o, x_o) \right)$$

- In general, it is *vector-valued*, which means that the absolute value $|\langle x, u \rangle|$ coincides with the Riemannian distance
- To be precise, it is *\mathfrak{a} -valued*, where \mathfrak{a} is the Lie algebra of A in $G = KAN$

Fourier Transform on $X = G/K$

Helgason, GGA (1984, Introduction); GASS (2008, Chapter III)

Definition (Helgason-Fourier Transform)

For any function $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$,

$$\widehat{f}(\lambda, u) := \int_X f(x) e^{(-i\lambda + \varrho)\langle x, u \rangle} dx, \quad (\lambda, u) \in \mathfrak{a}^* \times \partial X$$

with a certain constant vector $\varrho \in \mathfrak{a}^*$. Here, $\langle x, u \rangle$ denotes the *vector-valued distance* from the origin o to the *horosphere* through point $x \in G/K$ with normal $u \in \partial X$.

Theorem (Inversion Formula)

For any $f \in L^2(X)$ (or $f \in C_c^\infty(X)$),

$$f(x) = |W|^{-1} \int_{\mathfrak{a}^* \times \partial X} \widehat{f}(\lambda, u) e^{(i\lambda + \varrho)\langle x, u \rangle} |\mathbf{c}(\lambda)|^{-2} d\lambda du, \quad x \in X$$

where \mathbf{c} is the Harish-Chandra \mathbf{c} -function, and $|W|$ is a constant.

This is a “Fourier transform” because $e^{(-i\lambda + \varrho)\langle x, u \rangle}$ is the eigenfunction of Laplace-Beltrami operator Δ_X on X

Definition (Fully-Connected NNs on Noncompact Symmetric Space G/K)

Let G be a connected semisimple real Lie group, let $G = KAN$ be the Iwasawa decomposition, and let $X := G/K$ be the noncompact symmetric space. Put

$$S[\gamma](x) := \int_{\mathfrak{a}^* \times \partial X \times \mathbb{R}} \gamma(a, u, b) \sigma(a \langle x, u \rangle - b) e^{\varrho \langle x, u \rangle} da du db, \quad x \in X = G/K$$

where \mathfrak{a}^* is the dual of Lie algebra of A , ∂X is the boundary, and $\langle x, u \rangle$ is an X -counter of the Euclidean inner product $\mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{u}$ for $(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{u}) \in \mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{S}^{m-1}$.

Example (Continuous Horospherical Hyperbolic NN)

On the *Poincaré ball model* $\mathbb{B}^m := \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^m \mid |\mathbf{x}| < 1\}$ equipped with the Riemannian metric $\mathfrak{g} = 4(1 - |\mathbf{x}|)^{-2} \sum_{i=1}^m dx_i \otimes dx_i$,

$$S[\gamma](\mathbf{x}) := \int_{\mathbb{R} \times \partial \mathbb{B}^m \times \mathbb{R}} \gamma(a, \mathbf{u}, b) \sigma(a \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{u} \rangle - b) e^{\varrho \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{u} \rangle} da d\mathbf{u} db, \quad \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{B}^m$$

$$\varrho = (m-1)/2, \quad \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{u} \rangle = \log \left(\frac{1 - |\mathbf{x}|_E^2}{|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{u}|_E^2} \right), \quad (\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{u}) \in \mathbb{B}^m \times \partial \mathbb{B}^m$$

Definition (Ridgelet Transform)

For any function $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ and an auxiliary function $\rho : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, put

$$R[f; \rho](a, u, b) := \int_X c[f](x) \overline{\rho(a\langle x, u \rangle - b)} e^{\varrho\langle x, u \rangle} dx$$

where $c[f]$ is a Helgason-Fourier multiplier.

Theorem (Reconstruction Formula)

For any $\sigma \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R})$, $\rho \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R})$, and $f \in L^2(X)$, we have

$$S[R[f; \rho]] = \int_{\mathfrak{a}^* \times \partial X \times \mathbb{R}} R[f; \rho](a, u, b) \sigma(a\langle x, u \rangle - b) e^{\varrho\langle x, u \rangle} da du db = ((\sigma, \rho)) f.$$

where $((\sigma, \rho))$ is a certain scalar product.

- Meaning: Universality of **continuous** Fully-Connected NN on X
- Corollary: *cc*-universality of **finite** Fully-Connected NNs on X

Sketch Proof

- Given a function $f : G/K \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, consider solving an integral equation $S[\gamma] = f$ of unknown γ .
- Step 1:** Change the frame of $S[\gamma]$ from neurons to a *Fourier expression*:

$$\begin{aligned} S[\gamma](x) &:= \int_{\mathfrak{a}^* \times \partial X \times \mathbb{R}} \gamma(a, u, b) \sigma(a\langle x, u \rangle - b) e^{\varrho\langle x, u \rangle} da du db \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left[\int_{\mathfrak{a}^* \times \partial X} \gamma^\sharp(\lambda/\omega, u, \omega) |\mathbf{c}(\lambda)|^2 e^{(i\lambda + \varrho)\langle x, u \rangle} \frac{d\lambda du}{|\mathbf{c}(\lambda)|^2} \right] |\omega|^{-r} \sigma^\sharp(\omega) d\omega, \end{aligned}$$

where \sharp denotes the Euclidean-Fourier transform in b .

- Step 2:** Since inside $[\dots]$ is the *inverse Helgason-Fourier transform*, put a separation-of-variables form:

$$\gamma_{f,\rho}^\sharp(\lambda/\omega, \mathbf{u}, \omega) = \widehat{f}(\lambda, \mathbf{u}) \overline{\rho^\sharp(\omega)} |\mathbf{c}(\lambda)|^{-2}.$$

Then, by the construction, it is a particular solution:

$$S[\gamma_{f,\rho}] = ((\sigma, \rho))f,$$

where $((\sigma, \rho)) := \frac{|W|}{2\pi} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \sigma^\sharp(\omega) \overline{\rho^\sharp(\omega)} |\omega|^{-m} d\omega$.

- In the end, we can verify that $\gamma_{f,\rho}$ is the ridgelet transform $R[f; \rho]$.

Generalized NN and Ridgelet Transform Induced from Invariant Functions⁴

⁴S-Ishi-Ishikawa-Ikeda, [NeurReps2023](#)

Joint G -Invariant Function

- Let G be a locally compact group equipped with invariant Haar measure dg
 - e.g. a finite group, compact group, Lie group, ...
- Let X and Ξ be homogeneous G -spaces equipped with invariant Haar measures dx and $d\xi$
 - we call X the "data domain" and Ξ the "parameter domain"
- Let π_g and $\hat{\pi}_g$ be regular G -actions on $L^2(X)$ and $C_c(\Xi)$, i.e.

$$\pi_g[f](x) := f(g^{-1} \cdot x), \quad \text{and} \quad \hat{\pi}_g[\gamma](\xi) := \gamma(g^{-1} \cdot \xi)$$

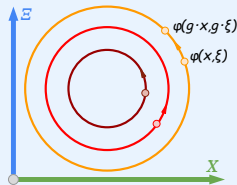
Definition (Joint G -Invariant Functions)

- We say a function ϕ on $X \times \Xi$ is **joint G -invariant** when

$$\phi(g \cdot x, g \cdot \xi) = \phi(x, \xi),$$

for all $g \in G$ and $(x, \xi) \in X \times \Xi$.

- \mathcal{A} denote the algebra of all joint G -invariant functions.



Main Results

Definition (Generalized Network)

For any joint G -invariant function $\phi \in \mathcal{A}$ and $\gamma \in L^2(\Xi)$, put

$$\text{NN}[\gamma; \phi](x) := \int_{\Xi} \gamma(\xi) \phi(x, \xi) d\xi, \quad x \in X$$

Definition (Generalized Ridgelet Transform)

For any joint G -invariant function $\psi \in \mathcal{A}$ and $f \in L^2(X)$, put

$$\mathbf{R}[f; \psi](\xi) := \int_X f(x) \overline{\psi(x, \xi)} dx, \quad \xi \in \Xi$$

Theorem (Reconstruction Formula)

Suppose that the regular action π_g is an irreducible unitary representation of G on $L^2(X)$. Then, there exists a bilinear form $((\phi, \psi))$ such that for any $f \in L^2(X)$

$$\text{NN}_{\phi}[\mathbf{R}_{\psi}[f]] = \int_{\Xi} \mathbf{R}[f; \psi](\xi) \phi(\bullet, \xi) d\xi = ((\phi, \psi)) f.$$

Proof

Theorem (Schur's Lemma)

A unitary representation (π, \mathcal{H}) of G is irreducible

\iff Any bounded operator T that commutes with π is a scalar multiple of the identity

$\iff \forall g \in G [T \circ \pi_g = \pi_g \circ T] \implies \exists c \in \mathbb{C} [T = c \text{Id}_{\mathcal{H}}]$

By the left-invariances of dx and ψ (resp. $d\xi$ and ϕ), we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{R}_\psi[\pi_g[f]](\xi) &= \int_X f(g^{-1} \cdot x) \overline{\psi(x, \xi)} dx = \int_X f(x) \overline{\psi(g \cdot x, \xi)} dx = \int_X f(x) \overline{\psi(x, g^{-1} \cdot \xi)} dx = \widehat{\pi}_g[\mathbf{R}_\psi[f]](\xi) \\ \mathbf{NN}_\phi[\widehat{\pi}_g[\gamma]](x) &= \int_\Xi \gamma(g^{-1} \cdot \xi) \phi(x, \xi) d\xi = \int_\Xi \gamma(\xi) \phi(x, g \cdot \xi) d\xi = \int_\Xi \gamma(\xi) \phi(g^{-1} \cdot x, \xi) d\xi = \pi_g[\mathbf{NN}_\phi[\gamma]](x). \end{aligned}$$

As a consequence, $\mathbf{NN}_\phi \circ \mathbf{R}_\psi : L^2(X) \rightarrow L^2(X)$ commutes with π , namely

$$\mathbf{NN}_\phi \circ \mathbf{R}_\psi \circ \pi_g = \mathbf{NN}_\phi \circ \widehat{\pi}_g \circ \mathbf{R}_\psi = \pi_g \circ \mathbf{NN}_\phi \circ \mathbf{R}_\psi$$

for all $g \in G$. Hence Schur's lemma yields that there exist a constant $C_{\phi, \psi} \in \mathbb{C}$ such that $\mathbf{NN}_\phi \circ \mathbf{R}_\psi = C_{\phi, \psi} \text{Id}_{L^2(X)}$. By the construction of left-hand side, $C_{\phi, \psi}$ is bilinear in ϕ and ψ . □

Example

Original Ridgelet Transform

- G is the affine group $\text{Aff}(m) = GL(m) \ltimes \mathbb{R}^m$
- $X = \mathbb{R}^m$ (data domain) with G -action

$$g \cdot \mathbf{x} := L\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{t}, \quad g = (L, \mathbf{t}) \in G,$$

- $\Xi = \mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}$ (parameter domain) with dual G -action

$$g \cdot (\mathbf{a}, b) = (L^{-\top} \mathbf{a}, b + \mathbf{t}^\top L^{-\top} \mathbf{a}), \quad g = (L, \mathbf{t}) \in G$$

- Then, $\phi(\mathbf{x}, (\mathbf{a}, b)) := \sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b)$ and $\psi(\mathbf{x}, (\mathbf{a}, b)) := \rho(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b)$ are joint G -invariant. Indeed,

$$\phi(g \cdot \mathbf{x}, g \cdot (\mathbf{a}, b)) = \sigma(L^{-\top} \mathbf{a} \cdot (L\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{t}) - (b + \mathbf{t}^\top L^{-\top} \mathbf{a})) = \sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b) = \phi(\mathbf{x}, (\mathbf{a}, b))$$

- Thus, we may put

$$\text{NN}[\gamma](\mathbf{x}) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m \times \mathbb{R}} \gamma(\mathbf{a}, b) \sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b) d\mathbf{a} db, \quad \text{and} \quad \text{R}[f](\mathbf{a}, b) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^m} f(\mathbf{x}) \overline{\rho(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b)} d\mathbf{x}$$

- Since π_g is known to be irreducible, $\text{NN} \circ \text{R} = ((\sigma, \rho)) \text{Id}_{L^2(\mathbb{R}^m)}$

Geometric Interpretation

- Let

$$\xi(\mathbf{a}, b) := \{\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^m \mid \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b = 0\}$$

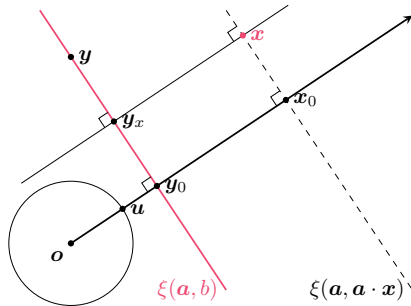
be the hyperplane determined by $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b = 0$

- The invariant $\phi(\mathbf{x}, (\mathbf{a}, b)) = \sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b)$ is a signed distance between point \mathbf{x} and hyperplane $\xi(\mathbf{a}, b)$ followed by scale $|\mathbf{a}|$ and nonlinearity σ :

$$\sigma(\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{x} - b) = \sigma(|\mathbf{a}|d(\mathbf{x}, \xi(\mathbf{a}, b)))$$

- While G -action $g \cdot \mathbf{x}$ is cast as the transportation of point \mathbf{x} ,
- the dual G -action $g \cdot (\mathbf{a}, b)$ is cast as the **parallel transport of hyperplane $\xi(\mathbf{a}, b)$** so that

$$d(g \cdot \mathbf{x}, g \cdot \xi(\mathbf{a}, b)) = d(\mathbf{x}, \xi(\mathbf{a}, b))$$



Deep Ridgelet Transform for Formal Deep Network⁵

⁵S-Hashimoto-Ishikawa-Ikeda, [NeurReps2023](#)

Formal DNN

Idea 1. Identify each hidden map $g : X \rightarrow X$ with a group action (of group G on X)
 $\implies g$ is invertible (without specific implementation)

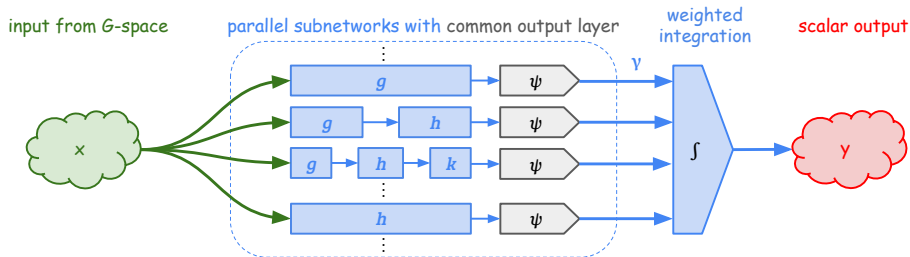
Idea 2. Integrate all the candidate subnetworks $\{\psi \circ g \mid g \in G\}$ (linearization trick!)

Idea 3. Then, $\theta(x, g) := \psi \circ g(x)$ is joint G -invariant!

Definition (Formal DNN)

For any function $\psi \in L^2(X)$ and measure γ on G , put

$$\text{DNN}[\gamma; \psi](x) := \int_G \gamma(g) \psi \circ g(x) dg, \quad x \in X.$$



Main Theorem

Definition (Deep Ridgelet Transform)

For any functions f and ϕ on X , put

$$R[f; \phi](g) := \int_X f(x) \overline{\phi \circ g(x)} dx.$$

Theorem (Reconstruction Formula)

Provided $\pi_g[f] := f \circ g$ is an irreducible unitary representation of G acting from right on $L^2(X)$, there exists a bilinear form $((\psi, \phi))$ such that

$$\text{DNN}_\psi[R_\phi[f]] = \int_G R_\phi[f](g) \psi \circ g(x) dg = ((\psi, \phi))f, \quad \text{for all } f \in L^2(X).$$

Proof

- Put the dual G -action on the parameter domain G as $g \cdot \xi := \xi \circ g^{-1}$
- Then, $\theta(x, \xi) := \psi \circ \xi(x)$ is joint G -invariant. Indeed,

$$\theta(g \cdot x, g \cdot \xi) = \psi \circ (g \cdot \xi)(g \cdot x) = \psi \circ (\xi \circ g^{-1})(g(x)) = \psi \circ \xi(x) = \theta(x, \xi)$$

- Thus, formal DNN and deep ridgelet transform are generalized DNN and generalized ridgelet transform, resp.