

Reduced-Rank Techniques for Array Signal Processing and Communications : Design, Algorithms and Applications

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- Reduced-rank detection and estimation techniques are a fundamental set of tools in signal processing and communications.
- Motivation of reduced-rank processing :
  - robustness against noise and model uncertainties,
  - computational efficiency,
  - decompositions of signals for design and analysis,
  - inverse problems,
  - feature extraction,
  - dimensionality reduction,
  - problems with short data record, faster training .

- Main Goals of Reduced-Rank Methods :
  - simplicity, ease of deployment,
  - to provide minimal reconstruction error losses,
  - to allow simple mapping and inverse mapping functions,
  - to improve convergence and tracking performance for dynamic signals,
  - to reduce the need for storage of the coefficients of the estimator,
  - to provide amenable and stable adaptive implementation,

- Communications :
  - Interference mitigation, synchronization, fading mitigation, channel estimation.
  - Parameter estimation with MMSE or LS criteria (Haykin [1]) :

$$\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{R}^{-1}\mathbf{p}$$

where

w is a parameter vector with M coefficients,  $\mathbf{r}(i)$  is the  $M \times 1$  input data vector,  $\mathbf{R} = E[\mathbf{r}(i)\mathbf{r}^{H}(i)]$  is the  $M \times M$  covariance matrix,  $\mathbf{p} = E[d^{*}(i)\mathbf{r}(i)]$  and d(i) is the desired signal.

- Detection approaches using MMSE or LS estimates.
- Problems : dimensionality of system, matrix inversion
- How to improve performance?

- Array signal processing :
  - Beamforming, direction finding, information combining with sensors, radar and sonar (van Trees [2]).
  - Parameter estimation with LCMV criterion :

$$\mathbf{w} = \xi^{-1} \mathbf{R}^{-1} \mathbf{a}(\Theta_k)$$

where

 $\mathbf{w}$  is a parameter vector with M coefficients,

$$\mathbf{r}(i)$$
 is the  $M \times 1$  input data vector,  
 $\mathbf{R} = E[\mathbf{r}(i)\mathbf{r}^{H}(i)]$  is the  $M \times M$  covariance matrix,  
 $\mathbf{a}(\Theta_{k})$  is the  $M \times 1$  array response vector and  
 $\xi = \mathbf{a}(\Theta_{k})^{H}\mathbf{R}^{-1}\mathbf{a}(\Theta_{k}).$ 

- Use of LCMV for beamforming and direction finding..
- Any idea?
- Undermodelling ?  $\rightarrow$  designer has to select the key features of  $\mathbf{r}(i) \rightarrow$  reduce-rank signal processing

## System Model and Rank Reduction

- Consider the following linear model

$$\mathbf{r}(i) = \mathbf{H}(i)\mathbf{s}(i) + \mathbf{n}(i)$$

where s(i) is a  $M \times 1$  discrete-time signal organized in data vectors, r(i) is the  $M \times 1$  input data, H(i) is a  $M \times M$  matrix and n(i) is  $M \times 1$ noise vector.

– Dimensionality reduction  $\rightarrow$  an M-dimensional space is mapped into a D-dimensional subspace.



## System Model and Rank Reduction

- A general reduced-rank version of  $\mathbf{r}(i)$  can be obtained using a transformation matrix  $\mathbf{S}_D$  (assumed fixed here) with dimensions  $M \times D$ , where D is the rank. Please see Haykin [1], Scharf-91 [3], Scharf and Tufts-87 [4], Scharf and van Veen-87[5].
- In other words, the mapping is carried out by the transformation matrix  $\mathbf{S}_D.$
- The resulting reduced-rank observed data is given by

$$\overline{\mathbf{r}}(i) = \mathbf{S}_D^H \mathbf{r}(i)$$

where  $\overline{\mathbf{r}}(i)$  is a  $D \times 1$  vector.

- Challenge : How to efficiently (or optimally) design  $S_D$ ?

- Origins of reduced-rank methods as a structured field :
  - 1987 Louis Scharf from University of Colorado defined the problem as "a transformation in which a data vector can be represented by a reduced number of effective features and yet retain most of the intrinsic information of the input data" Scharf and Tufts-87 [4], Scharf and van Veen-87[5].
  - 1987- Scharf Investigation and establishment of the bias versus noise variance trade-off.

#### – Early Methods :

- Hotelling and Eckhart (see Scharf [3]) in the 1930's  $\rightarrow$  first methods using eigen-decompositions or principal components.
- Early 1990's applications of eigen-decomposition techniques for reduced-rank estimation in communications. See Haimovich and Bar-Ness [7], Wang and Poor [8], and Hua et al. [9].
- 1994  $\rightarrow$  Cai and Wang [6], Bell Labs : joint domain localised adaptive processing  $\rightarrow$  radar-based scheme, medium complexity.
- Main problems of eigen-decomposition techniques :
  - Require computationally expensive SVD or algorithms to obtain the eigenvalues and eigenvectors.
  - Performance degradation with increase in the signal subspace.

- 1997 Goldstein and Reed [10], University of Southern California : cross-spectral approach.
  - Appropriate selection of singular values which addresses the performance degradation.
  - Remaining problem : eigen-decomposition.
- 1997 → Pados and Batallama [19]-[23], University of New York, Buffalo : auxiliary vector filtering (AVF) algorithm :
  - does not require SVD.
  - very fast convergence but complexity is still a problem.
  - equivalence between the AVF (with orthogonal AVs) and the MSWF was established by Chen, Mitra and Schniter [17].

- 1998/9 Partial despreading (PD) of Singh and Milstein [18], University of California at San Diego :
  - simple but suboptimal and restricted to CDMA multiuser detection.
- 1997 2004 Multistage Wiener filter (MSWF) of Goldstein, Reed and Scharf and its variants [12]-[16] :
  - State-of-the-art in the field and benchmark.
  - Very fast convergence, rank not scaling with system size.
  - Complexity is still a problem as well as the existence of numerical instability for implementation.

- 2004  $\rightarrow$  de Lamare and Sampaio-Neto ([25])- interpolated FIR filters with time-varying interpolators : low complexity, good performance but rank limited.
- 2005 → de Lamare and Sampaio-Neto Novel approach Joint interpolation, decimation and filtering (JIDF) scheme [27]-[29] - Best known scheme, flexible, smallest complexity in the field, patented.
- 2007 → de Lamare, Haardt and Sampaio-Neto Robust MSWF [17] Development of a robust version of the MSWF using the constrained constant modulus (CCM) design criterion.
- 2007 → de Lamare and Sampaio-Neto Joint iterative optimisation of filters - (JIO) - Development of a generic reduced-rank scheme that is very good for mapping and inverse mapping [26].
- 2008 → de Lamare, Sampaio-Neto and Haardt [30] Robust JIDFtype approach called BARC - Development of a robust version of the JIDF using the CCM design criterion.

#### MMSE Reduced-Rank Parameter Vector Design

– The MMSE filter is the vector  $\mathbf{w} = \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \ w_2 \ \dots \ w_M \end{bmatrix}^T$ , which is designed to minimize the MSE cost function

$$J = E\left[|d(i) - \mathbf{w}^H \mathbf{r}(i)|^2\right]$$

where d(i) is the desired signal.

- The solution is  $\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{R}^{-1}\mathbf{p}$ , where  $E[d^*(i)\mathbf{r}(i)]$  and  $\mathbf{R} = E[\mathbf{r}(i)\mathbf{r}^H(i)]$ .
- The parameter vector  ${\bf w}$  can be also be estimated via adaptive algorithms, however ...
- The convergence speed and tracking of these algorithms depends on M and the eigenvalue spread. Thus, large M implies slow convergence.
- Reduced-rank schemes circumvent these limitations via reduction of number of coefficients and extraction of key features of data.

#### MMSE Reduced-Rank Parameter Vector Design

- Consider a reduced-rank input vector  $\bar{\mathbf{r}}(i) = \mathbf{S}_D^H \mathbf{r}(i)$  as the input to a filter represented by the D vector  $\bar{\mathbf{w}} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{w}_1 & \bar{w}_2 & \dots & \bar{w}_D \end{bmatrix}^T$  for time interval i.
- The filter output is

$$x(i) = \bar{\mathbf{w}}^H \mathbf{S}_D^H \mathbf{r}(i)$$

- The MMSE design problem can be stated as

minimize 
$$\mathcal{J}(\bar{\mathbf{w}}) = E[|d(i) - x(i)|^2]$$
  
=  $E[|d(i) - \bar{\mathbf{w}}^H \mathbf{S}_D^H \mathbf{r}(i)|^2]$ 

where d(i) is the desired signal.

### MMSE Reduced-Rank Parameter Vector Design

- The MMSE design with the reduced-rank parameters yields

$$\bar{\mathbf{w}} = \bar{\mathbf{R}}^{-1}\bar{\mathbf{p}}$$

where

 $\mathbf{\bar{R}} = E[\mathbf{\bar{r}}(i)\mathbf{\bar{r}}^{H}(i)] = \mathbf{S}_{D}^{H}\mathbf{RS}_{D}$  is the reduced-rank covariance matrix,  $\mathbf{R} = E[\mathbf{r}(i)\mathbf{r}^{H}(i)]$  is the full-rank covariance matrix,  $\mathbf{\bar{p}} = E[d^{*}(i)\mathbf{\bar{r}}(i)] = \mathbf{S}_{D}^{H}\mathbf{p}$  and  $\mathbf{p} = E[d^{*}(i)\mathbf{r}(i)]$ .

– The associated MMSE for a rank  $\boldsymbol{D}$  estimator is expressed by

 $\mathsf{MMSE} = \sigma_d^2 - \bar{\mathbf{p}}^H \bar{\mathbf{R}}^{-1} \bar{\mathbf{p}} = \sigma_d^2 - \mathbf{p}^H \mathbf{S}_D (\mathbf{S}_D^H \mathbf{R} \mathbf{S}_D)^{-1} \mathbf{S}_D^H \mathbf{p}$ where  $\sigma_d^2$  is the variance of d(i).

### LCMV Reduced-Rank Parameter Vector Design

- Consider a uniform linear array (ULA) of M elements. There are K narrowband sources impinging on the array (K < M) with directions of arrival (DOA)  $\theta_l$  for l = 1, 2, ..., K.



- Reduced-rank array processing : The output of the array is

$$x(i) = \bar{w}^H \bar{r}(i) = \bar{w}^H(i) S_D^H r(i)$$

#### LCMV Reduced-Rank Parameter Vector Design

– In order to design the reduced-rank filter  $ar{w}(i)$  we consider the following optimization problem

minimize 
$$E[|\bar{w}^H S_D^H r(i)|^2] = \bar{w}^H S_D^H R S_D \bar{w}$$
  
subject to  $\bar{w}^H S_D^H a(\theta_k) = 1$ 

- Approach used to obtain a solution : Lagrange multiplier method

$$\mathcal{L}(\bar{\boldsymbol{w}},\lambda) = E\left[|\bar{\boldsymbol{w}}^H \boldsymbol{S}_D^H \boldsymbol{r}(i)|^2\right] + 2\Re[\lambda(\bar{\boldsymbol{w}}^H \mathbf{S}_D^H \boldsymbol{a}(\theta_k) - 1)]$$

– The solution to this design problem is

$$\bar{w} = \frac{(S_D^H R S_D)^{-1} S_D^H S_D^H a(\theta_k)}{a^H(\theta_k) S_D(i) (S_D^H R S_D)^{-1} S_D^H a(\theta_k)} = \frac{\bar{R}^{-1} \bar{a}(\theta_k)}{\bar{a}^H(\theta_k) \bar{R}^{-1} \bar{a}(\theta_k)}$$
  
where the reduced-rank covariance matrix is  $\bar{R} = E[\bar{r}(i)\bar{r}^H(i)] = S_D^H R S_D$  and the reduced-rank steering vector is  $\bar{a}(\theta_k) = S_D^H a(\theta_k)$ .

#### LCMV Reduced-Rank Parameter Vector Design

– The associated minimum variance (MV) for a LCMV parameter vector/filter with rank D is

$$\begin{aligned} \mathsf{MV} &= \frac{1}{\bar{a}^H(\theta_k) \bar{R}^{-1} \bar{a}(\theta_k)} \\ &= \frac{1}{a(\theta_k)^H S_D(S_D^H R S_D)^{-1} S_D^H a(\theta_k)} \end{aligned}$$

- The above expression can be used for direction finding by replacing the angles  $\theta_k$  with a time-varying parameter ( $\omega$ ) in order to scan the possible angles.
- It can also be employed for general applications of spectral estimation including spectral sensing.

#### **Eigen-Decomposition Techniques**

- Why are eigen-decomposition techniques used?
- For MMSE parameter estimation and a rank  $\boldsymbol{D}$  estimator we have

$$\mathsf{MMSE} = \sigma_d^2 - \mathbf{p}^H \mathbf{S}_D (\mathbf{S}_D^H \mathbf{R} \mathbf{S}_D)^{-1} \mathbf{S}_D^H \mathbf{p}$$

– Taking the gradient of MMSE with respect to  $\boldsymbol{S}_D$ , we get

$$S_{D,opt} = [v_1 \dots v_D]$$

- For MV parameter estimation and a rank D estimator we have

$$\mathsf{MV} = \frac{1}{a(\theta_k)^H S_D (S_D^H R S_D)^{-1} S_D^H a(\theta_k)}$$

– Taking the gradient of MV with respect to  $S_D$ , we get

$$\boldsymbol{S}_{D,\mathsf{opt}} = [\boldsymbol{v}_1 \dots \boldsymbol{v}_D]$$

### Eigen-Decomposition Techniques

 Rank reduction is accomplished by eigen- decomposition on the input data covariance matrix

$$R = V\Lambda V^H,$$

where

$$oldsymbol{V} = [oldsymbol{v}_1 \dots oldsymbol{v}_M]$$
 and

- $\Lambda = \operatorname{diag}(\lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_M).$
- Early techniques : selection of eigenvectors  $v_j$  (j = 1, ..., M) corresponding to the largest eigenvalues  $\lambda_j$ 
  - $\rightarrow$  Transformation matrix is

$$\boldsymbol{S}_D(i) = [\boldsymbol{v}_1 \dots \boldsymbol{v}_D]$$

### Eigen-Decomposition Techniques

- Cross-spectral approach of Goldstein and Reed : choose eigenvectors that minimise the design criterion
  - $\rightarrow$  Transformation matrix is

$$S_D(i) = [v_i \dots v_t]$$

- Problems : Complexity  $O(M^3)$ , optimality implies knowledge of R but this has to be estimated.
- Complexity reduction : adaptive subspace tracking algorithms (popular in the end of the 90s) but still complex and susceptible to tracking problems.
- Can we skip or circumvent an eigen-decomposition?

## The Multi-stage Wiener Filter

 Rank reduction is accomplished by a successive refinement procedure that generates a set of basis vectors, i.e. the signal subspace, known



- Design : use of nested filters  $c_j$  (j = 1, ..., M) and blocking matrices  $B_j$  for the decomposition  $\rightarrow$  Projection matrix is

$$S_D(i) = [p, Rp, ..., R^{D-1}p]$$

- Advantages : rank D does not scale with system size, very fast convergence.
- Problems : complexity slightly inferior to RLS algorithms, not robust to signature mismatches in blind operation.

### A Robust Multi-stage Wiener Filter

- Rank reduction is accomplished by a similar successive refinement procedure to original MSWF. However, the design is based on the CCM criterion (de Lamare, Haardt and Sampaio-Neto []).
- Transformation matrix :

$$\mathbf{S}_D(i) = \left[\mathbf{q}(i), \ \mathbf{R}(i)\mathbf{q}(i), \ \dots, \ \mathbf{R}^{(D-1)}(i)\mathbf{q}(i)\right]$$

– The reduced-rank CCM parameter vector with rank D is

$$\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i+1) = \left(\mathbf{S}_D^H(i)\mathbf{R}(i)\mathbf{S}_D(i)\right)^{-1}\mathbf{S}_D^H(i)\mathbf{q}(i),$$

where

$$q(i) = d(i) - (p^{H}(i)R^{-1}(i)p(i))^{-1}(p^{H}(i)R^{-1}(i)d(i) - \nu)p(i),$$
$$d(i) = E[x^{*}(i)S_{D}^{H}(i)r(i)]$$

- We assess BER performance of the supervised LS, the CMV-LS and the CCM-LS and their full-rank and reduced-rank versions.
- The DS-CDMA system uses random sequences with N = 64.
- We use 3-path channels with powers  $p_{k,l}$  given by 0, -3 and -6 dB. In each run the spacing between paths is obtained from a discrete uniform random variable between 1 and 2 chips.
- Power distribution amongst the users : Follows a log-normal distribution with associated standard deviation of 1.5 dB.
- All LS type estimators use  $\lambda = 0.998$  to ensure good performance and all experiments are averaged over 200 runs.



#### Techniques based on joint and iterative optimisation of filters

– Rank reduction is performed by joint and iterative optimisation (JIO) of projection matrix  $S_D(i)$  and reduced-rank filter  $\bar{w}(i)$ .



- Design criteria : MMSE, LS, LCMV, etc
- Adaptive algorithms : LMS, RLS, etc
- Highlights : rank D does not scale with system size, very fast convergence, proof of global convergence established, very simple.

#### MMSE Design of JIO Scheme

- The MMSE expressions for the filters  $S_D(i)$  and  $\bar{w}(i)$  can be computed through the following cost function :

$$J = E\left[|d(i) - \bar{\mathbf{w}}^{H}(i)\mathbf{S}_{D}^{H}(i)\mathbf{r}(i)|^{2}\right]$$

- By fixing the projection  $S_D(i)$  and minimizing the cost function with respect to  $\bar{w}(i)$ , the reduced-rank filter weight vector becomes

$$\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i) = \bar{\mathbf{R}}^{-1}(i)\bar{\mathbf{p}}(i)$$

where

 $\bar{\mathbf{R}}(i) = E[\mathbf{S}_D^H(i)\mathbf{r}(i)\mathbf{r}^H(i)\mathbf{S}_D(i)] = E[\bar{\mathbf{r}}(i)\bar{\mathbf{r}}^H(i)],\\ \bar{\mathbf{p}}(i) = E[d^*(i)\mathbf{S}_D^H(i)\mathbf{r}(i)] = E[d^*(i)\bar{\mathbf{r}}(i)].$ 

### MMSE Design of JIO Scheme

– Fixing  $\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i)$  and minimizing the cost function with respect to  $\mathbf{S}_D(i)$ , we get

$$\mathbf{S}_D(i) = \mathbf{R}^{-1}(i)\mathbf{P}_D(i)\mathbf{R}_w^{-1}(i)$$

where  

$$\mathbf{R}(i) = E[\mathbf{r}(i)\mathbf{r}^{H}(i)],$$

$$\mathbf{P}_{D}(i) = E[d^{*}(i)\mathbf{r}(i)\bar{\mathbf{w}}^{H}(i)] \text{ and }$$

$$\mathbf{R}_{w}(i) = E[\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i)\bar{\mathbf{w}}^{H}(i)].$$

– The associated MMSE is

$$\mathsf{MMSE} = \sigma_d^2 - \bar{\mathbf{p}}^H(i)\bar{\mathbf{R}}^{-1}(i)\bar{\mathbf{p}}(i)$$
 where  $\sigma_d^2 = E[|d(i)|^2].$ 

### MMSE Design of JIO Scheme

- The filter expressions for  $\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i)$  and  $\mathbf{S}_D(i)$  are functions of one another and thus it is necessary to iterate (8) and (9) with an initial guess to obtain a solution.
- Unlike prior art, the JIO scheme provides an iterative exchange of information between the reduced-rank filter and the transformation matrix.
- The key strategy lies in the joint optimization of the filters.
- The rank D or model order must be set by the designer to ensure appropriate or adjusted on-line.

### Adaptive JIO implementation : LMS algorithm

Initialize all parameter vectors, dimensions

For each data vector  $i = 1, \ldots, Q$  do :

- Perform dimensionality reduction :

$$\bar{r}(i) = S_D^H(i)r(i)$$

- Estimate parameters

$$S_D(i+1) = S_D(i) + \eta(i)e^*(i)r(i)\overline{w}^H(i)$$

$$\bar{w}(i+1) = \bar{w}(i) + \mu(i)e^*(i)\bar{r}(i)$$

where  $e(i) = d(i) - \bar{w}^H(i)S_D^H(i)r(i)$ .

- We consider the uplink of a symbol synchronous BPSK DS-CDMA system with K users, N chips per symbol and L propagation paths.
- Initialization : for all simulations, we use  $\bar{\mathbf{w}}(0) = \mathbf{0}_{D,1}$ ,  $\mathbf{S}_D(0) = [\mathbf{I}_D \ \mathbf{0}_{D,M-D}]^T$ .
- We assume L = 9 as an upper bound on the channel delay spread, use 3-path channels with relative powers given by 0, -3 and -6 dB, where in each run the spacing between paths is obtained from a discrete uniform random variable between 1 and 2 chips and average the experiments over 200 runs.
- The system has a power distribution amongst the users for each run that follows a log-normal distribution with associated standard deviation equal to 1.5 dB.






- Main differences in approach : the filters  $S_D(i)$  and  $\bar{w}(i)$  are jointly optimized and certain key quantities are assumed statistically independent.
- The LCMV expressions for the filters  $\mathbf{S}_D(i)$  and  $\mathbf{\bar{w}}(i)$  can be computed via the proposed optimization problem minimize  $E[|\mathbf{\bar{w}}^H(i)\mathbf{S}_D^H(i)\mathbf{r}(i)|^2] = \mathbf{\bar{w}}^H(i)\mathbf{S}_D^H(i)\mathbf{R}\mathbf{S}_D(i)\mathbf{\bar{w}}(i)$ subject to  $\mathbf{\bar{w}}^H(i)\mathbf{S}_D^H(i)a(\theta_k) = 1$
- Solution  $\rightarrow$  method of Lagrange multipliers

$$\mathcal{L}(\boldsymbol{S}_D(i), \bar{\boldsymbol{w}}(i), \lambda) = E\left[|\bar{\boldsymbol{w}}^H(i)\boldsymbol{S}_D^H(i)\boldsymbol{r}(i)|^2\right] + 2\Re[\lambda(\bar{\boldsymbol{w}}^H(i)\mathbf{S}_D^H(i)\boldsymbol{a}(\theta_k) - 1)],$$

- By fixing  $\bar{w}(i)$ , minimizing  $\mathcal{L}(S_D(i), \bar{w}(i), \lambda)$  with respect to  $S_D(i)$  and solving for  $\lambda$ , we get

$$\boldsymbol{S}_{D}(i) = \frac{\boldsymbol{R}^{-1}\boldsymbol{a}(\theta_{k})\bar{\boldsymbol{w}}^{H}(i)\boldsymbol{R}_{w}^{-1}}{\bar{\boldsymbol{w}}^{H}(i)\boldsymbol{R}_{w}^{-1}\bar{\boldsymbol{w}}(i)\boldsymbol{a}^{H}(\theta_{k})\boldsymbol{R}^{-1}\boldsymbol{a}(\theta_{k})},$$

where

$$R = E[r(i)r^H(i)]$$
 and  
 $R_w = E[\bar{w}(i)\bar{w}^H(i)].$ 

- A simplified expression for  $S_D(i)$  obtained analytically with the exploitation of the constraint is given by

$$\boldsymbol{S}_{D}(i) = \frac{\boldsymbol{P}(i)\boldsymbol{a}(\theta_{k})\bar{\boldsymbol{a}}^{H}(\theta_{k})}{\boldsymbol{a}^{H}(\theta_{k})\boldsymbol{P}(i)\boldsymbol{a}(\theta_{k})}$$

- By fixing  $S_D(i)$ , minimizing the Lagrangian with respect to  $\bar{w}(i)$  and solving for  $\lambda$ , we arrive at the expression for  $\bar{w}(i)$ 

$$\bar{\boldsymbol{w}}(i) = \frac{\bar{\boldsymbol{R}}^{-1}(i)\bar{\boldsymbol{a}}(\theta_k)}{\bar{\boldsymbol{a}}^{H}(\theta_k)\bar{\boldsymbol{R}}^{-1}(i)\bar{\boldsymbol{a}}(\theta_k)},$$

where

$$\bar{\boldsymbol{R}}(i) = \boldsymbol{S}_D^H(i) \boldsymbol{E}[\boldsymbol{r}(i)\boldsymbol{r}^H(i)] \boldsymbol{S}_D(i) = \boldsymbol{E}[\bar{\boldsymbol{r}}(i)\bar{\boldsymbol{r}}^H(i)],$$
  
$$\bar{\boldsymbol{a}}(\theta_k) = \boldsymbol{S}_D^H(i)\boldsymbol{a}(\theta_k).$$

– The associated  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{MV}}$  is

$$\mathsf{MV} = rac{1}{ar{a}^H( heta_k)ar{R}^{-1}(i)ar{a}( heta_k)}$$

- The filter expressions  $\bar{w}(i)$  and  $S_D(i)$  are not closed-form solutions.
- They are functions of each other. Therefore, it is necessary to iterate the expressions with initial values to obtain a solution.
- Existence of multiple solution (which are identical with respect to the MMSE and symmetrical).
- Global convergence to the optimal reduced-rank LCMV filter (eigendecomposition with known covariance matrix) has been established.
- The key strategy lies in the joint optimization of the filters.
- The rank D must be adjusted by the designer to ensure appropriate performance or can be estimated via another algorithm.

## Adaptive LCMV version : LMS algorithm

Initialize all parameter vectors, dimensions

For each data vector  $i = 1, \ldots, Q$  do :

– Perform dimensionality reduction :

$$\bar{\boldsymbol{r}}(i) = \boldsymbol{S}_D^H(i)\boldsymbol{r}(i)$$

– Estimate parameters

$$S_D(i+1) = S_D(i) - \mu_s x^*(i) \left[ r(i)\bar{w}^H(i) - a(\theta_k)\bar{w}^H(i)a^H(\theta_k)r(i) \right]$$

$$\bar{w}(i+1) = \bar{w}(i) - \mu_w x^*(i) \left[ I - \left( \bar{a}^H(\theta_k) \bar{a}(\theta_k) \right)^{-1} \bar{a}(\theta_k) \bar{a}^H(\theta_k) \right] \bar{r}(i)$$

## Complexity of LCMV-JIO ALgorithms

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Algorithm	Additions	Multiplications
Full-rank-SG [1]	3M + 1	3M + 2
Full-rank-RLS [1]	$3M^2 - 2M + 3$	$6M^2 + 2M + 2$
Dropocod SC	2DM + DM	
Proposed-5G	3DM + 2M	3DM + M
	+2D-2	+5D + 2
Proposed-RLS	$3M^2 - 2M + 3$	$7M^2 + 2M$
	$+3D^2 - 8D + 3$	$+7D^{2}+9D$
<b>MSWF-SG</b> [12]	$DM^2 - M^2$	$DM^2 - M^2$
	+3D - 2	+2DM + 4D + 1
MSWF-RLS $[12]$	$DM^2 + M^2 + 6D^2$	$DM^{2} + M^{2}$
	-8D + 2	+2DM + 3D + 2
<b>AVF</b> [23]	$D((M)^2 + 3(M-1)^2) - 1$	$D(4M^2 + 4M + 1)$
	+D(5(M-1)+1)+2M	+4M + 2

### Complexity of LCMV-JIO ALgorithms



# Applications : LCMV Beamforming

- A smart antenna system with a ULA containing M sensor elements and half wavelength inter-element spacing is considered.
- Figure of merit : the SINR, which is defined as

$$SINR(i) = \frac{\bar{w}^{H}(i)S_{D}^{H}(i)R_{s}(i)S_{D}(i)\bar{w}(i)}{\bar{w}^{H}(i)S_{D}^{H}(i)R_{I}(i)S_{D}(i)\bar{w}(i)}$$

– The signal-to-noise ratio (SNR) is defined as SNR =  $\frac{\sigma_d^2}{\sigma^2}$ .

- Initialization :  $\bar{w}(0) = [1 \ 0 \ \dots \ 0]$  and  $S_D(0) = [I_D^T \ 0_{D \times (M-D)}^T]$ , where  $0_{D \times M-D}$  is a  $D \times (M-D)$  matrix with zeros in all experiments.

#### Applications : LCMV Beamforming



## Applications : LCMV Beamforming



- A smart antenna system with a ULA containing M sensor elements and half wavelength inter-element spacing is considered.
- We compare the proposed LCMV JIO method with an LS algorithm with the Capon, MUSIC, ESPRIT, AVF, and CG methods, and run K = 1000 iterations to get each curve.
- The spatial smoothing (SS) technique is employed for each algorithm to improve the performance in the presence of correlated sources.
- The DOAs are considered to be resolved if  $|\hat{\theta}_{\text{JISO}} \theta_k| < 1^o$ .
- The probability of resolution is used as a figure of merit and plotted against the number of snapshots.

Parameters : Probability of resolution versus number of snapshots (separation 3°, SNR= -2dB, q = 2, c= 0.9, m = 30, r = 6,  $\delta = 5 \times 10^{-4}$ ,  $\alpha = 0.998$ , n = 26)



Parameters : Probability of resolution versus number of snapshots (separation 3°, SNR= -5dB, q= 10, m = 50, r = 6,  $\delta = 5 \times 10^{-4}$ ,  $\alpha = 0.998$ , n = 41)



Parameters : Probability of resolution versus snapshots (separation 3<sup>o</sup>, SNR= 0dB,  $q_w = 9$ , m = 50, r = 6,  $\delta = 5 \times 10^{-4}$ ,  $\alpha = 0.998$ , n = 41). We assume an incorrect number of sources  $q_w = 9$  instead of q = 10.



# Reduced-rank processing based on joint and iterative interpolation, decimation and filtering(JIDF)



- Interpolated received vector :  $r_I(i) = V^H(i)r(i)$
- Decimated received vector for branch b :  $\bar{r}(i) = D_b(i)V^H(i)r(i)$
- Selection of decimation branch D(i) : Euclidean distance
- Expression of estimate as a function of v(i), D(i) and w(i) :

$$x(i) = \bar{\boldsymbol{w}}^{H}(i)\boldsymbol{S}_{D}^{H}(i)\boldsymbol{r}(i) = \bar{\boldsymbol{w}}^{H}(i)\boldsymbol{D}_{b}(i)\boldsymbol{V}^{H}(i)\boldsymbol{r}(i) = \bar{\boldsymbol{w}}^{H}(i)\boldsymbol{D}(i)\boldsymbol{\Re}_{o}(i)\boldsymbol{v}^{*}(i)$$

– Joint optimisation of v(i), D(i) and  $ar{w}(i)$ 

# Reduced-rank processing based on joint and iterative interpolation, decimation and filtering(JIDF)

- Decimation schemes : Optimal, uniform, random, pre-stored.
- The decimation pattern D(i) is selected according to :

$$D(i) = D_b$$
 when  $D_b(i) = \arg\min_{1 \le b \le B} |e_b(i)|^2$ 

– Optimal decimator : combinatorial problem with B possibilities

$$B = \underbrace{M \cdot (M-1) \dots (M-M/L+1)}_{M/L \text{ terms}} = \frac{M!}{(M-M/L)!}$$

- Suboptimal decimation schemes :
  - Uniform (U) Decimation
  - Pre-Stored (PS) Decimation.
  - Random (R) Decimation.

# Reduced-rank processing based on joint and iterative interpolation, decimation and filtering(JIDF)

- General framework for decimation schemes

where m (m = 1, 2, ..., M/L) denotes the *m*-th row and  $r_m$  is the number of zeros given by the decimation strategy.

- Suboptimal decimation schemes :
  - **a.** Uniform (U) Decimation with  $B = 1 \rightarrow r_m = (m 1)L$ .
  - **b.** Pre-Stored (PS) Decimation. We select  $r_m = (m-1)L + (b-1)$  which corresponds to the utilization of uniform decimation for each branch *b* out of *B* branches.
  - **c.** Random (R) Decimation. We choose  $r_m$  as a discrete uniform random variable between 0 and M - 1.

#### **MMSE** Parameter Vector Design of JIDF

– The MMSE expressions for  $\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i)$  and  $\mathbf{v}(i)$  can be computed via the minimization of the cost function

$$J_{\mathsf{MSE}}^{(\mathbf{v}(i),\mathbf{D}(i),\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i))} = E[|d(i) - \mathbf{v}^{H}(i)\Re_{o}^{T}(i)\mathbf{D}^{T}(i)\bar{\mathbf{w}}^{*}(i)|^{2}]$$

- Fixing the interpolator v(i) and minimizing the cost function with respect to  $\bar{w}(i)$  the interpolated Wiener filter weight vector is

$$\overline{\mathbf{w}}(i) = \boldsymbol{\alpha}(\mathbf{v}) = \overline{\mathbf{R}}^{-1}(i)\overline{\mathbf{p}}(i)$$

where  $\mathbf{\bar{R}}(i) = E[\mathbf{\bar{r}}(i)\mathbf{\bar{r}}^{H}(i)],$   $\mathbf{\bar{p}}(i) = E[d^{*}(i)\mathbf{\bar{r}}(i)],$  $\mathbf{\bar{r}}(i) = \Re(i)\mathbf{v}^{*}(i).$ 

## MMSE Parameter Vector Design of JIDF

- Fixing  $\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i)$  and minimizing the cost function with respect to  $\mathbf{v}(i)$  the interpolator weight vector is

$$\mathbf{v}(i) = \boldsymbol{\beta}(\bar{\mathbf{w}}) = \mathbf{R}_u^{-1}(i)\mathbf{p}_u(i)$$

where

 $\mathbf{R}_u(i) = E[\mathbf{u}(i)\mathbf{u}^H(i)], \ \mathbf{p}_u(i) = E[d^*(i)\mathbf{u}(i)] \text{ and } \mathbf{u}(i) = \Re^T(i)\bar{\mathbf{w}}^*(i).$ 

- The associated MSE expressions are

$$J(\mathbf{v}) = J_{\mathsf{MSE}}(\alpha(\mathbf{v}), \mathbf{v}) = \sigma_d^2 - \bar{\mathbf{p}}^H(i)\bar{\mathbf{R}}^{-1}(i)\bar{\mathbf{p}}(i)$$
$$J_{\mathsf{MSE}}(\bar{\mathbf{w}}, \beta(\bar{\mathbf{w}})) = \sigma_d^2 - \mathbf{p}_u^H(i)\mathbf{R}_u^{-1}(i)\mathbf{p}_u(i)$$

where  $\sigma_d^2 = E[|d(i)|^2]$ .

- The points of global minimum can be obtained by  $v_{opt} = \arg \min_{v} J(v)$ and  $\bar{w}_{opt} = \alpha(v_{opt})$  or  $\bar{w}_{opt} = \arg \min_{\bar{w}} J_{MSE}(\bar{w}, \beta(\bar{w}))$  and  $v_{opt} = \beta(\bar{w}_{opt})$ .

# Adaptive JIDF implementation : LMS algorithms



Initialize all parameter vectors, dimensions, number of branches B and select decimation technique

For each data vector  $i = 1, \ldots, Q$  do :

- Select decimation branch that minimizes  $e_b(i) = d(i) w^H(i)\bar{r}(i)$
- Make  $\bar{r}(i) = \bar{r}_b(i)$  when  $b = \arg \min_{1 \le b \le B} |e_b(i)|^2$
- Estimate parameters

$$v(i+1) = v(i) + \eta e^*(i)u(i)$$

$$\bar{w}(i+1) = \bar{w}(i) + \mu e^*(i)\bar{r}(i)$$

where  $u(i) = \Re^T(i)\bar{w}^*(i)$  and  $\bar{r}(i) = D(i)V^H(i)r(i)$ .

## Complexity of JIDF Algorithms

	Number of operations per symbol	
Algorithm	Additions	Multiplications
Full-rank-LMS	2M	2M + 1
Full-rank-RLS	$3(M-1)^2 + M^2 + 2M$	$6M^2 + 2M + 2$
JIDF-LMS	$(B+1)(D) + 2N_I$	(B + 2)D
JIDF-RLS	$3(D-1)^2 + 3(N_I-1)^2$	$6(D)^2 + 6N_I^2$
	$+(D-1)N_I + N_IM + (D)^2$	$+DN_{I} + 2$
	$+N_I^2 + (B+1)D + 2N_I$	$+(B+2)D+N_{I}$
MWF-LMS	$D(2(\bar{M}-1)^2 + \bar{M} + 3)$	$D(2\bar{M}^2 + 5\bar{M} + 7)$
MWF-RLS	$D(4(\bar{M}-1)^2+2\bar{M})$	$D(4\bar{M}^2 + 2\bar{M} + 3)$
AVF	$D((M)^2 + 3(M-1)^2) - 1$	$D(4(M)^2 + 4M + 1)$
	+D(5(M-1)+1)+2M	+4M + 2

# Complexity of JIDF Algorithms



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– Consider the  $M \times D$  transformation matrix expressed as

$$S_D(i) = [\phi_1(i), \cdots, \phi_d(i), \cdots \phi_D(i)]$$

where  $\{\phi_d(i) \mid d = 1, ..., D\}$  are the *M*-dimensional basis vectors.

 In order to start the development, let us express the reduced-rank input vector as

$$\bar{\mathbf{r}}(i) = \mathbf{S}_{D}^{H}(i)\mathbf{r}(i)$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{r}^{T}(i) & & \\ & \mathbf{r}^{T}(i) & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & \mathbf{r}^{T}(i) \end{bmatrix}_{D \times MD} \begin{bmatrix} \phi_{1}(i) \\ \phi_{2}(i) \\ \vdots \\ \phi_{D}(i) \end{bmatrix}_{MD \times 1}^{*}$$

$$= \mathbf{R}_{in}(i)\mathbf{t}(i)$$

where the projection matrix is transformed into a vector form, and t(i) is called parameter vector in what follows.

- Let us now design the parameter vector using the cost function

$$\mathbf{J}_{\mathsf{MSE}}(\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i), \mathbf{t}(i)) = E[|d(i) - \bar{\mathbf{w}}^{H}(i)\mathbf{R}_{\mathsf{in}}(i)\mathbf{t}(i)|^{2}]$$

 The MMSE solution of the reduced-rank filter in the generic scheme has the same form as before, i.e.

$$\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i) = \bar{\mathbf{R}}^{-1}(i)\bar{\mathbf{p}}(i)$$

where

$$\bar{\mathbf{R}}(i) = E[\mathbf{S}_D^H(i)\mathbf{r}(i)\mathbf{r}^H(i)\mathbf{S}_D(i)] = E[\bar{\mathbf{r}}(i)\bar{\mathbf{r}}^H(i)],\\ \bar{\mathbf{p}}(i) = E[d^*(i)\mathbf{S}_D^H(i)\mathbf{r}(i)] = E[d^*(i)\bar{\mathbf{r}}(i)].$$

– The MMSE expression for the parameter vector t(i) is

$$\mathbf{t}(i) = \mathbf{R}_w^{-1}(i)\mathbf{p}_w(i)$$

where  $\mathbf{R}_w(i) = E[\mathbf{R}_{in}^H(i)\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i)\bar{\mathbf{w}}^H(i)\mathbf{R}_{in}(i)]$  and  $\mathbf{p}_w(i) = E[d(i)\mathbf{R}_{in}^H(i)\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i)]$ . - The associated MMSE is

$$\mathbf{MMSE}_{g} = \sigma_{d}^{2} - \bar{\mathbf{p}}^{H} \bar{\mathbf{R}}^{-1} \bar{\mathbf{p}}$$

- However, in this generic scheme, a D-dimensional reduced-rank filter and an MD-dimensional parameter vector are required to be adapted for each iteration.
- In applications such as DS-UWB systems where the received signal size M is large, the complexity of updating the parameter vector or the projection matrix is very high.
- In order to reduce the complexity of this generic scheme, we will introduce constraints in the design of the transformation matrix in order to obtain a cost-effective structure.  $_{63}$



- The proposed switched approximation of adaptive basis functions (SAABF) constrains the structure of the MD-dimensional parameter vector t(i). , using a multiple-branch framework.
- The SAABF scheme uses a structure with C branches for determining the best position of the basis function vectors.



– For each branch, the mapping matrix  $S_{D,c}(i)$  is constructed by a set of adaptive basis function vectors as given by

$$\boldsymbol{S}_{D,c}(i)(i) = [\phi_{c,1}(i), \cdots, \phi_{c,d}(i), \cdots, \phi_{c,D}(i)]$$

where  $c = [1, 2, \dots, C]$ ,  $d = [1, 2, \dots, D]$  and the *M*-dimensional basis function vector is

$$\phi_{c,d}(i) = [\underbrace{0, \cdots, 0}_{z_{c,d}}, \underbrace{\varphi_d^T(i)}_q, \underbrace{0, \cdots, 0}_{M-q-z_{c,d}}]^T$$

where  $z_{c,d}$  is the number of zeros before the  $q \times 1$  function  $\varphi_d(i)$ , which is called the inner function in what follows.



 At each time instant, the output signal of each branch or mapping matrix can be expressed as :

$$y_c(i) = \bar{\mathbf{w}}^H(i) \mathbf{S}_{D,c}^H(i) \mathbf{r}(i) = \bar{\mathbf{w}}^H(i) \mathbf{R}_{in}(i) \mathbf{t}_c(i),$$

where the  $MD \times 1$  vector  $\mathbf{t}_c(i)$  is

$$\mathbf{t}_{c}(i) = \left[\phi_{c,1}^{T}(i), \phi_{c,2}^{T}(i), \cdots, \phi_{c,D}^{T}(i)\right]^{H}$$



- For each basis function, we rearrange the expression as

$$\phi_{c,d}(i) = egin{bmatrix} \mathbf{0}_{z_{c,d} imes q} \ \mathbf{I}_q \ \mathbf{0}_{(M-q-z_{c,d}) imes q} \end{bmatrix}_{M imes q} arphi_d(i) = \mathbf{Z}_{c,d} arphi_d(i)$$

where the matrix  $\mathbf{Z}_{c,d}$  consists of zeros and ones. With an  $q \times q$  identity matrix in the middle, the zero matrices have the size of  $z_{c,d} \times q$  and  $(M - q - z_{c,d}) \times q$ , respectively.



– With this kind of arrangement, we rewrite the expression of  $t_c$  as :

$$\mathbf{t}_{c}(i) = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{Z}_{c,1} & & \\ & \mathbf{Z}_{c,2} & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & \mathbf{Z}_{c,D} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \varphi_{1}(i) \\ \varphi_{2}(i) \\ \vdots \\ \varphi_{D}(i) \end{bmatrix}^{*}$$
$$= \mathbf{P}_{c} \boldsymbol{\psi}(i),$$

where the  $MD \times qD$  block diagonal matrix  $\mathbf{P}_c$  is called position matrix which determines the positions of the *q*-dimensional inner functions.



- The parameter  $\psi(i)$  denotes the *qD*-dimensional parameter vector which is constructed by the inner functions.
- For each mapping matrix, we have a unique position matrix  $\mathbf{P}_c$ .
- The dimension of the parameter vector t(i) is shortened from MD to qD and only a qD-dimensional parameter vector will be updated for the rank reduction.
- The adaptation of the instantaneous position matrix, the parameter vector and the reduced-rank filter involves a discrete parameter optimization for choosing the instantaneous position matrix and a continuous filter design for adapting the parameter vector and the reduced-rank filter.

# Discrete Parameter Optimization of SAABF



 In order to calculate the error signal, we find the output signal of each branch and express it as

$$y_c(i) = \bar{\mathbf{w}}^H(i) \mathbf{R}_{in}(i) \mathbf{P}_c \psi(i)$$

the corresponding error signal is  $e_c(i) = d(i) - y_c(i)$ . Hence, the selection rule can be expressed as

$$c_{\text{opt}} = \arg \min_{c \in \{1,...,C\}} |e_c(i)|^2$$
  
 $P(i) = P_{c_{\text{opt}}}$ 

## Discrete Parameter Optimization of SAABF



- In the SAABF scheme, the position matrices are distinguished by the values of  $z_{c,d}$ .
- An exhaustive approach has been considered for the selection of  $z_{c,d}$ , in which all the possibilities of the positions should be tested. We then choose a structure for the projection matrix which corresponds to the minimum squared error.
- However, in applications such as UWB systems, the number of possible positions is  $(M q)^D$ , when M is much larger than q and D, say M = 120 and q = D = 4, it becomes impractical to compare such a huge number of possibilities.

## Discrete Parameter Optimization of SAABF



- Hence, we constrain the number of possibilities or equivalently, we set a small value of C that enables us to find the sub-optimum position matrix for each time instant, and the sub-optimum solution enables the SAABF scheme to obtain required performance.
- It turns out that a deterministic way to set the values of  $z_{c,d}$  was the most practical. Assuming that q and D are much smaller than M, we set

$$z_{c,d} = \lfloor \frac{M}{D} \rfloor \times (d-1) + (c-1)q,$$

where c = 1, ..., C and d = 1, ..., D.
#### Discrete Parameter Optimization of SAABF



– Bearing in mind the matrix form shown, we implement this deterministic approach to generate the position matrices. The first  $MD\times qD$  position matrix  $\mathbf{P}_1$  can be expressed as

$$\mathbf{P}_1 = egin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I}_q & & & & & & \ \mathbf{0}_{\lfloor rac{M}{D} 
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floor} D \end{bmatrix} \end{pmatrix},$$

where all the zero and identity matrices have q columns and the subscripts denote the number of rows of these matrices.

#### LS Parameter Vector Design of SAABF

– After determining the position matrix P(i), the LS design of the reduced-rank filter and the parameter vector can be designed by minimizing the following cost function

$$\mathbf{J}_{\mathsf{LS}}(\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i),\psi(i)) = \sum_{j=1}^{i} \lambda^{i-j} |d(j) - \bar{\mathbf{w}}^{H}(i) \mathbf{R}_{\mathsf{in}}(j) \mathbf{P}(i)\psi(i)|^{2}, \quad (1)$$

where  $\lambda$  is a forgetting factor. Since this cost function is a function of  $\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i)$  and  $\psi(i)$ , the LS solutions can be obtained as follows.

– Firstly, we calculate the gradient of with respect to  $\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i)$ 

$$\mathbf{g}_{\mathsf{LS}\bar{w}^*(i)} = -\bar{\mathbf{p}}_{w_{\mathsf{LS}}}(i) + \bar{\mathbf{R}}_{w_{\mathsf{LS}}}(i)\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i), \qquad (2)$$

where  $\bar{\mathbf{p}}_{w_{\mathsf{LS}}}(i) = \sum_{j=1}^{i} \lambda^{i-j} d^*(j) \bar{\mathbf{r}}(j)$  and  $\bar{\mathbf{R}}_{w_{\mathsf{LS}}}(i) = \sum_{j=1}^{i} \lambda^{i-j} \bar{\mathbf{r}}(j) \bar{\mathbf{r}}^H(j)$ .

### LS Parameter Vector Design of SAABF

– Assuming that  $\psi(i)$  is fixed, the LS solution of the reduced-rank filter is

$$\bar{\mathbf{w}}_{\mathsf{LS}}(i) = \bar{\mathbf{R}}_{w_{\mathsf{LS}}}^{-1}(i)\bar{\mathbf{p}}_{w_{\mathsf{LS}}}(i).$$

– Secondly, we examine the gradient of the cost function with respect to  $\psi(i)$ , which is

$$\mathbf{g}_{\mathsf{LS}\psi^*(i)} = -\mathbf{p}_{\psi_{LS}}(i) + \mathbf{R}_{\psi_{\mathsf{LS}}}(i)\psi(i),$$

where the vector  $\mathbf{p}_{\psi_{\text{LS}}}(i) = \sum_{j=1}^{i} \lambda^{i-j} d(j) \mathbf{r}_{\psi}(j)$  and the matrix  $\mathbf{R}_{\psi_{\text{LS}}}(i) = \sum_{j=1}^{i} \lambda^{i-j} \mathbf{r}_{\psi}(j) \mathbf{r}_{\psi}^{H}(j) \psi(i)$ , and  $\mathbf{r}_{\psi}(j) = \mathbf{P}^{H}(j) \mathbf{R}_{\text{in}}^{H}(j) \bar{\mathbf{w}}(j)$ .

– With the assumption that  $\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i)$  is fixed, the LS solution of the parameter vector is

$$\psi_{\mathsf{LS}}(i) = \mathbf{R}_{\psi_{\mathsf{LS}}}^{-1}(i)\mathbf{p}_{\psi_{\mathsf{LS}}}(i).$$

#### Adaptive version of SAABF : LMS algorithms



- We apply the proposed generic and SAABF schemes to the downlink of a multiuser BPSK DS-UWB system and evaluate their performance against existing reduced-rank and full-rank methods.
- In all numerical simulations, the pulse shape adopted is the RRC pulse with the pulse-width 0.375ns.
- The spreading codes are generated randomly with a spreading gain of 24 and the data rate of the communication is approximately 110Mbps.
- The standard IEEE 802.15.4a channel model for the NLOS indoor environment is employed.
- We assume that the channel is constant during the whole transmission.
- The sampling rate at the receiver is assumed to be 8GHz that is the same as the standard channel model and the observation window length M for each data symbol is set to 120 samples.

Parameters :BER performance of different algorithms for a SNR=16dB and 3 users. The following parameters were used : full-rank LMS ( $\mu = 0.075$ ), full-rank RLS ( $\lambda = 0.998$ ,  $\delta = 10$ ), MSWF-LMS (D = 6,  $\mu = 0.075$ ), MSWF-RLS (D = 6,  $\lambda = 0.998$ ), AVF (D = 6), SAABF (1,3,M)-LMS ( $\mu_w = 0.1$ ,  $\mu_{\psi} = 0.2$ , 2 iterations) and SAABF (1,3,M)-RLS ( $\lambda = 0.998$ ,  $\delta = 0.1$ , 1 iteration).



Parameters :BER performance of the proposed SAABF scheme versus the number of training symbols for a SNR=16dB. The number of users is 3 and the following parameters were used : SAABF-RLS ( $\lambda = 0.98$ ,  $\delta = 10$ ).





### Model-order selection techniques

- Basic principle : to determine the best fit between observed data and the model used.
- General approaches to model-order selection :
  - Setting of upper bounds on models with "some" prior knowledge : one of the most used in communications.
  - Akaike's information theoretic criterion : works well but requires some computations.
  - Minimum description length (MDL) : also works well but requires some computations.
  - Adaptive filtering approach : use for dynamic lengths adaptive algorithms, work well and have lower complexity than prior art.

#### Model-order selection techniques

- Approaches used for reduced-rank techniques :
  - Testing of orthogonality conditions between columns of transformation matrix  $S_D(i)$  [12] : used with the MSWF for selecting the rank D.
  - Cross-validation of data [23] : used with the AVF, works but can be complex since the algorithms sometimes selects D quite large. This can be a problem if M is large and D approaches it.
  - Use of a priori values of least-squares type cost functions with lower and upper bounds : works very well and it is simple to use and design [12, 17, 29]. It can be easily extended when the designer has multiple parameters with orders to adjust.

#### Model-order selection with LCMV JIO algorithm

 Consider the exponentially weighted a posteriori least-squares type cost function described by

$$\mathcal{C}(S_D(i-1), \bar{w}^{(D)}(i-1)) = \sum_{l=1}^i \alpha^{i-l} |\bar{w}^{H, (D)}(i-1)S_D(i-1)r(l)|^2,$$

where  $\alpha$  is the forgetting factor and  $\bar{\mathbf{w}}^{(D)}(i-1)$  is the reduced-rank filter with rank D.

- For each time interval *i*, we can select the rank  $D_{\text{opt}}$  which minimizes  $C(S_D(i-1), \bar{w}^{(D)}(i-1))$  and the exponential weighting factor  $\alpha$  is required as the optimal rank varies as a function of the data record.
- The key quantities to be updated are the projection matrix  $S_D(i)$ , the reduced-rank filter  $\bar{w}(i)$ , the associated reduced-rank steering vector  $\bar{a}(\theta_k)$  and the inverse of the reduced-rank covariance matrix  $\bar{P}(i)$  (for the proposed RLS algorithm).

#### Model-order selection with LCMV JIO algorithm

– Let us define the following extended projection matrix  $S^{(D)}(i)$  and the extended reduced-rank filter weight vector  $\bar{w}^{(D)}(i)$  as follows :

$$S^{(D)}(i) = \begin{bmatrix} s_{1,1} & \dots & s_{1,D_{\min}} & \dots & s_{1,D_{\max}} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ s_{M,1} & \dots & s_{M,D_{\min}} & \dots & s_{M,D_{\max}} \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \bar{w}^{(D)}(i) = \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ \vdots \\ w_{D_{\min}} \\ \vdots \\ w_{D_{\max}} \end{bmatrix}$$

- $S^{(D)}(i)$  and  $\bar{w}^{(D)}(i)$  are updated along with the associated quantities  $\bar{a}(\theta_k)$  and  $\bar{P}(i)$  for the maximum allowed rank  $D_{\text{max}}$ .
- The rank adaptation algorithm determines the rank that is best for each time instant i using the cost function.
- The proposed rank adaptation algorithm is then given by

$$D_{\text{opt}} = \arg \min_{\substack{D_{\min} \leq d \leq D_{\max}}} \mathcal{C}(S_D(i-1), \bar{w}^{(D)}(i-1))$$

where d is an integer,  $D_{min}$  and  $D_{max}$  are the minimum and maximum ranks allowed for the reduced-rank filter, respectively.

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#### Model-order selection with LCMV JIO algorithm

SINR performance of LCMV (a) SG and (b) RLS algorithms against snapshots with M = 24, SNR = 12 dB with automatic rank selection.



#### Model-order selection with JIDF algorithm

 Consider the following exponentially weighed a posteriori least-squares type cost function

$$\mathcal{C}(\bar{\mathbf{w}}^{(D)}, \mathbf{v}^{(N_I)}, \mathbf{D}) = \sum_{l=1}^{i} \alpha^{i-l} |d(l) - \bar{\mathbf{w}}^{H, (D)}(l) \mathbf{D}(l) \Re_o(l) \mathbf{v}^{*, (N_I)}(l)|^2,$$

where  $\alpha$  is the forgetting factor,  $\tilde{\mathbf{w}}^{(D)}(i-1)$  is the reduced-rank filter with rank D and  $\mathbf{v}^{(N_I)}(i)$  is the interpolator filter with rank  $N_I$ .

- For each time interval *i* and a given decimation pattern and *B*, we can select *D* and *N<sub>I</sub>* which minimizes  $C(\bar{\mathbf{w}}^{(D)}, \mathbf{v}^{(N_I)}, \mathbf{D})$ .
- The rank adaptation algorithm that chooses the best lengths  $D_{\text{opt}}$ and  $N_{I_{\text{opt}}}$  for the filters  $\mathbf{v}(i)$  and  $\overline{\mathbf{w}}(i)$ , respectively, is given by

$$\{D_{\text{opt}}, N_{I_{\text{opt}}}\} = \arg \min_{\substack{N_{I_{\min}} \leq n \leq N_{I_{\max}} \\ D_{\min} \leq d \leq D_{\max}}} \mathcal{C}(\bar{\mathbf{w}}^{(d)}, \mathbf{v}^{(n)}, \mathbf{D})$$

where d and n are integers,  $D_{\min}$  and  $D_{\max}$ , and  $N_{I_{\min}}$  and  $N_{I_{\max}}$  are the minimum and maximum ranks allowed for  $\bar{\mathbf{w}}(i)$  and  $\mathbf{v}(i)$ , respectively.

### Model-order selection with JIDF algorithm

SINR performance against rank (D) for the analyzed schemes using LMS and RLS algorithms.



## Applications, perspectives and future work

- Applications : interference suppression, beamforming, channel estimation, echo cancellation, target tracking, wireless sensor networks, signal compression, radar, control, seismology and bio-inspired systems, etc.
- Perspectives :
  - Work in this field is not widely explored.
  - Many unsolved problems when dimensions become large : estimation, tracking, general acquisition.

#### - Future work :

- Information theoretic study of very large observation data : performance limits as M goes to infinity.
- Investigation of tensor-based reduced-rank schemes.
- Development of vector and matrix-based parameter estimates as opposed to current scalar parameter estimation of existing methods.
- Distributed reduced-rank processing.

## Concluding remarks

- Reduced-rank signal processing is a set of powerful techniques that allow the processing of large data vectors, enabling a substantial reduction in training with low complexity.
- A survey on reduced-rank techniques, detailing eigen-decomposition methods and the MSWF, was presented along with some critical comments on their suitability for practical use.
- A family of reduced-rank algorithms based on joint and iterative optimisation (JIO) of filters was presented.
- A recently proposed reduced-rank scheme that employs joint interpolation, decimation and filtering (JIDF) was also briefly described.
- Techniques based on approximations of basis functions (SAABF) were discussed and algorithms were devised for an UWB application.
- Several applications have been envisaged as well as a number of future investigation topics.



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