

Dictionary Learning Applications in Control Theory

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Sparse Representation (SR)

The diagram illustrates the equation $y = Dx$. On the left, a vertical green bar represents the vector y . In the center, a horizontal matrix D is shown with 10 columns. The 3rd, 5th, and 7th columns are colored red, while the other 7 columns are light pink. To the right of the matrix is a vertical vector x with 10 cells. The 3rd, 5th, and 7th cells are colored blue, and the other 7 cells are white. An equals sign is placed between y and D , and a dot is placed between D and x .

$$y = Dx$$

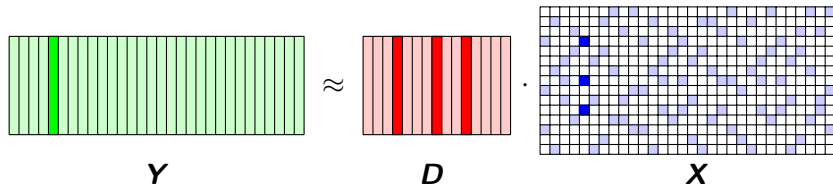
Orthogonal Matching Pursuit (OMP)

Algorithm 1: OMP^a

- 1 Arguments: \mathbf{D} , \mathbf{y} , s
 - 2 Initialize: $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{y}$, $\mathcal{I} = \emptyset$
 - 3 **for** $k = 1 : s$ **do**
 - 4 Compute correlations with residual: $\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{r}$
 - 5 Select new column: $i = \arg \max_j |z_j|$
 - 6 Increase support: $\mathcal{I} \leftarrow \mathcal{I} \cup \{i\}$
 - 7 Compute new solution: $\mathbf{x} = \text{LS}(\mathbf{D}, \mathbf{y}, \mathcal{I})$
 - 8 Update residual: $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{y} - \mathbf{D}_{\mathcal{I}} \mathbf{x}_{\mathcal{I}}$
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^aPati, Rezaifar, and Krishnaprasad 1993.

Dictionary Learning (DL)



The Dictionary Learning (DL) Problem

Given a data set $Y \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times m}$ and a sparsity level s , minimize the bivariate function

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{D, X}{\text{minimize}} && \|Y - DX\|_F^2 \\ & \text{subject to} && \|d_j\|_2 = 1, \quad 1 \leq j \leq n \\ & && \|x_i\|_0 \leq s, \quad 1 \leq i \leq m, \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

where $D \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times n}$ is the dictionary (whose **columns are called atoms**) and $X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ the sparse representations matrix.

Algorithm 2: Dictionary learning – general structure

- 1 Arguments: signal matrix \mathbf{Y} , target sparsity s
 - 2 Initialize: dictionary \mathbf{D} (with normalized atoms)
 - 3 **for** $k = 1, 2, \dots$ **do**
 - 4 With fixed \mathbf{D} , compute sparse representations \mathbf{X}
 - 5 With fixed \mathbf{X} , update atoms $\mathbf{d}_j, j = 1 : n$
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K-SVD¹ solves the optimization problem in sequence

$$\min_{\mathbf{d}_j, \mathbf{X}_{j, \mathcal{I}_j}} \left\| \left(\mathbf{Y}_{\mathcal{I}_j} - \sum_{\ell \neq j} \mathbf{d}_\ell \mathbf{X}_{\ell, \mathcal{I}_\ell} \right) - \mathbf{d}_j \mathbf{X}_{j, \mathcal{I}_j} \right\|_F^2 \quad (2)$$

where all atoms excepting \mathbf{d}_j are fixed.

This is seen as a rank-1 approximation and the solution is given by the singular vectors corresponding to the largest singular value.

$$\mathbf{d}_j = \mathbf{u}_1, \quad \mathbf{X}_{j, \mathcal{I}_j} = \sigma_1 \mathbf{v}_1. \quad (3)$$

¹Aharon, Elad, and Bruckstein 2006.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \underset{\mathbf{D}, \mathbf{X}, \mathbf{A}, \mathbf{W}}{\text{minimize}} && \|\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{DX}\|_F^2 + \alpha \|\mathbf{Q} - \mathbf{AX}\|_F^2 + \beta \|\mathbf{H} - \mathbf{WX}\|_F^2 \\
 & \text{subject to} && \|\mathbf{d}_j\|_2 = 1, \quad 1 \leq j \leq n \\
 & && \|\mathbf{x}_i\|_0 \leq s, \quad 1 \leq i \leq m,
 \end{aligned} \tag{4}$$

- dictionary atoms evenly split among classes
- \mathbf{q}_i has non-zero entries where \mathbf{y}_i and \mathbf{d}_i share the same label.
- linear transformation \mathbf{A} encourages discrimination in \mathbf{X}
- $\mathbf{h}_i = \mathbf{e}_j$ where j is the class label of \mathbf{y}_i
- \mathbf{W} represents the learned classifier parameters

Fault Detection and Isolation in Water Networks

Water networks pose some interesting issues:

- large scale, distributed network with few sensors
- user demand unknown or imprecise
- pressure dynamics nonlinear (analytic solutions impractical)

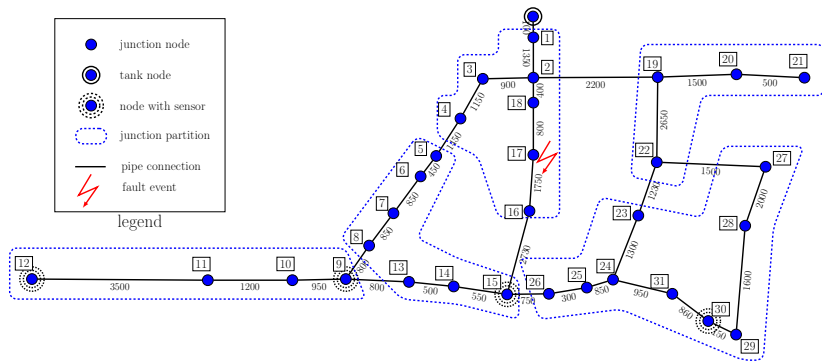
The DL approach for FDI:

- a residual signal compares expected and measured pressures

$$r_i(t) = p_i(f_i(t), f_j(t), t) - \bar{p}_i, \forall i, j \quad (5)$$

- to each fault is assigned a class and DL provides the atoms which discriminate between them
- each residual is sparsely described by atoms and thus, FDI is achieved iff the classification is unambiguous

Hanoi



Sensor Placement

Let $\mathbf{R} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times mn}$ be measured pressure residuals in all n network nodes. For each node we simulate m different faults.

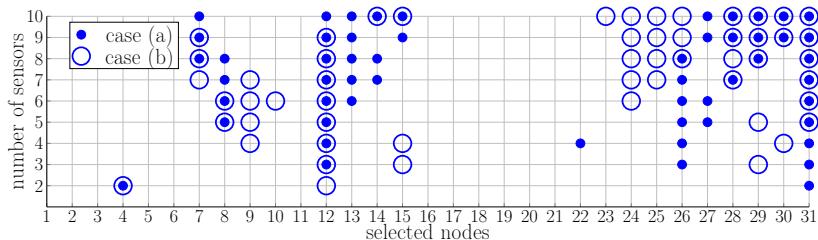
Given $s < n$ available sensors, apply OMP on each column \mathbf{r}

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\mathbf{x}}{\text{minimize}} && \|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{I}_n \mathbf{x}\|_2^2 \\ & \text{subject to} && \|\mathbf{x}\|_0 \leq s, \end{aligned} \tag{6}$$

resulting in matrix \mathbf{X} with s -sparse columns approximating \mathbf{R} .

Placement Strategies

- (a) select the s most common used atoms
- (b) from each m -block select most frequent s atoms; of the $n \cdot s$ atoms, select again the first s .



Algorithm 3: Placement and FDI learning^a

- 1 Inputs: training residuals $\mathbf{R} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times nm}$
 - 2 parameters s, α, β
 - 3 Result: dictionary \mathbf{D} , classifier \mathbf{W} , sensor nodes \mathcal{I}_s
 - 4 Select s sensor nodes \mathcal{I}_s based on matrix \mathbf{R} using (a) or (b)
 - 5 Let $\mathbf{R}_{\mathcal{I}_s}$ be the restriction of \mathbf{R} to the rows in \mathcal{I}_s
 - 6 Use $\mathbf{R}_{\mathcal{I}_s}$, α and β to learn \mathbf{D} and \mathbf{W} from (4)
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^aIrofti and Stoican 2017.

Algorithm 4: Fault detection and isolation

- 1 Inputs: testing residuals $\mathbf{R} \in \mathbb{R}^{s \times mn}$
 - 2 dictionary \mathbf{D} , classifier \mathbf{W}
 - 3 Result: prediction $\mathbf{P} \in \mathbb{N}^{mn}$
 - 4 **for** $k = 1$ **to** mn **do**
 - 5 Use OMP to obtain \mathbf{x}_k using \mathbf{r}_k and \mathbf{D}
 - 6 Label: $\mathbf{L}_k = \mathbf{W}\mathbf{x}_k$
 - 7 Classify: $p_k = \arg \max_c \mathbf{L}_k$
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Position c of the largest entry from \mathbf{L}_k is the predicted class.

Improved sensor placement. Iteratively choose s rows from \mathbf{R} solving at each step

$$i = \arg \min_k \left\| \text{proj}_{\mathbf{R}_{\mathcal{I}}} \mathbf{r}_k \right\|_2^2 + \lambda \frac{1}{\|\boldsymbol{\delta}_{k,\mathcal{I}}\|_1}, \mathbf{r}_k \in \mathbf{R}_{\mathcal{I}^c}, \quad (7)$$

where \mathcal{I} is the set of currently selected rows and $\boldsymbol{\delta}_{k,\mathcal{I}}$ vector elements are the distances from node k to the nodes in \mathcal{I} .

Graph aware DL. Adding graph regularization²

$$\begin{aligned} & \|\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{D}\mathbf{X}\|_F^2 + \alpha \|\mathbf{Q} - \mathbf{A}\mathbf{X}\|_F^2 + \beta \|\mathbf{H} - \mathbf{W}\mathbf{X}\|_F^2 + \\ & + \gamma \text{Tr}(\mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{L} \mathbf{D}) + \lambda \text{Tr}(\mathbf{X} \mathbf{L}_c \mathbf{X}^T) + \mu \|\mathbf{L}\|_F^2, \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

where \mathbf{L} is the graph Laplacian.

²Yankelevsky and Elad 2016.

Zonotopic Area Coverage

Area packing, mRPI (over)approximation and other related notions may be described via unions of zonotopic sets:

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{Z_k} \text{vol}(S) - \text{vol} \left(\bigcup_k Z_k \right), \\ \text{subject to } Z_k \subseteq S. \end{aligned} \quad (9)$$

Zonotopes, given in generator representation³

$$Z_k = \mathcal{Z}(c_k, G_k) = \{c_k + G_k \xi : \|\xi\|_\infty \leq 1\} \quad (10)$$

are easy to handle for:

- Minkowski sum:

$$\mathcal{Z}(G_1, c_1) \oplus \mathcal{Z}(G_2, c_2) = \mathcal{Z}([G_1 \quad G_2], c_1 + c_2)$$

- linear mappings: $R\mathcal{Z}(G_1, c_1) = \mathcal{Z}(RG_1, Rc_1)$

³Fukuda 2004.

Formulation

Each zonotope is parameterized after its center and a scaling vector (c_k, λ_k) . These variables help formulate the:

- inclusion constraint $\mathcal{Z}(c_k, G \cdot \text{diag}(\lambda_k)) \subseteq U$:

$$s_i^\top c_k + \sum_j |s_i^\top G_j| \lambda_{jk} \leq r_i, \quad \forall i, \quad (11)$$

where $U = \{u : s_i^\top u \leq r_i\}$.

- explicitly describe the volume⁴ $\text{vol}(\mathcal{Z}(c_k, G\lambda_k))$:

$$\text{vol}(\mathcal{Z}(c_k, G\lambda_k)) = \sum_{1 \leq j_1 < \dots < j_n \leq N} |\det(G^{j_1 \dots j_n})| \cdot \prod_{j \in \{j_1 \dots j_n\}} \lambda_{jk}. \quad (12)$$

The formulation becomes simpler if the scaling is homogeneous ($\lambda_k^* = \lambda_{jk}, \forall j$).

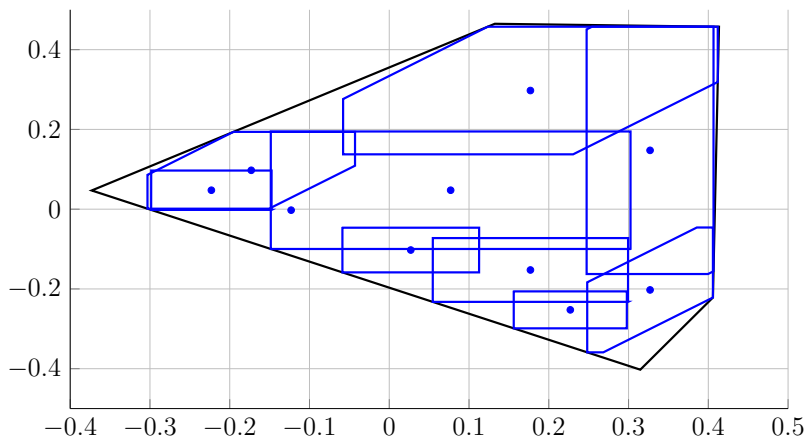
⁴Gover and Krikorian 2010.

We track the OMP formalism, without its theoretical convergence guarantees:

Algorithm 5: Area Coverage with zonotopic sets

- 1 Inputs: area to be covered U , sparsity constraint s
 - 2 Result: pairs of centers and scaling factors (c_k, λ_k)
 - 3 **for** $k = 1$ **to** s **do**
 - 4 Enlarge the zonotopes until they saturate the constraints
 - 5 Select Z_k where $k = \arg \min_k \text{vol}(S_k \setminus Z_k)$
 - 6 Update the uncovered area $\text{vol}(S_{k+1}) = \text{vol}(S_k \cup Z_k)$
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Result



Thank You!

Questions?