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 - Compressive cyclic feature detection
 - Compressive sensing framework for random processes
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- □ References

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Sparse Signals & Underdetermined Systems

Broadly, how useful is it to study signal sparsity?

- □ Many signals are sparse in some basis
 - medical imaging
 - biosensing for DNA microarray
 - remote sensing, astronomy
 - target tracking





event detection target tracking



DSP and communication



imagery and tomography



remote sensing and astronomy

DSP 101: Nyquist-rate Sampling

Q: How fast shall we sample (ADC)? How to recover (DAC)?

A: Nyquist theorem; linear interpolation formula



Compressive Sampling in DSP

□ State of the Art in DSP

- > Trends and demands: wider spectrum; higher data dimension
- > Limitations: high-speed, high-resolution ADC is costly or infeasible

Ex: some signals are band-limited, but with spectrum holes



Q: What is the minimum # samples needed? How to sample? How to recover?

Statistics 101: Linear Regression

□ Linear subset regression

- Goal: find important regressors/predictors/bases
- > Assumption: some regressors are irrelevant



> Approach: look for sparse **x** by solving L_1 -regularized least squares

□ Applications: gene selection in microarray data analysis, medical diagnosis, stock selection,

Sparse Model Selection: Factors That Cause Diabetes

- □ Goal: which are the major risk factors for diabetes
- □ Output: quantitative measure of disease progression
- □ Input: data collected from K = 442 patients
 - can be over-determined (interpretability desired), or underdetermined (e.g., gene expression analysis)

			\frown								Test Data
	AGE	SEX	BMI	BP		Serum	Meas	suren	nents		Response
Patient	x1	$\mathbf{x}2$	x3	$\mathbf{x4}$	$\mathbf{x5}$	$\mathbf{x6}$	$\mathbf{x7}$	$\mathbf{x8}$	x9	x10	У
1	59	2	32.1	101	157	93.2	38	4	4.9	87	151
2	48	1	21.6	87	183	103.2	70	3	3.9	69	75
3	72	2	30.5	93	156	93.6	41	4	4.7	85	141
4	24	1	25.3	84	198	131.4	40	5	4.9	89	206
5	50	1	23.0	101	192	125.4	52	4	4.3	80	135
6	23	1	22.6	89	139	64.8	61	2	4.2	68	97
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442	36	1	19.6	71	250	133.2	97	3	4.6	92	57

Image Compression 101



Scaled K-Term Approximation Error 2.5% allowed (within 2 digits in MSE)

Traditional Compression

Typical Signal Acquisition Scenario



Costs in Storage? Processing? Transmission? Acquisition?



Q: Can we sample less data in acquisition, with accurate recovery?

Compression in Acquisition

□ Compressive Sampling: combine sensing with compressing



What is Compressed Sensing (CS)?



Q1: how to design the sampling matrix **A** for perfect recovery? Q2: how to optimize the non-convex program?

- □ CS gives the design rule of the (non-adaptive) sampling matrix
- □ CS shows when the following programs are equivalent

Non-Convex
$$\min_{s.t.} ||\mathbf{x}||_0 \longleftrightarrow \min_{s.t.} ||\mathbf{x}||_1$$
 Convex $s.t.$ $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ $s.t.$ $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$

[Chen-Donoho-Saunders'98], [Candès et al'04-06]

Sampling via Linear Projections



CS Theory

Q: what sampling functions to choose and how many measurements to take so as to enable error-free recovery?





Example: Fourier Measurements



Example: Fourier Measurements (cont'd)

□ Performance (Prob. of inexact recovery) vs. # measurements K



➤ (K; N, S): depends on <u>measurement matrix</u> and <u>recovery method</u>

RIP conditions are sufficient rather than necessary

CS Algorithms (1)



CS Algorithms (2)

□ Greedy algorithms

- > Matching Pursuit and its variants (MP, OMP, TOMP,)
- Idea: iteratively identify columns of A (atoms) that are associated with non-zero entries of x
- Suboptimal performance, low complexity, more samples needed
 Complexity: O(NS²); # measurements: O(SlogN)
- □ Sparse Bayesian learning
- □ Fast algorithms

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- Iterative reweighted algorithms
- Iterative shrinkage/thresholding
- Iterative support detection



Quiz: True or False

- 1. [T] [F] Given a vector signal **u**, its sparsity order is fixed
- 2. [T] [F] Compressed Sensing is a new technology that can offer stronger compression than traditional compression techniques
- 3. [T] [F] CS theory on the RIP conditions reveals the minimal number of measurements for recovering a sparse signal from any measurement systems
- 4. [T] [F] To compress during the sensing process, the sensing matrix needs to be random
- 5. [T] [F] A random measurement matrix is likely to enable signal recovery from compressed samples
- 6. [T] [F] When using L1-minimization to recover an unknown vector x from b = A x, the formulation works under two conditions: 1) x is sparse, 2) A is a fat matrix (under-determined) and satisfies RIP

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Introduction to CR

> Technical challenges in wideband spectrum sensing

> Roadmap

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Introduction on CR: Spectrum Scarcity

"Scarcity vs. Underutilization Dilemma"



Spectrum Opportunities & Sparsity

Spectrum usage measurements averaged over six locations [SSC]
 > average occupancy over all of the locations: 5.2%; Jan.' 04-Aug.' 05



Motivating Applications

Future pervasive networks: dynamic spectrum access (DSA)



Third party access in licensed networks

TV bands (400-800 MHz) Non-voluntary third party

access

Licensee sets a protection threshold



Secondary markets

Public safety band

Voluntary agreements between licensees and third party



Limited QoS

Unlicensed networks

ISM, UNII, Ad-hoc

Automatic frequency coordination

Interoperability

Co-existence



 $\sqrt{1}$ more users/services $\sqrt{1}$ higher rates $\sqrt{1}$ better quality $\sqrt{1}$ less interference

DSA under User Hierarchy



Secondary User (SU)



min rate, prob. of collisions, interference, outage rate

□ DSA access models for SUs

- Spectrum Underlay
 - * restriction on transmit-power levels
 - * operation over ultra wide bandwidths
- Spectrum Overlay
 - * constraints on when and where to transmit
 - * avoid interference to PUs via sensing and adaptive allocation

Underlay vs. Overlay

□ Spectrum Underlay (UWB)

 regulatory and dynamic spectrum masks □ Spectrum Overlay (CR)

- Opportunistic:
 spectrum is used when PU is idle
- Cooperative:
 real-time negotiation with PU



Cognitive Radio (CR)

□ CRs opportunistically use the spectrum



□ Cognitive radio network problems

- Finding holes in the spectrum: wideband spectrum sensing
- Allocating the open spectrum: dynamic resource allocation
- > Adjusting the transmit waveforms: waveform adaptation

DSA Implications on CR Capabilities



Cognizant receiver

- > Observe: **sensing** with high **sensitivity** and over wide freq. range
- > Learn: radio etiquettes, traffic pattern, spectrum opportunities statistics

□ Agile transmitter

> Act: wideband frequency agility, fast adaptation, dynamic range

Intelligent DRA

- > Decide, plan, & negotiate: **spectrum access** and radio re-configuration
- > MAC and networking capabilities that support DRA intelligence

Challenge 1: Wideband Signal Acquisition

□ Choices for RF Circuits: *multiple NB or single WB* ?



- > multiple RF chains, BPFs
- number of bands fixed
- LO filter range is preset
- simple (energy/feature) detection within each BPF
- ➢ single RF chain
- flexible to dynamic PSD
- → burden on A/D: $f_s \sim \text{GHz}$
- complex wideband sensing

• Effective SNR (SNR_{eff}) for DSP determined by front-end circuits

Q: How can we alleviate DSP burden on wideband circuit design?

Challenge 2: User Hierarchy

"IEEE 802.22 requires CRs to sense PU signals as low as -114dBm"

Operating Conditions	Technical Challenges					
Protection of primary	Sensing at low SNR					
systems	Modulation classification					
	Short sensing time					
Random sources of	Robustness to noise uncertainty					
interference and noise	Interference identification					

Q: How can we alleviate noise uncertainty effects at low SNR?

Challenge 3: Wireless Fading

□ If no energy detected on a band, can CR assume PU is absent? > Detection performance limited by received signal strength > Wireless: deep fading, shadowing, local interference missed detection, hidden terminal problem Spatial diversity against fading CR multiple (random) paths unlikely to fade simultaneously

Q: How can we collect cooperation gain at affordable overhead?

Road Map for Wideband Sensing Local Compression + Network Cooperation

- □ Compressed Sensing with sub-Nyquist-rate sampling
 - > Exploiting the Sparsity in the received signal (in freq. domain)
 - > Making use of Compressive Sampling to reduce sampling rates
- □ Multiple-CR Cooperative Sensing
 - > Centralized vs. distributed; with vs. without channel knowledge
- □ Compressed Cyclic Feature based Sensing
 - > Exploiting the Sparsity in both freq. & cyclic-freq. domains
 - Making use of Cyclic Statistics for robustness to noise uncertainty and low SNR conditions
- □ Compressive sensing for non-sparse, random signals

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 - Consensus-based distributed optimization
 - Cooperative support detection (MRM, row-Lasso)
 - Compressive cyclic feature detection
 - Compressive sensing framework for random processes
 - * Direct extraction of useful 2nd-order statistics
 - * Sampler design
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1 Compressive Sampling of Analog Signals

□ Context: Wideband Spectrum Sensing in Cognitive Networks



Spectrum occupancy ratio $r_{nz} = B_{eff}/B \ll 1$

 \Box Goal: recover frequency spectrum \mathbf{x}_f from samples \mathbf{b}_t

- Iower-than-Nyquist-rate sampling
- recovery without distortion or losing frequency resolution



- ▹ How to sample?
- How to compress?
- What is minimum f_s for
 - reconstruct CR signals?
 - identify spectrum bands?
 - extract useful statistics?

Sub-Nyquist-rate Sampling



 $\square \text{ Received signal } r(t): t \in [0, NT_s]$

- > Fine-resolution (Nyquist-rate) representation: $\mathbf{r}_t \leftrightarrow \mathbf{r}_f = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{r}_t$
- > Sparsity in frequency: $N_{nz} = \|\mathbf{r}_f\|_0 \ll N$
- $\Box \text{ Linear sampling } \mathbf{x}_t = \mathbf{S}_c \mathbf{r}_t \qquad x_t(k) = \int S_{c,i}(t) r(t) dt$

> Compression in time (M/N): $\mathbf{S}_c: K \times N$ $N_{nz} \leq K \leq N$

$$\mathbf{x}_t = \mathbf{S}_c \ \mathbf{r}_t = \mathbf{S}_c \mathbf{F}^{-1} \mathbf{r}_f$$

 $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{S}_c \mathbf{F}^{-1}$ is rank-deficient

Various designs of random samplers [Kirolos etal'06, Hoyos etal'08, Mishali-Eldar'10]

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CS for Frequency Spectrum Recovery



□ Sparse spectrum recovery

- > Sub-Nyquist rate random sampling: $r(t) \rightarrow \mathbf{x}_t$
- Sparse signal recovery

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Compressive samples} \\ & \mathbf{x}_t = \mathbf{S}_c \ \mathbf{r}_t = \mathbf{S}_c \mathbf{F}^{-1} \mathbf{r}_f \\ & \downarrow \\ & \text{wideband frequency spectrum} \\ & \hat{\mathbf{r}}_f = \arg\min_{\mathbf{r}_f} \ \frac{1}{2} \left\| \mathbf{x}_t - \mathbf{S}_c \mathbf{F}^{-1} \mathbf{r}_f \right\|_2^2 + \lambda \left\| \mathbf{r}_f \right\|_1 \end{aligned}$$
CS – Sensing Matrix (1)



□ Measurement matrix A: Random Fourier Measurements

- > Sparsifying Matrix: $\Psi = \mathbf{F}^{-1}(DFT)$
- Sensing matrix: $\Phi = \{0,1\}^{K \times N}$ that takes *K* samples out of *N* Nyquist samples in time





Non-uniform sampling: avg. rate reduced, but peak rate = Nyquist

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CS – Sensing Matrix (2)

 \Box Sensing matrix Φ : Analog to Information Converter (AIC)

- > Pseudo-random modulation with maximal-length PN sequence, followed by low-pass filter and down-sampler [Kirolos etal 2006]
- > Uniform reduced-rate sampling; w/ wideband filtering



Sensing: tradeoffs in RIP/incoherence and hardware constraints

CS – Sparsifying Matrix (1)

Q: Given the signal of interest, is the sparsifying matrix fixed?



□ Let's say that the spectrum is localized over sub-bands

- Spectral hole detection in cognitive radio applications: how to coarsely identify which sub-bands are occupied?
- *Q*: how can we rapidly estimate N, $\{f_n\}_{n=1}^{N-1}$, $\{\alpha_n^2\}_{n=1}^N$
- > Modeling assumption: spectrum is block sparsity or approx. piecewise smooth \rightarrow sparse in the wavelet domain

A: (spectral) edge detection + CS via wavelets

CS – Sparsifying Matrix (2)

- \Box Multi-Step CS (MSCS) estimating spectrum \mathbf{r}_f then \mathbf{z}_s
 - \succ compression ratio *K/M* determined by effective bandwidth B_{eff}/B



 \Box One-Step CS (OSCS) – directly estimating edges z_s



- > Permissible compression ratio *K*/*M* is determined by #bands
- > Improved performance and convergence given the same #samples
- Simple to implement

Useful to identify a good sparsifying matrix

2 CS for Edge Spectrum Recovery



> effects stronger compression

Simulation: Recovered Spectrum





□ Reconstruction of sparse spectrum at individual CRs

Spectrum reconstruction for received signal (without CSI) $\hat{\mathbf{s}}_{p,f} = CS\left(\mathbf{x}_t^{(j)}; \mathbf{S}_c^{(j)} \mathbf{F}^{-1} \mathbf{H}_{p,f}^{(j)}\right)$

> Spectrum reconstruction for transmitted (PU) signals

* Assumes channel knowledge/estimation (with CSI)

$$\hat{\mathbf{r}}_{f}^{(j)} = CS\left(\mathbf{x}_{t}^{(j)}; \mathbf{S}_{c}^{(j)}\mathbf{F}^{-1}\right)$$

Q: How to cooperative with or without CSI?



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Fusion Center

Centralized Cooperative Sensing

Take incoherent measurements at each CR

- \Box Reconstruct independently \Box Independent CS \Box
 - > Local CR receiver *j* makes local decision on the sparse spectrum
 - > FC makes global decision via averaging all local decisions
- □ Reconstruct jointly

⇒ Joint CS

- FC acquires all local compressive measurements
- > FC performs joint sparse spectrum reconstruction:

* FC needs to know all measurement matrices and channel info

$$\min_{\mathbf{s}_{p,f}} \|\mathbf{s}_{p,f}\|_{1} + \sum_{j=1}^{J} \lambda_{j} \left\| \mathbf{x}_{t}^{(j)} - \mathbf{S}_{c}^{(j)} \mathbf{F}_{M}^{-1} \mathbf{H}_{p,f}^{(j)} \mathbf{s}_{p,f} \right\|_{2}^{2}$$

globally optimal; but, issues in robustness, complexity & power costs

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Decentralized Joint CS Algorithm

□ Alternating-direction method of multipliers (ADMoM)

Augmented Lagrange function

$$\mathcal{L}\left(\mathbf{s}_{p,f}^{(j)}; \lambda, \mathbf{z}_{j}, c, \{\bar{\mathbf{s}}_{p,f}^{(k)}\}_{k \in N^{(j)}}\right) = \left\|\mathbf{s}_{p,f}^{(j)}\right\|_{1}^{1} + \lambda \left\|\mathbf{x}_{t}^{(j)} - \mathbf{A}^{(j)}\mathbf{s}_{p,f}^{(j)}\right\|_{2}^{2} + \mathbf{z}_{j}^{T}\mathbf{s}_{p,f}^{(j)} + \frac{c}{2} \left\|\mathbf{s}_{p,f}^{(j)} - \sum_{k \in N^{(j)}} w_{jk}\bar{\mathbf{s}}_{p,f}^{(k)}\right\|_{2}^{2}$$

- Iterative implementation
 - ★ Each CR j reconstructs locally: s^(j)_{p,f}(t+1) = arg min s^(j)_{p,f} L (s^(j)_{p,f}; λ, z_j(t), c, {s^(k)_{p,f}(t)}_{k∈N^(j)})
 ★ Each CR j updates multipliers: z_j(t+1) = z_j(t) + ^c/₂ (s^(j)_{p,f}(t+1) - ∑_{k∈N^(j)} w_{jk}s^(k)_{p,f}(t+1))) and broadcasts one-hop: s^(j)_{p,f}(t+1) → CR k, ∀k ∈ N^(j)

Scalable: one-hop communication, local computation

Globally optimal: guaranteed if the network is connected

Cooperative Compressed Sensing



> Performance gain by decentralized fusion over majority vote

4 Spectrum Cartography

□ Idea: CRs collaborate to form a spatial map of the spectrum

given the PSD $\Phi_r(f) = \Phi(f; v_r)$ at position v_r , find $\Phi(v, f), \forall v$

- \succ Goal: $\Phi(v, f), \forall v$
- > Specifications: coarse approx. suffices
- > Approach: basis expansion of $\Phi(v, f)$
- Compressive Sampling possible to form the PSD data



[Bazerque-Giannakis etal.; Asilomar'2008, T-SP'2010, ICASSP'2011]



Sparsity present in space and frequency

Space-Frequency Basis Expansion

Superimposed Tx spectra measured at CR *r*

$$\Phi_{r}(f) = \sum_{s=1}^{N_{s}} \gamma_{sr} \Phi_{s}(f) + \sigma_{r}^{2} = \sum_{s=1}^{N_{s}} \gamma_{sr} \sum_{\nu=1}^{N_{b}} \theta_{s\nu} b_{\nu}(f) + \sigma_{r}^{2}$$

> Average path-loss
$$\gamma_{sr} = \mathbb{E}(|H_{sr}(f)|^2) = \gamma_0 \left(\frac{d_0}{||v_s - v_r||} \right)^{-\alpha}, \ \alpha \in [2, 5)$$

> Frequency bases $b_{\nu}(f) = \operatorname{rect}(f - f_{\nu})$



Sparse Regression

 \Box Seek a space *s* to capture the spectrum measured at all CR_{*r*}

Lasso:
$$\mathbf{\hat{s}} = \arg\min\frac{1}{2}\|\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{Hs}\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\mathbf{s}\|_1$$

Soft threshold shrinks noisy estimates to zero Similar to Akaike's Information Criterion, it penalizes the number of parameters spectrum selection + estimation via $\| . \|_1$ penalty



 \Box Power spectrum is non-negative \implies non-negativity constraints

$$\hat{\mathbf{s}}^* : \min_{\mathbf{s}} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{N_r} \|\mathbf{y}_i - \mathbf{H}_i \mathbf{s}\|_2^2 + \lambda \sum_{j=1}^N s_j$$
s.t. $s_j \ge 0, \quad j = 1 \dots N := N_s N_b + N_r$

Decentralized cooperation: distributed consensus optimization

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Power Spectrum Cartography

5 sources $N_s = 121$ candidate locations, $N_r = 50$ CRs



NNLS

Lasso

- Sparsity-unaware NNLS is prone to false alarms
- > As a byproduct, Lasso localizes all sources via variable selection

Tracking Capabilities

- Adaptive implementation via recursive Lasso [Giannakis etal.; ICASSP'09, TSP'12]
 - Normalized error $\|\hat{\mathbf{s}} \mathbf{s}\| / \|\mathbf{s}\|$



5 Cooperative Spectrum Support Detection

□ Cooperative spectrum sensing without CSI

- > CRs recover signals of different amplitudes, but common support
- > No need for channel or location information $\mathbf{H}_i = \mathbf{H}_{r,i}\mathbf{H}_{c,i}$

$$\mathbf{y}_i = \mathbf{H}_i \mathbf{s} = \mathbf{H}_{r,i} \mathbf{s}_i, \ i = 1, \dots, N_r$$



Objective of Cooperation



- □ Tradeoff between diversity vs. complexity gains
 - > To find cooperative sensing solutions with desired tradeoff
 - > To delineate the tradeoffs in cooperative CR sensing

System Model

Wideband spectrum: freq. selective in wide band, flat per channel
 Channel assignment: *M* out of *N* channels per CR, uniformly assigned

I out of N channels are occupied by PUs



Signal Model



- □ Spectrum perceived at individual CR r_j = H_js_f
 ▷ fading channel matrix (CSI): diagonal, unknown H_j ∈ C^{N×N}
- □ Received spectrum after selective filtering $\mathbf{r}_{s,j} = \mathbf{B}_j \mathbf{r}_j$

 $\succ \text{ channel selection matrix: binary-valued } (M < N) \quad \mathbf{B}_{j} \in \{0, 1\}^{M \times N}$

 $\Box \text{ Discrete-time samples } \left[\mathbf{x}_{j} = \Phi_{j} \mathbf{F}^{-1} \mathbf{B}_{j} \mathbf{r}_{j} + \mathbf{w}_{j} \right]$

> (random) sampling matrix ($K \le M$): $\Phi_j \in \mathcal{C}^{K \times M}$ F: DFT matrix

□ Cooperative spectrum sensing (CSS): decides PU freq. occupancy
 > cooperative estimation → cooperative support detection

CSS via a Separate Approach (SA)



□ Step 1: (sparse) spectrum recovery per-CR

- > recover partial received spectrum: $\mathbf{x}_j \longrightarrow \mathbf{r}_{s,j}$
- > make local (binary) decisions for the monitored *M* channels
 - * Per-CR samples are *incomplete*: only captures partial spectrum
 - * CRs are *separable*: no cooperation during recovery
- □ Step 2: decision fusion at Fusion Center
 - > do majority vote: each channel is monitored by avg. J(M/N) CRs
 - * reduction in sampling costs: *M*/*N*; additional *K*/*M* compression
 - ♦ detection diversity: *J(M/N)*

Joint CSS: Low Rank Property



□ Key observation: received spectrum matrix is low rank

Rank order = size of the nonzero support of the wide spectrum



CSS based on MRM

 \mathbf{A}_{i}

□ Task: joint spectrum recovery prior to decision making

capitalize on the low rank property

> recover
$$\mathbf{R}_f$$
 of all *J* CRs: $\mathbf{x}_j = \underbrace{\mathbf{\Phi}_j \mathbf{F}^{-1} \mathbf{B}_j}_{\mathbf{X}_j} \mathbf{r}_j + \mathbf{w}_j$

□ Matrix rank minimization (MRM)

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{\mathbf{R}_{f}} \operatorname{rank}(\mathbf{R}_{f}) + \lambda \|\mathbf{x}_{t} - \mathbf{A}\operatorname{vec}(\mathbf{R}_{f})\|_{2}^{2} \\ \mathbf{L} \sum_{j=1}^{J} \|\mathbf{x}_{j} - \mathbf{A}_{j}\mathbf{r}_{j}\|_{2}^{2} \\ \mathbf{A} = \operatorname{diag} \left\{ \mathbf{A}_{1}, \dots, \mathbf{A}_{J} \right\} \quad \tilde{\mathbf{w}} = \left[\mathbf{w}_{1}^{T}, \dots, \mathbf{w}_{J}^{T}\right]^{T} \\ \mathbf{x}_{t} = \left[\mathbf{x}_{1}^{T}, \dots, \mathbf{x}_{J}^{T}\right]^{T} = \mathbf{A}\operatorname{vec}(\mathbf{R}_{f}) + \tilde{\mathbf{w}} \end{aligned}$$

> Rank function **rank(**): # of nonzero singular values of matrix

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CSS based on MRM (Cont.)

□ Reformulation of MRM

> the function rank(\cdot) is combinational, NP hard

rank(.) can be relaxed by nuclear norm

 $\mathbf{d}_{\mathbf{f}}$

* Nuclear norm $\|\cdot\|_*$: sum of singular values of the matrix

□ CSS via Nuclear norm minimization

$$\min_{\mathbf{R}_{f}} \operatorname{rank}(\mathbf{R}_{f}) + \lambda \|\mathbf{x}_{t} - \mathbf{A}\operatorname{vec}(\mathbf{R}_{f})\|_{2}^{2}$$

$$\bigcup convex$$

 $\min_{\mathbf{R}_{f}} \left\| \mathbf{R}_{f} \right\|_{*} + \lambda \left\| \mathbf{x}_{t} - \mathbf{A} \operatorname{vec}(\mathbf{R}_{f}) \right\|_{2}^{2} \right\} \leftarrow \begin{array}{c} \textit{user cooperation} \\ \textit{during reconstruction} \end{array}$

Sensing decision

$$\mathbf{r}[n] = \left(\sum_{j=1}^{J} |\mathbf{r}_j[n]|^2 \ge \eta\right), \quad \forall n \in [1, N]$$

The Role of Low-Rank Property

□ If the nuclear norm term is absent

> MRM reduces to conventional least-squares (LS)

$$\min_{\mathbf{R}_{f}} \left\{ \|\mathbf{x}_{t} - \mathbf{A} \operatorname{vec}(\mathbf{R}_{f})\|_{2}^{2} = \sum_{j=1}^{J} \|\mathbf{x}_{j} - \mathbf{A}_{j}\mathbf{r}_{j}\|_{2}^{2} \right\}$$
$$\iff \min_{\mathbf{r}_{s,j}} \|\mathbf{x}_{j} - \mathbf{\Phi}_{j}\mathbf{F}^{-1}\mathbf{r}_{s,j}\|_{2}^{2}, \quad j = 1, \dots, J$$

* error penalty terms are completely separable

 \rightarrow no mechanism to enforce user cooperation

* The wideband spectrum \mathbf{r}_i is partially unobservable from \mathbf{x}_i

□ Low rank property enables cooperation from measurements that are otherwise *non-coupling* and *incomplete*

Simulations – Cooperative Support Detection



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Tradeoff Analysis

Detection diversity [Daher-Adve, T-AES'10]

$$D = \left. \frac{\partial P_d}{\partial \text{ SNR}} \right|_{P_d = 0.5}$$

MRM-based approach has better capability in collecting effective detection diversity than separate approach (SA), given the same user diversity



□ Sampling cost

- \succ Given user diversity, hardware complexity is measured by M
- Smaller *M* results in lower sampling cost per CR

Tradeoff Results

□ Tradeoff in diversity gain vs. complexity gain

- > Detection diversity & sampling cost are competing elements
- > Given same sampling costs, MRM attains higher diversity gain



6 Decentralized Support Detection

Cooperation as a multiple measurement vector (MMV) problem
 Row Lasso for the MMV problem

$$\left\{ \min_{\{\mathbf{s}_1,...,\mathbf{s}_{N_r}\}} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{N_r} \|\mathbf{y}_i - \mathbf{H}_{r,i}\mathbf{s}_i\|_2^2 + \lambda N \sum_{n=1}^N \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^{N_r} s_i^2[n]} \right\}$$

> Similar to Group Lasso in centralized form [Yuan-Lin' 06]

Coupled variables in mixed-norm

Distributed Implementation

Q: What to consent on?

[Ling-Tian; ICASSP'2011]



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Consensus-based Support Detection

Centralized R-Lasso:

$$\min_{\dots,\mathbf{s}_{N_r}} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{N_r} \|\mathbf{y}_i - \mathbf{H}_{r,i}\mathbf{s}_i\|_2^2 + \lambda N \sum_{n=1}^N \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^{N_r} s_i^2[n]}$$

□ Energy-based Consensus

 $\{\mathbf{s}_1,$

$$\geq \text{Energy vector} \quad \mathbf{r} \in \mathcal{R}^N : r_n = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^{N_r} s_i^2[n]} \\ \min \quad \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{N_r} \|\mathbf{y}_i - \mathbf{H}_{r,i}\mathbf{s}_i\|_2^2 + \lambda N \mathbf{1}^T \mathbf{r}$$

Consensus optimization formulation

$$\hat{\mathbf{s}}_{i} : \min \quad \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{N_{r}} \|\mathbf{y}_{i} - \mathbf{H}_{r,i}\mathbf{s}_{i}\|_{2}^{2} + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^{N_{r'}} \mathbf{1}^{T} \mathbf{r}^{(i)}$$
 solved locally exchange $\mathbf{r}^{(i)}$ exchange $\mathbf{r}^{(i)}$ in one-hop with $\bar{\mathbf{r}}^{(i)} = \sum_{i' \in \mathcal{N}_{i}} w_{ii'} \mathbf{r}^{(i')}$

Decentralized Algorithm

□ Alternating-direction method of multipliers (ADMoM)

Augmented Lagrange function

$$\mathcal{L}\left(\mathbf{s}_{i};\lambda,\boldsymbol{\beta}_{i},c,\{\bar{\mathbf{r}}^{(i')}\}_{i'\in\mathcal{N}_{i}}\right) = \frac{1}{2}\|\mathbf{y}_{i}-\mathbf{H}_{r,i}\mathbf{s}_{i}\|_{2}^{2} + \lambda\mathbf{1}^{T}\mathbf{r}^{(i)}(\mathbf{s}_{i})$$

$$+ \boldsymbol{\beta}_{i}^{T}\left(\mathbf{r}^{(i)}(\mathbf{s}_{i})-\bar{\mathbf{r}}^{(i)}\right) + \frac{c}{2}\left\|\mathbf{r}^{(i)}(\mathbf{s}_{i})-\bar{\mathbf{r}}^{(i)}\right\|_{2}^{2}$$

* each CR *i* reconstructs locally:

$$\mathbf{s}_{i}(t+1) = \arg\min_{\mathbf{s}_{i}} \mathcal{L}\left(\mathbf{s}_{i}; \lambda, \boldsymbol{\beta}_{i}(t), c, \{\bar{\mathbf{r}}^{(i')}(t)\}_{i' \in \mathcal{N}_{i}}\right)$$
$$r_{n}^{(i)}(t+1) = \sqrt{\left[r_{n}^{(i)}(t)^{2} - s_{i}[n]^{2}(t) + s_{i}[n]^{2}(t+1)\right]^{+}}, \quad \forall n$$

* each CR *i* updates multipliers:

$$\boldsymbol{\beta}_{i}(t+1) = \boldsymbol{\beta}_{i}(t) + c\left(\mathbf{r}^{(i)}(t+1) - \bar{\mathbf{r}}^{(i)}(t)\right)$$

* broadcasts local decision one-hop:

 $\mathbf{r}^{(i)}(t+1) \longrightarrow \text{neighbors } i', \ \forall i' \in \mathcal{N}_i \checkmark fast \ convergence w/\ thresholding$

Cooperative Support Detection

□ 20 channels, 5 PUs, 6 cooperative CRs, SNR = 5dB, 25% compression



7 Compressive Cyclic Feature Detection

- □ Cyclostationarity-based approach for detection
 - ✓ insensitive to unknown signal parameters
 - ✓ cyclic statistics robust to multipath
 - ✓ resilient against Gaussian noise
 - ✓ can differentiate modulation types and separate interferences
- □ Issues with cyclic feature detection
 - X Cyclostationarity is induced by OVER-sampling
 - \rightarrow excessive sampling-rate requirements
 - X Cyclic statistics converge slowly with finite samples
 - \rightarrow long sensing time

Cyclic Feature Detection and Classification using Compressive Sampling

Cyclostationarity in Modulated Signals

Modulated signals are cyclostationary processes

- > Cyclic features reveal critical signal parameters:
 - carrier frequency
 - symbol rate
 - modulation type
 - timing, phase etc.

> Non-cyclic signals (e.g. noise) do not possess cycle frequencies


Why Cyclic Statistics (1)

□ Energy detection vs. feature detection [Sahai-Cabric'05]

spectrum density ($\alpha = 0$)

spectral correlation density (SCD)



Why Cyclic Statistics (2)

Spectral Correlation Density (SCD) [Gardner'88]





Magnitudes of estimated SCD

- a) a BPSK signal corrupted by white noise and five AM interferences
- b) the BPSK signal alone
- c) the white noise and five AM interferences

✓ overlapping in PSD, separable in SCD

Wideband Cyclic Feature Detection

□ Cyclic feature detection over a wide band

- > Goal is to perform simultaneous detection of multiple sources
- > Need to alleviate the sampling rates and sensing time
- □ Exploiting signal sparsity in two dimensions
 - \succ Sparsity in frequency domain \leftarrow low spectrum utilization
 - ➢ Sparsity in cyclic-freq. domain ← modulation-dependent cycles



Signal Model

> Wide band of interest: $[-f_{\max}, f_{\max}]$ > Multiple PU signals: $x_i(t), i = 1, ..., I$ > Received signal: $x(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{I} x_i(t) + w(t)$ > Cyclic spectrum (SCD): $S(\alpha, f)$ nonzero for $|f| + \frac{\alpha}{2} \le f_{\max}$ m=0 > Folded SCD of sampled signal: $S(\alpha, f) = \frac{1}{T_s} \sum_{m = -\infty}^{\infty} S\left(\alpha + \frac{m}{T_s}, f - \frac{m}{2T_s} - \frac{n}{T_s}\right)$ * Aliasing-free condition:

$$f_s = 1/T_s \ge 2f_{\max}$$

cyclic-freq 2fmax+2fs n=1 n=0 freq m=0 m=0 n=0 n=1m=1 n=-1 n=0 m=2 Cyclic spectrum $\hat{S}(\alpha, f)$ of digital samples. The central diamond region is the non-zero support [Gardner'91]

Problem Setup

$$\begin{array}{c|c} x(t) \leftrightarrow \mathbf{x}_t & \text{CS-ADC} & \mathbf{z}_t \colon \{z[n]\} & \text{Sparse Signal} & S_x(\alpha, f) \\ S_x(\alpha, f) \text{ sparse} & (\text{sub-Nyquist}) & \text{compressive} & \text{Recovery} & \text{recovered} \\ samples & \text{samples} & \text{SCD} \end{array}$$

□ Cyclostationarity in communication signals

≻ time-varying (TV) covariance is period in time

$$r_x(n,\nu) = \mathbf{E}\{x(nT_s)x(nT_s + \nu T_s)\} = \mathbf{E}\{\mathbf{x}_t(n)\mathbf{x}_t(n+\nu)\}$$

$$r_x(n,\nu) = r_x(n+kP,\nu), \ \forall n,k,\nu$$

□ Sparse signal recovery

> to reconstruct $S_x(\alpha, f)$ from samples z[n] at sub-Nyquist rate $\frac{M}{N}f_s$

✗ 2D cyclic spectrum is NOT LINEAR in the time-domain samples
 → CS framework not immediately applicable

Defining Cyclic Spectrum



Q: How can we relate sub-Nyquist data and sparse SCD linearly?

Vector-form Relationship (1)

□ Linking time-varying covariance matrix with cyclic spectrum > TV covariance matrix: $\mathbf{R}_x = \mathbf{E}\{\mathbf{x}_t\mathbf{x}_t^T\}$

$$\mathbf{R}_{x} = \begin{bmatrix} r_{x}(0,0) & r_{x}(0,1) & r_{x}(0,2) & \cdots & r_{x}(0,N-1) \\ r_{x}(0,1) & r_{x}(1,0) & r_{x}(1,1) & \cdots & r_{x}(1,N-2) \\ r_{x}(0,2) & r_{x}(1,1) & r_{x}(2,0) & \cdots & r_{x}(2,N-3) \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \vdots \\ r_{x}(0,N-1) & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots & r_{x}(N-1,0) \end{bmatrix}$$

> Degree of freedom: N(N+1)/2

$$\mathbf{r}_{x} = [r_{x}(0,0), r_{x}(1,0), \cdots, r_{x}(N-1,0), r_{x}(0,1), r_{x}(1,1), \cdots, r_{x}(N-2,1), \cdots, r_{x}(0,N-1)]^{T} \in \mathcal{R}^{\frac{N(N+1)}{2}}$$

Vectorized cyclic spectrum

$$\mathbf{s}_{x}^{(c)} = \operatorname{vec}\{\mathbf{S}_{x}^{(c)}\} = \underbrace{(\mathbf{I} \otimes \mathbf{F}) \sum_{\nu=0}^{N-1} (\mathbf{D}_{\nu}^{T} \otimes \mathbf{G}_{\nu}) \mathbf{B}^{T}}_{:=\mathbf{T}} \mathbf{r}_{x}$$

Vector-form Relationship (2)

□ Linking time-varying covariance matrices

> TV covariance of compressed data $\mathbf{R}_z = \mathrm{E}\{\mathbf{z}_t \mathbf{z}_t^T\} \in \mathcal{R}^{M \times M}$ * Finite-sample estimate: $\hat{\mathbf{R}}_z = \frac{1}{L} \sum_l \mathbf{z}_{t,l} \mathbf{z}_{t,l}^T$

> Degree of freedom: M(M+1)/2 $\mathbf{r}_z = [r_z(0,0), r_z(1,0), \cdots, r_z(M-1,0), r_x(0,1), r_z(1,1), \cdots, r_z(M-2,1), \cdots, r_z(0,M-1)]^T.$

> Relationship: $\mathbf{z}_t = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{r}_t \longrightarrow \mathbf{R}_z = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{R}_x\mathbf{A}^T$

□ Linear representation for compressed covariance $\mathbf{r}_{z} = \mathbf{Q}_{M} \operatorname{vec} \{\mathbf{A}\mathbf{R}_{x}\mathbf{A}^{T}\} = \mathbf{Q}_{M}(\mathbf{A} \otimes \mathbf{A})\operatorname{vec} \{\mathbf{R}_{x}\} = \mathbf{\Phi}\mathbf{r}_{x}$ $\overset{\checkmark}{\underbrace{M(M+1)}}_{2} \times 1$ $\frac{N(N+1)}{2} \times 1$

Convex!

Sparse Cyclic Spectrum Recovery

□ Reformulated linear relationship

$$\mathbf{r}_{z} = \mathbf{\Phi} \mathbf{r}_{x} \qquad \mathbf{s}_{x}^{(c)} = \mathbf{T} \mathbf{r}_{x}$$

$$\blacktriangleright \ \mathbf{\Phi} : \frac{M(M+1)}{2} \times \frac{N(N+1)}{2} \quad \text{under-determined}$$

Prior Information

- > $\mathbf{s}_x^{(c)}$ is highly sparse
- > \mathbf{R}_x is positive semi-definite (psd)

\Box L₁-norm regularized LS (LR-LS)

$$\min_{\substack{\mathbf{r}_{x}\\s.t.}} \frac{\|\mathbf{T}\mathbf{r}_{x}\|_{1} + \lambda \|\mathbf{r}_{z} - \mathbf{\Phi}\mathbf{r}_{x}\|_{2}^{2}}{\mathbf{R}_{x} \text{ is psd, with } \operatorname{vec}\{\mathbf{R}_{x}\} = \mathbf{P}_{N}\mathbf{r}_{x}. }$$

$$\min_{\mathbf{s}_x} \|\mathbf{s}_x\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\mathbf{r}_z - \mathbf{\Phi}\mathbf{T}^{-1}\mathbf{s}_x\|_2^2$$

Summary of Reconstruction Steps



Spectrum Occupancy Estimation





Multi-Cycle GLRT

 \Box Binary hypothesis test on band *n*

$$\begin{cases} H_1: \quad \hat{\mathbf{c}}^{(n)} = \mathbf{c}^{(n)} + \epsilon \\ H_0: \quad \hat{\mathbf{c}}^{(n)} = \epsilon \end{cases}$$

c⁽ⁿ⁾: {s_x^(c)(a_i, b_i)}_i: unknown true SCD; multiple cyclic freq.
 ϵ : N(0, Σ_ϵ) : noise statistics determined mainly by finite-sample effects, not ambient noise

- □ GLRT formulation
 - > Test statistics: $\mathcal{T}^{(n)} = (\hat{\mathbf{c}}^{(n)})^H \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_{\epsilon}^{-1} \hat{\mathbf{c}}^{(n)}$
 - Binary decisions by thresholding
- □ A single wideband DSP, as opposed to multiple NB filters
- Fast algorithms possible based on modulation type, say, for BPSK



Simulation: Robustness to Rate Reduction

Probability of Detection vs. Compression Ratio (P_{FA} = 0.1, N=32, L=200 blocks)



Simulation: Robustness to Noise Uncertainty

Receiver Operating Characteristic (ROC): P_D vs P_{FA} (SNR=5dB, 50% compression)



 \succ outperforms energy detection (ED) \succ insensitive to noise uncertainty

Classification using Cyclic Statistics



Simulations: Classification

Confusion Matrix (SVM Classifier)

	BPSK	QPSK	DS-BPSK	DS-QPSK
BPSK	95.45%	0%	4.55%	0%
QPSK	0%	90.9%	9.09%	0%
DS-BPSK	9.09%	0%	59.09%	31.82%
DS-QPSK	4.5%	4.5%	36.46%	54.54%

- When compression ratio is adequate for detection, classification accuracy is comparable to non-compression
- Good separation of narrowband from spread spectrum
- Considerable confusion among spread spectrum signals

8 Power Spectrum Recovery

- □ Stationary processes as a special case of cyclostationary ones [Tian etal. (JSTSP'2012); Leus etal. (SPL'2011)]
 - > 2D cyclic spectrum reduces to 1D power spectrum

 $r_{x}(n,\nu) = \bar{r}_{x}(\nu), \quad \forall n. \qquad \overline{\mathbf{r}}_{x} \longleftrightarrow \overline{\mathbf{s}}_{f} \text{ (PSD)}$ $\mathbf{R}_{x} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{r}_{x}(0) & \bar{r}_{x}(1) & \bar{r}_{x}(2) & \cdots & \bar{r}_{x}(N-1) \\ \bar{r}_{x}(1) & \bar{r}_{x}(0) & \bar{r}_{x}(1) & \cdots & \bar{r}_{x}(N-2) \\ \bar{r}_{x}(2) & \bar{r}_{x}(1) & \bar{r}_{x}(0) & \cdots & \bar{r}_{x}(N-3) \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \vdots \\ \bar{r}_{x}(N-1) & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots & \bar{r}_{x}(0) \end{bmatrix}$

measurements r_z generated by cross-correlations: M(M+1)/2
 #unknowns {r_x(v)} in power spectrum R_x: N

Power Spectrum Blind Sampling

$$\underbrace{\frac{M(M+1)}{2} \times 1}_{2} \mathbf{r}_{z} = \bar{\mathbf{\Phi}} \bar{\mathbf{r}}_{x} = \bar{\mathbf{\Phi}} \mathbf{F}^{-1} \bar{\mathbf{s}}_{f_{\mathbf{v}}} \mathbf{N}$$

- □ Minima sampling rates for non-sparse signals
 - > Lossless recovery of power spectrum as long as $M(M+1)/2 \ge N$
 - Asymptotic compression ratio

(K)		$N { ightarrow} \infty$		1		1
$\left(\overline{N}\right)$	min	\longrightarrow	\bigvee	\overline{N}	≪ .	L

□ Sampler design [DSP'2011]	<i>N</i> -1	M	M/N
> minimal sparse rulers	1	2	1
[Leech'1956]	5	4	0.667
Stronger compression allowed for sparse signals	9	5	0.5
	49	12	0.24
	128	20	0.156

9 CS Framework for Random Processes

□ CS for linear deterministic systems

- Goal is perfect signal reconstruction [Venkataramani-Bresler'2001; Donoho etal.; Candes etal.; Mishali-Eldar'2010]
- □ CS for random processes
 - Perfect recovery of original signals using existing CS is over-kill
 X high computation costs
 X wasteful of sampling resources
 - Goal: direct extraction of useful (2nd-order) statistics, which has less degrees of freedom than the random signal itself

✓ stronger compression allowed for sparse signals

✓ enables compression for non-sparse signals

✓ reduced computational load, bypassing signal recovery



Intuition for Stationary Signals

□ Linear measurement systems

- > Measurements: cross-correlation of compressive samples z[k]
- Unknowns: cross-correlation or cyclic statistics of input x[n]



CS for random processes: extract 2^{nd} -order statistics directly! \rightarrow sub-Nyquist-rate sampling is feasible for non-sparse signals

Intuition for Cyclostationary Signals

Compressed cyclic feature based wideband sensing [ICC'2011, JSTSP'2012]

- > CS with time span over multiple cyclic periods [CAMSAP' 11]
- Simple reconstruction of cyclic power spectrum



Overdetermined when $N^2 \leq K^2L$ *, even when cyclic spectrum is non-sparse*



□ Sampler structure for periodic sampling

> Sampling devices with *M* branches [Mishali etal.; Hoyos etal.]



Alternative View of Periodic Sampling

□ The sampling device can also be viewed as [Leus etal.'2011]



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2nd-order Statistics in Periodic Sampling

□ The relationship between cross-correlations $r_{y_i,y_j}[k]$ and auto-correlation $r_x[n]$ can be perceived as:



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Reconstruction

□ Collecting all the correlation values $r_{y_iy_j}[k]$ and $r_x[n]$ into vectors \mathbf{r}_y and \mathbf{r}_x , it holds that [Leus etal.'2011]

$$\mathbf{r}_y = \mathbf{R}_c \mathbf{r}_x$$

 $> \mathbf{R}_{c}$: a collection of the deterministic correlation values $r_{c_{i}c_{j}}[n]$

- □ Allow rate compression without sparsity constraint on x(t)
 - > If R_c has full column rank \rightarrow solvable using least squares (LS)

* Necessary condition: $M^2 \ge N$

□ Sparse power spectrum

> exploiting the sparsity will lead to even further compression

Multi-Coset Sampling Problem

□ Goal: select *M* rows of identity matrix \mathbf{I}_N to form the sampler coefficients $c_i[n]$ that guarantee the full column rank property of \mathbf{R}_c

$$c_i[n] = \delta[-n - n_i] \quad \Longrightarrow \quad r_{c_i,c_j}[n] = \delta[n - n_i + n_j]$$

> Every row of \mathbf{R}_c will have only a single one.

□ To achieve full column rank $R_c \rightarrow$ select proper combination of rows of I_N , such that every column of R_c has at least a single one.



Multi-Coset Sampling using Sparse Ruler



0 1 2 3 6	10						

> Connection between multi-coset design and sparse ruler problem guarantees the full rank property of R_c

 \rightarrow uniqueness of the estimates as solutions to simple LS problems

> Adopting minimal length- $\lfloor N/2 \rfloor$ sparse rules

 \rightarrow reaching the possible minimum compression rate

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 - > Transceiver structure for joint DRA and waveform adaptation
 - Multi-user DRA game formation
 - > Sparse channel estimation and interference sensing
 - Sparsity-constrained DRA games

□ References

Options for Waveform Adaptation

Multi-Carrier Methods

- > dynamic subcarrier selection
- > adaptive power loading

Digital filterbank pulse shaping for serial transmissions

- > dynamic spectral mask
- > adjustable filter weights





Setup for Dynamic Resource Management

□ A unified treatment of sensing, adaptation and decision at PHY *crucial for practical QoS guarantees*

- DRA: Dynamic Resource Allocation among multiple CR users
- FAWA: Frequency Agile Waveform Adaptation in dynamic channels
- Cognition: identification of RF resources in various domains



Basic CR Transceiver Model

Generalized Signal Expansion Framework [JSTSP'2011]
 > OFDM-like: digital subcarriers replaced by expansion functions
 * representation and utilization of radio resources
 > enable diverse radio platforms and combinations
 * FDM (OFDM), TDM (SCCP), CDM (DS-CDMA)



Goal and Design Parameters per CR

Design parameters

- > Tx: linear precoding \mathbf{F}_q : $\mathbf{u}_q = \mathbf{F}_q \mathbf{s}_q$
- > Tx: power loading $a_q: a_{q,k} = \sqrt{E(|s_{q,k}|^2)}, k = 1, \dots, K$
- Rx: linear MMSE, capacity-preserving

□ DRA Objective: spectral efficiency

$$C(\mathbf{a}_q, \mathbf{F}_q) = \frac{1}{K} \log_2 \left| \mathbf{I}_K + \operatorname{diag}(\mathbf{a}_q) \mathbf{F}_q^H \mathbf{B}_q \mathbf{F}_q \operatorname{diag}(\mathbf{a}_q) \right|$$

SINR-related:
$$\mathbf{B}_q = \mathbf{H}_q^H \mathbf{R}_q^{-1} \mathbf{H}_q, \ \mathbf{R}_q = E(\mathbf{v}_q \mathbf{v}_q^H)$$

Transmission Constraints

- > Transmitted PSD: $S_q(f; \mathbf{a}_q, \mathbf{F}_q)$
- > Average power constraint (PC_q): $\int S_q(f; \mathbf{a}_q, \mathbf{F}_q) df \leq P_{q, \max}$
- > Spectral mask constraint (MC_q): $S_q(f; \mathbf{a}_q, \mathbf{F}_q) \leq S_c(f), \forall f$

 \Box Sensing requirements: channel \mathbf{H}_q , interference covariance \mathbf{R}_q

 $(\mathbf{a}_q, \mathbf{F}_q) : \max_{\mathbf{a}_q \succeq \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{F}_q} C(\mathbf{a}_q, \mathbf{F}_q) \ s.t. \ \mathsf{PC}_q, \mathsf{MC}_q$

Multi-User DRA Game

Centralized global optimization

$$\{(\mathbf{a}_q, \mathbf{F}_q)\}_{q=1}^Q : \max_{\{\mathbf{a}_q \succeq 0\}_q, \{\mathbf{F}_q\}_q} \sum_{q=1}^Q C(\mathbf{a}_q, \mathbf{F}_q) \quad s.t. \{\mathsf{PC}_q, \mathsf{MC}_q\}, \forall q$$

- Distributed game formulation
 - Per-user basis
 - * Self-interested local optimization
 - * No knowledge of other CRs' actions $\{(\mathbf{a}_r, \mathbf{F}_r)\}_{r \neq q}$
 - Iterative implementation

for each CR in its turn to take action:

* Dynamic sensing: estimate channel & sum interference H_q, R_q

- * DRA optimization: find best response strategy $(a_q^{\star}, F_q^{\star})$
 - □ Best response via diagonalization and power water-filling

* Waveform adaptation: update PSD at TX $S_q(f; \mathbf{a}_q^{\star}, \mathbf{F}_q^{\star})$

Sparse Channel Estimation

Channel Parameters

$$\mathbf{H}_q: K \times K \quad h_{q,k,l} = \int g_q(t) \star \psi_k(t) \star \phi_l^*(-t) dt, \quad \forall k, l = 1, \dots, K$$

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□ Sparsity

- > Sparse multipath \mathbf{g}_q
- Oversampling by multiple Rx bases

□ Ideas:

- > Estimate \mathbf{g}_q , then \mathbf{H}_q
- Compress by turning off some basis filters
 [SPAWC' 10]



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Sparse Interference Sensing

- $\Box \text{ Interference sensing task } \mathbf{R}_v = E\{\mathbf{v}_q\mathbf{v}_q^T\} \quad \hat{\mathbf{v}}_q = \mathbf{x}_q \hat{\mathbf{H}}_q\mathbf{u}_q$
- □ Sparsity: representation of the composite interference on sparsifying basis $\nu_q(t) = \sum_{k=1}^{K-1} \nu_{q,k} \varphi_k(t)$ $\mathbf{v}_q = \Xi \nu_q$
- □ Idea: use of auxiliary filter for compressive sampling $\zeta_{q,c} = \zeta_q(t_c) = \sum_{k=0}^{K-1} \nu_{q,k} \left[\varphi_k(t) \star s(t) \right]_{t=t_c} \quad \zeta_q = \Lambda \nu_q$

Sparse recovery

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{\nu}}_{q} = \underset{\boldsymbol{\nu}_{q}}{\operatorname{arg\,min}} \{ \|\boldsymbol{\nu}_{q}\|_{1} + \rho \|\boldsymbol{\zeta}_{q} - \boldsymbol{\Lambda}\boldsymbol{\nu}_{q}\|_{2}^{2} \}$$


Flexible Waveform Adaptation and DSA



Sparsity-constrained Waveform Adaptation

□ Sparsity in the signal expansion model

- > Available resources are large in a wideband network \rightarrow large K
- Effective resources needed per CR are small

 • expansion functions may be redundant to induce flexibility
- □ Sparsity-constrained optimization
 - > Approach: limit the number of active expansion functions
 - > Benefits
 - * little or no performance loss
 - reduced computation and implementation costs
 - * fast convergence of iterative DRA games
 - facilitates limited-rate feedback

Capacity under Sparsity Constraints



lower sparsity \rightarrow less hardware costs, faster convergence, less feedback

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