

CS-570

Statistical Signal Processing

Lecture 12: Tensor models

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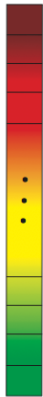
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High-dimensional signal models

Encoding of multiple variables

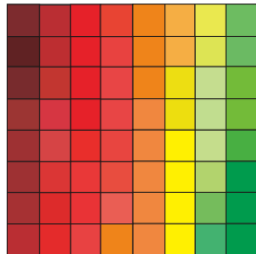
- Time, Space, Frequency, Modality

vector



$$\mathbf{v} \in \mathbb{R}^{64}$$

matrix

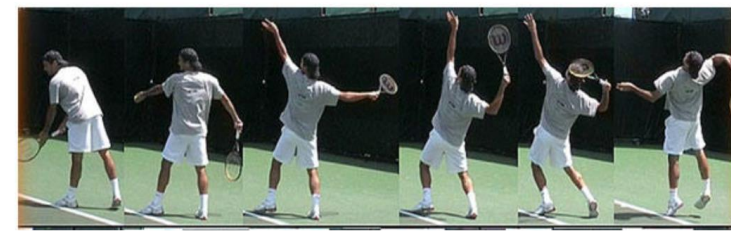
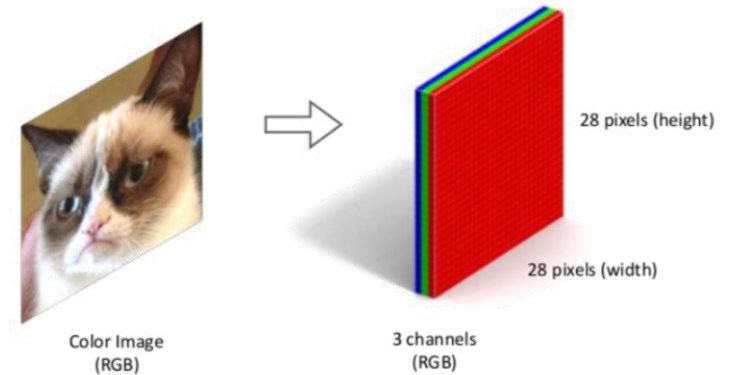


$$\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{8 \times 8}$$

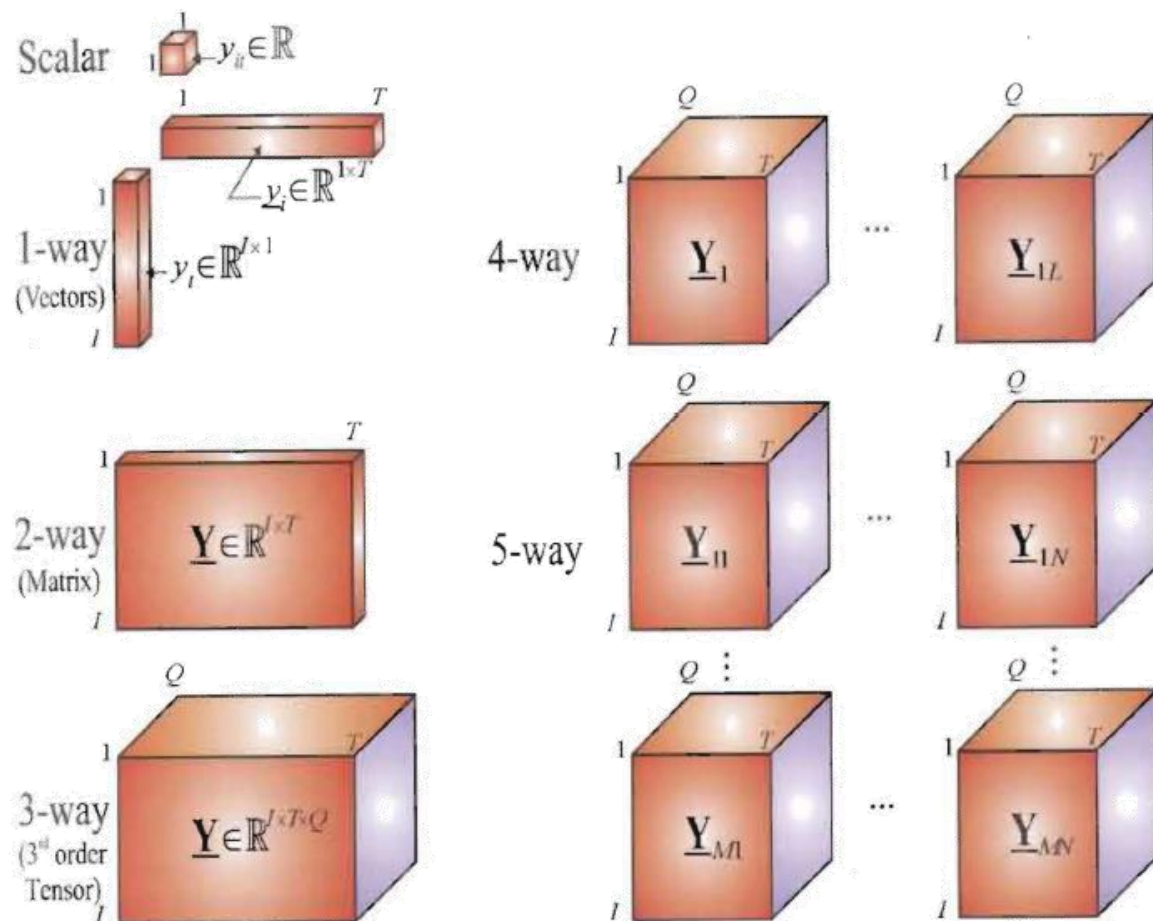
tensor



$$\mathcal{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{4 \times 4 \times 4}$$

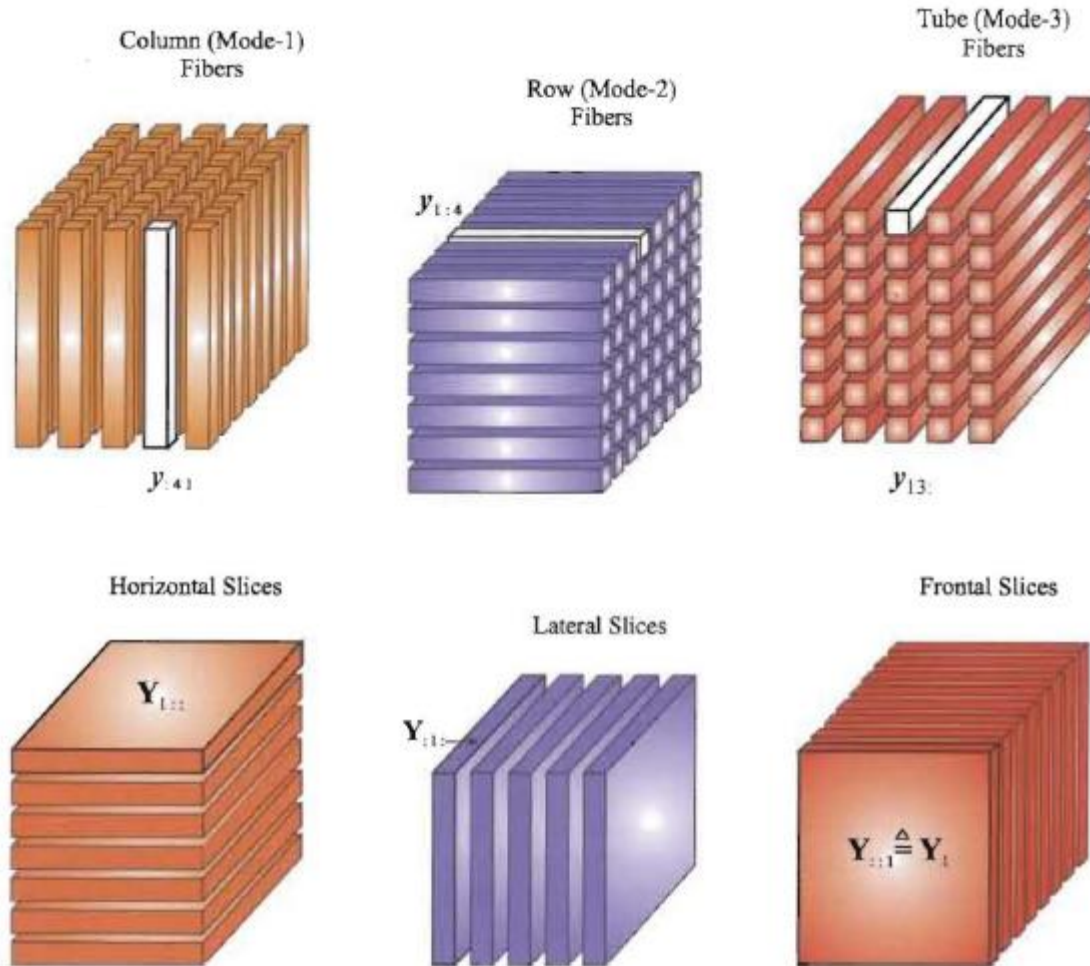


Tensors



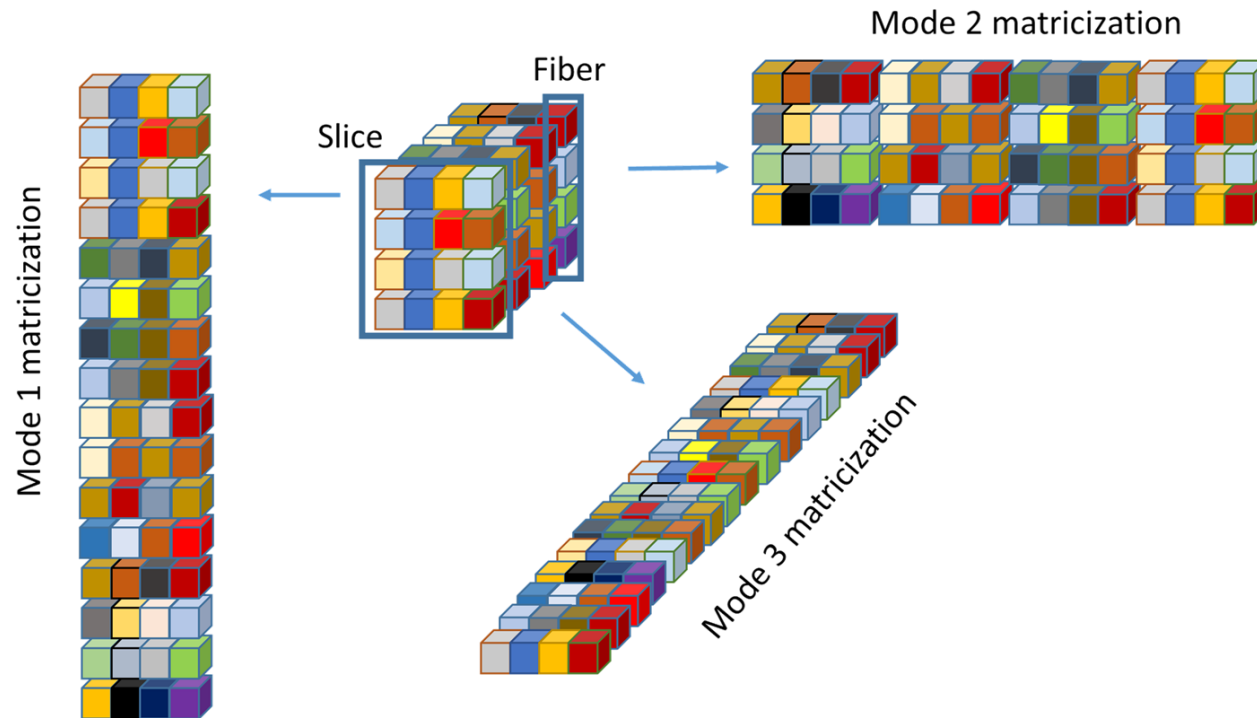
Includes materials from: Introduction to tensor, tensor factorization and its applications, by Mu Li, iPAL Group Meeting, Sept. 17, 2010

Fiber and slice



Tensor unfoldings: Matricization and vectorization

- Matricization: convert a tensor to a matrix



Tensor Mode-n Multiplication

$$\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{I \times J \times K}, \mathbf{B} \in \mathbb{R}^{M \times J}, \mathbf{a} \in \mathbb{R}^I$$

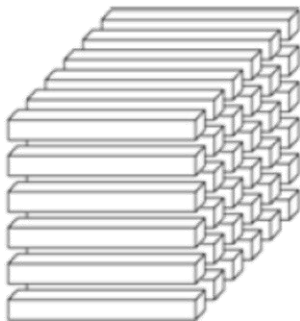
- Tensor x Matrix

$$\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X} \times_2 \mathbf{B} \in \mathbb{R}^{I \times M \times K}$$

$$y_{imk} = \sum_j x_{ijk} b_{mj}$$

$$\mathbf{Y}_{(2)} = \mathbf{B}\mathbf{X}_{(2)}$$

Multiply each
row (mode-2)
fiber by \mathbf{B}

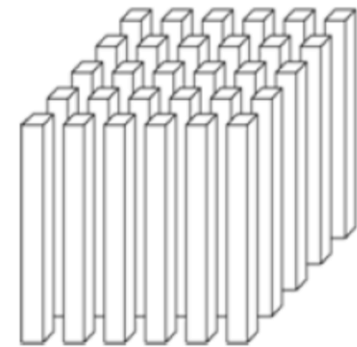


- Tensor x Vector

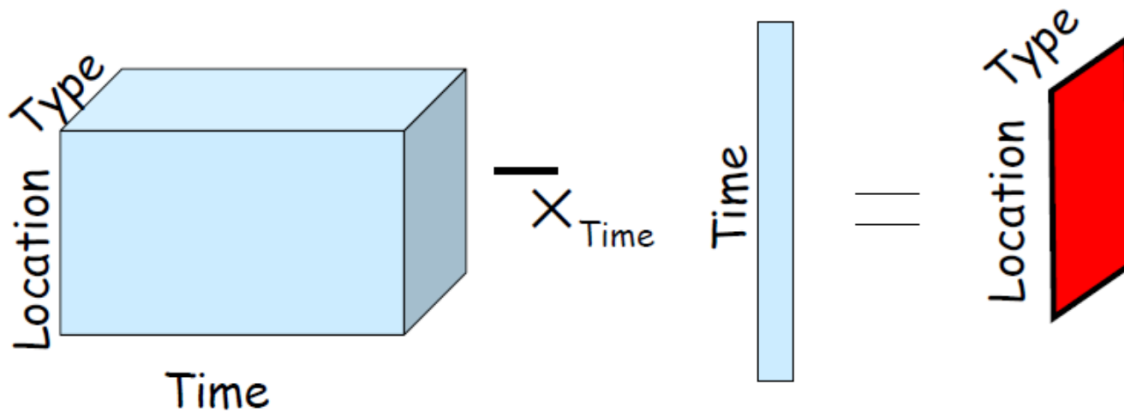
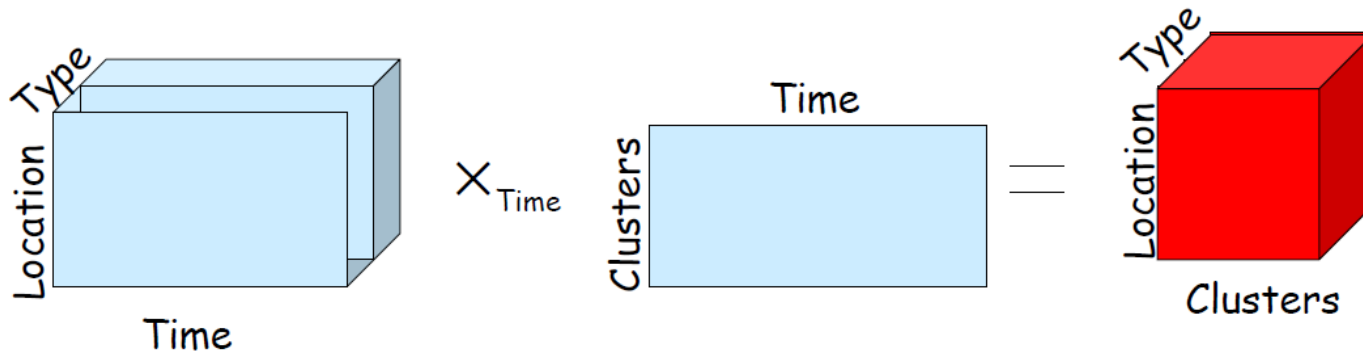
$$\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{X} \bar{\times}_1 \mathbf{a} \in \mathbb{R}^{J \times K}$$

$$y_{jk} = \sum_i x_{ijk} a_i$$

Compute the dot
product of \mathbf{a} and
each column
(mode-1) fiber

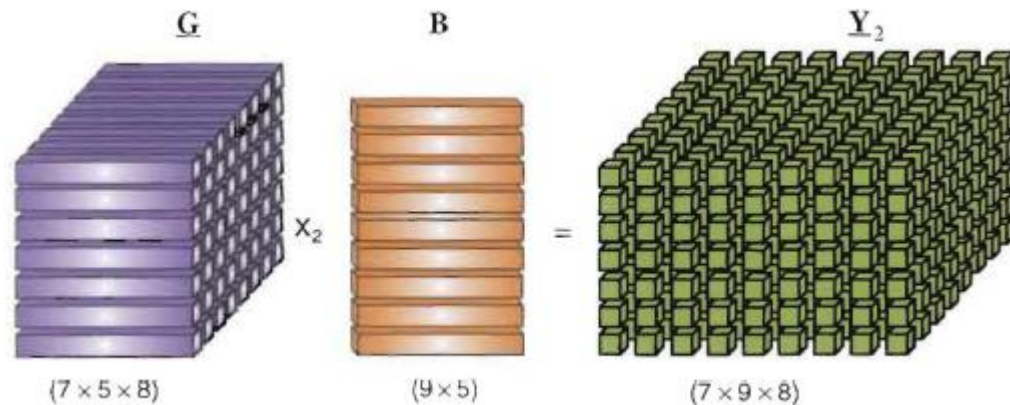
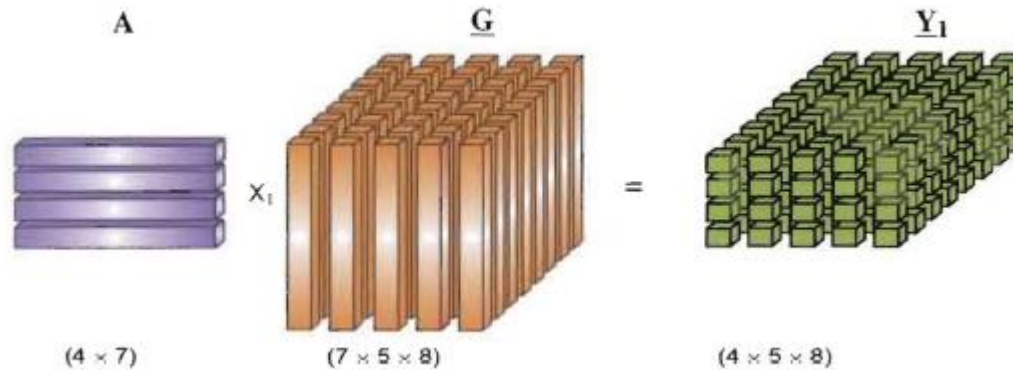


Examples



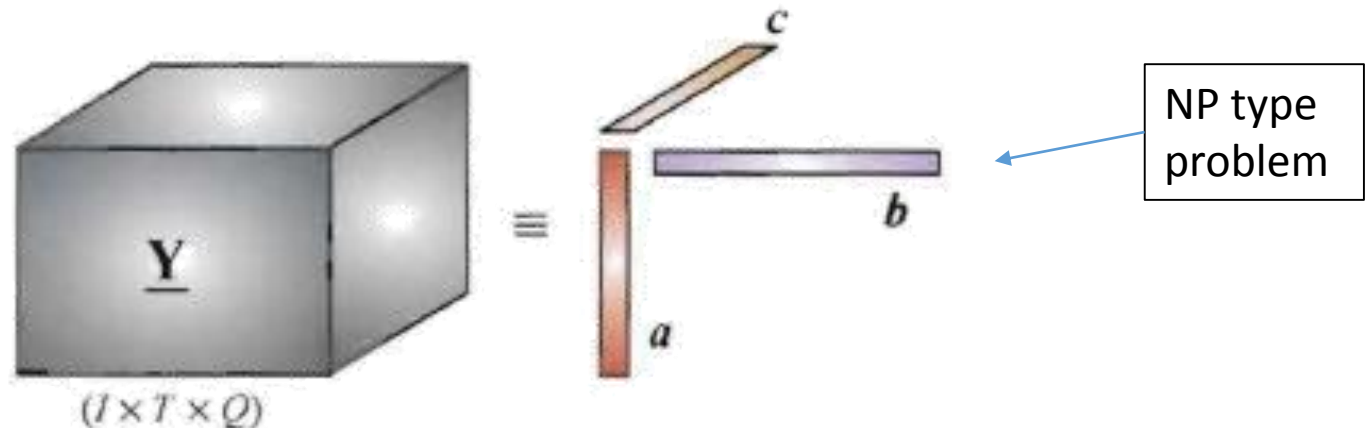
Tensor multiplication: the n-mode product: multiplied by a matrix

$$(\mathbf{X} \times_n \mathbf{U})_{i_1 \dots i_{n-1} j i_{n+1} \dots i_N} = \sum_{i_n=1}^{I_n} x_{i_1 i_2 \dots i_N} u_{j i_n}.$$



Tensor models

- For two vectors \mathbf{a} ($I \times 1$) and \mathbf{b} ($J \times 1$), $\mathbf{a} \circ \mathbf{b}$ is an $I \times J$ rank-one matrix with (i, j) -th element $\mathbf{a}(i)\mathbf{b}(j)$; i.e., $\mathbf{a} \circ \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{a}\mathbf{b}^T$.
- For three vectors, \mathbf{a} ($I \times 1$), \mathbf{b} ($J \times 1$), \mathbf{c} ($K \times 1$), $\mathbf{a} \circ \mathbf{b} \circ \mathbf{c}$ is an $I \times J \times K$ rank-one three-way array with (i, j, k) -th element $\mathbf{a}(i)\mathbf{b}(j)\mathbf{c}(k)$.
- The *rank of a three-way array* $\underline{\mathbf{X}}$ is the smallest number of outer products needed to synthesize $\underline{\mathbf{X}}$.
- Rank – 1 Tensor $\underline{\mathbf{X}} = \mathbf{a}^{(1)} \circ \mathbf{a}^{(2)} \circ \dots \circ \mathbf{a}^{(N)}$.



Kronecker and Khatri-Rao products

\otimes stands for the Kronecker product:

$$\mathbf{A} \otimes \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{BA}(1, 1), \mathbf{BA}(1, 2), \dots \\ \mathbf{BA}(2, 1), \mathbf{BA}(2, 2), \dots \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

\odot stands for the Khatri-Rao (column-wise Kronecker) product: given \mathbf{A} ($I \times F$) and \mathbf{B} ($J \times F$), $\mathbf{A} \odot \mathbf{B}$ is the $JI \times F$ matrix

$$\mathbf{A} \odot \mathbf{B} = [\mathbf{A}(:, 1) \otimes \mathbf{B}(:, 1) \cdots \mathbf{A}(:, F) \otimes \mathbf{B}(:, F)]$$

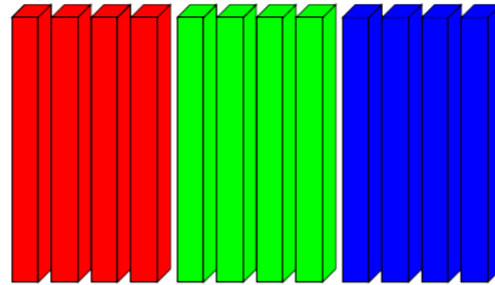
$$\text{vec}(\mathbf{ABC}) = (\mathbf{C}^T \otimes \mathbf{A})\text{vec}(\mathbf{B})$$

$$\text{If } \mathbf{D} = \text{diag}(\mathbf{d}), \text{ then } \text{vec}(\mathbf{ADC}) = (\mathbf{C}^T \odot \mathbf{A})\mathbf{d}$$



μ -mode matrix products

Consider 1-mode matricization $X^{(1)} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times (n_2 \cdots n_d)}$:



Seems to make sense to multiply an $m \times n_1$ matrix A from the left:

$$Y^{(1)} := AX^{(1)} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times (n_2 \cdots n_d)}.$$

Can rearrange $Y^{(1)}$ back into an $m \times n_2 \times \cdots \times n_d$ tensor \mathcal{Y} .

This is called **1-mode matrix multiplication**

$$\mathcal{Y} = A \circ_1 \mathcal{X} \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad Y^{(1)} = AX^{(1)}$$

More formally (and more ugly):

$$\mathcal{Y}_{i_1, i_2, \dots, i_d} = \sum_{k=1}^{n_1} a_{i_1, k} \mathcal{X}_{k, i_2, \dots, i_d}.$$

Rank decomposition for tensors

- Tensor:

$$\underline{\mathbf{X}} = \sum_{f=1}^F \mathbf{a}_f \circ \mathbf{b}_f \circ \mathbf{c}_f$$

- Scalar:

$$\underline{\mathbf{X}}(i, j, k) = \sum_{f=1}^F a_{i,f} b_{j,f} c_{k,f}, \quad \begin{array}{l} \forall i \in \{1, \dots, I\} \\ \forall j \in \{1, \dots, J\} \\ \forall k \in \{1, \dots, K\} \end{array}$$

- Slabs:

$$\mathbf{X}_k = \mathbf{A} \mathbf{D}_k (\mathbf{C}) \mathbf{B}^T, \quad k = 1, \dots, K$$

- Matrix:

$$\mathbf{X}^{(KJ \times I)} = (\mathbf{B} \odot \mathbf{C}) \mathbf{A}^T$$

- Tall vector:

$$\mathbf{x}^{(KJI)} := \text{vec} \left(\mathbf{X}^{(KJ \times I)} \right) = (\mathbf{A} \odot (\mathbf{B} \odot \mathbf{C})) \mathbf{1}_{F \times 1} = (\mathbf{A} \odot \mathbf{B} \odot \mathbf{C}) \mathbf{1}_{F \times 1}$$

Tensor Products

The tensor product $\mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$ between two tensors $\mathcal{A} \in \mathcal{S}_1 \otimes \mathcal{S}_2$ and $\mathcal{B} \in \mathcal{S}_3 \otimes \mathcal{S}_4$ is a tensor of $\mathcal{S}_1 \otimes \mathcal{S}_2 \otimes \mathcal{S}_3 \otimes \mathcal{S}_4$. The consequence is that the orders add up under tensor product.

Let \mathcal{A} be represented by a three-way array $\mathcal{A} = [A_{ijk}]$ and \mathcal{B} by a four-way array $\mathcal{B} = [B_{\ell mnp}]$; then tensor $\mathcal{C} = \mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$ is represented by the seven-way array of components $C_{ijk\ell mnp} = A_{ijk} B_{\ell mnp}$. With some abuse of notation, the tensor product is often applied to arrays of coordinates, so that notation $\mathcal{C} = \mathcal{A} \otimes \mathcal{B}$ may be encountered.



Tensor Decompositions-Historical Background

- **Founding fathers:**

- Frank L. Hitchcock, in 1927 [1]
- Raymond b. Katell, in 1944 [2]



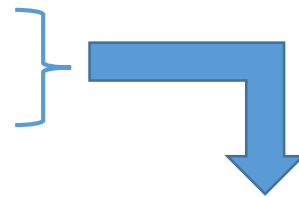
- Regained interest due to:

- Ledyard Tucker, in 1966

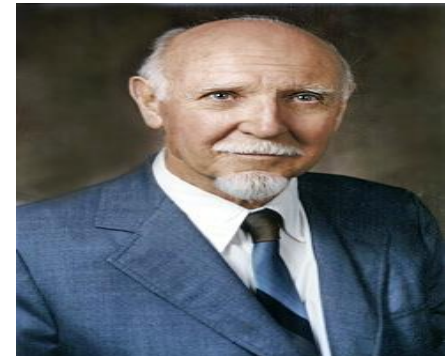


Tucker Decomposition

- J. Douglas Carroll, in 1970
- Richard A. Harshman, in 1970



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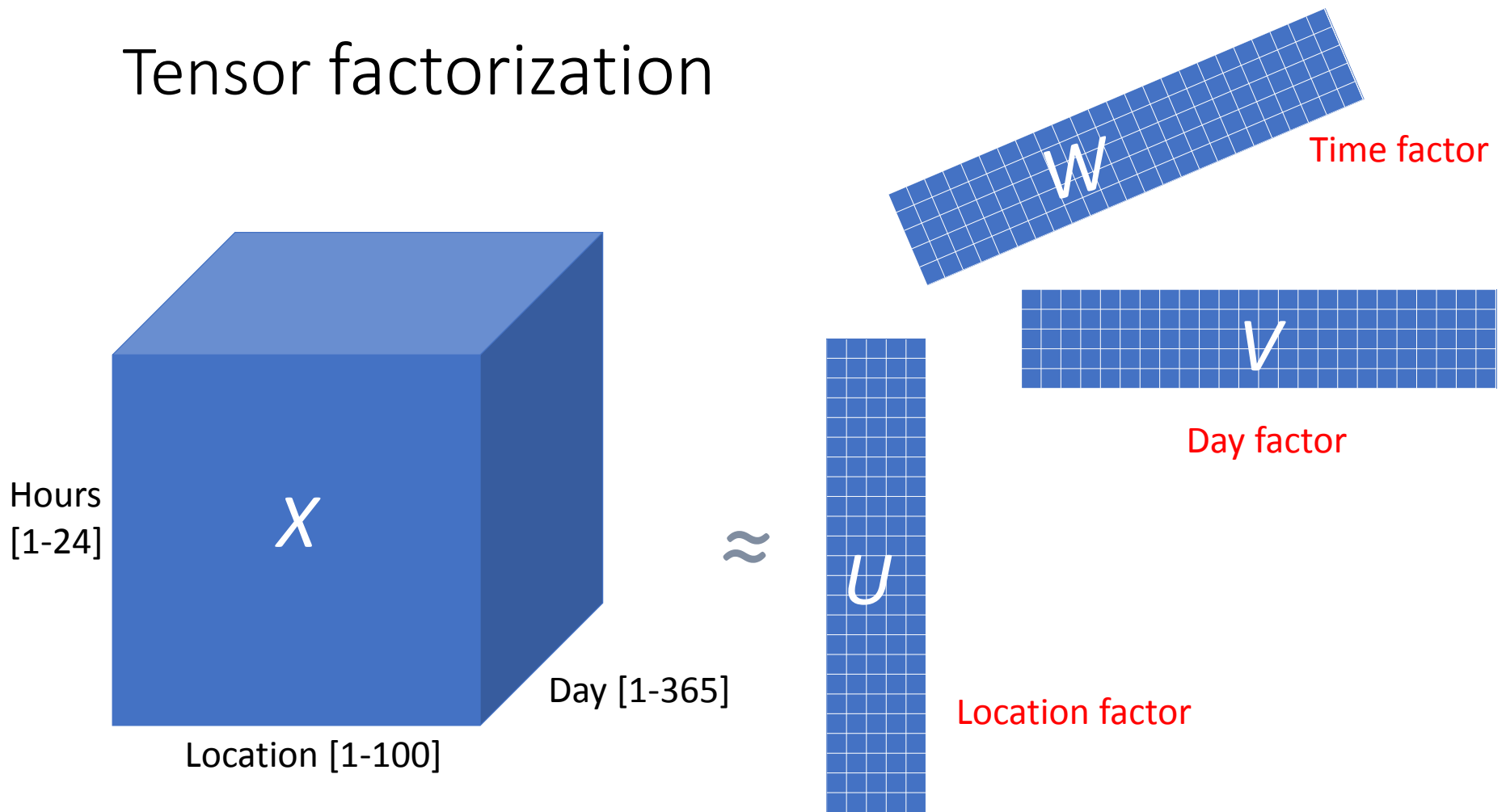


- First results in:

- Psychometrics (Carroll, Harshman)
- Chemometrics (Appelof, Davidson, R. Bro)

Slides by Michalis Giannopoulos

Tensor factorization



$$X \approx U \otimes V \otimes W$$

$$X_{i,j,k} \approx \sum_{r=1}^{\text{Rank}} U_{i,r} V_{j,r} W_{k,r}$$

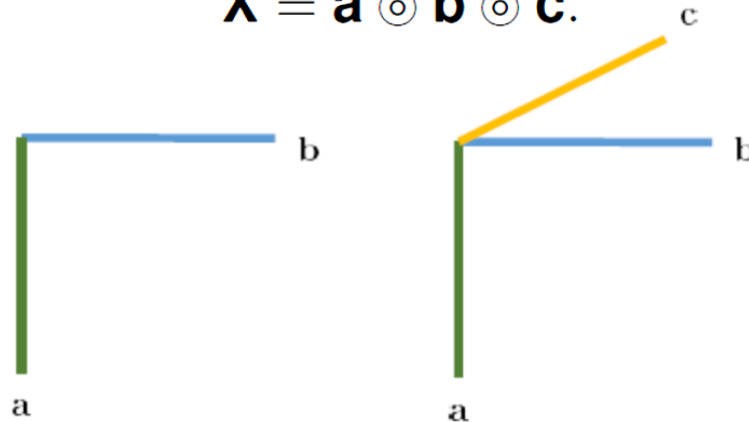
Rank-1 matrices and tensors

A **rank-1 matrix** \mathbf{X} of size $I \times J$ is an outer product of two vectors:
 $\mathbf{X}(i, j) = \mathbf{a}(i)\mathbf{b}(j)$, $\forall i \in \{1, \dots, I\}, j \in \{1, \dots, J\}$; i.e.,

$$\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{a} \odot \mathbf{b}.$$

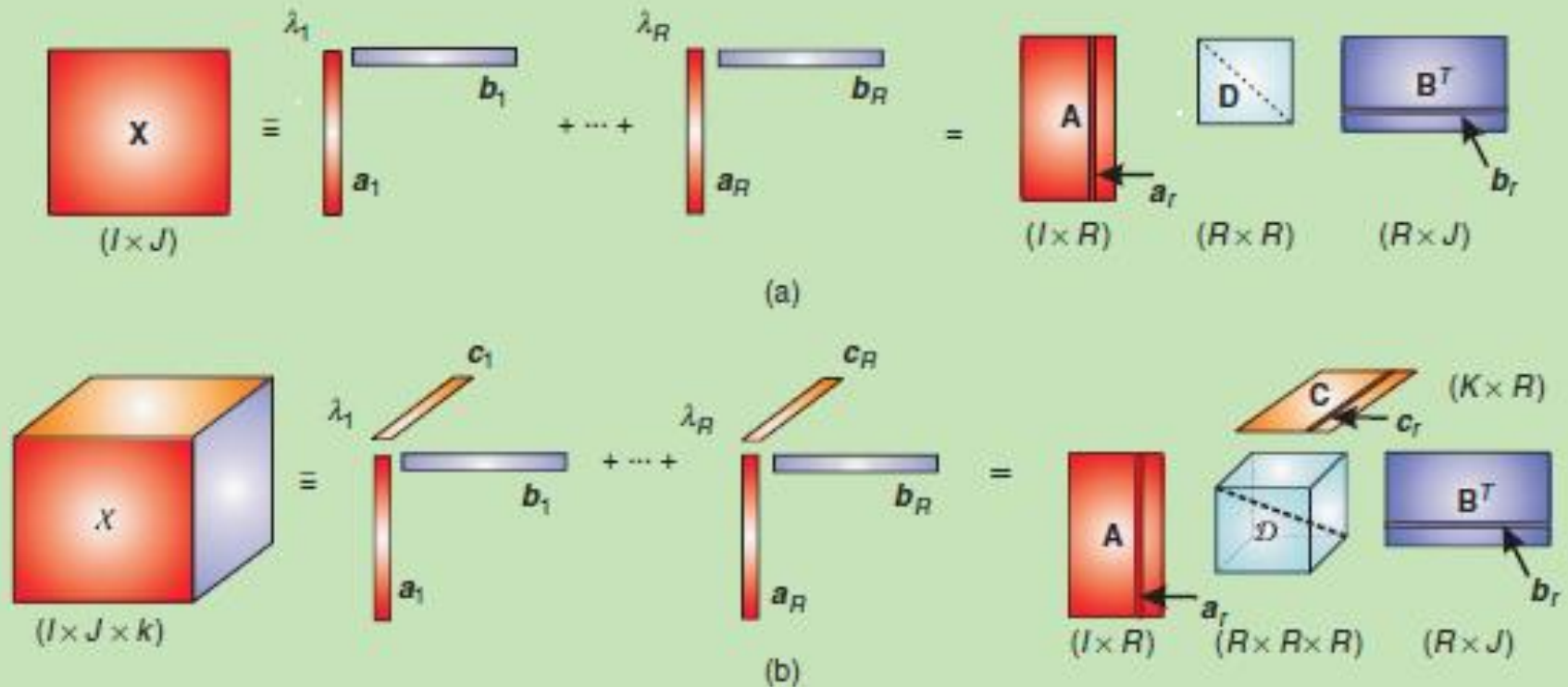
A **rank-1 third-order tensor** \mathbf{X} of size $I \times J \times K$ is an outer product of three vectors:
 $\mathbf{X}(i, j, k) = \mathbf{a}(i)\mathbf{b}(j)\mathbf{c}(k)$; i.e.,

$$\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{a} \odot \mathbf{b} \odot \mathbf{c}.$$



Extension of SVD

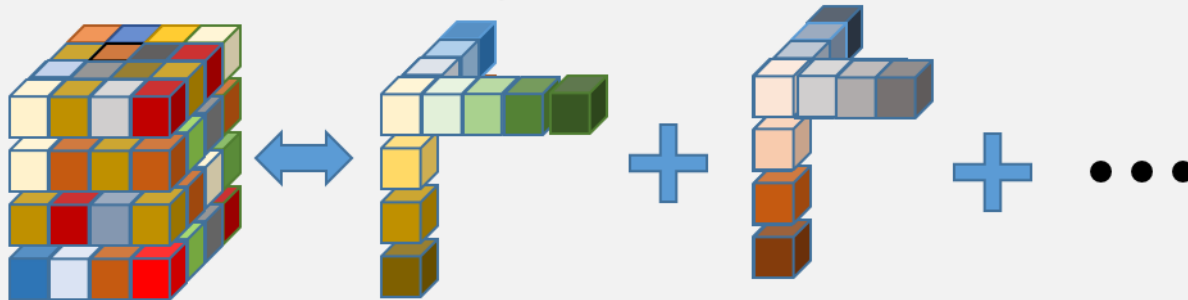
The analogy between dyadic and polyadic decompositions



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- Rank 1 Tensor models

CANDECOMP/PARAFAC Decomposition



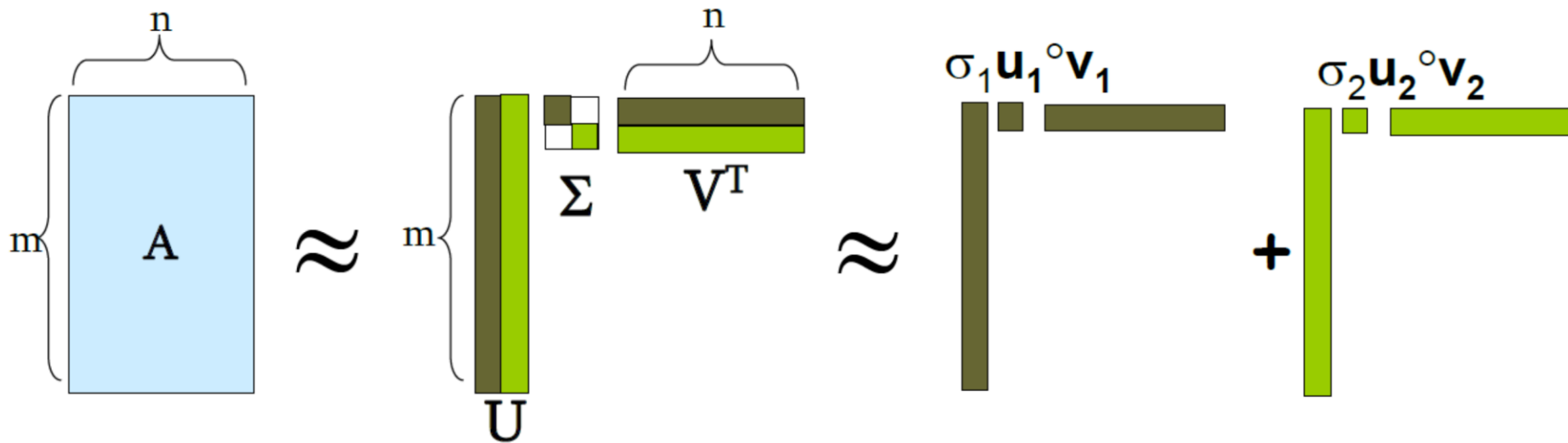
$$\mathcal{X} = \sum_{r=1}^R \lambda_r \mathbf{b}_r^{(1)} \circ \mathbf{b}_r^{(2)} \circ \dots \circ \mathbf{b}_r^{(N)}.$$

- CP factorization:

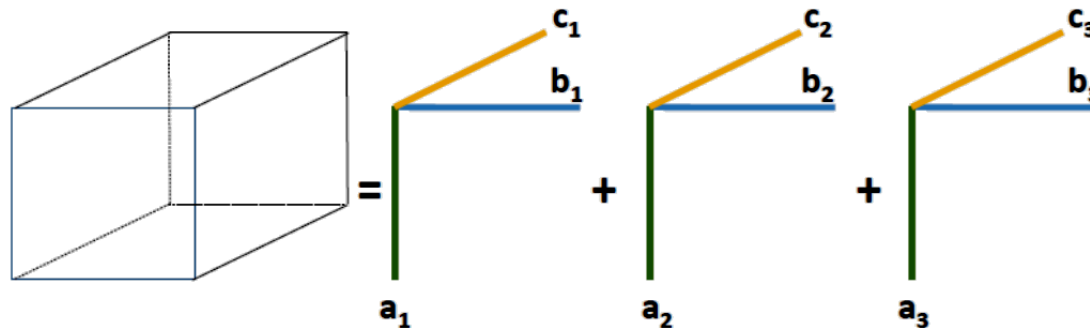
$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{X} &= \mathcal{D} \times_1 \mathbf{B}^{(1)} \times_2 \mathbf{B}^{(2)} \dots \times_N \mathbf{B}^{(N)} \\ &= [\mathcal{D}; \mathbf{B}^{(1)}, \mathbf{B}^{(2)}, \dots, \mathbf{B}^{(N)}], \end{aligned}$$

Reminder: SVD

$$\mathbf{A} \approx \mathbf{U}\mathbf{\Sigma}\mathbf{V}^T = \sum_i \sigma_i \mathbf{u}_i \circ \mathbf{v}_i$$



Uniqueness

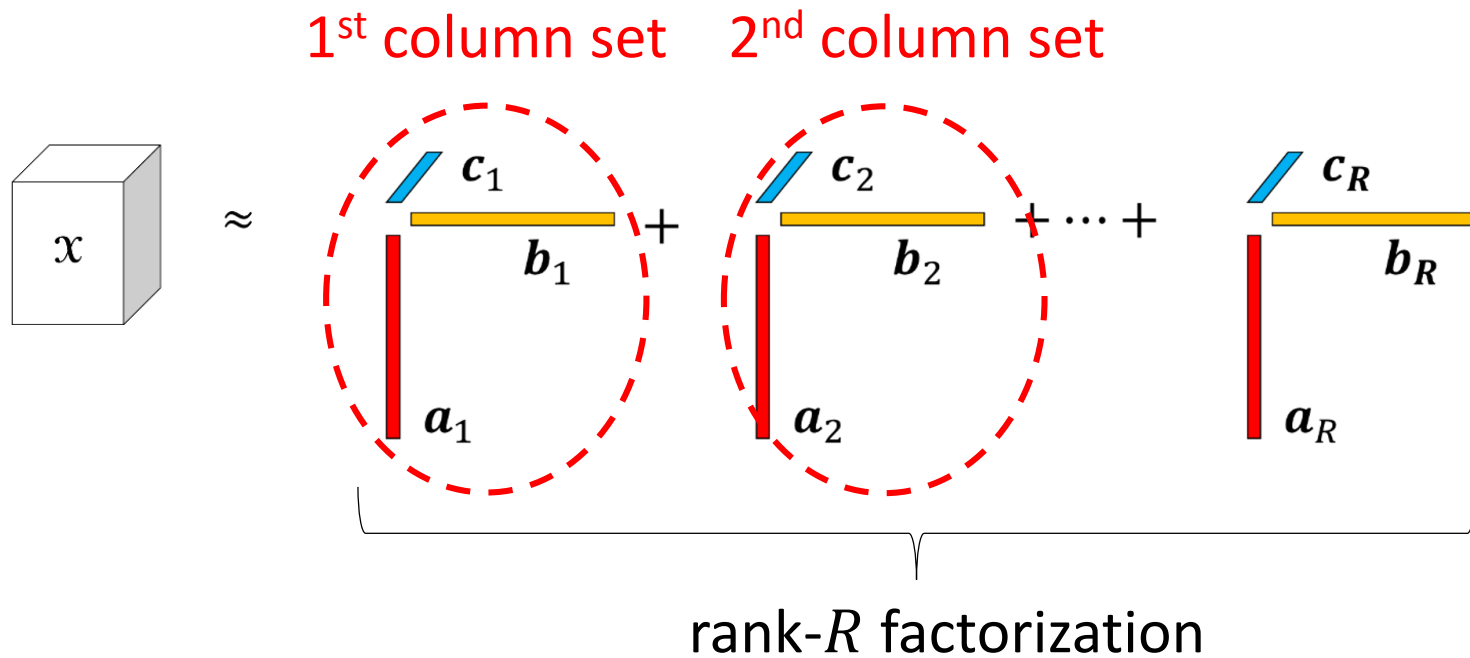


Given tensor \mathbf{X} of rank F , its CPD is *essentially unique* iff the F rank-1 terms in its decomposition (the outer products or “chicken feet”) are unique;

i.e., there is no other way to decompose \mathbf{X} for the given number of terms.

Can of course permute “chicken feet” without changing their sum
→ permutation ambiguity.

Low rank Tensor Approximation



Low rank Tensor Approximation

Adopting a least squares criterion, the problem is

$$\min_{\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{B}, \mathbf{C}} \left\| \mathbf{X} - \sum_{f=1}^F \mathbf{a}_f \odot \mathbf{b}_f \odot \mathbf{c}_f \right\|_F^2,$$

Equivalently, we may consider

$$\min_{\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{B}, \mathbf{C}} \left\| \mathbf{X}_1 - (\mathbf{C} \odot \mathbf{B}) \mathbf{A}^T \right\|_F^2.$$

Alternating optimization:

$$\mathbf{A} \leftarrow \arg \min_{\mathbf{A}} \left\| \mathbf{X}_1 - (\mathbf{C} \odot \mathbf{B}) \mathbf{A}^T \right\|_F^2,$$

$$\mathbf{B} \leftarrow \arg \min_{\mathbf{B}} \left\| \mathbf{X}_2 - (\mathbf{C} \odot \mathbf{A}) \mathbf{B}^T \right\|_F^2,$$

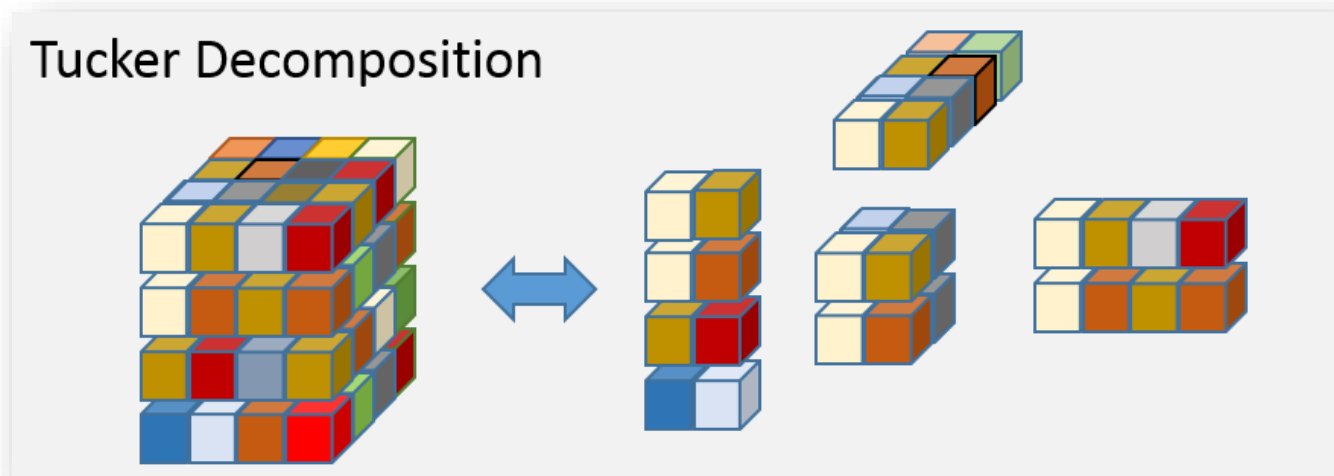
$$\mathbf{C} \leftarrow \arg \min_{\mathbf{C}} \left\| \mathbf{X}_3 - (\mathbf{B} \odot \mathbf{A}) \mathbf{C}^T \right\|_F^2,$$

The above is widely known as **Alternating Least Squares (ALS)**.



TUCKER

- Tucker(3) factorization $\mathcal{X} = \mathcal{G} \times_1 \mathbf{A}^{(1)} \times_2 \mathbf{A}^{(2)} \dots \times_N \mathbf{A}^{(N)} = \llbracket \mathcal{G} ; \mathbf{A}^{(1)}, \mathbf{A}^{(2)}, \dots, \mathbf{A}^{(N)} \rrbracket$

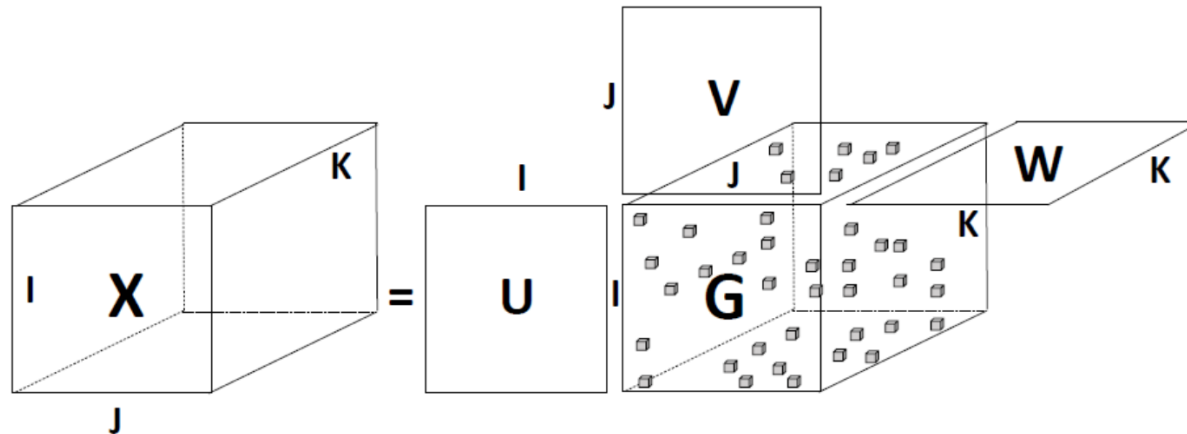


- The associated model-fitting problem is

$$\min_{\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{B}, \mathbf{C}, \mathbf{G}} \|\mathbf{X} - (\mathbf{B} \otimes \mathbf{A})\mathbf{G}\mathbf{C}^T\|_F^2,$$


which is usually solved using an alternating least squares procedure.

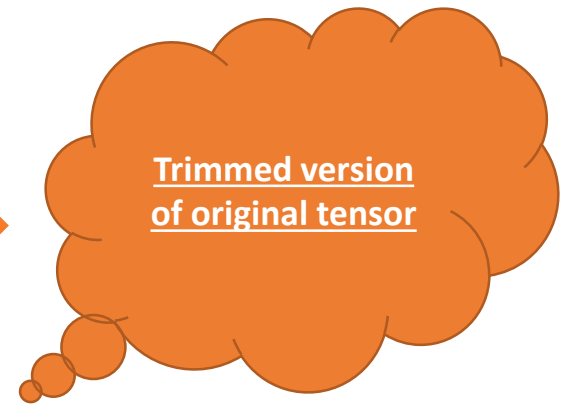
Tucker and Multilinear SVD (MLSVD)



- Note that each column of \mathbf{U} interacts with every column of \mathbf{V} and every column of \mathbf{W} in this decomposition.
- The strength of this interaction is encoded in the corresponding element of \mathbf{G} .
- Different from CPD, which only allows interactions between corresponding columns of \mathbf{A} , \mathbf{B} , \mathbf{C} , i.e., the only outer products that can appear in the CPD are of type $\mathbf{a}_f \odot \mathbf{b}_f \odot \mathbf{c}_f$.
- The *Tucker model* in (14) also allows “mixed” products of non-corresponding columns of \mathbf{U} , \mathbf{V} , \mathbf{W} .

The n-Rank

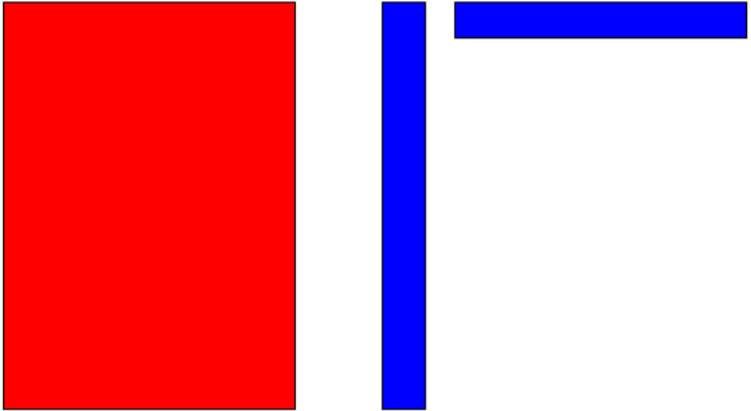
- $R_n = \text{rank}_n(\mathcal{X})$ [1], [2]: The dimension of the vector space which is spanned by the mode- n fibers of column rank of \mathcal{X}
- Rank- (R_1, R_2, \dots, R_N) tensor $\rightarrow R_n$: Column-rank of the mode- n unfolding $\mathbf{X}_{(n)}$
- **Usefulness**: Tensor approximation \rightarrow Compression
 - For ≥ 1 dimensions: $R_n < \text{rank}_n(\mathcal{X})$ 
- **Lack of Uniqueness**:
 - “Transform” the core tensor \mathcal{G}
 - Apply the inverse “transform” to the factor matrices \mathbf{A} , \mathbf{B} and \mathbf{C}
 - **Sometimes desired**: Sketching arithmetic solutions for Tucker decomposition computation



Low rank approximation

Setting: Matrix $X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$, m and n too large to compute/store X explicitly.

Idea: Replace X by RS^T with $R \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times r}$, $S \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times r}$ and $r \ll m, n$.



	X	RS^T
Memory Cost	nm	$nr + rm$
	$\text{ops}(m, n)$	$\text{ops}(m, n) \times \frac{r}{\min\{m, n\}}$ (?)

Construction from SVD

SVD: Let matrix $X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ and $k = \min\{m, n\}$. Then \exists orthonormal matrices

$$U = [u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k] \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times k}, \quad V = [v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k] \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times k},$$

such that

$$X = U \Sigma V^T, \quad \Sigma = \text{diag}(\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_k).$$

Choose $r \leq k$ and partition

$$X = [U_1, U_2] \begin{bmatrix} \Sigma_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \Sigma_2 \end{bmatrix} [V_1, V_2]^T = \underbrace{U_1 \Sigma_1}_{=:R} \underbrace{V_1^T}_{=:S^T} + U_2 \Sigma_2 V_2^T.$$

Then $\|X - RS^T\|_2 = \|\Sigma_2\|_2 = \sigma_{r+1}$.

Good low rank approximation if singular values decay sufficiently fast.



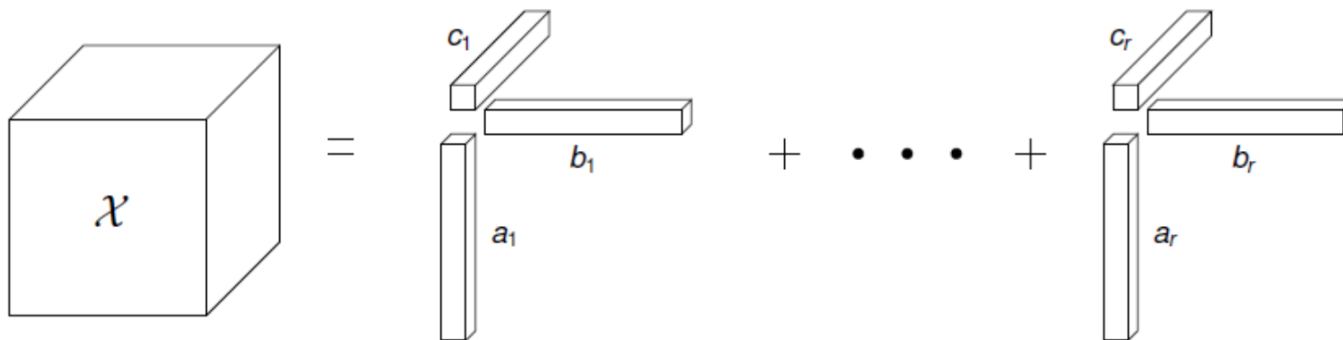
CP decomposition

Canonical Polyadic decomposition of tensor $\mathcal{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times n_2 \times n_3}$ defined via

$$\text{vec}(\mathcal{X}) = c_1 \otimes b_1 \otimes a_1 + c_2 \otimes b_2 \otimes a_2 + \cdots + c_R \otimes b_R \otimes a_R$$

for vectors $a_j \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1}$, $b_j \in \mathbb{R}^{n_2}$, $c_j \in \mathbb{R}^{n_3}$.

Tensor rank of \mathcal{X} = minimal possible R



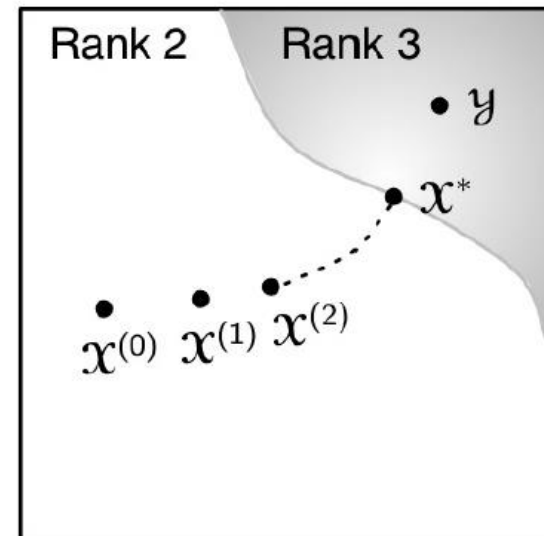
CP decomposition

▶ For **matrices**:

- ▶ rank r is upper semi-continuous \rightsquigarrow closedness property:
sequence of rank = r matrices can only converge to rank $\leq r$ matrix.
- ▶ best low-rank approximation possible by successive rank-1 approximations.
- ▶ Robust black-box algorithms/software available (svd, Lanczos).

For tensors of order $d \geq 3$:

- ▶ tensor rank R is **not** upper semi-continuous \rightsquigarrow
lack of closedness
- ▶ successive rank-1 approximations fail
- ▶ all algorithms based on optimization techniques (ALS, Gauss-Newton)



Tucker decomposition

- SVD: $\text{vec}(X) = (V \otimes U) \cdot \text{vec}(\Sigma)$.

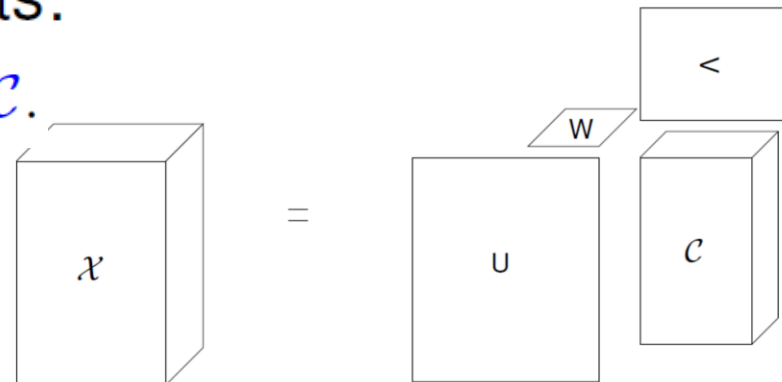
Tucker decomposition of tensor $\mathcal{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times n_2 \times n_3}$ defined via

$$\text{vec}(\mathcal{X}) = (W \otimes V \otimes U) \cdot \text{vec}(\mathcal{C})$$

with $U \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times r_1}$, $V \in \mathbb{R}^{n_2 \times r_2}$, $W \in \mathbb{R}^{n_3 \times r_3}$,
and **core tensor** $\mathcal{C} \in \mathbb{R}^{r_1 \times r_2 \times r_3}$.

In terms of μ -mode matrix products:

$$\mathcal{X} = U \circ_1 V \circ_2 W \circ_3 \mathcal{C} =: (U, V, W) \circ \mathcal{C}.$$



Tucker decomposition

Consider all three matricizations:

$$X^{(1)} = U \cdot C^{(1)} \cdot (W \otimes V)^T,$$

$$X^{(2)} = V \cdot C^{(2)} \cdot (W \otimes U)^T,$$

$$X^{(3)} = W \cdot C^{(3)} \cdot (V \otimes U)^T.$$

These are low rank decompositions \rightsquigarrow

$$\text{rank}(X^{(1)}) \leq r_1, \quad \text{rank}(X^{(2)}) \leq r_2, \quad \text{rank}(X^{(3)}) \leq r_3.$$

Multilinear rank of tensor $\mathcal{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times n_2 \times n_3}$ defined by tuple

$$(r_1, r_2, r_3), \quad \text{with} \quad r_i = \text{rank}(X^{(i)}).$$



Higher-order SVD (HOSVD)

Goal: Approximate given tensor \mathcal{X} by Tucker decomposition with prescribed multilinear rank (r_1, r_2, r_3) .

1. Calculate SVD of matricizations:

$$\mathcal{X}^{(\mu)} = \tilde{U}_\mu \tilde{\Sigma}_\mu \tilde{V}_\mu^T \quad \text{for } \mu = 1, 2, 3.$$

2. Truncate basis matrices:

$$U_\mu := \tilde{U}_\mu(:, 1 : r_\mu) \quad \text{for } \mu = 1, 2, 3.$$

3. Form core tensor:

$$\text{vec}(\mathcal{C}) := (U_3^T \otimes U_2^T \otimes U_1^T) \cdot \text{vec}(\mathcal{X}).$$

Truncated tensor produced by HOSVD [Lathauwer/De Moor/Vandewalle'2000]:

$$\text{vec}(\tilde{\mathcal{X}}) := (U_3 \otimes U_2 \otimes U_1) \cdot \text{vec}(\mathcal{C}).$$



Higher-order SVD (HOSVD)

Tensor $\tilde{\mathcal{X}}$ resulting from HOSVD satisfies quasi-optimality condition

$$\|\mathcal{X} - \tilde{\mathcal{X}}\| \leq \sqrt{d} \|\mathcal{X} - \mathcal{X}_{\text{best}}\|,$$

where $\mathcal{X}_{\text{best}}$ is best approximation of \mathcal{X} with multilinear ranks (r_1, \dots, r_d) .

ALGORITHM 2: Higher-Order Singular Value Decomposition (HOSVD)

Input: N -mode tensor $\mathcal{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{I_1 \times \dots \times I_N}$ and ranks R_1, \dots, R_N .

Output: Tucker factors $\mathbf{U}_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{I_1 \times R_1}, \dots, \mathbf{U}_N \in \mathbb{R}^{I_N \times R_N}$ and core tensor $\mathcal{G} \in \mathbb{R}^{R_1 \times \dots \times R_N}$

- 1: **for** $n = 1 \dots N$ **do**
- 2: $[\mathbf{U}, \Sigma, \mathbf{V}] \leftarrow \text{SVD}(\mathbf{X}_{(n)})$
- 3: $\mathbf{U}_n \leftarrow \mathbf{U}(:, 1 : R_n)$, i.e., set \mathbf{U}_n equal to the R_n left singular vectors of $\mathbf{X}_{(n)}$
- 4: **end for**
- 5: $\mathcal{G} \leftarrow \mathcal{X} \times_N \mathbf{U}_N^T \times_{N-1} \mathbf{U}_{N-1}^T \cdots \times_1 \mathbf{U}_1^T$



Take home messages

- CP
 - + Exploratory model
 - + Unique (under mild conditions)
 - + Easy to interpret
- Hard to determine appropriate rank
- Global minimum
- Extract latent factors for interpretation
- Exploratory clustering

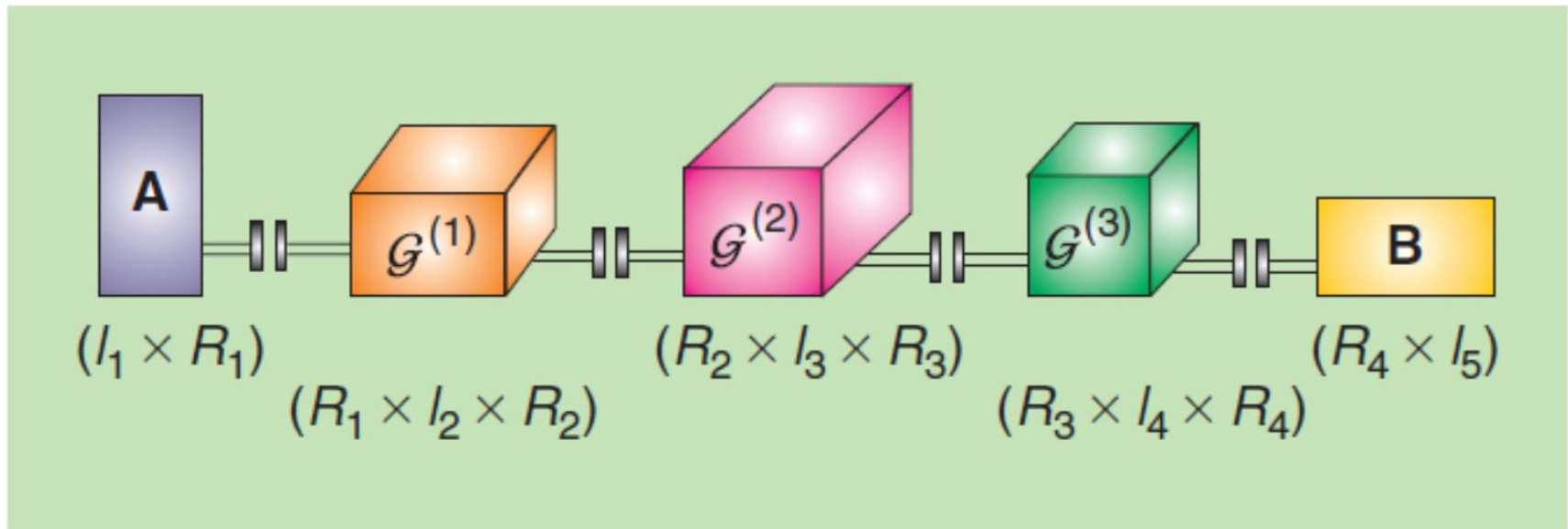


Take home messages

- TUCKER
 - + Non-trilinear interactions
 - + Optimal tensor compression
 - Non-unique
 - Hard to interpret
- Tensor compression



Tensor Trains

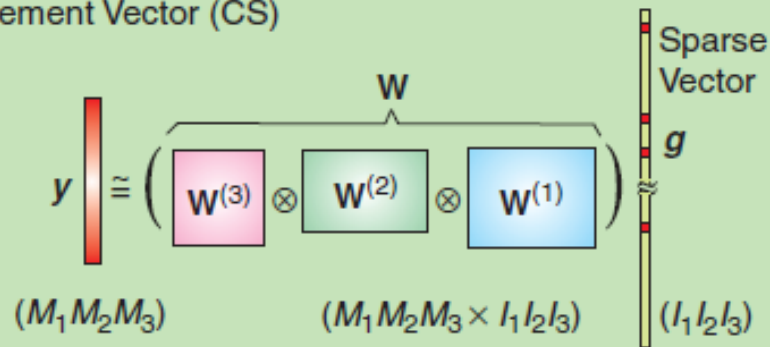


[FIG9] The TT decomposition of a fifth-order tensor $\mathcal{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{l_1 \times l_2 \times \dots \times l_5}$, consisting of two matrix carriages and three third-order tensor carriages. The five carriages are connected through tensor contractions, which can be expressed in a scalar form as $X_{i_1, i_2, i_3, i_4, i_5} = \sum_{r_1=1}^{R_1} \sum_{r_2=1}^{R_2} \dots \sum_{r_5=1}^{R_5} a_{i_1, r_1} g_{r_1, i_2, r_2}^{(1)} g_{r_2, i_3, r_3}^{(2)} g_{r_3, i_4, r_4}^{(3)} b_{r_4, i_5}$.

Higher-order CS with Tensors

Sparse Vector Representation (Kronecker-CS)

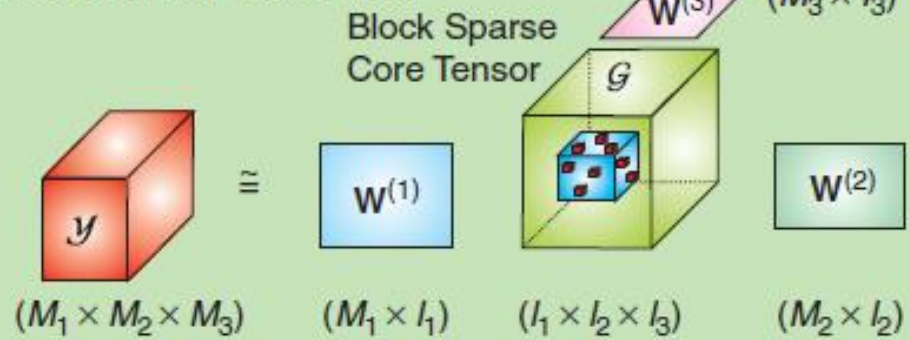
Measurement Vector (CS)



(a) Vector Representation

Block Sparse Tucker Representation

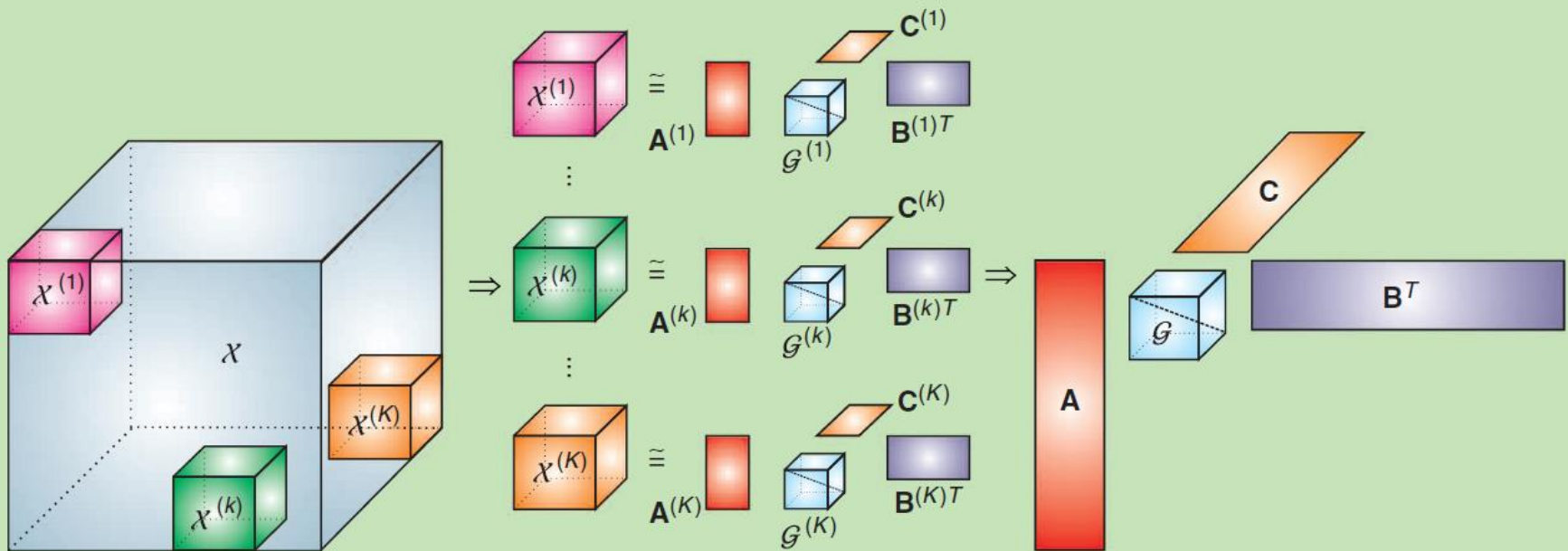
Measurement Tensor (CS)



(b) Tensor Representation

$$\mathcal{Y} \cong \mathcal{G} \times_1 \mathbf{W}^{(1)} \times_2 \mathbf{W}^{(2)} \dots \times_N \mathbf{W}^{(N)}, \quad \text{with } \|\mathcal{G}\|_0 \leq K,$$

Parallel decomposition



Sparse Non-Negative Tensor Factorization

$$\min_{U, V, W} \|X - U \otimes V \otimes W\|_F + \lambda_U \|U\|_1 + \lambda_V \|V\|_1 + \lambda_W \|W\|_1$$

Sparse encoding

Non-negativity:

$$U \geq 0$$

$$V \geq 0$$

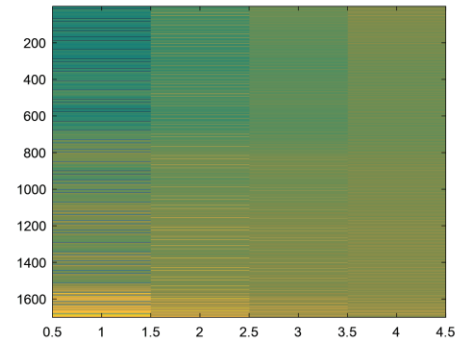
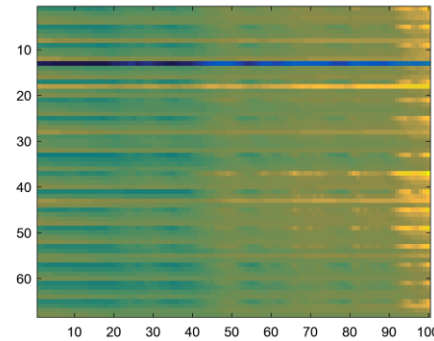
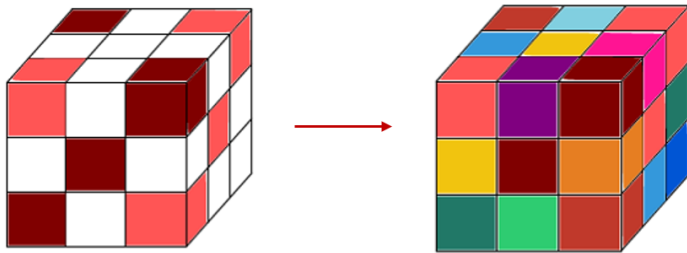
$$W \geq 0$$

More interpretable results



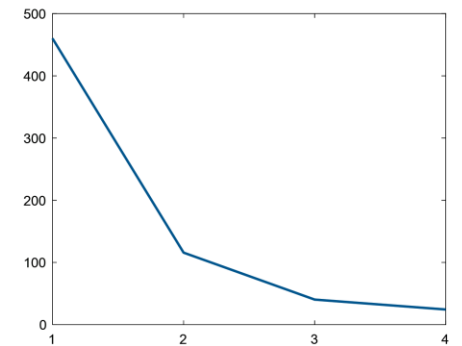
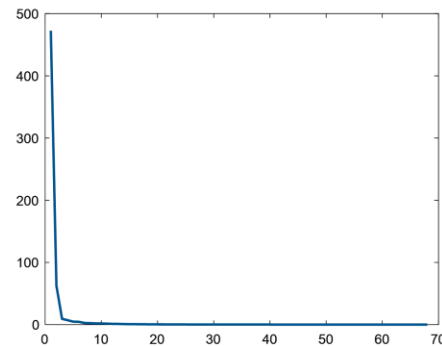
Tensor Completion

- Low rank Tensor/Matrices



$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{minimize} & \text{rank}_*(\mathcal{X}) \\ \mathcal{X} & \\ \text{subject to} & \mathcal{X}_\Omega = \mathcal{T}_\Omega, \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{minimize} & \text{rank}_*(\mathcal{X}) \\ \mathcal{X} & \\ \text{subject to} & \mathcal{X}_\Omega = \mathcal{T}_\Omega + \mathcal{E}_\Omega, \end{array}$$



Low-rank Tensor completion

- CP based approach

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\mathcal{X}}{\text{minimize}} && \mathcal{D}(\mathcal{T}_\Omega, \mathcal{X}_\Omega) \\ & \text{subject to} && \text{rank}_{\text{CP}}(\mathcal{X}) = r, \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{D}(\mathcal{T}_\Omega, \mathcal{X}_\Omega) = \|\mathcal{X}_\Omega - \mathcal{T}_\Omega\|_F$$

- N-rank approach

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\mathcal{X}}{\text{minimize}} && f(\text{rank}_{\text{tc}}(\mathcal{X})) \\ & \text{subject to} && \mathcal{X}_\Omega = \mathcal{T}_\Omega, \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{rank}_{\text{tc}}(\mathcal{X}) = (\text{rank}(X_{(1)}), \dots, \text{rank}(X_{(N)})).$$

$$f(\text{rank}_{\text{tc}}(\mathcal{X})) = \sum_{i=1}^N \text{rank}(X_{(i)}).$$



Decomposition based approaches

PARAFAC/TUCKER

• Assume $\mathbf{X} = \mathcal{P}_{\Omega}(\mathcal{T}) + \mathcal{P}_{\Omega^c}(\hat{\mathbf{X}}) = \mathcal{W} * \mathcal{T} + (1 - \mathcal{W}) * \hat{\mathbf{X}},$

$$\mathcal{W}(i_1, i_2, \dots, i_N) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \mathcal{T}(i_1, i_2, \dots, i_N) \text{ is observed.} \\ 0 & \text{if } \mathcal{T}(i_1, i_2, \dots, i_N) \text{ is unobserved.} \end{cases}$$



Tensor Completion via Parallel Matrix Factorization

- Generalization of MC problem:

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\mathcal{X}}{\text{minimize}} \quad \|\mathcal{X}\|_* \\ & \text{subject to} \quad \mathcal{A}(\mathcal{X}_{i_1 i_2 i_3}) = \mathcal{A}(\mathcal{J}_{i_1 i_2 i_3}), \quad \forall (i_1 i_2 i_3) \in \Omega \end{aligned}$$

- Sampling operator: $\mathcal{A}(\mathcal{J}) = \begin{cases} \tau_{i_1 i_2 i_3}, & \text{if } (i_1 i_2 i_3) \in \Omega \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

- Tensor Nuclear Norm Definition [1]: $\|\mathcal{X}\|_* = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i \|\mathbf{X}_{(i)}\|_*$

$$\alpha_i \geq 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i = 1$$

- Problem reformulation:**

$$\begin{aligned} & \underset{\mathcal{X}}{\text{minimize}} \quad \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i \|\mathbf{X}_{(i)}\|_* \\ & \text{subject to} \quad \mathcal{A}(\mathcal{X}_{i_1 i_2 i_3}) = \mathcal{A}(\mathcal{J}_{i_1 i_2 i_3}), \quad \forall (i_1 i_2 i_3) \in \Omega \end{aligned}$$



Tensor Completion via Parallel Matrix Factorization

1.2. **Problem formulation.** We aim at recovering an (approximately) low-rank tensor $\mathcal{M} \in \mathbb{R}^{I_1 \times \dots \times I_N}$ from partial observations $\mathcal{B} = \mathcal{P}_\Omega(\mathcal{M})$, where Ω is the index set of observed entries, and \mathcal{P}_Ω keeps the entries in Ω and zeros out others. We apply low-rank matrix factorization to each mode unfolding of \mathcal{M} by finding matrices $\mathbf{X}_n \in \mathbb{R}^{I_n \times r_n}$, $\mathbf{Y}_n \in \mathbb{R}^{r_n \times \prod_{j \neq n} I_j}$ such that $\mathbf{M}_{(n)} \approx \mathbf{X}_n \mathbf{Y}_n$ for $n = 1, \dots, N$, where r_n is the estimated rank, either fixed or adaptively updated. Introducing one common variable \mathcal{Z} to relate these matrix factorizations, we solve the following model to recover \mathcal{M}

$$(2) \quad \min_{\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Y}, \mathcal{Z}} \sum_{n=1}^N \frac{\alpha_n}{2} \|\mathbf{X}_n \mathbf{Y}_n - \mathbf{Z}_{(n)}\|_F^2, \text{ subject to } \mathcal{P}_\Omega(\mathcal{Z}) = \mathcal{B},$$

where $\mathbf{X} = (\mathbf{X}_1, \dots, \mathbf{X}_N)$ and $\mathbf{Y} = (\mathbf{Y}_1, \dots, \mathbf{Y}_N)$. In the model, α_n , $n = 1, \dots, N$, are weights and satisfy $\sum_n \alpha_n = 1$. The constraint $\mathcal{P}_\Omega(\mathcal{Z}) = \mathcal{B}$ enforces consis-



TC via Parallel Matrix Factorization

- Similar to the matrix case $\min_{\mathcal{Z}} \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n \|\mathbf{Z}_{(n)}\|_{\bullet},$ subject to $\mathcal{P}_{\Omega}(\mathcal{Z}) = \mathcal{B},$
where $\alpha_n \geq 0, n = 1, \dots, N$ are preselected weights
satisfying $\sum_n \alpha_n = 1.$

- Tensor nuclear norm

$$\|\mathbf{X}\|_* = \max_{\|\mathbf{W}\|=1} \langle \mathbf{W}, \mathbf{X} \rangle$$

- Nuclear norm minimization

$$\min_{\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{d_1 \times d_2 \times d_3}} \|\mathbf{X}\|_* \quad \text{subject to } \mathcal{P}_{\Omega} \mathbf{X} = \mathcal{P}_{\Omega} \mathbf{T},$$

where $\mathcal{P}_{\Omega} : \mathbb{R}^{d_1 \times d_2 \times d_3} \mapsto \mathbb{R}^{d_1 \times d_2 \times d_3}$ such that

$$(\mathcal{P}_{\Omega} \mathbf{X})(i, j, k) = \begin{cases} \mathbf{X}(i, j, k) & \text{if } (i, j, k) \in \Omega \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



Tensor Signal Analysis for WSN Data

Experimental data collected from a WSN operating at a pilot desalination plant, located at La Tordera, Spain [1]



- Water impedance measurements (Ohms)
 - 5 sensors
 - 10 different channels/sensor
 - 3 day period → Sampling every 1 and 2 hours

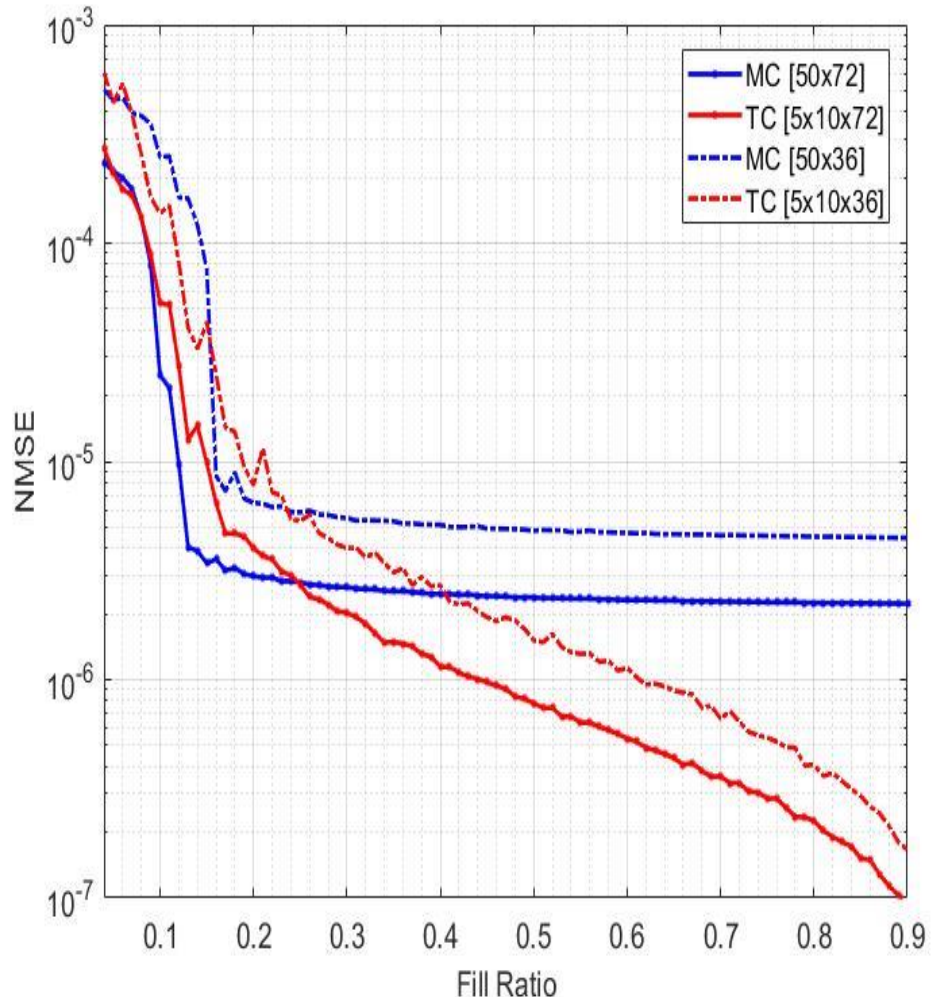


Matrices: 50×72 , 50×36

Tensors: $5 \times 10 \times 72$, $5 \times 10 \times 36$

Effects of Data Structuring

- Higher fill-ratio
 - Better reconstruction quality quantified
- Regardless matrix/tensor size
 - TC outperforms MC from low fill-ratio regimes
- NMSE convergence
 - MC reaches a plateau
 - TC decreases (nearly) monotonically



WSN Outdoors Dataset

Experimental data collected from a WSN operating at a Grand-St-Bernard pass between Switzerland and Italy



- Temperature measurements
 - 19 sensors
 - 10 day period
 - Sampling every 5 and 10 minutes

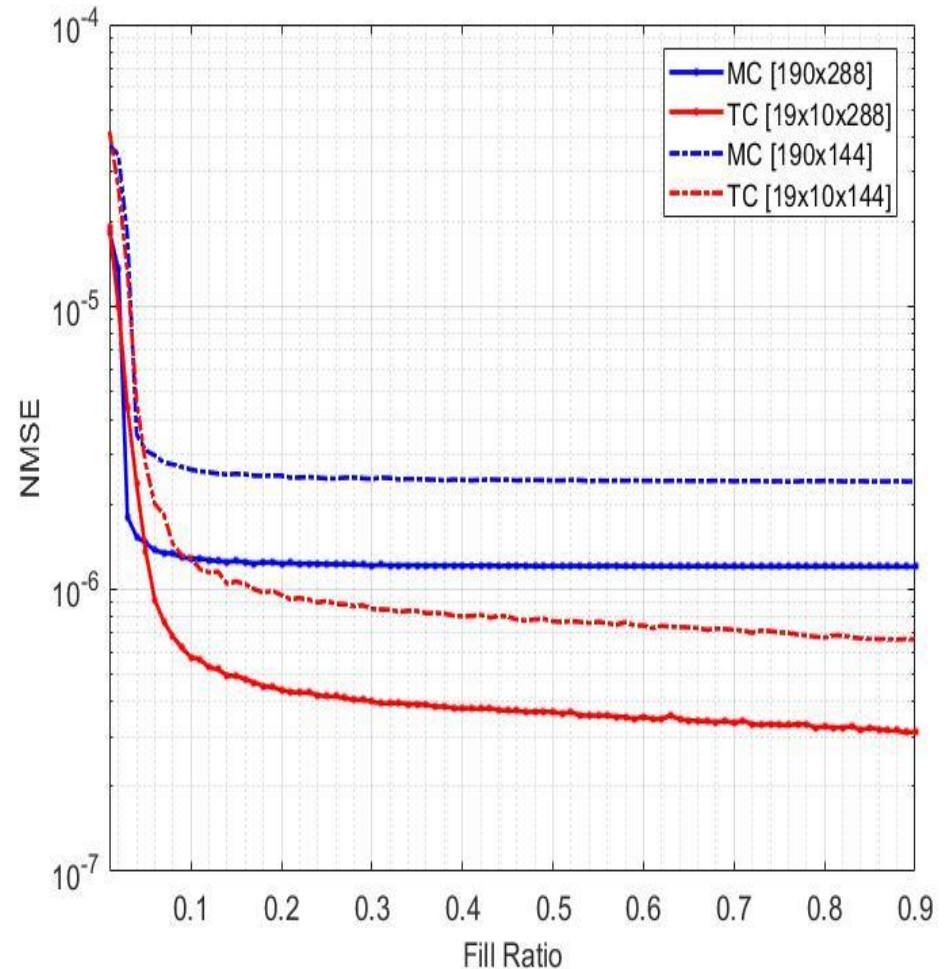


Matrices: 190×288 , 190×144

Tensors: $19 \times 10 \times 288$, $19 \times 10 \times 144$

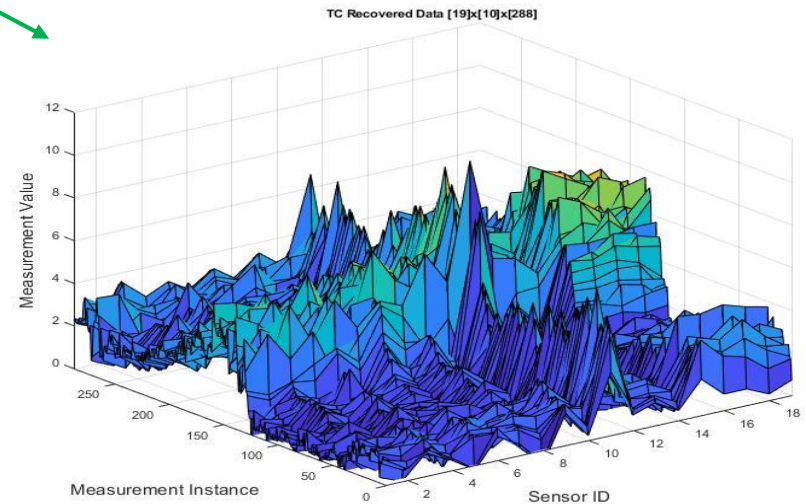
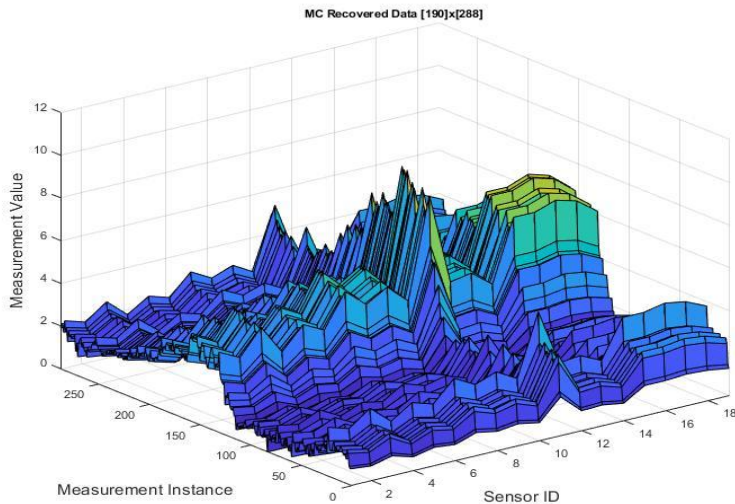
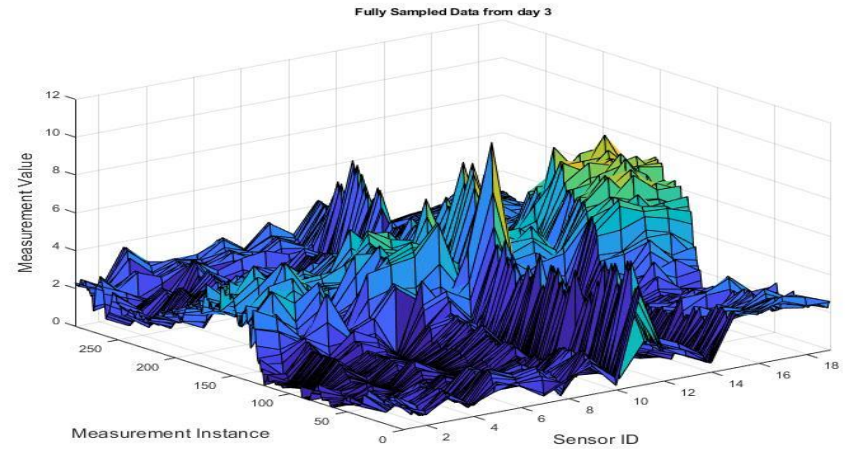
Effects of Data Structuring

- Higher fill-ratio
 - Better reconstruction quality quantified
- Larger Dataset
 - TC outperforms MC from lower fill-ratio regimes
- NMSE convergence
 - MC reaches a plateau
 - TC keeps decreasing



Effects of Fill-Ratio

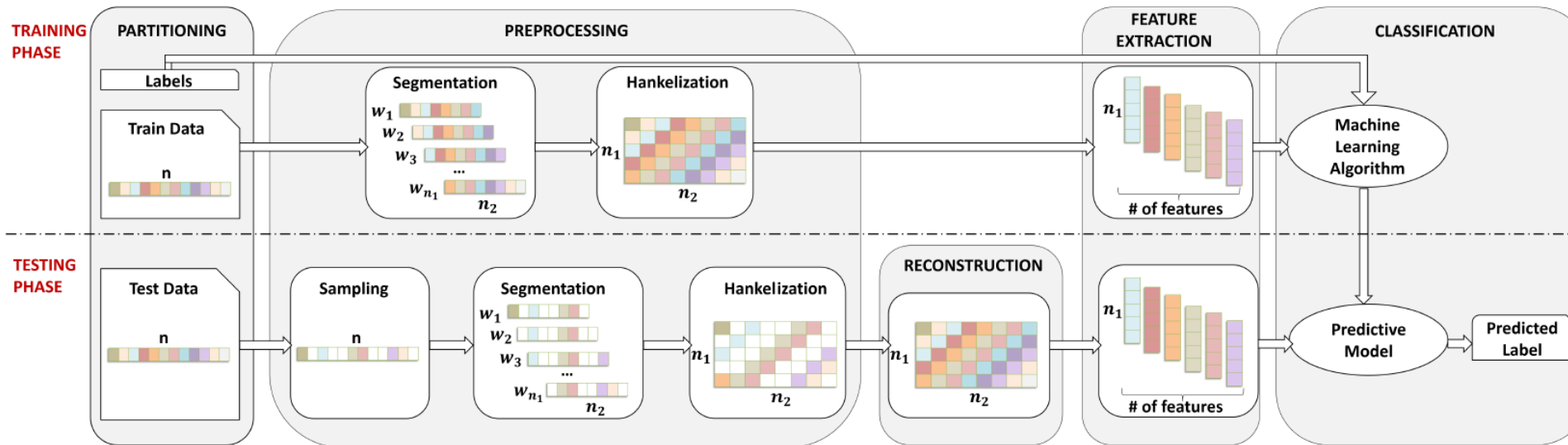
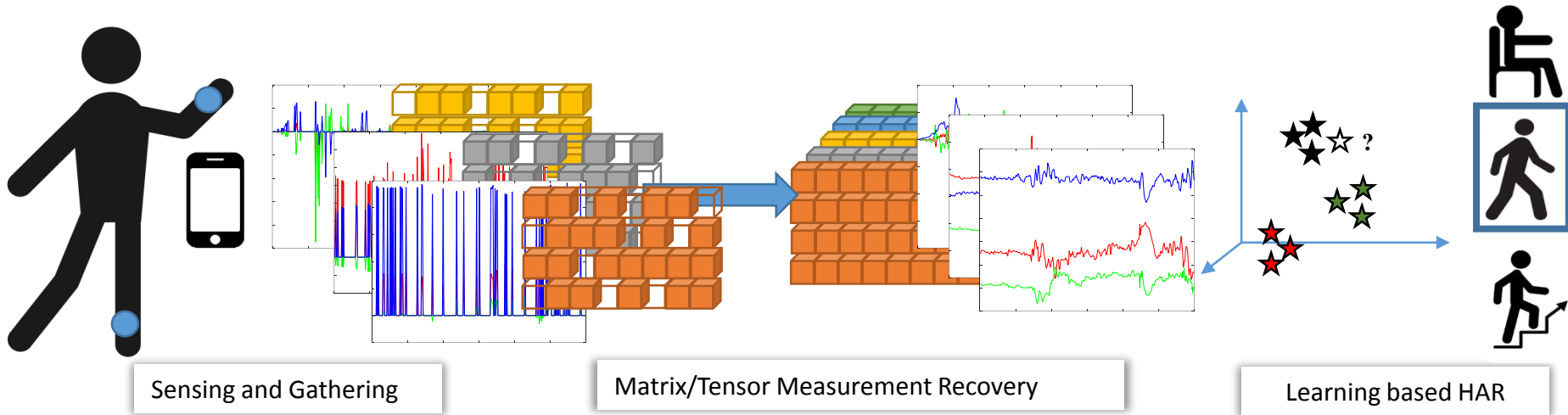
- Data sampled from single day
 - GT data
 - MC reconstructed data
 - TC reconstructed data
- $f = 0.2$



WSNs for Human Activity Recognition

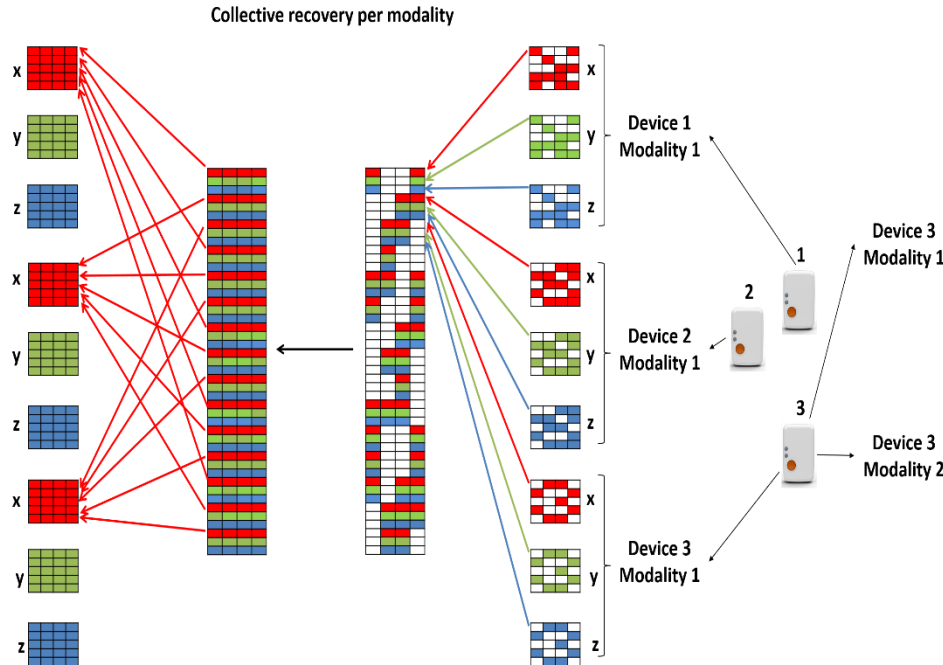


Problem formulation

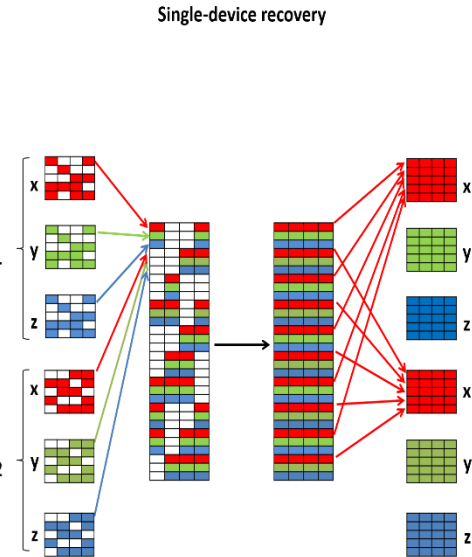


Single-device vs collective recovery: matrices

Scenario 2 Collective per modality



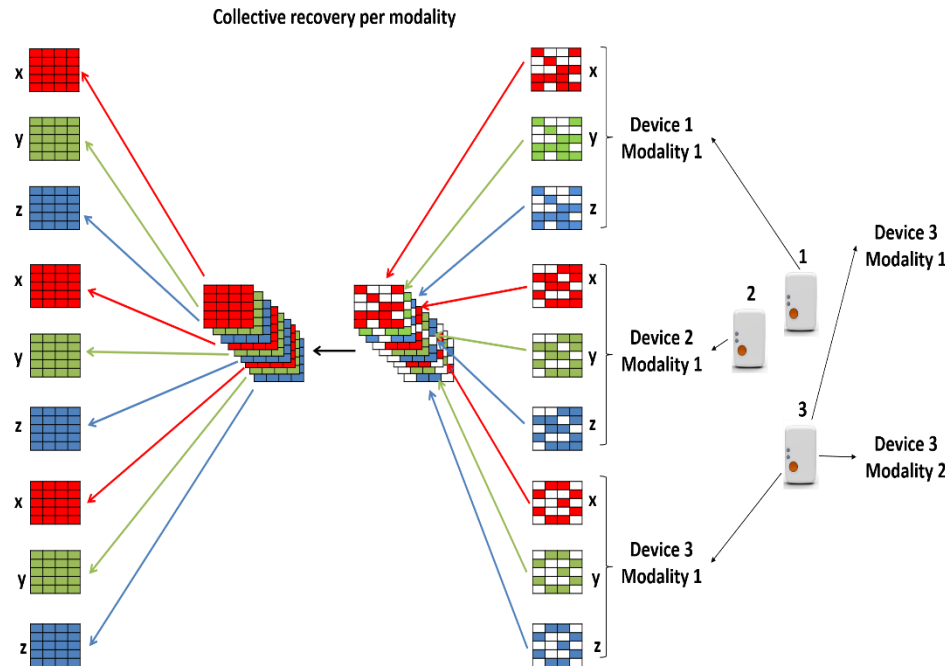
Scenario 1 Single-device



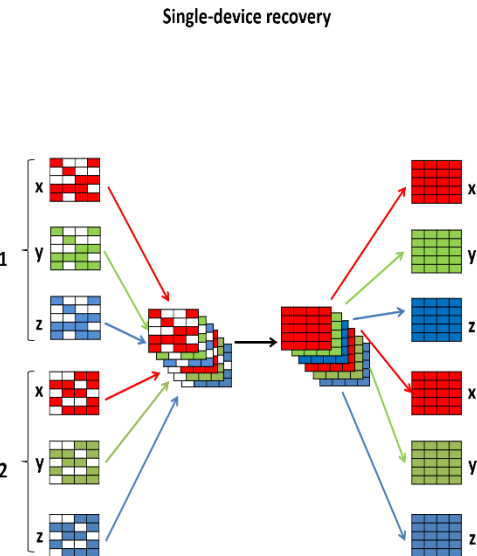
Scenario 3: Overall collective recovery structured similarly

Single-device vs collective recovery: tensors

Scenario 2 Collective per modality



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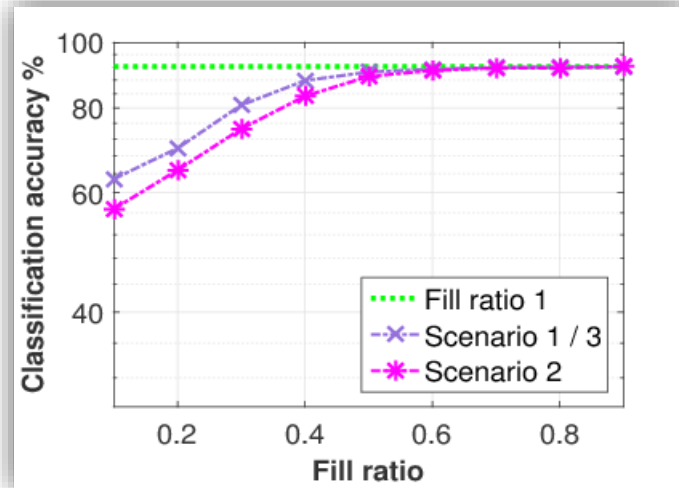


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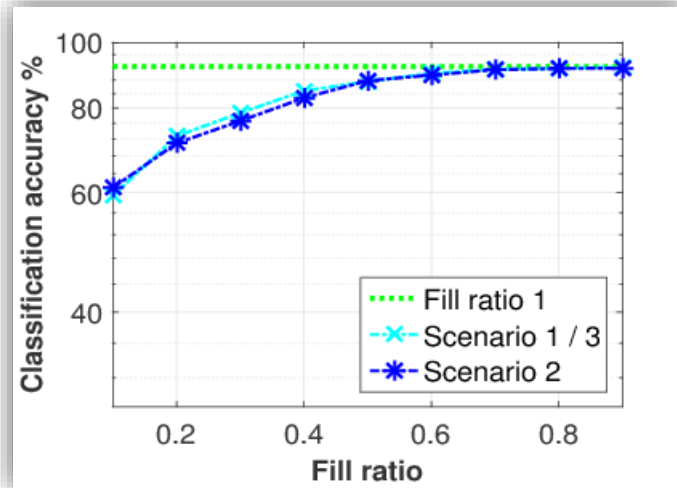
Some results

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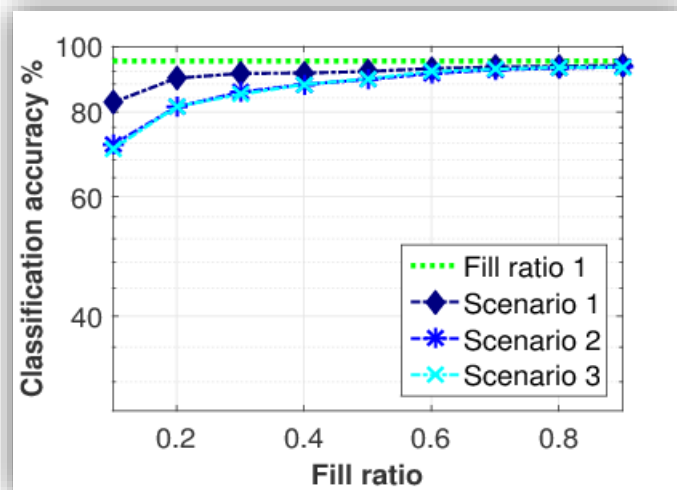
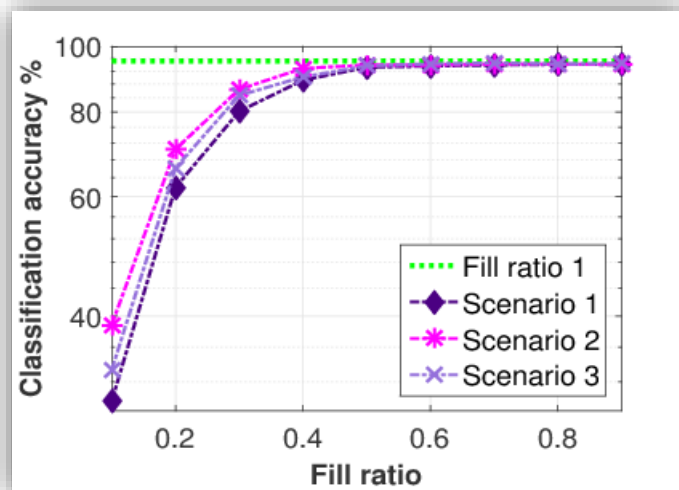
Matrix Completion



Tensor Completion



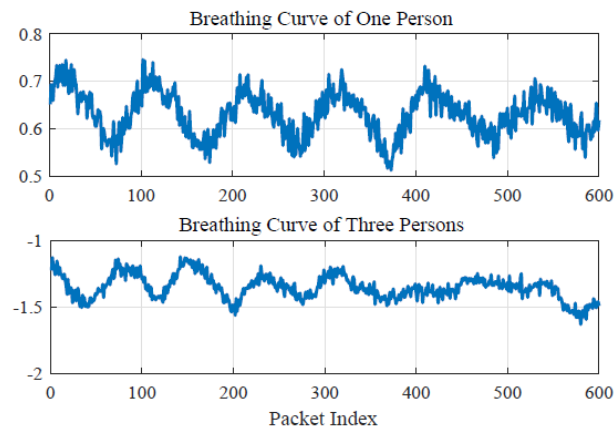
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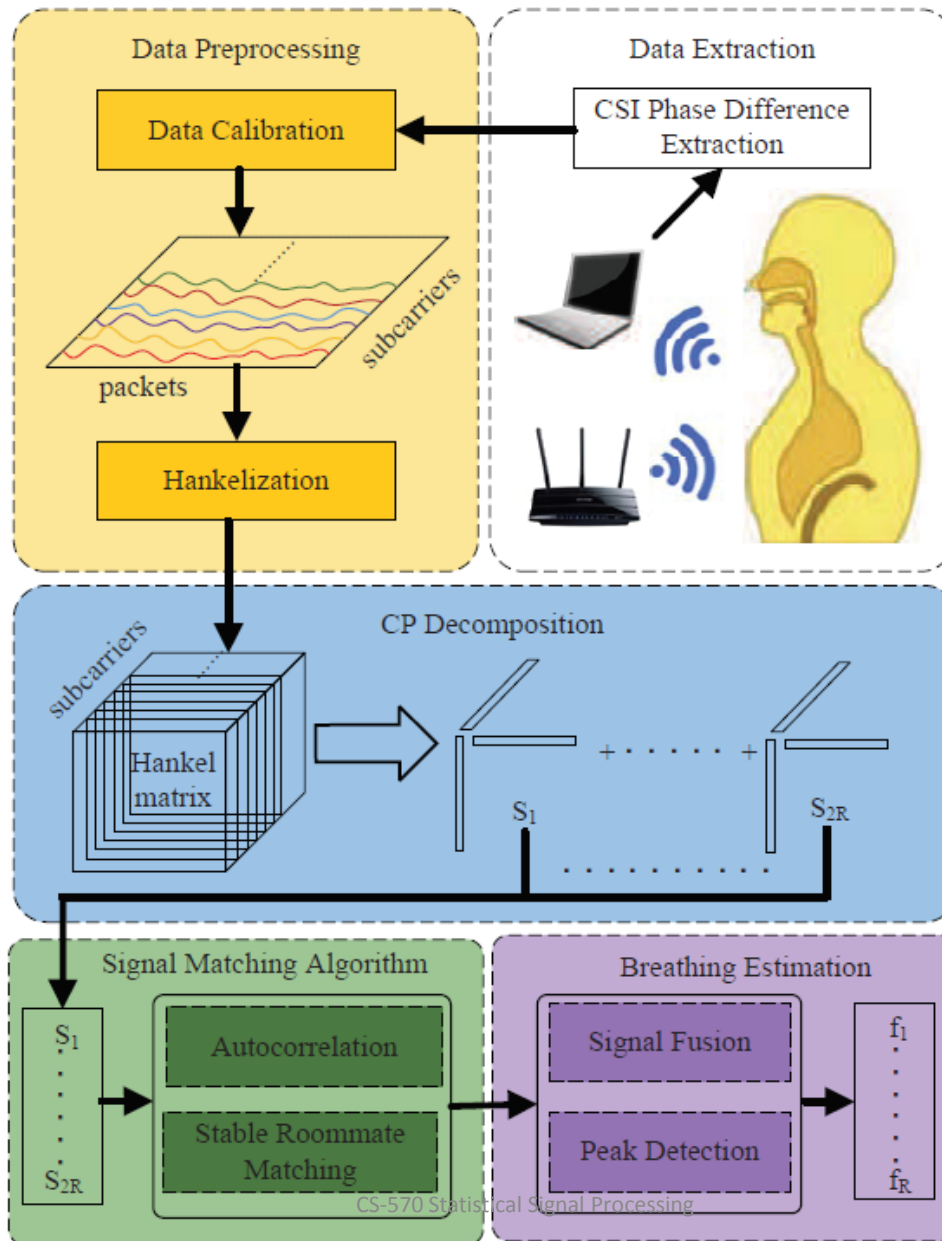
TensorBeat

Tensor Decomposition for Monitoring Multi-Person Breathing Beats with Commodity WiFi

- channel state information (CSI) phase difference
- CP decomposition of a two dimensional Hankel matrix with phase difference data from back-to-back received packets extracted from each subcarrier at each antenna
- leveraging the phase differences from the 60 subcarriers, i.e., that between antennas 1 and 2, and between antennas 2 and 3, we can construct the third dimension of the CSI tensor data.

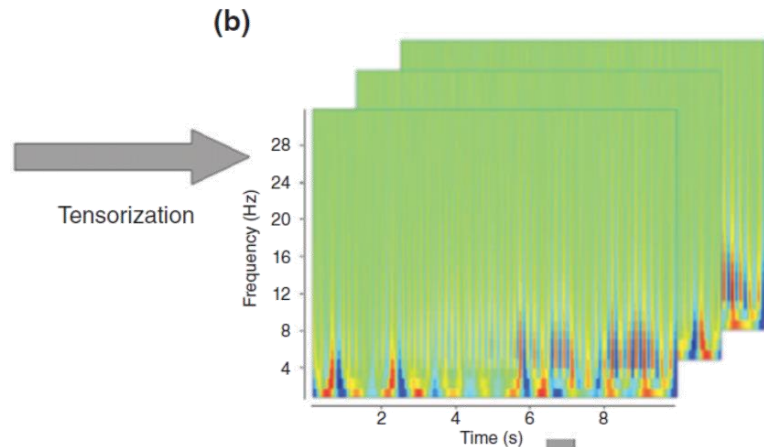
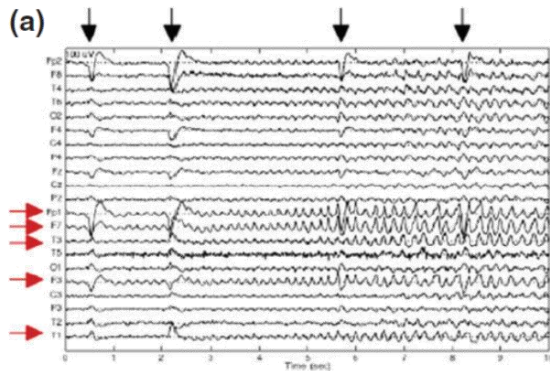


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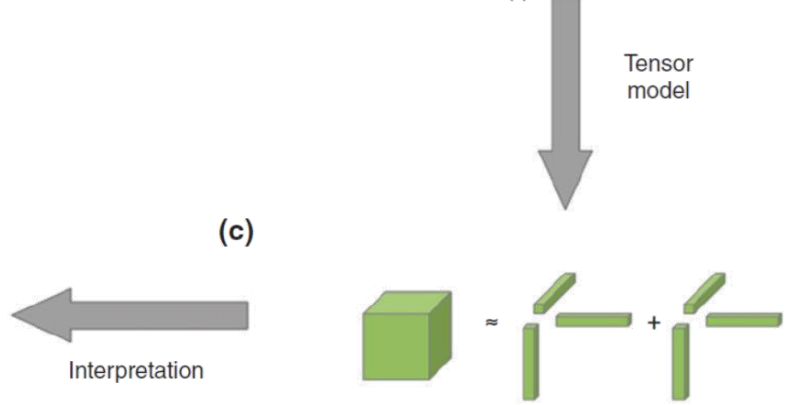
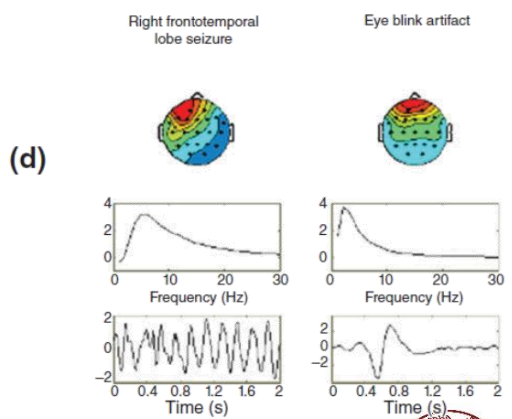


Analysis of EEG and f-MRI

- Tensor decompositions and data fusion in epileptic EEG and functional magnetic resonance imaging data



*channels ×
time samples ×
measurements
× patients*



Impact of structuring

