

# **From moments to sparse representations, a geometric, algebraic and algorithmic viewpoint**

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## Sparse representation problems

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# Sparse representation of sequences

Given a sequence of values

$$\sigma_0, \sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_s \in \mathbb{C},$$

find/guess the values of  $\sigma_n$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

☞ Find  $r \in \mathbb{N}, \omega_i, \xi_i \in \mathbb{C}$  such that  $\sigma_n = \sum_1^r \omega_i \xi_i^n$ , for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

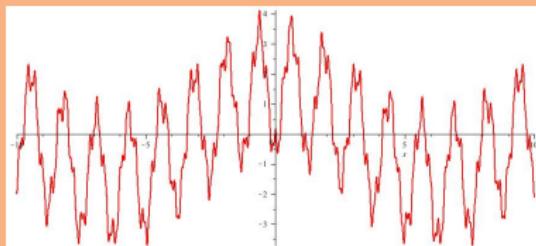
**Example:** 0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, ....

**Solution:**

- ▶ Find a recurrence relation valid for the first terms:  $\sigma_{k+2} - \sigma_{k+1} - \sigma_k = 0$ .
- ▶ Find the roots  $\xi_1 = \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}$ ,  $\xi_2 = \frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}$  (golden numbers) of the characteristic polynomial:  $x^2 - x - 1 = 0$ .
- ▶ Deduce  $\sigma_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left( \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n - \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left( \frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n$ .

# Sparse representation of signals

Given a function or signal  $f(t)$ :



decompose it as

$$f(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{r'} (a_i \cos(\mu_i t) + b_i \sin(\mu_i t)) e^{\nu_i t} = \sum_{i=1}^r \omega_i e^{\zeta_i t}$$



# Prony's method (1795)

For the signal  $f(t) = \sum_{i=1}^r \omega_i e^{\zeta_i t}$ , ( $\omega_i, \zeta_i \in \mathbb{C}$ ),

- Evaluate  $f$  at  $2r$  regularly spaced points:  $\sigma_0 := f(0), \sigma_1 := f(1), \dots$
- Compute a non-zero element  $\mathbf{p} = [\mathbf{p}_0, \dots, \mathbf{p}_r]$  in the kernel:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma_0 & \sigma_1 & \dots & \sigma_r \\ \sigma_1 & & & \sigma_{r+1} \\ \vdots & & & \vdots \\ \sigma_{r-1} & \dots & \sigma_{2r-1} & \sigma_{2r-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} p_0 \\ p_1 \\ \vdots \\ p_r \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

- Compute the roots  $\xi_1 = e^{\zeta_1}, \dots, \xi_r = e^{\zeta_r}$  of  $p(x) := \sum_{i=0}^r p_i x^i$ .
- Solve the system

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \dots & \dots & 1 \\ \xi_1 & & & \xi_r \\ \vdots & & & \vdots \\ \xi_1^{r-1} & \dots & \dots & \xi_r^{r-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 \\ \vdots \\ \omega_r \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_0 \\ \sigma_1 \\ \vdots \\ \sigma_{r-1} \end{bmatrix}.$$

# Symmetric tensor decomposition and Waring problem (1770)



## Symmetric tensor decomposition problem:

Given a homogeneous polynomial  $\psi$  of degree  $d$  in the variables  $\bar{\mathbf{x}} = (x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n)$  with coefficients  $\in \mathbb{K}$ :

$$\psi(\bar{\mathbf{x}}) = \sum_{|\alpha|=d} \sigma_\alpha \binom{d}{\alpha} \bar{\mathbf{x}}^\alpha,$$

find a minimal decomposition of  $\psi$  of the form

$$\psi(\bar{\mathbf{x}}) = \sum_{i=1}^r \omega_i (\xi_{i,0} x_0 + \xi_{i,1} x_1 + \cdots + \xi_{i,n} x_n)^d$$

with  $\xi_i = (\xi_{i,0}, \xi_{i,1}, \dots, \xi_{i,n}) \in \overline{\mathbb{K}}^{n+1}$  spanning distinct lines,  $\omega_i \in \overline{\mathbb{K}}$ .

The minimal  $r$  in such a decomposition is called the **rank** of  $\psi$ .

# Sylvester approach (1851)



## Theorem

The binary form  $\psi(x_0, x_1) = \sum_{i=0}^d \sigma_i \binom{d}{i} x_0^{d-i} x_1^i$  can be decomposed as a sum of  $r$  distinct powers of linear forms

$$\psi = \sum_{k=1}^r \omega_k (\alpha_k x_0 + \beta_k x_1)^d$$

iff there exists a polynomial  $p(x_0, x_1) := p_0 x_0^r + p_1 x_0^{r-1} x_1 + \cdots + p_r x_1^r$  s.t.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma_0 & \sigma_1 & \dots & \sigma_r \\ \sigma_1 & & & \sigma_{r+1} \\ \vdots & & & \vdots \\ \sigma_{d-r} & \dots & \sigma_{d-1} & \sigma_d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} p_0 \\ p_1 \\ \vdots \\ p_r \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

and of the form  $p = c \prod_{k=1}^r (\beta_k x_0 - \alpha_k x_1)$  with  $(\alpha_k : \beta_k)$  distinct.

# Sparse interpolation

Given a black-box polynomial function  $f(x)$



find what are the terms inside from output values.

- ☞ Find  $r \in \mathbb{N}, \omega_i \in \mathbb{C}, \alpha_i \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $f(x) = \sum_{i=1}^r \omega_i x^{\alpha_i}$ .

- Choose  $\varphi \in \mathbb{C}$
- Compute the sequence of terms  $\sigma_0 = f(1), \dots, \sigma_{2r-1} = f(\varphi^{2r-1})$ ;
- Construct the matrix  $H = [\sigma_{i+j}]$  and its kernel  $p = [p_0, \dots, p_r]$  s.t.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma_0 & \sigma_1 & \dots & \sigma_r \\ \sigma_1 & & & \sigma_{r+1} \\ \vdots & & & \vdots \\ \sigma_{r-1} & \dots & \sigma_{2r-1} & \sigma_{2r-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} p_0 \\ p_1 \\ \vdots \\ p_r \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

- Compute the roots  $\xi_1 = \varphi^{\alpha_1}, \dots, \xi_r = \varphi^{\alpha_r}$  of  $p(x) := \sum_{i=0}^r p_i x^i$  and deduce the exponents  $\alpha_i = \log_\varphi(\xi_i)$ .
- Deduce the weights  $W = [\omega_i]$  by solving  $V_{\leq} W = [\sigma_0, \dots, \sigma_{r-1}]$  where  $V_{\leq}$  is the Vandermonde system of the roots  $\xi_1, \dots, \xi_r$ .

# Decoding



An algebraic code:

$$E = \{c(f) = [f(\xi_1), \dots, f(\xi_m)] \mid f \in \mathbb{K}[x]; \deg(f) \leq d\}.$$

Encoding messages using the dual code:

$$C = E^\perp = \{\mathbf{c} \mid \mathbf{c} \cdot [f(\xi_1), \dots, f(\xi_m)] = 0 \ \forall f \in V = \langle \mathbf{x}^{\mathbf{a}} \rangle \subset \mathbb{F}[\mathbf{x}]\}$$

**Message received:**  $r = m + e$  for  $m \in C$  where  $e = [\omega_1, \dots, \omega_m]$  is an error with  $\omega_j \neq 0$  for  $j = i_1, \dots, i_r$  and  $\omega_j = 0$  otherwise.

☞ Find the error  $e$ .

## Berlekamp-Massey method (1969)

- Compute the syndrome  $\sigma_k = c(x^k) \cdot r = c(x^k) \cdot e = \sum_{j=1}^r \omega_{ij} \xi_{ij}^k$ .
- Compute the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma_0 & \sigma_1 & \dots & \sigma_r \\ \sigma_1 & & & \sigma_{r+1} \\ \vdots & & & \vdots \\ \sigma_{r-1} & \dots & \sigma_{2r-1} & \sigma_{2r-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} p_0 \\ p_1 \\ \vdots \\ p_r \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

and its kernel  $p = [p_0, \dots, p_r]$ .

- Compute the roots of the error locator polynomial  
 $p(x) = \sum_{i=0}^r p_i x^i = p_r \prod_{j=1}^r (x - \xi_{ij})$ .
- Deduce the errors  $\omega_{ij}$ .

# Simultaneous decomposition

## Simultaneous decomposition problem

Given symmetric tensors  $\psi_1, \dots, \psi_m$  of order  $d_1, \dots, d_m$ , find a simultaneous decomposition of the form

$$\psi_I = \sum_{i=1}^r \omega_{I,i} (\xi_{i,0}x_0 + \xi_{i,1}x_1 + \cdots + \xi_{i,n}x_n)^{d_i}$$

where  $\xi_i = (\xi_{i,0}, \dots, \xi_{i,n})$  span distinct lines in  $\overline{\mathbb{K}}^{n+1}$  and  $\omega_{I,i} \in \overline{\mathbb{K}}$  for  $I = 1, \dots, m$ .

## Proposition (One dimensional decomposition)

Let  $\psi_I = \sum_{i=0}^{d_I} \sigma_{1,i} \binom{d_I}{i} x_0^{d_I-i} x_1^i \in \mathbb{K}[x_0, x_1]_{d_I}$  for  $I = 1, \dots, m$ .

If there exists a polynomial  $p(x_0, x_1) := p_0 x_0^r + p_1 x_0^{r-1} x_1 + \dots + p_r x_1^r$  s.t.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc} \sigma_{1,0} & \sigma_{1,1} & \dots & \sigma_{1,r} \\ \sigma_{1,1} & & & \sigma_{1,r+1} \\ \vdots & & & \vdots \\ \sigma_{1,d_1-r} & \dots & \sigma_{1,d_1-1} & \sigma_{1,d_1} \\ \hline \vdots & & & \vdots \\ \hline \sigma_{m,0} & \sigma_{m,1} & \dots & \sigma_{m,r} \\ \sigma_{m,1} & & & \sigma_{r+1} \\ \vdots & & & \vdots \\ \sigma_{m,d_m-r} & \dots & \sigma_{m,d_m-1} & \sigma_{m,d_m} \end{array} \right] \begin{bmatrix} p_0 \\ p_1 \\ \vdots \\ p_r \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

of the form  $p = c \prod_{k=1}^r (\beta_k x_0 - \alpha_k x_1)$  with  $[\alpha_k : \beta_k]$  distinct, then

$$\psi_I = \sum \omega_{i,I} (\alpha_I x_0 + \beta_I x_1)^{d_I}$$

for  $\omega_{i,I} \in \overline{\mathbb{K}}$  and  $I = 1, \dots, m$ .

## Duality

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## Dual of polynomial rings

For  $R = \mathbb{K}[\mathbf{x}] = \mathbb{K}[x_1, \dots, x_n] = \{p = \sum_{\alpha \in A} p_\alpha \mathbf{x}^\alpha, p_\alpha \in \mathbb{K}\}$ ,

$$\mathbb{K}[\mathbf{x}]^* = \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{K}}(\mathbb{K}[\mathbf{x}], \mathbb{K})$$

The element  $\sigma \in R^* : p \in R \mapsto \langle \sigma | p \rangle \in \mathbb{K}$  is a **linear functional** on  $R$ .

The coefficients  $\langle \sigma | \mathbf{x}^\alpha \rangle = \sigma_\alpha \in \mathbb{K}$ ,  $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n$  are the **moments** of  $\sigma$ .

### Examples:

- $p \mapsto$  coefficient of  $\mathbf{x}^\alpha$  in  $p$
- $\epsilon_\zeta : p \mapsto p(\zeta)$  for  $\zeta = (\zeta_1, \dots, \zeta_n) \in \mathbb{K}^n$ .
- For  $\mathbb{K} = \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  compact,  $\int_\Omega : p \mapsto \int_\Omega p(\mathbf{x}) d\mathbf{x}$

### Structure of $\mathbb{K}[\mathbf{x}]$ -module:

$$p \star \sigma \in R^* : q \mapsto \langle \sigma | p q \rangle.$$

**Example:** For  $p, q \in R$ ,  $p \star \epsilon_\zeta : q \mapsto \langle \epsilon_\zeta | p q \rangle = p(\zeta) \langle \epsilon_\zeta | q \rangle \Rightarrow p \star \epsilon_\zeta = p(\zeta) \epsilon_\zeta$

**Property:** For  $p, q \in R$ ,  $\sigma \in R^*$ ,  $p \star (q \star \sigma) = p q \star \sigma = q \star (p \star \sigma)$ .

## Linear functionals as sequences

**Correspondence:**  $\sigma \in \mathbb{K}[x]^* \equiv (\sigma_\alpha)_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n} \in \mathbb{K}^{\mathbb{N}^n}$  sequence indexed by  $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n) \in \mathbb{N}^n$  with  $\sigma_\alpha = \langle \sigma | x^\alpha \rangle$ .

$$\sigma : p = \sum_{\alpha} p_{\alpha} x^{\alpha} \in R \mapsto \langle \sigma | p \rangle = \sum_{\alpha} \sigma_{\alpha} p_{\alpha} \in \mathbb{K}$$

**Example:**  $\epsilon_\zeta \equiv (\zeta^\alpha)_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n}$  where  $\zeta^\alpha = \zeta_1^{\alpha_1} \cdots \zeta_n^{\alpha_n}$ .

**Structure of  $\mathbb{K}[x]$ -module:**

For  $p = \sum_{\alpha \in A} p_{\alpha} x^{\alpha} \in R$ ,  $\sigma \equiv (\sigma_\alpha)_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n} \in \mathbb{K}^{\mathbb{N}^n}$ ,  $\beta \in \mathbb{N}^n$

$$(p \star \sigma)_\beta = \sum_{\alpha \in A} p_{\alpha} \sigma_{\alpha+\beta}$$

(correlation sequence).

# Linear functionals as series

**Correspondence:**  $\sigma \in \mathbb{K}[\mathbf{x}]^* \equiv$

$$\sigma(\mathbf{y}) = \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n} \sigma_\alpha \frac{\mathbf{y}^\alpha}{\alpha!} \in \mathbb{K}[[y_1, \dots, y_n]] \quad \sigma(\mathbf{z}) = \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n} \sigma_\alpha \mathbf{z}^\alpha \in \mathbb{K}[[z_1, \dots, z_n]]$$

with  $\sigma_\alpha = \langle \sigma | \mathbf{x}^\alpha \rangle$ ,  $\alpha! = \prod \alpha_i!$  for  $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n) \in \mathbb{N}^n$ .

**Example:**

$$\epsilon_\zeta(\mathbf{y}) = \sum_{\alpha} \zeta^\alpha \frac{\mathbf{y}^\alpha}{\alpha!} = e^{\zeta \cdot \mathbf{y}} \in \mathbb{K}[[\mathbf{y}]] \quad \epsilon_\zeta(\mathbf{z}) = \sum_{\alpha} \zeta^\alpha \mathbf{z}^\alpha = \frac{1}{\prod_{i=1}^n (1 - \zeta_i z_i)} \in \mathbb{K}[[\mathbf{z}]]$$

- ▶ For  $p = \sum_{\alpha} p_{\alpha} \in R$ ,  $\sigma(\mathbf{y}) = \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n} \sigma_\alpha \frac{\mathbf{y}^\alpha}{\alpha!} \in \mathbb{K}[[\mathbf{y}]]$ ,  $\langle \sigma | p \rangle = \sum_{\alpha} \sigma_\alpha p_{\alpha}$
- ▶ The basis dual to  $(\mathbf{x}^\alpha)$  is  $(\frac{\mathbf{y}^\alpha}{\alpha!})_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n}$  (resp.  $(\mathbf{z}^\alpha)_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n}$ )
- ▶ For  $p \in R$ ,  $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n$ ,  $\langle \mathbf{y}^\alpha | p \rangle = \partial_{\mathbf{x}}^\alpha(p)(0)$ ,  $\langle \mathbf{z}^\alpha | p \rangle = \text{coeff. of } \mathbf{x}^\alpha \text{ in } p$ .

**Structure of  $R$ -module:**

$$\begin{array}{rclcrcl} x_1 \star \sigma(\mathbf{y}) & = & \sum_{\alpha_1 > 0} \sigma_\alpha \frac{\mathbf{y}^{\alpha - e_1}}{(\alpha - e_1)!} & & x_1 \star \sigma(\mathbf{z}) & = & \sum_{\alpha_1 > 0} \sigma_\alpha \mathbf{z}^{\alpha - e_1} \\ & = & \partial_{y_1}(\sigma(\mathbf{y})) & & & = & \pi_+(\mathbf{z}_1^{-1} \sigma(\mathbf{z})) \\ p \star \sigma & = & p(\partial_1, \dots, \partial_n)(\sigma)(\mathbf{y}) & & p \star \sigma & = & \pi_+(p(z_1^{-1}, \dots, z_n^{-1}) \sigma(\mathbf{z})) \end{array} \quad 14$$

## Inverse systems

For  $I$  an ideal in  $R = \mathbb{K}[x]$ ,

$$I^\perp = \{\sigma \in R^* \mid \forall p \in I, \langle \sigma | p \rangle = 0\}.$$

**Dual of quotient algebra:** for  $\mathcal{A} = R/I$ ,  $\mathcal{A}^* \equiv I^\perp$ .

- In  $\mathbb{K}[[y]]$ ,  $I^\perp$  is stable by **derivations** with respect to  $y_i$ .
- In  $\mathbb{K}[[z]]$ ,  $I^\perp$  is stable by “**division**” by variables  $z_i$ .

**Inverse system** generated by  $\omega_1, \dots, \omega_r \in \mathbb{K}[y]$

$$\langle \langle \omega_1, \dots, \omega_r \rangle \rangle = \langle \partial_y^\alpha(\omega_i), \alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n \rangle \quad \text{resp. } \langle \pi_+(\mathbf{z}^{-\alpha} \omega_i(\mathbf{z})) \rangle, \alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n \rangle$$

**Example:**  $I = (x_1^2, x_2^2) \subset \mathbb{K}[x_1, x_2]$

$$I^\perp = \langle 1, y_1, y_2, y_1 y_2 \rangle = \langle \langle y_1 y_2 \rangle \rangle \quad \text{resp. } \langle 1, \mathbf{z}_1, \mathbf{z}_2, \mathbf{z}_1 \mathbf{z}_2 \rangle = \langle \langle \mathbf{z}_1 \mathbf{z}_2 \rangle \rangle$$

## Artinian algebra

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## Structure of an Artinian algebra $\mathcal{A}$

**Definition:**  $\mathcal{A} = \mathbb{K}[x]/I$  is **Artinian** if  $\dim_{\mathbb{K}} \mathcal{A} < \infty$ .

**Hilbert nullstellensatz:**  $\mathcal{A} = \mathbb{K}[x]/I$  Artinian  $\Leftrightarrow \mathcal{V}_{\overline{\mathbb{K}}}(I) = \{\xi_1, \dots, \xi_r\}$  is finite.

Assuming  $\mathbb{K} = \overline{\mathbb{K}}$  is algebraically closed, we have

- $I = Q_1 \cap \cdots \cap Q_r$  where  $Q_i$  is  $m_{\xi_i}$ -primary where  $\mathcal{V}_{\overline{\mathbb{K}}}(I) = \{\xi_1, \dots, \xi_r\}$ .
- $\mathcal{A} = \mathbb{K}[x]/I = \mathcal{A}_1 \oplus \cdots \oplus \mathcal{A}_r$ , with
  - $\mathcal{A}_i = \mathbf{u}_i \mathcal{A} \sim \mathbb{K}[x_1, \dots, x_n]/Q_i$ ,
  - $\mathbf{u}_i^2 = \mathbf{u}_i$ ,  $\mathbf{u}_i \mathbf{u}_j = 0$  if  $i \neq j$ ,  $\mathbf{u}_1 + \cdots + \mathbf{u}_r = 1$ .
- $\dim R/Q_i = \mu_i$  is the multiplicity of  $\xi_i$ .

# Structure of the dual $\mathcal{A}^*$

Sparse series:

$$\mathcal{P}ol\mathcal{E}xp = \left\{ \sigma(\mathbf{y}) = \sum_{i=1}^r \omega_i(\mathbf{y}) \mathfrak{e}_{\xi_i}(\mathbf{y}) \mid \omega_i(\mathbf{y}) \in \mathbb{K}[\mathbf{y}], \right\}$$

where  $\mathfrak{e}_{\xi_i}(\mathbf{y}) = e^{\mathbf{y} \cdot \xi_i} = e^{y_1 \xi_{1,i} + \dots + y_n \xi_{n,i}}$  with  $\xi_{i,j} \in \mathbb{K}$ .

**Inverse system** generated by  $\omega_1, \dots, \omega_r \in \mathbb{K}[\mathbf{y}]$

$$\langle \langle \omega_1, \dots, \omega_r \rangle \rangle = \langle \partial_{\mathbf{y}}^{\alpha}(\omega_i), \alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n \rangle$$

**Theorem**

For  $\mathbb{K} = \overline{\mathbb{K}}$  algebraically closed,

$$\mathcal{A}^* = \bigoplus_{i=1}^r \mathcal{D}_i \mathfrak{e}_{\xi_i}(\mathbf{y}) \subset \mathcal{P}ol\mathcal{E}xp$$

- $\mathcal{V}_{\overline{\mathbb{K}}}(I) = \{\xi_1, \dots, \xi_r\}$
- $\mathcal{D}_i = \langle \langle \omega_{i,1}, \dots, \omega_{i,l_i} \rangle \rangle$  with  $\omega_{i,j} \in \mathbb{K}[\mathbf{y}]$ ,  $Q_i^\perp = \mathcal{D}_i \mathfrak{e}_{\xi_i}$  where  $I = Q_1 \cap \dots \cap Q_r$
- $\mu(\omega_{i,1}, \dots, \omega_{i,l_i}) := \dim_{\mathbb{K}}(\mathcal{D}_i) = \mu_i$  multiplicity of  $\xi_i$ .

# The roots by eigencomputation

Hypothesis:  $\mathcal{V}_{\overline{\mathbb{K}}}(I) = \{\xi_1, \dots, \xi_r\} \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{A} = \mathbb{K}[\mathbf{x}]/I$  Artinian.

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \mathcal{M}_a : \mathcal{A} & \rightarrow & \mathcal{A} \\ u & \mapsto & au \end{array} \qquad \begin{array}{rcl} \mathcal{M}_a^t : \mathcal{A}^* & \rightarrow & \mathcal{A}^* \\ \Lambda & \mapsto & a \star \Lambda = \Lambda \circ \mathcal{M}_a \end{array}$$

## Theorem

- The eigenvalues of  $\mathcal{M}_a$  are  $\{a(\xi_1), \dots, a(\xi_r)\}$ .
- The eigenvectors of all  $(\mathcal{M}_a^t)_{a \in \mathcal{A}}$  are (up to a scalar)  $\mathfrak{e}_{\xi_i} : p \mapsto p(\xi_i)$ .

## Proposition

If the roots are simple, the operators  $\mathcal{M}_a$  are diagonalizable. Their common eigenvectors are, up to a scalar, **interpolation polynomials  $\mathbf{u}_i$**  at the roots and idempotent in  $\mathcal{A}$ .

## Theorem

In a basis of  $\mathcal{A}$ , all the matrices  $M_a$  ( $a \in \mathcal{A}$ ) are of the form

$$M_a = \begin{bmatrix} N_a^1 & & \mathbf{0} \\ & \ddots & \\ \mathbf{0} & & N_a^r \end{bmatrix} \text{ with } N_a^i = \begin{bmatrix} a(\xi_i) & & * \\ & \ddots & \\ \mathbf{0} & & a(\xi_i) \end{bmatrix}$$

## Corollary (Chow form)

$\Delta(\mathbf{u}) = \det(v_0 + v_1 M_{x_1} + \cdots + v_n M_{x_n}) = \prod_{i=1}^r (v_0 + v_1 \xi_{i,1} + \cdots + v_n \xi_{i,n})^{\mu_{\xi_i}}$  where  $\mu_{\xi_i}$  is the multiplicity of  $\xi$ .

## Example

### Roots of polynomial systems

$$\begin{cases} f_1 = x_1^2 x_2 - x_1^2 \\ f_2 = x_1 x_2 - x_2 \end{cases} \quad I = (f_1, f_2) \subset \mathbb{C}[x]$$

$$\mathcal{A} = \mathbb{C}[x]/I \equiv \langle 1, x_1, x_2 \rangle \quad I = (x_1^2 - x_2, x_1 x_2 - x_2, x_2^2 - x_2)$$

$$M_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad M_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{common} \\ \text{eigvecs of} \end{array} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$I = Q_1 \cap Q_2 \quad \text{where} \quad Q_1 = (x_1^2, x_2), \quad Q_2 = \mathbf{m}_{(1,1)} = (x_1 - 1, x_2 - 1)$$

$$I = Q_1^\perp \oplus Q_2^\perp \quad Q_1^\perp = \langle 1, y_1 \rangle = \langle 1, y_1 \rangle \mathbf{e}_{(0,0)}(\mathbf{y}) \quad Q_2^\perp = \langle 1 \rangle \mathbf{e}_{(1,1)}(\mathbf{y}) = \langle e^{y_1+y_2} \rangle$$

### Solution of partial differential equations (with constant coeff.)

$$\begin{cases} \partial_{y_1}^2 \partial_{y_2} \sigma - \partial_{y_1}^2 \sigma = 0 & f_1 \star \sigma = 0 \\ \partial_{y_1} \partial_{y_2} \sigma - \partial_{y_2} \sigma = 0 & f_2 \star \sigma = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \sigma \in I^\perp = Q_1^\perp \oplus Q_2^\perp$$

$$\sigma = a + b y_1 + c e^{y_1+y_2} \quad a, b, c \in \mathbb{C}$$

## Solving by duality

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To find the roots  $\mathcal{V}(I)$ , we compute the structure of  $\mathcal{A} = R/I$ , that is,

- a vector space  $B \subset R$  spanned by a “basis” of  $\mathcal{A}$ ,
- the multiplication operators  $M_i$  by variables  $x_i$  in the basis of  $B$ .

We use a **normal form**  $\mathcal{N}$  on  $R$  w.r.t.  $I$ , that is a projector  $\mathcal{N} : R \rightarrow B$  s.t.  $\ker \mathcal{N} = I$  and  $\mathcal{N}|_B = \text{Id}_B$ .

The operators  $M_i$  are given by  $M_i : b \in B \mapsto \mathcal{N}(x_i b) \in B$ .

### Classical examples:

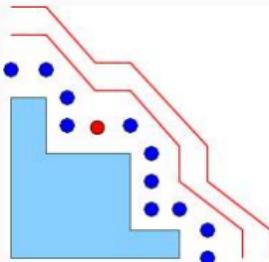
- $\mathcal{N} : p \in \mathbb{K}[x] \mapsto$  remainder of  $p$  in the Euclidean division by  $f$  where  $I = (f) \subset \mathbb{K}[x]$ .
- $\mathcal{N} : p \in R \mapsto$  remainder of  $p$  in the reduction by a Grobner basis.

## Truncated Normal Forms (TNF)

☞ If  $B$  is known, we only need to know  $\mathcal{N}$  on  $B^+ = B + x_1B + \cdots + x_nB$ , to know the operators of multiplication  $M_i$ .

For  $B \subset V \subset R$  with  $x_i \cdot B \subset V, i = 1, \dots, n$ , a Truncated Normal Form on  $V$  w.r.t.  $I$  is a projector  $\mathcal{N} : V \rightarrow B$  such that  $\ker \mathcal{N} = I \cap V$  and  $\mathcal{N}|_B = \text{Id}_B$ .

## Border basis



If  $B$  is spanned by a set of monomials  $\mathcal{B}$ ,  $V = \langle \mathcal{B}^+ \rangle$ , and  $\partial\mathcal{B} = \mathcal{B}^+ \setminus \mathcal{B}$ , we consider projections of  $\mathbf{x}^\alpha \in \partial\mathcal{B}$

### Definition (Border basis)

$$f_\alpha = \mathbf{x}^\alpha - \sum_{\mathbf{x}^\beta \in \mathcal{B}} c_{\alpha,\beta} \mathbf{x}^\beta \quad \alpha \in \partial\mathcal{B}$$

such that  $N : \mathbf{x}^\beta \in \mathcal{B}^+ \mapsto \begin{cases} \mathbf{x}^\beta & \text{if } \mathbf{x}^\beta \in \mathcal{B} \\ \mathbf{x}^\beta - f_\beta & \text{if } \mathbf{x}^\beta \in \partial\mathcal{B} \end{cases}$  is a **TNF**.

If  $F = (f_\alpha)_{\alpha \in \partial\mathcal{B}}$  is a border basis,

$$R = B \oplus (F)$$

and the projection on  $B$  along  $(F)$  is a normal form  $\mathcal{N}$ , which extends N.23

**Definition:**  $V$  connected to 1 if  $V_0 = \langle 1 \rangle \subset V_1 \subset \cdots \subset V_s = V$  with  $V_{i+1} \subset V_i^+$ .

For  $F \subset R$ , let  $\text{Com}_V(F)$  (**commutation polynomials**) be the set of polynomials in  $V$  of the form  $x_i f$  or  $x_i f - x_j f'$  with  $f, f' \in F$ ,  $i \neq j$ .

### Theorem

Let  $B, V \subset R$  such that  $W := B^+ \subset V$ ,  $V$  is connected to 1 and let  $N : V \rightarrow B$  be a projector such that  $F := \ker N \subset I \cap V$  and  $M_i : b \in B \mapsto N(x_i b) \in B$ . Then the following points are equivalent:

- ①  $(M_i \circ M_j - M_j \circ M_i) = 0$  for  $1 \leq i, j \leq n$ ;
- ② there exists a unique normal form  $\mathcal{N} : R \rightarrow B$  s.t.  $\mathcal{N}|_V = N$  and  $\ker \mathcal{N} = (F)$ ;
- ③  $F^+ \cap W \subset F$ ;
- ④  $\text{Com}_W(F) \subset F$ ;

☞ Algorithm to compute a border basis by adding to  $F$  the non-zero reduction of the commutation polynomials of  $F$  [MT05, MT08, ...].

## Dual description

A TNF  $N : V \rightarrow B$  modulo  $I$  with  $B$  of dimension  $r$  is given by

$N : f \in V \rightarrow N(f) = (\eta_1(f), \dots, \eta_r(f)) \in \mathbb{K}^r$  where

$$\eta_i \in V^* \cap I^\perp = \{\sigma \in V^* \mid \forall p \in I \cap V, \sigma(p) = 0\}.$$

### Theorem (TMV18)

Let  $V \subset R$  be a finite dimensional,  $W \subset V$  s.t.  $W^+ \subset V$  and  $N : V \rightarrow \mathbb{K}^r$  s.t.

- ①  $\exists u \in V$  such that  $u + I$  is a unit in  $R/I$ ,
- ②  $\ker(N) \subset I \cap V$ ,
- ③  $N|_W$  is onto  $\mathbb{K}^r$ .

Then for any  $r$ -dimensional vector subspace  $B \subset W$  s.t.  $N|_B$  is invertible we have:

- (i)  $B \simeq R/I$  (as  $R$ -modules),
- (ii)  $V = B \oplus (I \cap V)$  and  $I = (\langle \ker(N) \rangle : u)$ ,  $N$  is a TNF,
- (iii)  $M_i : b \in B \mapsto N(x_i b) \in B$  is the multiplication by  $x_i$  in  $B$  modulo  $I$ .

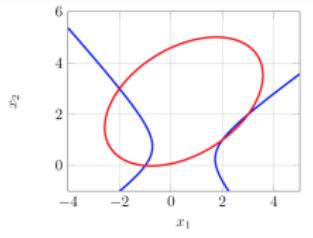
## Algorithm

For  $f_1, \dots, f_m \in R$ ,  $V_1, \dots, V_m, V$  vector spaces of  $R$  (e.g. spanned by monomials)

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Res} : \quad V_1 \times \cdots \times V_m &\longrightarrow V \\ (q_1, \dots, q_n) &\longmapsto q_1 f_1 + \cdots + q_m f_m.\end{aligned}$$

### Roots from the cokernel of a resultant map

- $N \leftarrow (\ker \text{Res}^t)^t$
- $N|_W \leftarrow$  restriction of  $N$  to  $W$  with  $W^+ \subset V$
- $Q, R, P \leftarrow \text{qrfact}(N|_W)$   
 $N_0 \leftarrow$  first columns in  $P$  of  $N|_W$  indexed by  $B \subset W$
- $N_i \leftarrow$  columns of  $N$  corresponding to  $x_i \cdot B$
- $M_{x_i} \leftarrow (N_0)^{-1} N_i$
- **return** the roots of  $f_1, \dots, f_m$  from  $M_{x_1}, \dots, M_{x_n}$ .



Consider the ideal  $I = \langle f_1, f_2 \rangle \subset \mathbb{C}[x_1, x_2]$  given by

$$\begin{aligned}f_1 &= 7 + 3x_1 - 6x_2 - 4x_1^2 + 2x_1x_2 + 5x_2^2, \\f_2 &= -1 - 3x_1 + 14x_2 - 2x_1^2 + 2x_1x_2 - 3x_2^2.\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Res}^\top = \frac{x_2 f_1}{f_1} \left[ \begin{array}{ccccccccc} 1 & x_1 & x_2 & x_1^2 & x_1x_2 & x_2^2 & x_1^3 & x_1^2x_2 & x_1x_2^2 & x_2^3 \\ 7 & 3 & -6 & -4 & 2 & 5 & & & & \\ x_1 f_1 & 7 & & 3 & -6 & & -4 & 2 & 5 & \\ f_2 & & 7 & & 3 & -6 & & -4 & 2 & 5 \\ x_1 f_2 & -1 & -3 & 14 & -2 & 2 & -3 & & & \\ x_2 f_2 & & -1 & & -3 & 14 & & -2 & 2 & -3 \end{array} \right].$$

We compute  $\ker \text{Res}^\top$  and find linear functionals  $\eta_i, i = 1, \dots, 4$  in  $V^* \cap I^\perp$  (representing  $e_{\xi_i}$ ):

$$N = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_1 & x_2 & x_1^2 & x_1 x_2 & x_2^2 & x_1^3 & x_1^2 x_2 & x_1 x_2^2 & x_2^3 \\ v^{(3)}(-2,3) & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 & 4 & -6 & 9 & -8 & 12 & -18 & 27 \end{bmatrix} \\ v^{(3)}(3,2) & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 & 9 & 6 & 4 & 27 & 18 & 12 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \\ v^{(3)}(2,1) & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 4 & 2 & 1 & 8 & 4 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ v^{(3)}(-1,0) & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}.$$

For  $B = \{x_1, x_2, x_1^2, x_1 x_2\}$ , the submatrices we need are

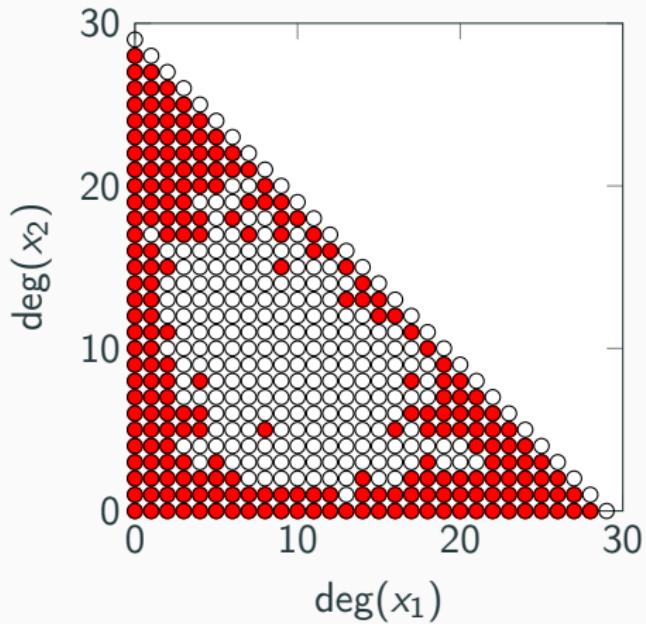
$$N|_B = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 3 & 4 & -6 \\ 3 & 2 & 9 & 6 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, N_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -6 & -8 & 12 \\ 9 & 6 & 27 & 18 \\ 4 & 2 & 8 & 4 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, N_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & 9 & 12 & -18 \\ 6 & 4 & 18 & 12 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

We obtain the solutions  $\xi_1 = (-2, 3), \xi_2 = (3, 2), \xi_3 = (2, 1), \xi_4 = (-1, 0)$  by eigen computation.

## Example of basis for a generic dense system

A system  $f_1, f_2 \in R = \mathbb{R}[x_1, x_2]$  with  $\deg(f_i) = 15$

$V = R_{\leq 29}$ ,  $W = R_{\leq 28}$ ,  $\delta = 225$



# Numerical experimentation

$n = 2$ , numerical quality and running time.

$d$	$\delta$	$m_1$	$m_2=n_1$	$n_2$	res	$\delta_{\text{alg}}$	$\delta_{\text{phc}}$	$\delta_{\text{brt}}$
1	1	2	3	1	$1.28 \cdot 10^{-16}$	1	1	1
7	49	56	105	49	$2.06 \cdot 10^{-13}$	49	49	49
13	169	182	351	169	$2.18 \cdot 10^{-13}$	169	169	169
19	361	380	741	361	$5.28 \cdot 10^{-13}$	361	361	361
25	625	650	1,275	625	$1.21 \cdot 10^{-10}$	625	614	625
31	961	992	1,953	961	$5.23 \cdot 10^{-9}$	961	951	961
37	1,369	1,406	2,775	1,369	$4.05 \cdot 10^{-12}$	1,369	1,360	1,368
43	1,849	1,892	3,741	1,849	$1.74 \cdot 10^{-11}$	1,849	1,825	1,845
49	2,401	2,450	4,851	2,401	$1.57 \cdot 10^{-10}$	2,401	2,364	2,163
55	3,025	3,080	6,105	3,025	$1.84 \cdot 10^{-11}$	3,025	2,970	2,487
61	3,721	3,782	7,503	3,721	$3.26 \cdot 10^{-11}$	3,721	3,662	2,260

$d$	$t_M$	$t_N$	$t_B$	$t_S$	$t_{\text{alg}}$	$t_{\text{phc}}$	$t_{\text{brt}}$
1	$1.48 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$5.5 \cdot 10^{-5}$	$2.96 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$3.6 \cdot 10^{-5}$	$5.35 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$5.6 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$1.41 \cdot 10^{-2}$
7	$7.88 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$1.68 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$3.76 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$2.78 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$1.61 \cdot 10^{-2}$	0.18	$8.65 \cdot 10^{-2}$
13	$4.65 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$1.03 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$1.66 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$2.81 \cdot 10^{-2}$	0.1	0.84	1.14
19	0.13	$5.69 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$5.34 \cdot 10^{-2}$	0.13	0.37	3.29	8.79
25	0.32	0.18	0.15	0.51	1.16	8.79	33.83
31	0.55	0.51	0.55	1.49	3.1	20.25	98.39
37	0.96	1.52	1.5	3.52	7.5	39.92	258.09
43	1.47	4.05	3.8	8.28	17.6	69.1	504.01
49	2.47	10.46	8.78	17.91	39.62	124.47	891.37
55	3.69	20.51	17.85	34.3	76.34	178.55	1,581.77
61	4.85	36.32	31.26	62.87	135.3	283.87	2,115.66

$n = 3$ , numerical quality and running time.

$d$	$\delta$	$m_1$	$m_2 = n_1$	$n_2$	res	$\delta_{\text{alg}}$	$\delta_{\text{phc}}$	$\delta_{\text{brt}}$
1	1	3	4	1	$1.79 \cdot 10^{-16}$	1	1	1
3	27	105	120	27	$1.05 \cdot 10^{-14}$	27	27	27
5	125	495	560	125	$1.29 \cdot 10^{-12}$	125	125	125
7	343	1,365	1,540	343	$6.71 \cdot 10^{-12}$	343	343	343
9	729	2,907	3,276	729	$1.38 \cdot 10^{-10}$	729	726	729
11	1,331	5,313	5,984	1,331	$3.11 \cdot 10^{-11}$	1,331	1,331	1,331
13	2,197	8,775	9,880	2,197	$2.86 \cdot 10^{-11}$	2,197	2,192	2,197

$d$	$t_M$	$t_N$	$t_B$	$t_S$	$t_{\text{alg}}$	$t_{\text{phc}}$	$t_{\text{brt}}$
1	$3.72 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$1.24 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$2.31 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$4.5 \cdot 10^{-5}$	$2.85 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$6.8 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$1.69 \cdot 10^{-2}$
3	$7.91 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$2.42 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$7.06 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$1.08 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$1.85 \cdot 10^{-2}$	0.14	$7.33 \cdot 10^{-2}$
5	$5.66 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$3.93 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$3.31 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$1.17 \cdot 10^{-2}$	0.14	0.68	0.63
7	0.23	1.13	0.12	$9.9 \cdot 10^{-2}$	1.57	3.42	4.11
9	0.68	14.43	0.65	0.63	16.4	12.21	17.29
11	1.77	44.79	3.91	3.98	54.46	39.08	70.66
13	5.81	183.67	16.07	15.35	220.9	97.28	210.34

## Decomposition algorithms

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# Hankel operators

**Hankel operator:** For  $\sigma = (\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_m) \in (R^*)^m$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} H_\sigma : R &\rightarrow (R^*)^m \\ p &\mapsto (p \star \sigma_1, \dots, p \star \sigma_m) \end{aligned}$$

$\sigma$  is the **symbol** of  $H_\sigma$ .

**Truncated Hankel operator:**  $V, W_1, \dots, W_m \subset R$ ,

$$H_\sigma^{V,W} : p \in V \rightarrow ((p \star \sigma_i)_{|W_i})$$

**Property:**  $V = \langle \mathbf{x}^\alpha \rangle_{\alpha \in A} = \langle \mathbf{x}^A \rangle$ ,  $W = \langle \mathbf{x}^\beta \rangle_{\beta \in B} = \langle \mathbf{x}^B \rangle \subset R$ ,  $\sigma \in R^*$ ,

$$H_\sigma^{A,B} = [\langle \sigma | \mathbf{x}^\alpha \mathbf{x}^\beta \rangle]_{\alpha \in A, \beta \in B} = [\sigma_{\alpha+\beta}]_{\alpha \in A, \beta \in B}.$$

**Example:**  $m = 1$ ,  $\sigma = (0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, \dots)$ .

For  $B = \{1, x, x^2\}$ ,

$$H_\sigma^{B,B} = (\sigma_{i+j})_{0 \leq i,j \leq 2} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

**Ideal:**  $I_\sigma = \ker H_\sigma$

$$I_\sigma = \{p \in \mathbb{K}[\mathbf{x}] \mid p \star \sigma = 0\},$$

$$= \left\{ p = \sum_{\alpha} p_{\alpha} \mathbf{x}^{\alpha} \mid \forall \beta \in \mathbb{N}^n \sum_{\alpha} p_{\alpha} \sigma_{\alpha+\beta} = 0 \right\} \text{ (Linear recurrence relations)}$$

**Quotient algebra:**  $\mathcal{A}_\sigma = R/I_\sigma$

☞  $\sigma \in \mathcal{A}_\sigma^* = I_\sigma^\perp$  ( $p \star \sigma = 0$  implies  $\langle \sigma | p \rangle = 0$ ).

Compute the decomposition of  $\sigma$  by analyzing the structure of  $\mathcal{A}_\sigma^*$ .

**Example of Fibonacci sequence:**  $\sigma = (0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, \dots)$

$$H_\sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 & \dots \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 3 & \dots \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 5 & \dots \\ 2 & 3 & 5 & 8 & \dots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & & \end{pmatrix} \quad H_\sigma \begin{pmatrix} \vdots \\ -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$I_\sigma = \ker H_\sigma = (x^2 - x - 1).$$

$$\mathcal{A}_\sigma = \mathbb{K}[x]/(x^2 - x - 1) \text{ with basis } \{1, x\}.$$

$$\text{Multiplication by } x \text{ in this basis of } \mathcal{A}_\sigma: M_x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$\text{Eigenvalues: } \xi_i = \frac{1+(-1)^{i+1}\sqrt{5}}{2}. \text{ Eigenvectors: } \mathbf{u}_i = \frac{(-1)^{i+1}}{\sqrt{5}}(x - \xi_i), \quad i = 1, 2.$$

$$\text{Matrix of } \overline{H}_\sigma \text{ in this basis: } \overline{H}_\sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \end{pmatrix}.$$



## Univariate series:

Kronecker (1881)

The Hankel operator

$$\begin{aligned} H_\sigma : \mathbb{C}^{\mathbb{N}, finite} &\rightarrow \mathbb{C}^{\mathbb{N}} \\ (p_m) &\mapsto (\sum_m \sigma_{m+n} p_m)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \end{aligned}$$

is of **finite rank**  $r$  iff  $\exists \omega_1, \dots, \omega_{r'} \in \mathbb{C}[y]$  and  $\xi_1, \dots, \xi_{r'} \in \mathbb{C}$  distincts s.t.

$$\sigma(y) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \sigma_n \frac{y^n}{n!} = \sum_{i=1}^{r'} \omega_i(y) e_{\xi_i}(y)$$

with  $\sum_{i=1}^{r'} (\deg(\omega_i) + 1) = r$ .

## Multivariate series:

### Theorem (Generalized Kronecker Theorem)

For  $\sigma = (\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_m) \in (R^*)^m$ , the Hankel operator

$$\begin{aligned} H_\sigma : R &\rightarrow (R^*)^m \\ p &\mapsto (p \star \sigma_1, \dots, p \star \sigma_m) \end{aligned}$$

is of rank  $r$  iff

$$\sigma_j = \sum_{i=1}^{r'} \omega_{j,i}(\mathbf{y}) \mathfrak{e}_{\xi_i}(\mathbf{y}) \in \mathcal{PolExp}, \quad j = 1, \dots, m$$

with  $r = \sum_{i=1}^{r'} \mu(\omega_{1,i}, \dots, \omega_{m,i})$ . In this case, we have

- $\mathcal{V}_\mathbb{C}(I_\sigma) = \{\xi_1, \dots, \xi_{r'}\}$ .
- $I_\sigma = Q_1 \cap \dots \cap Q_{r'}$  with  $Q_i^\perp = \langle \langle \omega_{1,i}, \dots, \omega_{m,i} \rangle \rangle \mathfrak{e}_{\xi_i}(\mathbf{y})$ .

If  $m = 1$ ,  $\mathcal{A}_\sigma$  is **Gorenstein** ( $\mathcal{A}_\sigma^* = \mathcal{A}_\sigma \star \sigma$  is a free  $\mathcal{A}_\sigma$ -module of rank 1) and  $(a, b) \mapsto \langle \sigma | ab \rangle$  is non-degenerate in  $\mathcal{A}_\sigma$ .

## Decomposition from the structure of $\mathcal{A}_\sigma$

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For  $\sigma \in (R^*)^m$  with  $\dim \mathcal{A}_\sigma = r$ :

- ▶ For  $B, C$  be of size  $r$ , if  $H_\sigma^{B,C}$  is invertible then  $B$  is a basis of  $\mathcal{A}_\sigma$ .
- ▶ The matrix  $M_i$  of multiplication by  $x_i$  in the basis  $B$  of  $\mathcal{A}_\sigma$  is such that

$$H_\sigma^{x_i B, C} = H_{x_i * \sigma}^{B, C} = H_\sigma^{B, C} M_i$$

- ▶ The common **eigenvectors** of  $M_i^t$  are (up to a scalar) the vectors  $[B(\xi_i)]$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, r$ .

For  $\sigma = \sum_{i=1}^r \omega_i e_{\xi_i}$ , with  $\omega_i \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$  and  $\xi_i \in \mathbb{C}^n$  distinct.

- ▶ rank  $H_\sigma = r$  and the multiplicity of the points  $\xi_1, \dots, \xi_r$  in  $\mathcal{V}(I_\sigma)$  is 1.
- ▶ The common **eigenvectors** of  $M_i$  are (up to a scalar) the Lagrange **interpolation polynomials**  $u_{\xi_i}$  at the points  $\xi_i$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, r$ .

$$u_{\xi_i}(\xi_j) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i = j, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad u_{\xi_i}^2 \equiv u_{\xi_i}, \quad \sum_{i=1}^r u_{\xi_i} \equiv 1.$$

## Decomposition algorithm

**Input:** The first coefficients  $(\sigma_\alpha)_{\alpha \in A}$  of the series

$$\sigma = \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n} \sigma_\alpha \frac{\mathbf{y}^\alpha}{\alpha!} = \sum_{i=1}^r \omega_i \mathbf{e}_{\xi_i}(\mathbf{y})$$

- ① Compute bases  $B, B' \subset \langle \mathbf{x}^A \rangle$  s.t. that  $H^{B',B}$  invertible and  $|B| = |B'| = r = \dim \mathcal{A}_\sigma$ ;
- ② Deduce the tables of multiplications  $M_i := (H_\sigma^{B',B})^{-1} H_\sigma^{B',x_i B}$
- ③ Compute the eigenvectors  $\mathbf{v}_1, \dots, \mathbf{v}_r$  of  $\sum_i l_i M_i$  for a generic  $\mathbf{l} = l_1 \mathbf{x}_1 + \dots + l_n \mathbf{x}_n$ ;
- ④ Deduce the points  $\xi_i = (\xi_{i,1}, \dots, \xi_{i,n})$  s.t.  $M_j \mathbf{v}_i - \xi_{i,j} \mathbf{v}_i = 0$  and the weights  $\omega_i = \frac{1}{\mathbf{v}_i(\xi_i)} \langle \sigma | \mathbf{v}_i \rangle$ .

**Output:** The decomposition  $\sigma = \sum_{i=1}^r \frac{1}{\mathbf{v}_i(\xi_i)} \langle \sigma | \mathbf{v}_i \rangle \mathbf{e}_{\xi_i}(\mathbf{y})$ .

# Multivariate Prony method

Let  $h(t_1, t_2) = 2 + 3 \cdot 2^{t_1} \cdot 2^{t_2} - 3^{t_1}$ ,  $\sigma = \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^2} h(\alpha) \frac{y^\alpha}{\alpha!} = 2e_{(1,1)}(y) + 3e_{(2,2)}(y) - e_{(3,1)}(y)$ .

- Take  $B = \{1, x_1, x_2\}$  and compute

$$H_0 := H_\sigma^{B,B} = \begin{bmatrix} h(0,0) & h(1,0) & h(0,1) \\ h(1,0) & h(2,0) & h(1,1) \\ h(0,1) & h(1,1) & h(0,2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 & 7 \\ 5 & 5 & 11 \\ 7 & 11 & 13 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$H_1 := H_\sigma^{B,x_1 B} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 5 & 7 \\ 5 & -1 & 17 \\ 811 & 178 & 23 \end{bmatrix}, \quad H_2 := H_\sigma^{B,x_2 B} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 11 & 13 \\ 11 & 17 & 23 \\ 13 & 23 & 25 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- Compute the generalized eigenvectors of  $(aH_1 + bH_2, H_0)$ :

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 \\ -1/2 & 0 & 1/2 \\ -1/2 & 1 & -1/2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } H_0 U = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 \times 1 & 3 \times 2 & -1 \times 3 \\ 2 \times 1 & 3 \times 2 & -1 \times 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- This yields the weights  $2, 3, -1$  and the roots  $(1,1), (2,2), (3,1)$ .

# Demo

# A general framework

- $\mathfrak{F}$  the functional space, in which the “signal” lives.
- $S_1, \dots, S_n : \mathfrak{F} \rightarrow \mathfrak{F}$  commuting linear operators:  $S_i \circ S_j = S_j \circ S_i$ .
- $\Delta : h \in \mathfrak{F} \mapsto \Delta[h] \in \mathbb{C}$  a linear functional on  $\mathfrak{F}$ .

Generating series associated to  $h \in \mathfrak{F}$ :

$$\sigma_h(\mathbf{y}) = \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n} \Delta[S^\alpha(h)] \frac{\mathbf{y}^\alpha}{\alpha!} = \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n} \sigma_\alpha \frac{\mathbf{y}^\alpha}{\alpha!}.$$

- Eigenfunctions:

$$S_j(E) = \xi_j E, j = 1, \dots, n \Rightarrow \sigma_E = \omega \mathbf{e}_\xi(\mathbf{y}).$$

- Generalized eigenfunctions:

$$S_j(E_k) = \xi_j E_k + \sum_{k' < k} m_{j,k'} E_{k'} \Rightarrow \sigma_{E_k} = \omega_i(\mathbf{y}) \mathbf{e}_\xi(\mathbf{y}).$$

☞ If  $h \mapsto \sigma_h$  is injective  $\Rightarrow$  unique decomposition of  $f$  as a linear

## Sparse reconstruction from Fourier coefficients

- $\mathcal{F} = L^2(\Omega)$ ;
- $S_i : h(\mathbf{x}) \in L^2(\Omega) \mapsto e^{2\pi \frac{x_i}{T_i}} h(\mathbf{x}) \in L^2(\Omega)$  is the multiplication by  $e^{2\pi \frac{x_i}{T_i}}$ ;
- $\Delta : h(\mathbf{x}) \in \mathcal{O}'_C \mapsto \int h(\mathbf{x}) d\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{C}$ .

The moments of  $f$  are

$$\sigma_\gamma = \frac{1}{\prod_{j=1}^n T_j} \int f(\mathbf{x}) e^{-2\pi i \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{\gamma_j x_j}{T_j}} d\mathbf{x}$$

Eigenfunctions:  $\delta_\xi$ ; generalized eigenfunctions:  $\delta_\xi^{(\alpha)}$ .

For  $f \in L^2(\Omega)$  and  $\sigma = (\sigma_\gamma)_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n}$  its Fourier coefficients,

$$\Gamma_\sigma : (\rho_\beta)_{\beta \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \in L^2(\mathbb{Z}^n) \mapsto \left( \sum_\beta \sigma_{\alpha+\beta} \rho_\beta \right)_{\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \in L^2(\mathbb{Z}^n).$$

$\Gamma_\sigma$  is of finite rank  $r$  if and only if  $f = \sum_{i=1}^{r'} \sum_{\alpha \in A_i \subset \mathbb{N}^n} \omega_{i,\alpha} \delta_{\xi_i}^{(\alpha)}$  with

# Symmetric tensor decomposition and Waring problem (1770)



## Symmetric tensor decomposition problem:

Given a homogeneous polynomial  $\psi$  of degree  $d$  in the variables  $\bar{\mathbf{x}} = (x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n)$  with coefficients  $\in \mathbb{K}$ :

$$\psi(\bar{\mathbf{x}}) = \sum_{|\alpha|=d} \sigma_\alpha \binom{d}{\alpha} \bar{\mathbf{x}}^\alpha,$$

find a minimal decomposition of  $\psi$  of the form

$$\psi(\bar{\mathbf{x}}) = \sum_{i=1}^r \omega_i (\xi_{i,0} x_0 + \xi_{i,1} x_1 + \cdots + \xi_{i,n} x_n)^d$$

with  $\xi_i = (\xi_{i,0}, \xi_{i,1}, \dots, \xi_{i,n}) \in \overline{\mathbb{K}}^{n+1}$  spanning distinct lines,  $\omega_i \in \overline{\mathbb{K}}$ .

The minimal  $r$  in such a decomposition is called the **rank** of  $\psi$ .

## Symmetric tensors and apolarity

**Apolar product:** For  $f = \sum_{|\alpha|=d} f_\alpha \binom{d}{\alpha} \bar{x}^\alpha$ ,  $g = \sum_{|\alpha|=d} g_\alpha \binom{d}{\alpha} \bar{x}^\alpha \in \mathbb{K}[\bar{x}]_d$ ,

$$\langle f, g \rangle_d = \sum_{|\alpha|=d} f_\alpha g_\alpha \binom{d}{\alpha}.$$

**Property:**  $\langle f, (\xi_0 x_0 + \cdots + \xi_n x_n)^d \rangle = f(\xi_0, \dots, \xi_n)$

**Duality:** For  $\psi \in S_d$ , we define  $\psi^* \in S_d^* = \text{Hom}_{\mathbb{K}}(S_d, \mathbb{K})$  as

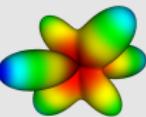
$$\begin{aligned}\psi^* : S_d &\rightarrow \mathbb{K} \\ p &\mapsto \langle \psi, p \rangle_d\end{aligned}$$

**Example:**  $((\xi_0 x_0 + \cdots + \xi_n x_n)^d)^* = \epsilon_\xi : p \in S_d \mapsto p(\xi)$  (evaluation at  $\xi$ )

**Dual symmetric tensor decomposition problem:**

Given  $\psi^* \in S_d^*$ , find a decomposition of the form  $\psi^* = \sum_{i=1}^r \omega_i \epsilon_{\xi_i}$  where  $\xi_i = (\xi_{i,0}, \xi_{i,1}, \dots, \xi_{i,n})$  span distinct lines in  $\overline{\mathbb{K}}^{n+1}$ ,  $\omega_i \in \overline{\mathbb{K}}$  ( $\omega_i \neq 0$ ).

# Symmetric tensor decomposition



$$\begin{aligned}\psi &= (\mathbf{x}_0 + 3\mathbf{x}_1 - \mathbf{x}_2)^4 + (\mathbf{x}_0 + \mathbf{x}_1 + \mathbf{x}_2)^4 - 3(\mathbf{x}_0 + 2\mathbf{x}_1 + 2\mathbf{x}_2)^4 \\ &= -x_0^4 - 24x_0^3x_2 - 8x_0^3x_1 - 60x_0^2x_2^2 - 168x_0^2x_1x_2 - 12x_0^2x_1^2 \\ &\quad - 96x_0x_2^3 - 240x_0x_1x_2^2 - 384x_0x_1^2x_2 + 16x_0x_1^3 - 46x_2^4 - 200x_1x_2^3 \\ &\quad - 228x_1^2x_2^2 - 296x_1^3x_2 + 34x_1^4\end{aligned}$$

$$\psi^* \equiv \mathfrak{e}_{(3,-1)}(\mathbf{y}) + \mathfrak{e}_{(1,1)}(\mathbf{y}) - 3\mathfrak{e}_{(2,2)}(\mathbf{y}) \quad (\text{by apolarity for } \psi^* : p \mapsto \langle \psi, p \rangle_d)$$

$$H_{\psi^*}^{2,2} :=$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccccc} -1 & \boxed{-2} & \boxed{-6} & -2 & \boxed{-14} & \boxed{-10} \\ \boxed{-2} & -2 & \boxed{-14} & 4 & \boxed{-32} & \boxed{-20} \\ \boxed{-6} & \boxed{-14} & \boxed{-10} & \boxed{-32} & \boxed{-20} & \boxed{-24} \\ -2 & 4 & -32 & 34 & -74 & -38 \\ -14 & -32 & -20 & -74 & -38 & -50 \\ -10 & -20 & -24 & -38 & -50 & -46 \end{array} \right]$$

For  $B = \{1, \mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2\}$ ,

$$H_{\psi^*}^{B,B} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 & -6 \\ -2 & -2 & -14 \\ -6 & -14 & -10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$H_{\psi^*}^{B, \mathbf{x}_1 B} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -2 & -14 \\ -2 & 4 & -32 \\ -14 & -32 & -20 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$H_{\psi^*}^{B, \mathbf{x}_2 B} = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & -14 & -10 \\ -14 & -32 & -20 \\ -10 & -20 & -24 \end{bmatrix}$$

- The matrix of multiplication by  $x_2$  in  $B = \{1, x_1, x_2\}$  is

$$M_2 = (H_{\psi^*}^{B,B})^{-1} H_{\psi^*}^{B,x_2B} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 & -2 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{2} \\ 1 & \frac{5}{2} & \frac{3}{2} \end{bmatrix}.$$

- Its eigenvalues are  $[-1, 1, 2]$  and the eigenvectors:

$$U := \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 & -1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{4} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}.$$

that is the polynomials

$$U(x) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2}x_1 - \frac{1}{2}x_2 & -2 + \frac{3}{4}x_1 + \frac{1}{4}x_2 & -1 + \frac{1}{2}x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- We deduce the weights and the frequencies:

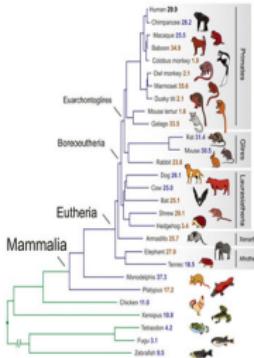
$$H_{\psi^*}^{[1, x_1, x_2], U} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -3 \\ 1 \times 3 & 1 \times 1 & -3 \times 2 \\ 1 \times -1 & 1 \times 1 & -3 \times 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Weights: } 1, 1, -3; \\ \text{Frequencies: } (-1, 3), (1, 1), (2, 2). \end{array}$$

**Decomposition:**

$$\psi^*(y) = e_{(3, -1)}(y) + e_{(1, 1)}(y) - 3e_{(2, 2)}(y) + \mathcal{O}(y)^4$$

$$\psi(x) = (x_0 + 3x_1 - x_2)^4 + (x_0 + x_1 + x_2)^4 - 3(x_0 + 2x_1 + 2x_2)^4$$

# Phylogenetic trees



**Problem:** study probability vectors for genes  $[A, C, G, T]$  and the transitions described by Markov matrices  $M^i$ .

**Example:**

$$\begin{array}{lll} \text{Ancestor :} & \mathcal{A} \\ \text{Transitions :} & M^1 \quad M^2 \quad M^3 \\ \text{Species :} & \mathcal{S}_1 \quad \mathcal{S}_2 \quad \mathcal{S}_3 \end{array}$$

For  $i_1, i_2, i_3 \in \{A, C, G, T\}$ , the probability to observe  $i_1, i_2, i_3$  is

$$p_{i_1, i_2, i_3} = \sum_{k=1}^4 \pi_k M_{k, i_1}^1 M_{k, i_2}^2 M_{k, i_3}^3 \Leftrightarrow \mathbf{p} = \sum_{k=1}^4 \pi_k \mathbf{u}_k \otimes \mathbf{v}_k \otimes \mathbf{w}_k$$

where  $\mathbf{u}_k = (M_{k,1}^1, \dots, M_{k,4}^1)$ ,  $\mathbf{v}_k = (M_{k,1}^2, \dots, M_{k,4}^2)$ ,  $\mathbf{w}_k = (M_{k,1}^3, \dots, M_{k,4}^3)$ .

☞  $p$  is a tensor  $\in \mathbb{K}^4 \otimes \mathbb{K}^4 \otimes \mathbb{K}^4$  of rank  $\leq 4$ .

☞ Its decomposition yields the  $M^i$  and the ancestor probability ( $\pi_j$ ).

## Multilinear tensor decomposition

A tensor in  $\mathbb{K}^4 \otimes \mathbb{K}^4 \otimes \mathbb{K}^4$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\tau := & 4 a_0 b_0 c_0 + 7 a_1 b_0 c_0 + 8 a_2 b_0 c_0 + 9 a_3 b_0 c_0 + 5 a_0 b_1 c_0 - 2 a_0 b_2 c_0 + \\& 11 a_0 b_3 c_0 + 6 a_0 b_0 c_1 + 8 c_2 + 6 a_0 b_0 c_3 + 21 a_1 b_1 c_0 + 28 a_2 b_1 c_0 + 11 a_3 b_1 c_0 - \\& 14 a_1 b_2 c_0 - 21 a_2 b_2 c_0 - 10 a_3 b_2 c_0 + 48 a_1 b_3 c_0 + 65 a_2 b_3 c_0 + 28 a_3 b_3 c_0 + \\& 26 a_1 b_0 c_1 + 35 a_2 b_0 c_1 + 14 a_3 b_0 c_1 + 18 a_0 b_1 c_1 - 10 a_0 b_2 c_1 + 40 a_0 b_3 c_1 + \\& 36 a_1 b_0 c_2 + 48 a_2 b_0 c_2 + 18 a_3 b_0 c_2 + 26 a_0 b_1 c_2 - 9 a_0 b_2 c_2 + 55 a_0 b_3 c_2 + \\& 38 a_1 b_0 c_3 + 53 a_2 b_0 c_3 + 14 a_3 b_0 c_3 + 26 a_0 b_1 c_3 - 16 a_0 b_2 c_3 + 58 a_0 b_3 c_3 + \\& 68 a_1 b_1 c_1 + 91 a_2 b_1 c_1 + 48 a_3 b_1 c_1 - 72 a_1 b_2 c_1 - 105 a_2 b_2 c_1 - 36 a_3 b_2 c_1 + \\& 172 a_1 b_3 c_1 + 235 a_2 b_3 c_1 + 112 a_3 b_3 c_1 + 90 a_1 b_1 c_2 + 118 a_2 b_1 c_2 + 68 a_3 b_1 c_2 - \\& 85 a_1 b_2 c_2 - 127 a_2 b_2 c_2 - 37 a_3 b_2 c_2 + 223 a_1 b_3 c_2 + 301 a_2 b_3 c_2 + 151 a_3 b_3 c_2 + \\& 96 a_1 b_1 c_3 + 129 a_2 b_1 c_3 + 72 a_3 b_1 c_3 - 114 a_1 b_2 c_3 - 165 a_2 b_2 c_3 - 54 a_3 b_2 c_3 + \\& 250 a_1 b_3 c_3 + 343 a_2 b_3 c_3 + 166 a_3 b_3 c_3.\end{aligned}$$

Take  $a_0 = b_0 = c_0 = 1$ . For  $B := (1, a_1, a_2, a_3)$  and  $B' := (1, b_1, b_2, b_3)$ , the corresponding matrix  $\mathbb{H}_{\tau^*}^{B, B'}$

$$\mathbb{H}_{\tau^*}^{B, B'} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 7 & 8 & 9 \\ 5 & 21 & 28 & 11 \\ -2 & -14 & -21 & -10 \\ 11 & 48 & 65 & 28 \end{pmatrix}$$

is invertible. The transposed operators of multiplication by the variables  $c_1, c_2, c_3$  are:

$${}^t \mathbb{M}_{c_1}^B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 11/6 & -2/3 & -1/6 \\ -2 & -41/6 & 20/3 & 19/6 \\ -2 & -85/6 & 37/3 & 29/6 \\ -2 & 5/2 & 0 & 1/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$${}^t \mathbb{M}_{c_2}^B = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 23/3 & -13/3 & -1/3 \\ -6 & 1/3 & 7/3 & 13/3 \\ -6 & -28/3 & 29/3 & 20/3 \\ -6 & 14 & -7 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$${}^t \mathbb{M}_{c_3}^B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3/2 & 0 & -1/2 \\ -2 & -33/2 & 14 & 11/2 \\ -2 & -57/2 & 23 & 17/2 \\ -2 & 3/2 & 2 & -1/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

The eigenvalues are respectively  $(-1, -2, -3)$ ,  $(2, 4, 2)$ ,  $(4, 5, 6)$ , and  $(1, 1, 1)$ . The corresponding common eigenvectors are:

$$v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, v_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 7 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, v_4 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

We deduce that the coordinates  $(a_1, a_2, a_3, c_1, c_2, c_3)$  of the 4 points  $\xi_1, \dots, \xi_4$ .

Computing the eigenvectors of the operators of multiplications  $t\mathbb{M}_{c_1}^{B'}, t\mathbb{M}_{c_2}^{B'}, t\mathbb{M}_{c_3}^{B'}$  we get the coordinates  $b_1, b_2, b_3$  and deduce the 4 points of the decomposition:

$$\xi_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \\ -1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \\ -2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}, \xi_2 := \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \xi_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \\ 3 \\ 3 \\ -4 \\ 8 \\ 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}, \xi_4 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Finally, we solve the following linear system in  $(\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3, \omega_4)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} T &= \omega_1 (1 - a_1 - 2a_2 + 3a_3) (1 - b_1 - b_2 - b_3) (1 - c_1 - 2c_2 - 3c_3) \\ &+ \omega_3 (1 + 2a_1 + 2a_2 + 2a_3) (1 + 2b_1 + 2b_2 + 3b_3) (1 + 2c_1 + 4c_2 + 2c_3) \\ &+ \omega_3 (1 + 5a_1 + 7a_2 + 3a_3) (1 + 3b_1 - 4b_2 + 8b_3) (1 + 4c_1 + 5c_2 + 6c_3), \\ &+ \omega_4 (1 + a_1 + a_2 + a_3) (1 + b_1 + b_2 + b_3) (1 + c_1 + c_2 + c_3) \end{aligned}$$

we get  $\omega_1 = \omega_2 = \omega_3 = \omega_4 = 1$ .

## Basis construction

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## Computation of a (orthogonal) basis of $\mathcal{A}_\sigma$

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**Definition:** For  $p, q \in E$ , let  $\langle p, q \rangle_\sigma = \langle \sigma \mid p \, q \rangle$ .

**Projection:** For  $\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q} \subset \mathbb{K}[\mathbf{x}]$ ,  $f \in \mathbb{K}[\mathbf{x}]$ ,

$$\text{proj}(f, \mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}) =: g \quad \text{s.t.} \quad f - g \in \langle \mathbf{p} \rangle, g \perp_\sigma \langle \mathbf{q} \rangle$$

**Reduction:** For  $f = \sum_\alpha f_\alpha \mathbf{x}^\alpha \in \mathbb{K}[\mathbf{x}]$  and  $\mathbf{k} = \{k_\delta\}_{\delta \in \mathbf{d}}$  with  $k_\delta = \mathbf{x}^\delta + \dots \in \mathbb{K}[\mathbf{x}]$ ,

$$\text{red}(f, \mathbf{k}) =: f - \sum_{\delta \in D} f_\delta k_\delta.$$

For  $B = \{\mathbf{x}^{\beta_1}, \dots, \mathbf{x}^{\beta_r}\}$  suppose we have  $(p_i, q_i)$  such that

- $p_i = \mathbf{x}^{\beta_i} + \sum_{j < i} p_{i,j} \mathbf{x}^{\beta_j}$
- $\langle p_i, q_j \rangle_\sigma = \delta_{i,j}$

For a new monomial  $\mathbf{x}^\alpha$ ,

- project it with respect to  $B$ :  $r_\alpha = \text{proj}(\mathbf{x}^\alpha, p, q)$
- check discrepancy:
  - $\langle \mathbf{x}^\gamma, r_\alpha \rangle_\sigma \neq 0$  extend  $\mathbf{p}$  with  $p_{r+1} = r^\alpha$ ,  $q_{r+1} = \mathbf{x}^\beta$ ;
  - otherwise add  $r_\alpha$  to the set of relations.

## Border basis computation

**Input:**  $\sigma_\alpha$  for  $\alpha \in \mathbf{a}$  s.t.  $\text{rank } H_\sigma < \infty$ .

- Let  $\mathbf{b} = \{\}$ ;  $\mathbf{c} = \{\}$ ;  $\mathbf{d} = \{\}$ ;  $\mathbf{k} = \{\}$ ;  $\mathbf{n} = \{0\}$ ;  $\mathbf{s} = \mathbf{a}$ ;  $\mathbf{t} = \mathbf{a}$ ;
- While  $\mathbf{n} \neq \emptyset$  do
  - $\tilde{\mathbf{b}} = \mathbf{b}$ ;
  - For each  $\alpha \in \mathbf{n}$ ,
    - ① if  $\alpha = 0$  then  $p_\alpha = \tilde{p}_\alpha = 1$ ;  
else  
 $p_\alpha = \text{proj}(\text{red}_K(x_i p_\beta, \{p_\gamma\}_{\gamma \in \mathbf{b}}, \{m_\gamma\}_{\gamma \in \mathbf{b}}) \text{ for } \beta \in \tilde{\mathbf{b}}$  s.t.  $x^\alpha = x_i x^\beta$ ;
    - ② find the first  $\gamma \in \mathbf{t}$  such that  $\langle p_\alpha, x^\gamma \rangle_\sigma \neq 0$ ;
    - ③ If such an  $\gamma$  exists then  
 $m_\gamma = \frac{1}{\langle p_\alpha, x^\gamma \rangle_\sigma} x^\gamma$ ;  $q_\alpha = \text{proj}(m_\gamma, \{q_\beta\}_{\beta \in \mathbf{b}}, \{p_\beta\}_{\beta \in \mathbf{b}})$ ;  
add  $\alpha$  to  $\mathbf{b}$ ,  $p_\alpha$  to  $\mathbf{p}$ ,  $\gamma$  to  $\mathbf{c}$ ; remove  $\alpha$  from  $\mathbf{s}$ ,  $\gamma$  from  $\mathbf{t}$ ;  
else  
add  $\alpha$  to  $\mathbf{d}$ ,  $p_\alpha$  to  $\mathbf{k}$ ; remove  $\alpha$  from  $\mathbf{s}$ ;
- $\mathbf{n} = \text{next}(\mathbf{b}, \mathbf{d}, \mathbf{s})$ ;

**Output:**

- monomial sets  $\mathbf{b} = \{x^{\beta_1}, \dots, x^{\beta_r}\}$ ,  $\mathbf{c} = \{x^{\gamma_1}, \dots, x^{\gamma_r}\}$ ,
- bases  $\mathbf{p} = \{p_{\beta_i}\}$ ,  $\mathbf{q} = \{q_{\beta_i}\}$ ,
- relations  $\mathbf{k} = \{p_\alpha\}_{\alpha \in \mathbf{d}}$ .

## Proposition

Assume  $\mathbf{a}$  is connected to 1. If  $\mathbf{d} = \partial\mathbf{b}$ , then there exists  $\tilde{\sigma} \in \mathbb{K}[[\mathbf{y}]]$  s.t.

- $\text{rank } H_{\tilde{\sigma}} = r$ ,
- $(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q})$  are bases of  $\mathcal{A}_{\tilde{\sigma}}$  pairwise orthogonal for  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_{\sigma}$ ,
- $\mathbf{k}$  is a border basis of  $I_{\tilde{\sigma}}$  with respect to  $B$ .

**Complexity:**  $\mathcal{O}(r(r + \delta)s)$  where  $r = |\mathbf{b}|$ ,  $\delta = |\partial\mathbf{b}|$   $s = |\mathbf{a}|$  ( $\delta \leq n r$ ).

**Berlekamp-Massey-Sakata algorithm:** Compute a non-reduced Grobner basis of the recurrence relations valid up to a monomial  $m$ .

$\mathcal{O}(s'(r + \delta)s + rs'(r + \delta))$  where  $s'$  is the maximal number of non-zero terms in the polynomials of the Grobner basis ( $r \leq s' \leq s$ ).

**Remark:** If the new monomials ( $\in N$ ) are chosen according to a monomial ordering  $\prec$ , then  $\mathbf{c} = \mathbf{b}$ .

**Remark:** If  $\mathbb{K} = \mathbb{R}$  and  $\forall f \in \mathbb{R}[\mathbf{x}]$ ,  $\langle \sigma | f^2 \rangle \geq 0$  then  $\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{q}$  is a basis of orthogonal polynomials of  $\mathcal{A}_{\sigma}$ .

## Polynomial interpolation of points

Given a set of points  $\Xi = \{\xi_1, \dots, \xi_r\} \subset \mathbb{C}^n$ , we take the **moments**

$$\sigma_\alpha = \sum_{i=1}^r \lambda_i \xi_i^\alpha$$

for some  $\lambda_i \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$  and let  $\sigma = \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n} \sigma_\alpha \frac{\mathbf{y}^\alpha}{\alpha!}$  be the generating series.

- $I_\sigma = H_\sigma = \mathcal{I}(\xi_1, \dots, \xi_r)$  **vanishing ideal** of the points;
- $I_\sigma$  generated by  $\ker H_\sigma^{B', B^+}$  for any bases  $B, B'$  of  $\mathcal{A}_\sigma$  connected to 1;
- The eigenvectors of the operators  $M_i = (H_\sigma^{B', B})^{-1} H_\sigma^{B', x_i B}$  are up to a scalar **interpolation polynomials** at the points  $\xi_1, \dots, \xi_r$ .

## Example:

Take  $\xi := \{(0,0), (1,0), (-1,0), (0,1), (0,-1)\}$  and  $\sigma_\alpha = \sum_{i=1}^5 \xi_i^\alpha$  for  $|\alpha| \leq 6$ :

$$\sigma(z) = 5 + 2z_1^2 + 2z_2^2 + 2z_1^4 + 2z_2^4 + 2z_1^6 + 2z_2^6 + \dots$$

## Basis by orthogonalization:

- $\mathbf{b}_0 = \mathbf{p}_0 = \{1\};$
- $\mathbf{n}_1 = \{x_1, x_2\}, \mathbf{b}_1 = \mathbf{p}_1 = \{1, x_1, x_2\};$
- $\mathbf{n}_2 = \{x_1^2, x_1 x_2, x_2^2\}, \mathbf{b}_2 = \mathbf{b}_1 \cup \{x_1^2, x_2^2\},$   
 $\mathbf{p}_2 = \left\{1, x_1, x_2, x_1^2 - \frac{2}{5}, x_2^2 - \frac{2}{5}\right\}, \mathbf{k}_2 = \{x_1 x_2\}$
- $\mathbf{n}_3 = \{x_1^3, x_1^2 x_2, x_1 x_2^2, x_2^3\}, \mathbf{b}_3 = \mathbf{b}_2, \mathbf{p}_3 = \mathbf{p}_2,$   
 $\mathbf{k}_3 = \langle b - \sum_{i=1}^5 \frac{\langle b, b_k \rangle_\sigma}{\langle b_k, b_k \rangle_\sigma} b_k, b \in \partial \mathbf{b}_2 \rangle = \langle x_1^3 - x_1, x_1^2 x_2, x_1 x_2, x_1 x_2^2, x_2^3 - x_2 \rangle.$

☞ **Vanishing ideal:**  $I_\sigma = (x_1^3 - x_1, x_1 x_2, x_2^3 - x_2).$

☞ **Lagrange basis:**

$$1 - x_1^2 - x_2^2, \frac{1}{2} x_1 + \frac{1}{2} x_1^2, -\frac{1}{2} x_1 + \frac{1}{2} x_1^2, \frac{1}{2} x_2 + \frac{1}{2} x_2^2, -\frac{1}{2} x_2 + \frac{1}{2} x_2^2$$

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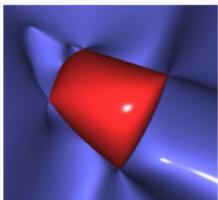
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