

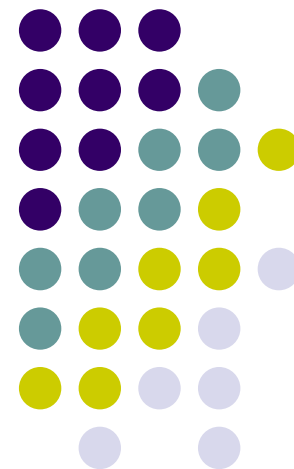


视觉神经编码与 特征群组

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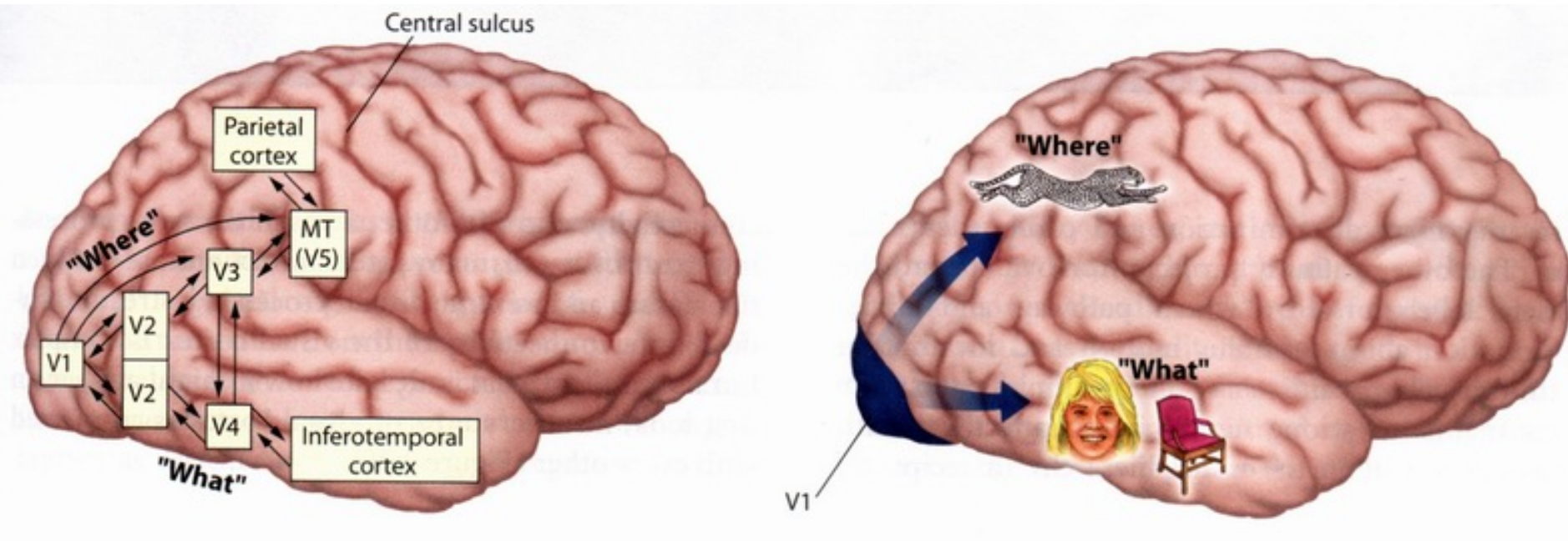


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Visual Information Pathways

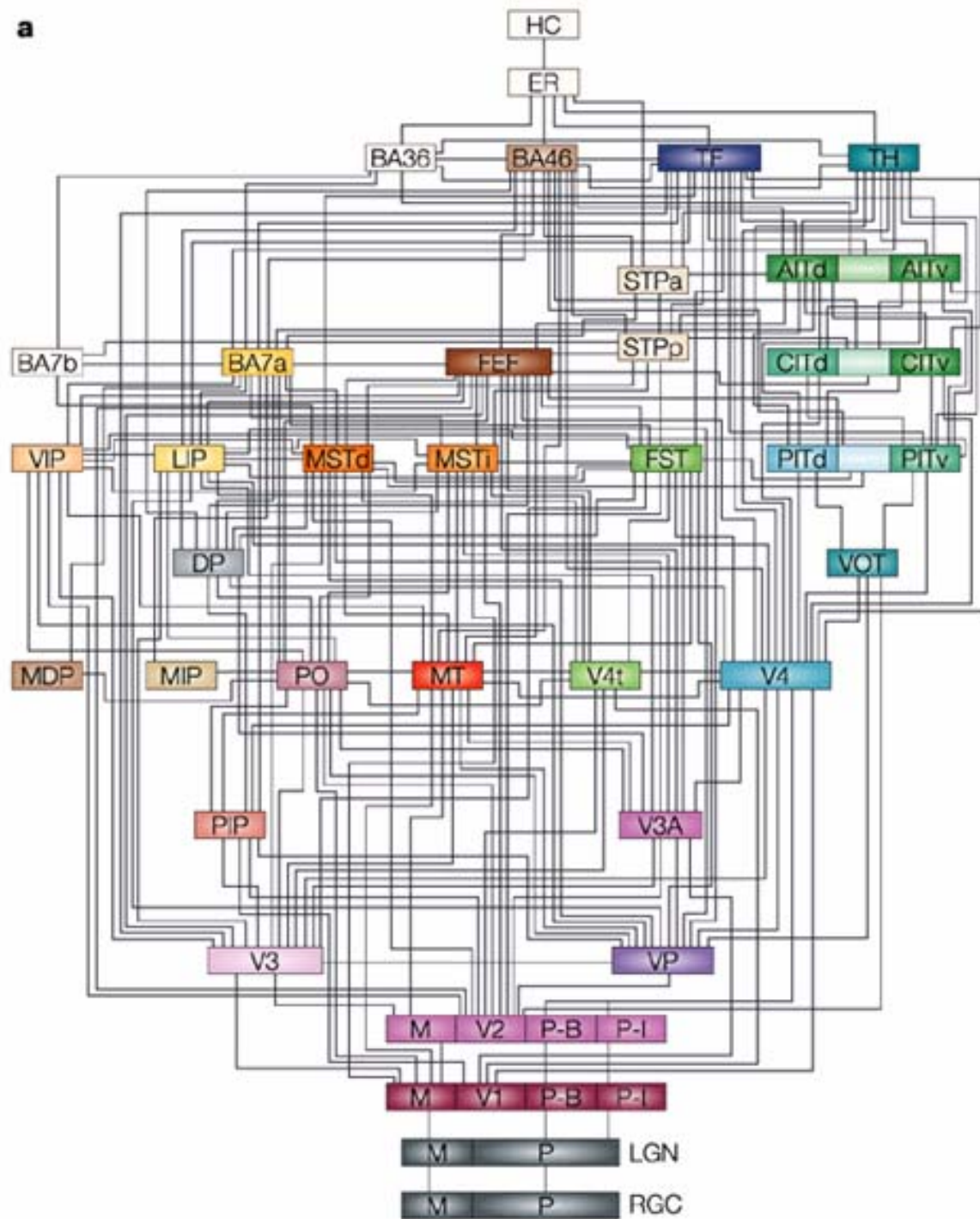


‘Where’: the motion and spatial location

‘What’: the detailed features, form, and object identity



视觉关联区结构示意



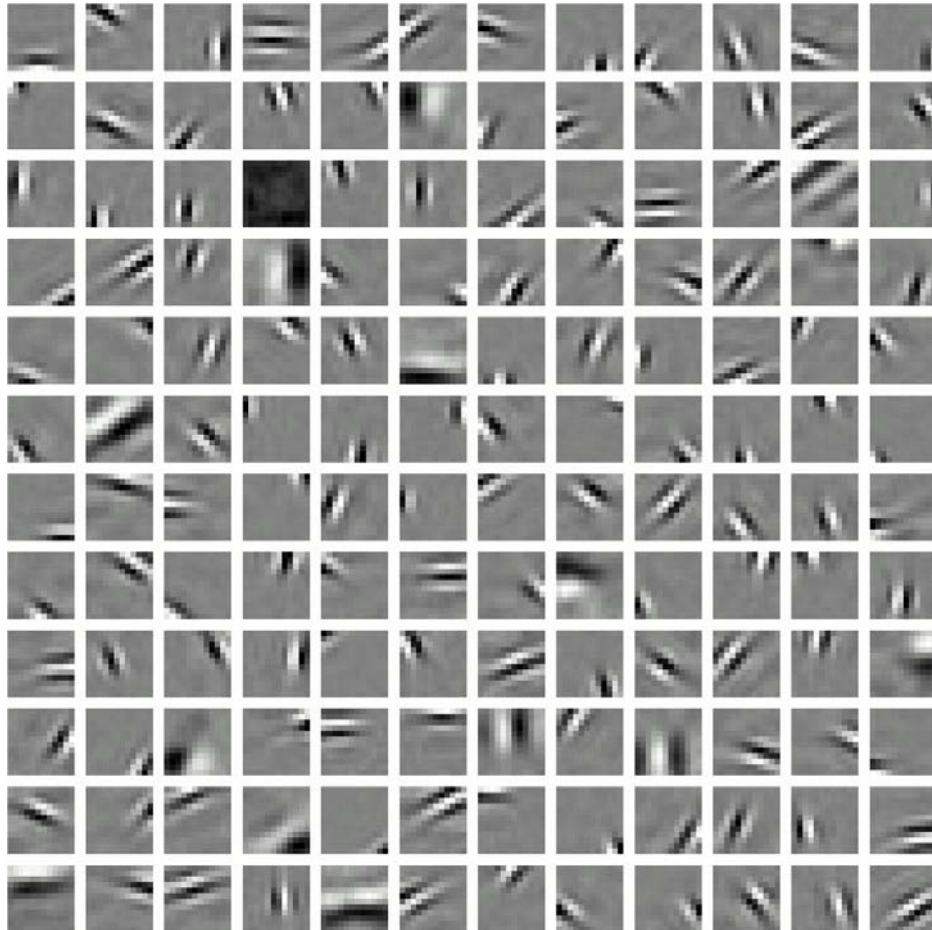


Coding Principle

- Efficient Coding-- Attneave (1954)
 - The goal of visual perception is to produce an efficient representation of the input signal.
- Redundancy Reduction -- Barlow (1961)
 - The role of early sensory neurons is to remove statistical redundancy in the sensory input.
- Sparse Coding – Vinje, Gallant (Science 2000)
 - During natural vision, the classical and nonclassical receptive fields function together to form a sparse representation of the visual world.
- Temporal coding--
 - The temporal structure of the firing patterns of single neurons in multiple neurons of a functional assembly



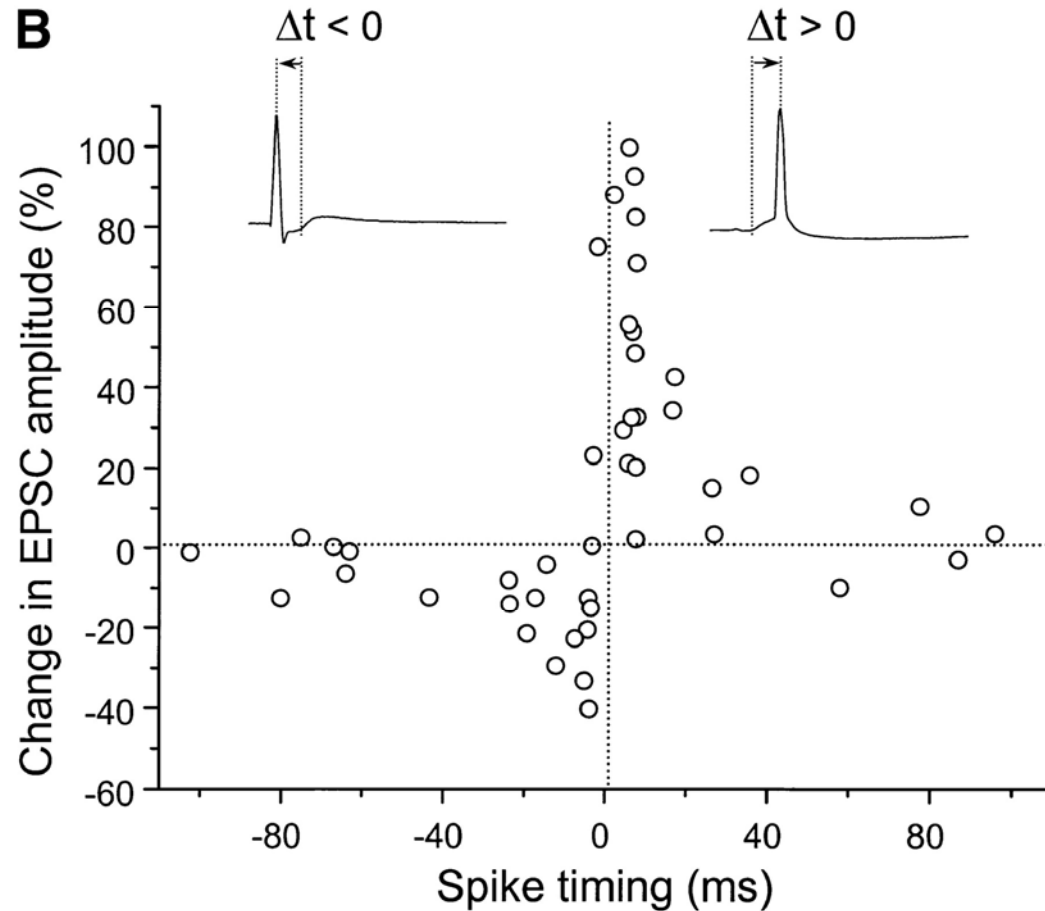
Sparse Coding



Olshausen and Field, 1996
Receptive field model for
Simple cells in V1



LTP/LTD (非对称学习)



- Figure from [Bi & Poo \(1998\)](#)

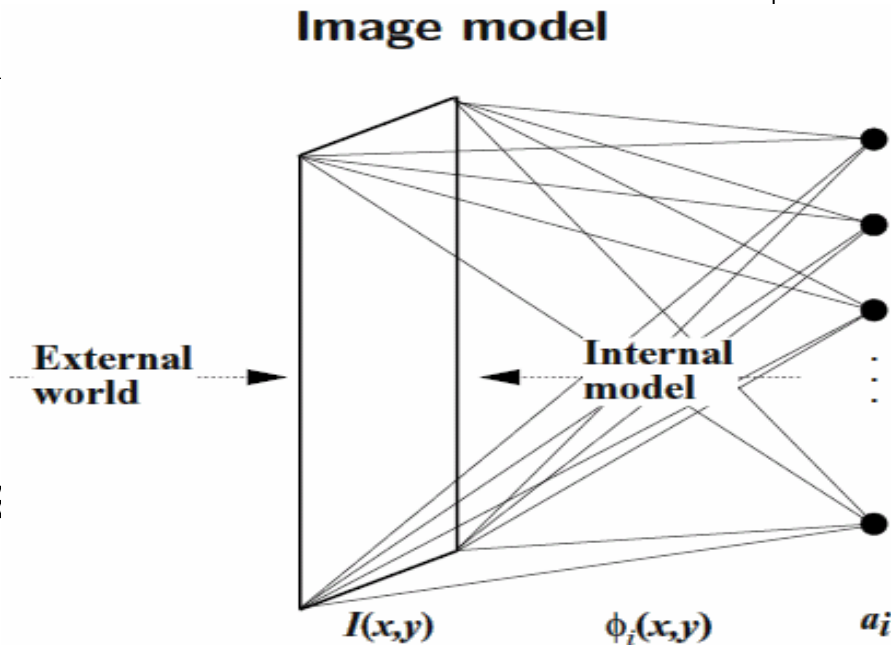


Sparse Coding



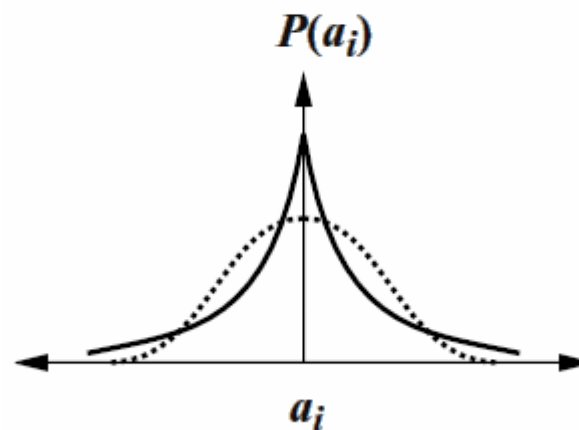
Objective:

To find basis functions $\{\phi_i\}$, such that natural images can be represented as sparse as possible.



$$P(\mathbf{a}|\theta) = \prod_i P(a_i|\theta)$$

$$I(x, y) = \sum_i a_i \phi_i(x, y) + \varepsilon(x, y)$$



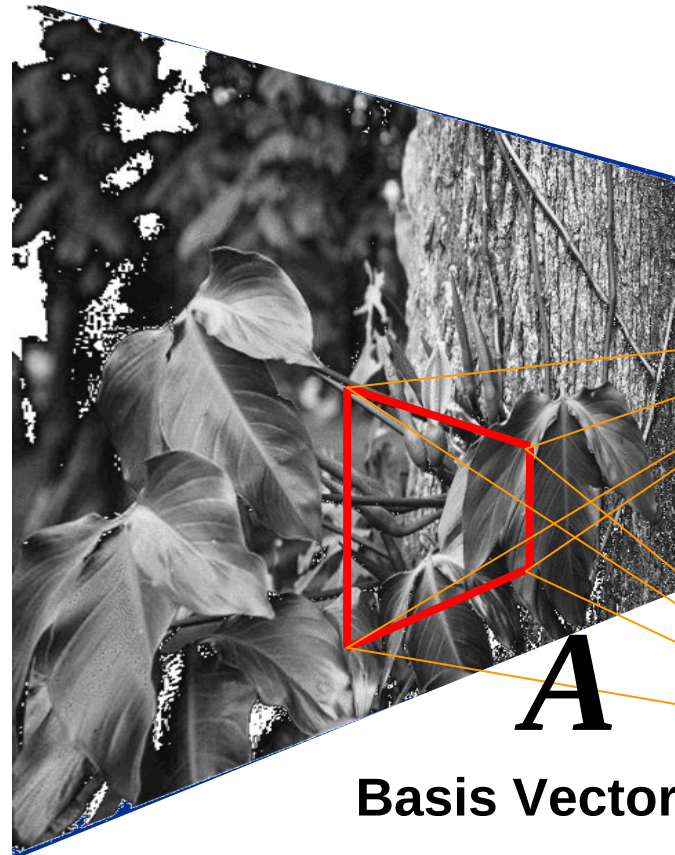


Natural Scene Analysis

External World

$$\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{s}(t)$$

$$\mathbf{y}(t) = \mathbf{W}\mathbf{x}(t)$$



Internal Model

$\mathbf{S}$

Latent Variable

Basis Vectors

$\mathbf{X}$

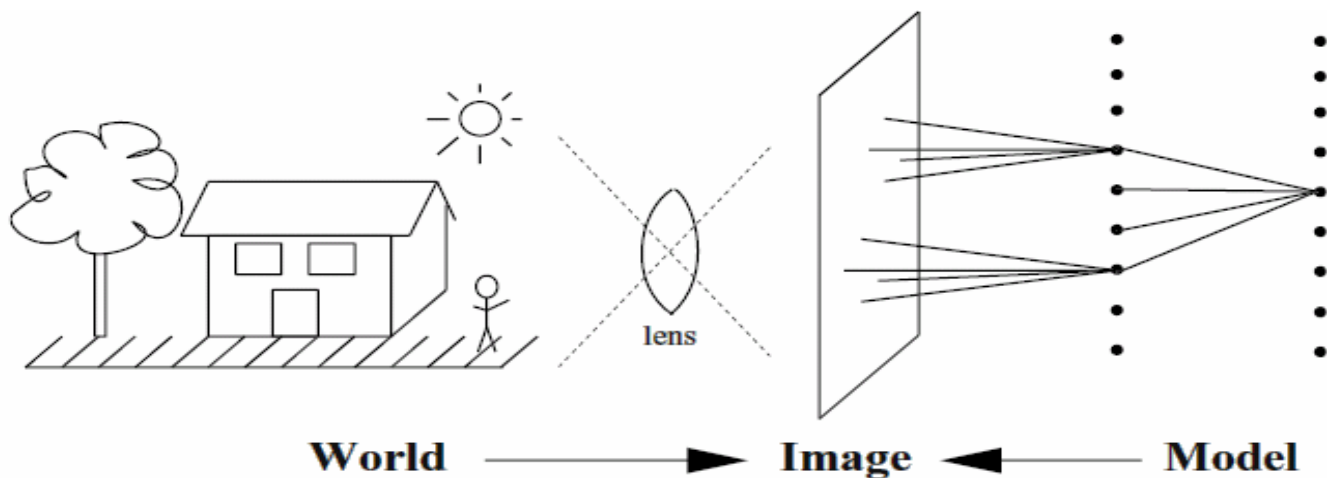
Image patch



Redundancy Reduction

(Barlow 1961; Attneave 1954)

- Natural images are redundant in that there exist statistical dependencies among pixel values in space and time.
- In order to make efficient use of resources, the visual system should reduce redundancy by removing statistical dependencies.

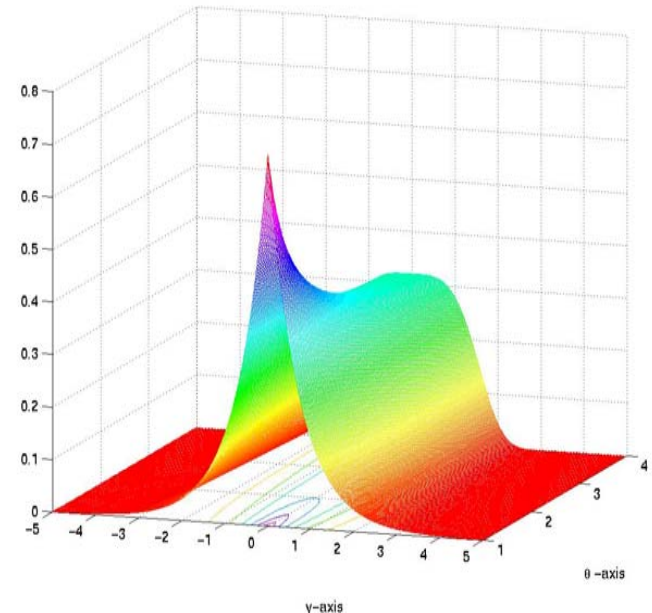




Sparse Representation

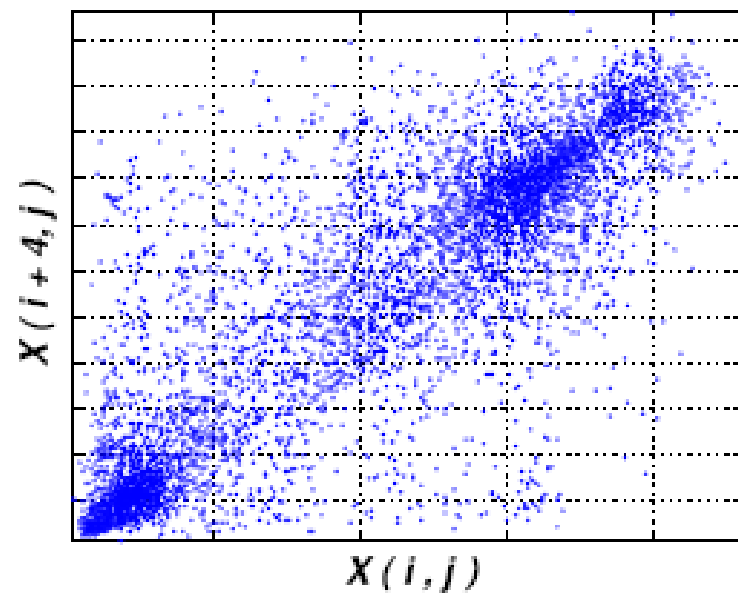
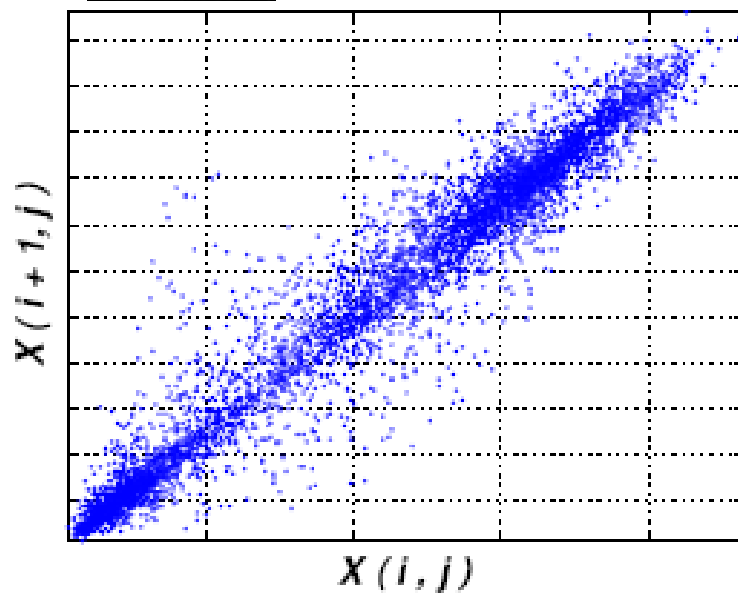
$$p_G(y, \theta) = \frac{1}{2\sigma\Gamma(1/\theta)} \exp\left(-\left|\frac{y}{\sigma}\right|^\theta\right)$$

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Sparse, when } \theta < 2; \\ \text{Gaussian, when } \theta = 2; \\ \text{Nonsparse, when } \theta > 2. \end{array} \right.$





Correlation Between Pixels





The Cost Function

$$E(a, \phi) = \sum_{x,y} [I(x, y) - \sum_i a_i \phi_i(x, y)]^2 + \beta \sum_i S\left(\frac{a_i}{\sigma_i}\right)$$

$$S(x): \quad \log(1 + x^2); \quad |x|^p \quad (0 < p < 2)$$

where I is input; and $\phi(x,y)$ is the internal representation



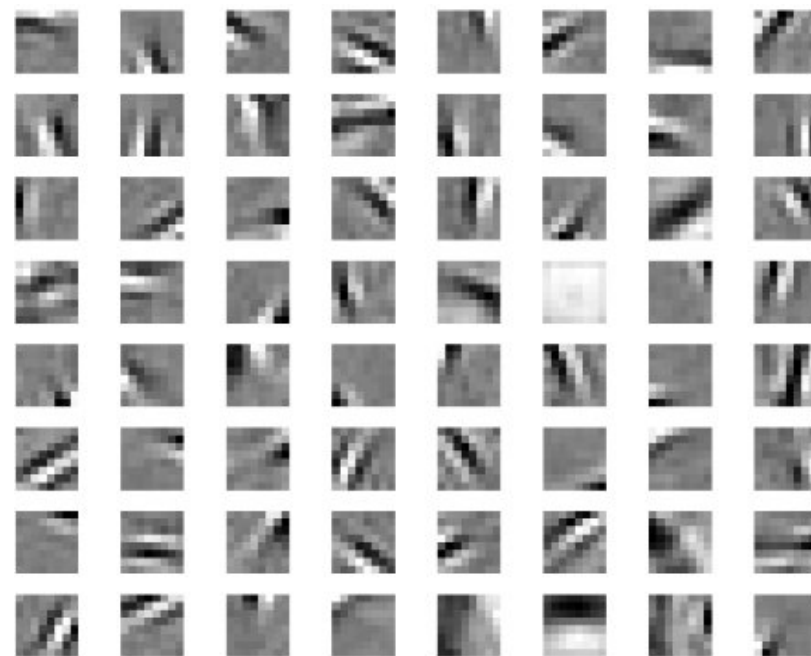
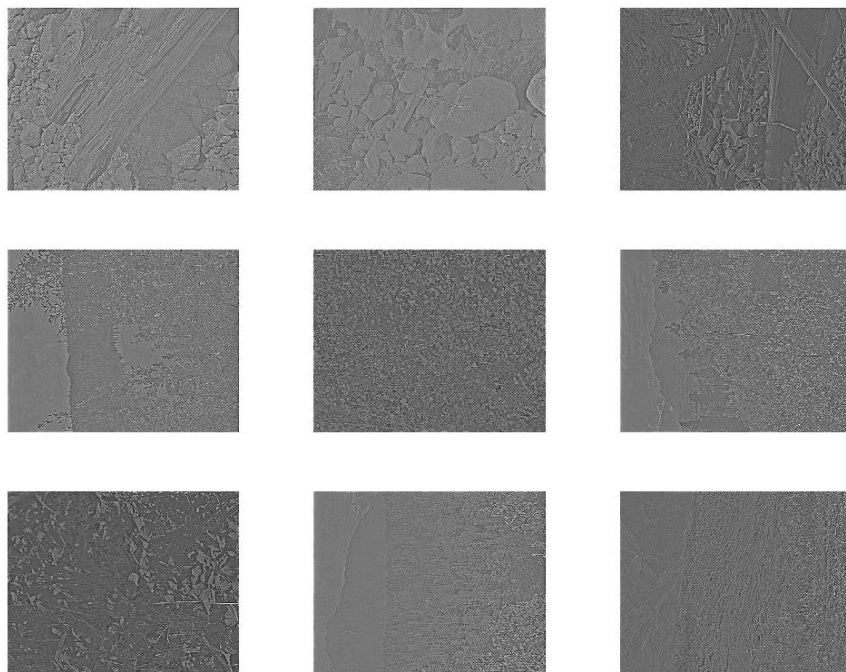
Training with Natural Images

❑ Training: 10 images (512x512)

❑ Batch size: 100

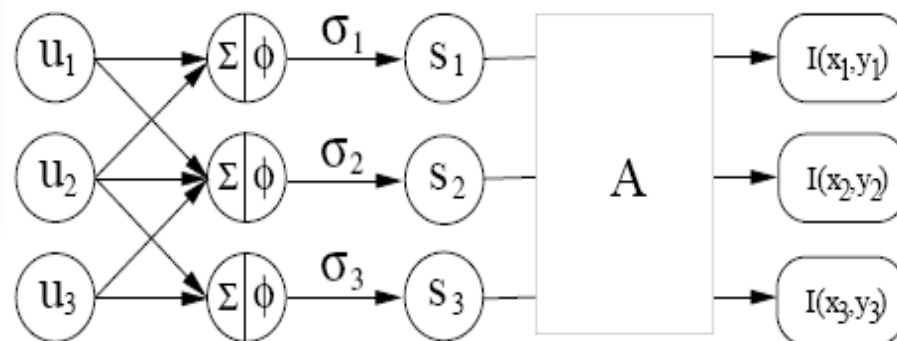
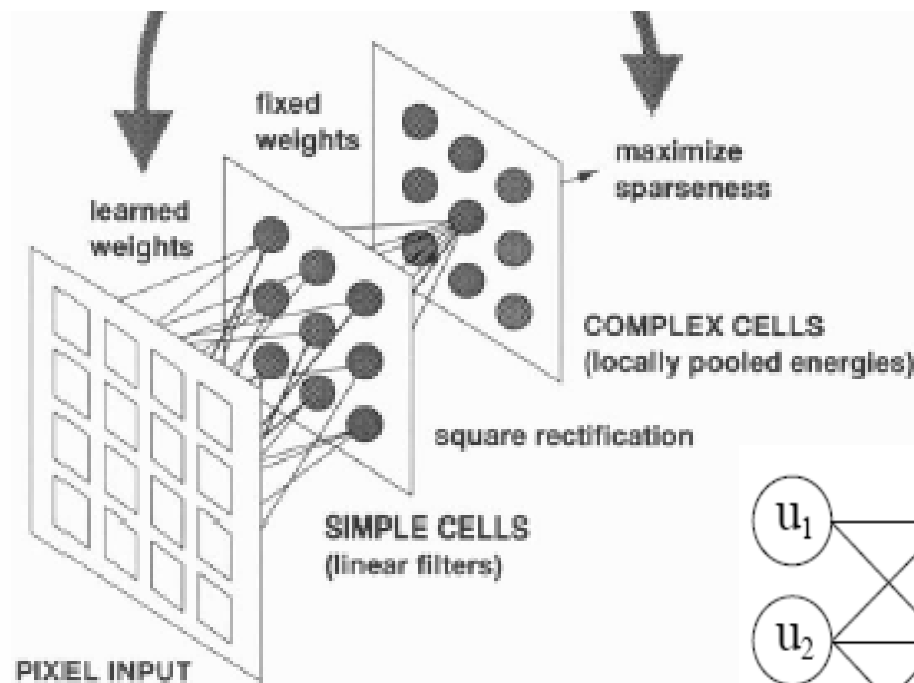
❑ 10,000 presentations

❑ Basis Function: 16x16

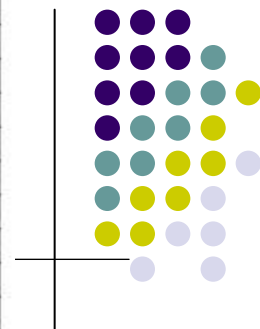




Topographic ICA complex cells



- Hyvarinen and Hoyer, 2001





Independent Coding Hypothesis

Each cortical neuron represents a separated signal.

Although many neurons may be involved in coding a particular object, the essential characteristic of the independent coding is that all of the information carried by one neuron is independent of that by any other neurons.

- Retinal ganglion cells; S. Nirenberg, et al, 2001
- Neurons selective for direction; deCharms, 1998
- Neurons for determining a motor task, Georgopoulos, 1990; Schwartz, 1994



Independent Decomposition

The purpose of Independent Decomposition is to decompose the sensor signals into the components which are maximally mutually independent.

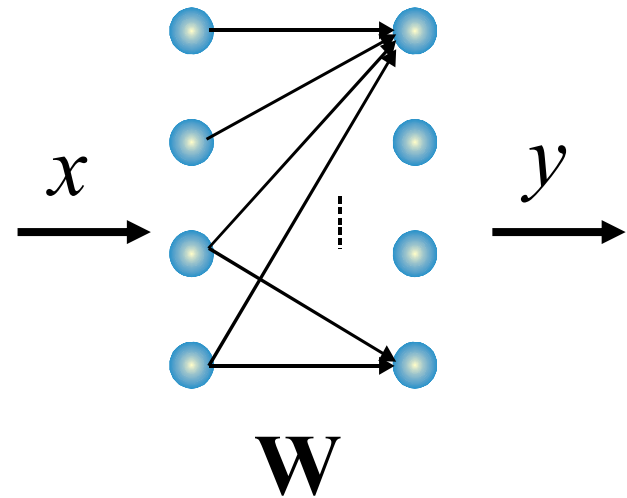
Problem:

$$\min I(y)$$

where $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n)^T$

$$y = (y_1, \dots, y_m)^T$$

$$y = \mathbf{W}x$$

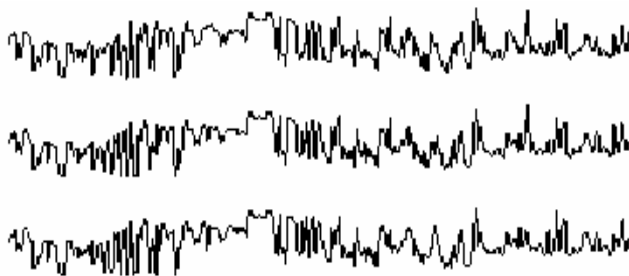
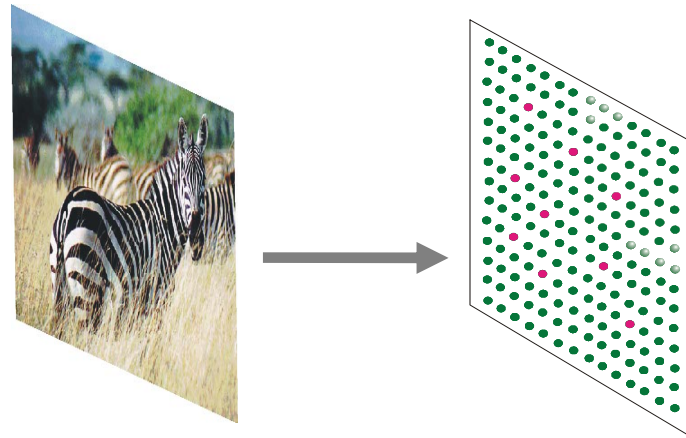




Sparseness I



- Spatial Sparseness
 - Small rate of neurons response to a stimulus
- Temporal Sparseness

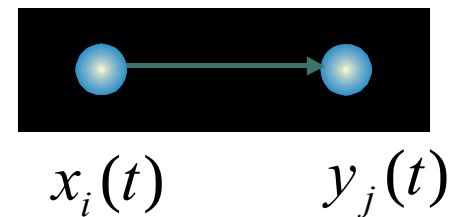




Hebbian vs. ICA Learning

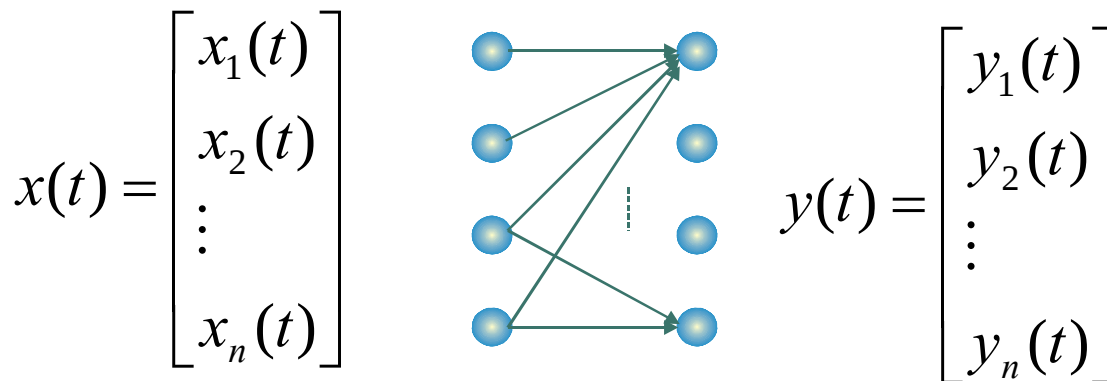
- Hebbian Learning rule:

$$\Delta w_{ij}(t) = \eta x_i(t) y_j(t)$$



- ICA Learning rule:

$$\Delta W = \eta (I - \phi(y) y^T) W; \quad y = Wx.$$





Sparse Representation for Image

- Image model:
 - a linear superposition of basis functions and adapted these functions so as to maximize the sparsity of the representation while preserving information in the images.
- Probabilistic model
 - Olshausen & Field 1997;
 - Bell, et al 1997,
 - Hateren et al 1998;
 - Lewicki & Olshausen 1999.
 - Hyvärinen & Hoyer (2000) complex cell
 - Vinje & Gallant (2000)
 - Ma, et al 2006 (Overcomplete Sparse Representation)

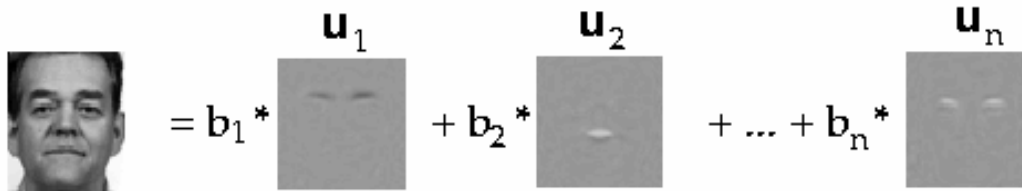


Independent Image Basis

- Images are modeled as a linear superposition of basis functions $u_i(x, y)$

$$I(x, y) = \sum_i b_i u_i(x, y) + v(x, y)$$

ICA Representation = $(b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n)$.

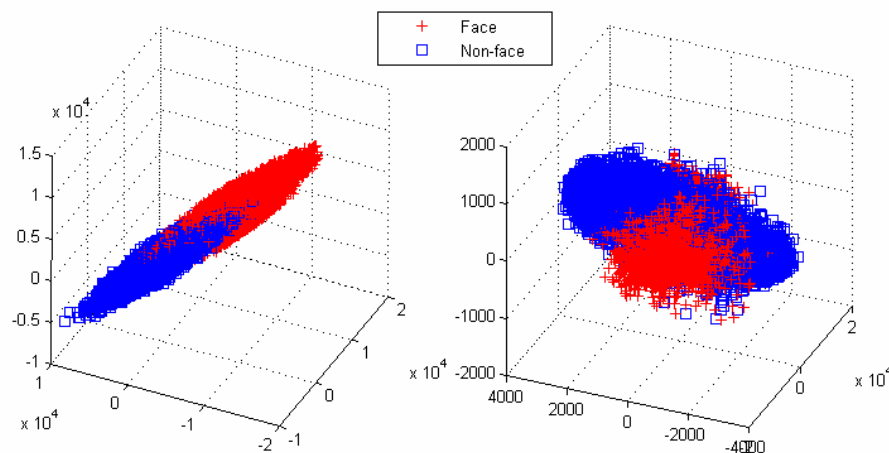
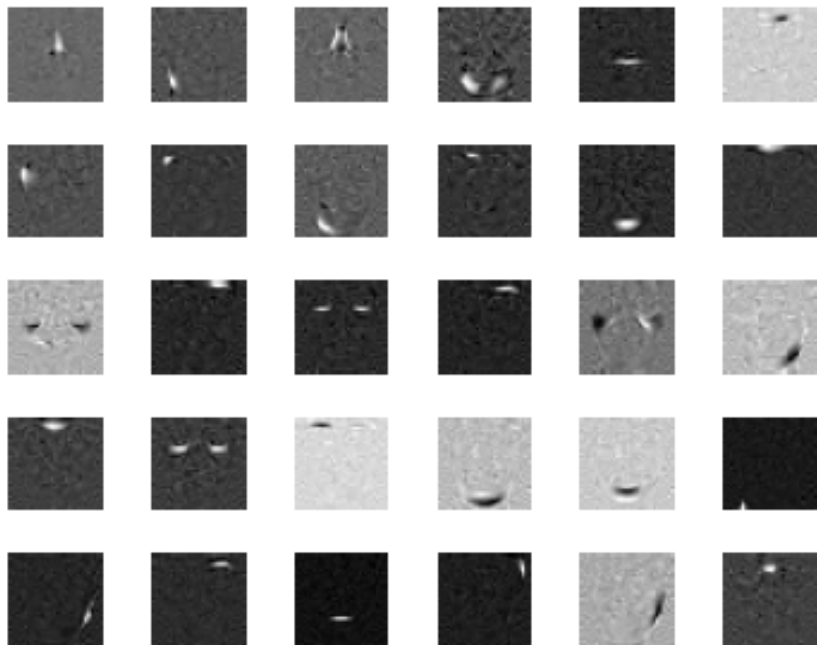


The diagram shows a grayscale face image on the left, followed by an equals sign and a series of terms: $b_1 * u_1 + b_2 * u_2 + \dots + b_n * u_n$. Each u_i is represented by a small grayscale image showing a specific facial feature, such as eyes or a mouth.

- (Field & Olshausen, 1996; Bell & Sejnowski, 1997)



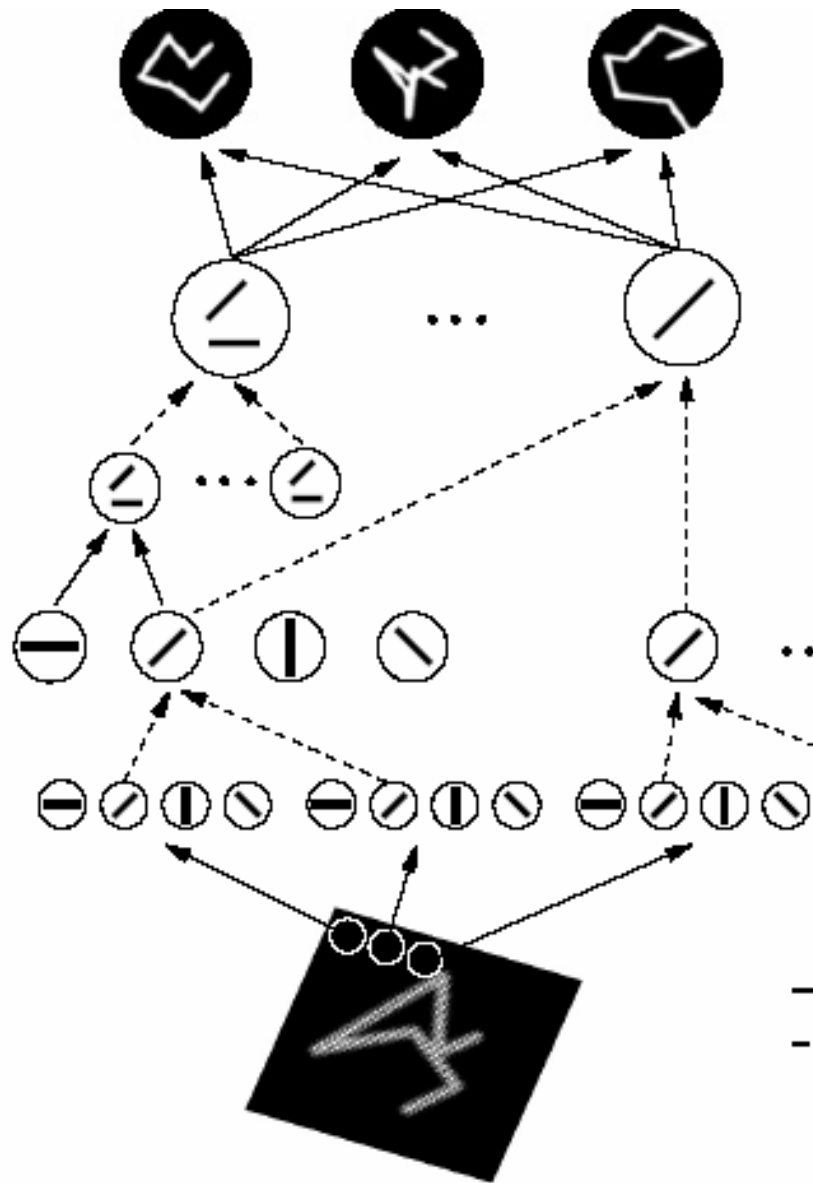
Face Local Features



Zhao and Zhang, 2006



Feedforward Hierarchical Architecture



What pooling mechanism to produce robust feature detectors?





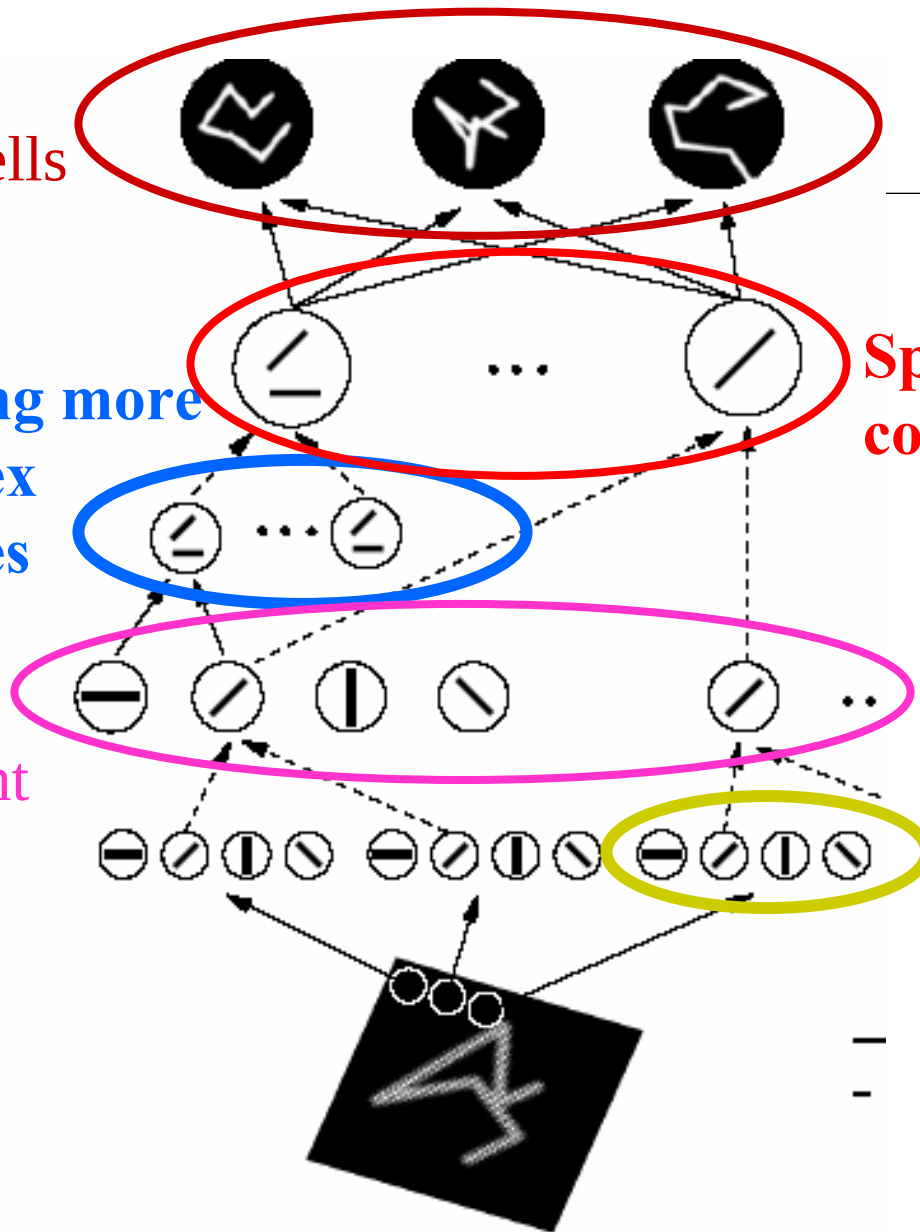
View tuned cells

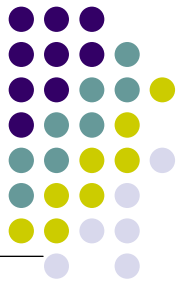
Building more
complex
features

Simple features,
spatially invariant

Spatially invariant
complex features

Simple features
at spatial location





Overcomplete Representation

- Statistical Model

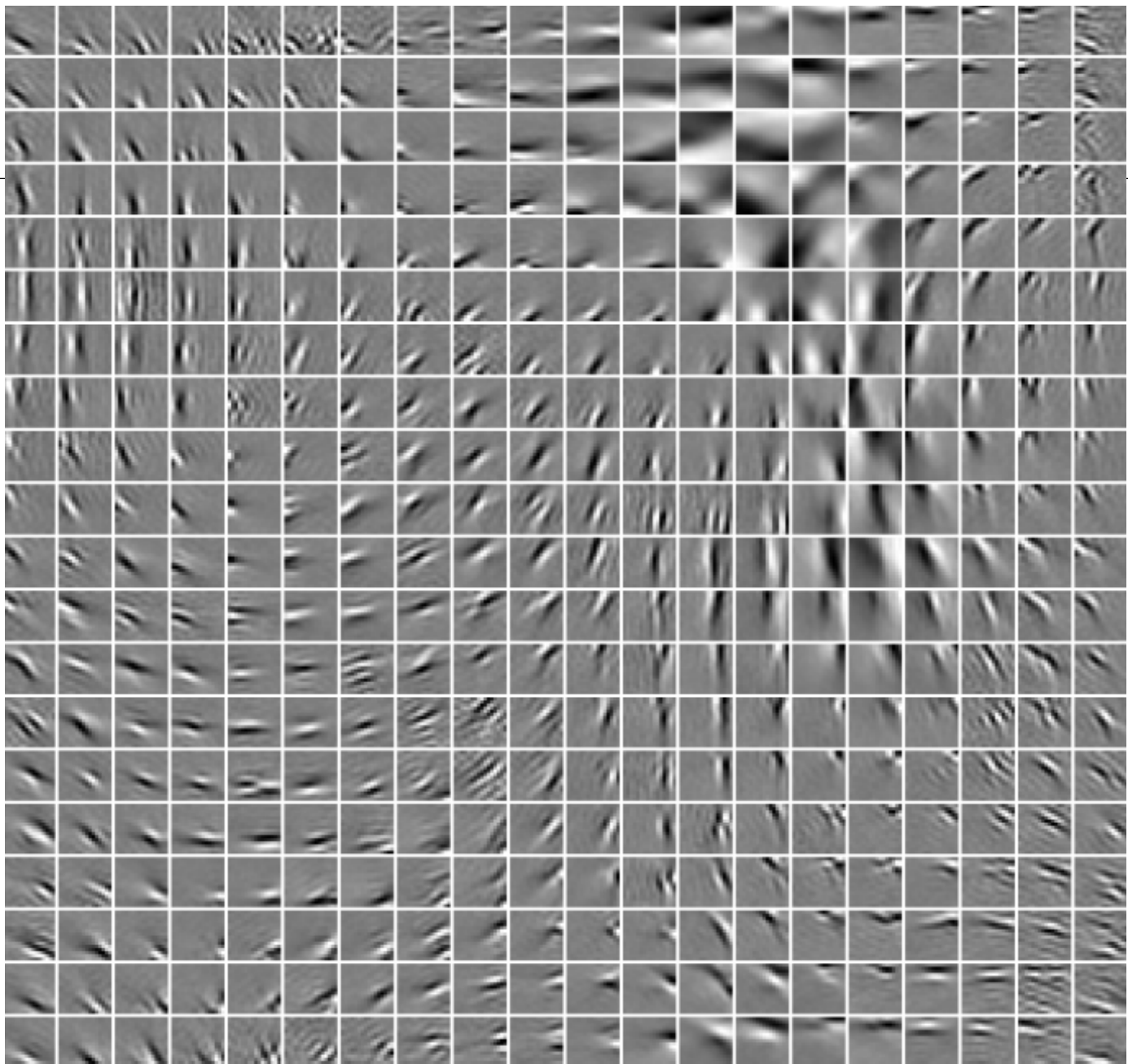
$$p(A | z) = \frac{p(z | A) p(A)}{p(z)}$$

- Intermediate variables

$$y_i = a_i^T z = a_i^T A s = s_i + \sum_j a_i^T a_j s_j$$

- Priors

$$p(A) = c_m \prod_{i < j} (1 - (a_i^T a_j)^2)^{\frac{m-3}{2}}$$





Learning algorithms

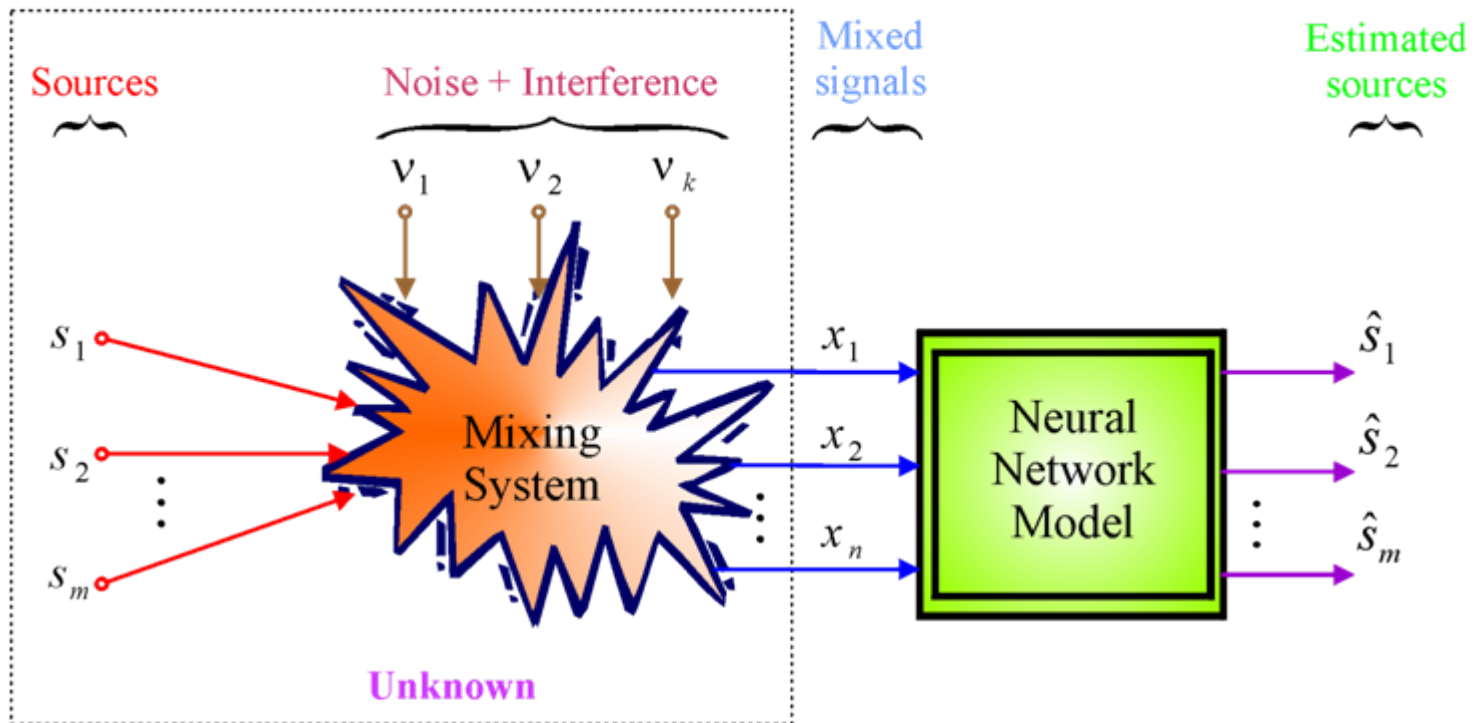
- Natural gradient algorithm
- Conjugate gradient algorithm
- Temporal ICA
- Activation adaptation
- Stability Analysis
- Efficiency



ICA Framework



Problem definition: How to recover the original source signals ?



Assumption: Mutual Independency of Sources



Cost Function

The Kullback-Leibler Divergence between two probability density functions $p(y)$ and $q(y) = \prod_{i=1}^n p_i(y_i)$

$$D(p, q) = \int p(y) \log \left(\frac{p(y)}{\prod_{i=1}^n p_i(y_i)} \right) dy$$

where $p(y)$ is the pdf of y . The output signals y are mutually independent if and only if

$$D(p, q) = 0$$



Cost Function (II)

The Kullback-Leibler Divergence is employed as a cost function, which can be simplified as follows

$$l(y, W) = -\log|\det(W)| - \sum_{i=1}^n \log q(y_i)$$

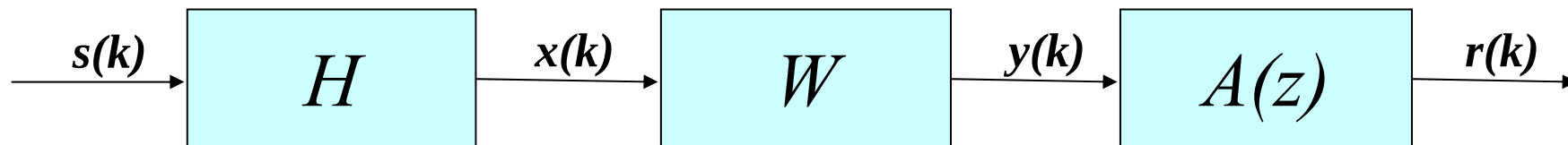
where $\mathbf{W}$ is the demixing model, and $q_i(y_i)$ is an estimation of the true probability density function $p_i(y_i)$ of source signals

(Amari et al 1997; Zhang et al, IEEE SPL1998)



Temporal ICA

- To use the temporal structures of source signals to train the ICA model



IRA Model:

$$r(k) = A(z)Wx(k)$$

$$\Delta W = \mu \left(I - \sum_{p=0}^L A_p \phi(r) y^T(k-p) \right) W \quad A(z) = \sum_{p=0}^L A_p z^{-p}$$



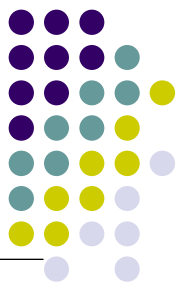
Manifold of Matrices

The manifold of nonsingular $n \times n$ matrices is an open sub-manifold of $\mathcal{M}(n, \mathbf{R})$, the set of $n \times n$ matrices, defined by

$$\mathcal{M}(n) = \{\mathbf{W} \in \mathbf{R}^{n \times n} \mid \det(\mathbf{W}) \neq 0\},$$

For example, the blind source separation model

$$\mathbf{r}(k) = \mathbf{A}(z)\mathbf{W}\mathbf{x}(k)$$



Geodesic

A geodesic is the shortest path connecting two elements on a manifold.

$$\mathbf{W}(0) = \mathbf{W}_1, \mathbf{W}'(0) = \mathbf{X}_1.$$

In this case, the geodesic is explicitly expressed by

$$\mathbf{W}(t) = \exp(t\mathbf{X}_1 \mathbf{W}_1^{-1}) \mathbf{W}_1.$$



Natural Gradient

$$\frac{d}{dt} L(\mathbf{W}(t)) \big|_{t=0} = \text{tr} \left(\frac{\partial L(\mathbf{W})}{\partial \mathbf{W}} \mathbf{X}^T \right)$$

$$\nabla L(\mathbf{W}) = \frac{\partial L(\mathbf{W})}{\partial \mathbf{W}} \mathbf{W}^T \mathbf{W}$$



Conjugate Gradient Direction

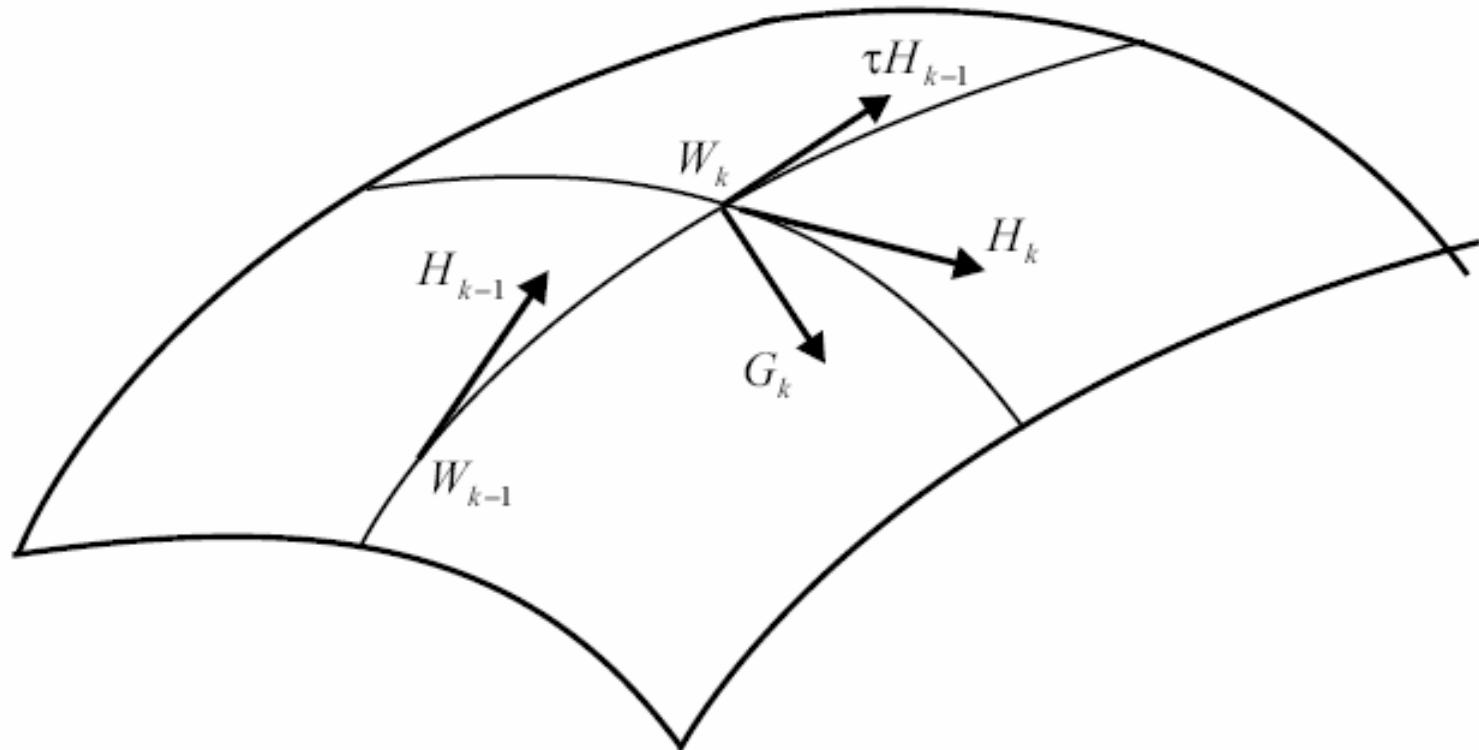
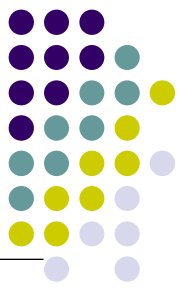
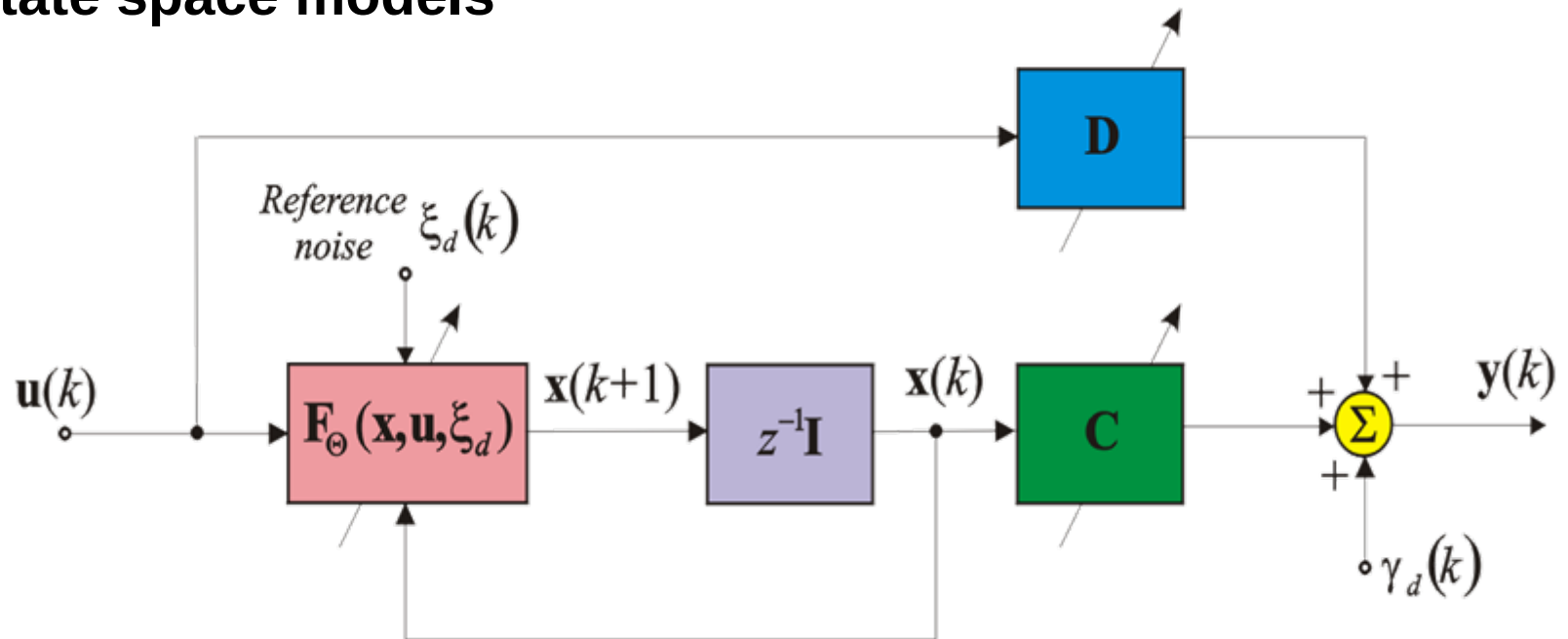


Fig. 2. Illustration of the conjugate gradient direction on the Riemannian manifold



Dynamic ICA

- The representation model are described by nonlinear state space models





Deconvolution Model

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{x}(k+1) &= \mathbf{F}_{\Theta}(\mathbf{x}(k), \mathbf{u}(k), \xi_d(k)), \\ \mathbf{y}(k) &= \mathbf{C}\mathbf{x}(k) + \mathbf{D}\mathbf{u}(k) + \gamma_d(k).\end{aligned}$$

- $\mathbf{u}(k) = (u_1(k), \dots, u_m(k))^T$: the vector of m -sensor signals;
- $\mathbf{x}(k) = (x_1(k), \dots, x_m(k))^T$: the vector of m -states of the deconvolution model;
- $\mathbf{y}(k) = (y_1(k), \dots, y_m(k))^T$: the output of the demixing model, used to estimate the sources $\mathbf{s}(k)$

Θ , $\mathbf{C}$ and $\mathbf{D}$ are the free parameters in the demixing model



Cost Function (cont.)

The Kullback-Leibler Divergence is employed as a cost function, which can be simplified as follows

$$l(y, W) = -\log|\det(D)| - \sum_{i=1}^n \log q(y_i)$$

Where $\mathbf{W}=[\mathbf{C}, \mathbf{D}]$, where $q_i(y_i)$ is an estimation of the true probability density function $p_i(y_i)$ of source signals

(Zhang et al, NIPS1998)



Natural Gradient Learning

Natural Gradient

$$\vec{\nabla} l(\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{W}) = \nabla l(\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{W}) \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} + \mathbf{C}^T \mathbf{C} & \mathbf{C}^T \mathbf{D} \\ \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{C} & \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{D} \end{bmatrix}$$

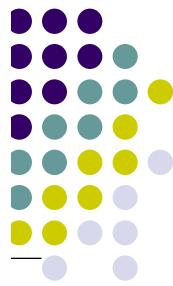
Natural Gradient Learning

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta \mathbf{C}(k) &= \eta((I - \varphi(y)y^T)\mathbf{C} - \varphi(y)x^T), \\ \Delta \mathbf{D}(k) &= \eta(I - \varphi(y)y^T)\mathbf{D}. \end{aligned}$$

(Zhang et al, ICA2001, Zhang et al, JSP2002)



Table 11.1 Family of adaptive learning algorithms for state-space models.

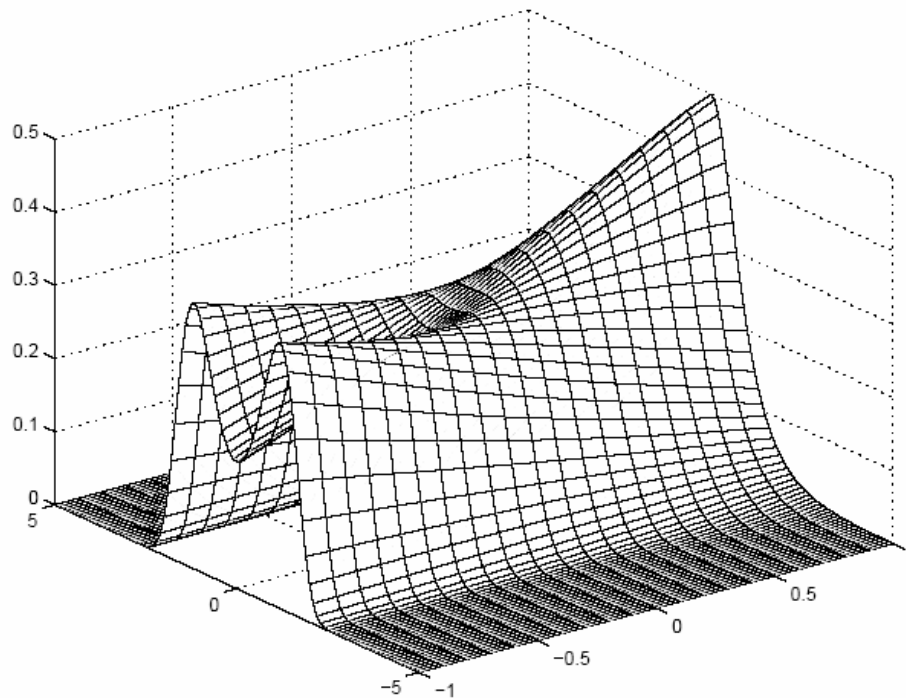


Reference	Model	Algorithm
Zhang and Cichocki (1998) [1352]	linear	$\Delta \mathbf{C} = -\eta \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{y}) \mathbf{y}^T$ $\Delta \mathbf{D} = \eta [\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{y}) \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{D}^T] \mathbf{D}$
Zhang and Cichocki (1998) [1353]	linear	$\Delta \mathbf{C} = \eta [(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{y}) \mathbf{y}^T) \mathbf{C} - \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{y}) \mathbf{y}^T]$ $\Delta \mathbf{D} = \eta [\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{y}) \mathbf{y}^T] \mathbf{D}$ <i>with Kalman filter</i>
Cichocki and Zhang (1998) [1354]	nonlinear	$\Delta \mathbf{C} = \eta [(\mathbf{\Lambda} - \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{y}) \mathbf{y}^T) \mathbf{C} - \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{y}) \mathbf{y}^T]$ $\Delta \mathbf{D} = \eta [\mathbf{\Lambda} - \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{y}) \mathbf{y}^T] \mathbf{D}$
Cichocki and Zhang (1998) [281]	nonlinear	Two-stage approach
Cichocki and Zhang (1999) [282]	nonlinear	$\Delta \mathbf{C} = \eta [(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{y}) \mathbf{y}^T) \mathbf{C} - \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{y}) \mathbf{y}^T \mathbf{\Lambda}]$ $\Delta \mathbf{D} = \eta [\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{y}) \mathbf{y}^T] \mathbf{D}$
Salam and Waheed (2001) [1034]	linear	Recurrent network
Salam and Erten (1999) [1033]	nonlinear	Lagrange multiplier approach
Zhang and Cichocki [1358, 1359]	nonholonomic	$\Delta[\mathbf{C} \mathbf{D}] = -\eta \nabla \mathcal{R} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} + \mathbf{C}^T \mathbf{C} & \mathbf{C}^T \mathbf{D} \\ \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{C} & \mathbf{D}^T \mathbf{D} \end{bmatrix}$
(Cichocki and Amari's Book, pp435)		$\Delta \mathbf{C}(k) = \eta(k) \left[\mathbf{\Lambda}^{(k)} - \mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{f} \mathbf{y}}^{(k)} \quad \mathbf{C}(k) - \mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{f}}^{(k)} \right]$ $\Delta \mathbf{D}(k) = \eta(k) \left[\mathbf{\Lambda}^{(k)} - \mathbf{R}_{\mathbf{f} \mathbf{y}}^{(k)} \right] \mathbf{D}(k)$



Activation Function Adaptation

$$p_e(y, \theta) = \exp \left(-\theta \frac{|y|^4}{4} - (1 - \theta) \log \operatorname{sech}(y) + \mathcal{N}(\theta) \right).$$





Activation Function Adaptation (II)

$$\frac{\partial l(\mathbf{y}, \boldsymbol{\theta}, \mathbf{W})}{\partial \boldsymbol{\theta}_i} = \frac{\partial \psi(y_i, \boldsymbol{\theta}_i)}{\partial \boldsymbol{\theta}_i} - \mathcal{N}'(\boldsymbol{\theta}_i).$$

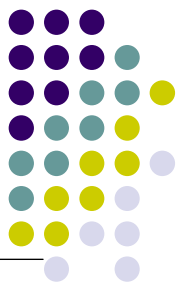
$$\Delta \boldsymbol{\theta}_i = \eta \left(\int_0^{y_i} \frac{\partial \varphi(\tau, \boldsymbol{\theta})}{\partial \boldsymbol{\theta}_i} d\tau - \mathcal{N}'(\boldsymbol{\theta}_i) \right).$$

(Zhang et al, IEEE NN 2004)

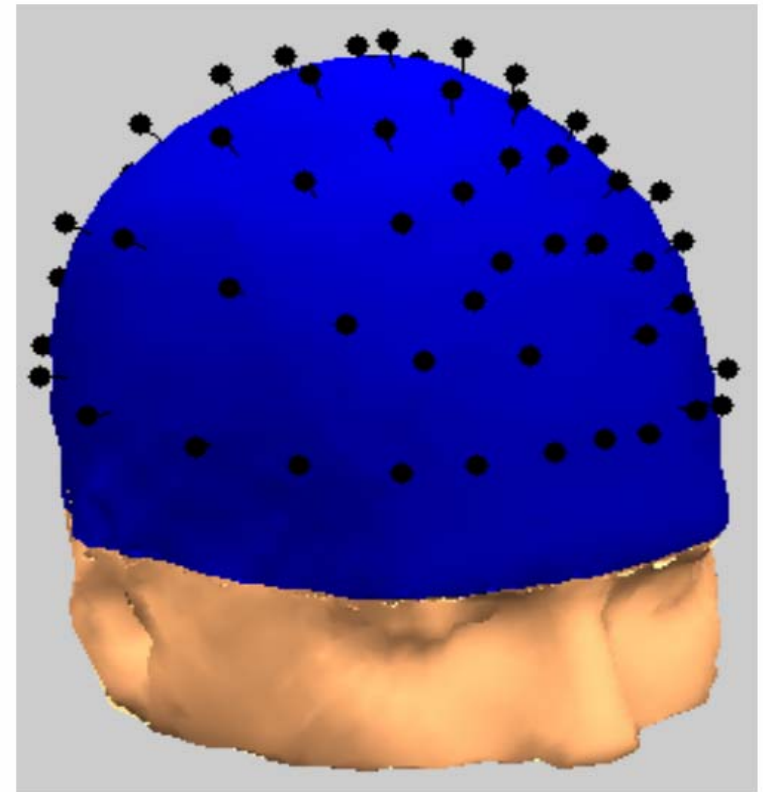
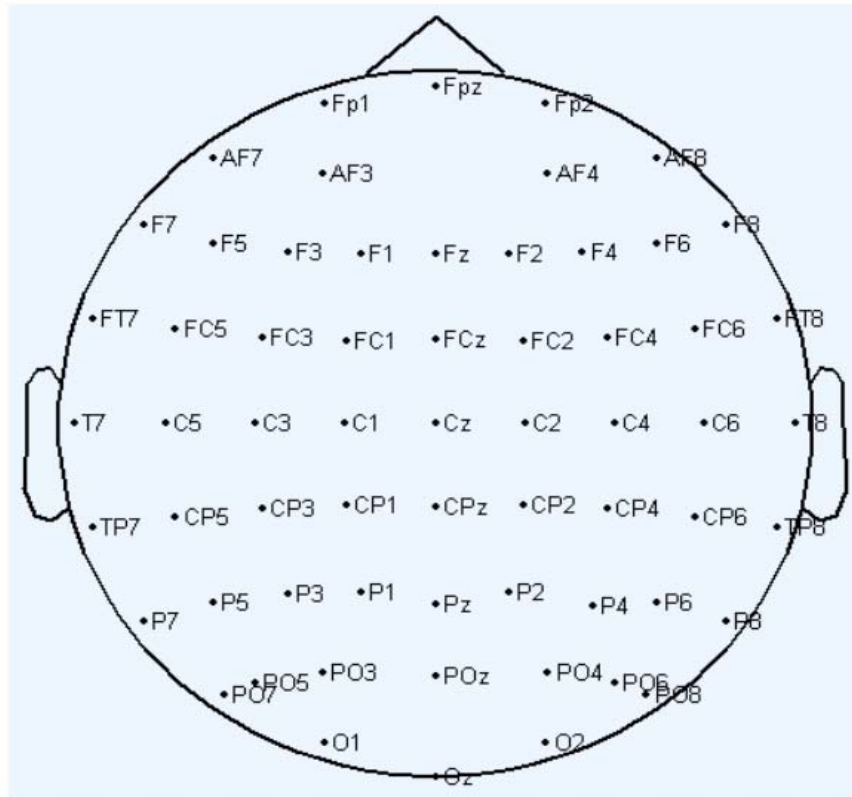


NeuronScan EEG



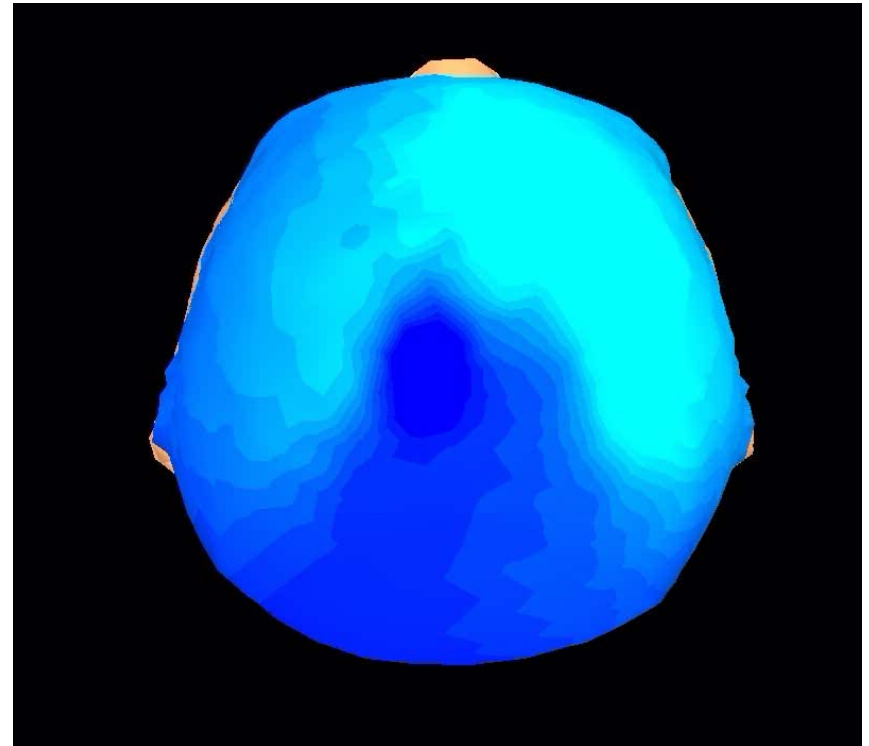
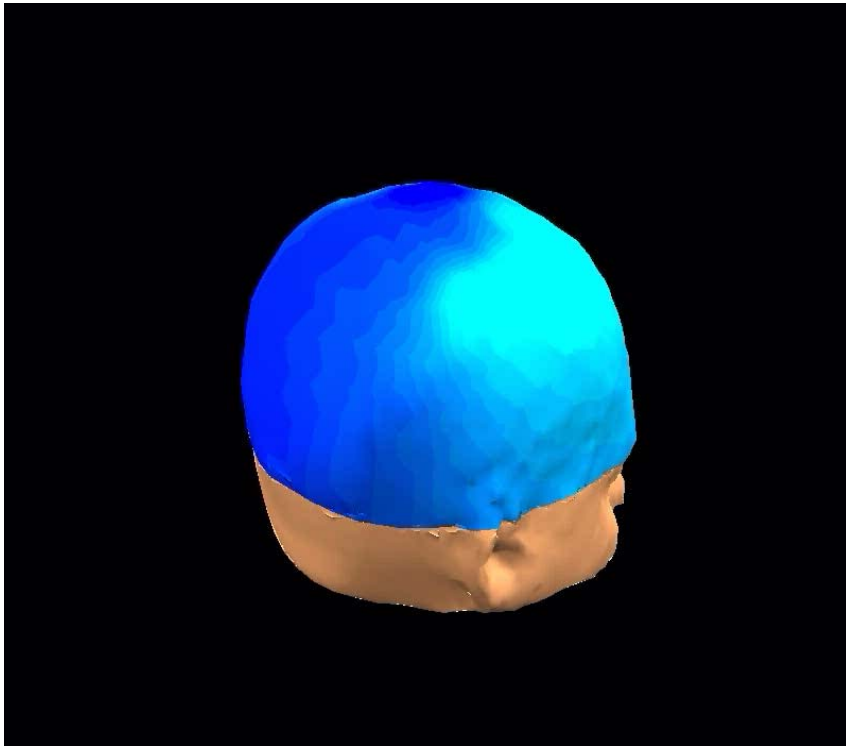


NeuroScan Electrodes Distribution



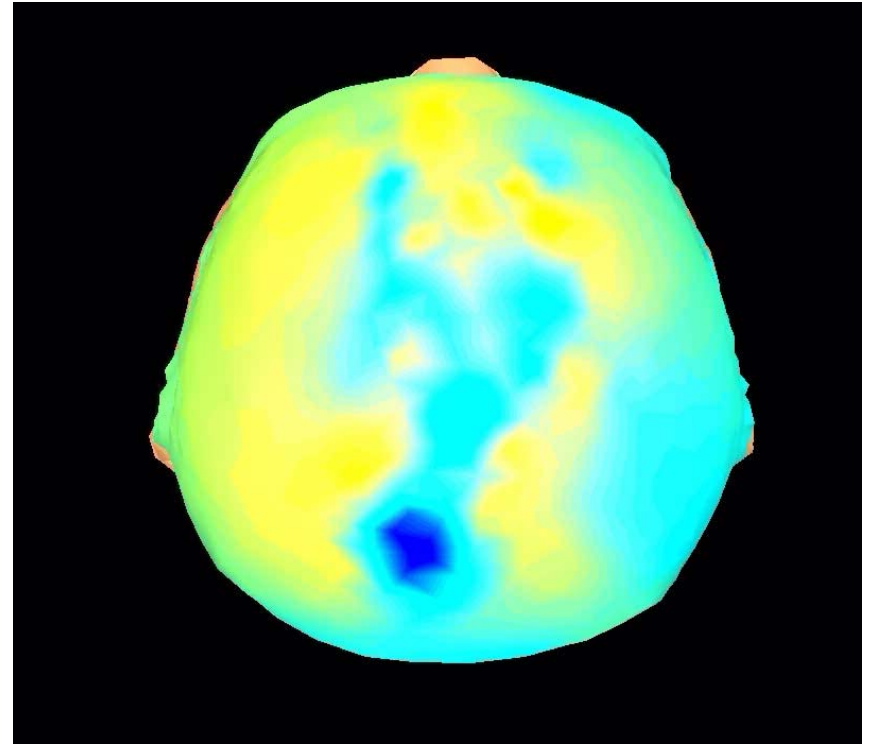
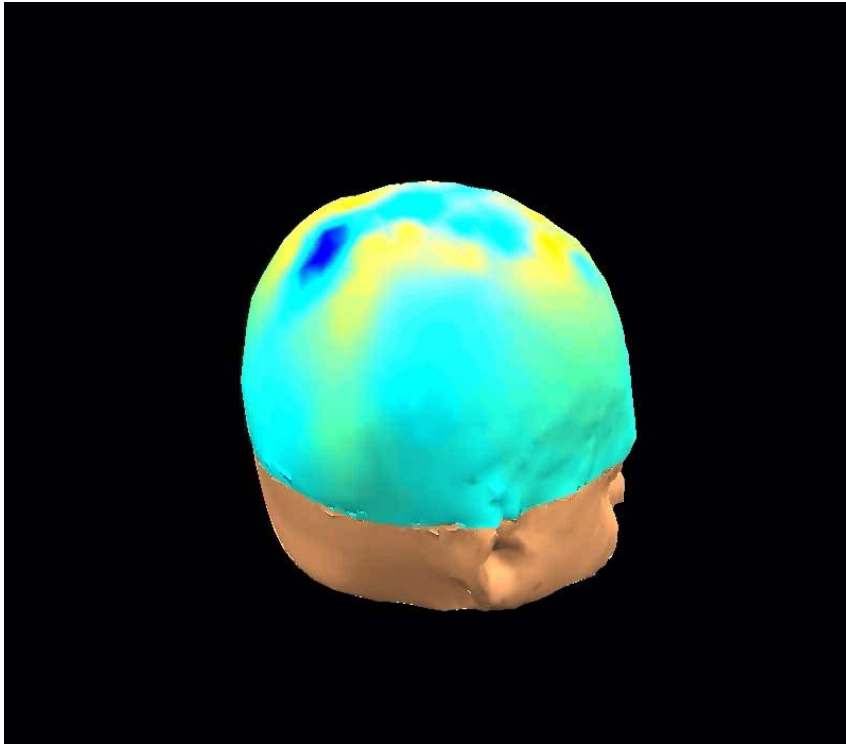


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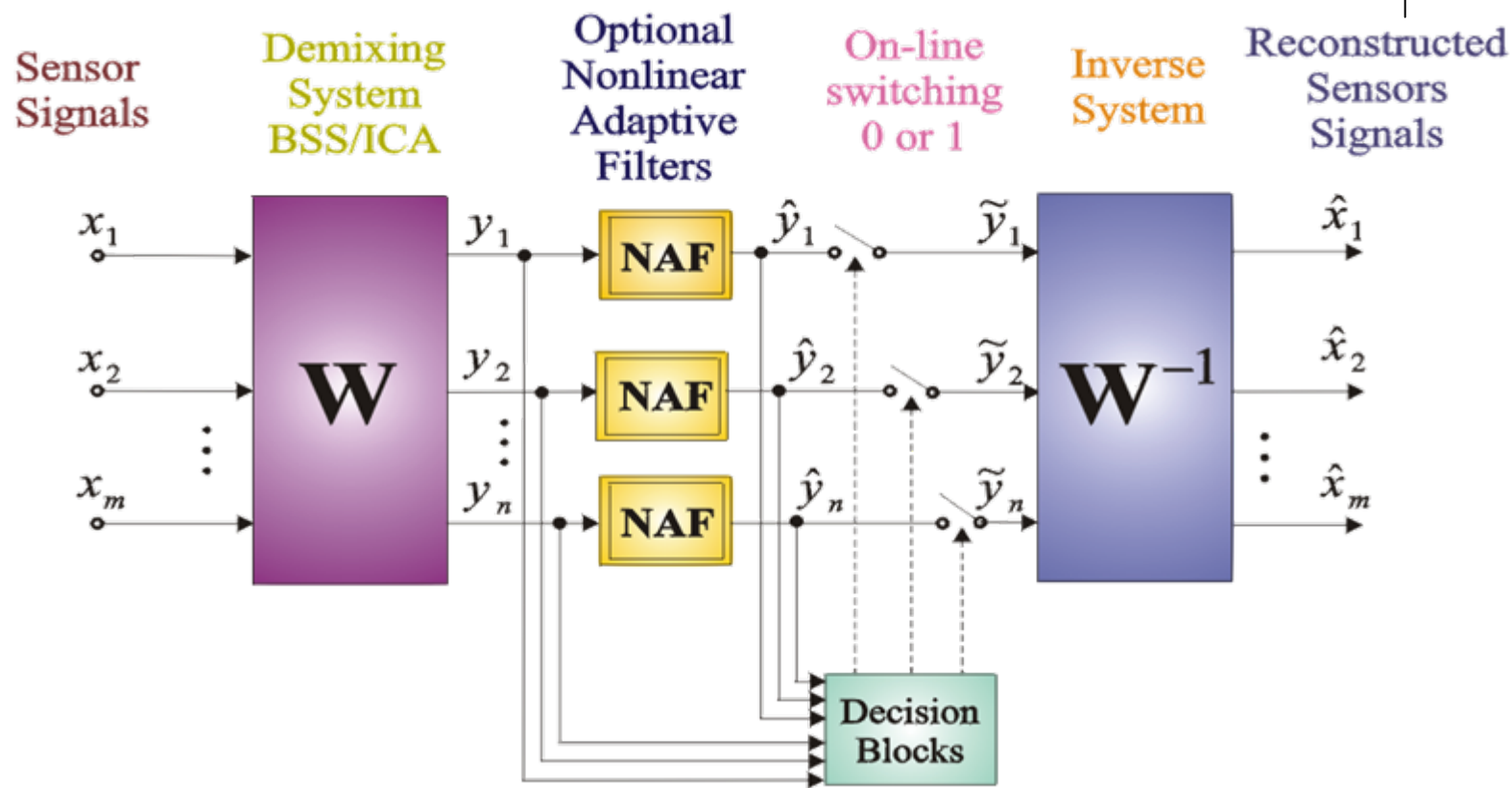
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Zhao Qibin, BCI Poster



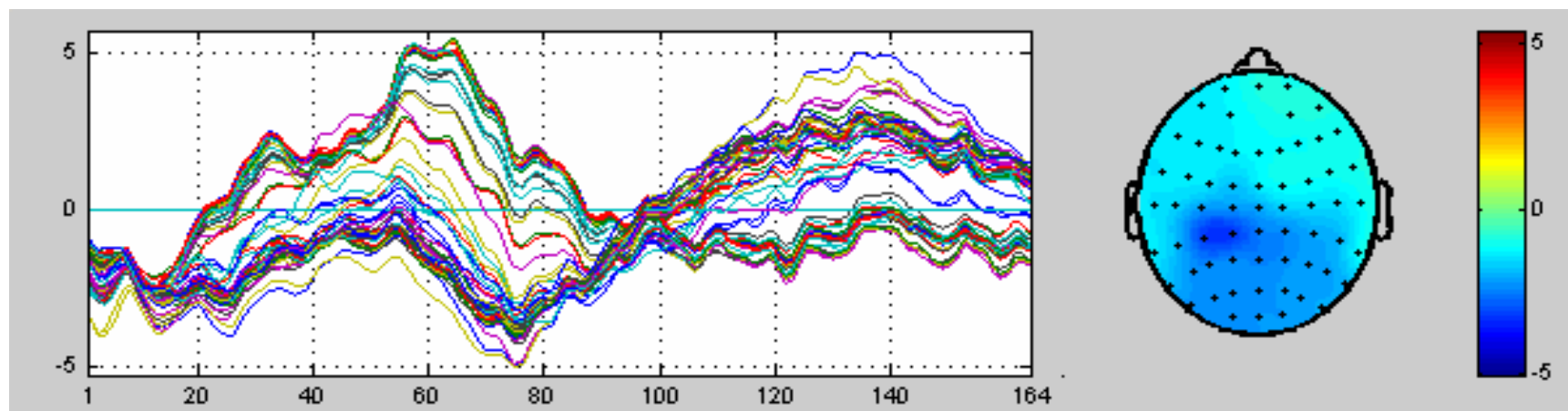
脑诱发电位（源）估计

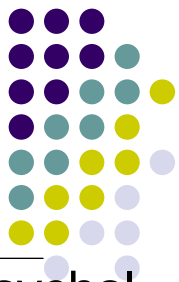


Intelligent "Decision Blocks" allow to switch off/on each channel automatically depending on features of separated signals.



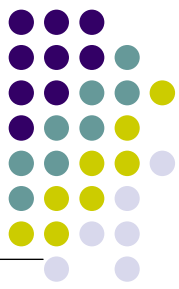
VEP Localization





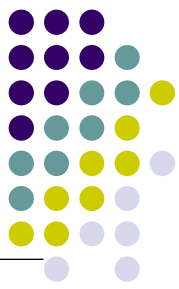
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