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Sparse Signal Recovery, Compression, and Communication

Vivek Goyal, MIT

Sparsity has become a pervasive theme in signal processing and has recently led to wholesale reexamination of data acquisition methods. Specifically, the central result in compressed sensing is that an approximately-sparse signal can be estimated well from a surprisingly small number of randomized measurements, through the use of a convex optimization procedure. This overturns conventional ideas about sample density and resolution. In addition to reviewing the development of compressed sensing, this talk will focus on the acquisition of (exactly) sparse signals and how this relates to compression and communication. Through recent results on recovering the sparsity pattern of a signal, we explain the performance of common convex optimization and greedy reconstruction techniques relative to both optimal and computationally-trivial methods. Applications and extensions of these ideas for random access communication are also discussed.

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