

# Hybrid Projection Methods with Recycling for Large Inverse Problems

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$$\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}_{true} + \epsilon$$

where

$\mathbf{b} \in \mathbb{R}^M$  - observed data

$\mathbf{x}_{true} \in \mathbb{R}^N$  - desired solution

$\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{M \times N}$  ( $M \geq N$ ) - models the forward processes

$\epsilon \in \mathbb{R}^M$  - noise, statistical properties may be known

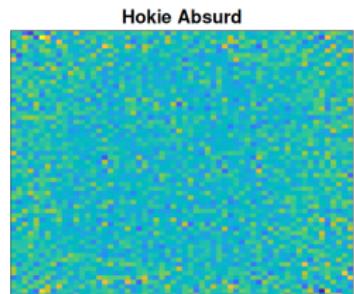
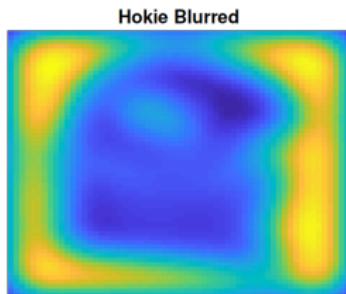
Goal: Given  $\mathbf{b}$  and  $\mathbf{A}$ , compute approximation of  $\mathbf{x}_{true}$

# An Ill-Posed Inverse Problem

## Challenges:

- ▶ Solution may not exist
- ▶ Solution may not be unique
- ▶ Solution may not depend continuously on the data

Image deblurring:  $x_{LS} = \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{b}$



Example courtesy of Prof. Mark Embree(VT)

## Regularization

$$\min_x \{ \|Ax - b\|_2^2 + \lambda^2 R(x) \}$$

### Many choice of $R(x)$

- ▶ Tikhonov regularization(/ridge regression/weight decay)
- ▶ Total Variation regularization
- ▶  $\ell^1$  regularization
- ▶ Sparsity regularization

## Tikhonov solution

$$\begin{aligned}x_\lambda &= \arg \min_x \{ \|Ax - b\|_2^2 + \lambda^2 \|x\|_2^2 \} \\&= (\mathbf{A}^\top \mathbf{A} + \lambda^2 \mathbf{I}) \mathbf{A}^\top \mathbf{b} \\&= \mathbf{A}_\lambda^\dagger \mathbf{b}\end{aligned}$$

# Choosing Regularization Parameter $\lambda$

- ▶ Discrepancy Principle (DP):  $\|(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}_\lambda^\dagger)\mathbf{b}\|_2 < \nu_{\text{DP}}\sqrt{N\sigma}$
- ▶ Unbiased Predictive Risk Estimator (UPRE) - Mallow (1973)

$$\min_\lambda \frac{1}{N} \|(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}_\lambda^\dagger)\mathbf{b}\|_2^2 + \frac{2\sigma^2}{N} \text{trace}(\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}_\lambda^\dagger) - \sigma^2$$

- ▶ Generalized Cross Validation (GCV) - Golub, Heath and Wahba (1979)

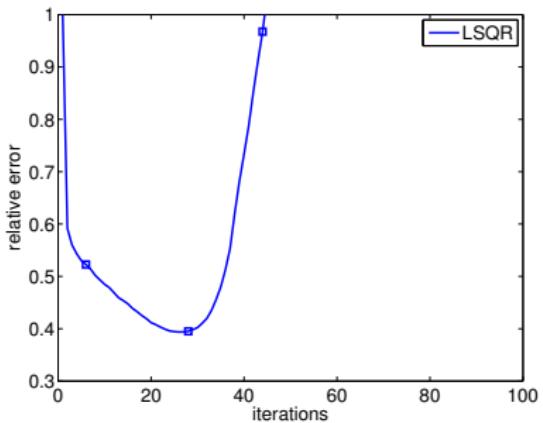
$$\min_\lambda \frac{N \|(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}_\lambda^\dagger)\mathbf{b}\|_2^2}{\left[ \text{trace}(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}_\lambda^\dagger) \right]^2}$$

- ▶ Weighted Generalized Cross Validation (WGCV) - Golub, Heath and Wahba (1979)

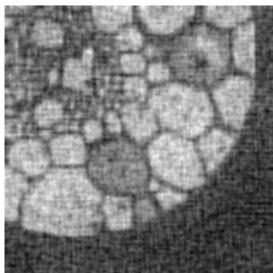
$$\min_\lambda \frac{N \|(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}_\lambda^\dagger)\mathbf{b}\|_2^2}{\left[ \text{trace}(\mathbf{I} - \omega \mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}_\lambda^\dagger) \right]^2}$$

# Iterative Regularization

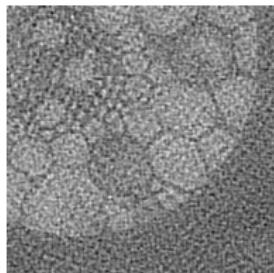
- ▶ Apply standard iterative method to least squares problem,  $\min_x \|\mathbf{Ax} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^2$ , and terminate early
- ▶ Relative error:  $\frac{\|\mathbf{x}_m - \mathbf{x}_{true}\|_2}{\|\mathbf{x}_{true}\|_2}$



Iteration 6



Iteration 28



Iteration 44

## Hybrid Method: Golub-Kahan(GK) Bidiagonalization

Given  $\mathbf{A}$  and  $\mathbf{b}$ , initialize  $\beta_1 = \|\mathbf{b}\|_2$ ,  $\mathbf{u}_1 = \mathbf{b}/\beta_1$ ,  $\alpha_1 \mathbf{v}_1 = \mathbf{A}^\top \mathbf{u}_1$ . At each iteration,

$$\begin{aligned}\beta_{k+1} \mathbf{u}_{k+1} &= \mathbf{A} \mathbf{v}_k - \alpha_k \mathbf{u}_k \\ \alpha_{k+1} \mathbf{v}_{k+1} &= \mathbf{A}^\top \mathbf{u}_{k+1} - \beta_{k+1} \mathbf{v}_k.\end{aligned}$$

At iteration  $m$ ,

$$\mathbf{A} \mathbf{V}_m = \mathbf{U}_{m+1} \mathbf{B}_m$$

where  $\mathbf{U}_{m+1} = [\mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_{m+1}]$  and  $\mathbf{V}_m = [\mathbf{v}_1, \dots, \mathbf{v}_m]$  have

orthonormal columns, and  $\mathbf{B}_m = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_1 & & & \\ \beta_2 & \alpha_2 & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \\ & & \beta_m & \alpha_m \\ & & & \beta_{m+1} \end{bmatrix}$ .

# Hybrid Method

After  $m$  steps of GK bidiagonalization, solve the *projected* problem:

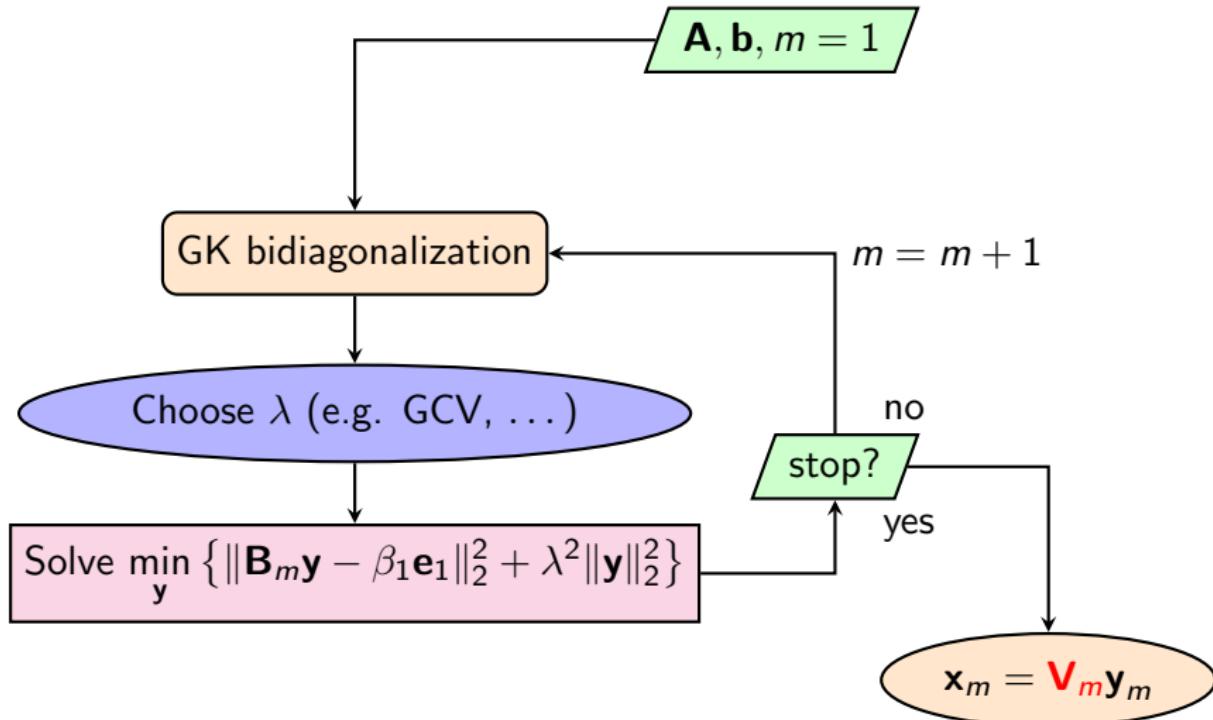
$$\min_{\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{R}(\mathbf{V}_m)} \|\mathbf{Ax} - \mathbf{b}\|_2^2 + \lambda^2 \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2 = \min_{\mathbf{y}} \|\mathbf{B}_m \mathbf{y} - \beta_1 \mathbf{e}_1\|_2^2 + \lambda^2 \|\mathbf{y}\|_2^2$$

where  $\mathbf{x}_m = \mathbf{V}_m \mathbf{y}$ , and  $\mathbf{V}_m \in N \times m$

Remarks:

- ▶ Ill-posed problem  $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}_m$  may be very ill-conditioned.
- ▶  $\mathbf{B}_m$  is much smaller than  $\mathbf{A}$
- ▶ Standard techniques (e.g. GCV) to find  $\lambda$  and stopping point

# Hybrid Method(HyBR)



[O'Leary, Simmons 1981], [Björck, Grimme, Van Dooren 1988], [Larsen 1998], [Kilmer, O'Leary 2001], [Golub, Von Matt, 1991], [Bazan, Borges, 2010], [Renaut, Hnětynková, Mead, 2010]

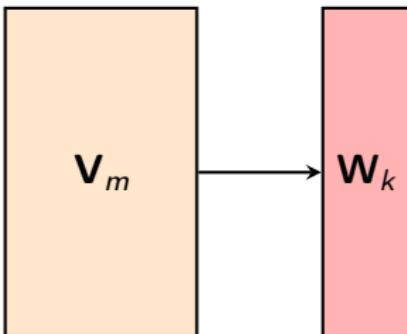
# Storage challenge

Storage cost of  $\mathbf{V}_m \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times m}$  is large

- ▶ Slow convergence: image deblurring problem with small noise level
- ▶ Large linear system: dynamic problems, streaming data, limited angle problems, modified angle problems
- ▶ Large  $m$  causes large projected problem

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# Compression Strategies



After  $m$  iterations of GK bidiagonalization,

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{V}_m = \mathbf{U}_{m+1}\mathbf{B}_m,$$

where  $\mathbf{V}_m \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times m}$ .

- ▶ Decompose  $\mathbf{B}_m \in \mathbb{R}^{(m+1) \times m}$  using a low-rank approximation  
e.g. [TSVD, Reduced Basis Decomposition](#)- Y. Chen(2015)
  
- ▶ Use  $\mathbf{y}_m$  to identify the important columns of  $\mathbf{V}_m$  :  $\mathbf{x}_m = \mathbf{V}_m\mathbf{y}_m$   
e.g. [solution-oriented](#) or [sparsity enforcing compression](#)

# GK Bidiagonalization with Recycling

Given  $\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{b}$  and  $\mathbf{W}_k$ , for  $\ell = 1, 2, \dots$ , compute

►  $\mathbf{U}_{\ell+1} = [ \mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_{\ell+1} ]$

►  $\mathbf{V}_{\ell} = [ \mathbf{v}_1, \dots, \mathbf{v}_{\ell} ]$

►  $\mathbf{B}_{\ell} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_1 & & & \\ \beta_2 & \alpha_2 & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \\ & & \beta_{\ell} & \alpha_{\ell} \\ & & & \beta_{\ell+1} \end{bmatrix}$

► QR factorization:  $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{W}_k = \mathbf{Y}_k \mathbf{R}_k$

where  $\mathbf{U}_{\ell+1}$ ,  $\mathbf{V}_{\ell}$  and  $\mathbf{Y}_k$  have orthonormal columns, and

$$\mathbf{A} [\mathbf{W}_k \quad \mathbf{V}_{\ell}] = [\mathbf{Y}_k \quad \mathbf{U}_{\ell+1}] \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}_k & \mathbf{Y}_k^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{V}_{\ell} \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{B}_{\ell} \end{bmatrix}$$

# Solve the Regularized Projected Problem

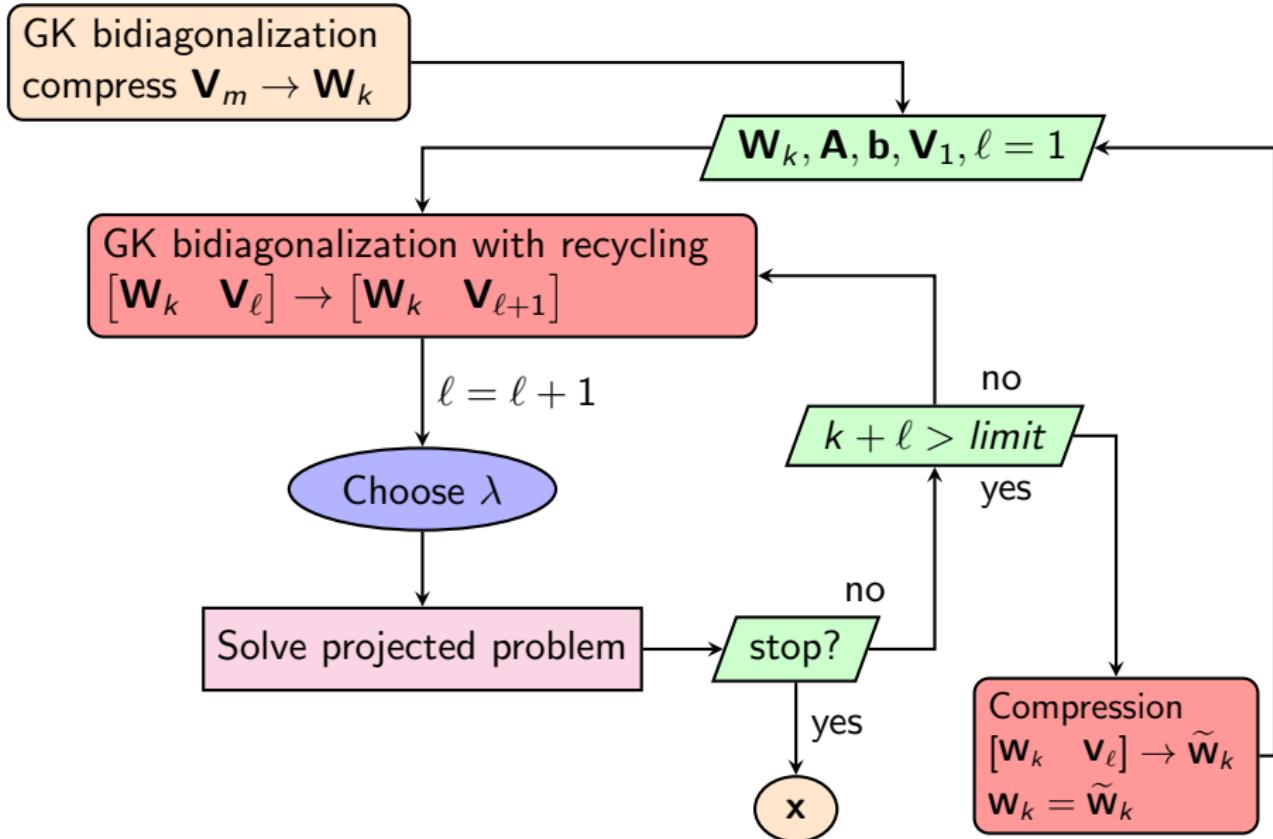
$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{x}_{m+\ell} &= \arg \min_{\mathcal{R}([\mathbf{w}_k \quad \mathbf{v}_\ell])} \|\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{Ax}\|_2^2 + \lambda^2 \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2 \\ &= [\mathbf{W}_k \quad \mathbf{V}_\ell] \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{d} \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

where  $\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{d} \end{bmatrix}$  solves

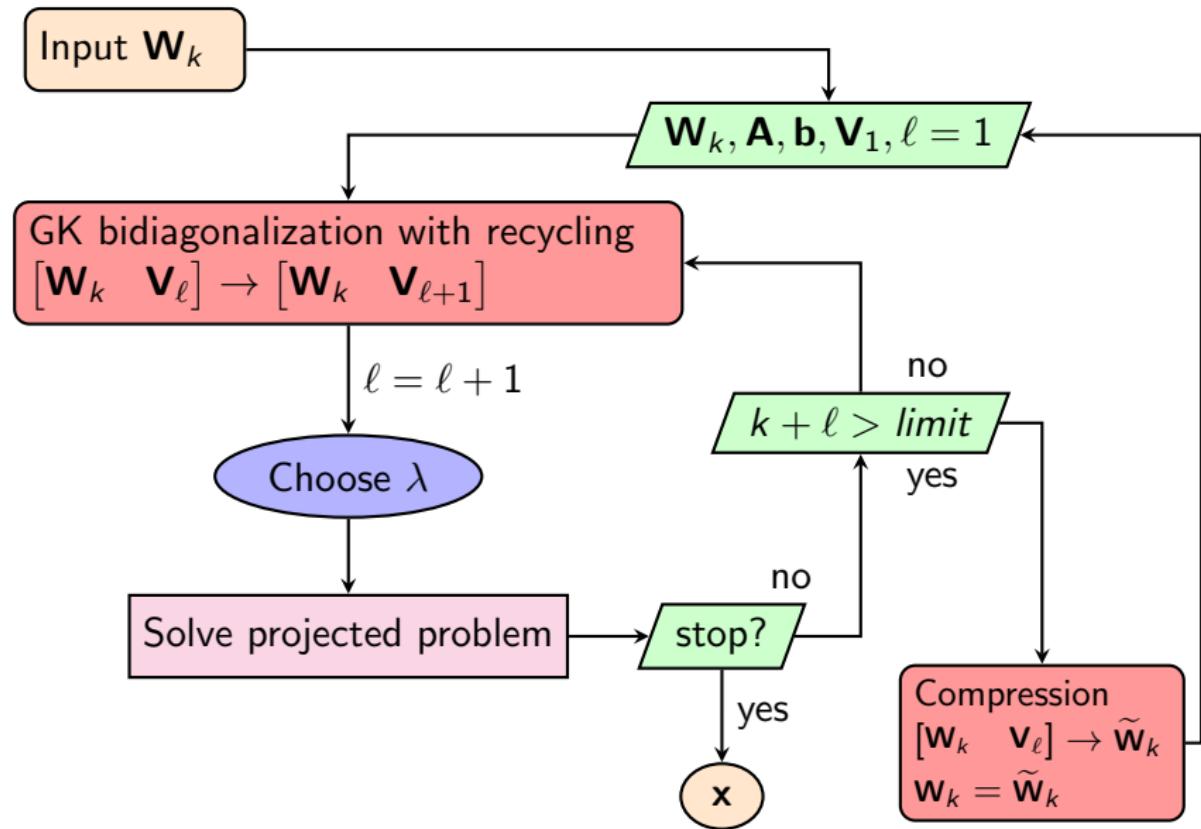
$$\min_{\mathbf{c}, \mathbf{d}} \left\| \begin{bmatrix} \zeta + \mathbf{R}_k \mathbf{e}_k \\ \beta_1 \mathbf{e}_1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}_k & \mathbf{Y}_k^\top \mathbf{A} \mathbf{V}_\ell \\ \mathbf{O} & \mathbf{B}_\ell \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{d} \end{bmatrix} \right\|_2^2 + \lambda^2 \left\| \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{d} \end{bmatrix} \right\|_2^2$$

where  $\zeta = \mathbf{Y}_k^\top \mathbf{r}^{(1)}$  and  $\mathbf{r}^{(1)} = \mathbf{b} - \mathbf{Ax}^{(1)}$

# Hybrid Projection Methods with Recycling(HyBR-recycle)



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# Interlacing Property

Define

►  $\widehat{\mathbf{B}}_{m,k,\ell} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}_k & \mathbf{Y}_k^\top \mathbf{A} \mathbf{V}_\ell \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{B}_\ell \end{bmatrix}$  (TSVD compression)

►  $\mathbf{B}_{m+\ell} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 & & & \\ \beta_2 & \alpha_2 & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \\ & & \beta_{m+\ell} & \alpha_{m+\ell} \\ & & & \beta_{m+\ell+1} \end{pmatrix}$

## Theorem

Let  $\sigma_j$  denotes the  $j$ -th largest singular values of the matrix. Then

$$\sigma_{m-k+j}(\mathbf{B}_{m+\ell}) \leq \sigma_j(\widehat{\mathbf{B}}_{m,k,\ell}) \leq \sigma_j(\mathbf{B}_{m+\ell})$$

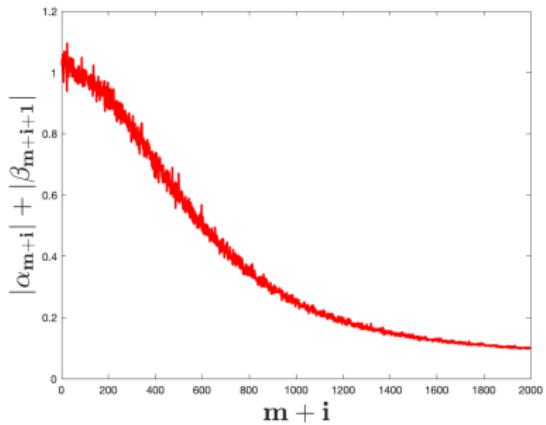
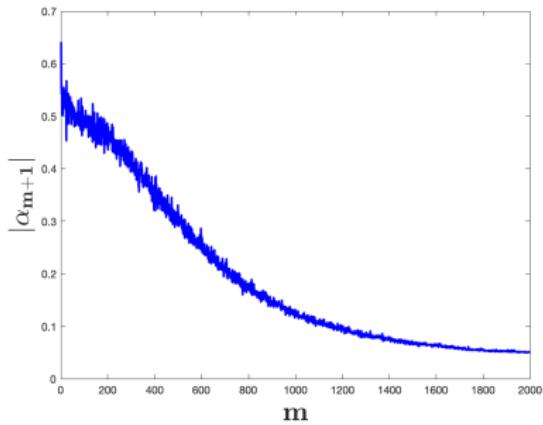
with  $j = 1, \dots, k + \ell$ .

# Norm Difference

## Theorem

Let  $\sigma_k$  is the  $k$ -th largest singular values of  $\mathbf{B}_m$ . Then

$$\left| \|\mathbf{B}_{m+\ell}\|_F - \|\widehat{\mathbf{B}}_{m,k,\ell}\|_F \right| \leq 3\sqrt{\ell} \max_{1 \leq i \leq \ell} \{\sigma_k, (|\alpha_{m+i}| + |\beta_{m+i+1}|)\} + 2\sigma_k + 5\alpha_{m+1}$$



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# Image Deblurring Problem

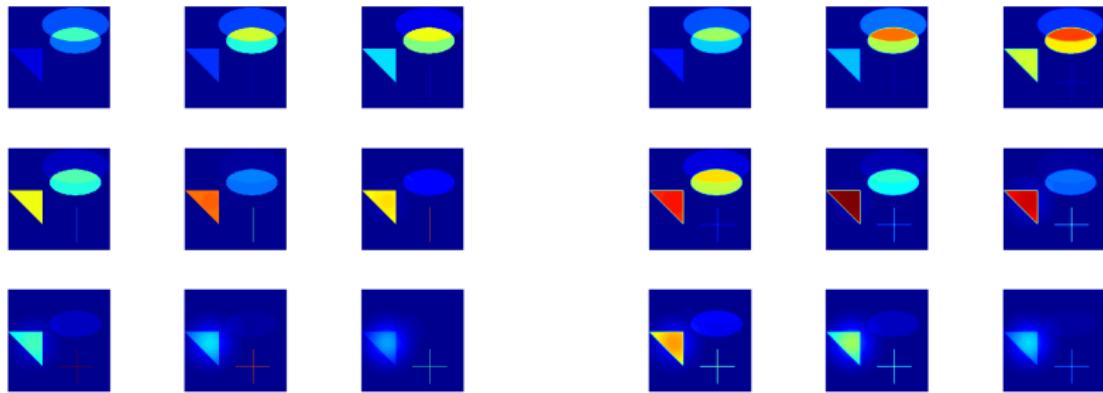
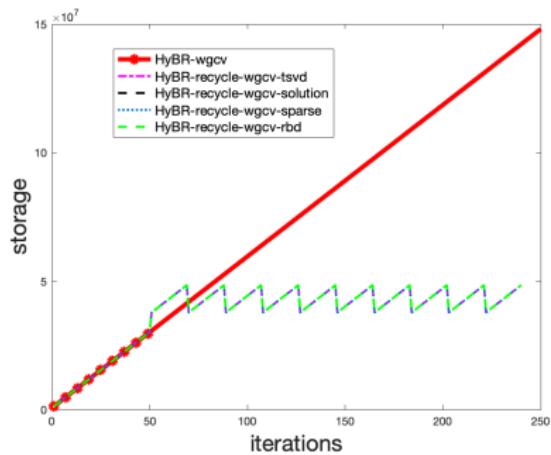
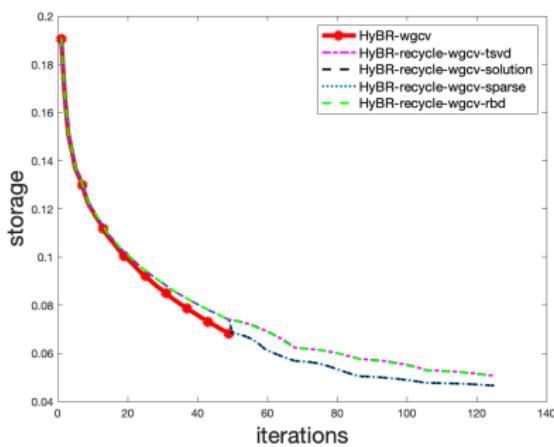


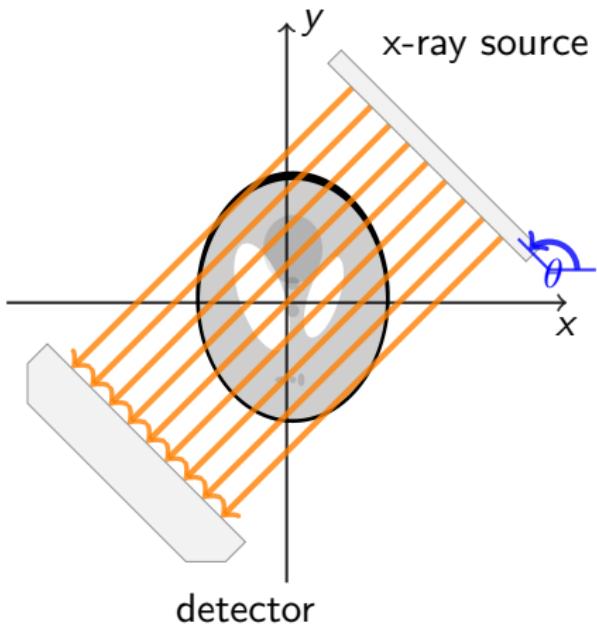
Figure 1: True image(left) and Observed image(right)

- ▶  $\mathbf{x}_{true} \in \mathbb{R}^{256^2 \times 9}$
- ▶ Noise level: 0.1%
- ▶ Relative error:  $\frac{\|\mathbf{x}_m - \mathbf{x}_{true}\|_2}{\|\mathbf{x}_{true}\|_2}$
- ▶ Maximum storage for solution basis: 50
- ▶ Maximum storage for compression:  $k = 30$

# HyBR-recycle with WGCV



# Tomography Reconstruction



True image



$0^\circ \sim 89^\circ$



$90^\circ \sim 179^\circ$

# Tomography Reconstruction

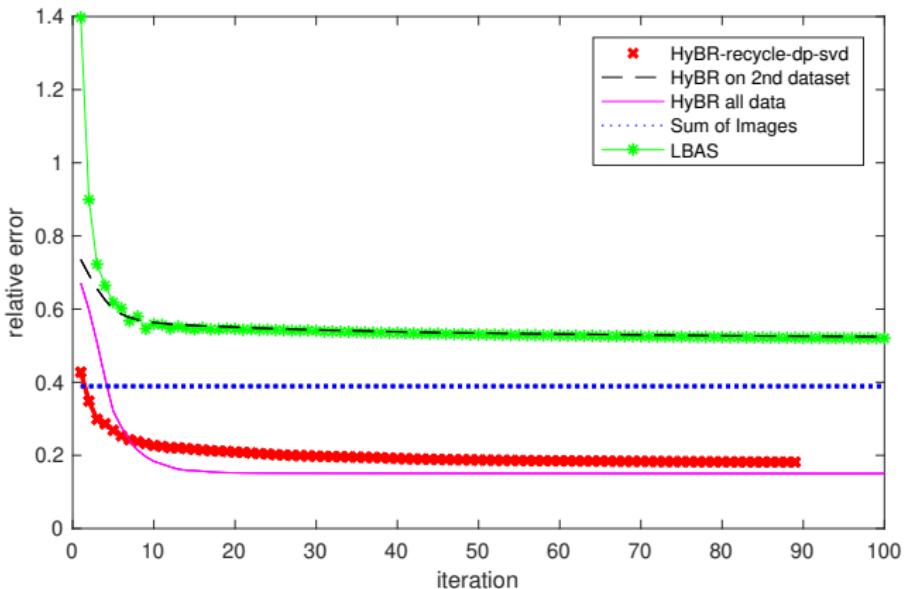
- ▶ HyBR on all data:

$$\min_{\mathbf{x}} \left\| \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_1 \\ \mathbf{A}_2 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} - \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{b}_1 \\ \mathbf{b}_2 \end{bmatrix} \right\|_2^2 + \lambda^2 \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2,$$

where  $\mathbf{A}_1, \mathbf{A}_2 \in \mathbb{R}^{90 \cdot 1448 \times 1024^2}$ ,  $\mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2 \in \mathbb{R}^{90 \cdot 1448}$  and  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^{1024^2}$

- ▶ HyBR on 1st dataset:  $\min_{\mathbf{x}} \|\mathbf{A}_1 \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}_1\|_2^2 + \lambda^2 \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2$
- ▶ HyBR on 2nd dataset:  $\min_{\mathbf{x}} \|\mathbf{A}_2 \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}_2\|_2^2 + \lambda^2 \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2$
- ▶ HyBR-recycle:  $\min_{\mathbf{x}} \|\mathbf{A}_2 \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}_2\|_2^2 + \lambda^2 \|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2$  with  $\mathbf{W}_{10}$  from HyBR on 1st dataset

# Relative Reconstruction Errors

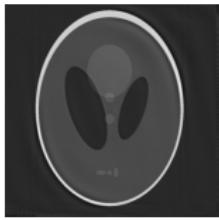


|            | HyBR-recycle  | HyBR on the 2nd dataset | HyBR all data  |
|------------|---------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| CPU times: | <b>84.86s</b> | <b>83.20s</b>           | <b>174.34s</b> |

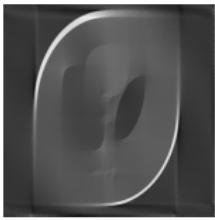
LBAS: P.C. Hansen, Y. Dong, and K. Abe. Hybrid enriched bidiagonalization for discrete ill-posed problems. Numerical Linear Algebra with Applications, 26(3):e2230, 2019.

# Reconstructions and Error Images

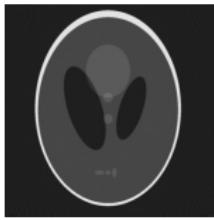
HyBR-recycle-dp-svd



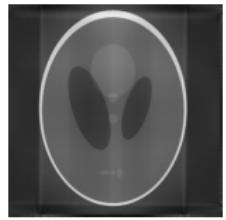
HyBR on 2nd dataset



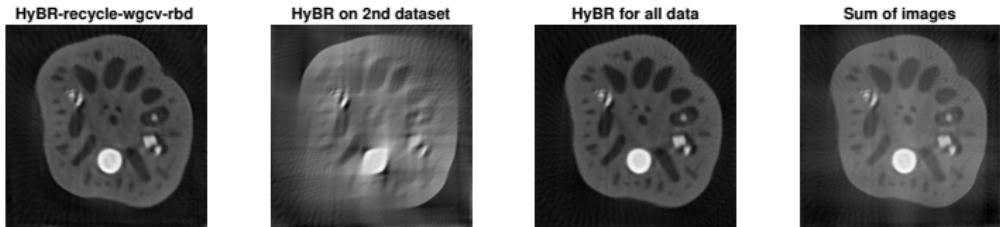
HyBR for all data



Sum of images



# Tomography reconstruction



- ▶ Image: lotus root (real data from Finish Inverse Problems Society)
- ▶ Limited angles:  $1^\circ \sim 90^\circ$  and  $91^\circ \sim 180^\circ$
- ▶

$$\min_{\mathbf{x}} \left\| \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_1 \\ \mathbf{A}_2 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} - \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{b}_1 \\ \mathbf{b}_2 \end{bmatrix} \right\|^2 + \lambda^2 \|\mathbf{x}\|^2,$$

where  $\mathbf{A}_1, \mathbf{A}_2 \in \mathcal{R}^{60 \cdot 328 \times 328^2}$ ,  $\mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2 \in \mathcal{R}^{60 \cdot 328}$  and  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{R}^{256^2}$

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# Conclusions

- ▶ Use compression/ previous basis vectors to get  $\mathbf{W}_k$
- ▶ Use recycling techniques with GK bidiagonalization to extend the solution space
- ▶ Enable large-scale inversion with limited storage of basis vectors

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{A}_n \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{b}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{b}_n \end{bmatrix}$$

- ▶ Automatic regularization parameter selection and stopping iteration



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