

Distributed Video Coding

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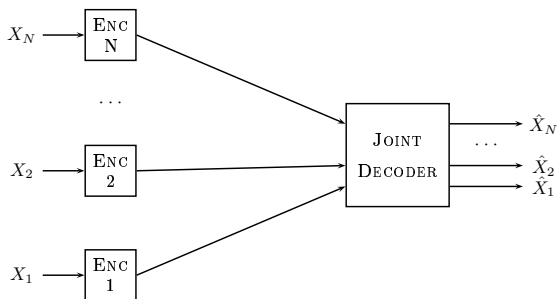
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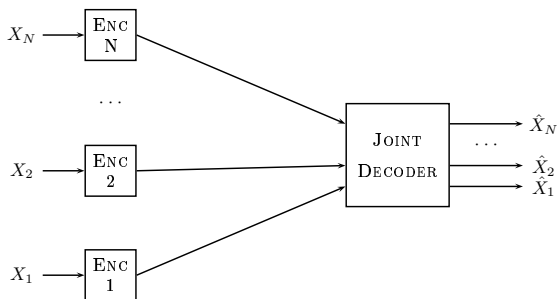


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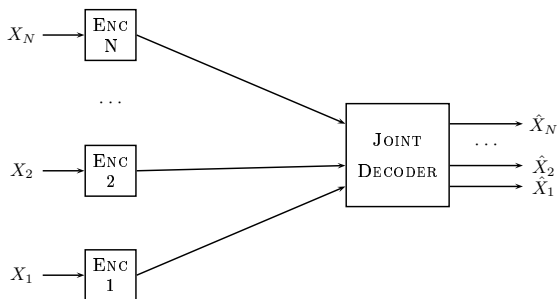


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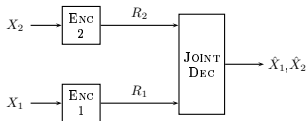
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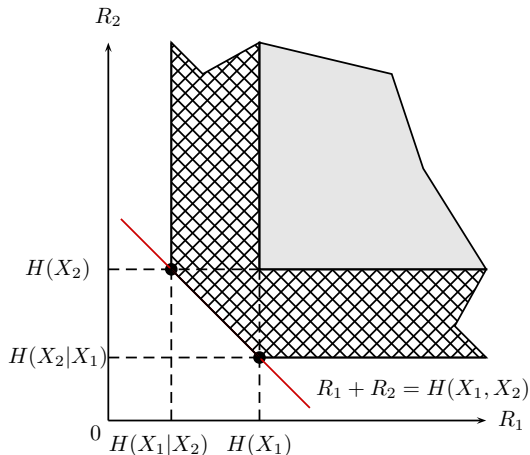
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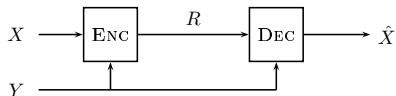
Achievable rate region for i.i.d. discrete sources X_1 and X_2 . [Slepian-Wolf theorem, 1973]



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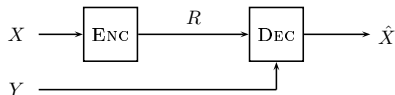
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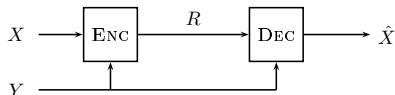


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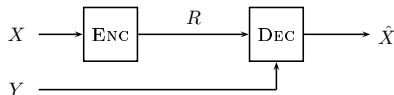
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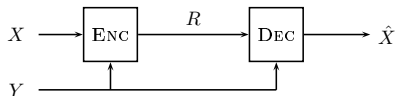


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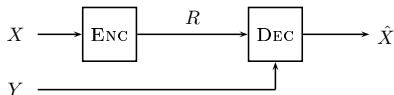
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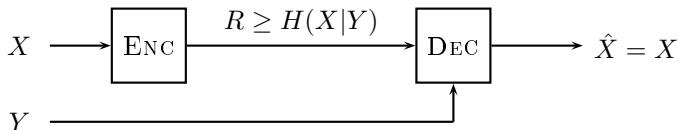
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Slepian-Wolf rate region corner points:
no rate loss with respect to two-sided side information.



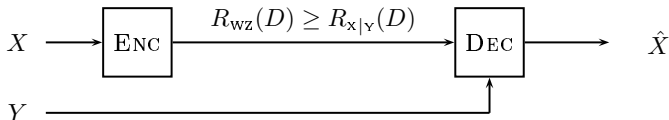
Asymmetric coding:

Correlation model $Y = X \oplus \Delta$

- Systematic code parity bits.
- Syndrome coding.

Lossy Source Coding With Side Info at the Decoder

Wyner-Ziv rate distortion function.

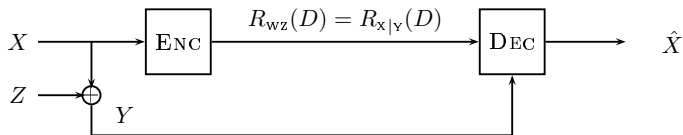


- Correlation model $Y = X + Z$.
- Distortion $D = \frac{1}{N}E[d(X, \hat{X})]$.
- \mathcal{U} auxiliary codebook, $Y \rightarrow X \rightarrow U$.
- $f_E : \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{U}$ encoding mapping, $f_D : \mathcal{U} \times \mathcal{Y} \rightarrow \hat{\mathcal{X}}$ decoding mapping.

$$R(D) = \min_{p(u|x)p(\hat{x}|u,y):E[d(X,\hat{X})]\leq D} [I(X|U) - I(Y|U)].$$

Wyner-Ziv theorem: Quadratic Gaussian Case

- X, Z Gaussian and independent.
- $D = \frac{1}{N} E[\|X - \hat{X}\|^2]$.



$$R_{WZ}(D) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \left(\frac{\sigma_z^2 \sigma_x^2}{(\sigma_z^2 + \sigma_x^2) D} \right), & 0 < D \leq \frac{\sigma_z^2 \sigma_x^2}{\sigma_z^2 + \sigma_x^2} \\ 0, & D > \frac{\sigma_z^2 \sigma_x^2}{\sigma_z^2 + \sigma_x^2} \end{cases}$$

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- Encoder: maps the source sequence into the auxiliary codebook word. Codebook divided into 2^{NR} equivalence classes (bins).
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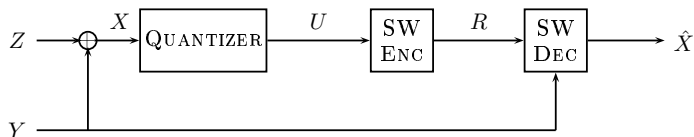
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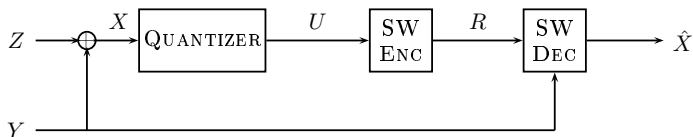
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Quantization and asymmetric coding (2)

Asymptotical behavior ($N \rightarrow \infty$):

- Vector quantizer: uniform.
- Entropy coding of U .

$$R = \frac{1}{N} H(U|Y) = \frac{1}{N} h(X|Y) - \frac{1}{N} \log(V(\Lambda)).$$

- Granular distortion $D_g = V(\Lambda)^{\frac{2}{N}} G(\Lambda)$.
- $G(\Lambda)$ normalized second moment of the quantizer.

$$R = \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \left(\frac{\sigma_z^2}{D} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 (2\pi e \cdot G(\Lambda)).$$

- $\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} G(\Lambda) = 1/2\pi e$.

Nested Lattice Quantization (1)

Limit-achieving pdf $p(x, y, u, \hat{x}) = p(x, y)p(u|x)p(\hat{x}|u, y)$:

$$\begin{cases} X = Y + Z \\ U = \alpha X + Q \\ \hat{X} = (1 - \alpha)U + Y \end{cases} \quad \begin{array}{l} \alpha \in [0, 1) \\ \lim_{R \rightarrow \infty} \alpha = 1 \end{array}$$

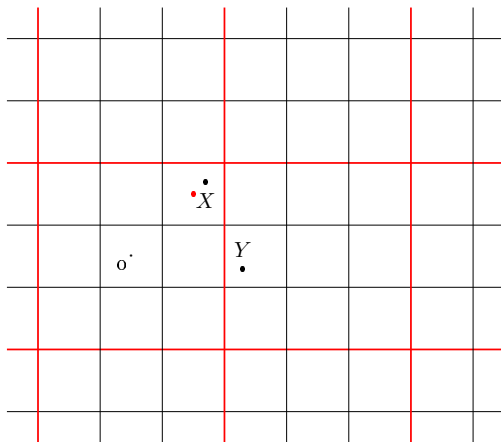
$$\begin{cases} Q \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_q^2) \\ \alpha = 1 - \frac{\sigma_z^2}{D} \end{cases}$$

Goal: definition of

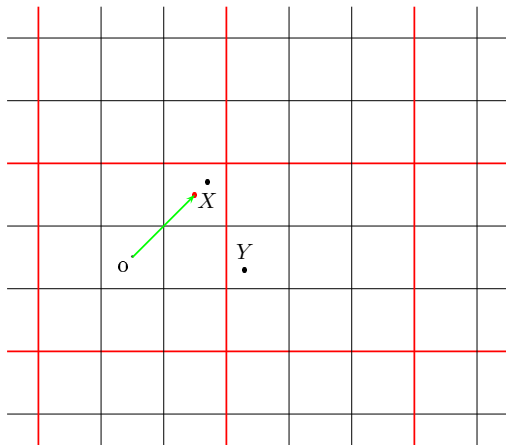
- $f_q : \mathcal{X}^N \rightarrow \mathcal{U}^N$
- $f_e : \mathcal{Y}^N \times \mathcal{U}^N \rightarrow \hat{\mathcal{X}}^N$

to (asymptotically) match the pdf.

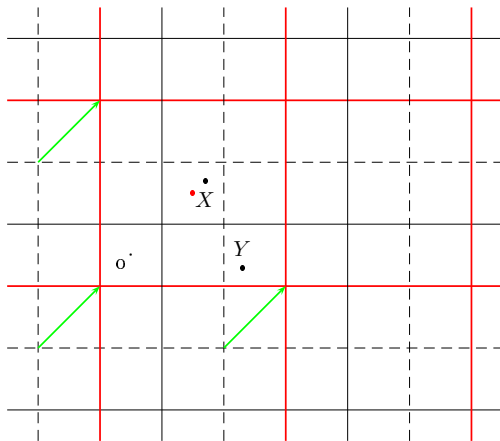
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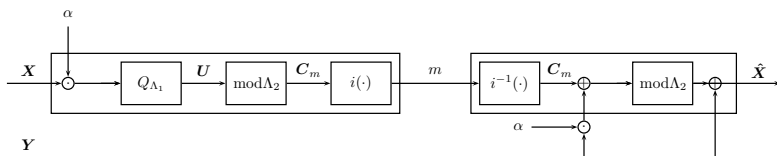


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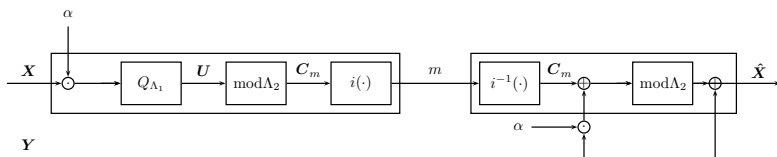
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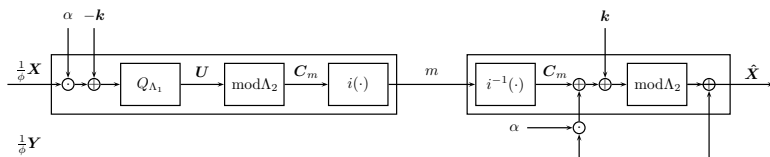
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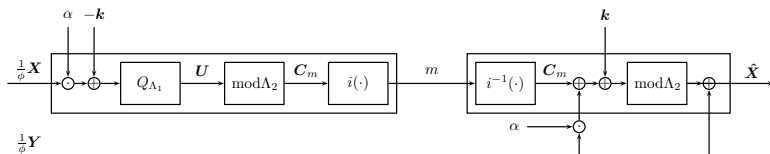


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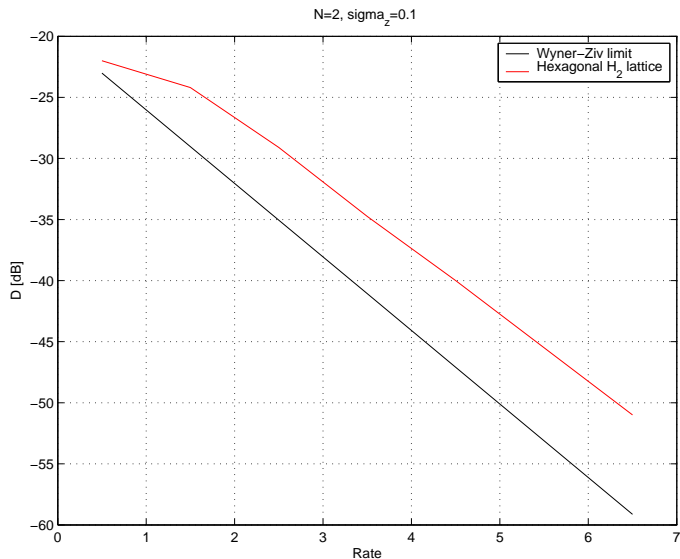
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Finite Dimensional Quantization and Asymmetric Coding

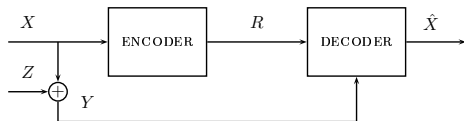
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Building the Side Information



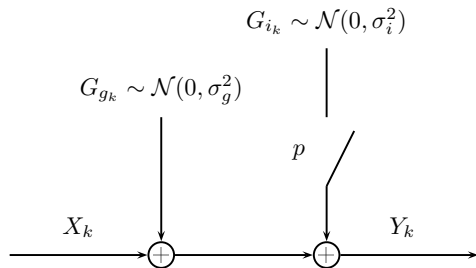
Classical prediction techniques:

- Interpolation of key frames.
- Motion compensation of previous frames.

Correlation model: non stationary!

- Gaussian Bernoulli Gaussian correlation model.
- Gaussian Erasure correlation model.

Gaussian Bernoulli Gaussian correlation model

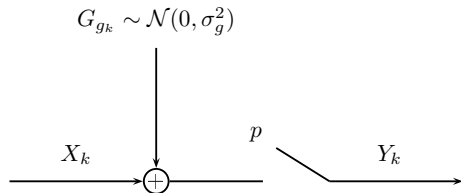


Interpolation noise.

$$\sigma_i^2 \gg \sigma_g^2$$

$$Y_k = \begin{cases} X_k + G_{g_k} & \text{prob } (1 - p) \\ X_k + (G_{g_k} + G_{i_k}) & \text{prob } p \end{cases}$$

Gaussian Erasure correlation model



Motion estimation.

$$Y_k = \begin{cases} X_k + G_{gk} & \text{prob } (1 - p) \\ \Delta & \text{prob } p \end{cases}$$

The decoder is informed of the position of the erased symbols.

Lower Bounds for the Rate Distortion Function

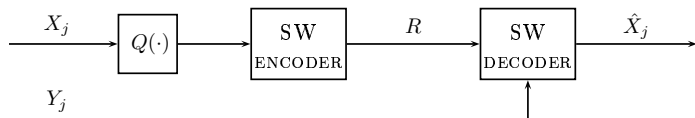
- Genie-aided: the encoder and the decoder know the positions of impulses (GBG) or erasures (GE).
- Time-division regime governed by the Bernoulli process.

$$\underline{R}_{\text{GBG}}(D) = (1 - p) R_{X|Y, \sigma_g^2}(D) + p R_{X|Y, \sigma_g^2 + \sigma_i^2}(D).$$

$$\underline{R}_{\text{GE}}(D) = (1 - p) R_{X|Y, \sigma_g^2}(D) + p R_X(D).$$

$$D < \sigma_g^2$$

Upper Bounds for the Rate Distortion Function



ψ quantization step.

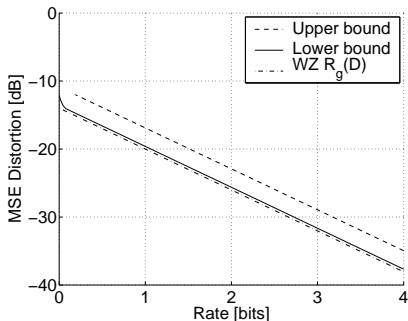
$$\begin{aligned}\bar{R}_{\text{GBG}} &= H(U|Y) = h(X|Y) - \log_2(\psi) \\ &= (1-p) \cdot h(X|Y, \sigma_g^2) + p \cdot h(X|Y, \sigma_g^2 + \sigma_i^2) - \log_2(\psi).\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{R}_{\text{GE}} &= H(U|Y) = h(X|Y) - \log_2(\psi) \\ &= (1-p) \cdot h(X|Y \neq \Delta) + p \cdot h(X|Y = \Delta) - \log_2(\psi).\end{aligned}$$

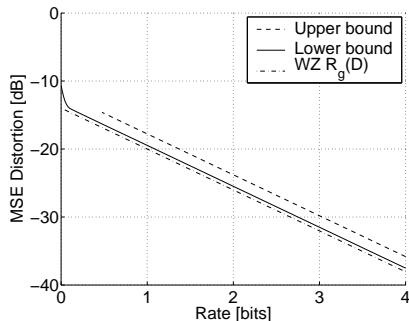
Bounds for the Rate Distortion Function

Parameters:

$$p = 0.05, \sigma_x^2 = 1, \sigma_g^2 = 0.04, \sigma_i^2 = 1$$



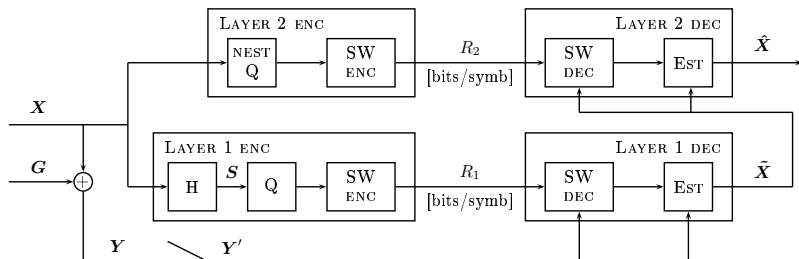
GBG correlation model



GE correlation model

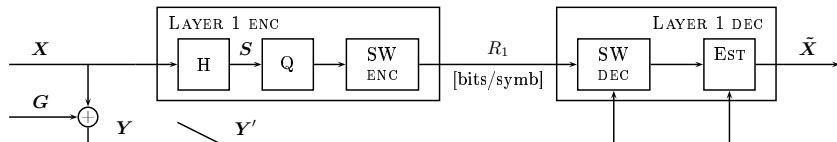
GE correlation model: two-layer scheme

- $\mathbf{X} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_x^2 \mathbf{I}_N)$
- $\mathbf{G} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_g^2 \mathbf{I}_N)$
- D distortion target
- $R = R_1 + R_2$



Layer 1

Purpose of Layer 1: fill in the blanks!



- $H_{[N-K \times N]}$ (from orthonormal basis)
- $H \cdot X = S \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_x^2 I_{N-K})$
- $V \cdot Y = Y'$

Estimation:

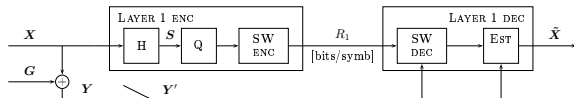
$$\begin{bmatrix} S \\ V \cdot Y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} H \\ V \end{bmatrix} \cdot X + \begin{bmatrix} Q \\ V \cdot G \end{bmatrix}$$

Layer 1: High Rate

$$R_1(D_q) = \frac{N-K}{N} \left(\frac{1}{2} \log_2 (2\pi e \sigma_x^2) - \frac{1}{2} \log_2 (12D_q) \right)$$

$$D_1 = \frac{1}{N} E[\| \mathbf{X} - \tilde{\mathbf{X}} \|^2] = \frac{1}{N} \text{trace} (\Gamma_{\text{MAP}})$$

$$\Gamma_{\text{MAP}} = \Delta^{-1} - \Delta^{-1} H^T \left(\alpha 2^{-\beta R_1} I + H \Delta^{-1} H^T \right)^{-1} H \Delta^{-1}$$

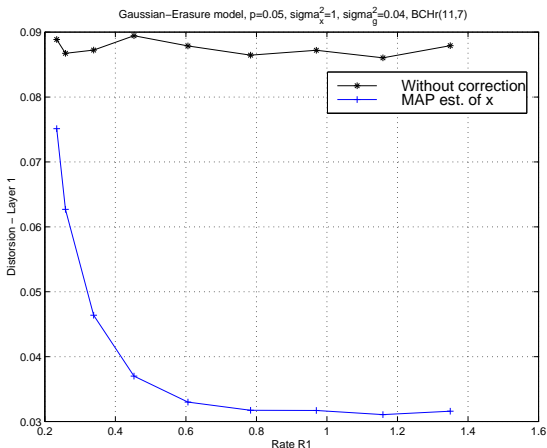


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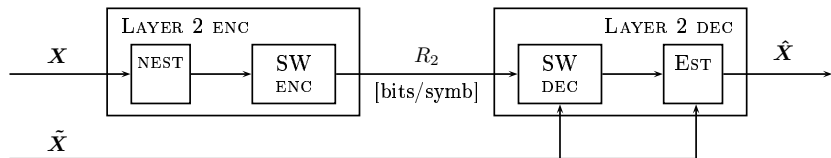
- $\Gamma_{\text{MAP}} = E[(\mathbf{X} - \tilde{\mathbf{X}})(\mathbf{X} - \tilde{\mathbf{X}})^T]$
- $\Delta = \sigma_g^{-2} V^T V + \sigma_x^{-2} I_N$
- $\alpha = \frac{2\pi e \sigma_x^2}{12}$
- $\beta = 2 \frac{N}{N-K} > 0$

Layer 1: High Rate

$H_{[4 \times 11]}$ from DFT matrix



Layer 2



$$R_2 = \frac{1}{2} \log_2 (2\pi e D_1) - \frac{1}{2} \log_2 (12D)$$

$$D(R_1, R_2) = \frac{1}{N} \frac{2\pi e}{12} \text{trace} (\Gamma_{\text{MAP}}(R_1)) 2^{-2R_2}.$$

Simulations

$H_{[N-K \times N]}$:

- rows from DFT matrix
- rows i and $N - K + 1 - i$ Hermitian symmetric

Parameters:

- $N = 11, K = 7$
- $p = 0.05, \sigma_g^2 = 0.04, \sigma_x^2 = 1$
- Coarse step = 3

Simulation results

