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# Compressed sensing and applications in positioning, audio coding, and video compression



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# Overview

- CS Fundamentals
  - Three Applications:
    - Localization via Compressive sensing (CS)
    - Multichannel Audio Coding
    - Compressed Video Sensing
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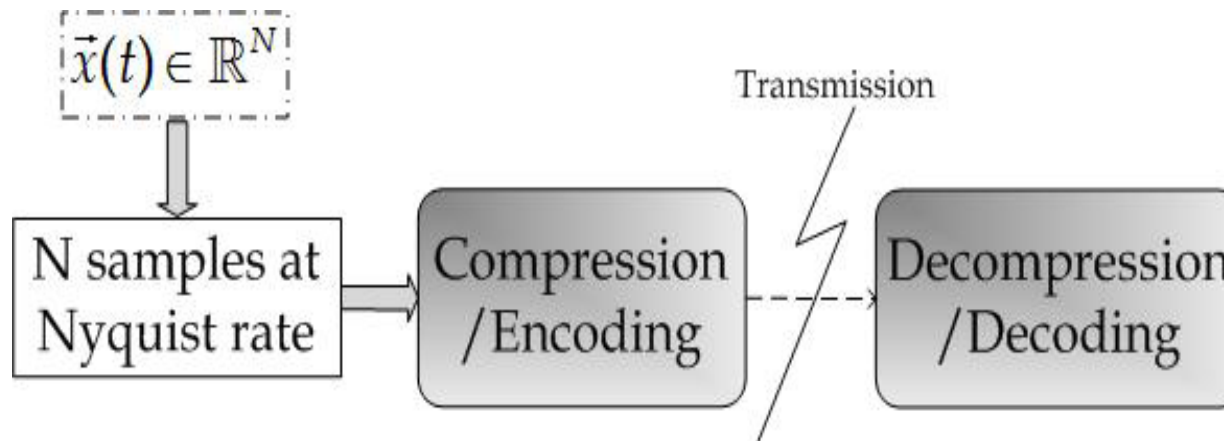
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# Sensing by Sampling

- Story starts @ 1950
  - Long-term trend for digital data acquisition: **uniformly sample data at Nyquist-Shannon rate.**
  - Increased capabilities of modern digital devices: **too much data!**
  - Effective and precise description of the information content of a given signal or an ensemble of signals for **storage, processing or transmission.**
  - e.g., 6.1 Mp digital camera senses  $6.1 \times 10^6$  samples JPEG compression to reduce size.
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# Sensing by Sampling

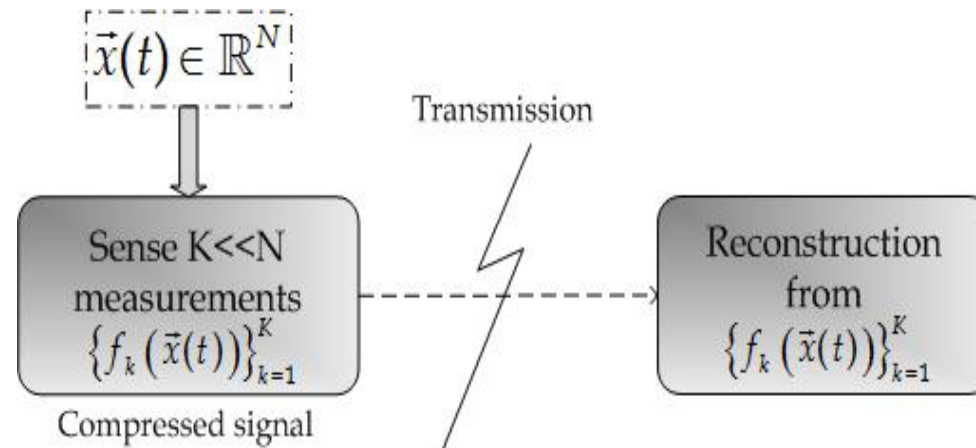
- Traditional approach:



- can be taxing on the sensor
  - high-speed A/Ds may be required
  - must know the compression
  - can be computationally intensive
- if  $x(t)$  is a sparse signal ( $K \ll N$ ), then this is wasteful and expensive (computations, storage)

# Sensing by Sampling

- Alternative approach:



- What functions  $\{f_k(x(t))\}^K$  to use? **Linear projections are appealing due to their simplicity.**
- How many measurements to take? - **Depends on the complexity (degrees of freedom) of  $\sim x(t)$ .**
- How can we reconstruct  $x(t)$  from the measured values? - **Depends on the model we assume on  $x(t)$ .**

# Compressed Sensing [Donoho06][Tao06]

- **Heart of CS:** specific choice of a model for our signals based on sparse and redundant representations with respect to appropriate dictionaries.
- Performance depends on the degree of sparsity of the (discrete-time) signal  $\mathbf{x} \sim \mathbb{R}^N$
- Transform-domain representation:
  - $\mathbf{x} = \Psi \mathbf{w}$
- $\mathbf{x}$  is called ***L-sparse*** in basis  $\Psi$  ( $L \ll N$ ) if it has only  $L$  non-zero components.
- In real-world,  $\mathbf{x}$  is ***L-compressible*** in basis  $\Psi$ 
  - $|\mathbf{w}_{(l)}| < O(l^{-\alpha}), \alpha > 1$

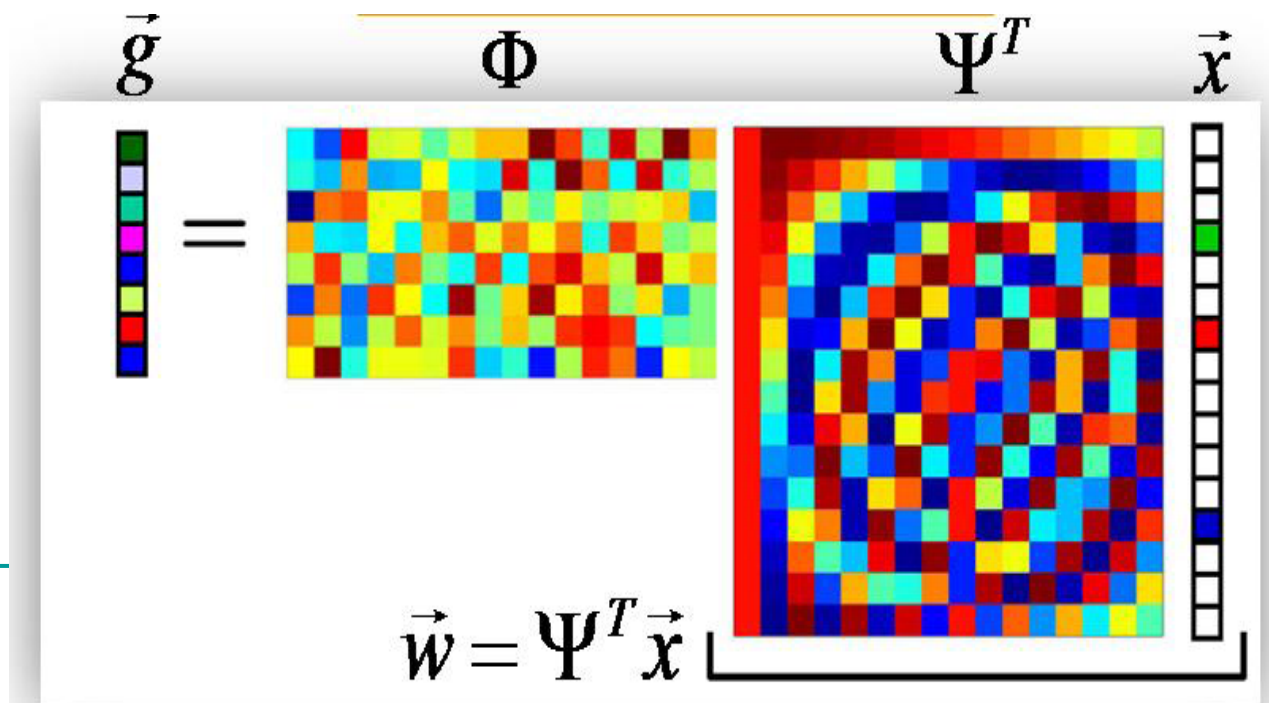
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# Sensing/Encoding Part

- Consider also an  $M \times N$  measurement matrix  $\Phi$  (rows of  $\Phi$  are *incoherent* with the columns of  $\Psi$ ).
- If  $\mathbf{x}$  is  $L$ -compressible in  $\Psi$ , perform directly a *compressed set of measurements*  $\mathbf{g} \leadsto$  **simplified sensing system.**

- $\mathbf{g} = \Phi \Psi^T \mathbf{x} = \Phi \mathbf{w}$



# Sensing/Encoding Part - Universality

## Universality property

Let  $\Phi$  contain i.i.d. random entries. Then, incoherence with any fixed transform matrix  $\Psi$  is guaranteed with *high probability*

Appropriate families of matrices are the following:

- Gaussian matrices: zero-mean Gaussian distribution with variance  $1/M$ . Exact reconstruction of  $\vec{w}$  (equivalently of  $\vec{x}$ ) is achieved with probability  $1 - \mathcal{O}(e^{-\gamma N})$  ( $\gamma > 0$ ) if

$$L \leq c \cdot \frac{M}{\log\left(\frac{N}{M}\right)} \quad (5)$$

- Binary matrices: samples from the symmetric Bernoulli distribution,  $P\{[\Phi]_{mn} = \pm 1/\sqrt{M}\} = 1/2$

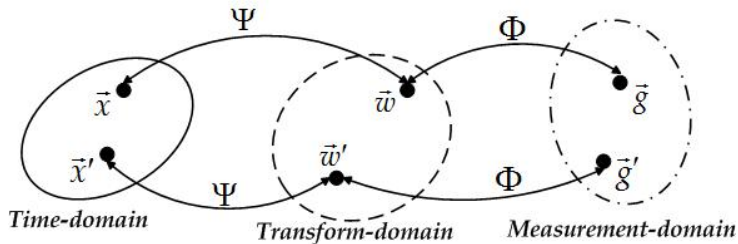
# Restricted Isometry Property (RIP)

## RIP

$\Phi$  satisfies the RIP of order  $L$  whenever

$$(1 - \epsilon_L) \frac{M}{N} \|\vec{w}\|_2^2 \leq \|\Phi \vec{w}\|_2^2 \leq (1 + \epsilon_L) \frac{M}{N} \|\vec{w}\|_2^2 \quad (6)$$

holds simultaneously for all  $L$ -sparse vectors  $\vec{w} \in \mathbb{R}^N$  for sufficiently small values of  $\epsilon_L$ .



# Reconstruction/Decoding Part

- Core concept of CS theory: use the *a posteriori computing power* to reduce the potential a priori sampling complexity
- Considerations: RIP is satisfied, reconstruction in the (sparse) transform-domain ( $\vec{x}, \vec{w}$  are equivalent)
- *Noiseless case*: solve an optimization problem to recover  $\vec{w}$  accurately (NP-hard):

$$\vec{w}_{opt} = \arg \min_{\vec{w}' \in \mathbb{R}^N} \|\vec{w}'\|_0, \quad \text{subject to} \quad \vec{g} = \Phi \vec{w}' \quad (7)$$

- Relaxation ( $\ell_1$ -minimization problem):

$$\vec{w}_{opt} = \arg \min_{\vec{w}' \in \mathbb{R}^N} \|\vec{w}'\|_1, \quad \text{subject to} \quad \vec{g} = \Phi \vec{w}' \quad (8)$$

# Reconstruction/Decoding Part

- *Noisy case:*

$$\vec{g} = \Phi \vec{w} + \vec{n} \quad (9)$$

( $\vec{n} \in \mathbb{R}^M$  is a stochastic or deterministic error term (measurement noise) with bounded energy  $\|\vec{n}\|_2 \leq \varepsilon$ )

- $\ell_1$ -minimization problem with relaxed inequality constraints (convex problem):

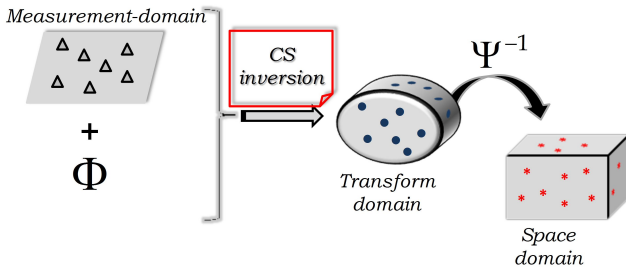
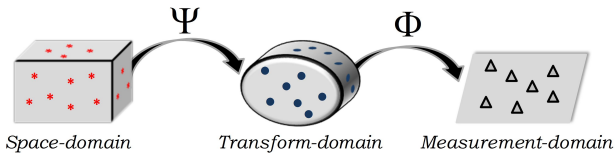
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- Reconstruction methods (zero-mean Gaussian noise with bounded variance):
  - Dantzig selector:

$$\vec{w}_{opt} = \arg \min_{\vec{w}' \in \mathbb{R}^N} \|\vec{w}'\|_1, \quad \text{subject to} \quad \|\Phi^T(\vec{g} - \Phi \vec{w}')\|_\infty \leq \kappa_1 \quad (11)$$

- Penalized least squares minimization:

$$\vec{w}_{opt} = \arg \min_{\vec{w}' \in \mathbb{R}^N} \left\{ \|\vec{g} - \Phi \vec{w}'\|_2^2 + \kappa_2 \|\vec{w}'\|_0 \right\} \quad (12)$$



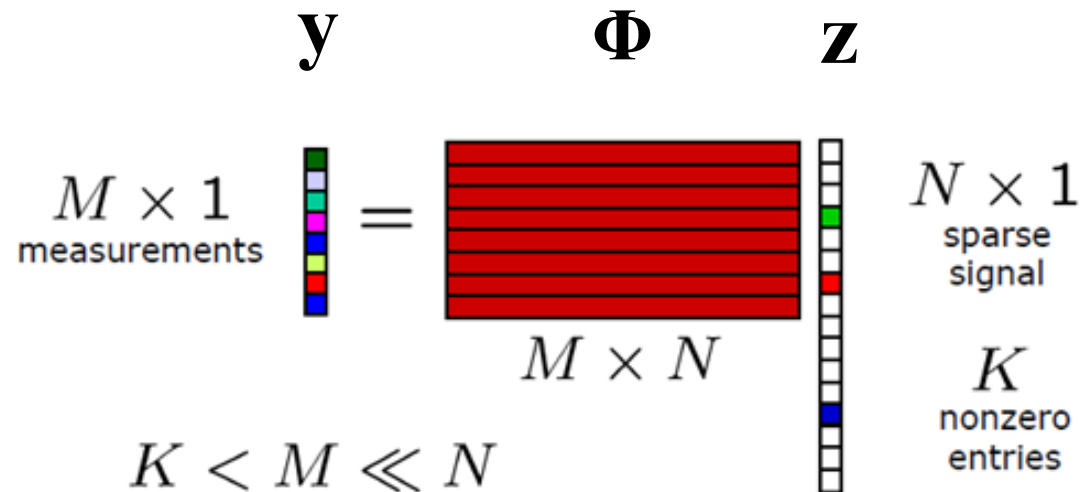
# Compressive Sensing

Core concept of CS theory: use the a posteriori computing power to reduce the a priori sampling complexity.

- Two basic Principles
    - **Sparsity:** small number of non-zero values in a certain domain
    - **Incoherence:** sampling waveforms have an extremely dense representation in the basis
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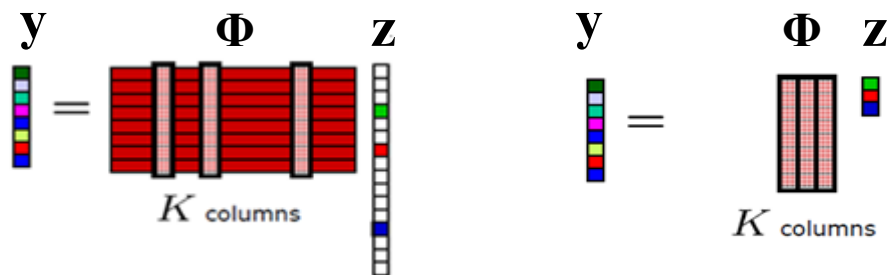
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- Want to construct a measurement matrix  $\Phi$  : we can recover a  $K$  sparse signal of dimension  $N$  from  $M$  measurements



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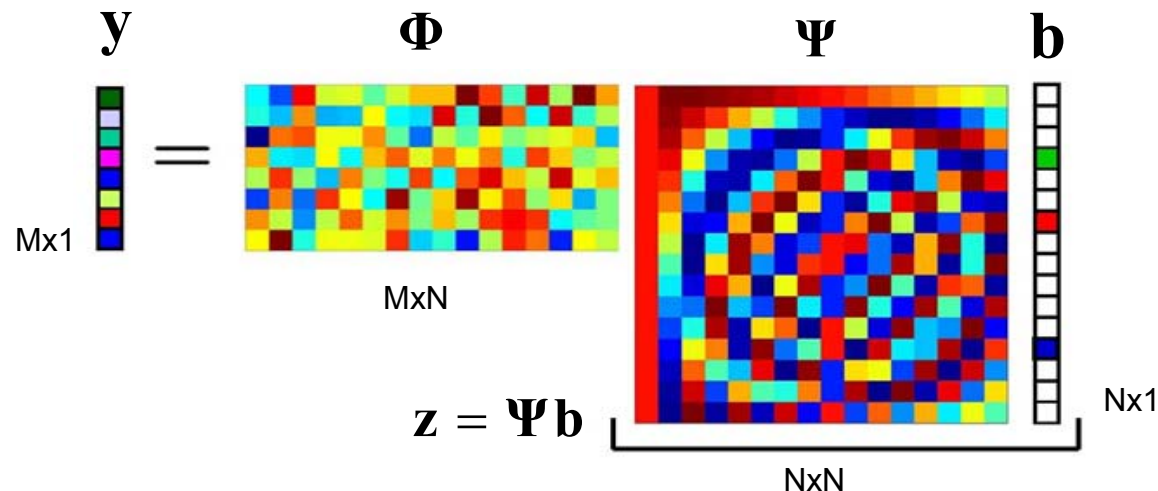
- Sparsity assumption



- Restricted Isometry Property (RIP):  $\Phi$  preserves the Euclidean length of  $K$ -sparse signals
- Random matrices satisfy RIP property
- By choosing  $\Phi$  randomly, RIP holds with high probability if  $M \geq cK \log(N/K) \square N$ ,  $c$ :small constant

# Compressive Sensing

- Random measurements can be used for signals sparse in any basis  $\longrightarrow$  **universality**



- $\Phi$  and  $\Psi$  must be incoherent
  - Vectors  $\phi_i$  cannot be sparsely represented in terms of the bases  $\Psi$

# Compressive Sensing - Reconstruction

- $\mathbf{b}$  can be reconstructed accurately by solving the following optimization problem

$$\hat{\mathbf{b}} = \arg \min \|\mathbf{b}\|_1 \quad s.t. \quad \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{\Theta}\mathbf{b}$$

- $\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{\Phi}\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{\Phi}\mathbf{\Psi}\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{\Theta}\mathbf{b}$
  - $\mathbf{b}$  is sparsely represented
  - $M \geq cK \log(N/K)$  □  $N, c$ : small constant
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# Compressive Sensing - Reconstruction

- *Basis Pursuit (BP)* [Saunders98]:

$$\hat{\mathbf{b}} = \arg \min \|\mathbf{b}\|_1 \quad s.t. \quad \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{\Theta}\mathbf{b} \quad (1)$$

- Interior point method
- Simultaneously decides on all of the component of  $\mathbf{b}$
- Computational complexity:  $O(N^3)$ ,  $N$ : size of basis matrix
- Interesting observation: In many cases it successfully finds the sparsest representation

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# Compressive Sensing - Reconstruction

- *Orthogonal Matching Pursuit (OMP)* [Gilbert07]

## Idea

- Greedy algorithm: Identify the basis vectors that “match” the signal best
- Approximate  $\mathbf{b}$  by choosing the columns of basis vector that contribute most to  $\mathbf{y}$
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# Compressive Sensing – Bayesian Reconstruction

- Design of a BCS algorithm based on Gaussian Scale Mixtures (GSM).
- Extension to reconstruct a single signal based on a set of multiple observation vectors .
- Go against the common tenet of using a Gaussian assumption (often inaccurate) by proposing a CS method for reconstructing highly impulsive signals in the presence of heavy-tailed noise, exploiting the power of alpha-Stable distributions in representing highly impulsive and thus sparse phenomena.
- Introduce a new S $\alpha$ S measurement matrix, which is adapted to the statistical characteristics of the sparse signal.
- Propose a novel Lagrangian function for the estimation of a sparse vector by solving a constrained optimization problem using the duality theory and the method of subgradients, by exploiting Fractional Lower-Order Moments.

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# Compressive Sensing – Conclusions

- CS is good when:
    - **Signals are sparse in some (known) basis.**
    - **Measurements or computations at sensor end are expensive, but**
    - **Computations at the receiver end are cheap, such as in:**
  - Imaging
  - Sensor Networks
  - MRI
  - Astronomy
  - Biosensing
  - Radar
  - and many others...
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# Indoor Positioning in Wireless LANs Using Compressive Sensing Signal- Strength Fingerprints

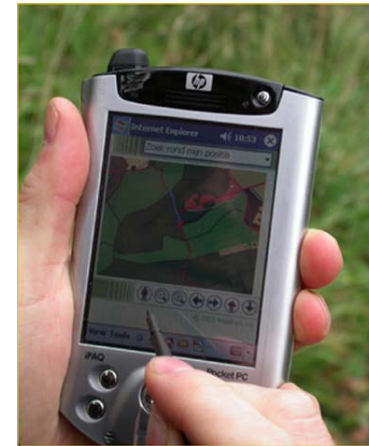
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# Motivation

- Emergence of location-based services in
  - ✓ emergency situations
  - ✓ transportation
  - ✓ entertainment



- Location-sensing, **critical** for supporting location-based services
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# Classification of Localization Systems

## [Borriello01]

- Use of Hardware
  - Infrastructure based (RF-based, Bluetooth, RFID)
  - Cooperative localization (Ad-hoc networks)
  
- Local vs. Remote computation
  - Client-based approach
  - Infrastructure based approach
  
- Position Description
  - Absolute localization
  - Relative localization
  
- Localization technique
  - Map-based
  - Distance-prediction
  
- Accuracy - Precision

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# Infrastructure Requirements

## Client-based approach

- ❑ Need of special software/driver/application in the mobile device
  - Difficult to support all operation systems and wireless chipset
  - Pre-installation of the software is needed
  - Processing Power requirements

## Infrastructure-based approach

- ❑ No need of extra specific/ proprietary hardware
  - ❑ No client changes required
  - ❑ Adequate power
  - ❑ Emergency situations
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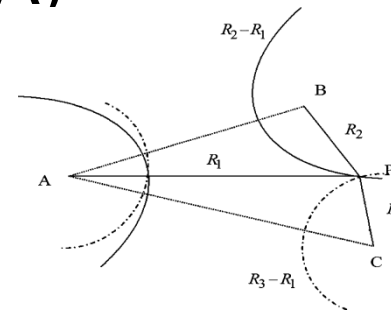
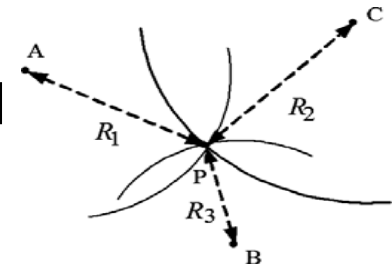
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# Distance Based Systems[Liu07]

- Geometric properties of **triangles** to estimate the location
- Lateration
  - Position estimation by measuring its **distances** from multiple reference points (RP)
  - Time of flight - Signal attenuation
- Angulation
  - Position estimation by computing **angles** relative to multiple reference points

# Lateration – Time of flight [Win09]

- Time of Arrival (TOA)
  - Distance is proportional to the propagation time
  - 2-D requires 3 RPs
  - Compute the intersection points , NLS method
- Time Difference of Arrival (TDOA)
  - Solve a hyperbolic equation
  - 2-D requires 2 measurement units



## Issues:

- Synchronization of measurement units
- Additional measurement unit hardware

# Lateration – Received Signal Strength (RSS)[Chen09]

- Signal attenuation methods calculate the path loss due to propagation
- Empirical & theoretical models translate the received signal into distance

- Path loss model:[Rappaport01]

Distance between receiver&transmitter

$$P_r = P_t - PL(d_0) - 10a \log(\|n - p\|_2) - X_\sigma$$

- Issues: Multipath fading and shadowing in indoor environments.

# Angulation

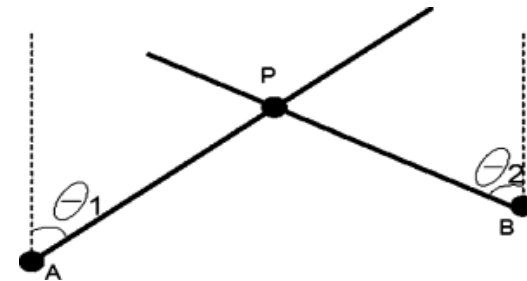
- Estimated position: **Intersection of several pair of angle direction lines**
- Accomplished with **directional antennae** – array of antennae

## Advantages

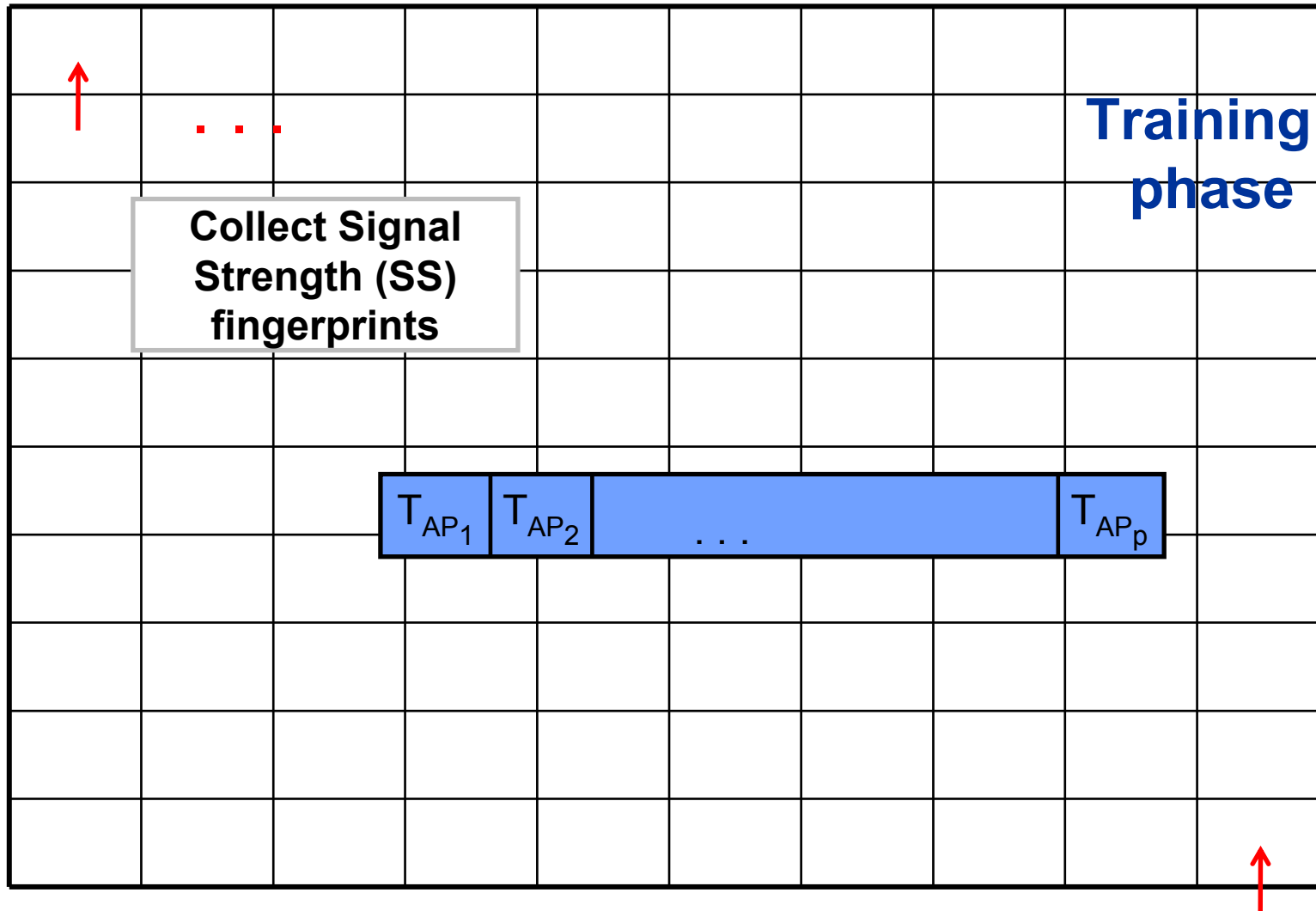
- 2-D requires 2 measurement units
- No time synchronization

## Disadvantages

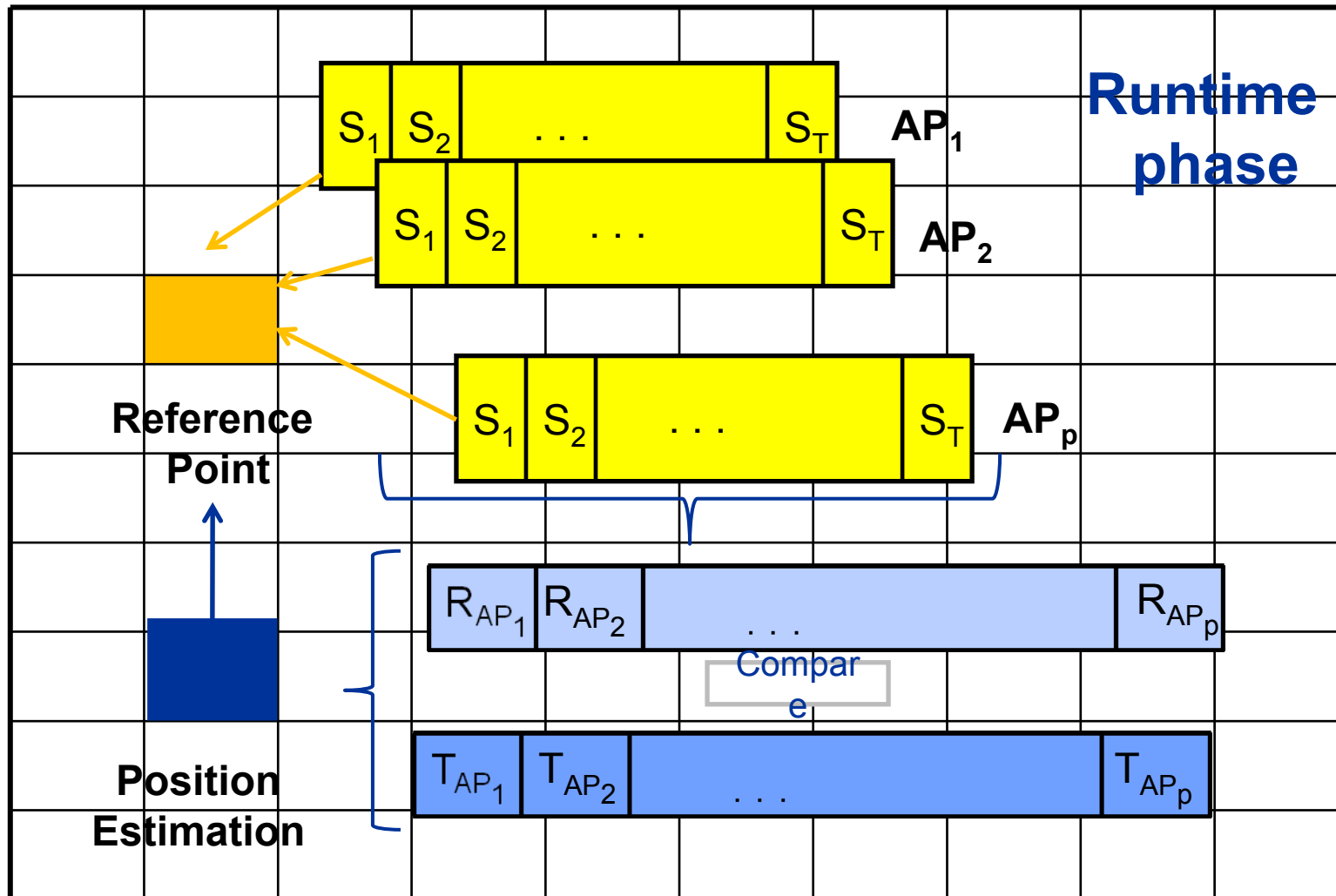
- Large & complex hardware
- Difficult to acquire accurate angle measurements



# Map-based Systems



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# Confidence Interval - Percentile

[Papadopouli 07]

## ■ Confidence Interval

- Training phase: each AP creates a confidence interval from each cell
- Runtime phase: A weight is computed for each cell to indicate the **likelihood** to be the estimated position  
Each AP assigns a vote for each cell  
Estimated position: Cell with the maximum weight

## ■ Percentiles

- Similar to confidence interval
- Detailed information from the SS Distribution

# K-nearest neighbour method

[Radar00],[Rizos06]

- Training phase: Signatures from average SS of each AP
- Runtime phase
  - Computation of the generalized distance between runtime signature and training

- Estimated position  $\hat{c}$  :

K=1

$$\hat{c} = \arg \min \left( \sum_{l=1}^D |y_r - y_t|^q \right)^{1/q}$$

# Possible position

Runtime measurement vector

Training measurement vector

- q=1:Manhantan distance
- q=2: Euclidian distance
- Best performance with K=3 and K=4

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# Probabilistic approach

[Wallach02],[Shankar03]

- Large variation of SS at each cell  $\Rightarrow$  use SS distribution to address the noisy wireless channel
- Training phase: for each fingerprint the frequency of each SS value is used to generate a probability distribution represented by a histogram
  - APs are independent
  - All positions are equally likely
- Runtime phase: MLE
- Estimated position:  $\hat{c} = \arg \max p(\mathbf{y}|c_i)$ 
  - Area of confidence, set of cells  $c_i$  such that  $\sum_i p(c_i) > P_{th}$  .

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# Multivariate Gaussian model

[Papadopouli10]

- Information about the geometry/topology of the environment
  - **Interdependencies** among signal measurements from various APs - **Multivariate Gaussian distribution**: to construct a statistical signature  $\forall$  cell
- Training phase: SS collection
- Runtime phase
  - Signature  $\forall$  cell from active APs
  - KLD distance estimation of the training and runtime signatures
- Estimated position: smallest KLD distance

# Related Work



- Systems based on IEEE 802.11

System	Method	Reference Points	# Access	Area (m <sup>2</sup> )	Accuracy (m)
MvGs	Multivariate Gaussian model	108	13	84	1.60
Shankar03	Probabilistic Approach	110	4 per cell	1700	2.1
CLS	Percentile	108	13	84	2.65
	Confidence Interval	108	13	84	2.82
Radar	KNN	N/A	3	980	3
Chen09	Lateration technique	101	5	3400	~4

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# Localization Systems

## Distance-Based Systems

- 😊 Easy adaptation
- 😞 Less accurate
- 😞 Path-loss models does not always hold
- 😞 Computationally inefficient

## Map-based Model

- 😊 Fairly accurate
  - 😊 Better capture of the physical space
  - 😞 Training is time consuming
  - 😞 Re-calibration to adapt environmental changes
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# Why bother with CS?

- Already existing methods
    - High computational complexity
    - Cost ineffective
  - Reduce the number of measurements
  - Improve the accuracy of the system
  - Benefit of the sparsity of the problem
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# Proposed Framework


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# Proposed System [Nikitaki, Tsakalides 10]

## Key idea : Spatial Sparsity

Reconstruction of a sparse signal from a set of RSSI measurements by **Compressive Sensing**

- Grid-based representation of the physical space
- One central unit samples the reference signal
- No specific/ proprietary hardware, application to the mobile device  Localization performed in the central unit

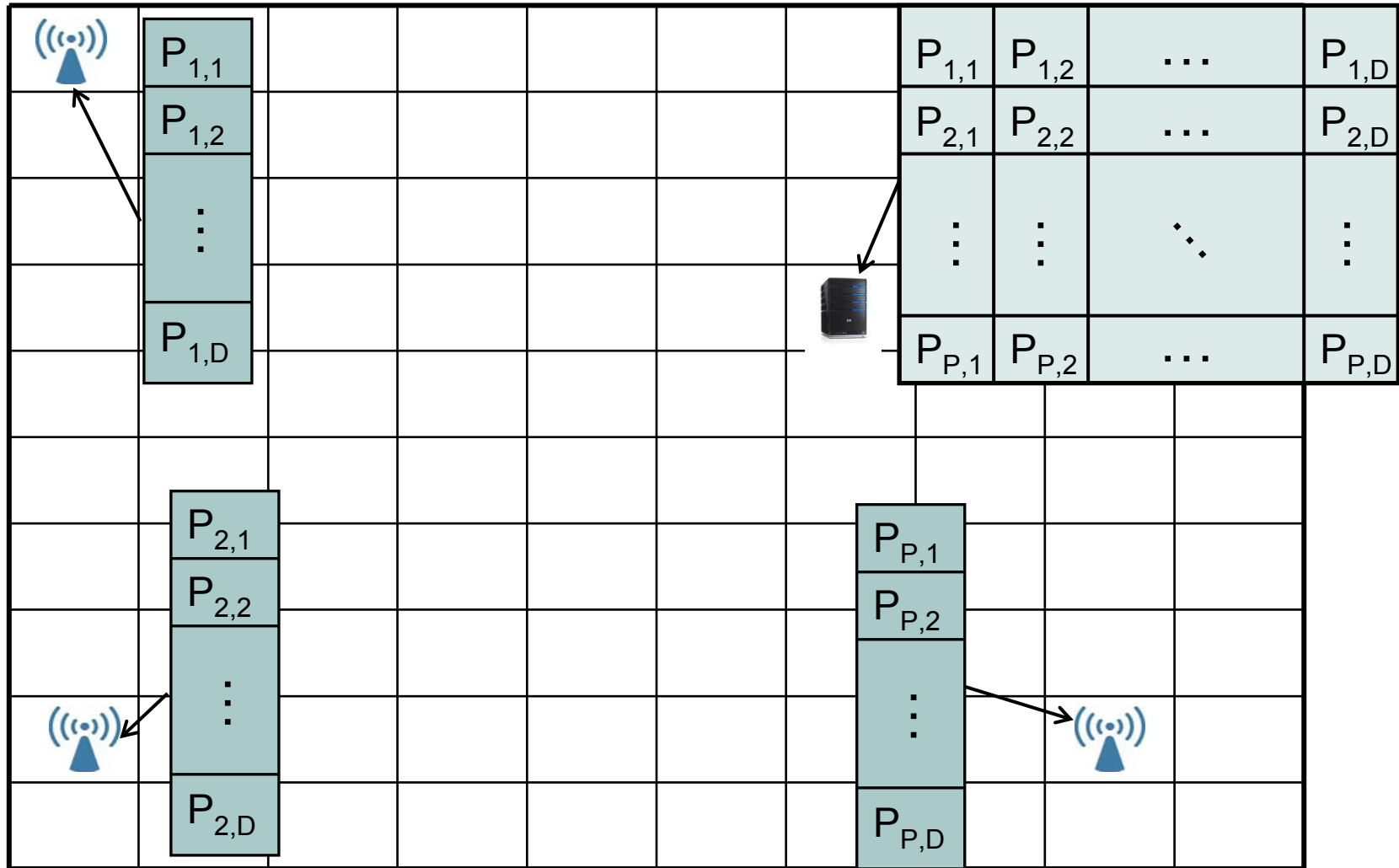
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# Problem Setup

- Assume
  - 1 mobile node with unknown positions  $n = [x, y]^T$
  - P APs with known positions
  - D reference points
- Set of possible positions  $\mathcal{S} = \{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_D\}$
- Sparse vector  $\mathbf{b} \in \mathbb{R}^D$ ,  $\mathbf{b} = [0, 1, 0, \dots, 0]^T$

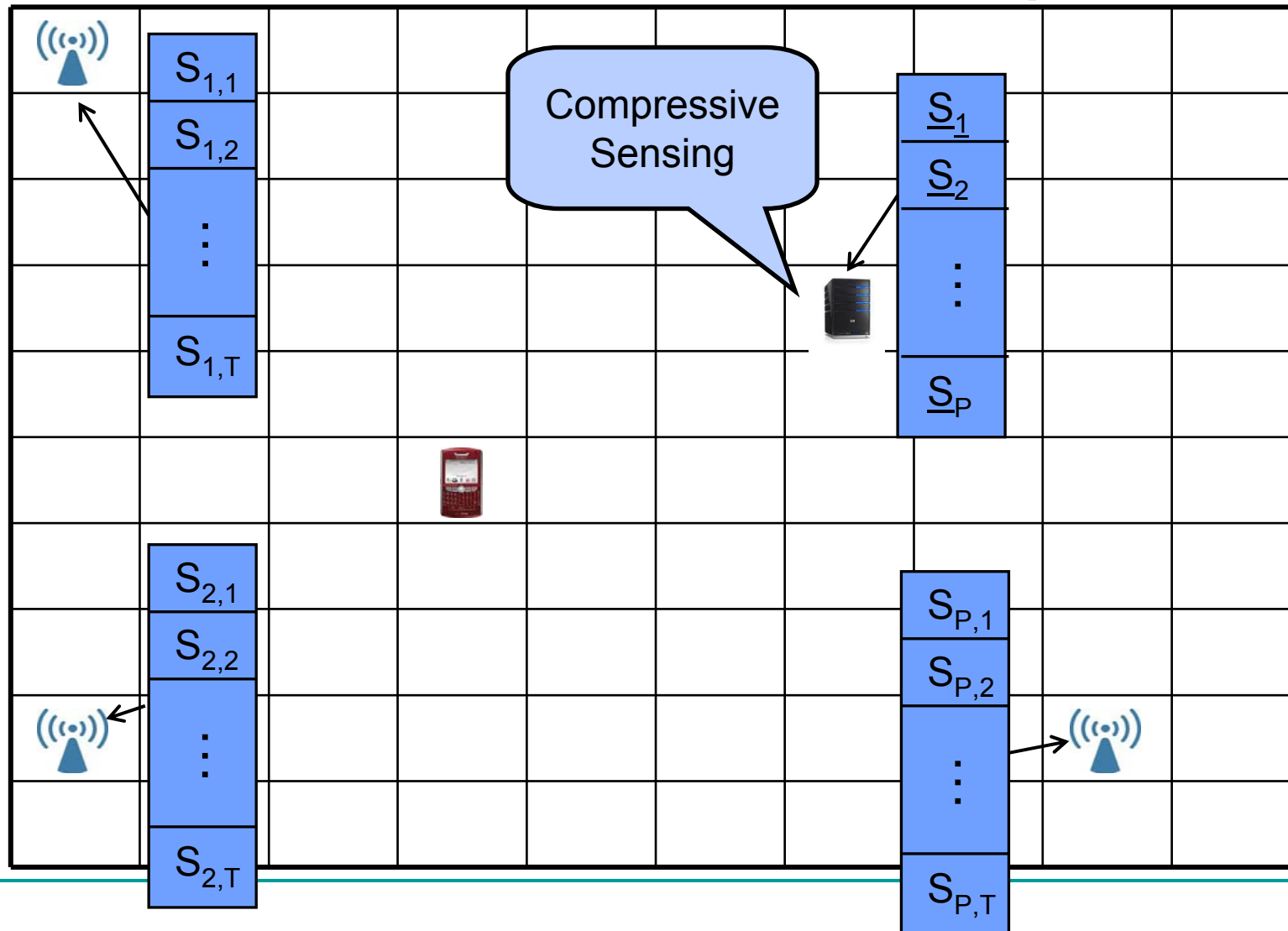
# Algorithm

## Training phase



# Algorithm

## Runtime phase



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# Problem Setup

i-th AP:

- Signature map of the

- $\boldsymbol{\psi}_i = [P_{i,1}, P_{i,2}, \dots, P_{i,D}]^T_{(1 \times D)}$

- $P_{i,j}$  : average RSSI value the AP receives from location j

- Average runtime value receives is:

$$z_i = \boldsymbol{\psi}_i \mathbf{b}$$

# Position estimation

Central unit

$$\mathbf{z} = \Psi \mathbf{b}$$

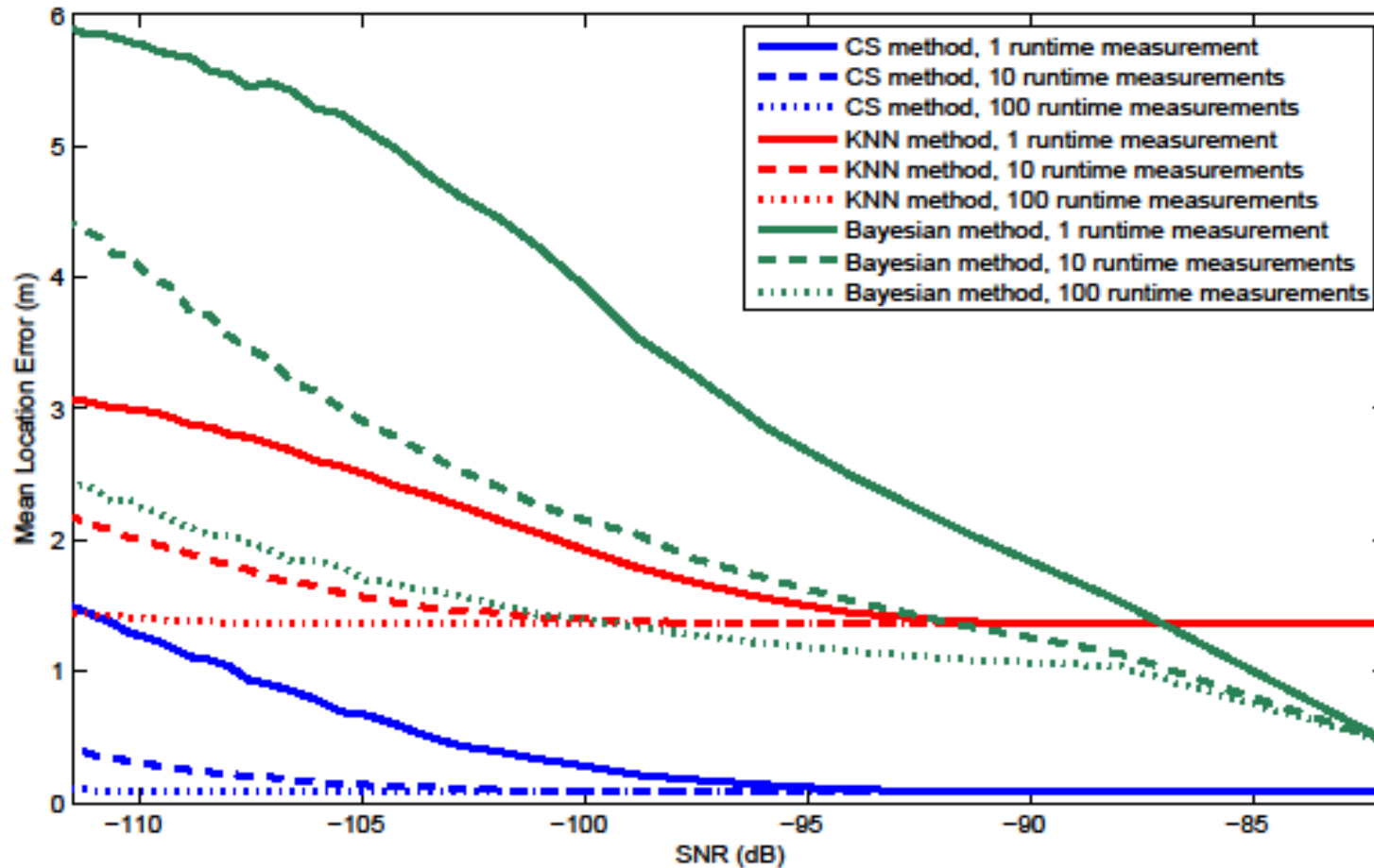
■ Signal ensemble:

$$\begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ \vdots \\ z_P \end{bmatrix}_{(Px1)} = \begin{bmatrix} \Psi_1 \\ \vdots \\ \Psi_P \end{bmatrix}_{(PxD)} \cdot \mathbf{b} \quad (2)$$

■ Reconstruction of sparse vector

$$\hat{\mathbf{b}} = \arg \min \|\mathbf{b}\|_1 \quad s.t. \quad \mathbf{z} = \Psi \mathbf{b}$$

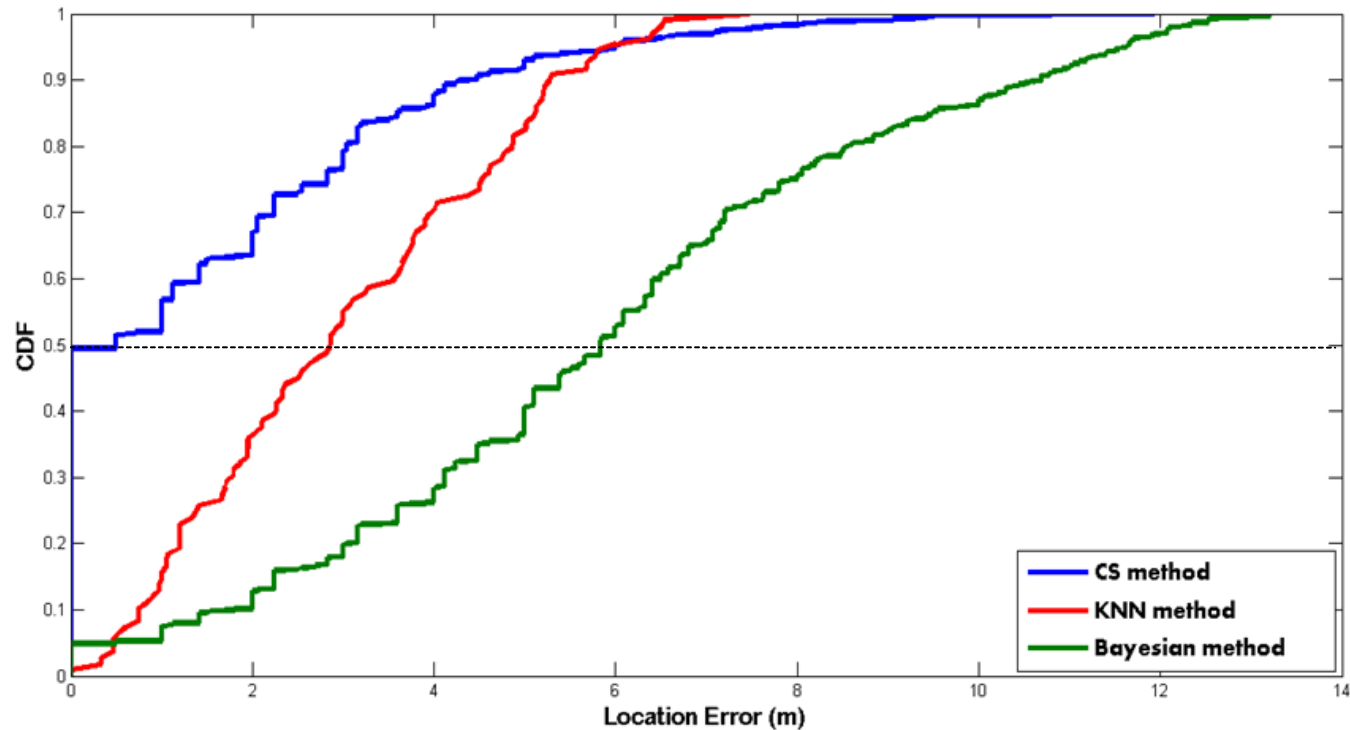
# Results(1)



Simulate area of 84m<sup>2</sup>  
grid size: 0.5m x 0.5m

CS method **50%(1.54m) improvement** over KNN  
CS method **74%(4.3m) improvement** over Bayesian

## Results (2)



CDF curves ( $P|X|\leq x$ ) for the three methods for SNR = -110 dB and 1 runtime RSSI measurement.

The location error of the CS based method is less than 0.5 m 50% of the time

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# Localization based on Jointly Compressed Sensing

## Motivation

- Exploit the intra- & inter- signal correlation structures
- Reduce the amount of signal strength data needed for accurate positioning

## Key idea

- Jointly sparsity of the signal ensemble –  
Distributed Compressed Sensing (DCS) theory
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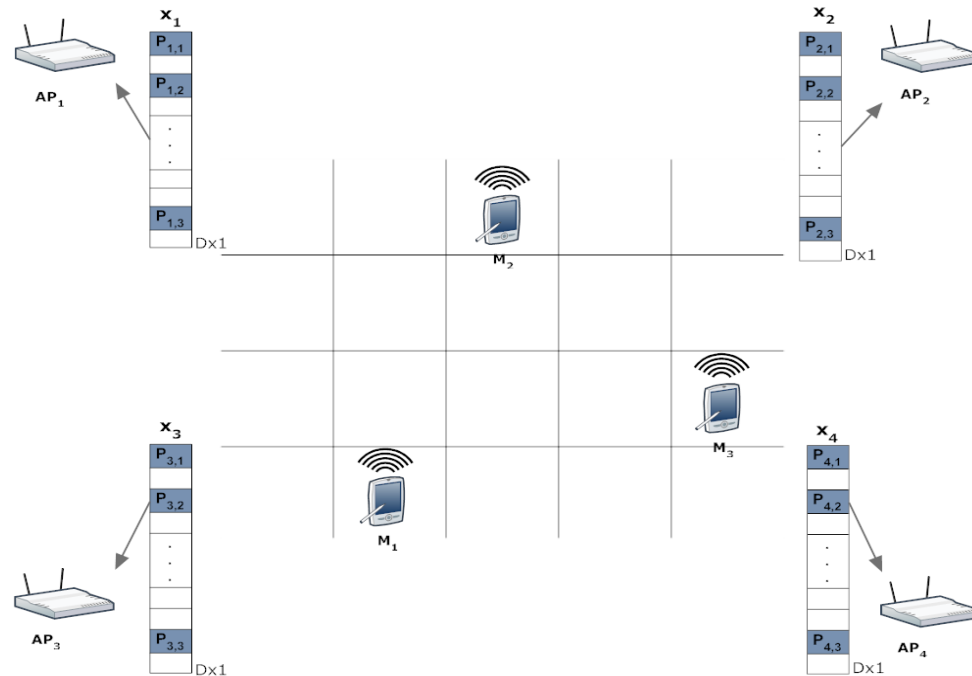
# Distributed Compressed Sensing Theory

[Baron09]

- Multiple collection points usually capture related phenomena
  
- A joint structure is expected for the signal ensemble + intra signal correlation between the individual measurements
  
- Jointly sparsity models
  1. Sparse common component + innovations
  2. Common sparse supports (indoor positioning case)
  3. Non sparse common component + sparse innovations

# Indoor Localization

## Common sparse support set

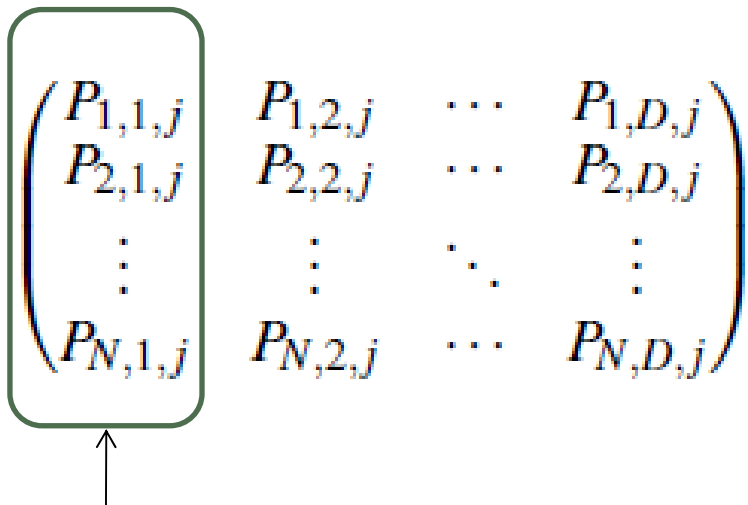


- The joint structure of the signal ensembles makes the DCS applicable for indoor positioning in WLANs
- Correlated signals among APs

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# Training Phase

- Each AP creates a signature map of the spatial space

$$\Psi_j = \begin{pmatrix} P_{1,1,j} & P_{1,2,j} & \cdots & P_{1,D,j} \\ P_{2,1,j} & P_{2,2,j} & \cdots & P_{2,D,j} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ P_{N,1,j} & P_{N,2,j} & \cdots & P_{N,D,j} \end{pmatrix}$$


N received RSSI signals the j-th AP  
receives from a node each potential position of the user

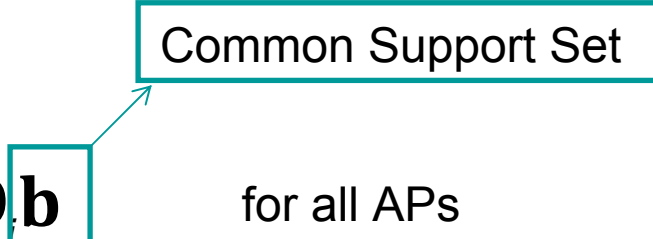
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# Runtime Phase(1)

- Each AP constructs a random measurement matrix  $\Phi_j \in \mathbb{R}^{M \times N}$ .
- **Measurement matrix:** contains i.i.d. random variables from a Gaussian p.d.f with mean zero and variance  $1/D$  ( $D$  is the length of the sparse vector).

**Universality property**

- **Runtime measurements:**

$$\mathbf{y}_j = \Phi_j \mathbf{x}_j = \Phi_j \Psi_j \mathbf{b} = \Theta_j \mathbf{b} \quad \text{for all APs}$$


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# Runtime Phase

## Central Unit

- Joint detection of position of the mobile user based on the common support set among the J APs

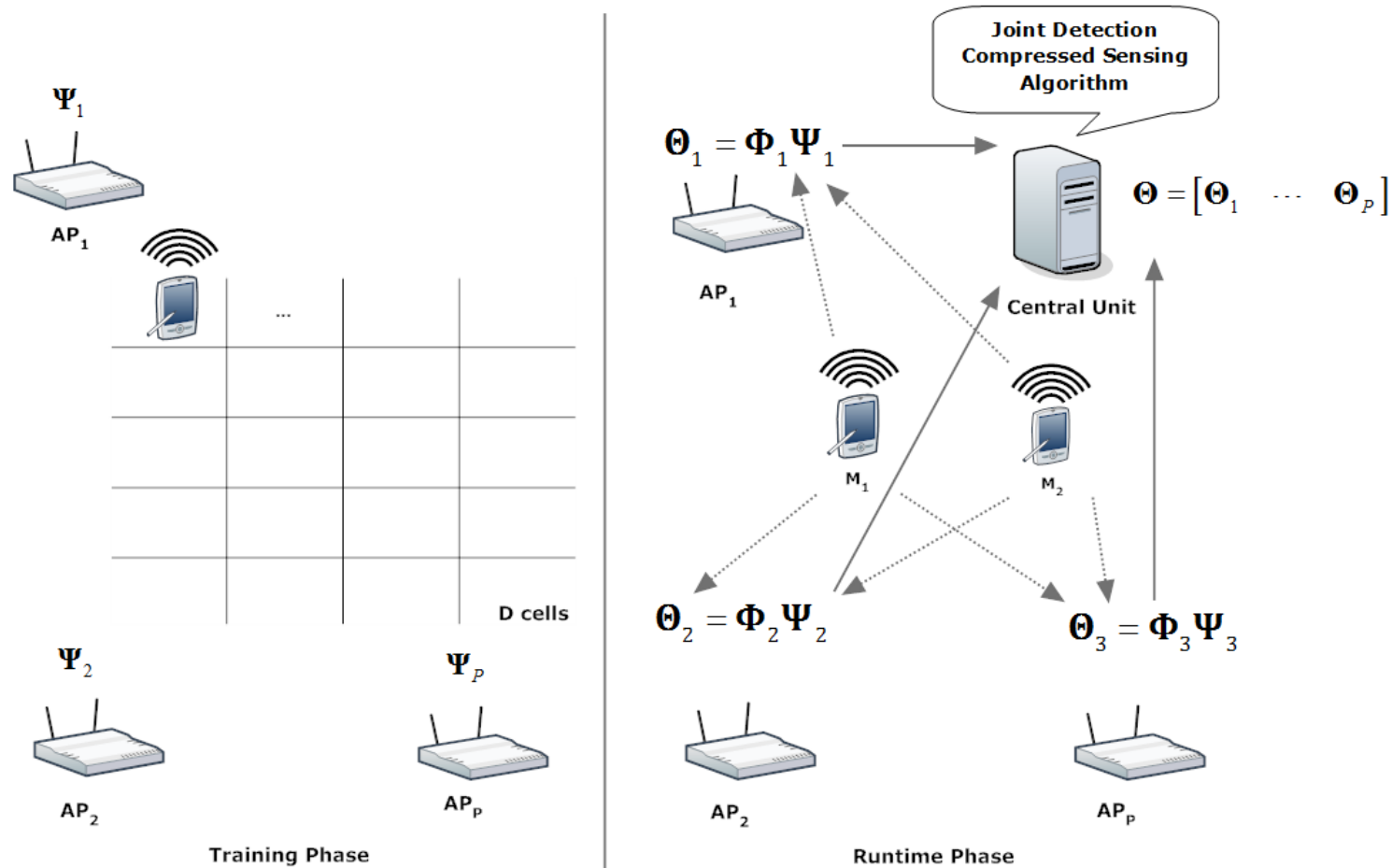
**JDCS**(Joint Detection Compressed Sensing)

Input:  $\Theta_j$ , RSSI measurements  $y_j$  for all J APs

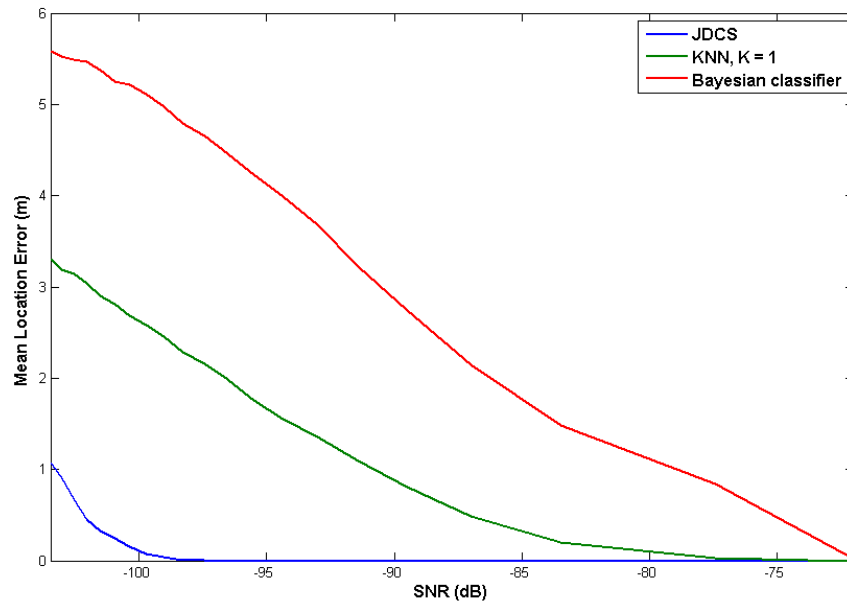
Outputs: Estimated Position

1. Estimate the sparse coefficient vector  $\mathbf{b}_j$  for each AP
  2. Individual coefficients vectors from each AP are added together
  3. Detection of the position of the mobile user: largest coefficient of vector  $\mathbf{b}$ .
  4. Return the estimated position
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# Centralized CS-based Indoor Localization



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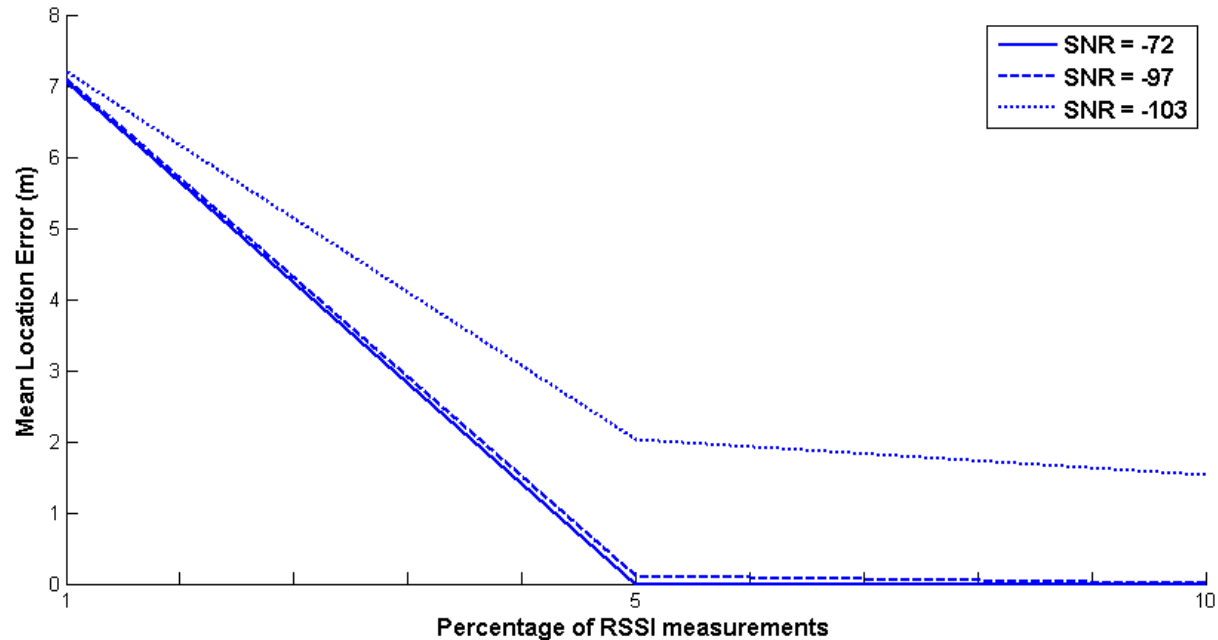


- Laboratory area of 7m x 12 m.
- Grid-based structure 0.5m x 0.5m.
- 109 different cells

Mean location error vs. SNR for the KNN, Bayesian and the JDCS methods.

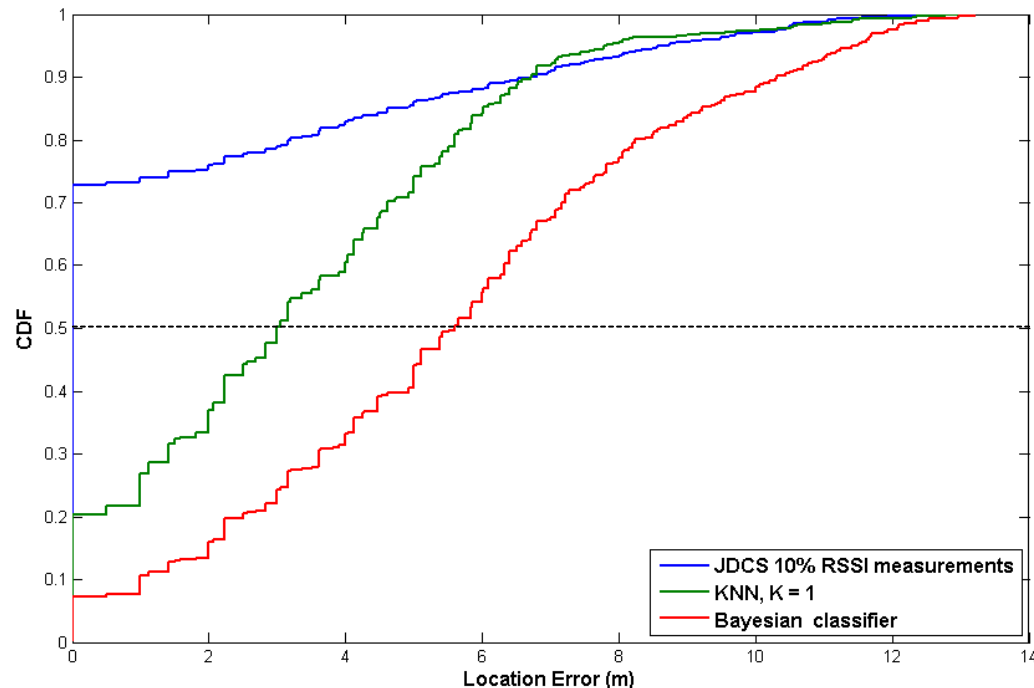
The JDCS algorithm has better performance in all cases.

# Experiments (2)



- Mean location error vs. percentage of RSSI runtime measurements for the Joint Detection Compressed Sensing localization for different SNR values.
- Desired accuracy with only 5% to 10% of the runtime measurements.

# Experiments (3)



- CDF curves ( $P|X|\leq x$ ) for the three methods for low SNR
- JDCS considers only 10% of the available runtime RSSI measurements
- Location error of the JDCS method is less than 0.1m, 73% of the time

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# Decentralized CS-based Indoor Localization

- Centralized scheme - single point failure
  - If central unit fails the system becomes inoperative & location sensing ineffective
- Decentralized scheme
  - Each AP independently computes the position of the mobile user
  - Spreading information through the network to **converge in a global estimation** via average consensus (**Gossip Algorithms**)

## Key Idea

- Fully decentralized cooperative CS localization approach to distribute perform localization based on correlated data sampled by APs
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# Decentralized Localization via CS

- Training phase

- Each AP  $j$  collects RSSI fingerprints in order to capture the physical space  $\Psi_j$
- Each AP  $j$  creates a measurement matrix  $\Phi_j$

- Runtime phase

- Each AP samples locally RSSI measurements to collect  $\mathbf{y}_j$  and computes the correlations among the runtime measurements and the matrix  $\Theta_j$
  - Update the estimations of the APs via **average consensus**
  - Upon convergence, each AP obtains the global estimation of the mobile user's location
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# Multichannel Audio Coding using Sinusoidal Modelling and Compressed Sensing

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# Overview

- Compressed Sensing (CS)
- Sinusoidal Modelling (SM)
- Multichannel Audio Coding using SM and CS
- Results – Bitrates, Listening Tests
- Conclusions

# Sinusoidal Modelling

- Sinusoids plus Noise Model

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{s} + \mathbf{n}$$

where  $\mathbf{x}$  is the current frame of the audio signal  
 $\mathbf{s}$  is the sinusoidal part  
 $\mathbf{n}$  is the noise part (residual)

# Sinusoidal Modelling

- Sinusoidal Part
  - consists of  $K$  sinusoids
  - each one characterised by

$$\{f_k, \alpha_k, \theta_k\}$$

where  $f_k$  is the frequency of the  $k$ -th sinusoid  
 $\alpha_k$  is its amplitude  
 $\theta_k$  is its phase

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  - use random samples as measurements
  - satisfies the incoherency requirement
  - less computationally complex than Gaussian measurements

# CS Reconstruction

- Reconstruction done with a modified smoothed  $\ell_0$  algorithm
- Very efficient when combined with the FFT basis and random sampling

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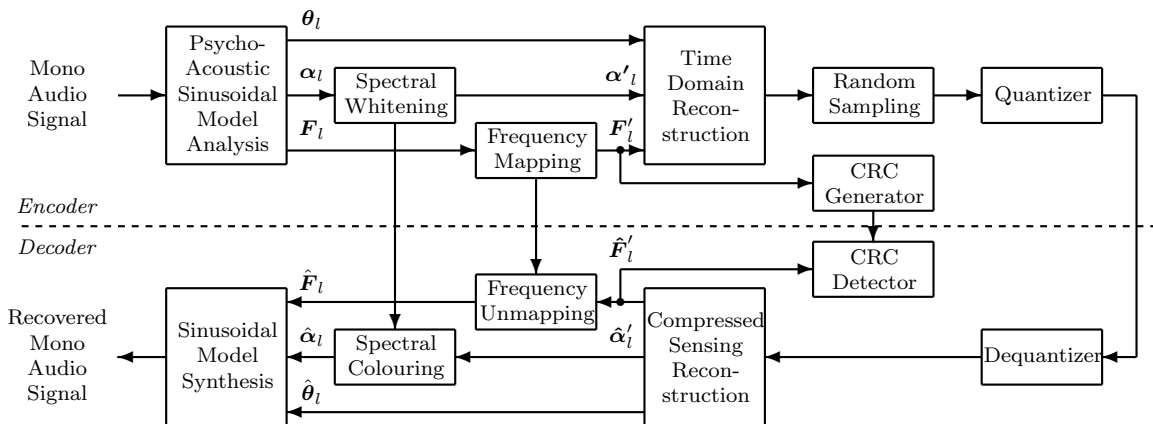
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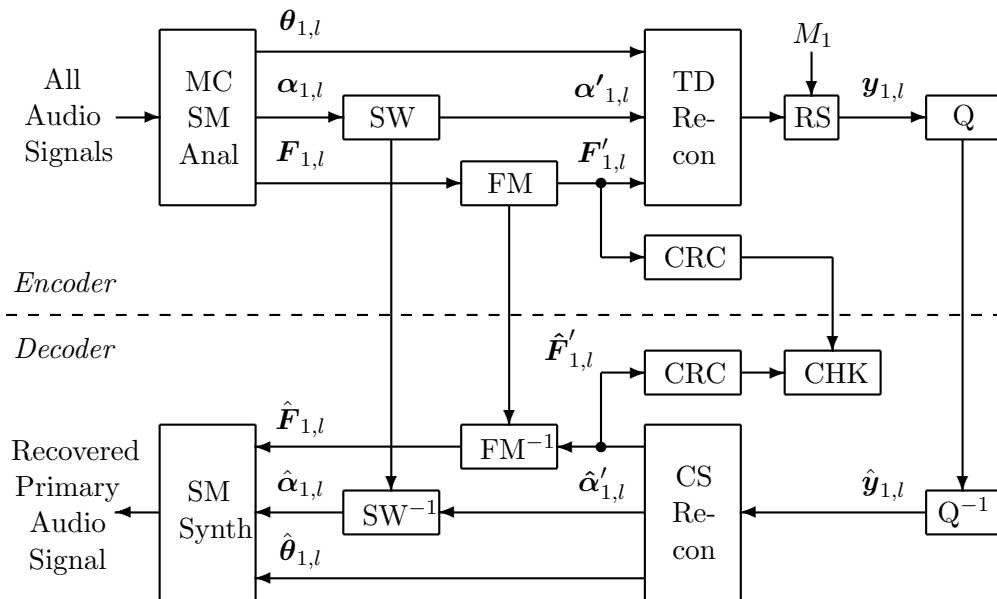
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  - Reconstruct the frame *in the encoder*, to ensure that the reconstruction is error-free.

# Single Channel Model

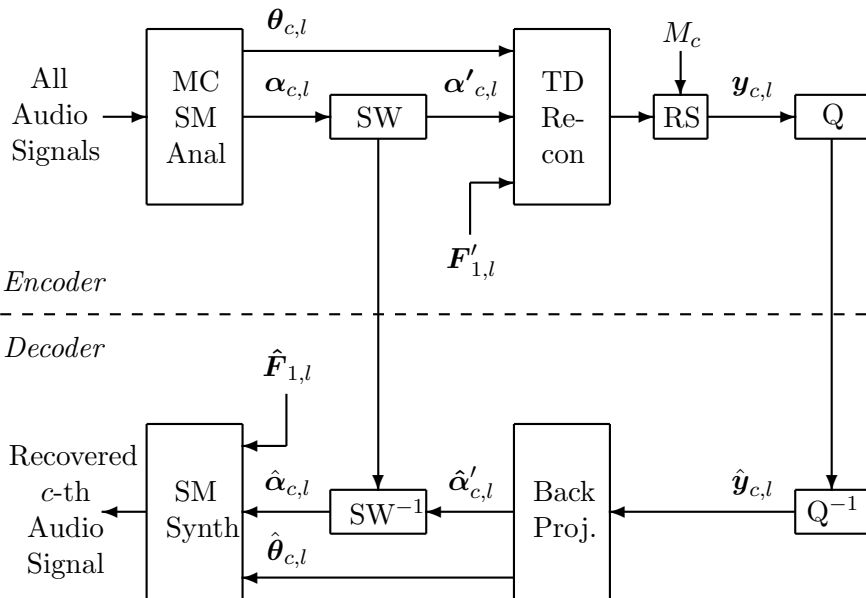


# Multi Channel Model



(a) Primary Audio Channel

# Multi Channel Model



(b)  $c$ -th Audio Channel

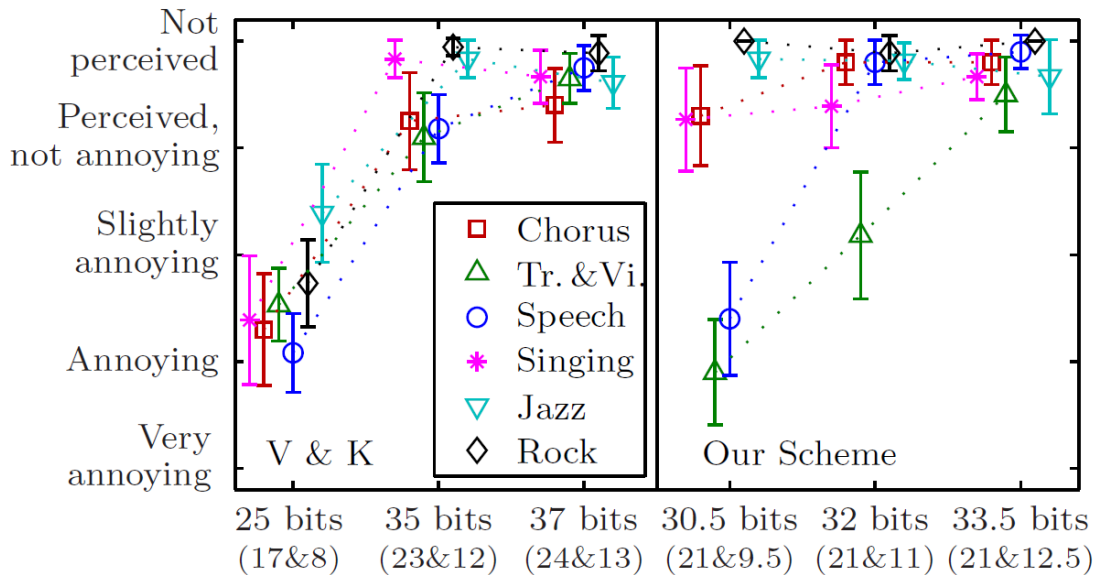
# Listening Tests

- All audio sampled at 22kHz
- 20ms frames with 50% overlapping
- 2048-point FFT
- 80 sinusoids with no residual
- 4-bit quantization of the random samples
- Audio signals are available at  
<http://www.ics.forth.gr/~mouchtar/cs4sm/>

# Bitrates

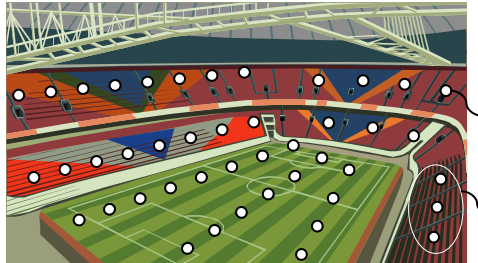
chan	$M$	raw bitrate	overhead			final bitrate	per sine
			CRC	FM	SW		
1	240	960	8	406	320	1694	21.2
2	210	840	0	0	160	1000	12.5
2	180	720	0	0	160	880	11.0
2	150	600	0	0	160	760	9.5

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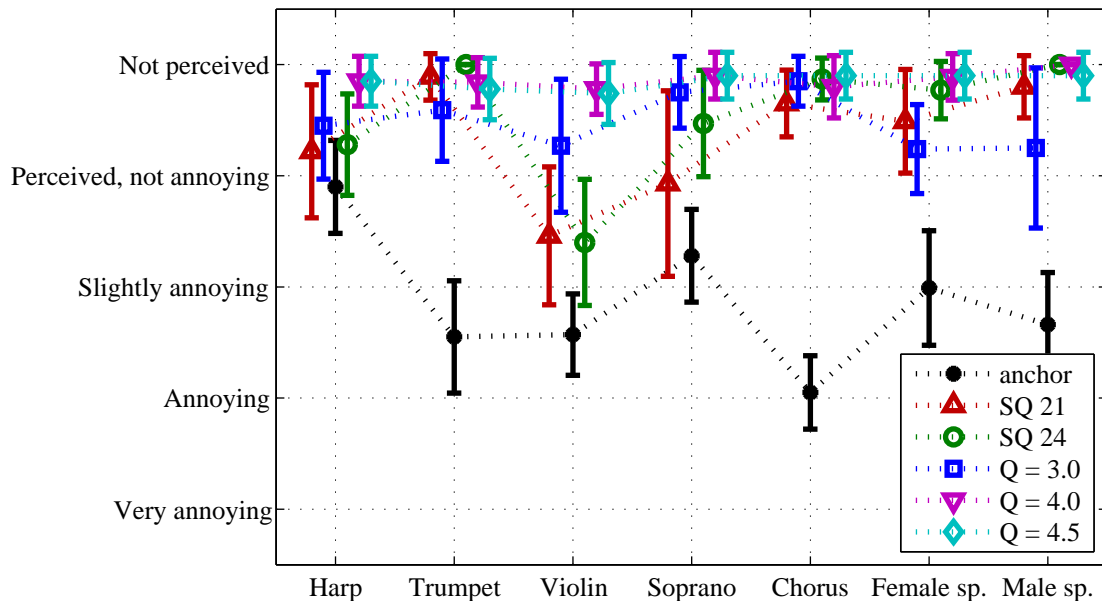


# Conclusions

- Novel method of encoding a multichannel audio
- Performs very similarly to current state-of-the-art
- Relatively low-complexity reconstruction
  - suitable for capturing audio scenes with a WSN



# Listening Test Results for Mono Signals ( $K = 25$ )



# Listening Test Results for Stereo Signals ( $K = 25$ )

