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Anomaly Preserving Redundancy Reduction in High-Dimensional Signals

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Outline

- Signal subspace estimation of noisy linear mixtures
- Drawbacks of using ℓ_2 -norm for anomaly representation
- Proposal of $\ell_{2,\infty}$ -norm as a remedy
- Greedy subspace estimation algorithm
- Anomaly detection algorithm
- Optimal subspace estimation algorithm
- Multispectral filter design for anomaly detection

Linear Mixture Model

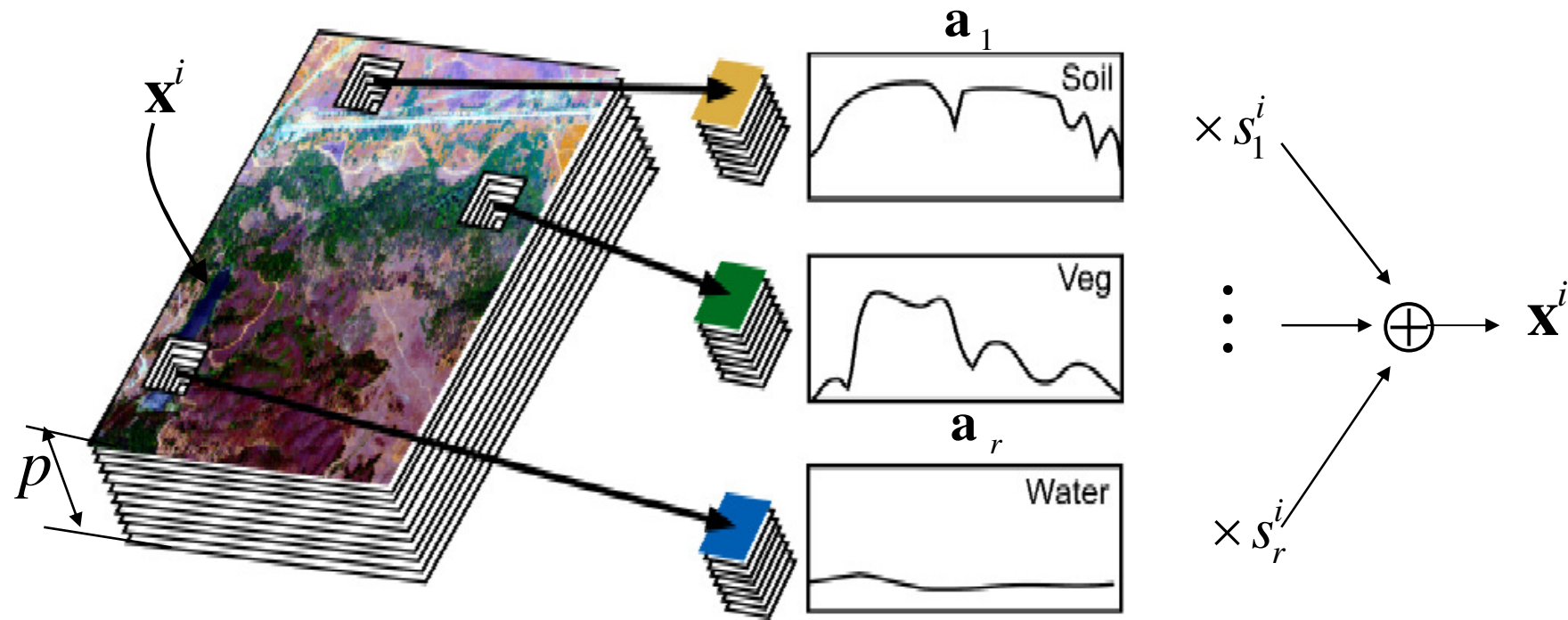
$$\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{S} + \mathbf{Z}$$

- \mathbf{X} - $p \times N$ matrix of observations
- \mathbf{A} - $p \times r$ matrix of endmembers
- \mathbf{S} - $r \times N$ matrix of endmember abundances
- \mathbf{Z} - $p \times N$ data acquisition/model error

The signal rank is at most $r < p$!

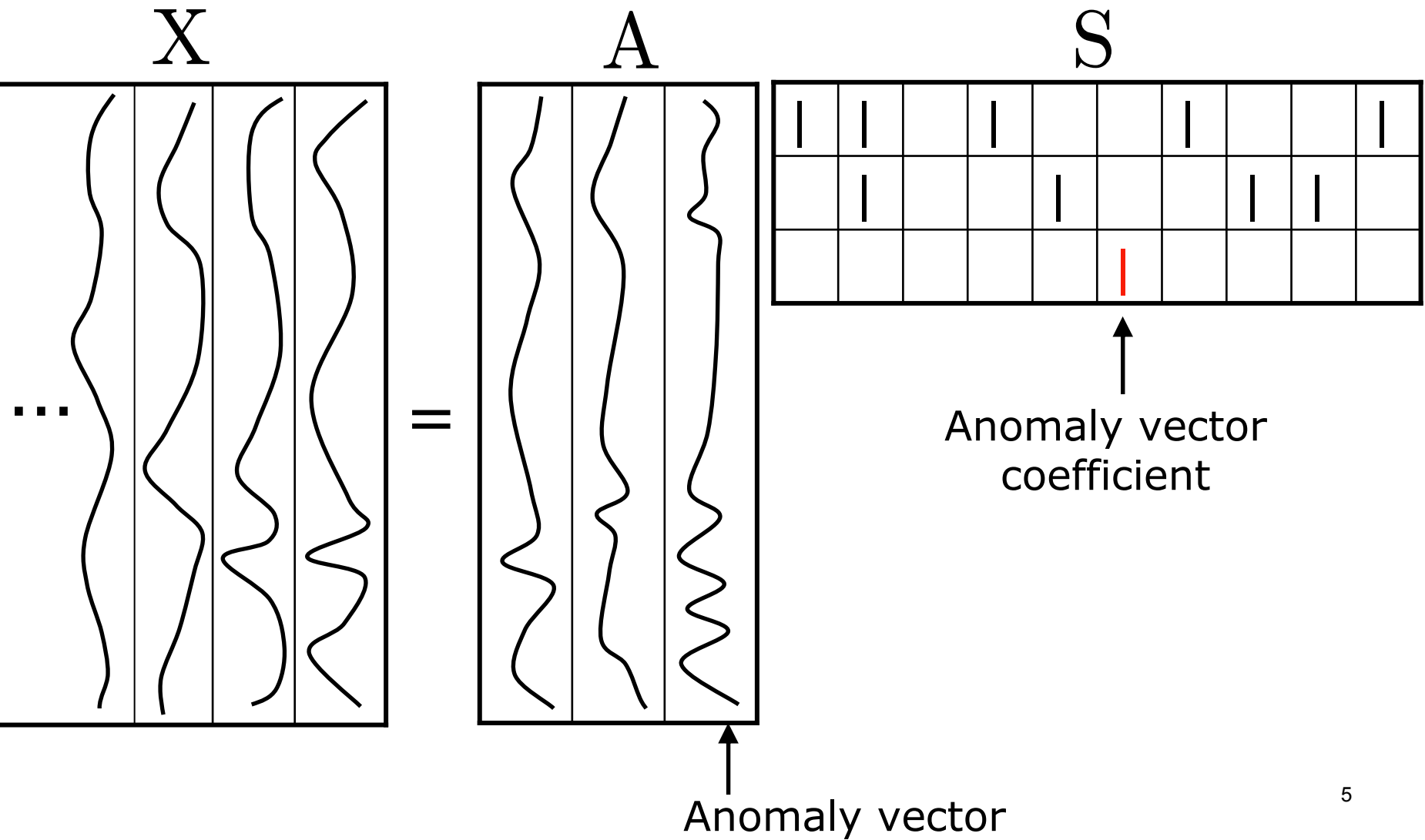
Linear Mixture Model Example

Hyperspectral images



$$\underbrace{\mathbf{X}^i}_{(p \times 1)} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{a}_1 & \dots & \mathbf{a}_r \end{bmatrix}}_{\mathbf{A}} \cdot \underbrace{\mathbf{S}^i}_{(r \times 1)}$$

Background versus Anomalies



Subspace estimation

ℓ_2 -norm based subspace estimation

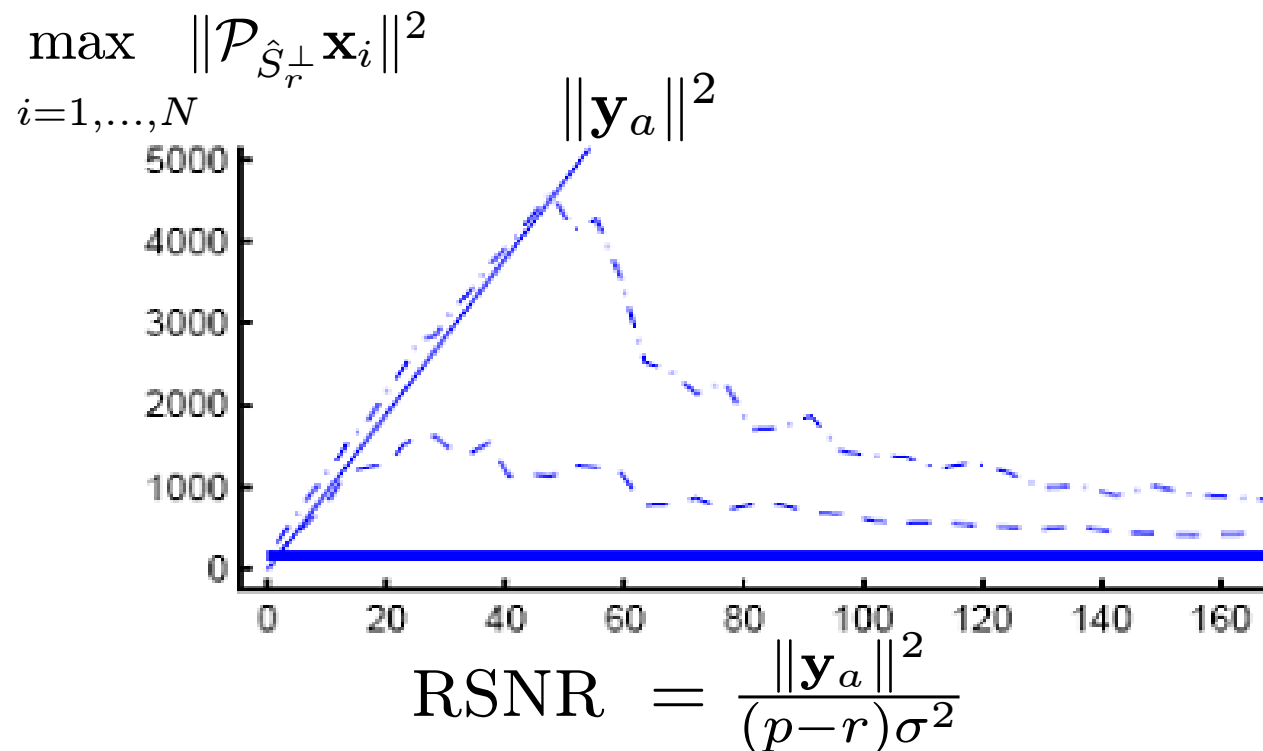
$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\mathcal{S}}_r &= \underset{\mathcal{L}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \|\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{L}^\perp} \mathbf{X}\|_{Fb}^2 \\ &\text{s.t.} \quad \operatorname{rank} \mathcal{L} = r,\end{aligned}$$

- The signal subspace \mathcal{L} can be estimated via SVD
- Anomaly vector contributions to the ℓ_2 -norm are weaker than contribution of noise
- The resultant subspace is skewed in a way that misses the anomaly vectors with probability close to 1

An example of anomaly misrepresentation as a result of ℓ_2 -norm minimization

- Maximum-norm error (dashed and dot-dashed) vs. norm of an anomaly vector (solid)

$$N = 10^5, p = 100, r = r_b + r_a = 5 + 1$$



Subspace estimation

$\ell_{2,\infty}$ -norm based subspace estimation

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\mathcal{S}}_r &= \underset{\mathcal{L}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \max_{i=1,\dots,N} \|\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{L}^\perp} \mathbf{x}_i\|^2 = \underset{\mathcal{L}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \|\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{L}^\perp} \mathbf{X}\|_{2,\infty}^2 \\ &\text{s.t.} \quad \operatorname{rank} \mathcal{L} = r, \end{aligned}$$

□ is equivalent to

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\mathcal{S}}_r &= \underset{\mathcal{L}, \gamma}{\operatorname{argmin}} \gamma \\ &\text{s.t.} \quad \|\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{L}^\perp} \mathbf{x}_j\|_2^2 \leq \gamma \quad \forall j = 1, \dots, N, \\ &\quad \operatorname{rank} \mathcal{L} = r, \end{aligned}$$

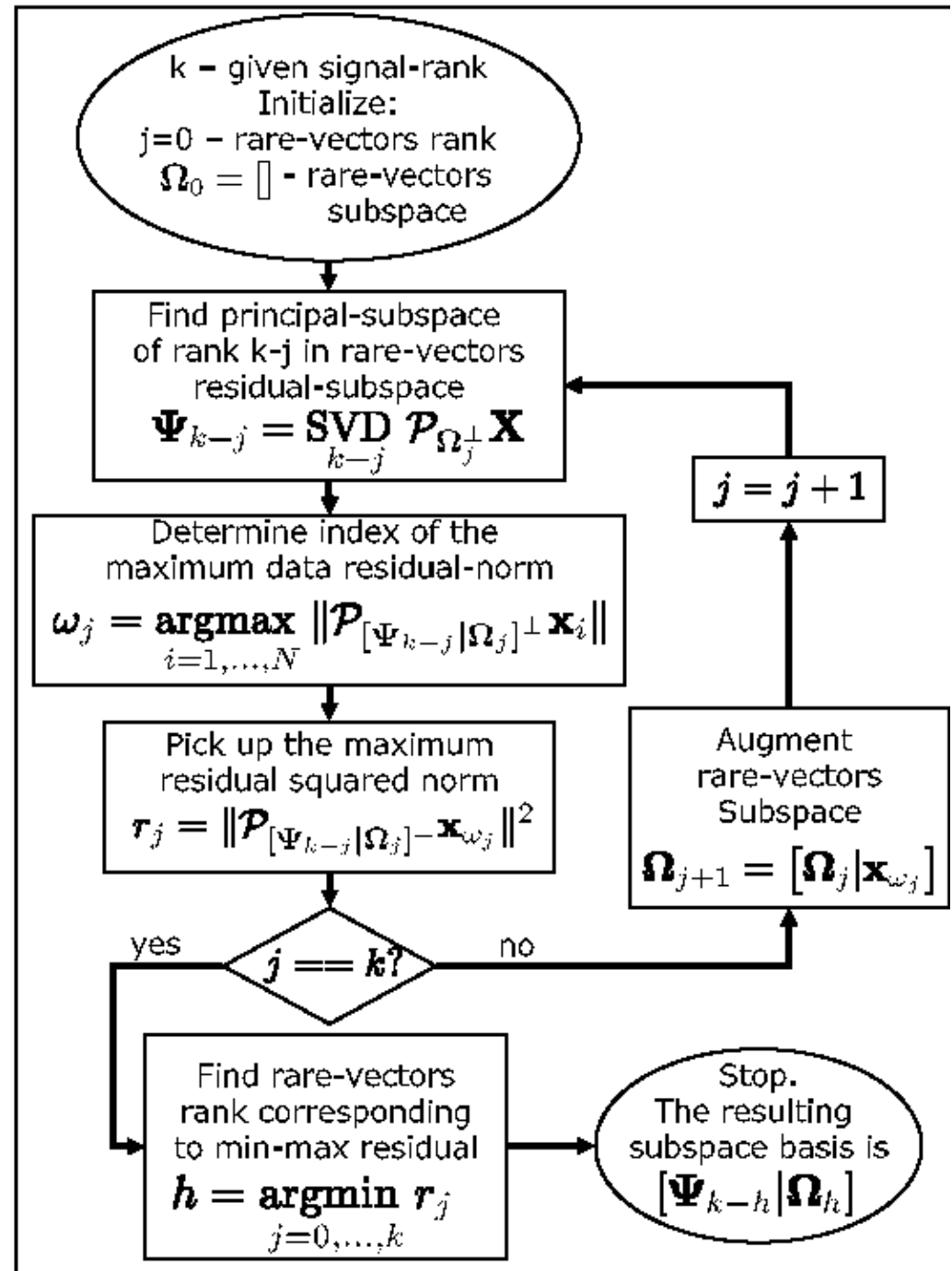
□ very hard to optimize due to a large number of constraints and a non-convex constraint

Greedy MX-SVD

- Look for a basis of the form:

$$[\Psi_{k-h} | \Omega_h]$$

- Ω_h represents anomaly vectors
- Ψ_{k-h} represents the background



MX-SVD vs. SVD

Maximum residual norm distribution

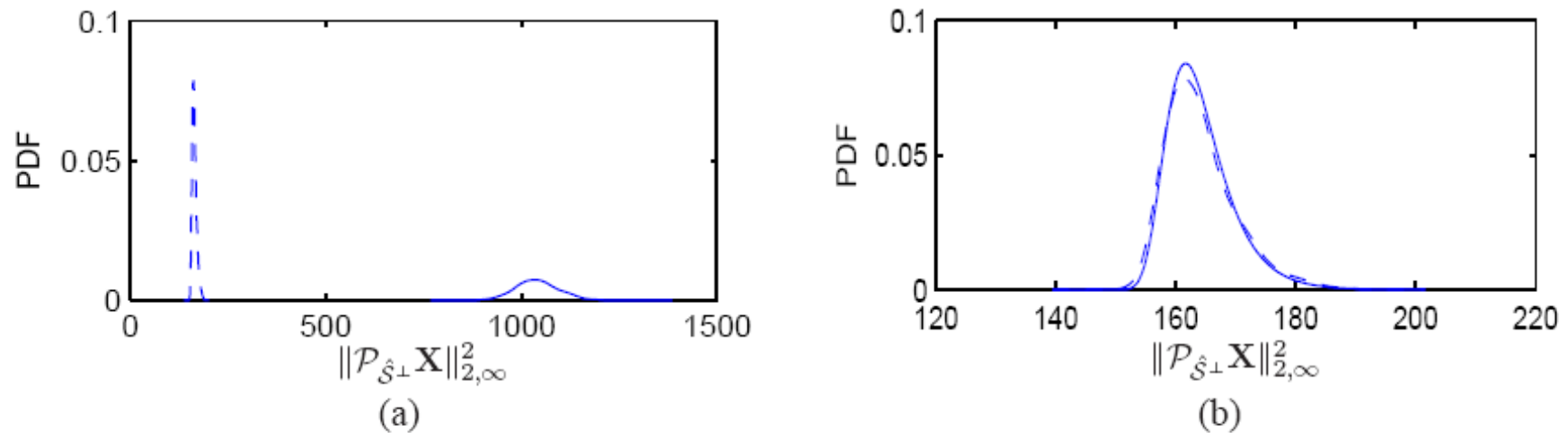
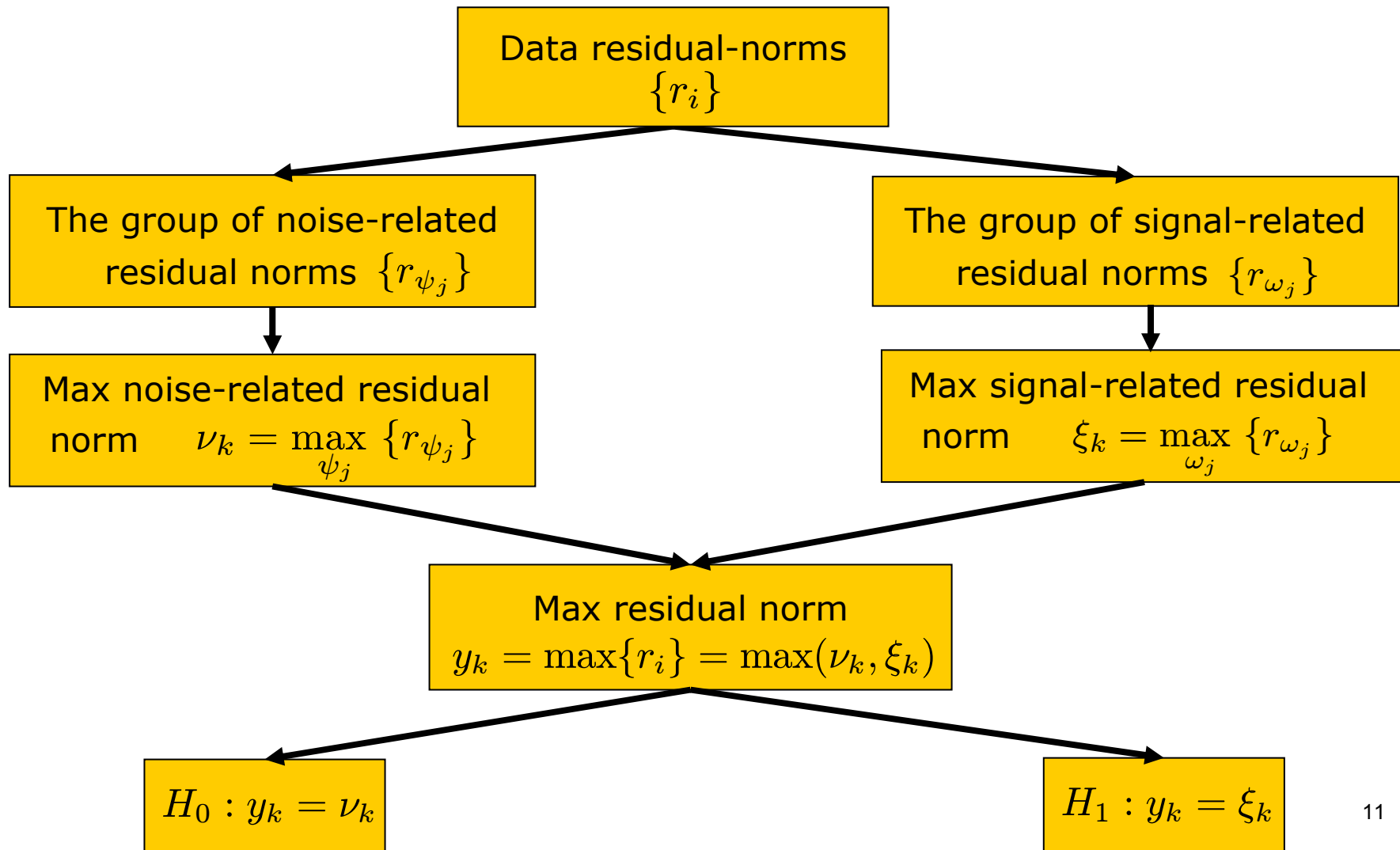


Fig. 4. The pdfs of $\|\mathcal{P}_{\hat{\mathcal{S}}^\perp} \mathbf{X}\|_{2,\infty}^2$, obtained via a Monte-Carlo simulation. (a) The empirical pdfs of $\|\mathcal{P}_{\hat{\mathcal{S}}^\perp} \mathbf{X}\|_{2,\infty}^2$ obtained by MX-SVD (dashed line) and SVD (solid line) for RSNR = 10, $\sigma = 1$, $p = 10^2$, $N = 10^5$, $k = r_{abund} + r_{rare} = 5 + 3 = 8$ (b) The empirical pdf of $\|\mathcal{P}_{\hat{\mathcal{S}}^\perp} \mathbf{X}\|_{2,\infty}^2$ by MX-SVD (dashed-line) versus the exact pdf of $\|\mathcal{P}_{\hat{\mathcal{S}}^\perp} \mathbf{Z}\|_{2,\infty}^2$ (solid line).

Anomaly
misrepresentation
via ℓ_2

Rank estimation via MOCA

Maximum-residual norm = maximum of 2 maxima



Rank estimation via MOCA

$P(H_0 | y_k)$ and $P(H_1 | y_k)$ are functions of $p_{\nu_k}(\cdot)$ and $p_{\xi_k}(\cdot)$

$$p_{\nu_k}(\cdot)$$

- Distribution of the maximum noise-norm:

$$P(\nu_k \leq x) = \mathcal{G}(a_N(x - b_N))$$

- Gumbel distribution:

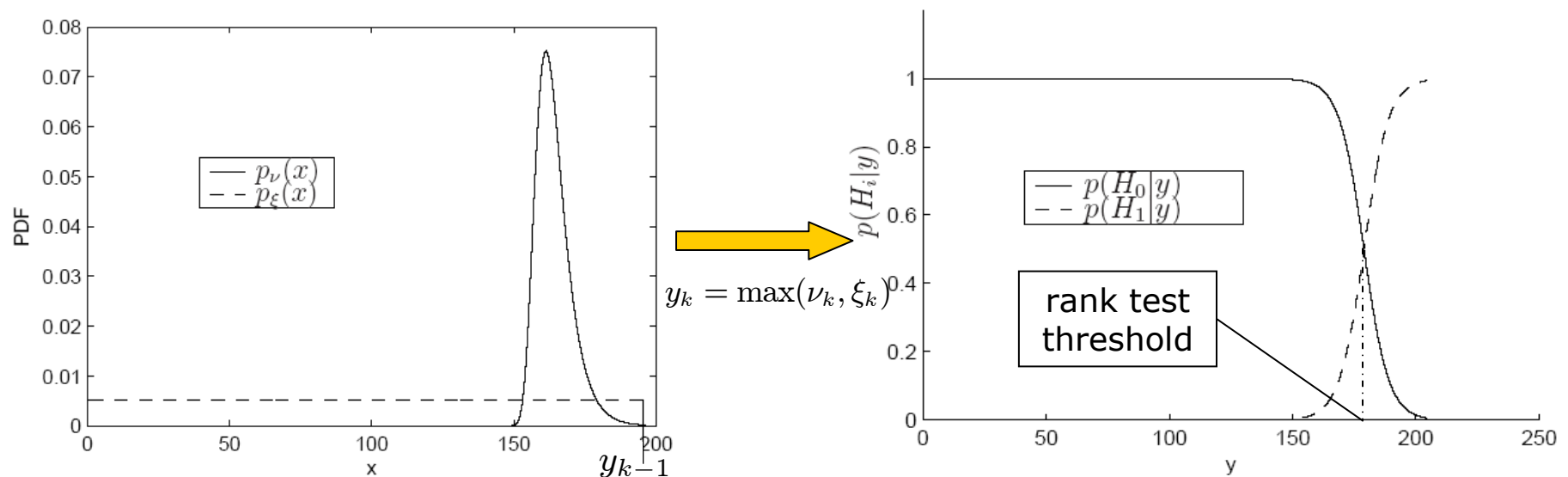
$$\mathcal{G}(x) = e^{-e^{-x}}$$

$$p_{\xi_k}(\cdot)$$

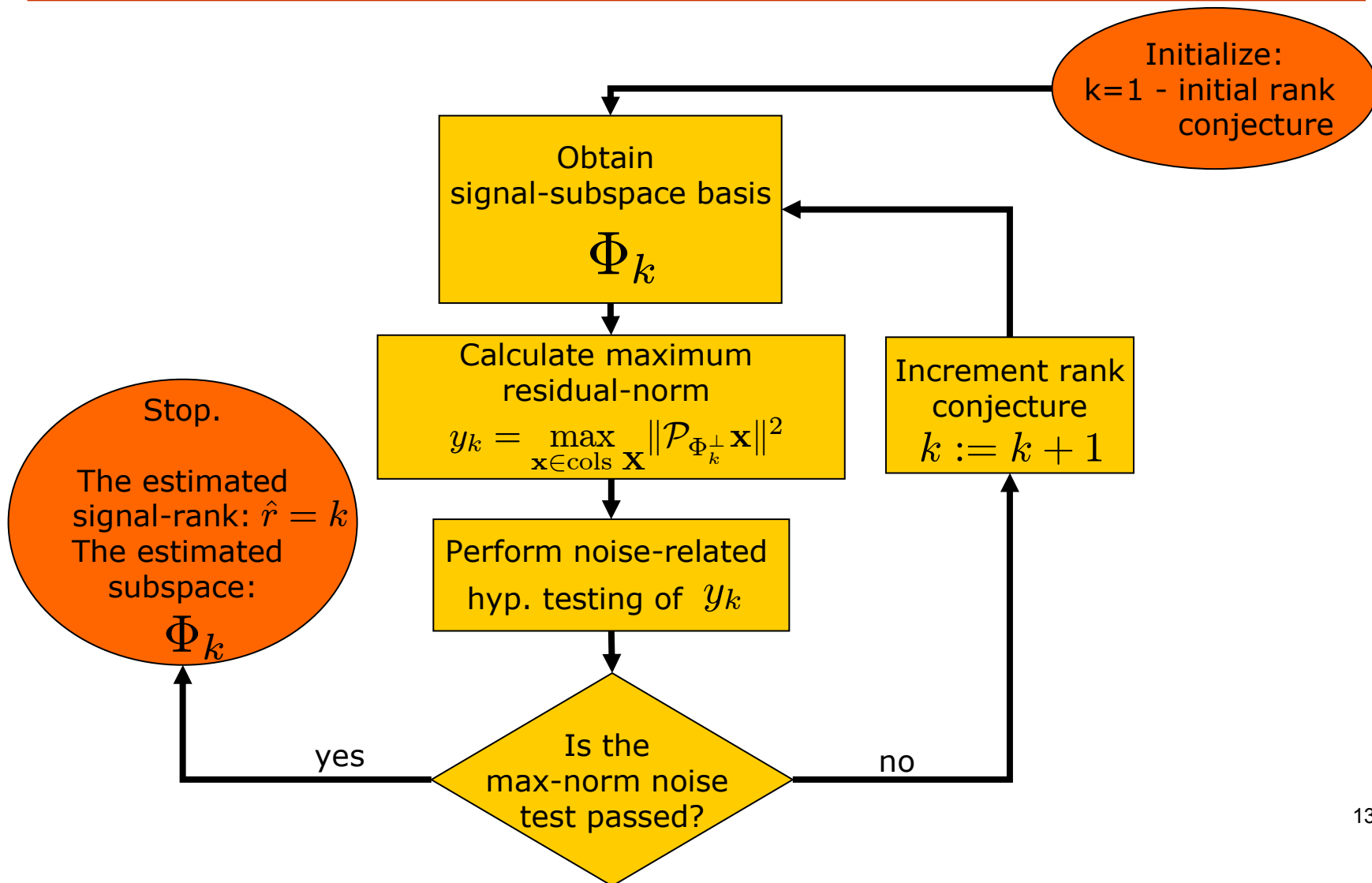
- The maximum signal-norm is assumed to be uniformly-distributed:

$$\xi_k \sim U(0, y_{k-1})$$

- y_{k-1} is the maxim-norm of data-residuals obtained in the previous MOCA iteration



Signal-subspace and rank by MOCA Flowchart



Anomaly Detection Approaches: Matched Subspace Detector (MSD)

- Define two hypotheses: H_0 : $\mathbf{x}_i \sim \mathcal{N}[\mathbf{B}\mathbf{b}_i, \sigma^2\mathbf{I}]$
 H_1 : $\mathbf{x}_i \sim \mathcal{N}[\mathbf{B}\mathbf{b}_i + \mathbf{T}\theta_i, \sigma^2\mathbf{I}]$

- \mathbf{B} background subspace basis
- \mathbf{T} anomaly subspace basis

- Generalized Log-Likelihood Ratio Test (GLRT)

$$L(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{\sigma^2} \mathbf{x}^T \mathcal{P}_{\mathbf{B}^\perp \mathbf{T}} \mathbf{x} \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{>}} \eta$$

$\mathcal{P}_{\mathbf{B}^\perp \mathbf{T}}$ is a projection onto $(\text{range } \mathbf{B})^\perp \cap \text{range } \mathbf{T}$

- Drawbacks

- The Background and Anomaly subspaces and their ranks are not known

Anomaly Detection Approaches: Gaussian Mixture Model (GMM)

□ Gaussian mixture
$$p(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{c=1}^C \alpha_c N(\mathbf{x} | \mu_c, \mathbf{\Gamma}_c)$$

□ Hypotheses:

$$H_0 : \mathbf{x} \sim p(\mathbf{x})$$

$$H_1 : \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a} \sim p(\mathbf{x})$$

□ GLRT - Reed Xiaoli (RX)

$$L(\mathbf{x}) = -\log p(\mathbf{x}) \underset{H_0}{\overset{H_1}{>}} \eta$$

□ Drawbacks

- The number of Gaussians is not known
- Initial-Condition dependent (prone to local minima)
- Doesn't fit well the Hyperspectral data

MOCA versus MSD

$$[\Psi_{k-h} | \Omega_h]$$

□ MSD

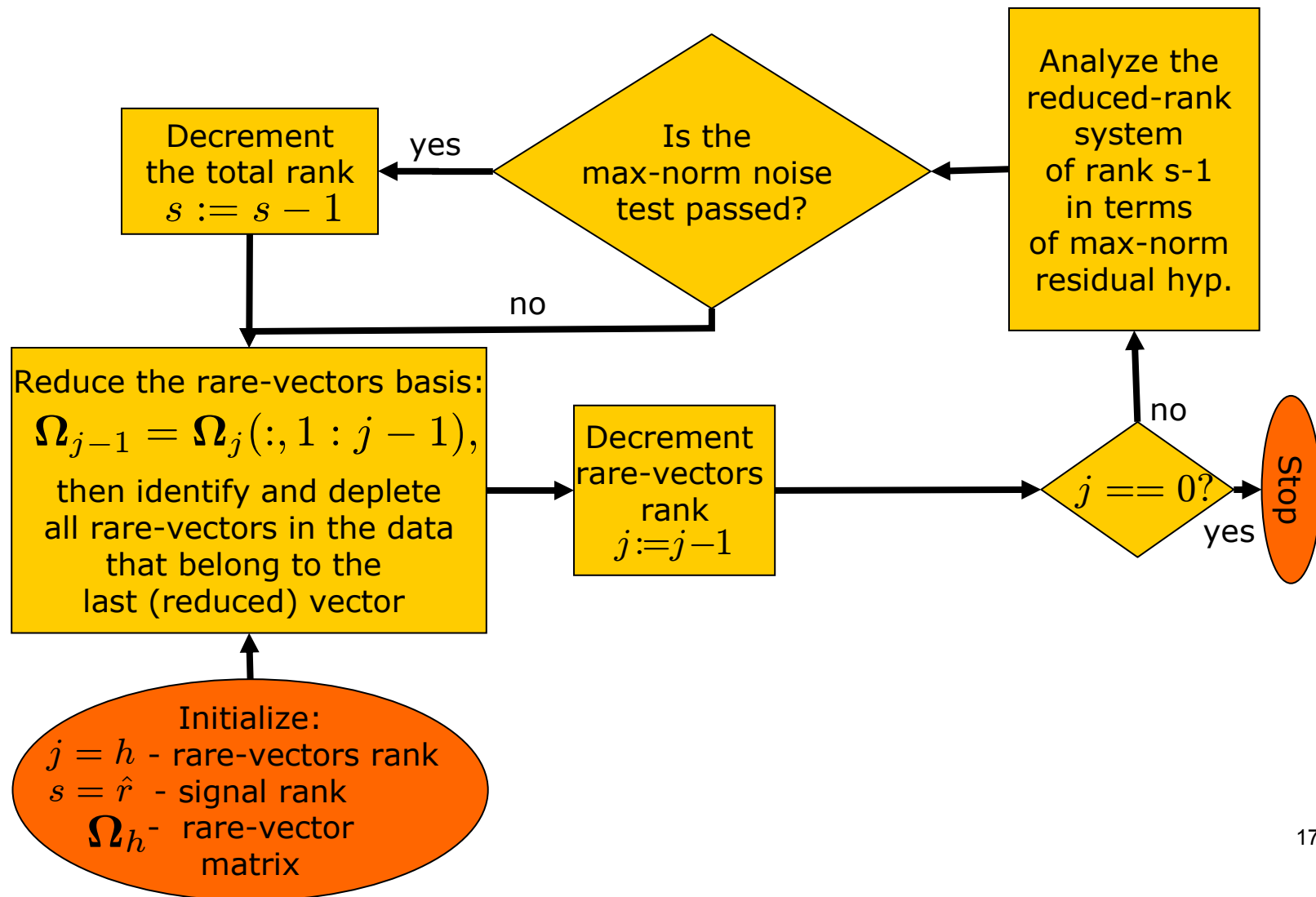
- **B** background subspace basis
- **T** anomaly subspace basis

□ MOCA

- Ω_h represents anomaly subspace
- Ψ_{k-h} complements Ω_h to represent background

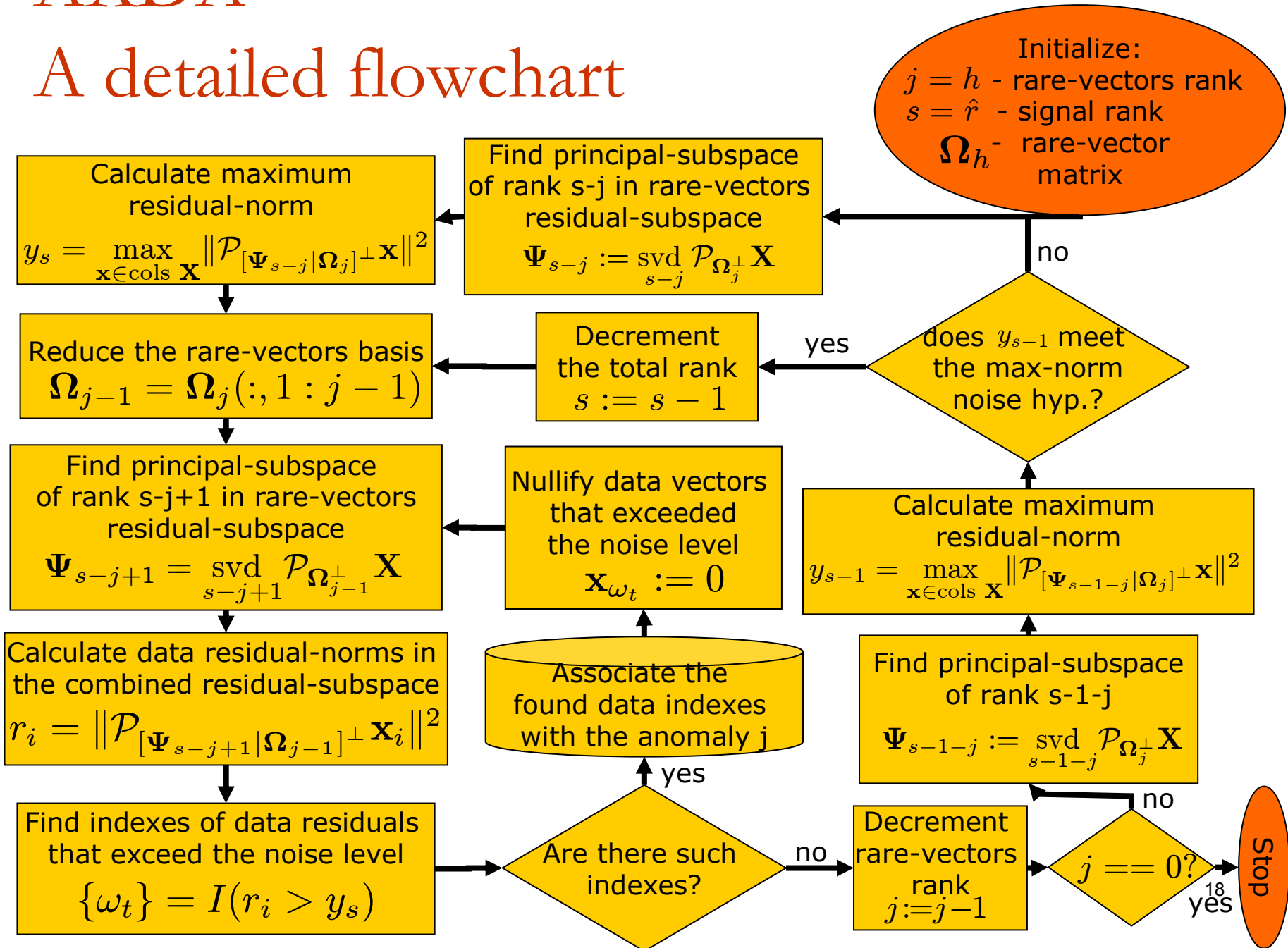
Anomaly Extraction and Discrimination Algorithm (AXDA)

A simplified outline



AXDA

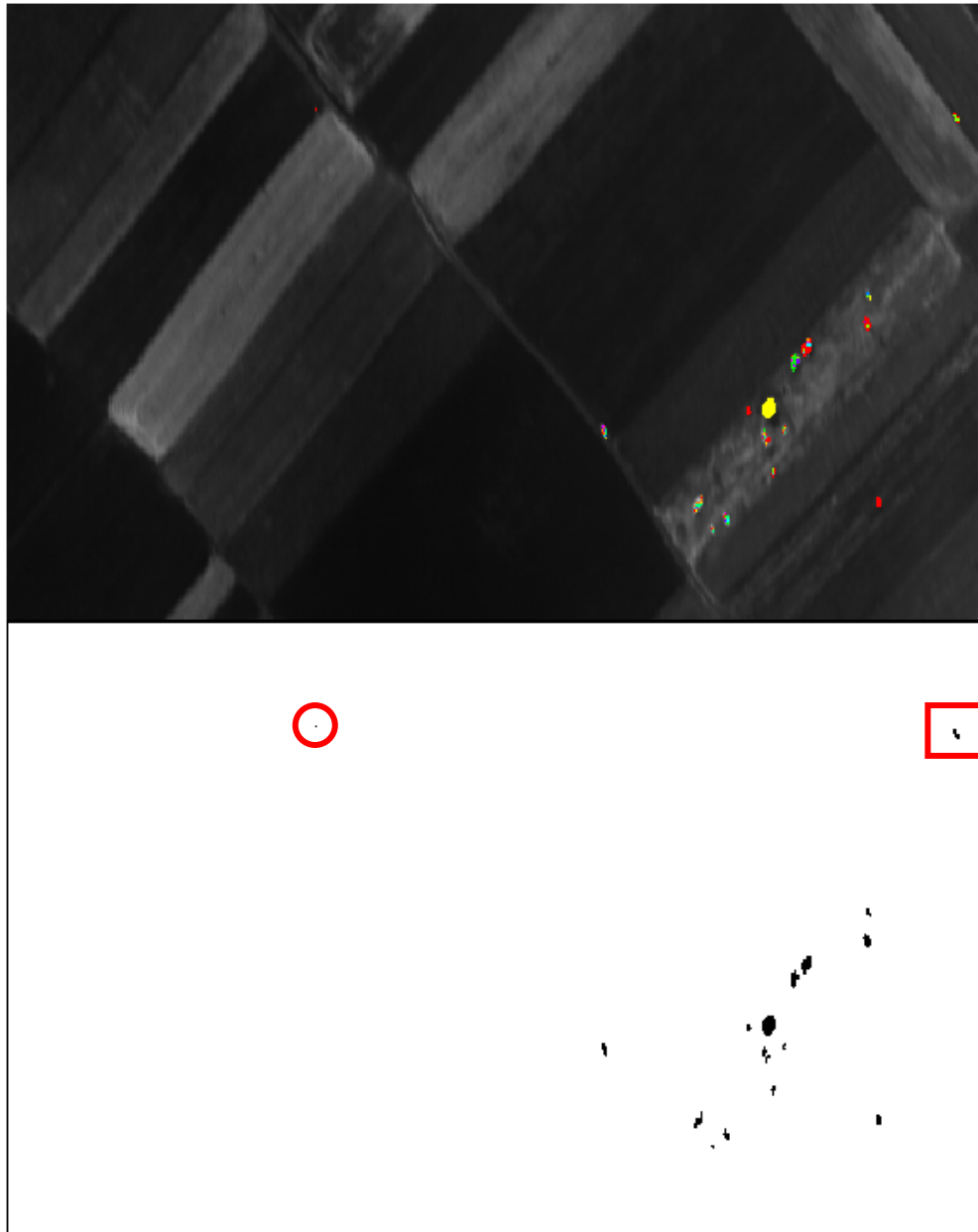
A detailed flowchart



Results of MOCA/AXDA applied on real data



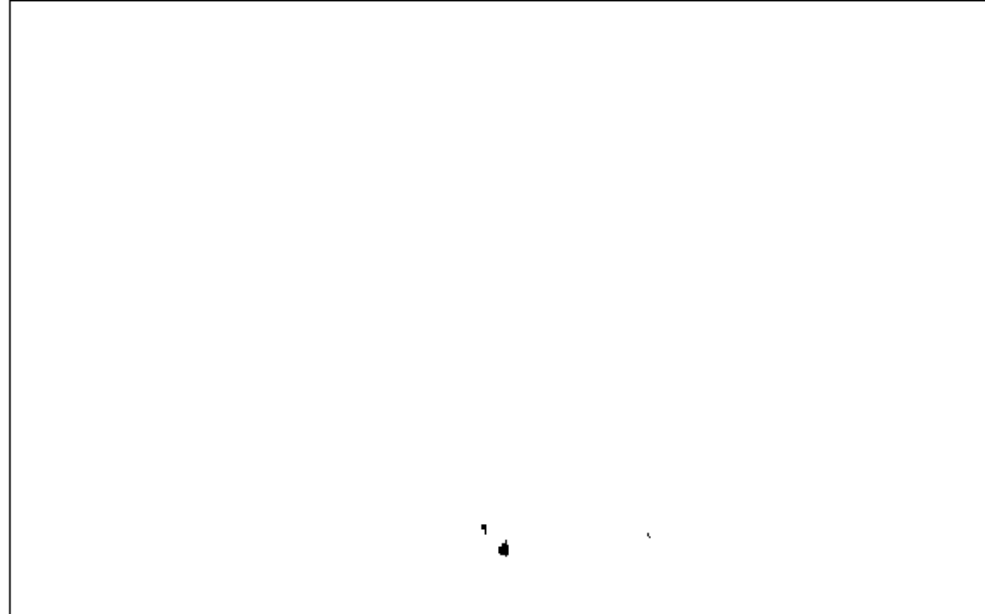
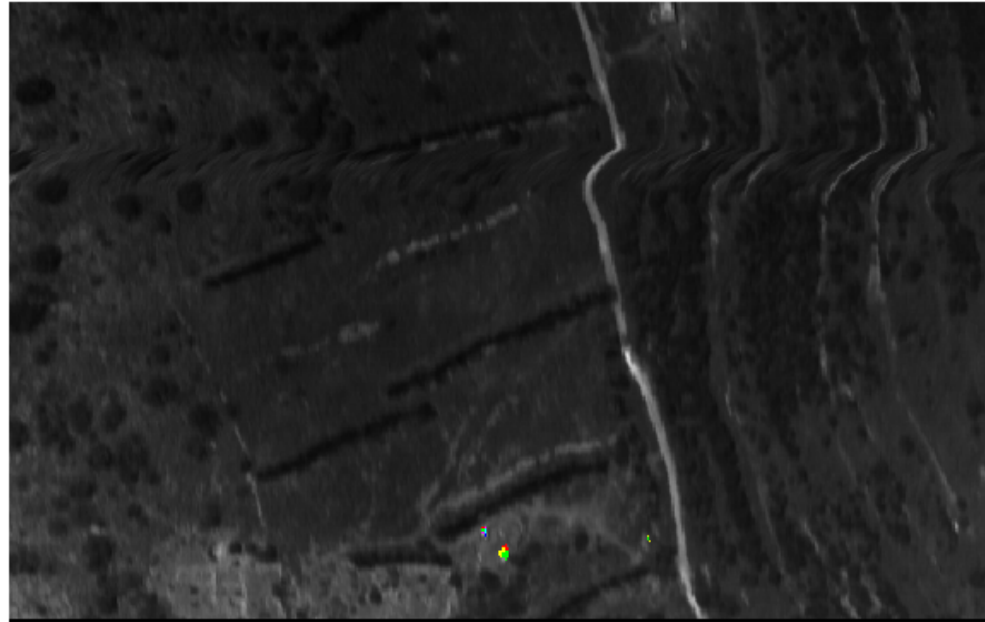
$r = 19, h = 11, r_b = 14, \# \text{ anomaly spectra} = 11$



- r – the estimated signal-subspace rank
- h – the estimated number of rare-vectors
- r_b – the obtained background rank
- $\# \text{ anomaly spectra}$ – the obtained number of anomaly spectra in the scene
- ○ - a single-pixel man-made anomaly
- □ - a vegetation-related anomaly



$r = 12, h = 6, r_b = 9, \# \text{ anomaly spectra} = 6$



$r = 9, h = 0, r_b = 9, \# \text{ anomaly spectra} = 0$



**No anomalies
detected!**

ROC curves

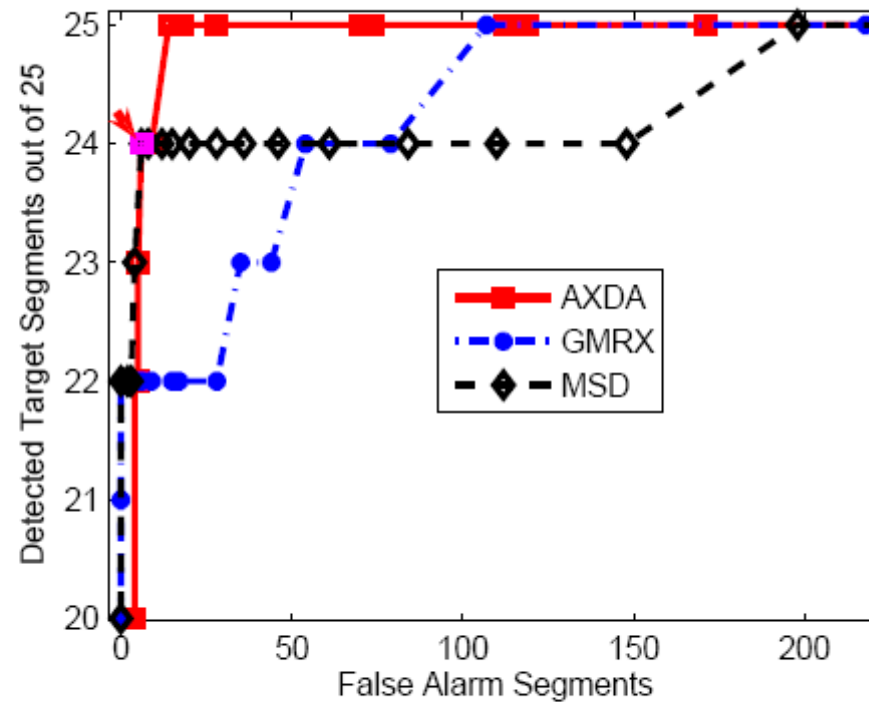


Fig. 6. ROC curves corresponding to GMRX, MSD and AXDA. The nominal operating point of AXDA is marked in magenta color and is pointed out by the arrow. This point corresponds to 24 detected anomalies and 6 false alarm segments.

Optimal $\ell_{2,\infty}$ minimization

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\mathcal{S}}_r &= \underset{\mathcal{L}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \|\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{L}^\perp} \mathbf{X}\|_{2,\infty}^2 \equiv \underset{[\mathbf{W}]}{\operatorname{argmin}} \|\mathbf{W}^\top \mathbf{X}\|_{2,\infty}^2 \\ &\text{s.t.} \quad \operatorname{rank} \mathcal{L} = r \quad \text{s.t.} \quad [\mathbf{W}] \in G_{p,p-r} \end{aligned}$$

- $[\mathbf{W}]$ - equivalence class of $p \times p - r$ orthogonal matrices whose columns span the same subspace in \mathbb{R}^p as \mathbf{W}
- $G_{p,p-r}$ - Grassmann manifold, the set of all $p - r$ - dimensional subspaces in \mathbb{R}^p

Line search on Grassmannian

- Continuous choice of subspaces on geodesics
- $\mathbf{H} = \mathbf{U}\Sigma\mathbf{V}^\top$ - a descend direction of a function $F([\mathbf{W}])$
- The corresponding geodesic is:

$$\mathbf{W}(t) = (\mathbf{W}\mathbf{V} \ \mathbf{U}) \begin{pmatrix} \cos(t\Sigma) \\ \sin(t\Sigma) \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{V}^\top$$

- $t\Sigma$ traverse *Principal Angles* between column spaces $[\mathbf{W}]$ and $[\mathbf{W}(t)]$
- Geodesic distance $d([\mathbf{W}(t)], [\mathbf{W}]) = t\sqrt{\text{tr}(\Sigma^2)}$
- Line search $\underset{t}{\text{argmin}} F([\mathbf{W}(t)])$ (Armijo rule)

Gradient on Grassmannian

$$\nabla F = F_{\mathbf{W}} - \mathbf{W}\mathbf{W}^{\top} F_{\mathbf{W}}$$

- $F_{\mathbf{W}}$ - is the matrix of partial derivatives of $F([\mathbf{W}])$ with respect to the elements of \mathbf{W}
- ∇F is the projection of $F_{\mathbf{W}}$ onto the tangent space at \mathbf{W}
- Gradient of $\|\mathbf{W}^{\top} \mathbf{X}\|_{2,\infty}^2$:

single *maximum vector*

$$F_{\mathbf{W}} = \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{x}_j^{\top} \mathbf{W}$$

multiple *maximum vectors* $\{\mathbf{x}_j\}_{j \in J}$

$$F_{\mathbf{W}} / \|F_{\mathbf{W}}\|_2$$

$$= \max_{\mathbf{G}} \min_{j \in J} \langle \mathbf{G}, \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{x}_j^{\top} \mathbf{W} \rangle$$

s.t. $\langle \mathbf{G}, \mathbf{x}_j \mathbf{x}_j^{\top} \mathbf{W} \rangle > 0 \quad \forall j \in J$

$$\langle \mathbf{G}, \mathbf{G} \rangle = 1$$

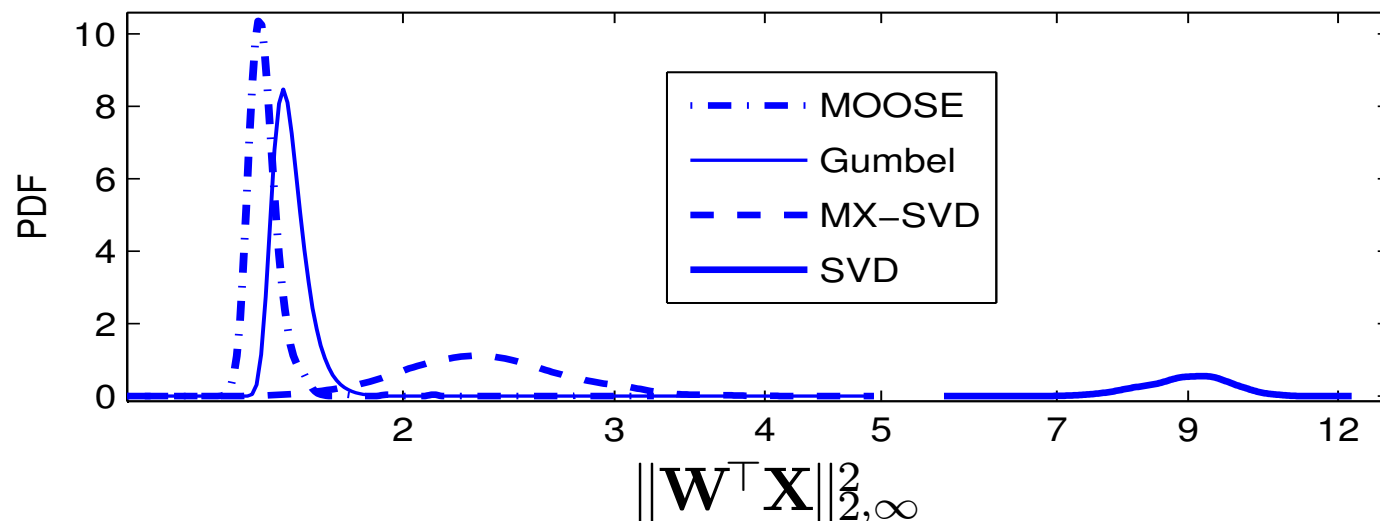
pdf of $\ell_{2,\infty}$ -norm of residuals

Monte-Carlo simulations

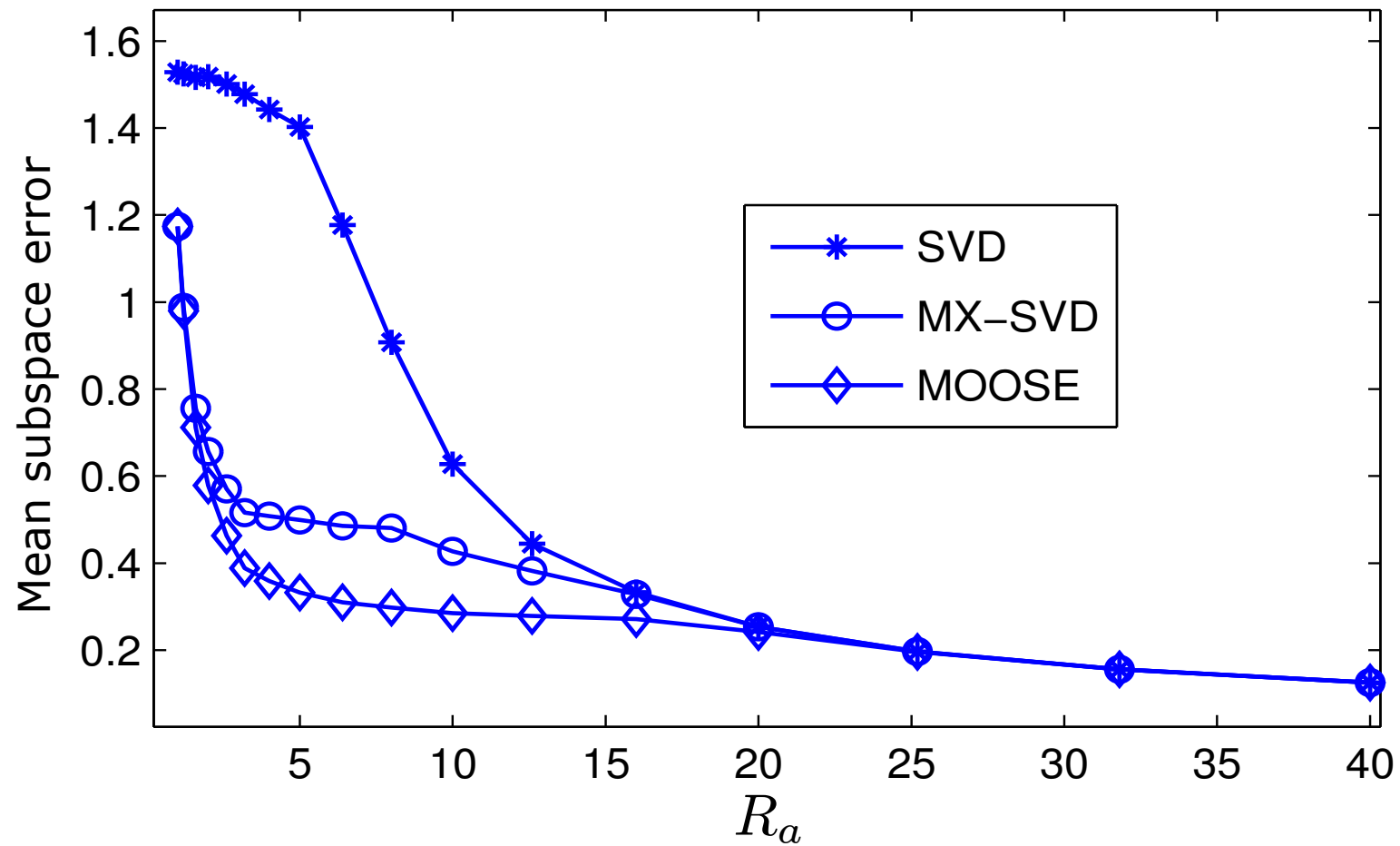
number of anomalies $N_a = 10$

anomaly subspace rank $r_a = 5$

anomaly loading ratio $R_a \triangleq N_a / r_a = 2$



Mean estimated subspace error $\angle\{\hat{s}, s\}$

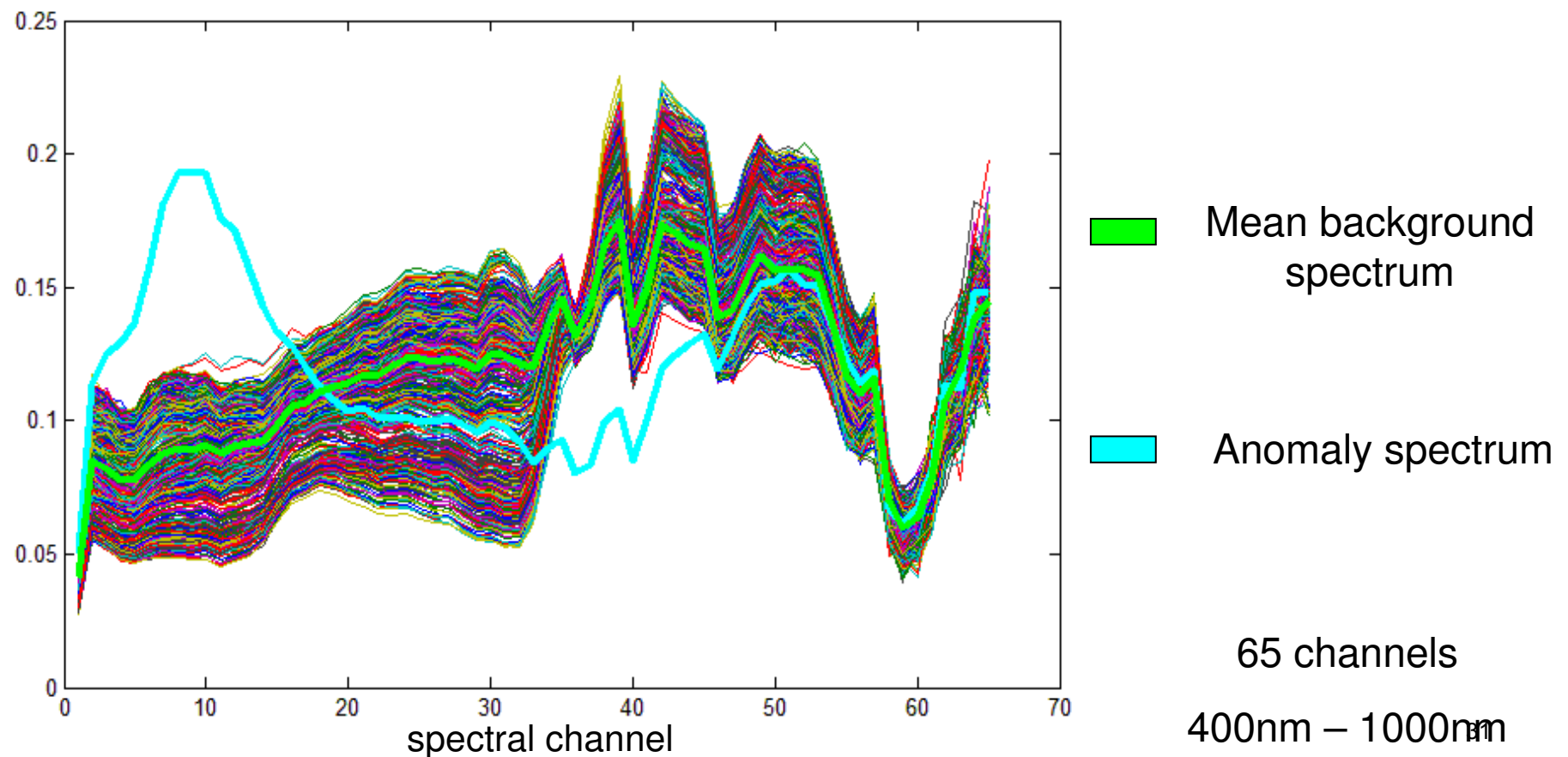


Designing Multispectral Filters for Anomaly Detection in Remote Sensing



Hyperspectral Anomalies

□ Anomaly vs. Background spectra scatter

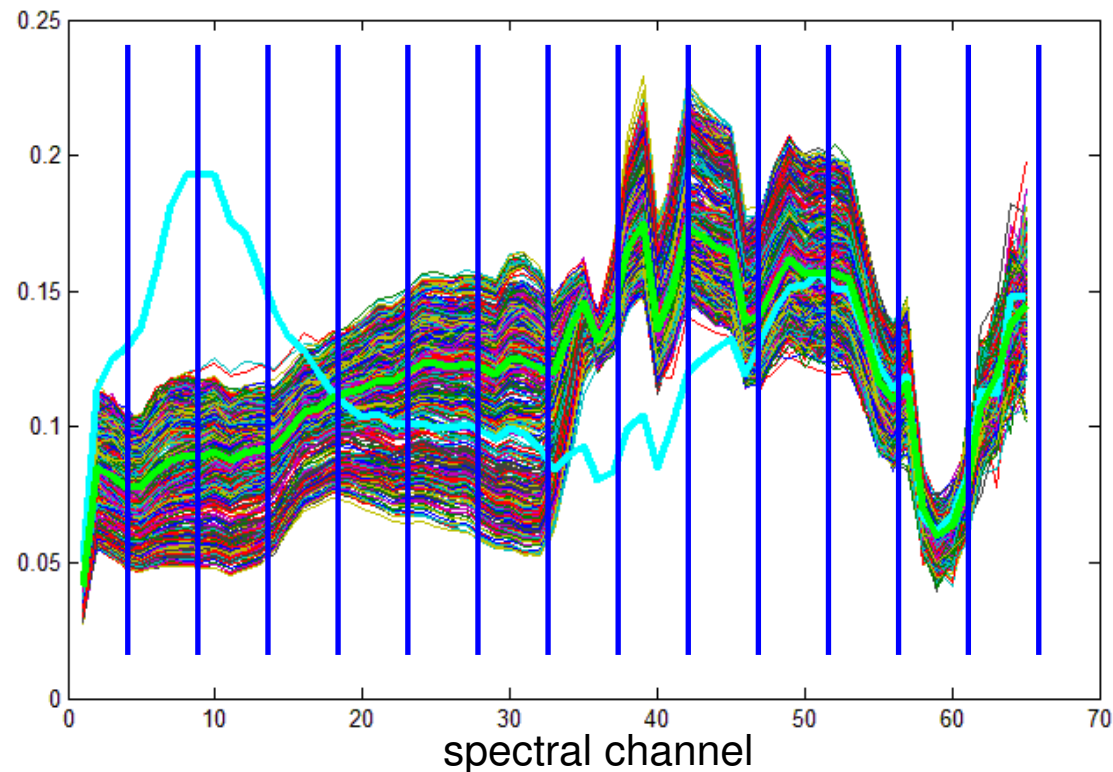


Hyperspectral Imager Drawbacks

- ❑ Expensive
- ❑ Heavy
- ❑ High power consumption
- ❑ Fragile

From Hyperspectral to Multispectral

- Given hyperspectral images, partition spectra into a number of bands K



- Which partition is better for detecting anomalies for a given K ?

Problem Statement

- Determine a vector of K breakpoints

$$\mathbf{b}_K = \{b_1, \dots, b_K\}$$

- Corresponding to $K - 1$ contiguous intervals

$$I_k = [b_k, b_k + 1)$$

- Producing a set of constants at each pixel j

$$\mu_{k,j} = \frac{1}{|I_k|} \sum_{i \in I_k} x_{i,j}$$

- Such that a cost function is minimized

$$J(\mathbf{b}_K, \mathbf{X})$$

Fast Hyperspectral Feature Reduction (FFR) [1]

□ Error vector at interval k in pixel j $\mathbf{e}_{k,j} \triangleq \{(x_{i,j} - \mu_{k,j}) : i \in I_k\}$

□ Squared error at pixel j $e_j^2 \triangleq \sum_{k=1}^{K-1} \|\mathbf{e}_{k,j}\|^2$

□ Sum of squared error cost $J(\mathbf{b}_K, \mathbf{X}) \triangleq \sum_{j=1}^N e_j^2$

□ *Is not sensitive enough to anomaly contributions*

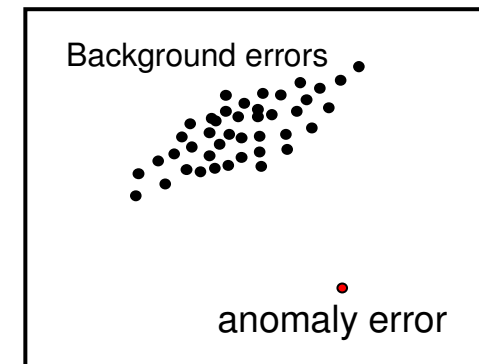
□ *Partition is governed by the background process*

□ *Anomalies are misrepresented*

The proposed Maximum of Mahalanobis Norms (MXMN)

- Error vector at interval k in pixel j
 $\mathbf{e}_{k,j} \triangleq \{(x_{i,j} - \mu_{k,j}) : i \in I_k\}$
- Error covariance matrix in an interval k
 Σ_k
- Mahalanobis norm of error j in interval k
 $G(\mathbf{e}_{k,j}) = \sqrt{\mathbf{e}_{k,j}^\top \Sigma_k^{-1} \mathbf{e}_{k,j}}$
- Potential Anomaly Loss (PAL) measure
 $D_k = \max_{j=1}^N G(\mathbf{e}_{j,k})$
- Maximum of PAL measures cost
 $J(\mathbf{b}_K, \mathbf{X}) = \max_{k=1}^K D_k$

- Allows capturing misrepresented anomaly contributions*
- Eliminates heavy tails of errors pdf*
- The more "Gaussian" interval is, the coarser is the partition in it*



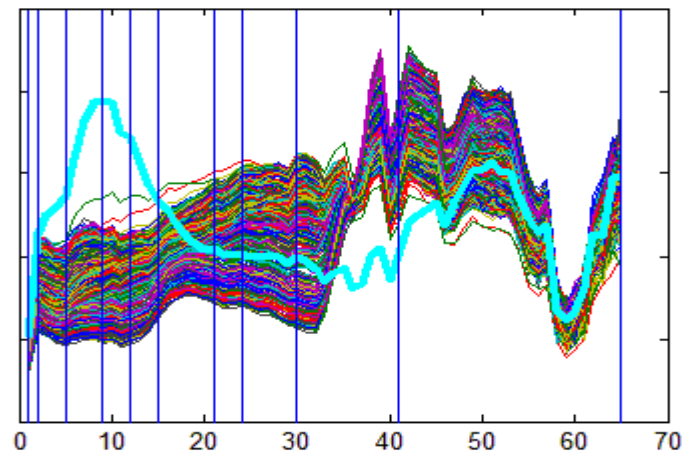
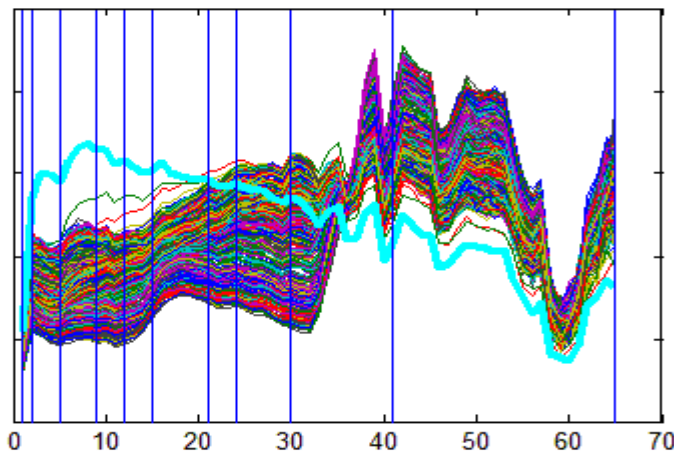
MXMN Training

- ❑ MXMN produces a coarser partition in “more Gaussian” channels
- ❑ We attribute these channels to background clutter
- ❑ Usually, background clutter channels are not good for anomaly mining
- ❑ Moreover, they may mask anomalies during detection
- ❑ As a matter of fact, all background clutter related information is found in images without anomalies
- ❑ By design, MXMN is able to identify and disregard background clutter channels by a coarse partitioning
- ❑ A reasonable question is whether exploiting background clutter statistics alone suffice for obtaining a good partition for anomaly detection purposes
- ❑ In our simulations we examined the hard case by training MXMN on an image that does not contain known anomalies

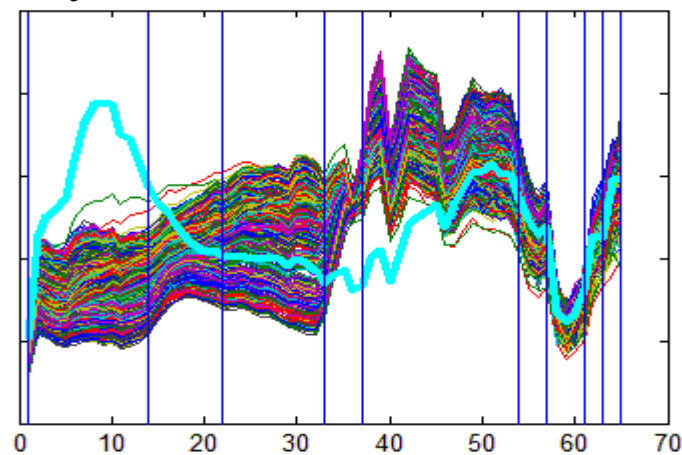
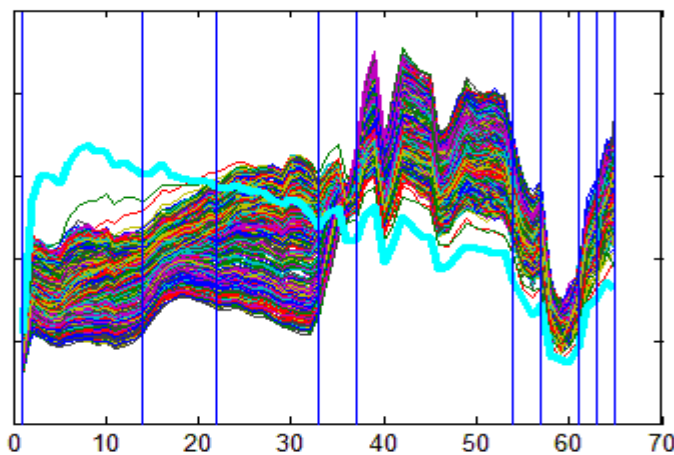
Partition breakpoints: MXMN vs. FFR

MXMN trained on image without anomalies

Partition breakpoints by MXMN



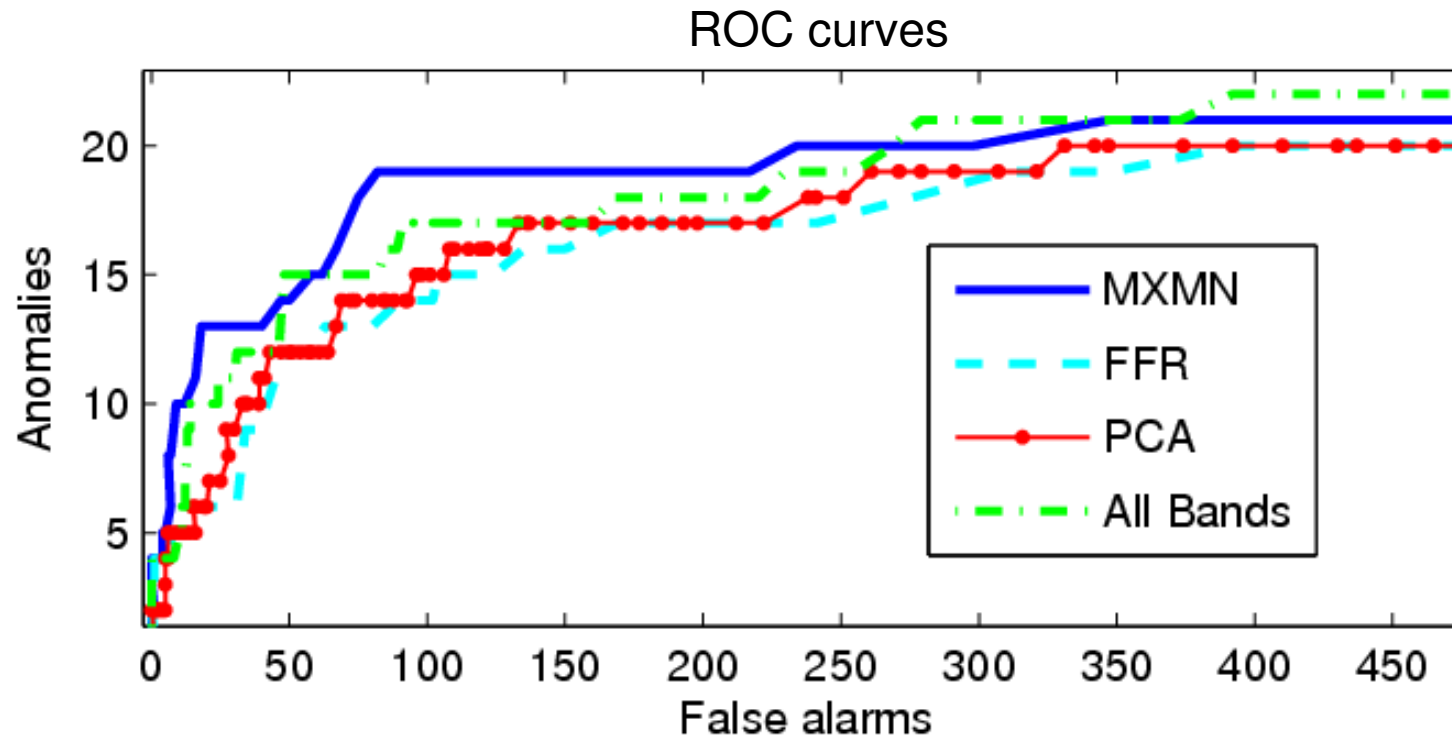
Partition breakpoints by FFR



Number of Multispectral Filters 10 | Number of Hyperspectral Channels 65

ROC curves by applying RX

- ❑ Number of hyperspectral channels 65
- ❑ Number of multispectral channels 10
- ❑ Number of hyperspectral images 6 (300 x 400 x 65)



Summary

- ❑ MOCA – a greedy algorithm for anomaly preserving signal subspace estimation based on $\ell_{2,\infty}$ - norm minimization
- ❑ The signal-subspace rank is estimated by applying *Extreme Value Theory* results to the $\ell_{2,\infty}$ - norm of residuals
- ❑ The structure of MOCA is used for developing *Anomaly Extraction and Discrimination Algorithm - AXDA*
- ❑ $\ell_{2,\infty}$ - optimal anomaly preserving subspace estimation on a *Grassmann Manifold*
- ❑ The principle of maximum error norm minimization is used for multispectral filter design tuned to anomaly detection algorithms

Future directions

- ❑ Develop an anomaly detection algorithm that is based on $\ell_{2,\infty}$ -optimal subspace
- ❑ Develop a technique for a robust anomaly discrimination/classification
- ❑ Determination of multispectral dimensionality, which is optimal in terms of anomaly detection algorithm performance



Thank you!