## Mathematics of Computational Imaging Systems Unrolled/Unfolded

#### **Nelly Pustelnik**

CNRS, ENSL, Laboratoire de physique, F-69342 Lyon, France



- Faster algorithm, better unfolded neural network ?
- Robustness of unfolded networks.
- Number of parameters versus performances.

#### **Context: Image restoration**

 $\implies$  Data:  $z \in \mathbb{R}^M$  degraded version of an original image  $\overline{x} \in \mathbb{R}^N$ :

$$\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{A}\overline{\mathbf{x}} + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}$$

- $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{M \times N}$ : linear degradation (e.g. a blur)
- $\varepsilon$ : noise (e.g. Gaussian noise)



SPHERE-IRDIS

## $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{Deep learning} - \textit{General framework} \\ \bullet \textit{ Dataset} : \ \mathcal{S} = \left\{ (\overline{x}_{\ell}, z_{\ell}) \in \mathbb{R}^N \times \mathbb{R}^M \ \big| \ \ell \in \mathbb{I} \cup \mathbb{J} \right\} \ \text{with} \ z_{\ell} = A \overline{x}_{\ell} + \varepsilon_{\ell} \end{array}$



 $\overline{\mathbf{X}}_{\ell}$ 



Zβ

#### **Deep learning** – General framework

- Dataset :  $\mathcal{S} = \left\{ (\overline{x}_{\ell}, z_{\ell}) \in \mathbb{R}^N \times \mathbb{R}^M \mid \ell \in \mathbb{I} \cup \mathbb{J} \right\}$  with  $z_{\ell} = A\overline{x}_{\ell} + \varepsilon_{\ell}$ 
  - training set  $(\overline{x}_{\ell}, z_{\ell})_{\ell \in \mathbb{I}}$  with size  $\mathbb{I}$
  - testing set  $(\overline{x}_{\ell}, z_{\ell})_{\ell \in \mathbb{J}}$  with size  $\mathbb{J}$

#### **Deep learning** – General framework

• Dataset : 
$$S = \{(\bar{\mathbf{x}}_{\ell}, \mathbf{z}_{\ell}) \in \mathbb{R}^N \times \mathbb{R}^M \mid \ell \in \mathbb{I} \cup \mathbb{J}\}$$
 with  $\mathbf{z}_{\ell} = A\bar{\mathbf{x}}_{\ell} + \varepsilon_{\ell}$ 

- training set  $(\overline{\mathbf{x}}_{\ell}, \mathbf{z}_{\ell})_{\ell \in \mathbb{I}}$  with size  $\mathbb{I}$
- *testing set*  $(\overline{x}_{\ell}, z_{\ell})_{\ell \in \mathbb{J}}$  with size  $\mathbb{J}$

• Prediction function:  $d_{\Theta}(z_{\ell}) = \eta^{[K]}(W^{[K]} \dots \eta^{[1]}(W^{[1]}z_{\ell} + b^{[1]}) \dots + b^{[K]})$ 

- Linear operators:  $W^{[1]}, W^{[2]}, \dots, W^{[K]}$
- Activation functions:  $\eta^{[1]}, \eta^{[2]}, \dots, \eta^{[K]}$
- Bias:

 $b^{[1]}, b^{[2]}, \dots, b^{[K]}$  $\Rightarrow \Theta = \{ W^{[1]}, \dots, W^{[K]}, b^{[1]}, \dots, b^{[K]} \}$ 

#### Deep learning – General framework

• Dataset : 
$$\mathcal{S} = \left\{ (\overline{x}_{\ell}, z_{\ell}) \in \mathbb{R}^N \times \mathbb{R}^M \mid \ell \in \mathbb{I} \cup \mathbb{J} \right\}$$
 with  $z_{\ell} = A\overline{x}_{\ell} + \varepsilon_{\ell}$ 

- *training set*  $(\overline{x}_{\ell}, z_{\ell})_{\ell \in \mathbb{I}}$  with size  $\mathbb{I}$
- *testing set*  $(\overline{x}_{\ell}, z_{\ell})_{\ell \in \mathbb{J}}$  with size  $\mathbb{J}$
- Prediction function:  $d_{\Theta}(z_{\ell}) = \eta^{[K]} (W^{[K]} \dots \eta^{[1]} (W^{[1]} z_{\ell} + b^{[1]}) \dots + b^{[K]})$

$$\Rightarrow \boldsymbol{\Theta} = \{ \mathbf{W}^{[1]}, \dots, \mathbf{W}^{[K]}, \mathbf{b}^{[1]}, \dots, \mathbf{b}^{[K]} \}$$

• Learn parameters: 
$$\widehat{\Theta} \in \operatorname{Argmin}_{\Theta} \frac{1}{\mathbb{I}} \sum_{\ell \in \mathbb{I}} \mathcal{L}(\overline{x}_{\ell}, d_{\Theta}(z_{\ell}))$$

#### Deep learning – General framework

• Dataset : 
$$\mathcal{S} = \left\{ (\overline{x}_{\ell}, z_{\ell}) \in \mathbb{R}^N \times \mathbb{R}^M \mid \ell \in \mathbb{I} \cup \mathbb{J} \right\}$$
 with  $z_{\ell} = A\overline{x}_{\ell} + \varepsilon_{\ell}$ 

- training set  $(\overline{x}_{\ell}, z_{\ell})_{\ell \in \mathbb{I}}$  with size  $\mathbb{I}$
- testing set  $(\overline{x}_{\ell}, z_{\ell})_{\ell \in \mathbb{J}}$  with size  $\mathbb{J}$
- Prediction function:  $d_{\Theta}(z_{\ell}) = \eta^{[K]} (W^{[K]} \dots \eta^{[1]} (W^{[1]} z_{\ell} + b^{[1]}) \dots + b^{[K]})$

$$\Rightarrow \boldsymbol{\Theta} = \{ \mathbf{W}^{[1]}, \dots, \mathbf{W}^{[K]}, \mathbf{b}^{[1]}, \dots, \mathbf{b}^{[K]} \}$$

• Learn parameters: 
$$\widehat{\Theta} \in \operatorname{Argmin}_{\Theta} \frac{1}{\mathbb{I}} \sum_{\ell \in \mathbb{I}} \mathcal{L}(\overline{x}_{\ell}, d_{\Theta}(z_{\ell}))$$

• Evaluate: A properly trained network must satisfy

$$(\forall \ell \in \mathbb{J}) \quad \overline{x}_{\ell} \approx d_{\widehat{\Theta}}(z_{\ell})$$

## Variational approach versus Deep learning architecture

#### Variational approach

$$\mathbf{d}_{\Theta}(\mathbf{z}_{\ell}) = \operatorname*{Argmin}_{\mathbf{x}\in\mathcal{H}} \Big\{ \mathsf{F}(\mathbf{x}) := f(\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{z}_{\ell}) + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) \Big\}$$

 $\odot$  Data fidelity term:  $f(A \cdot, z_i)$  $\odot$  Prior:  $q(L \cdot)$ 

 $\Rightarrow \Theta = \{ \mathbf{L}, K = \# \mathsf{iter} \}$ 

 $\begin{array}{ll} \textbf{Deep learning} \quad \mathrm{d}_{\Theta}(\mathrm{z}_{\ell}) = \eta^{[K]} \big( W^{[K]} \dots \eta^{[1]} (W^{[1]} \mathrm{z}_{\ell} + b^{[1]}) \dots + b^{[K]} \big) \\ & \odot \text{ Linear operators: } & W^{[1]}, \mathrm{W}^{[2]}, \dots, W^{[K]} \\ & \odot \text{ Activation functions: } & \eta^{[1]}, \eta^{[2]}, \dots, \eta^{[K]} \\ & \odot \text{ Biais vectors: } & b^{[1]}, b^{[2]}, \dots, b^{[K]} \end{array} \\ \Rightarrow \quad \Theta = \{ W^{[1]}, \dots, W^{[K]}, b^{[1]}, \dots, b^{[K]} \} \end{array}$ 

## Synthesis formulation and proximal gradient descent: LISTA

#### Synthesis formulation:

$$\left|\min_{\mathbf{x}} \frac{1}{2} \| \mathbf{H}\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z} \|_{2}^{2} + \lambda \| \mathbf{x} \|_{1} \right| \text{ where } \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{A} \mathbf{L}^{*} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times \tilde{N}}$$

#### Forward-backward iterations:

$$\mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} = \operatorname{prox}_{\tau\lambda\|\cdot\|_1} (\mathbf{x}^{[k]} - \tau \mathbf{H}^* (\mathbf{H}\mathbf{x}^{[k]} - \mathbf{z}))$$

#### → Reformulation: $| \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} = \operatorname{prox}_{\tau \lambda \parallel \cdot \parallel_1} ((\operatorname{Id} - \tau \mathbf{H}^* \mathbf{H}) \mathbf{x}^{[k]} + \tau \mathbf{H}^* \mathbf{z}))$

# → Layer network: [Gregor, LeCun, 2010] $\mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} = \boxed{\operatorname{prox}_{\tau\lambda\|\cdot\|_1}} \left( \boxed{\operatorname{Id} - \tau \mathbf{H}^* \mathbf{H}} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} + \frac{\tau \mathbf{H}^* \mathbf{z}}{\mathbf{\eta}^{[k]}} \sqrt{\mathbf{b}^{[k]}} \right)$

#### Standard activation functions

- → Preliminary remarks [Combettes, Pesquet, 2020]
  - Most of activation functions are proximity operator : ReLU, Unimodal sigmoid, Softmax ...

Name	Activation $x \in \mathbb{R} \mapsto \varrho(x) = \operatorname{prox}_{\varphi}(x)$		Potential $x \in \mathbb{R} \mapsto \varphi(x)$		
ReLU	$\begin{cases} x & \text{if } x > 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$		$\iota_{[0,+\infty]}$	o)	0.2
Param. ReLU	$\begin{cases} x & \text{if } x > 0 \\ \lambda x & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$		$\begin{cases} 0\\ \frac{(1/\lambda - 1)x^2}{2} \end{cases}$	if $x > 0$ otherwise	
Arctan.	$\frac{2\arctan(x)}{\pi}$		$\begin{cases} -\frac{2}{\pi} \ln & \left( c \right) \\ -\frac{x^2}{2} & \text{if }   z \\ +\infty & \text{oth} \end{cases}$	$\cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{2}\right)$ x  < 1 verwise	
Soft thresh.	$\operatorname{sign}(x)\max\{ x -\lambda,0\}$		$\lambda  x $		0.5

#### Standard activation functions

- → Preliminary remarks [Combettes, Pesquet, 2020]
  - Most of activation functions are proximity operator : ReLU, Unimodal sigmoid, Softmax ...
  - For W<sup>[k]</sup> bounded linear operators and η<sup>[k]</sup> proximity operators, d<sub>Θ</sub> model allows to derive tight Lipschitz bounds for feedforward neural networks in order to evaluate robustness.

## Study case: Focus on denoising

Minimization problem : 
$$\hat{x} = \underset{x}{\operatorname{arg\,min}} \frac{1}{2} \|x - z\|^2 + \|Lx\|_1$$

**Dual reformulation**:  $\widehat{u} \in \operatorname{Argmin}_{u \in \mathcal{G}} \frac{1}{2} ||z - L^{\top}u||^2 + \iota_{\|\cdot\|_{\infty} \leq 1}(u)$ • Primal solution:  $\widehat{x} = z - L^{\top}\widehat{u}$ .

- Solution obtained with proximal gradient based procedure.
- Accelerated schemes (e.g., FISTA).

Minimization problem : 
$$\hat{x} = \underset{x}{\operatorname{arg\,min}} \frac{1}{2} \|x - z\|^2 + \|Lx\|_1$$

 $\label{eq:definition} \text{Dual reformulation:} \qquad \widehat{u} \in \mathop{\rm Argmin}_{u \in \mathcal{G}} \frac{1}{2} \|z - L^\top u\|^2 + \iota_{\| \cdot \|_\infty \leq 1}(u)$ 

(F)ISTA to solve dual reformulation:  
Set 
$$\mathbf{u}^{[0]} \in \mathbb{R}^{|\mathbb{F}|}$$
, and  $\mathbf{v}^{[0]} \in \mathbb{R}^{|\mathbb{F}|}$ .  

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} &= \operatorname{prox}_{\iota_{\|\cdot\|_{\infty} \leq 1}} \left( (\operatorname{Id} - \tau_k \operatorname{LL}^{\top}) \mathbf{v}^{[k]} + \tau_k \operatorname{Lz} \right) \\ \mathbf{v}^{[k+1]} &= (1 + \alpha_k) \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} - \alpha_k \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix}$$

#### **Preliminary remarks:**

• FISTA when 
$$\alpha_k = \frac{\theta_k - 1}{\theta_{k+1}}$$

• ISTA when 
$$\alpha_k \equiv 0$$
.

• (F)ISTA: 
$$\widehat{\mathbf{x}} = \mathbf{z} - \mathbf{L}^{\top} \widehat{\mathbf{u}}$$

**Proposition** : The proximity operator of the conjugate of the  $\ell_1$ -norm scaled by parameter  $\lambda > 0$  fits the HardTanh activation function,:

$$(\forall \mathbf{x} = (\mathbf{x}_i)_{1 \le i \le N})$$
  $\mathbf{P}_{\|\cdot\|_{\infty} \le \lambda}(\mathbf{x}) = \text{HardTanh}_{\lambda}(\mathbf{x}) = (\mathbf{p}_i)_{1 \le i \le N}$ 

where

$$\mathbf{p}_{i} = \begin{cases} -\lambda & \text{if} \quad \mathbf{p}_{i} < -\lambda, \\ \lambda & \text{if} \quad \mathbf{p}_{i} > \lambda, \\ \mathbf{p}_{i} & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

**Proposition** : The proximity operator of the conjugate of the  $\ell_1$ -norm scaled by parameter  $\lambda > 0$  fits the HardTanh activation function,:

$$(\forall \mathbf{x} = (\mathbf{x}_i)_{1 \le i \le N})$$
  $\mathbf{P}_{\|\cdot\|_{\infty} \le \lambda}(\mathbf{x}) = \text{HardTanh}_{\lambda}(\mathbf{x}) = (\mathbf{p}_i)_{1 \le i \le N}$ 

where

$$\mathbf{p}_{i} = \begin{cases} -\lambda & \text{if} \quad \mathbf{p}_{i} < -\lambda, \\ \lambda & \text{if} \quad \mathbf{p}_{i} > \lambda, \\ \mathbf{p}_{i} & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

(F)ISTA to solve dual reformulation:  
Set 
$$\mathbf{u}^{[0]} \in \mathbb{R}^{|\mathbb{F}|}$$
, and  $\mathbf{v}^{[0]} \in \mathbb{R}^{|\mathbb{F}|}$ .  

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} &= \mathbf{HardTanh}_1 \left( (\mathbf{Id} - \tau_k \mathbf{LL}^\top) \mathbf{v}^{[k]} + \tau_k \mathbf{Lz} \right) \\ \mathbf{v}^{[k+1]} &= (1 + \alpha_k) \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} - \alpha_k \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix}$$

#### → Unfolded (F)ISTA:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}^{[k]}\\ \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{cases} \mathbf{Id}_{|\mathbb{F}|}\\ \mathbf{HardTanh_1} \end{cases} \begin{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{Id}_{|\mathbb{F}|}\\ -\alpha_{k-1}(\mathbf{Id}_{|\mathbb{F}|} - \mathbf{L}_1^{[k]}\mathbf{L}_2^{[k]}) & (1 + \alpha_{k-1})(\mathbf{Id}_{|\mathbb{F}|} - \mathbf{L}_1^{[k]}\mathbf{L}_2^{[k]}) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}^{[k-1]}\\ \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{0}\\ \mathbf{L}_1^{[k]}\mathbf{z}_l \end{bmatrix} \\ \eta^{[k]} & \mathbf{W}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix}$$

#### Original





PSNR/SSIM







PSNR/SSIM







Noisy

14.1/0.25







#### TV





26.0/0.84

26.0/0.76



NL-TV

26.6/0.85





27.7/0.79

#### DnCNN





27.9/0.86

28.5/0.79



28.2/0.87





**28.8/0.81** 12

#### Proposed



#### Original

















8.13/0.09









23.6/0.76

24.5/0.64







24.0/0.76







DnCNN









Proposed



**25.9/0.70** 13









25.4/0.65

## D(i)FB algorithm

OBJECTIVE: 
$$\widehat{\mathbf{x}} = \underset{\mathbf{x}\in\mathcal{H}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \Big\{ \mathsf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\|_{2}^{2} + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) + \iota_{C}(\mathbf{x}) \Big\}$$

•  $C \subset \mathcal{H}$  is a closed, convex, non-empty.

• L: 
$$\mathcal{H} \to \mathcal{G}$$
 and  $g \in \Gamma_0(\mathcal{G})$ 

## D(i)FB algorithm

OBJECTIVE: 
$$\widehat{\mathbf{x}} = \underset{\mathbf{x}\in\mathcal{H}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \Big\{ \mathsf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\|_{2}^{2} + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) + \iota_{C}(\mathbf{x}) \Big\}$$

- $C \subset \mathcal{H}$  is a closed, convex, non-empty.
- L:  $\mathcal{H} \to \mathcal{G}$  and  $g \in \Gamma_0(\mathcal{G})$

ALGORITHM: Let 
$$\mathbf{v}^{[0]} \in \mathcal{G}$$
,  
For  $k = 0, 1, \dots$   
 $\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} = \operatorname{prox}_{\tau_k(\nu g)^*} \left( \mathbf{v}^{[k]} + \tau_k \operatorname{LP}_C(\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{L}^\top \mathbf{v}^{[k]}) \right) \\ \mathbf{v}^{[k+1]} = (1 + \alpha_k) \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} - \alpha_k \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix}$ 

## D(i)FB algorithm

OBJECTIVE: 
$$\widehat{\mathbf{x}} = \underset{\mathbf{x}\in\mathcal{H}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \Big\{ \mathsf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\|_{2}^{2} + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) + \iota_{C}(\mathbf{x}) \Big\}$$

- $C \subset \mathcal{H}$  is a closed, convex, non-empty.
- L:  $\mathcal{H} \to \mathcal{G}$  and  $g \in \Gamma_0(\mathcal{G})$

ALGORITHM: Let 
$$\mathbf{v}^{[0]} \in \mathcal{G}$$
,  
For  $k = 0, 1, ...$   
$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} = \operatorname{prox}_{\tau_k(\nu g)^*} \left( \mathbf{v}^{[k]} + \tau_k \operatorname{LP}_C(\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{L}^\top \mathbf{v}^{[k]}) \right) \\ \mathbf{v}^{[k+1]} = (1 + \alpha_k) \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} - \alpha_k \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix}$$

**THEOREM:** Assume that one of the following conditions is satisfied.

- (DFB):  $\forall k \in, \tau_k \in (0, 2/||\mathbf{L}||_S^2)$ , and  $\alpha_k = 0$ .
- (DIFB):  $\forall k \in, \tau_k \in (0, 1/\|\mathbf{L}\|_S^2)$ ,  $\alpha_k = \frac{\theta_k 1}{\theta_{k+1}}$  with  $\theta_k = \frac{k+a}{a}$  and a > 2. Then we have  $\widehat{\mathbf{x}} = \lim_{k \to \infty} \mathbf{P}_C(\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{L}^\top \mathbf{u}^{[k]})$ .

## (Sc)CP algorithm

OBJECTIVE: 
$$\widehat{\mathbf{x}} = \underset{\mathbf{x}\in\mathcal{H}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \Big\{ \mathsf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\|_{2}^{2} + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) + \iota_{C}(\mathbf{x}) \Big\}$$

•  $C \subset \mathcal{H}$  is a closed, convex, non-empty.

• L: 
$$\mathcal{H} \to \mathcal{G}$$
 and  $g \in \Gamma_0(\mathcal{G})$ 

## (Sc)CP algorithm

OBJECTIVE: 
$$\widehat{\mathbf{x}} = \underset{\mathbf{x}\in\mathcal{H}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \Big\{ \mathsf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\|_{2}^{2} + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) + \iota_{C}(\mathbf{x}) \Big\}$$

- $C \subset \mathcal{H}$  is a closed, convex, non-empty.
- L:  $\mathcal{H} \to \mathcal{G}$  and  $g \in \Gamma_0(\mathcal{G})$

$$\begin{split} \text{ALGORITHM: Let } \mathbf{x}^{[0]} &\in \mathcal{H} \text{ and } \mathbf{u}^{[0]} \in \mathcal{G}. \\ \text{For } k &= 0, 1, \dots \\ \left[ \begin{array}{c} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} &= \mathbf{P}_C \left( \frac{\mu_k}{1+\mu_k} (\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{L}^\top \mathbf{u}^{[k]}) + \frac{1}{1+\mu_k} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \right) \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} &= \mathbf{prox}_{\tau_k(\nu g)^*} \left( \mathbf{u}^{[k]} + \tau_k \mathbf{L} \left( (1+\alpha_k) \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} - \alpha_k \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \right) \right) \end{split} \end{split} \end{split}$$

## (Sc)CP algorithm

OBJECTIVE: 
$$\widehat{\mathbf{x}} = \underset{\mathbf{x}\in\mathcal{H}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \Big\{ \mathsf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\|_{2}^{2} + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) + \iota_{C}(\mathbf{x}) \Big\}$$

- $C \subset \mathcal{H}$  is a closed, convex, non-empty.
- L:  $\mathcal{H} \to \mathcal{G}$  and  $g \in \Gamma_0(\mathcal{G})$

$$\begin{split} & \text{Algorithm: Let } \mathbf{x}^{[0]} \in \mathcal{H} \text{ and } \mathbf{u}^{[0]} \in \mathcal{G}. \\ & \text{For } k = 0, 1, \dots \\ & \left[ \begin{array}{c} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} = \mathbf{P}_C \left( \frac{\mu_k}{1+\mu_k} (\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{L}^\top \mathbf{u}^{[k]}) + \frac{1}{1+\mu_k} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \right) \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} = \mathbf{prox}_{\tau_k(\nu g)^*} \left( \mathbf{u}^{[k]} + \tau_k \mathbf{L} \left( (1+\alpha_k) \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} - \alpha_k \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \right) \right) \end{split} \end{split}$$

THEOREM: Assume that one of the following conditions is satisfied.

- (CP):  $\tau_k \mu_k \|L\|_S^2 < 1$ , and  $\alpha_k = 1$ .
- (ScCP):  $\alpha_k = \sqrt{1+2\mu_k}^{-1}$ ,  $\mu_{k+1} = \alpha_k \mu_k$ ,  $\tau_{k+1} = \tau_k \alpha_k^{-1}$  with  $\mu_0 \tau_0 \|\mathbf{L}\|_S^2 \le 1$ . Then we have  $\widehat{\mathbf{x}} = \lim_{k \to \infty} \mathbf{x}^{[k]}$ .

Objective: 
$$\hat{\mathbf{x}} = \underset{\mathbf{x}\in\mathcal{H}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \Big\{ \mathsf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\|_2^2 + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) + \iota_C(\mathbf{x}) \Big\}$$

Algorithm: For 
$$k = 0, 1, ...$$
  

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} = \mathbf{P}_C \left( \frac{\mu_k}{1+\mu_k} (\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{L}^\top \mathbf{u}^{[k]}) + \frac{1}{1+\mu_k} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \right) \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} = \operatorname{prox}_{\tau_k(\nu g)^*} \left( \mathbf{u}^{[k]} + \tau_k \mathbf{L} \left( (1+\alpha_k) \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} - \alpha_k \mathbf{x}_k \right) \right) \end{bmatrix}$$

• S(c)CP: Starting point.

Objective: 
$$\hat{\mathbf{x}} = \underset{\mathbf{x}\in\mathcal{H}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \Big\{ \mathsf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\|_2^2 + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) + \iota_C(\mathbf{x}) \Big\}$$

Algorithm: For 
$$k = 0, 1, ...$$
  

$$\begin{bmatrix} x^{[k+1]} = P_C \left( \frac{\mu_k}{1+\mu_k} (z - L^\top u^{[k]}) + \frac{1}{1+\mu_k} x^{[k]} \right) \\ u^{[k+1]} = \operatorname{prox}_{\tau_k(\nu g)^*} \left( u^{[k]} + \tau_k L \left( (1+\alpha_k) x^{[k+1]} - \alpha_k x_k \right) \right) \end{bmatrix}$$

- S(c)CP: Starting point.
- Arrow-Hurwicz iterations:  $\alpha_k \equiv 0$ .

Objective: 
$$\hat{\mathbf{x}} = \underset{\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{H}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \Big\{ \mathsf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\|_2^2 + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) + \iota_C(\mathbf{x}) \Big\}$$

Algorithm: For 
$$k = 0, 1, ...$$
  

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} = \mathbf{P}_C \left( \frac{\mu_k}{1+\mu_k} (\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{L}^\top \mathbf{u}^{[k]}) + \frac{1}{1+\mu_k} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \right) \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} = \operatorname{prox}_{\tau_k(\nu g)^*} \left( \mathbf{u}^{[k]} + \tau_k \mathbf{L} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} \right) \end{bmatrix}$$

- S(c)CP: Starting point.
- Arrow-Hurwicz iterations:  $\alpha_k \equiv 0$ .

Objective: 
$$\hat{\mathbf{x}} = \underset{\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{H}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \Big\{ \mathsf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\|_2^2 + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) + \iota_C(\mathbf{x}) \Big\}$$

ALGORITHM: For 
$$k = 0, 1, ...$$
  

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} = \mathbf{P}_C \left( \frac{\mu_k}{1+\mu_k} (\mathbf{z} - \mathbf{L}^\top \mathbf{u}^{[k]}) + \frac{1}{1+\mu_k} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \right) \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} = \operatorname{prox}_{\tau_k(\nu g)^*} \left( \mathbf{u}^{[k]} + \tau_k \mathbf{L} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} \right) \end{bmatrix}$$

- S(c)CP: Starting point.
- Arrow-Hurwicz iterations:  $\alpha_k \equiv 0$ .
- DFB:  $\mu_k \to +\infty$ .

$$O\text{BJECTIVE:} \ \widehat{\mathbf{x}} = \underset{\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{H}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \Big\{ \mathsf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\|_2^2 + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) + \iota_C(\mathbf{x}) \Big\}$$

Algorithm: For 
$$k = 0, 1, ...$$
  

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} = \mathbf{P}_C \left( \mathbf{z} - \mathbf{L}^\top \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \right) \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} = \operatorname{prox}_{\tau_k(\nu g)^*} \left( \mathbf{u}^{[k]} + \tau_k \mathbf{L} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} \right) \end{bmatrix}$$

- S(c)CP: Starting point.
- Arrow-Hurwicz iterations:  $\alpha_k \equiv 0$ .
- **DFB:**  $\mu_k \to +\infty$ .

Objective: 
$$\hat{\mathbf{x}} = \underset{\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{H}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \Big\{ \mathsf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\|_2^2 + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) + \iota_C(\mathbf{x}) \Big\}$$

Algorithm: For 
$$k = 0, 1, ...$$
  
$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} = \mathbf{P}_C \left( \mathbf{z} - \mathbf{L}^\top \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \right) \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} = \operatorname{prox}_{\tau_k(\nu g)^*} \left( \mathbf{u}^{[k]} + \tau_k \mathbf{L} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} \right) \end{bmatrix}$$

- S(c)CP: Starting point.
- Arrow-Hurwicz iterations:  $\alpha_k \equiv 0$ .
- DFB:  $\mu_k \to +\infty$ .
- ☞ DiFB: Inertia step on the dual variable.

Objective: 
$$\hat{\mathbf{x}} = \underset{\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{H}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \Big\{ \mathsf{F}(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\|_2^2 + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) + \iota_C(\mathbf{x}) \Big\}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Algorithm: For } k = 0, 1, \dots \\ & \left[ \begin{array}{c} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} = \mathbf{P}_{C} \left( \mathbf{z} - \mathbf{L}^{\top} \mathbf{v}^{[k]} \right) \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} = \operatorname{prox}_{\tau_{k}(\nu g)^{*}} \left( \mathbf{u}^{[k]} + \tau_{k} \mathbf{L} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} \right) \\ \mathbf{v}^{[k+1]} = (1 + \rho_{k}) \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} - \rho_{k} \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \end{array} \right.$$

- S(c)CP: Starting point.
- Arrow-Hurwicz iterations:  $\alpha_k \equiv 0$ .
- **DFB:**  $\mu_k \to +\infty$ .
- ← DiFB: Inertia step on the dual variable.

ITERATION: Arrow-Hurwicz iteration can be written as:  $d_{z,\nu,\Theta_k}: \begin{array}{l} \mathcal{H} \times \mathcal{G} \rightarrow \mathcal{H} \\ (x^{[k]}, u^{[k]}) \mapsto d_{z,\Theta_{k,\mathcal{P}},\mathcal{P}}(x, d_{\Theta_{k,\mathcal{D}},\mathcal{D}}(x^{[k]}, u^{[k]})) \end{array}$ with  $d_{\nu,\Theta_{k,\mathcal{D}},\mathcal{D}}(x, u) = \operatorname{prox}_{\tau_k(\nu g)^*}(\tau_k L x + u),$   $d_{z,\Theta_{k,\mathcal{P}},\mathcal{P}}(x, u) = P_C\left(\frac{1}{1+\mu_k}x - \frac{\mu_k}{1+\mu_k}L^{\top}u + \frac{\mu_k}{1+\mu_k}z\right)$ 

DEEP LEARNING NOTATION:

$$\mathbf{d}_{\Theta} = \eta^{[K]} (W^{[K]} \dots \eta^{[1]} (W^{[1]} \cdot + b^{[1]}) \dots + b^{[K]})$$

LAYER: Arrow-Hurwicz layer can be written as:  

$$d_{z,\nu,\Theta_k}: \begin{array}{l} \mathcal{H} \times \mathcal{G} \rightarrow \mathcal{H} \\ (x^{[k]}, u^{[k]}) \mapsto d_{z,\Theta_{k,\mathcal{P}},\mathcal{P}}(x^{[k]}, d_{\Theta_{k,\mathcal{D}},\mathcal{D}}(x^{[k]}, u^{[k]})), \end{array}$$
with  

$$d_{\nu,\Theta_{k,\mathcal{D}},\mathcal{D}}(x, u) = \operatorname{prox}_{\tau_k(\nu g)^*}(\tau_k L_{k,\mathcal{D}} x + u), \\ d_{z,\Theta_{k,\mathcal{P}},\mathcal{P}}(x, u) = P_C\left(\frac{1}{1+\mu_k} x - \frac{\mu_k}{1+\mu_k} L_{k,\mathcal{P}}^\top u + \frac{\mu_k}{1+\mu_k} z\right),$$

#### Deep Arrow-Hurwicz building block + skip connections



**Figure 1:** Architecture of the proposed DAH-Unified block for the *k*-th layer. Inertial step for ScCP (top) and DiFB (bottom).

	$\Theta_k$	Comments
DDFB-LFO	$\mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}}, \mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}$	absorb $ au_k$ in $L_{k,\mathcal{D}}$
DDFB-LNO	$\mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}} = \mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}^{\top}$	define $\tau_k = 1.99 \ L_k\ ^{-2}$

	$\Theta_k$	Comments
DDFB-LFO	$L_{k,\mathcal{P}}, L_{k,\mathcal{D}}$	absorb $ au_k$ in $L_{k,\mathcal{D}}$
DDFB-LNO	$\mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}} = \mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}^{\top}$	define $\tau_k = 1.99 \ \mathbf{L}_k\ ^{-2}$
DCP-LFO	$\mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}}, \mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}, \mu$	learn $\mu = \mu_0 = \cdots = \mu_K$ , and absorb $\tau_k$ in $L_{k,\mathcal{D}}$
DCP-LNO	$\mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}} = \mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}^{\top},  \boldsymbol{\mu}$	learn $\mu = \mu_0 = \cdots = \mu_K$ , and fix $\tau_k = 0.99 \mu^{-1} \ \mathbf{L}_k\ ^{-2}$

	$\Theta_k$	Comments
DDFB-LFO	$L_{k,\mathcal{P}}, L_{k,\mathcal{D}}$	absorb $ au_k$ in $L_{k,\mathcal{D}}$
DDiFB-LFO	$L_{k,\mathcal{P}}, L_{k,\mathcal{D}}, \alpha_k$	fix $\alpha_k$ , and absorb $ au_k$ in $L_{k,\mathcal{D}}$
DDFB-LNO	$\mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}} = \mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}^{\top}$	define $\tau_k = 1.99 \ L_k\ ^{-2}$
DDiFB-LNO	$\mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}} = \mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}^{\top}$	fix $\alpha_k = \frac{t_k - 1}{t_{k+1}}$ , $t_{k+1} = \frac{k + a - 1}{a}$ ,
		$a > 2$ , and $\tau_k = 0.99 \ \mathcal{L}_k\ ^{-2}$
DCP-LFO	$\mathcal{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}}$ , $\mathcal{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}$ , $\mu$	learn $\mu = \mu_0 = \cdots = \mu_K$ ,
		and absorb $ au_k$ in $L_{k,\mathcal{D}}$
DCP-LNO	$\mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}} = \mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}^{\top},  \boldsymbol{\mu}$	learn $\mu = \mu_0 = \dots = \mu_K$ , and fix $\tau_k = 0.99 \mu^{-1} \ \mathbf{L}_k\ ^{-2}$

	$\Theta_k$	Comments	
DDFB-LFO	$L_{k,\mathcal{P}}, L_{k,\mathcal{D}}$	absorb $\tau_k$ in $L_{k,\mathcal{D}}$	
	$\mathcal{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}}$ , $\mathcal{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}$ , $\alpha_k$	fix $\alpha_k$ , and absorb $\tau_k$ in $L_{k,\mathcal{D}}$	
DDFB-LNO	$\mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}} = \mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}^{\top}$	define $\tau_k = 1.99 \ L_k\ ^{-2}$	
DDiFB-LNO	$\mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}} = \mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}^{\top}$	fix $\alpha_k = \frac{t_k - 1}{t_{k+1}}$ , $t_{k+1} = \frac{k + a - 1}{a}$ ,	
		$a > 2$ , and $\tau_k = 0.99 \ \mathcal{L}_k\ ^{-2}$	
DCP-LFO	$\mathcal{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}}$ , $\mathcal{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}$ , $\mu$	learn $\mu = \mu_0 = \cdots = \mu_K$ ,	
		and absorb $ au_k$ in $L_{k,\mathcal{D}}$	
DScCP-LFO	$\mathcal{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}}$ , $\mathcal{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}$ , $\mu_0$	learn $\mu_0$ , absorb $ au_k$ in $\mathrm{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}$ ,	
		and fix $lpha_k = (1+2\mu_k)^{-1/2}$ ,	
		and $\mu_{k+1} = \alpha_k \mu_k$	
DCP-LNO	$\mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}} = \mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}^{\top}$ , $\mu$	learn $\mu=\mu_0=\dots=\mu_K$ ,	
		and fix $ au_k = 0.99 \mu^{-1} \ \mathbf{L}_k\ ^{-2}$	
DScCP-LNO	$\mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{P}} = \mathbf{L}_{k,\mathcal{D}}^{\top}, \ \mu_k$	learn $\mu_k$ , and fix $lpha_k = (1+2\mu_k)^{-1/2}$ ,	
		and $ au_k = 0.99 \mu_k^{-1} \  \mathbf{L}_k \ ^{-2}$	

#### [Le, Repetti, Pustelnik, 2023]

We consider the unfolded NNs DD(i)FB and D(Sc)CP. Assume that, for every  $k \in \{1, \ldots, K\}$ ,  $L_{k,\mathcal{D}} = L$  and  $L_{k,\mathcal{P}} = L^{\top}$ , for  $L \colon \mathbb{R}^N \to \mathbb{R}^{|\mathbb{F}|}$ . In addition, for each architecture, we further assume that, for every  $k \in \{1, \ldots, K\}$ ,

- DDFB:  $\tau_k \in (0, 2/\|\mathbf{L}\|_S^2)$ .
- DDiFB:  $\tau_k \in (0, 1/\|\mathbf{L}\|_S^2)$  and  $\rho_k = \frac{t_k 1}{t_{k+1}}$  with  $t_k = \frac{k+a-1}{a}$  and a > 2.
- DCP:  $(\tau_k, \mu_k) \in (0, +\infty)^2$  such that  $\tau_k \mu_k \|L\|_S^2 < 1$ .
- DScCP:  $\alpha_k = (1 + 2\mu_k)^{-1/2}$ ,  $\mu_{k+1} = \alpha_k \mu_k$ , and  $\tau_{k+1} = \tau_k \alpha_k^{-1}$  with  $\tau_0 \mu_0 \|L\|_S^2 \le 1$ .

Then, we have  $x_K \to \hat{x}$  when  $K \to +\infty$ , where  $x_K$  is the output of either of the unfolded NNs DD(i)FB or D(Sc)CP, and  $\hat{x}$  is a solution to

$$\min_{\mathbf{x}\in\mathcal{H}} \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\|_{2}^{2} + g(\mathbf{L}\mathbf{x}) + \iota_{C}(\mathbf{x}).$$

## **Denoising performance**



validation set, degraded with noise level  $\delta = 0.05$ .

## **Denoising performance**



**Denoising performance on Gaussian noise.** Example of denoised images (and PSNR values) for Gaussian noise  $\delta = 0.05$  obtained with DRUnet and the proposed DDFB-LNO and DScCP-LNO, with (K, J) = (20, 64).

## Complexity of the models

		Time (msec)	$ \Theta $	FLOPs ( $\times 10^3$ G)
BM3D		$13 \times 10^3 \pm 317$	-	-
DRUnet		$96 \pm 21$	32,640,960	137.24
LNO	DDFB	$3 \pm 1.5$	34,560	2.26
	DDiFB	$3\pm0.5$	34,560	
	DDCP	$6 \pm 1$	34,561	
	DDScCP	$7\pm1$	34,580	
LFO	DDFB	$4 \pm 17$	69,120	2.26
	DDiFB	$5 \pm 15$	69, 121	
	DDCP	$7 \pm 14$	69,121	
	DDScCP	$9\pm15$	69,160	

#### **NN** robustness

• Given an input z and a perturbation  $\epsilon$ , the error on the output can be upper bounded :

$$\|f_{\Theta}(\mathbf{z}+\epsilon) - f_{\Theta}(\mathbf{z})\| \le \chi \|\epsilon\|.$$

where  $\chi$  certificated of the robustness.

• [Combettes, Pesquet, 2020]:  $\chi$  can be upper bounded by:

$$\chi \leq \prod_{k=1}^{K} \left( \|W_{k,\mathcal{P}}\|_{S} \times \|W_{k,\mathcal{D}}\|_{S} \right).$$

☞ [Pesquet, Repetti, Terris, Wiaux, 2020]: tighter bound by Lipschitz continuity:

$$\chi \approx \max_{(\mathbf{z}_s)_{s \in \mathbb{I}}} \| \mathbf{J} f_{\Theta}(\mathbf{z}_s) \|_S.$$

where J denotes the Jacobian operator.

#### **NN** robustness



Distribution of  $(|| J f_{\Theta}(\mathbf{z}_s) ||_S)_{s \in \mathbb{J}}$  for 100 images extracted from BSDS500 validation dataset  $\mathbb{J}$ , for the proposed PNNs and DRUnet.

## High contrast image reconstruction

#### **Context: Image restoration**

 $\implies$  Data:  $z \in \mathbb{R}^M$  degraded version of an original image  $\overline{x} \in \mathbb{R}^N$ :

$$z = A\overline{x} + \textbf{w}$$

- $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{M \times N}$ : linear degradation (e.g. a blur)
- w : noise (e.g. Gaussian noise)



#### Context: Image restoration (astronomy context)

- **Studying circumstellar environments**: crucial for understanding exoplanets and stellar systems.
- **High contrast imagery**: high contrast between environment and host star.
- Instrument: Spectro-Polarimetric High-contrast Exoplanet REsearch (SPHERE) and its instrument InfraRed Dual Imaging and Spectrograph (IRDIS) installed on the Very Large Telescope (VLT).
- Direct model:

$$\mathbf{z}_{j,\ell} = T_{j,\ell} A\left(\frac{1}{2} + \cos^2(\theta - 2\alpha_\ell - \psi_j)\right) + \varepsilon_{j,\ell},$$

or

$$z_{j,\ell} = \sum_{m=1}^{3} \nu_{j,\ell,m} T_{j,\ell} A S_m + \varepsilon_{j,\ell} + \varepsilon_{j,\ell},$$

• Analysis formulation: 
$$\min_{x} \frac{1}{2} \|Ax - z\|_{2}^{2} + \|Lx\|_{1}$$

Condat-Vũ iterations:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} &= \mathbf{x}_k - \tau \mathbf{A}^* (\mathbf{A} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} - \mathbf{z}) - \tau \mathbf{L}^* \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} &= \mathrm{prox}_{\gamma \| \cdot \|_1^*} \left( \mathbf{u}^{[k]} + \gamma \mathbf{L} (2\mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} - \mathbf{x}^{[k]}) \right) \end{aligned}$$

#### Reformulation:

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} &= (\mathrm{Id} - \tau \mathbf{A}^* \mathbf{A}) \mathbf{x}^{[k]} - \tau \mathbf{L}^* \mathbf{u}^{[k]} + \tau \mathbf{A}^* \mathbf{z} \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} &= \mathrm{prox}_{\gamma \parallel \cdot \parallel_1^*} \big( \gamma \mathbf{L} (\mathrm{Id} - 2\tau \mathbf{A}^* \mathbf{A}) \mathbf{x}^{[k]} + (\mathrm{Id} - 2\tau \gamma \mathbf{L} \mathbf{L}^*) \mathbf{u}^{[k]} + 2\tau \gamma \mathbf{L} \mathbf{A}^* \mathbf{z} \big). \end{split}$$



$$f_{\Theta}(\mathbf{z}) = \eta^{[K]} \left( W^{[K]} \dots \eta^{[1]} (W^{[1]}\mathbf{z} + b^{[1]}) \dots + b^{[K]} \right)$$

• Network with fixed layer:  $\Theta = \{L, \tau, \gamma\}$ 

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathrm{Id} \\ \mathrm{prox}_{\gamma \parallel \cdot \parallel_{1}^{*}} \\ \eta^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathrm{Id} - \tau \mathbf{A}^{*} \mathbf{A} & -\tau \mathbf{L}^{*} \\ \gamma \mathbf{L} (\mathrm{Id} - 2\tau \mathbf{A}^{*} \mathbf{A}) & \mathrm{Id} - 2\tau \gamma \mathbf{L} \mathbf{L}^{*} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \tau \mathbf{A}^{*} \mathbf{z} \\ 2\tau \gamma \mathbf{L} \mathbf{A}^{*} \mathbf{z} \end{bmatrix} \\ \eta^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \tau \mathbf{A}^{*} \mathbf{z} \\ 2\tau \gamma \mathbf{L} \mathbf{A}^{*} \mathbf{z} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \tau \mathbf{A}^{*} \mathbf{z} \\ 2\tau \gamma \mathbf{L} \mathbf{A}^{*} \mathbf{z} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \tau \mathbf{A}^{*} \mathbf{z} \\ 2\tau \gamma \mathbf{L} \mathbf{A}^{*} \mathbf{z} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \tau \mathbf{A}^{*} \mathbf{z} \\ 2\tau \mathbf{x} \mathbf{L}^{*} \mathbf{z} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}$$

• Network with variable layers:  $\Theta = \{L_k, \tau_k, \gamma_k, \}_{1 \le k \le K}$ 

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k+1]} \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k+1]} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathrm{Id} \\ \mathrm{prox}_{\gamma_k \|\cdot\|_1^*} \\ \eta^{[k]} \\ + \text{ specificities for the first and last layers.} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^{[k]} \\ \mathbf{u}^{[k]} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \tau_k \mathbf{A}_k^* \mathbf{z} \\ 2\tau_k \gamma_k \mathbf{L}_k \mathbf{A}^* \mathbf{z} \end{bmatrix}$$

- **DDIT**: Debris DIsks Tools library produces synthetic images of  $(disk, , \theta)$ .
- $\bullet$   $_{\rm star}$  has been obtained from real observational high-contrast coronagraphic data from the SPHERE.
- Different semi-major axis of the disk, inclination, eccentricity, and ratio between the star and disk intensity.



- **DDIT**: Debris DIsks Tools library produces synthetic images of  $(disk, , \theta)$ .
- $\bullet$   $_{\rm star}$  has been obtained from real observational high-contrast coronagraphic data from the SPHERE.
- Different semi-major axis of the disk, inclination, eccentricity, and ratio between the star and disk intensity.
- **Synthetic dataset** Prescribe blur and Gaussian noise with a standard deviation of 0.1.
- More realistic dataset z obtained from RHAPSODIE forward model.









Unfolded CV  $D_k$ 



CV

Unfolded CV  $D_k \equiv D$ 



Unfolded CV non-linear  $D_k(\cdot) = W_k \eta_k(V_k \cdot)$ 







Unfolded CV

 $D_k = W_k V_k$ 









¢

CV

Unfolded CV  $D_k \equiv D$ 



Unfolded CV non-linear  $D_k(\cdot) = W_k \eta_k(V_k \cdot)$ 



Unfolded CV  $D_k$ 











#### References

- M. Jiu and N. Pustelnik, A deep primal-dual proximal network for image restoration, IEEE JSTSP Special Issue on Deep Learning for Image/Video Restoration and Compression, vol. 15, no. 2,pp. 190–203, Feb. 2021.
- M. Jiu, N. Pustelnik, Alternative Design of DeepPDNet in the Context of Image Restoration, IEEE Signal Processing Letters, vol. 29, pp. 932 - 936, 2022.
- H.T.V. Le, N. Pustelnik, M Foare, The faster proximal algorithm, the better unfolded deep learning architecture? The study case of image denoising, EUSIPCO, Belgrade, Serbie, 29 Aug - 2 Sept. 2022.
- H.T.V. Le, A. Repetti, N. Pustelnik, Unfolded proximal neural networks for robust image Gaussian denoising, IEEE TIP, 2024.
- E. Chappon, N. Pustelnik, J. Tachella, L. Denneulin, A. Ferarri, M. Langlois. PFrom linear to nonlinear unfolded Condat-Vũ algorithm for spectro-polarimetric hight-constrast image recovery, EUSIPCO, 2024.