

Practical Leverage-Based Sampling for Low-Rank Tensor Decomposition

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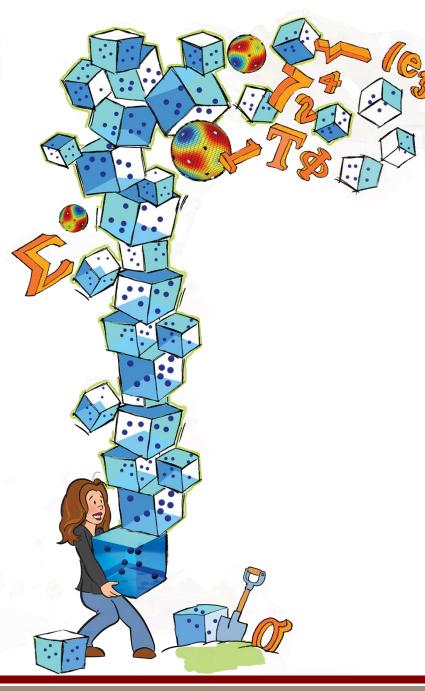
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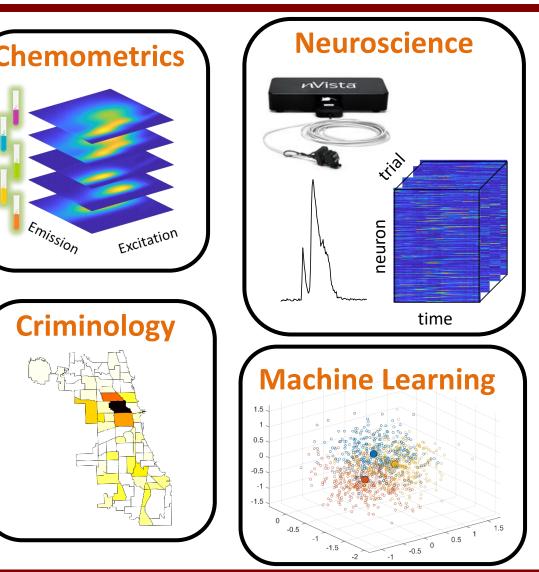






Tensors Come From Many Applications

- Chemometrics: Emission x Excitation x Samples (Fluorescence Spectroscopy)
- Neuroscience: Neuron x Time x Trial
- Criminology: Day x Hour x Location x Crime (Chicago Crime Reports)
- Machine Learning: Multivariate Gaussian Mixture Models Higher-Order Moments
- Transportation: Pickup x Dropoff x Time (Taxis)
- **Sports:** Player x Statistic x Season (Basketball)
- Cyber-Traffic: IP x IP x Port x Time
- Social Network: Person x Person x Time x Interaction-Type
- Signal Processing: Sensor x Frequency x Time
- **Trending Co-occurrence:** Term A x Term B x Time

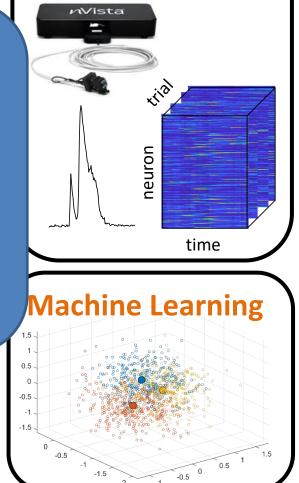


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Tensor Decomposition Finds Patterns in Massive Data (Unsupervised Learning)

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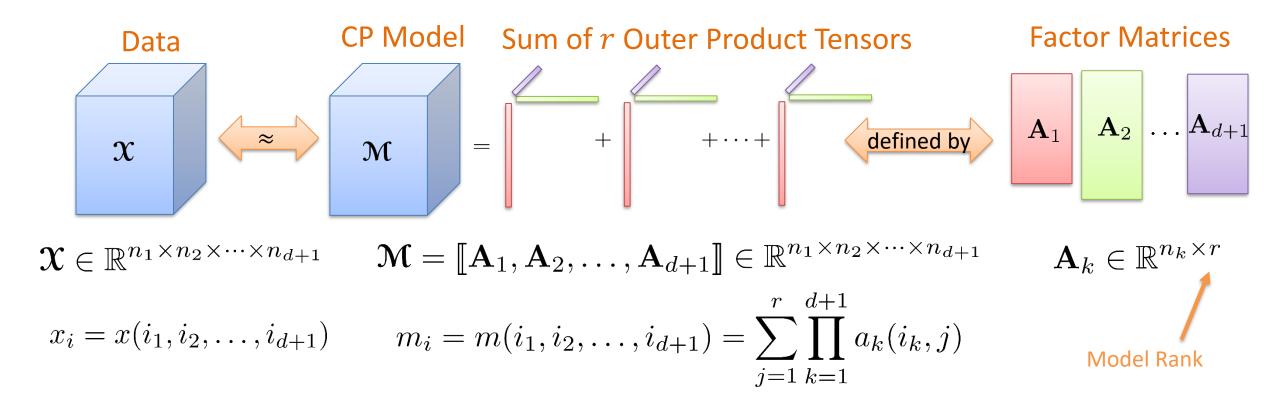


Neuroscience

Chemometrics



Tensor Decomposition Identifies Factors







Example Sparse Multiway Data: Reddit

- Reddit is an American social news aggregator, web content rating, and discussion website
 - A "subreddit" is a discussion forum on a particular topic
- Tensor obtained from frost.io (<u>http://frostt.io/tensors/reddit-2015/</u>)
 - Built from reddit comments posted in the year 2015
 - Users and words with less than 5 entries have been removed



Reddit Tensor

8 million users200 thousand subreddits8 million words

4.7 billion non-zeros $(10^{-8}\%)$ 106 gigabytes

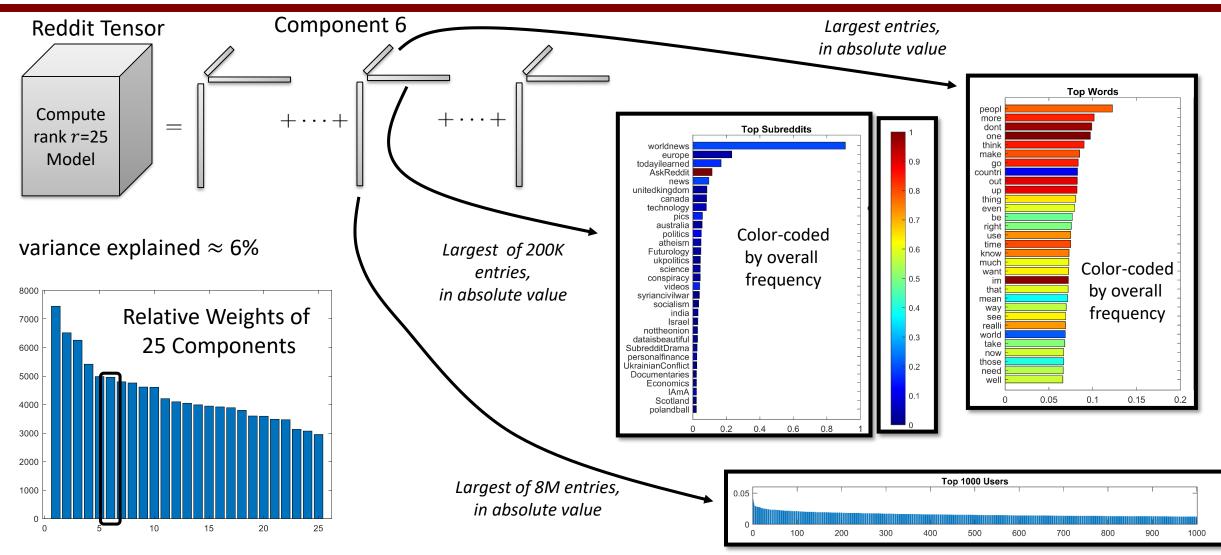
 $x(i, j, k) = \log (1 + \text{the number of times user } i \text{ used word } j \text{ in subreddit } k)$

Used a rank r = 25 decompsition

Smith et al (2017). "FROSTT: The Formidable Open Repository of Sparse Tensors and Tools"



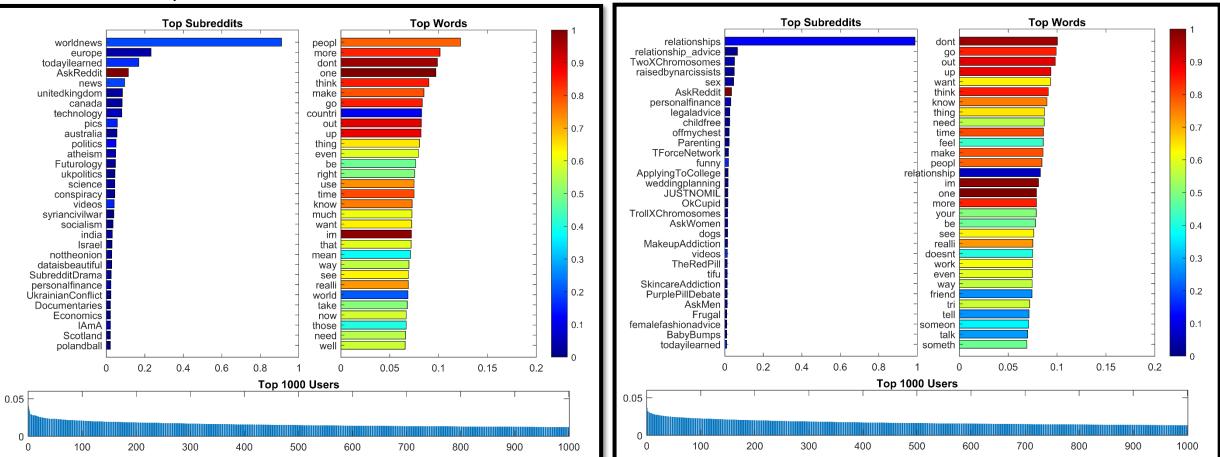
Interpreting Reddit Components



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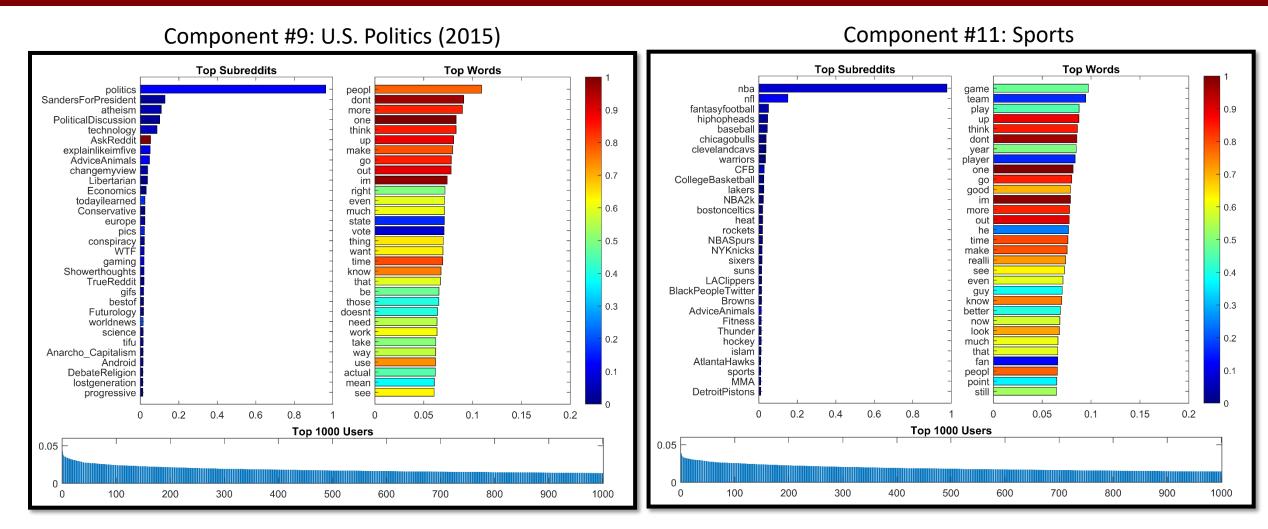






Component #8: Relationships

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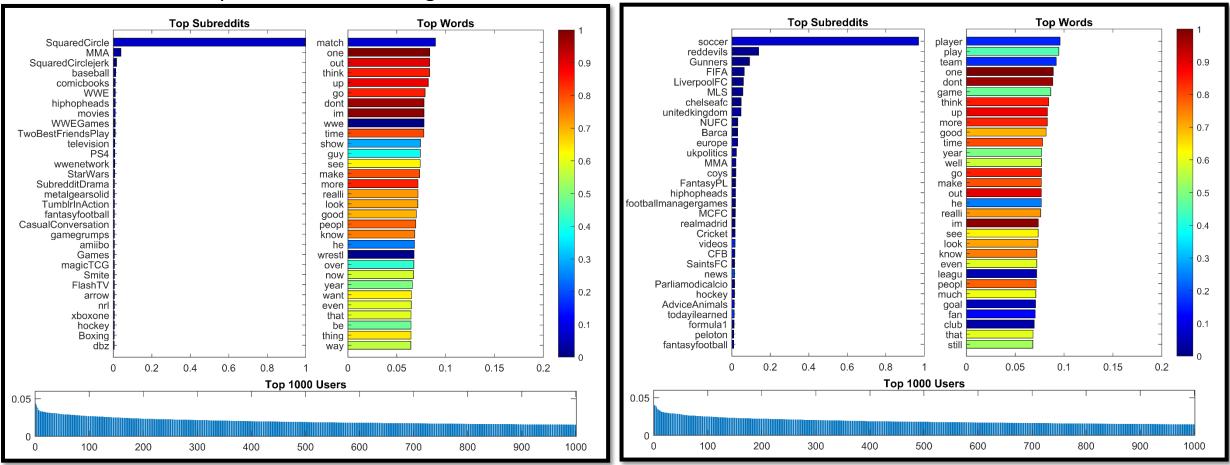
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Component #18: Soccer





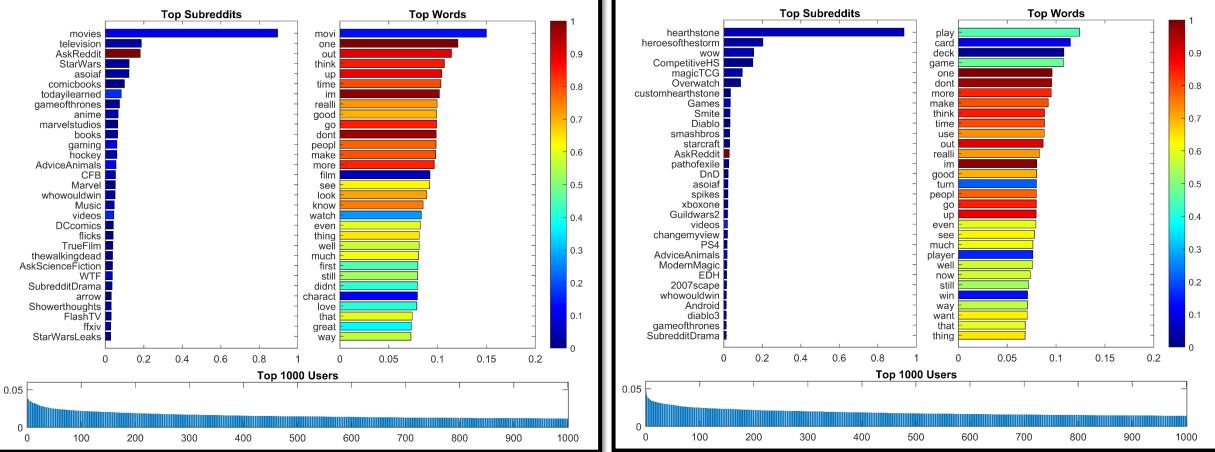
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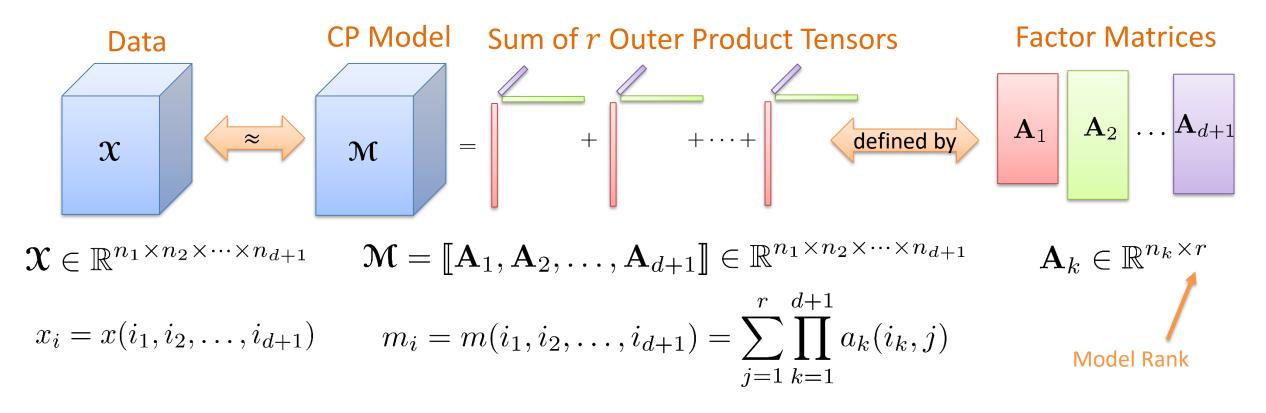
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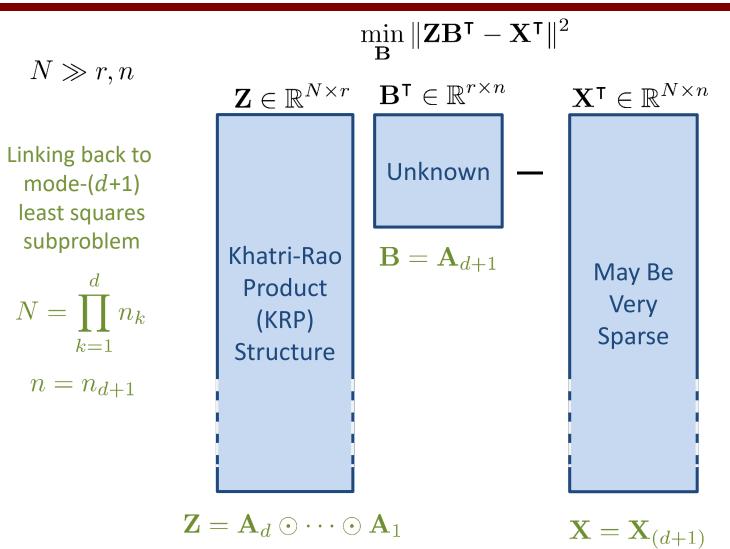


Tensor Decomposition Identifies Factors



Key Idea: Alternate among the d factor matrices, fixing all but that one and solving. Each subproblem is linear least squares.

Prototypical CP Least Squares Problem has Khatri-Rao Product (KRP) Structure



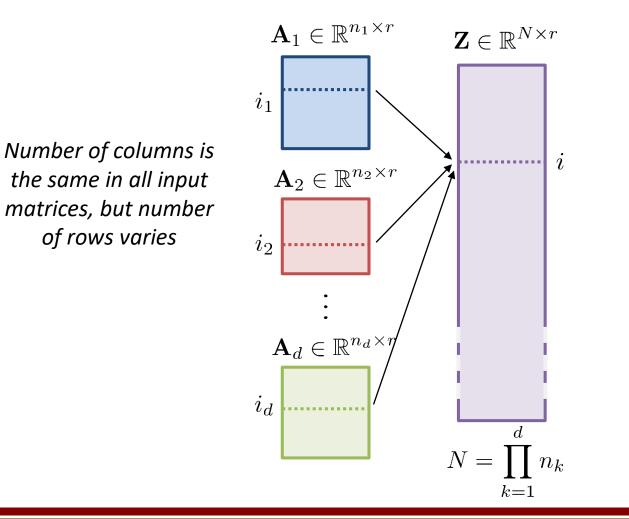
- KRP costs O(Nr) to form
- System costs $O(Nnr^2)$ to solve

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- KRP structure
 - Cost reduced to O(Nnr)
- KRP structure + data sparse
 - Cost reduced to $O(r \operatorname{nnz}(\mathbf{X}))$

Structure of Khatri-Rao Product (KRP): Hadamard Combinations of Rows of Inputs

KRP of d Matrices: $\mathbf{Z} = \mathbf{A}_d \odot \cdots \odot \mathbf{A}_1$



Each row of KRP is Hadamard product of specific rows in Factor Matrices:

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$$\mathbf{Z}(i,:) = \mathbf{A}_1(i_1,:) * \cdots * \mathbf{A}_d(i_d,:)$$

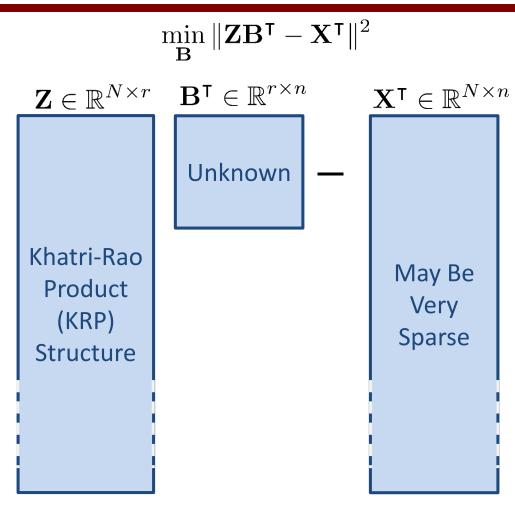
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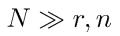
$$i = (n_{d-1} \cdots n_1)(i_d - 1) + (n_{d-2} \cdots n_1)(i_{d-1} - 1) + \cdots + n_1(i_2 - 1) + i_1 \in [N]$$

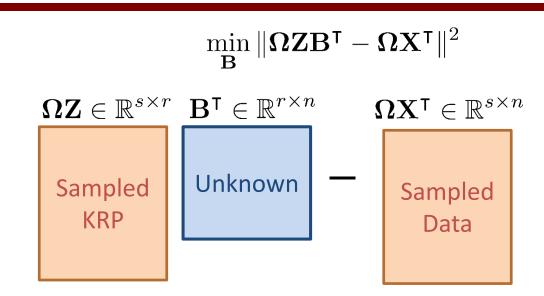
1-1 Correspondence between *linear index and multi index:* $i \in [N] \Leftrightarrow (i_1, \dots, i_d) \in [n_1] \otimes \dots \otimes [n_d]$

Ingredient #1: Sample Subset of Rows in Overdetermined Least Squares System









Complexity reduced from O(Nnr) to $O(snr^2)$

Key surveys:

M. W. Mahoney, *Randomized Algorithms for Matrices and Data*, 2011; D. P. Woodruff, *Sketching as a Tool for Numerical Linear Algebra*, 2014

How sample so that solution of sampled problem yields something close to the optimal residual of the original problem?

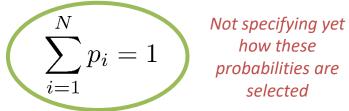
Ingredient #2: Weight Sampled Rows by Probability of Selection to Eliminate Bias

how these

probabilities are

selected

Probability distribution on rows of linear system



Pick a single random index ξ with probability p_{ξ}

Choose

$$\mathbf{\Omega} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \cdots & 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{p_{\xi}}} & 0 & \cdots & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{1 \times N}$$

 ξ th entry

Then (assuming all p_i positive) the sampled the sampled residual equals true residual in expectation:

$$\begin{split} \mathbb{E} \| \mathbf{\Omega} \mathbf{Z} \boldsymbol{\alpha} - \mathbf{\Omega} \boldsymbol{\nu} \|^2 &= \sum_{i=1}^{N} p_i \left(\left\| \frac{1}{\sqrt{p_i}} \mathbf{Z}(i,:) \boldsymbol{\alpha} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{p_i}} \nu_i \right\|^2 \right) \\ &= \| \mathbf{Z} \boldsymbol{\alpha} - \boldsymbol{\nu} \|^2 \end{split}$$

Pick a *s* random indices ξ_i (with replacement) such that $P(\xi_i = i) = p_i$.

Choose $\mathbf{\Omega} \in \mathbb{R}^{s imes N}$ such that

Not specifying vet how s is determined

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$$\omega(j,i) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\sqrt{sp_i}} & \text{if } \xi_j = i\\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Each row has a single nonzero!

Then, as before, we have:

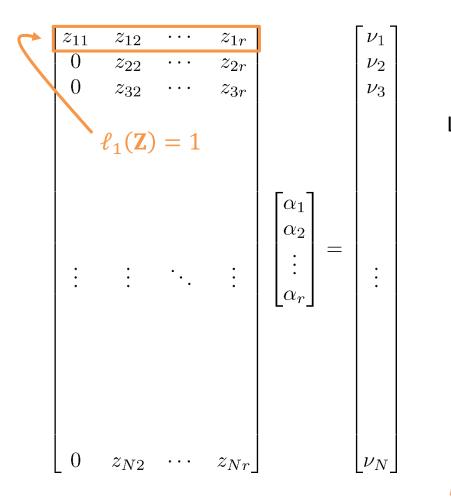
$$\mathbb{E}\|\mathbf{\Omega}\mathbf{Z}\boldsymbol{\alpha}-\mathbf{\Omega}\boldsymbol{\nu}\|^2=\|\mathbf{Z}\boldsymbol{\alpha}-\boldsymbol{\nu}\|^2$$

Survey: D. P. Woodruff, Sketching as a Tool for Numerical Linear Algebra, 2014

Optimal Choice for Sampling Probability is Based on Leverage Scores







 $\mathbf{Z} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times r}$ Leverage score:

Let **Q** be any orthonormal basis of the column space of **Z**.

Leverage score of row *i*:

 $\ell_i(\mathbf{Z}) = \|\mathbf{Q}(i,:)\|_2^2 \in [0,1]$

Coherence:

 $\mu(\mathbf{Z}) = \max_{i \in [N]} \ell_i(\mathbf{Z})$ $r/N \le \mu(\mathbf{Z}) \le 1$

Rough Intuition: Key rows have high leverage score $s = O(\epsilon^{-2} \ln(r) r \beta^{-1})$ where $\beta = \min_{i \in [N]} \frac{r p_i}{\ell_i(\mathbf{Z})}$

What if we do uniform sampling? $p_i = \frac{1}{N}$ for all $i \in [N]$,

Case 1: $\mu(\mathbf{Z}) = r/N$ (incoherent)

$$\Rightarrow \beta = 1 \Rightarrow s = O(\epsilon^{-2} \ln(r) r)$$

Case 2: $\mu(\mathbf{Z}) = 1$ (coherent)

 $\Rightarrow \beta = r/N \Rightarrow s = O(\epsilon^{-2} \ln(r) N)$

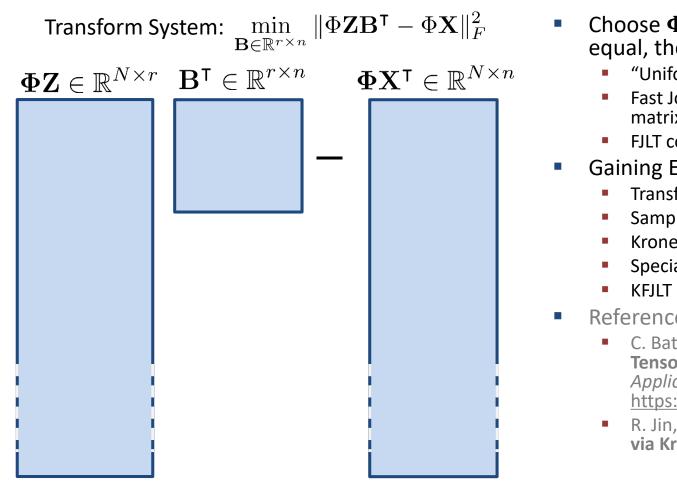
In Case 2, prefer $p_i = \ell_i(\mathbf{Z})/r$, but costs $O(Nr^2)$ to compute leverage scores!

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Aside: Uniform Sampling Okay for "Mixed" **Dense Tensors (Inapplicable to Sparse)**





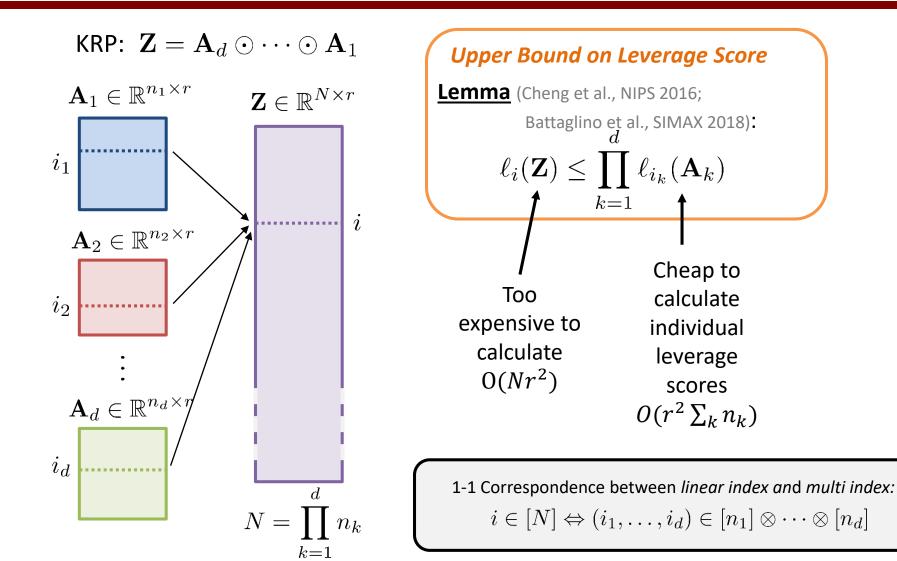


- Choose Φ so that all leverage scores of ΦZ approximately equal, then uniform sampling yields $\beta \approx 1$
 - "Uniformize" the leverage scores per Mahoney
 - Fast Johnson-Lindenstrauss Transform (FJLT) uses random rows of matrix transformed by FFT and Rademacher diagonal
 - FJLT cost per iteration: $O(rN \log N)$
 - Gaining Efficiency for KRP matrices
 - Transform individual factor matrices before forming Z
 - Sample rows of **Z** implicitly
 - Kronecker Fast Johnson-Lindenstrauss Transform (KFJLT)
 - Special handling of right-hand side with preprocessing costs
 - KFJLT cost per iteration: $O(r \sum_k n_k \log n_k + sr^2)$
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Ingredient #3: Bound Leverage Scores



Ingredient #4: Use Factor Matrix Leverage Scores for Sampling Probabilities (Main Thm)



Given linear system: $\|\mathbf{Z}\mathbf{B}^{\mathsf{T}} - \mathbf{X}^{\mathsf{T}}\|^2$ with $\mathbf{Z} = \mathbf{A}_d \odot \cdots \odot \mathbf{A}_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times r}, \mathbf{X}^{\mathsf{T}} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times N}$

Define sampling probabilities:

Leverage Scores where \mathbf{Q}_k is orthonormal $\ell_{i_k}(\mathbf{A}_k) = \|\mathbf{Q}_k(i_k,:)\|_2$ basis for column space of \mathbf{A}_k

And random Pick a *s* random indices ξ_j such that sampling matrix: $P(\xi_j = i) = p_i$ and define $\Omega \in \mathbb{R}^{s \times N}$ with $\omega(j, i) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\sqrt{sp_i}} & \text{if } \xi_j = i \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

Solve sampled problem:

$$\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_* \equiv \arg\min_{\mathbf{B} \in \mathbb{R}^{r \times n}} \|\mathbf{\Omega} \mathbf{Z} \mathbf{B}^{\intercal} - \mathbf{\Omega} \mathbf{X}\|_F^2$$

Get probabilistic error bound:

With probability $1 - \delta$ for $\delta \in (0,1)$, we have $\|\mathbf{Z}\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_*^{\mathsf{T}} - \mathbf{X}^{\mathsf{T}}\|_F^2 \le (1 + \delta)^2$

$$\mathbf{Z}\tilde{\mathbf{B}}_*^{\mathsf{T}} - \mathbf{X}^{\mathsf{T}} \|_F^2 \le (1 + O(\epsilon)) \|\mathbf{Z}\mathbf{B}_*^{\mathsf{T}} - \mathbf{X}^{\mathsf{T}}\|_F^2$$

when number of samples satisfies:

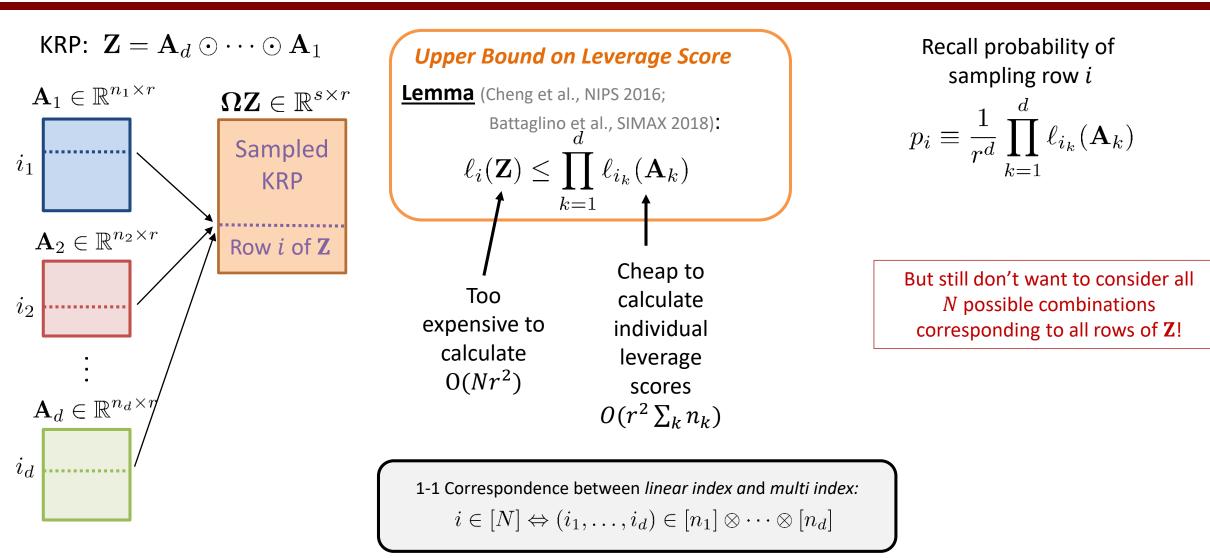
$$s = O(r^d \log(n/\delta)/\epsilon^2)$$

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Ingredient #5: Efficient Sampling without Forming KRP



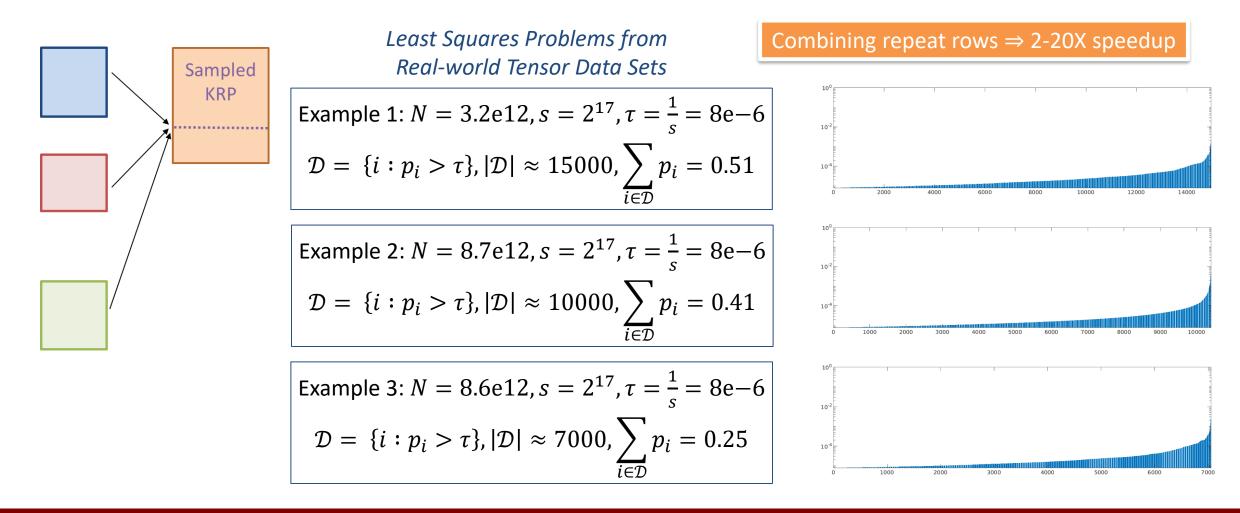






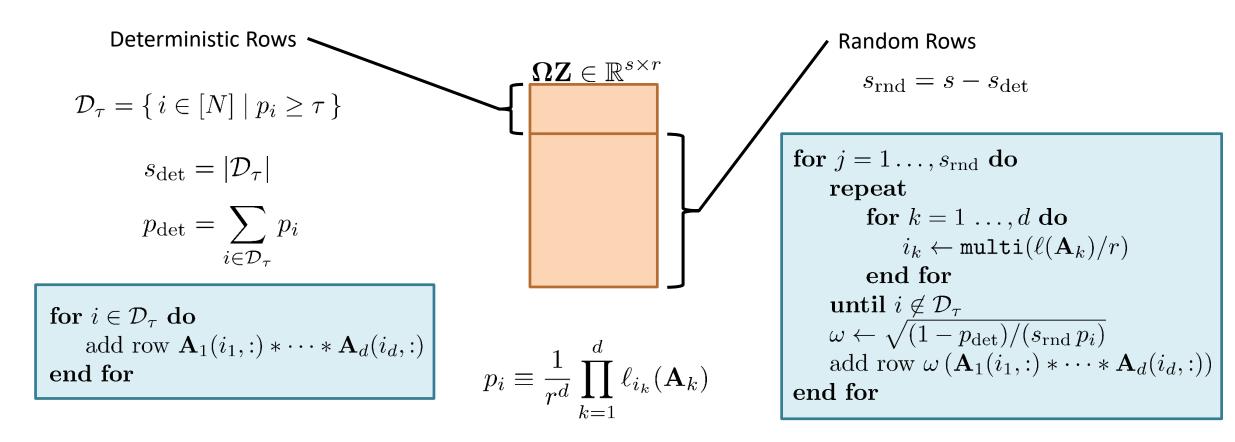
Ingredient #6: Combine Repeated Rows

Problem: Concentrated sampling probabilities identify a few key rows but can lead to many repeats!



Ingredient #7: Hybrid Deterministic and Randomly-Sampled Rows





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Ingredient #9: Find All High-Probability Rows without Computing All Probabilities





Recall

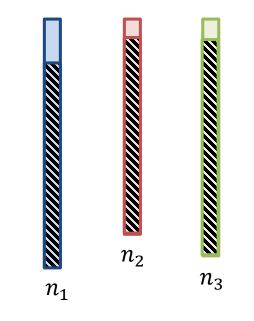
$$p_i \equiv \frac{1}{r^d} \prod_{k=1}^d \ell_{i_k}(\mathbf{A}_k)$$

• For given tolerance $\tau > 1/N$, define the set of deterministic rows to include

$$\mathcal{D}_{\tau} = \{ i \in [N] \mid p_i \ge \tau \}$$

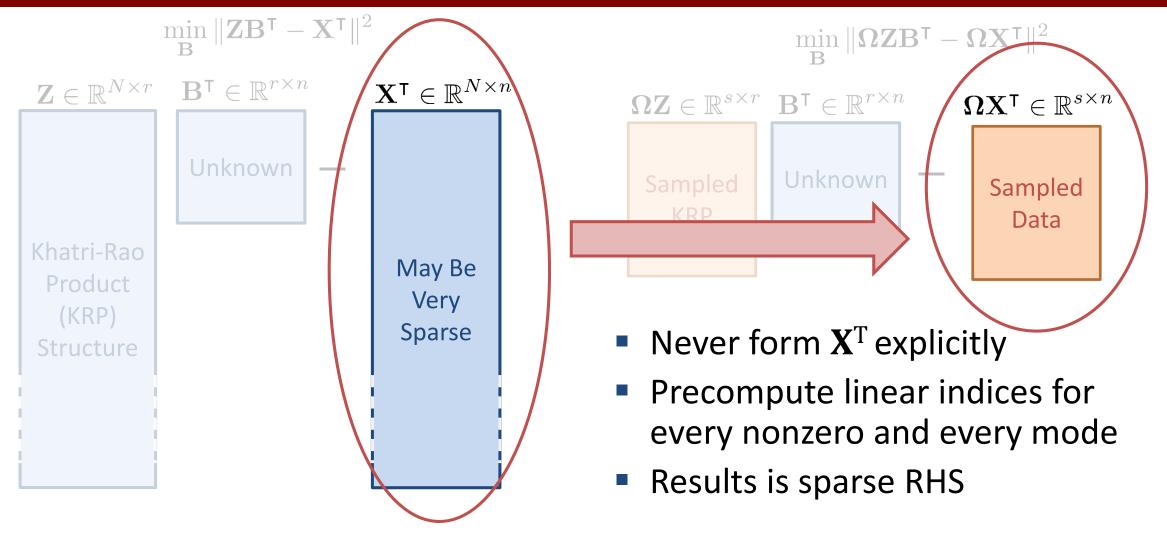
- Compute without computing all p_i values
- A few high leverage scores means all the others are necessarily low!
- Use bounding procedure to eliminate most options
- Compute products of at most a top few leverage scores in each mode

Sorted Leverages Scores (Descending)



1-1 Correspondence between linear index and multi index: $i \in [N] \Leftrightarrow (i_1, \dots, i_d) \in [n_1] \otimes \dots \otimes [n_d]$

Ingredient #9: Efficiently Extract RHS from (Sparse) Unfolded Data Tensor



Similar in spirit to ideas for dense tensors in Battaglino et al., SIMAX 2018

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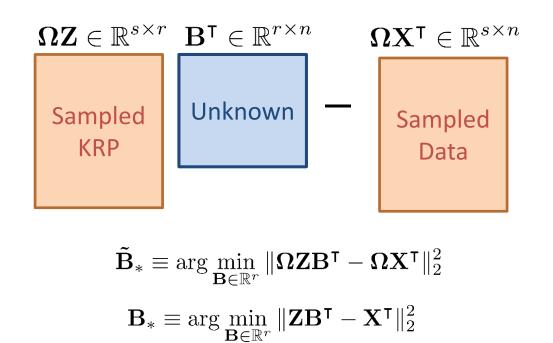
Numerical Results

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Solution Quality as Number of Samples Increase and Hybrid Improvements



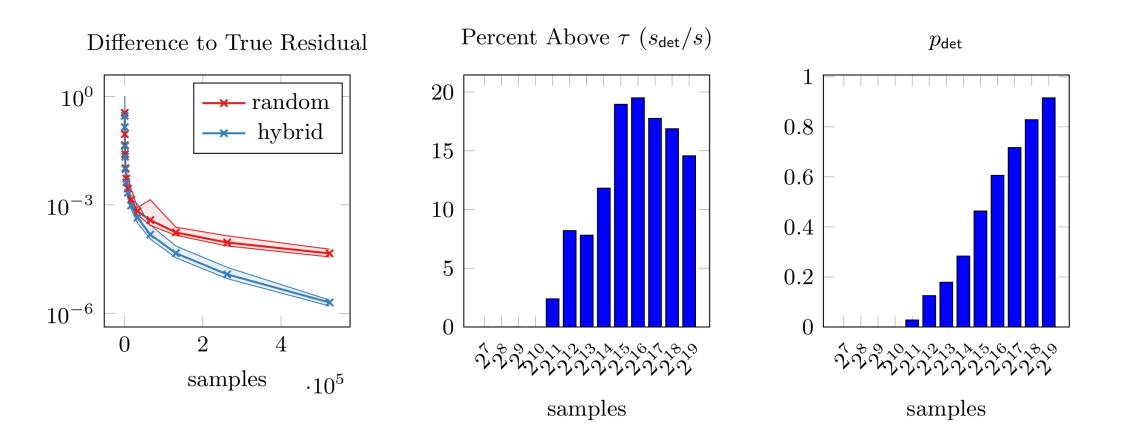
Single Least Squares Problem with N = 46M rows, r = 10 columns, n = 183 right-hand sides



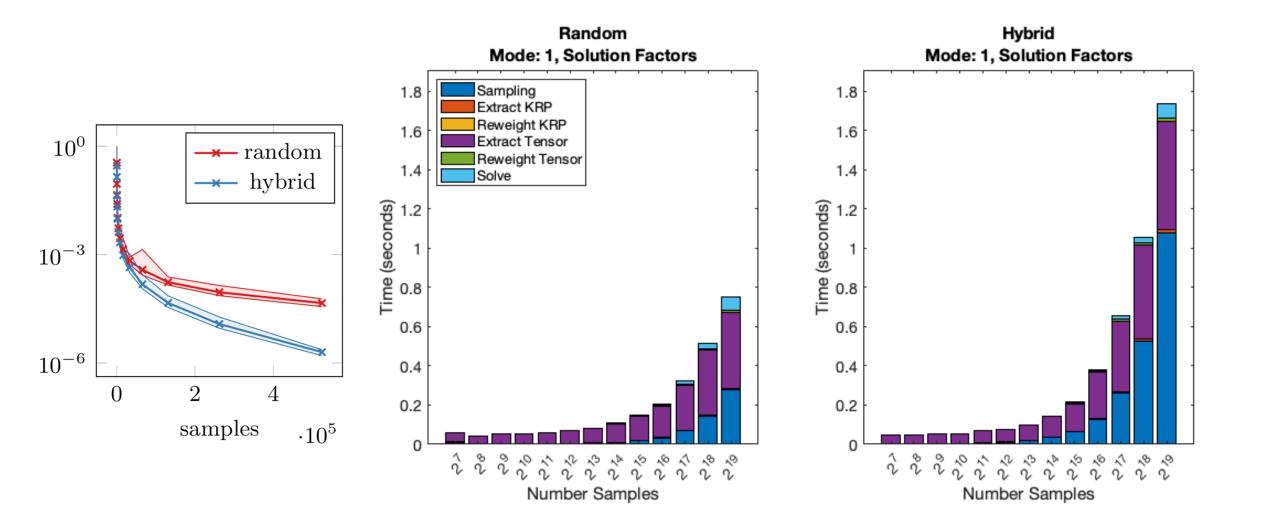
Deterministic Can Account for Substantial Portion of Probability

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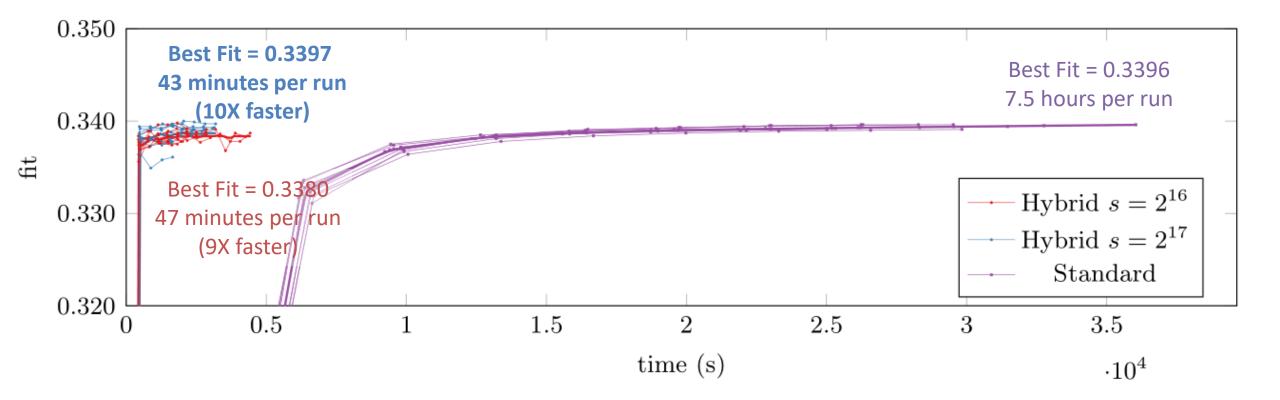


Some Trade-off Between Accuracy and Expense for Deterministic



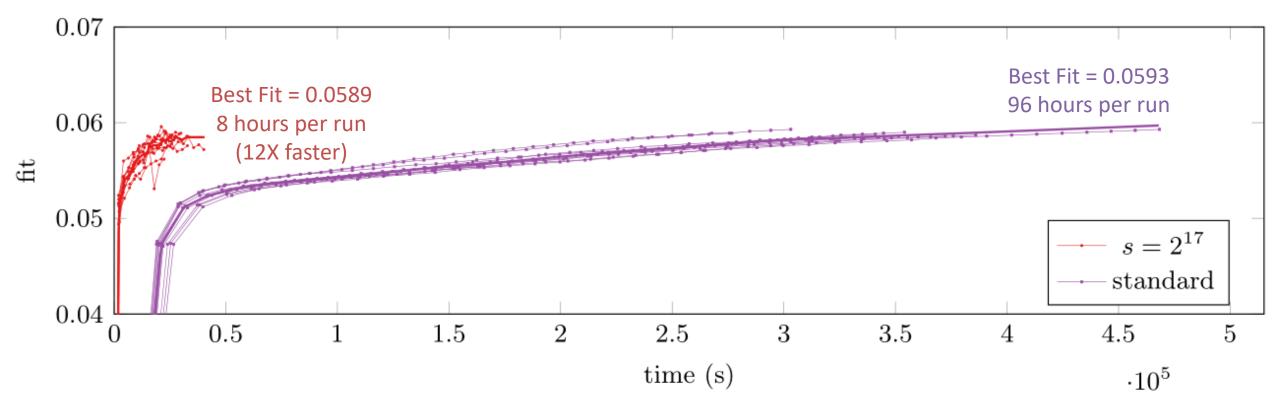


Over 9X Speed-up for Amazon Tensor with 1.7 Billion Nonzeros



Amazon Tensor: 4.8M x 1.8M x 1.8M Amazon Tensor with 1.7B nonzeros. Rank r = 25 CP decomposition Sandia National Laboratories

Over 12X Speed-up for Reddit Tensor with 4.7 Billion Nonzeros (106 GB)



Amazon Tensor: 8.2M x 0.2M x 8.1M Reddit Tensor with 4.7B nonzeros. Rank r = 25 CP decomposition Sandia National

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Conclusions & Future Work

- How to make CP tensor decomposition faster for largescale sparse tensors? Matrix sketching
- How to avoid repeated samples? Combine repeat rows or deterministically include high-probability rows
- How to efficiently sample? Sample independently from each factor matrix to build KRP
- How to extract data for RHS from data tensor? Precompute linear indices for tensor fibers
- Overall result: Order-of-magnitude speed-ups
- Many open problems: How to pick # samples (per mode even), deterministic threshold, robust stopping conditions, sampling based on data as well as KRP, parallelization of method, etc.

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Difference to True Residual

samples

 $\cdot 10^{5}$

→ random → hybrid

 10^{0}

 10^{-6}