



Reproducing Pairs and Gabor Systems at Critical Density

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Frames: $\Psi = \{\psi_k\}_{k \in \mathcal{I}}$ is a frame for \mathcal{H}

$$A\|f\|^2 \leq \sum_{k \in \mathcal{I}} |\langle f, \psi_k \rangle|^2 \leq B\|f\|^2, \quad \forall f \in \mathcal{H}$$

\Leftrightarrow

$$S_\Psi f = \sum_{k \in \mathcal{I}} \langle f, \psi_k \rangle \psi_k \in GL(\mathcal{H}).$$

Many complete systems do not satisfy both frame bounds:

\Rightarrow New concepts needed, e.g. semi-frames, or:

Definition 1 (Balazs & S., 2015)

Two families (Ψ, Φ) in \mathcal{H} are called a **reproducing pair** if $S_{\Psi, \Phi} \in GL(\mathcal{H})$, where

$$\langle S_{\Psi, \Phi} f, g \rangle := \sum_{k \in \mathcal{I}} \langle f, \psi_k \rangle \langle \phi_k, g \rangle.$$

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- cross admissibility a) nonstationary Gabor systems
b) wavelets on \mathbb{R} or S^2

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- We consider two cases: the reproducing partner is
 - a) another Gabor system (\rightsquigarrow Zak transform methods, more BLTs)
 - b) an arbitrary system (\rightsquigarrow reproducing pairs result)
- For b) we investigate the system $\mathcal{G} := G(\varphi, 1, 1)$:
integer time-frequency shifts of the Gaussian

$$\varphi(t) = 2^{1/4} e^{-\pi t^2}$$

\rightsquigarrow classical coherent state system on the von Neumann lattice

Zak transform:

$$Zf(x, \omega) := \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} f(x - k) e^{2\pi i \omega k}$$

Properties:

- $Z : L^2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow L^2([0, 1]^2)$ is an isometric isomorphism
- Diagonalization of Gabor frame operator: $Z(S_{g, \gamma} f) = \overline{Zg} \cdot Z_{\gamma} \cdot Zf$

How to “trick” Balian-Low: Choose a nice window and calculate the dual (not well localized)

Choose $g \in L^2(\mathbb{R})$, s.t.: (i) $g, \hat{g} \in W_0(\mathbb{R})$, (ii) $1/Zg \in L^2([0, 1]^2)$
 $\Rightarrow \gamma := Z^{-1}(1/\overline{Zg}) \in L^2(\mathbb{R}) \quad \& \quad S_{g, \gamma} = I$

Example: for $(x, \omega) \in [0, 1]^2$ set

$$Zg(x, \omega) = e^{2\pi i x \cdot \omega} \omega^{1/4} (1 - \omega)^{1/4}$$

Proposition 3 (Some extensions of the BLT)

Let $(G(g, 1, 1), G(\gamma, 1, 1))$ be a reproducing pair, then

- $g \notin M_2^2(\mathbb{R})$ and $\gamma \notin M_2^2(\mathbb{R})$ [Daubechies & Janssen, 93]
- $g \notin M_1^1(\mathbb{R})$ and $\gamma \notin M_1^1(\mathbb{R})$

$$\text{where } \|f\|_{M_s^p}^p := \int_{\mathbb{R}^2} |\langle f, \pi(x, \omega)\varphi \rangle|^p (1 + |x| + |\omega|)^{ps} dx d\omega$$

Idea of proofs: One shows that if g satisfies the property then $1/Zg \notin L^2([0, 1]^2) \Rightarrow$ not a reproducing pair. □

\Rightarrow Rather mild decay on the TF-plane exclude the possibility of reproducing pairs consisting of **2 Gabor** systems

\rightsquigarrow consider arbitrary dual systems

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Yes: See [Perelomov 71, Bargmann et al., 71, Bacry et al., 75].

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Q3: Can the coefficient map be calculated using inner products with an arbitrary family in $L^2(\mathbb{R})$, i.e., is there $\Psi := \{\psi_{k,l}\}_{k,l \in \mathbb{Z}} \subset L^2(\mathbb{R})$, s.t.

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Equivalent formulations:

- Is there a reproducing partner for \mathcal{G} ?
- Is there a dual system for the upper semi-frame \mathcal{G} ?
- Is there a dual system for the complete Bessel system \mathcal{G} ?

Theorem 4 (Antoine, Trapani & S., 2016)

Let $\Phi = \{\phi_k\}_{k \in \mathcal{I}} \subset \mathcal{H}$ and $\mathcal{E} = \{e_k\}_{k \in \mathcal{I}}$ an ONB of \mathcal{H} . There exists Ψ , s.t. (Ψ, Φ) is a reproducing pair if and only if

(A) $\text{Ran } D_\phi = \mathcal{H}$

(B) there exists a family $\{\xi_k\}_{k \in \mathcal{I}} \subset \mathcal{V}_\Phi(\mathcal{I})$, s.t.

$$D_\Phi \xi_k = e_k, \quad \forall k \in \mathcal{I}, \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{k \in \mathcal{I}} |\xi_k[n]|^2 < \infty, \quad \forall n \in \mathcal{I}.$$

In particular, $\psi_n := \sum_{k \in \mathcal{I}} \overline{\xi_k[n]} e_k$ gives a reproducing partner.

- (A) is not trivial: \exists complete system, s.t. (A) does not hold
- Interpretation: (i) $(A) \Leftrightarrow Q2$, $(B) \Rightarrow Q3$
 (ii) $\{\xi_k\}_{k \in \mathcal{I}}$ is an ONB of a RKHS w.r.t. $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_\Phi$

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- Take a Gabor ONB, e.g. $\gamma = \chi_{[-1/2, 1/2]}$. One has to solve for

$$D_{\mathcal{G}}\xi_{k,l} = \pi(k, l)\gamma = T_k M_l \gamma$$

- Let ξ_0 be s.t. $D_{\mathcal{G}}\xi_0 = \gamma$, then

$$\begin{aligned} T_k M_l \gamma &= T_k M_l D_{\mathcal{G}}\xi_0 = \sum_{n,m} \xi_0[n, m] T_{n+k} M_{m+l} \varphi \\ &= \sum_{n,m} \xi_0[n-k, m-l] T_n M_m \varphi = D_{\mathcal{G}}(\mathcal{T}_{k,l}\xi_0), \end{aligned}$$

where $\mathcal{T}_{k,l}$ denotes the index shift operator.

Hence: For some $p_{k,l} \in \text{Ker } D_{\mathcal{G}}$, $\xi_{k,l}$ is given by

$$\xi_{k,l} = \mathcal{T}_{k,l}\xi_0 + p_{k,l}.$$

Defining $\beta := Z^{-1}(1/Z\varphi)$ yields Bastiaans dual window

$$\beta(t) = K \cdot e^{\pi t^2} \cdot \sum_{k>|t|-1/2} (-1)^n e^{-\pi(k+1/2)^2} \notin L^2(\mathbb{R}),$$

[Janssen, 82]: Under some assumptions on $f \in L^1(\mathbb{R}) \cap L^2(\mathbb{R})$ the

coefficient map is given by:

$$(Af)(k, l) = \langle f, T_k M_l \beta \rangle$$

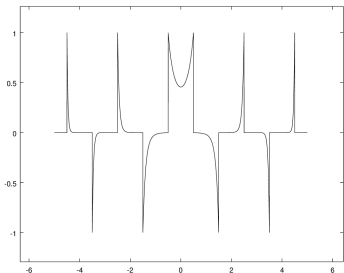


Figure : Bastiaans' dual window

Assumptions hold for γ

Thus, set $\xi_0[k, l] := \langle \gamma, T_k M_l \beta \rangle$

$$\Rightarrow D_G \xi_0 = \gamma$$

- Take a closer look at ξ_0 :

$$\xi_0[k, l] \asymp (1 + k^2 + l^2)^{-1} (-1)^{k+l} H_k$$

H_k converges quickly \rightsquigarrow choose appropriate elements in $\text{Ker } D_G$!

- **[Janssen, 81]:** Every $p \in \text{Ker } D_G$ is of the form

$$p[n, m] = (-1)^{n+m} \sum_{0 \leq s+t \leq N} c_{s,t} \cdot n^s \cdot m^t,$$

- Use constant polynomials, i.e. $p_{k,l}[n, m] = (-1)^{n+m} c_{k,l}$, where.

$$c_{k,l} := (2\pi)^{-1} e^{-\pi/4} \text{sgn}(k) \mathcal{F}(\mathcal{F}^{-1}(h_k) \varphi^{-1})[l],$$

where $h_k[l] = (-1)^{k+l} (k + il)^{-1}$.

Then, **for all** $(n, m) \in \mathbb{Z}^2$

$$\sum_{k,l \in \mathbb{Z}} |\xi_{k,l}[n, m]|^2 = \sum_{k,l \in \mathbb{Z}} |\xi_0[n - k, m - l] + (-1)^{n+m} c_{k,l}|^2 < \infty,$$

which by Theorem 4 yields the result:

Theorem 5 (One result, multiple languages)

- *There exists a reproducing partner for \mathcal{G} .*
- *There exists a dual system for the classical coherent states sampled on the von Neumann lattice.*
- *There exists a dual system for the complete Bessel sequence \mathcal{G} .*
- *The coefficient map A can be calculated using inner products.*

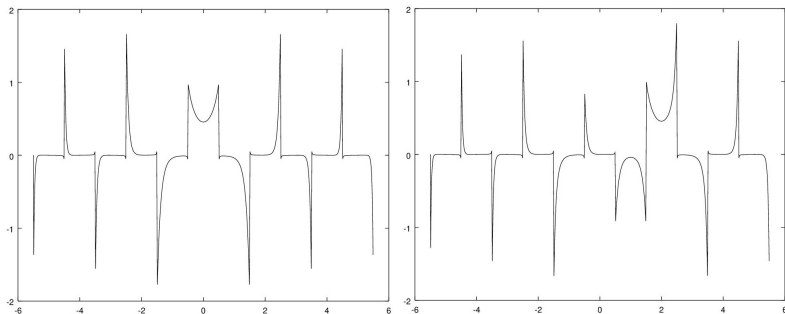


Figure : Left: $\psi_{0,0}$, Right: $\psi_{2,0}$

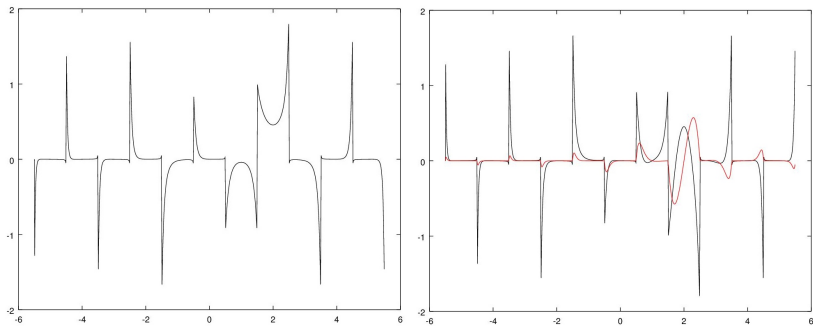


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Thank you for your attention!

Questions, Comments...

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