

## 7.1.1 Properties of Linear Noise

- Linearly uncorrelated to signal:

$$\begin{aligned}\langle ns^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} &= \langle (d - \mathbf{R}s)s^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} \\ &= \langle ds^\dagger \rangle - \mathbf{R} \langle ss^\dagger \rangle \\ &\quad \langle ds^\dagger \rangle - \langle ds^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} \langle ss^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)}^{-1} \langle ss^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} \\ &= \langle ds^\dagger \rangle - \langle ds^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} = 0\end{aligned}$$

- linear noise auto-correlation:

$$\begin{aligned}\langle nn^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} &= \langle (\mathbf{d} - R\mathbf{s})(\mathbf{d} - R\mathbf{s})^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} \\ &= \langle dd^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} - \langle ds^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} R^\dagger - R \langle s d^\dagger \rangle + R \langle ss^\dagger \rangle R^\dagger \\ &= (\mathbf{R} \mathbf{S} \mathbf{R}^\dagger + \mathbf{N}) - (\mathbf{R} \mathbf{S} \mathbf{R}^\dagger) - (\mathbf{R} \mathbf{S} \mathbf{R}^\dagger) + (\mathbf{R} \mathbf{S} \mathbf{R}^\dagger) \\ &= \mathbf{N}\end{aligned}$$

## Example: Noisless, Non-Linear Data

- ▶  $s \in \mathbb{R}$
- ▶  $\mathcal{P}(s) = \mathcal{G}(s, \sigma^2)$
- ▶  $d = f(s) = s^3$

### Moments:

$$\begin{aligned}\langle s s^\dagger \rangle_{(s)} &= \sigma^2 \\ \langle d s^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} &= \langle s^4 \rangle_{(s)} = 3 \sigma^4 \\ \langle d d^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} &= \langle s^6 \rangle_{(s)} = \frac{6!}{2^3 3!} \sigma^6 = 15 \sigma^6\end{aligned}$$

### Linear response:

$$R = \langle d s^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} \langle s s^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)}^{-1} = 3 \sigma^2$$

## Example: Noisless, Non-Linear Data

**Noise covariance:**

$$N = \langle d d^\dagger \rangle - \langle d s^\dagger \rangle \langle s s^\dagger \rangle^{-1} \langle s d^\dagger \rangle = 15 \sigma^6 - 3 \sigma^4 \times \sigma^{-2} \times 3 \sigma^4 = 6 \sigma^6$$

**Optimal linear filter:**

$$F_L = \langle s d^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} \langle d d^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)}^{-1} = 3 \sigma^4 / (15 \sigma^6) = \frac{1}{5} \sigma^{-2}$$

**Reconstruction Error:**

$$\langle (s - F_L d)^2 \rangle = \langle s^2 \rangle - 2 F_L \langle s^4 \rangle + F_L^2 \langle s^6 \rangle = \left( 1 - \frac{6}{5} + \frac{15}{25} \right) \sigma^2 = \frac{2}{5} \sigma^2$$

## Maximum Entropy Perspective

- ▶ known covariances:  $\langle dd^\dagger \rangle_{(d, s)}, \langle ss^\dagger \rangle_{(d, s)}, \langle ds^\dagger \rangle_{(d, s)}$
  - ▶ MaxEnt models  $\mathcal{P}(d, s)$  as Gaussian via moment constraints
- ⇒ Optimal signal estimate given a priori only second moments is the Wiener filter.

## 7.2 Symmetry between Filter and Response

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{P}(n, s) &= \mathcal{G}(n, N)\mathcal{G}(s, S) \\ \mathcal{P}(d, s) &= \int dn \mathcal{P}(d, n, s) \\ &= \int dn \mathcal{P}(d|n, s) \mathcal{P}(n, s) \\ &= \int dn \delta(d - (Rs + n)) \mathcal{G}(n, N)\mathcal{G}(s, S) \\ &= \mathcal{G}(d - Rs, N)\mathcal{G}(s, S)\end{aligned}$$

► signal estimate:

$$\langle s \rangle_{(s|d)} = F_W d = F_L d = \langle sd^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} \langle dd^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)}^{-1} d$$

► signal response:

$$\langle d \rangle_{(d|s)} = \langle Rs + n \rangle_{(n|s)} = Rs + \underbrace{\langle n \rangle_{(n)}}_{=0} = Rs = \langle d^\dagger s \rangle_{(d,s)} \langle ss^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)}^{-1} s$$

## 7.2 Symmetry between Filter and Response

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \textcolor{red}{s} \rangle_{(\textcolor{red}{s}|\textcolor{blue}{d})} &= \langle \textcolor{red}{s} \textcolor{blue}{d}^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} \langle \textcolor{blue}{d} \textcolor{blue}{d}^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)}^{-1} \textcolor{blue}{d} \\ \langle \textcolor{red}{d} \rangle_{(\textcolor{red}{d}|\textcolor{blue}{s})} &= \langle \textcolor{red}{d}^\dagger \textcolor{blue}{s} \rangle_{(d,s)} \langle \textcolor{blue}{s} \textcolor{blue}{s}^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)}^{-1} \textcolor{blue}{s}\end{aligned}$$

Symmetry between filter and response by exchange of data and signal:

signal estimate  $\hat{=}$  data response

data estimate  $\hat{=}$  signal response

# Combined Probability Distribution

- ▶ combined vector  $x$ :

$$x = \begin{pmatrix} d \\ s \end{pmatrix}$$

- ▶ combined covariance  $X$ :

$$X = \langle xx^\dagger \rangle_{(x)} = \begin{pmatrix} \langle dd^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} & \langle ds^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} \\ \langle sd^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} & \langle ss^\dagger \rangle_{(d,s)} \end{pmatrix}$$

- ▶ combined probability distribution:

$$\mathcal{P}(x|X) = \mathcal{G}(x, X)$$

# Combined Probability Distribution

$x_a, x_b$ : subvectors (e.g.  $x_a = s, x_b = d$ )

**Mean:**

$$m_a := \langle x_a \rangle_{(x_a|x_b)} = X_{ab}(X_{bb})^{-1}x_b$$

**Covariance:**

$$D_{aa} = \left[ \underbrace{X_{aa}^{-1}}_{=S^{-1}} + \underbrace{X_{aa}^{-1}X_{ab}}_{=R^\dagger} \underbrace{\left( X_{bb} - X_{ab}^\dagger X_{aa}^{-1} X_{ab} \right)^{-1}}_{=N^{-1}} \underbrace{X_{ab}^\dagger X_{aa}^{-1}}_{=R} \right]^{-1}$$

**Posterior probability distribution  $P(x_a|x_b)$ :**

$$P(x_a|x_b) = \mathcal{G}(x_a - m_a, D_{aa})$$

## 7.3 Response

- ▶  $R$  translates between signal and data space
- ▶  $R(s)$  is image of signal in data space

generic response:

$$R(s) := \langle d \rangle_{(d|s)}$$

linear response:

$$R(s) = Rs \text{ with } R = \langle ds^\dagger \rangle_{(d, s)} \langle ss^\dagger \rangle_{(d, s)}^{-1}$$

### 7.3.1 Repeated measurement of $s \in \mathbb{R}$

$$R : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n, R = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, R(s) = \begin{pmatrix} s \\ \vdots \\ s \end{pmatrix}$$

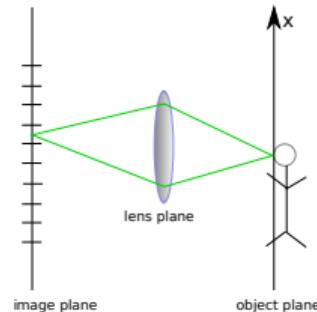
$$\Rightarrow d_i = Rs + n_i$$

$$d = \begin{pmatrix} d_1 \\ \vdots \\ d_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}s + \begin{pmatrix} n_1 \\ \vdots \\ n_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{assume } N = \text{diag}(\sigma_i^2)_{i=1}^n, S = \infty$$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= Dj = \left( S^{-1} + R^\dagger N^{-1} R \right)^{-1} R^\dagger N^{-1} d \\ &= \left( 0 + \sum_{i=1}^n \sigma_i^{-2} \right)^{-1} \sum_{i=1}^n \sigma_i^{-2} d_i = \langle d_i \rangle_{\sigma_i^{-2}} \end{aligned}$$

## 7.3.2 Photography



$$R : C(\mathbb{R}^2) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$$

e.g. individual detector:

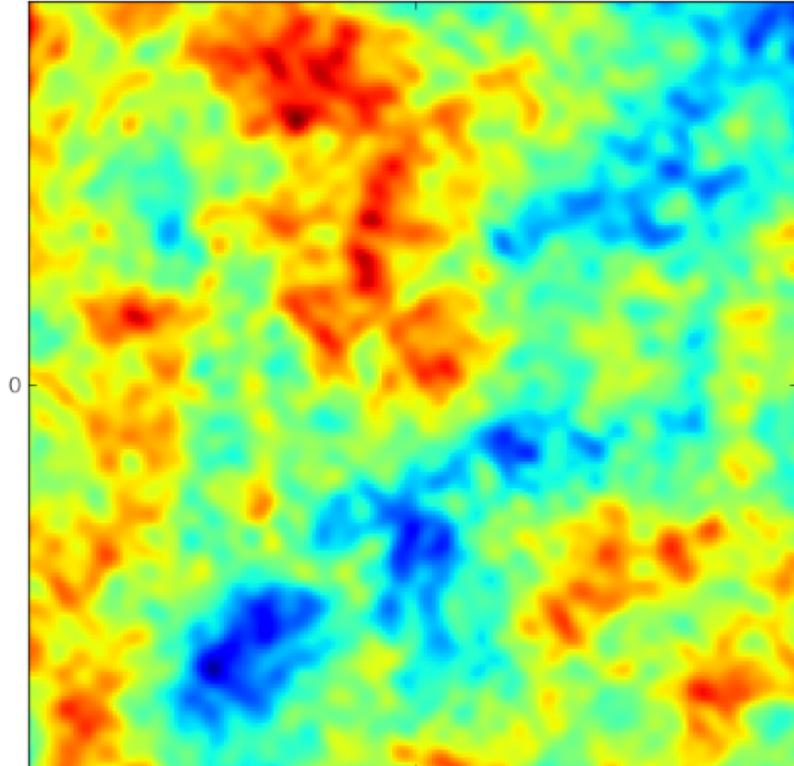
$$R_i : C(\mathbb{R}^2) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$d_i = (Rs + n)_i = \int_{\mathbb{R}^2} d^2x R_i(x) s(x) + n_i$$

### 7.3.3 Tomography

- ▶  $\Omega = \mathbb{R}^u$ : volume probed
- ▶  $a_i \in \Omega$  : location of a detector
- ▶  $b_i \in \mathcal{S}^{u-1}$  : direction
- ▶  $x_i(t) = a_i + t b_i$ : set of rays

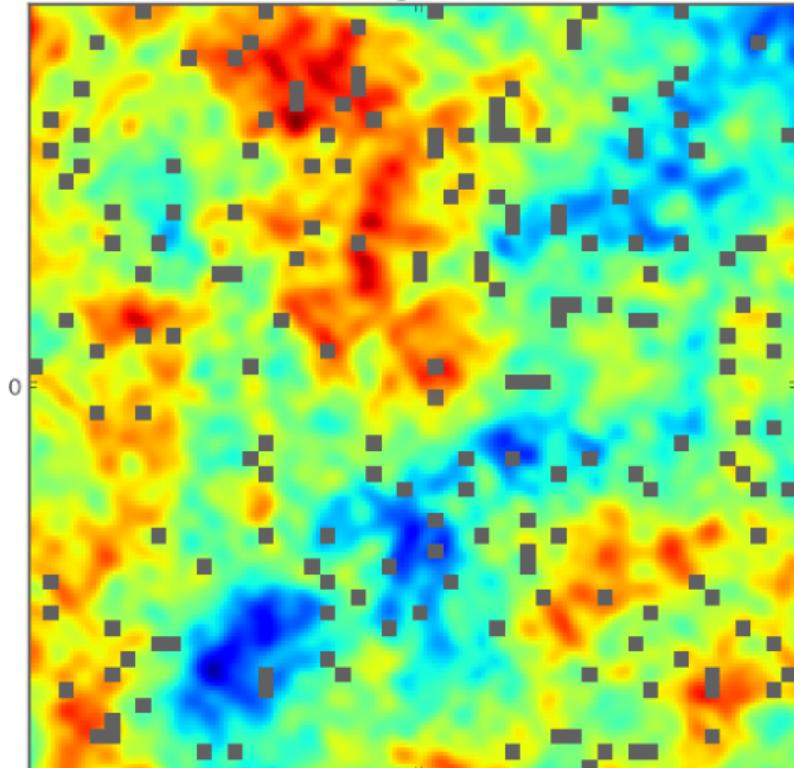
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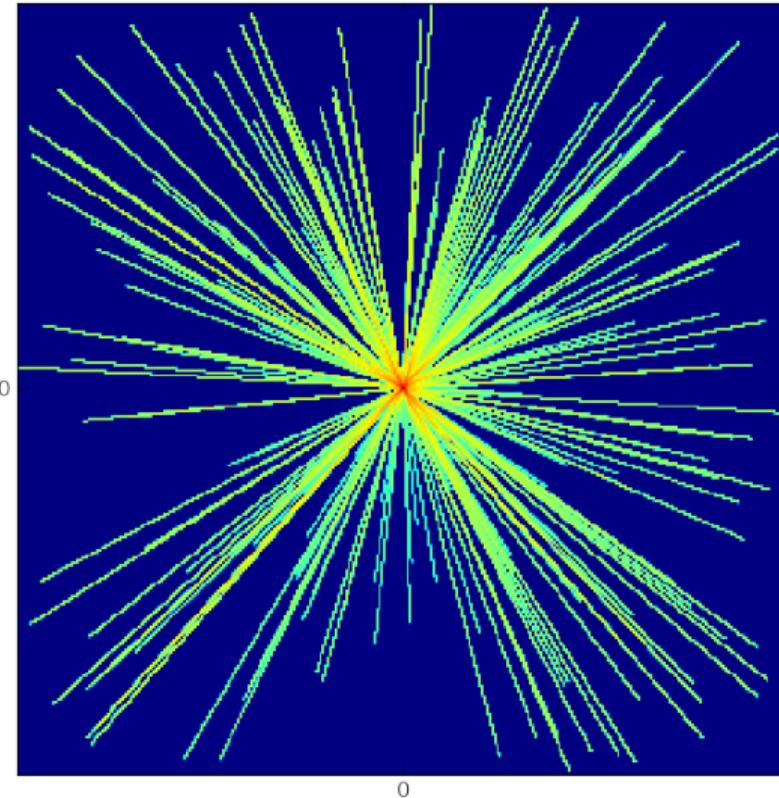
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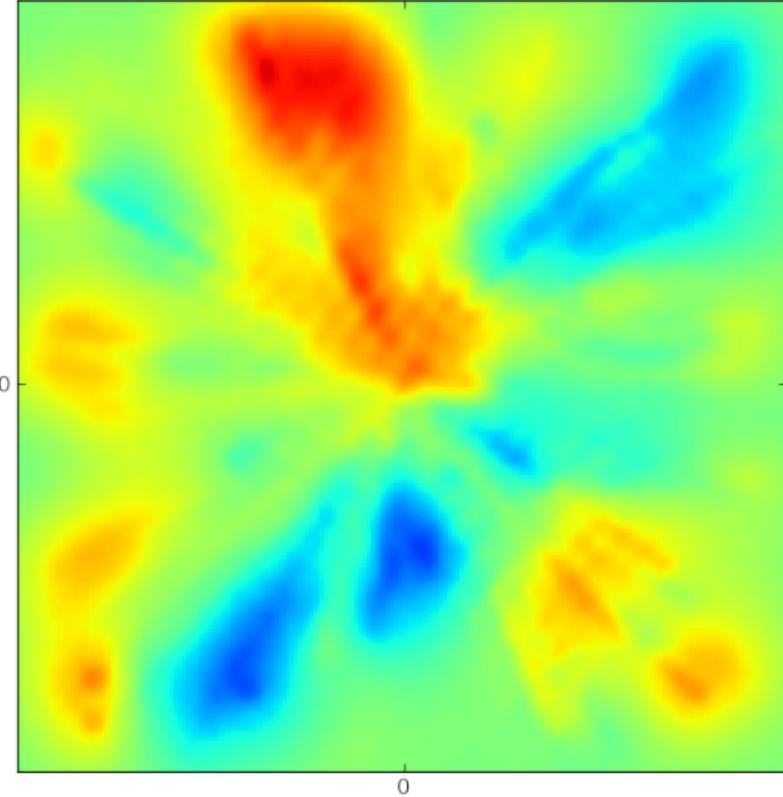


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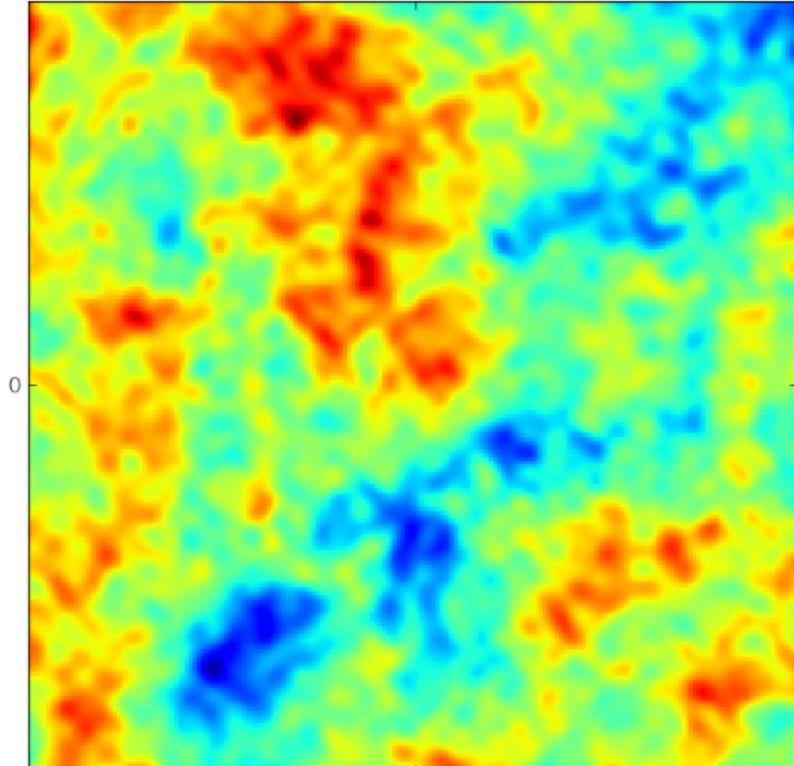
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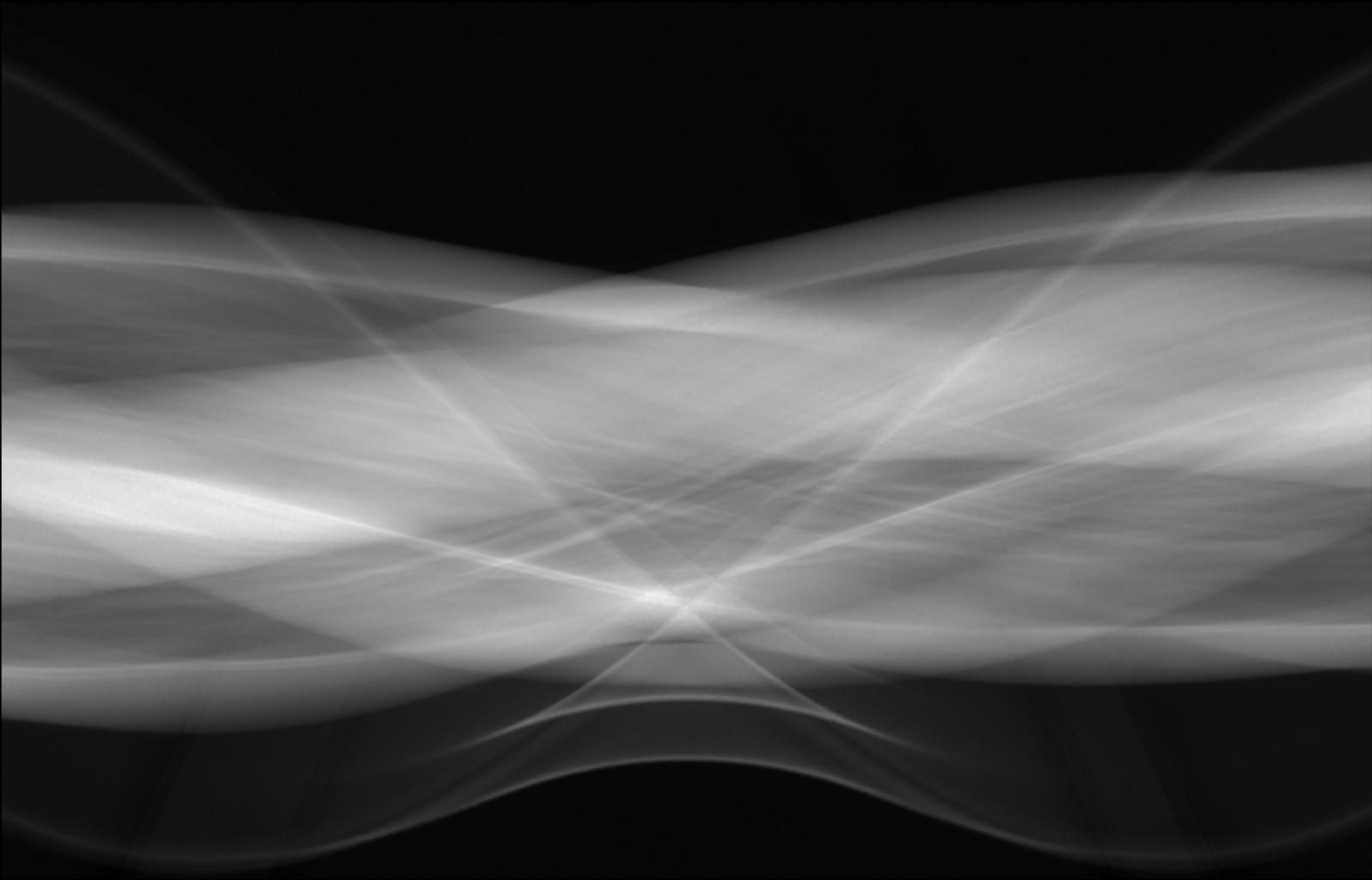


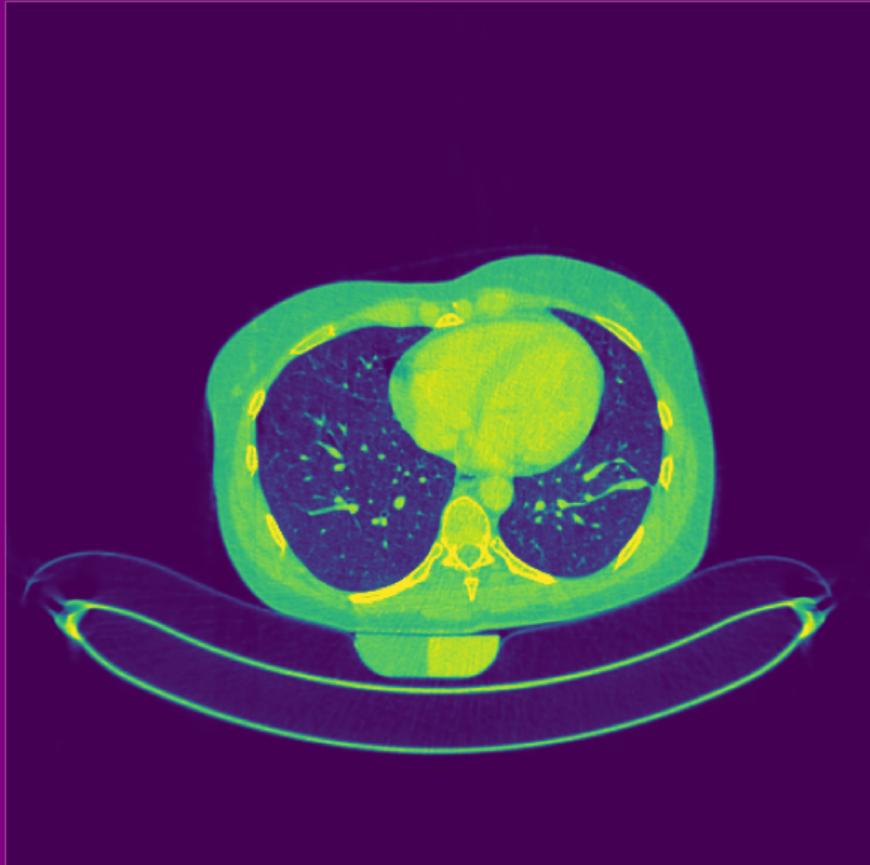
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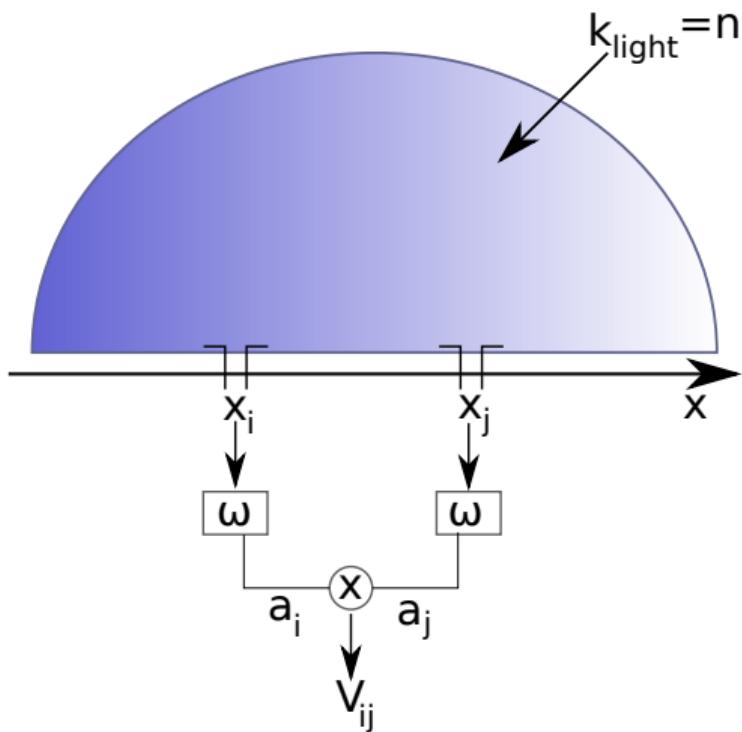
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## 7.3.4 Interferometry



Measure correlations of incoming waves (EM, gravity, sound, ...) at pairs of different locations for a narrow spectral window with mean frequency  $\omega$

- ▶  $s_{\hat{n}}$ : sky brightness at sky position  $\hat{n}$
- ▶  $w(\hat{n}, \vec{x}_i, t) = \text{wave from } \hat{n} \text{ to } \vec{x}_i$   
 $= \sqrt{s_{\hat{n}}} \exp[i(\omega t + \varphi(\hat{n}, t) + \frac{\omega}{c} \hat{n} \vec{x}_i)]$
- ▶  $a_i = \int d\hat{n} w(\hat{n}, \vec{x}_i, t)$ : amplitude at antenna  $i$
- ▶  $V_{ij} = \langle a_i a_j \rangle_{\text{time average}}$ : visibility
- ▶  $d_{ij} = V_{ij} + n_{ij}$ : measured data
- ▶  $\lambda = \frac{c}{\omega}$  : wavelength

## 7.3.4 Interferometry

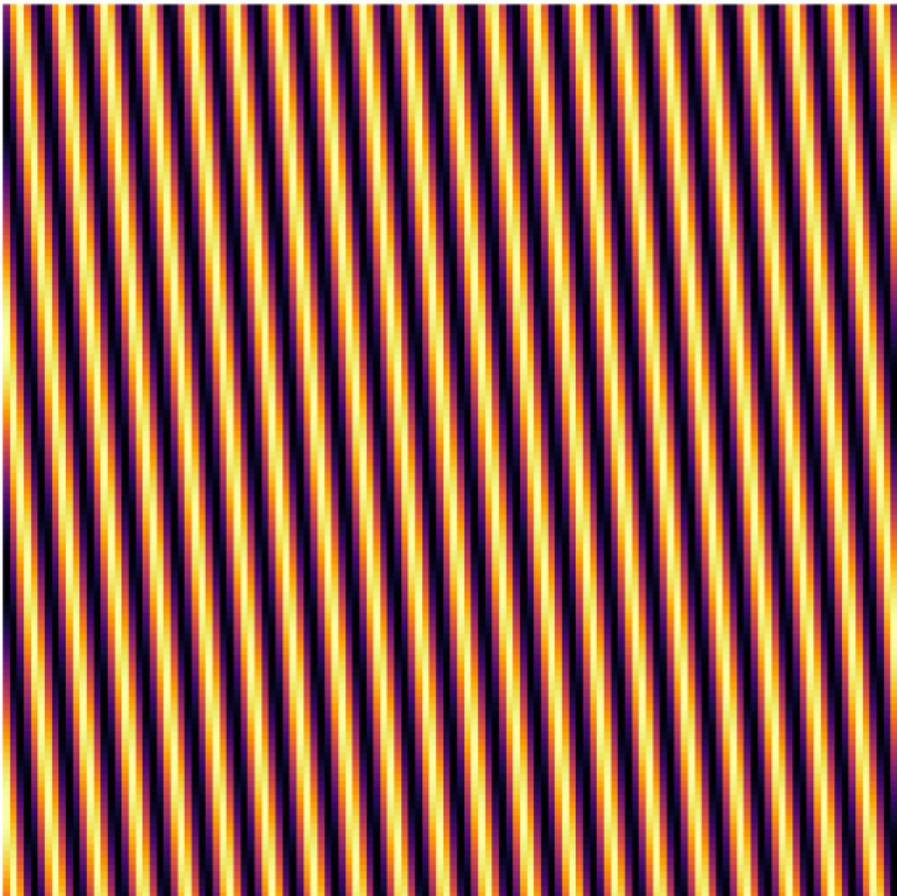
Amplitude:

$$a_i = \int_{S^2} d\hat{n} \sqrt{s_{\hat{n}}} \exp[i(\omega t + \varphi(\hat{n}, t) + \frac{\omega}{c} \hat{n} \vec{x}_i)]$$

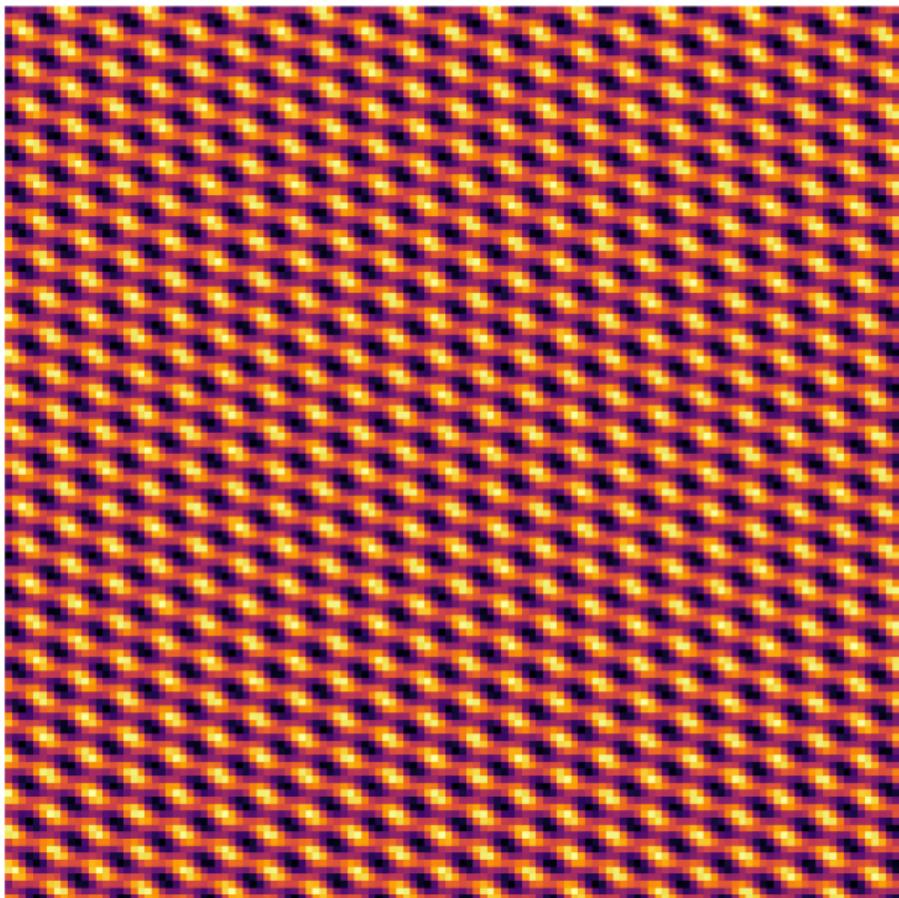
Visibility:

$$\begin{aligned} V_{ij} &= \langle a_i \bar{a_j} \rangle_t \\ &= \int d\hat{n} \int d\hat{n}' \sqrt{s_{\hat{n}} s_{\hat{n}'}} \langle e^{i(\omega t - \omega t + \varphi(\hat{n}, t) - \varphi(\hat{n}', t))} \rangle_t e^{i \frac{\omega}{c} (\hat{n} \vec{x}_i - \hat{n}' \vec{x}_j)} \\ &= \int d\hat{n} \int d\hat{n}' \sqrt{s_{\hat{n}} s_{\hat{n}'}} \underbrace{\langle e^{i(\varphi(\hat{n}, t) - \varphi(\hat{n}', t))} \rangle_t}_{=\delta(\hat{n} - \hat{n}')} e^{i \frac{\omega}{c} (\hat{n} \vec{x}_i - \hat{n}' \vec{x}_j)} \\ &= \int d\hat{n} \sqrt{s_{\hat{n}} s_{\hat{n}}} \exp[i \left( \frac{\vec{x}_i - \vec{x}_j}{\lambda} \right) \cdot \hat{n}] \\ &= \int d\hat{n} s_{\hat{n}} e^{i \hat{n} \cdot \vec{k}_{ij}} \Rightarrow R_{(i,j)\hat{n}} = e^{i \hat{n} \cdot \vec{k}_{ij}} = F_{\vec{k}_{ij}\hat{n}} \end{aligned}$$

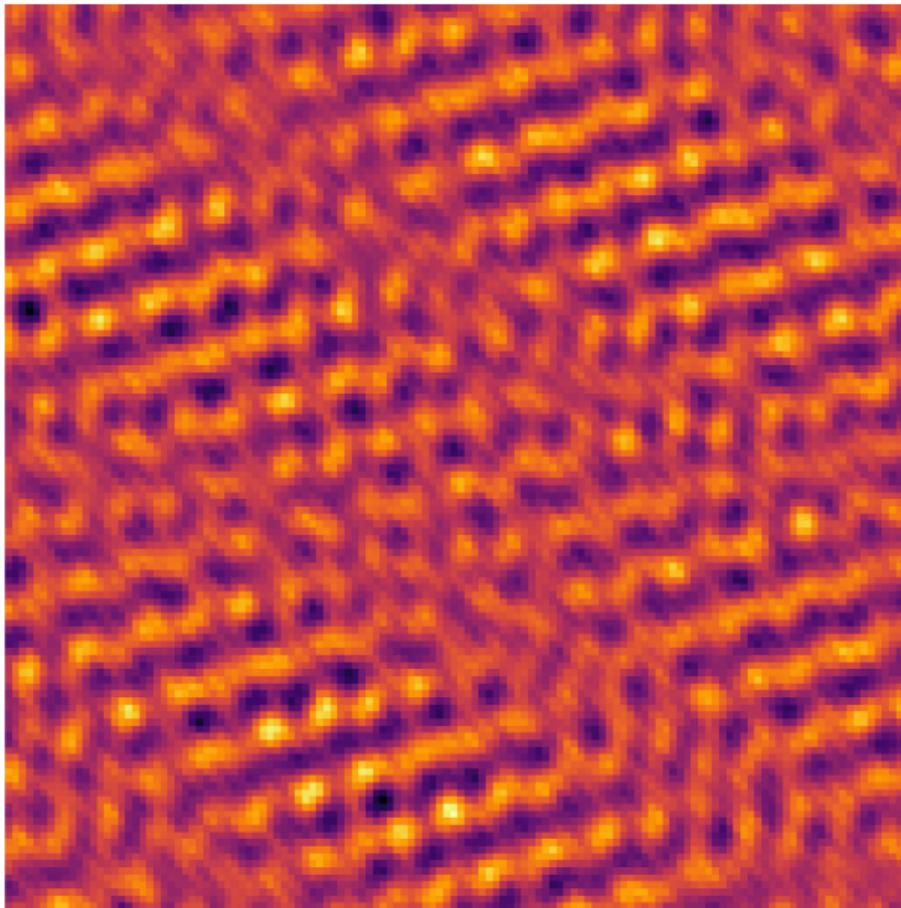
## Information source interferometer



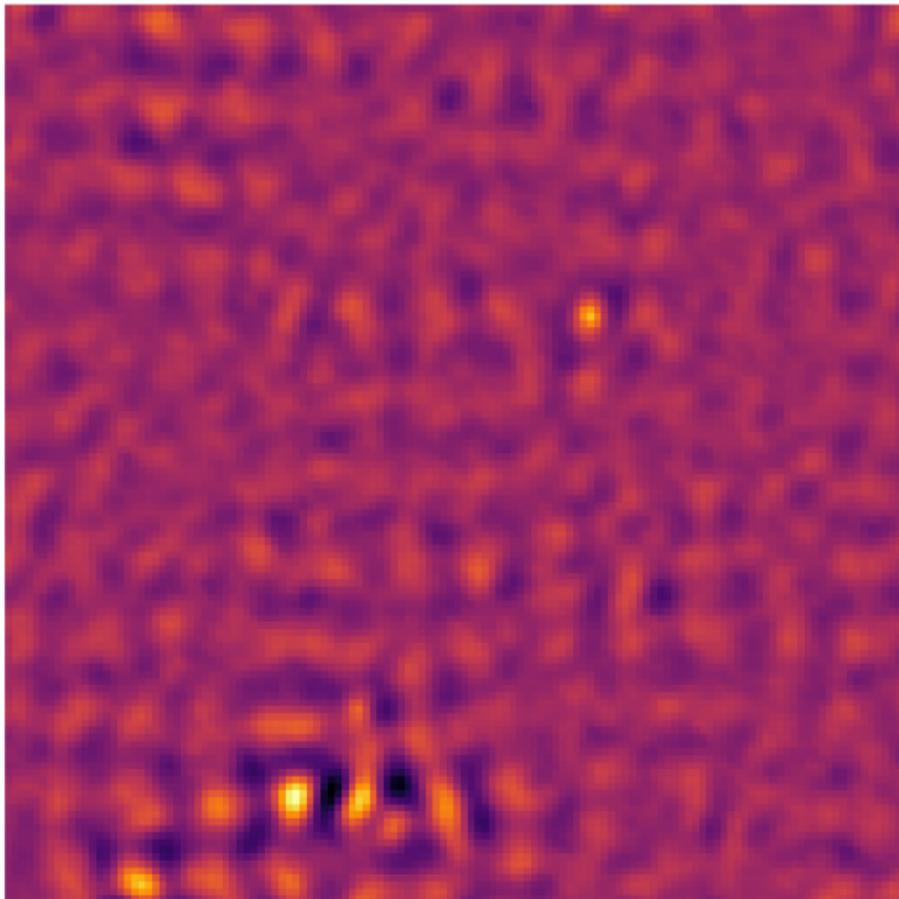
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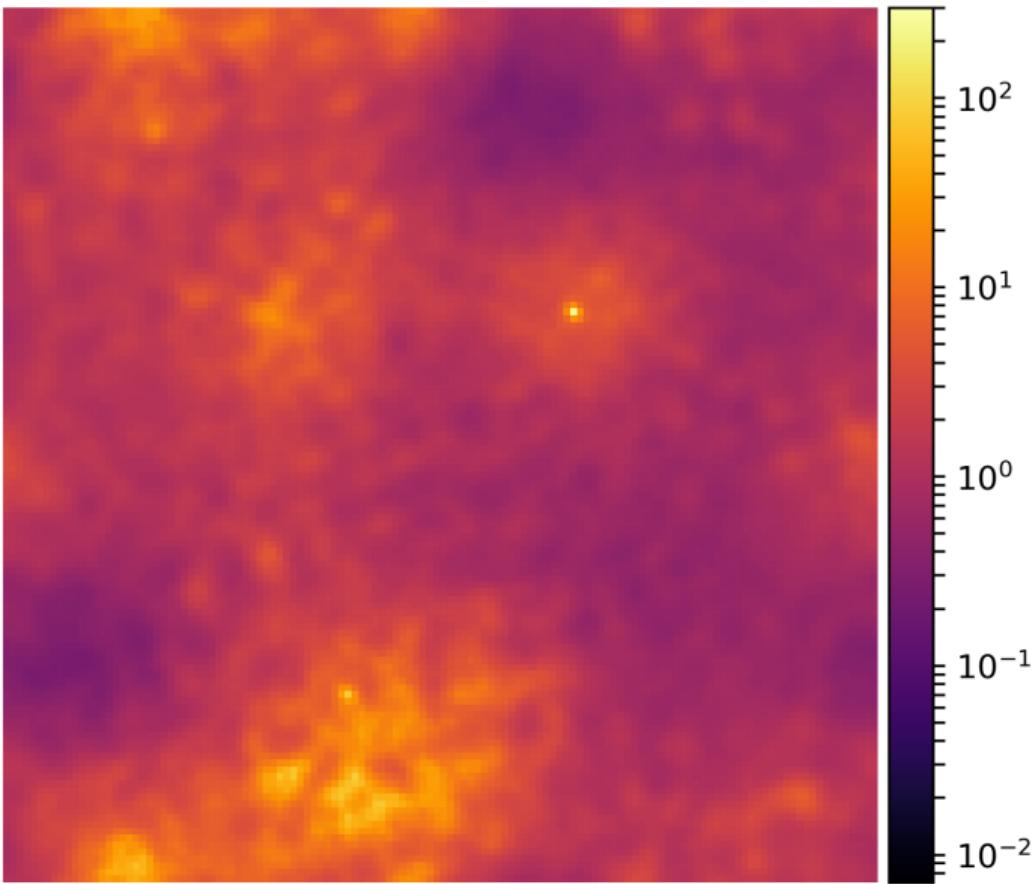
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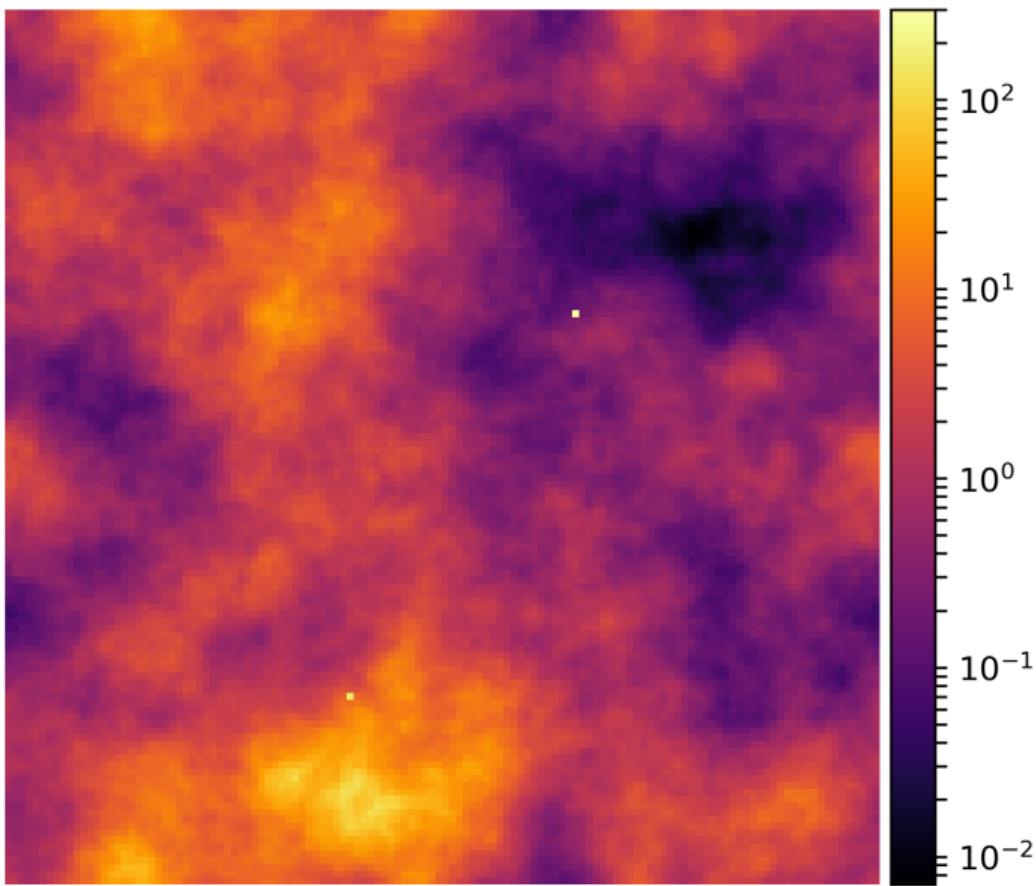
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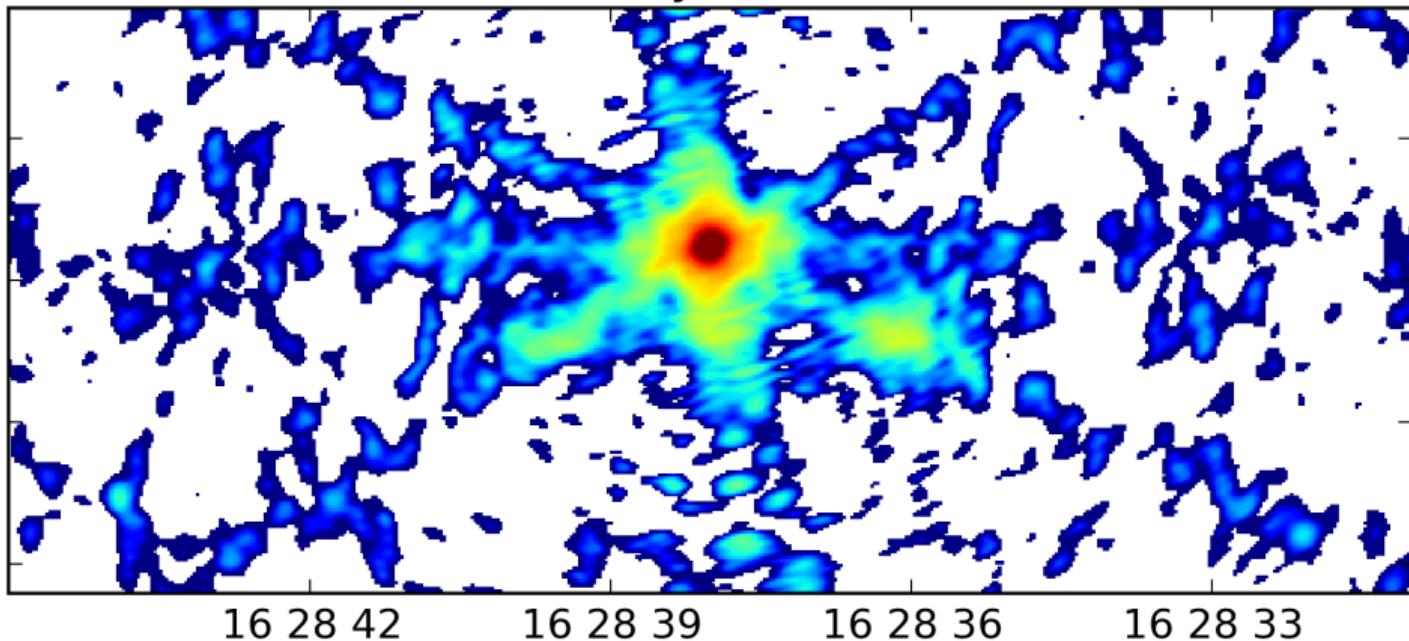
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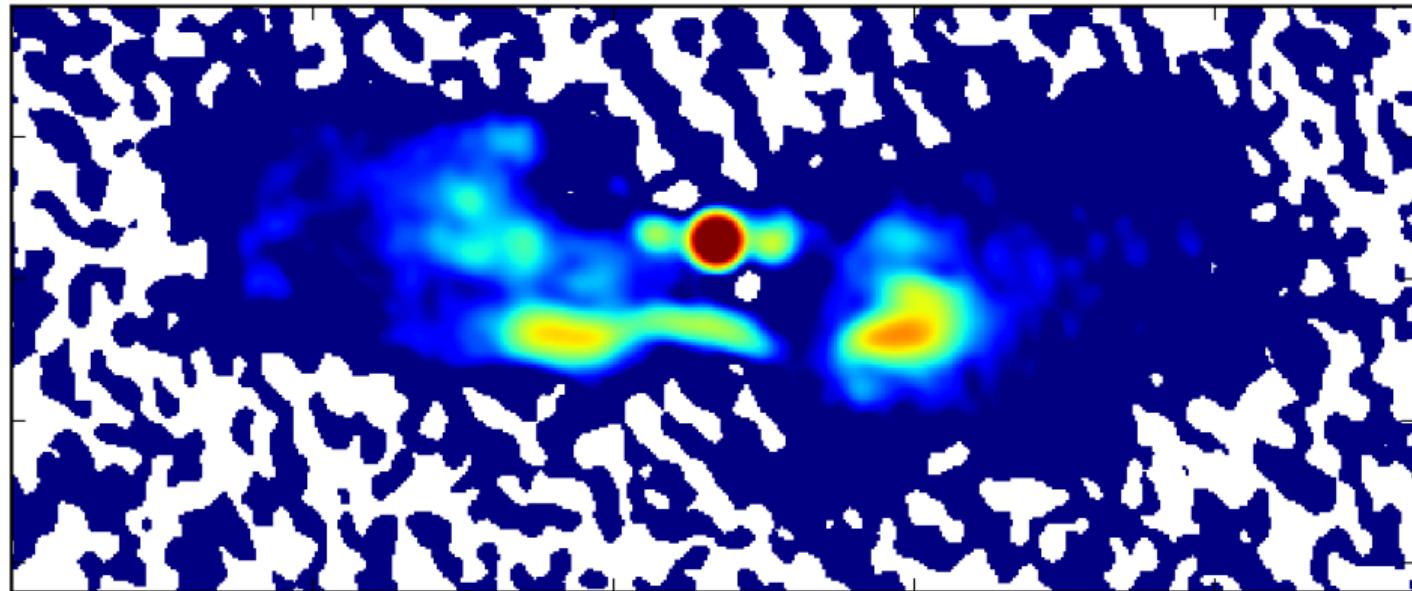
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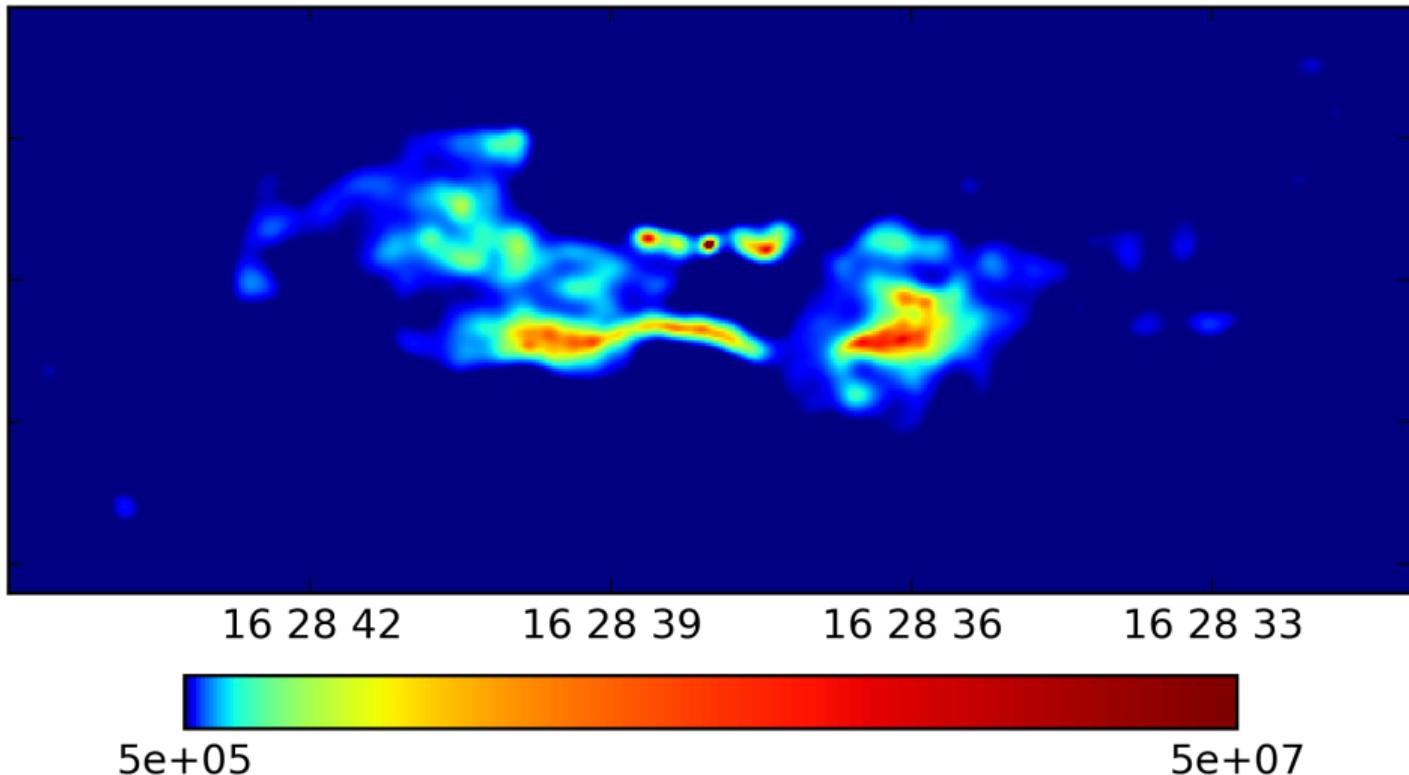
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## 8. Gaussian Fields

### Multivariate Gaussian (repetition)

$$\mathcal{G}(y, Y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{|2\pi Y|}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}y^\dagger Y^{-1}y} \text{ with } Y = \langle yy^\dagger \rangle, y \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

Now: field with Gaussian statistics  $\varphi : \mathbb{R}^u \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

#### Notation:

- ▶ Einstein Summation:  $\varphi = \varphi^x e_x$
- ▶ contravariant components:  $\varphi^x = \varphi(x)$  with  $x \in \mathbb{R}^u$
- ▶ scalar product:  $\psi^\dagger \varphi = \int dx \overline{\psi(x)} \varphi(x) \equiv \overline{\psi}_x \varphi^x$

Contravariant: *Field vector invariant under change of unit system,  $e' = Ae$*

$$\varphi' = \varphi'^x \color{red}{e'_x} = (A^{-1})_y^x \varphi^y \color{red}{A_x^z e_z} = \varphi^y (A^{-1})_y^x \color{red}{A_x^z e_z} = \varphi^y \delta_y^x \color{red}{e_z} = \varphi^y \color{red}{e_y} = \varphi$$

## 8.Gaussian Fields

$X_{(n)} = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$ :  $n$  pixels

$\varphi_{(n)} = (\varphi^{x_1}, \dots, \varphi^{x_n})^t$ :  $n$ -dimensional vector of field values

$\Rightarrow \varphi$  has a Gaussian probability distribution, if for any  $X_{(n)} \subset \mathbb{R}^u$

$$\mathcal{P}(\varphi_{(n)}) = \mathcal{G}(\varphi_{(n)}, \Phi_{(n)})$$

with

$$\Phi_{(n)}^{ij} = \langle \varphi_{(n)}^i \overline{\varphi_{(n)}^j} \rangle = \langle \varphi(x_i) \overline{\varphi(x_j)} \rangle$$

# Gaussian Field Distribution

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{G}(\varphi, \Phi) &\equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{|2\pi\Phi|}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\varphi^\dagger \Phi^{-1} \varphi\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{|2\pi\Phi|}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\overline{\varphi^x} (\Phi^{-1})_{xy} \varphi^y\right) \\ &:= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathcal{G}(\varphi_{(n)}, \Phi_{(n)})\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow \langle f(\varphi) \rangle_{(\varphi|\Phi)} &= \int \mathcal{D}\varphi \textcolor{red}{\mathcal{P}(\varphi|\Phi)} f(\varphi) \\ &:= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \prod_{i=1}^n \int d\varphi_{(n)}^i \right] \textcolor{red}{\mathcal{G}(\varphi_{(n)}, \Phi_{(n)})} f(\varphi_{(n)})\end{aligned}$$

# 8.1 Field Theory

## Scalar Product

discrete:  $j^\dagger \varphi = \bar{j}_i \varphi^i \Rightarrow$  continuous:  $j^\dagger \varphi = \int dx \bar{j}(x) \varphi(x) =: \bar{j}_x \varphi^x$

## Derivative

discrete:  $\partial_{\varphi^i} j^\dagger \varphi = \partial_{\varphi^i} \bar{j}_i \varphi^i = \bar{j}_i \Rightarrow$  continuous:  
 $\partial_{\varphi^x} j^\dagger \varphi = \frac{\delta}{\delta \varphi^x} \int dx' \bar{j}_{x'} \varphi^{x'} = \bar{j}_x \Rightarrow \partial_{\varphi} j^\dagger \varphi = \bar{j}$

## Normalisation Factors

discrete:  $|\Phi| = \prod_{i=1}^n \lambda_i \Rightarrow$  continuous:  $|\Phi| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \prod_{i=1}^n \lambda_i$

## Covariance Matrix

discrete:  $\Phi^{ij} = \langle \varphi^i \bar{\varphi}^j \rangle \Rightarrow$  continuous:  $\Phi^{xy} = \langle \varphi^x \bar{\varphi}^y \rangle_{(\varphi)} = (\langle \varphi \varphi^\dagger \rangle_{(\varphi)})^{xy}$

## Inverse Covariance

discrete:  $\Phi^{-1} \Phi = 1 \mathbb{I} \Rightarrow$  continuous:  $\int dy \Phi_{xy}^{-1} \Phi^{yz} = 1 \mathbb{I}_x^z = \delta(x - z)$

## Wick Theorem

$\langle \varphi^x \varphi^y \varphi^z \varphi^w \rangle_{\mathcal{G}(\varphi, \Phi)} = \Phi^{xy} \Phi^{zw} + \Phi^{xz} \Phi^{yw} + \Phi^{yw} \Phi^{xz}$

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