

# CONSTRUCTION OF A NON-STATIONARY BIORTHOGONAL WAVELET SYSTEM USING A SUBDIVISION SCHEME

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## ABSTRACT

We present the 4-point Gaussian based non-stationary interpolatory subdivision scheme which approximates the given data in the span of translations for the Gaussian function with the parameter  $\lambda$ . Different choice for the parameter leads to a different set of masks. The sequence of the refinable functions converges to the refinable function for the 4-point Deslauriers-Dubuc scheme in  $L^p(0 < p \leq \infty)$ . Using the subdivision mask as the lowpass filter, we construct the non-stationary biorthogonal Multiresolution Analysis(MRA) which has the approximation order of 4. Then we derive the corresponding non-stationary biorthogonal wavelet system. The resulting scaling functions and the wavelets are symmetric and compactly supported.

## INTRODUCTION

Subdivision and wavelets can be triggered by the **two-scaling relation(or refinement equation)**

$$\phi(x) = \sum_{n \in \mathbf{Z}} a_n \phi(2x - n). \quad (1)$$

In this talk, we employ the Gaussian based interpolatory subdivision scheme. The scheme is **non-stationary**, which means that we have a sequence of masks that varies along the subdivision level( $k$ ). In this case, two-scaling relation evolves into the next form;

$$\phi^{[k]}(x) = \sum_{n \in \mathbf{Z}} a_n^{[k+1]} \phi^{[k+1]}(2x - n). \quad (2)$$

Hence the wavelet system becomes non-stationary (Figure 1).

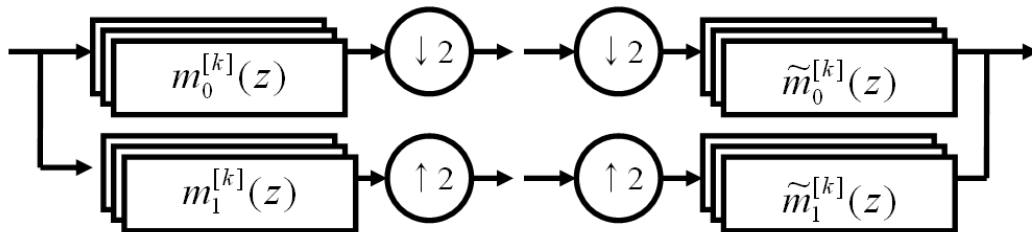


Figure 1. Filter bank for a non-stationary biorthogonal wavelet system

| $level(k)$ | $a_{-3}^{[k]} = a_3^{[k]}$ | $a_{-1}^{[k]} = a_1^{[k]}$ |
|------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| $k = 0$    | 0.14533497825242087        | 0.35466502174757913        |
| $k = 1$    | -0.0827693809671577        | 0.5827693809671577         |
| $k = 2$    | -0.10336472362781433       | 0.6033647236278145         |
| $k = 3$    | -0.07393275304573729       | 0.5739327530457373         |
| $k = 4$    | -0.06536522668923167       | 0.5653652266892317         |
| $k = 5$    | -0.06321559435474657       | 0.5632155943547466         |
| $k = 6$    | -0.0626788358608841        | 0.5626788358608842         |
| $k = 7$    | -0.06254458154304064       | 0.5625445815430407         |
| $k = 8$    | -0.06251115957350352       | 0.5625111595735036         |
| $DD$       | -0.06250000000000000       | 0.5625000000000000         |

$\lambda = 1.8$

| $level(k)$ | $a_{-3}^{[k]} = a_3^{[k]}$ | $a_{-1}^{[k]} = a_1^{[k]}$ |
|------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| $k = 0$    | -0.09636438282336211       | 0.5963643828233622         |
| $k = 1$    | -0.0715489455090271        | 0.5715489455090387         |
| $k = 2$    | -0.06476339837689195       | 0.5647633983774237         |
| $k = 3$    | -0.06306535499417792       | 0.563065354904183          |
| $k = 4$    | -0.06264129887896984       | 0.5626412984713349         |
| $k = 5$    | -0.06253506771865427       | 0.5625345594519919         |
| $k = 6$    | -0.06251040909387304       | 0.5625135652619128         |
| $k = 7$    | -0.06281450265323035       | 0.5634390476098402         |
| $k = 8$    | -0.06250074226276389       | 0.5625007456376836         |
| $DD$       | -0.06250000000000000       | 0.5625000000000000         |

$\lambda = 0.4$

Figure 2. Subdivision masks for  $\lambda = 0.4$  and  $\lambda = 1.8$ . Since the scheme is interpolatory,  $a_{2n}^{[k]} = \delta_{0,n}$ . Lowpass filters are  $h_n^{[k]} := \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}a_n^{[k]}$ .

### ALGORITHMS

From the initial data  $X = \{(x_n, f(x_n)) | n = -m + 1, \dots, m\}$ , where  $f : \mathbf{R} \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ , we need to find an approximation  $\mathcal{I}_{f,X}$  from the space  $span\{G(\cdot - x_{-m+1}), \dots, G(\cdot - x_m)\} := G_X$ , where  $G(x) = e^{-\frac{x^2}{\lambda^2}}$ .

$$\mathcal{I}_{f,X}(x) = \sum_{n=-m+1}^m S_n(x) f(x_n) \quad (3)$$

where  $S_n(x_i) = \delta_{n,i}$  and  $span\{S_1(x), \dots, S_N(x)\} = G_X$ . Different choice for the parameter leads to a different set of masks. The mask converges to the mask for the Deslauriers-Dubuc scheme (Figure 2) for any choice of  $\lambda$ .

Using the subdivision mask, we can define the corresponding lowpass filter.

$$m_0^{[k]}(\xi) := \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n \in \mathbf{Z}} h_n^{[k]} e^{in\xi} \equiv \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n \in \mathbf{Z}} a_n^{[k]} e^{in\xi} \quad (4)$$

To construct a non-stationary biorthogonal MRA, we are looking for a symmetric dual filter satisfying

$$m_0^{[k]}(\xi) \overline{\tilde{m}_0^{[k]}(\xi)} + m_0^{[k]}(\xi + \pi) \overline{\tilde{m}_0^{[k]}(\xi + \pi)} = 1, \quad \forall k \in \mathbf{Z} \quad (5)$$

where and  $\tilde{m}_0^{[k]}(\xi) := \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sum_{n \in \mathbf{Z}} \tilde{h}_n^{[k]} e^{in\xi}$ . To determine such a  $\tilde{m}_0^{[k]}(\xi)$ , take

$$\tilde{m}_0^{[k]}(\xi) := m_0^{[k]}(\xi) q^{[k]}(y), \quad (6)$$

where  $y = \sin^2 \frac{\xi}{2}$  and  $q^{[k]}$  is a polynomial, and then apply the *Bezout theorem* (Figure 3).

Being an approximation to the original function  $f \in L^2(\mathbf{R})$ , the biorthogonal projection on each level,

$$P^{[k]} f(x) := \sum \langle f(\cdot), \tilde{\phi}^{[k]}(2^k \cdot -n) \rangle \phi^{[k]}(2^k x - n) \quad (7)$$

converges to the original function  $f$  as  $k \rightarrow \infty$ . The approximation order estimates how fast the error (in  $L^2$  norm) decays as the level  $k$  proceeds.

| level(k) | $\tilde{a}_{-6}^{[k]} = \tilde{a}_6^{[k]}$ | $\tilde{a}_{-5}^{[k]} = \tilde{a}_5^{[k]}$ |
|----------|--|--|
| k = 0    | 0.00910942675764709                        | 0  |
| k = 1    | -0.005187888165411777                      | 0  |

| level(k) | $\tilde{a}_{-4}^{[k]} = \tilde{a}_4^{[k]}$ | $\tilde{a}_{-3}^{[k]} = \tilde{a}_3^{[k]}$ |
|----------|--|--|
| k = 0    | -0.05954693025702268                       | 0.3533487946553261                         |
| k = 1    | 0.08309988526245601                        | -0.1028599223250298                        |

| level(k) | $\tilde{a}_{-2}^{[k]} = \tilde{a}_2^{[k]}$ | $\tilde{a}_{-1}^{[k]} = \tilde{a}_1^{[k]}$ |
|----------|--|--|
| k = 0    | -0.2591094268803367                        | 0.14665119340351784                        |
| k = 1    | -0.24481211195727784                       | 0.6028599133876736                         |
| k = 2    | -0.243521219924459                         |  |
| k = 3    | 0.0775                                     |  |
| k = 4    | 0.072                                      |  |
| k = 5    | 0.0708                                     |  |
| k = 6    | 0.0705                                     |  |

| level(k) | $\tilde{a}_0^{[k]}$ |
|----------|---------------------|
| k = 0    | 1.6190938407048094  |
| k = 1    | 1.3338002096658523  |
| k = 2    | 1.3080412977789728  |
| k = 3    | 1.3448523161423183  |
| k = 4    | 1.3555678531525834  |
| k = 5    | 1.3582564313698247  |
| k = 6    | 1.35892776296077    |

Figure 3. Symmetric dual filter  $\tilde{h}_n^{[k]} := \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\tilde{a}_n^{[k]}$  for  $\lambda = 0.4$ .

Using the following two facts;

- (1) the biorthogonal MRA with  $\phi_D$  (the basic limit function for the Deslauriers-Dubuc subdivision scheme) reproduces polynomials with degree up to 4,
- (2)  $\|\phi^{[k]} - \phi_D\|_\infty < c\frac{1}{2^{2k}}$ ,

we can conclude that our non-stationary biorthogonal MRA has the approximation order 4. That is,

$$\|f - P^{[k]}f\|_2 < C\frac{1}{2^{4k}}, \quad \forall k \in \mathbf{Z}. \quad (8)$$

Having the  $m_0^{[k]}$  and  $\tilde{m}_0^{[k]}$  at hand, an easy choice for  $m_1^{[k]}$  and  $\tilde{m}_1^{[k]}$  satisfying

$$\begin{pmatrix} m_0^{[k]}(\xi) & m_0^{[k]}(\xi + \pi) \\ m_1^{[k]}(\xi) & m_1^{[k]}(\xi + \pi) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \overline{\tilde{m}_0^{[k]}(\xi)} & \overline{\tilde{m}_1^{[k]}(\xi)} \\ \overline{\tilde{m}_0^{[k]}(\xi + \pi)} & \overline{\tilde{m}_1^{[k]}(\xi + \pi)} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \forall k \in \mathbf{Z}. \quad (9)$$

would be

$$m_1^{[k]}(\xi) := e^{-i\xi\overline{\tilde{m}_0^{[k]}(\xi + \pi)}} \quad \text{and} \quad \tilde{m}_1^{[k]}(\xi) := e^{-i\xi\overline{m_0^{[k]}(\xi + \pi)}}. \quad (10)$$

Figure 4 shows the shape of wavelet systems varying the value of  $\lambda$ . For the convenience of the comparison, we fixed the level  $k = 0$ .

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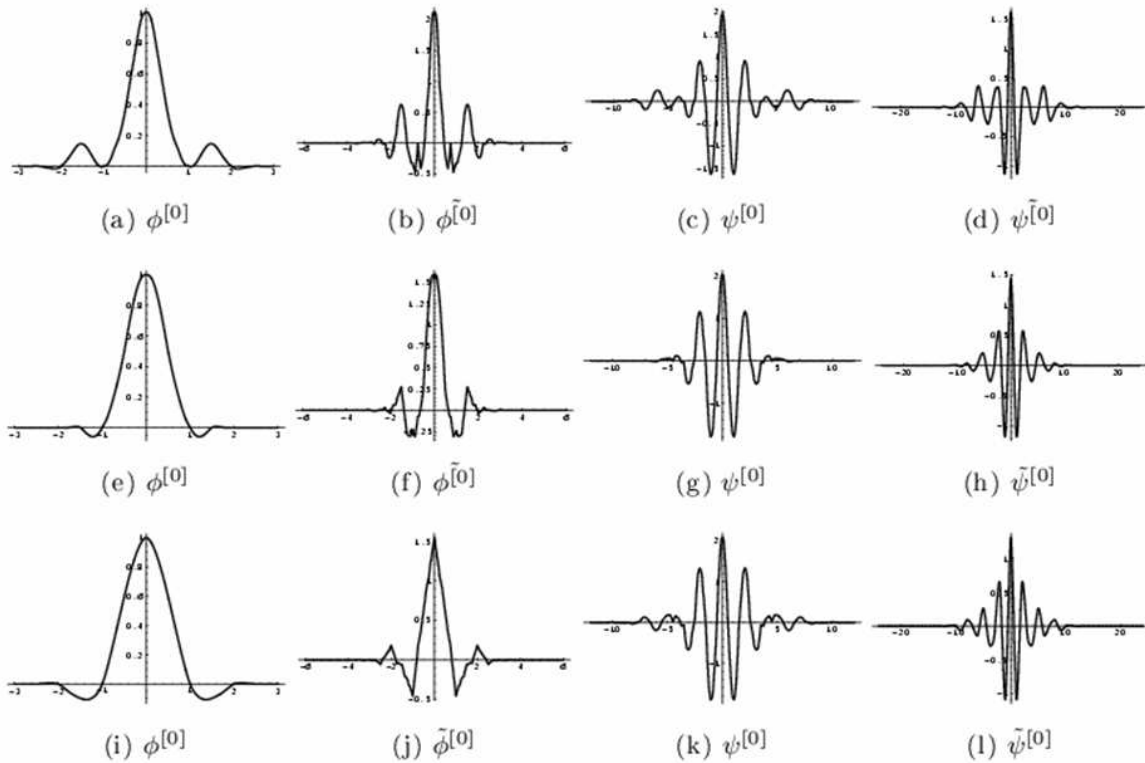


Figure 4. Wavelet systems based on the Gaussian function,  $G(x) = e^{-\frac{x^2}{\lambda^2}}$ . From the top, each row corresponds to  $\lambda = 0.4$ ,  $\lambda = 0.6$ , and  $\lambda = 1.8$ . From the left, each column corresponds to the scaling functions  $\phi^{[0]}$ ,  $\tilde{\phi}^{[0]}$ , and the wavelet functions  $\psi^{[0]}$ ,  $\tilde{\psi}^{[0]}$  respectively.

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