# Parallel Randomized Algorithms for Tucker Decompositions

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Goal: efficiently obtain compressed representation of data

Method: use parallel, randomized algorithms for Tucker decompositions

• can obtain large compression ratios with high accuracy

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- New parallel, randomized algorithms for computing the Tucker decomposition
  - Uses a Kronecker product of random matrices to exploit structure
  - Significantly reduces computational cost compared to deterministic and randomized counterparts
- New parallel method of computing a multi tensor-times-matrix (multi-TTM) product, an "all-at-once" approach
- Theoretical error bound for the algorithms
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Multi-TTM: X ×1 U1 ×2 U2····×d Ud for d-mode tensor
 Can be unfolded in *i*-th mode as

$$U_j X_{(j)} (U_d \otimes U_{d-1} \otimes \cdots \otimes U_{j+1} \otimes U_{j-1} \otimes \cdots \otimes U_1)^\top$$

with  $\otimes$  the Kronecker product

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Our approach:

- $\bullet~\mbox{Use}$  a randomized algorithm  $^3$  to speed up SVD step
  - Use a Kronecker product of random matrices instead of single random matrix to exploit structure
- Implement in parallel
  - Use a new, faster parallel version of a key operation (multi-TTM) to significantly lower runtime

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Idea: Use Kronecker product of k random matrices  $\Phi_j$  as  $\Omega = \Phi_1 \otimes \Phi_2 \otimes \cdots \otimes \Phi_k$  so that

$$Y = X\Omega = X(\Phi_1 \otimes \Phi_2 \otimes \cdots \otimes \Phi_k)$$

takes the form of an unfolded multi-TTM

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- Generating and storing more random matrices
- "rKron"

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- Allows for reuse of computations
- Makes analysis more complicated
- "rKron-reuse"

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# Theoretical Bound

Parameters:

- *d*-way tensor  $\mathcal{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n \times \dots \times n}$
- target rank  $(r, r, \ldots, r)$ , oversampling parameter p

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$$\alpha, \beta > 1$$
 satisfying  $n > r + p \ge rac{lpha^2 eta}{(lpha - 1)^2} (r^2 + r)$ 

- SRHT-like random matrices:  $\Phi = DH$ 
  - D diagonal Rademacher
  - H randomly sampled columns from Hadamard matrix

#### Error bound

Except with probability at most  $\frac{d}{\beta}$ ,

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Notes:

- Pessimistic compared to accuracy shown in numerical results
- Uses SRHT-like random matrices that can be represented as a Kronecker product themselves
- Allows for independent product of random matrices per mode, or reuse of same product of random matrices

Parameters:

- 500  $\times$  500  $\times$  500 tensor with moderately decaying singular values
- target rank (10, 10, 10), oversampling parameter 5, s = 4
- rand-HOSVD: Gaussian random matrix
- rKron, rKron-reuse: SRHT random matrices

Relative Error over 100 trials



### Numerical Results: Accuracy

- 500  $\times$  500  $\times$  500 random tensor with true rank (50, 50, 50) and 10^{-4} noise
- oversampling parameter 5,  $s \leq 11$
- rand-HOSVD: Gaussian random matrix
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Relative Error with increasing rank



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- factor matrices A<sub>j</sub> have more
  (r + p) columns

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$$\mathcal{Y} = \mathcal{X} \times_2 \Phi_2^\top \times \cdots \times_d \Phi_d^\top$$

 random matrices are very skinny (s columns)

### Numerical Results: Parallel Runtime

Parameters:

- 4-way tensor, 250 in each mode
- 16 cores on single multicore server
- Gaussian random matrices

Runtime of multi-TTM methods with increasing number of columns s:



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Parameters:

- 4-way tensor, 256 in each mode
- Target rank (32, 32, 32, 32), s = (3, 3, 4, 4)
- Gaussian random matrices, rKron-reuse
- On Andes cluster (OLCF)

Runtime of full algorithms with increasing number of cores:



Contributions: new parallel, randomized algorithms for Tucker decompositions

- Use a Kronecker product of random matrices to exploit structure and employ multi-TTM instead of large matrix multiply
- Different versions: re-using or constructing independent Kronecker products
- New method for computing a multi-TTM in parallel
  - An all-at-once approach that can communicate less than standard approach
  - Works well with Kronecker product of random matrices in our Tucker algorithms