# A Robust Constrained Set-Membership Affine-Projection Adaptive-Filtering Algorithm

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$$\Theta = \cap_{(\mathsf{x}, \ d) \in \mathcal{S}} \{ \mathsf{w} \in \mathcal{R}^M : \ |d - \mathsf{w}^\mathsf{T} \mathsf{x}| \leq \gamma \}$$

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$$\Psi_k^P = \cap_{i=k-P+1}^k H_i$$

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### **Constrained SMAP Adaptive Filters**

In the constrained SMAP algorithm, whenever the weight vector w<sub>k</sub> satisfies the constraint f = Cw<sub>k</sub> where f ∈ R<sup>K</sup> is the constraint vector, C ∈ R<sup>K×M</sup> is a constraint matrix with K < M and is not a member of the set Ψ<sup>P</sup><sub>k</sub>, an update is performed by solving the optimization problem

minimize 
$$J_{\mathbf{w}_{k+1}} = \|\mathbf{w}_{k+1} - \mathbf{w}_k\|^2$$
  
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subject to the constraints

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{f} &= \mathbf{C} \mathbf{w}_{k+1} \\ \mathbf{g}_k &= \mathbf{d}_k - \mathbf{X}_k^T \mathbf{w}_{k+1} \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathbf{g}_k$  is the error-bound vector.

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### Constrained SMAP Adaptive Filters, Cont'd ....

 If the error-bound vector is chosen as g<sub>k</sub> = [γsign(e<sub>k</sub>) ε<sub>k-1</sub> ··· ε<sub>k-P+1</sub>]<sup>T</sup>, the weight-vector update formula of the constrained SMAP algorithm becomes

$$\mathbf{w}_{k+1} = \mathbf{Z} \left[ \mathbf{w}_k + \alpha_k \mathbf{X}_k (\mathbf{X}_k^T \mathbf{Z} \mathbf{X}_k)^{-1} e_k \mathbf{u}_1 \right] + \mathbf{F}$$

where

$$\mathbf{u}_{1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1_{k} \ 0_{k-1} \cdots \ 0_{k-P+1} \end{bmatrix}^{T}$$
$$\alpha_{k} = \begin{cases} 1 - \frac{\gamma}{|e_{k}|} & \text{if } |e_{k}| > \gamma \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

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$$\mathbf{g}_{k} = \gamma \left[ \frac{e_{k}}{|e_{k}|} \frac{\epsilon_{k-1}}{|e_{k}|} \cdots \frac{\epsilon_{k-P+1}}{|e_{k}|} \right]^{T}$$

instead of  $\mathbf{g}_k = [\gamma \operatorname{sign}(e_k) \ \epsilon_{k-1} \ \cdots \ \epsilon_{k-P+1}]^T$ .

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• The variance of the error signal is estimated as

$$\sigma_{e,k}^2 = \lambda \sigma_{e,k-1}^2 + (1 - \lambda) \operatorname{median}(e_k^2, \dots, e_{k-m+1}^2)$$

where the *forgetting factor*,  $\lambda$ , assumes values in the range 0 to 1.

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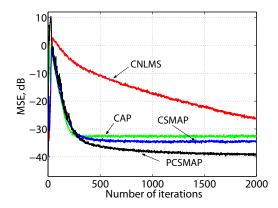
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- During sudden system disturbances, the estimate  $\sigma_{e,k}^2$  tends to grow in which case the algorithm would again work with the error bound  $\gamma_c$  which would thus lead to fast tracking.

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## Simulation Results

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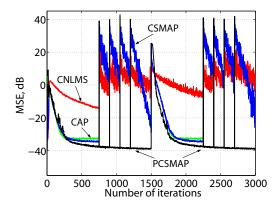


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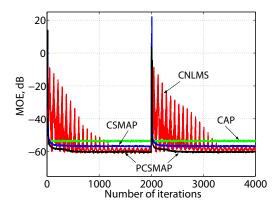
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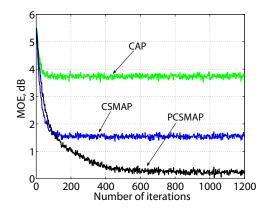
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 Learning curves for an interference-cancellation application in an direct-sequence code-division multiple access communication system for the CNLMS, CSMAP, and PCSMAP algorithms:



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- The proposed algorithm yields
  - a significantly reduced steady-state misalignment,
  - better tracking,
  - faster convergence, and
  - robust performance

relative to several known competing adaptation algorithms of the SM family.

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