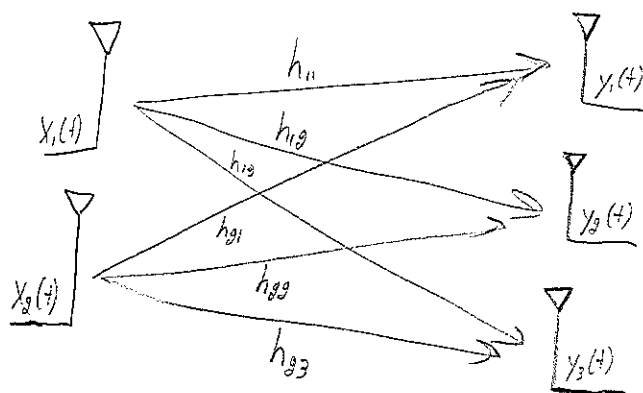


HW 2 Problem 2

We are in the time domain.

Think of  $H$  as some attenuation applied to each signal.

$$\begin{bmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} \\ h_{21} & h_{22} \\ h_{13} & h_{23} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1(t) \\ y_2(t) \\ y_3(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

a) We want to recover  $x(t)$  after  $y(t)$  is received. To do this, we will multiply  $y(t)$  by some matrix  $A$ :

$$x(t) = Ay(t)$$

Use SVD to decompose  $H$  and find  $A$ .

"Use SVD" is just a matrix technique!

$$H = U \Sigma V^T$$

$3 \times 2$     $3 \times 3$     $3 \times 2$     $2 \times 2$

$$H^T H$$

$2 \times 2$

$$H H^T$$

$3 \times 3$

Dimensions?

How to find  $U, \Sigma, V^T$  given  $H$ ?

So:

$$U \Sigma V^T x = y$$

Solve for  $y$ ...

Note: This assumes we know the channel characteristics! What if we don't?

- Could guess (AWGN, additive white gaussian noise)
- Channel estimation: Send a known signal every so often, estimate  $\hat{H}$  (e.g., with least squares)

b) How is (a) related to least squares?

Well, least squares tells us that the solution to  $Ax = b + e$  that minimizes

$e$  is 
$$\underline{x} = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T b$$

The variables mean somewhat different things in this case, but the structure is the same and so is the solution:

$$Hx = y$$

$$x = (H^T H)^{-1} H^T y$$

We want to go from this to match our solution from (a):  $x = f(U, \Sigma, V) y$

Hint: First step:  $(H^T H)x = H^T y$

(This will make the math easier!)