

Estimating Primaries by Sparse Inversion in a Curvelet-like Representation Domain

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EPSI Problem

Estimation of Primaries by Sparse Inversion (van Groenestijn and Verschuur, 2009)

recorded data

predicted data from primary IR

$$\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{G}(\mathbf{Q} + \mathbf{R}\mathbf{P})$$

- P** total up-going wavefield
 - Q** down-going source signature
 - R** reflectivity of free surface (assume -1)
 - G** primary impulse response
- (all monochromatic data matrix, implicit ω)

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Inversion objective:

$$f(\mathbf{G}, \mathbf{Q}) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{P} - \mathbf{G}(\mathbf{Q} + \mathbf{R}\mathbf{P})\|_2^2$$

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In time domain (lower-case: whole dataset in time domain)

recorded data

predicted data from primary IR

$$\mathbf{p} = \mathcal{M}(\mathbf{g}, \mathbf{q})$$

$$\mathcal{M}(\mathbf{g}, \mathbf{q}) := \mathcal{F}_t^\dagger \text{BlockDiag}_{\omega_1 \dots \omega_{n_f}} [(q(\omega)\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P})^\dagger \otimes \mathbf{I}] \mathcal{F}_t \mathbf{g}$$

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Linearizations

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In fact it is bilinear:

$$\mathbf{M}_{\tilde{\mathbf{q}}} \mathbf{g} = \mathcal{M}(\mathbf{g}, \tilde{\mathbf{q}})$$

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Associated objectives:

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EPSI Procedure

Do:

$$\mathbf{g}_{k+1} = \mathbf{g}_k + \alpha \nabla f_{q_k}(\mathbf{g}_k)$$

$$\mathbf{q}_{k+1} = \mathbf{q}_k + \beta \nabla f_{g_{k+1}}(\mathbf{q}_k)$$

Alternating updates (Gauss-Sidel) to the linearized problem

EPSI Procedure

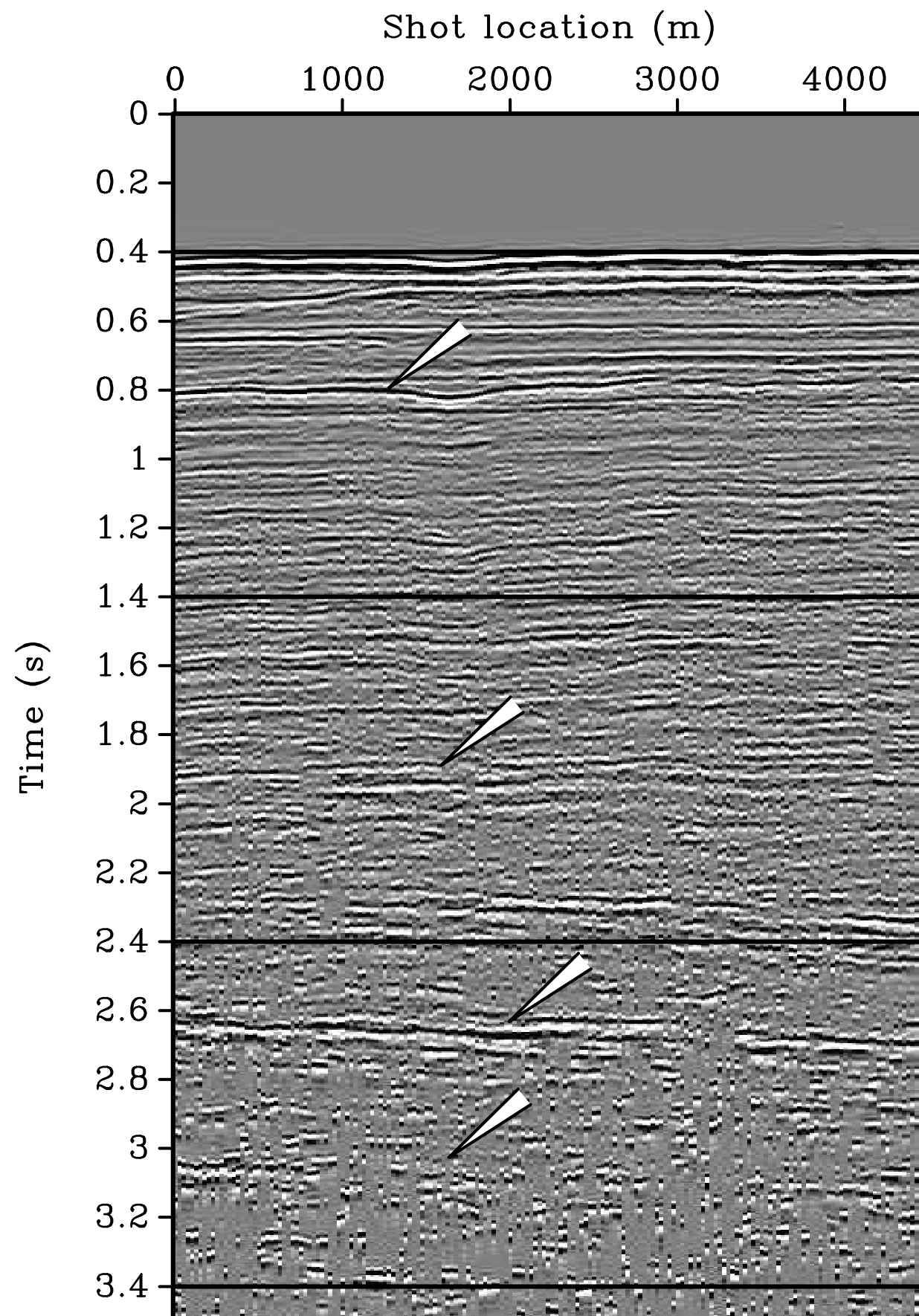
Do:

$$\mathbf{g}_{k+1} = \mathbf{g}_k + \alpha \mathcal{S}(\nabla f_{q_k}(\mathbf{g}_k))$$

$$\mathbf{q}_{k+1} = \mathbf{q}_k + \beta \nabla f_{g_{k+1}}(\mathbf{q}_k)$$

Gradient sparsity

\mathcal{S} : pick largest ρ elements per trace



EPSI Procedure

Related to two underlying sub-problems:

$$\min_{\mathbf{g}} \|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{M}_{\tilde{q}} \mathbf{g}\|_2 \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \text{nnz}(\mathbf{g}) \leq \rho$$

$$\min_{\mathbf{q}} \|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{M}_{\tilde{g}} \mathbf{q}\|_2$$

Which approximates:

$$\min_{\mathbf{g}} \text{nnz}(\mathbf{g}) \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{M}_{\tilde{q}} \mathbf{g}\|_2 \leq \sigma$$

(notion of sparsest solution)

$$\min_{\mathbf{q}} \|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{M}_{\tilde{g}} \mathbf{q}\|_2$$

EPSI Procedure

Can be made non-combinatorial (convex) by:

$$\min_{\mathbf{g}} \|\mathbf{g}\|_1 \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{M}_{\tilde{q}} \mathbf{g}\|_2 \leq \sigma$$

(minimum L1 solution usually the sparsest solution)

$$\min_{\mathbf{q}} \|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{M}_{\tilde{g}} \mathbf{q}\|_2$$

Convex EPSI

Do:

$$\mathbf{g}_{k+1} = \mathbf{g}_k + \alpha \text{SoftTh}_{\phi}(\nabla f_{q_k}(\mathbf{g}_k))$$

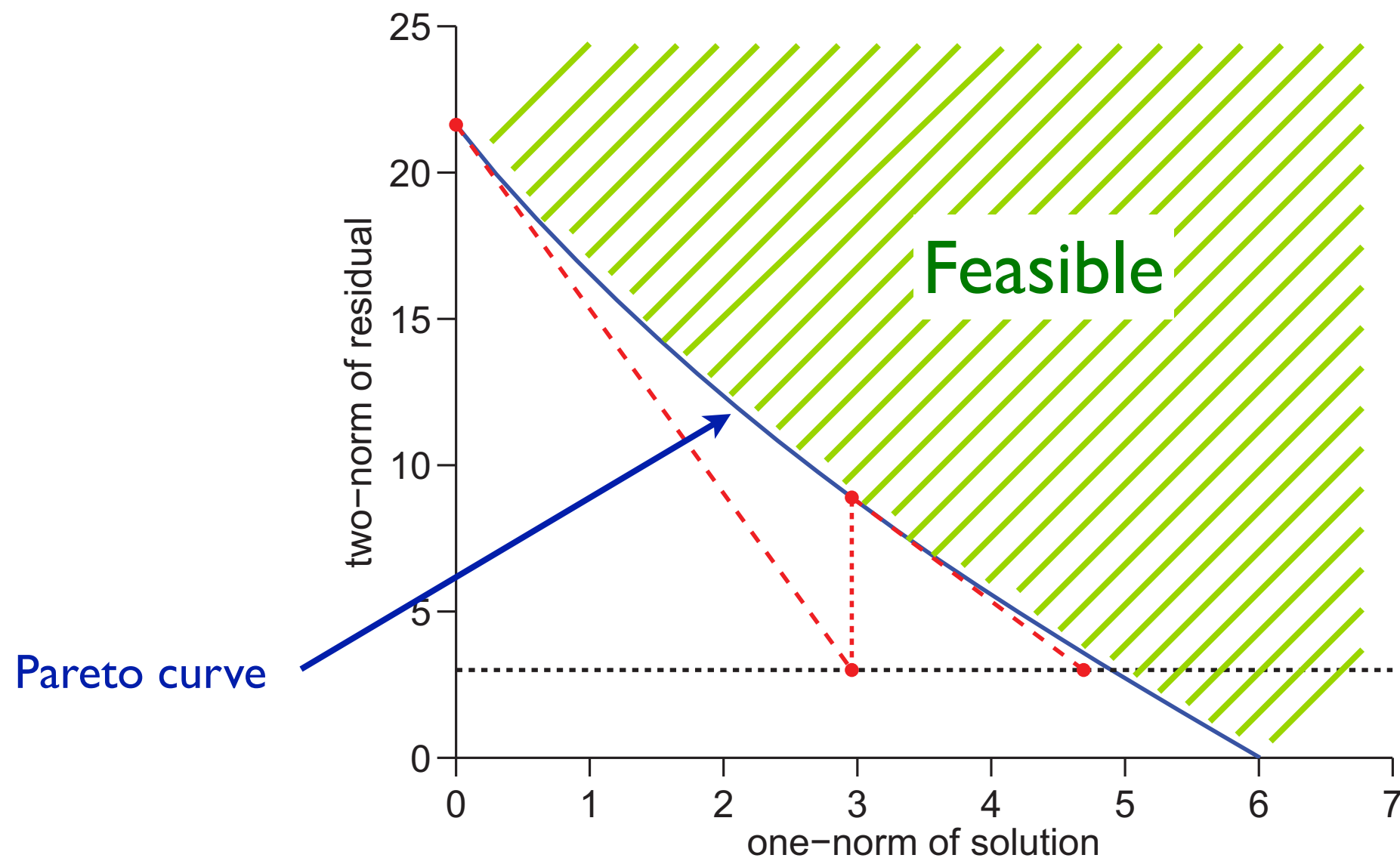
$$\mathbf{q}_{k+1} = \mathbf{q}_k + \beta \nabla f_{g_{k+1}}(\mathbf{q}_k)$$

Soft-thresholding solves an L1 minimization problem, but how is ϕ determined?

Pareto curve

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{minimize} && \|x\|_1 \\ &\text{subject to} && \|Ax - b\|_2 \leq \sigma \end{aligned}$$

Look at the solution space and the line of optimal solutions (Pareto curve)

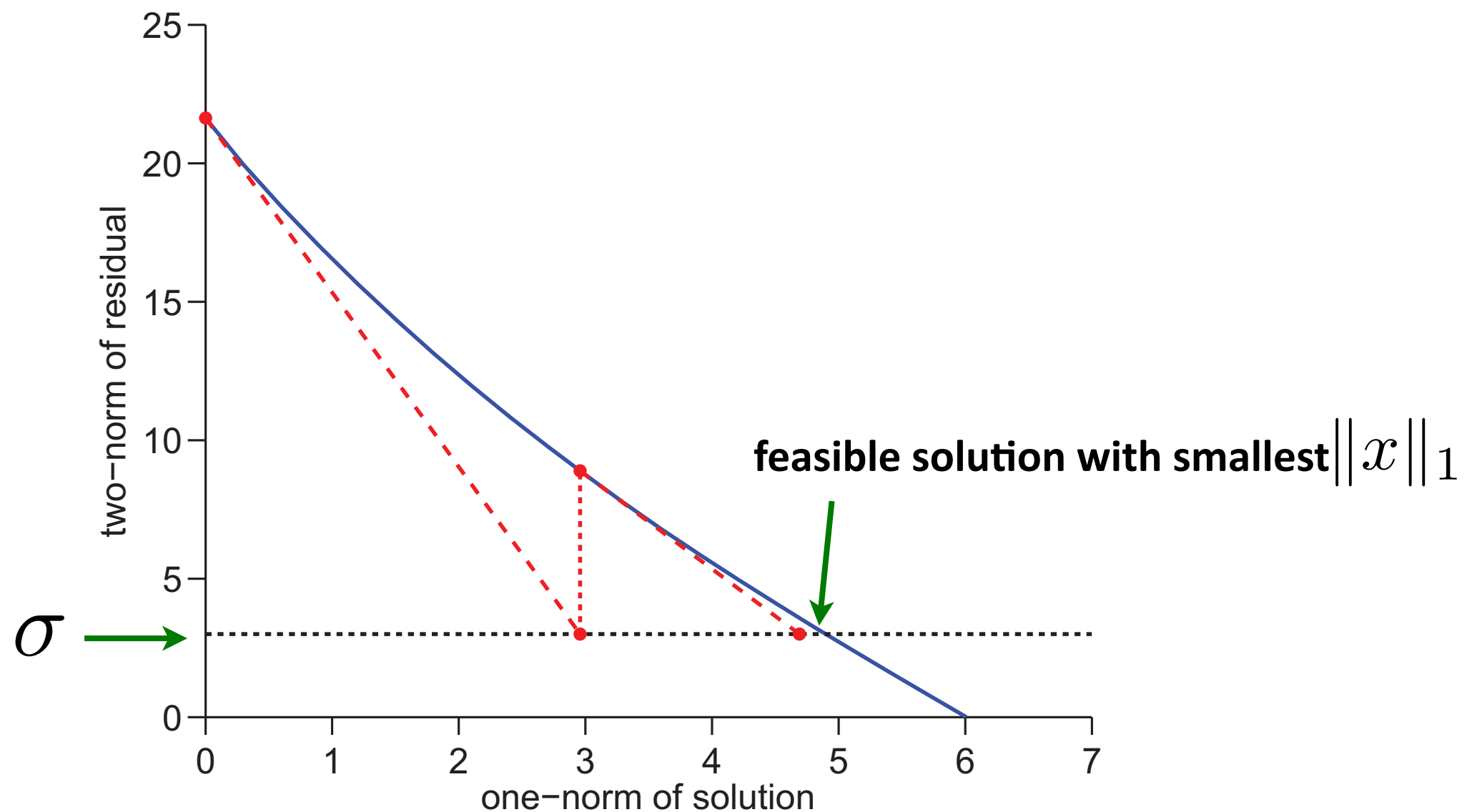


(van den Berg, Friedlander, 2008)

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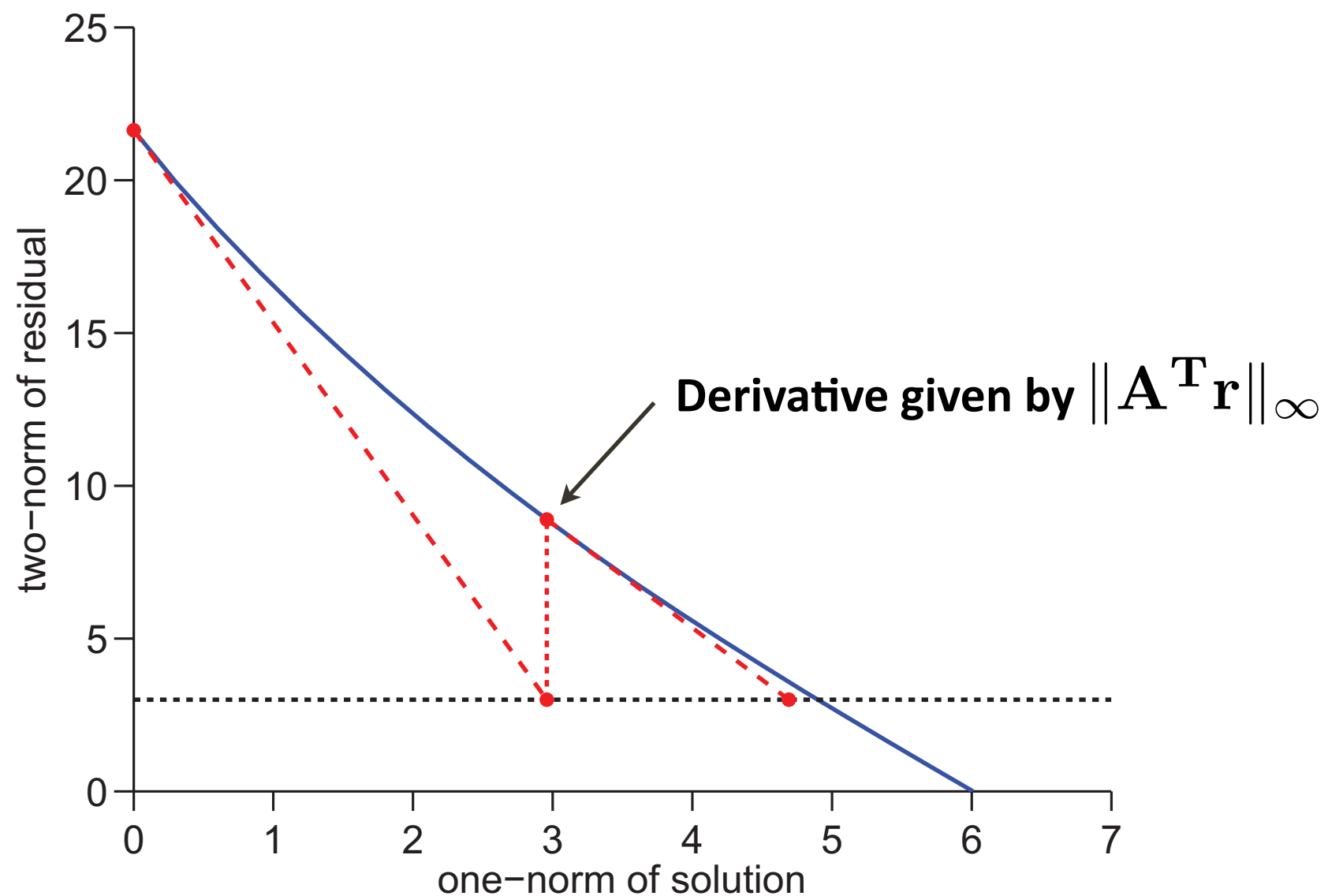
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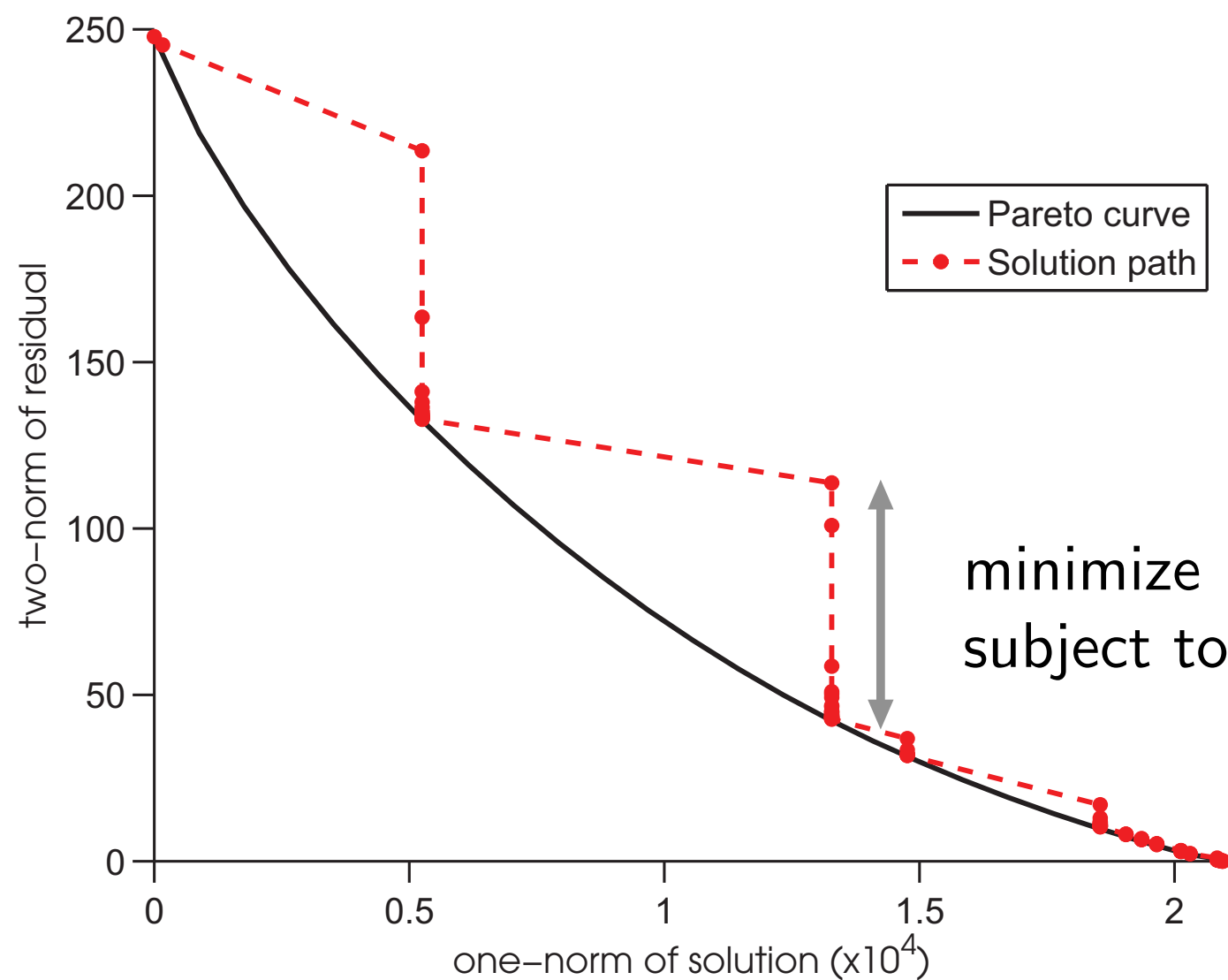
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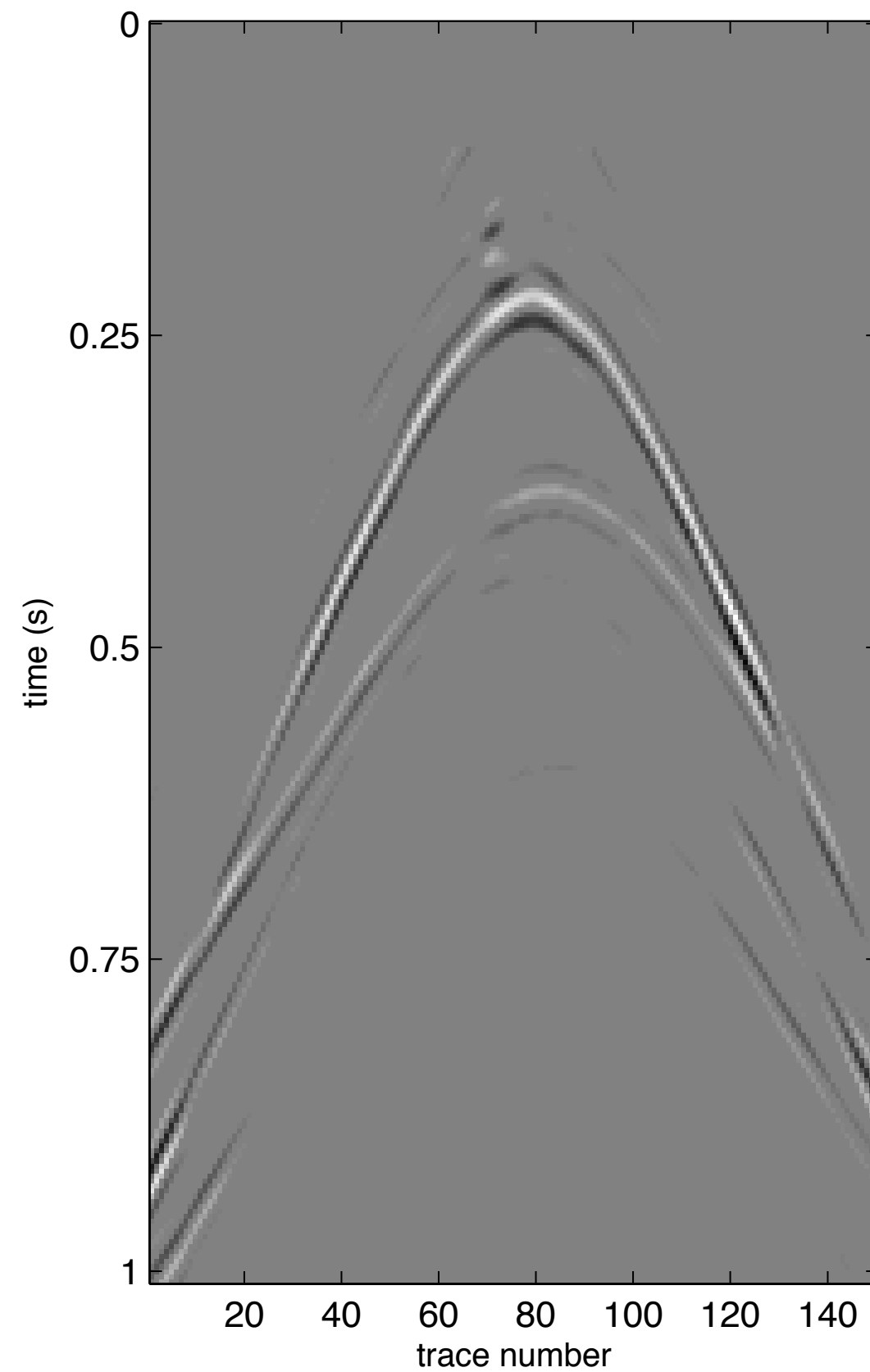


minimize
subject to

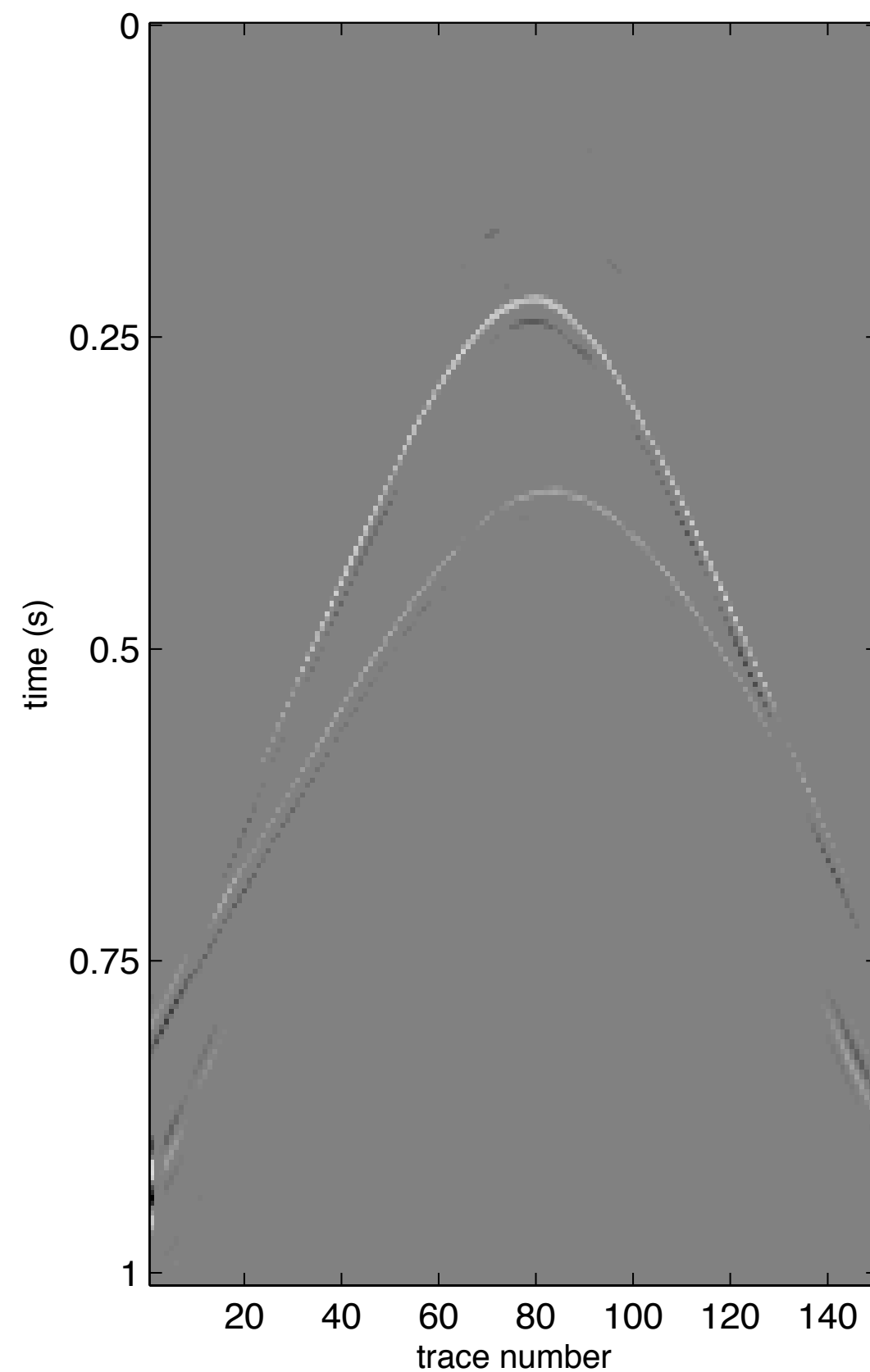
$$\begin{aligned} &\|Ax - b\|_2 \\ &\|x\|_1 \leq \tau \end{aligned}$$

solve with SPG
(spectral projected gradients)

SPG start



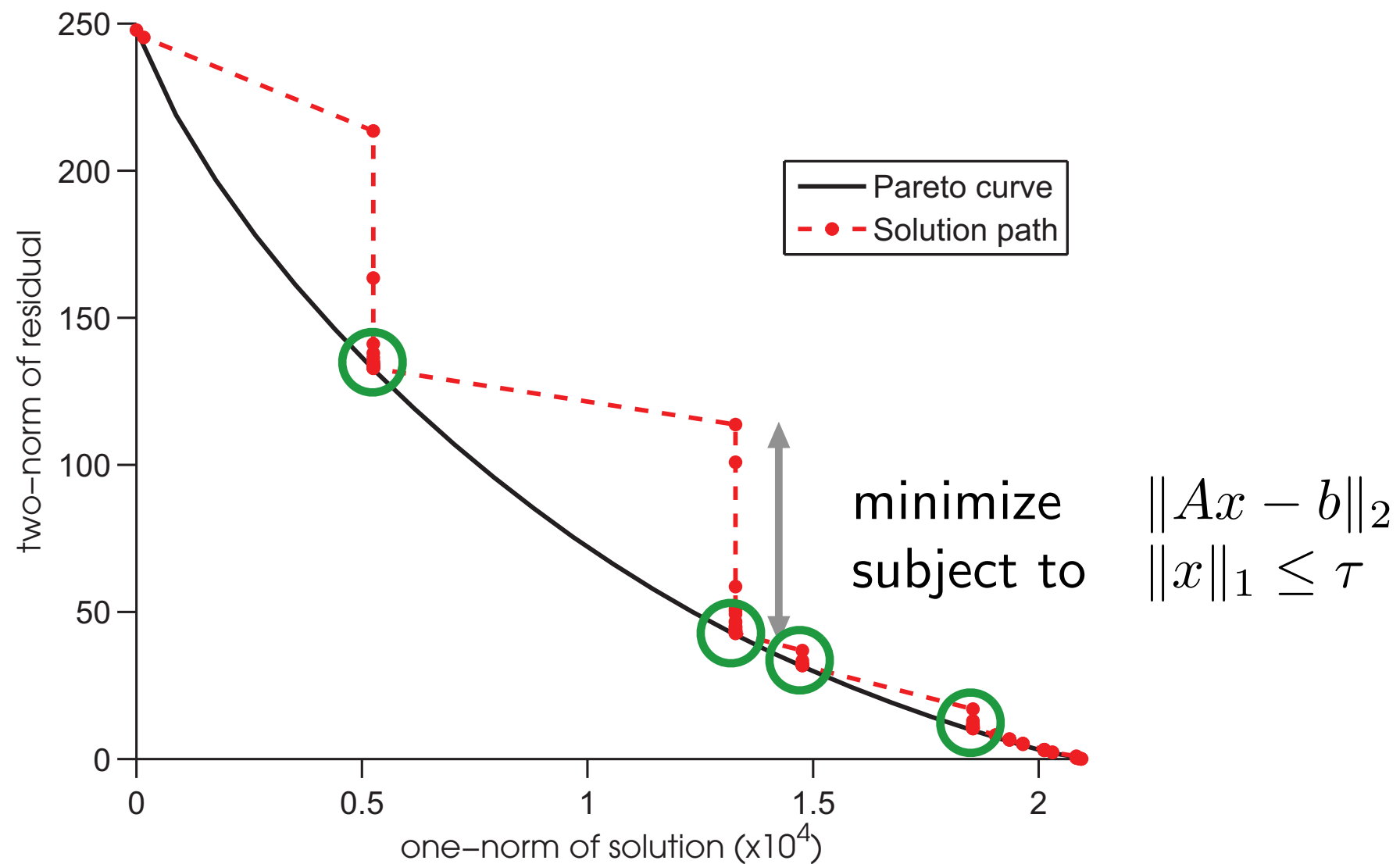
SPG at Pareto curve



Pareto curve

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{minimize} && \|x\|_1 \\ &\text{subject to} && \|Ax - b\|_2 \leq \sigma \end{aligned}$$

Only solve least-squares matching for q when solution reaches Pareto curve



Robust EPSI procedure

While $\|\mathbf{p} - \mathcal{M}(\mathbf{g}_k, \mathbf{q}_k)\|_2 > \sigma$

determine new τ_k from the Pareto curve

$$\mathbf{g}_{k+1} = \arg \min_{\mathbf{g}} \|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{M}_{q_k} \mathbf{g}\|_2 \text{ s.t. } \|\mathbf{g}\|_1 \leq \tau_k$$

(Solve with SPGL1 until Pareto curve reached)

$$\mathbf{q}_{k+1} = \arg \min_{\mathbf{q}} \|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{M}_{g_{k+1}} \mathbf{q}\|_2$$

(Solve with LSQR)

REPSI in transform domain

Modify just the problem for \mathbf{g} :

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$$\min_{\mathbf{q}} \|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{M}_{\tilde{g}}\mathbf{q}\|_2$$

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Modify just the problem for \mathbf{g} :

$$\min_{\mathbf{x}} \|\mathbf{x}\|_1 \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{M}_{\tilde{q}} \mathbf{S}^\dagger \mathbf{x}\|_2 \leq \sigma, \quad \mathbf{g} = \mathbf{S}^\dagger \mathbf{x}$$

(basis pursuit)

$$\min_{\mathbf{q}} \|\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{M}_{\tilde{g}} \mathbf{q}\|_2$$

\mathbf{S} : sparsifying representation for seismic signals

- Should have spatially localized support
- ex: nd-Wavelets, Curvelets, etc...

\mathbf{S}^\dagger : synthesis operator for \mathbf{S}

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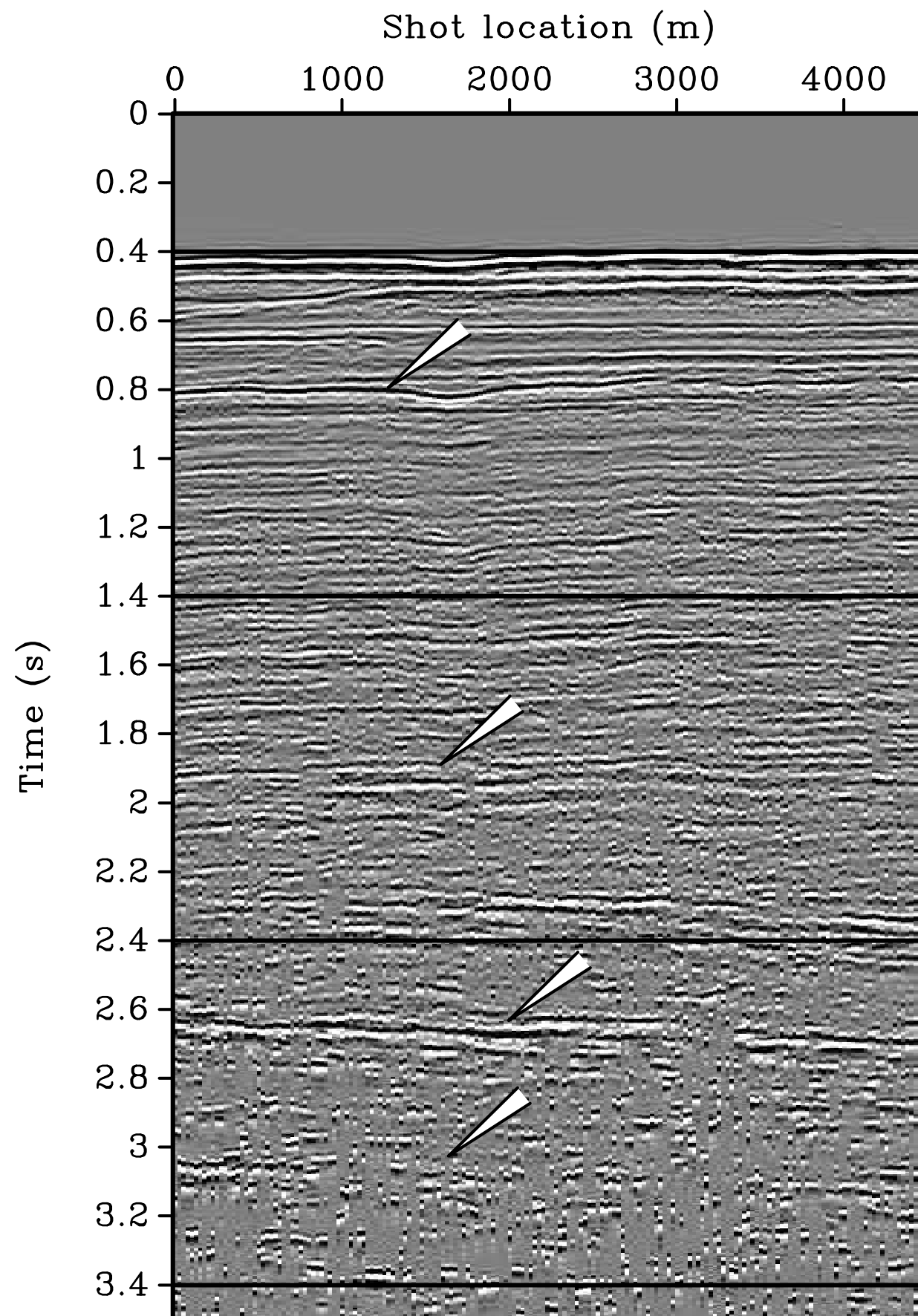
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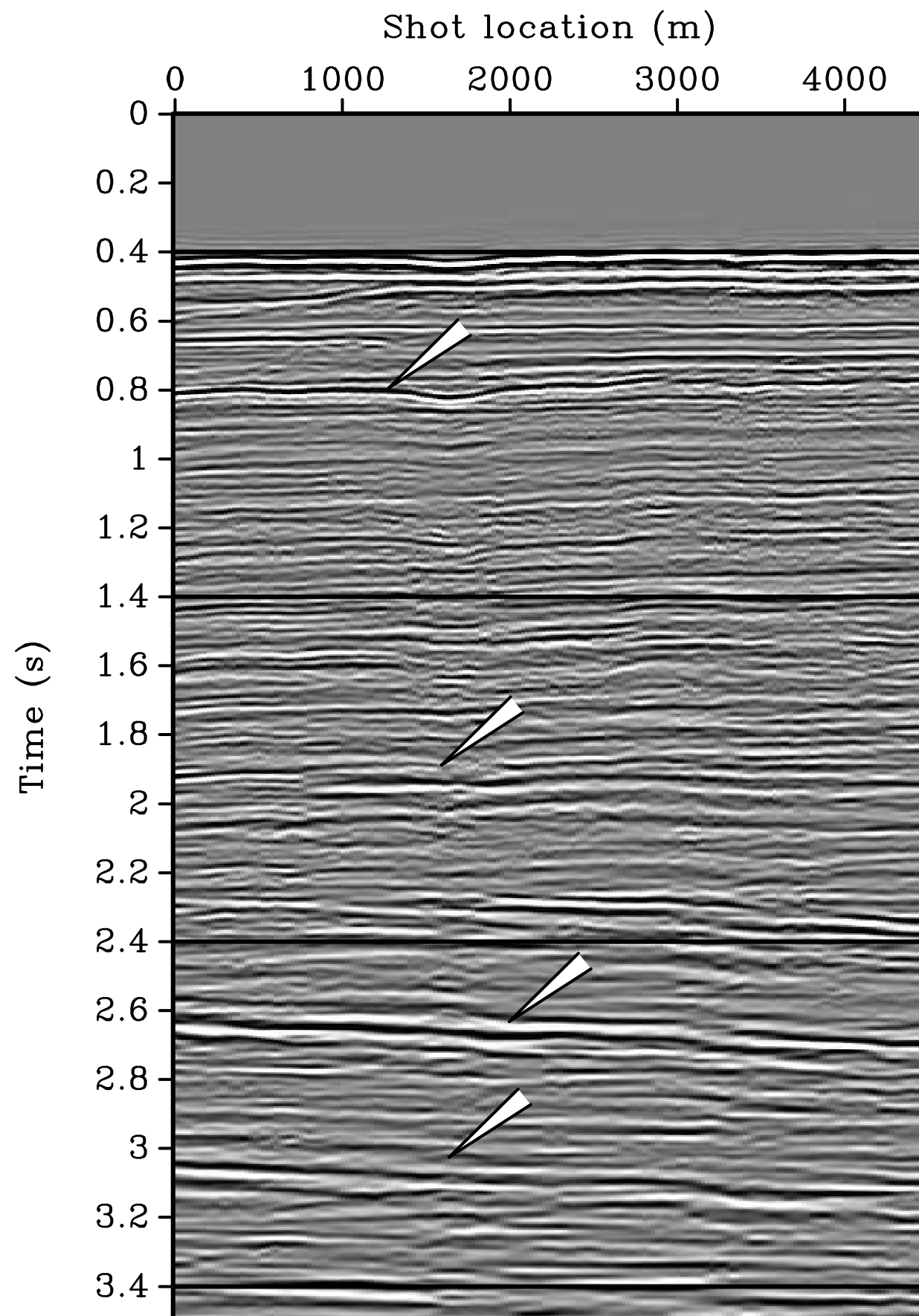
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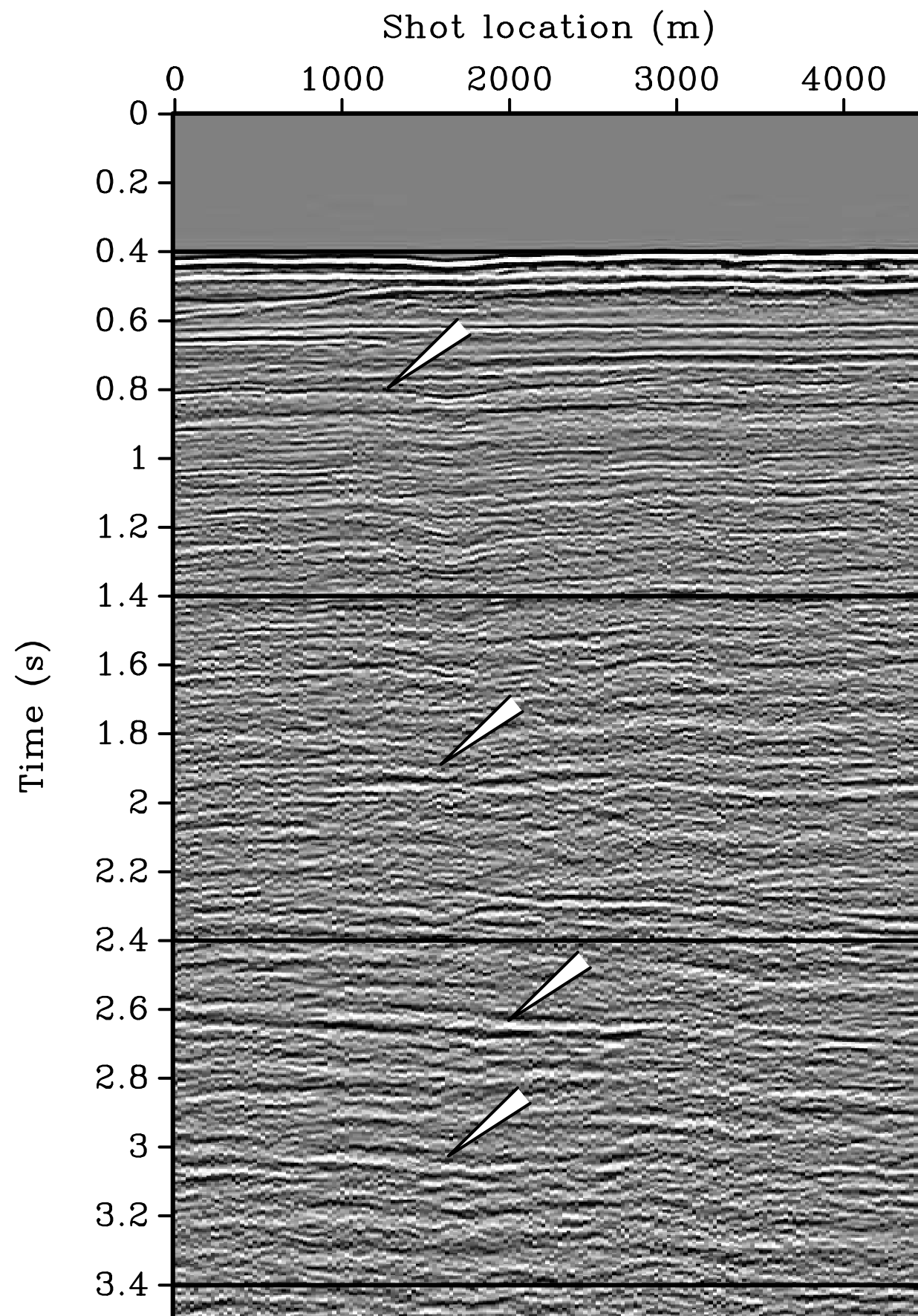
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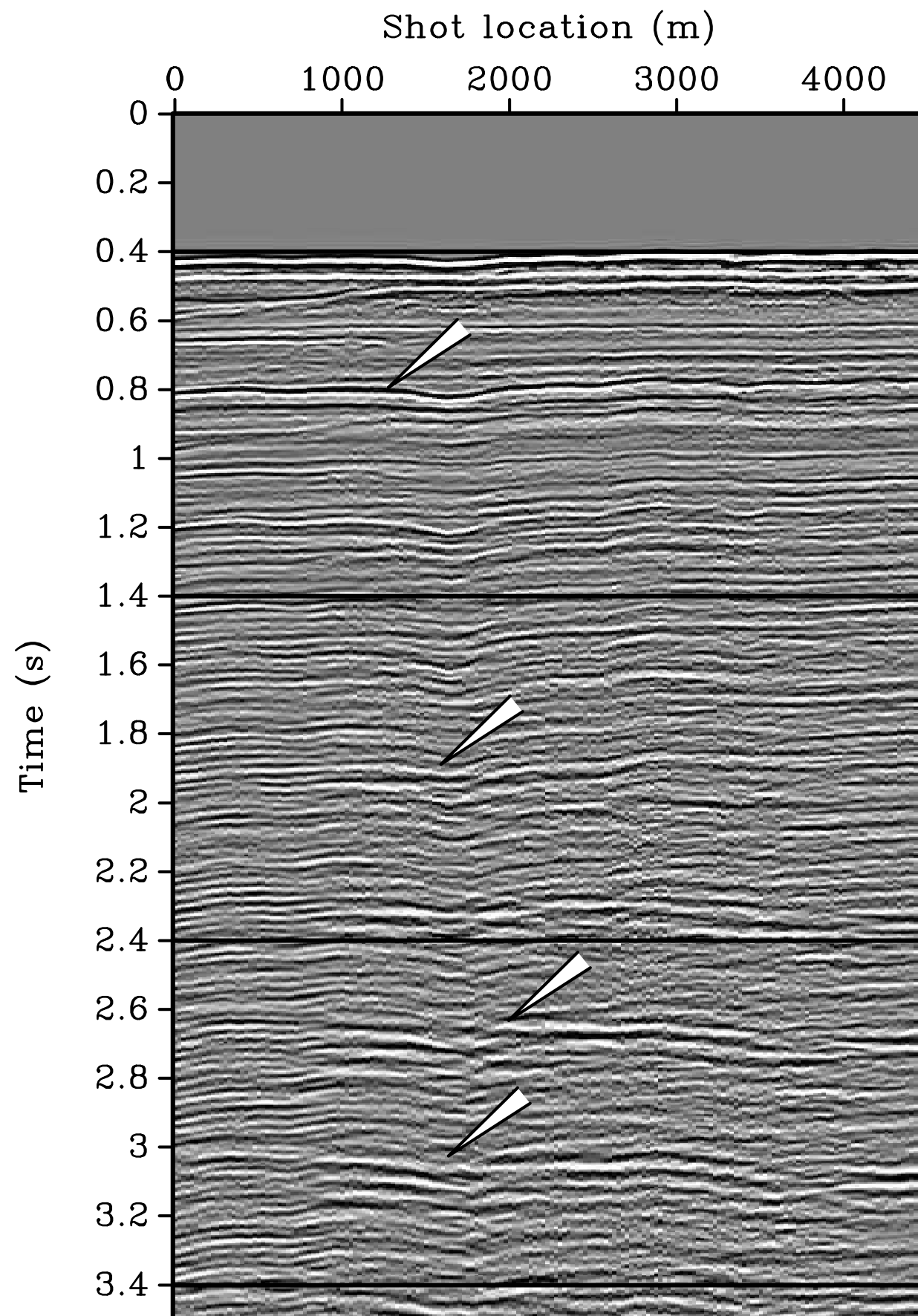
North sea
EPSI



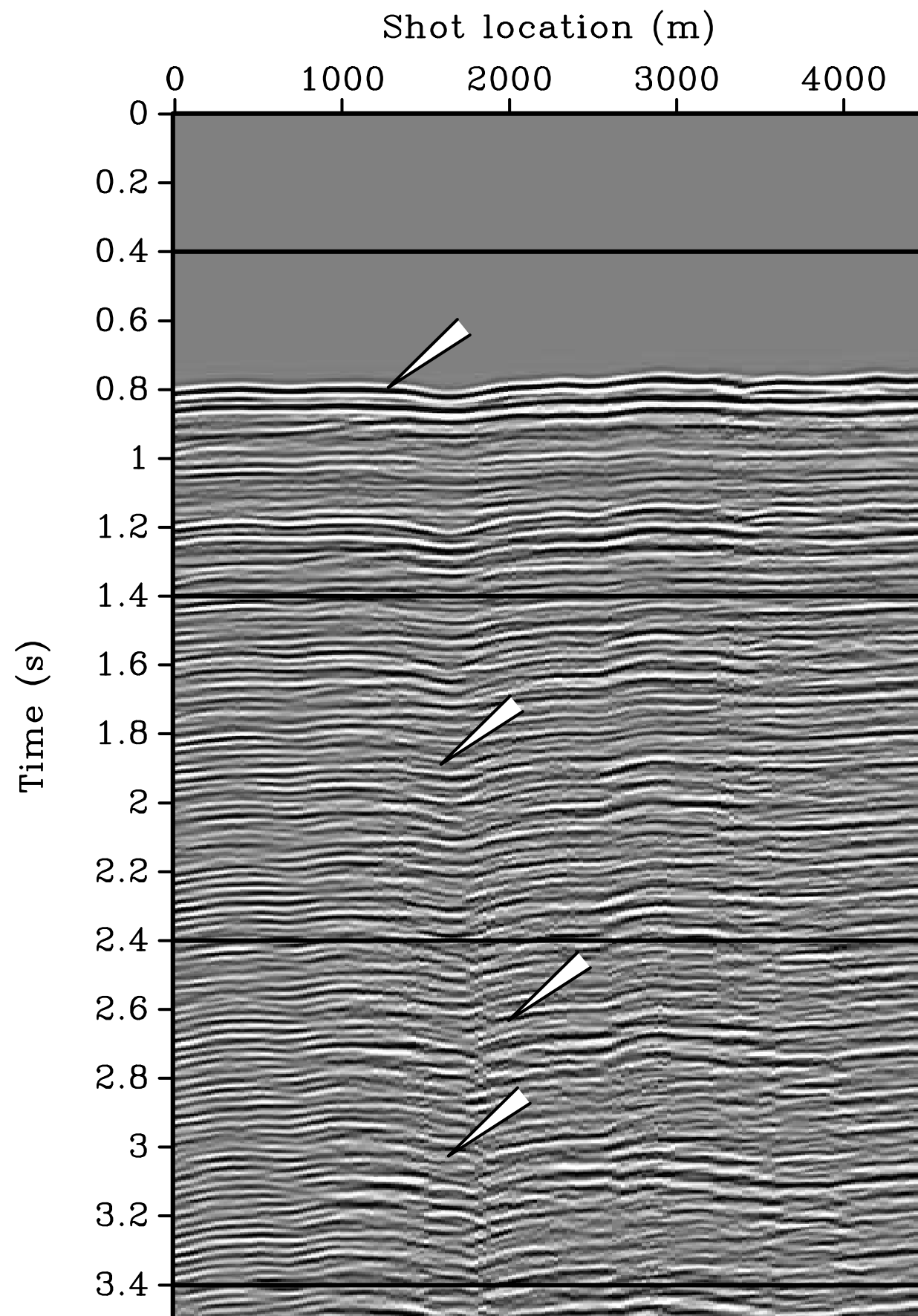
North sea
EPSI + Sp



North sea
SRME



North sea
data



North sea
pred. mul

(show Gulf of Suez results here)

summary

- **L1-convexification behaves nicely and has few free parameters**
- **Follows the Pareto curve into a series of projected gradient problems**
- **Easily incorporates seeking the solution in a transform domain that promotes continuity**

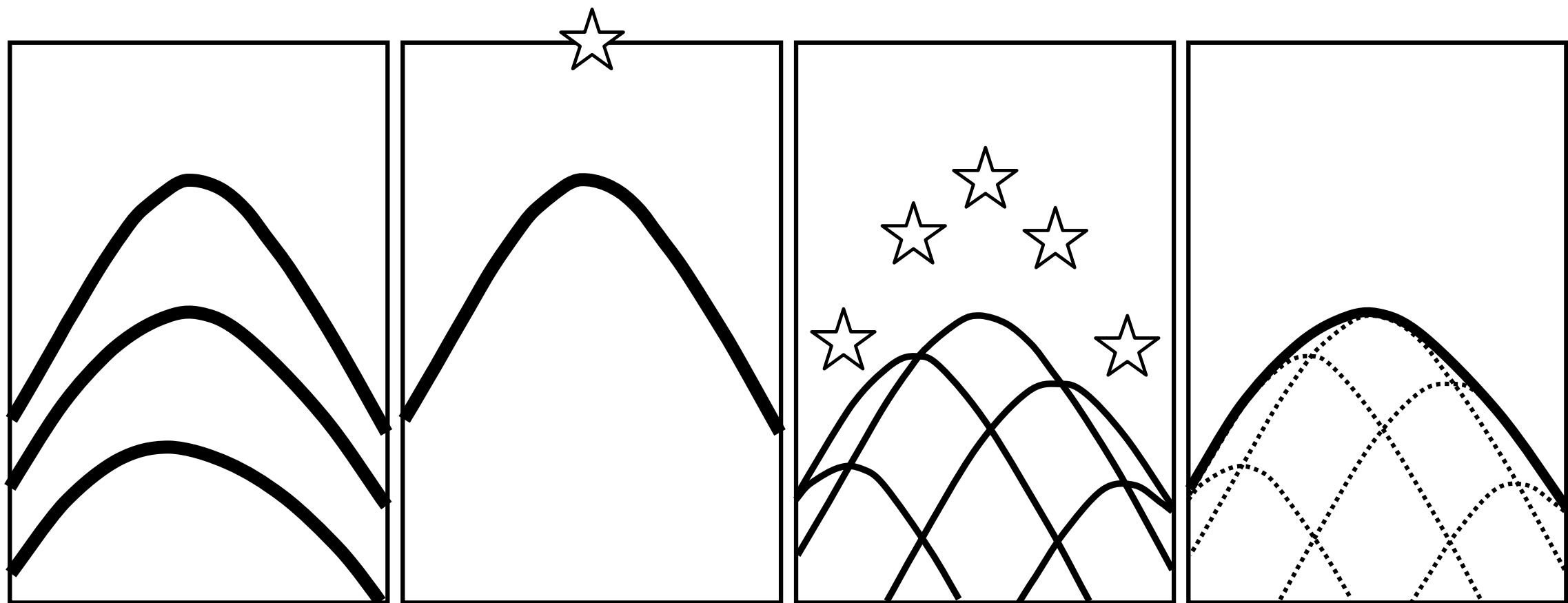
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(van Groenestijn and Verschuur 08)