

Compressed sensing using Kronecker products

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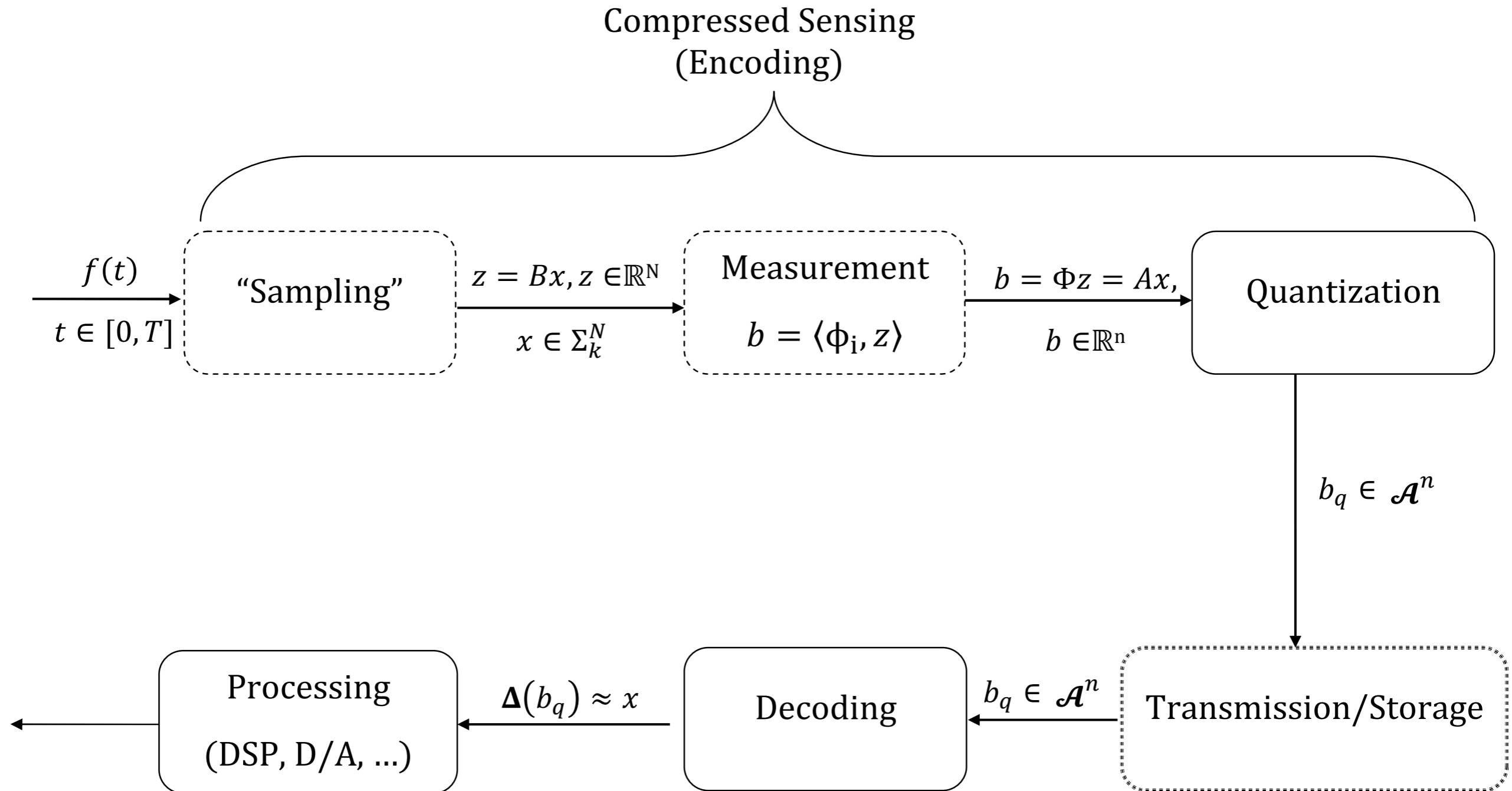
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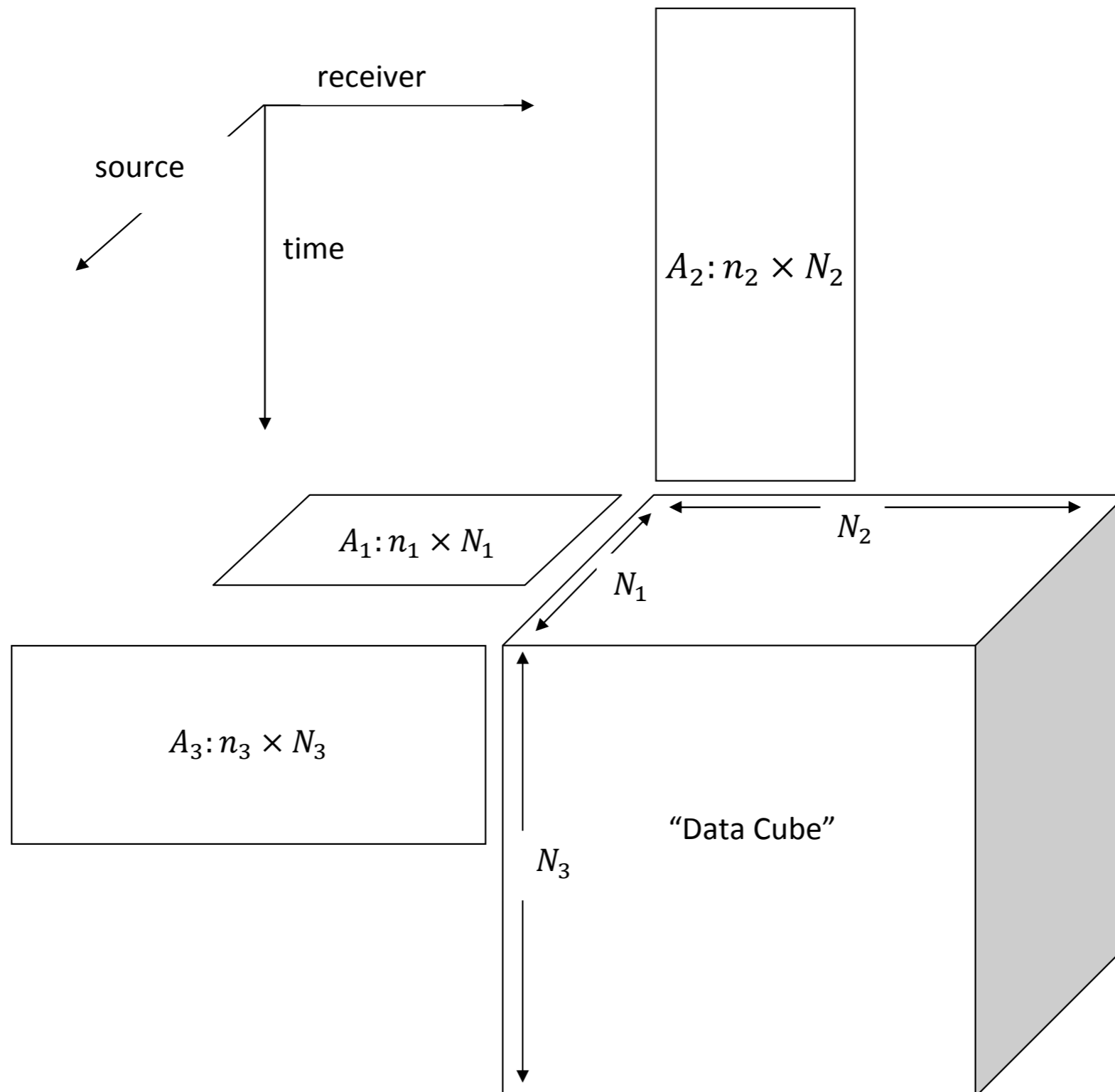
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- So how can we reduce cost:
 - ① option 1: Fire a fewer total number of sources, e.g.,
 - jitter sampling of a fine grid of sources
 - firing combinations of sources simultaneously → repeat a few times.
 - ② option 2: Combining receiver recordings and storing/transmitting the combinations, with fewer combinations than receivers (save battery life, computation time).
 - ③ option 3: Do both of the above - possibly treat the time axis similarly.

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Below, “data cube” corresponds to seismic line



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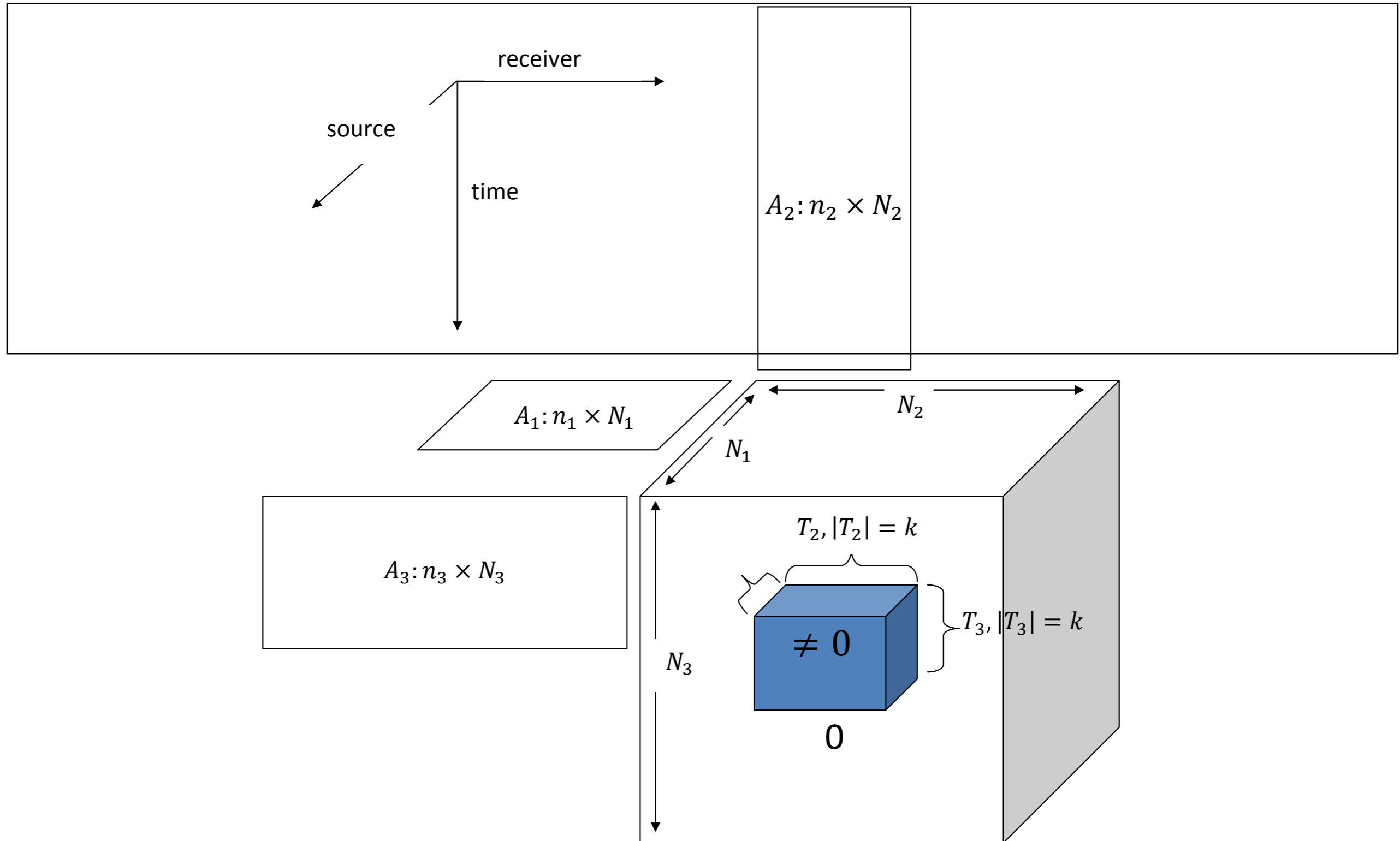
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Proposition

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If $\delta_k \leq 0.25/d$, then $(1 - 1/3)\|x\|_2^2 \leq \|(\otimes_{i=1}^d A_i)x\|_2^2 \leq (1 + 1/3)\|x\|_2^2$.

Lemma

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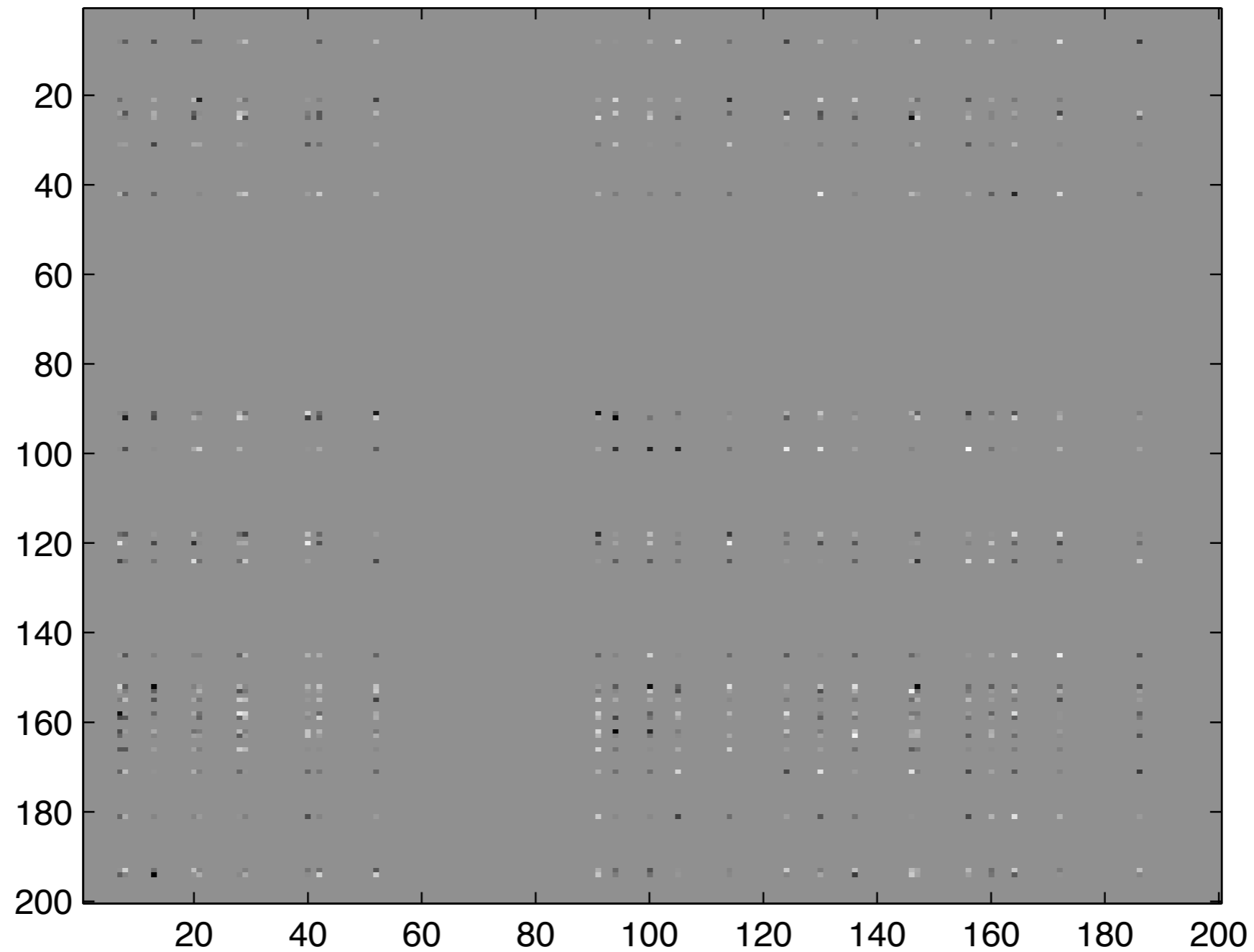


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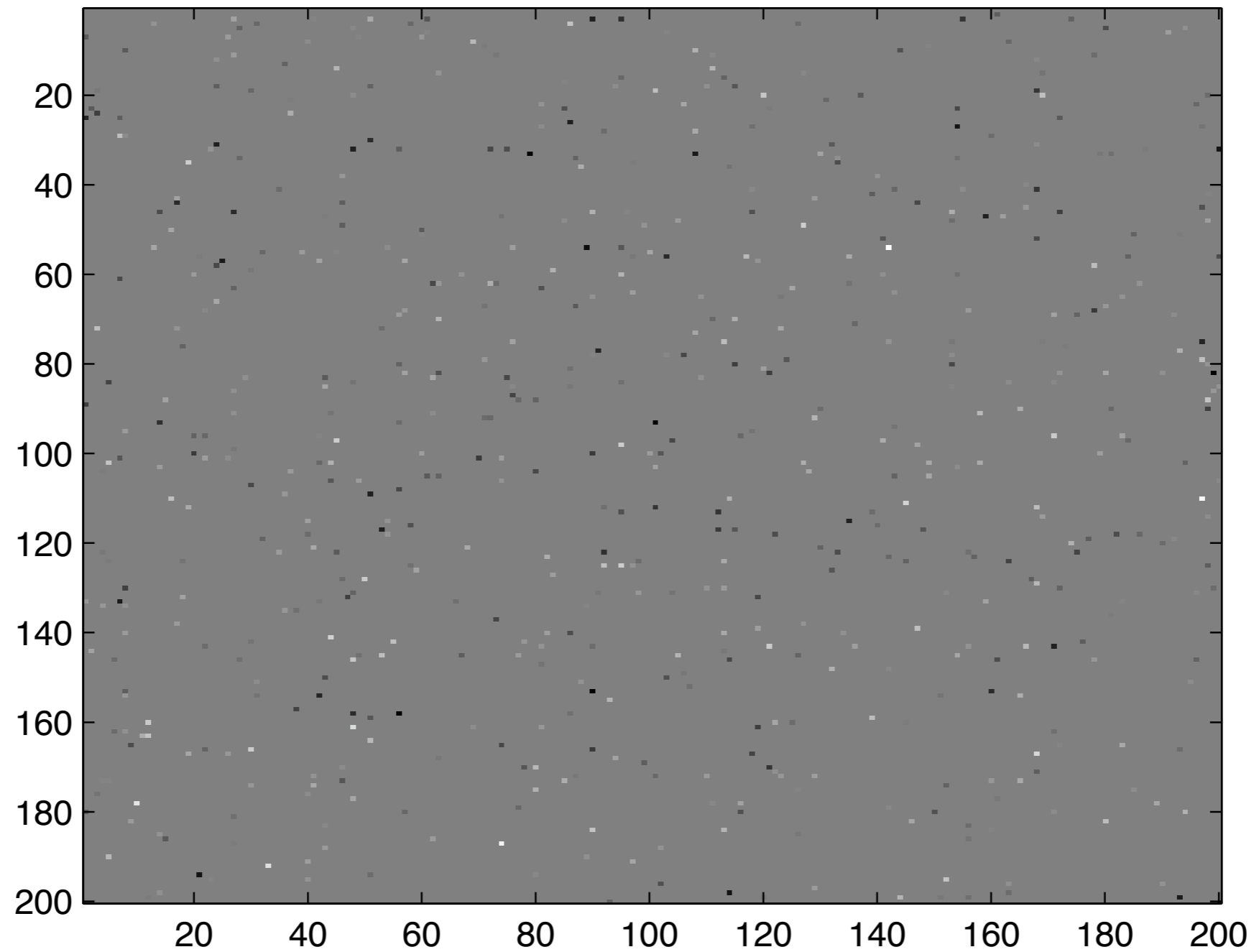


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- $128 \times 128 \times 512$ data cube (long axis is time).
- A_1, A_2 are Gaussian random 64×128 matrices
- A_3 is the identity.
- \implies reduction in data size by a factor of 4!!
- sparsity basis used: 2D-Curvelets \otimes wavelets.
- Using ℓ_1 -minimization, reconstruction SNR ~ 10.2 dB

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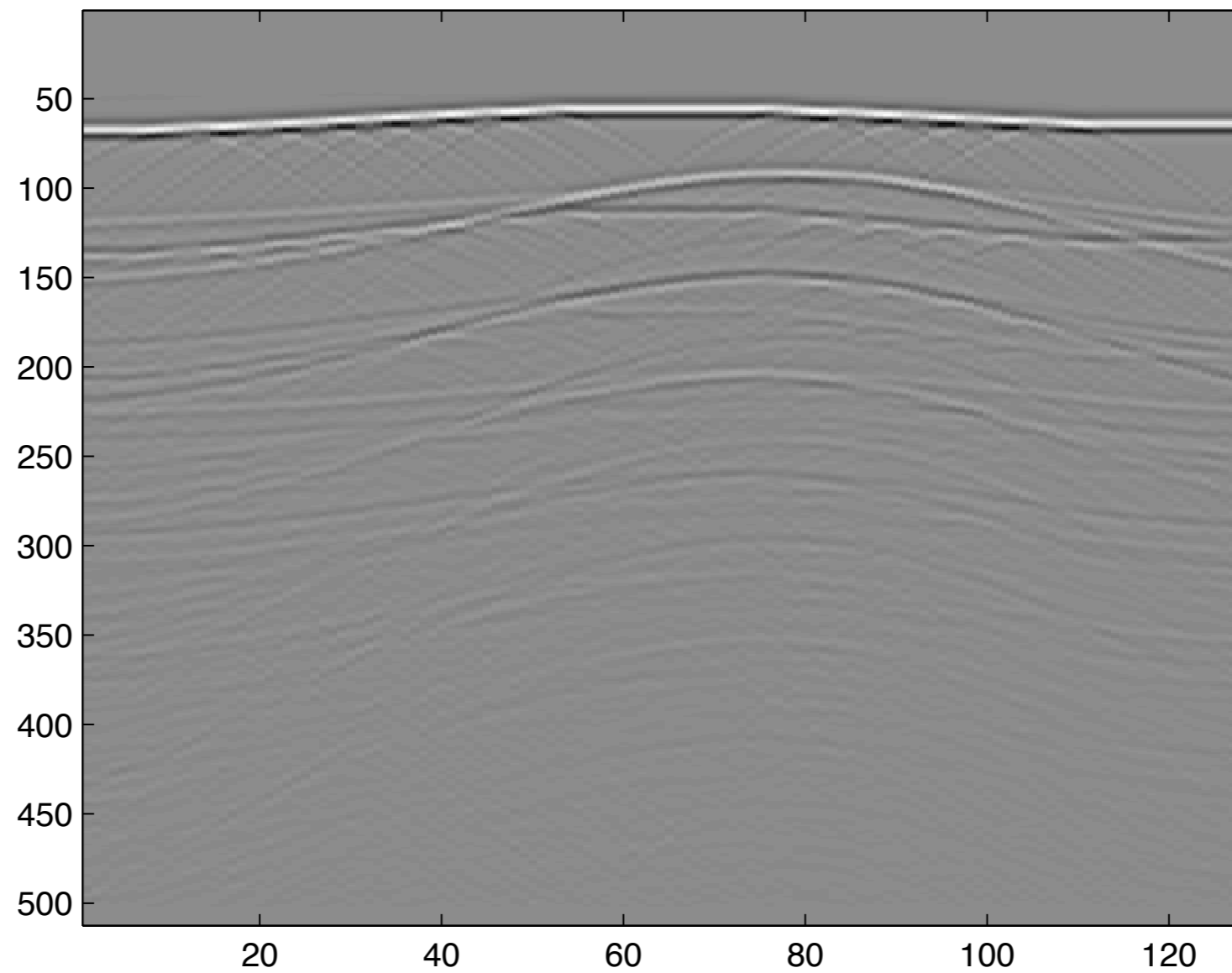


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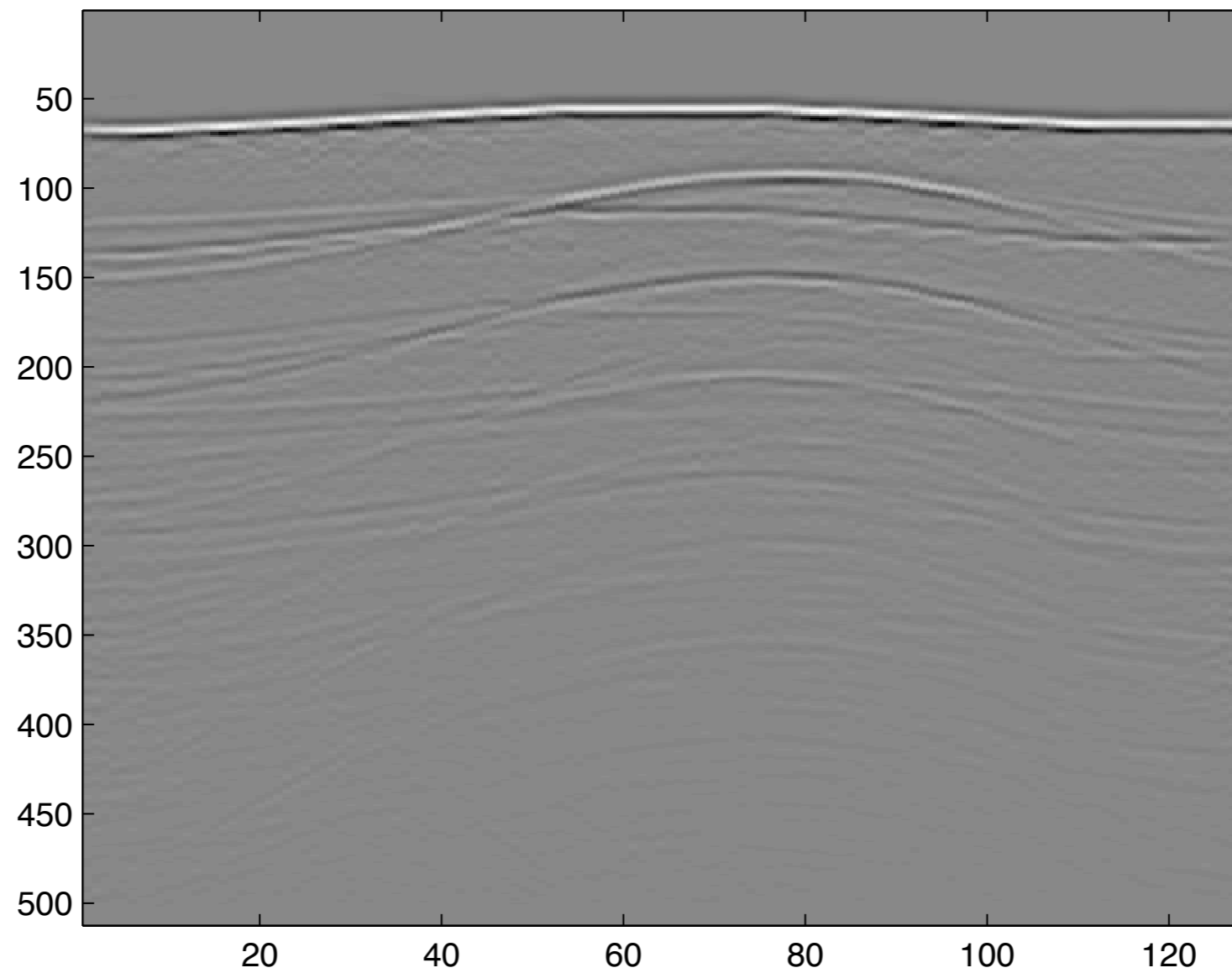


Figure: Reconstructed

Common-offset

y-axis: time in increments of 4ms

x-axis: source number

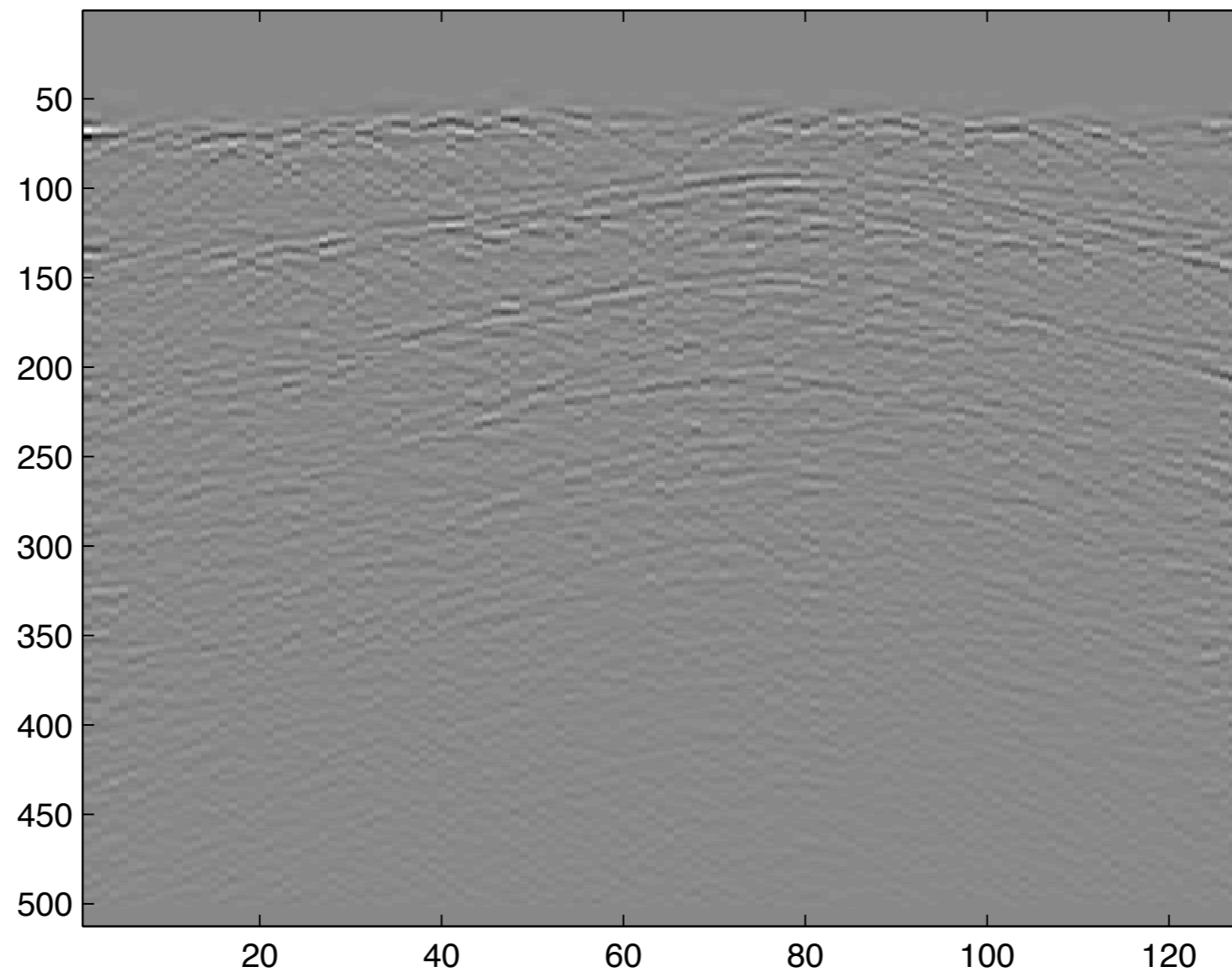


Figure: Difference

Shot record

y-axis: time in increments of 4ms

x-axis: source number

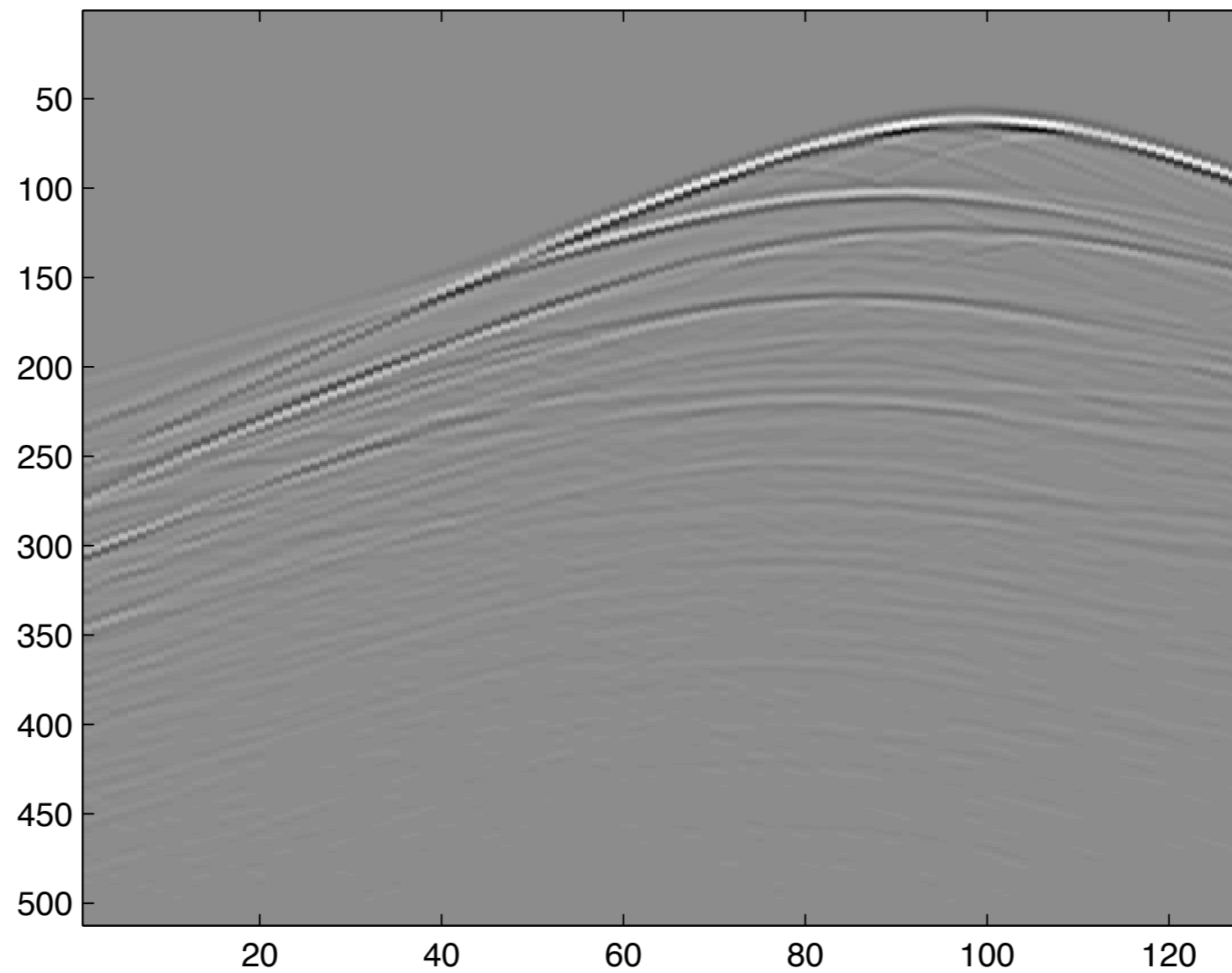


Figure: Original

Shot record

y-axis: time in increments of 4ms

x-axis: source number

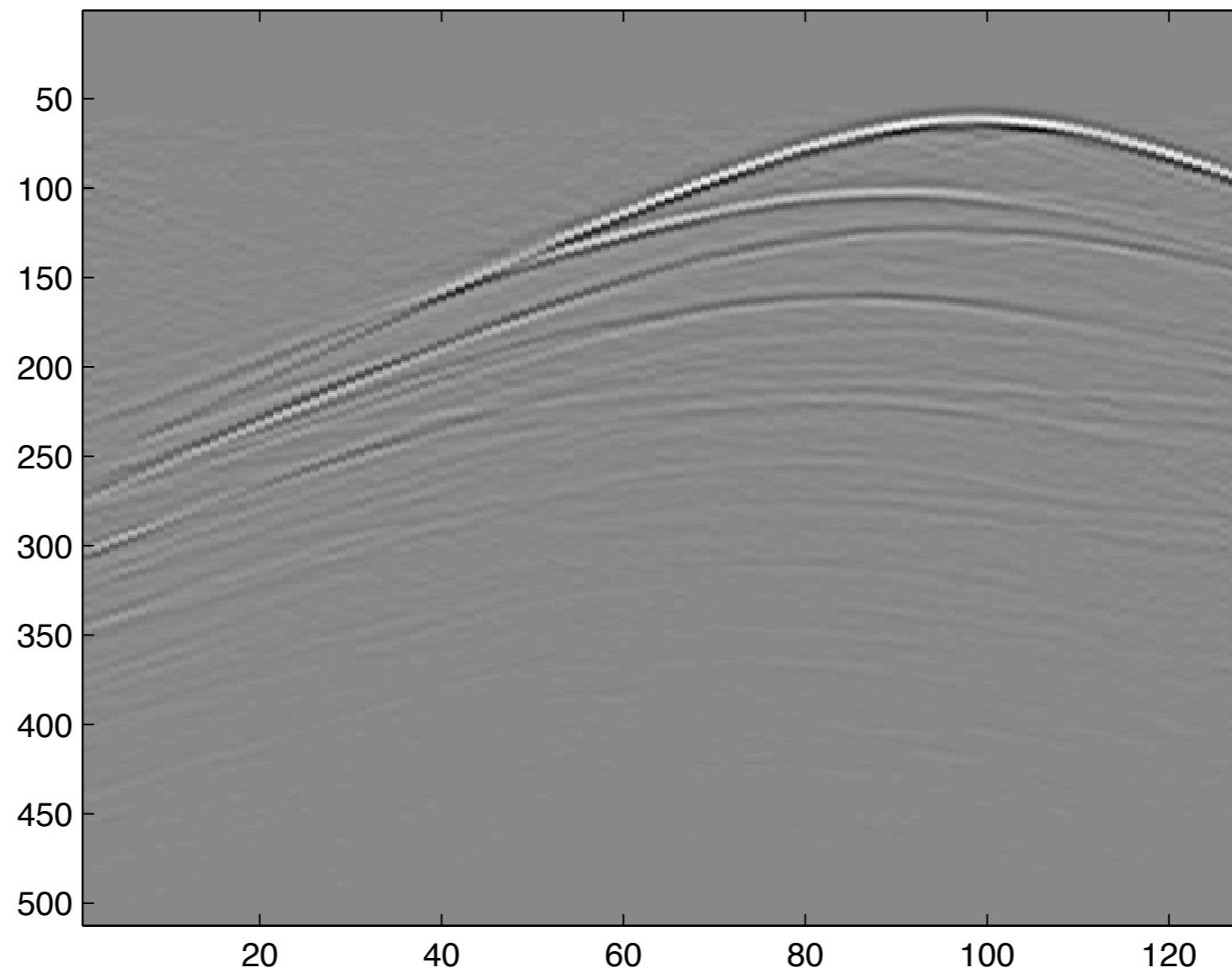


Figure: Reconstructed

Shot record

y-axis: time in increments of 4ms

x-axis: source number

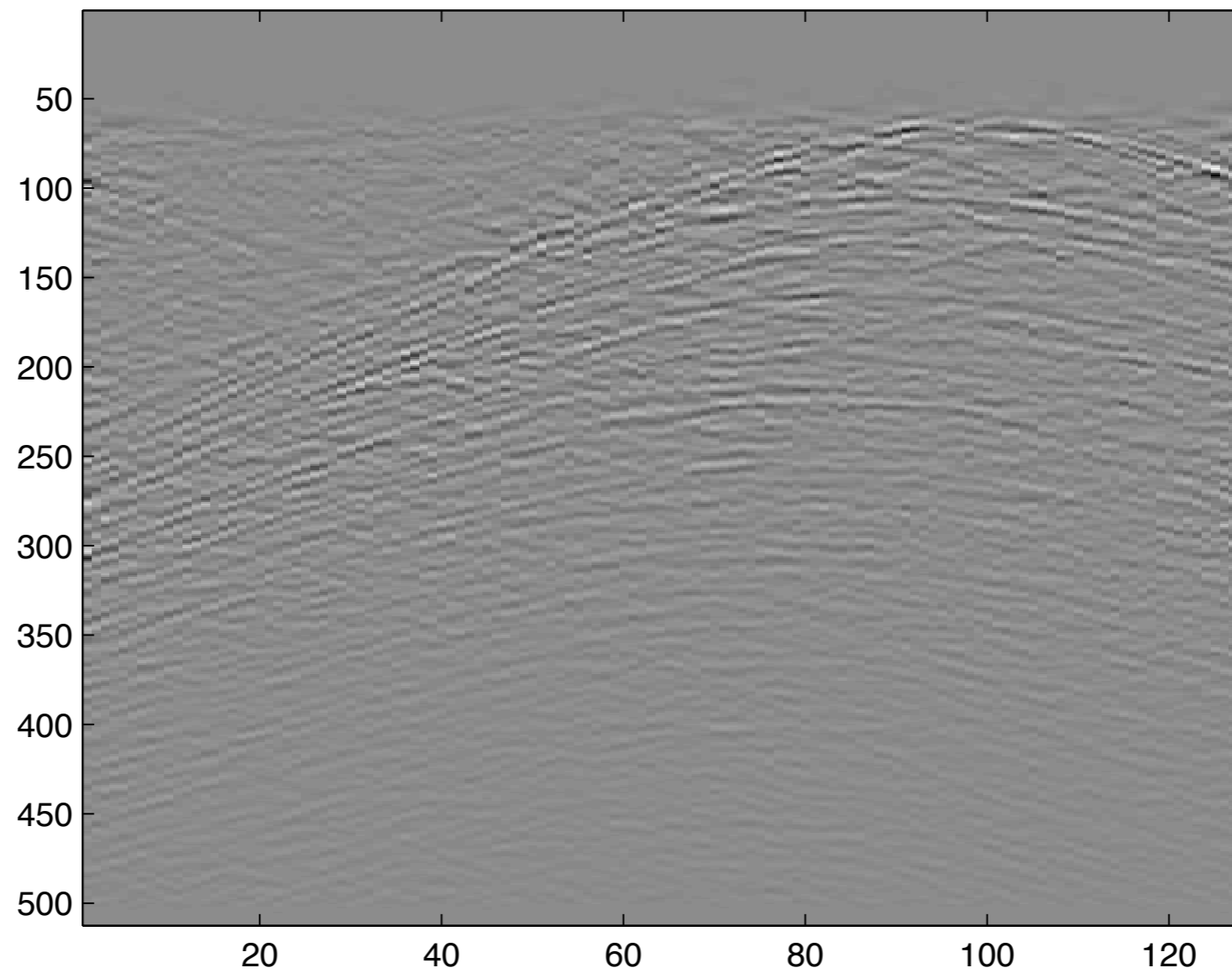


Figure: Difference

time slice, $t = 80 * 4ms$

y-axis: source number

x-axis: receiver number

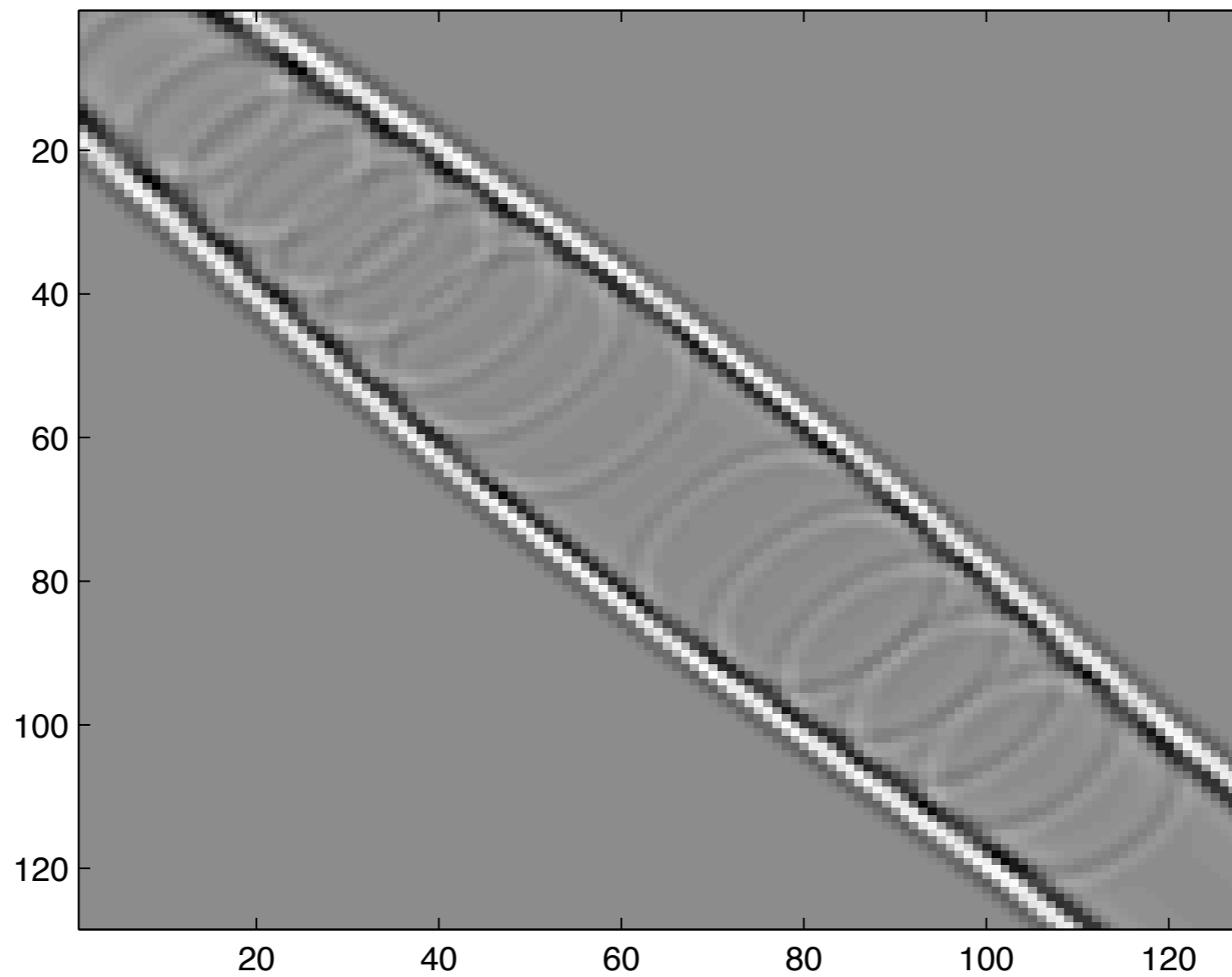


Figure: Original

time slice, $t = 80 * 4ms$

y-axis: source number

x-axis: receiver number

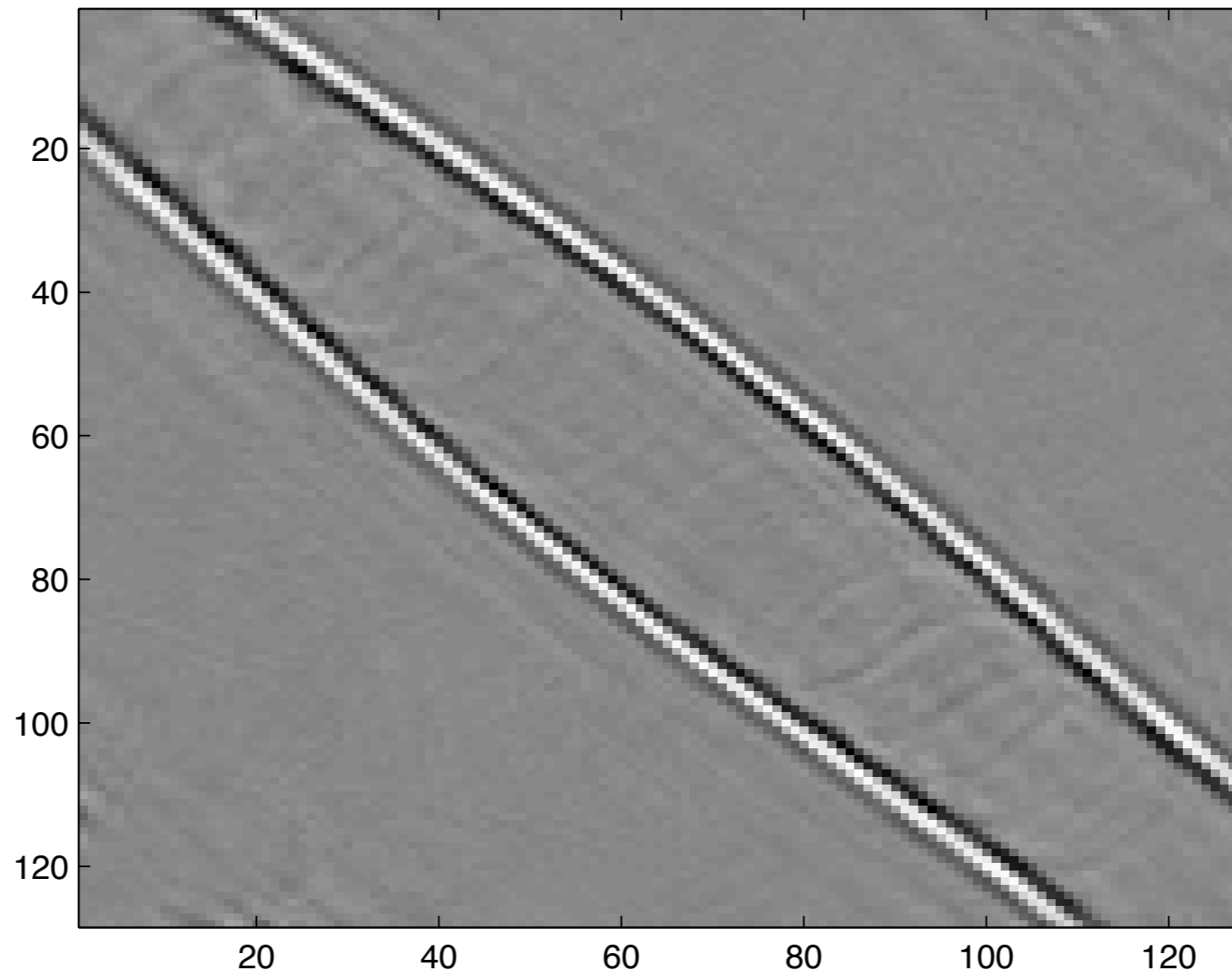


Figure: Reconstructed

time slice, $t = 80 * 4ms$

y-axis: source number

x-axis: receiver number

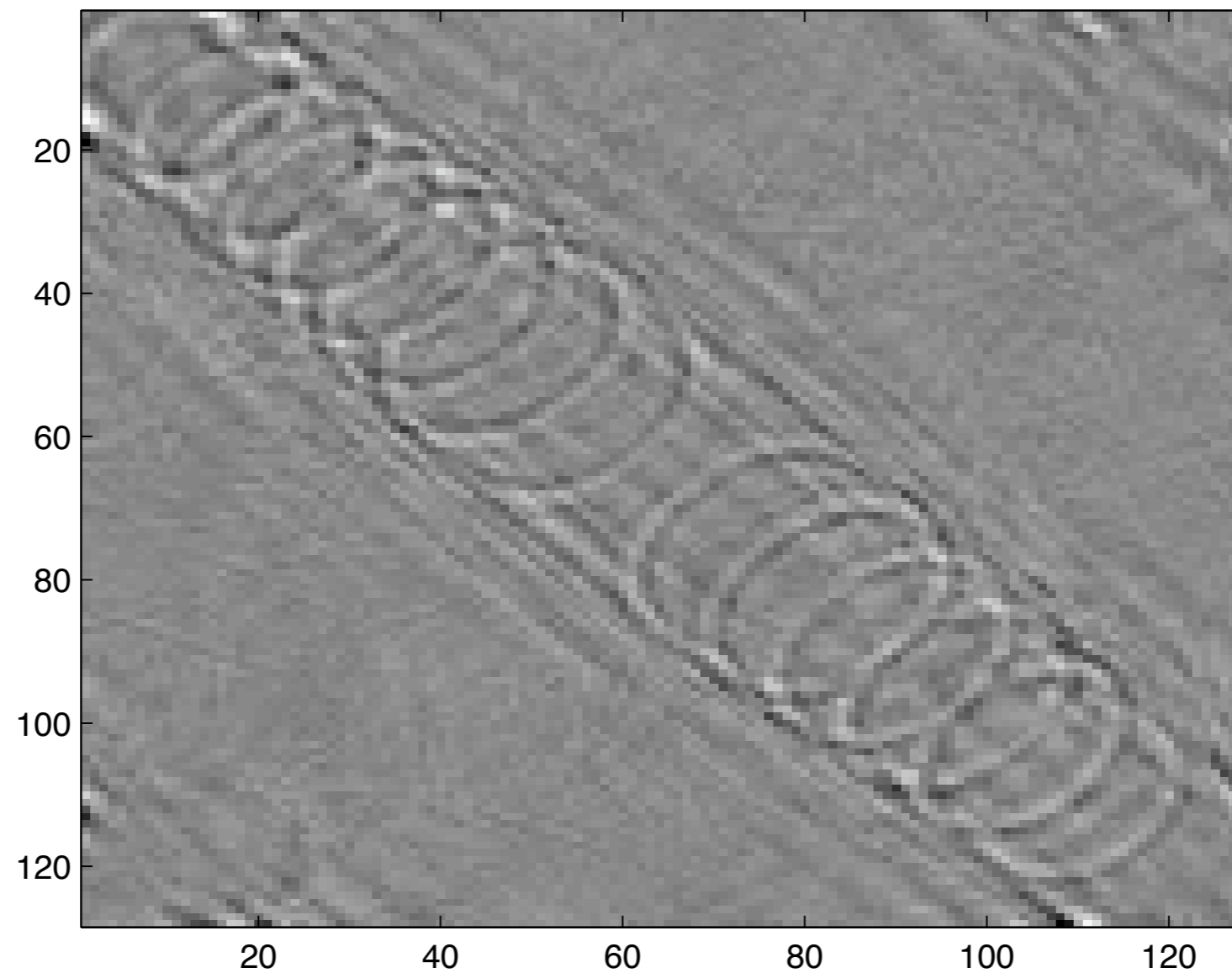


Figure: Difference

Thank you!

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