

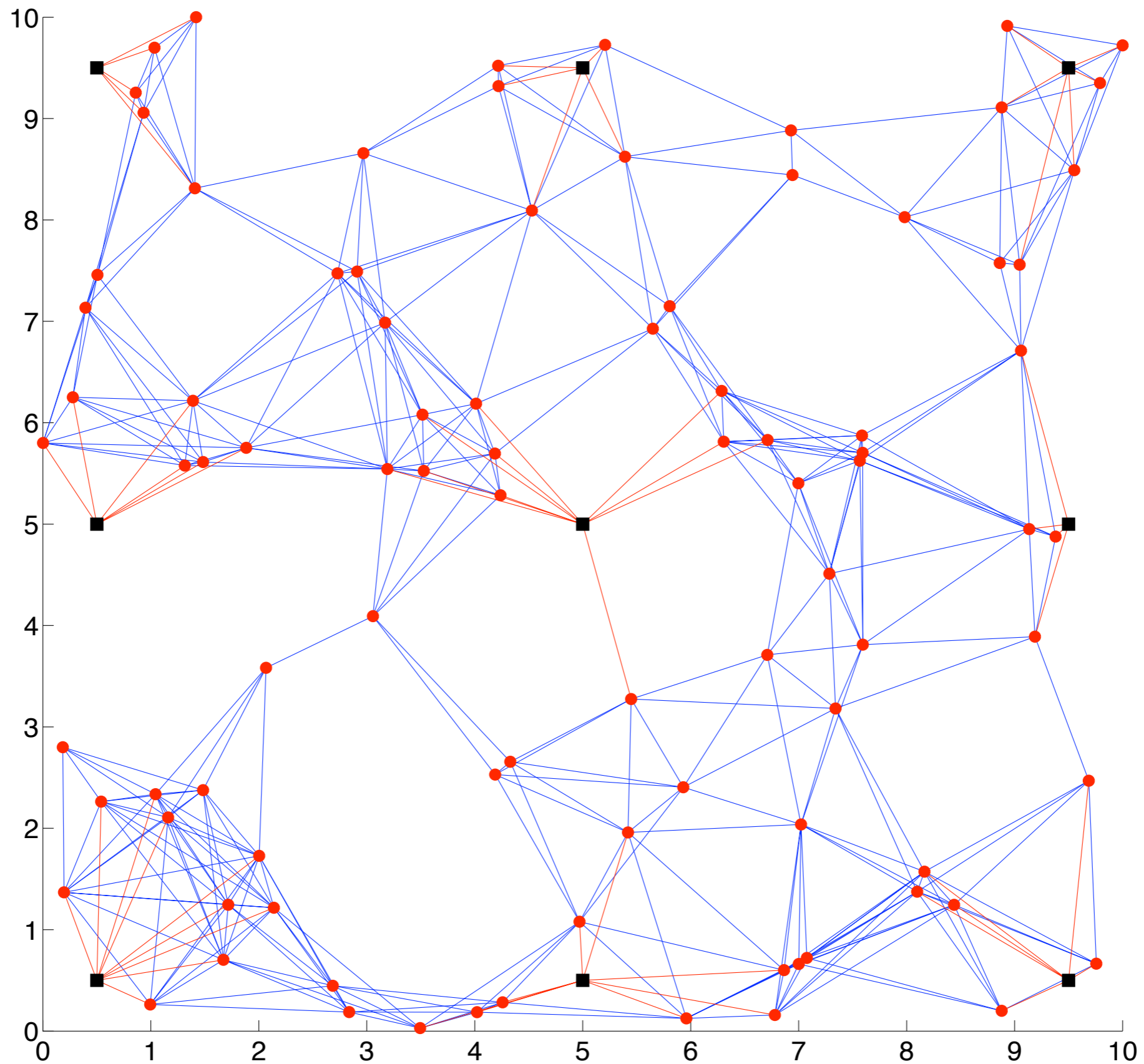
# Wireless Sensor Network Localization

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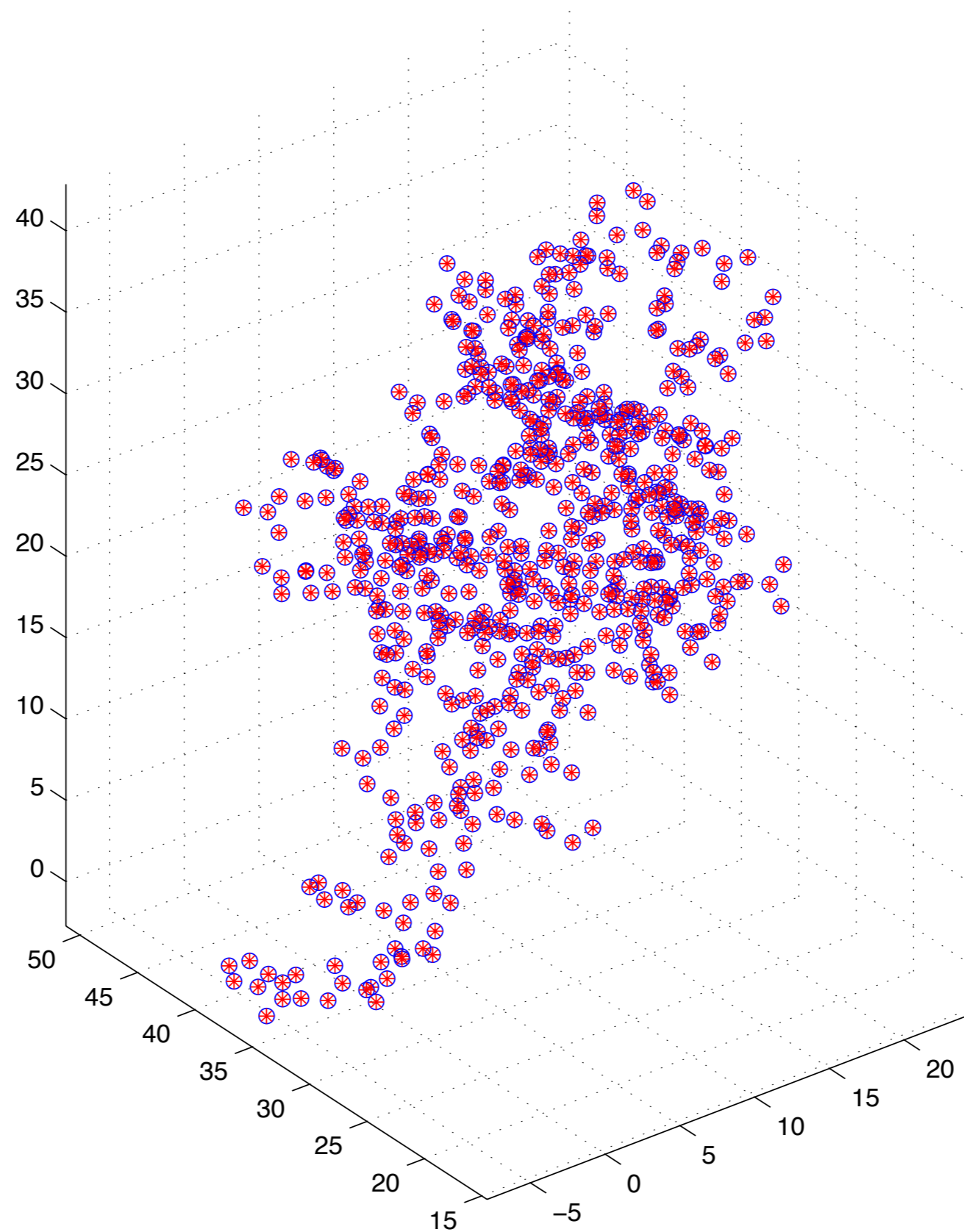
# Sensor Network Localization

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{find} & p_1, \dots, p_n \in \mathbb{R}^3 \\ \text{such that} & \|p_i - p_j\|_2 = d_{ij}, \quad (i, j) \in \mathcal{E} \\ & \|p_i - p_j\|_2 \leq u_{ij}, \quad (i, j) \in \mathcal{U} \\ & \|p_i - p_j\|_2 \geq \ell_{ij}, \quad (i, j) \in \mathcal{L} \end{array}$$

## Applications

- when GPS is not possible / practical
- lightweight, low-cost, low-power sensors to monitor environment
- ocean-bottom sensors used in geophysical applications

# Protein Structure Determination



# Semidefinite Optimization

## A Semidefinite Programming (SDP) Problem

(SDP)

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{minimize} & \langle C, X \rangle \\ \text{subject to} & \langle A_i, X \rangle = b_i, \quad i = 1, \dots, m \\ & X \in \mathcal{S}_+^n \end{array}$$

## Applications

- graph theory
- distance geometry
- combinatorial optimization
- low-rank matrix completion
- polynomial optimization
- quantum computing
- machine learning
- control theory



# Euclidean Distance Matrices

## Euclidean Distance Matrices (EDMs)

- An  $n \times n$  matrix  $D$  is an EDM if

$$\exists p_1, \dots, p_n \in \mathbb{R}^k : D_{ij} = \|p_i - p_j\|_2^2 \quad (1)$$

- The embedding dimension of  $D$  :

$$\dim(D) = \min\{k : (1) \text{ holds}\}$$

- $\mathcal{E}^n$  = the set of all  $n \times n$  EDMs

# Euclidean Distance Matrices

## EDMs and Semidefinite Matrices

- Let  $p_1, \dots, p_n \in \mathbb{R}^k$  and  $D$  be their EDM
- Let  $Y \in \mathcal{S}^n$  be the **Gram matrix**:

$$Y_{ij} = p_i^T p_j, \quad \forall ij$$

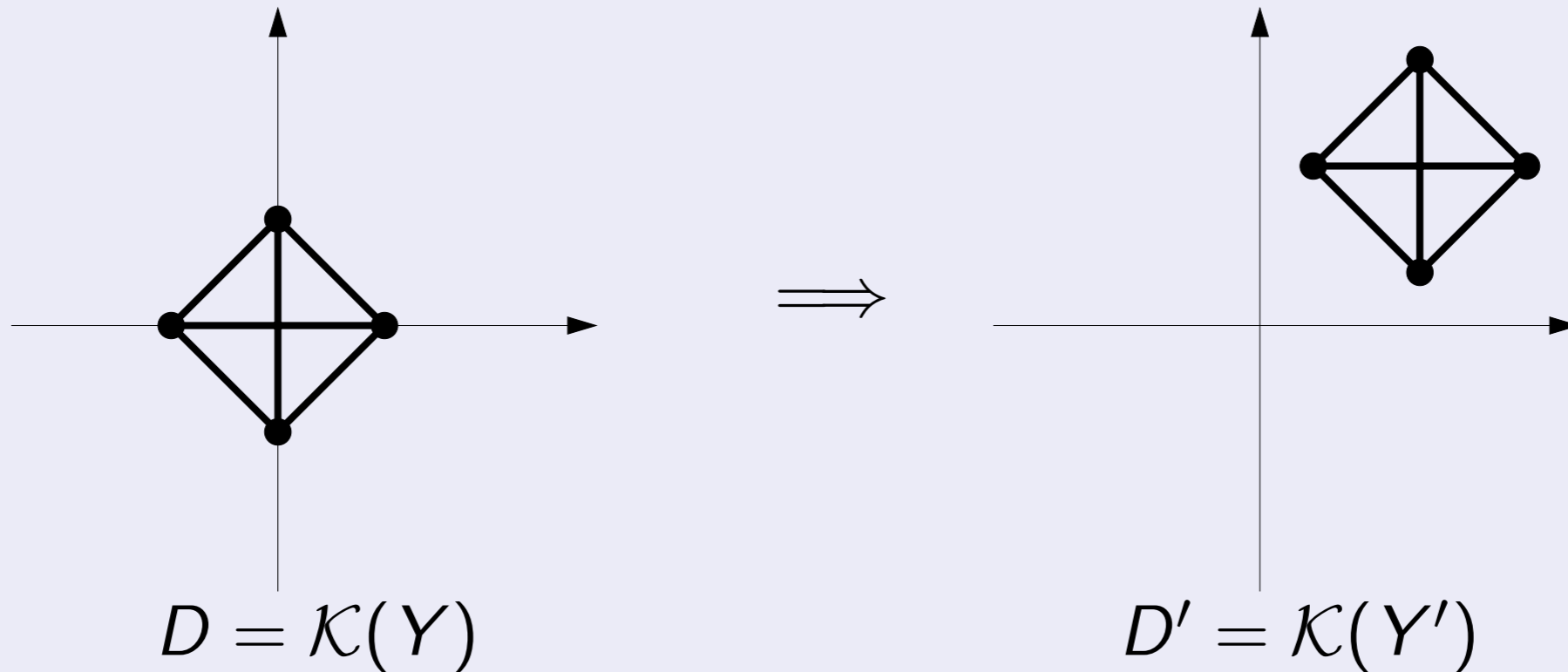
- Then  $Y$  is a semidefinite matrix:  $Y \in \mathcal{S}_+^n$

$$\begin{aligned} D_{ij} &= \|p_i - p_j\|_2^2 \\ &= p_i^T p_i - 2p_i^T p_j + p_j^T p_j \\ &= Y_{ii} - 2Y_{ij} + Y_{jj} \\ &= \mathcal{K}(Y)_{ij} \end{aligned}$$

- Therefore:  $\mathcal{K}(\mathcal{S}_+^n) = \mathcal{E}^n$

# Euclidean Distance Matrices

Translation:  $D = D'$  but  $Y \neq Y'$



Centered matrices:  $\mathcal{S}_C^n = \{Y \in \mathcal{S}^n : \sum_{ij} Y_{ij} = 0\}$

- $\mathcal{K} : \mathcal{S}_+^n \cap \mathcal{S}_C^n \rightarrow \mathcal{E}^n$  is a **linear bijection**
- If  $D = \mathcal{K}(Y)$  and  $Y \in \mathcal{S}_+^n \cap \mathcal{S}_C^n$ , then  **$\dim(D) = \text{rank}(Y)$**



# Euclidean Distance Matrices

## Sensor network localization (vector form)

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{find} && p_1, \dots, p_n \in \mathbb{R}^3 \\ &\text{such that} && \|p_i - p_j\|_2^2 = d_{ij}^2, \quad (i, j) \in \mathcal{E} \end{aligned}$$

## Sensor network localization (matrix form)

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{minimize} && \text{rank}(Y) \\ &\text{such that} && Y_{ii} - 2Y_{ij} + Y_{jj} = d_{ij}^2, \quad (i, j) \in \mathcal{E} \\ &&& \sum_{ij} Y_{ij} = 0 \\ &&& Y \in \mathcal{S}_+^n \end{aligned}$$

# Sensor Network Localization

## Sensor network localization (non-convex and NP-hard)

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## Semidefinite relaxation (convex and poly-time solvable)

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{maximize} && \text{trace}(Y) \\ &\text{such that} && Y_{ii} - 2Y_{ij} + Y_{jj} = d_{ij}^2, \quad (i, j) \in \mathcal{E} \\ &&& \sum_{ij} Y_{ij} = 0 \\ &&& Y \in \mathcal{S}_+^n \end{aligned}$$

# Handling Noisy Measurements

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{minimize} && \|\varepsilon\|_2 + \|\eta\|_1 + \|\zeta\|_1 \\ &\text{subject to} && \|p_i - p_j\|_2^2 = d_{ij}^2 + \varepsilon_{ij}, && (i, j) \in \mathcal{E} \\ &&& \|p_i - p_j\|_2^2 \leq u_{ij}^2 + \eta_{ij}, \quad \eta_{ij} \geq 0, && (i, j) \in \mathcal{U} \\ &&& \|p_i - p_j\|_2^2 \geq \ell_{ij}^2 - \zeta_{ij}, \quad \zeta_{ij} \geq 0, && (i, j) \in \mathcal{L} \\ &&& p_1, \dots, p_n \in \mathbb{R}^3 \end{aligned}$$

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# Incorporating Angle Information

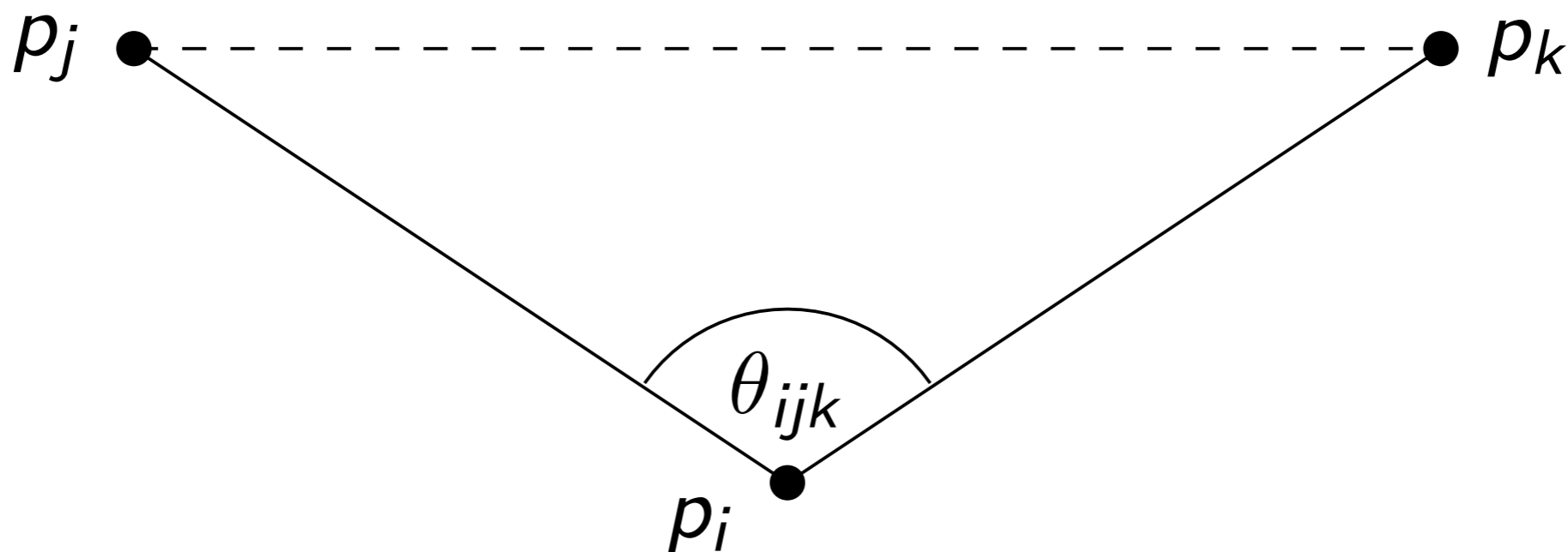
## Two methods

- Law of Cosines:

$$\begin{aligned}\|p_j - p_k\|_2^2 &= \|p_i - p_j\|_2^2 + \|p_i - p_k\|_2^2 \\ &\quad - 2 \|p_i - p_j\|_2 \|p_i - p_k\|_2 \cos(\theta_{ijk})\end{aligned}$$

- Inner-Product Formula:

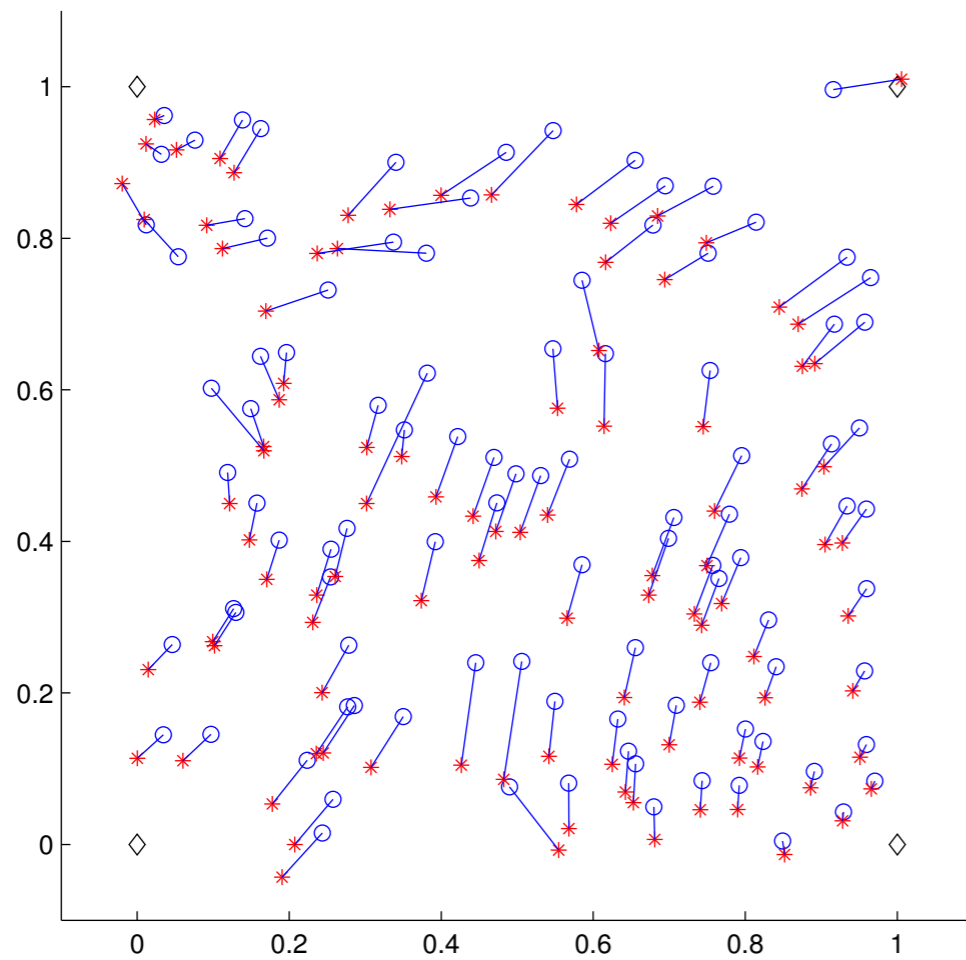
$$(p_i - p_j)^T (p_i - p_k) = \|p_i - p_j\|_2 \|p_i - p_k\|_2 \cos(\theta_{ijk})$$



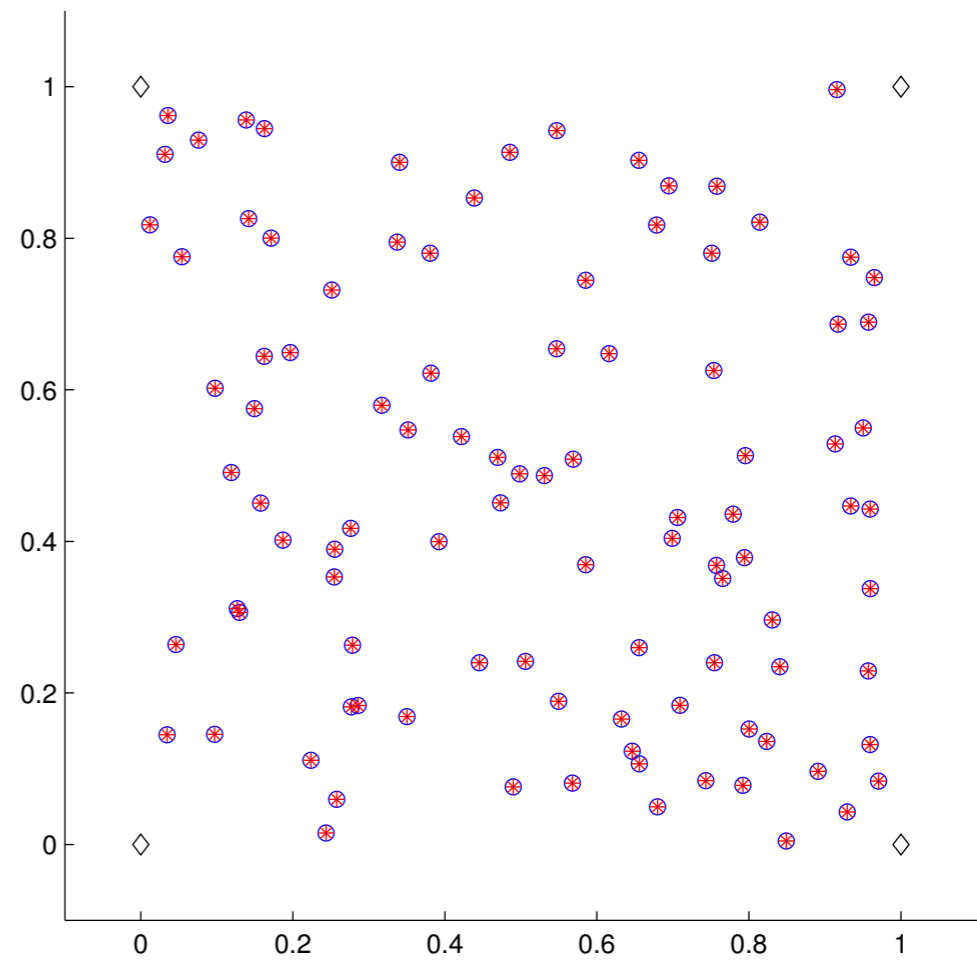
# MATLAB/CVX code

```
cvx_begin
variable Y(n,n) symmetric
variable N(n,n) symmetric
maximize( trace(Y) - norm(N,'fro') )
subject to
for ii=1:n
    for jj=ii+1:n
        if D(ii,jj) > 0
            Y(ii,ii) - 2*Y(ii,jj) + Y(jj,jj) == D(ii,jj) + N(ii,jj)
        end
    end
end
end
sum(Y(:)) == 0
Y == semidefinite(n)
cvx_end
```

# Different Radio Range

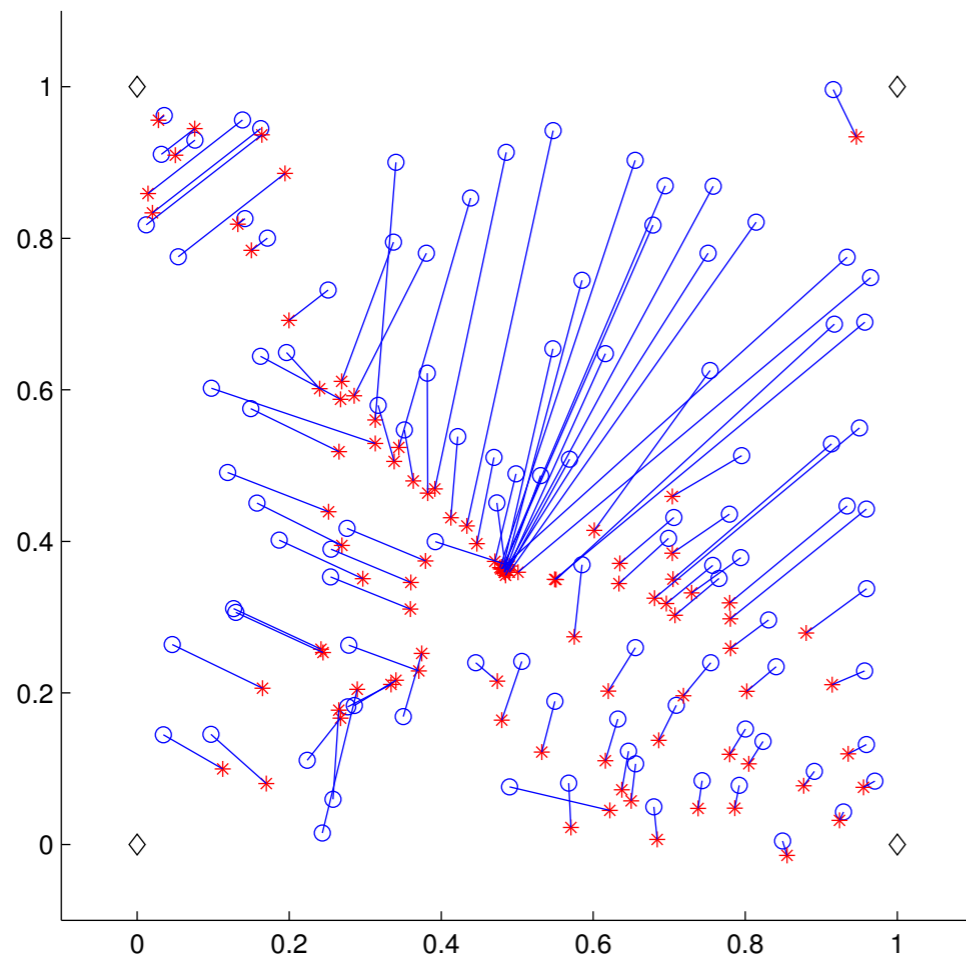


$\rho = .15$

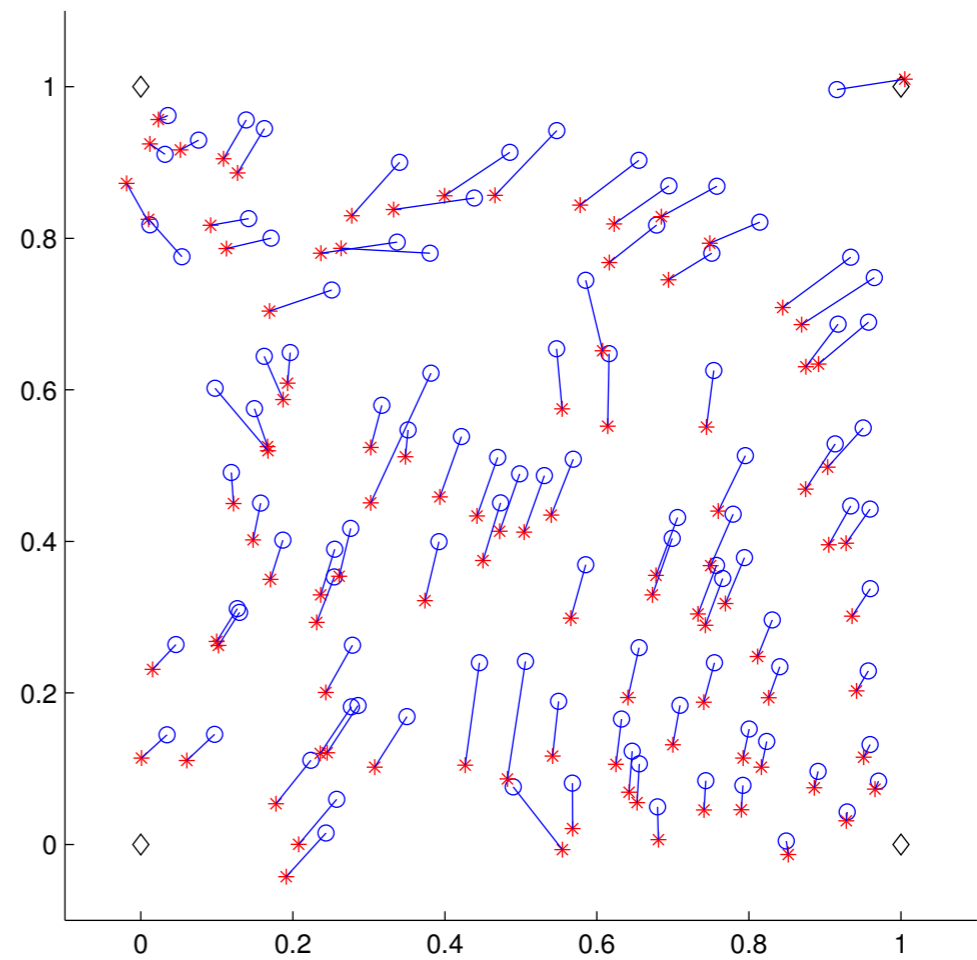


$\rho = .25$

# Maximizing trace( $Y$ )



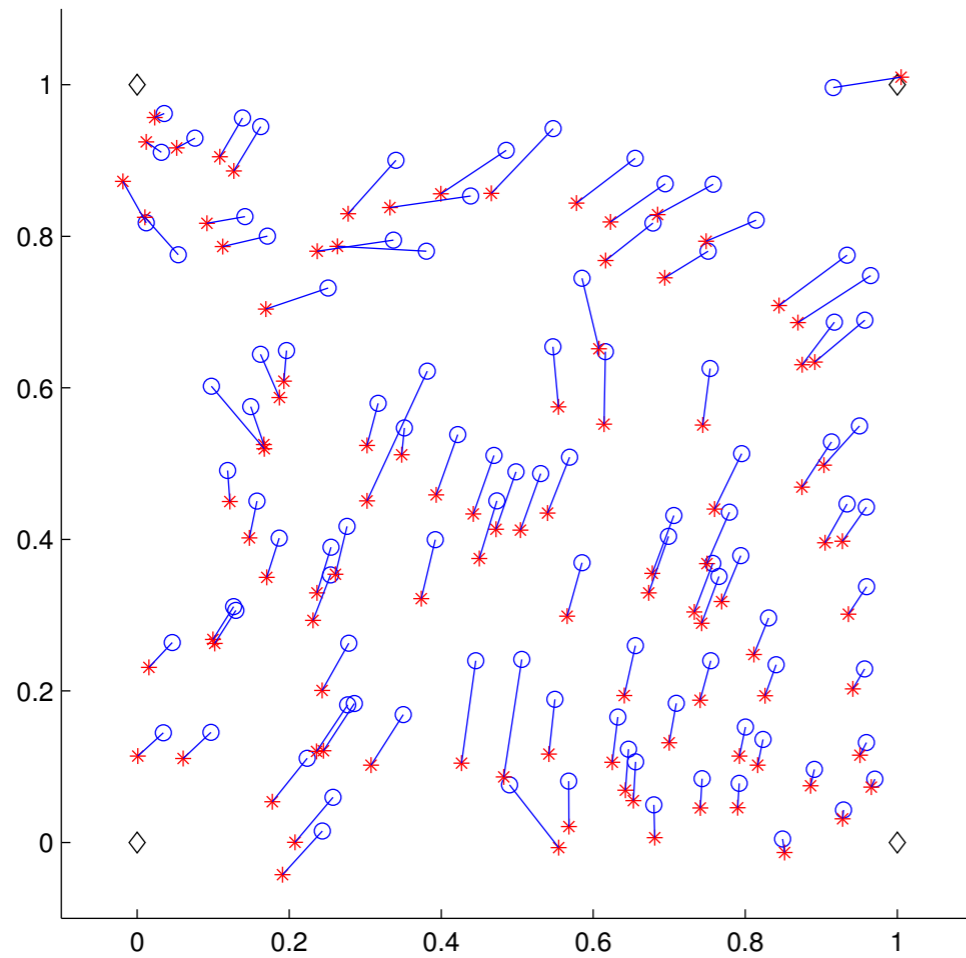
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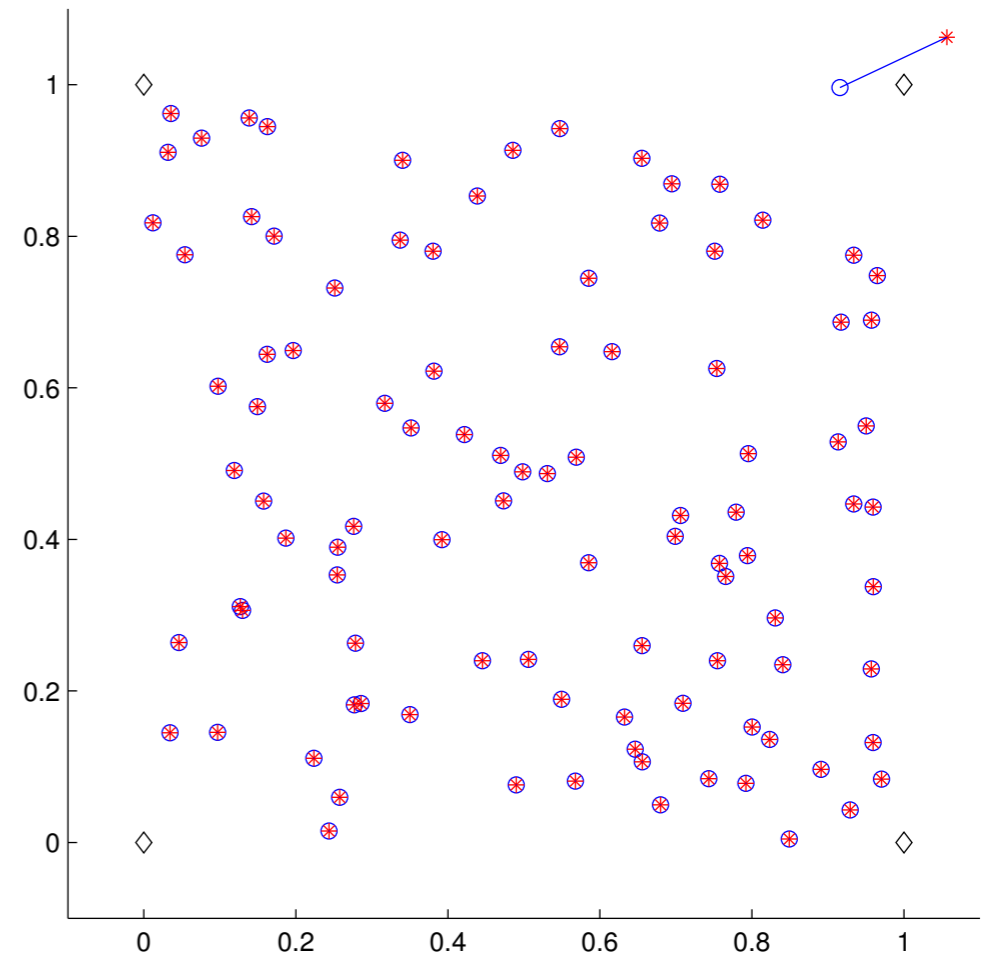
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# Angle Constraints

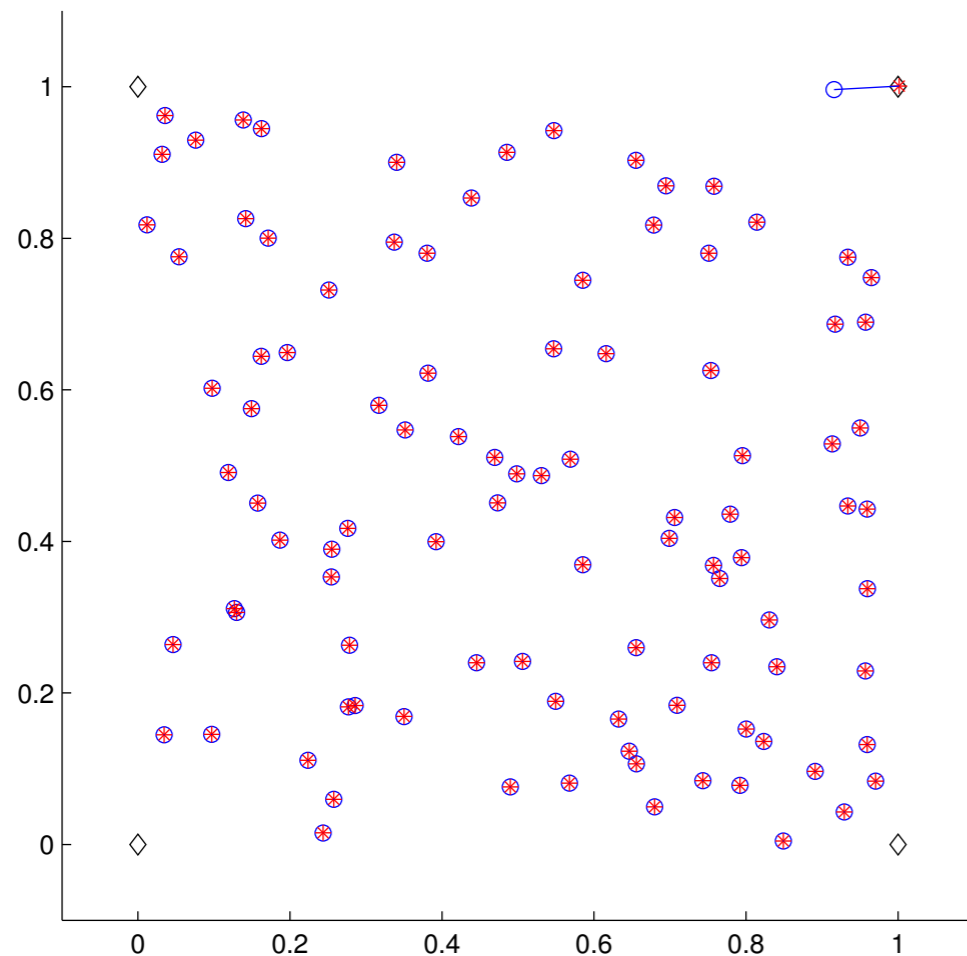


$\rho = .15$ , without angles

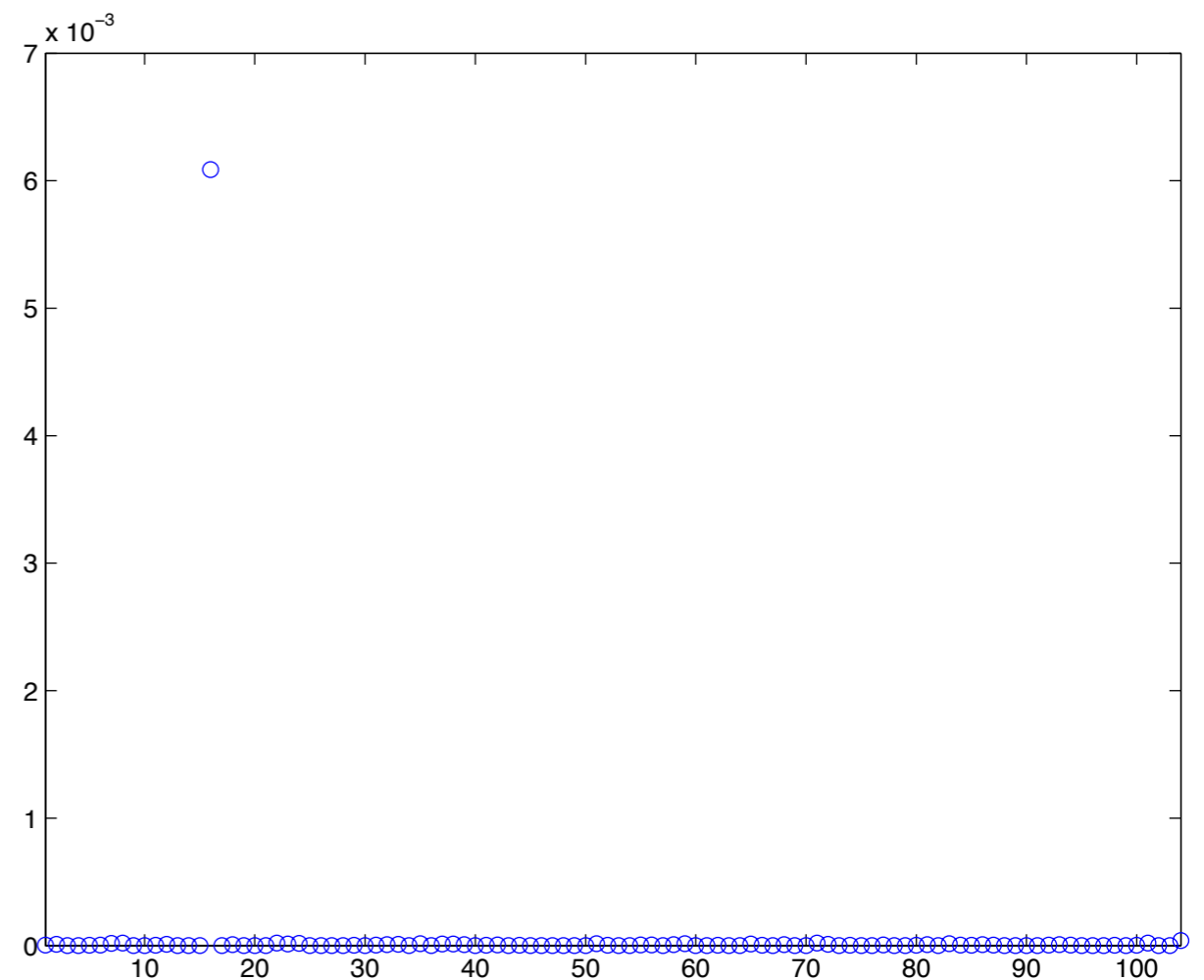


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# Determining Incorrect Sensors



sensor incorrectly placed



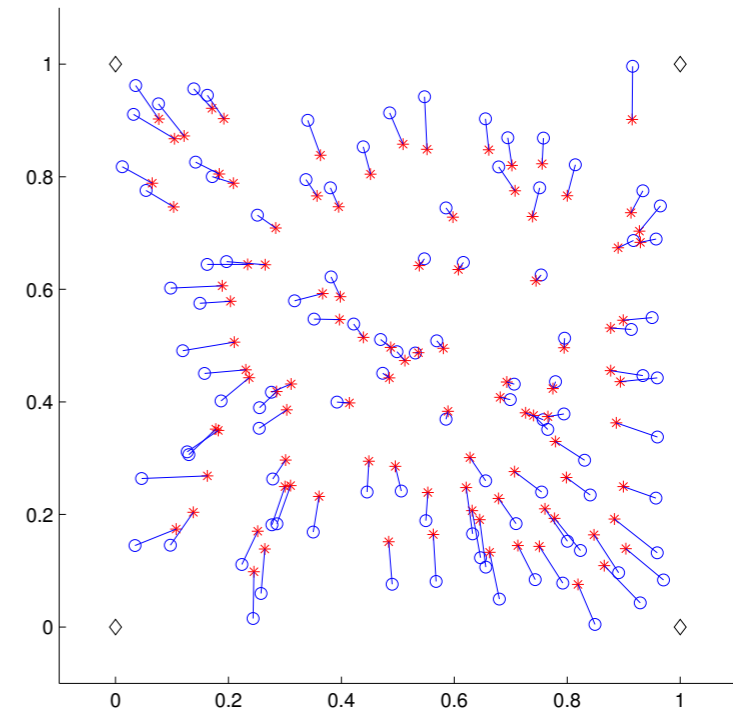
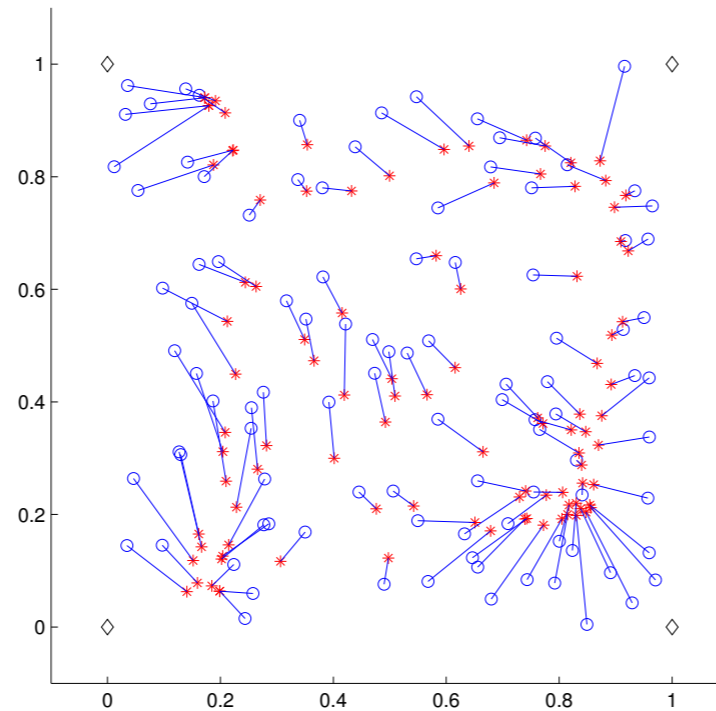
$| \text{diag}(Y - PP^T) |$

# Noisy Measurements (10% multiplicative noise)

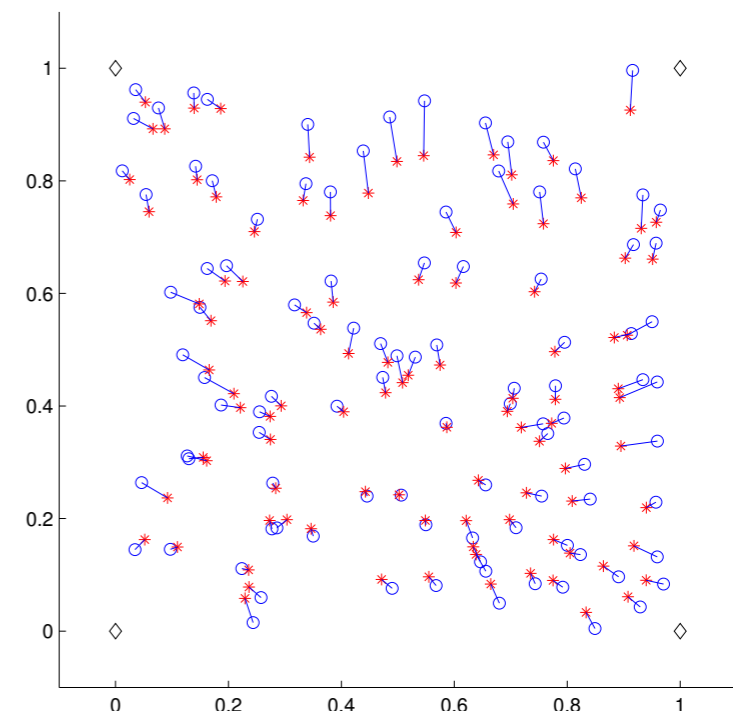
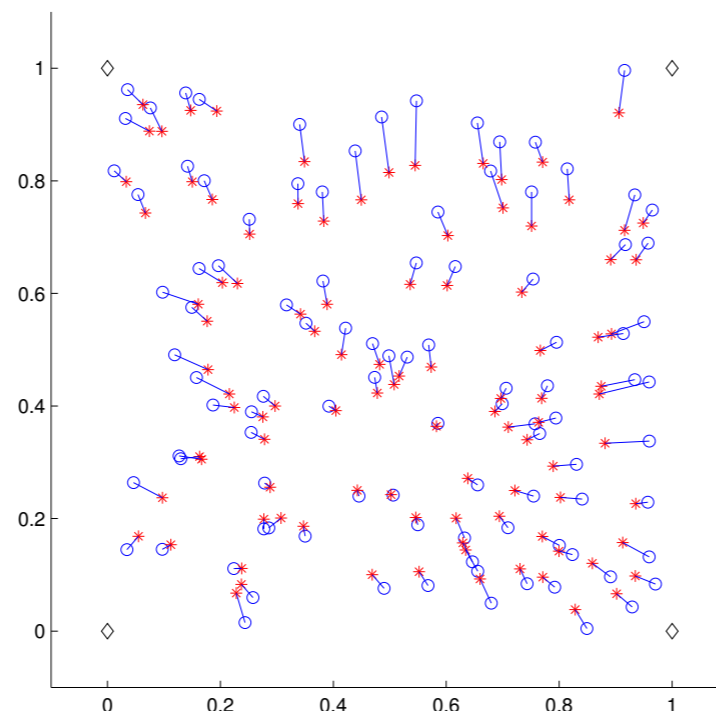
no max trace

max trace

no min error



min error



# Post-Processing

- Semidefinite optimization provides a high-quality starting solution for local gradient-based optimization:

$$\min_{P \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 3}} \left\{ \phi(P) = \sum_{(i,j) \in \mathcal{E}} (\|p_i - p_j\|_2 - d_{ij})^2 \right\}$$

# Large-Scale Problems

- Random problems *without noise*
- Dimension:  $d = 2$
- Square region:  $[0, 1] \times [0, 1]$
- 4 anchor nodes
- Root-mean-square error:

$$\text{Error} = \left( \frac{1}{\# \text{ positioned}} \sum_{i \text{ positioned}} \|p_i - p_i^{\text{true}}\|^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

- The open source software **SNLSDPclique** is available from my website under the GNU Public License
- MATLAB (MacBook with 2.16 GHz Intel Core 2 Duo and 2 GB RAM)

# Large-Scale Problems

# sensors	Radio range of sensors	# sensors positioned	CPU time	Error
2000	.06	1999.9	1 s	3e-13
2000	.05	1996.7	1 s	2e-13
2000	.04	1273.8	3 s	4e-12
6000	.06	6000.0	4 s	7e-14
6000	.05	6000.0	3 s	1e-13
6000	.04	5999.4	3 s	3e-13
10000	.06	10000.0	8 s	1e-13
10000	.05	10000.0	7 s	2e-13
10000	.04	10000.0	6 s	1e-13
20000	.030	20000.0	17 s	2e-13
60000	.015	60000.0	1 m 53 s	7e-13
100000	.011	100000.0	5 m 46 s	9e-11

Figure: Facial representation approach



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Figure: Point representation approach



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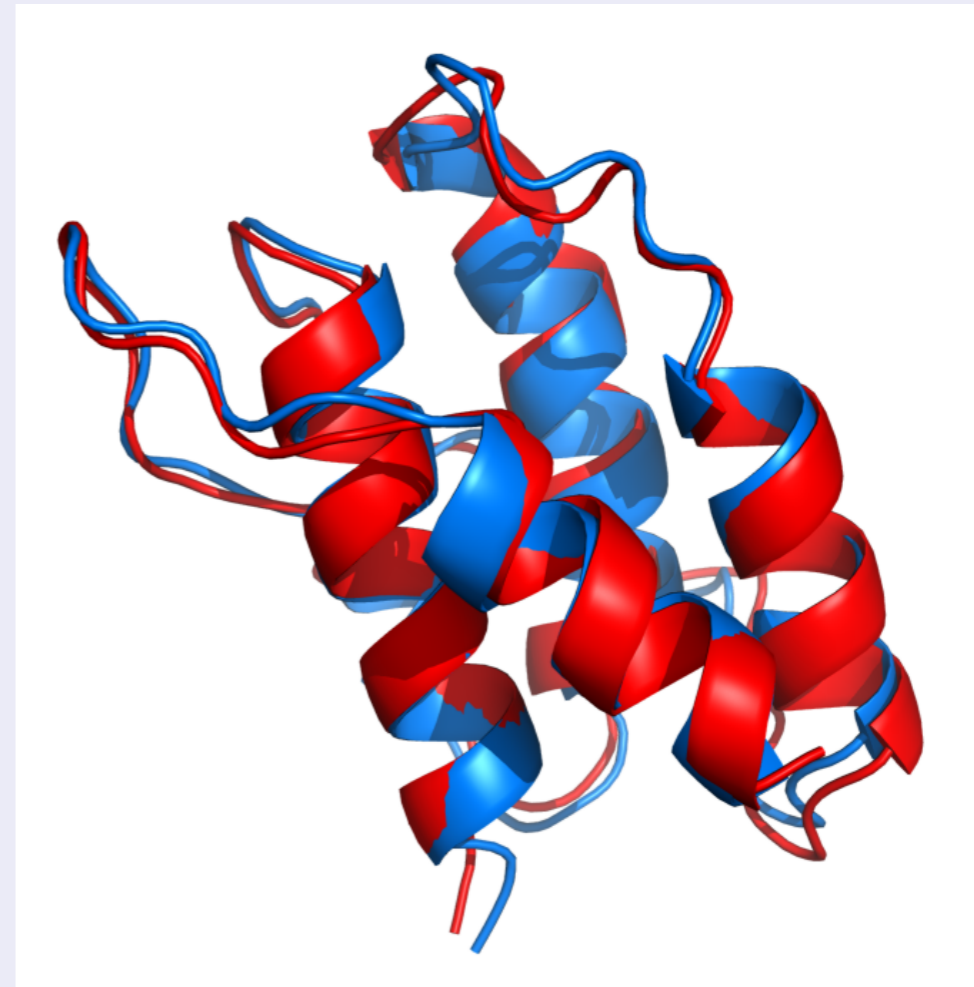
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# Protein Structure Determination

## Protein 2L30 from the Protein Data Bank

- 127 amino acids
- 393 cliques: 269 2D + 124 3D
- SDP size = 1867
- reduced size = 512
- equality constraints = 7143
- reduced number of equality constraints = 1492
- SDP solution time = 61.7s



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# Summary

- we described how to solve localization problems using semidefinite optimization
- semidefinite optimization provides a high-quality solution to use as a starting point to gradient-based methods
- the high complexity of semidefinite solvers limits their direct use on large-scale problems

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