

Low-rank Promoting Transformations and Tensor Interpolation - Applications to Seismic Data Denoising

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Motivation

3D seismic experiments - 5D data

- expensive to acquire, store
- sample at *sub-Nyquist* rates

Data exhibits *low-rank* structure

- exploit structure for interpolation

Fully sampled data

- simultaneous sources in wave-equation based inversion
- mitigating multiples

Oropeza, and Sacchi. "Simultaneous seismic data denoising and reconstruction via multichannel singular spectrum analysis." Geophysics 2011.

Why window?

Embedding high dimensional data in an even higher dimensional space

- e.g. 4 dimensions \rightarrow 8 dimensions
- can't handle large volumes

Window with k events \rightarrow rank k embedding

- sensitive to choice of k -parameter, no automatic way to choose it

Why window?

SVD-free matrix completion

- applied to the *original* data volume
- *no need* to embed data in higher dimensions
- # parameters \ll ambient dimension
- less sensitive to rank parameters

Can we still window to reduce computational costs?

Windowing vs signal model

Low rank matrix completion

$$\underset{\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}}{\text{minimize}} \quad \|\mathbf{X}\|_*$$

$$\text{such that } \|\mathcal{A}(\mathbf{X}) - \mathbf{B}\|_2 \leq \sigma$$

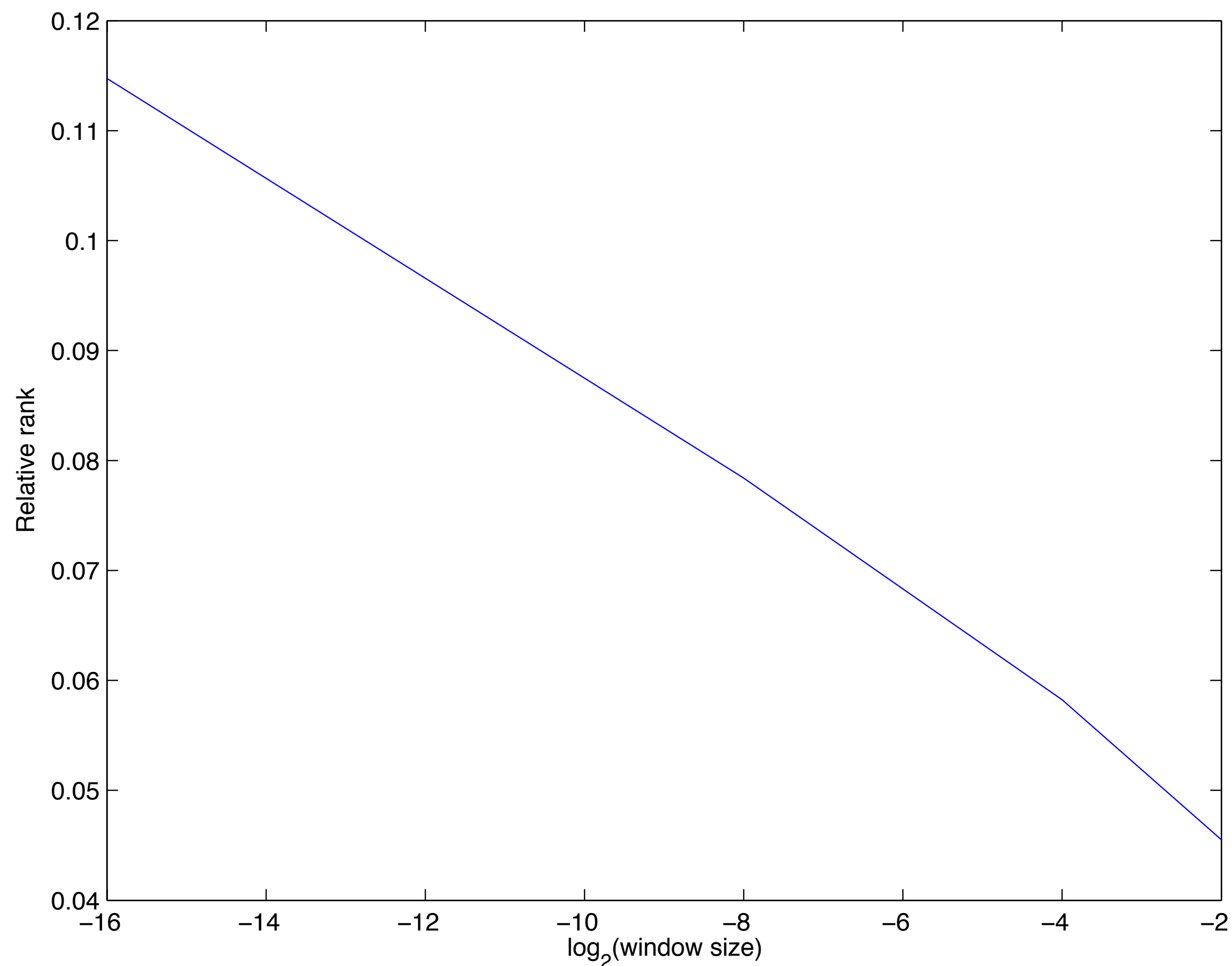
Underlying assumption: low *relative* rank

- not just that $\text{rank}(\mathbf{X})$ is small but $\frac{\text{rank}(\mathbf{X})}{\min(m, n)}$ is small

Windowing decreases ambient dimension and rank, but not necessarily *relative* rank

$$\frac{\text{rank}(\mathbf{X})}{\min(m, n)}$$

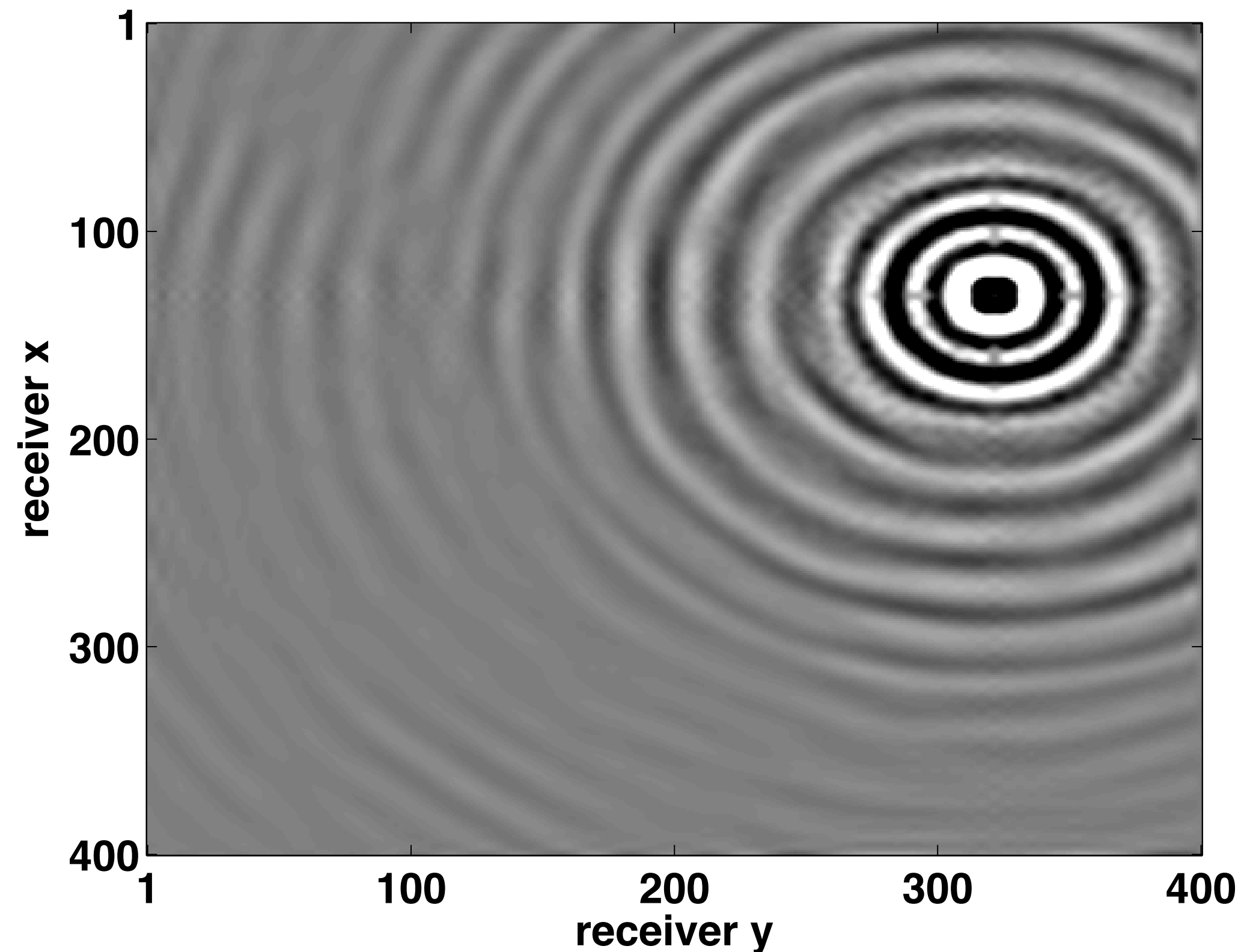
smaller is better



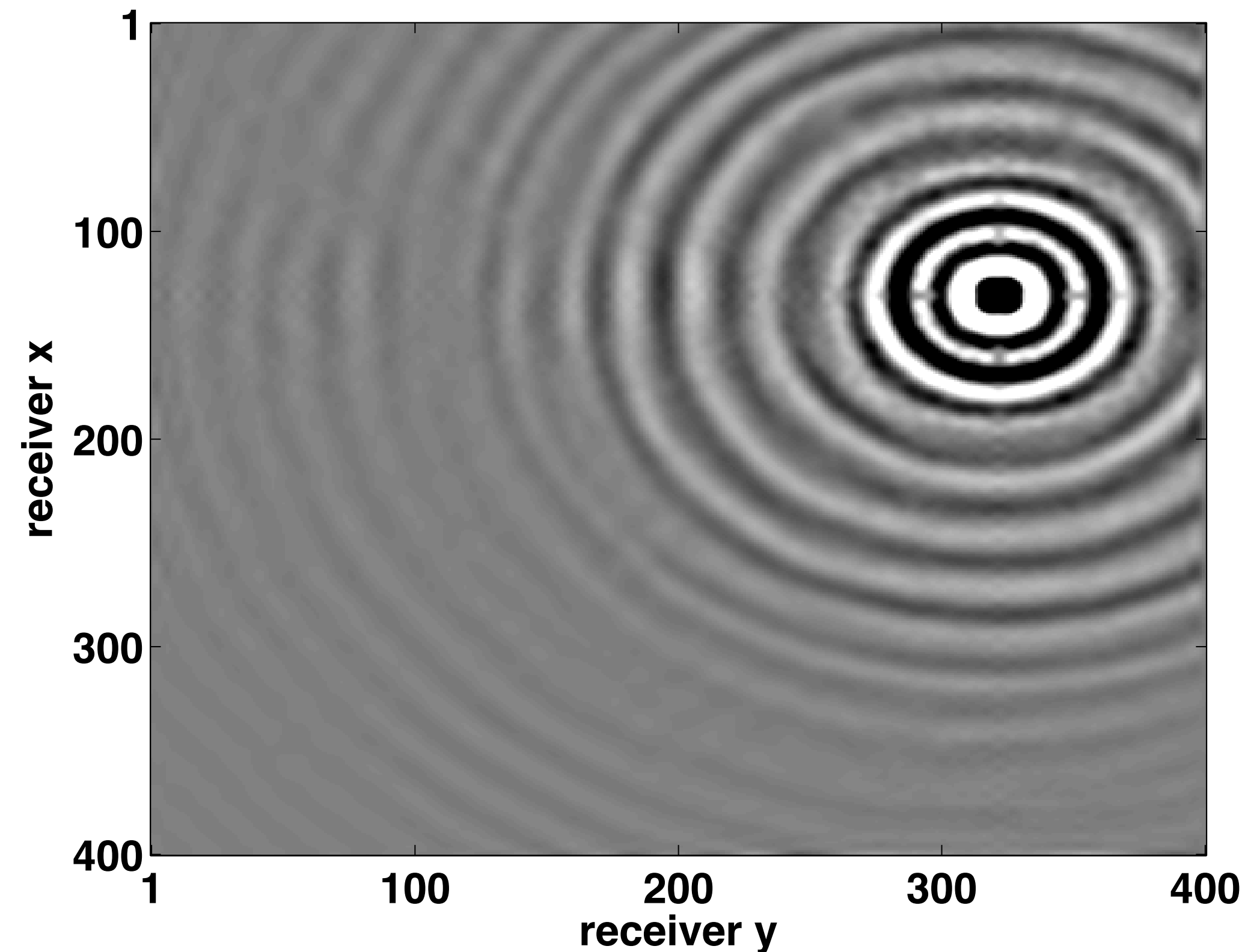
← smaller window

bigger window →

68 x 68 sources, 101 x 101 receivers, 4.68 Hz
75% randomly missing sources

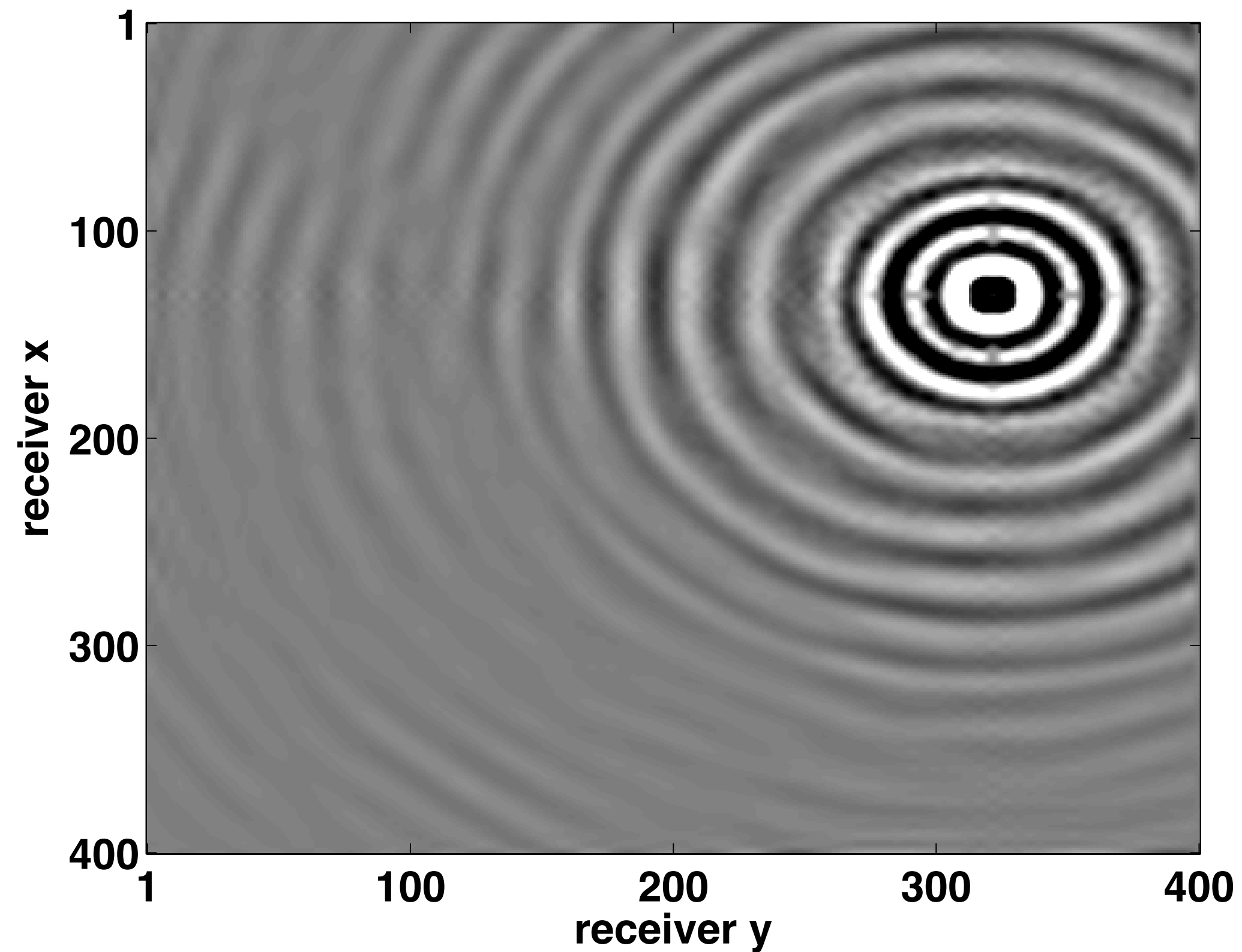


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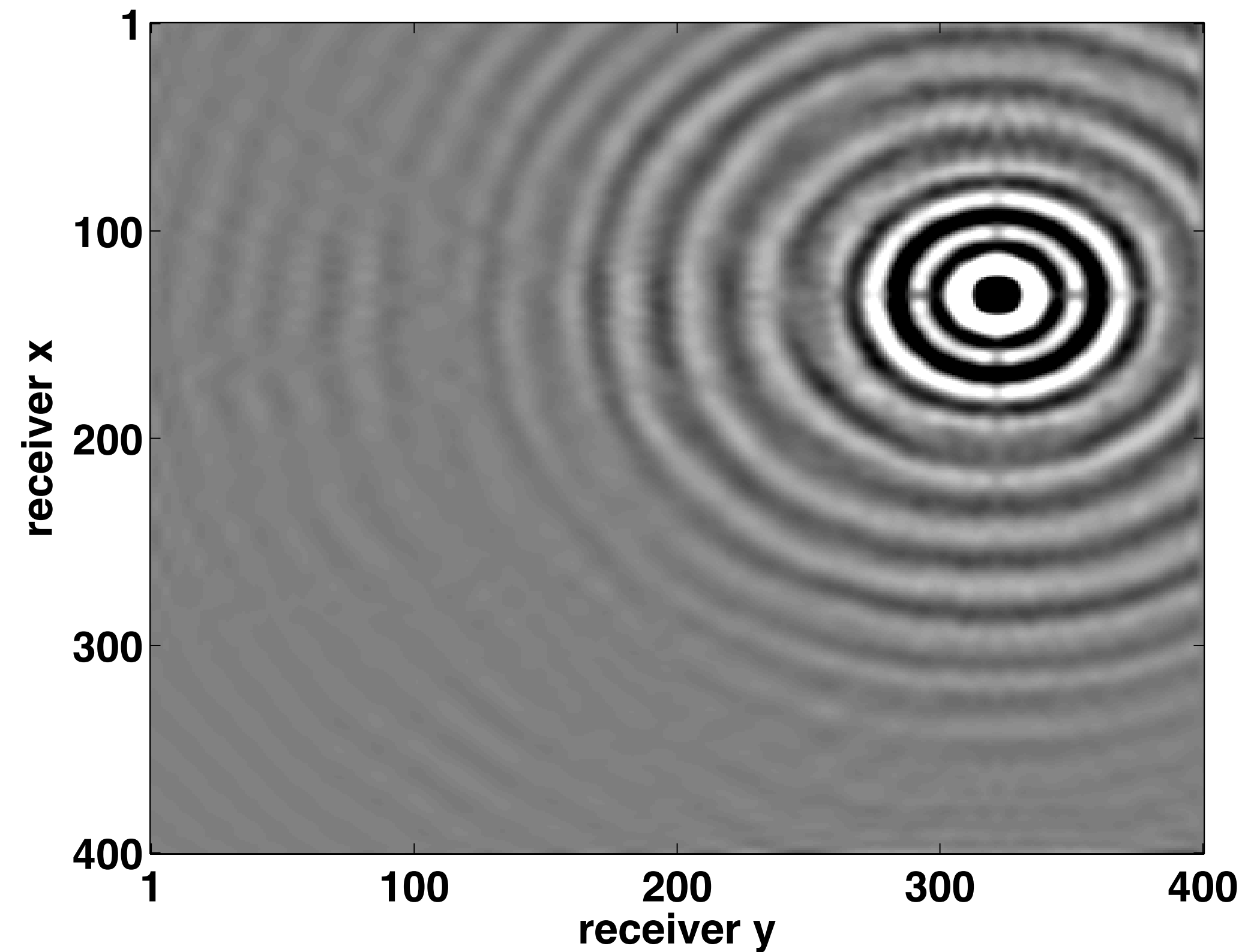


No windowing - SNR 16.7 dB

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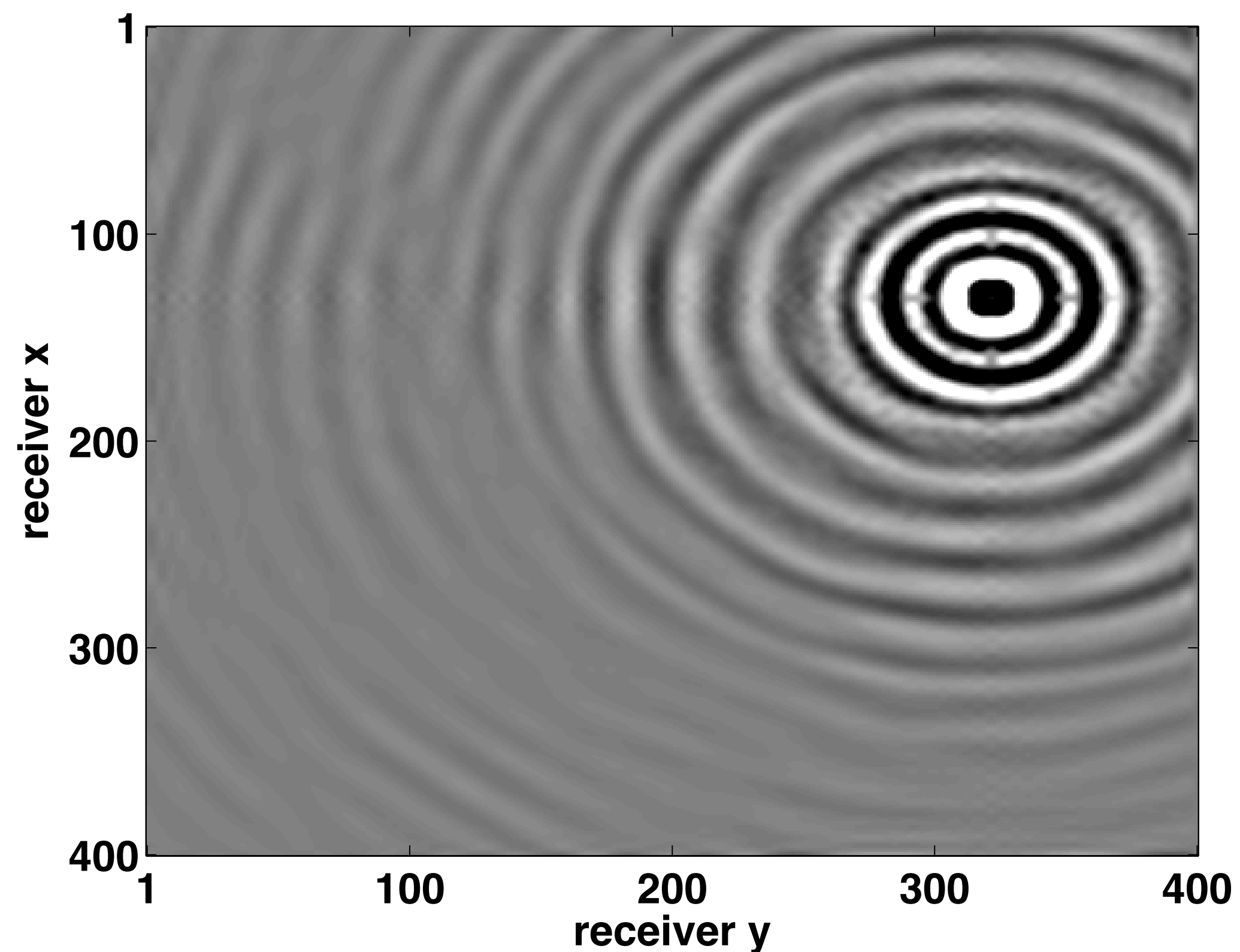


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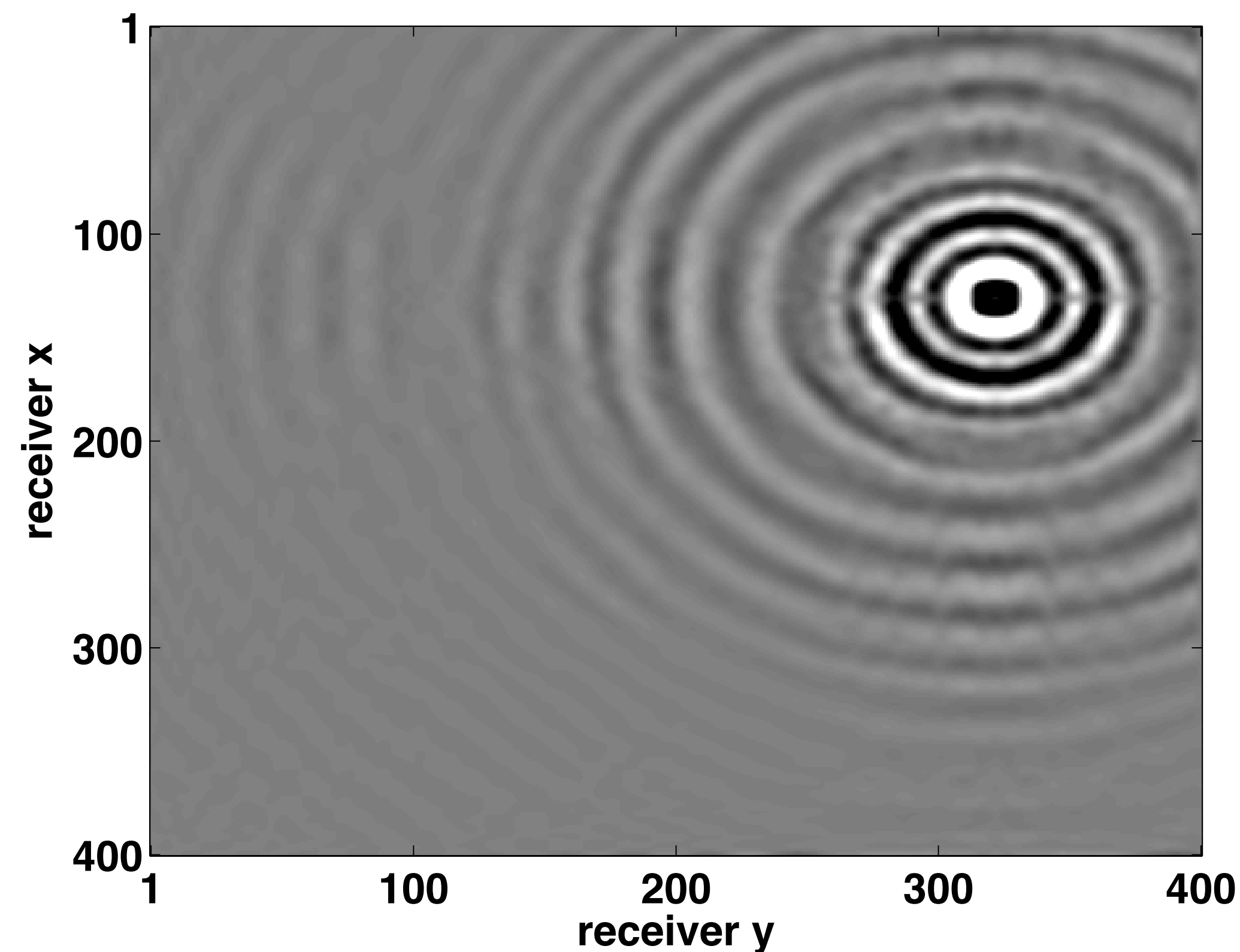


1/4th window - SNR 14.5 dB

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True data



1/16th window - SNR 8.5 dB

Matrix vs Tensor methods

\mathbf{X} - $n_{\text{src}} \times n_{\text{src}} \times n_{\text{rec}} \times n_{\text{rec}}$ tensor

Assume each *matricization*, $\mathbf{X}^{(i)}$, $i = 1, \dots, 4$, is low-rank

$\mathbf{X}^{(i)}$ - i th dimension placed along rows, other dimensions along the columns

Matrix vs Tensor methods

Data fit

Low-rank in each dimension

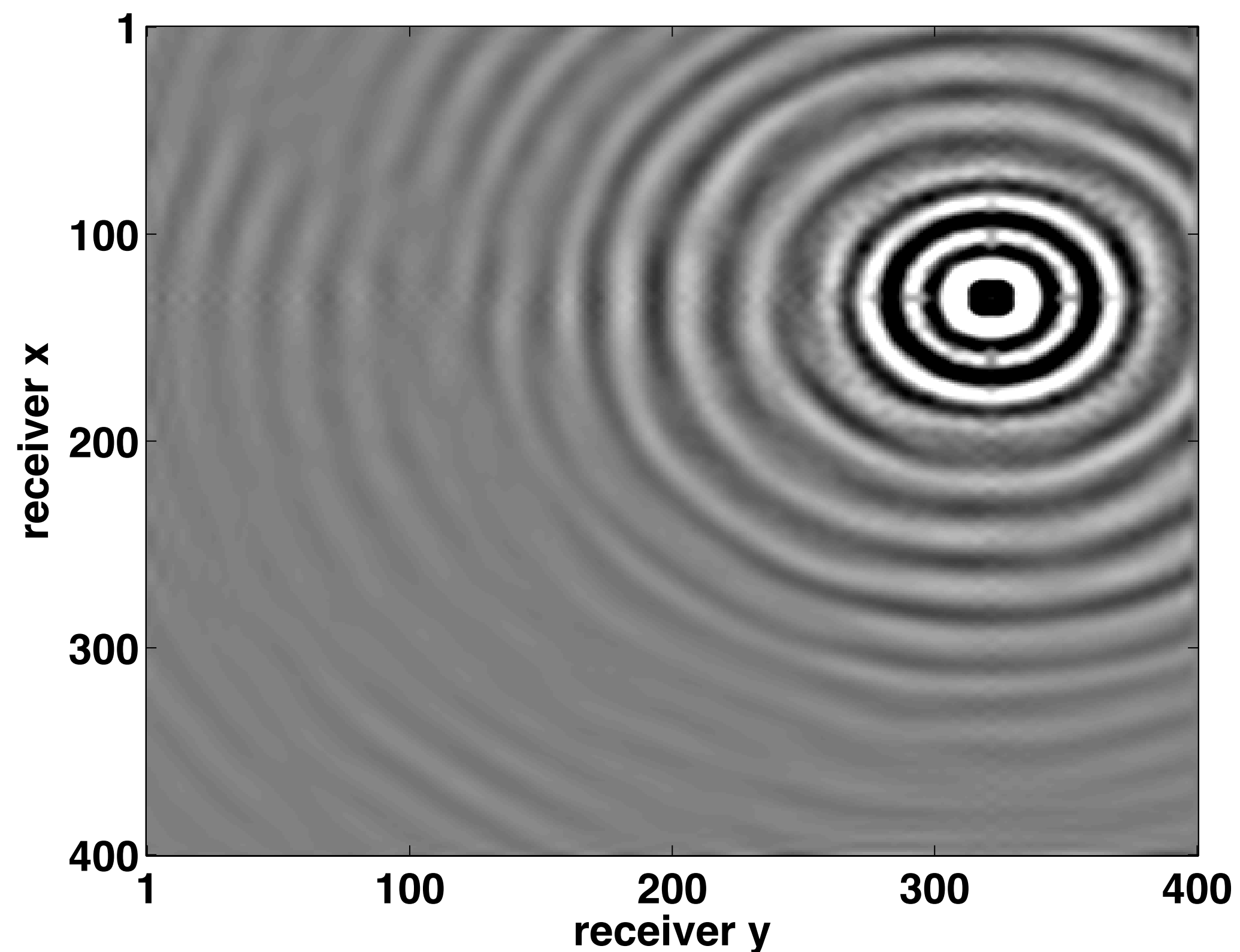
$$\underset{\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 \times n_2 \times n_3 \times n_4}}{\text{minimize}} \frac{1}{2} \|\mathcal{A}(\mathbf{X}) - \mathbf{B}\|_2^2 + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^4 \|\mathbf{X}^{(i)}\|_*$$

Introduce $\mathbf{Y}_i = \mathbf{X}^{(i)}, i = 1, \dots, 4$

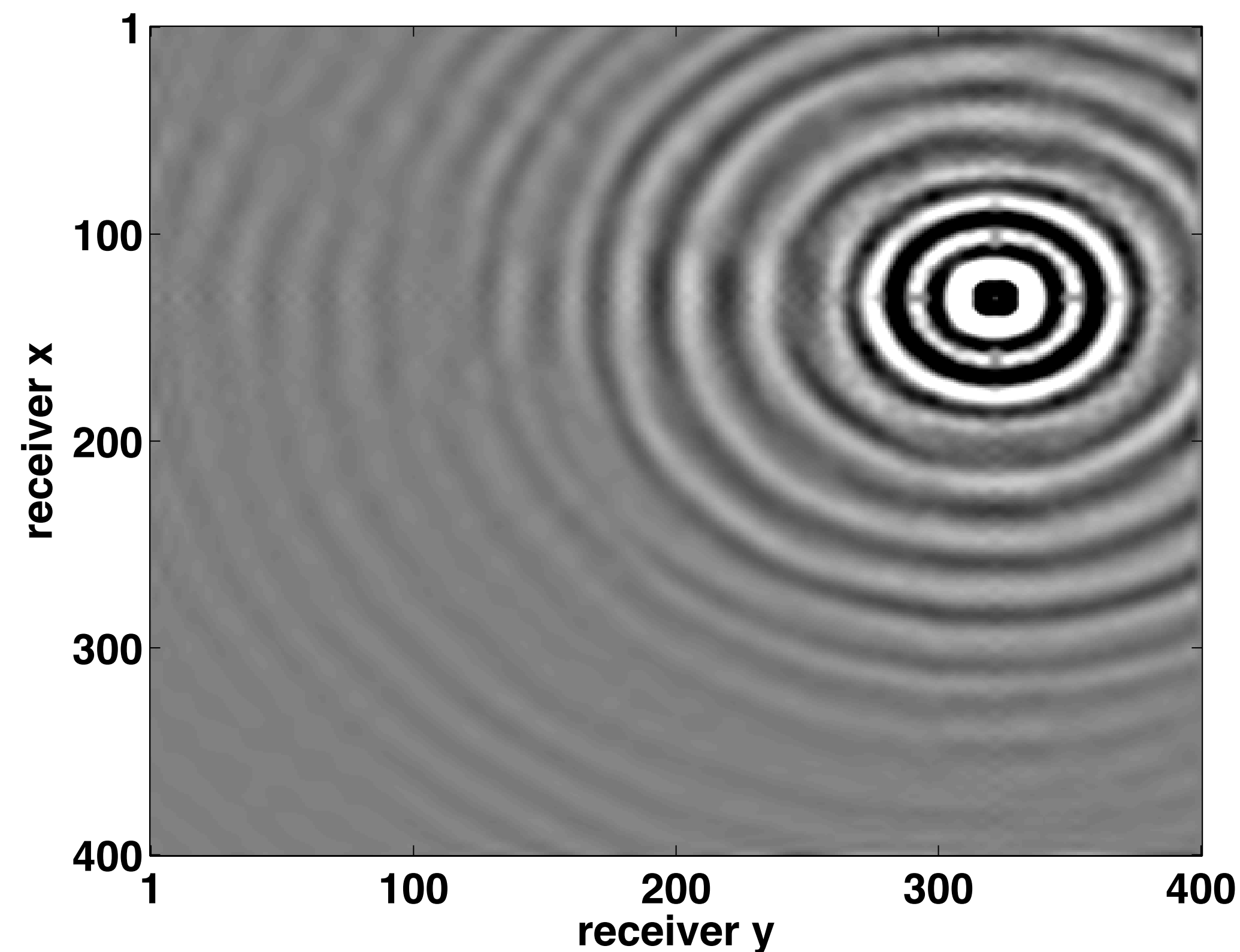
$$\underset{\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Y}_1, \dots, \mathbf{Y}_4}{\text{minimize}} \frac{1}{2} \|\mathcal{A}(\mathbf{X}) - \mathbf{B}\|_2^2 + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^4 \|\mathbf{Y}_i\|_*$$

such that $\mathbf{Y}_i = \mathbf{X}^{(i)}$

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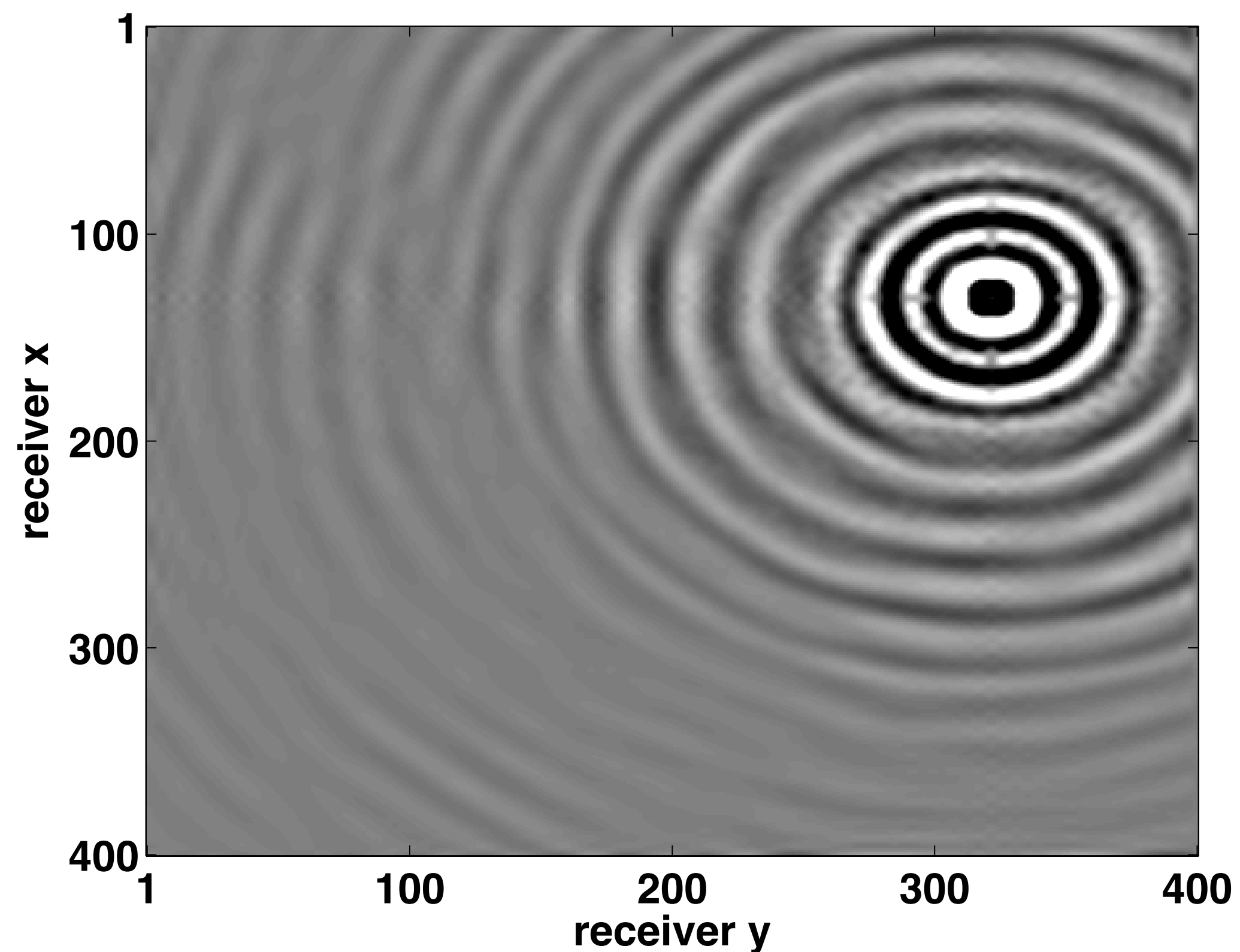
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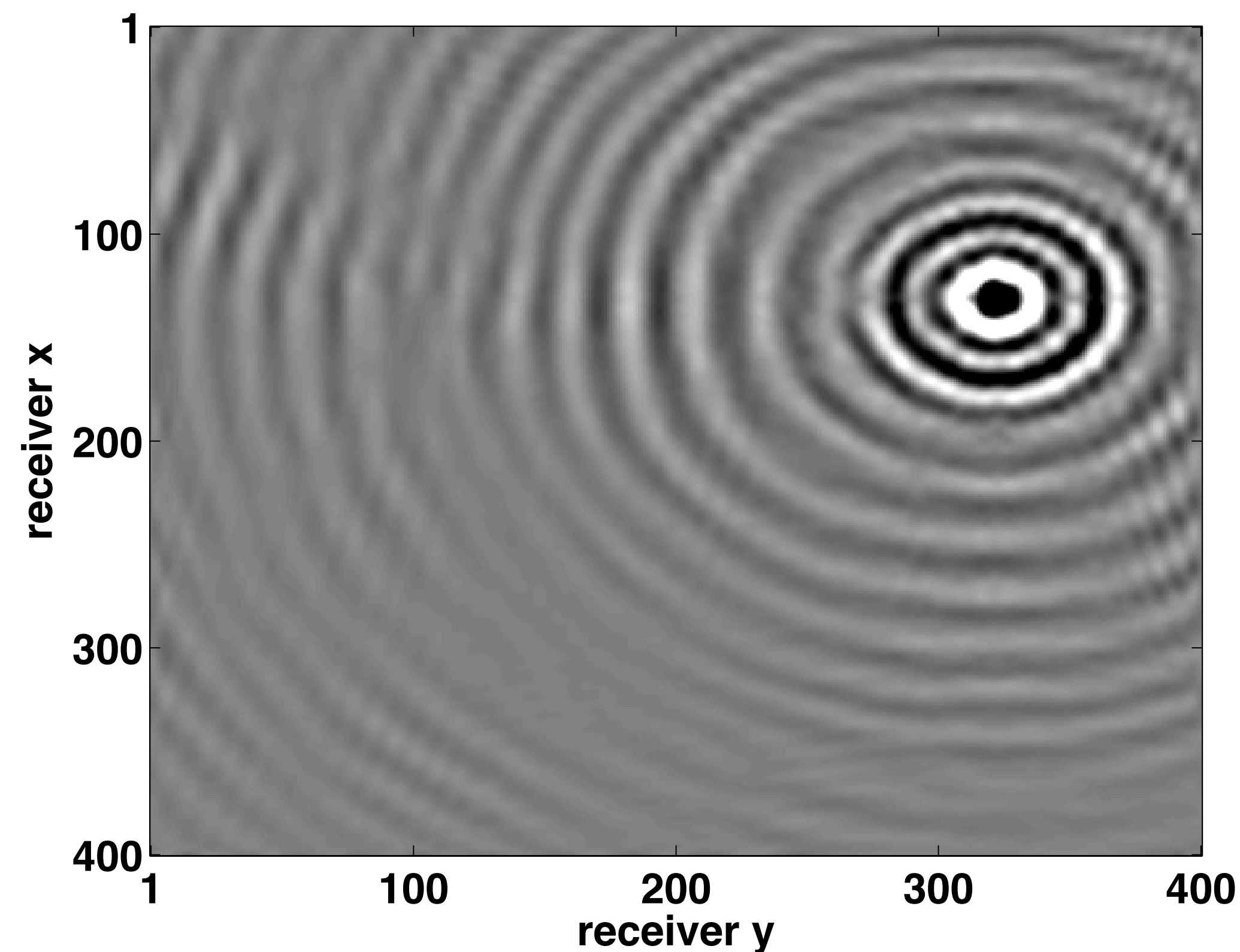
SVD-free MC - SNR **16.7 dB**

Time - **84 minutes**

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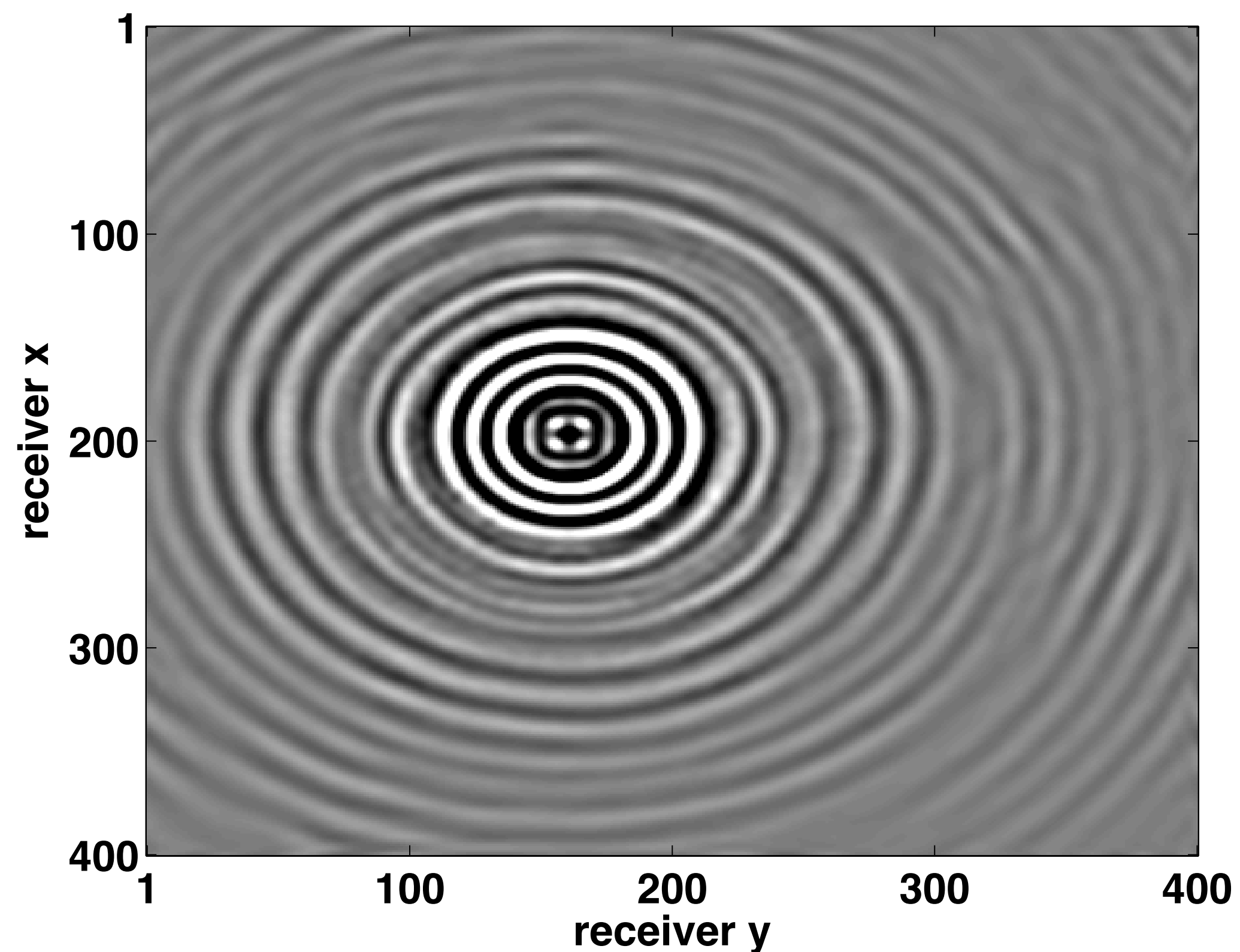


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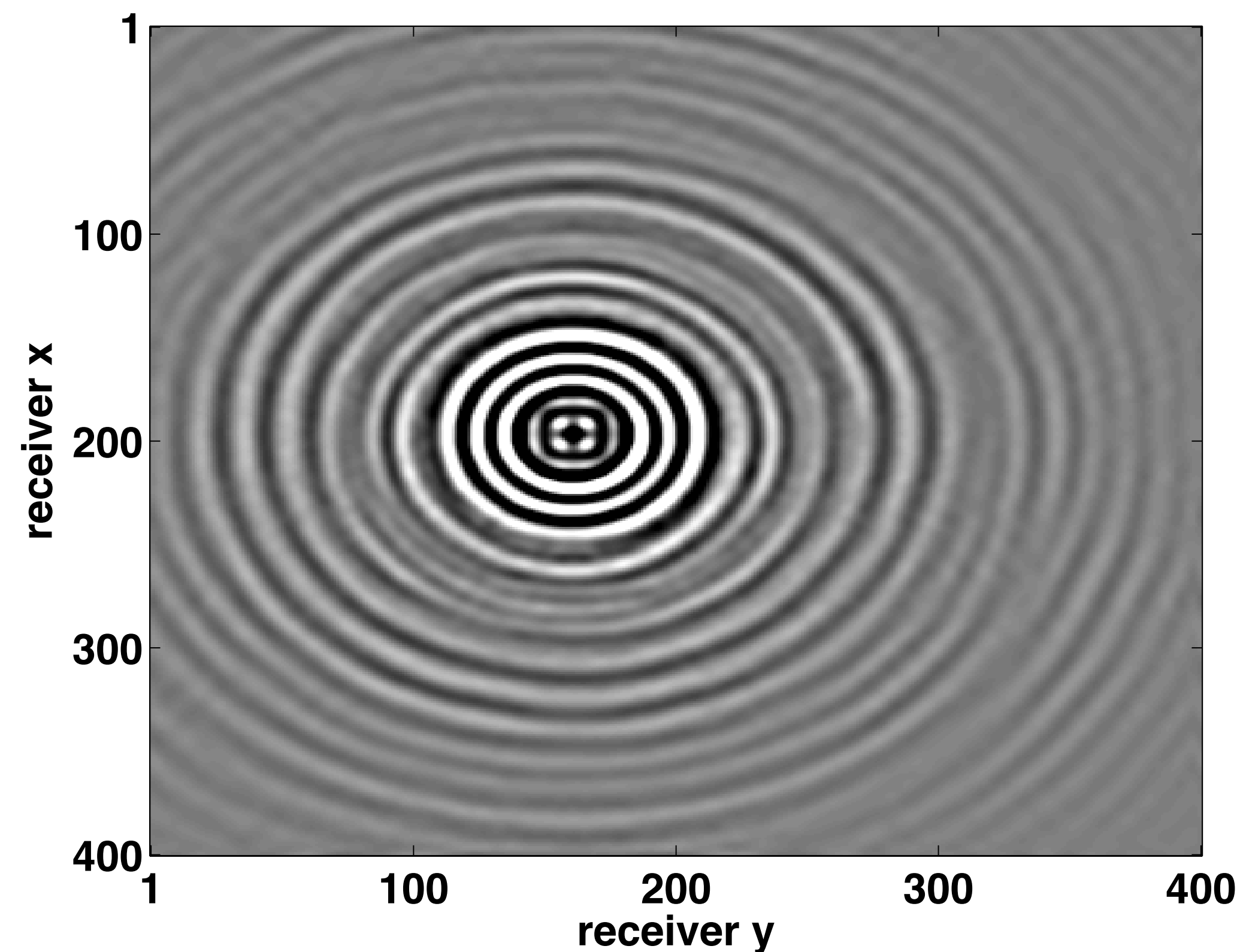


SVD-full Tensor - SNR 6.6 dB
Time - **1510 minutes**

68 x 68 sources, 101 x 101 receivers, 7.34 Hz
75% randomly missing sources



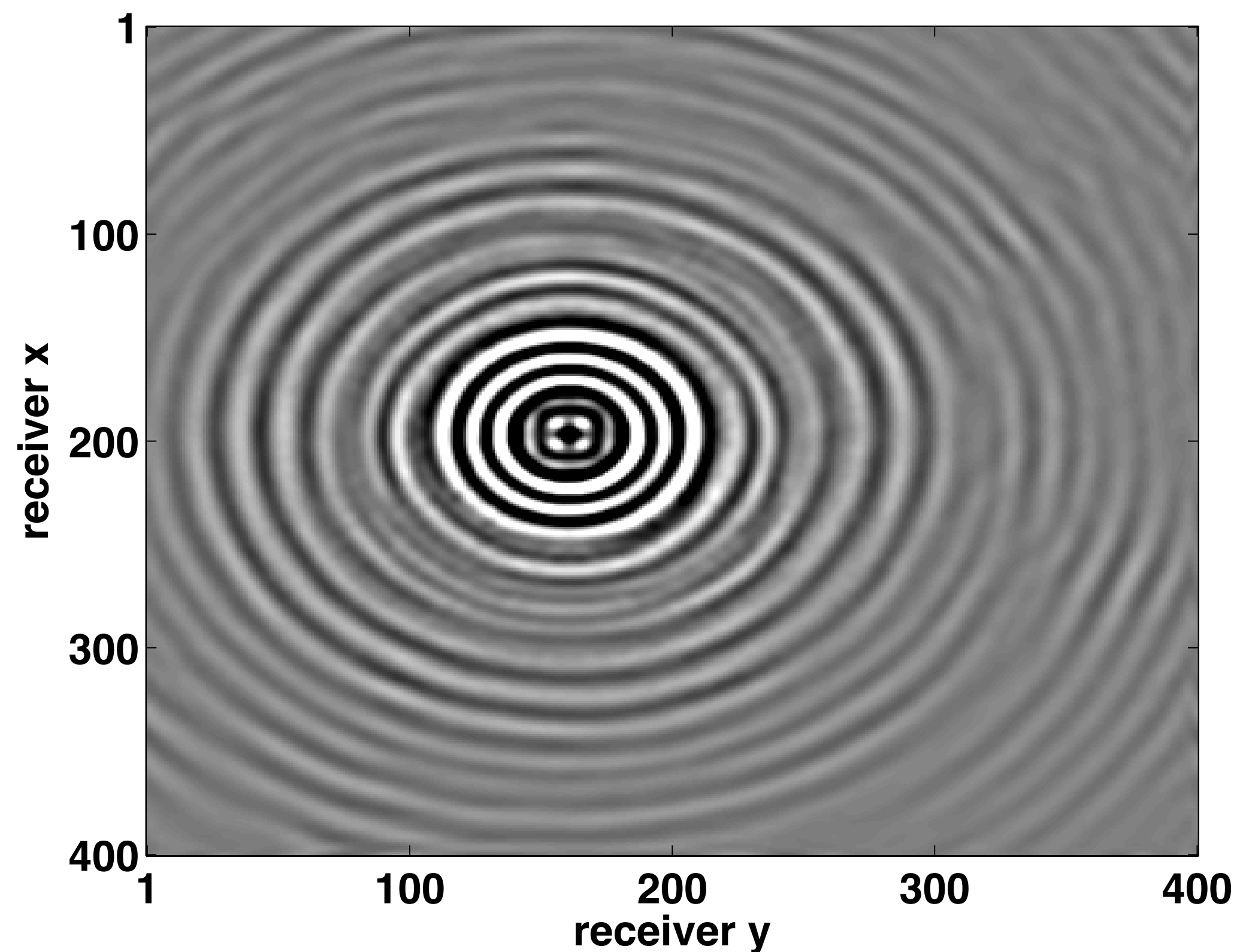
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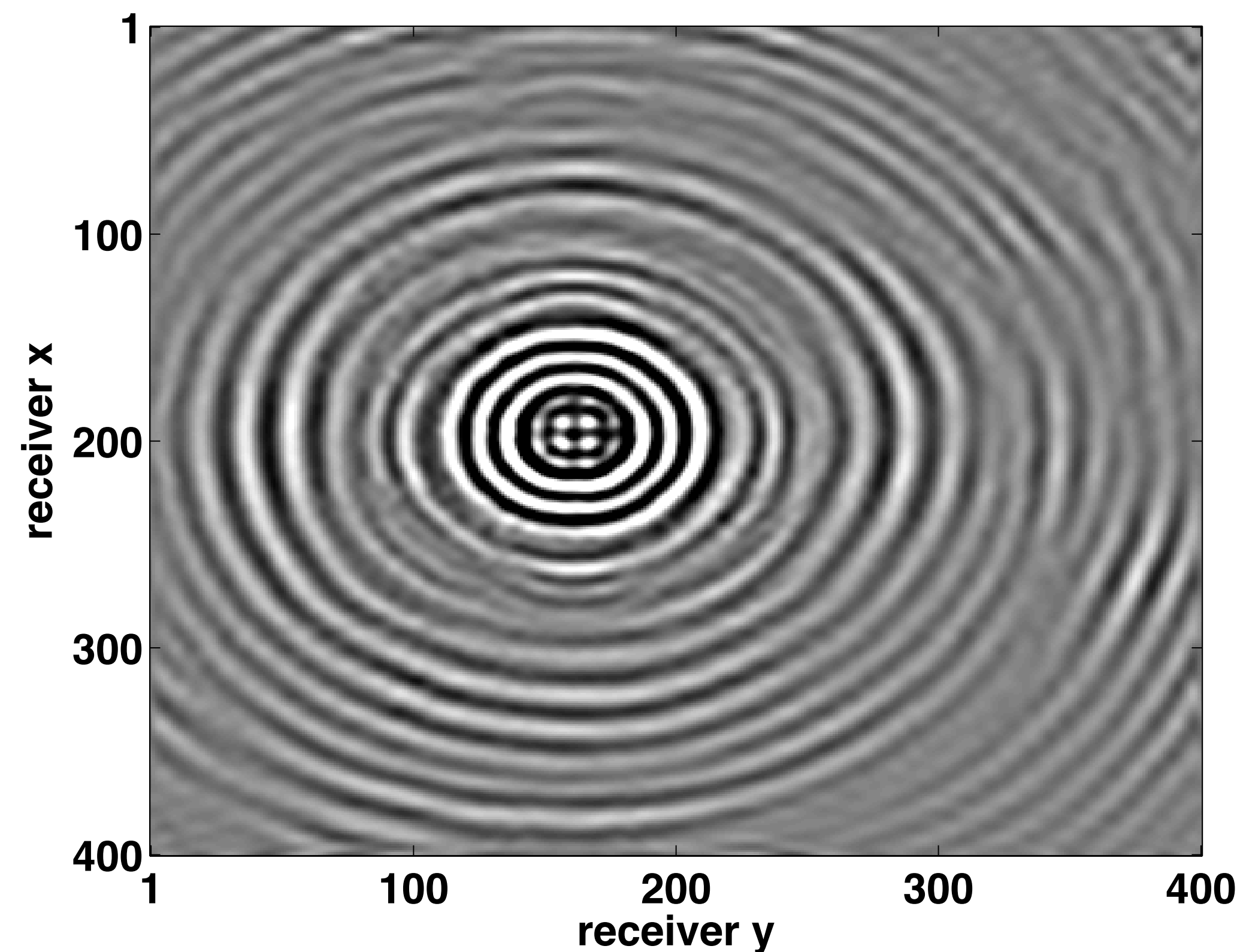
SVD-free MC - SNR **15.6 dB**

Time - **84 minutes**

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True data



SVD-ful Tensor - SNR 5.8 dB

Time - **1512 minutes**

Summary

	SVD-free MC	SVD-ful Tensor
Rank parameter	Explicit, cheap to increase/ decrease	Implicit, expensive to estimate
Optimization variable	Much smaller than data set	At least 5 times the size of the data set
Solver	<i>SPGL1</i> -based, fast, automatic	Expensive per-iteration, needs parameter tuning

Upcoming paper: SVD-free 4D seismic data reconstruction

Practical principles of compressed sensing/matrix/tensor completion

SVD-free matrix completion vs SVD-ful tensor completion

Windowing?

And more!

Check <https://www.slim.eos.ubc.ca> soon™!

Motivation

Unattenuated seismic noise can destroy the quality of a seismic image

- garbage in, garbage out

Statistics of the noise can be unknown

- high amplitude, localized
- caused by malfunctioning receivers, wildlife, ambient, unknown sources

- [1] Kreimer and Sacchi, "A tensor higher-order singular value decomposition for prestack seismic data noise reduction and interpolation." (2012)
- [2] Gao, Vicente, and Sacchi. "Evaluation of a fast algorithm for the eigen-decomposition of large block Toeplitz matrices with application to 5D seismic data interpolation." (2011)
- [3] Da Silva, Kumar, et al, "SVD-free 4D seismic data reconstruction." Soon™

Context

Low-rank matrix/tensor completion via *nuclear norm* projection [1]

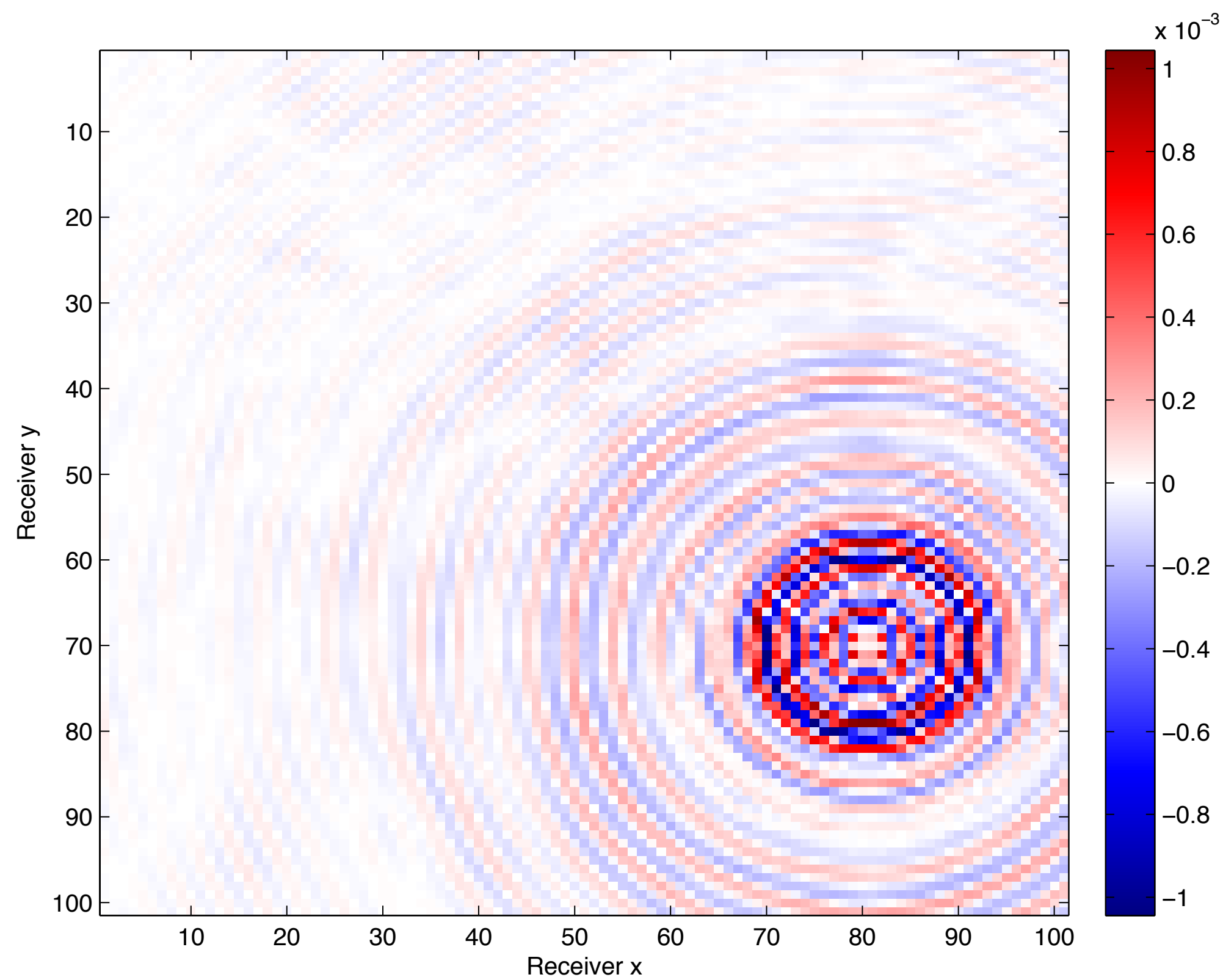
- Require SVDs on huge data matrices
- Not scalable to large problem sizes

Data completion via Toeplitz embedding [2]

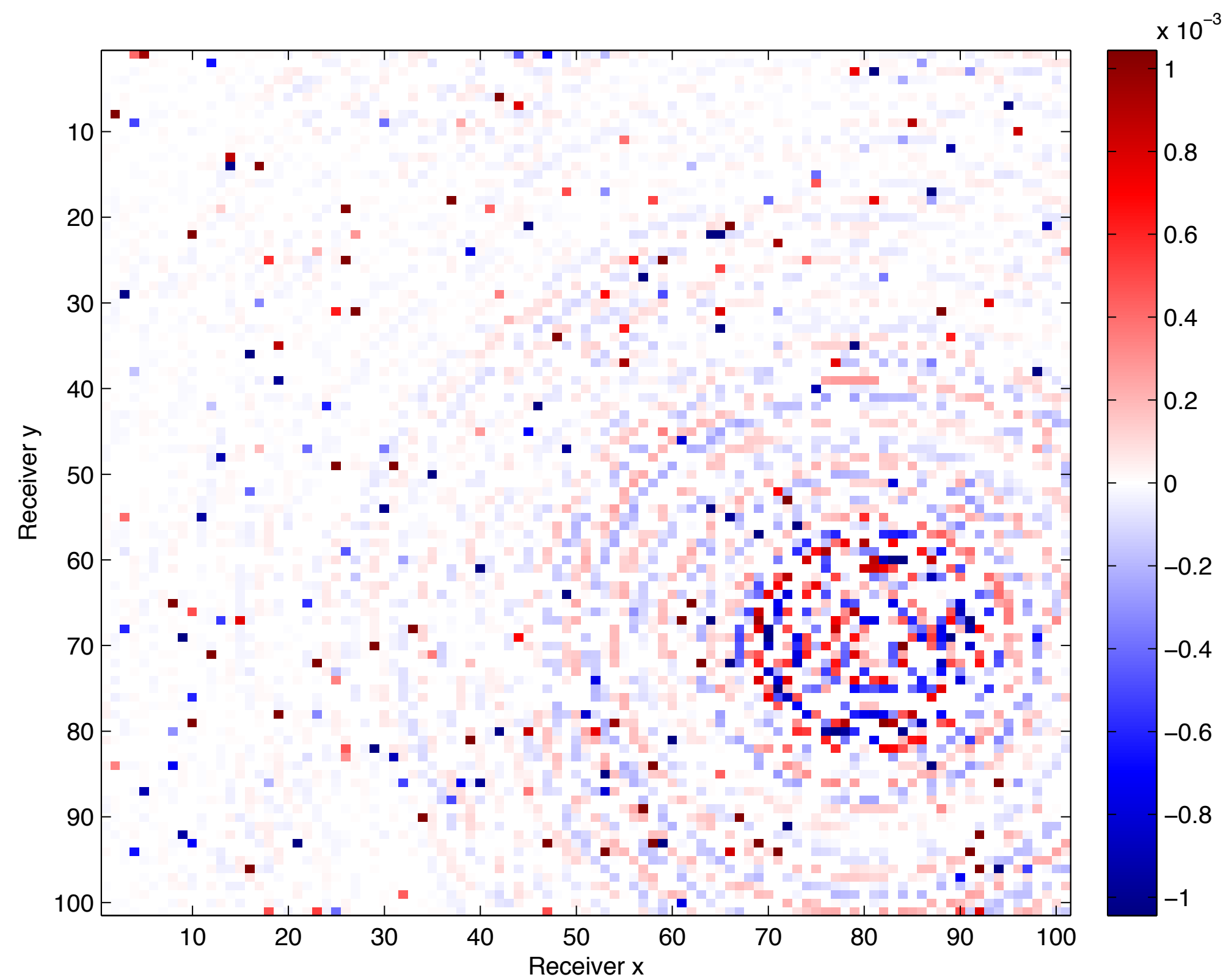
- Problem size - $(\# \text{ data points})^2$
- Ad-hoc windowing - can degrade quality, as demonstrated in [3]

7.34 Hz - 50% missing receivers - high noise

Common source gather



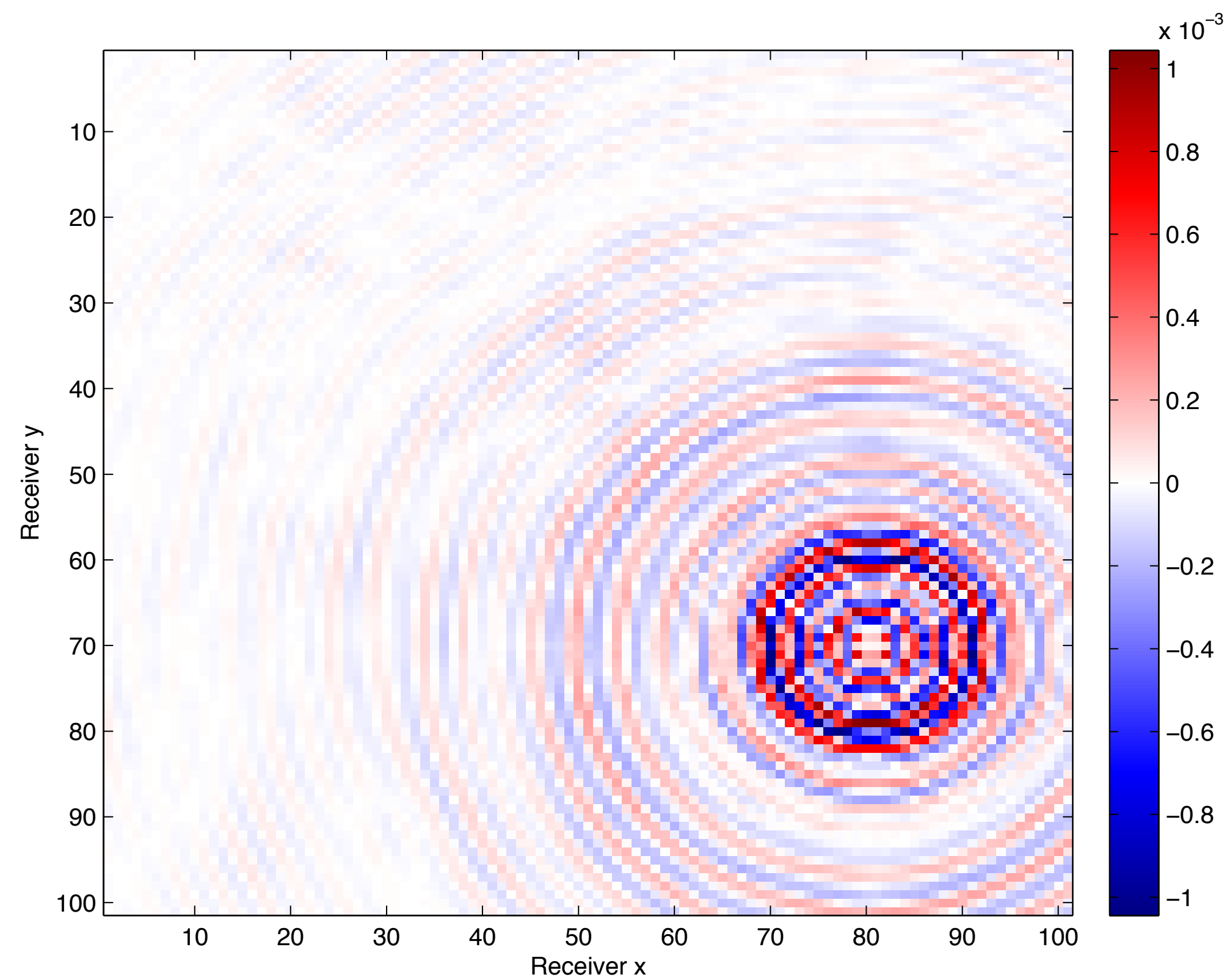
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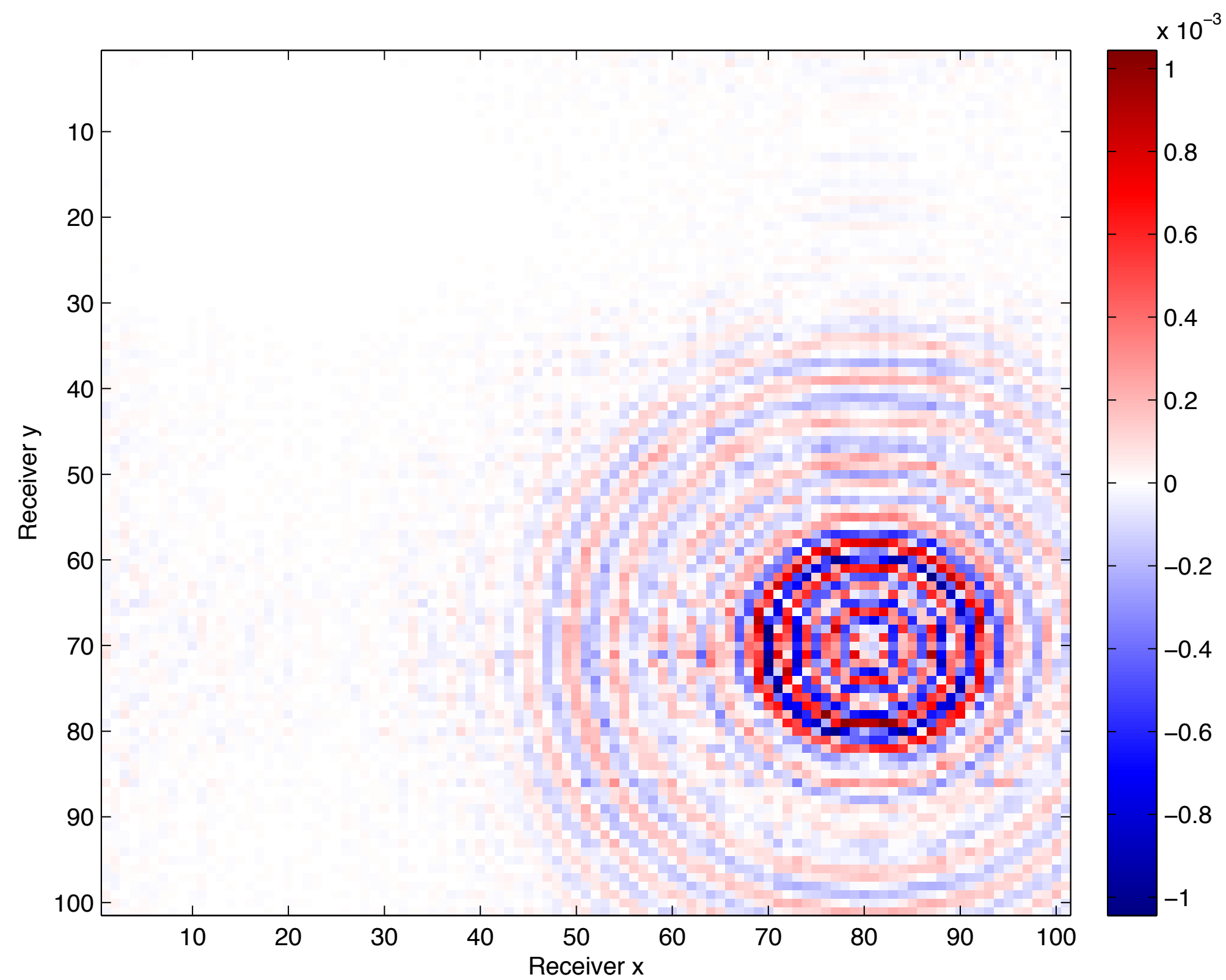
Subsampled data

7.34 Hz - 50% missing receivers - high noise

Common source gather



True data



MH Recovery - SNR 8.95 dB

Goals

Review Hierarchical Tucker tensor format, principles of low-rank tensor recovery

Explore effect of transform domain on noise

- determine favourable recovery scenario

Multidimensional interpolation

with Hierarchical Tucker

Successful reconstruction scheme

Signal structure

- ***Hierarchical Tucker***

Sampling

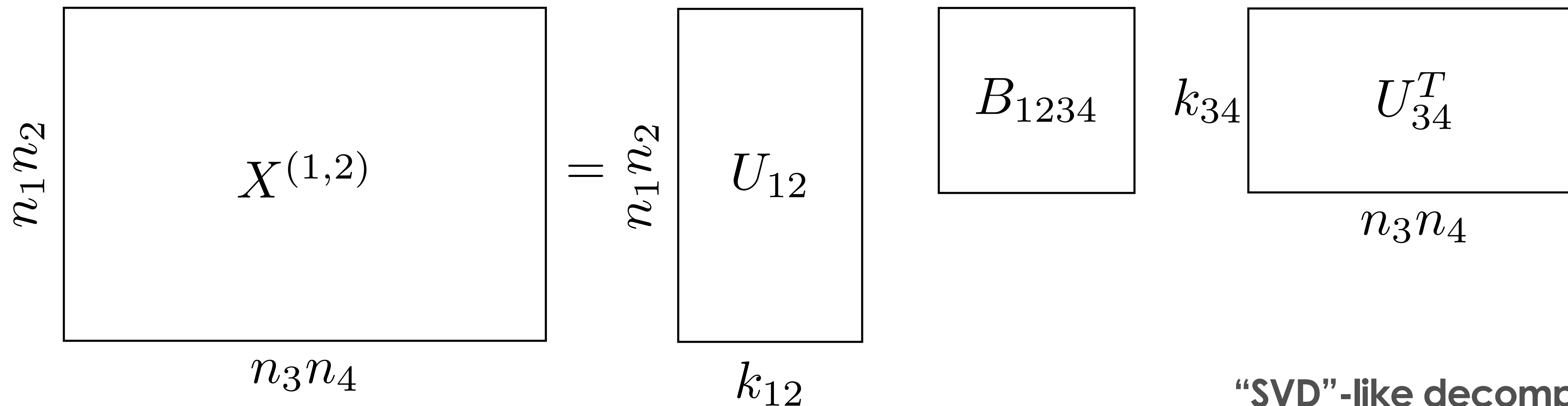
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Optimization

- fit data in the Hierarchical Tucker format

Hierarchical Tucker format

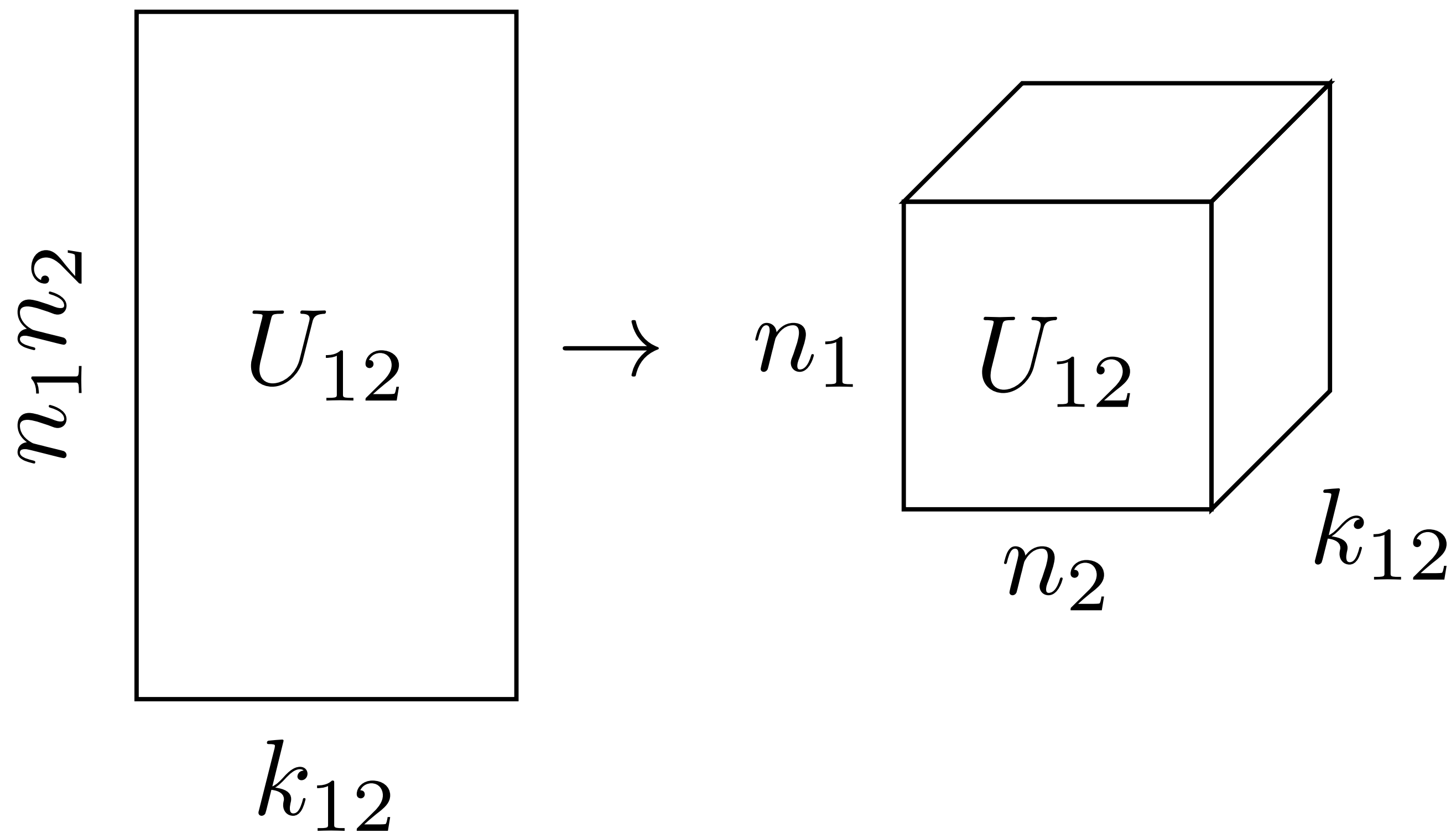
$X - n_1 \times n_2 \times n_3 \times n_4$ tensor



“SVD”-like decomposition

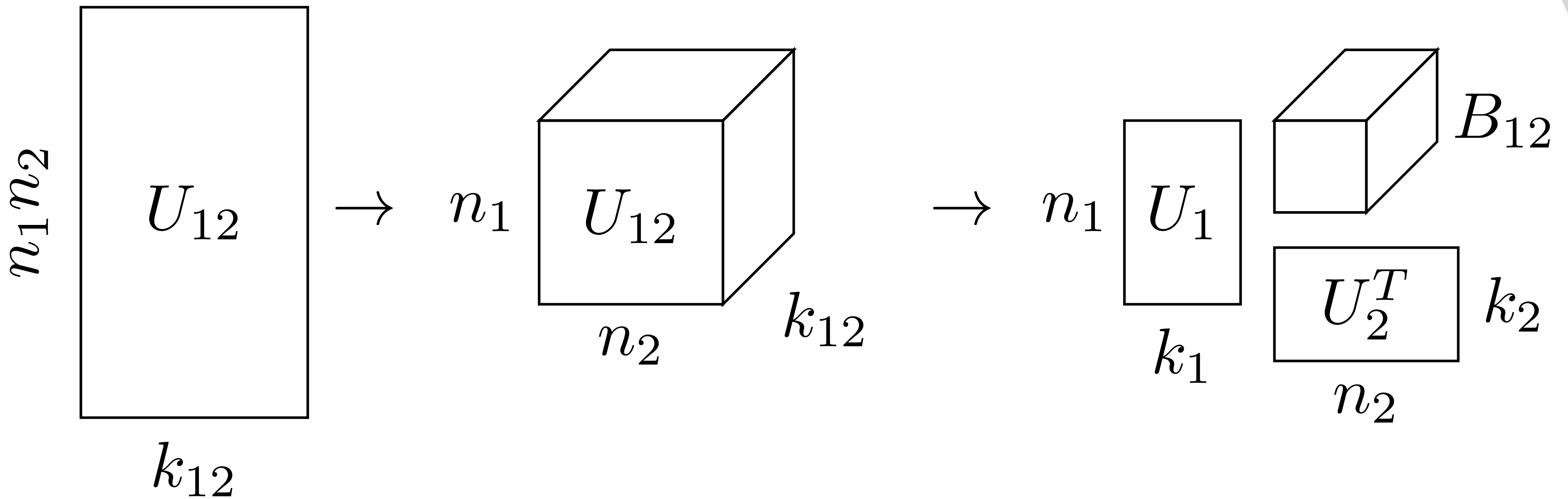
Hierarchical Tucker format

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Hierarchical Tucker format

Intermediate matrices don't need to be stored

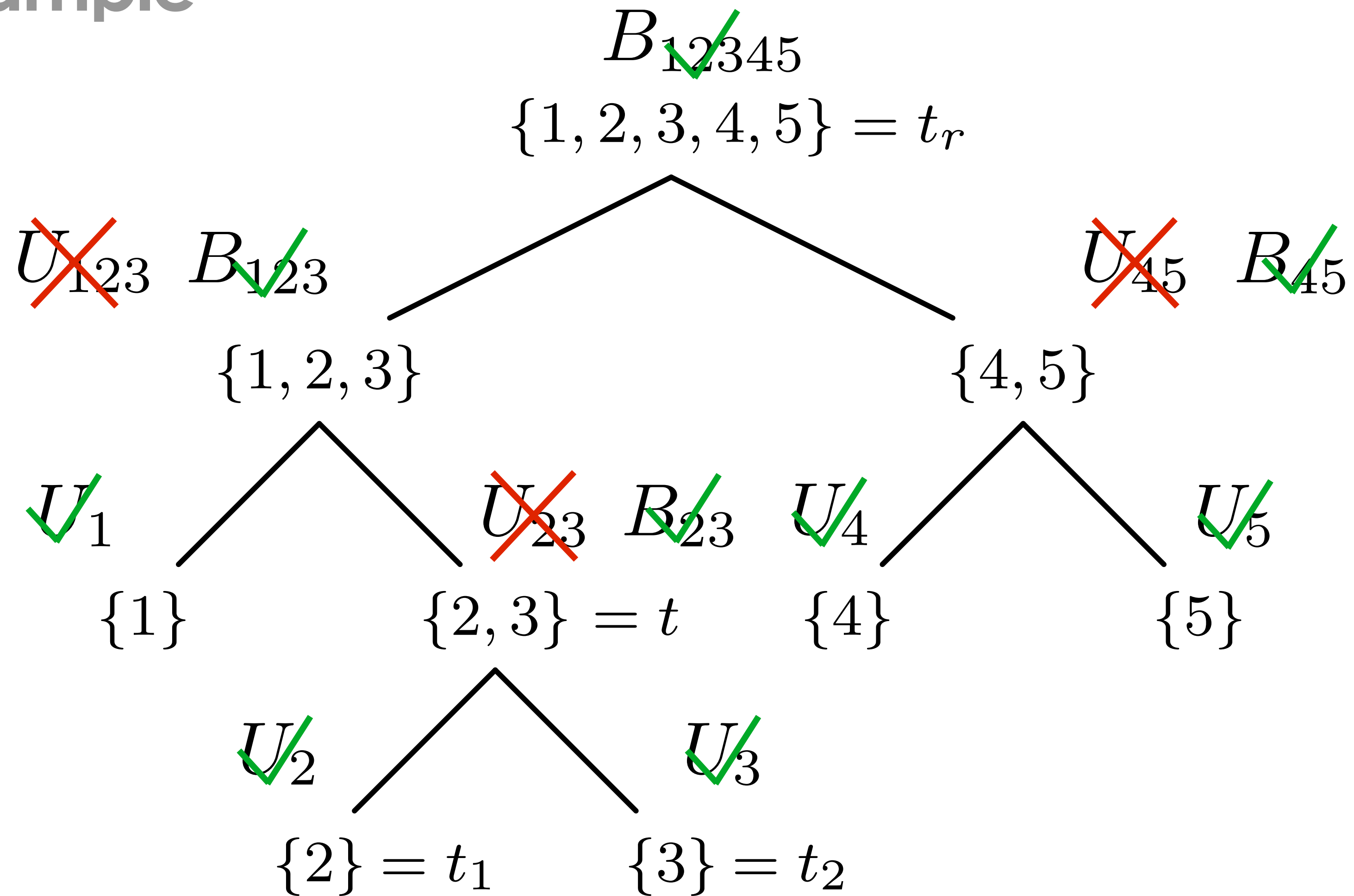
U_t, B_t - small parameter matrices

- specify the tensor completely

Separating groups of dimensions from each other

- dimension tree

Example



Hierarchical Tucker format

$$\text{Storage} \leq dNK + (d - 2)K^3 + K^2$$

Compare to N^d storage for the full tensor

Effectively breaking the curse of dimensionality when $K \ll N$ $d \geq 4$

Low frequency data compresses in HT

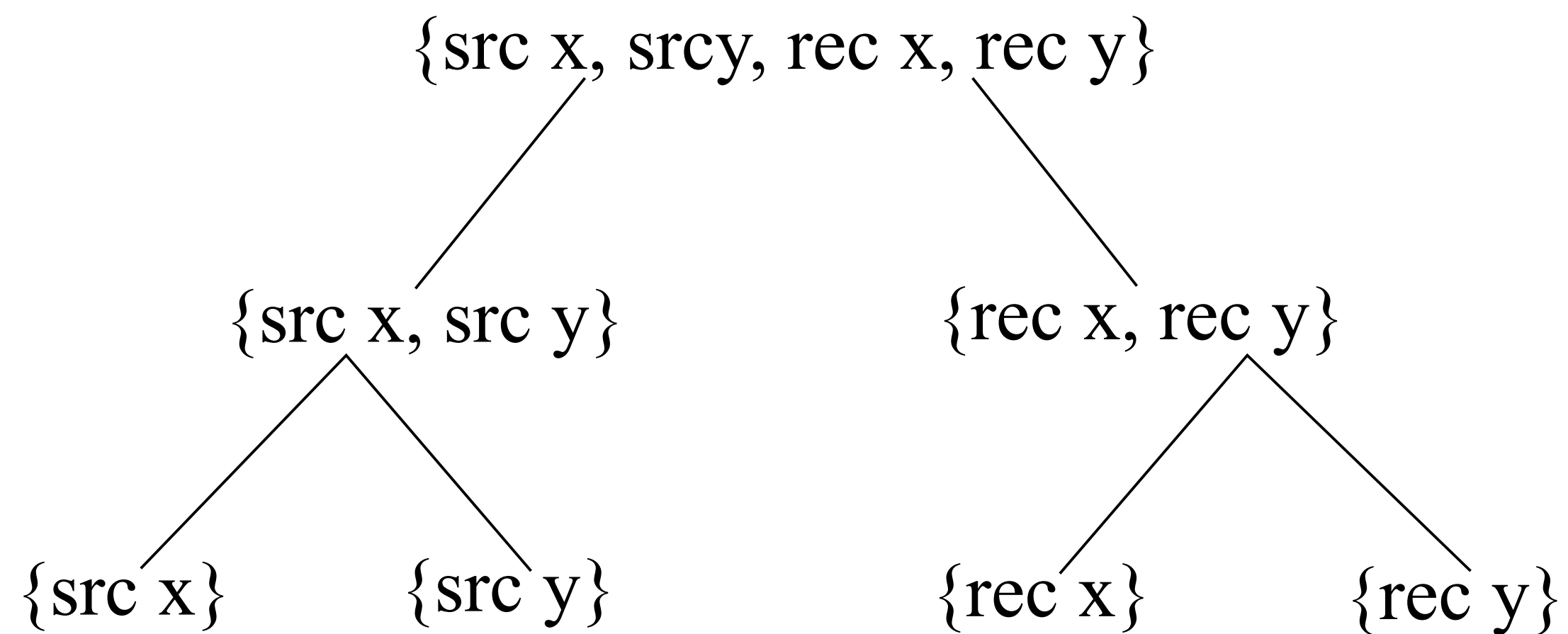
Seismic Hierarchical Tucker

We consider a 3D seismic survey with coordinates
(src x, src y, rec x, rec y, time)

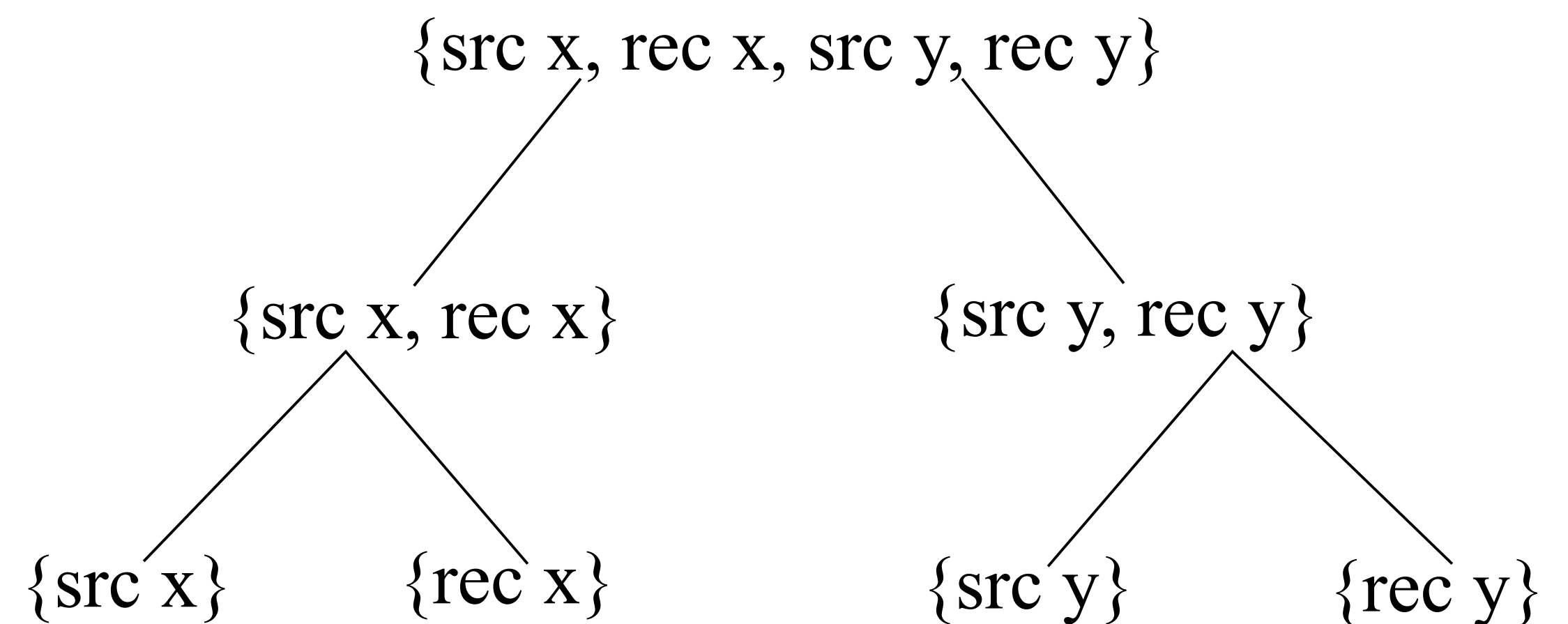
We take a Fourier transform in time and restrict ourselves to a single
frequency slice

Seismic Hierarchical Tucker

For a frequency slice with coordinates (src x, src y, rec x, rec y),
there are essentially two choices of dimension splitting (by reciprocity)

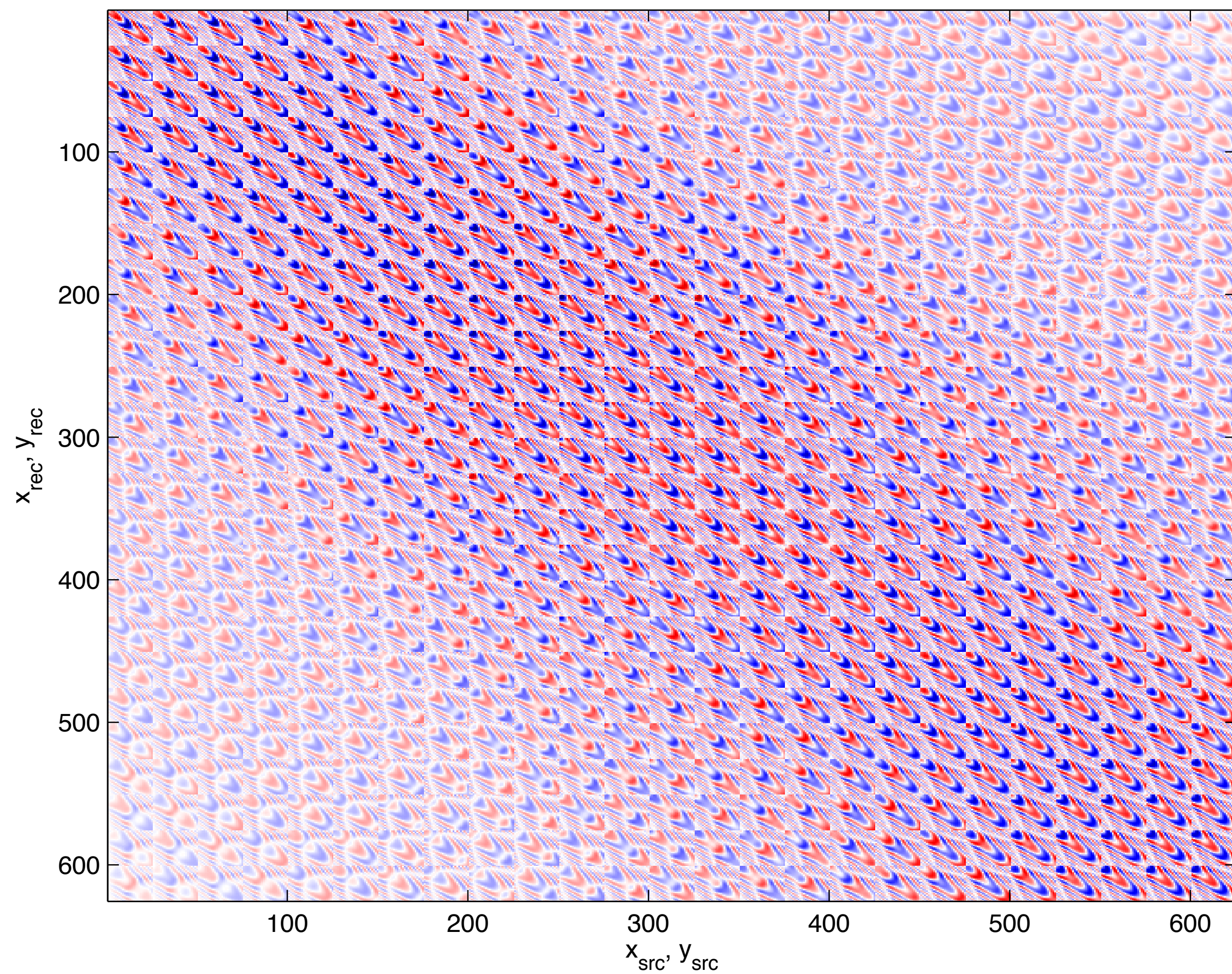


Canonical Decomposition

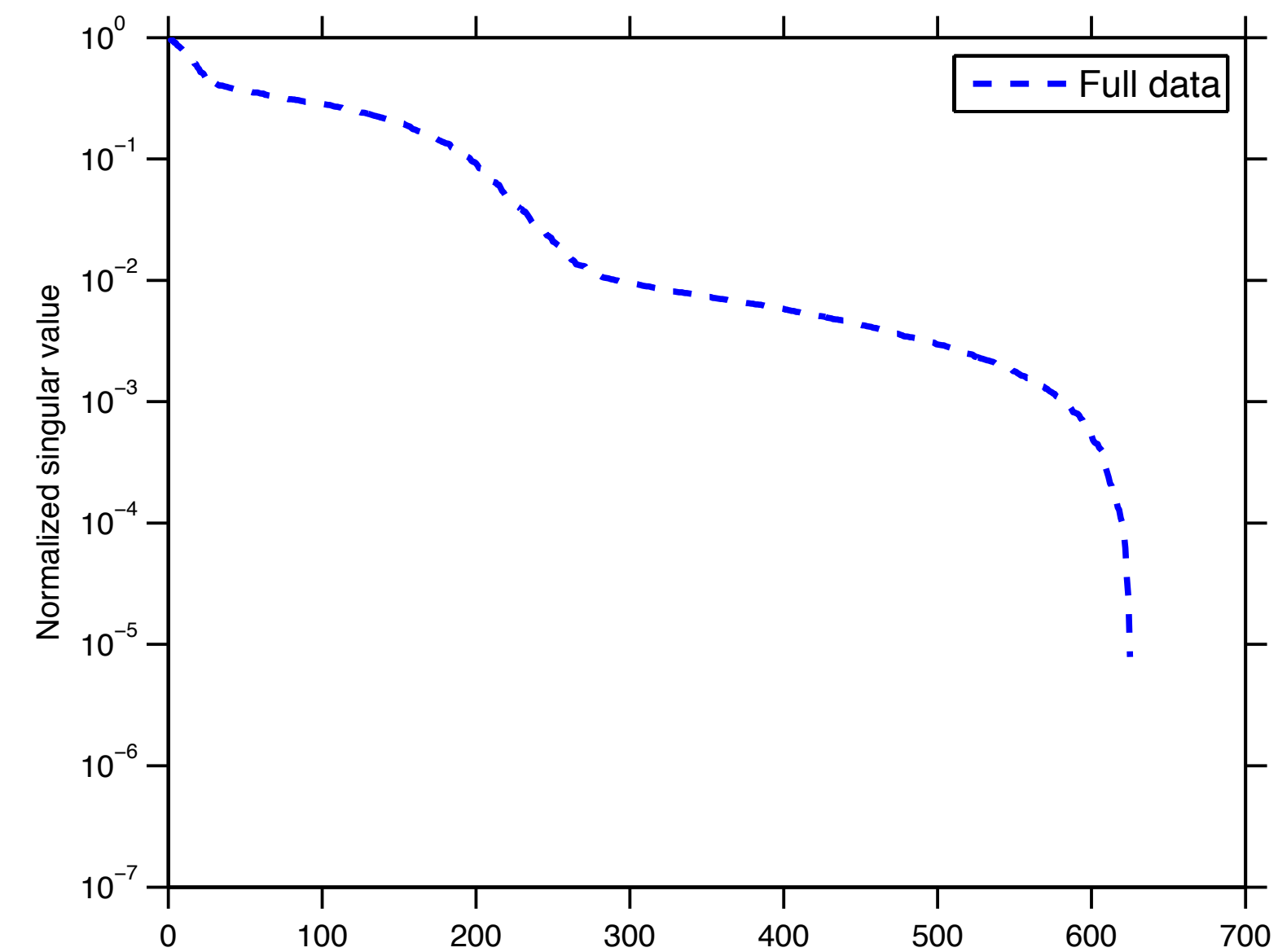
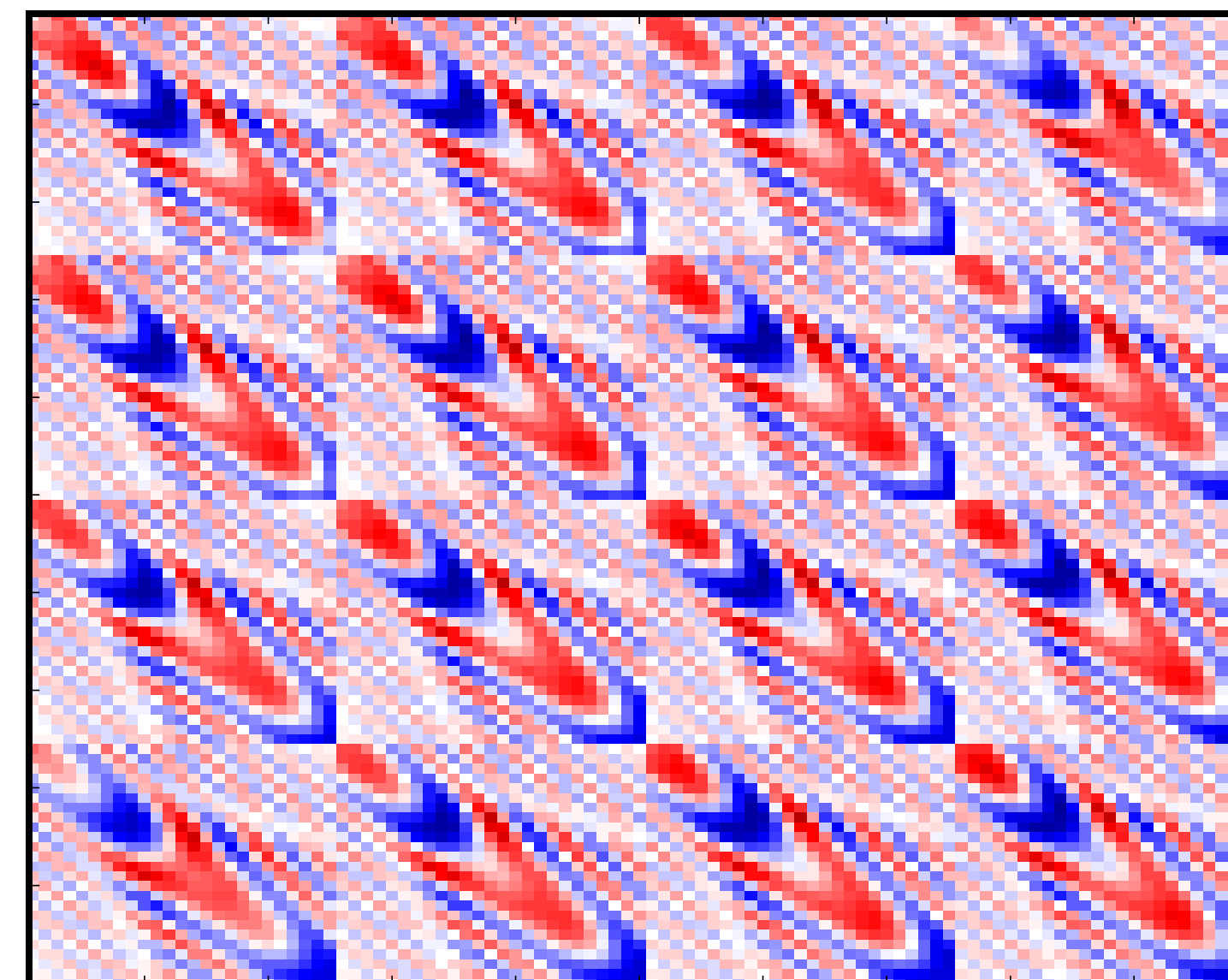


Non-canonical Decomposition

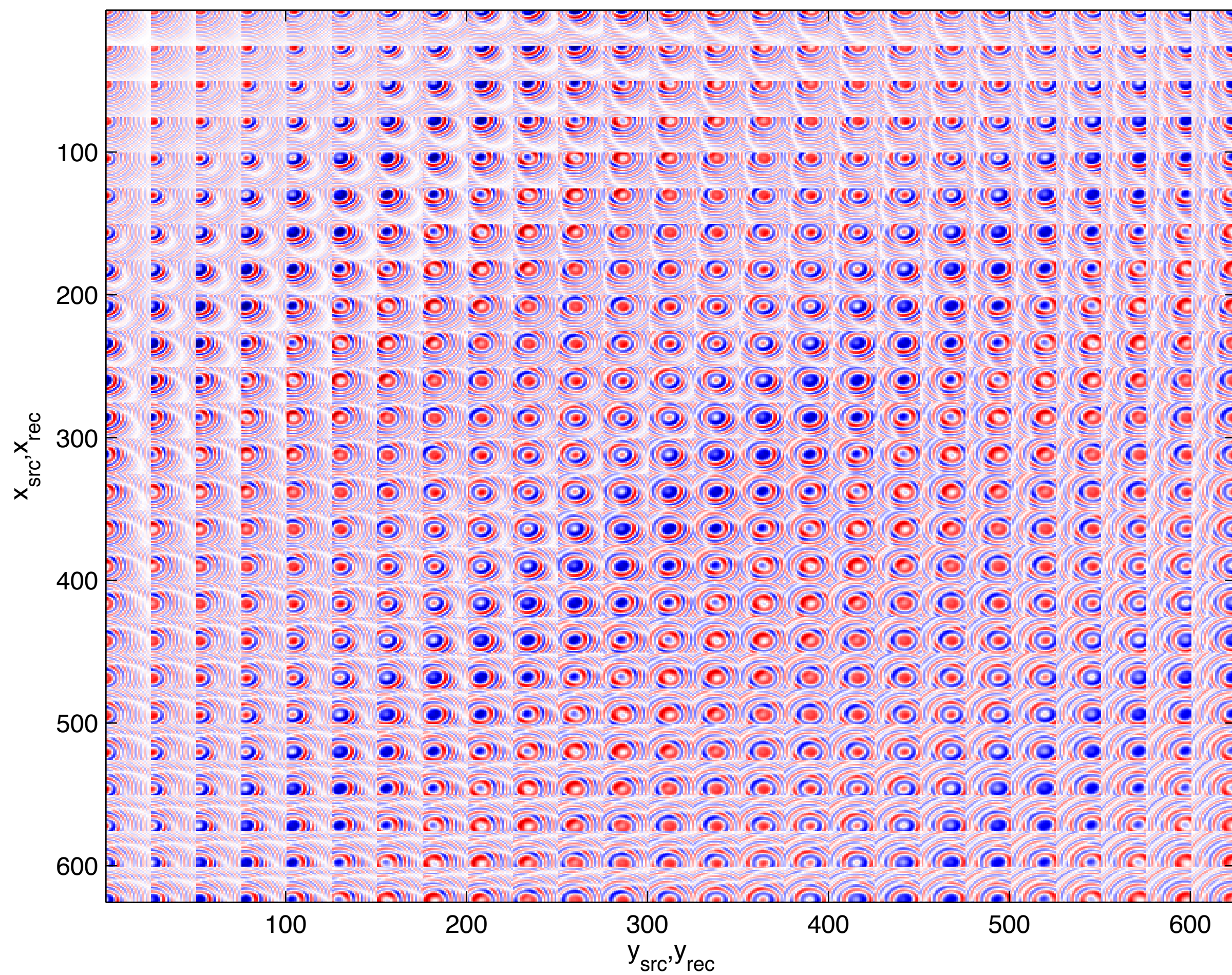
Matricizations



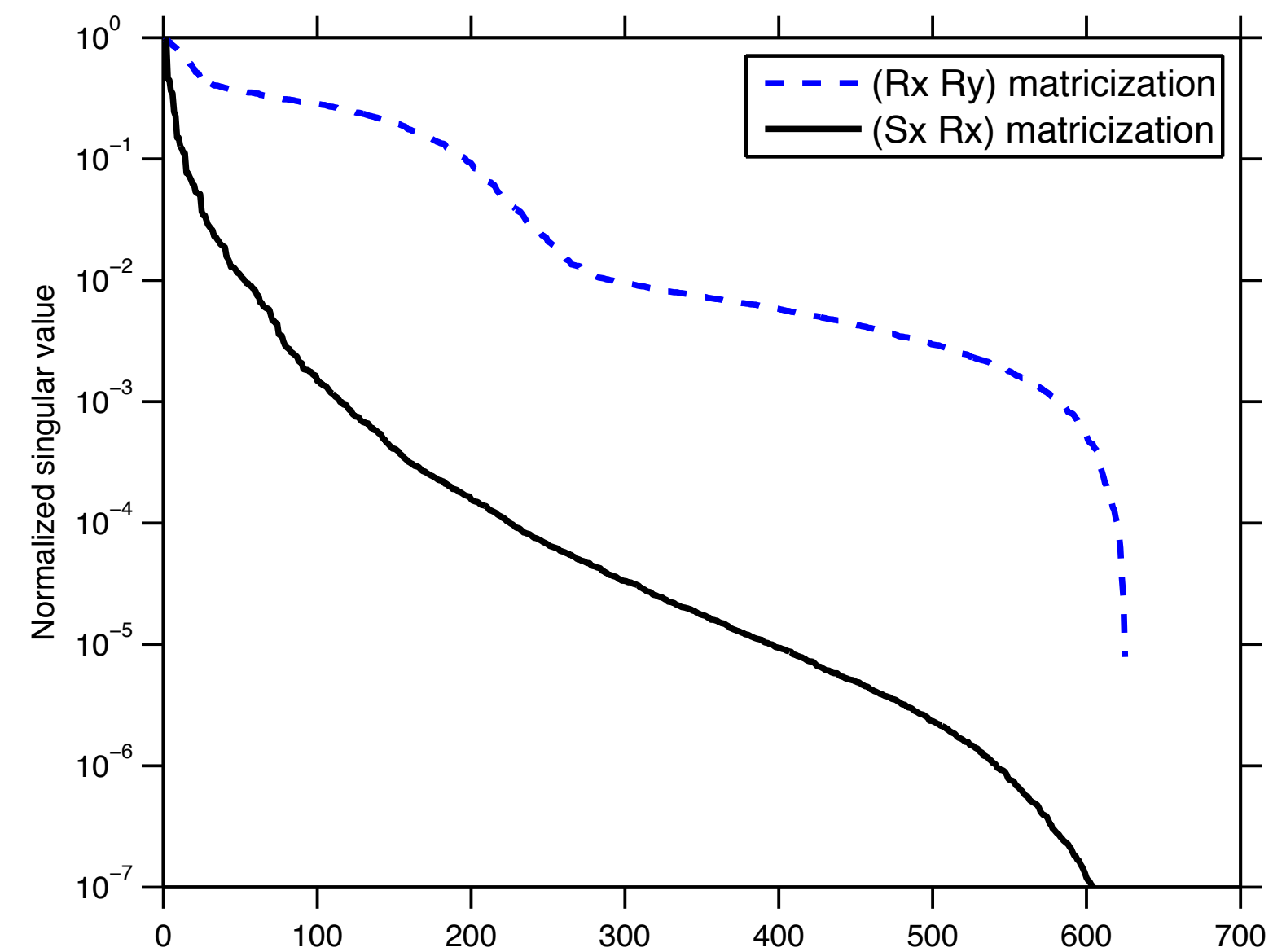
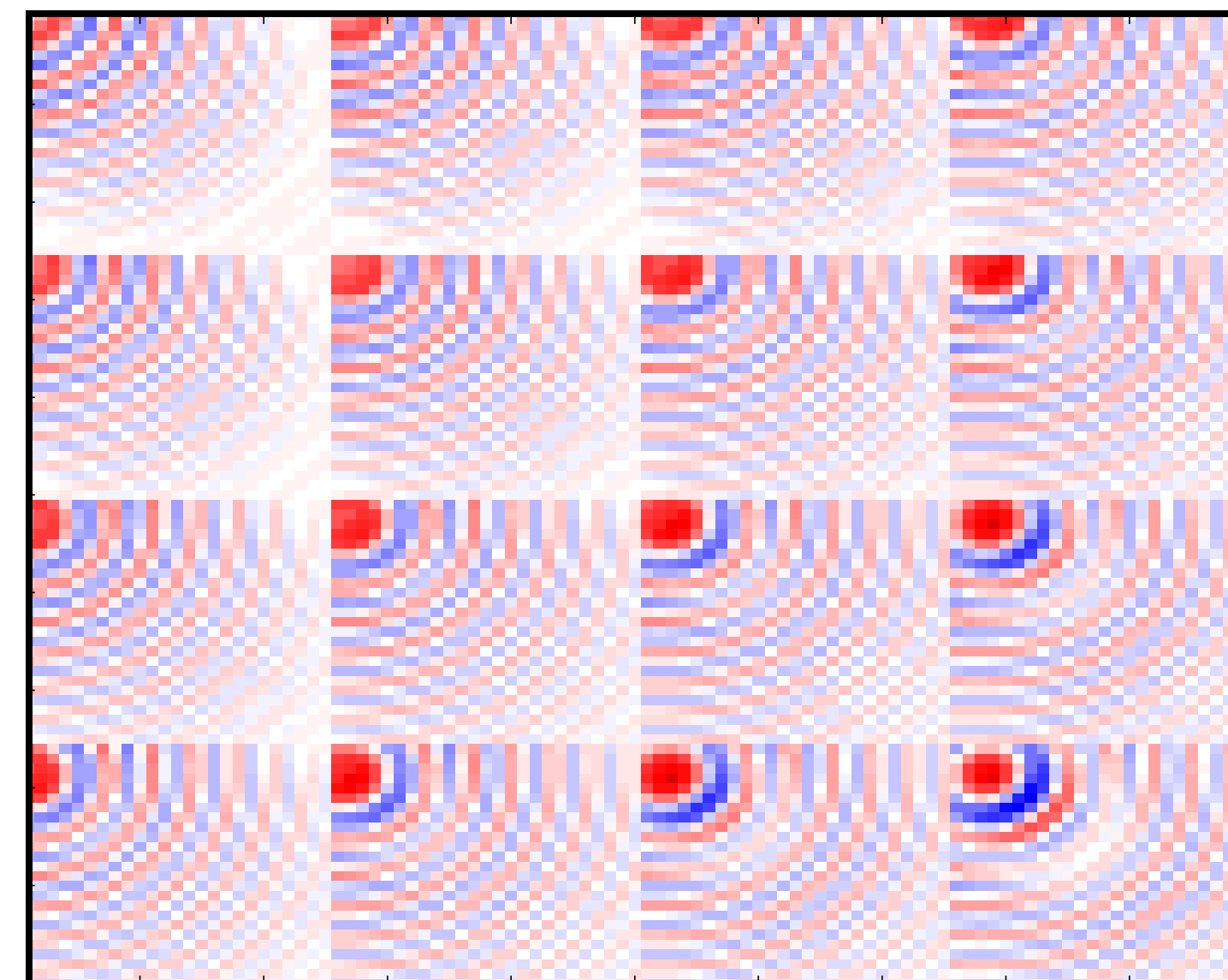
(Rec x, Rec y) matricization - Canonical ordering



Matricizations



(Src x, Rec x) matricization - Noncanonical ordering



Multidimensional interpolation

with Hierarchical Tucker

Successful reconstruction scheme

Signal structure

- Hierarchical Tucker

Sampling

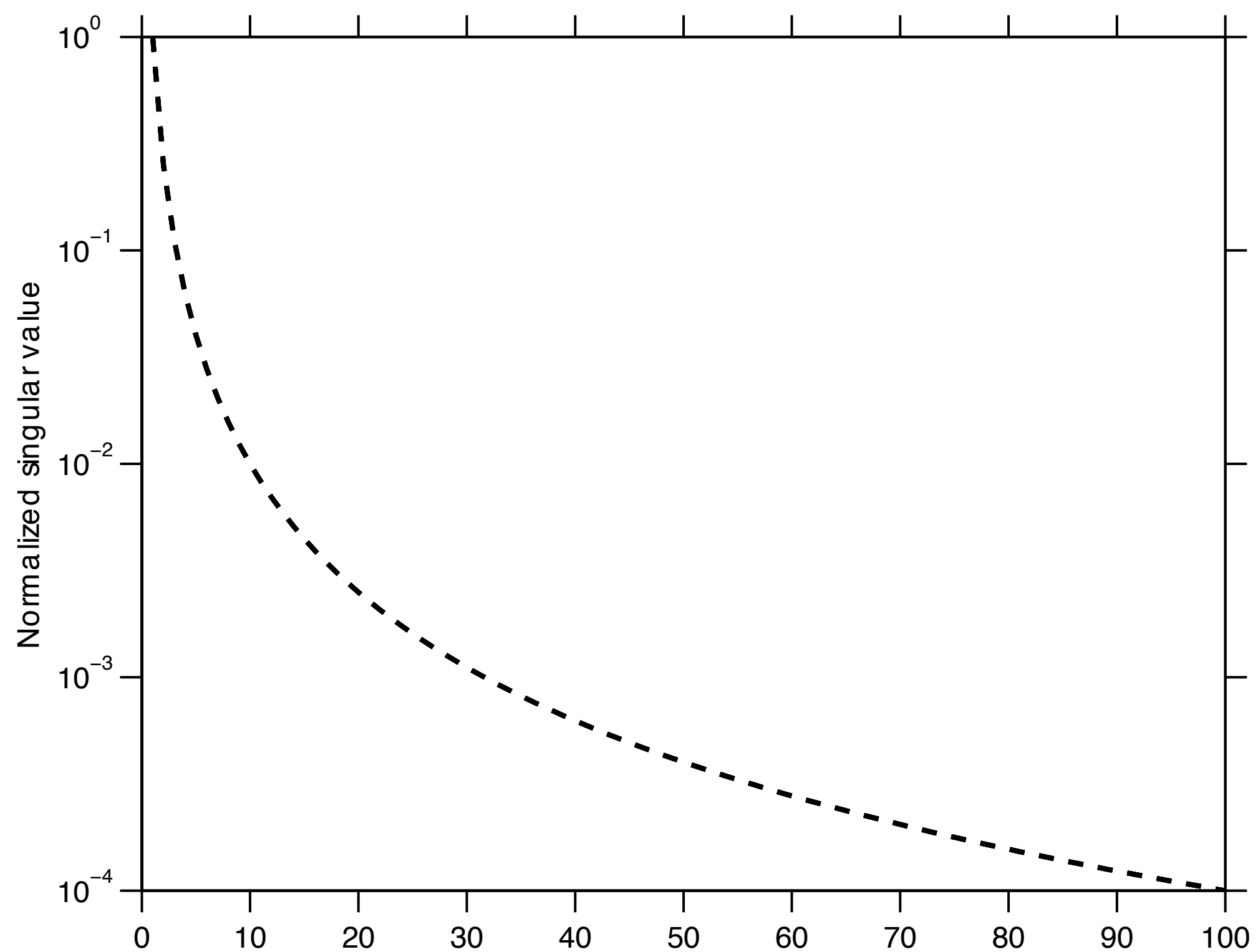
- ***subsampling, noise increases hierarchical rank***

Optimization

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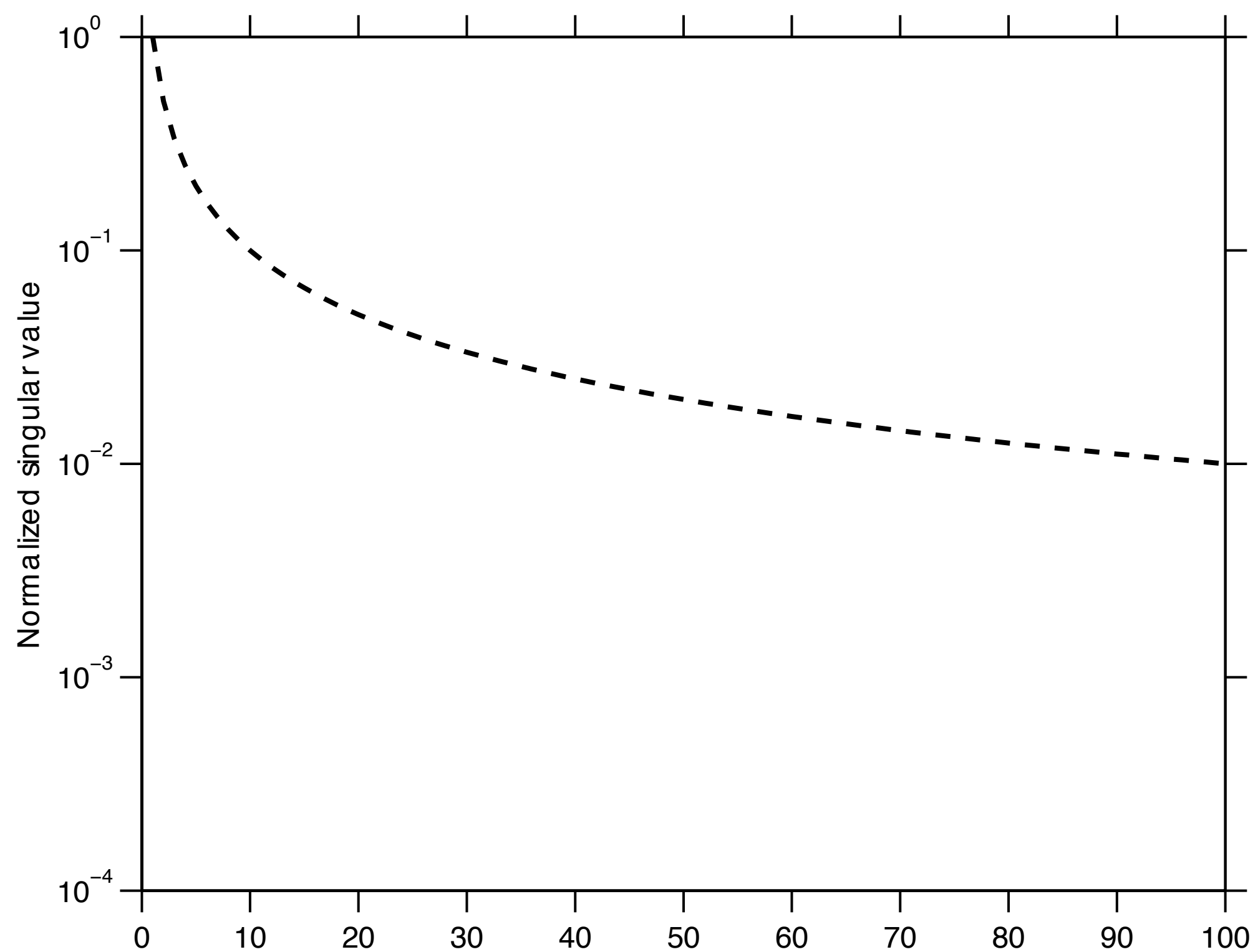
Matrix Completion

X



Matrix Completion

$$\mathcal{A}(\mathbf{X})$$
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Sampling

Sampling $(x_{\text{src}}, y_{\text{src}}, x_{\text{rec}}, y_{\text{rec}})$ points from the data

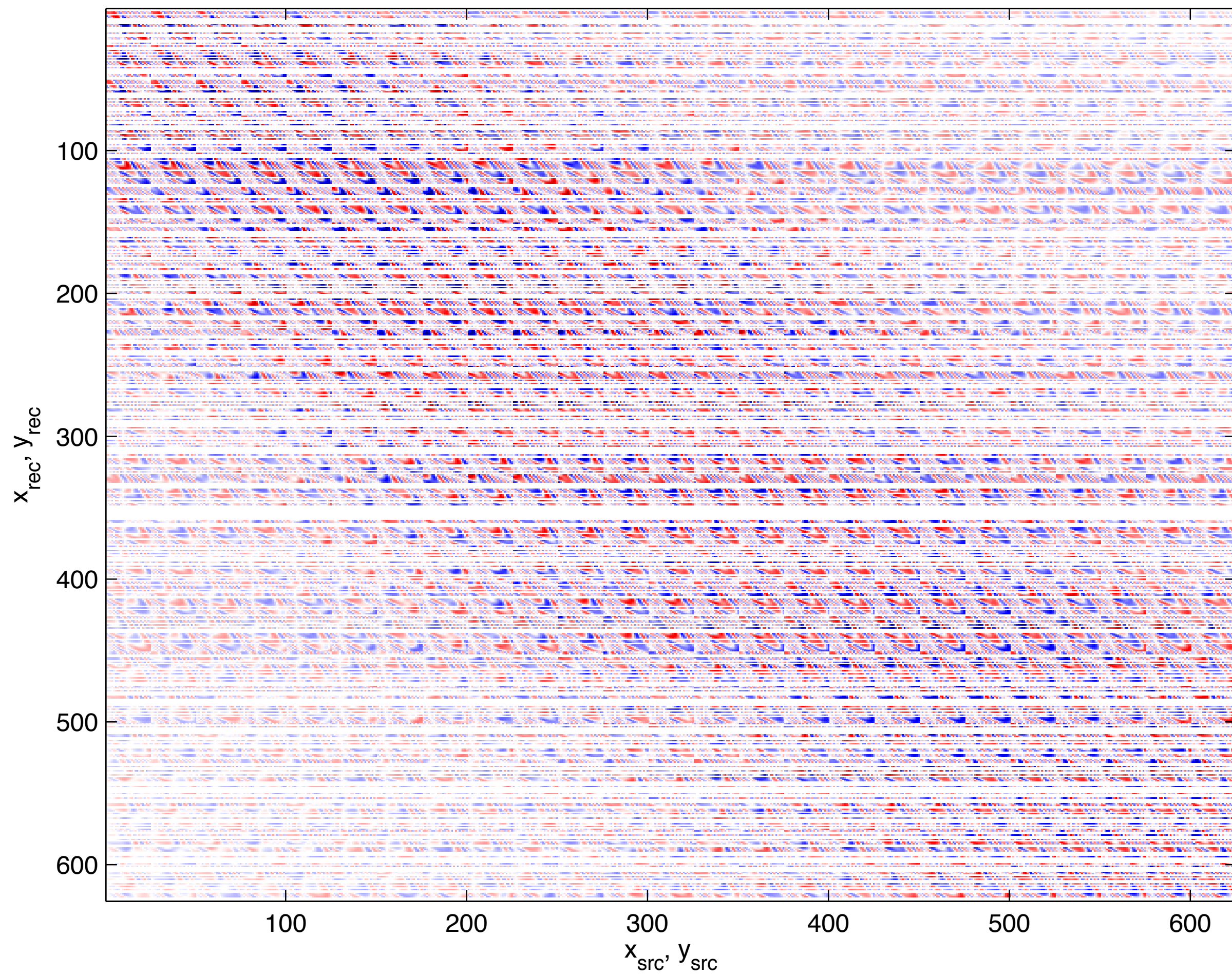
- idealized recovery
- impractical to physically implement

Sampling $(x_{\text{rec}}, y_{\text{rec}})$ points from the data

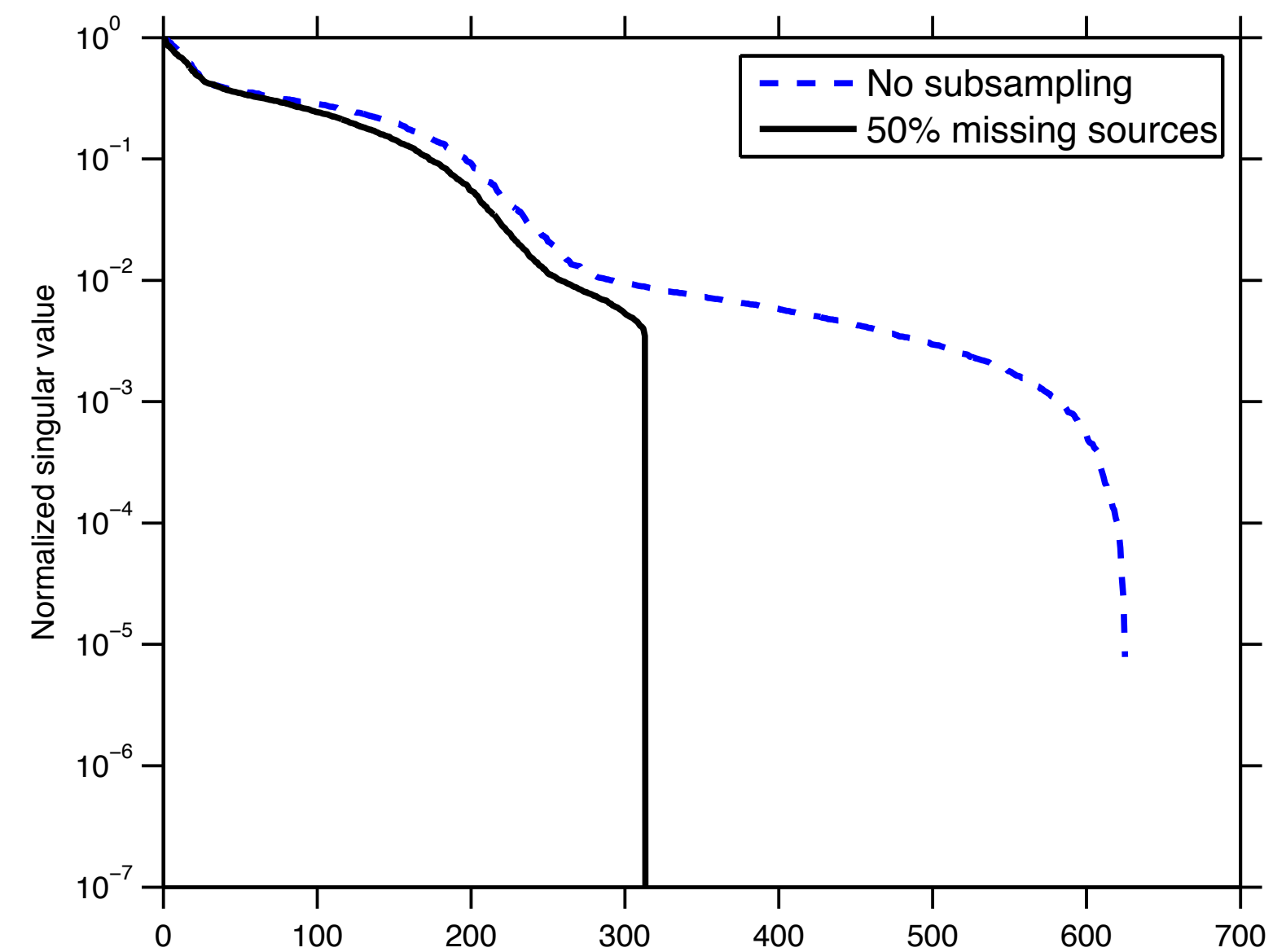
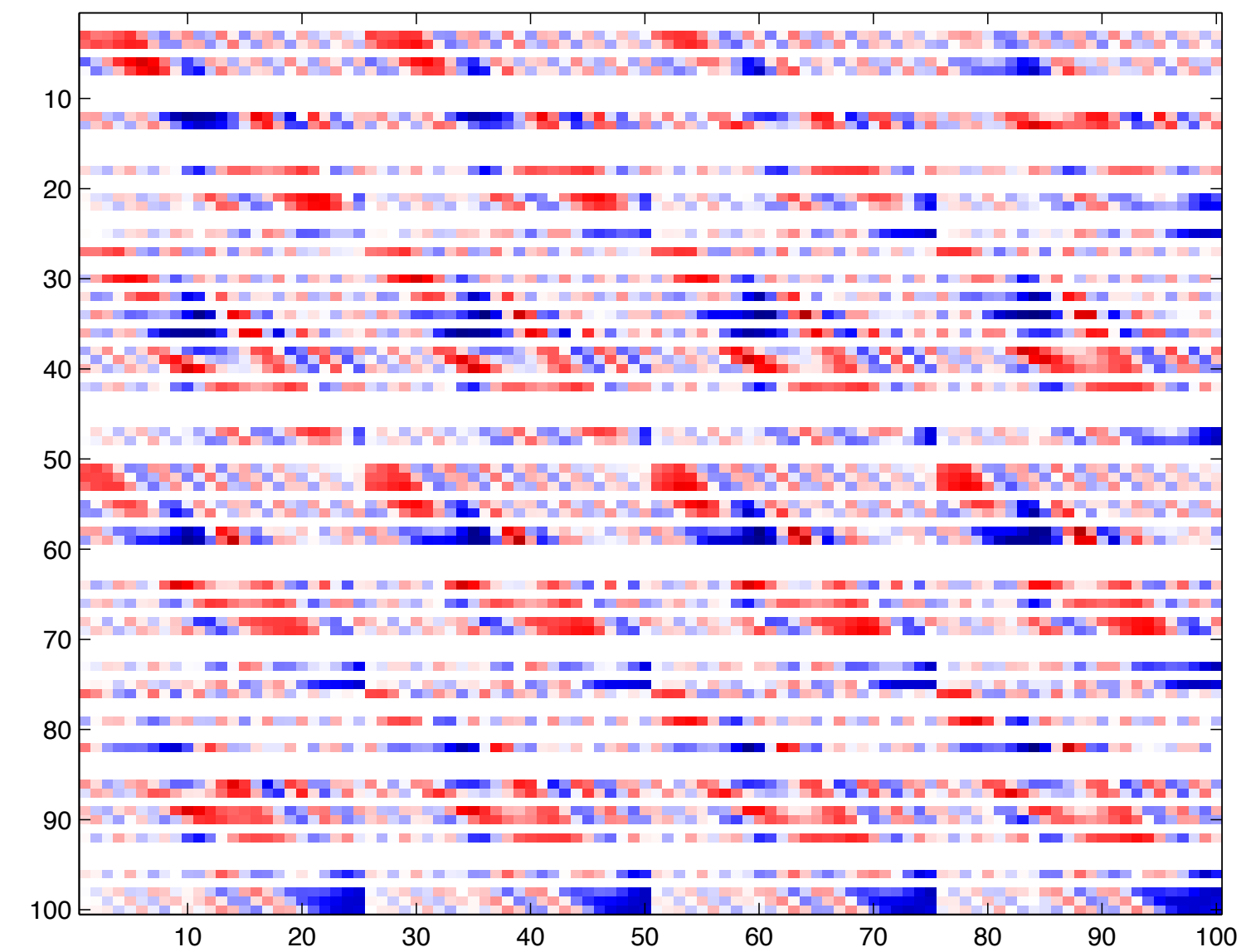
- less idealized
- possible to acquire data - e.g. ocean bottom nodes

Realistic recovery

50% random receivers removed

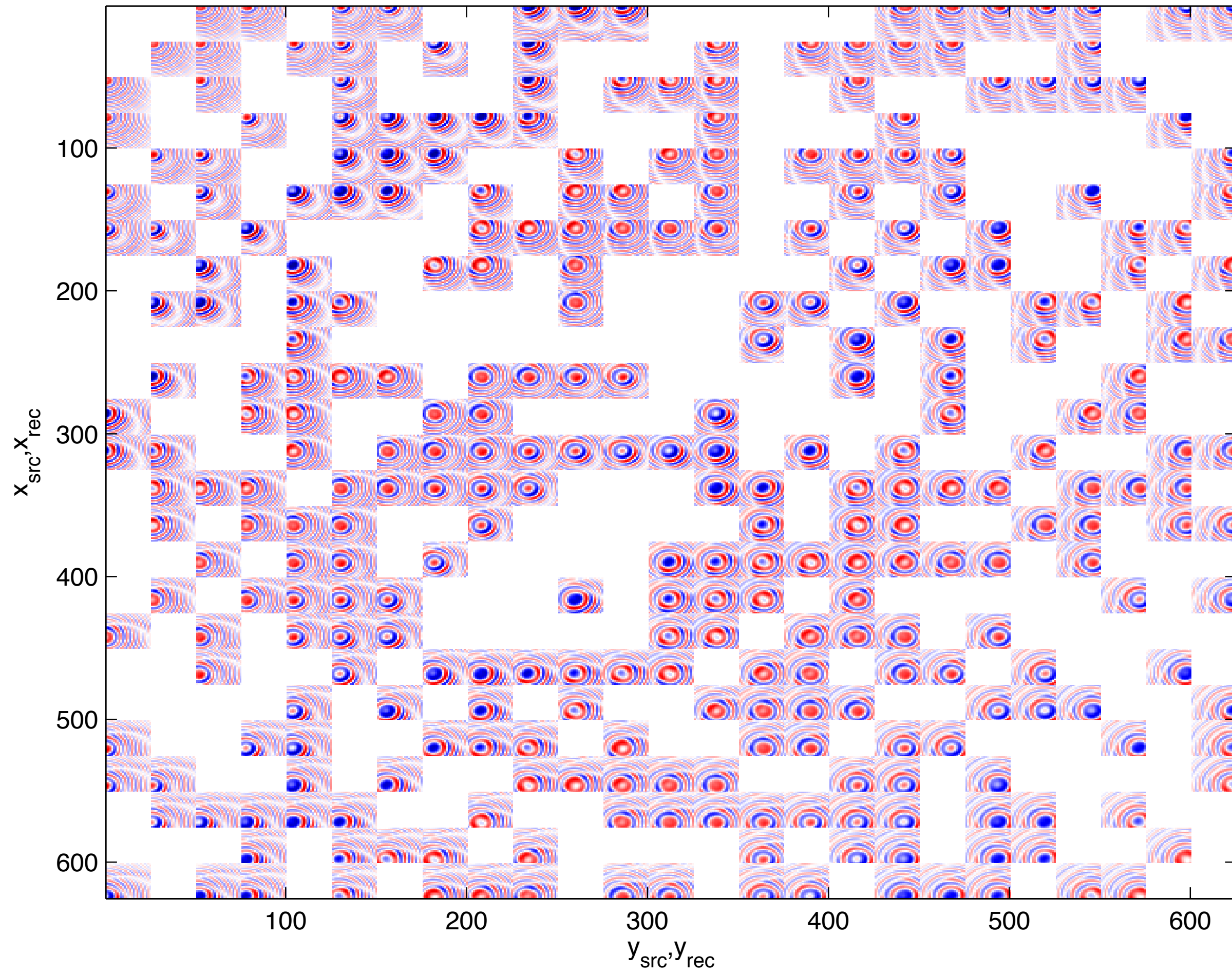


(Rec x, Rec y) matricization - Canonical ordering

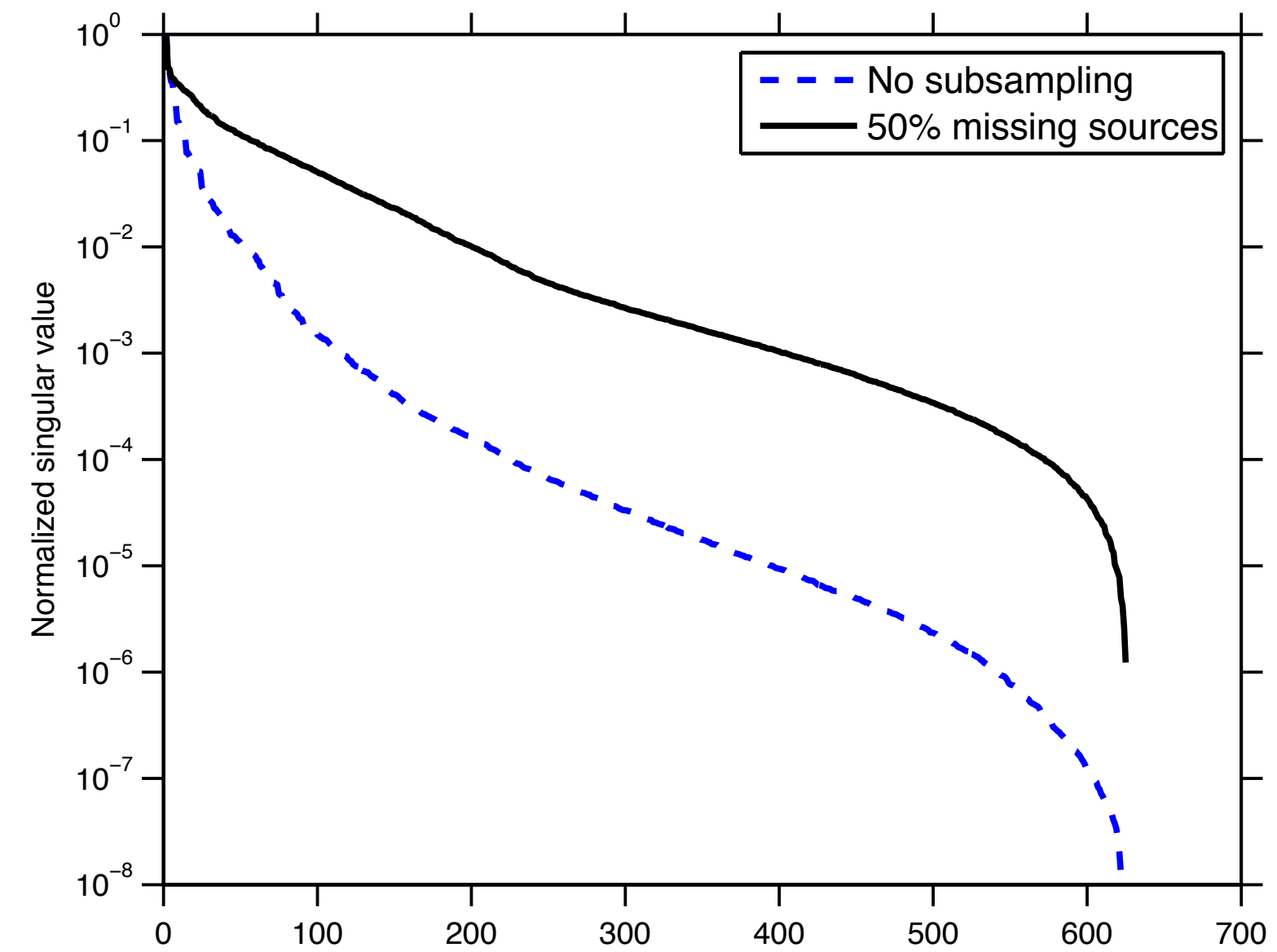
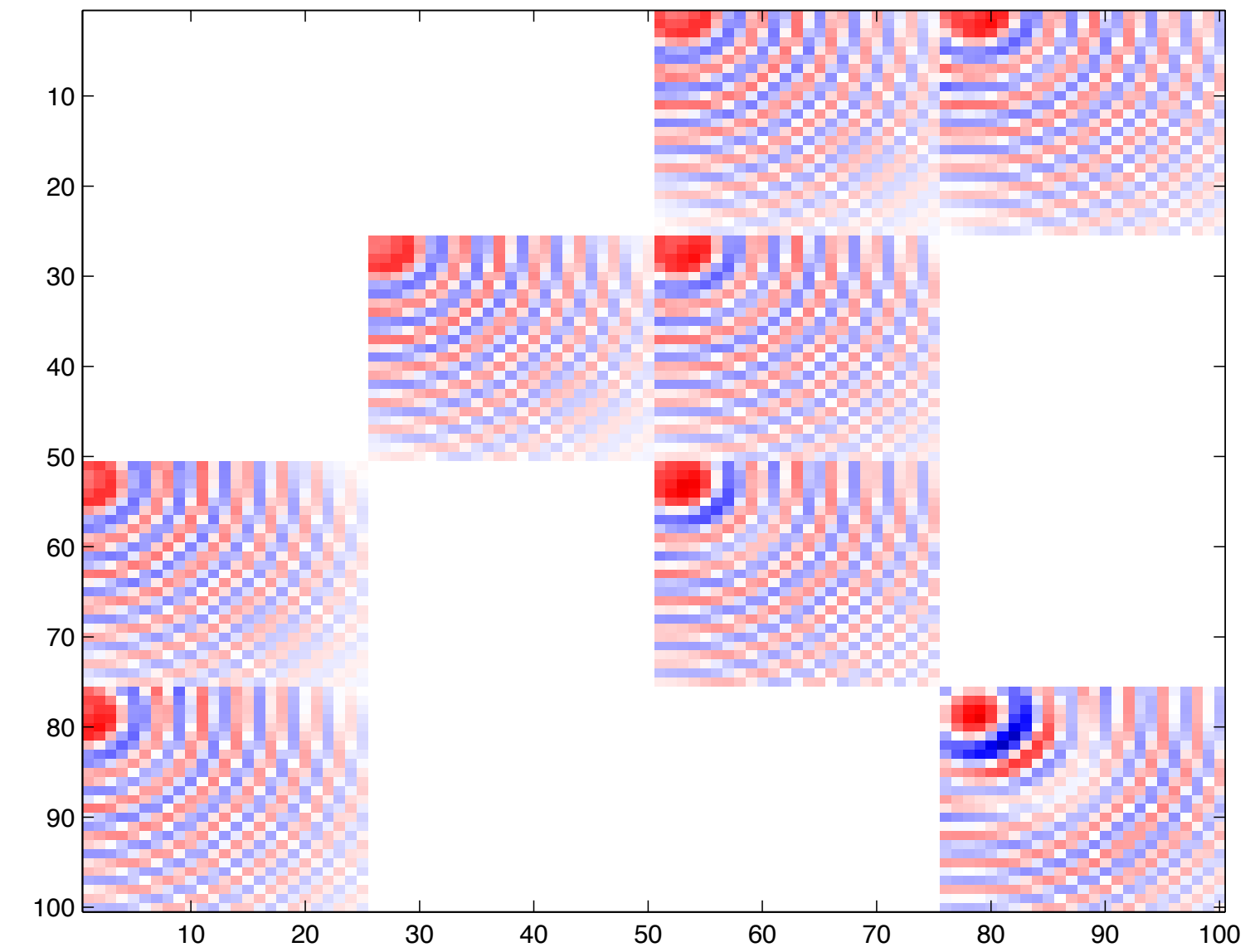


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(Src x, Rec x) matricization - Noncanonical ordering



Data organization

(rec x, rec y) organization

- High rank
- Missing receivers operator - removes rows
- Poor recovery scenario

(src x, rec x) organization

- Low rank
- Missing receivers operator - removes blocks
- Closer to ideal recovery scenario

Interpolation with noise

Malfunctioning receivers

- unknown, malfunctioning receivers generating Gaussian noise

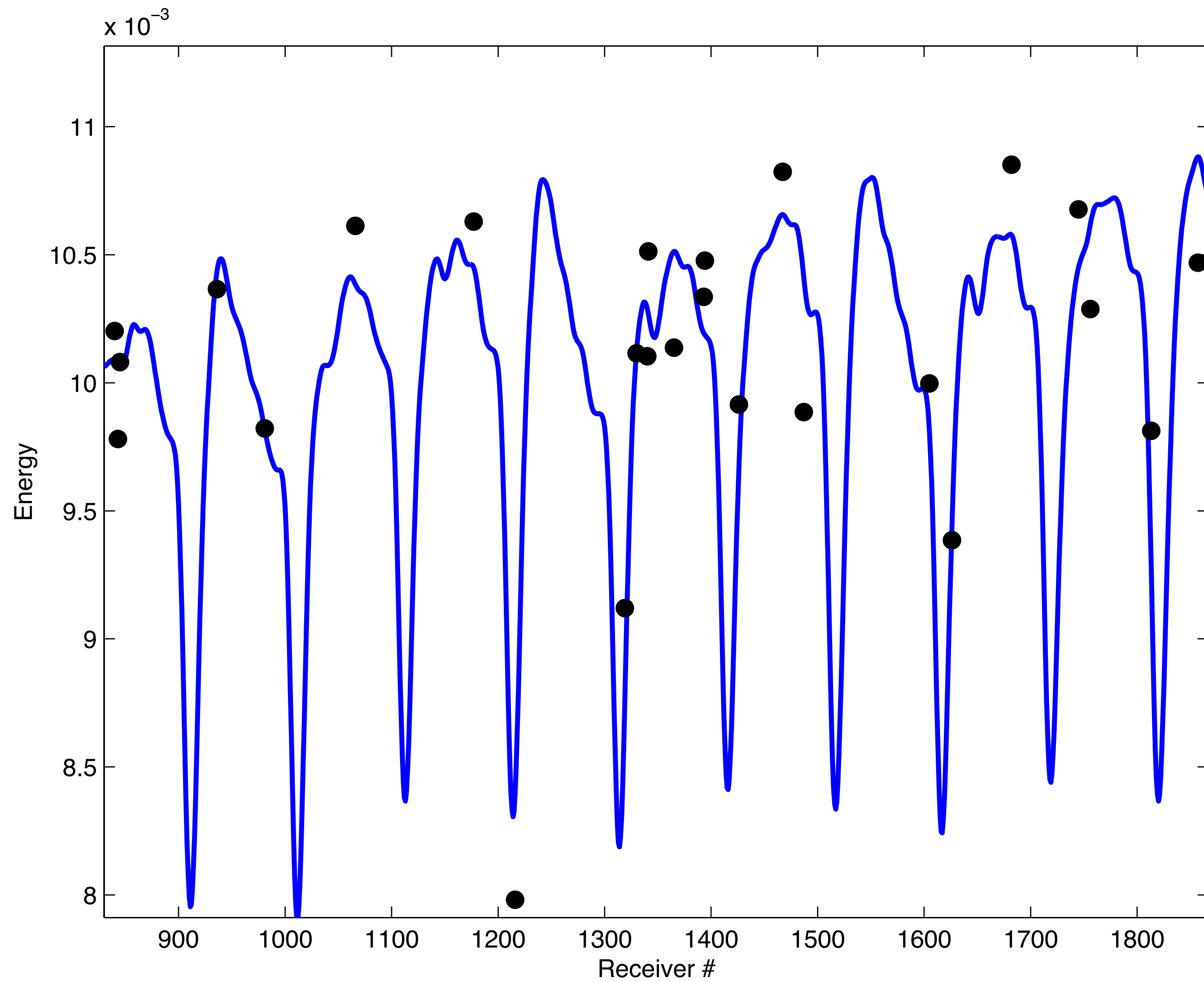
Low noise

- energy scaled to energy of removed receivers

High noise

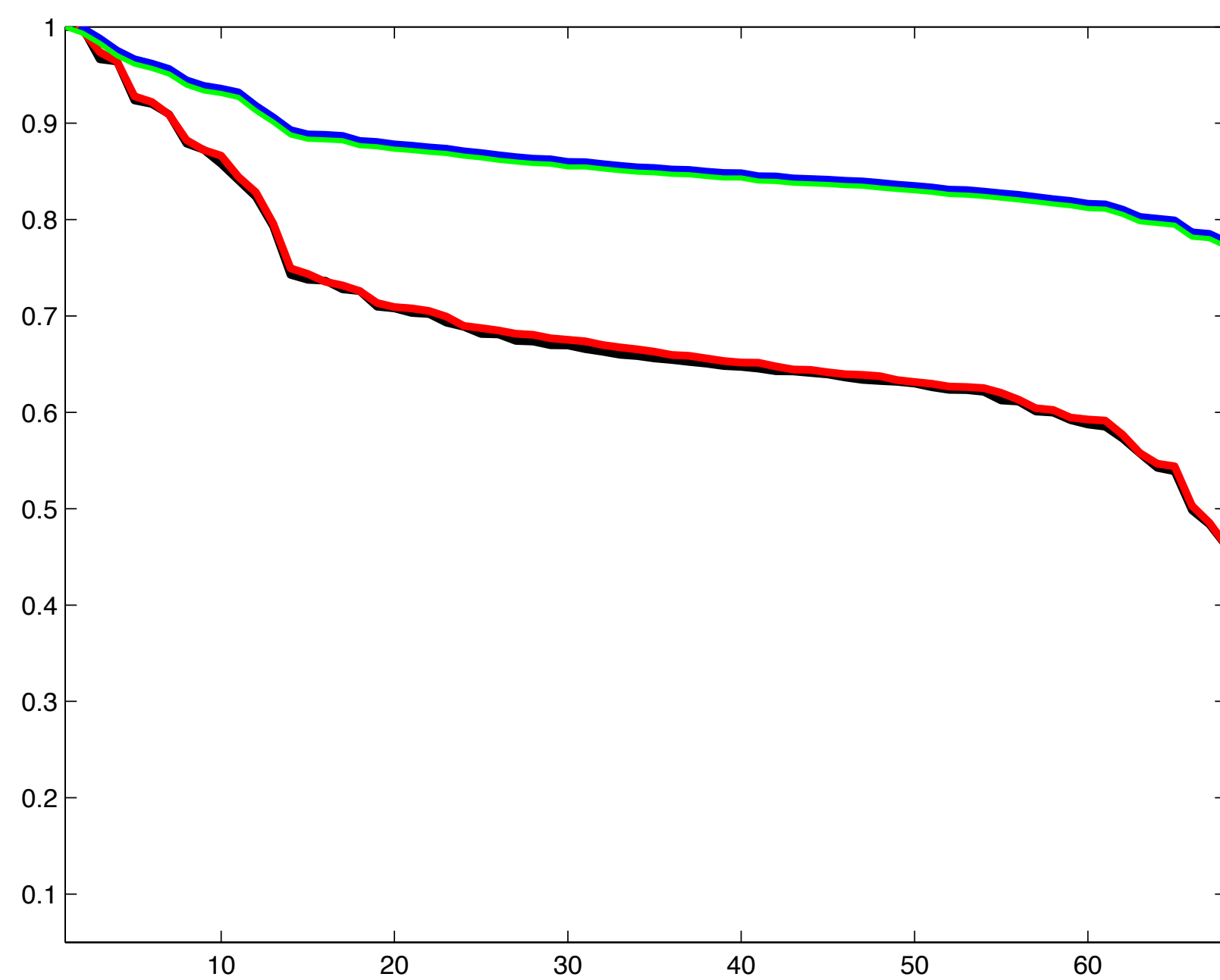
- total noise energy scaled to entire data energy

Receiver energy - low noise

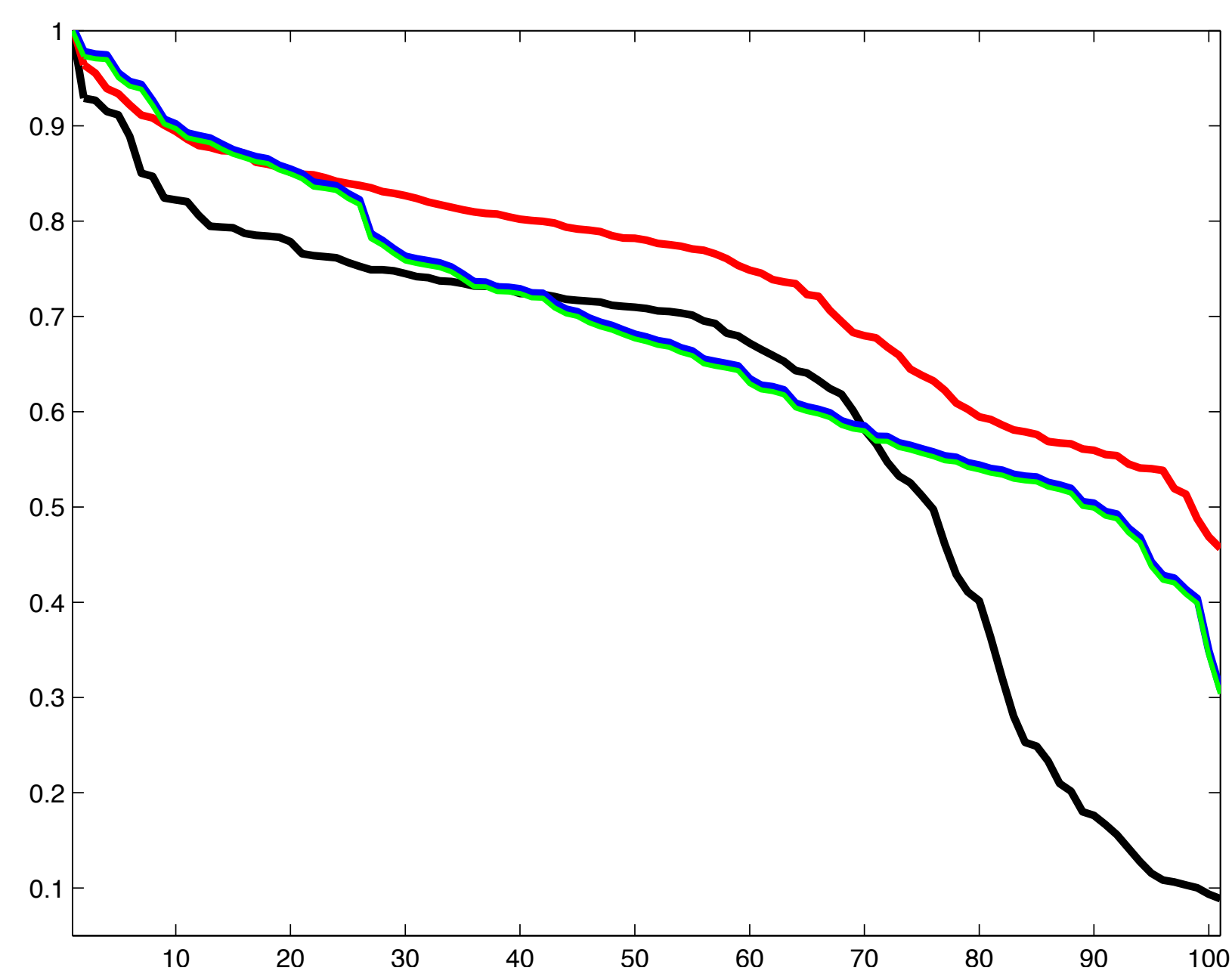


Interpolation with noise

Black - original
Red - subsampled
Blue - low noise
Green - high noise



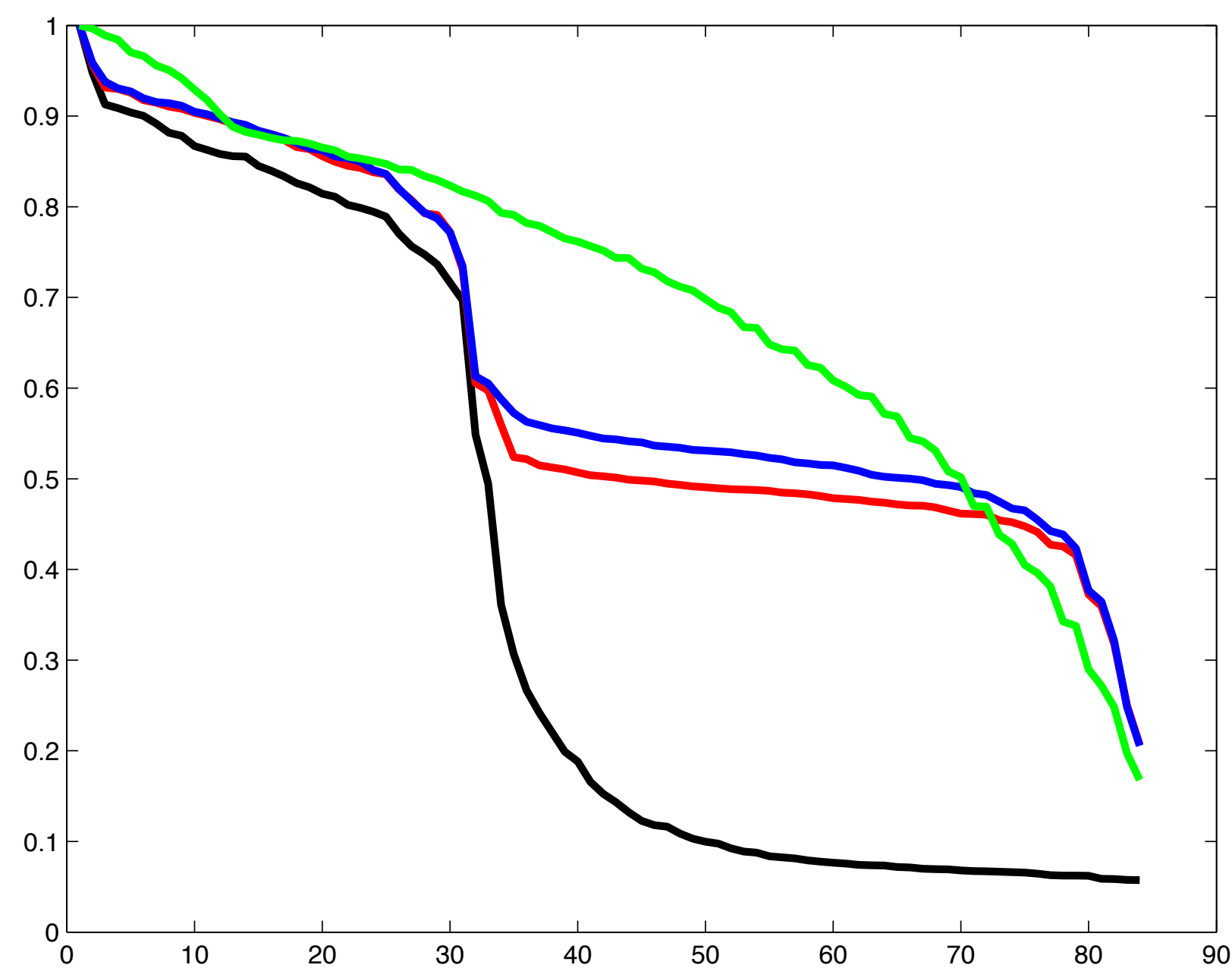
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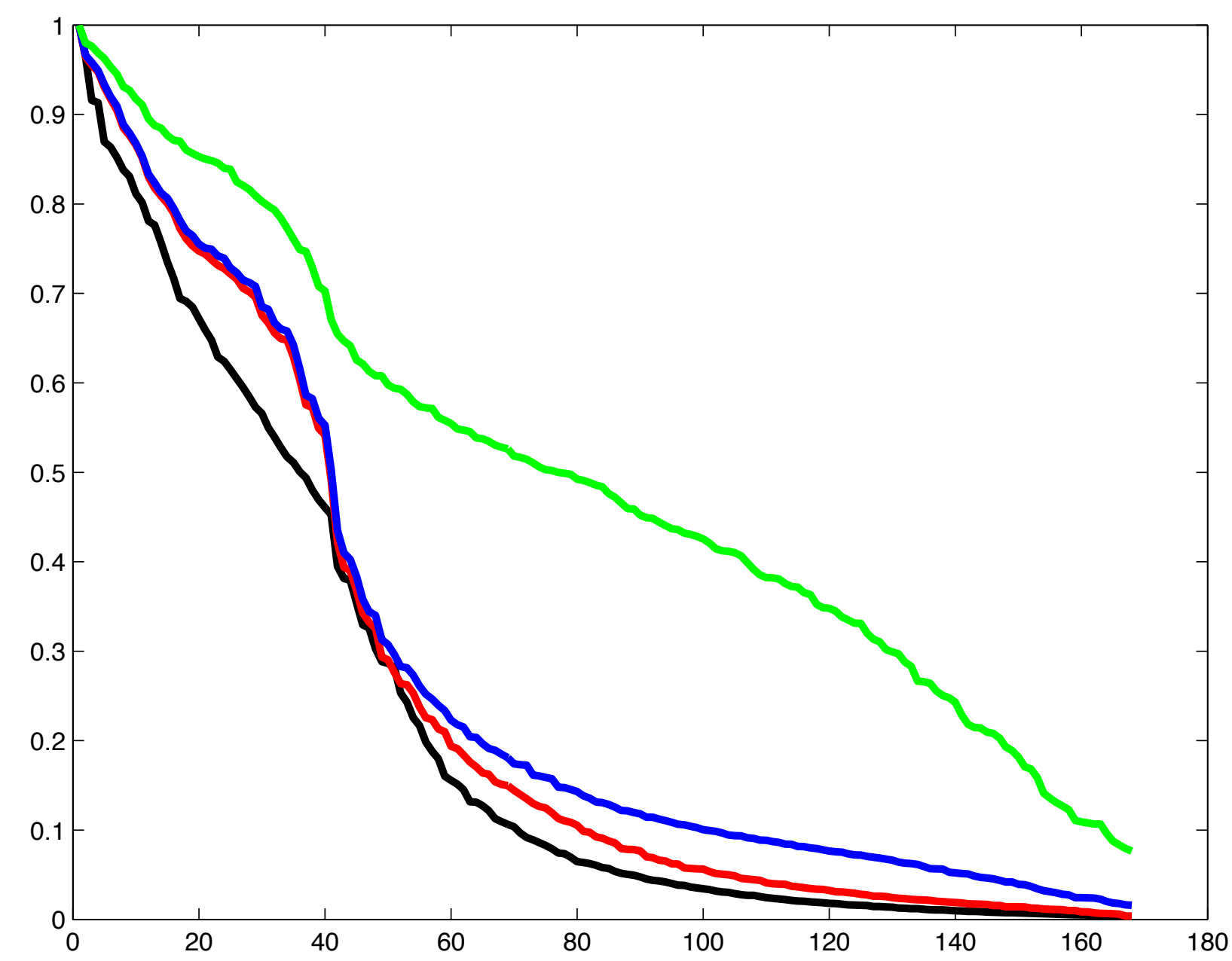
X_{rec} singular values

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$X_{midpoint}$ singular values



$X_{of fset}$ singular values

Interpolation with noise

Source-receiver domain

- subsampling **increases** the singular values in all dimensions
- noise **does not change** source-side singular values, **decreases** receiver-side singular values

Conclusion, *in this domain*

- Low-rank HT optimization **will** interpolate values in noiseless case
- Low-rank HT optimization **cannot** distinguish between noise & signal in noisy case

Interpolation with noise

Midpoint-offset domain

- subsampling *increases* the singular values in all dimensions
- noise *increases* the singular values in both the midpoint and offset dimensions

Conclusion, in this domain

- Low-rank HT optimization *will* interpolate values in noiseless case
- Low-rank HT optimization *will* interpolate and distinguish between noise and signal

Multidimensional interpolation

with Hierarchical Tucker

Successful reconstruction scheme

Signal structure

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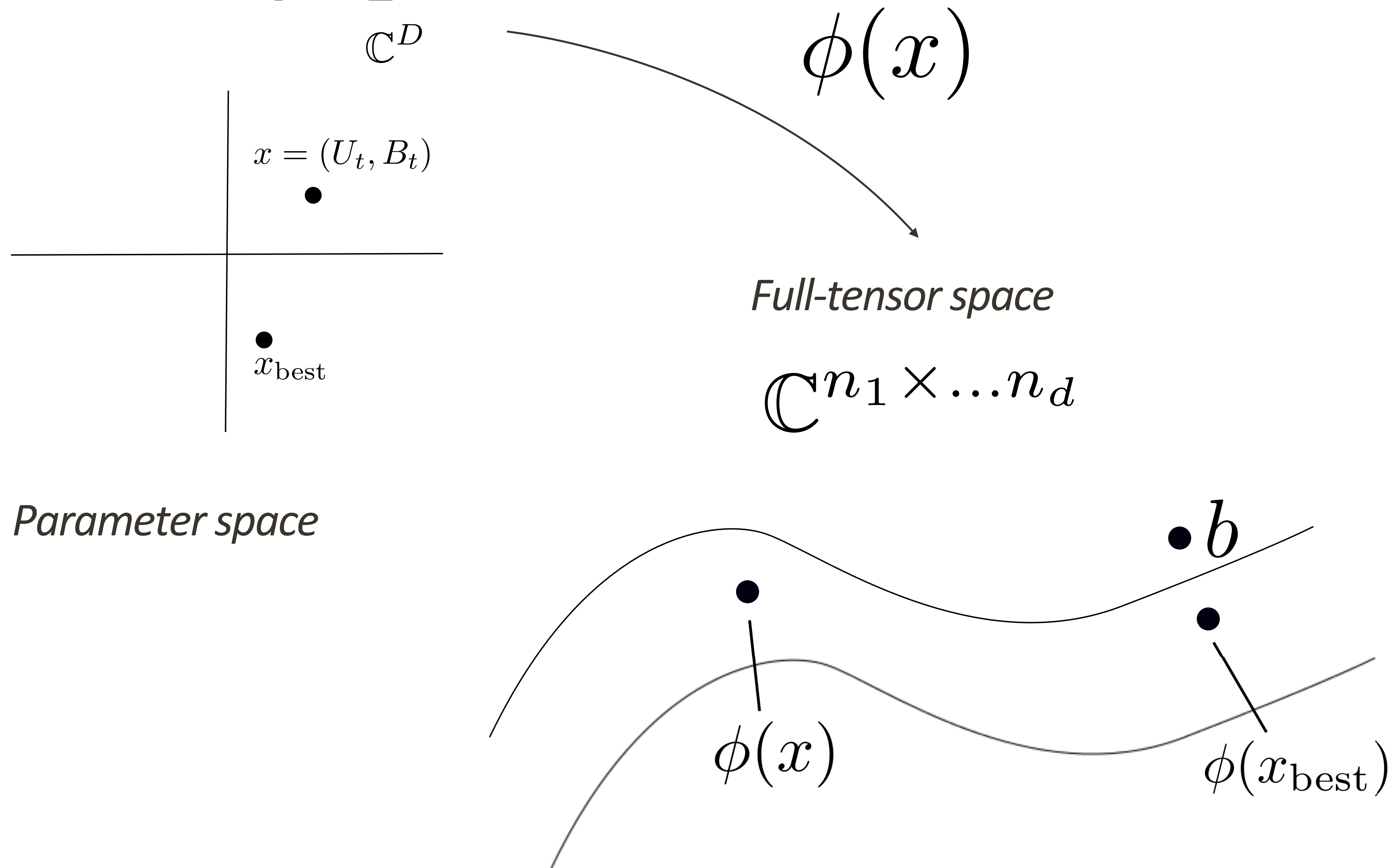
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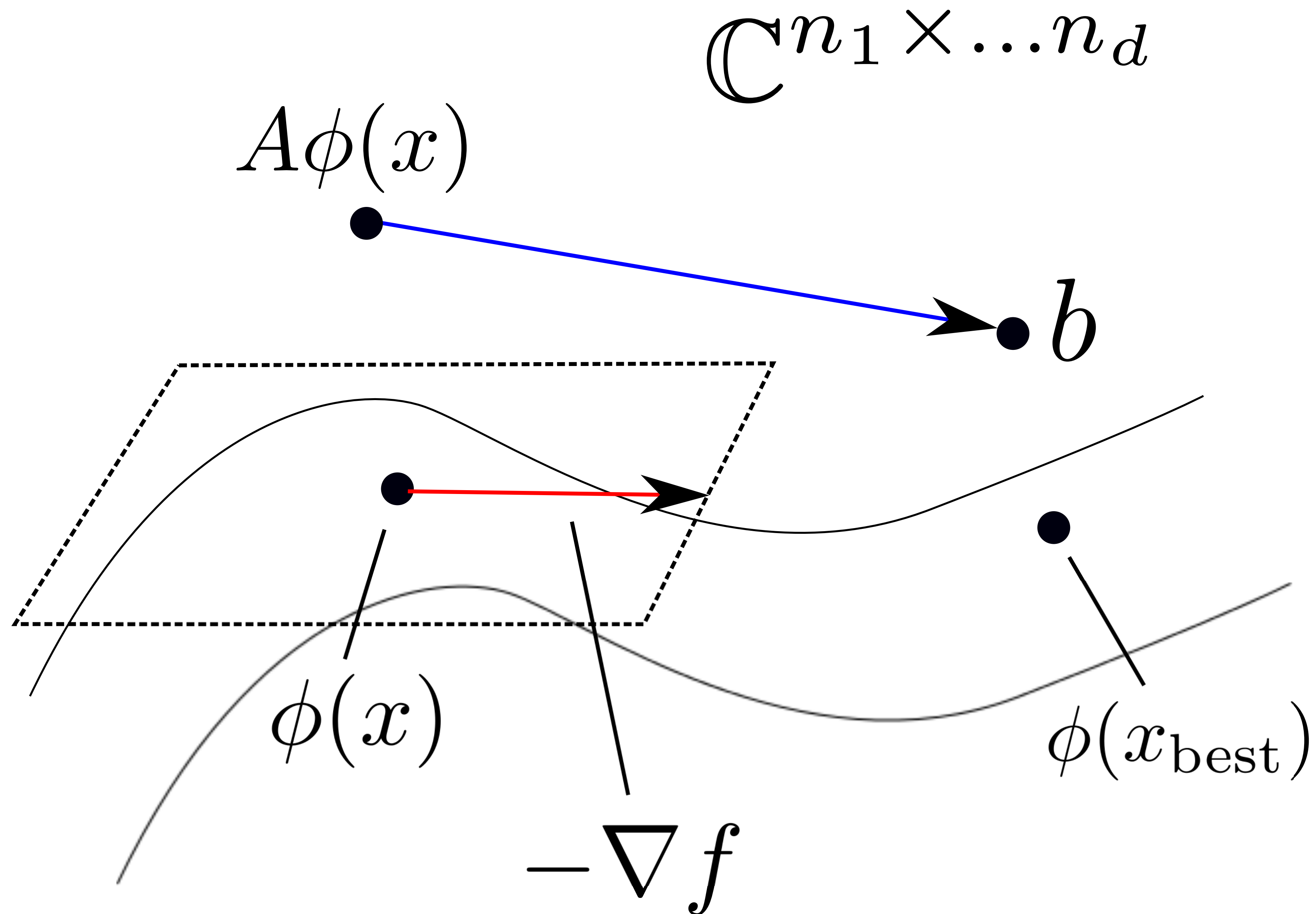
Optimization

- ***fit data in the Hierarchical Tucker format***

Optimization program



Optimization program



Derivatives

Only involves matrix-matrix multiplications of small matrices compared to the full-tensor space

Parallelizable - multilinear product can be done in parallel

SVD-free - no large-scale SVDs, unlike nuclear norm-based methods

Results

Synthetic BG Group data

Unknown model

- 68 x 68 sources with 401 x 401 receivers, data at 7.34 Hz

Receivers subsampled to 101 x 101

Recovered with Gauss-Newton

Noise

Removed 50% of receivers randomly

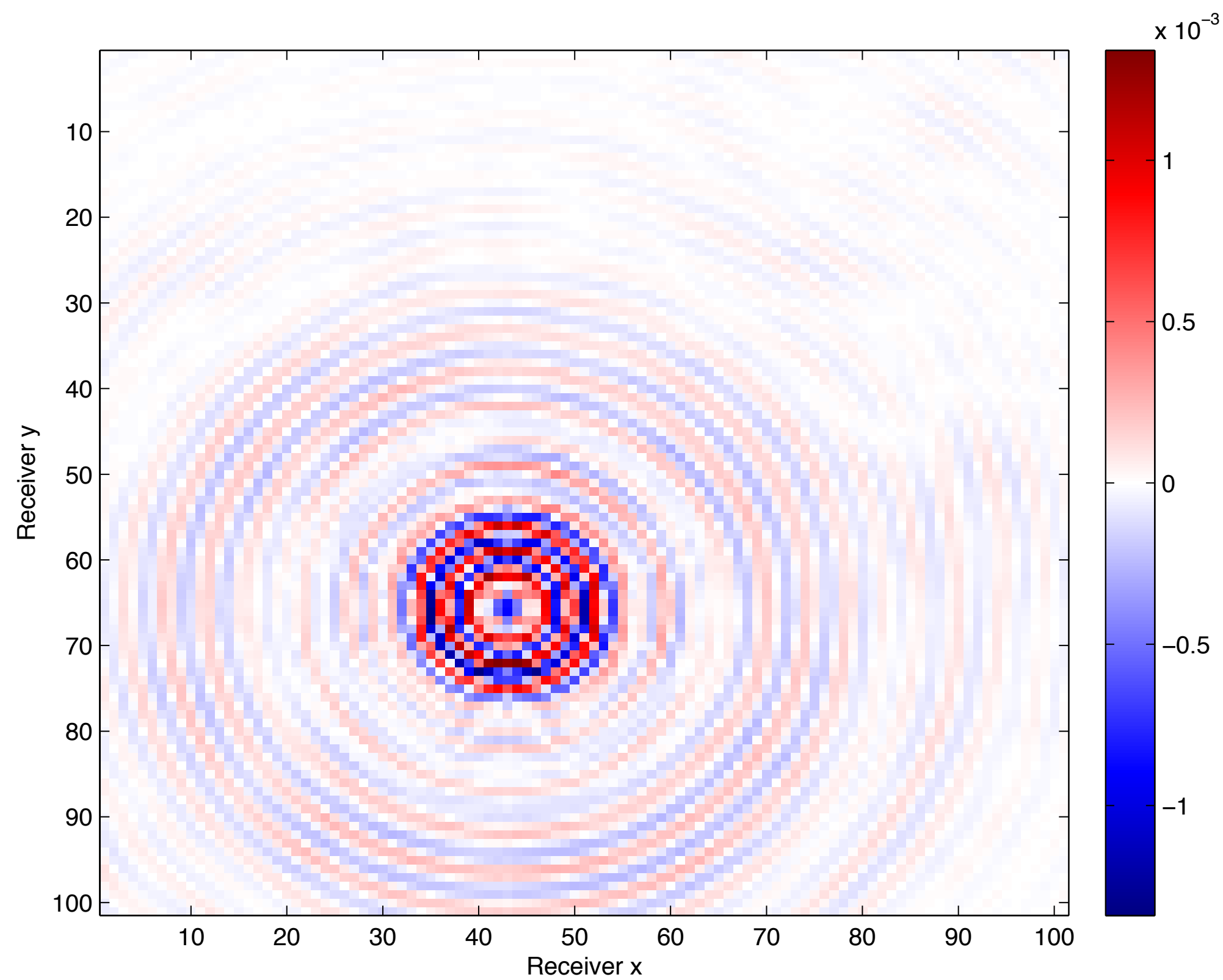
5% of remaining receivers replaced with random Gaussian noise

Low noise - energy scaled to energy of removed receivers

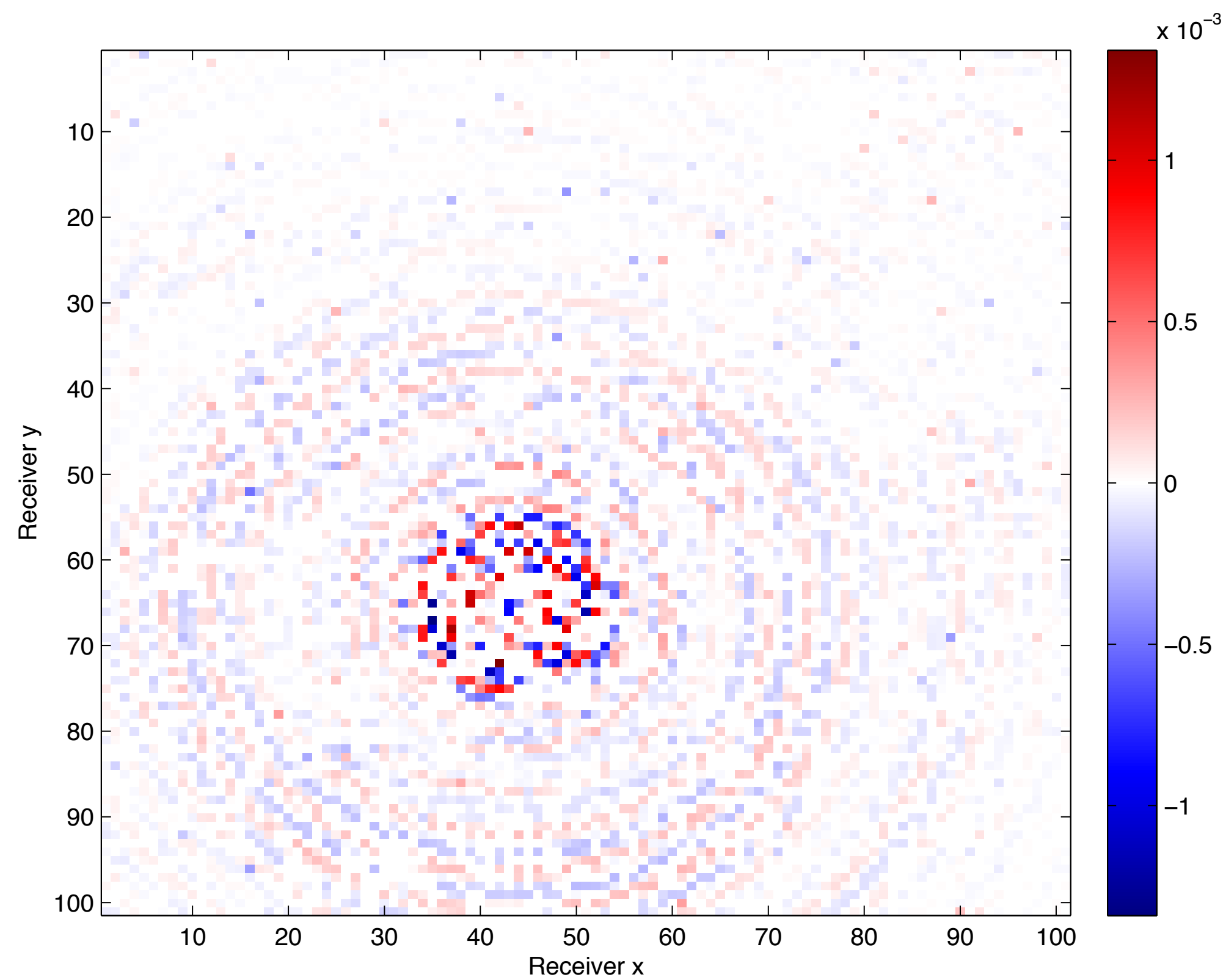
High noise - total noise energy scaled to entire data energy

7.34 Hz - 50% missing receivers - low noise

Common source gather



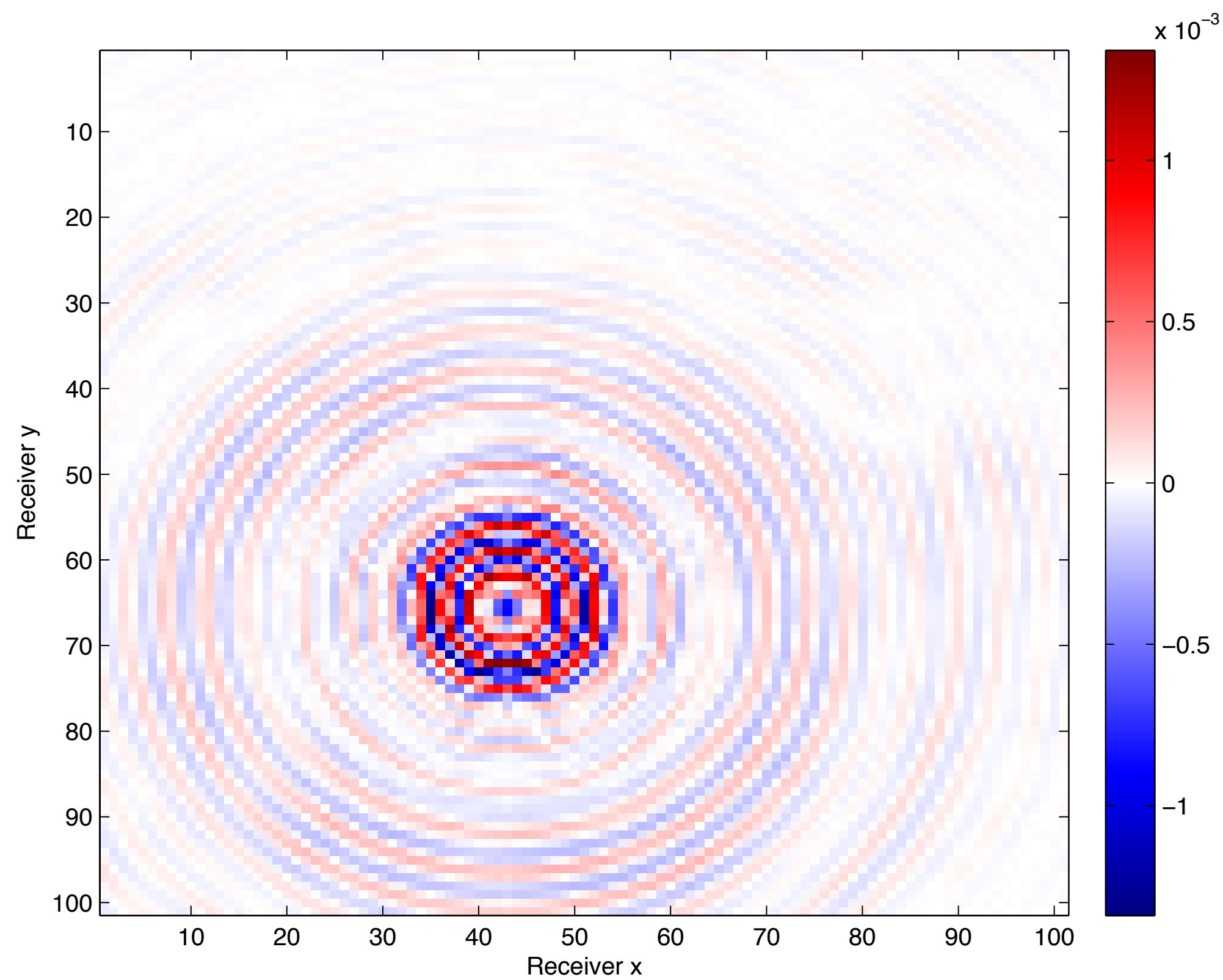
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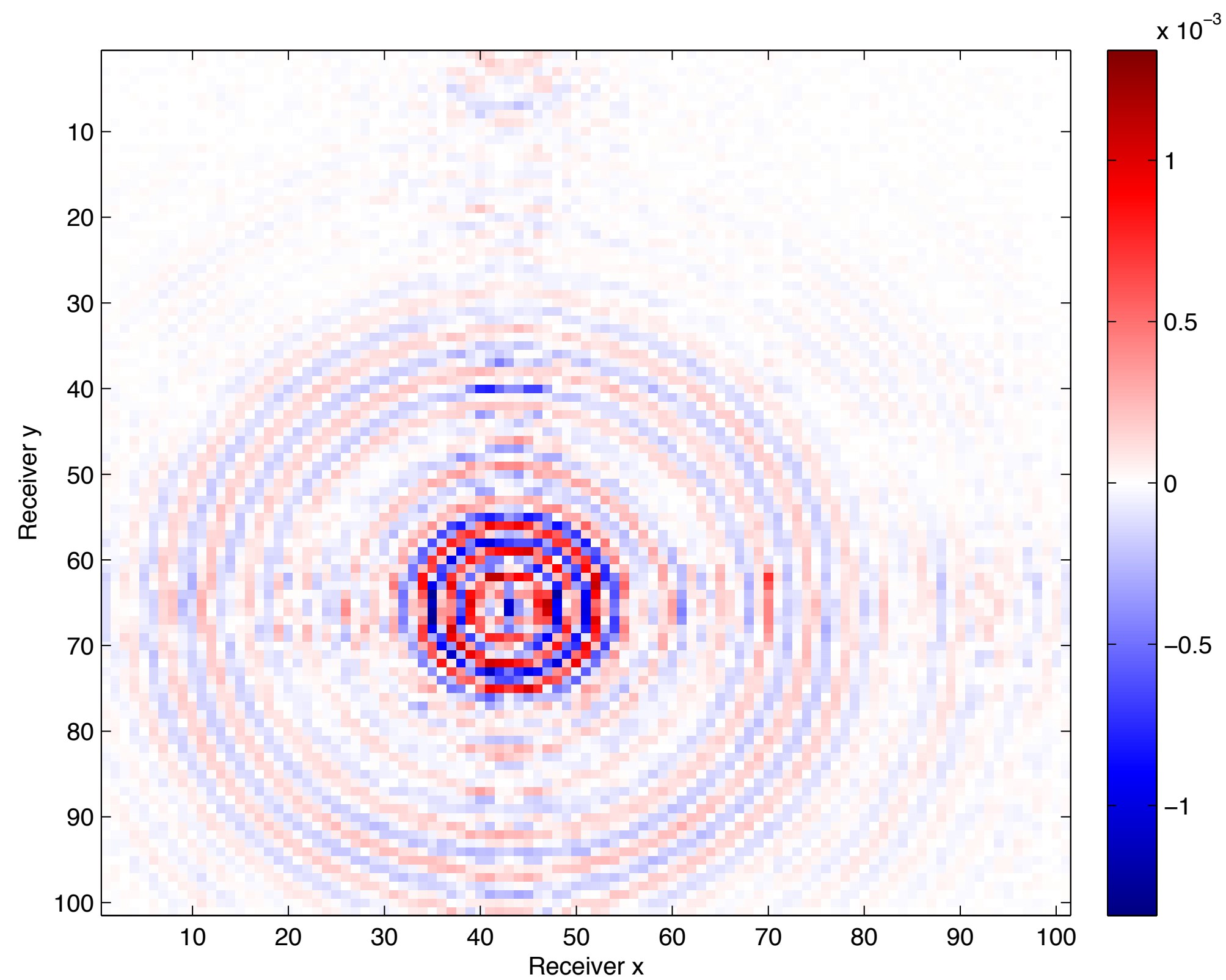
Subsampled data

7.34 Hz - 50% missing receivers - low noise

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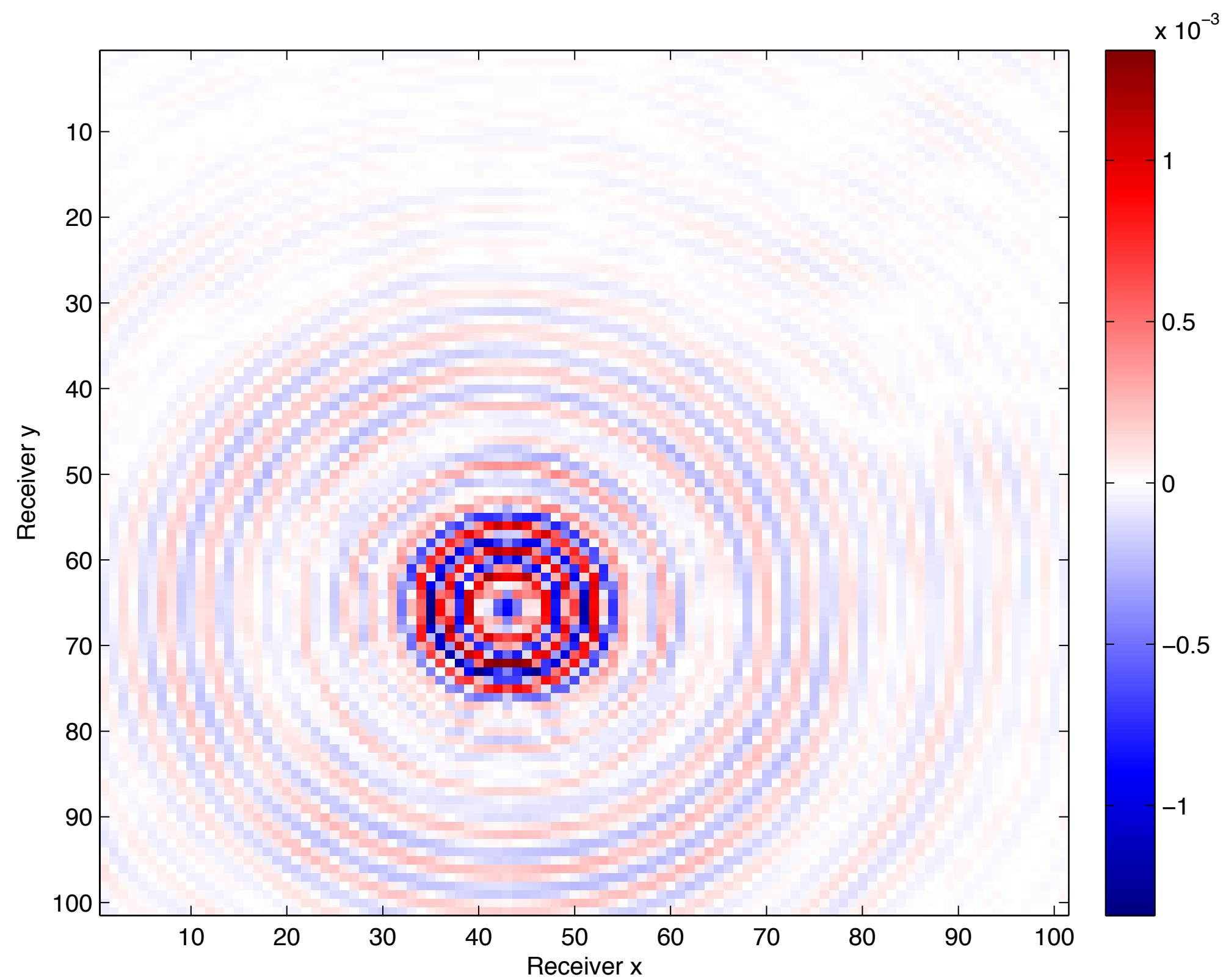
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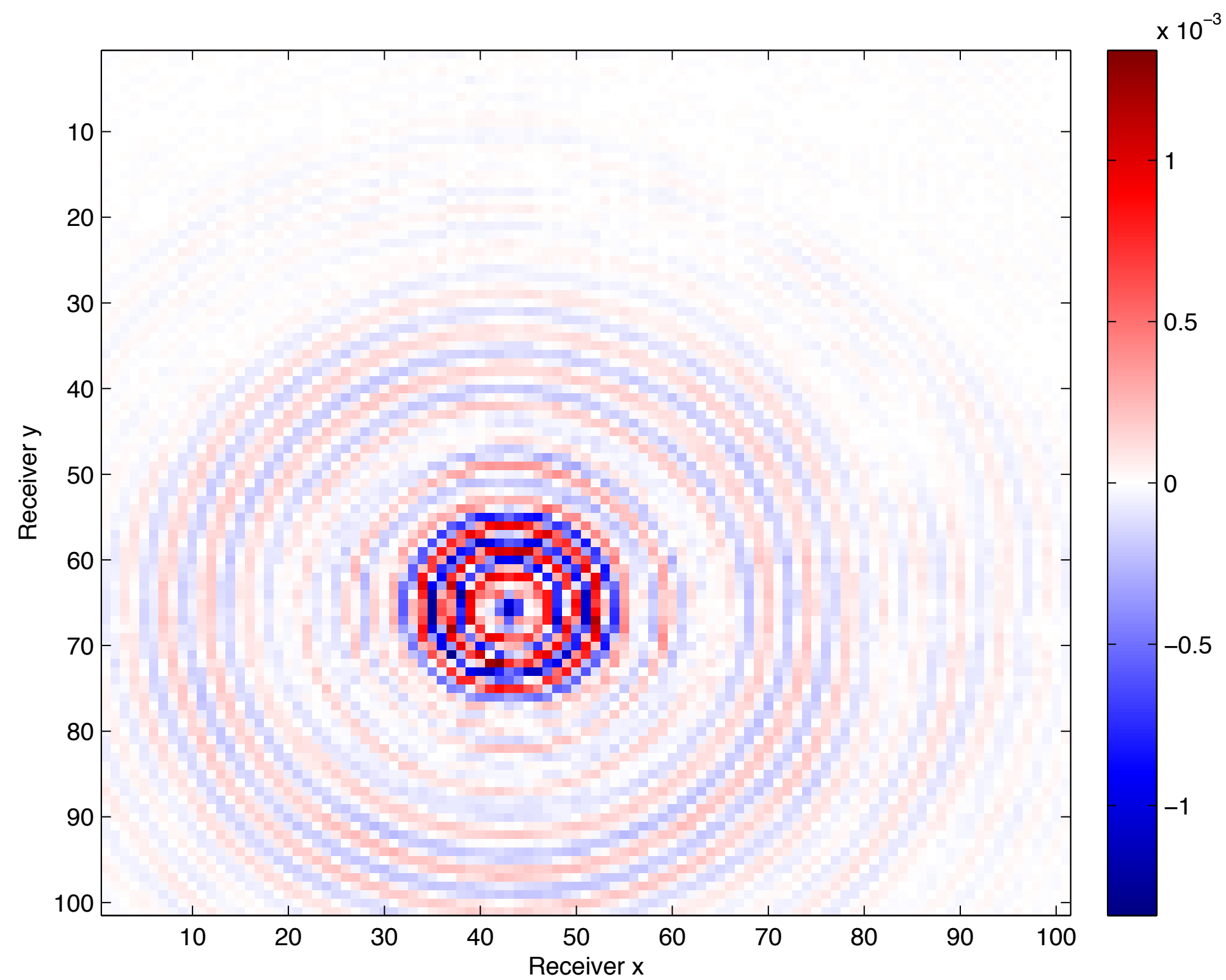
SR Recovery - SNR 7.8 dB

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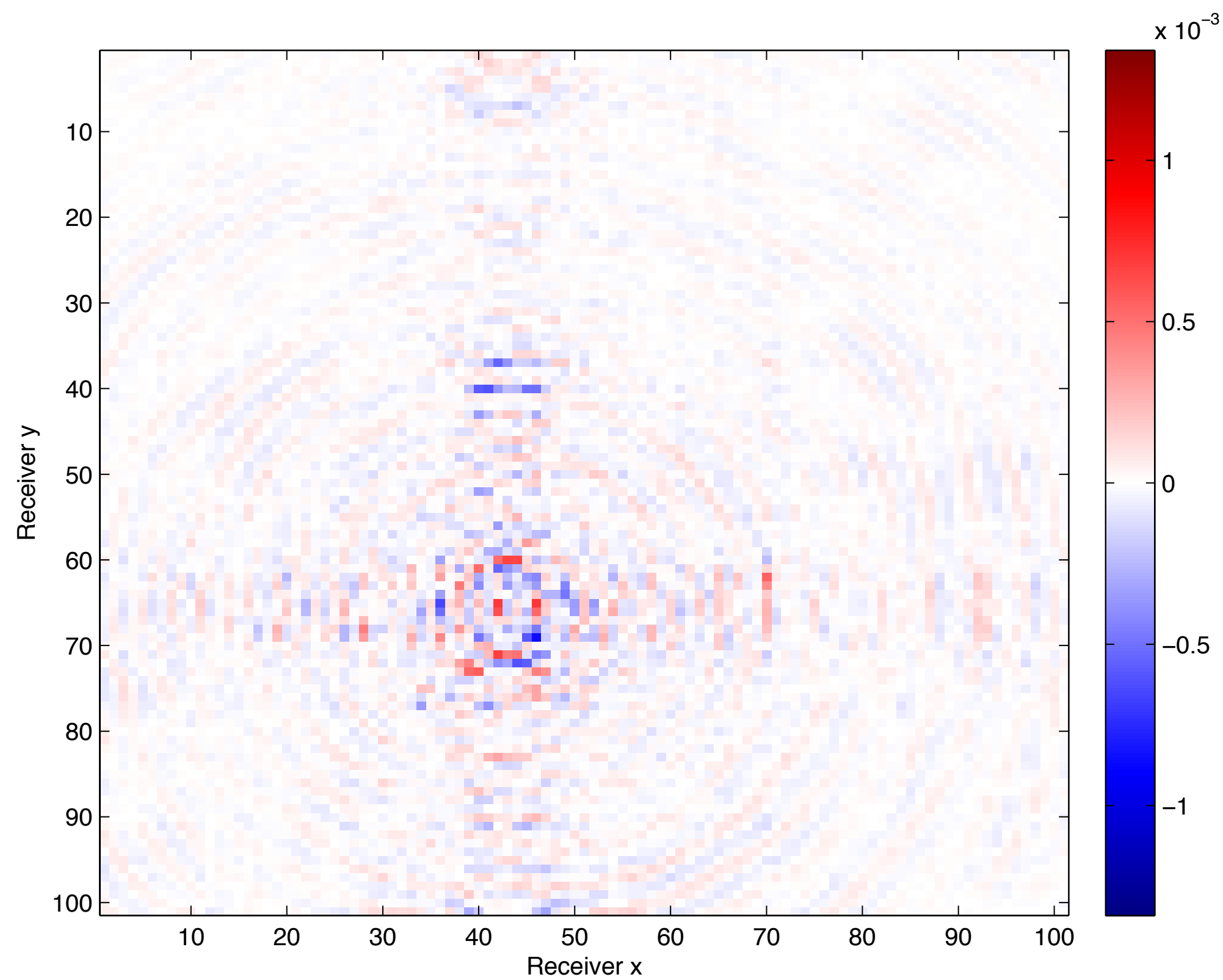
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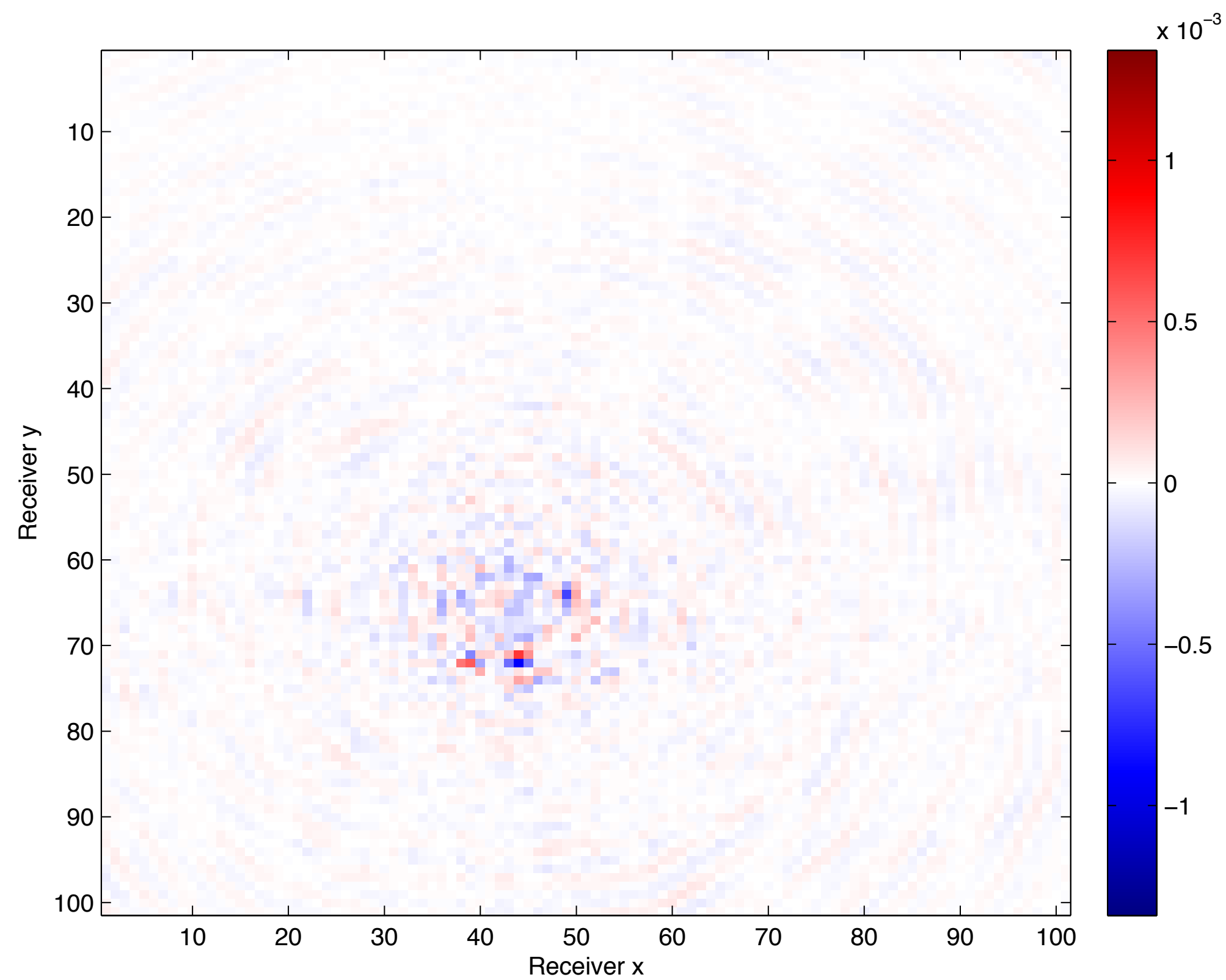
MH Recovery - SNR 12.6 dB

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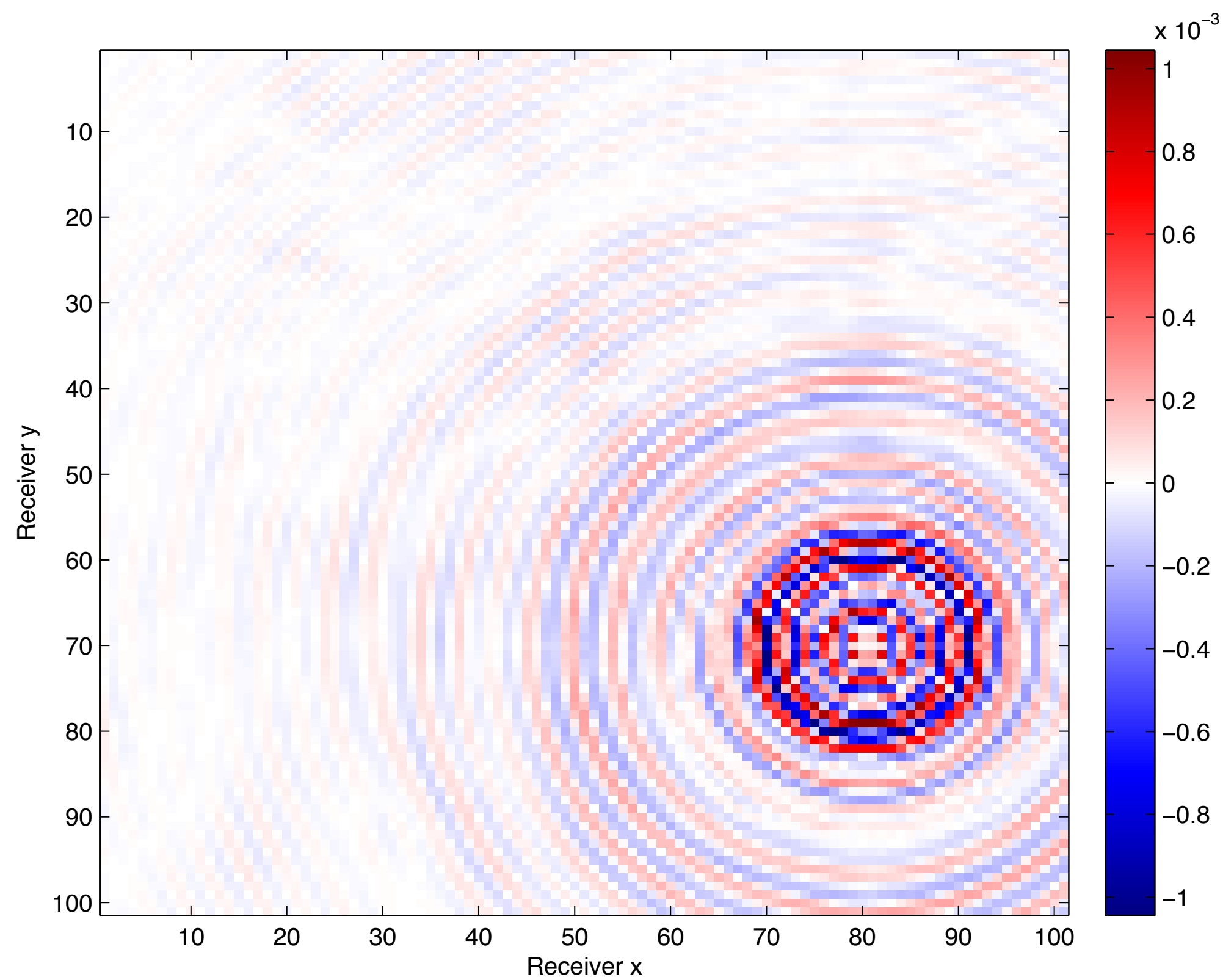
SR Difference



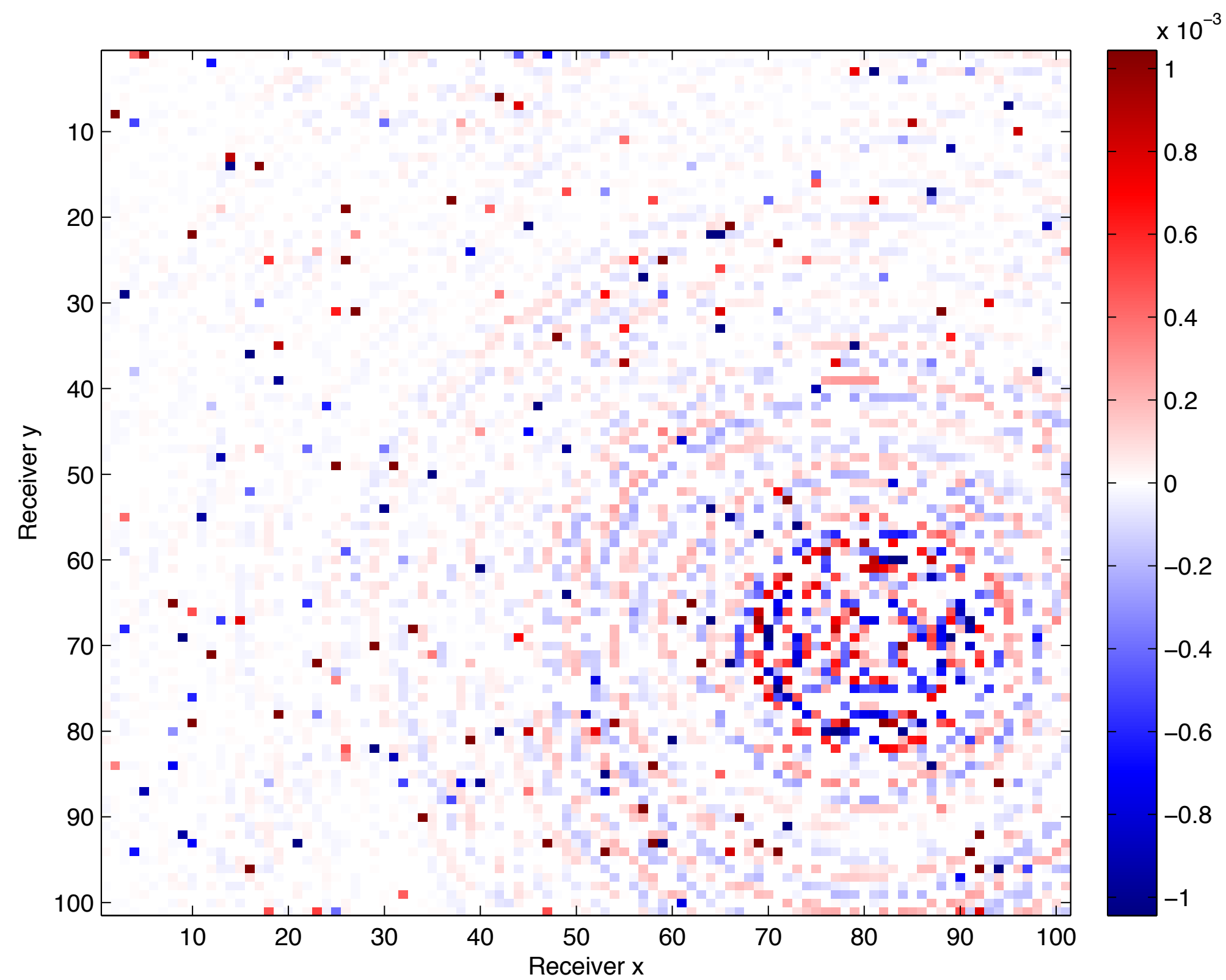
MH Difference

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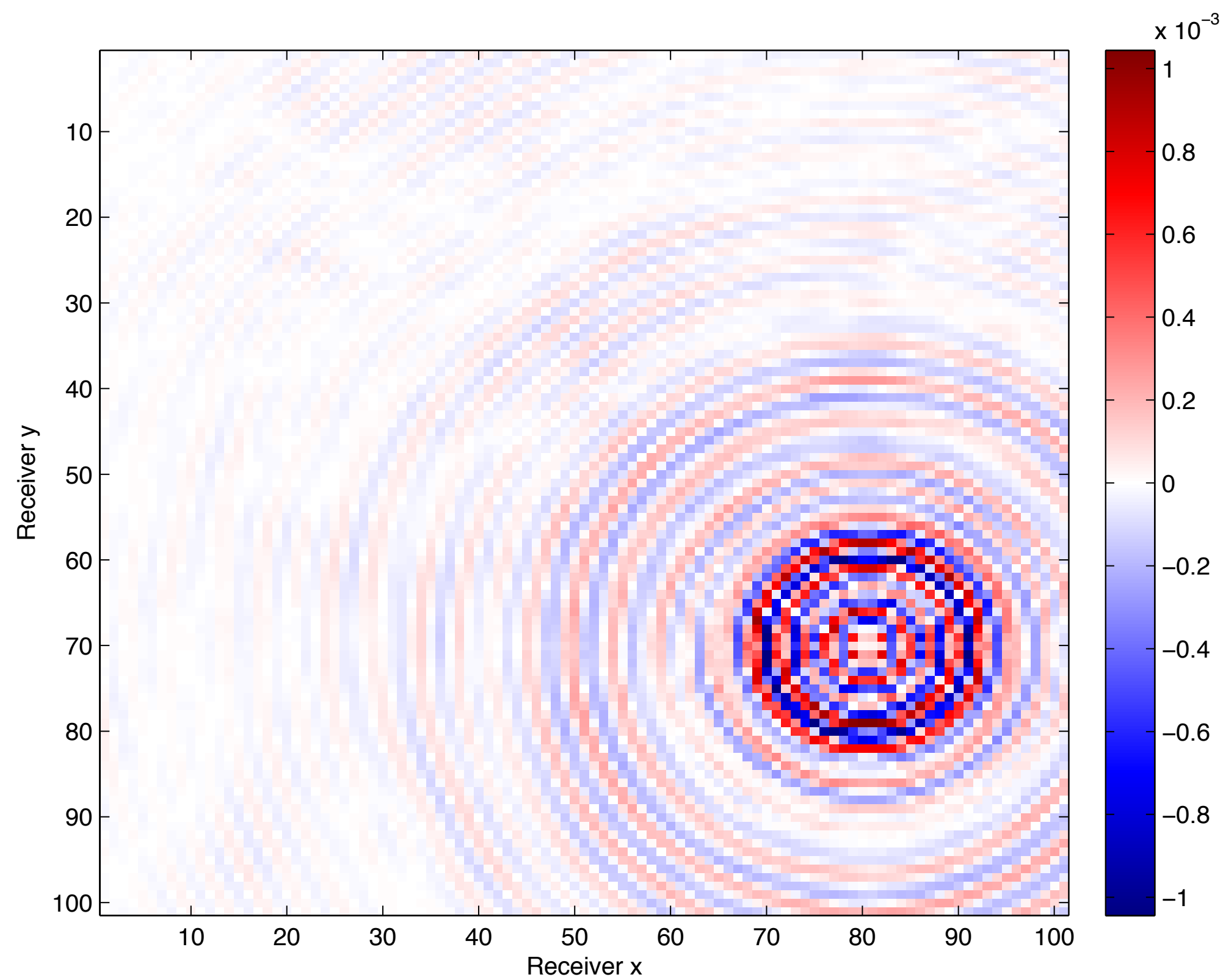
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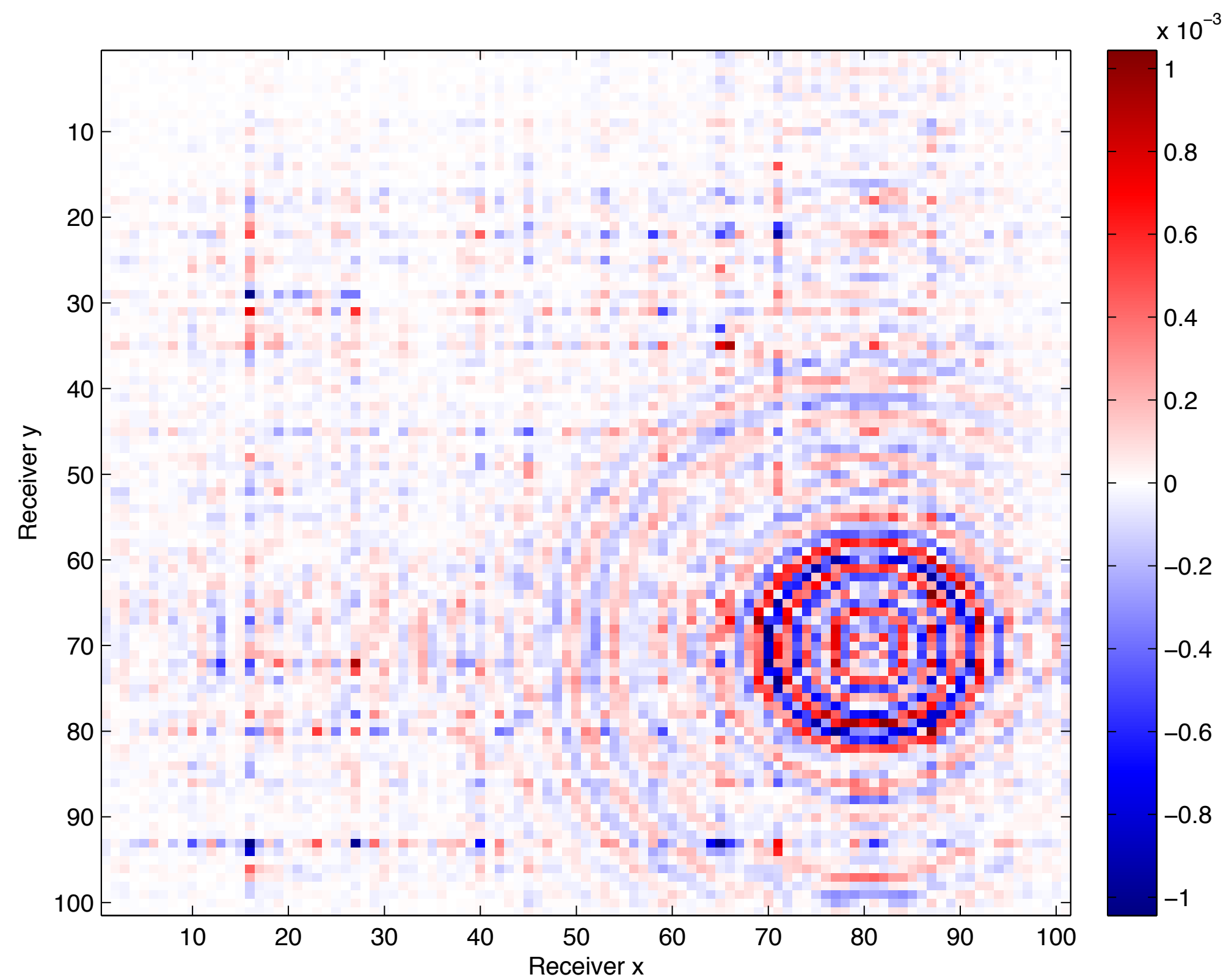
Subsampled data

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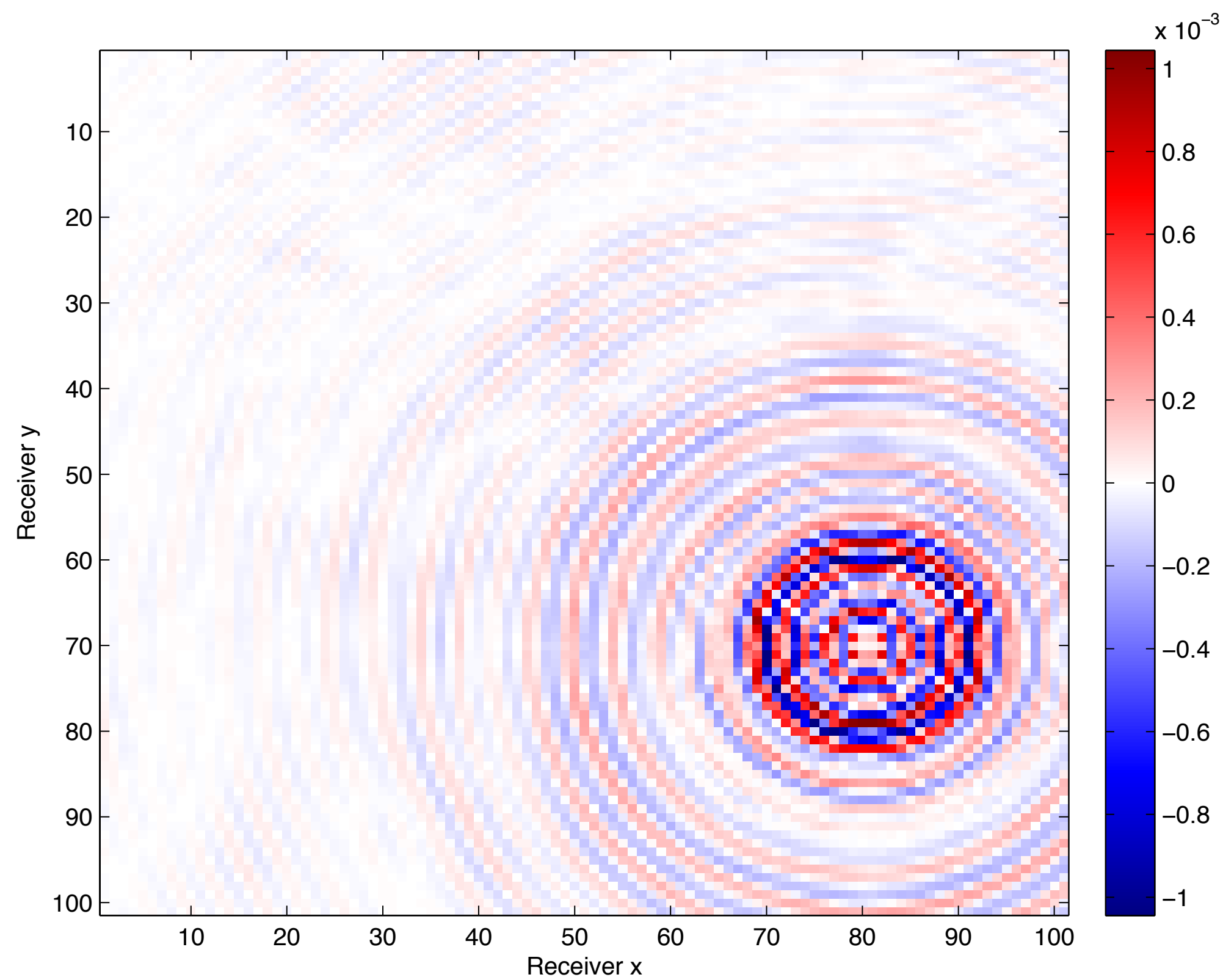
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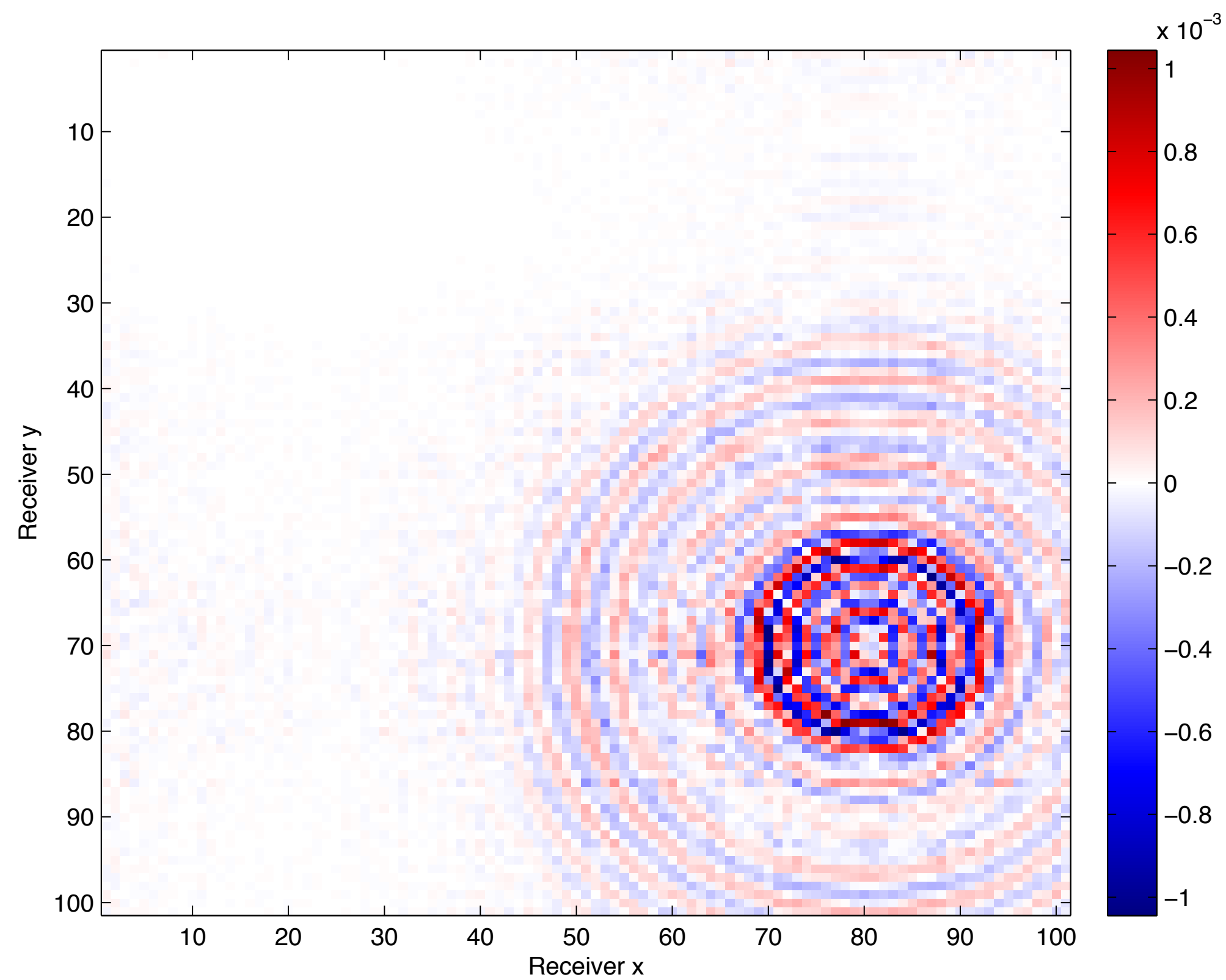
SR Recovery - SNR 3.05 dB

7.34 Hz - 50% missing receivers - high noise

Common source gather



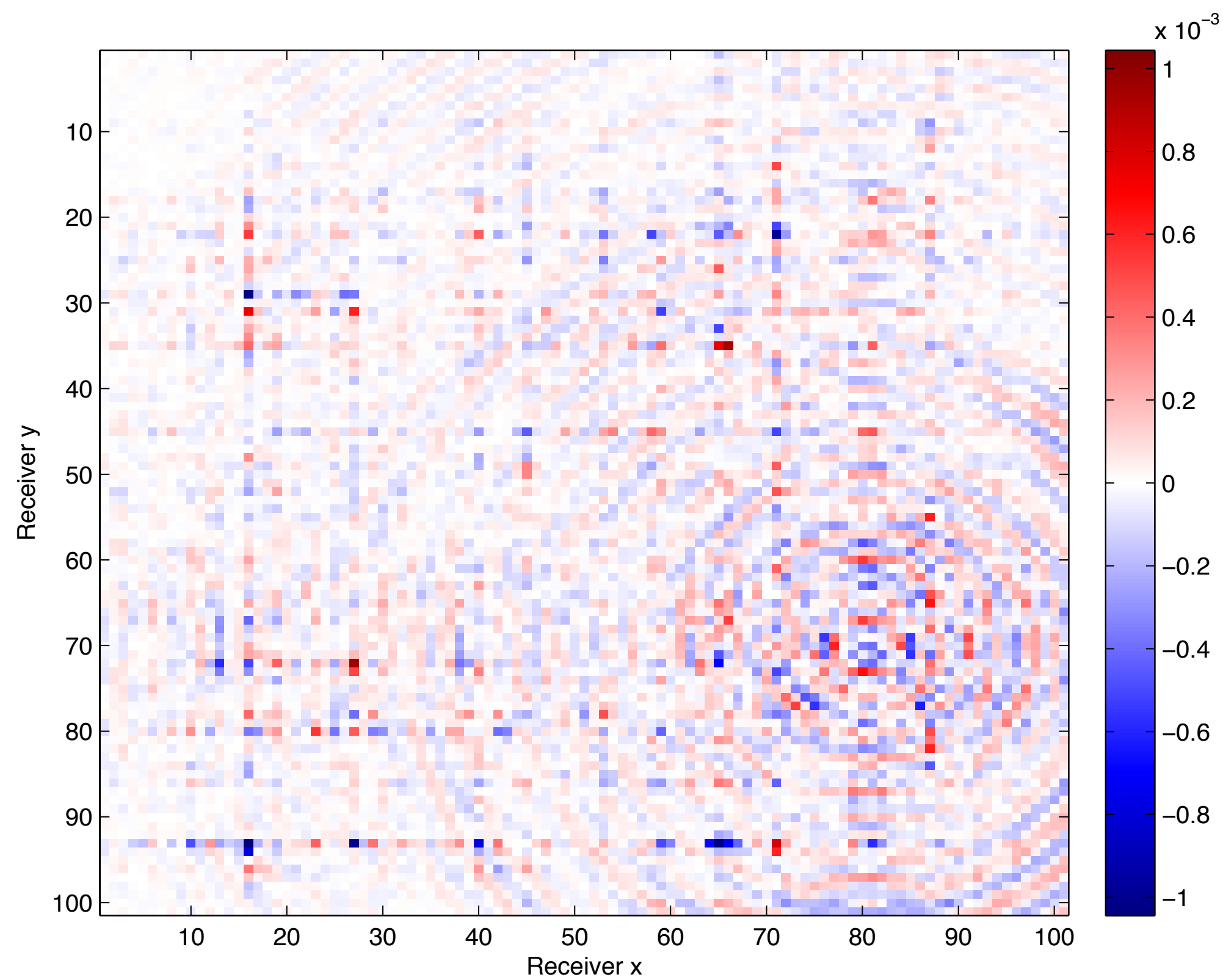
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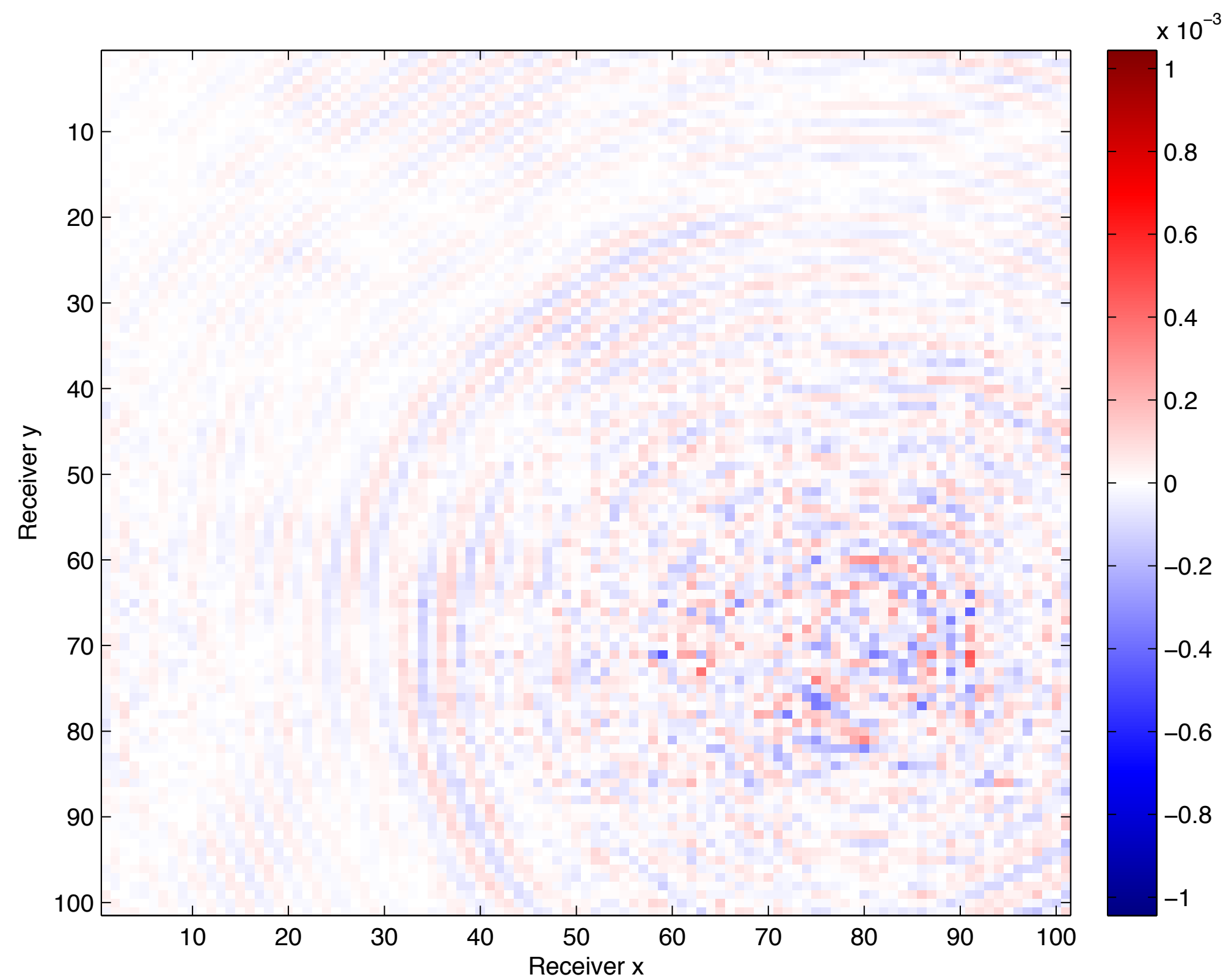
MH Recovery - SNR 8.95 dB

7.34 Hz - 50% missing receivers - high noise

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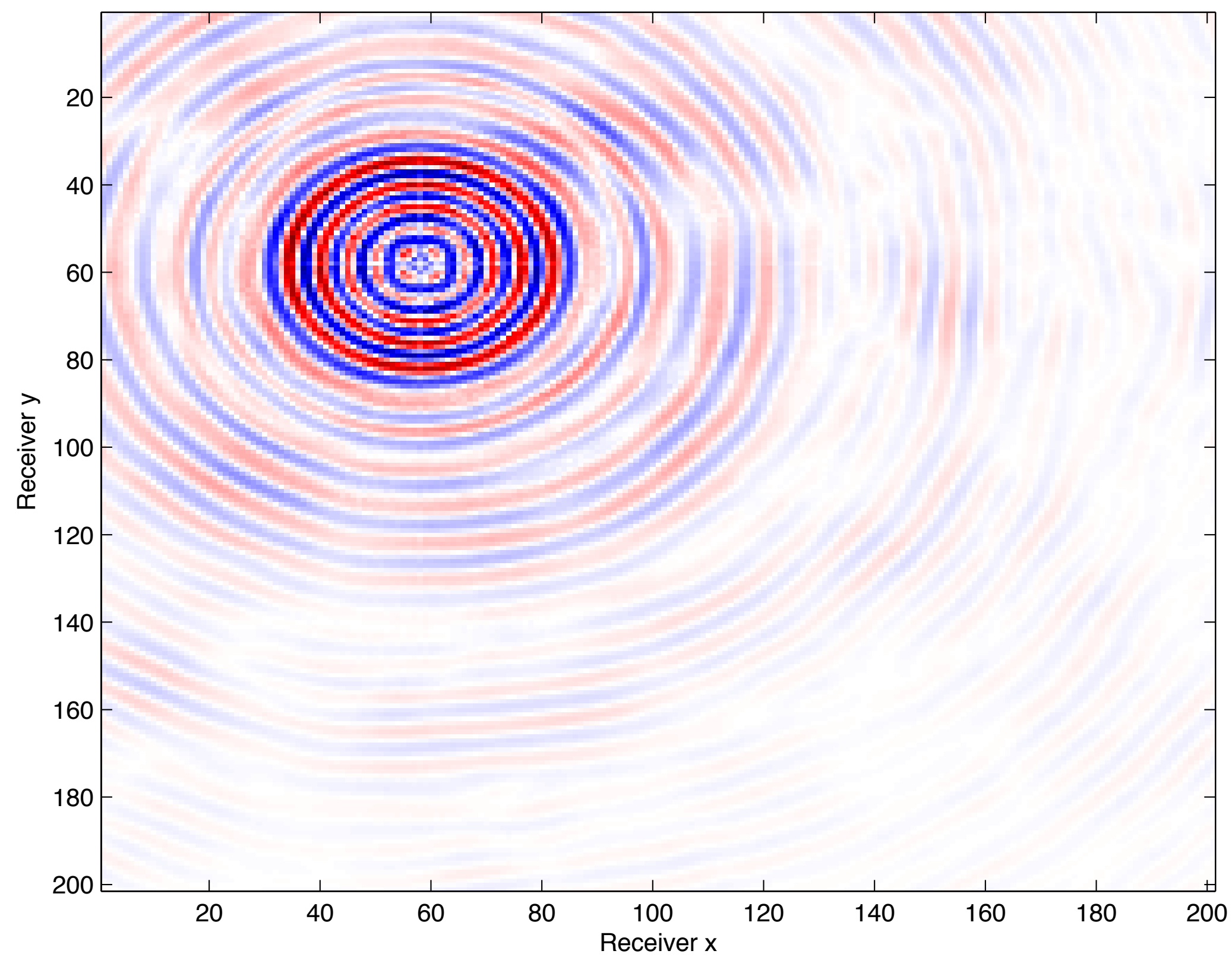


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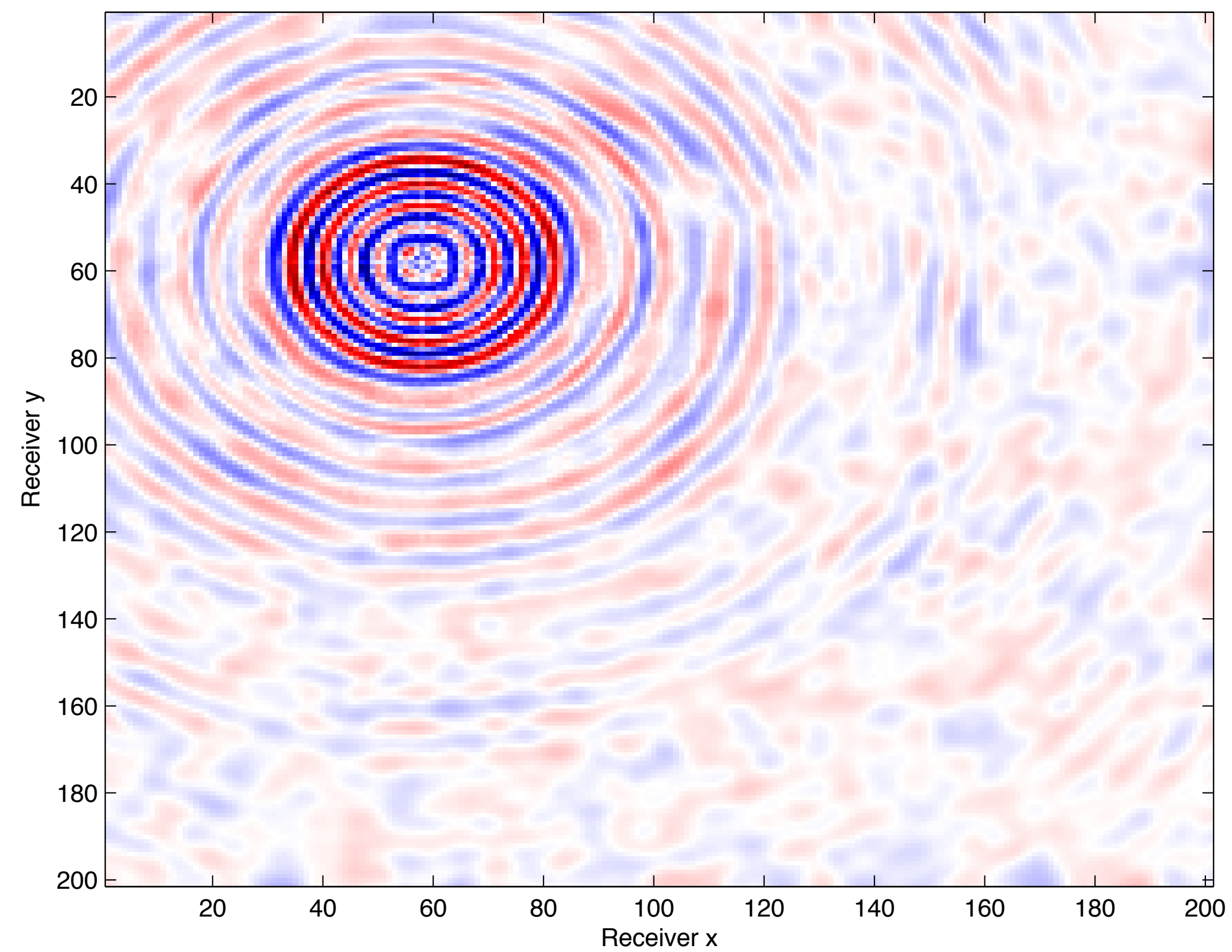


MH Difference

7.34 Hz - Denoising

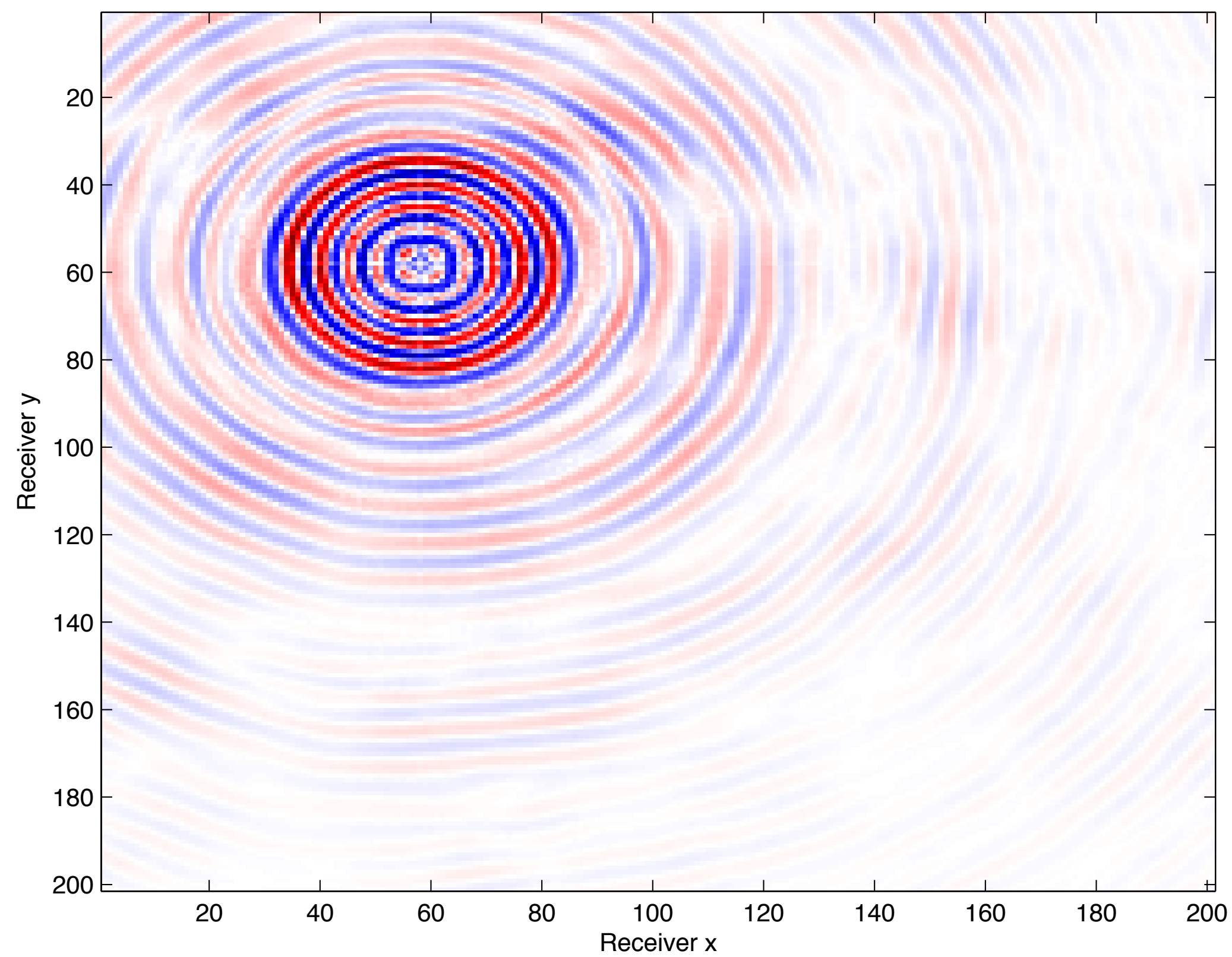


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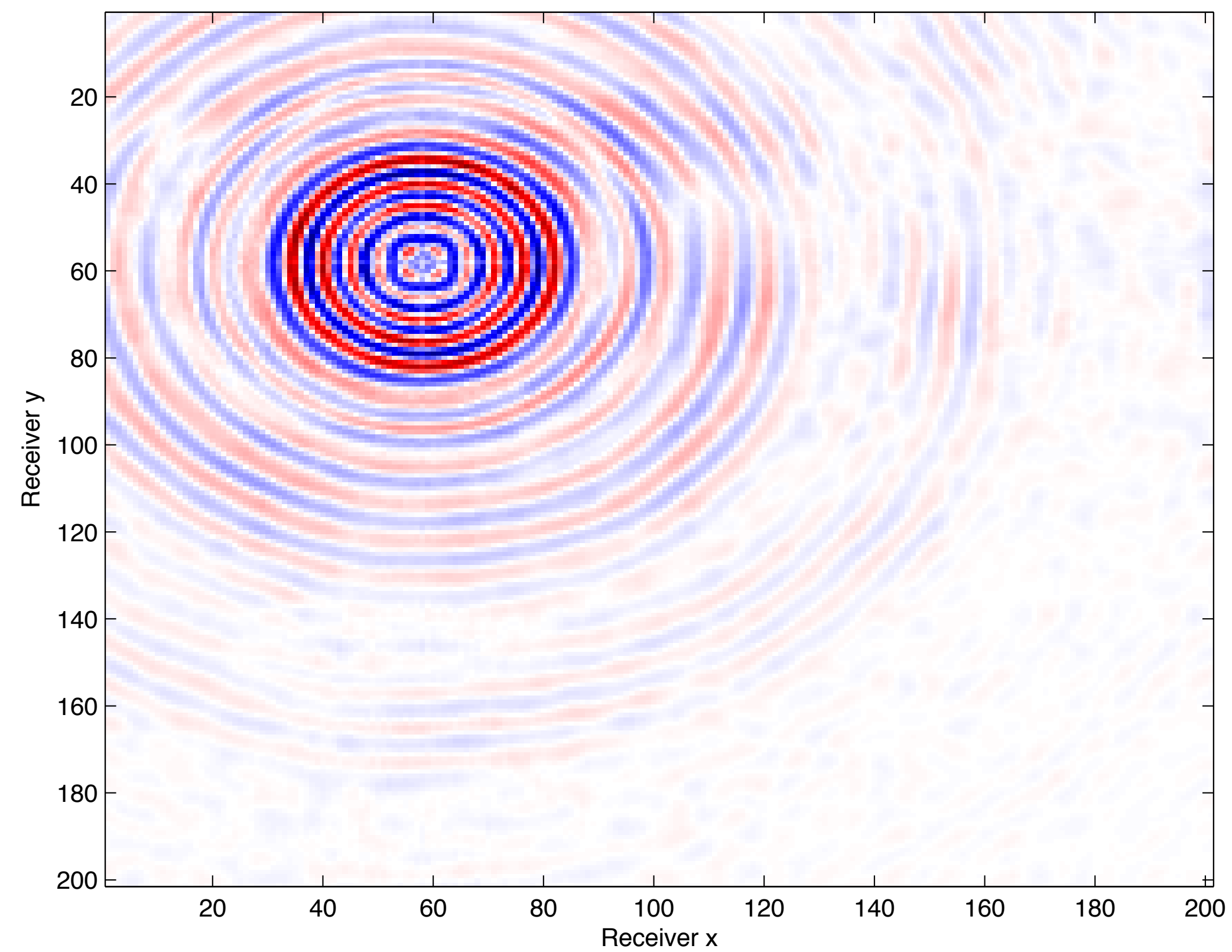


Noisy input - SNR 14.9 dB

7.34 Hz - Denoising

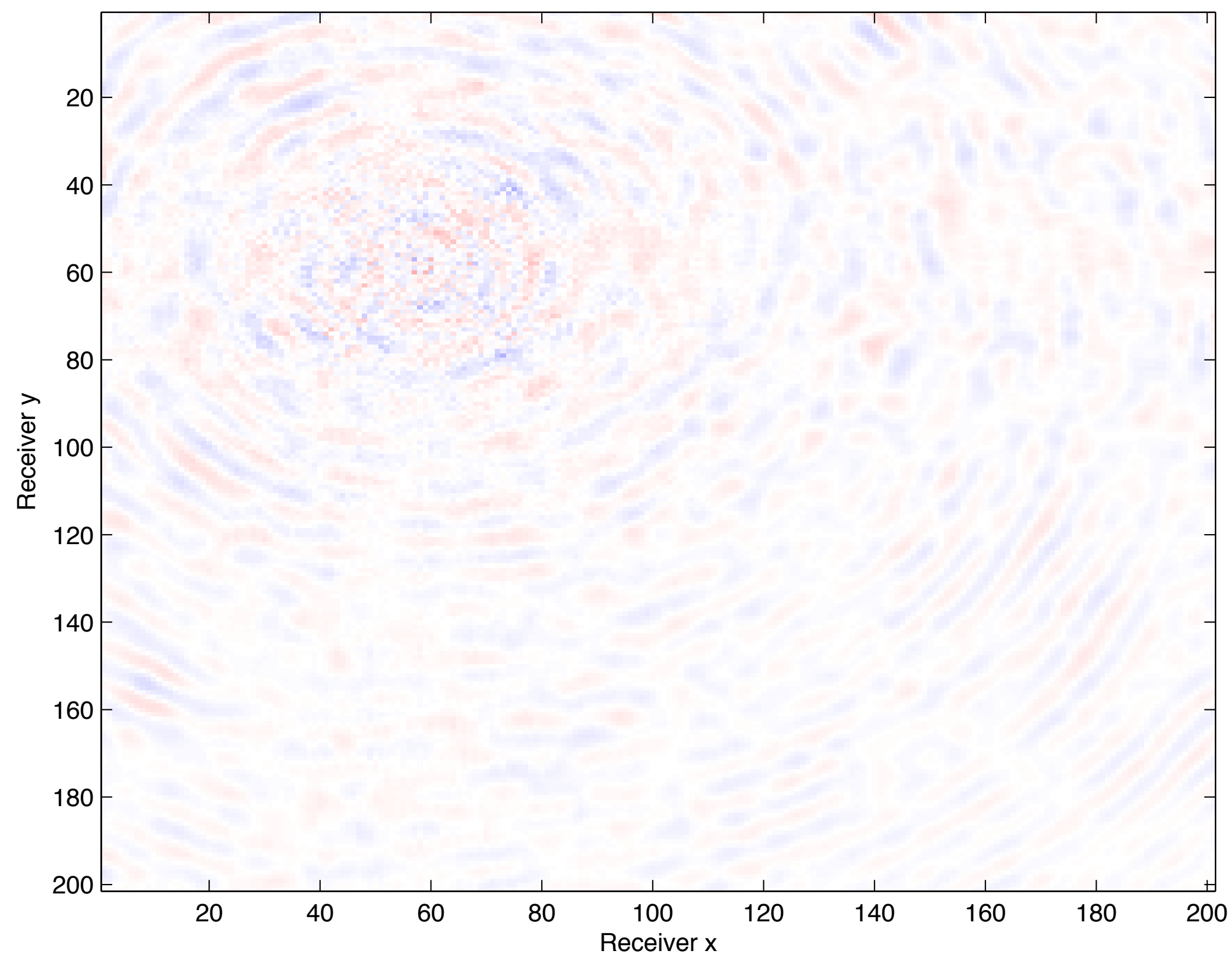


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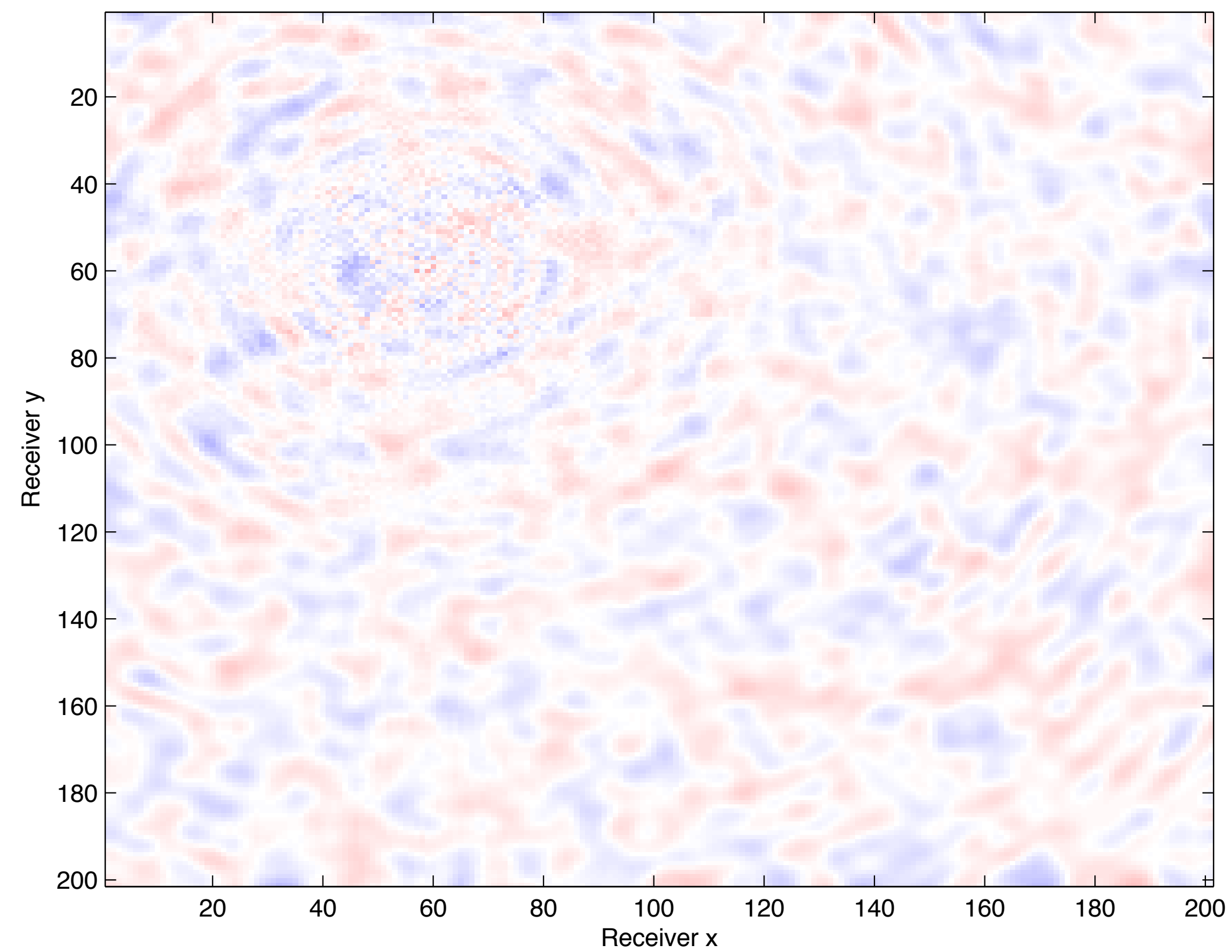


Estimated - SNR 20.1 dB

7.34 Hz - Denoising

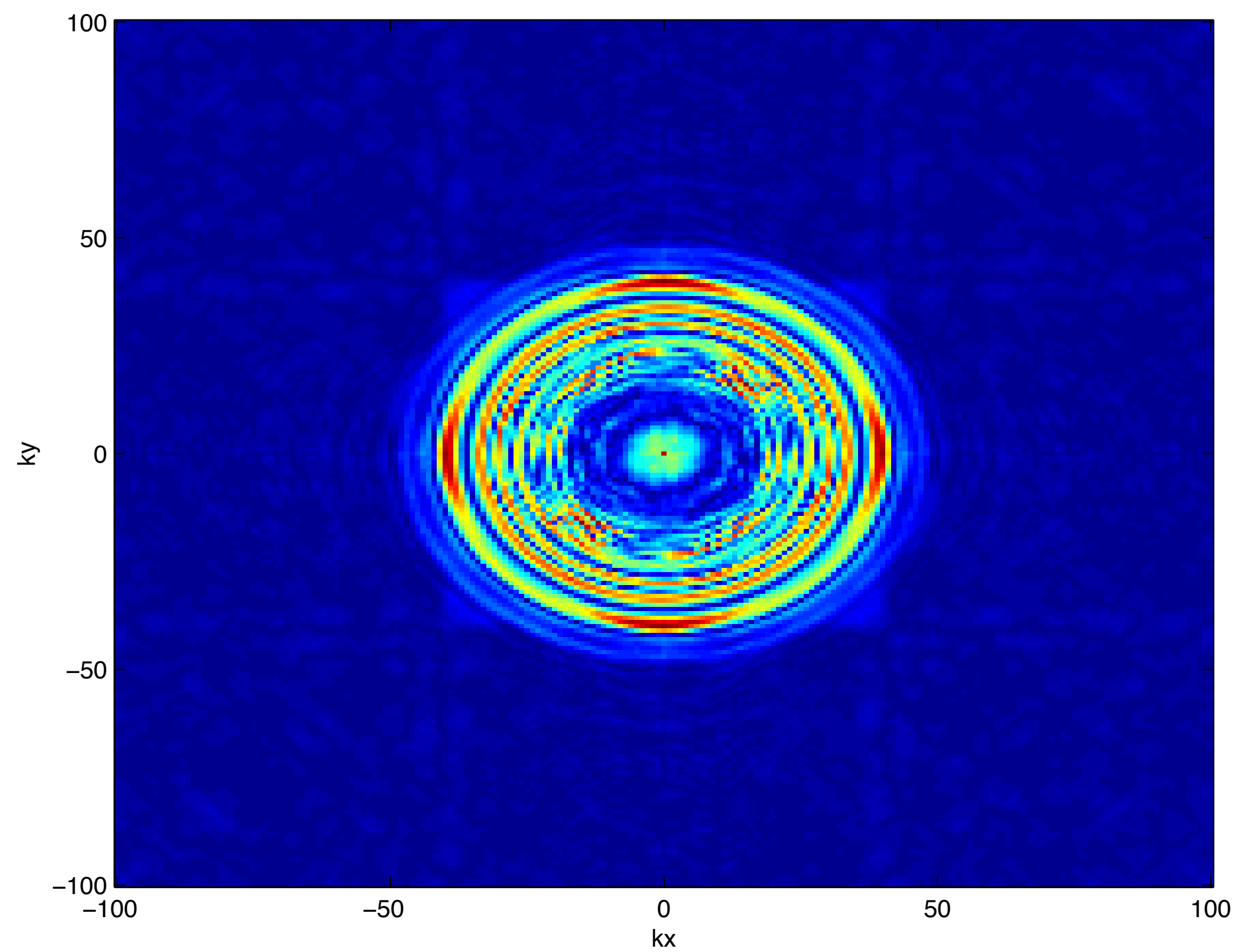


Difference

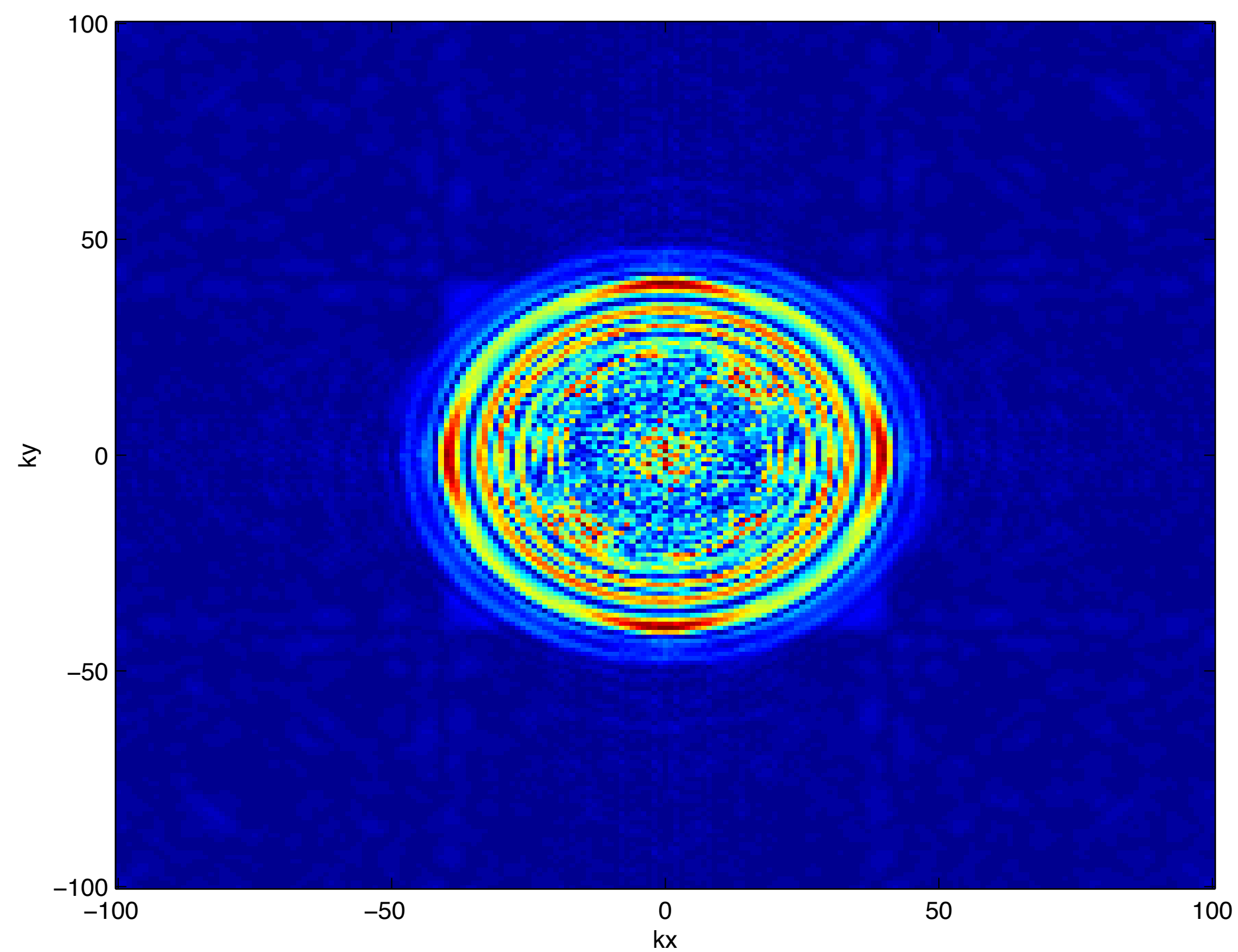


Input + output difference

7.34 Hz - Denoising

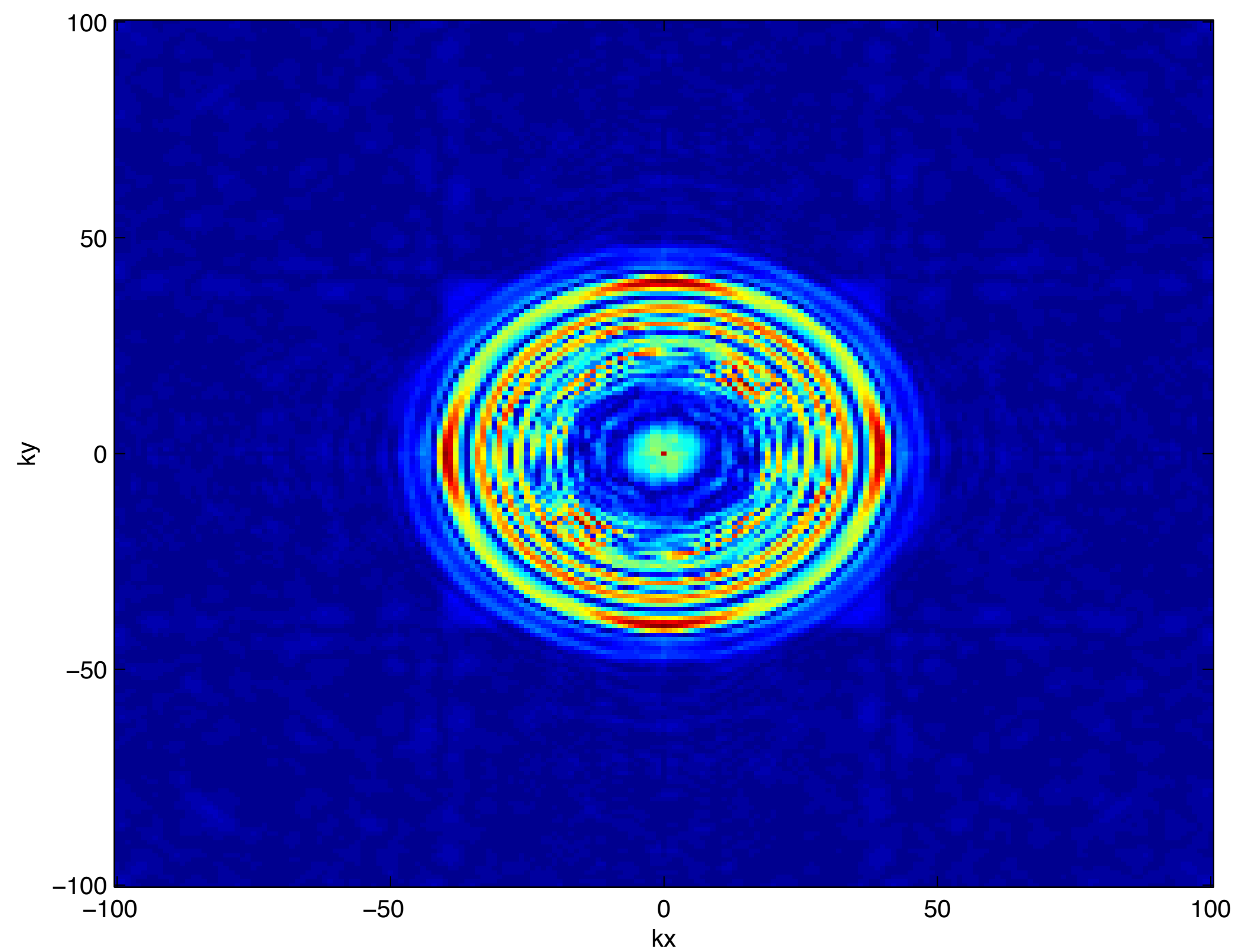


True spectrum

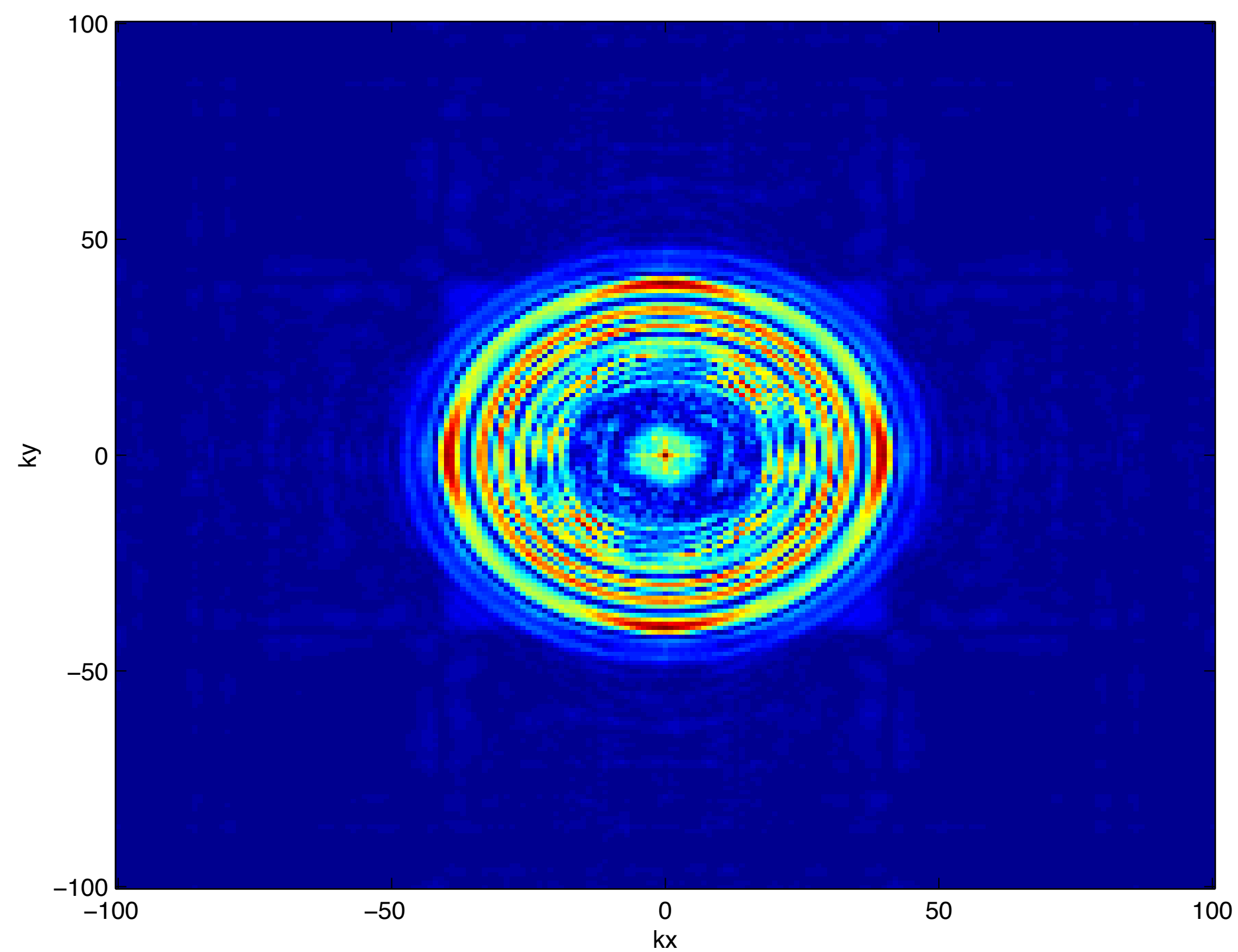


Noisy spectrum

7.34 Hz - Denoising



True spectrum



Estimated spectrum

Conclusion

3D seismic data has an underlying structure that we can exploit for interpolation (Hierarchical Tucker format)

Different schemes for organizing data - important for recovery

Conclusion

We can interpolate HT tensors with missing entries using the Riemannian manifold structure of the HT format

Important to use an appropriate *transform domain* (e.g. midpoint offset) so that sampling + noise *increase* the singular values in that domain

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