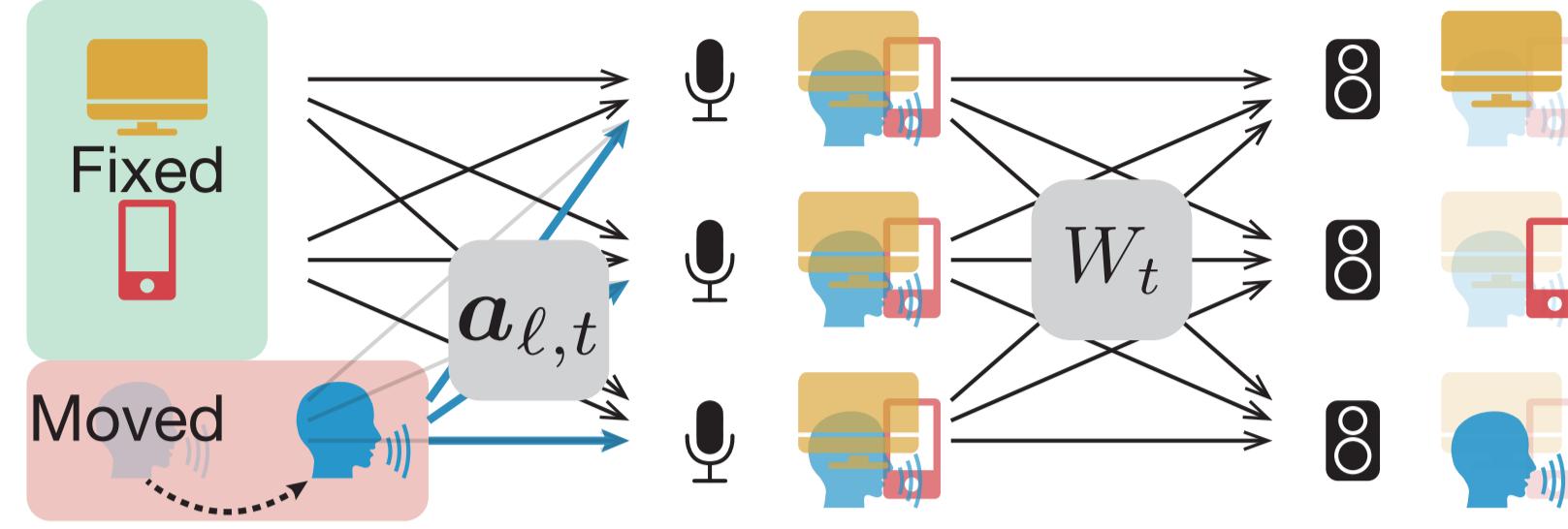


# Fast Online Source Steering Algorithm for Tracking Single Moving Source using Online Independent Vector Analysis

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## Overview

### Single source tracking (1-ST)



- BSS under situations where **only one** source moves
- ↳ Fast online algorithm for 1-ST

### Conventional methods

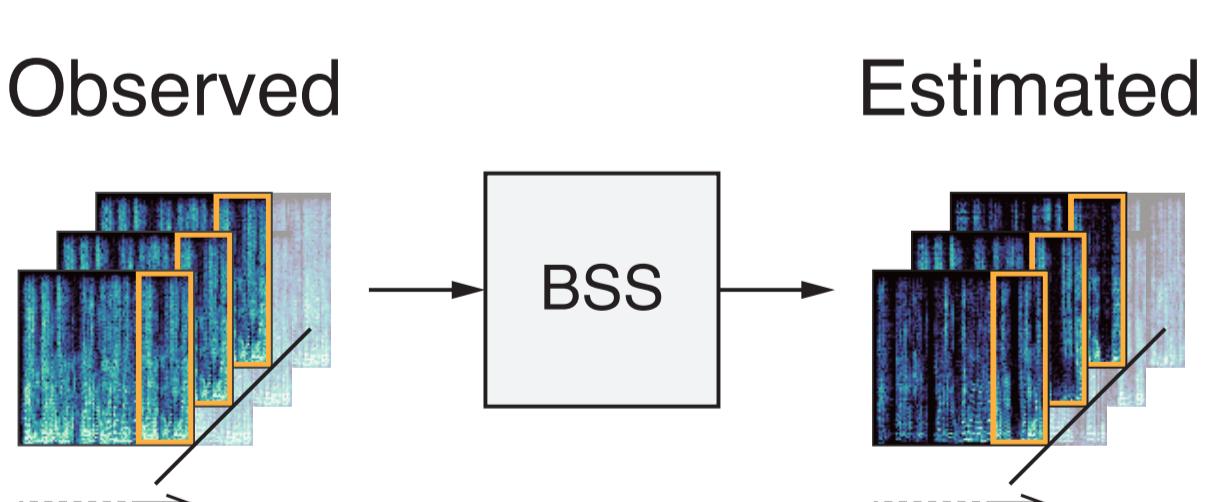
- Online IP [Taniguchi+2014]
  - Must update **all demixing vectors**
  - ↖ Not suitable for 1-ST
- Online ISS [Nakashima+2022]
  - Can directly update  $\mathbf{a}_{\ell,t}$
  - ↘ Suitable for 1-ST **yet not optimal**

### Contribution

| Method   | Complexity for 1-ST*                       |                         | † online source steering<br>* $K, T$ : # of sources/frames<br>$\ell$ : target source index |
|----------|--|-------------------------|--|
|          | $\mathbf{y}_t = \mathbf{W}_t \mathbf{x}_t$ | Optimize $\mathbf{W}_t$ |  |
| Batch    | Optimal<br>(per freq.)                     | $O(K^2T)$               | $O(KT)$ ↳ Parameter: $\mathbf{a}_\ell \in \mathbb{C}^K$                                    |
|          | IP   | $O(K^2T)$               | with $\mathbf{y}_1, \dots, \mathbf{y}_T$   |
|          | ISS  | $O(K^2T)$               | Optimal  |
| Online   | Optimal<br>(per frame/freq.)               | $O(K^2)$                | $O(K)$ ↳ Parameter: $\mathbf{a}_{\ell,t} \in \mathbb{C}^K$                                 |
|          | IP   | $O(K^2)$                | $O(K^3)$   |
|          | ISS  | $O(K^2)$                | $O(K^3)$ ↳ Not optimal...  |
| Proposed | OSS <sup>†</sup>                           | $O(K^2)$                | $O(K^2)$ ↳ Faster than Online ISS  |
|          | FastOSS                                    | $O(K^2)$                | $O(K)$ ↳ Optimal   |

## Background

### Online Blind source separation (BSS)



- BSS using past/current data
- Necessary for real-time app.
- Popular methods:
  - Online IVA [Kim2010]
  - Online AuxIVA [Taniguchi+2014]

### Online AuxIVA



- Optimization problem
 
$$\min. \sum_k \mathbf{w}_{k,t}^\top \mathbf{V}_{k,t} \mathbf{w}_{k,t} - \log \det \mathbf{W}_t$$
- Covariance update
 
$$\mathbf{V}_{k,t} \leftarrow \alpha \mathbf{V}_{k,t-1} + (1-\alpha) \varphi(r_{k,t}) \mathbf{x}_t \mathbf{x}_t^\top$$
  - Forgetting factor
  - Prev. cov.
  - Weight
  - Current obs.
- ↳ Optimization of  $\mathbf{W}_t$  for batch AuxIVA directly applicable
  - Iterative projection (IP) [Ono2011]
  - Iterative source steering (ISS) [Scheibler+2020]

## Conventional and Proposed Methods

### Online ISS Conventional

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 $\hat{\mathbf{y}}_t \leftarrow \mathbf{W}_{t-1} \mathbf{x}_t$  // "Predict" estimated sources
for  $k = 1, \dots, K$ 
   $r_{k,t} \leftarrow \sqrt{\sum_f |\hat{y}_{k,f,t}|^2}$  // Update "weight"
   $\mathbf{V}_{k,t} \leftarrow \alpha \mathbf{V}_{k,t-1} + (1-\alpha) \varphi(r_{k,t}) \mathbf{x}_t \mathbf{x}_t^\top$  // Update covariance
forall  $k \neq \ell$  // Update "non-target"  $\mathbf{w}_{k,t}$ 
   $\mathbf{g}_{k,t} \leftarrow \mathbf{w}_{\ell,t-1}^\top \mathbf{V}_{k,t} \mathbf{w}_{k,t-1}$ 
   $\mathbf{G}_{k,t} \leftarrow \mathbf{w}_{\ell,t-1}^\top \mathbf{V}_{k,t} \mathbf{w}_{\ell,t-1}$ 
   $\mathbf{w}_{k,t} \leftarrow \mathbf{w}_{k,t-1} - \frac{\mathbf{g}_{k,t}}{\mathbf{G}_{k,t}} \mathbf{w}_{\ell,t-1}$ 
   $\mathbf{G}_{\ell,t} \leftarrow \mathbf{w}_{\ell,t-1}^\top \mathbf{V}_{\ell,t} \mathbf{w}_{\ell,t-1}$  // Update "target"  $\mathbf{w}_{\ell,t}$ 
   $\mathbf{w}_{\ell,t} \leftarrow \mathbf{G}_{\ell,t}^{-1/2} \mathbf{w}_{\ell,t-1}$ 
   $\mathbf{y}_t \leftarrow \mathbf{W}_t \mathbf{x}_t$  // Update estimated sources

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Calc.  $\mathbf{V}_{k,t}, \mathbf{g}_{k,t}, \mathbf{G}_{k,t}: O(K^2)$  for each  $k \rightarrow O(K^3)$  in total

Construct recursive formulae for  $\mathbf{g}_{k,t}, \mathbf{G}_{k,t}$  to avoid  $\mathbf{V}_{k,t}$

### Derivation of OSS

$$\begin{aligned}
 g_{k,t} &= \mathbf{w}_{\ell,t-1}^\top \mathbf{V}_{k,t} \mathbf{w}_{k,t-1} = \mathbf{w}_{\ell,t-1}^\top (\alpha \mathbf{V}_{k,t-1} + (1-\alpha) \varphi(r_{k,t}) \mathbf{x}_t \mathbf{x}_t^\top) \mathbf{w}_{k,t-1} \\
 &= \alpha \mathbf{w}_{\ell,t-1}^\top \mathbf{V}_{k,t-1} \mathbf{w}_{k,t-1} + (1-\alpha) \varphi(r_{k,t}) (\mathbf{w}_{\ell,t-1}^\top \mathbf{x}_t) (\mathbf{x}_t^\top \mathbf{w}_{k,t-1}) \\
 &\quad \rightarrow 0 \quad := \hat{y}_{\ell,t} \quad := \hat{y}_{k,t} \\
 &= (1-\alpha) \varphi(r_{k,t}) \hat{y}_{\ell,t} \hat{y}_{k,t}^* \quad \text{↳ } O(1)
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 &\quad \rightarrow \frac{G_{k,t-1}}{G_{\ell,t-1}} \quad := \hat{y}_{\ell,t} \quad := \hat{y}_{\ell,t}^* \\
 &= \alpha \frac{G_{k,t-1}}{G_{\ell,t-1}} + (1-\alpha) \varphi(r_{k,t}) |\hat{y}_{\ell,t}|^2 \quad \text{↳ } O(1)
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### OSS Proposed

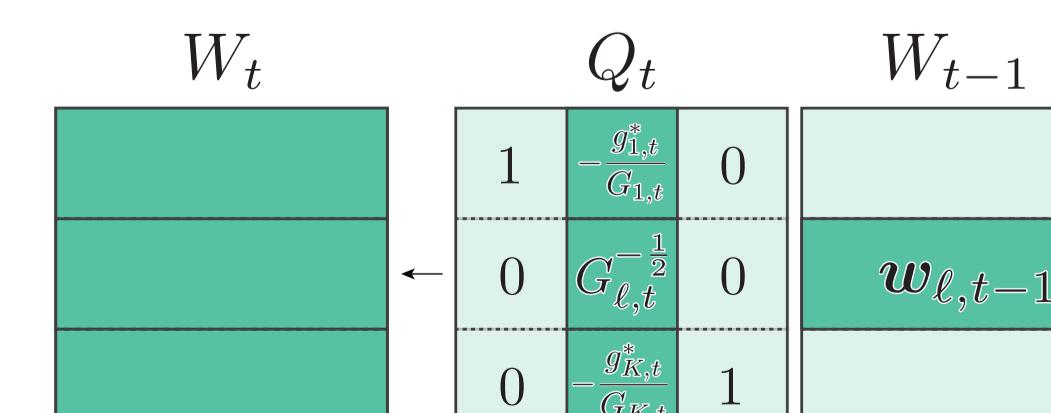
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   $\mathbf{V}_{k,t} \leftarrow \alpha \mathbf{V}_{k,t-1} + (1-\alpha) \varphi(r_{k,t}) \mathbf{x}_t \mathbf{x}_t^\top$  // No covariance update
forall  $k \neq \ell$  // Update "non-target"  $\mathbf{w}_{k,t}$ 
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### FastOSS Proposed

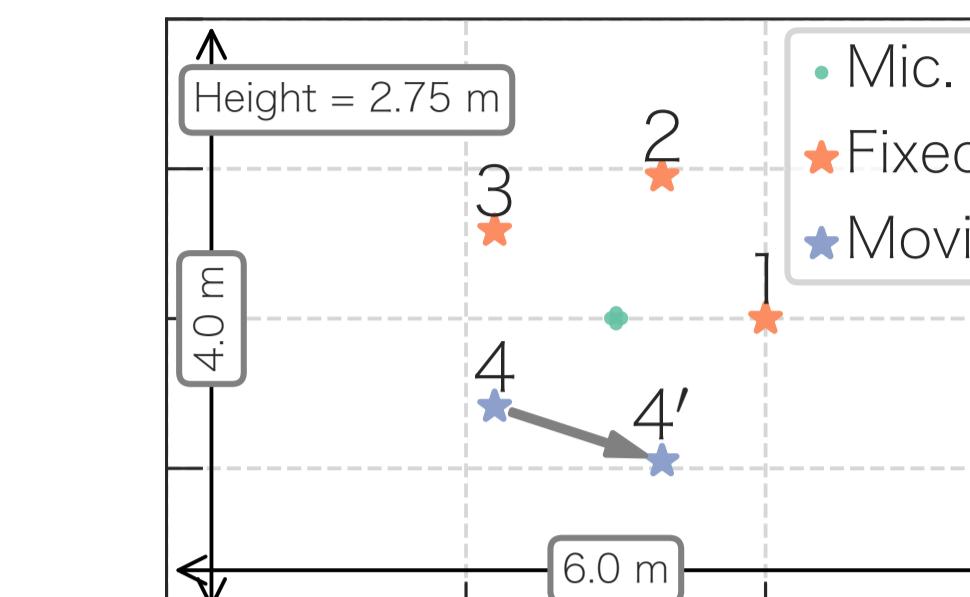
- OSS requires  $O(K^2)$  to update  $\mathbf{w}_{k,t}$  for  $k = 1, \dots, K$
- ↳ Redefinition of OSS by multiplicative update of  $\mathbf{W}_t$



- Update one column of  $\mathbf{Q}_t$  ( $K$  variables) → Calculated  $O(K)$
- ↳  $\mathbf{Q}_t \times \mathbf{Q}_{t-1}$  is also  $O(K)$  → **Optimal cost!** ↳

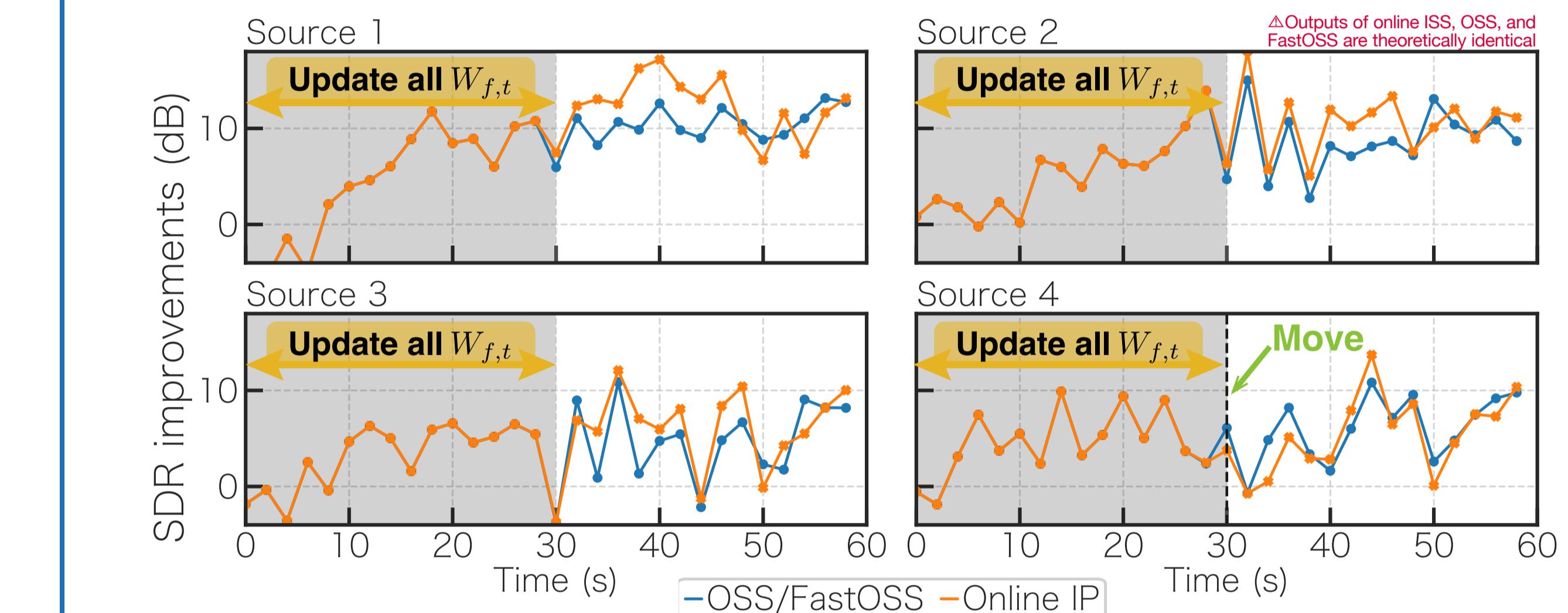
## Experiments

### Room layout



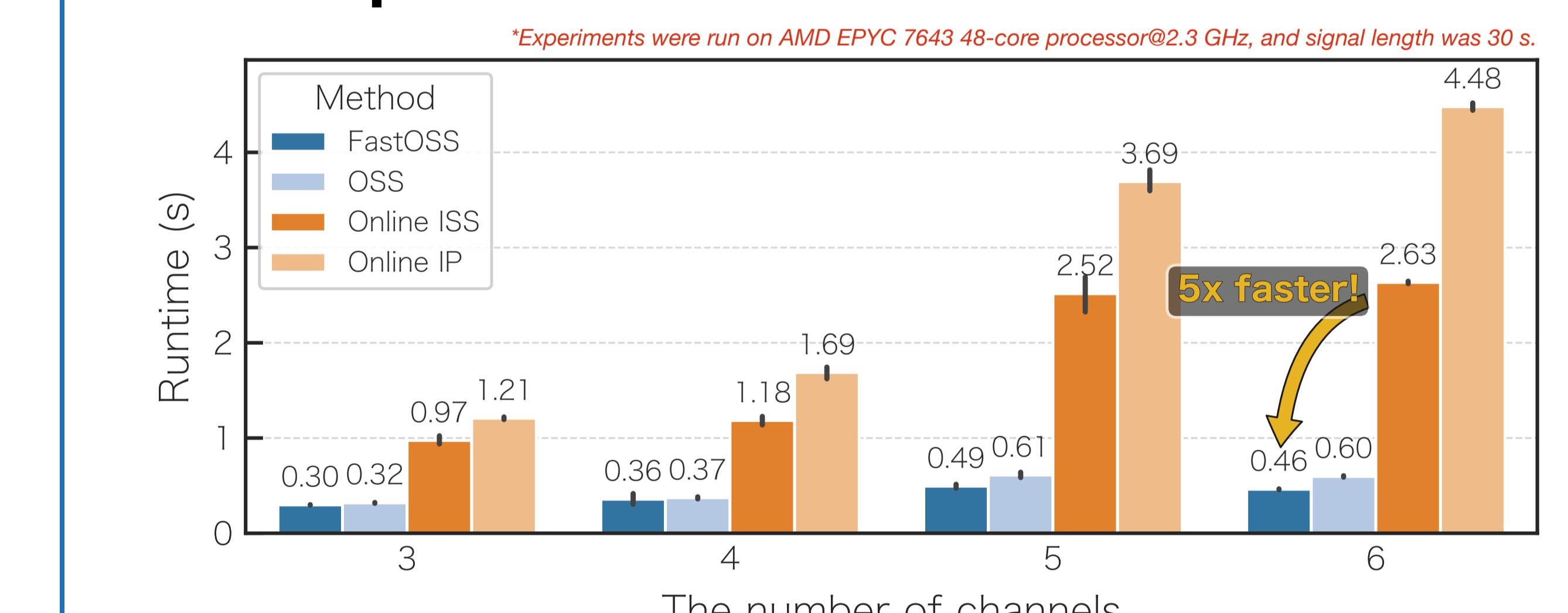
- 4 mic./sources
- Source 4 moved instantaneously
- The others were fixed
- RT<sub>60</sub>: approx. 300 ms
- ⚠ When/which source moved was given in an oracle manner

### Separation performance



- Online IP updates  $K^2$  parameters ( $\mathbf{w}_1, \dots, \mathbf{w}_K$ )
- Proposed OSS/FastOSS updates only  $K$  parameters ( $\mathbf{a}_{\ell,t}$ )
- ↳ OSS/FastOSS performs as well as online IP

### Runtime performance



↳ FastOSS was **5x faster** than Online ISS for 6 channels

## Conclusion

### Summary

- **1-ST:** online BSS under a condition where **only one** source moves
- **OSS/FastOSS**
  - Fast online algorithm for 1-ST
  - ↳ FastOSS achieved optimal cost

### Future work

- Real-time implementation/evaluation
- OSS for **two source tracking**

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