

Spatially Guided Independent Vector Analysis

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Introduction

- Independent Vector Analysis (IVA) faces **outer permutation ambiguity**
- Fast-converging optimization algorithm for IVA based on Majorize-Minimize (MM) algorithm is available

Contribution:

- Bayesian framework for incorporation of prior knowledge on demixing vectors that guides the optimization to a desired solution
- Fast-converging MM-based optimization algorithm

Algorithm

Bayesian Model

- Frame index $n \in \{1, \dots, N\}$, frequency bin index $f \in \{1, \dots, F\}$ and channel index $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$
- Separation model** (recorded signals $\mathbf{x}_{f,n}$, separated signals $\mathbf{y}_{f,n}$)
 $\mathbf{y}_{f,n} = [y_{1,f,n}, \dots, y_{K,f,n}]^T = \mathbf{W}_f \mathbf{x}_{f,n}$, with $\mathbf{W}_f = [\mathbf{w}_{1,f}, \dots, \mathbf{w}_{K,f}]^H \in \mathbb{C}^{K \times K}$,
and $\mathbf{x}_{f,n} = [x_{1,f,n}, \dots, x_{K,f,n}]^T \in \mathbb{C}^K$, $\mathbf{y}_{k,n} = [y_{k,1,n}, \dots, y_{k,F,n}]^T \in \mathbb{C}^F$
- Posterior density**

$$p(\mathcal{W}|\mathcal{X}) \propto \int p(\mathcal{W})p(\mathcal{Y}|\mathcal{W})p(\mathcal{X}|\mathcal{W},\mathcal{Y})d\mathbf{y}_{1,1} \dots d\mathbf{y}_{K,N}$$

where $\mathcal{W}, \mathcal{Y}, \mathcal{X}$ contain all $\mathbf{W}_f, \mathbf{y}_{f,n}$ and $\mathbf{x}_{f,n}$, respectively

- Noiseless **likelihood** (i.i.d. over frames & frequencies)

$$p(\mathcal{X}|\mathcal{W},\mathcal{Y}) = \prod_{n=1}^N \prod_{f=1}^F \delta(\mathbf{x}_{f,n} - \mathbf{W}_f^{-1} \mathbf{y}_{f,n})$$

- Broadband **source model** (i.i.d. over frames and channels)

$$p(\mathcal{Y}|\mathcal{W}) = \prod_{n=1}^N \prod_{k=1}^K p(\mathbf{y}_{k,n})$$

- Incorporation of prior knowledge:** here free-field steering vector \mathbf{h}_f

$$p(\mathcal{W}) = \prod_{f=1}^F p(\mathbf{W}_f) = \prod_{f=1}^F \prod_{k=1}^K \frac{\exp\left(-\frac{N}{\sigma_f^2} \mathbf{w}_{k,f}^H (\lambda \mathbf{E} \mathbf{I} + \mathbf{h}_f \mathbf{h}_f^H) \mathbf{w}_{k,f}\right)}{\sqrt{\left(\frac{\sigma_f^2}{N}\right)^K \det(\lambda \mathbf{E} \mathbf{I} + \mathbf{h}_f \mathbf{h}_f^H)}}$$

- Cost function** derived from MAP estimation problem

$$\mathbf{W}_f = \arg \min_{\mathbf{W}_f \in \mathbb{C}^{K \times K}} -\frac{\log p(\mathcal{W})}{N} - 2 \sum_{f=1}^F \log |\det \mathbf{W}_f| + \sum_{k=1}^K \hat{\mathbb{E}} \left\{ G(\mathbf{y}_{k,n}) \right\},$$

with $G(\mathbf{y}_{k,n}) = -\log p(\mathbf{y}_{k,n})$ and $\hat{\mathbb{E}} \{ \cdot \} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N (\cdot)$

Update Rules

- Minimize **cost function** $J(\mathcal{W})$
- MM principle:** Design easy-to-optimize upper bound Q fulfilling majorization and tangency to the cost function J
 $J(\mathcal{W}) \leq Q(\mathcal{W}|\mathcal{W}^{(l)}), J(\mathcal{W}^{(l)}) = Q(\mathcal{W}^{(l)}|\mathcal{W}^{(l)})$
- Inequality for supergaussian PDFs [1]

$$\hat{\mathbb{E}} \left\{ G(\mathbf{y}_{k,n}) \right\} \leq \frac{1}{2} \sum_{f=1}^F \left(\mathbf{w}_{k,f}^H \mathbf{V}_{k,f}^{(l)} \mathbf{w}_{k,f} \right) + \text{const.},$$

with weighted microphone signal covariance matrix

$$\mathbf{V}_{k,f}^{(l)} = \hat{\mathbb{E}} \left\{ \frac{G'(\mathbf{y}_{k,n}^{(l)})}{r_{k,n}^{(l)}} \mathbf{x}_{f,n} \mathbf{x}_{f,n}^H \right\}, \text{ where } r_{k,n}^{(l)} = \|\mathbf{y}_{k,n}^{(l)}\|_2$$

- Upper bound** of $J(\mathcal{W})$

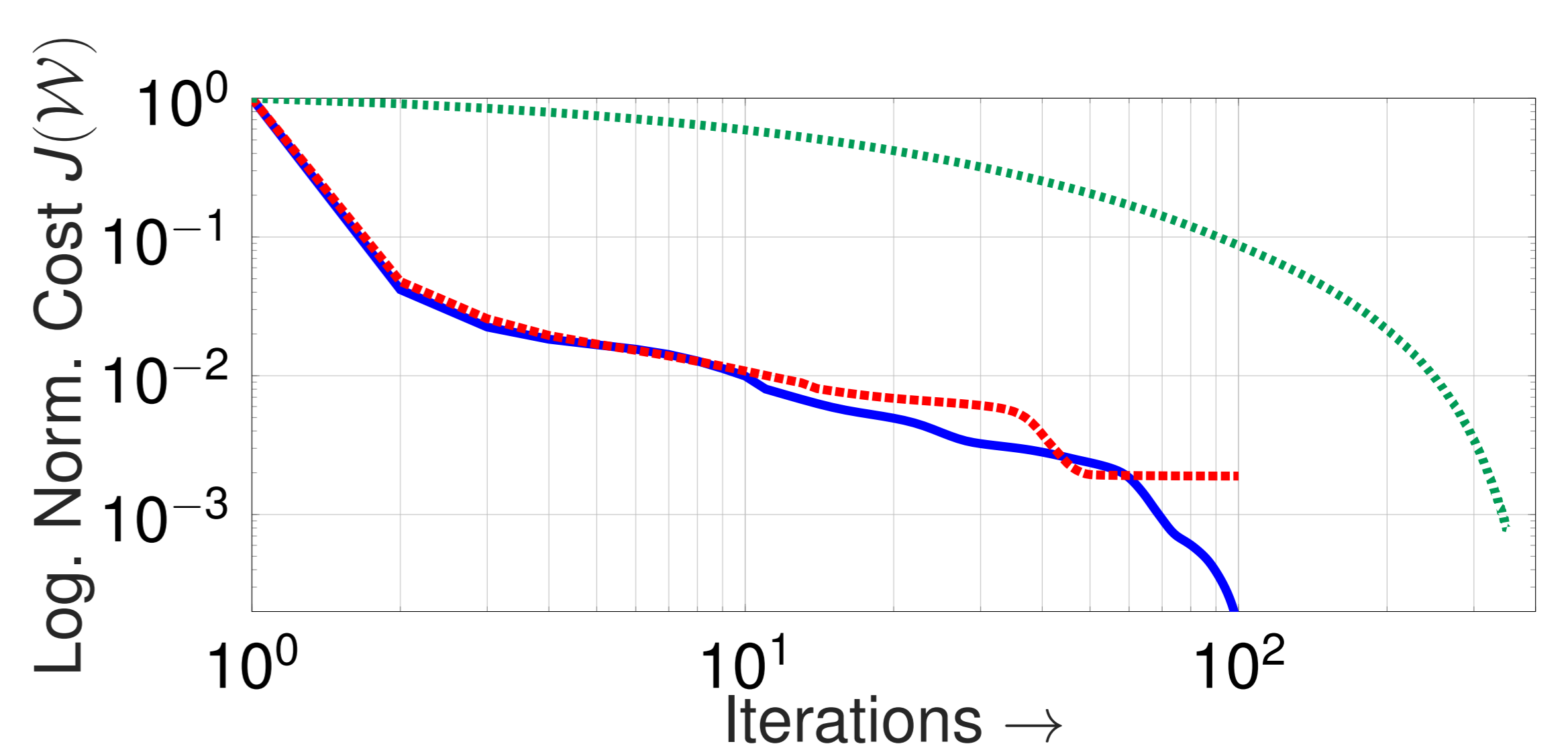
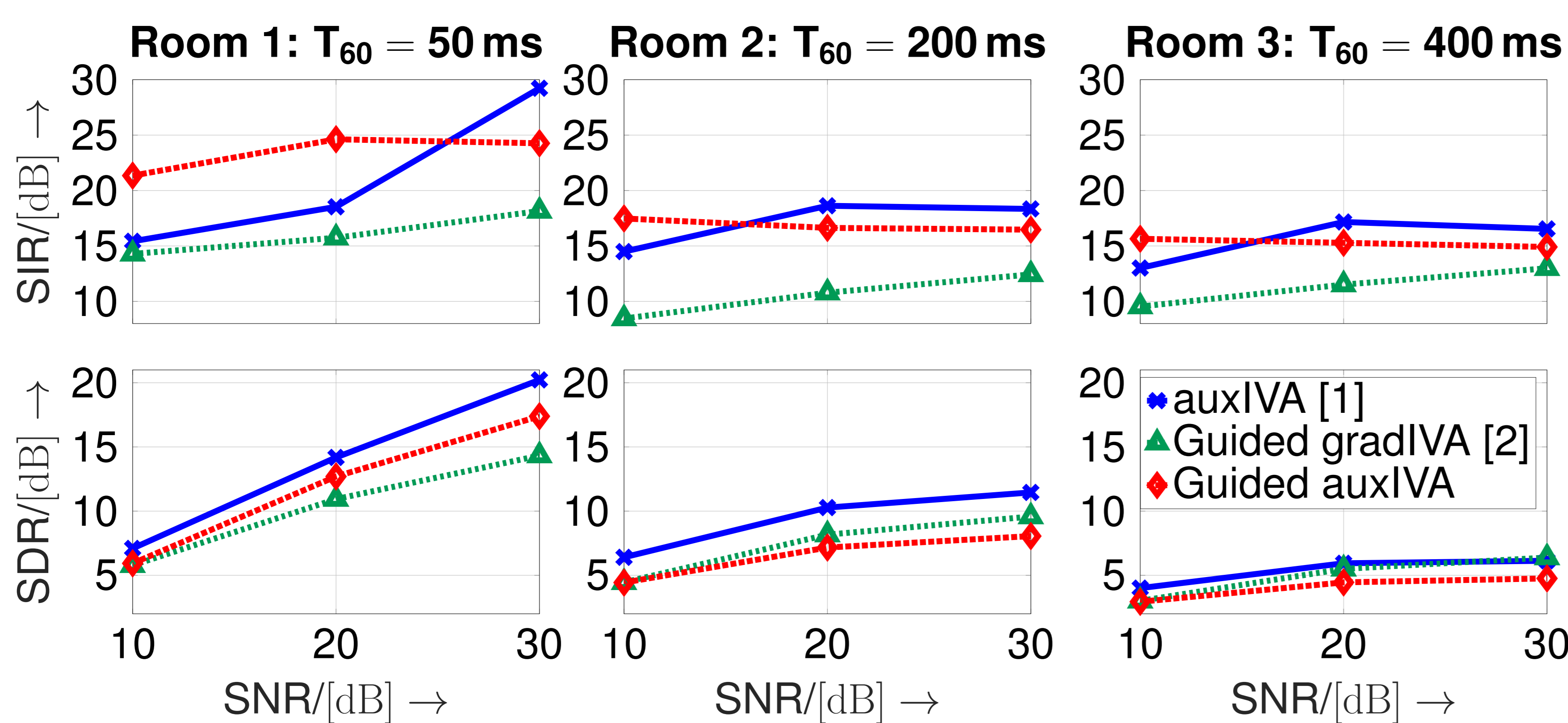
$$Q(\mathcal{W}|\mathcal{W}^{(l)}) = \sum_{f=1}^F \left[-2 \log |\det \mathbf{W}_f| \dots + \sum_{k=1}^K \left(\mathbf{w}_{k,f}^H \left(\mathbf{V}_{k,f}^{(l)} + \frac{\lambda \mathbf{E} \mathbf{I} + \mathbf{h}_f \mathbf{h}_f^H}{\sigma_f^2} \right) \mathbf{w}_{k,f} \right) \right] + \text{const.}$$

- Optimization of Q by **update rules** based on iterative projection

$$\tilde{\mathbf{w}}_{k,f}^{(l+1)} = \left(\mathbf{W}_f^{(l)} \left[\mathbf{V}_{k,f}^{(l)} + \frac{\lambda \mathbf{E} \mathbf{I} + \mathbf{h}_f \mathbf{h}_f^H}{\sigma_f^2} \right] \right)^{-1} \mathbf{e}_k,$$

$$\mathbf{w}_{k,f}^{(l+1)} = \frac{\tilde{\mathbf{w}}_{k,f}^{(l+1)}}{\sqrt{\left(\tilde{\mathbf{w}}_{k,f}^{(l+1)} \right)^H \left[\mathbf{V}_{k,f}^{(l)} + \frac{\lambda \mathbf{E} \mathbf{I} + \mathbf{h}_f \mathbf{h}_f^H}{\sigma_f^2} \right] \tilde{\mathbf{w}}_{k,f}^{(l+1)}}}$$

Experiments



- RIRs measured at three different configurations
- Laplacian source model, determined 2×2 scenario
- Guided auxIVA: $\lambda_E = 10^{-3}, \sigma_f^2 = \sigma^2 = 40$
- Guided gradIVA [2]: step size = 0.05, weighting = 0.5

Conclusion

- Demixing filters are equipped with **prior knowledge**
- Optimization scheme as fast as auxIVA**
- Adaptation **guided to desired solution** \Rightarrow outer permutation ambiguity solved

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