

# Angle Recoding 2. Wu

## 2. AR (Angle Recode)

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# ① AR [Hu]

skip certain micro rotations

the rotation sequence  $\mu(i) = \{-1, 0, +1\}$

$\mu(i) = 0 \rightarrow$  skip

desire to minimize

$$\sum_{i=0}^N |\mu(i)|$$

so that the total number of CORPIC iterations can be minimized

## Angle Recoding $\leftarrow$ Multiplier Recoding

angle recoding method for efficient implementation of the CORDIC algorithm  
Hu & Naganathan, ISCAS 89

Greedy algorithm

the angle quantization error

$$\xi_{m, AR} \equiv \theta - \sum_{i=0}^M \mu(i) a(i)$$

# Skipping rotations

$$\mu(i) = 0$$

null operations

$$\begin{cases} x(i+1) = x(i) \\ y(i+1) = y(i) \end{cases}$$

keep the iteration number  $N$  the same

in the AQ perspective, remove these steps  
and use different index variable

"index variable conversion"

the iteration number  $N$  becomes  $N'$

the number of subangles  $N_A$  of EAS

$N_A \leftarrow N'$  not fixed but varying

# Optimization Problem

given a rotation angle  $\theta$   
find rotation sequence  $\mu(i) \in \{-1, 0, +1\}$   
for  $0 \leq i \leq N-1$

Such that angle quantization error

$$|\xi_{m,AR}| < \alpha(N-1)$$

and the effective iteration number

$$N' = \boxed{\sum_{i=0}^N |\mu(i)|} \text{ is minimized}$$

$$\theta(0) = \theta, \{ \mu(i) = 0, 0 \leq i \leq N-1 \}, k=0$$

repeat until  $|\theta(k)| < \epsilon$  Do

Choose  $i_k, 0 \leq i_k \leq N-1$

$$| |\theta(k)| - a(i_k) | = \text{Min}_{0 \leq i \leq N-1} | |\theta(k)| - a(i) |$$

$$\theta(k+1) = \theta(k) - \mu(i_k) a(i_k)$$

$$\mu(i_k) = \text{Sign}(\theta(k))$$

# AQ & AR

$$\begin{aligned}\xi_{m, AR} &\equiv \theta - \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} \mu(i) a(i) && N && AR \\ &= \theta - \left[ \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \tan^{-1}(\alpha(j) \cdot 2^{-s(j)}) \right] && N' && AQ \\ &= \theta - \left[ \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \tilde{\theta}(j) \right] && N' && \end{aligned}$$

$$N' \triangleq \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} |\mu(i)|$$

the effective transition number  
count non-zero rotation

$s(j) \in \{0, 1, \dots, N-1\}$  the rotational sequence  
determines the micro-rotation angle  
in the  $j$ -th iteration

$\alpha(j) \in \{-1, 0, +1\}$  the directional sequence  
 $\{-1, +1\}$  controls the direction of  
(after sampling) the  $j$ -th micro-rotation of  $a(s(j))$

$\tilde{\theta}(j)$  the  $j$ th micro-rotation angle  
$$\tilde{\theta}(j) = \tan^{-1}(\alpha(j) \cdot 2^{-s(j)})$$

AR essentially tries to approximate  $\theta$   
 with the combination of **selected** angle elements  
 from a **pre-defined elementary angle set (EAS)**.

the EAS consists of **all** possible values of  $\tilde{\theta}(j)$ 's

the EAS  $S_i$  in AR

$$S_i = \left\{ \tan^{-1}(\alpha^* \cdot 2^{-s^*}) : \alpha^* \in \{-1, 0, +1\}, s^* \in \{0, 1, \dots, N-1\} \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \xi_{m, AR} &\equiv \theta - \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} \mu(i) a(i) \\ &= \theta - \left[ \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \tan^{-1}(\alpha(j) \cdot 2^{-s(j)}) \right] \\ &= \theta - \left[ \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \tilde{\theta}(j) \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\xi_m \triangleq \theta - \sum_{i=0}^{N_A-1} \theta_i$$

AR performs AQ of the target angle  $\theta$

the sub-angle  $\theta_i$  becomes  $\tilde{\theta}(i) = \tan^{-1}(\alpha(i) \cdot 2^{-s(i)})$

$$N_A \longrightarrow N' \triangleq \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} |\mu(i)|$$

the effective transition number

given a rotation angle  $\theta$

AR

find rotation sequence  $\mu(i) \in \{-1, 0, +1\}$   
for  $0 \leq i \leq N-1$

AQ

find the combination of elementary angles  
from  $\mathcal{S}_1$

Such that angle quantization error

$$|\xi_{m,AR}| < \alpha(N-1)$$

and the effective iteration number

$$N' = \sum_{i=0}^N |\mu(i)| \quad \text{is minimized}$$



# EAS $S_1$ AR

elementary angle value

- $r(1) = \text{atan}(-2^{\{-0\}})$
- $r(2) = \text{atan}(-2^{\{-1\}})$
- $r(3) = \text{atan}(-2^{\{-2\}})$
- $r(4) = \text{atan}(-2^{\{-3\}})$
- $r(5) = \text{atan}(-2^{\{-4\}})$
- $r(6) = \text{atan}(-2^{\{-5\}})$
- $r(7) = \text{atan}(-2^{\{-6\}})$
- $r(8) = \text{atan}(-2^{\{-7\}})$
- $r(9) = \text{atan}(0)$
- $r(10) = \text{atan}(2^{\{-7\}})$
- $r(11) = \text{atan}(2^{\{-6\}})$
- $r(12) = \text{atan}(2^{\{-5\}})$
- $r(13) = \text{atan}(2^{\{-4\}})$
- $r(14) = \text{atan}(2^{\{-3\}})$
- $r(15) = \text{atan}(2^{\{-2\}})$
- $r(16) = \text{atan}(2^{\{-1\}})$
- $r(17) = \text{atan}(2^{\{-0\}})$

$N_A$

$N$  conventional CORDIC

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>> mu = [1, 0, 0, -1, 0, 0, -1, -1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1]
>> length(mu)
ans = 16
>> s = [ 0: 15]
>> atan(1)
ans = 0.78540
>> pi/4
ans = 0.78540
>> sum(atan(2.^(-s)) .* mu)
ans = 0.63813
>> 13 * pi / 32
ans = 1.2763
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$i$	Conventional CORDIC	only $\{-1, +1\}$	Angle Recode	skip allowed $\{-1, 0, +1\}$
0	$S(0) = 0$	$\alpha(0) = +1$	$S(0) = 0$	$\alpha(0) = +1$
1	$S(1) = 1$	$\alpha(1) = -1$	$S(1) = 1$	$\alpha(1) = 0$
2	$S(2) = 2$	$\alpha(2) = +1$	$S(2) = 2$	$\alpha(2) = 0$
3	$S(3) = 3$	$\alpha(3) = +1$	$S(3) = 3$	$\alpha(3) = -1$
4	$S(4) = 4$	$\alpha(4) = -1$	$S(4) = 4$	$\alpha(4) = 0$
5	$S(5) = 5$	$\alpha(5) = +1$	$S(5) = 5$	$\alpha(5) = 0$
6	$S(6) = 6$	$\alpha(6) = -1$	$S(6) = 6$	$\alpha(6) = -1$
7	$S(7) = 7$	$\alpha(7) = -1$	$S(7) = 7$	$\alpha(7) = -1$
8	$S(8) = 8$	$\alpha(8) = +1$	$S(8) = 8$	$\alpha(8) = 0$
9	$S(9) = 9$	$\alpha(9) = -1$	$S(9) = 9$	$\alpha(9) = 0$
10	$S(10) = 10$	$\alpha(10) = -1$	$S(10) = 10$	$\alpha(10) = 0$
11	$S(11) = 11$	$\alpha(11) = +1$	$S(11) = 11$	$\alpha(11) = +1$
12	$S(12) = 12$	$\alpha(12) = +1$	$S(12) = 12$	$\alpha(12) = 0$
13	$S(13) = 13$	$\alpha(13) = -1$	$S(13) = 13$	$\alpha(13) = 0$
14	$S(14) = 14$	$\alpha(14) = +1$	$S(14) = 14$	$\alpha(14) = 0$
15	$S(15) = 15$	$\alpha(15) = +1$	$S(15) = 15$	$\alpha(15) = +1$

	Angle		Removing skipped angle	
$i$	Recode			
0	$S(0) = 0$	$\alpha(0) = +1$	0	$S(0) = 0$ $\alpha(0) = +1$
1	$S(1) = 1$	$\alpha(1) = 0$	1	
2	$S(2) = 2$	$\alpha(2) = 0$	2	
3	$S(3) = 3$	$\alpha(3) = -1$	3	$S(1) = 3$ $\alpha(1) = -1$
4	$S(4) = 4$	$\alpha(4) = 0$	4	
5	$S(5) = 5$	$\alpha(5) = 0$	5	
6	$S(6) = 6$	$\alpha(6) = -1$	6	$S(2) = 6$ $\alpha(2) = -1$
7	$S(7) = 7$	$\alpha(7) = -1$	7	$S(3) = 7$ $\alpha(3) = -1$
8	$S(8) = 8$	$\alpha(8) = 0$	8	
9	$S(9) = 9$	$\alpha(9) = 0$	9	
10	$S(10) = 10$	$\alpha(10) = 0$	10	
11	$S(11) = 11$	$\alpha(11) = +1$	11	$S(4) = 11$ $\alpha(4) = +1$
12	$S(12) = 12$	$\alpha(12) = 0$	12	
13	$S(13) = 13$	$\alpha(13) = 0$	13	
14	$S(14) = 14$	$\alpha(14) = 0$	14	
$w-1 = 15$	$S(15) = 15$	$\alpha(15) = +1$	15	$S(5) = 15$ $\alpha(5) = +1$
				$N-1$

$i$	Conventional CORDIC	only {-1, +1}	Angle Quant	Skip allowed {-1, 0, +1}
0	$S(0) = 0$	$\alpha(0) = +1$	$S(0) = 0$	$\alpha(0) = +1$
1	$S(1) = 1$	$\alpha(1) = -1$	$S(1) = 3$	$\alpha(1) = -1$
2	$S(2) = 2$	$\alpha(2) = +1$	$S(2) = 6$	$\alpha(2) = -1$
3	$S(3) = 3$	$\alpha(3) = +1$	$S(3) = 7$	$\alpha(3) = -1$
4	$S(4) = 4$	$\alpha(4) = -1$	$S(4) = 11$	$\alpha(4) = +1$
5	$S(5) = 5$	$\alpha(5) = +1$	$S(5) = 15$	$\alpha(5) = +1$
6	$S(6) = 6$	$\alpha(6) = -1$		
7	$S(7) = 7$	$\alpha(7) = -1$		
8	$S(8) = 8$	$\alpha(8) = +1$		
9	$S(9) = 9$	$\alpha(9) = -1$		
10	$S(10) = 10$	$\alpha(10) = -1$		
11	$S(11) = 11$	$\alpha(11) = +1$		
12	$S(12) = 12$	$\alpha(12) = +1$		
13	$S(13) = 13$	$\alpha(13) = -1$		
14	$S(14) = 14$	$\alpha(14) = +1$		
15	$S(15) = 15$	$\alpha(15) = +1$		

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N'

