

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \min_{\substack{R \in SO(3), s \in \mathbb{R} \\ t \in \mathbb{R}^3}} \sum_{i=1}^n \|y_i - sRx_i - t\|^2 = E(R, s, t) & \frac{\partial E}{\partial t} \left(\frac{\partial E}{\partial R} \right) \\
 & \quad \frac{\partial E}{\partial s}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & y_i^T y_i + 2y_i^T (-sRx_i) + (-sRx_i)^T (-sRx_i) + t^T t + 2(sRx_i)^T t - \\
 & 2y_i^T t
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{with } \sum : \sum_{i=1}^n y_i^T y_i - 2s \sum_{i=1}^n y_i^T R x_i + s^2 \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^T R^T R x_i + N t^T t + 2s \left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^T \right) R^T t$$

$$-2 \cdot \left(\sum_{i=1}^n y_i^T \right) t = E(R, s, t)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{\partial E}{\partial t} = -2 \left(\sum_i y_i^T \right) + 2Nt + 2s \left(\sum_i x_i^T \right) R^T = 0 \\
 & Nt = \sum_i y_i^T - s \left(\sum_i x_i^T \right) R^T = \sum_i y_i - sR \cdot \sum_i x_i
 \end{aligned}$$

$$Nt = \sum_i y_i - SR \sum_i x_i$$

$$\Rightarrow t^* = \frac{1}{N} \cdot \sum_i y_i - SR \frac{1}{N} \cdot \sum_i x_i$$

$$= \bar{y} - SR\bar{x} \quad (*)$$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{N} \cdot \sum_i x_i, \quad \bar{y} = \frac{1}{N} \cdot \sum_i y_i$$

Using (*), we have (for the energy term)

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \|y_i - SRx_i - \bar{y} + SR\bar{x}\|^2$$

$$= \sum_i \|(y_i - \bar{y}) - SR(x_i - \bar{x})\|^2$$

$$= \sum_i \|y_i' - SRx_i'\|^2 \quad (**)$$

$$y_i' = y_i - \bar{y}$$

$$x_i' = x_i - \bar{x}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & x_{13} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & x_{23} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} \downarrow \\ \downarrow \\ \downarrow \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} \text{avg} \\ \vdots \\ \Rightarrow \bar{x} \end{matrix}$$

Multiplying this (**) out gives

$$y_i'^T y_i' - 2 \cdot y_i'^T (s R x_i') + s^2 \cdot (R x_i')^T (R x_i')$$

$$\text{with } \sum: \sum_{i=1}^n y_i'^T y_i' - 2s \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n y_i'^T R x_i' + s^2 \cdot \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i'^T R^T R x_i'}_{s^2 \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n x_i'^T x_i'}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{\partial E}{\partial s} \quad \left| -2 \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n y_i'^T R x_i' + 2s \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n x_i'^T x_i' = 0 \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow s^* = \frac{\sum_i y_i'^T R x_i'}{\sum_i x_i'^T x_i'} \quad (***)$$

→ dependent on R!

One way to get rid of R in (xxx) is to "symmetrize"

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \|y_i' - s R x_i'\|^2 \longrightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n \left\| \frac{1}{\sqrt{s}} y_i' - \sqrt{s} R x_i' \right\|^2$$

(xxxx)

Taking $\frac{\partial E}{\partial s}$ and setting this to zero gives

$$s^* = \frac{\sum_i y_i'^T y_i}{\sum_i x_i'^T x_i}$$

(does not depend on R !)

Multiplying $(xxxx)$ out gives

$$\dots - 2 \cdot \underbrace{\sum_i y_i'^T R x_i'}_T + \dots$$

To minimize energy, we need to maximize T .

This means

optimal
 $R \in SO(3)$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \underbrace{x_i^T R y_i}_{\text{scalar quantity}}$$

cyclic property

We can write

$$\begin{aligned} \text{tr}(ABCD) &= \text{tr}(BCDA) \\ &= \text{tr}(CDAB) \\ &\vdots \end{aligned}$$

$$\sum_i x_i^T R y_i = \text{trace} \left(\sum_i x_i^T R y_i \right)$$

$$= \text{trace} \left(R \underbrace{\left(\sum_i x_i y_i^T \right)}_H \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} y_i^* &= y_i - \bar{y} \\ x_i^* &= x_i - \bar{x} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \text{trace}(R \cdot H)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{optimal } R \in SO(3) \quad \text{trace}(RH)$$

$$R^* = U V^T$$

$$H = U \Sigma V^T \quad (\text{Singular Value decomposition})$$