

a)  $\|\Delta x\|_2 = \|A^{-1} \Delta b\|_2 = \frac{\|A^{-1} \Delta b\|_2}{\|A b\|_2}$

from pset2  $\|A\|_2 = \max \frac{\|Ax\|_2}{\|x\|_2}$

$\Rightarrow \max \frac{\|A^{-1} \Delta b\|_2}{\|\Delta b\|_2} = \|A^{-1}\|_2 \Rightarrow$

$\Rightarrow \max \frac{\|A^{-1} \Delta b\|_2}{\|\Delta b\|_2} \|\Delta b\|_2 = \|A^{-1}\|_2 \|\Delta b\|_2$

$\therefore \|\Delta x\|_2 \leq \|A^{-1}\|_2 \|\Delta b\|_2$

since  $\|A^{-1}\|_2 \|\Delta b\|_2$  is the max

similarly

$$\|b\|_2 = \|Ax\|_2 = \frac{\|Ax\|_2}{\|x\|_2} \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow \max \frac{\|Ax\|_2}{\|x\|_2} = \|A\|_2 \|x\|_2$$

$\therefore \|b\|_2 \leq \|A\|_2 \|x\|_2$  ✓

since  $\|A\|_2 \|x\|_2$  is the max of  $\|b\|_2$

b) From a) we know:

$$\|\Delta x\|_2 \leq \|A\|_2 \|\Delta b\|_2$$

$$\|\Delta b\|_2 \leq \|A\|_2 \|x\|_2 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\|x\|_2} \leq \frac{\|A\|_2}{\|b\|_2}$$

and if we multiply  $\|\Delta x\|_2 * \frac{1}{\|x\|_2}$  we know that the product will also be  $\leq \frac{\|A\|_2}{\|b\|_2} * \|A\|_2 \|\Delta b\|_2 = \|A\|_2 \|A\|_2 \frac{\|\Delta b\|_2}{\|b\|_2}$

c) We know that the induced form of  $A$  has an  $L_2$  norm of  $\sigma_i$ . Since  $A$  is invertible,  $A^T$  has singular values of  $\frac{1}{\sigma_m}, \dots, \frac{1}{\sigma_1}$  so the  $L_2$  norm of  $A^T = \frac{1}{\sigma_1}$ .  $\therefore \|A\|_2 \|A^T\|_2 = \frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_m}$  where  $\sigma_i$  is the largest singular value of  $A$  and  $\sigma_m$  is the smallest. Because  $A$  is invertible, it follows that  $\|A^{-1}\|_2 \|A^T\|_2 = \frac{1}{\sigma_m} \cdot \frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_m} = \frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_m} = K(A)$  ✓

d) To maximize, we want the above equations to be instead of  $\leq$ . This means we want  $\|b\|_2 = \frac{1}{\sigma_m}$  and  $\|\Delta b\|_2 = \frac{1}{\sigma_1}$  so  $b = U \begin{pmatrix} \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\Delta b = U \begin{pmatrix} \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

2 We know that  $K(A)$  is the ratio of the largest to the smallest singular value of  $A$ .

If we plug in  $A^T A$  we get:

$$K(A^T A) = \frac{\sigma_{\max}(A^T A)}{\sigma_{\min}(A^T A)} = \frac{\sigma_{\max}(A)^2}{\sigma_{\min}(A)^2} = K(A)^2$$

If we then take  $K(\hat{R}) = K(A)$  and square both sides we have  $K(\hat{R})^2 = K(A)^2 \Rightarrow K(\hat{R})^2 = K(A^T A)$

If we substitute in  $A = \hat{Q} \hat{R}$  we get:

$$K(\hat{R})^2 = K(\hat{R}^T \hat{Q}^T \hat{Q} \hat{R}) \Rightarrow K(\hat{R})^2 = K(\hat{R}^T \hat{R})$$

using the same proof as above, we get:

$$K(\hat{R}^T \hat{R}) = K(\hat{R})^2$$

and if we plug it back in, we get

$$K(\hat{R})^2 = K(\hat{R})^2$$

3. We can stack the equations like we did for the Tikhonov regularization

$$\min_x \left\| \frac{b - Ax}{\delta x - \delta x_0} \right\|_2^2 = \min_x \left\| \begin{pmatrix} b \\ -\delta x_0 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} A \\ -\delta I \end{pmatrix} x \right\|_2^2 =$$

$$= \left\| \delta - Cx \right\|_2^2 \Rightarrow C^T C \hat{x} = C^T \delta$$

$$C = \begin{pmatrix} A \\ -\delta I \end{pmatrix} \quad \delta = \begin{pmatrix} b \\ -\delta x_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} A \\ -\delta I \end{pmatrix}^T \begin{pmatrix} A \\ -\delta I \end{pmatrix} \hat{x} = \begin{pmatrix} A \\ -\delta I \end{pmatrix}^T \begin{pmatrix} b \\ -\delta x_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow (A^T - \delta I) \begin{pmatrix} A \\ -\delta I \end{pmatrix} \hat{x} = (A^T - \delta I) \begin{pmatrix} b \\ -\delta x_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow (A^T A + \delta^2 I) \hat{x} = A^T b + \delta^2 I x_0$$

4. In class we saw that with random SVD, if  $A$  is low rank  $r$  then  $Q Q^T A \approx A$ . We also saw that  $\sigma$  of  $A \approx \sigma$  of  $Q^T A$ . ✓

This gives us a much smaller rank  $r$  matrix that is now only  $10 \times 1000$

$$5 E[\|x - x_0\|_F^2] = E[\text{tr}((x - x_0)^T (x - x_0))] =$$

$$= E[\text{tr}(x^T x - x^T x_0 - x_0^T x + x_0^T x_0)] = E[\text{tr}(x^T x) - \text{tr}(x^T x_0) - \text{tr}(x_0^T x) + \text{tr}(x_0^T x_0)]$$

$$= E[\text{tr}(x^T x)] - 2 \text{tr}(x^T x_0) + \text{tr}(x_0^T x_0) \quad \text{because of trace linearity}$$

$$= E[\|x\|_F^2] - 2 \text{tr}(x^T x_0) + \text{tr}(x_0^T x_0) = E[\|x\|_F^2] - \|x_0\|_F^2$$

↑ definition of Frobenius Norm

6 a) We know that any positive-definite matrix  $W$  can be factored as  $W = L L^T = U^T U$

$$\|b - Ax\|_W = \sqrt{(b - Ax)^T W (b - Ax)} = \sqrt{(b - Ax)^T L L^T (b - Ax)} = \sqrt{(b^T L L^T - x^T A L L^T)(b - Ax)} =$$

$$= \sqrt{b^T L L^T b - x^T A^T L L^T b - b^T L L^T A x + x^T A^T L L^T A x}$$

$$\|b - Ax\|_W = \sqrt{(b - Ax)^T W (b - Ax)} = \sqrt{(b - Ax)^T U^T U (b - Ax)} = \sqrt{(U(b - Ax))^T U(b - Ax)}$$

$$= \|U(b - Ax)\|_2 = \|Ub - UAx\|_2 \Rightarrow \delta = Ub \Rightarrow \|\delta - Cx\|_2$$

$$\Rightarrow A^T W A \hat{x} = A^T W b$$

7. We can re-write  $b(a) = x_1 + \alpha x_2$  as  $b = Ax$  where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \alpha \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & \alpha \end{bmatrix}, \quad x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{and} \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} b \\ \vdots \\ b \end{bmatrix}. \quad \text{Since we know that } b$$

has independent random errors with equal variance  $\sigma^2$  so

we know  $V^{-1} = I \frac{1}{\sigma^2}$ . When we plug it into the more general equation we get:

$$W = (A^T V^{-1} A)^{-1} = (A^T \frac{1}{\sigma^2} A)^{-1} = \sigma^2 (A^T A)^{-1} = \sigma^2 \begin{pmatrix} m & \sum a \\ \sum a & \sum a^2 \end{pmatrix}^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma^2 \frac{1}{\det(A)} \begin{pmatrix} \sum a^2 & -\sum a \\ -\sum a & m \end{pmatrix} = \frac{\sigma^2}{m(\sum a^2 - (\sum a)^2)} \begin{pmatrix} \sum a^2 & -\sum a \\ -\sum a & m \end{pmatrix}$$

Variances of  $x$  are along the diagonal so

$$\text{variance}(x_1) = \frac{\sigma^2 \sum a^2}{m(\sum a^2 - (\sum a)^2)} = \frac{\sigma^2 \sum a^2}{\sum (a - \text{mean}(a))^2}$$

$$\text{variance}(x_2) = \frac{\sigma^2 m}{m(\sum a^2 - (\sum a)^2)} = \frac{\sigma^2 m}{\sum (a - \text{mean}(a))^2}$$