Problem 1 [BV 9.23]

(a)

$$g(t) = f(x + t\Delta x) = -\sum_{i=1}^{m} \log(b_i - a_i^T x - t a_i^T \Delta x)$$

$$= -\sum_{i=1}^{m} \log\left((b_i - a_i^T x)(1 - t \frac{a_i^T \Delta x}{b_i - a_i^T x})\right)$$

$$= -\sum_{i=1}^{m} \log(b_i - a_i^T x) - \sum_{i=1}^{m} \log(1 - t \frac{a_i^T \Delta x}{b_i - a_i^T x})$$

$$= c - \sum_{i=1}^{m} \log(1 - t d_i)$$

where $c = -\sum_{i=1}^{m} \log(b_i - a_i^T x)$ and $d_i = \frac{a_i^T \Delta x}{b_i - a_i^T x}$.

$$g'(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{m} \frac{d_i}{1 - td_i}$$

Therefore, if k values of t are to be evaluated, the computation complexity of f is of order knm while with pre-computation it is nm + km. Also the the computation cost for g'(t) is the same with or without the pre-computation is of order nm + km.

(b)

$$\tilde{f}(t) = f(x + t\Delta x) = \log \left(\sum_{i=1}^{m} e^{a_i^T x + t a_i^T \Delta x + b_i} \right)$$

$$= \log \left(\sum_{i=1}^{m} e^{a_i^T x + b_i} (e^{a_i^T \Delta x})^t \right)$$

$$= \log \left(\sum_{i=1}^{m} e^{k_i + th_i} \right)$$

where $k_i = a_i^T x + b_i$ and $h_i = a_i^T \Delta x$.

$$\tilde{f}'(t) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{m} h_i e^{k_i + th_i}}{\sum_{i=1}^{m} e^{k_i + th_i}}$$

Therefore, if k values of t are to be evaluated, the computation complexity of f is of order kmn while with pre-computation it is of order mn+km. Also the the computation cost for g'(t) is the same with or without the pre-computation, of order mn + km.

Problem 2 [BV-additional-exercises 9.10]

- (a) False.
- (b) True.
- (c) False.
- (d) True.
- (e) False.
- (f) True.
- (g) False