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## 9.1

Suppose by way of contradiction that  $Ly \neq Lx$ . Then  $x$  is not a minimizer if it is less than. If it is greater than then  $L(2x - z) = Lx + L(x - z) < Lx$  and so  $x$  is not a minimizer.

## 9.2

$(Ax - b)^T(Ax - b) = x^T A^T Ax - 2b^T Ax + 2b^T b$ . Then noticing that  $A^T A$  is pos semi def and taking the FOC yields  $A^T Ax = A^T b$ .

## 9.3

Steepest descent computes the gradient then goes a certain distance in that direction to minimize the objective. Newtons method starts with a guess and uses newtons method to find the roots of the derivative i.e. crit points. Conjugate gradient uses steepest descent but looks at the Q-conjugate direction.

## 9.10

Suppose  $x$  is a minimzer then  $f(x) = 0 \implies Qx - b = 0 \implies x = Q^{-1}b$  Then applying newtons method yields the result.

## 9.12

$Bv = (A + uI)v = Av + uIv = \lambda v + uv = (\lambda + u)$  where  $\lambda$  is arbitrary.

## 9.16

Letting  $A = A_k^{-1}, B = y - A_k s_k, C = \|s_k\|^2, D = s_k^T$ . Then  $A_{k+1} = A_k^{-1} + \frac{(s_k - A_k^{-1} y_k) s_k^T A_k^{-1}}{s_k^T A_k^{-1} y_k}$

## 9.18

$\phi'(a) = -Df(x + a_k d_k) d_k = [x_k^T Q - b^T] d_k - (a_k d_k)^T A d_k = r_k^T d_k - a_k (d_k^T Q d_k) \implies a_k = \frac{r_k^T d_k}{d_k^T Q d_k}$