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When A is orthogonal as we have

$$AA^T = I$$

\Rightarrow The inverse computation of A becomes trivial.
It is simply the transpose of A .

Because of this solving equations involving orthogonal matrices is fairly easy.

$$\underline{x = A^T b}$$

\Rightarrow Secondly, orthogonal matrices exhibit a condition number $= 1$.

This is the best possible condition number.

Hence, for small perturbations in b we can be assured that the solⁿ x won't change by a large amount. Thus, we have stable solutions when dealing with orthogonal matrices.