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1. a) $\varphi(x) = \frac{1}{2} \|Ax - b\|_2^2 + \frac{\beta}{2} \|x\|_2^2$

$$\frac{d\varphi}{dx} = \sum_{i=1}^n (a_i x^T - b)(a_i) + \beta x^T$$

$$\rightarrow 0 = \sum_{i=1}^n (a_i x^T - b)(a_i) + \beta x^T \rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n a_i a_i^T x^T + \beta x^T = \sum_{i=1}^n b a_i$$

$$\rightarrow \left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i a_i^T + \beta \right) x^T = \sum_{i=1}^n b a_i$$

$$\rightarrow x^T = \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{\sigma_j (v_j^T b)}{\sigma_j^2 + \beta}$$

b) We have from page 51 of Lecture 1 that

$$x^{**} = V \Sigma^{-1} U^T b = \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{u_j^T b}{\sigma_j} v_j$$

$$c) \| \tilde{x}^* - x^* \|_2 = \left\| \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{\sigma_j (u_j^T b + \epsilon)}{\sigma_j^2 + \beta} v_j - \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{\sigma_j (u_j^T b)}{\sigma_j^2 + \beta} v_j \right\|_2 = \left\| \epsilon \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{\sigma_j u_j^T v_j}{\sigma_j^2 + \beta} \right\|_2 = \left\| \epsilon \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{u_j^T v_j}{\sigma_j} \cdot \frac{\sigma_j}{\sigma_j^2 + \beta} \right\|_2$$

$$\| \tilde{x}^{**} - x^{**} \|_2 = \left\| \epsilon \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{u_j^T (b + \epsilon)}{\sigma_j} v_j - \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{u_j^T b}{\sigma_j} v_j \right\|_2 = \left\| \epsilon \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{u_j^T v_j}{\sigma_j} \right\|_2$$

So $\| \tilde{x}^* - x^* \|_2 \leq \| \tilde{x}^{**} - x^{**} \|_2$
as desired.

3. a) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & & & -a_0 \\ 1 & 0 & & -a_1 \\ & 1 & 0 & -a_2 \\ & & \ddots & \vdots \\ & & & 1 & 0 & -a_{n-2} \\ & & & & 1 & -a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow xI_n - A = \begin{bmatrix} x & & & a_0 \\ -1 & x & & a_1 \\ & -1 & x & a_2 \\ & & \ddots & \vdots \\ & & & -1 & x & a_{n-2} \\ & & & & -1 & a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$

\rightarrow Base case: $\det \begin{pmatrix} x & a_{n-2} \\ -1 & a_{n-1} \end{pmatrix} = x a_{n-1} + a_{n-2}$

\rightarrow Induction step: $\det \begin{bmatrix} x & & a_i & \\ -1 & x & a_{i+1} & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} = x \det \begin{bmatrix} x & & a_{i+1} & \\ -1 & x & a_{i+2} & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} + a_i \det \begin{bmatrix} -1 & x & & \\ & -1 & x & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & x \end{bmatrix} (-1)^{(n-i-2)}$

$$= x \det \begin{bmatrix} x & & a_{i+1} & \\ -1 & x & a_{i+2} & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & a_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} + a_i (-1)^{(n-i-2)} = -1$$

So by induction: $\det(xI_n - A) = x^n + a_{n-1}x^{n-1} + \dots + a_1x + a_0$ as desired

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$$4. \pm) \quad u'' + u(u^2 - 1)u' + u = 0$$

$$\vec{y}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} y_1(t) \\ y_2(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} u(t) \\ u'(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{f}(\vec{y}) = \begin{bmatrix} f_1(y_1, y_2) \\ f_2(y_1, y_2) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{y}'(t) = \vec{f}(\vec{y}(t))$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} u'(t) \\ u''(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f_1(y_1, y_2) \\ f_2(y_1, y_2) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} f_1(y_1, y_2) \\ f_2(y_1, y_2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y_2(t) \\ y_1(t)[1 - y_1^2(t)]y_2(t) - y_1(t) \end{bmatrix}$$