

1.  $A: \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m, m > 0$ , be SPD.

a) Show that  $T: \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m, v \mapsto Av$  is strongly continuous and Lipschitz continuous.

$A$  symmetric  $\Rightarrow A = Q\Lambda Q^T$ , where  $Q$  orthogonal and  $\Lambda$  diagonal with  $\Lambda_{ii} = \lambda_i$ , where  $\lambda_i$  is  $i$ th eigenvalue of  $A$ .

$A$  is SPD:

For eigenvalue  $\lambda_i$  with eigenvector  $x_i$ :

$$0 < x_i^T (Ax_i) = x_i^T (\lambda_i x_i) = \lambda_i x_i^T x_i = \lambda_i \|x_i\|^2$$

$$\text{As } \|x_i\|^2 \geq 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_i > 0 \quad \forall \lambda_i \in \sigma(A)$$

So all eigenvalues are strictly positive  $\Rightarrow 0 < \min_{\lambda \in \sigma(A)} \lambda$

• Strongly monotone:

$$(T(u) - T(v), u - v) = (Au - Av)^T (u - v)$$

$$= (u - v)^T A^T (u - v)$$

$$= (u - v)^T Q^T \Lambda Q (u - v)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m ((u - v)^T Q^T)_i \lambda_i (Q(u - v))_i$$

$$\geq \min_{\lambda \in \sigma(A)} \lambda \sum_{i=1}^m ((u - v)^T Q^T)_i (Q(u - v))_i$$

$$= \underbrace{\min_{\lambda \in \sigma(A)} \lambda}_{=: M} (u - v)^T \underbrace{Q^T Q}_{=: I} (u - v) = M \|u - v\|^2$$

• Lipschitz continuous:

$$\|T(u) - T(v)\|^2 = (Au - Av)^T (Au - Av) = (u - v)^T Q^T \Lambda Q (Au - Av)$$

$$\leq \max_{\lambda \in \sigma(A)} \lambda (u - v)^T Q^T Q (Au - Av)$$

$$= L \langle T(u) - T(v), u - v \rangle$$

$$\leq L \|u - v\| \|Au - Av\|$$

Divide by  $\|T(u) - T(v)\|$  to complete proof.

b)  $b \in \mathbb{R}^m$ . Show  $\exists \delta \in \mathbb{R}, \delta > 0$  such that

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \delta(Ax_n - b), \quad n \geq 0$$

converges to  $A^{-1}b$  for any starting vector  $x_0 \in \mathbb{R}^m$ .

Define  $\tilde{T}(x) = x - \delta(T(x) - b)$ ,  $\delta > 0$ ; then, as  $T$

strongly monotone and Lipschitz continuous

$$\|\tilde{T}(x) - \tilde{T}(y)\|^2 = \|x - y\|^2 - 2\delta(T(x) - T(y), x - y) + \delta^2 \|T(x) - T(y)\|^2$$

$$\leq \|x - y\|^2 - 2\delta M \|x - y\|^2 + L^2 \delta^2 \|x - y\|^2$$

$$= (1 - 2\delta M + L^2 \delta^2) \|x - y\|^2$$

Select  $\delta$  such that  $2M > L^2 \delta$ ; then,  $\tilde{T}$  is strongly contractive; therefore, by Banach F.P.

$\exists! \bar{x}$  such that

$$\bar{x} = \tilde{T}(\bar{x}) \Rightarrow A\bar{x} = b \Rightarrow \bar{x} = A^{-1}b$$

and the iteration

$$x_{n+1} = \tilde{T}(x_n) = x_n - \delta(Ax_n - b)$$

converges to  $\bar{x} = A^{-1}b$ .

2. Consider  $X = \ell^2$  and  $A: X \rightarrow X$  as  $Ax = y$ ,  
 $x = (\xi_1, \dots, \xi_k, \dots)$ ,  $y = ((\xi_1)^1, \dots, (\xi_k)^k, \dots)$   
 Show  $A$  is continuous and not bounded.

Select  $x^{(n)} = (\xi_i^{(n)}) \in X$  such that  $x^{(n)} \rightarrow x$ ,  $x = (\xi_i)$

The sequence is bounded; i.e.,  $\exists C > 0$  such that  
 $\|x^{(n)}\| \leq C$  and  $\|x\| \leq C$ . From convergence and  
 definition of norm in  $X$  it follows that  $\exists N_0$ , no  
 such that for all  $i \geq N_0$  and  $n \geq N_0$

$$|\xi_i^{(n)}| < \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad |\xi_i| < \frac{1}{2}.$$

Then, for  $n \geq n_0$

$$\begin{aligned} \|Ax^{(n)} - Ax\|^2 &= \sum_{i=0}^{N_0} ((\xi_i^{(n)})^i - \xi_i^i)^2 + \sum_{i=N_0+1}^{\infty} ((\xi_i^{(n)})^i - \xi_i^i)^2 \\ &\leq C_1 \sum_{i=0}^{N_0} (\xi_i^{(n)} - \xi_i)^2 + C_2 \sum_{i=N_0+1}^{\infty} (\xi_i^{(n)} - \xi_i)^2 \\ &\leq C \|x^{(n)} - x\|^2 \rightarrow 0 \end{aligned}$$

where

$$C_1 = \max_{i=1, \dots, N_0} (iC^{i-1})^2, \quad C_2 = \max_{i=N_0+1, \dots, \infty} (i(\frac{1}{2})^{i-1})^2$$

and  $C = \max(C_1, C_2)$  which shows continuity.

Now define  $x^{(n)} = (\xi_i^{(n)})$ ,  $\xi_n^{(n)} = 2$  &  $\xi_i^{(n)} = 0$  for  $i \neq n$

Then,  $\|x^{(n)}\| = 2$ ,  $\|Ax^{(n)}\| = 2^n$

Clearly, there exists no function  $M_1: \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$  such that

$$\|Ax\| \leq M_1(\|x\|)$$

as for such a function to exist

$$\|Ax^{(n)}\| = 2^n \leq M_1(\|x^{(n)}\|) = M_1(2) \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$$

which is not possible; therefore,  $A$  is not bounded.

3. a) Show  $A$  uniformly monotone  $\Rightarrow A$  strictly monotone

Assume  $u \neq v$ , then  $\|u-v\| \neq 0$  and therefore  $\alpha(\|u-v\|) > 0$   
 $\Rightarrow \langle Au - Av, u - v \rangle \geq \alpha(\|u-v\|)\|u-v\| > 0$

b)  $A$  strictly monotone  $\Rightarrow A$  monotone

If  $u \neq v$  then  $\langle Au - Av, u - v \rangle > 0$   
If  $u = v$  then  $\langle Au - Av, u - v \rangle = 0$  }  $\Rightarrow$  monotone

c)  $A$   $\alpha$ -monotone  $\Rightarrow A$  monotone

$$\langle Au - Av, u - v \rangle \geq (\alpha(\|u\|) - \alpha(\|v\|))(\|u\| - \|v\|)$$

• If  $\|u\| > \|v\|$  then  $\alpha(\|u\|) > \alpha(\|v\|)$  as  $\alpha$  strictly inc.

$$\Rightarrow \|u\| - \|v\| > 0 \text{ and } \alpha(\|u\|) - \alpha(\|v\|) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\alpha(\|u\|) - \alpha(\|v\|))(\|u\| - \|v\|) > 0$$

• If  $\|u\| < \|v\|$  then  $\alpha(\|u\|) < \alpha(\|v\|)$

$$\Rightarrow \|u\| - \|v\| < 0 \text{ and } \alpha(\|u\|) - \alpha(\|v\|) < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\alpha(\|u\|) - \alpha(\|v\|))(\|u\| - \|v\|) > 0$$

• If  $\|u\| = \|v\|$  then  $\|u\| - \|v\| = 0$

$$\Rightarrow (\alpha(\|u\|) - \alpha(\|v\|))(\|u\| - \|v\|) = 0$$

d)  $A$  strongly monotone &  $B$  strongly monotone  
 $\Rightarrow A+B$  strongly monotone

$A$  strongly monotone:  $\exists M_A: \langle Au - Av, u - v \rangle \geq M_A \|u - v\|^2$

$B$  strongly monotone:  $\exists M_B: \langle Bu - Bv, u - v \rangle \geq M_B \|u - v\|^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle (A+B)u - (A+B)v, u - v \rangle &= \langle Au - Av, u - v \rangle + \langle Bu - Bv, u - v \rangle \\ &\geq \underbrace{(M_A + M_B)}_M \|u - v\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

e)  $A$  strongly monotone &  $B$  monotone  $\Rightarrow A+B$  strongly monotone

$$\begin{aligned}\langle (A+B)u - (A+B)v, u-v \rangle &= \langle Au - Av, u-v \rangle + \underbrace{\langle Bu - Bv, u-v \rangle}_{\geq 0} \\ &\geq \langle Au - Av, u-v \rangle \\ &\geq \mu_A \|u-v\|^2\end{aligned}$$