Supplementary Material: Accelerating Adaptive Online Learning by Matrix Approximation

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A Theoretical Analysis

In this supplementary material, we provide proof of Theorems 1 and 2.

A.1 Supporting Results

The following results are used throughout our analysis.

Lemma 1. (Proposition 3 of [1]). Let sequence $\{\beta_t\}$ be generated by ADA-RP. We have

$$R(T) \leq \frac{1}{\eta} \sum_{t=1}^{T-1} \left[B_{\Psi_{t+1}}(\boldsymbol{\beta}^*, \boldsymbol{\beta}_{t+1}) - B_{\Psi_t}(\boldsymbol{\beta}^*, \boldsymbol{\beta}_{t+1}) \right] + \frac{1}{\eta} B_{\Psi_1}(\boldsymbol{\beta}^*, \boldsymbol{\beta}_1) \\ + \frac{\eta}{2} \sum_{t=1}^{T} \| f_t'(\boldsymbol{\beta}_t) \|_{\Psi_t^*}^2.$$

Lemma 2. Let $X_t = \sum_{i=1}^t \mathbf{x}_i \mathbf{x}_i^{\top}$ and A^{\dagger} denote the pseudo-inverse of A, then

$$\sum_{t=1}^{T} \left\langle \mathbf{x}_t, (\mathbf{X}_t^{1/2})^{\dagger} \mathbf{x}_t \right\rangle \le 2 \sum_{t=1}^{T} \left\langle \mathbf{x}_t, (\mathbf{X}_T^{1/2})^{\dagger} \mathbf{x}_t \right\rangle = 2 \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{X}_T^{1/2}).$$

Lemma 2 can be proved in the same way as Lemma 10 of [1].

Theorem 3. (Theorem 2.3 of [11]). Let $0 < \epsilon, \delta < 1$ and $S = \frac{1}{\sqrt{k}} R \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times n}$ where the entries $R_{i,j}$ of R are independent standard normal random variables. Then if $k = \Theta(\frac{d + \log(1/\delta)}{\epsilon^2})$, then for any fixed $n \times d$ matrix A, with probability $1 - \delta$, simultaneously for all $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^d$,

$$(1-\epsilon) \|\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}\|_2^2 \le \|\mathbf{S}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}\|_2^2 \le (1+\epsilon) \|\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}\|_2^2$$

Based on the above theorem, we derive the following corollary.

Corollary 1. Let $0 < \epsilon, \delta < 1$ and each entry of $\mathbf{r}_t \in \mathbb{R}^{\tau}$ is a Gaussian random variable drawn from $\mathcal{N}(0, 1/\sqrt{\tau})$ independently. Then, if $\tau = \Omega(\frac{r + \log(T/\delta)}{\epsilon^2})$, with probability $1 - \delta$, simultaneously for all t = 1, ..., T,

$$(1-\epsilon)\mathbf{C}_t^{\top}\mathbf{C}_t \leq \mathbf{S}_t^{\top}\mathbf{S}_t \leq (1+\epsilon)\mathbf{C}_t^{\top}\mathbf{C}_t.$$

Theorem 4. (Theorem 10 of [20]). Let R be a Gaussian random matrix of size $p \times n$. Let $C = \text{diag}(c_1, \ldots, c_p)$ and $S = \text{diag}(s_1, \ldots, s_p)$ be $p \times p$ diagonal matrices, where $c_i \neq 0$ and $c_i^2 + s_i^2 = 1$ for all i. Let $M = C^2 + \frac{1}{n} \text{SRR}^\top S$ and $r = \sum_i s_i^2$.

$$Pr(\lambda_1(M) \ge 1+t) \le q \cdot \exp\left(-\frac{cnt^2}{\max_i(s_i^2)r}\right),$$
$$Pr(\lambda_p(M) \le 1-t) \le q \cdot \exp\left(-\frac{cnt^2}{\max_i(s_i^2)r}\right),$$

where the constant c is at least 1/32, and q is the rank of S.

Based on the above theorem, we derive the following corollary.

Corollary 2. Let $c \geq 1/32$, $\alpha > 0$, $\sigma_{ti}^2 = \lambda_i (\mathbf{C}_t^\top \mathbf{C}_t)$, $\tilde{r}_t = \sum_i \frac{\sigma_{ti}^2}{\alpha + \sigma_{ti}^2}$, $\tilde{r}_* = \max_{k \leq t \leq T} \tilde{r}_t$ and $\sigma_{*1}^2 = \max_{1 \leq t \leq T} \sigma_{t1}^2$. Let $\mathbf{K}_t = \alpha \mathbf{I}_d + \mathbf{C}_t^\top \mathbf{C}_t$, $\tilde{\mathbf{K}}_t = \alpha \mathbf{I}_d + \mathbf{S}_t^\top \mathbf{S}_t$, and $\tilde{\mathbf{I}}_t = \mathbf{K}_t^{-1/2} \tilde{\mathbf{K}}_t \mathbf{K}_t^{-1/2}$. If $\tau \geq \frac{\tilde{r}_* \sigma_{*1}^2}{c\epsilon^2 (\alpha + \sigma_{*1}^2)} \log \frac{2dT}{\delta}$, then with probability at least $1 - \delta$, simultaneously for all $t = 1, \cdots, T$,

$$(1-\epsilon)\mathbf{I}_d \preceq \mathbf{I}_t \preceq (1+\epsilon)\mathbf{I}_d.$$

A.2 Proof of Theorem 1

Let $\widetilde{\mathbf{X}}_t$ denote $\mathbf{S}_t^{\top} \mathbf{S}_t$. First, we consider bounding the first term in the upper bound of Lemma 1. With probability $1 - \delta$, we have

$$\begin{split} B_{\Psi_{t+1}}(\beta^*,\beta_{t+1}) &- B_{\Psi_t}(\beta^*,\beta_{t+1}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left\langle \beta^* - \beta_{t+1}, (\widetilde{\mathbf{X}}_{t+1}^{1/2} - \widetilde{\mathbf{X}}_t^{1/2})(\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \right\rangle \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left\langle \beta^* - \beta_{t+1}, \sqrt{1 + \epsilon} \mathbf{X}_{t+1}^{1/2}(\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \right\rangle \\ &- \frac{1}{2} \left\langle \beta^* - \beta_{t+1}, \sqrt{1 - \epsilon} \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2}(\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \right\rangle \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left\langle \beta^* - \beta_{t+1}, (\mathbf{X}_{t+1}^{1/2} - \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2})(\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \right\rangle \\ &+ \frac{\epsilon}{4} \left\langle \beta^* - \beta_{t+1}, (\mathbf{X}_{t+1}^{1/2} - \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2})(\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \right\rangle \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \|\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}\|_2^2 \|(\mathbf{X}_{t+1}^{1/2} - \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2})\| \\ &+ \frac{\epsilon}{4} \left\langle \beta^* - \beta_{t+1}, (\mathbf{X}_{t+1}^{1/2} + \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2})(\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \right\rangle \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \|\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}\|_2^2 \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{X}_{t+1}^{1/2} - \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2}) \\ &+ \frac{\epsilon}{4} \left\langle \beta^* - \beta_{t+1}, (\mathbf{X}_{t+1}^{1/2} + \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2})(\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \right\rangle \end{split}$$

where the first inequality is due to Corollary 1.

Thus, we can get

$$\sum_{t=1}^{T-1} \left[B_{\Psi_{t+1}}(\boldsymbol{\beta}^*, \boldsymbol{\beta}_{t+1}) - B_{\Psi_t}(\boldsymbol{\beta}^*, \boldsymbol{\beta}_{t+1}) \right] \\ \leq \frac{1}{2} \sum_{t=1}^{T-1} \left\| \boldsymbol{\beta}^* - \boldsymbol{\beta}_{t+1} \right\|_2^2 \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{X}_{t+1}^{1/2} - \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2}) \\ + \frac{\epsilon}{4} \sum_{t=1}^{T-1} \left\langle \boldsymbol{\beta}^* - \boldsymbol{\beta}_{t+1}, (\mathbf{X}_{t+1}^{1/2} + \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2}) (\boldsymbol{\beta}^* - \boldsymbol{\beta}_{t+1}) \right\rangle$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2} \max_{t \leq T} \left\| \boldsymbol{\beta}^* - \boldsymbol{\beta}_t \right\|_2^2 \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{X}_T^{1/2}) - \frac{1}{2} \left\| \boldsymbol{\beta}^* - \boldsymbol{\beta}_1 \right\|_2^2 \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{X}_1^{1/2}) \\ + \frac{\epsilon}{2} \max_{t \leq T} \left\| \boldsymbol{\beta}^* - \boldsymbol{\beta}_t \right\|_2^2 \sum_{t=1}^T \left\| \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2} \right\| - \frac{\epsilon}{4} \left\| \boldsymbol{\beta}^* - \boldsymbol{\beta}_1 \right\|_2^2 \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{X}_1^{1/2}).$$
(3)

Note that $\beta_1 = 0$, then

$$B_{\Psi_{1}}(\boldsymbol{\beta}^{*},\boldsymbol{\beta}_{1}) = \frac{1}{2} \left\langle \boldsymbol{\beta}^{*}, (\sigma \mathbf{I}_{d} + \widetilde{\mathbf{X}}_{1}^{1/2}) \boldsymbol{\beta}^{*} \right\rangle$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2} \sigma \|\boldsymbol{\beta}^{*}\|_{2}^{2} + \frac{2+\epsilon}{4} \|\boldsymbol{\beta}^{*}\|_{2}^{2} \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{X}_{1}^{1/2})$$
(4)

where the inequality is due to Corollary 1.

Then, we consider the upper bound of $\sum_{t=1}^{T} \|f'_t(\boldsymbol{\beta}_t)\|^2_{\Psi^*_t}$. With probability $1-\delta$, we have

$$\begin{split} &\frac{1}{2} \|f_t'(\boldsymbol{\beta}_t)\|_{\boldsymbol{\Psi}_t^*}^2 = \left\langle \mathbf{g}_t, (\sigma \mathbf{I}_d + \widetilde{\mathbf{X}}_t^{1/2})^{-1} \mathbf{g}_t \right\rangle \\ \leq &\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-\epsilon}} \left\langle \mathbf{g}_t, (\mathbf{X}_t^{\dagger})^{1/2} \mathbf{g}_t \right\rangle = \frac{l'(\boldsymbol{\beta}_t^\top \mathbf{x}_t)^2}{\sqrt{1-\epsilon}} \left\langle \mathbf{x}_t, (\mathbf{X}_t^{\dagger})^{1/2} \mathbf{x}_t \right\rangle \end{split}$$

where the inequality is due to Corollary 1. According to Lemma 2, we have

$$\sum_{t=1}^{T} \|f_t'(\boldsymbol{\beta}_t)\|_{\Psi_t^*}^2 \leq \sum_{t=1}^{T} \frac{2l'(\boldsymbol{\beta}_t^{\top} \mathbf{x}_t)^2}{\sqrt{1-\epsilon}} \left\langle \mathbf{x}_t, (\mathbf{X}_t^{\dagger})^{1/2} \mathbf{x}_t \right\rangle$$
$$\leq \max_{t \leq T} l'(\boldsymbol{\beta}_t^{\top} \mathbf{x}_t)^2 \frac{2}{\sqrt{1-\epsilon}} \sum_{t=1}^{T} \left\langle \mathbf{x}_t, (\mathbf{X}_t^{\dagger})^{1/2} \mathbf{x}_t \right\rangle$$
$$\leq \frac{4}{\sqrt{1-\epsilon}} \max_{t \leq T} l'(\boldsymbol{\beta}_t^{\top} \mathbf{x}_t)^2 \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{X}_T^{1/2}).$$
(5)

We complete the proof by substituting (3), (4), and (5) into Lemma 1.

A.3 Proof of Theorem 2

Inspired by the proof of Theorem 1, we can derive Theorem 2 by respectively bounding each term in the upper bound of Lemma 1. Before that, we need to derive the lower and upper bounds of $(\mathbf{S}_t^\top \mathbf{S}_t)^{1/2}$ based on Corollary 2.

Let the SVD of C_t^{\top} be $C_t^{\top} = U\Sigma V^{\top}$ where $U \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d}, \Sigma \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d}, V \in \mathbb{R}^{t \times d}$. According to Corollary 2, with probability at least $1 - \delta$, simultaneously for all t = 1, ..., T,

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{S}_t^{\top} \mathbf{S}_t &= \tilde{\mathbf{K}}_t - \alpha \mathbf{I}_d = \mathbf{K}_t^{1/2} \tilde{\mathbf{I}}_t \mathbf{K}_t^{1/2} - \alpha \mathbf{I}_d \\ &\preceq (1+\epsilon) \mathbf{K}_t - \alpha \mathbf{I}_d = (1+\epsilon) \mathbf{C}_t^{\top} \mathbf{C}_t + \epsilon \alpha \mathbf{I}_d \\ &= \mathbf{U} \big((1+\epsilon) \Sigma \Sigma + \epsilon \alpha \mathbf{I}_d \big) \mathbf{U}^{\top} \end{split}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{S}_t^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{S}_t + \epsilon \alpha \mathbf{I}_d &= \tilde{\mathbf{K}}_t - \alpha \mathbf{I}_d + \epsilon \alpha \mathbf{I}_d \\ &= \mathbf{K}_t^{1/2} \tilde{\mathbf{I}}_t \mathbf{K}_t^{1/2} - \alpha \mathbf{I}_d + \epsilon \alpha \mathbf{I}_d \\ &\succeq (1 - \epsilon) \mathbf{K}_t - \alpha \mathbf{I}_d + \epsilon \alpha \mathbf{I}_d \\ &= (1 - \epsilon) \mathbf{C}_t^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{C}_t. \end{aligned}$$

Then simultaneously for all t = 1, ..., T, we have

$$(\mathbf{S}_t^{\top} \mathbf{S}_t)^{1/2} \preceq \sqrt{1+\epsilon} \mathbf{U}(\Sigma\Sigma)^{1/2} \mathbf{U}^{\top} + \sqrt{\epsilon\alpha} \mathbf{U} \mathbf{I}_d \mathbf{U}^{\top} = \sqrt{1+\epsilon} \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2} + \sqrt{\epsilon\alpha} \mathbf{I}_d \qquad (6)$$

and

$$(\mathbf{S}_{t}^{\top}\mathbf{S}_{t})^{1/2} = (\mathbf{S}_{t}^{\top}\mathbf{S}_{t})^{1/2} + \sqrt{\epsilon\alpha}\mathbf{I}_{d} - \sqrt{\epsilon\alpha}\mathbf{I}_{d}$$

$$\succeq \left((\mathbf{S}_{t}^{\top}\mathbf{S}_{t}) + \epsilon\alpha\mathbf{I}_{d}\right)^{1/2} - \sqrt{\epsilon\alpha}\mathbf{I}_{d}$$

$$\succeq \sqrt{1 - \epsilon}\mathbf{X}_{t}^{1/2} - \sqrt{\epsilon\alpha}\mathbf{I}_{d}.$$
(7)

Then we consider bounding the first term in the upper bound of Lemma 1. Let $\widetilde{\mathbf{X}}_t$ denote $\mathbf{S}_t^{\top} \mathbf{S}_t$. Simultaneously for all t = 1, ..., T, we have

$$\begin{split} B_{\Psi_{t+1}}(\beta^*,\beta_{t+1}) &- B_{\Psi_t}(\beta^*,\beta_{t+1}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left< \beta^* - \beta_{t+1}, (\tilde{\mathbf{X}}_{t+1}^{1/2} - \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_t^{1/2})(\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \right> \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \left< \beta^* - \beta_{t+1}, \sqrt{1 + \epsilon} \mathbf{X}_{t+1}^{1/2}(\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \right> \\ &- \frac{1}{2} \left< \beta^* - \beta_{t+1}, \sqrt{1 - \epsilon} \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2})(\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \right> \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} \left< \beta^* - \beta_{t+1}, 2\sqrt{\epsilon \alpha} \mathbf{I}_d(\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \right> \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left< \beta^* - \beta_{t+1}, \sqrt{1 + \epsilon} \mathbf{X}_{t+1}^{1/2}(\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \right> \\ &- \frac{1}{2} \left< \beta^* - \beta_{t+1}, \sqrt{1 - \epsilon} \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2})(\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \right> \\ &+ \sqrt{\epsilon \alpha} \| (\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \|_2^2 \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \| \beta^* - \beta_{t+1} \|_2^2 \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{X}_{t+1}^{1/2} - \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2}) \\ &+ \frac{\epsilon}{4} \left< \beta^* - \beta_{t+1}, (\mathbf{X}_{t+1}^{1/2} + \mathbf{X}_t^{1/2})(\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \right> \\ &+ \sqrt{\epsilon \alpha} \| (\beta^* - \beta_{t+1}) \|_2^2 \end{split}$$

where the first inequality is due to (6), (7) and the last inequality has been proved in the proof of Theorem 1.

Thus, we can get

$$\sum_{t=1}^{T-1} \left[B_{\Psi_{t+1}}(\boldsymbol{\beta}^{*}, \boldsymbol{\beta}_{t+1}) - B_{\Psi_{t}}(\boldsymbol{\beta}^{*}, \boldsymbol{\beta}_{t+1}) \right]$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2} \max_{t \leq T} \|\boldsymbol{\beta}^{*} - \boldsymbol{\beta}_{t}\|_{2}^{2} \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{X}_{T}^{1/2}) - \frac{1}{2} \|\boldsymbol{\beta}^{*} - \boldsymbol{\beta}_{1}\|_{2}^{2} \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{X}_{1}^{1/2})$$

$$+ \frac{\epsilon}{2} \max_{t \leq T} \|\boldsymbol{\beta}^{*} - \boldsymbol{\beta}_{t}\|_{2}^{2} \sum_{t=1}^{T} \|\mathbf{X}_{t}^{1/2}\|$$

$$- \frac{\epsilon}{4} \|\boldsymbol{\beta}^{*} - \boldsymbol{\beta}_{1}\|_{2}^{2} \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{X}_{1}^{1/2})$$

$$+ \sqrt{\epsilon\alpha}(T-1) \max_{t \leq T} \|\boldsymbol{\beta}^{*} - \boldsymbol{\beta}_{t}\|_{2}^{2}.$$
(8)

Note that $\beta_1 = 0$, then

$$B_{\Psi_{1}}(\boldsymbol{\beta}^{*},\boldsymbol{\beta}_{1}) = \frac{1}{2} \left\langle \boldsymbol{\beta}^{*}, (\sigma \mathbf{I}_{d} + \widetilde{\mathbf{X}}_{1}^{1/2}) \boldsymbol{\beta}^{*} \right\rangle$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2} \sigma \|\boldsymbol{\beta}^{*}\|_{2}^{2} + \frac{2+\epsilon}{4} \|\boldsymbol{\beta}^{*}\|_{2}^{2} \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{X}_{1}^{1/2}) + \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\epsilon \alpha} \|\boldsymbol{\beta}^{*}\|_{2}^{2}.$$
(9)

Before considering the upper bound of $\sum_{t=1}^{T} \|f'_t(\boldsymbol{\beta}_t)\|^2_{\Psi_t^*}$, we need to derive the upper bound of \mathbf{H}_t^{-1} .

Let the SVD of \mathbf{S}_t^{\top} be $\mathbf{S}_t^{\top} = \mathbf{U} \Sigma \mathbf{V}^{\top}$ where $\mathbf{U} \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d}, \Sigma \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d}, \mathbf{V} \in \mathbb{R}^{t \times d}$. We also have, for all t = 1, ..., T,

$$\mathbf{H}_{t} = \sigma \mathbf{I}_{d} + (\mathbf{S}_{t}^{\top} \mathbf{S}_{t})^{1/2} = \mathbf{U} \big(\sigma \mathbf{I}_{d} + (\Sigma \Sigma)^{1/2} \big) \mathbf{U}^{\top}$$
$$\succeq \mathbf{U} \big(\alpha \mathbf{I}_{d} + (\Sigma \Sigma) \big)^{1/2} \mathbf{U}^{\top} = (\alpha \mathbf{I}_{d} + \mathbf{S}_{t}^{\top} \mathbf{S}_{t})^{1/2}$$

due to $\sigma \ge \sqrt{\alpha} \ge \sqrt{\lambda_i(\mathbf{S}_t^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{S}_t) + \alpha} - \sqrt{\lambda_i(\mathbf{S}_t^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{S}_t)}$ for all $i = 1, \cdots, d$.

Then according to Corollary 2, with probability at least $1-\delta$, simultaneously for all t = 1, ..., T,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{H}_{t}^{-1} &\preceq \left((\alpha \mathbf{I}_{d} + \mathbf{S}_{t}^{\top} \mathbf{S}_{t})^{1/2} \right)^{-1} = \left((\mathbf{K}_{t}^{1/2} \tilde{\mathbf{I}}_{t} \mathbf{K}_{t}^{1/2})^{-1} \right)^{1/2} \\ &\preceq \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \epsilon}} (\mathbf{K}_{t}^{-1})^{1/2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \epsilon}} \left((\alpha \mathbf{I}_{d} + \mathbf{X}_{t})^{-1} \right)^{1/2}. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, we can get

$$\begin{split} \|f_t'(\boldsymbol{\beta}_t)\|_{\Psi_t^*}^2 &= 2\left\langle \mathbf{g}_t, \mathbf{H}_t^{-1}\mathbf{g}_t \right\rangle \leq \frac{2}{\sqrt{1-\epsilon}} \left\langle \mathbf{g}_t, \left((\alpha \mathbf{I}_d + \mathbf{X}_t)^{-1} \right)^{1/2} \mathbf{g}_t \right\rangle \\ &= \frac{2l'(\boldsymbol{\beta}_t^\top \mathbf{x}_t)^2}{\sqrt{1-\epsilon}} \left\langle \mathbf{x}_t, (\mathbf{X}_t^\dagger)^{1/2} \mathbf{x}_t \right\rangle. \end{split}$$

According to Lemma 2, we have

$$\sum_{t=1}^{T} \|f_t'(\boldsymbol{\beta}_t)\|_{\Psi_t^*}^2 \leq \frac{2}{\sqrt{1-\epsilon}} \max_{t\leq T} l'(\boldsymbol{\beta}_t^{\top} \mathbf{x}_t)^2 \sum_{t=1}^{T} \left\langle \mathbf{x}_t, (\mathbf{X}_t^{\dagger})^{1/2} \mathbf{x}_t \right\rangle$$

$$\leq \frac{4}{\sqrt{1-\epsilon}} \max_{t\leq T} l'(\boldsymbol{\beta}_t^{\top} \mathbf{x}_t)^2 \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{X}_T^{1/2}).$$
(10)

We complete the proof by substituting (8), (9), and (10) into Lemma 1.

A.4 Proof of Corollary 1

Let $C_t = U\Sigma V^{\top}$ be the singular value decomposition of C_t . Notice that $U \in \mathbb{R}^{t \times r}, \Sigma V^{\top} \in \mathbb{R}^{r \times d}$. According to Theorem 3, we have if $\tau = \Theta(\frac{r + \log(1/\delta)}{\epsilon^2})$, then simultaneously $\forall \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^r$, with probability $1 - \delta$,

$$(1-\epsilon) \| \mathbf{U} \mathbf{x} \|_{2}^{2} \le \| \mathbf{R}_{t} \mathbf{U} \mathbf{x} \|_{2}^{2} \le (1+\epsilon) \| \mathbf{U} \mathbf{x} \|_{2}^{2}$$

Let $\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^d$ be arbitrary vector, then $C_t \mathbf{y} = U \Sigma V^\top \mathbf{y} = U \mathbf{x}$ where $\mathbf{x} = \Sigma V^\top \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^r$.

Then we have

$$\mathbf{y}^{\top} \mathbf{S}_{t}^{\top} \mathbf{S}_{t} \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{y}^{\top} \mathbf{C}_{t}^{\top} \mathbf{R}_{t}^{\top} \mathbf{R}_{t} \mathbf{C}_{t} \mathbf{y} = \|\mathbf{R}_{t} \mathbf{U} \mathbf{x}\|_{2}^{2} \le (1+\epsilon) \|\mathbf{U} \mathbf{x}\|_{2}^{2} = (1+\epsilon) \mathbf{y}^{\top} \mathbf{C}_{t}^{\top} \mathbf{C}_{t} \mathbf{y}$$

and

$$\mathbf{y}^{\top} \mathbf{S}_t^{\top} \mathbf{S}_t \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{y}^{\top} \mathbf{C}_t^{\top} \mathbf{R}_t^{\top} \mathbf{R}_t \mathbf{C}_t \mathbf{y} = \|\mathbf{R}_t \mathbf{U} \mathbf{x}\|_2^2 \ge (1-\epsilon) \|\mathbf{U} \mathbf{x}\|_2^2 = (1-\epsilon) \mathbf{y}^{\top} \mathbf{C}_t^{\top} \mathbf{C}_t \mathbf{y}.$$

Then, we have $(1-\epsilon)C_t^{\top}C_t \leq S_t^{\top}S_t \leq (1+\epsilon)C_t^{\top}C_t$ with probability $1-\delta$, provided $\tau = \Omega(\frac{r+\log(1/\delta)}{\epsilon^2})$. Using the union bound, we have if $\tau = \Omega(\frac{r+\log(T/\delta)}{\epsilon^2})$, with probability $1-\delta$, simultaneously for all t = 1, ..., T,

$$(1-\epsilon)\mathbf{C}_t^{\top}\mathbf{C}_t \leq \mathbf{S}_t^{\top}\mathbf{S}_t \leq (1+\epsilon)\mathbf{C}_t^{\top}\mathbf{C}_t.$$

A.5 Proof of Corollary 2

Let the SVD of C_t^{\top} be $C_t^{\top} = U\Sigma V^{\top}$ where $U \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d}, \Sigma \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d}, V \in \mathbb{R}^{t \times d}$. Then we have $K_t = U(\alpha I_d + \Sigma\Sigma^{\top})U^{\top}$ and

$$\begin{split} \tilde{\mathbf{I}}_t &= \mathbf{K}_t^{-1/2} \tilde{\mathbf{K}}_t \mathbf{K}_t^{-1/2} = \mathbf{K}_t^{-1/2} (\alpha \mathbf{I}_d + \mathbf{C}_t^\top \mathbf{R}_t^\top \mathbf{R}_t \mathbf{C}_t) \mathbf{K}_t^{-1/2} \\ &= \mathbf{U} \Big(\alpha \mathbf{I}_d (\alpha \mathbf{I}_d + \Sigma \Sigma)^{-1} + (\alpha \mathbf{I}_p + \Sigma \Sigma)^{-1/2} \Sigma \mathbf{V}^\top \mathbf{R}_t^\top \mathbf{R}_t \mathbf{V} \Sigma (\alpha \mathbf{I}_d + \Sigma \Sigma^\top)^{-1/2} \Big) \mathbf{U}^\top \\ &= \mathbf{U} \Big(\alpha \mathbf{I}_d (\alpha \mathbf{I}_d + \Sigma \Sigma)^{-1} + (\alpha \mathbf{I}_p + \Sigma \Sigma)^{-1/2} \Sigma \mathbf{R} \mathbf{R}^\top \Sigma (\alpha \mathbf{I}_d + \Sigma \Sigma^\top)^{-1/2} \Big) \mathbf{U}^\top \end{split}$$

where $\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{V}^{\top} \mathbf{R}_t^{\top} \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times \tau}$ is a Gaussian random matrix due to that V is an orthogonal matrix and \mathbf{R}_t^{\top} is a Gaussian random matrix.

Let $c_i^2 = \frac{\alpha}{\alpha + \sigma_{ti}^2}$ and $s_i^2 = \frac{\sigma_{ti}^2}{\alpha + \sigma_{ti}^2}$. Then according to Theorem 4, with probability at least $1 - \delta$,

$$(1-\epsilon)\mathbf{I}_d \preceq \tilde{\mathbf{I}}_t \preceq (1+\epsilon)\mathbf{I}_d$$

provided $\tau \geq \frac{\tilde{r}_t \sigma_{t1}^2}{c\epsilon^2(\alpha + \sigma_{t1}^2)} \log \frac{2d}{\delta}$ where the constant *c* is at least 1/32. Using the union bound, we complete the proof.