

A Supplementary Materials

All our proofs follow the framework of Dai et al (2014).

Lemma 5.2

Proof: Denote $V_i(x) = V_i(x; \mathcal{D}^i, r^i, \omega^i) := [v_t^i \zeta_{r_i, i}(x) - v_t^i \xi_{r_i, i}(x)]$. We have

$$\begin{aligned} |V_i(x)| &\leq |v_t^i| \phi M + |\hat{v}_t^i| \kappa M = \\ |a_t^i| \left[\frac{\phi M}{\psi_i} + \frac{\kappa M}{\hat{\psi}_i} \right] &\leq |a_t^i| (\kappa + \phi) M \end{aligned}$$

The last inequality is because $\psi_i \geq 1, \hat{\psi}_i \geq 1$. The rest of the proofs can follow Dai et al (2014) Lemma 7. \square

Lemma 5.3

Proof: Now define:

$$g_t := l'(F_t(x_t), y_t) k_{r_t}(x_t, \cdot) + \nu \hat{\psi}_t h_{r_t, t} \quad (32)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{g}_t &:= \nabla R_t(h_{r_t}) = \hat{\xi}_{r_t, t} + \nu \hat{\psi}_t h_{r_t, t} \\ &= l'(H_t(x_t), y_t) k_{r_t}(x_t, \cdot) + \nu \hat{\psi}_t h_{r_t, t} \end{aligned} \quad (33)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{g}_t &:= \mathbb{E}_{D_t}[\nabla R_t(h_{r_t})] = \mathbb{E}_{D_t}[\hat{g}_t] \\ &= \mathbb{E}_{D_t}[l'(H_t(x_t), y_t) k_{r_t}(x_t, \cdot)] + \nu \hat{\psi}_t h_{r_t, t} \end{aligned} \quad (34)$$

Denote $A_t = \|H_t - F_*\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2$. We have $A_{t+1} =$

$$\begin{aligned} \|H_t - F_* - \eta_t g_t\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2 &= A_t + \eta_t^2 \|g_t\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2 - 2\eta_t \langle H_t - F_*, g_t \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} \\ &= A_t + \eta_t^2 \|g_t\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2 - 2\eta_t \langle H_t - F_*, \bar{g}_t \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} \\ &\quad + 2\eta_t \langle H_t - F_*, \bar{g}_t - \hat{g}_t \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} + 2\eta_t \langle H_t - F_*, \hat{g}_t - g_t \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} \end{aligned} \quad (35)$$

Since (11) is $\frac{\nu(p-1)}{2p}$ -strongly convex, the optimality condition gives:

$$\langle H_t - F_*, \bar{g}_t \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} \geq \frac{\nu(p-1)}{2p} \|H_t - F_*\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2 \quad (36)$$

thus, $A_{t+1} \leq$

$$\begin{aligned} \left(1 - \frac{\eta_t \nu(p-1)}{p}\right) A_t + \eta_t^2 \|g_t\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2 - 2\eta_t \langle H_t - F_*, \bar{g}_t \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} \\ + 2\eta_t \langle H_t - F_*, \bar{g}_t - \hat{g}_t \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} + 2\eta_t \langle H_t - F_*, \hat{g}_t - g_t \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} \end{aligned} \quad (37)$$

denote

$$\mathcal{M}_t = \|g_t\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2 \quad (38)$$

$$\mathcal{N}_t = \langle H_t - F_*, \bar{g}_t - \hat{g}_t \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} \quad (39)$$

$$\mathcal{R}_t = \langle H_t - F_*, \hat{g}_t - g_t \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} \quad (40)$$

which will be separately bounded in the Lemma A.1. Denote $e_t = \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^{t-1}, r^{t-1}, \omega^{t-1}}[A_t]$, using the bounds derived in Lemma A.1, we have

$$\begin{aligned} e_{t+1} &\leq \left(1 - \frac{\eta_t \nu(p-1)}{p}\right) e_t + \kappa M^2 \gamma_t^2 (1 + \nu c_t)^2 \\ &\quad + 2\gamma_t \kappa^{1/2} L B_{1,t} \sqrt{e_t} \end{aligned} \quad (41)$$

Applying $|a_t^i| \leq \frac{\theta}{t}$ (Lemma 8(1) in Dai et al (2014)). We have $c_t =$

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{\sum_{i,j \in I^{t-1}(r_t)} |\hat{v}_{t-1}^i| |\hat{v}_{t-1}^j|} &= \sqrt{\sum_{i,j \in I^{t-1}(r_t)} \frac{|a_{t-1}^i| |a_{t-1}^j|}{\hat{\psi}_i \hat{\psi}_j}} \\ &\leq \sqrt{\left(\frac{\theta}{t-1}\right)^2 \sum_{i,j \in I^{t-1}(r_t)} \frac{1}{\hat{\psi}_i \hat{\psi}_j}} \\ &\leq \sqrt{\left(\frac{\theta}{t-1}\right)^2 \cdot [C^{t-1}(r_t)]^2} = \theta \frac{C^{t-1}(r_t)}{t-1} \leq \theta \end{aligned} \quad (42)$$

where we have used the fact that $\hat{\psi}_i \geq 1$, and $\sum_{i \in I^{t-1}(r_t)} 1 = C^{t-1}(r_t)$, i.e., the number of iterations up to $t-1$ that kernel r_t gets selected.

From Lemma 5.2 and $\sum_{i=1}^t |a_t^i|^2 \leq \frac{\theta^2}{t}$ (Lemma 8(1) in Dai et al (2014)), we have

$$B_{1,t}^2 \leq 4M^2 (\kappa + \phi)^2 \frac{\theta^2}{t-1} \quad (43)$$

Plug it into (37) together with

$$\frac{\gamma_t}{C_q} \leq \eta_t \leq \gamma_t = \frac{\theta}{t} \quad (44)$$

leads to

$$\begin{aligned} e_{t+1} &\leq \left(1 - \frac{2\nu'\theta}{t}\right) e_t + \kappa M^2 \left(\frac{\theta}{t}\right)^2 (1 + \nu\theta)^2 \\ &\quad + 2\kappa^{1/2} L \frac{\theta}{t} \sqrt{4M^2 (\kappa + \phi)^2 \frac{\theta^2}{t-1}} \sqrt{e_t} \end{aligned} \quad (45)$$

where $\nu' = \frac{\nu(p-1)}{2pC_q}$ further rewritten as

$$e_{t+1} \leq \left(1 - 2\frac{\nu'\theta}{t}\right) e_t + \frac{\beta_2}{t^2} + \frac{\beta_1}{t} \sqrt{\frac{e_t}{t}} \quad (46)$$

with $\beta_1 = 4\sqrt{2}\kappa^{1/2}LM(\kappa + \phi)\theta^2$, $\beta_2 = \kappa M^2(1 + \nu\theta)^2\theta^2$.

Using Lemma 14 of Dai et al (2014), we have

$$e_t \leq \frac{R}{t} \quad (47)$$

where $R = \max\{\|F_*\|_{\mathcal{H}}, R_0^2\}$,

$$R_0 = \frac{Q_0 + \sqrt{Q_0^2 + (2\nu'\theta - 1)\kappa M^2(1 + \nu\theta)^2(\theta)^2}}{(2\nu'\theta - 1)}$$

where $Q_0 = 2\sqrt{2}\kappa^{1/2}LM(\kappa + \phi)\theta^2$. \square

The following is an auxiliary lemma used in the above proof, which follows the logic flow of Lemma 10 in Dai et al (2014).

Lemma A.1 (1) $\eta_t^2 \mathcal{M}_t \leq \kappa M^2(1 + \nu c_t)^2$ where $c_t = \sqrt{\sum_{i,j \in I^{t-1}(r_t)} |\hat{v}_{t-1}^i| |\hat{v}_{t-1}^j|}$ for $t \geq 2$ and $\forall r, c_1(r) = 0$;
(2) $\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t, r^t, \omega^t} [\eta_t \mathcal{N}_t] \leq 0$;
(3) $\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t, r^t, \omega^t} [\eta_t \mathcal{R}_t] \leq \kappa^{1/2} L B_{1,t} \sqrt{\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^{t-1}, \omega^{t-1}} [A_t]}$, where $B_{1,t}^2 := 4M^2(\kappa + \phi)^2 \sum_{i=1}^{t-1} |\hat{a}_t^i|^2$ for $t \geq 2$ and $B_{1,1} = 0$;

Proof: (1) $\mathcal{M}_t = \|g_t\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2 = \|\xi_{r_t, t} + \nu \hat{\psi}_t h_{r_t, t}\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2$
 $\leq (\|\xi_{r_t, t}\|_{\mathcal{H}} + \nu \hat{\psi}_t \|h_{r_t, t}\|_{\mathcal{H}})^2$

where

$$\|\xi_{r_t, t}\|_{\mathcal{H}} = \|l'(F_t(x_t), y_t) k_{r_t}(x_t, \cdot)\|_{\mathcal{H}} \leq \kappa^{1/2} M$$

and $\|h_{r_t, t}\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2$ equals

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\langle \sum_{i \in I^{t-1}(r_t)} \hat{u}_{t-1}^i(r_t) \xi_{r_t, i}(\cdot), \sum_{j \in I^{t-1}(r_t)} \hat{u}_{t-1}^j(r_t) \xi_{r_t, i}(\cdot) \right\rangle_{\mathcal{H}} \\ &= \sum_{i \in I^{t-1}(r_t)} \sum_{j \in I^{t-1}(r_t)} \left[\hat{u}_{t-1}^i(r_t) \hat{u}_{t-1}^j(r_t) \cdot \right. \\ & \quad \left. l' \left(\sum_{s=1}^m f_s(x_i), y_i \right) l' \left(\sum_{s=1}^m f_s(x_j), y_j \right) k_{r_t}(x_i, x_j) \right] \\ & \leq \kappa M^2 \sum_{i \in I^{t-1}(r_t)} \sum_{j \in I^{t-1}(r_t)} |\hat{u}_{t-1}^i(r_t)| \cdot |\hat{u}_{t-1}^j(r_t)| \\ & = \kappa M^2 \sum_{i \in I^{t-1}(r_t)} \sum_{j \in I^{t-1}(r_t)} |\hat{v}_{t-1}^i| |\hat{v}_{t-1}^j| \end{aligned}$$

thus

$$\begin{aligned} \eta_t^2 \mathcal{M}_t & \leq \kappa M^2 \eta_t^2 (1 + \nu \hat{\psi}_t c_t)^2 \\ & = \kappa M^2 (\eta_t + \nu \gamma_t c_t)^2 \leq \gamma_t^2 \kappa M^2 (1 + \nu c_t) \end{aligned}$$

(2) because $\mathcal{N}_t = \langle H_t - F_*, \bar{g}_t - \hat{g}_t \rangle_{\mathcal{H}}$, thus

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t, r^t, \omega^t} [\eta_t \mathcal{N}_t] \leq \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t, r^t, \omega^t} [\gamma_t \mathcal{N}_t] \\ & \leq \gamma_t \cdot \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^{t-1}, r^t, \omega^t} \left[\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t} [\langle H_t - F_*, \bar{g}_t - \hat{g}_t \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} | \mathcal{D}^{t-1}, r^t, \omega^t] \right] \\ & = \gamma_t \cdot \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^{t-1}, r^t, \omega^t} \left[\langle H_t - F_*, \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t} [\bar{g}_t - \hat{g}_t] \rangle_{\mathcal{H}} | \mathcal{D}^{t-1}, r^t, \omega^t \right] \\ & = 0 \end{aligned}$$

(3) because $\mathcal{R}_t = \langle H_t - F_*, \hat{g}_t - g_t \rangle_{\mathcal{H}}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t, r^t, \omega^t} [\mathcal{R}_t] = \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t, r^t, \omega^t} [\langle H_t - F_*, \hat{g}_t - g_t \rangle_{\mathcal{H}}] \\ & = \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t, r^t, \omega^t} [\langle H_t - F_*, [l'(F_t(x_t), y_t) \\ & \quad - l'(H_t(x_t), y_t)] k_{r_t}(x_t, \cdot) \rangle_{\mathcal{H}}] \\ & \leq \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t, r^t, \omega^t} [|l'(F_t(x_t), y_t) - l'(H_t(x_t), y_t)| \\ & \quad \cdot \|k_{r_t}(x_t, \cdot)\|_{\mathcal{H}} \cdot \|H_t - F_*\|_{\mathcal{H}}] \\ & \leq \kappa^{1/2} L \cdot \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t, r^t, \omega^t} [|F_t(x_t) - H_t(x_t)| \cdot \|H_t - F_*\|_{\mathcal{H}}] \\ & \leq \kappa^{1/2} L \sqrt{\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t, r^t, \omega^t} |F_t(x_t) - H_t(x_t)|^2} \\ & \quad \cdot \sqrt{\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t, r^t, \omega^t} \|H_t - F_*\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2} \\ & = \kappa^{1/2} L B_{1,t} \sqrt{\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^{t-1}, r^{t-1}, \omega^{t-1}} \|A_t\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2} \end{aligned}$$

1st and 3rd inequalities: Cauchy-Schwarz;

2nd inequality: L-Lipschitz of $l'(\cdot, \cdot)$ and $\|k_{r_t}(x_t, \cdot)\|_{\mathcal{H}} = \|k_{r_t}(x_t, \cdot)\|_{\mathcal{H}_r} \leq \kappa$

last step: due to Lemma 5.2 and definition of A_t . Thus

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t, r^t, \omega^t} [\eta_t \mathcal{R}_t] \leq \gamma_t \mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^t, r^t, \omega^t} [\mathcal{R}_t] \\ & \leq \gamma_t \kappa^{1/2} L B_{1,t} \sqrt{\mathbb{E}_{\mathcal{D}^{t-1}, r^{t-1}, \omega^{t-1}} \|A_t\|_{\mathcal{H}}^2} \end{aligned} \quad (48)$$

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