

## List of proofs

*Proof of Lemma 1.* First, note that

$$\mathbf{E} [\|GX\|_1^2] = \mathbf{E} \left[ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \|g_i\|_\infty |\hat{g}_i^H X| \right)^2 \right],$$

where  $g_i$  is the  $i$ th column of  $G$  and  $\hat{g}_i = g_i / \|g_i\|_\infty$ . Using the condition  $\|G\|_{\infty,*} \leq 1$  and Jensen's inequality, we find that

$$\mathbf{E} [\|GX\|_1^2] \leq \sum_{i=1}^n \|g_i\|_\infty \mathbf{E} [|\hat{g}_i^H X|^2] \leq \|X\|^2.$$

The other inequality follows by noting that for any  $f \in \mathbb{C}^n$  with  $\|f\|_\infty \leq 1$ , the matrix  $G$  with first row equal to  $f^H$  and all other rows zero satisfies the constraint  $\|G\|_{\infty,*} \leq 1$ . That (26) is the dual norm of the  $\infty$ -norm follows from straightforward verification, or see [27, Proposition 7.2].  $\square$

*Proof of Lemma 2.* The result holds in  $n = 1$  dimensions. Suppose that the result holds in  $n - 1$  dimensions. We will show that it must also therefore hold in  $n$  dimensions and conclude, by induction, that the result holds in any dimension.

Let  $\tilde{A}$  be the  $(n - 1) \times (n - 1)$  principle submatrix of an  $n \times n$  matrix  $A$ . For any vector  $f \in \mathbb{C}^n$  we can write

$$\begin{aligned} f^H A f &= \sum_{i=1}^n |f_i|^2 A_{ii} + 2\Re \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \bar{f}_i A_{ij} f_j \right] \\ &= \tilde{f}^H \tilde{A} \tilde{f} + |f_n|^2 A_{nn} + 2\Re \left[ \bar{f}_n \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} A_{nj} \tilde{f}_j \right], \end{aligned}$$

where  $\tilde{f} \in \mathbb{C}^{n-1}$  has entries equal to the first  $n - 1$  entries of  $f$ .

By the induction hypothesis, we can choose the first  $n - 1$  entries of  $f$  (i.e.,  $\tilde{f}$ ) so that the right-hand side of the last display is not less than

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} A_{ii} + |f_n|^2 A_{nn} + 2\Re \left[ \bar{f}_n \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} A_{nj} \tilde{f}_j \right].$$

If, for this choice of  $\tilde{f}$ ,  $\sum_{j=1}^{n-1} A_{nj} \tilde{f}_j$  is nonzero, then choose  $f_n$  as

$$f_n = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^{n-1} A_{nj} \tilde{f}_j}{\left| \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} A_{nj} \tilde{f}_j \right|}.$$

Otherwise set  $f_n = 1$ . With the resulting choice of  $f_n$ ,

$$|f_n|^2 A_{nn} + 2\Re \left[ \bar{f}_n \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} A_{nj} \tilde{f}_j \right] \geq A_{nn}.$$

We have therefore shown that

$$\sup_{\|f\|_\infty \leq 1} f^H A f \geq \sum_{i=1}^n A_{ii}. \quad \square$$

*Proof of Theorem 1.* Let  $V_t^m$  be generated by (11). Let  $Y_t^m = \Phi_t^m(V_t^m)$  and notice that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{U}(V_t^m) &= \mathcal{U}(\mathcal{M}(Y_{t-1}^m)) \\ &\leq R + \alpha \mathcal{U}(V_{t-1}^m) + \alpha (\mathcal{U}(Y_{t-1}^m) - \mathcal{U}(V_{t-1}^m)). \end{aligned}$$

Using the fact that  $\mathcal{U}$  is twice differentiable with bounded second derivative, this last expression is bounded above by

$$\mathcal{U}(V_t^m) \leq R + \alpha \mathcal{U}(V_{t-1}^m) + \alpha \nabla \mathcal{U}(V_{t-1}^m) (Y_{t-1}^m - V_{t-1}^m) + \frac{\alpha \sigma}{2} \|G(Y_{t-1}^m - V_{t-1}^m)\|_1^2.$$

Taking the expectation and using (30) yields

$$\mathbf{E} [\mathcal{U}(V_t^m)] \leq R + \alpha \mathbf{E} [\mathcal{U}(V_{t-1}^m)] + \frac{\alpha \sigma}{2} \mathbf{E} [\|G(Y_{t-1}^m - V_{t-1}^m)\|_1^2].$$

An application of Lemma 1 reveals that

$$\mathbf{E} [\|G(Y_{t-1}^m - V_{t-1}^m)\|_1^2] \leq \|Y_{t-1}^m - V_{t-1}^m\|^2.$$

As a consequence, noting (28), we arrive at the upper bound

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E} [\mathcal{U}(V_t^m)] &\leq R + \alpha \mathbf{E} [\mathcal{U}(V_{t-1}^m)] + \frac{\alpha\gamma^2\sigma}{2m} \mathbf{E} [\|V_{t-1}^m\|_1^2] \\ &\leq R + \alpha \left(1 + \frac{\beta\gamma^2\sigma}{2m}\right) \mathbf{E} [\mathcal{U}(V_{t-1}^m)], \end{aligned}$$

from which we can conclude that

$$\mathbf{E} [\|V_t^m\|_1^2] \leq \beta \mathbf{E} [\mathcal{U}(V_t^m)] \leq \beta R \left[ \frac{1 - \alpha^t (1 + \frac{\beta\gamma^2\sigma}{2m})^t}{1 - \alpha (1 + \frac{\beta\gamma^2\sigma}{2m})} \right] + \beta \alpha^t \left(1 + \frac{\beta\gamma^2\sigma}{2m}\right)^t \mathcal{U}(V_0^m). \quad \square$$

*Proof of Theorem 2.* We begin with a standard expansion of the scheme's error.

$$\begin{aligned} \|V_t^m - v_t\| &= \left\| V_t^m - \mathcal{M}_0^t(v_0) \right\| \\ &= \left\| \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \mathcal{M}_{r+1}^t(V_{r+1}^m) - \mathcal{M}_r^t(V_r^m) \right\|. \end{aligned}$$

Now notice that if we define  $Y_r^m = \Phi_r^m(V_r^m)$ , then  $V_{r+1}^m = \mathcal{M}(Y_r^m)$  and the last equation becomes

$$\|V_t^m - v_t\| = \left\| \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) - \mathcal{M}_r^t(V_r^m) \right\|.$$

The right-hand side of the last equation is bounded above by

$$\left\| \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) - \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) | V_r^m] \right\| + \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \left\| \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) | V_r^m] - \mathcal{M}_r^t(V_r^m) \right\|.$$

Considering the first term in the last display, note that, for any fixed  $f \in \mathbb{C}^n$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E} \left[ |f^H \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} (\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) - \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) | V_r^m])|^2 \right] &= \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \mathbf{E} \left[ |f^H (\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) - \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) | V_r^m])|^2 \right] \\ &\quad + 2 \sum_{s=0}^{t-1} \sum_{r=s+1}^{t-1} \Re \left\{ \mathbf{E} \left[ (f^H (\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) - \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) | V_r^m])) \times \overline{(f^H (\mathcal{M}_s^t(Y_s) - \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_s^t(Y_s) | V_s^m]))} \right] \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

Letting  $\mathcal{F}_r$  denote the  $\sigma$ -algebra generated by  $\{V_s^m\}_{s=0}^r$  and  $\{Y_r^m\}_{s=0}^{r-1}$ , for  $s < r$  we can write

$$\begin{aligned} &\mathbf{E} \left[ (f^H (\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) - \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) | V_r^m])) \times \overline{(f^H (\mathcal{M}_s^t(Y_s) - \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_s^t(Y_s) | V_s^m]))} \right] \\ &= \mathbf{E} \left[ \mathbf{E} [f^H (\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) - \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) | V_r^m]) | \mathcal{F}_r] \times \overline{(f^H (\mathcal{M}_s^t(Y_s) - \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_s^t(Y_s) | V_s^m]))} \right]. \end{aligned}$$

Because, conditioned on  $V_r^m$ ,  $Y_r^m$  is independent of  $\mathcal{F}_r$ , the expression above vanishes exactly.

Supremizing over the choice of  $f$ , we have shown that

$$\|V_t^m - v_t\| \leq \left( \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \left\| \mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) - \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) | V_r^m] \right\|^2 \right)^{1/2} + \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \left\| \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) | V_r^m] - \mathcal{M}_r^t(V_r^m) \right\|.$$

Expanding the term inside of the square root, we find that

$$\begin{aligned} \|V_t^m - v_t\| &\leq \left( \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \left( \left\| \mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) - \mathcal{M}_r^t(V_r^m) \right\| + \left\| \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) | V_r^m] - \mathcal{M}_r^t(V_r^m) \right\| \right)^2 \right)^{1/2} \\ &\quad + \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \left\| \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) | V_r^m] - \mathcal{M}_r^t(V_r^m) \right\| \\ &\leq \left( \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \left\| \mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) - \mathcal{M}_r^t(V_r^m) \right\|^2 \right)^{1/2} + \left( \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \left\| \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) | V_r^m] - \mathcal{M}_r^t(V_r^m) \right\|^2 \right)^{1/2} \\ &\quad + \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \left\| \mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) | V_r^m] - \mathcal{M}_r^t(V_r^m) \right\|, \end{aligned}$$

where, in the second inequality, we have used the triangle inequality for the  $\ell^2$ -norm in  $\mathbb{R}^t$ . Noting that  $\mathbf{E}[A(V_r^m)(Y_r - V_r^m) | V_r^m] = 0$  yields

$$\mathbf{E}[\mathcal{M}_r^t(Y_r) | V_r^m] - \mathcal{M}_r^t(V_r^m) = \mathbf{E}[(\mathcal{M}_r^t - A_r)(Y_r) | V_r^m] - (\mathcal{M}_r^t - A_r)(V_r^m).$$

As a consequence, applying our assumptions (31) and (32), we obtain the upper bound

$$\|V_t^m - v_t\| \leq (L_1 + L_2) \left( \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \alpha^{2(t-r)} \left\| \Phi_r^m(V_r^m) - V_r^m \right\|^2 \right)^{1/2} + L_2 \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \alpha^{t-r} \left\| \Phi_r^m(V_r^m) - V_r^m \right\|^2.$$

Bounding the error from the random compressions, we arrive at the error bound

$$\|V_t^m - v_t\| \leq \frac{\gamma(L_1 + L_2)}{\sqrt{m}} \left( \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \alpha^{2(t-r)} \mathbf{E} [\|V_r^m\|_1^2] \right)^{1/2} + \frac{\gamma^2 L_2}{m} \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \alpha^{t-r} \mathbf{E} [\|V_r^m\|_1^2]. \quad \square$$

*Proof of Corollary 1.* We have already seen that when  $\mathcal{M}(v) = Kv$  we can take  $\alpha = \|K\|_1$  in the statement of Theorem 2 to verify conditions (31) and (32). We have also commented above that when  $K$  is nonnegative, the quantities  $\mathbf{E} [\|V_r^m\|_1^2]$  can be bounded independently of  $n$ .

When  $\mathcal{M}(v) = Kv/\|Kv\|_1$ , bounding the size of the iterates is not an issue, but it becomes slightly more difficult to verify (31) and (32). That  $K$  is aperiodic and irreducible implies that the dominant left and right eigenvectors,  $v_L$  and  $v_R$ , of  $K$  are unique and have all positive entries. Because power iteration is invariant to scalar multiples of  $K$  we can assume that the dominant eigenvalue of  $K$  is 1. We will assume that  $v_L$  is normalized so that  $\|v_L\|_\infty = 1$  and that  $v_R$  is normalized so that  $v_L^\top v_R = 1$ . Let  $D$  be the diagonal matrix with  $D_{ii} = (v_L)_i$  (i.e.,  $D\mathbb{1} = v_L$ ). Our matrix  $K$  can be written  $K = D^{-1}SD$  where  $S$  is an aperiodic, irreducible, column-stochastic matrix. Let

$$\tilde{K} = K - v_R v_L^\top = D^{-1}SPD,$$

where we have defined the projection  $P = I - Dv_R\mathbb{1}^\top$ . Note that  $\|P\|_1 \leq 2$  and that  $PSP = SP$  so that for any positive integer  $r$ ,  $\tilde{K}^r = D^{-1}S^rPD$ . Letting

$$C = \frac{1}{\min_j \{(v_L)_j\}} \geq 1$$

we find that, for any positive integer  $r$ ,

$$\|\tilde{K}^r\|_1 \leq \|D^{-1}\|_1 \|D\|_1 \|S^r P\|_1 \leq 2C \sup_{\substack{\|v\|_1=1 \\ \mathbb{1}^\top v=0}} \|S^r v\|_1 \leq 2C \alpha^r$$

where

$$\alpha = \sup_{\substack{\|v\|_1=1 \\ \mathbb{1}^\top v=0}} \|Sv\|_1$$

Aperiodicity and irreducibility of  $S$  implies that  $\alpha < 1$ . We also have that

$$\sup_{v_L^\top v=1} \|K^r v\|_1 \leq C \quad \text{and} \quad \inf_{\substack{v_L^\top v=1 \\ v_j \geq 0}} \|K^r v\|_1 \geq 1.$$

Now let  $u$  and  $v$  be any two non-negative vectors normalized so that  $v_L^\top u = v_L^\top v = 1$  and, for  $\theta \in [0, 1]$ , define  $w_\theta = (1 - \theta)u + \theta v$ . Note that  $w_\theta$  also has non-negative entries and that  $v_L^\top w_\theta = 1$ . For any fixed  $f \in \mathbb{R}^n$  with  $\|f\|_\infty \leq 1$ , define the function

$$\varphi_r(u, v; \theta) = \frac{f^\top K^r w_\theta}{\|K^r w_\theta\|_1} - \frac{f^\top K^r u}{\|K^r u\|_1}.$$

Our goal is to establish bounds on

$$\varphi_r(u, v; 1) = \frac{f^\top K^r v}{\|K^r v\|_1} - \frac{f^\top K^r u}{\|K^r u\|_1}.$$

To that end note that

$$\frac{d}{d\theta} \varphi_r(u, v; \theta) = \frac{f^\top K^r (v - u)}{\|K^r w_\theta\|_1} - \frac{(f^\top K^r w_\theta)(\mathbb{1}^\top K^r (v - u))}{\|K^r w_\theta\|_1^2}$$

and

$$\frac{d^2}{d\theta^2} \varphi_r(u, v; \theta) = -2 \frac{(f^\top K^r (v - u))(\mathbb{1}^\top K^r (v - u))}{\|K^r w_\theta\|_1^2} + 2 \frac{(f^\top K^r w_\theta)(\mathbb{1}^\top K^r (v - u))^2}{\|K^r w_\theta\|_1^3}.$$

Observing that  $K^r(v - u) = \tilde{K}^r(v - u)$ , and applying our bounds we find that

$$\begin{aligned} |\varphi_r(u, v; 1)| &\leq \max_{\theta} \left| \frac{d}{d\theta} \varphi_r(u, v; \theta) \right| \\ &\leq |f^\top \tilde{K}^r (v - u)| + C |\mathbb{1}^\top \tilde{K}^r (v - u)| \\ &\leq 4C^2 \alpha^r \|G(v - u)\|_1 \end{aligned} \tag{52}$$

where  $G \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  is the matrix with first row equal to  $f^\top \tilde{K}^r / \|2f^\top \tilde{K}^r\|_\infty$ , second row equal to  $\mathbb{1}^\top \tilde{K}^r / \|2\mathbb{1}^\top \tilde{K}^r\|_\infty$ , and all other entries equal to 0.

Defining the matrix valued function

$$A_r(u) = \frac{1}{\|K^r u\|_1} \left[ I - \frac{K^r u \mathbb{1}^\top}{\|K^r u\|_1} \right] K^r$$

we observe that

$$\frac{d}{d\theta} \varphi_r(u, v; 0) = f^\top A_r(u)(v - u)$$

so that

$$\begin{aligned} |\varphi_r(u, v; 1) - f^\top A_r(u)(v - u)| &\leq \frac{1}{2} \max_\theta \left| \frac{d^2}{d\theta^2} \varphi_r(u, v; \theta) \right| \\ &\leq |f^\top \tilde{K}^r(v - u)| |\mathbb{1}^\top \tilde{K}^r(v - u)| + C |\mathbb{1}^\top \tilde{K}^r(v - u)|^2 \\ &\leq 16 C^3 \alpha^{2r} \|G(v - u)\|_1^2 \end{aligned} \quad (53)$$

Expressions (52) and (53) verify the stability conditions in the statement of Theorem 2 with  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  dependent only on  $C$  yielding the first term on the right-hand side of (33). The second term follows similarly when one observes that (31) implies

$$\sup_{v, \tilde{v} \in \mathcal{X}} \frac{\|\mathcal{M}_s^r(v) - \mathcal{M}_s^r(\tilde{v})\|_1}{\|v - \tilde{v}\|_1} \leq L_1 \alpha^{r-s}.$$

□

*Proof of Lemma 3.* If  $Y_t^m = \Phi_t^m(V_t^m)$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E} [|f^\mathbb{H} \Phi_t^m(V_t^m) - f^\mathbb{H} V_t^m|^2 | Y_{t-1}^m] &= \mathbf{E} [|f^\mathbb{H} \Phi_t^m(Y_{t-1}^m + \varepsilon b(Y_{t-1}^m)) - f^\mathbb{H}(Y_{t-1}^m + \varepsilon b(Y_{t-1}^m))|^2 | Y_{t-1}^m] \\ &\leq \gamma_p \frac{\varepsilon}{m} \|b(Y_{t-1}^m)\|_1 \|V_t^m\|_1 \end{aligned}$$

for some constant  $C$ . Our assumed bound on the growth of  $b$  along with (29) implies that

$$\mathbf{E} [\|b(Y_{t-1}^m)\|_1^2] \leq C' (1 + \mathbf{E} [\|V_{t-1}^m\|_1^2])$$

for some constant  $C'$ . From these bounds it follows that for some constant  $\tilde{\gamma}$ ,

$$\|\Phi_t^m(V_t^m) - V_t^m\|^2 \leq \tilde{\gamma}^2 \frac{\varepsilon}{m} \sqrt{\mathbf{E} [\|V_t^m\|_1^2]} \sqrt{1 + \mathbf{E} [\|V_{t-1}^m\|_1^2]}. \quad \square$$

*Proof of Theorem 5.* By exactly the same arguments used in the proof of Theorem 2 we arrive at the bound

$$\begin{aligned} \|\|V_t^m - v_t\|\| &\leq (L_1 + L_2) \left( \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} e^{-2\beta(t-r)\varepsilon} \|\| \Phi_r^m(V_r^m) - V_r^m \|\|^2 \right)^{1/2} \\ &\quad + L_2 \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} e^{-\beta(t-r)\varepsilon} \|\| \Phi_r^m(V_r^m) - V_r^m \|\|^2. \end{aligned}$$

Bounding the error from the random compressions, we arrive at the error bound

$$\begin{aligned} \|\|V_t^m - v_t\|\| &\leq \frac{\tilde{\gamma}(L_1 + L_2)}{\sqrt{m}} \left( e^{-2\beta t \varepsilon} \mathbf{E} [\|V_0^m\|_1^2] + \varepsilon \sum_{r=1}^{t-1} e^{-2\beta(t-r)\varepsilon} \sqrt{\mathbf{E} [\|V_r^m\|_1^2]} \sqrt{1 + \mathbf{E} [\|V_{r-1}^m\|_1^2]} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\quad + \frac{\tilde{\gamma}^2 L_2}{m} \sum_{r=1}^{t-1} e^{-\beta(t-r)\varepsilon} \sqrt{\mathbf{E} [\|V_r^m\|_1^2]} \sqrt{1 + \mathbf{E} [\|V_{r-1}^m\|_1^2]}. \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

*Proof of Theorem 6.* By an argument very similar to that in the proof of Theorem 2, we arrive at the bound

$$\begin{aligned} \|\|V_t^m - v_t\|\| &\leq \left( \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \|\| \mathcal{M}_{r+1}^t(V_r^m + \varepsilon b(Y_r^m)) - \mathcal{M}_{r+1}^t(V_r^m + \varepsilon b(V_r^m)) \|\|^2 \right)^{1/2} \\ &\quad + \left( \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \|\| \mathbf{E} [\mathcal{M}_{r+1}^t(V_r^m + \varepsilon b(Y_r^m)) | V_r^m] - \mathcal{M}_{r+1}^t(V_r^m + \varepsilon b(V_r^m)) \|\|^2 \right)^{1/2} \\ &\quad + \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \|\| \mathbf{E} [\mathcal{M}_{r+1}^t(V_r^m + \varepsilon b(Y_r^m)) | V_r^m] - \mathcal{M}_{r+1}^t(V_r^m + \varepsilon b(V_r^m)) \|\|, \end{aligned}$$

which, also as in that proof, is bounded above by

$$\begin{aligned} \|\|V_t^m - v_t\|\| &\leq (L_1 + L_2) \left( \varepsilon^2 \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \alpha^{2(t-r-1)} \|\|b(Y_r^m) - b(V_r^m)\|\|^2 \right)^{1/2} \\ &\quad + L_2 \varepsilon^2 \sum_{r=0}^{t-1} \alpha^{t-r} \|\|b(Y_r^m) - b(V_r^m)\|\|^2. \end{aligned}$$

From (37) and Lemma 1 we find that

$$\|\|b(Y_r^m) - b(V_r^m)\|\| \leq L_1 \|\|Y_r^m - V_r^m\|\|.$$

The rest of the argument proceeds exactly as in the proof of Theorem 2.  $\square$

*Proof of Lemma 4.* Observe that if  $\tau_v^m > 0$ , then condition

$$\sum_{j=\ell+1}^n |v_{\sigma_j}| \leq \frac{m-\ell}{m} \|v\|_1$$

holds for  $\ell = 0$ . Assume that

$$\sum_{j=\ell}^n |v_{\sigma_j}| \leq \frac{m-\ell+1}{m} \|v\|_1$$

for some  $\ell \leq \tau_v^m$ . From the definition of  $\tau_v^m$  and the fact that  $\ell \leq \tau_v^m$ , we must also have that

$$\frac{1}{m-\ell} \sum_{j=\ell+1}^n |v_{\sigma_j}| < |v_{\sigma_{\ell+1}}|.$$

Combining the last two inequalities yields

$$\sum_{j=\ell+1}^n |v_{\sigma_j}| \leq \frac{m-\ell}{m} \|v\|_1. \quad \square$$

*Proof of Lemma 5.* First we assume that, for all  $j$ ,  $|v_j + w_j| \leq \|v + w\|/m$ . We will remove this assumption later. With this assumption in place,  $N_j \in \{0, 1\}$  and the **while** loop in Algorithm 1 is inactive so that

$$f^H \Phi_t(v + w) = \sum_{j=1}^n \bar{f}_j \frac{v_j + w_j}{|v_j + w_j|} \frac{\|v + w\|}{m} N_j,$$

$$\mathbf{E}[|f^H \Phi_t(v + w) - f^H(v + w)|^2] = \frac{\|v + w\|_1^2}{m^2} \mathbf{E} \left[ \left| \sum_{j=1}^n \bar{f}_j \frac{v_j + w_j}{|v_j + w_j|} \left( N_j - \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v + w\|_1} \right) \right|^2 \right].$$

The random variables in the sum are independent, so the last expression becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E}[|f^H \Phi_t(v + w) - f^H(v + w)|^2] &= \frac{\|v + w\|_1^2}{m^2} \sum_{j=1}^n |f_j|^2 \mathbf{E} \left[ \left| N_j - \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v + w\|_1} \right|^2 \right] \\ &\leq \frac{\|v + w\|_1^2}{m^2} \sum_{j=1}^n \mathbf{var}[N_j]. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $N_j \in \{0, 1\}$ , the expression for the variance of  $N_j$  becomes

$$\mathbf{var}[N_j] = \mathbf{E}[N_j] (1 - \mathbf{E}[N_j]) = \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v + w\|_1} \left( 1 - \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v + w\|_1} \right),$$

so that

$$\mathbf{E}[|f^H \Phi_t(v + w) - f^H(v + w)|^2] \leq \frac{\|v + w\|_1^2}{m^2} \left[ m - \left( \frac{m}{\|v + w\|_1} \right)^2 \|v + w\|_2^2 \right].$$

Because this scheme does not depend on the ordering of the entries of  $v + w$  we can assume that the entries have been ordered so that  $v_j = 0$  for  $j > m$ . In this case we can write

$$\|v + w\|_2^2 = \sum_{j=1}^m |v_j + w_j|^2 + \sum_{j=m+1}^n |w_j|^2 \geq \frac{1}{m} \left( \sum_{j=1}^m |v_j + w_j| \right)^2,$$

which then implies that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E} [ |f^{\text{H}}\Phi_t(v+w) - f^{\text{H}}(v+w)|^2 ] &\leq \frac{\|v+w\|_1^2}{m} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{\|v+w\|_1^2} \left( \|v+w\|_1 - \sum_{j=m+1}^n |w_j| \right)^2 \right) \\ &\leq \frac{2\|w\|_1\|v+w\|_1}{m}. \end{aligned}$$

We now remove the assumption that  $|v_j + w_j| \leq \|v+w\|/m$ . Let  $\sigma$  be a permutation of the indices of  $v+w$  resulting in a vector  $v_\sigma + w_\sigma$  with entries of nonincreasing magnitude. Since Algorithm 1 preserves the largest  $\tau_{v+w}^m$  entries of  $v+w$  and the remaining entries,  $v_{\sigma_j} + w_{\sigma_j}$  for  $j > \tau_{v+w}^m$ , satisfy

$$|v_{\sigma_j} + w_{\sigma_j}| \leq \frac{1}{m - \tau_{v+w}^m} \sum_{k=\tau_{v+w}^m}^n |v_{\sigma_k} + w_{\sigma_k}|,$$

we can apply the sampling error bound just proved to find that

$$\|\Phi_t(v+w) - v - w\| \leq \sqrt{2} \frac{(\sum_{j=\tau_{v+w}^m+1}^n |w_j|)^{\frac{1}{2}} (\sum_{j=\tau_{v+w}^m+1}^n |v_j + w_j|)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\sqrt{m - \tau_{v+w}^m}}.$$

An application of Lemma 4 then yields (43).

In bounding the size of  $\Phi_t^m(v+w)$  we will again assume that  $\tau_{v+w}^m = 0$  and that the entries have been ordered so that  $v_j = 0$  for  $j > m$ . The size of the resampled vector can be bounded by first noting that, since the  $N_j$  are independent and are in  $\{0, 1\}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E} \left[ \left( \sum_{j=1}^n N_j \right)^2 \right] &= \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} + 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=i+1}^n \frac{m|v_i + w_i|}{\|v+w\|_1} \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^n \left( \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} \right)^2 + 2 \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=i+1}^n \frac{m|v_i + w_i|}{\|v+w\|_1} \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} \\ &\quad + \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} - \left( \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} \right)^2 \\ &= m^2 + \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} - \left( \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} \right)^2. \end{aligned}$$

Breaking up the last sum in this expression, we find that

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} - \left( \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} \right)^2 &\leq m \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} - m \left( \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} \right)^2 \\ &\leq m \left( 1 - \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} \right) \leq \frac{m\|w\|_1}{\|v+w\|_1} \end{aligned}$$

and that

$$\sum_{j=m+1}^n \frac{m|w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} - \left( \frac{m|w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1} \right)^2 \leq \frac{m\|w\|_1}{\|v+w\|_1},$$

so that

$$\mathbf{E} \left[ \left( \sum_{j=1}^n N_j \right)^2 \right] \leq m^2 + 2 \frac{m\|w\|_1}{\|v+w\|_1}.$$

It follows then that (at least when  $\tau_{v+w}^m = 0$ )

$$\mathbf{E} [\|\Phi_t^m(v+w)\|_1^2] \leq \|v+w\|_1 + 2 \frac{\|v+w\|_1\|w\|_1}{m}.$$

Writing the corresponding formula for  $\tau_{v+w}^m > 0$  and applying Lemma 4 gives the bound in the statement of the lemma.

Finally we consider the probability of the event  $\{\Phi_t^m(v+w) = 0\}$ . If  $\tau_{v+w}^m = 0$ , then  $N_j \in \{0, 1\}$ , so that  $\mathbf{P}[N_j = 0] = 1 - m|v_j + w_j|/\|v+w\|_1$ , and, since the  $N_j$  are independent,

$$\mathbf{P}[N_j = 0 \text{ for all } j] = \prod_{j=1}^n \left(1 - \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1}\right) \leq \prod_{j \leq n, v_j \neq 0} \left(1 - \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1}\right).$$

The first product in the last display is easily seen to be bounded above by  $e^{-m}$ . The second product is maximized subject to the constraint

$$\sum_{j \leq n, v_j \neq 0} \left(1 - \frac{m|v_j + w_j|}{\|v+w\|_1}\right) \leq \frac{m\|w\|_1}{\|v+w\|_1}$$

when the terms in the product are all equal, in which case we get

$$\mathbf{P}[N_j = 0 \text{ for all } j] \leq \left(\frac{\|w\|_1}{\|v+w\|_1}\right)^m.$$

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