

### Exercise: EM for ARD

Derive the EM algorithm for fitting a linear regression model with an ARD prior. Compute the type II MLE as well as the type II MAP estimate using the priors  $\alpha_j \sim \text{Ga}(a, b)$  and  $\beta \sim \text{Ga}(c, d)$ .

Hint: the following identity should be useful

$$\Sigma \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X} = \Sigma \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X} + \beta^{-1} \Sigma \mathbf{A} - \beta^{-1} \Sigma \mathbf{A} \quad (1)$$

$$= \Sigma (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X} \beta + \mathbf{A}) \beta^{-1} - \beta^{-1} \Sigma \mathbf{A} \quad (2)$$

$$= (\mathbf{A} + \beta \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X} \beta + \mathbf{A}) \beta^{-1} - \beta^{-1} \Sigma \mathbf{A} \quad (3)$$

$$= (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A} \Sigma) \beta^{-1} \quad (4)$$