

# NAG Fortran Library Routine Document

## C06PJF

**Note:** before using this routine, please read the Users' Note for your implementation to check the interpretation of *bold italicised* terms and other implementation-dependent details.

### 1 Purpose

C06PJF computes the multi-dimensional discrete Fourier transform of a multivariate sequence of complex data values.

### 2 Specification

```
SUBROUTINE C06PJF(DIRECT, NDIM, ND, N, X, WORK, LWORK, IFAIL)
INTEGER          NDIM, ND(NDIM), N, LWORK, IFAIL
complex        X(N), WORK(LWORK)
CHARACTER*1     DIRECT
```

### 3 Description

This routine computes the multi-dimensional discrete Fourier transform of a multi-dimensional sequence of complex data values  $z_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_m}$ , where  $j_1 = 0, 1, \dots, n_1 - 1$ ,  $j_2 = 0, 1, \dots, n_2 - 1$ , and so on. Thus the individual dimensions are  $n_1, n_2, \dots, n_m$ , and the total number of data values  $n = n_1 \times n_2 \times \dots \times n_m$ .

The discrete Fourier transform is here defined (e.g., for  $m = 2$ ) by

$$\hat{z}_{k_1, k_2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sum_{j_1=0}^{n_1-1} \sum_{j_2=0}^{n_2-1} z_{j_1 j_2} \times \exp\left(\pm 2\pi i \left(\frac{j_1 k_1}{n_1} + \frac{j_2 k_2}{n_2}\right)\right),$$

where  $k_1 = 0, 1, \dots, n_1 - 1$  and  $k_2 = 0, 1, \dots, n_2 - 1$ . The plus or minus sign in the argument of the exponential terms in the above definition determine the direction of the transform: a minus sign defines the **forward** direction and a plus sign defines the **backward** direction.

The extension to higher dimensions is obvious. (Note the scale factor of  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$  in this definition.) A call of the routine with `DIRECT = 'F'` followed by a call with `DIRECT = 'B'` will restore the original data.

The data values must be supplied in a one-dimensional array in accordance with the Fortran convention for storing multi-dimensional data (i.e., with the first subscript  $j_1$  varying most rapidly).

This routine calls C06PRF to perform one-dimensional discrete Fourier transforms. Hence, the routine uses a variant of the fast Fourier transform (FFT) algorithm (Brigham (1974)) known as the Stockham self-sorting algorithm, which is described in Temperton (1983b).

### 4 References

Brigham E O (1974) *The Fast Fourier Transform* Prentice-Hall

Temperton C (1983b) Self-sorting mixed-radix fast Fourier transforms *J. Comput. Phys.* **52** 1–23

### 5 Parameters

1: DIRECT – CHARACTER\*1

*Input*

*On entry:* if the **Forward** transform as defined in Section 3 is to be computed, then DIRECT must be set equal to 'F'. If the **Backward** transform is to be computed then DIRECT must be set equal to 'B'.

*Constraint:* DIRECT = 'F' or 'B'.

- 2: NDIM – INTEGER *Input*
- 3: ND(NDIM) – INTEGER array *Input*  
*On entry:* ND( $i$ ) must contain  $n_i$  (the dimension of the  $i$ th variable), for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$ . The total number of prime factors of each ND( $i$ ), counting repetitions, must not exceed 30.  
*Constraint:* ND( $i$ )  $\geq 1$ .
- 4: N – INTEGER *Input*
- 5: X(N) – *complex* array *Input/Output*  
*On entry:* X( $1 + j_1 + n_1 j_2 + n_1 n_2 j_3 + \dots$ ) must contain the complex data value  $z_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_m}$ , for  $0 \leq j_1 \leq n_1 - 1$  and  $0 \leq j_2 \leq n_2 - 1, \dots$ ; i.e., the values are stored in consecutive elements of the array according to the Fortran convention for storing multi-dimensional arrays.  
*On exit:* the corresponding elements of the computed transform.
- 6: WORK(LWORK) – *complex* array *Workspace*
- 7: LWORK – INTEGER *Input*  
*On entry:* the dimension of the array WORK as declared in the (sub)program from which C06PJF is called.  
*Constraint:* LWORK  $\geq N + 3 \times \max(\text{ND}(i)) + 15$ , where  $i = 1, 2, \dots, \text{NDIM}$ .
- 8: IFAIL – INTEGER *Input/Output*  
*On entry:* IFAIL must be set to 0, -1 or 1. Users who are unfamiliar with this parameter should refer to Chapter P01 for details.  
*On exit:* IFAIL = 0 unless the routine detects an error (see Section 6).  
 For environments where it might be inappropriate to halt program execution when an error is detected, the value -1 or 1 is recommended. If the output of error messages is undesirable, then the value 1 is recommended. Otherwise, for users not familiar with this parameter the recommended value is 0. **When the value -1 or 1 is used it is essential to test the value of IFAIL on exit.**

## 6 Error Indicators and Warnings

If on entry IFAIL = 0 or -1, explanatory error messages are output on the current error message unit (as defined by X04AAF).

Errors or warnings detected by the routine:

IFAIL = 1

IFAIL = 2

IFAIL = 3

IFAIL = 4

IFAIL = 5

IFAIL = 6

On entry, ND(*i*) has more than 30 prime factors for some *i*.

IFAIL = 7

## 7 Accuracy

Some indication of accuracy can be obtained by performing a subsequent inverse transform and comparing the results with the original sequence (in exact arithmetic they would be identical).

## 8 Further Comments

The time taken by the routine is approximately proportional to  $n \times \log n$ , but also depends on the factorization of the individual dimensions ND(*i*). The routine is somewhat faster than average if their only prime factors are 2, 3 or 5; and fastest of all if they are powers of 2.

## 9 Example

This program reads in a bivariate sequence of complex data values and prints the two-dimensional Fourier transform. It then performs an inverse transform and prints the sequence so obtained, which may be compared to the original data values.

### 9.1 Program Text

**Note:** the listing of the example program presented below uses *bold italicised* terms to denote precision-dependent details. Please read the Users' Note for your implementation to check the interpretation of these terms. As explained in the Essential Introduction to this manual, the results produced may not be identical for all implementations.

```
*      C06PJF Example Program Text.
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*      .. Parameters ..
      INTEGER          NIN, NOUT
      PARAMETER       (NIN=5,NOUT=6)
      INTEGER          NDIM, NMAX, LWORK
      PARAMETER       (NDIM=2,NMAX=96,LWORK=4*NMAX+15)
*      .. Local Scalars ..
      INTEGER          IFAIL, N
*      .. Local Arrays ..
      complex         WORK(LWORK), X(NMAX)
      INTEGER          ND(NDIM)
*      .. External Subroutines ..
      EXTERNAL        C06PJF, READX, WRITX
*      .. Executable Statements ..
      WRITE (NOUT,*) 'C06PJF Example Program Results'
*      Skip heading in data file
      READ (NIN,*)
20    CONTINUE
      READ (NIN,*,END=40) ND(1), ND(2)
      N = ND(1)*ND(2)
      IF (N.GE.1 .AND. N.LE.NMAX) THEN
          CALL READX(NIN,X,ND(1),ND(2))
          WRITE (NOUT,*)
          WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Original data values'
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      CALL WRITX(NOUT,X,ND(1),ND(2))
      IFAIL = 0
*
*      Compute transform
      CALL C06PJF('F',NDIM,ND,N,X,WORK,LWORK,IFAIL)
*
      WRITE (NOUT,*)
      WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Components of discrete Fourier transform'
      CALL WRITX(NOUT,X,ND(1),ND(2))
*
*      Compute inverse transform
      CALL C06PJF('B',NDIM,ND,N,X,WORK,LWORK,IFAIL)
*
      WRITE (NOUT,*)
      WRITE (NOUT,*)
+      'Original sequence as restored by inverse transform'
      CALL WRITX(NOUT,X,ND(1),ND(2))
      GO TO 20
      ELSE
        WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Invalid value of N'
      END IF
40 CONTINUE
      STOP
      END
*
      SUBROUTINE READX(NIN,X,N1,N2)
*      Read 2-dimensional complex data
*      .. Scalar Arguments ..
      INTEGER      N1, N2, NIN
*      .. Array Arguments ..
*      complex      X(N1,N2)
*      .. Local Scalars ..
      INTEGER      I, J
*      .. Executable Statements ..
      DO 20 I = 1, N1
        READ (NIN,*) (X(I,J),J=1,N2)
20 CONTINUE
      RETURN
      END
*
      SUBROUTINE WRITX(NOUT,X,N1,N2)
*      Print 2-dimensional complex data
*      .. Scalar Arguments ..
      INTEGER      N1, N2, NOUT
*      .. Array Arguments ..
*      complex      X(N1,N2)
*      .. Local Scalars ..
      INTEGER      I, J
*      .. Executable Statements ..
      DO 20 I = 1, N1
        WRITE (NOUT,*)
        WRITE (NOUT,99999) (X(I,J),J=1,N2)
20 CONTINUE
      RETURN
*
99999 FORMAT (1X,7(:1X,'( ',F6.3,', ',F6.3,')')')
      END

```

## 9.2 Program Data

C06PJF Example Program Data

```

3      5
(1.000,0.000)
(0.999,-0.040)
(0.987,-0.159)
(0.936,-0.352)
(0.802,-0.597)
(0.994,-0.111)
(0.989,-0.151)
(0.963,-0.268)
(0.891,-0.454)
(0.731,-0.682)
(0.903,-0.430)
(0.885,-0.466)
(0.823,-0.568)
(0.694,-0.720)
(0.467,-0.884)

```

## 9.3 Program Results

C06PJF Example Program Results

Original data values

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( 1.000, 0.000) ( 0.999,-0.040) ( 0.987,-0.159) ( 0.936,-0.352) ( 0.802,-
0.597)
( 0.994,-0.111) ( 0.989,-0.151) ( 0.963,-0.268) ( 0.891,-0.454) ( 0.731,-
0.682)
( 0.903,-0.430) ( 0.885,-0.466) ( 0.823,-0.568) ( 0.694,-0.720) ( 0.467,-
0.884)

```

Components of discrete Fourier transform

```

( 3.373,-1.519) ( 0.481,-0.091) ( 0.251, 0.178) ( 0.054, 0.319) (-0.419,
0.415)
( 0.457, 0.137) ( 0.055, 0.032) ( 0.009, 0.039) (-0.022, 0.036) (-0.076,
0.004)
(-0.170, 0.493) (-0.037, 0.058) (-0.042, 0.008) (-0.038,-0.025) (-0.002,-
0.083)

```

Original sequence as restored by inverse transform

```

( 1.000, 0.000) ( 0.999,-0.040) ( 0.987,-0.159) ( 0.936,-0.352) ( 0.802,-
0.597)
( 0.994,-0.111) ( 0.989,-0.151) ( 0.963,-0.268) ( 0.891,-0.454) ( 0.731,-
0.682)
( 0.903,-0.430) ( 0.885,-0.466) ( 0.823,-0.568) ( 0.694,-0.720) ( 0.467,-
0.884)

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