

NAG Fortran Library Routine Document

F07GFF (DPPEQU)

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

F07GFF (DPPEQU) computes a diagonal scaling matrix S intended to equilibrate a real n by n symmetric positive-definite matrix A , stored in packed format, and reduce its condition number.

2 Specification

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SUBROUTINE F07GFF (UPLO, N, AP, S, SCOND, AMAX, INFO)
INTEGER          N, INFO
double precision AP(*), S(*), SCOND, AMAX
CHARACTER*1     UPLO
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The routine may be called by its LAPACK name *dppequ*.

3 Description

F07GFF (DPPEQU) computes a diagonal scaling matrix S chosen so that

$$s_j = 1/\sqrt{a_{jj}}.$$

This means that the matrix B given by

$$B = SAS,$$

has diagonal elements equal to unity. This in turn means that the condition number of B , $\kappa_2(B)$, is within a factor n of the matrix of smallest possible condition number over all possible choices of diagonal scalings (see Corollary 7.6 of Higham (2002)).

4 References

Higham N J (2002) *Accuracy and Stability of Numerical Algorithms* (2nd Edition) SIAM, Philadelphia

5 Parameters

- 1: UPLO – CHARACTER*1 *Input*
On entry: indicates whether the upper or lower triangular part of A is stored in the array AP, as follows:
 UPLO = 'U'
 The upper triangle of A is stored.
 UPLO = 'L'
 The lower triangle of A is stored.
Constraint: UPLO = 'U' or 'L'.
- 2: N – INTEGER *Input*
On entry: n , the order of the matrix A .
Constraint: $N \geq 0$.

3: AP(*) – *double precision* array *Input*

Note: the dimension of the array AP must be at least $\max(1, N \times N/2)$.

On entry: the upper or lower triangle of the symmetric matrix A whose scaling factors are to be computed, packed column-wise in a linear array. The j th column of A is stored in the array AP as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{if UPLO = 'U', } AP(i + (j - 1)j/2) = a_{ij} \text{ for } 1 \leq i \leq j; \\ &\text{if UPLO = 'L', } AP(i + (j - 1)(2n - j)/2) = a_{ij} \text{ for } j \leq i \leq n. \end{aligned}$$

Only the elements of AP corresponding to the diagonal elements A are referenced.

4: S(*) – *double precision* array *Output*

Note: the dimension of the array S must be at least $\max(1, N)$.

On exit: if INFO = 0 on exit, S contains the diagonal elements of the scaling matrix S .

5: SCOND – *double precision* *Output*

On exit: if INFO = 0 on exit, SCOND contains the ratio of the smallest value of $S(i)$ to the largest value of $S(i)$. If $SCOND \geq 0.1$ and AMAX is neither too large nor too small, it is not worth scaling by S .

6: AMAX – *double precision* *Output*

On exit: $\max |a_{ij}|$. If AMAX is very close to overflow or underflow, the matrix A should be scaled.

7: INFO – INTEGER *Output*

On exit: INFO = 0 unless the routine detects an error (see Section 6).

6 Error Indicators and Warnings

Errors or warnings detected by the routine:

INFO < 0

If INFO = $-i$, the i th argument had an illegal value. An explanatory message is output, and execution of the program is terminated.

INFO > 0

If INFO = i , the i th diagonal element of A is not positive (and hence A cannot be positive-definite).

7 Accuracy

The computed scale factors will be close to the exact scale factors.

8 Further Comments

The complex analogue of this routine is F07GTF (ZPPEQU).

9 Example

To equilibrate the symmetric positive-definite matrix A given by

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 4.16 & -3.12 \times 10^5 & 0.56 & -0.10 \\ -3.12 \times 10^5 & 5.03 \times 10^{10} & -0.83 \times 10^5 & 1.18 \times 10^5 \\ 0.56 & -0.83 \times 10^5 & 0.76 & 0.34 \\ -0.10 & 1.18 \times 10^5 & 0.34 & 1.18 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Details of the scaling factors and the scaled matrix are output.

9.1 Program Text

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*      F07GFF Example Program Text
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*      .. Parameters ..
INTEGER          NIN, NOUT
PARAMETER       (NIN=5,NOUT=6)
INTEGER          NMAX
PARAMETER       (NMAX=8)
CHARACTER       UPLO
PARAMETER       (UPLO='U')
*      .. Local Scalars ..
DOUBLE PRECISION AMAX, BIG, SCOND, SJ, SMALL
INTEGER          I, IFAIL, INFO, J, JJ, N
*      .. Local Arrays ..
DOUBLE PRECISION AP((NMAX*(NMAX+1))/2), S(NMAX)
*      .. External Functions ..
DOUBLE PRECISION X02AJF, X02AMF
INTEGER          X02BHF
EXTERNAL        X02AJF, X02AMF, X02BHF
*      .. External Subroutines ..
EXTERNAL        DPPEQU, X04CCF
*      .. Executable Statements ..
WRITE (NOUT,*) 'F07GFF Example Program Results'
WRITE (NOUT,*)
*      Skip heading in data file
READ (NIN,*)
READ (NIN,*) N
IF (N.LE.NMAX) THEN
*
*      Read the upper or lower triangular part of the matrix A from
*      data file
*
IF (UPLO.EQ.'U') THEN
    READ (NIN,*) ((AP(I+(J*(J-1))/2),J=I,N),I=1,N)
ELSE IF (UPLO.EQ.'L') THEN
    READ (NIN,*) ((AP(I+((2*N-J)*(J-1))/2),J=1,I),I=1,N)
END IF
*
*      Print the matrix A
*
IFAIL = 0
CALL X04CCF(UPLO,'Non-unit diagonal',N,AP,'Matrix A',IFAIL)
WRITE (NOUT,*)
*
*      Compute diagonal scaling factors
*
CALL DPPEQU(UPLO,N,AP,S,SCOND,AMAX,INFO)
*
IF (INFO.GT.0) THEN
    WRITE (NOUT,99999) 'Diagonal element', INFO,
+      ' of A is non positive'
ELSE
*
*      Print SCOND, AMAX and the scale factors
*
WRITE (NOUT,99998) 'SCOND = ', SCOND, ', AMAX = ', AMAX
WRITE (NOUT,*)
WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Diagonal scaling factors'
WRITE (NOUT,99997) (S(I),I=1,N)
WRITE (NOUT,*)
*
*      Compute values close to underflow and overflow
*
SMALL = X02AMF()/(X02AJF()*X02BHF())
BIG = 1.0D0/SMALL
IF ((SCOND.LT.0.1D0) .OR. (AMAX.LT.SMALL) .OR. (AMAX.GT.BIG)
+      ) THEN
*
*      Scale A
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      IF (UPLO.EQ.'U') THEN
        DO 40 J = 1, N
          SJ = S(J)
          JJ = (J*(J-1))/2
          DO 20 I = 1, J
            AP(I+JJ) = S(I)*AP(I+JJ)*SJ
20          CONTINUE
40          CONTINUE
      ELSE IF (UPLO.EQ.'L') THEN
        DO 80 J = 1, N
          SJ = S(J)
          JJ = ((2*N-J)*(J-1))/2
          DO 60 I = J, N
            AP(I+JJ) = S(I)*AP(I+JJ)*SJ
60          CONTINUE
80          CONTINUE
      END IF

*
*      Print the scaled matrix
*
      IFAIL = 0
      CALL XO4CCF(UPLO,'Non-unit diagonal',N,AP,
+               'Scaled matrix',IFAIL)
*
      END IF
    END IF
  ELSE
    WRITE (NOUT,*) 'NMAX too small'
  END IF
  STOP
*
99999 FORMAT (1X,A,I4,A)
99998 FORMAT (1X,2(A,1P,E7.1))
99997 FORMAT ((1X,1P,7E11.1))
END

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9.2 Program Data

F07GFF Example Program Data

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4                                     :Value of N
4.16D+00  -3.12D+05  0.56D+00  -0.10D+00
          5.03D+10  -0.83D+05  1.18D+05
          0.76D+00  0.34D+00
          1.18D+00 :End of matrix A

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9.3 Program Results

F07GFF Example Program Results

Matrix A

	1	2	3	4
1	4.1600E+00	-3.1200E+05	5.6000E-01	-1.0000E-01
2		5.0300E+10	-8.3000E+04	1.1800E+05
3			7.6000E-01	3.4000E-01
4				1.1800E+00

SCOND = 3.9E-06, AMAX = 5.0E+10

Diagonal scaling factors

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4.9E-01  4.5E-06  1.1E+00  9.2E-01

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Scaled matrix

	1	2	3	4
1	1.0000	-0.6821	0.3149	-0.0451
2		1.0000	-0.4245	0.4843
3			1.0000	0.3590
4				1.0000