

NAG Fortran Library Routine Document

F07JEF (DPTTRS)

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

F07JEF (DPTTRS) computes the solution to a real system of linear equations $AX = B$, where A is an n by n symmetric positive-definite tridiagonal matrix and X and B are n by r matrices, using the LDL^T factorization returned by F07JDF (DPTTRF).

2 Specification

SUBROUTINE F07JEF (N, NRHS, D, E, B, LDB, INFO)

INTEGER N, NRHS, LDB, INFO
double precision D(*), E(*), B(LDB,*)

The routine may be called by its LAPACK name *dpttrs*.

3 Description

F07JEF (DPTTRS) should be preceded by a call to F07JDF (DPTTRF), which computes a modified Cholesky factorization of the matrix A as

$$A = LDL^T,$$

where L is a unit lower bidiagonal matrix and D is a diagonal matrix, with positive diagonal elements. F07JEF (DPTTRS) then utilizes the factorization to solve the required equations. Note that the factorization may also be regarded as having the form $U^T D U$, where U is a unit upper bidiagonal matrix.

4 References

Anderson E, Bai Z, Bischof C, Blackford S, Demmel J, Dongarra J J, Du Croz J J, Greenbaum A, Hammarling S, McKenney A and Sorensen D (1999) *LAPACK Users' Guide* (3rd Edition) SIAM, Philadelphia URL: <http://www.netlib.org/lapack/lug>

5 Parameters

- 1: N – INTEGER *Input*
On entry: n , the order of the matrix A .
Constraint: $N \geq 0$.
- 2: NRHS – INTEGER *Input*
On entry: r , the number of right-hand sides, i.e., the number of columns of the matrix B .
Constraint: $NRHS \geq 0$.
- 3: D(*) – *double precision* array *Input*
Note: the dimension of the array D must be at least $\max(1, N)$.
On entry: must contain the n diagonal elements of the diagonal matrix D from the LDL^T factorization of A .

- 4: $E(*)$ – *double precision* array *Input*
Note: the dimension of the array E must be at least $\max(1, N - 1)$.
On entry: must contain the $(n - 1)$ subdiagonal elements of the unit lower bidiagonal matrix L . E can also be regarded as the superdiagonal of the unit upper bidiagonal matrix U from the $U^T D U$ factorization of A .
- 5: $B(\text{LDB},*)$ – *double precision* array *Input/Output*
Note: the second dimension of the array B must be at least $\max(1, \text{NRHS})$.
On entry: the n by r matrix of right-hand sides B .
On exit: the n by r solution matrix X .
- 6: LDB – INTEGER *Input*
On entry: the first dimension of the array B as declared in the (sub)program from which F07JEF (DPTTRS) is called.
Constraint: $\text{LDB} \geq \max(1, N)$.
- 7: INFO – INTEGER *Output*
On exit: $\text{INFO} = 0$ unless the routine detects an error (see Section 6).

6 Error Indicators and Warnings

Errors or warnings detected by the routine:

$\text{INFO} < 0$

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

7 Accuracy

The computed solution for a single right-hand side, \hat{x} , satisfies an equation of the form

$$(A + E)\hat{x} = b,$$

where

$$\|E\|_1 = O(\epsilon)\|A\|_1$$

and ϵ is the *machine precision*. An approximate error bound for the computed solution is given by

$$\frac{\|\hat{x} - x\|_1}{\|x\|_1} \leq \kappa(A) \frac{\|E\|_1}{\|A\|_1},$$

where $\kappa(A) = \|A^{-1}\|_1 \|A\|_1$, the condition number of A with respect to the solution of the linear equations. See Section 4.4 of Anderson *et al.* (1999) for further details.

Following the use of this routine F07JGF (DPTCON) can be used to estimate the condition number of A and F07JHF (DPTRFS) can be used to obtain approximate error bounds.

8 Further Comments

The total number of floating-point operations required to solve the equations $AX = B$ is proportional to nr .

The complex analogue of this routine is F07JSF (ZPTTRS).

9 Example

This example solves the equations

$$AX = B,$$

where A is the symmetric positive-definite tridiagonal matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 4.0 & -2.0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2.0 & 10.0 & -6.0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -6.0 & 29.0 & 15.0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 15.0 & 25.0 & 8.0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 8.0 & 5.0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 6.0 & 10.0 \\ 9.0 & 4.0 \\ 2.0 & 9.0 \\ 14.0 & 65.0 \\ 7.0 & 23.0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

9.1 Program Text

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*      F07JEF Example Program Text
*      Mark 21 Release. NAG Copyright 2004.
*      .. Parameters ..
      INTEGER          NIN, NOUT
      PARAMETER        (NIN=5,NOUT=6)
      INTEGER          NMAX, NRHSMX
      PARAMETER        (NMAX=50,NRHSMX=4)
      INTEGER          LDB
      PARAMETER        (LDB=NMAX)
*      .. Local Scalars ..
      INTEGER          I, IFAIL, INFO, J, N, NRHS
*      .. Local Arrays ..
      DOUBLE PRECISION B(LDB,NRHSMX), D(NMAX), E(NMAX-1)
*      .. External Subroutines ..
      EXTERNAL         DPTTRF, DPTTRS, X04CAF
*      .. Executable Statements ..
      WRITE (NOUT,*) 'F07JEF Example Program Results'
      WRITE (NOUT,*)
*      Skip heading in data file
      READ (NIN,*)
      READ (NIN,*) N, NRHS
      IF (N.LE.NMAX .AND. NRHS.LE.NRHSMX) THEN
*
*      Read the upper bidiagonal part of the tridiagonal matrix A from
*      data file
*
      READ (NIN,*) (E(I),I=1,N-1)
      READ (NIN,*) (D(I),I=1,N)
*
*      Read the right hand matrix B
*
      READ (NIN,*) ((B(I,J),J=1,NRHS),I=1,N)
*
*      Factorize the tridiagonal matrix A
*
      CALL DPTTRF(N,D,E,INFO)
*
      IF (INFO.EQ.0) THEN
*
*      Solve the equations AX = B
*
      CALL DPTTRS(N,NRHS,D,E,B,LDB,INFO)
*
*      Print the solution
*
      IFAIL = 0
      CALL X04CAF('General',' ',N,NRHS,B,LDB,'Solution(s)',IFAIL)
*
      ELSE
        WRITE (NOUT,99999) 'The leading minor of order ', INFO,
+          ' is not positive definite'
      END IF
      ELSE
        WRITE (NOUT,*) 'NMAX and/or NRHSMX too small'

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      END IF
      STOP
*
99999 FORMAT (1X,A,I3,A)
      END
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9.2 Program Data

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F07JEF Example Program Data
  5      2      :Values of N and NRHS
      -2.0 -6.0 15.0 8.0 :End of super-diagonal E
  4.0 10.0 29.0 25.0 5.0 :End of diagonal D
  6.0 10.0
  9.0 4.0
  2.0 9.0
 14.0 65.0
  7.0 23.0      :End of matrix B
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9.3 Program Results

F07JEF Example Program Results

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Solution(s)
          1          2
  1      2.5000      2.0000
  2      2.0000     -1.0000
  3      1.0000     -3.0000
  4     -1.0000      6.0000
  5      3.0000     -5.0000
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