

# NAG Fortran Library Routine Document

## F07QUF (CSPCON/ZSPCON)

**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

F07QUF (CSPCON/ZSPCON) estimates the condition number of a complex symmetric matrix  $A$ , where  $A$  has been factorized by F07QRF (CSPTRF/ZSPTRF), using packed storage.

### 2 Specification

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SUBROUTINE F07QUF(UPLO, N, AP, IPIV, ANORM, RCOND, WORK, INFO)
ENTRY      cspcon (UPLO, N, AP, IPIV, ANORM, RCOND, WORK, INFO)
INTEGER    N, IPIV(*), INFO
real      ANORM, RCOND
complex  AP(*), WORK(*)
CHARACTER*1 UPLO

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The ENTRY statement enables the routine to be called by its LAPACK name.

### 3 Description

This routine estimates the condition number (in the 1-norm) of a complex symmetric matrix  $A$ :

$$\kappa_1(A) = \|A\|_1 \|A^{-1}\|_1.$$

Since  $A$  is symmetric,  $\kappa_1(A) = \kappa_\infty(A) = \|A\|_\infty \|A^{-1}\|_\infty$ .

Because  $\kappa_1(A)$  is infinite if  $A$  is singular, the routine actually returns an estimate of the **reciprocal** of  $\kappa_1(A)$ .

The routine should be preceded by a call to F06UGF to compute  $\|A\|_1$  and a call to F07QRF (CSPTRF/ZSPTRF) to compute the Bunch–Kaufman factorization of  $A$ . The routine then uses Higham's implementation of Hager's method (see Higham (1988)) to estimate  $\|A^{-1}\|_1$ .

### 4 References

Higham N J (1988) FORTRAN codes for estimating the one-norm of a real or complex matrix, with applications to condition estimation *ACM Trans. Math. Software* **14** 381–396

### 5 Parameters

1: UPLO – CHARACTER\*1 *Input*

*On entry:* indicates how  $A$  has been factorized as follows:

if UPLO = 'U',  $A = PUDU^T P^T$ , where  $U$  is upper triangular;

if UPLO = 'L',  $A = PLDL^T P^T$ , where  $L$  is lower triangular.

*Constraint:* UPLO = 'U' or 'L'.

2: N – INTEGER *Input*

*On entry:*  $n$ , the order of the matrix  $A$ .

*Constraint:*  $N \geq 0$ .

- 3: AP(\*) – *complex* array *Input*  
**Note:** the dimension of the array AP must be at least  $\max(1, N * (N + 1)/2)$ .  
*On entry:* details of the factorization of  $A$  stored in packed form, as returned by F07QRF (CSPTRF/ZSPTRF).
- 4: IPIV(\*) – INTEGER array *Input*  
**Note:** the dimension of the array IPIV must be at least  $\max(1, N)$ .  
*On entry:* details of the interchanges and the block structure of  $D$ , as returned by F07QRF (CSPTRF/ZSPTRF).
- 5: ANORM – *real* *Input*  
*On entry:* the 1-norm of the **original** matrix  $A$ , which may be computed by calling F06UGF. ANORM must be computed either **before** calling F07QRF (CSPTRF/ZSPTRF) or else from a copy of the original matrix  $A$ .  
*Constraint:* ANORM  $\geq$  0.0.
- 6: RCOND – *real* *Output*  
*On exit:* an estimate of the reciprocal of the condition number of  $A$ . RCOND is set to zero if exact singularity is detected or the estimate underflows. If RCOND is less than **machine precision**,  $A$  is singular to working precision.
- 7: WORK(\*) – *complex* array *Workspace*  
**Note:** the dimension of the array WORK must be at least  $\max(1, 2 * N)$ .
- 8: 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 parameter had an illegal value. An explanatory message is output, and execution of the program is terminated.

## 7 Accuracy

The computed estimate RCOND is never less than the true value  $\rho$ , and in practice is nearly always less than  $10\rho$ , although examples can be constructed where RCOND is much larger.

## 8 Further Comments

A call to this routine involves solving a number of systems of linear equations of the form  $Ax = b$ ; the number is usually 5 and never more than 11. Each solution involves approximately  $8n^2$  real floating-point operations but takes considerably longer than a call to F07QSF (CSPTRS/ZSPTRS) with 1 right-hand side, because extra care is taken to avoid overflow when  $A$  is approximately singular.

The real analogue of this routine is F07PGF (SSPCON/DSPCON).

## 9 Example

To estimate the condition number in the 1-norm (or infinity-norm) of the matrix  $A$ , where

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -0.39 - 0.71i & 5.14 - 0.64i & -7.86 - 2.96i & 3.80 + 0.92i \\ 5.14 - 0.64i & 8.86 + 1.81i & -3.52 + 0.58i & 5.32 - 1.59i \\ -7.86 - 2.96i & -3.52 + 0.58i & -2.83 - 0.03i & -1.54 - 2.86i \\ 3.80 + 0.92i & 5.32 - 1.59i & -1.54 - 2.86i & -0.56 + 0.12i \end{pmatrix}.$$

Here  $A$  is symmetric, stored in packed form, and must first be factorized by F07QRF (CSPTRF/ZSPTRF). The true condition number in the 1-norm is 32.92.

### 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.

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*      F07QUF Example Program Text
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*      .. Parameters ..
      INTEGER          NIN, NOUT
      PARAMETER       (NIN=5,NOUT=6)
      INTEGER          NMAX
      PARAMETER       (NMAX=8)
*      .. Local Scalars ..
      real            ANORM, RCOND
      INTEGER          I, INFO, J, N
      CHARACTER        UPLO
*      .. Local Arrays ..
      complex        AP(NMAX*(NMAX+1)/2), WORK(2*NMAX)
      real            RWORK(NMAX)
      INTEGER          IPIV(NMAX)
*      .. External Functions ..
      real            F06UGF, X02AJF
      EXTERNAL         F06UGF, X02AJF
*      .. External Subroutines ..
      EXTERNAL         cspcon, csptf
*      .. Executable Statements ..
      WRITE (NOUT,*) 'F07QUF Example Program Results'
      Skip heading in data file
      READ (NIN,*)
      READ (NIN,*) N
      IF (N.LE.NMAX) THEN

*
*      Read A from data file
*
      READ (NIN,*) UPLO
      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

*
*      Compute norm of A
*
      ANORM = F06UGF('1-norm',UPLO,N,AP,RWORK)

*
*      Factorize A
*
      CALL csptf(UPLO,N,AP,IPIV,INFO)

*
      WRITE (NOUT,*)
      IF (INFO.EQ.0) THEN

*
*      Estimate condition number
*
      CALL cspcon(UPLO,N,AP,IPIV,ANORM,RCOND,WORK,INFO)

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      IF (RCOND.GE.X02AJF()) THEN
        WRITE (NOUT,99999) 'Estimate of condition number =',
+       1.0e0/RCOND
      ELSE
        WRITE (NOUT,*) 'A is singular to working precision'
      END IF
    ELSE
      WRITE (NOUT,*) 'The factor D is singular'
    END IF
  END IF
STOP
*
99999 FORMAT (1X,A,1P,e10.2)
END

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## 9.2 Program Data

F07QUF Example Program Data

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  4                                     :Value of N
  'L'                                   :Value of UPLO
(-0.39,-0.71)
( 5.14,-0.64) ( 8.86, 1.81)
(-7.86,-2.96) (-3.52, 0.58) (-2.83,-0.03)
( 3.80, 0.92) ( 5.32,-1.59) (-1.54,-2.86) (-0.56, 0.12) :End of matrix A

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## 9.3 Program Results

F07QUF Example Program Results

Estimate of condition number = 1.57E+01

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