NAG Library Function Document

nag_dpftrf (f07wdc)

1 Purpose

nag_dpftrf (f07wdc) computes the Cholesky factorization of a real symmetric positive definite matrix stored in Rectangular Full Packed (RFP) format.

2 Specification

```c
#include <nag.h>
#include <nagf07.h>

void nag_dpftrf (Nag_OrderType order, Nag_RFP_Store transr,
                 Nag_UploType uplo, Integer n, double ar[], NagError *fail)
```

3 Description

nag_dpftrf (f07wdc) forms the Cholesky factorization of a real symmetric positive definite matrix $A$ either as $A = U^T U$ if `uplo` = Nag_Upper or $A = LL^T$ if `uplo` = Nag_Lower, where $U$ is an upper triangular matrix and $L$ is a lower triangular, stored in RFP format. The RFP storage format is described in Section 3.3.3 in the f07 Chapter Introduction.

4 References


5 Arguments

1: `order` – Nag_OrderType

   On entry: the `order` argument specifies the two-dimensional storage scheme being used, i.e., row-major ordering or column-major ordering. C language defined storage is specified by `order` = Nag_RowMajor. See Section 3.2.1.3 in the Essential Introduction for a more detailed explanation of the use of this argument.

   Constraint: `order` = Nag_RowMajor or Nag_ColMajor.

2: `transr` – Nag_RFP_Store

   On entry: specifies whether the RFP representation of $A$ is normal or transposed.

   `transr` = Nag_RFP_Normal
   The matrix $A$ is stored in normal RFP format.

   `transr` = Nag_RFP_Trans
   The matrix $A$ is stored in transposed RFP format.

   Constraint: `transr` = Nag_RFP_Normal or Nag_RFP_Trans.
3: `uplo` – Nag_UploType

    *Input*

    *On entry*: specifies whether the upper or lower triangular part of $A$ is stored.

    - `uplo = Nag_Upper`
      The upper triangular part of $A$ is stored, and $A$ is factorized as $U^T U$, where $U$ is upper triangular.

    - `uplo = Nag_Lower`
      The lower triangular part of $A$ is stored, and $A$ is factorized as $L L^T$, where $L$ is lower triangular.

    *Constraint*: `uplo` = Nag_Upper or Nag_Lower.

4: `n` – Integer

    *Input*

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

    *Constraint*: $n \geq 0$.

5: `ar[\lfloor n \times (n + 1)/2 \rfloor]` – double

    *Input/Output*

    *On entry*: the upper or lower triangular part (as specified by `uplo`) of the $n$ by $n$ symmetric matrix $A$, in either normal or transposed RFP format (as specified by `transr`). The storage format is described in detail in Section 3.3.3 in the f07 Chapter Introduction.

    *On exit*: if `fail.code` = NE_NOERROR, the factor $U$ or $L$ from the Cholesky factorization $A = U^T U$ or $A = L L^T$, in the same storage format as $A$.

6: `fail` – NagError *

    *Input/Output*

    The NAG error argument (see Section 3.6 in the Essential Introduction).

6  Error Indicators and Warnings

**NE_ALLOC_FAIL**

Dynamic memory allocation failed.
See Section 3.2.1.2 in the Essential Introduction for further information.

**NE_BAD_PARAM**

On entry, argument \(\langle\text{value}\rangle\) had an illegal value.

**NE_INT**

On entry, $n = \langle\text{value}\rangle$.

    *Constraint*: $n \geq 0$.

**NE_INTERNAL_ERROR**

An internal error has occurred in this function. Check the function call and any array sizes. If the call is correct then please contact NAG for assistance.

An unexpected error has been triggered by this function. Please contact NAG.

See Section 3.6.6 in the Essential Introduction for further information.

**NE_MAT_NOT_POS_DEF**

The leading minor of order \(\langle\text{value}\rangle\) is not positive definite and the factorization could not be completed. Hence $A$ itself is not positive definite. This may indicate an error in forming the matrix $A$. There is no function specifically designed to factorize a symmetric matrix stored in RFP format which is not positive definite; the matrix must be treated as a full symmetric matrix, by calling nag_dsytrf (f07mdc).
7 Accuracy

If $\text{uplo} = \text{Nag\_Upper}$, the computed factor $U$ is the exact factor of a perturbed matrix $A + E$, where

$$|E| \leq c(n)\epsilon |U^T||U|,$$

$c(n)$ is a modest linear function of $n$, and $\epsilon$ is the machine precision.

If $\text{uplo} = \text{Nag\_Lower}$, a similar statement holds for the computed factor $L$. It follows that

$$|e_{ij}| \leq c(n)\epsilon \sqrt{a_{ii}a_{jj}},$$

8 Parallelism and Performance

nag_dpftrf (f07wdc) is threaded by NAG for parallel execution in multithreaded implementations of the NAG Library.

nag_dpftrf (f07wdc) makes calls to BLAS and/or LAPACK routines, which may be threaded within the vendor library used by this implementation. Consult the documentation for the vendor library for further information.

Please consult the X06 Chapter Introduction for information on how to control and interrogate the OpenMP environment used within this function. Please also consult the Users’ Note for your implementation for any additional implementation-specific information.

9 Further Comments

The total number of floating-point operations is approximately $\frac{1}{3}n^3$.

A call to nag_dpftrf (f07wdc) may be followed by calls to the functions:

nag_dpftrs (f07wec) to solve $AX = B$;

nag_dpftri (f07wjc) to compute the inverse of $A$.

The complex analogue of this function is nag_zpftrf (f07wrc).

10 Example

This example computes the Cholesky factorization of the matrix $A$, where

$$A = \begin{pmatrix}
4.16 & -3.12 & 0.56 & -0.10 \\
-3.12 & 5.03 & -0.83 & 1.18 \\
0.56 & -0.83 & 0.76 & 0.34 \\
-0.10 & 1.18 & 0.34 & 1.18
\end{pmatrix},$$

and is stored using RFP format.

10.1 Program Text

/* nag_dpftrf (f07wdc) Example Program. */
/* Copyright 2014 Numerical Algorithms Group. */
/* Mark 25, 2014. */
*/
#include <nag.h>
#include <nag_stdlib.h>
#include <nagf01.h>
#include <nagf07.h>
#include <nagx04.h>

int main(void)
{
    /* Scalars */
    Integer exit_status = 0;
    Integer i, j, k, lar1, lar2, lenar, n, pdar, pda, q;
    /* Arrays*/
    double *ar = 0, *a = 0;
    char nag_enum_arg[40];
    /* NAG types */
    Nag_RFP_Store transr;
    Nag_UploType uplo;
    Nag_OrderType order;
    Nag_MatrixType matrix;
    NagError fail;
    #ifdef NAG_COLUMN_MAJOR
    order = Nag_ColMajor;
    #define AR(I,J) ar[J*pdar + I]
    #else
    order = Nag_RowMajor;
    #define AR(I,J) ar[I*pdar + J]
    #endif
    INIT_FAIL(fail);

    printf("nag_dpftrf (f07wdc) Example Program Results\n");
    /* Skip heading in data file*/
    #ifdef WIN32
    scanf_s("%*[\r\n ]");
    #else
    scanf("%*[\r\n ]");
    #endif
    #ifdef WIN32
    scanf_s("%"NAG_IFMT", &n);
    #else
    scanf("%"NAG_IFMT", &n);
    #endif
    #ifdef WIN32
    scanf_s("%39s", nag_enum_arg, _countof(nag_enum_arg));
    #else
    scanf("%39s", nag_enum_arg);
    #endif
    #ifdef WIN32
    scanf_s("%39s", nag_enum_arg, _countof(nag_enum_arg));
    #else
    scanf("%39s", nag_enum_arg);
    #endif
    uplo = (Nag_UploType) nag_enum_name_to_value(nag_enum_arg);
    #ifdef WIN32
    scanf_s("%39s%*[\r\n ]", nag_enum_arg, _countof(nag_enum_arg));
    #else
    scanf("%39s%*[\r\n ]", nag_enum_arg);
    #endif
    transr = (Nag_RFP_Store) nag_enum_name_to_value(nag_enum_arg);
    lenar = (n * (n + 1))/2;
pda = n;
    if (!(ar = NAG_ALLOC(lenar, double)) ||
        !(a = NAG_ALLOC(pda*n, double)))
    {
        printf("Allocation failure\n");
        exit_status = -1;
        goto END;
    }

    /* Setup dimensions for RFP array ar. */
    k = n/2;
    q = n - k;
    if (transr==Nag_RFP_Normal) {
        lar1 = 2*k+1;
        lar2 = q;
    } else {
        lar1 = q;
        lar2 = 2*k+1;
    }
}
if (order==Nag_RowMajor) {
    pdar = lar2;
} else {
    pdar = lar1;
}
/* Read matrix into RFP array ar. */
for (i = 0; i < lar1; i++) {
    for (j = 0; j < lar2; j++) {
        #ifdef _WIN32
            scanf_s("%lf ", &AR(i,j));
        #else
            scanf("%lf ", &AR(i,j));
        #endif
    }
}
/* Factorize A using nag_dpftrf (f07wdc) which performs a
* Cholesky factorization of real symmetric positive definite matrix in
* Rectangular Full Packed format.
*/
nag_dpftrf(order, transr, uplo, n, ar, &fail);
if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR) {
    printf("Error from nag_dpftrf (f07wdc)\n%s\n", fail.message);
    exit_status = 1;
    goto END;
} printf("\n");
/* Convert factor to full array form for printing using nag_dtfttr (f01vgc).
* Copies a real triangular matrix from Rectangular Full Packed format
* to full matrix format
*/
nag_dtfttr(order, transr, uplo, n, ar, a, pda, &fail);
if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR) {
    printf("Error from nag_dtfttr (f01vgc)\n%s\n", fail.message);
    exit_status = 2;
    goto END;
}
matrix = (uplo == Nag_Lower ? Nag_LowerMatrix : Nag_UpperMatrix);
/* nag_gen_real_mat_print (x04cac).
* Print real general matrix (easy-to-use)
*/
nag_gen_real_mat_print(order, matrix, Nag_NonUnitDiag, n, n, a, pda, "Factor", 0, &fail);
if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR) {
    printf("Error from nag_gen_real_mat_print (x04cac)\n%s\n", fail.message);
    exit_status = 3;
} END:
NAG_FREE(ar);
NAG_FREE(a);
return exit_status;

10.2 Program Data

nag_dpftrf (f07wdc) Example Program Data
4 Nag_Lower Nag_RFP_Normal : n, uplo, transr
  0.76  0.34
  4.16  1.18
 -3.12  5.03
  0.56 -0.83
-0.10  1.18 : matrix A in RFP, ar[]
## 10.3 Program Results

nag_dpftrf (f07wdc) Example Program Results

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