

NAG Fortran Library Routine Document

F02XEF

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

F02XEF returns all, or part, of the singular value decomposition of a general complex matrix.

2 Specification

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SUBROUTINE F02XEF(M, N, A, LDA, NCOLB, B, LDB, WANTQ, Q, LDQ, SV, WANTP,
1                      PH, LDPH, RWORK, CWORK, IFAIL)
      INTEGER          M, N, LDA, NCOLB, LDB, LDQ, LDPH, IFAIL
      real             SV(*), RWORK(*)
      complex          A(LDA,*), B(LDB,*), Q(LDQ,*), PH(LDPH,*), CWORK(*)
      LOGICAL          WANTQ, WANTP
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3 Description

The m by n matrix A is factorized as

$$A = QDP^H,$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} D &= \begin{pmatrix} S \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, & m > n, \\ D &= S, & m = n, \\ D &= (S \ 0), & m < n, \end{aligned}$$

Q is an m by m unitary matrix, P is an n by n unitary matrix and S is a $\min(m, n)$ by $\min(m, n)$ diagonal matrix with real non-negative diagonal elements, $sv_1, sv_2, \dots, sv_{\min(m,n)}$, ordered such that

$$sv_1 \geq sv_2 \geq \dots \geq sv_{\min(m,n)} \geq 0.$$

The first $\min(m, n)$ columns of Q are the left-hand singular vectors of A , the diagonal elements of S are the singular values of A and the first $\min(m, n)$ columns of P are the right-hand singular vectors of A .

Either or both of the left-hand and right-hand singular vectors of A may be requested and the matrix C given by

$$C = Q^H B,$$

where B is an m by $ncolb$ given matrix, may also be requested.

The routine obtains the singular value decomposition by first reducing A to upper triangular form by means of Householder transformations, from the left when $m \geq n$ and from the right when $m < n$. The upper triangular form is then reduced to bidiagonal form by Givens plane rotations and finally the QR algorithm is used to obtain the singular value decomposition of the bidiagonal form.

Good background descriptions to the singular value decomposition are given in Dongarra *et al.* (1979), Hammarling (1985) and Wilkinson (1978). Note that this routine is not based on the LINPACK routine CSVDC/ZSVDC.

Note that if K is any unitary diagonal matrix so that

$$KK^H = I,$$

then

$$A = (QK)D(PK)^H$$

is also a singular value decomposition of A .

4 References

Dongarra J J, Moler C B, Bunch J R and Stewart G W (1979) *LINPACK Users' Guide* SIAM, Philadelphia
 Hammarling S (1985) The singular value decomposition in multivariate statistics *SIGNUM Newslett.* **20** (3)
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Wilkinson J H (1978) Singular Value Decomposition – Basic Aspects *Numerical Software – Needs and Availability* (ed D A H Jacobs) Academic Press

5 Parameters

- 1: M – INTEGER *Input*
On entry: the number of rows, m , of the matrix A .
Constraint: $M \geq 0$.
 When $M = 0$ then an immediate return is effected.
- 2: N – INTEGER *Input*
On entry: the number of columns, n , of the matrix A .
Constraint: $N \geq 0$.
 When $N = 0$ then an immediate return is effected.
- 3: $A(LDA,*)$ – **complex** array *Input/Output*
Note: the second dimension of the array A must be at least $\max(1, N)$.
On entry: the leading m by n part of the array A must contain the matrix A whose singular value decomposition is required.
On exit: if $M \geq N$ and WANTQ = .TRUE., then the leading m by n part of A will contain the first n columns of the unitary matrix Q .
 If $M < N$ and WANTP = .TRUE., then the leading m by n part of A will contain the first m rows of the unitary matrix P^H .
 If $M \geq N$ and WANTQ = .FALSE. and WANTP = .TRUE., then the leading n by n part of A will contain the first n rows of the unitary matrix P^H .
 Otherwise the leading m by n part of A is used as internal workspace.
- 4: LDA – INTEGER *Input*
On entry: the first dimension of the array A as declared in the (sub)program from which F02XEF is called.
Constraint: $LDA \geq \max(1, M)$.
- 5: $NCOLB$ – INTEGER *Input*
On entry: $ncolb$, the number of columns of the matrix B .
 When $NCOLB = 0$ the array B is not referenced.
Constraint: $NCOLB \geq 0$.

6: $B(LDB,*)$ – ***complex*** array *Input/Output*

Note: the second dimension of the array B must be at least $\max(1, \text{NCOLB})$.

On entry: if $\text{NCOLB} > 0$, the leading m by n_{COLB} part of the array B must contain the matrix to be transformed.

On exit: B is overwritten by the m by n_{COLB} matrix $Q^H B$.

7: LDB – INTEGER *Input*

On entry: the first dimension of the array B as declared in the (sub)program from which F02XEF is called.

Constraint: if $\text{NCOLB} > 0$, then $LDB \geq \max(1, M)$.

8: WANTQ – LOGICAL *Input*

On entry: WANTQ must be .TRUE. if the left-hand singular vectors are required. If $\text{WANTQ} = \text{.FALSE.}$ then the array Q is not referenced.

9: $Q(LDQ,*)$ – ***complex*** array *Output*

Note: the second dimension of the array Q must be at least $\max(1, M)$.

On exit: if $M < N$ and $\text{WANTQ} = \text{.TRUE.}$, the leading m by m part of the array Q will contain the unitary matrix Q . Otherwise the array Q is not referenced.

10: LDQ – INTEGER *Input*

On entry: the first dimension of the array Q as declared in the (sub)program from which F02XEF is called.

Constraint: if $M < N$ and $\text{WANTQ} = \text{.TRUE.}$, $LDQ \geq \max(1, M)$.

11: $SV(*)$ – ***real*** array *Output*

Note: the dimension of the array SV must be at least $\min(M, N)$.

On exit: the $\min(m, n)$ diagonal elements of the matrix S .

12: WANTP – LOGICAL *Input*

On entry: WANTP must be .TRUE. if the right-hand singular vectors are required. If $\text{WANTP} = \text{.FALSE.}$ then the array PH is not referenced.

13: $PH(LDPH,*)$ – ***complex*** array *Output*

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

On exit: if $M \geq N$ and WANTQ and WANTP are .TRUE., the leading n by n part of the array PH will contain the unitary matrix P^H . Otherwise the array PH is not referenced.

14: $LDPH$ – INTEGER *Input*

On entry: the first dimension of the array PH as declared in the (sub)program from which F02XEF is called.

Constraint: if $M \geq N$ and WANTQ and WANTP are .TRUE., $LDPH \geq \max(1, N)$.

15: $RWORK(*)$ – ***real*** array *Output*

Note: the dimension of the array $RWORK$ must be at least $\max(1, lrwork)$, where $lrwork$ must satisfy:

$$lrwork = 2 \times (\min(M, N) - 1)$$

when $\text{NCOLB} = 0$ and WANTQ and WANTP are .FALSE.,

$$lrwork = 3 \times (\min(M, N) - 1)$$

when either $\text{NCOLB} = 0$ and $\text{WANTQ} = \text{.FALSE.}$ and $\text{WANTP} = \text{.TRUE.}$, or $\text{WANTP} = \text{.FALSE.}$ and one or both of $\text{NCOLB} > 0$ and $\text{WANTQ} = \text{.TRUE.}$

$$lrwork = 5 \times (\min(M, N) - 1)$$

otherwise.

On exit: RWORK($\min(M, N)$) contains the total number of iterations taken by the QR algorithm. The rest of the array is used as workspace.

- 16: CWORK(*) – *complex* array *Workspace*

Note: the dimension of the array CWORK must be at least $\max(1, lcwork)$, where $lcwork$ must satisfy:

$$lcwork = N + \max(N^2, \text{NCOLB})$$

when $M \geq N$ and WANTQ and WANTP are both .TRUE.

$$lcwork = N + \max(N^2 + N, \text{NCOLB})$$

when $M \geq N$ and WANTQ = .TRUE., but WANTP = .FALSE.

$$lcwork = N + \max(N, \text{NCOLB})$$

when $M \geq N$ and WANTQ = .FALSE.

$$lcwork = M^2 + M,$$

when $M < N$ and WANTP = .TRUE.

$$lcwork = M$$

when $M < N$ and WANTP = .FALSE..

- 17: 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

One or more of the following conditions holds:

$M < 0$,
 $N < 0$,
 $LDA < M$,
 $\text{NCOLB} < 0$,
 $LDB < M$ and $\text{NCOLB} > 0$,
 $LDQ < M$ and $M < N$ and $\text{WANTQ} = \text{.TRUE.}$,

$\text{LDPH} < \text{N}$ and $\text{M} \geq \text{N}$ and $\text{WANTQ} = \text{.TRUE.}$ and $\text{WANTP} = \text{.TRUE.}$.

$\text{IFAIL} > 0$

The QR algorithm has failed to converge in $50 \times \min(m, n)$ iterations. In this case $\text{SV}(1), \text{SV}(2), \dots, \text{SV}(\text{IFAIL})$ may not have been found correctly and the remaining singular values may not be the smallest. The matrix A will nevertheless have been factorized as $A = QEP^H$ where the leading $\min(m, n)$ by $\min(m, n)$ part of E is a bidiagonal matrix with $\text{SV}(1), \text{SV}(2), \dots, \text{SV}(\min(m, n))$ as the diagonal elements and $\text{RWORK}(1), \text{RWORK}(2), \dots, \text{RWORK}(\min(m, n) - 1)$ as the super-diagonal elements.

This failure is not likely to occur.

7 Accuracy

The computed factors Q , D and P satisfy the relation

$$QDP^H = A + E,$$

where

$$\|E\| \leq c\epsilon\|A\|,$$

ϵ is the **machine precision**, c is a modest function of m and n and $\|\cdot\|$ denotes the spectral (two) norm. Note that $\|A\| = sv_1$.

8 Further Comments

Following the use of this routine the rank of A may be estimated by a call to the INTEGER FUNCTION F06KLF. The statement:

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IRANK = F06KLF(MIN(M,N), SV, 1, TOL)
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returns the value $(k - 1)$ in IRANK, where k is the smallest integer for which $\text{SV}(k) < tol \times \text{SV}(1)$, where tol is the tolerance supplied in TOL, so that IRANK is an estimate of the rank of S and thus also of A . If TOL is supplied as negative then the **machine precision** is used in place of TOL.

9 Example

For this routine two examples are presented, in Section 9.1 of the documents for F02XEF and F02XEEF. In the example programs distributed to sites, there is a single example program for F02XEF, with a main program:

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*      F02XEF Example Program Text
*      Mark 17 Revised. NAG Copyright 1995.
*      .. Parameters ..
  INTEGER          NOUT
  PARAMETER        (NOUT=6)
*      .. External Subroutines ..
  EXTERNAL         EX1, EX2
*      .. Executable Statements ..
  WRITE (NOUT,*) 'F02XEF Example Program Results'
  CALL EX1
  CALL EX2
  STOP
  END
```

The code to solve the two example problems is given in the subroutines EX1 and EX2, in F02XEF and F02XEEF respectively.

9.1 Example 1

To find the singular value decomposition of the 5 by 3 matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} & 0.5i & -0.5 & + & 1.5i & -1.0 & + & 1.0i \\ 0.4 & + & 0.3i & 0.9 & + & 1.3i & 0.2 & + & 1.4i \\ 0.4 & & & -0.4 & + & 0.4i & 1.8 & & \\ 0.3 & - & 0.4i & 0.1 & + & 0.7i & 0.0 & & \\ & - & 0.3i & 0.3 & + & 0.3i & & & 2.4i \end{pmatrix},$$

together with the vector $Q^H b$ for the vector

$$b = \begin{pmatrix} -0.55 + 1.05i \\ 0.49 + 0.93i \\ 0.56 - 0.16i \\ 0.39 + 0.23i \\ 1.13 + 0.83i \end{pmatrix}.$$

9.1.1 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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SUBROUTINE EX1
* .. Parameters ..
INTEGER NIN, NOUT
PARAMETER (NIN=5,NOUT=6)
INTEGER MMAX, NMAX, NCOLB
PARAMETER (MMAX=5,NMAX=3,NCOLB=1)
INTEGER LDA, LDB, LDPH
PARAMETER (LDA=MMAX,LDB=MMAX,LDPH=NMAX)
INTEGER LRWORK
PARAMETER (LRWORK=5*(NMAX-1))
INTEGER LCWORK
PARAMETER (LCWORK=NMAX**2+NMAX)
* .. Local Scalars ..
INTEGER I, IFAIL, J, M, N
LOGICAL WANTP, WANTQ
* .. Local Arrays ..
complex A(LDA,NMAX), B(LDB), CWORK(LCWORK), DUMMY(1),
+ PH(LDPH,NMAX)
real RWORK(LRWORK), SV(NMAX)
* .. External Subroutines ..
EXTERNAL F02XEF
* .. Intrinsic Functions ..
INTRINSIC conjg
* .. Executable Statements ..
WRITE (NOUT,*)
WRITE (NOUT,*)
WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Example 1'
* Skip heading in data file
READ (NIN,*)
READ (NIN,*)
READ (NIN,*)
READ (NIN,*) M, N
WRITE (NOUT,*)
IF ((M.GT.MMAX) .OR. (N.GT.NMAX)) THEN
    WRITE (NOUT,*) 'M or N is out of range.'
    WRITE (NOUT,99999) 'M = ', M, ' N = ', N
ELSE
    READ (NIN,*) ((A(I,J),J=1,N),I=1,M)
    READ (NIN,*) (B(I),I=1,M)
* Find the SVD of A.
    WANTQ = .TRUE.
    WANTP = .TRUE.
    IFAIL = 0
* CALL F02XEF(M,N,A,LDA,NCOLB,B,LDB,WANTQ,DUMMY,1,SV,WANTP,PH,

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+
LDPH,RWORK,CWORK,IFAIL)
*
      WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Singular value decomposition of A'
      WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Singular values'
      WRITE (NOUT,99998) (SV(I),I=1,N)
      WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Left-hand singular vectors, by column'
      DO 20 I = 1, M
         WRITE (NOUT,99997) (A(I,J),J=1,N)
20   CONTINUE
      WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Right-hand singular vectors, by column'
      DO 40 I = 1, N
         WRITE (NOUT,99997) (conjg(PH(J,I)),J=1,N)
40   CONTINUE
      WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Vector conjg( Q'') *B'
      WRITE (NOUT,99997) (B(I),I=1,M)
      END IF
*
99999 FORMAT (1X,A,I5,A,I5)
99998 FORMAT (1X,5F9.4)
99997 FORMAT ((1X,3('(',F7.4,',',F8.4,') ',:)))
END

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9.1.2 Program Data

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Example 1
      5            :Values of M and N
      3

( 0.00, 0.50) (-0.50, 1.50) (-1.00, 1.00)
( 0.40, 0.30) ( 0.90, 1.30) ( 0.20, 1.40)
( 0.40, 0.00) (-0.40, 0.40) ( 1.80, 0.00)
( 0.30,-0.40) ( 0.10, 0.70) ( 0.00, 0.00)
( 0.00,-0.30) ( 0.30, 0.30) ( 0.00, 2.40) :End of matrix A

(-0.55, 1.05) ( 0.49, 0.93) ( 0.56,-0.16)
( 0.39, 0.23) ( 1.13, 0.83) :End of vector B

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9.1.3 Program Results

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Example 1

Singular value decomposition of A

Singular values
3.9263 2.0000 0.7641

Left-hand singular vectors, by column
(-0.0757, -0.5079) (-0.2831, -0.2831) (-0.2251, 0.1594)
(-0.4517, -0.2441) (-0.3963, 0.0566) (-0.0075, 0.2757)
(-0.2366, 0.2669) (-0.1359, -0.6341) (0.2983, -0.2082)
(-0.0561, -0.0513) (-0.3284, -0.0340) (0.1670, -0.5978)
(-0.4820, -0.3277) (0.3737, 0.1019) (-0.0976, -0.5664)

Right-hand singular vectors, by column
(-0.1275, -0.0000) (-0.2265, -0.0000) (0.9656, -0.0000)
(-0.3899, 0.2046) (-0.3397, 0.7926) (-0.1311, 0.2129)
(-0.5289, 0.7142) (0.0000, -0.4529) (-0.0698, -0.0119)

Vector conjg(Q')*B
(-1.9656, -0.7935) (0.1132, -0.3397) (0.0915, 0.6086)
(-0.0600, -0.0200) (0.0400, 0.1200)

9.2 Example 2

To find the singular value decomposition of the 3 by 5 matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0.5i & 0.4 - 0.3i & 0.4 & 0.3 + 0.4i & 0.3i \\ -0.5 - 1.5i & 0.9 - 1.3i & -0.4 - 0.4i & 0.1 - 0.7i & 0.3 - 0.3i \\ -1.0 - 1.0i & 0.2 - 1.4i & 1.8 & 0.0 & -2.4i \end{pmatrix}$$

9.2.1 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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SUBROUTINE EX2
*   .. Parameters ..
INTEGER          NIN, NOUT
PARAMETER        (NIN=5,NOUT=6)
INTEGER          MMAX, NMAX
PARAMETER        (MMAX=3,NMAX=5)
INTEGER          LDA, LDQ
PARAMETER        (LDA=MMAX,LDQ=MMAX)
INTEGER          LRWORK
PARAMETER        (LRWORK=5*(MMAX-1))
INTEGER          LCWORK
PARAMETER        (LCWORK=MMAX**2+2*MMAX-1)
*   .. Local Scalars ..
INTEGER          I, IFAIL, J, M, N, NCOLB
LOGICAL          WANTP, WANTQ
*   .. Local Arrays ..
complex          A(LDA,NMAX), CWORK(LCWORK), DUMMY(1), Q(LDQ,MMAX)
real             RWORK(LRWORK), SV(MMAX)
*   .. External Subroutines ..
EXTERNAL          F02XEF
*   .. Intrinsic Functions ..
INTRINSIC        conjg
*   .. Executable Statements ..
WRITE (NOUT,*)
WRITE (NOUT,*)
WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Example 2'
* Skip heading in data file
READ (NIN,*)
READ (NIN,*)
READ (NIN,*) M, N
WRITE (NOUT,*)
IF (M.GT.MMAX) .OR. (N.GT.NMAX) THEN
    WRITE (NOUT,*) 'M or N is out of range.'
    WRITE (NOUT,99999) 'M = ', M, ' N = ', N
ELSE
    READ (NIN,*) ((A(I,J),J=1,N),I=1,M)
* Find the SVD of A.
    WANTQ = .TRUE.
    WANTP = .TRUE.
    NCOLB = 0
    IFAIL = 0
*
    CALL F02XEF(M,N,A,LDA,NCOLB,DUMMY,1,WANTQ,Q,LDQ,SV,WANTP,DUMMY,
+                 1,RWORK,CWORK,IFAIL)
*
    WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Singular value decomposition of A'
    WRITE (NOUT,*)
    WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Singular values'
    WRITE (NOUT,99998) (SV(I),I=1,M)
    WRITE (NOUT,*)
    WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Left-hand singular vectors, by column'
    DO 20 I = 1, M
        WRITE (NOUT,99997) (Q(I,J),J=1,M)
20    CONTINUE
    WRITE (NOUT,*)
    WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Right-hand singular vectors, by column'

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      DO 40 I = 1, N
          WRITE (NOUT,99997) (conjg(A(J,I)),J=1,M)
40      CONTINUE
      END IF
*
99999 FORMAT (1X,A,I5,A,I5)
99998 FORMAT (1X,5F9.4)
99997 FORMAT (1X,3('(',F7.4,',',',',F8.4,') ',:))
      END

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Example 2
      3      5                      :Values of M and N
( 0.00,-0.50) ( 0.40,-0.30) ( 0.40, 0.00) ( 0.30, 0.40) ( 0.00, 0.30)
(-0.50,-1.50) ( 0.90,-1.30) (-0.40,-0.40) ( 0.10,-0.70) ( 0.30,-0.30)
(-1.00,-1.00) ( 0.20,-1.40) ( 1.80, 0.00) ( 0.00, 0.00) ( 0.00,-2.40)
                                         :End of matrix A

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Example 2

Singular value decomposition of A

Singular values
 3.9263 2.0000 0.7641

Left-hand singular vectors, by column
 (-0.1275, -0.0000) (0.2265, -0.0000) (-0.9656, 0.0000)
 (-0.3899, 0.2046) (0.3397, -0.7926) (0.1311, -0.2129)
 (-0.5289, 0.7142) (0.0000, 0.4529) (0.0698, 0.0119)

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