

# NAG Fortran Library Routine Document

## F06PRF (DSYR2)

**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

F06PRF (DSYR2) performs the symmetric rank-2 update operation

$$A \leftarrow \alpha xy^T + \alpha yx^T + A,$$

where  $A$  is an  $n$  by  $n$  real symmetric matrix,  $x$  and  $y$  are  $n$  element real vectors, and  $\alpha$  is a real scalar.

### 2 Specification

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SUBROUTINE F06PRF (UPLO, N, ALPHA, X, INCX, Y, INCY, A, LDA)
  INTEGER          N, INCX, INCY, LDA
  double precision ALPHA, X(*), Y(*), A(LDA,*)
  CHARACTER*1      UPLO
```

The routine may be called by its BLAS name ***dsyr2***.

### 3 Description

None.

### 4 References

None.

### 5 Parameters

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| 1: | UPLO – CHARACTER*1  | <i>Input</i> |
|    | <i>On entry:</i> specifies whether the upper or lower triangular part of $A$ is stored as follows:<br>if UPLO = 'U', the upper triangular part of $A$ is stored;<br>if UPLO = 'L', the lower triangular part of $A$ is stored.<br><i>Constraint:</i> UPLO = 'U' or 'L'. |              |
| 2: | N – INTEGER   | <i>Input</i> |
|    | <i>On entry:</i> $n$ , the order of the matrix $A$ .<br><i>Constraint:</i> $N \geq 0$ .   |              |
| 3: | ALPHA – <b><i>double precision</i></b>  | <i>Input</i> |
|    | <i>On entry:</i> the scalar $\alpha$ .  |              |
| 4: | X(*) – <b><i>double precision</i></b> array   | <i>Input</i> |
|    | <i>On entry:</i> the vector $x$ .   |              |
| 5: | INCX – INTEGER  | <i>Input</i> |
|    | <i>On entry:</i> the increment in the subscripts of X between successive elements of $x$ .<br><i>Constraint:</i> INCX $\neq$ 0.   |              |

- 6:  $Y(*)$  – **double precision** array *Input*  
*On entry:* the vector  $y$ .
- 7: INCY – INTEGER *Input*  
*On entry:* the increment in the subscripts of  $Y$  between successive elements of  $y$ .  
*Constraint:*  $\text{INCY} \neq 0$ .
- 8:  $A(\text{LDA},*)$  – **double precision** array *Input/Output*  
**Note:** the second dimension of the array  $A$  must be at least  $\max(1, N)$ .  
*On entry:* the  $n$  by  $n$  symmetric matrix  $A$ . If  $\text{UPLO} = 'U'$ , the upper triangle of  $A$  must be stored and the elements of the array below the diagonal are not referenced; if  $\text{UPLO} = 'L'$ , the lower triangle of  $A$  must be stored and the elements of the array above the diagonal are not referenced.  
*On exit:* the updated matrix  $A$ .
- 9: LDA – INTEGER *Input*  
*On entry:* the first dimension of the array  $A$  as declared in the (sub)program from which F06PRF (DSYR2) is called.  
*Constraint:*  $\text{LDA} \geq \max(1, N)$ .

## 6 Error Indicators and Warnings

None.

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