NAG Fortran Library Routine Document F11DEF

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

F11DEF solves a real sparse nonsymmetric system of linear equations, represented in coordinate storage format, using a restarted generalized minimal residual (RGMRES), conjugate gradient squared (CGS), stabilized bi-conjugate gradient (Bi-CGSTAB), or transpose-free quasi-minimal residual (TFQMR) method, without preconditioning, with Jacobi, or with SSOR preconditioning.

2 Specification

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SUBROUTINE F11DEF(METHOD, PRECON, N, NNZ, A, IROW, ICOL, OMEGA, B, M,

TOL, MAXITN, X, RNORM, ITN, WORK, LWORK, IWORK, IFAIL)

INTEGER

N, NNZ, IROW(NNZ), ICOL(NNZ), M, MAXITN, ITN, LWORK,

IWORK(2*N+1), IFAIL

A(NNZ), OMEGA, B(N), TOL, X(N), RNORM, WORK(LWORK)

CHARACTER*(*)

CHARACTER*1

PRECON
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3 Description

This routine solves a real sparse nonsymmetric system of linear equations

$$Ax = b$$
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using an RGMRES (Saad and Schultz (1986)), CGS (Sonneveld (1989)), Bi-CGSTAB(ℓ) (Van der Vorst (1989), Sleijpen and Fokkema (1993)), or TFQMR (Freund and Nachtigal (1991), Freund (1993)) method.

The routine allows the following choices for the preconditioner:

no preconditioning;

Jacobi preconditioning (Young (1971));

symmetric successive-over-relaxation (SSOR) preconditioning (Young (1971)).

For incomplete LU (ILU) preconditioning see F11DCF.

The matrix A is represented in coordinate storage (CS) format (see Section 2.1.1 of the F11 Chapter Introduction) in the arrays A, IROW and ICOL. The array A holds the non-zero entries in the matrix, while IROW and ICOL hold the corresponding row and column indices.

F11DEF is a black-box routine which calls F11BDF, F11BEF and F11BFF. If you wish to use an alternative storage scheme, preconditioner, or termination criterion, or require additional diagnostic information, you should call these underlying routines directly.

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Sonneveld P (1989) CGS, a fast Lanczos-type solver for nonsymmetric linear systems *SIAM J. Sci. Statist. Comput.* **10** 36–52

Van der Vorst H (1989) Bi-CGSTAB, a fast and smoothly converging variant of Bi-CG for the solution of nonsymmetric linear systems *SIAM J. Sci. Statist. Comput.* **13** 631–644

Young D (1971) Iterative Solution of Large Linear Systems Academic Press, New York

5 Parameters

1: METHOD – CHARACTER*(*)

Input

On entry: the iterative method to be used. The possible choices are:

if METHOD = 'RGMRES', restarted generalized minimum residual method;

if METHOD = 'CGS', conjugate gradient squared method;

if METHOD = 'BICGSTAB', bi-conjugate gradient stabilized (ℓ) method;

if METHOD = 'TFQMR', transpose-free quasi-minimal residual method.

Constraint: METHOD = 'RGMRES', 'CGS', 'BICGSTAB', or 'TFQMR'.

2: PRECON - CHARACTER*1

Input

On entry: specifies the type of preconditioning to be used. The possible choices are:

if PRECON = 'N', no preconditioning;

if PRECON = 'J', Jacobi;

if PRECON = 'S', symmetric successive-over-relaxation.

Constraint: PRECON = 'N', 'J', or 'S'.

3: N – INTEGER

Input

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

Constraint: $N \ge 1$.

4: NNZ – INTEGER

Input

On entry: the number of non-zero elements in the matrix A.

Constraint: $1 \le NNZ \le N^2$.

5: A(NNZ) - real array

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Input

On entry: the non-zero elements of the matrix A, ordered by increasing row index, and by increasing column index within each row. Multiple entries for the same row and column indices are not permitted. The routine F11ZAF may be used to order the elements in this way.

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6: IROW(NNZ) – INTEGER array
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Input

ICOL(NNZ) – INTEGER array

Input

On entry: the row and column indices of the non-zero elements supplied in A.

Constraints: IROW and ICOL must satisfy the following constraints (which may be imposed by a call to F11ZAF):

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1 \leq \text{IROW}(i) \leq \text{N} and 1 \leq \text{ICOL}(i) \leq \text{N}, for i = 1, 2, \dots, \text{NNZ}; \text{IROW}(i-1) < \text{IROW}(i), or \text{IROW}(i-1) = \text{IROW}(i) and \text{ICOL}(i-1) < \text{ICOL}(i), for i = 2, 3, \dots, \text{NNZ}.
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8: OMEGA – *real*

Input

On entry: if PRECON = 'S', OMEGA is the relaxation parameter ω to be used in the SSOR method. Otherwise OMEGA need not be initialised and is not referenced.

Constraint: 0.0 < OMEGA < 2.0.

9: B(N) - real array

Input

On entry: the right-hand side vector b.

10: M – INTEGER

Input

On entry: if METHOD = 'RGMRES', M is the dimension of the restart subspace. If METHOD = 'BICGSTAB', M is the order ℓ of the polynomial Bi-CGSTAB method. Otherwise, M is not referenced.

Constraints:

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if METHOD = 'RGMRES', 0 < M \le \min(N, 50), if METHOD = 'BICGSTAB', 0 < M \le \min(N, 10).
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11: TOL - *real*

Input

On entry: the required tolerance. Let x_k denote the approximate solution at iteration k, and r_k the corresponding residual. The algorithm is considered to have converged at iteration k if

$$||r_k||_{\infty} \le \tau \times (||b||_{\infty} + ||A||_{\infty} ||x_k||_{\infty}).$$

If $TOL \le 0.0$, $\tau = \max(\sqrt{\epsilon}, \sqrt{n}\,\epsilon)$ is used, where ϵ is the **machine precision**. Otherwise $\tau = \max(TOL, 10\epsilon, \sqrt{n}\,\epsilon)$ is used.

Constraint: TOL < 1.0.

12: MAXITN – INTEGER

Input

On entry: the maximum number of iterations allowed.

Constraint: MAXITN ≥ 1 .

13: X(N) - real array

Input/Output

On entry: an initial approximation to the solution vector x.

On exit: an improved approximation to the solution vector x.

14: RNORM – real

Output

On exit: the final value of the residual norm $||r_k||_{\infty}$, where k is the output value of ITN.

15: ITN – INTEGER

Output

On exit: the number of iterations carried out.

16: WORK(LWORK) – *real* array

Workspace

17: LWORK – INTEGER

Input

On entry: the dimension of the array WORK as declared in the (sub)program from which F11DEF is called.

Constraints:

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if METHOD = 'RGMRES', LWORK \geq 4 \times N + M \times (M+N+5) + \nu + 101; if METHOD = 'CGS', LWORK \geq 8 \times N + \nu + 100; if METHOD = 'BICGSTAB', LWORK \geq 2 \times N \times (M+3) + M \times (M+2) + \nu + 100; if METHOD = 'TFQMR', LWORK \geq 11 \times N + \nu + 100;
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where $\nu = N$ for PRECON = 'J' or 'S', and 0 otherwise

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18: IWORK(2*N+1) - INTEGER array

Workspace

19: 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

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On entry, METHOD ≠ 'RGMRES', 'CGS', 'BICGSTAB', or 'TFQMR',
         PRECON \neq 'N', 'J' \text{ or 'S'},
or
         N < 1,
or
or
         NNZ < 1,
         NNZ > N^2
or
         PRECON = 'S' and OMEGA lies outside the interval (0.0,2.0),
or
or
         M > min(N, 50), with METHOD = 'RGMRES'.
or
         M > min(N, 10), with METHOD = 'BICGSTAB',
or
         TOL \geq 1.0,
or
         MAXITN < 1,
or
         LWORK too small.
or
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IFAIL = 2

On entry, the arrays IROW and ICOL fail to satisfy the following constraints:

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1 \leq \text{IROW}(i) \leq \text{N} and 1 \leq \text{ICOL}(i) \leq \text{N}, for i = 1, 2, \dots, \text{NNZ}; \text{IROW}(i-1) < \text{IROW}(i), or \text{IROW}(i-1) = \text{IROW}(i) and \text{ICOL}(i-1) < \text{ICOL}(i), for i = 2, 3, \dots, \text{NNZ}.
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Therefore a non-zero element has been supplied which does not lie within the matrix A, is out of order, or has duplicate row and column indices. Call F11ZAF to reorder and sum or remove duplicates.

IFAIL = 3

On entry, the matrix A has a zero diagonal element. Jacobi and SSOR preconditioners are not appropriate for this problem.

IFAIL = 4

The required accuracy could not be obtained. However, a reasonable accuracy may have been obtained, and further iterations could not improve the result. You should check the output value of RNORM for acceptability. This error code usually implies that your problem has been fully and satisfactorily solved to within or close to the accuracy available on your system. Further iterations are unlikely to improve on this situation.

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IFAIL = 5

Required accuracy not obtained in MAXITN iterations.

IFAIL = 6

A serious error has occurred in an internal call to F11BDF, F11BEF or F11BFF. Check all subroutine calls and array sizes. Seek expert help.

7 Accuracy

On successful termination, the final residual $r_k = b - Ax_k$, where k = ITN, satisfies the termination criterion

$$||r_k||_{\infty} \le \tau \times (||b||_{\infty} + ||A||_{\infty} ||x_k||_{\infty}).$$

The value of the final residual norm is returned in RNORM.

8 Further Comments

The time taken by F11DEF for each iteration is roughly proportional to NNZ.

The number of iterations required to achieve a prescribed accuracy cannot be easily determined a priori, as it can depend dramatically on the conditioning and spectrum of the preconditioned coefficient matrix $\bar{A} = M^{-1}A$.

9 Example

This example program solves a sparse nonsymmetric system of equations using the RGMRES method, with SSOR preconditioning.

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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F11DEF Example Program Text
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.. Parameters ..
INTEGER
                 NIN, NOUT
                 (NIN=5, NOUT=6)
PARAMETER
INTEGER
                 NMAX, LA, LWORK
PARAMETER
                 (NMAX=1000, LA=10000, LWORK=10000)
.. Local Scalars ..
real
                 OMEGA, RNORM, TOL
INTEGER
                 I, IFAIL, ITN, L, LWREQ, M, MAXITN, N, NNZ
CHARACTER
                 PRECON
CHARACTER*8
                 METHOD
.. Local Arrays ..
real
                 A(LA), B(NMAX), WORK(LWORK), X(NMAX)
                 ICOL(LA), IROW(LA), IWORK(2*NMAX+1)
INTEGER
.. External Subroutines ..
EXTERNAL
                 F11DEF
.. Intrinsic Functions
INTRINSIC
                 MAX
.. Executable Statements ..
WRITE (NOUT,*) 'F11DEF Example Program Results'
WRITE (NOUT, *)
Skip heading in data file
READ (NIN, *)
Read algorithmic parameters
READ (NIN,*) N
IF (N.LE.NMAX) THEN
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READ (NIN,*) NNZ
      READ (NIN, *) METHOD, PRECON
      READ (NIN,*) OMEGA
      READ (NIN, *) M, TOL, MAXITN
      Check size of workspace
      L = N
      IF (PRECON.EQ.'N' .OR. PRECON.EQ.'n') L = 0
      LWREQ = MAX(4*N+M*(M+N+5)+L+101,8*N+L+100,2*N*(M+3)+M*(M+2)
               +L+100,11*N+L+100)
      IF (LWORK.LT.LWREQ) THEN
         WRITE (NOUT,*) 'LWORK must be at least', LWREQ
         STOP
      END IF
      Read the matrix A
      DO 20 I = 1, NNZ
         READ (NIN,*) A(I), IROW(I), ICOL(I)
20
      CONTINUE
      Read right-hand side vector b and initial approximate solution x
      READ (NIN, *) (B(I), I=1, N)
      READ (NIN, *) (X(I), I=1, N)
      Solve Ax = b using F11DEF
      IFAIL = 0
      CALL F11DEF (METHOD, PRECON, N, NNZ, A, IROW, ICOL, OMEGA, B, M, TOL,
                   MAXITN, X, RNORM, ITN, WORK, LWORK, IWORK, IFAIL)
      WRITE (NOUT, '(A,I10,A)') 'Converged in', ITN, 'iterations' WRITE (NOUT, '(A,1P,D16.3)') 'Final residual norm =', RNORM
      WRITE (NOUT, *)
      Output x
      WRITE (NOUT,*) '
      DO 40 I = 1, N
         WRITE (NOUT, '(1X, 1P, D16.4)') X(I)
40
      CONTINUE
   END IF
   STOP
   END
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9.2 Program Data

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F11DEF Example Program Data
 5
 16
                       NNZ
  'RGMRES' 'S'
                       METHOD, PRECON
 1.05
                       OMEGA
  1 1.e-10 1000
                       M, TOL, MAXITN
 2.
            1
 1.
            4
-1.
       1
 -3.
       2
            2
       2
-2.
            3
  1.
       2
  1.
       3
            1
 5.
       3
            3
  3.
       3
            4
 1.
       3
            5
 -2.
            1
 -3.
       4
            4
 -1.
       4
            5
  4.
       5
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-2. 5 3

-6. 5 5 A(I), IROW(I), ICOL(I), I=1,...,NNZ

0. -7. 33.

-19. -28. B(I), I=1,...,N

0. 0. 0. X(I), I=1,...,N
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9.3 Program Results

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Converged in 13 iterations
Final residual norm = 5.087E-09

X
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F11DEF Example Program Results

1.0000E+00 2.0000E+00 3.0000E+00 4.0000E+00

5.0000E+00

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