

# NAG Library Function Document

## nag\_fft\_multiple\_cosine (c06hbc)

### 1 Purpose

`nag_fft_multiple_cosine (c06hbc)` computes the discrete Fourier cosine transforms of  $m$  sequences of real data values.

### 2 Specification

```
#include <nag.h>
#include <nagc06.h>
void nag_fft_multiple_cosine (Integer m, Integer n, double x[],
                           const double trig[], NagError *fail)
```

### 3 Description

Given  $m$  sequences of  $n + 1$  real data values  $x_j^p$ , for  $j = 0, 1, \dots, n$  and  $p = 1, 2, \dots, m$ , this function simultaneously calculates the Fourier cosine transforms of all the sequences defined by

$$\hat{x}_k^p = \sqrt{\frac{2}{n}} \left\{ \frac{1}{2}x_0^p + \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} x_j^p \cos\left(jk\frac{\pi}{n}\right) + \frac{1}{2}(-1)^k x_n^p \right\}, \quad \text{for } k = 0, 1, \dots, n; p = 1, 2, \dots, m.$$

(Note the scale factor  $\sqrt{\frac{2}{n}}$  in this definition.)

The Fourier cosine transform defined above is its own inverse, and two consecutive calls of this function with the same data will restore the original data (but see Section 9).

The transform calculated by this function can be used to solve Poisson's equation when the solution is specified at both left and right boundaries (Swarztrauber (1977)).

The function uses a variant of the fast Fourier transform (FFT) algorithm (Brigham (1974)) known as the Stockham self-sorting algorithm, described in Temperton (1983), together with pre- and post-processing stages described in Swartztrauber (1982). Special coding is provided for the factors 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

### 4 References

Brigham E O (1974) *The Fast Fourier Transform* Prentice-Hall

Swarztrauber P N (1977) The methods of cyclic reduction, Fourier analysis and the FACR algorithm for the discrete solution of Poisson's equation on a rectangle *SIAM Rev.* **19**(3) 490–501

Swarztrauber P N (1982) Vectorizing the FFT's *Parallel Computation* (ed G Rodrique) 51–83 Academic Press

Temperton C (1983) Fast mixed-radix real Fourier transforms *J. Comput. Phys.* **52** 340–350

### 5 Arguments

1: **m** – Integer *Input*

*On entry:* the number of sequences to be transformed,  $m$ .

*Constraint:*  $\mathbf{m} \geq 1$ .

2:	<b>n</b> – Integer	<i>Input</i>
<i>On entry:</i> one less than the number of real values in each sequence, i.e., the number of values in each sequence is $n + 1$ .		
<i>Constraint:</i> $\mathbf{n} \geq 1$ .		
3:	<b>x</b> [ $\mathbf{m} \times (\mathbf{n} + 1)$ ] – double	<i>Input/Output</i>
<i>On entry:</i> the $m$ data sequences stored in <b>x</b> consecutively. If the $n + 1$ data values of the $p$ th sequence to be transformed are denoted by $x_j^p$ , for $j = 0, 1, \dots, n$ and $p = 1, 2, \dots, m$ , then the first $m(n + 1)$ elements of the array <b>x</b> must contain the values		
$x_0^1, x_1^1, \dots, x_n^1, \quad x_0^2, x_1^2, \dots, x_n^2, \quad \dots, \quad x_0^m, x_1^m, \dots, x_n^m.$		
<i>On exit:</i> the $m$ Fourier cosine transforms stored consecutively, overwriting the corresponding original sequence.		
4:	<b>trig</b> [ $2 \times \mathbf{n}$ ] – const double	<i>Input</i>
<i>On entry:</i> trigonometric coefficients as returned by a call of nag_fft_init_trig (c06gzc). nag_fft_multiple_cosine (c06hbc) makes a simple check to ensure that <b>trig</b> has been initialized and that the initialization is compatible with the value of <b>n</b> .		
5:	<b>fail</b> – NagError *	<i>Input/Output</i>
The NAG error argument (see Section 3.6 in the Essential Introduction).		

## 6 Error Indicators and Warnings

### NE\_ALLOC\_FAIL

Dynamic memory allocation failed.

### NE\_C06\_NOT\_TRIG

Value of **n** and **trig** array are incompatible or **trig** array not initialized.

### NE\_INT\_ARG\_LT

On entry, **m** =  $\langle\text{value}\rangle$ .  
Constraint:  $\mathbf{m} \geq 1$ .

On entry, **n** =  $\langle\text{value}\rangle$ .  
Constraint:  $\mathbf{n} \geq 1$ .

## 7 Accuracy

Some indication of accuracy can be obtained by performing a subsequent inverse transform and comparing the results with the original sequence (in exact arithmetic they would be identical).

## 8 Parallelism and Performance

Not applicable.

## 9 Further Comments

The time taken is approximately proportional to  $nm\log(n)$ , but also depends on the factors of  $n$ . The function is fastest if the only prime factors of  $n$  are 2, 3 and 5, and is particularly slow if  $n$  is a large prime, or has large prime factors.

## 10 Example

This program reads in sequences of real data values and prints their Fourier cosine transforms (as computed by nag\_fft\_multiple\_cosine (c06hbc)). It then calls nag\_fft\_multiple\_cosine (c06hbc) again and prints the results which may be compared with the original sequence.

### 10.1 Program Text

```
/* nag_fft_multiple_cosine (c06hbc) Example Program.
*
* Copyright 1991 Numerical Algorithms Group.
*
* Mark 2, 1991.
* Mark 8 revised, 2004.
*/
#include <nag.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <nag_stlib.h>
#include <nagc06.h>

#define X(I, J) x[(I) *row_len + (J)]
int main(void)
{
    Integer exit_status = 0, i, j, m, n, row_len;
    NagError fail;
    double *trig = 0, *x = 0;

    INIT_FAIL(fail);

    printf("nag_fft_multiple_cosine (c06hbc) Example Program Results\n");
    scanf(" %*[^\n]"); /* Skip heading in data file */
    while (scanf("%ld %ld", &m, &n) != EOF)
    {
        if (m >= 1 && n >= 1)
        {
            if (!(trig = NAG_ALLOC(2*n, double)) ||
                !(x = NAG_ALLOC(m*(n+1), double)))
            {
                printf("Allocation failure\n");
                exit_status = -1;
                goto END;
            }
        }
        else
        {
            printf("Invalid m or n.\n");
            exit_status = 1;
            return exit_status;
        }
        row_len = n + 1;
        scanf(" %*[^\n]"); /* Skip text in data file */
        scanf(" %*[^\n]");
        for (i = 0; i < m; ++i)
            for (j = 0; j < row_len; ++j)
                scanf("%lf", &X(i, j));
        printf("\nOriginal data values\n\n");
        for (i = 0; i < m; ++i)
        {
            for (j = 0; j < row_len; ++j)
                printf(" %10.4f%s",
                    X(i, j),
                    (j%7 == 6 && j != row_len-1?"\n":""));
            printf("\n");
        }

        /* nag_fft_init_trig (c06gzc).
         * Initialization function for other c06 functions
        */
    }
}
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nag_fft_init_trig(n, trig, &fail);
if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR)
{
    printf("Error from nag_fft_init_trig (c06gzc).\\n%s\\n",
           fail.message);
    exit_status = 1;
    goto END;
}
/* Initialise trig array */
/* nag_fft_multiple_cosine (c06hbc).
 * Discrete cosine transform
 */
nag_fft_multiple_cosine(m, n, x, trig, &fail);
if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR)
{
    printf("Error from nag_fft_multiple_cosine (c06hbc).\\n%s\\n",
           fail.message);
    exit_status = 1;
    goto END;
}
/* Compute transform */
printf("\nDiscrete Fourier cosine transforms\\n\\n");
for (i = 0; i < m; ++i)
{
    for (j = 0; j < row_len; ++j)
        printf(" %10.4f%s", X(i, j),
               (j%7 == 6 && j != row_len-1?"\\n":""));
    printf("\\n");
}
/* Compute inverse transform */
/* nag_fft_multiple_cosine (c06hbc), see above. */
nag_fft_multiple_cosine(m, n, x, trig, &fail);
if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR)
{
    printf("Error from nag_fft_multiple_cosine (c06hbc).\\n%s\\n",
           fail.message);
    exit_status = 1;
    goto END;
}

printf("\\nOriginal data as restored by inverse transform\\n\\n");
for (i = 0; i < m; ++i)
{
    for (j = 0; j < row_len; ++j)
        printf(" %10.4f%s", X(i, j),
               (j%7 == 6 && j != row_len-1?"\\n":""));
    printf("\\n");
}
NAG_FREE(trig);
NAG_FREE(x);
}
END:
NAG_FREE(trig);
NAG_FREE(x);
return exit_status;
}

```

## 10.2 Program Data

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nag_fft_multiple_cosine (c06hbc) Example Program Data
3 6 : Number of sequences, m,      (number of values in each sequence)-1, n
Real data sequences
 0.3854  0.6772  0.1138  0.6751  0.6362  0.1424  0.9562
 0.5417  0.2983  0.1181  0.7255  0.8638  0.8723  0.4936
 0.9172  0.0644  0.6037  0.6430  0.0428  0.4815  0.2057

```

### 10.3 Program Results

nag\_fft\_multiple\_cosine (c06hbc) Example Program Results

Original data values

0.3854	0.6772	0.1138	0.6751	0.6362	0.1424	0.9562
0.5417	0.2983	0.1181	0.7255	0.8638	0.8723	0.4936
0.9172	0.0644	0.6037	0.6430	0.0428	0.4815	0.2057

Discrete Fourier cosine transforms

1.6833	-0.0482	0.0176	0.1368	0.3240	-0.5830	-0.0427
1.9605	-0.4884	-0.0655	0.4444	0.0964	0.0856	-0.2289
1.3838	0.1588	-0.0761	-0.1184	0.3512	0.5759	0.0110

Original data as restored by inverse transform

0.3854	0.6772	0.1138	0.6751	0.6362	0.1424	0.9562
0.5417	0.2983	0.1181	0.7255	0.8638	0.8723	0.4936
0.9172	0.0644	0.6037	0.6430	0.0428	0.4815	0.2057

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