# NAG Library Function Document nag 2d spline ts eval rect (e02jfc)

# 1 Purpose

nag\_2d\_spline\_ts\_eval\_rect (e02jfc) calculates a mesh of values of a spline computed by nag 2d spline fit ts scat (e02jdc).

# 2 Specification

# 3 Description

nag\_2d\_spline\_ts\_eval\_rect (e02jfc) calculates values on a rectangular mesh of a bivariate spline computed by nag\_2d\_spline\_fit\_ts\_scat (e02jdc). The points in the mesh are defined by x coordinates  $(x_i)$ , for  $i = 1, 2, \ldots, n_x$ , and y coordinates  $(y_j)$ , for  $j = 1, 2, \ldots, n_y$ . This function is derived from the TSFIT package of O. Davydov and F. Zeilfelder.

#### 4 References

Davydov O and Zeilfelder F (2004) Scattered data fitting by direct extension of local polynomials to bivariate splines *Advances in Comp. Math.* **21** 223–271

Farin G and Hansford D (2000) The Essentials of CAGD Natic, MA: A K Peters, Ltd.

#### 5 Arguments

#### 1: **nxeval** – Integer

Input

On entry:  $n_x$ , the number of values in the x direction forming the mesh on which the spline is to be evaluated.

Constraint:  $\mathbf{nxeval} \geq 1$ .

#### 2: **nyeval** – Integer

Input

On entry:  $n_y$ , the number of values in the y direction forming the mesh on which the spline is to be evaluated.

Constraint:  $nyeval \ge 1$ .

#### 3: **xevalm**[**nxeval**] – const double

Input

On entry: the  $(x_i)$  values forming the mesh on which the spline is to be evaluated.

Constraint: for all i,  $\mathbf{xevalm}[i-1]$  must lie inside, or on the boundary of, the spline's bounding box as determined by  $nag_2d_spline_fit_ts_scat$  (e02jdc).

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## 4: **yevalm**[**nyeval**] – const double

Input

On entry: the  $(y_i)$  values forming the mesh on which the spline is to be evaluated.

Constraint: for all j, **yevalm**[j-1] must lie inside, or on the boundary of, the spline's bounding box as determined by nag 2d spline fit to scat (e02jdc).

5:  $\mathbf{coefs}[dim] - \mathbf{const} \ \mathbf{double}$ 

Communication Array

**Note**: the dimension, *dim*, of this array is dictated by the requirements of associated functions that must have been previously called. This array MUST be the same array passed as argument **coefs** in the previous call to nag 2d spline fit ts scat (e02jdc).

On entry: the computed spline coefficients as output from nag 2d spline fit ts scat (e02jdc).

#### 6: $fevalm[nxeval \times nyeval] - double$

Output

**Note**: the (i, j)th element of the matrix is stored in  $\mathbf{fevalm}[(j-1) \times \mathbf{nxeval} + i - 1]$ .

On exit: if fail.code = NE\_NOERROR on exit fevalm $[(j-1) \times nxeval + i - 1]$  contains the computed spline value at  $(x_i, y_i)$ .

# 7: iopts[dim] - const Integer

Communication Array

**Note**: the dimension, *dim*, of this array is dictated by the requirements of associated functions that must have been previously called. This array MUST be the same array passed as argument **iopts** in the previous call to nag\_fit\_opt\_set (e02zkc).

On entry: the contents of the array MUST NOT have been modified either directly or indirectly, by a call to nag\_fit\_opt\_set (e02zkc), between calls to nag\_2d\_spline\_fit\_ts\_scat (e02jdc) and nag\_2d\_spline\_ts\_eval\_rect (e02jfc).

## 8: opts[dim] - const double

Communication Array

**Note**: the dimension, *dim*, of this array is dictated by the requirements of associated functions that must have been previously called. This array MUST be the same array passed as argument **opts** in the previous call to nag\_fit\_opt\_set (e02zkc).

On entry: the contents of the array MUST NOT have been modified either directly or indirectly, by a call to nag\_fit\_opt\_set (e02zkc), between calls to nag\_2d\_spline\_fit\_ts\_scat (e02jdc) and nag 2d spline ts eval rect (e02jfc).

# 9: **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.

### **NE BAD PARAM**

On entry, argument (value) had an illegal value.

# **NE\_INITIALIZATION**

Option arrays are not initialized or are corrupted.

# NE\_INT

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On entry, \mathbf{nxeval} = \langle value \rangle.
Constraint: \mathbf{nxeval} \geq 1.
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On entry, nyeval = \langle value \rangle.
Constraint: nyeval \geq 1.
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# 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.

# NE\_INVALID\_SPLINE

The fitting routine has not been called, or the array of coefficients has been corrupted.

# NE POINT OUTSIDE RECT

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On entry, \mathbf{xevalm}[\langle value \rangle] = \langle value \rangle was outside the bounding box. Constraint: \langle value \rangle \leq \mathbf{xevalm}[i-1] \leq \langle value \rangle for all i.

On entry, \mathbf{yevalm}[\langle value \rangle] = \langle value \rangle was outside the bounding box. Constraint: \langle value \rangle \leq \mathbf{yevalm}[j-1] \leq \langle value \rangle for all j.
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# 7 Accuracy

nag\_2d\_spline\_ts\_eval\_rect (e02jfc) uses the de Casteljau algorithm and thus is numerically stable. See Farin and Hansford (2000) for details.

#### 8 Parallelism and Performance

nag\_2d\_spline\_ts\_eval\_rect (e02jfc) is threaded by NAG for parallel execution in multithreaded implementations of the NAG Library.

Please consult the Users' Note for your implementation for any additional implementation-specific information.

# **9** Further Comments

A real array of length O(1) is dynamically allocated by each invocation of nag\_2d\_spline\_ts\_eval\_rect (e02jfc).

# 10 Example

See Section 10 in nag 2d spline fit ts scat (e02jdc).

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