

## NAG Library Function Document

### nag\_dstedc (f08jhc)

#### 1 Purpose

nag\_dstedc (f08jhc) computes all the eigenvalues and, optionally, all the eigenvectors of a real  $n$  by  $n$  symmetric tridiagonal matrix, or of a real full or banded symmetric matrix which has been reduced to tridiagonal form.

#### 2 Specification

```
#include <nag.h>
#include <nagf08.h>

void nag_dstedc (Nag_OrderType order, Nag_ComputeEigVecsType compz,
                Integer n, double d[], double e[], double z[], Integer pdz,
                NagError *fail)
```

#### 3 Description

nag\_dstedc (f08jhc) computes all the eigenvalues and, optionally, the eigenvectors of a real symmetric tridiagonal matrix  $T$ . That is, the function computes the spectral factorization of  $T$  given by

$$T = ZAZ^T,$$

where  $A$  is a diagonal matrix whose diagonal elements are the eigenvalues,  $\lambda_i$ , of  $T$  and  $Z$  is an orthogonal matrix whose columns are the eigenvectors,  $z_i$ , of  $T$ . Thus

$$Tz_i = \lambda_i z_i, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$

The function may also be used to compute all the eigenvalues and vectors of a real full, or banded, symmetric matrix  $A$  which has been reduced to tridiagonal form  $T$  as

$$A = QTQ^T,$$

where  $Q$  is orthogonal. The spectral factorization of  $A$  is then given by

$$A = (QZ)A(QZ)^T.$$

In this case  $Q$  must be formed explicitly and passed to nag\_dstedc (f08jhc) in the array  $\mathbf{z}$ , and the function called with **compz** = Nag\_OrigEigVecs. Functions which may be called to form  $T$  and  $Q$  are

full matrix	nag_dsytrd (f08fec) and nag_dorgtr (f08ffc)
full matrix, packed storage	nag_dsprtd (f08gec) and nag_dopgtr (f08gfc)
band matrix	nag_dsbtrd (f08hec), with <b>vect</b> = Nag_FormQ

When only eigenvalues are required then this function calls nag\_dsterf (f08jfc) to compute the eigenvalues of the tridiagonal matrix  $T$ , but when eigenvectors of  $T$  are also required and the matrix is not too small, then a divide and conquer method is used, which can be much faster than nag\_dsteqr (f08jec), although more storage is required.

#### 4 References

Anderson E, Bai Z, Bischof C, Blackford S, Demmel J, Dongarra J J, Du Croz J J, Greenbaum A, Hammarling S, McKenney A and Sorensen D (1999) *LAPACK Users' Guide* (3rd Edition) SIAM, Philadelphia <http://www.netlib.org/lapack/lug>

Golub G H and Van Loan C F (1996) *Matrix Computations* (3rd Edition) Johns Hopkins University Press, Baltimore

## 5 Arguments

- 1: **order** – Nag\_OrderType *Input*  
*On entry:* the **order** argument specifies the two-dimensional storage scheme being used, i.e., row-major ordering or column-major ordering. C language defined storage is specified by **order** = Nag\_RowMajor. See Section 3.2.1.3 in the Essential Introduction for a more detailed explanation of the use of this argument.  
*Constraint:* **order** = Nag\_RowMajor or Nag\_ColMajor.
- 2: **compz** – Nag\_ComputeEigVecsType *Input*  
*On entry:* indicates whether the eigenvectors are to be computed.  
**compz** = Nag\_NotEigVecs  
 Only the eigenvalues are computed (and the array **z** is not referenced).  
**compz** = Nag\_TridiagEigVecs  
 The eigenvalues and eigenvectors of  $T$  are computed (and the array **z** is initialized by the function).  
**compz** = Nag\_OrigEigVecs  
 The eigenvalues and eigenvectors of  $A$  are computed (and the array **z** must contain the matrix  $Q$  on entry).  
*Constraint:* **compz** = Nag\_NotEigVecs, Nag\_OrigEigVecs or Nag\_TridiagEigVecs.
- 3: **n** – Integer *Input*  
*On entry:*  $n$ , the order of the symmetric tridiagonal matrix  $T$ .  
*Constraint:*  $n \geq 0$ .
- 4: **d**[*dim*] – double *Input/Output*  
**Note:** the dimension, *dim*, of the array **d** must be at least  $\max(1, n)$ .  
*On entry:* the diagonal elements of the tridiagonal matrix.  
*On exit:* if **fail.code** = NE\_NOERROR, the eigenvalues in ascending order.
- 5: **e**[*dim*] – double *Input/Output*  
**Note:** the dimension, *dim*, of the array **e** must be at least  $\max(1, n - 1)$ .  
*On entry:* the subdiagonal elements of the tridiagonal matrix.  
*On exit:* **e** is overwritten.
- 6: **z**[*dim*] – double *Input/Output*  
**Note:** the dimension, *dim*, of the array **z** must be at least  
 $\max(1, \mathbf{pdz} \times n)$  when **compz** = Nag\_OrigEigVecs or Nag\_TridiagEigVecs;  
 1 otherwise.  
 If **compz** = Nag\_OrigEigVecs then the  $(i, j)$ th element of the matrix  $Q$  is stored in  
 $\mathbf{z}[(j - 1) \times \mathbf{pdz} + i - 1]$  when **order** = Nag\_ColMajor;  
 $\mathbf{z}[(i - 1) \times \mathbf{pdz} + j - 1]$  when **order** = Nag\_RowMajor.  
*On entry:* if **compz** = Nag\_OrigEigVecs, **z** must contain the orthogonal matrix  $Q$  used in the reduction to tridiagonal form.  
*On exit:* if **compz** = Nag\_OrigEigVecs, **z** contains the orthonormal eigenvectors of the original symmetric matrix  $A$ , and if **compz** = Nag\_TridiagEigVecs, **z** contains the orthonormal eigenvectors of the symmetric tridiagonal matrix  $T$ .

If **compz** = Nag\_NotEigVecs, **z** is not referenced.

7: **pdz** – Integer

*Input*

*On entry:* the stride separating row or column elements (depending on the value of **order**) in the array **z**.

*Constraints:*

if **compz** = Nag\_OrigEigVecs or Nag\_TridiagEigVecs, **pdz**  $\geq$  max(1, **n**);  
otherwise **pdz**  $\geq$  1.

8: **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  $\langle value \rangle$  had an illegal value.

### NE\_CONVERGENCE

The algorithm failed to compute an eigenvalue while working on the submatrix lying in rows and columns  $\langle value \rangle / (\mathbf{n} + 1)$  through  $\langle value \rangle \bmod (\mathbf{n} + 1)$ .

### NE\_ENUM\_INT\_2

On entry, **compz** =  $\langle value \rangle$ , **pdz** =  $\langle value \rangle$  and **n** =  $\langle value \rangle$ .

Constraint: if **compz** = Nag\_OrigEigVecs or Nag\_TridiagEigVecs, **pdz**  $\geq$  max(1, **n**);  
otherwise **pdz**  $\geq$  1.

### NE\_INT

On entry, **n** =  $\langle value \rangle$ .

Constraint: **n**  $\geq$  0.

On entry, **pdz** =  $\langle value \rangle$ .

Constraint: **pdz**  $>$  0.

### 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.

## 7 Accuracy

The computed eigenvalues and eigenvectors are exact for a nearby matrix  $(T + E)$ , where

$$\|E\|_2 = O(\epsilon)\|T\|_2,$$

and  $\epsilon$  is the *machine precision*.

If  $\lambda_i$  is an exact eigenvalue and  $\tilde{\lambda}_i$  is the corresponding computed value, then

$$|\tilde{\lambda}_i - \lambda_i| \leq c(n)\epsilon\|T\|_2,$$

where  $c(n)$  is a modestly increasing function of  $n$ .

If  $z_i$  is the corresponding exact eigenvector, and  $\tilde{z}_i$  is the corresponding computed eigenvector, then the angle  $\theta(\tilde{z}_i, z_i)$  between them is bounded as follows:

$$\theta(\tilde{z}_i, z_i) \leq \frac{c(n)\epsilon\|T\|_2}{\min_{i \neq j} |\lambda_i - \lambda_j|}.$$

Thus the accuracy of a computed eigenvector depends on the gap between its eigenvalue and all the other eigenvalues.

See Section 4.7 of Anderson *et al.* (1999) for further details. See also nag\_ddisna (f08flc).

## 8 Parallelism and Performance

nag\_dstedc (f08jhc) is threaded by NAG for parallel execution in multithreaded implementations of the NAG Library.

nag\_dstedc (f08jhc) makes calls to BLAS and/or LAPACK routines, which may be threaded within the vendor library used by this implementation. Consult the documentation for the vendor library for further information.

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

## 9 Further Comments

If only eigenvalues are required, the total number of floating-point operations is approximately proportional to  $n^2$ . When eigenvectors are required the number of operations is bounded above by approximately the same number of operations as nag\_dsteqr (f08jec), but for large matrices nag\_dstedc (f08jhc) is usually much faster.

The complex analogue of this function is nag\_zstedc (f08jvc).

## 10 Example

This example finds all the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of the symmetric band matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 4.99 & 0.04 & 0.22 & 0 \\ 0.04 & 1.05 & -0.79 & 1.04 \\ 0.22 & -0.79 & -2.31 & -1.30 \\ 0 & 1.04 & -1.30 & -0.43 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$A$  is first reduced to tridiagonal form by a call to nag\_dsbtrd (f08hec).

### 10.1 Program Text

```

/* nag_dstedc (f08jhc) Example Program.
 *
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 *
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 */

#include <stdio.h>
#include <nag.h>
#include <nag_stdlib.h>
#include <nagf08.h>
#include <nagx04.h>

int main(void)
{
    /* Scalars */
    Integer    i, j, k, kd, n, pdab, pdq;
    Integer    exit_status = 0;
    /* Arrays */

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char          nag_enum_arg[40];
double        *ab = 0, *d = 0, *e = 0, *q = 0;
/* Nag Types */
Nag_OrderType order;
Nag_UploType  uplo;
NagError      fail;

#ifdef NAG_COLUMN_MAJOR
#define AB_UPPER(I, J) ab[(J - 1) * pdab + k + I - J - 1]
#define AB_LOWER(I, J) ab[(J - 1) * pdab + I - J]
#define Q(I, J) q[(J - 1) * pdq + I - 1]
  order = Nag_ColMajor;
#else
#define AB_UPPER(I, J) ab[(I - 1) * pdab + J - I]
#define AB_LOWER(I, J) ab[(I - 1) * pdab + k + J - I - 1]
#define Q(I, J) q[(I - 1) * pdq + J - 1]
  order = Nag_RowMajor;
#endif

INIT_FAIL(fail);

printf("nag_dstedc (f08jhc) Example Program Results\n\n");

/* Skip heading in data file */
scanf("%*[\n]");
scanf("%ld%ld%*[\n]", &n, &kd);

/* Read uplo */
scanf("%39s%*[\n]", nag_enum_arg);
/* nag_enum_name_to_value (x04nac).
 * Converts NAG enum member name to value
 */
uplo = (Nag_UploType) nag_enum_name_to_value(nag_enum_arg);

pdab = kd + 1;

#ifdef NAG_COLUMN_MAJOR
  pdq = n;
#else
  pdq = n;
#endif

/* Allocate memory */
if (!(ab = NAG_ALLOC(pdab*n, double)) ||
    !(d = NAG_ALLOC(n, double)) ||
    !(e = NAG_ALLOC(n-1, double)) ||
    !(q = NAG_ALLOC(n*n, double)))
{
  printf("Allocation failure\n");
  exit_status = -1;
  goto END;
}

/* Read the upper or lower triangular part of the band matrix A
 * from data file.
 */
k = kd + 1;
if (uplo == Nag_Upper) {
  for (i = 1; i <= n; ++i)
    for (j = i; j <= MIN(n, i + kd); ++j)
      scanf("%lf", &AB_UPPER(i, j));
  scanf("%*[\n]");
}
else if (uplo == Nag_Lower) {
  for (i = 1; i <= n; ++i)
    for (j = MAX(1, i - kd); j <= i; ++j)
      scanf("%lf", &AB_LOWER(i, j));
  scanf("%*[\n]");
}

/* nag_dsbtird (f08hec).

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    * Reduce A to tridiagonal form T = (Q**T)*A*Q, and form Q.
    */
nag_dsbtrd(order, Nag_FormQ, uplo, n, kd, ab, pdab, d, e, q, pdq, &fail);
if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR)
{
    printf("Error from nag_dsbtrd (f08jhc).\n%s\n", fail.message);
    exit_status = 1;
    goto END;
}

/* nag_dstedc (f08jhc)
 * Calculate all the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of A,
 * from T and Q.
 */
nag_dstedc(order, Nag_OrigEigVecs, n, d, e, q, pdq, &fail);
if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR)
{
    printf("Error from nag_dstedc (f08jhc).\n%s\n", fail.message);
    exit_status = 1;
    goto END;
}

/* Normalize the eigenvectors */
for(j=1; j<=n; j++)
    for(i=n; i>=1; i--)
        Q(i, j) = Q(i, j) / Q(1,j);

/* Print eigenvalues and eigenvectors */
printf("%s\n", "Eigenvalues");
for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)
    printf("%8.4f%s", d[i], (i+1)%8 == 0?"\n":" ");
printf("\n\n");

/* nag_gen_real_mat_print (x04cac).
 * Print eigenvectors.
 */
fflush(stdout);
nag_gen_real_mat_print(order, Nag_GeneralMatrix, Nag_NonUnitDiag, n,
                      n, q, pdq, "Eigenvectors", 0, &fail);
if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR)
{
    printf("Error from nag_gen_real_mat_print (x04cac).\n%s\n",
          fail.message);
    exit_status = 1;
    goto END;
}

END:
NAG_FREE(ab);
NAG_FREE(d);
NAG_FREE(e);
NAG_FREE(q);

return exit_status;
}

#undef AB_UPPER
#undef AB_LOWER
#undef Q

```

## 10.2 Program Data

```
nag_dstedc (f08jhc) Example Program Data

  4      2                      :Values of n and kd
  Nag_Upper                      :Value of uplo

  4.99   0.04   0.22
          1.05  -0.79   1.04
                -2.31  -1.30
                        -0.43 :End of matrix A
```

## 10.3 Program Results

```
nag_dstedc (f08jhc) Example Program Results

Eigenvalues
-2.9943  -0.7000   1.9974   4.9969

Eigenvectors
          1          2          3          4
1         1.0000    1.0000    1.0000    1.0000
2        -2.6092   -36.0739    71.4695    0.0020
3       -35.8180   -19.3048   -26.5971    0.0311
4       -17.1000    45.9991    44.8645   -0.0071
```

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