

NAG Library Routine Document

D01TEF

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

Given the $2n + l$ moments of the weight function, D01TEF generates the recursion coefficients needed by D01TDF to calculate a Gaussian quadrature rule.

2 Specification

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SUBROUTINE D01TEF (N, MU, A, B, C, IFAIL)
INTEGER N, IFAIL
REAL (KIND=nag_wp) MU(0:2*N), A(N), B(N), C(N)
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3 Description

D01TEF should only be used if the three-term recurrence cannot be determined analytically. A system of equations are formed, using the moments provided. This set of equations becomes ill-conditioned for moderate values of n , the number of abscissae and weights required. In most implementations quadruple precision calculation is used to maintain as much accuracy as possible.

4 References

Golub G H and Welsch J H (1969) Calculation of Gauss quadrature rules *Math. Comput.* **23** 221–230

5 Arguments

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| 1: N – INTEGER | <i>Input</i> |
| <i>On entry:</i> n , the number of weights and abscissae required. | |
| <i>Constraint:</i> $N > 0$. | |
| 2: MU(0 : 2 * N) – REAL (KIND=nag_wp) array | <i>Input</i> |
| <i>On entry:</i> MU(i) must contain the value of the moment with respect to x^i i.e., $\int w(x)x^i dx$, for $i = 0, 1, \dots, 2n$. | |
| 3: A(N) – REAL (KIND=nag_wp) array | <i>Output</i> |
| <i>On exit:</i> values helping define the three term recurrence used by D01TDF. | |
| 4: B(N) – REAL (KIND=nag_wp) array | <i>Output</i> |
| <i>On exit:</i> values helping define the three term recurrence used by D01TDF. | |
| 5: C(N) – REAL (KIND=nag_wp) array | <i>Output</i> |
| <i>On exit:</i> values helping define the three term recurrence used by D01TDF. | |
| 6: IFAIL – INTEGER | <i>Input/Output</i> |
| <i>On entry:</i> IFAIL must be set to 0, -1 or 1. If you are unfamiliar with this argument you should refer to Section 3.4 in How to Use the NAG Library and its Documentation for details. | |

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, if you are not familiar with this argument, the recommended value is 0 . **When the value -1 or 1 is used it is essential to test the value of IFAIL on exit.**

On exit: $\text{IFAIL} = 0$ unless the routine detects an error or a warning has been flagged (see Section 6).

6 Error Indicators and Warnings

If on entry $\text{IFAIL} = 0$ or -1 , explanatory error messages are output on the current error message unit (as defined by X04AAF).

Errors or warnings detected by the routine:

$\text{IFAIL} = 1$

The number of weights and abscissae requested (N) is less than 1: $N = \langle \text{value} \rangle$.

$\text{IFAIL} = 2$

The problem is too ill conditioned, it breaks down at row $\langle \text{value} \rangle$.

$\text{IFAIL} = -99$

An unexpected error has been triggered by this routine. Please contact NAG.

See Section 3.9 in How to Use the NAG Library and its Documentation for further information.

$\text{IFAIL} = -399$

Your licence key may have expired or may not have been installed correctly.

See Section 3.8 in How to Use the NAG Library and its Documentation for further information.

$\text{IFAIL} = -999$

Dynamic memory allocation failed.

See Section 3.7 in How to Use the NAG Library and its Documentation for further information.

7 Accuracy

Internally quadruple precision is used to minimize loss of accuracy as much as possible.

8 Parallelism and Performance

D01TEF is not threaded in any implementation.

9 Further Comments

Because the routine cannot check the validity of all the data presented, the user is advised to independently check the result, perhaps by integrating a function whose integral is known, using D01TEF and subsequently D01TDF, to compare answers.

10 Example

This example program uses D01TEF and moments to calculate a three-term recurrence relationship appropriate for Gauss–Legendre quadrature. It then uses the recurrence relationship to derive the weights and abscissae by calling D01TDF.

10.1 Program Text

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Program d01tefe
!     D01TEF Example Program Text
!     Mark 26 Release. NAG Copyright 2016.

!     .. Use Statements ..
Use nag_library, Only: d01tdf, d01tef, nag_wp
!     .. Implicit None Statement ..
Implicit None
!     .. Parameters ..
Integer, Parameter :: n = 4, nout = 6
!     .. Local Scalars ..
Real (Kind=nag_wp) :: muzero
Integer :: i, ifail
!     .. Local Arrays ..
Real (Kind=nag_wp) :: a(1:n), abscissae(1:n), b(1:n),
c(1:n), mu(0:2*n), weights(1:n)
!     .. Intrinsic Procedures ..
Intrinsic :: real
!     .. Executable Statements ..
Write (nout,*) 'D01TEF Example Program Results'
Do i = 0, 2*n
    mu(i) = 0.0_nag_wp
End Do
Do i = 0, 2*n, 2
    mu(i) = 2.0_nag_wp/real(i+1,kind=nag_wp)
End Do

ifail = 0
Call d01tef(n,mu,a,b,c,ifail)
muzero = mu(0)
Write (nout,*)
Write (nout,*) '      a          b          c'
Write (nout,99999)(a(i),b(i),c(i),i=1,n)
99999 Format (1X,3F10.5)

ifail = 0
Call d01tdf(n,a,b,c,muzero,weights,abscissae,ifail)
Write (nout,*)
Write (6,*) '      weights      abscissae '
Write (6,99998)(weights(i),abscissae(i),i=1,4)
Write (nout,*)
99998 Format (1X,F10.5,5X,F10.5)
End Program d01tefe

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10.2 Program Data

None.

10.3 Program Results

D01TEF Example Program Results

a	b	c
-1.73205	0.00000	1.73205
-1.93649	0.00000	1.11803
-1.97203	0.00000	1.01835
-1.00000	0.00000	0.50709
weights	abscissae	
0.34785	-0.86114	
0.65215	-0.33998	
0.65215	0.33998	
0.34785	0.86114	