

## NAG Toolbox

### nag\_lapack\_zgetrs (f07as)

#### 1 Purpose

nag\_lapack\_zgetrs (f07as) solves a complex system of linear equations with multiple right-hand sides,

$$AX = B, \quad A^T X = B \quad \text{or} \quad A^H X = B,$$

where  $A$  has been factorized by nag\_lapack\_zgetrf (f07ar).

#### 2 Syntax

```
[b, info] = nag_lapack_zgetrs(trans, a, ipiv, b, 'n', n, 'nrhs_p', nrhs_p)
[b, info] = f07as(trans, a, ipiv, b, 'n', n, 'nrhs_p', nrhs_p)
```

#### 3 Description

nag\_lapack\_zgetrs (f07as) is used to solve a complex system of linear equations  $AX = B$ ,  $A^T X = B$  or  $A^H X = B$ , the function must be preceded by a call to nag\_lapack\_zgetrf (f07ar) which computes the  $LU$  factorization of  $A$  as  $A = PLU$ . The solution is computed by forward and backward substitution.

If **trans** = 'N', the solution is computed by solving  $PLY = B$  and then  $UX = Y$ .

If **trans** = 'T', the solution is computed by solving  $U^T Y = B$  and then  $L^T P^T X = Y$ .

If **trans** = 'C', the solution is computed by solving  $U^H Y = B$  and then  $L^H P^T X = Y$ .

#### 4 References

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

#### 5 Parameters

##### 5.1 Compulsory Input Parameters

1: **trans** – CHARACTER(1)

Indicates the form of the equations.

**trans** = 'N'

$AX = B$  is solved for  $X$ .

**trans** = 'T'

$A^T X = B$  is solved for  $X$ .

**trans** = 'C'

$A^H X = B$  is solved for  $X$ .

*Constraint:* **trans** = 'N', 'T' or 'C'.

2: **a(lda, :)** – COMPLEX (KIND=nag\_wp) array

The first dimension of the array **a** must be at least  $\max(1, \mathbf{n})$ .

The second dimension of the array **a** must be at least  $\max(1, \mathbf{n})$ .

The  $LU$  factorization of  $A$ , as returned by nag\_lapack\_zgetrf (f07ar).

- 3: **ipiv**(:) – INTEGER array  
 The dimension of the array **ipiv** must be at least  $\max(1, \mathbf{n})$   
 The pivot indices, as returned by nag\_lapack\_zgetrf (f07ar).
- 4: **b**(ldb,:) – COMPLEX (KIND=nag\_wp) array  
 The first dimension of the array **b** must be at least  $\max(1, \mathbf{n})$ .  
 The second dimension of the array **b** must be at least  $\max(1, \mathbf{nrhs\_p})$ .  
 The  $n$  by  $r$  right-hand side matrix  $B$ .

## 5.2 Optional Input Parameters

- 1: **n** – INTEGER  
*Default:* the first dimension of the arrays **a**, **b** and the second dimension of the arrays **a**, **ipiv**.  
 $n$ , the order of the matrix  $A$ .  
*Constraint:*  $\mathbf{n} \geq 0$ .
- 2: **nrhs\_p** – INTEGER  
*Default:* the second dimension of the array **b**.  
 $r$ , the number of right-hand sides.  
*Constraint:*  $\mathbf{nrhs\_p} \geq 0$ .

## 5.3 Output Parameters

- 1: **b**(ldb,:) – COMPLEX (KIND=nag\_wp) array  
 The first dimension of the array **b** will be  $\max(1, \mathbf{n})$ .  
 The second dimension of the array **b** will be  $\max(1, \mathbf{nrhs\_p})$ .  
 The  $n$  by  $r$  solution matrix  $X$ .
- 2: **info** – INTEGER  
**info** = 0 unless the function detects an error (see Section 6).

## 6 Error Indicators and Warnings

**info** < 0

If **info** =  $-i$ , argument  $i$  had an illegal value. An explanatory message is output, and execution of the program is terminated.

## 7 Accuracy

For each right-hand side vector  $b$ , the computed solution  $x$  is the exact solution of a perturbed system of equations  $(A + E)x = b$ , where

$$|E| \leq c(n)\epsilon P|L||U|,$$

$c(n)$  is a modest linear function of  $n$ , and  $\epsilon$  is the *machine precision*.

If  $\hat{x}$  is the true solution, then the computed solution  $x$  satisfies a forward error bound of the form

$$\frac{\|x - \hat{x}\|_{\infty}}{\|x\|_{\infty}} \leq c(n) \text{cond}(A, x)\epsilon$$

where  $\text{cond}(A, x) = \frac{\| |A^{-1}| |A| |x| \|_{\infty}}{\|x\|_{\infty}} \leq \text{cond}(A) = \frac{\| |A^{-1}| |A| \|_{\infty}}{\|A\|_{\infty}} \leq \kappa_{\infty}(A)$ .

Note that  $\text{cond}(A, x)$  can be much smaller than  $\text{cond}(A)$ , and  $\text{cond}(A^H)$  (which is the same as  $\text{cond}(A^T)$ ) can be much larger (or smaller) than  $\text{cond}(A)$ .

Forward and backward error bounds can be computed by calling `nag_lapack_zgerfs` (f07av), and an estimate for  $\kappa_{\infty}(A)$  can be obtained by calling `nag_lapack_zgecon` (f07au) with `norm_p = '1'`.

## 8 Further Comments

The total number of real floating-point operations is approximately  $8n^2r$ .

This function may be followed by a call to `nag_lapack_zgerfs` (f07av) to refine the solution and return an error estimate.

The real analogue of this function is `nag_lapack_dgetrs` (f07ae).

## 9 Example

This example solves the system of equations  $AX = B$ , where

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -1.34 + 2.55i & 0.28 + 3.17i & -6.39 - 2.20i & 0.72 - 0.92i \\ -0.17 - 1.41i & 3.31 - 0.15i & -0.15 + 1.34i & 1.29 + 1.38i \\ -3.29 - 2.39i & -1.91 + 4.42i & -0.14 - 1.35i & 1.72 + 1.35i \\ 2.41 + 0.39i & -0.56 + 1.47i & -0.83 - 0.69i & -1.96 + 0.67i \end{pmatrix}$$

and

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} 26.26 + 51.78i & 31.32 - 6.70i \\ 6.43 - 8.68i & 15.86 - 1.42i \\ -5.75 + 25.31i & -2.15 + 30.19i \\ 1.16 + 2.57i & -2.56 + 7.55i \end{pmatrix}.$$

Here  $A$  is nonsymmetric and must first be factorized by `nag_lapack_zgetrf` (f07ar).

### 9.1 Program Text

```
function f07as_example
fprintf('f07as example results\n\n');

trans = 'N';
a = [-1.34 + 2.55i, 0.28 + 3.17i, -6.39 - 2.20i, 0.72 - 0.92i;
     -0.17 - 1.41i, 3.31 - 0.15i, -0.15 + 1.34i, 1.29 + 1.38i;
     -3.29 - 2.39i, -1.91 + 4.42i, -0.14 - 1.35i, 1.72 + 1.35i;
     2.41 + 0.39i, -0.56 + 1.47i, -0.83 - 0.69i, -1.96 + 0.67i];
b = [26.26 + 51.78i, 31.32 - 6.70i;
     6.43 - 8.68i, 15.86 - 1.42i;
     -5.75 + 25.31i, -2.15 + 30.19i;
     1.16 + 2.57i, -2.56 + 7.55i];

% Factorize a
[a, ipiv, info] = f07ar(a);

% Compute solution
[x, info] = f07as(trans, a, ipiv, b);

disp('Solution(s)');
fprintf('%11d      ', [1:size(b,2)]);
fprintf('\n');
disp(x);
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## 9.2 Program Results

f07as example results

```
Solution(s)
      1      2
1.0000 + 1.0000i -1.0000 - 2.0000i
2.0000 - 3.0000i  5.0000 + 1.0000i
-4.0000 - 5.0000i -3.0000 + 4.0000i
0.0000 + 6.0000i  2.0000 - 3.0000i
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