

# NAG Library Function Document

## nag\_zpoequ (f07ftc)

### 1 Purpose

nag\_zpoequ (f07ftc) computes a diagonal scaling matrix  $S$  intended to equilibrate a complex  $n$  by  $n$  Hermitian positive definite matrix  $A$  and reduce its condition number.

### 2 Specification

```
#include <nag.h>
#include <nagf07.h>
void nag_zpoequ (Nag_OrderType order, Integer n, const Complex a[],
                  Integer pda, double s[], double *scond, double *amax, NagError *fail)
```

### 3 Description

nag\_zpoequ (f07ftc) computes a diagonal scaling matrix  $S$  chosen so that

$$s_j = 1/\sqrt{a_{jj}}.$$

This means that the matrix  $B$  given by

$$B = SAS,$$

has diagonal elements equal to unity. This in turn means that the condition number of  $B$ ,  $\kappa_2(B)$ , is within a factor  $n$  of the matrix of smallest possible condition number over all possible choices of diagonal scalings (see Corollary 7.6 of Higham (2002)).

### 4 References

Higham N J (2002) *Accuracy and Stability of Numerical Algorithms* (2nd Edition) SIAM, Philadelphia

### 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: **n** – Integer *Input*

*On entry:*  $n$ , the order of the matrix  $A$ .

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

3: **a[dim]** – const Complex *Input*

**Note:** the dimension,  $dim$ , of the array **a** must be at least  $\max(1, \mathbf{pda} \times \mathbf{n})$ .

The  $(i, j)$ th element of the matrix  $A$  is stored in

**a** $[(j - 1) \times \mathbf{pda} + i - 1]$  when **order** = Nag\_ColMajor;  
**a** $[(i - 1) \times \mathbf{pda} + j - 1]$  when **order** = Nag\_RowMajor.

*On entry:* the matrix  $A$  whose scaling factors are to be computed. Only the diagonal elements of the array **a** are referenced.

4: **pda** – Integer *Input*

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

*Constraint:* **pda**  $\geq \max(1, n)$ .

5: **s[n]** – double *Output*

*On exit:* if **fail.code** = NE\_NOERROR, **s** contains the diagonal elements of the scaling matrix  $S$ .

6: **scond** – double \* *Output*

*On exit:* if **fail.code** = NE\_NOERROR, **scond** contains the ratio of the smallest value of **s** to the largest value of **s**. If **scond**  $\geq 0.1$  and **amax** is neither too large nor too small, it is not worth scaling by  $S$ .

7: **amax** – double \* *Output*

*On exit:*  $\max |a_{ij}|$ . If **amax** is very close to overflow or underflow, the matrix  $A$  should be scaled.

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.

See Section 3.2.1.2 in the Essential Introduction for further information.

### NE\_BAD\_PARAM

On entry, argument  $\langle value \rangle$  had an illegal value.

### NE\_INT

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

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

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

Constraint: **pda**  $> 0$ .

### NE\_INT\_2

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

Constraint: **pda**  $\geq \max(1, n)$ .

### 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.

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

See Section 3.6.6 in the Essential Introduction for further information.

### NE\_MAT\_NOT\_POS\_DEF

The  $\langle value \rangle$ th diagonal element of  $A$  is not positive (and hence  $A$  cannot be positive definite).

**NE\_NO\_LICENCE**

Your licence key may have expired or may not have been installed correctly.  
See Section 3.6.5 in the Essential Introduction for further information.

**7 Accuracy**

The computed scale factors will be close to the exact scale factors.

**8 Parallelism and Performance**

Not applicable.

**9 Further Comments**

The real analogue of this function is nag\_dpoequ (f07ffc).

**10 Example**

This example equilibrates the Hermitian positive definite matrix  $A$  given by

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3.23 & 1.51 - 1.92i & (1.90 + 0.84i) \times 10^5 & 0.42 + 2.50i \\ 1.51 + 1.92i & 3.58 & (-0.23 + 1.11i) \times 10^5 & -1.18 + 1.37i \\ (1.90 - 0.84i) \times 10^5 & (-0.23 - 1.11i) \times 10^5 & 4.09 \times 10^{10} & (2.33 - 0.14i) \times 10^5 \\ 0.42 - 2.50i & -1.18 - 1.37i & (2.33 + 0.14i) \times 10^5 & 4.29 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Details of the scaling factors and the scaled matrix are output.

**10.1 Program Text**

```
/* nag_zpoequ (f07ftc) Example Program.
*
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*
* Mark 23, 2011.
*/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <nag.h>
#include <nagx04.h>
#include <nag_stlib.h>
#include <nagf07.h>
#include <nagx02.h>

int main(void)
{
    /* Scalars */
    double      amax, big, scond, small;
    Integer     i, j, n, pda;
    Integer     exit_status = 0;
    /* Arrays */
    Complex    *a = 0;
    double      *s = 0;

    /* Nag Types */
    NagError    fail;
    Nag_OrderType order;

#ifndef NAG_COLUMN_MAJOR
#define A(I, J) a[(J-1)*pda + I - 1]
    order = Nag_ColMajor;
#else
#define A(I, J) a[(I-1)*pda + J - 1]
    order = Nag_RowMajor;
#endif
}
```

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INIT_FAIL(fail);

printf("nag_zpoequ (f07ftc) Example Program Results\n\n");

/* Skip heading in data file */
#ifdef _WIN32
    scanf_s("%*[^\n]");
#else
    scanf("%*[^\n]");
#endif
#ifdef _WIN32
    scanf_s("%"NAG_IFMT"%*[^\n]", &n);
#else
    scanf("%"NAG_IFMT"%*[^\n]", &n);
#endif

pda = n;
/* Allocate memory */
if (!(a = NAG_ALLOC(n * n, Complex)) ||
    !(s = NAG_ALLOC(n, double)))
{
    printf("Allocation failure\n");
    exit_status = -1;
    goto END;
}

/* Read the upper triangular part of the matrix A from data file */
for (i = 1; i <= n; ++i)
    for (j = i; j <= n; ++j)
#ifdef _WIN32
    scanf_s(" ( %lf , %lf )", &A(i, j).re, &A(i, j).im);
#else
    scanf(" ( %lf , %lf )", &A(i, j).re, &A(i, j).im);
#endif
#ifdef _WIN32
    scanf_s("%*[^\n]");
#else
    scanf("%*[^\n]");
#endif

/* Print the matrix A using nag_gen_complx_mat_print_comp (x04dbc). */
fflush(stdout);
nag_gen_complx_mat_print_comp(order, Nag_UpperMatrix, Nag_NonUnitDiag, n, n,
                               a, pda, Nag_BracketForm, "%11.2e", "Matrix A",
                               Nag_IntegerLabels, 0, Nag_IntegerLabels, 0, 80,
                               0, 0, &fail);
if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR)
{
    printf("Error from nag_gen_complx_mat_print_comp (x04dbc).\n%s\n",
           fail.message);
    exit_status = 1;
    goto END;
}
printf("\n");

/* Compute diagonal scaling factors using nag_zpoequ (f07ftc). */
nag_zpoequ(order, n, a, pda, s, &scond, &amax, &fail);
if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR)
{
    printf("Error from nag_zpoequ (f07ftc).\n%s\n", fail.message);
    exit_status = 1;
    goto END;
}

/* Print scond, amax and the scale factors */
printf("scond = %10.1e, amax = %10.1e\n", scond, amax);
printf("\nDiagonal scaling factors\n");
for (i = 0; i < n; ++i) printf("%11.1e%s", s[i], i%7 == 6?"\n":" ");
printf("\n\n");

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/* Compute values close to underflow and overflow using
 * nag_real_safe_small_number (x02amc), nag_machine_precision (x02ajc) and
 * nag_real_base (x02bhc)
 */
small = nag_real_safe_small_number / (nag_machine_precision * nag_real_base);
big = 1.0 / small;
if (scond < 0.1 || amax < small || amax > big)
{
    /* Scale A */
    for (j = 1; j <= n; ++j)
        for (i = 1; i <= j; ++i)
    {
        A(i, j).re *= s[i-1]*s[j-1];
        A(i, j).im *= s[i-1]*s[j-1];
    }

    /* Print the scaled matrix using
     * nag_gen_complx_mat_print_comp (x04dbc).
     */
fflush(stdout);
nag_gen_complx_mat_print_comp(order, Nag_UpperMatrix, Nag_NonUnitDiag, n,
                               n, a, pda, Nag_BracketForm, 0,
                               "Scaled matrix", Nag_IntegerLabels, 0,
                               Nag_IntegerLabels, 0, 80, 0, 0, &fail);
if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR)
{
    printf("Error from nag_gen_complx_mat_print_comp (x04dbc).\n%s\n",
           fail.message);
    exit_status = 1;
    goto END;
}
}

END:
NAG_FREE(a);
NAG_FREE(s);

return exit_status;
}
#endif

```

## 10.2 Program Data

```

nag_zpoequ (f07ftc) Example Program Data
        : n
        4
( 3.23, 0.00) ( 1.51,-1.92) ( 1.90e+05, 0.84e+05) ( 0.42      , 2.50      )
              ( 3.58, 0.00) (-0.23e+05, 1.11e+05) (-1.18      , 1.37      )
              ( 4.09e+10, 0.00      ) ( 2.33e+05,-0.14e+05)
                                ( 4.29      , 0.00      ) : A

```

## 10.3 Program Results

```
nag_zpoequ (f07ftc) Example Program Results
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```

Matrix A
        1          2
1  ( 3.23e+00, 0.00e+00)  ( 1.51e+00, -1.92e+00)
        2          ( 3.58e+00, 0.00e+00)
        3
        4

        3          4
1  ( 1.90e+05, 8.40e+04)  ( 4.20e-01, 2.50e+00)
2  ( -2.30e+04, 1.11e+05)  ( -1.18e+00, 1.37e+00)
3  ( 4.09e+10, 0.00e+00)  ( 2.33e+05, -1.40e+04)
        4          ( 4.29e+00, 0.00e+00)

```

```
scond = 8.9e-06, amax = 4.1e+10
```

```
Diagonal scaling factors
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```
      5.6e-01      5.3e-01      4.9e-06      4.8e-01  
  
Scaled matrix  
          1          2          3  
1  ( 1.0000,  0.0000)  ( 0.4441, -0.5646)  ( 0.5227,  0.2311)  
2           ( 1.0000,  0.0000)  ( -0.0601,  0.2901)  
3           ( 1.0000,  0.0000)  
4  
          4  
1  ( 0.1128,  0.6716)  
2  ( -0.3011,  0.3496)  
3  ( 0.5562, -0.0334)  
4  ( 1.0000,  0.0000)
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