

## NAG Toolbox

### nag\_matop\_real\_trapez\_rq (f01qg)

## 1 Purpose

nag\_matop\_real\_trapez\_rq (f01qg) reduces the  $m$  by  $n$  ( $m \leq n$ ) real upper trapezoidal matrix  $A$  to upper triangular form by means of orthogonal transformations.

## 2 Syntax

```
[a, zeta, ifail] = nag_matop_real_trapez_rq(a, 'm', m, 'n', n)
[a, zeta, ifail] = f01qg(a, 'm', m, 'n', n)
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## 3 Description

The  $m$  by  $n$  ( $m \leq n$ ) real upper trapezoidal matrix  $A$  given by

$$A = (U \quad X),$$

where  $U$  is an  $m$  by  $m$  upper triangular matrix, is factorized as

$$A = (R \quad 0)P^T,$$

where  $P$  is an  $n$  by  $n$  orthogonal matrix and  $R$  is an  $m$  by  $m$  upper triangular matrix.

$P$  is given as a sequence of Householder transformation matrices

$$P = P_m \cdots P_2 P_1,$$

the  $(m - k + 1)$ th transformation matrix,  $P_k$ , being used to introduce zeros into the  $k$ th row of  $A$ .  $P_k$  has the form

$$P_k = \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 \\ 0 & T_k \end{pmatrix},$$

where

$$T_k = I - u_k u_k^T,$$

$$u_k = \begin{pmatrix} \zeta_k \\ 0 \\ z_k \end{pmatrix},$$

$\zeta_k$  is a scalar and  $z_k$  is an  $(n - m)$  element vector.  $\zeta_k$  and  $z_k$  are chosen to annihilate the elements of the  $k$ th row of  $X$ .

The vector  $u_k$  is returned in the  $k$ th element of the array **zeta** and in the  $k$ th row of **a**, such that  $\zeta_k$  is in **zeta**( $k$ ) and the elements of  $z_k$  are in **a**( $k, m + 1$ ), ..., **a**( $k, n$ ). The elements of  $R$  are returned in the upper triangular part of **a**.

For further information on this factorization and its use see Section 6.5 of Golub and Van Loan (1996).

## 4 References

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

Wilkinson J H (1965) *The Algebraic Eigenvalue Problem* Oxford University Press, Oxford

## 5 Parameters

### 5.1 Compulsory Input Parameters

1: **a**(*lda*, :) – REAL (KIND=nag\_wp) array

The first dimension of the array **a** must be at least max(1, **m**).

The second dimension of the array **a** must be at least max(1, **n**).

The leading *m* by *n* upper trapezoidal part of the array **a** must contain the matrix to be factorized.

### 5.2 Optional Input Parameters

1: **m** – INTEGER

*Default:* the first dimension of the array **a**.

*m*, the number of rows of the matrix *A*.

When **m** = 0 then an immediate return is effected.

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

2: **n** – INTEGER

*Default:* the second dimension of the array **a**.

*n*, the number of columns of the matrix *A*.

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

### 5.3 Output Parameters

1: **a**(*lda*, :) – REAL (KIND=nag\_wp) array

The first dimension of the array **a** will be max(1, **m**).

The second dimension of the array **a** will be max(1, **n**).

The *m* by *m* upper triangular part of **a** will contain the upper triangular matrix *R*, and the *m* by (*n* − *m*) upper trapezoidal part of **a** will contain details of the factorization as described in Section 3.

2: **zeta**(**m**) – REAL (KIND=nag\_wp) array

**zeta**(*k*) contains the scalar  $\zeta_k$  for the (*m* − *k* + 1)th transformation. If  $T_k = I$  then **zeta**(*k*) = 0.0, otherwise **zeta**(*k*) contains  $\zeta_k$  as described in Section 3 and  $\zeta_k$  is always in the range (1.0,  $\sqrt{2.0}$ ).

3: **ifail** – INTEGER

**ifail** = 0 unless the function detects an error (see Section 5).

## 6 Error Indicators and Warnings

Errors or warnings detected by the function:

**ifail** = −1

On entry, **m** < 0,  
or           **n** < **m**,  
or           **lda** < **m**.

**ifail** = −99

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

**ifail = -399**

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

**ifail = -999**

Dynamic memory allocation failed.

## 7 Accuracy

The computed factors  $R$  and  $P$  satisfy the relation

$$(RQ)P^T = A + E,$$

where

$$\|E\| \leq c\epsilon\|A\|,$$

$\epsilon$  is the **machine precision** (see nag\_machine\_precision (x02aj)),  $c$  is a modest function of  $m$  and  $n$  and  $\|\cdot\|$  denotes the spectral (two) norm.

## 8 Further Comments

The approximate number of floating-point operations is given by  $2 \times m^2(n - m)$ .

## 9 Example

This example reduces the 3 by 5 matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2.4 & 0.8 & -1.4 & 3.0 & -0.8 \\ 0.0 & 1.6 & 0.8 & 0.4 & -0.8 \\ 0.0 & 0.0 & 1.0 & 2.0 & 2.0 \end{pmatrix}$$

to upper triangular form.

### 9.1 Program Text

```
function f01qg_example

fprintf('f01qg example results\n\n');

a = [2.4, 0.8, -1.4, 3, -0.8;
      0, 1.6, 0.8, 0.4, -0.8;
      0, 0, 1, 2, 2];

[RQ, zeta, ifail] = f01qg(a);

disp('RQ Factorization of A');
disp('Vector zeta');
disp(zeta);
disp('Matrix A after factorization (R in left-hand upper triangle');
disp(RQ);
```

## 9.2 Program Results

f01qg example results

RQ Factorization of A

Vector zeta

1.2649 1.3416 1.1547

Matrix A after factorization (R in left-hand upper triangle)

-4.0000	-1.0000	-1.0000	0.6325	-0.0000
0	-2.0000	0.0000	0.0000	-0.4472
0	0	-3.0000	0.5774	0.5774

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