

# NAG Library Routine Document

## F07JNF (ZPTSV)

**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

F07JNF (ZPTSV) computes the solution to a complex system of linear equations

$$AX = B,$$

where  $A$  is an  $n$  by  $n$  Hermitian positive definite tridiagonal matrix, and  $X$  and  $B$  are  $n$  by  $r$  matrices.

### 2 Specification

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SUBROUTINE F07JNF (N, NRHS, D, E, B, LDB, INFO)
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INTEGER                N, NRHS, LDB, INFO
REAL (KIND=nag_wp)    D(*)
COMPLEX (KIND=nag_wp) E(*), B(LDB,*)
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The routine may be called by its LAPACK name *zptsv*.

### 3 Description

F07JNF (ZPTSV) factors  $A$  as  $A = LDL^H$ . The factored form of  $A$  is then used to solve the system of equations.

### 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 Parameters

- 1: N – INTEGER *Input*  
*On entry:*  $n$ , the order of the matrix  $A$ .  
*Constraint:*  $N \geq 0$ .
- 2: NRHS – INTEGER *Input*  
*On entry:*  $r$ , the number of right-hand sides, i.e., the number of columns of the matrix  $B$ .  
*Constraint:* NRHS  $\geq 0$ .
- 3: D(\*) – REAL (KIND=nag\_wp) array *Input/Output*  
**Note:** the dimension of the array D must be at least  $\max(1, N)$ .  
*On entry:* the  $n$  diagonal elements of the tridiagonal matrix  $A$ .  
*On exit:* the  $n$  diagonal elements of the diagonal matrix  $D$  from the factorization  $A = LDL^H$ .

- 4: E(\*) – COMPLEX (KIND=nag\_wp) array Input/Output  
**Note:** the dimension of the array E must be at least  $\max(1, N - 1)$ .  
*On entry:* the  $(n - 1)$  subdiagonal elements of the tridiagonal matrix  $A$ .  
*On exit:* the  $(n - 1)$  subdiagonal elements of the unit bidiagonal factor  $L$  from the  $LDL^H$  factorization of  $A$ . (E can also be regarded as the superdiagonal of the unit bidiagonal factor  $U$  from the  $U^H DU$  factorization of  $A$ .)
- 5: B(LDB,\*) – COMPLEX (KIND=nag\_wp) array Input/Output  
**Note:** the second dimension of the array B must be at least  $\max(1, NRHS)$ .  
*On entry:* the  $n$  by  $r$  right-hand side matrix  $B$ .  
*On exit:* if  $INFO = 0$ , the  $n$  by  $r$  solution matrix  $X$ .
- 6: LDB – INTEGER Input  
*On entry:* the first dimension of the array B as declared in the (sub)program from which F07JNF (ZPTSV) is called.  
*Constraint:*  $LDB \geq \max(1, N)$ .
- 7: INFO – INTEGER Output  
*On exit:*  $INFO = 0$  unless the routine detects an error (see Section 6).

## 6 Error Indicators and Warnings

Errors or warnings detected by the routine:

$INFO < 0$

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

$INFO > 0$

If  $INFO = i$ , the leading minor of order  $i$  is not positive definite, and the solution has not been computed. The factorization has not been completed unless  $i = N$ .

## 7 Accuracy

The computed solution for a single right-hand side,  $\hat{x}$ , satisfies an equation of the form

$$(A + E)\hat{x} = b,$$

where

$$\|E\|_1 = O(\epsilon)\|A\|_1$$

and  $\epsilon$  is the *machine precision*. An approximate error bound for the computed solution is given by

$$\frac{\|\hat{x} - x\|_1}{\|x\|_1} \leq \kappa(A) \frac{\|E\|_1}{\|A\|_1},$$

where  $\kappa(A) = \|A^{-1}\|_1 \|A\|_1$ , the condition number of  $A$  with respect to the solution of the linear equations. See Section 4.4 of Anderson *et al.* (1999) for further details.

F07JPF (ZPTSVX) is a comprehensive LAPACK driver that returns forward and backward error bounds and an estimate of the condition number. Alternatively, F04CGF solves  $Ax = b$  and returns a forward error bound and condition estimate. F04CGF calls F07JNF (ZPTSV) to solve the equations.

## 8 Further Comments

The number of floating point operations required for the factorization of  $A$  is proportional to  $n$ , and the number of floating point operations required for the solution of the equations is proportional to  $nr$ , where  $r$  is the number of right-hand sides.

The real analogue of this routine is F07JAF (DPTSV).

## 9 Example

This example solves the equations

$$Ax = b,$$

where  $A$  is the Hermitian positive definite tridiagonal matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 16.0 & 16.0 - 16.0i & 0 & 0 \\ 16.0 + 16.0i & 41.0 & 18.0 + 9.0i & 0 \\ 0 & 18.0 - 9.0i & 46.0 & 1.0 + 4.0i \\ 0 & 0 & 1.0 - 4.0i & 21.0 \end{pmatrix}$$

and

$$b = \begin{pmatrix} 64.0 + 16.0i \\ 93.0 + 62.0i \\ 78.0 - 80.0i \\ 14.0 - 27.0i \end{pmatrix}.$$

Details of the  $LDL^H$  factorization of  $A$  are also output.

### 9.1 Program Text

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Program f07jnfe

!      F07JNF Example Program Text

!      Mark 24 Release. NAG Copyright 2012.

!      .. Use Statements ..
      Use nag_library, Only: nag_wp, zptsv
!      .. Implicit None Statement ..
      Implicit None
!      .. Parameters ..
      Integer, Parameter          :: nin = 5, nout = 6
!      .. Local Scalars ..
      Integer                     :: info, n
!      .. Local Arrays ..
      Complex (Kind=nag_wp), Allocatable :: b(:), e(:)
      Real (Kind=nag_wp), Allocatable  :: d(:)
!      .. Executable Statements ..
      Write (nout,*) 'F07JNF Example Program Results'
      Write (nout,*)
!      Skip heading in data file
      Read (nin,*)
      Read (nin,*) n

      Allocate (b(n),e(n-1),d(n))

!      Read the lower bidiagonal part of the tridiagonal matrix A and
!      the right hand side b from data file

      Read (nin,*) d(1:n)
      Read (nin,*) e(1:n-1)
      Read (nin,*) b(1:n)

!      Solve the equations Ax = b for x
!      The NAG name equivalent of zptsv is f07jnfe

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Call zptsv(n,1,d,e,b,n,info)
If (info==0) Then
!   Print solution
   Write (nout,*) 'Solution'
   Write (nout,99999) b(1:n)
!   Print details of factorization
   Write (nout,*)
   Write (nout,*) 'Diagonal elements of the diagonal matrix D'
   Write (nout,99998) d(1:n)
   Write (nout,*)
   Write (nout,*) 'Sub-diagonal elements of the Cholesky factor L'
   Write (nout,99999) e(1:n-1)
Else
   Write (nout,99997) 'The leading minor of order ', info, &
     ' is not positive definite'
End If
99999 Format (4(' (',F8.4,',',F8.4,')':))
99998 Format ((2X,F7.4,3(11X,F7.4)))
99997 Format (1X,A,I3,A)
End Program f07jnfe

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## 9.2 Program Data

F07JNF Example Program Data

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4                                     :Value of N
16.0          41.0          46.0          21.0          :End of diagonal D
( 16.0, 16.0) ( 18.0, -9.0) (  1.0, -4.0)          :End of sub-diagonal E
( 64.0, 16.0) ( 93.0, 62.0) ( 78.0,-80.0) ( 14.0,-27.0) :End of vector b

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## 9.3 Program Results

F07JNF Example Program Results

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Solution
( 2.0000, 1.0000) ( 1.0000, 1.0000) ( 1.0000, -2.0000) ( 1.0000, -1.0000)

Diagonal elements of the diagonal matrix D
16.0000          9.0000          1.0000          4.0000

Sub-diagonal elements of the Cholesky factor L
( 1.0000, 1.0000) ( 2.0000, -1.0000) ( 1.0000, -4.0000)

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