

# NAG Toolbox for MATLAB

## f08jd

### 1 Purpose

f08jd computes selected eigenvalues and, optionally, eigenvectors of a real  $n$  by  $n$  symmetric tridiagonal matrix  $T$ . Eigenvalues and eigenvectors can be selected by specifying either a range of values or a range of indices for the desired eigenvalues.

### 2 Syntax

```
[d, e, m, w, z, isuppz, info] = f08jd(jobz, range, d, e, vl, vu, il, iu, abstol, 'n', n)
```

### 3 Description

Whenever possible f08jd computes the eigenspectrum using Relatively Robust Representations. f08jd computes eigenvalues by the **dqds** algorithm, while orthogonal eigenvectors are computed from various ‘good’  $LDL^T$  representations (also known as Relatively Robust Representations). Gram–Schmidt orthogonalisation is avoided as far as possible. More specifically, the various steps of the algorithm are as follows. For the  $i$ th unreduced block of  $T$ :

- compute  $T - \sigma_i I = L_i D_i L_i^T$ , such that  $L_i D_i L_i^T$  is a relatively robust representation,
- compute the eigenvalues,  $\lambda_j$ , of  $L_i D_i L_i^T$  to high relative accuracy by the dqds algorithm,
- if there is a cluster of close eigenvalues, ‘choose’  $\sigma_i$  close to the cluster, and go to ,
- given the approximate eigenvalue  $\lambda_j$  of  $L_i D_i L_i^T$ , compute the corresponding eigenvector by forming a rank-revealing twisted factorization.

The desired accuracy of the output can be specified by the parameter **abstol**. For more details, see Dhillon 1997 and Parlett and Dhillon 2000.

### 4 References

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

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## 5 Parameters

### 5.1 Compulsory Input Parameters

1: **jobz** – string

If **jobz** = 'N', compute eigenvalues only.

If **jobz** = 'V', compute eigenvalues and eigenvectors.

*Constraint:* **jobz** = 'N' or 'V'.

2: **range** – string

If **range** = 'A', all eigenvalues will be found.

If **range** = 'V', all eigenvalues in the half-open interval (**vl**, **vu**] will be found.

If **range** = 'I', the **ilth** to **iuth** eigenvalues will be found.

*Constraint:* **range** = 'A', 'V' or 'I'.

3: **d**(\*) – double array

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

The  $n$  diagonal elements of the tridiagonal matrix  $T$ .

4: **e**(\*) – double array

**Note:** the dimension of the array **e** must be at least  $\max(1, \mathbf{n} - 1)$ .

The  $(n - 1)$  subdiagonal elements of the tridiagonal matrix  $T$ .

5: **vl** – double scalar

6: **vu** – double scalar

If **range** = 'V', the lower and upper bounds of the interval to be searched for eigenvalues.

If **range** = 'A' or 'I', **vl** and **vu** are not referenced.

*Constraint:* if **range** = 'V', **vl** < **vu**.

7: **il** – int32 scalar

8: **iu** – int32 scalar

If **range** = 'I', the indices (in ascending order) of the smallest and largest eigenvalues to be returned.

If **range** = 'A' or 'V', **il** and **iu** are not referenced.

*Constraints:*

if  $\mathbf{n} = 0$ , **il** = 1 and **iu** = 0;

if  $\mathbf{n} > 0$ ,  $1 \leq \mathbf{il} \leq \mathbf{iu} \leq \mathbf{n}$ .

9: **abstol** – double scalar

The absolute error tolerance for the eigenvalues. An approximate eigenvalue is accepted as converged when it is determined to lie in an interval  $[a, b]$  of width less than or equal to

$$\mathbf{abstol} + \epsilon \max(|a|, |b|),$$

where  $\epsilon$  is the *machine precision*. If **abstol** is less than or equal to zero, then  $\epsilon \|T\|_1$  will be used in its place. See Demmel and Kahan 1990.

If high relative accuracy is important, set **abstol** to `x02am( )`, although doing so does not currently guarantee that eigenvalues are computed to high relative accuracy. See Barlow and Demmel 1990 for a discussion of which matrices can define their eigenvalues to high relative accuracy.

## 5.2 Optional Input Parameters

1: **n** – **int32 scalar**

*Default:* The dimension of the array **d**.

*n*, the order of the matrix.

*Constraint:*  $n \geq 0$ .

## 5.3 Input Parameters Omitted from the MATLAB Interface

ldz, work, lwork, iwork, liwork

## 5.4 Output Parameters

1: **d**(\*) – **double array**

**Note:** the dimension of the array **d** must be at least  $\max(1, n)$ .

May be multiplied by a constant factor chosen to avoid over/underflow in computing the eigenvalues.

2: **e**(\*) – **double array**

**Note:** the dimension of the array **e** must be at least  $\max(1, n - 1)$ .

May be multiplied by a constant factor chosen to avoid over/underflow in computing the eigenvalues.

3: **m** – **int32 scalar**

The total number of eigenvalues found.

If **range** = 'A', **m** = **n**.

If **range** = 'V', the exact value of **m** is not known in advance, but will satisfy  $0 \leq m \leq n$ .

If **range** = 'I', **m** = **iu** – **il** + 1.

4: **w**(\*) – **double array**

**Note:** the dimension of the array **w** must be at least  $\max(1, n)$ .

The first **m** elements contain the selected eigenvalues in ascending order.

5: **z**(ldz,\*) – **double array**

The first dimension, **ldz**, of the array **z** must satisfy

if **jobz** = 'V', **ldz**  $\geq \max(1, n)$ ;

**ldz**  $\geq 1$  otherwise.

The second dimension of the array must be at least  $\max(1, m)$

If **jobz** = 'V', then if **info** = 0, the first *m* columns of *Z* contain the orthonormal eigenvectors of the matrix *A* corresponding to the selected eigenvalues, with the *i*th column of *Z* holding the eigenvector associated with **w**(*i*).

If **jobz** = 'N', **z** is not referenced.

**Note:** you must ensure that at least  $\max(1, m)$  columns are supplied in the array **z**; if **range** = 'V', the exact value of **m** is not known in advance and an upper bound must be used.

6: **isuppz**(\*) – **int32** array

**Note:** the dimension of the array **isuppz** must be at least  $\max(1, 2 \times \mathbf{m})$ .

The support of the eigenvectors in **z**, i.e., the indices indicating the nonzero elements in **z**. The  $i$ th eigenvector is nonzero only in elements **isuppz**( $2 \times i - 1$ ) through **isuppz**( $2 \times i$ ). Implemented only for **range** = 'A' or 'I' and **iu** – **il** = **n** – 1.

7: **info** – **int32** scalar

**info** = 0 unless the function detects an error (see Section 6).

## 6 Error Indicators and Warnings

Errors or warnings detected by the function:

**info** =  $-i$

If **info** =  $-i$ , parameter  $i$  had an illegal value on entry. The parameters are numbered as follows:

1: **jobz**, 2: **range**, 3: **n**, 4: **d**, 5: **e**, 6: **vl**, 7: **vu**, 8: **il**, 9: **iu**, 10: **abstol**, 11: **m**, 12: **w**, 13: **z**, 14: **ldz**, 15: **isuppz**, 16: **work**, 17: **lwork**, 18: **iwork**, 19: **liwork**, 20: **info**.

It is possible that **info** refers to a parameter that is omitted from the MATLAB interface. This usually indicates that an error in one of the other input parameters has caused an incorrect value to be inferred.

**info** > 0

An internal error has occurred in this function. Please refer to **info** in f08jj.

## 7 Accuracy

The computed eigenvalues and eigenvectors are exact for a nearby matrix  $(A + E)$ , where

$$\|E\|_2 = O(\epsilon)\|A\|_2,$$

and  $\epsilon$  is the *machine precision*. See Section 4.7 of Anderson *et al.* 1999 for further details.

## 8 Further Comments

The total number of floating-point operations is proportional to  $n^2$  if **jobz** = 'N' and is proportional to  $n^3$  if **jobz** = 'V' and **range** = 'A', otherwise the number of floating-point operations will depend upon the number of computed eigenvectors.

## 9 Example

```
jobz = 'Vectors';
range = 'Indices';
d = [1;
     4;
     9;
    16];
e = [1;
     2;
     3];
vl = 0;
vu = 0;
il = int32(2);
iu = int32(3);
abstol = 0;
[dOut, eOut, m, w, z, isuppz, info] = f08jd(jobz, range, d, e, vl, vu,
```

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il, iu, abstol)
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dOut =
```

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1
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4
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9
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16
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eOut =
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1
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2
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3
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m =
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2
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w =
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```
3.5470
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8.6578
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0
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0
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z =
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0.3388 0.0494
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0.8628 0.3781
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-0.3648 0.8558
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0.0879 -0.3497
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isuppz =
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0
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0
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0
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0
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info =
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0
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