

NAG Toolbox for MATLAB

f11de

1 Purpose

f11de solves a real sparse nonsymmetric system of linear equations, represented in co-ordinate storage format, using a restarted generalized minimal residual (RGMRES), conjugate gradient squared (CGS), stabilized bi-conjugate gradient (Bi-CGSTAB), or transpose-free quasi-minimal residual (TFQMR) method, without preconditioning, with Jacobi, or with SSOR preconditioning.

2 Syntax

```
[x, rnorm, itn, ifail] = f11de(method, precon, a, irow, icol, omega, b,
m, tol, maxitn, x, 'n', n, 'nnz', nnz)
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3 Description

f11de solves a real sparse nonsymmetric system of linear equations

$$Ax = b,$$

using an RGMRES (see Saad and Schultz 1986), CGS (see Sonneveld 1989), Bi-CGSTAB(ℓ) (see Van der Vorst 1989 and Sleijpen and Fokkema 1993), or TFQMR (see Freund and Nachtigal 1991 and Freund 1993) method.

The function allows the following choices for the preconditioner:

no preconditioning;

Jacobi preconditioning (see Young 1971);

symmetric successive-over-relaxation (SSOR) preconditioning (see Young 1971).

For incomplete LU (ILU) preconditioning see f11dc.

The matrix A is represented in co-ordinate storage (CS) format (see Section 2.1.1 in the F11 Chapter Introduction) in the arrays **a**, **irow** and **icol**. The array **a** holds the nonzero entries in the matrix, while **irow** and **icol** hold the corresponding row and column indices.

f11de is a Black Box function which calls f11bd, f11be and f11bf. If you wish to use an alternative storage scheme, preconditioner, or termination criterion, or require additional diagnostic information, you should call these underlying functions directly.

4 References

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5 Parameters

5.1 Compulsory Input Parameters

1: **method** – string

The iterative method to be used.

method = 'RGMRES'

Restarted generalized minimum residual method.

method = 'CGS'

Conjugate gradient squared method.

method = 'BICGSTAB'

Bi-conjugate gradient stabilized (ℓ) method.

method = 'TFQMR'

Transpose-free quasi-minimal residual method.

Constraint: **method** = 'RGMRES', 'CGS' or 'BICGSTAB', or 'TFQMR'.

2: **precon** – string

Specifies the type of preconditioning to be used.

precon = 'N'

No preconditioning.

precon = 'J'

Jacobi.

precon = 'S'

Symmetric successive-over-relaxation.

Constraint: **precon** = 'N', 'J' or 'S'.

3: **a(nnz)** – double array

The nonzero elements of the matrix A , ordered by increasing row index, and by increasing column index within each row. Multiple entries for the same row and column indices are not permitted. The function f11za may be used to order the elements in this way.

4: **irow(nnz)** – int32 array

5: **icol(nnz)** – int32 array

The row and column indices of the nonzero elements supplied in **a**.

Constraints:

$$1 \leq \mathbf{irow}(i) \leq \mathbf{n} \text{ and } 1 \leq \mathbf{icol}(i) \leq \mathbf{n}, \text{ for } i = 1, 2, \dots, \mathbf{nnz};$$

$$\mathbf{irow}(i-1) < \mathbf{irow}(i) \quad \text{or} \quad \mathbf{irow}(i-1) = \mathbf{irow}(i) \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{icol}(i-1) < \mathbf{icol}(i), \quad \text{for}$$

$$i = 2, 3, \dots, \mathbf{nnz}.$$

irow and **icol** must satisfy the following constraints (which may be imposed by a call to f11za):

6: **omega** – double scalar

If **precon** = 'S', **omega** is the relaxation parameter ω to be used in the SSOR method. Otherwise **omega** need not be initialized and is not referenced.

Constraint: $0.0 < \mathbf{omega} < 2.0$.

7: **b(n) – double array**

The right-hand side vector b .

8: **m – int32 scalar**

If **method** = 'RGMRES', **m** is the dimension of the restart subspace.

If **method** = 'BICGSTAB', **m** is the order ℓ of the polynomial Bi-CGSTAB method.

Otherwise, **m** is not referenced.

Constraints:

if **method** = 'RGMRES', $0 < \mathbf{m} \leq \min(\mathbf{n}, 50)$;
if **method** = 'BICGSTAB', $0 < \mathbf{m} \leq \min(\mathbf{n}, 10)$.

9: **tol – double scalar**

The required tolerance. Let x_k denote the approximate solution at iteration k , and r_k the corresponding residual. The algorithm is considered to have converged at iteration k if

$$\|r_k\|_{\infty} \leq \tau \times (\|b\|_{\infty} + \|A\|_{\infty} \|x_k\|_{\infty}).$$

If **tol** ≤ 0.0 , $\tau = \max(\sqrt{\epsilon}, \sqrt{n\epsilon})$ is used, where ϵ is the *machine precision*. Otherwise $\tau = \max(\mathbf{tol}, 10\epsilon, \sqrt{n\epsilon})$ is used.

Constraint: **tol** < 1.0 .

10: **maxitn – int32 scalar**

The maximum number of iterations allowed.

Constraint: **maxitn** ≥ 1 .

11: **x(n) – double array**

An initial approximation to the solution vector x .

5.2 Optional Input Parameters1: **n – int32 scalar**

Default: The dimension of the arrays **b**, **x**. (An error is raised if these dimensions are not equal.)
 n , the order of the matrix A .

Constraint: **n** ≥ 1 .

2: **nnz – int32 scalar**

Default: The dimension of the arrays **a**, **irow**, **icol**. (An error is raised if these dimensions are not equal.)

the number of nonzero elements in the matrix A .

Constraint: $1 \leq \mathbf{nnz} \leq \mathbf{n}^2$.

5.3 Input Parameters Omitted from the MATLAB Interface

work, lwork, iwork

5.4 Output Parameters1: **x(n) – double array**

An improved approximation to the solution vector x .

2: **rnorm** – double scalar

The final value of the residual norm $\|r_k\|_\infty$, where k is the output value of **itn**.

3: **itn** – int32 scalar

The number of iterations carried out.

4: **ifail** – int32 scalar

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

6 Error Indicators and Warnings

Errors or warnings detected by the function:

ifail = 1

On entry, **method** $\neq$ 'RGMRES', 'CGS', 'BICGSTAB', or 'TFQMR',
 or **precon** $\neq$ 'N', 'J' or 'S',
 or **n** < 1,
 or **nnz** < 1,
 or **nnz** > **n**²,
 or **precon** = 'S' and **omega** lies outside the interval (0.0, 2.0),
 or **m** < 1,
 or **m** > min(**n**, 50), with **method** = 'RGMRES',
 or **m** > min(**n**, 10), with **method** = 'BICGSTAB',
 or **tol** $\geq$ 1.0,
 or **maxitn** < 1,
 or **lwork** too small.

ifail = 2

On entry, the arrays **irow** and **icol** fail to satisfy the following constraints:

$1 \leq \mathbf{irow}(i) \leq \mathbf{n}$ and $1 \leq \mathbf{icol}(i) \leq \mathbf{n}$, for $i = 1, 2, \dots, \mathbf{nnz}$;

$\mathbf{irow}(i-1) < \mathbf{irow}(i)$, or $\mathbf{irow}(i-1) = \mathbf{irow}(i)$ and $\mathbf{icol}(i-1) < \mathbf{icol}(i)$, for $i = 2, 3, \dots, \mathbf{nnz}$.

Therefore a nonzero element has been supplied which does not lie within the matrix A , is out of order, or has duplicate row and column indices. Call f11za to reorder and sum or remove duplicates.

ifail = 3

On entry, the matrix A has a zero diagonal element. Jacobi and SSOR preconditioners are not appropriate for this problem.

ifail = 4

The required accuracy could not be obtained. However, a reasonable accuracy may have been obtained, and further iterations could not improve the result. You should check the output value of **rnorm** for acceptability. This error code usually implies that your problem has been fully and satisfactorily solved to within or close to the accuracy available on your system. Further iterations are unlikely to improve on this situation.

ifail = 5

Required accuracy not obtained in **maxitn** iterations.

ifail = 5 (f11bd, f11be or f11bf)

A serious error has occurred in an internal call to one of the specified functions. Check all (sub)program calls and array sizes. Seek expert help.

7 Accuracy

On successful termination, the final residual $r_k = b - Ax_k$, where $k = \mathbf{itn}$, satisfies the termination criterion

$$\|r_k\|_\infty \leq \tau \times (\|b\|_\infty + \|A\|_\infty \|x_k\|_\infty).$$

The value of the final residual norm is returned in **rnorm**.

8 Further Comments

The time taken by f11de for each iteration is roughly proportional to **nnz**.

The number of iterations required to achieve a prescribed accuracy cannot be easily determined *a priori*, as it can depend dramatically on the conditioning and spectrum of the preconditioned coefficient matrix $\bar{A} = \mathbf{m}^{-1}A$.

9 Example

```
method = 'RGMRES  ';
precon = 'S';
a = [2;
     1;
     -1;
     -3;
     -2;
     1;
     1;
     5;
     3;
     1;
     -2;
     -3;
     -1;
     4;
     -2;
     -6];
irow = [int32(1);
        int32(1);
        int32(1);
        int32(2);
        int32(2);
        int32(2);
        int32(3);
        int32(3);
        int32(3);
        int32(3);
        int32(4);
        int32(4);
        int32(4);
        int32(4);
        int32(5);
        int32(5);
        int32(5)];
icol = [int32(1);
        int32(2);
        int32(4);
        int32(2);
        int32(3);
        int32(5);
        int32(1);
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int32(3);
int32(4);
int32(5);
int32(1);
int32(4);
int32(5);
int32(2);
int32(3);
int32(5)];
omega = 1.05;
b = [0;
     -7;
     33;
     -19;
     -28];
m = int32(1);
tol = 1e-10;
maxitn = int32(1000);
x = [0;
     0;
     0;
     0;
     0];
[xOut, rnorm, itn, ifail] = ...
    f11de(method, precon, a, irow, icol, omega, b, m, tol, maxitn, x)

xOut =
    1.0000
    2.0000
    3.0000
    4.0000
    5.0000
rnorm =
    5.0871e-09
itn =
    13
ifail =
    0
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