

# NAG Library Function Document

## nag\_dgerqf (f08chc)

### 1 Purpose

nag\_dgerqf (f08chc) computes an RQ factorization of a real  $m$  by  $n$  matrix  $A$ .

### 2 Specification

```
#include <nag.h>
#include <nagf08.h>

void nag_dgerqf (Nag_OrderType order, Integer m, Integer n, double a[],
                 Integer pda, double tau[], NagError *fail)
```

### 3 Description

nag\_dgerqf (f08chc) forms the  $RQ$  factorization of an arbitrary rectangular real  $m$  by  $n$  matrix. If  $m \leq n$ , the factorization is given by

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & R \end{pmatrix} Q,$$

where  $R$  is an  $m$  by  $m$  lower triangular matrix and  $Q$  is an  $n$  by  $n$  orthogonal matrix. If  $m > n$  the factorization is given by

$$A = RQ,$$

where  $R$  is an  $m$  by  $n$  upper trapezoidal matrix and  $Q$  is again an  $n$  by  $n$  orthogonal matrix. In the case where  $m < n$  the factorization can be expressed as

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & R \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} Q_1 \\ Q_2 \end{pmatrix} = RQ_2,$$

where  $Q_1$  consists of the first  $(n - m)$  rows of  $Q$  and  $Q_2$  the remaining  $m$  rows.

The matrix  $Q$  is not formed explicitly, but is represented as a product of  $\min(m, n)$  elementary reflectors (see the f08 Chapter Introduction for details). Functions are provided to work with  $Q$  in this representation (see Section 9).

### 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 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 2.3.1.3 in How to Use the NAG Library and its Documentation for a more detailed explanation of the use of this argument.

*Constraint:* **order** = Nag\_RowMajor or Nag\_ColMajor.

- 2: **m** – Integer *Input*  
*On entry:*  $m$ , the number of rows of the matrix  $A$ .  
*Constraint:*  $\mathbf{m} \geq 0$ .
- 3: **n** – Integer *Input*  
*On entry:*  $n$ , the number of columns of the matrix  $A$ .  
*Constraint:*  $\mathbf{n} \geq 0$ .
- 4: **a**[ $dim$ ] – double *Input/Output*  
**Note:** the dimension,  $dim$ , of the array **a** must be at least  
 $\max(1, \mathbf{pda} \times \mathbf{n})$  when **order** = Nag\_ColMajor;  
 $\max(1, \mathbf{m} \times \mathbf{pda})$  when **order** = Nag\_RowMajor.  
Where  $\mathbf{A}(i, j)$  appears in this document, it refers to the array element  
 $\mathbf{a}[(j-1) \times \mathbf{pda} + i - 1]$  when **order** = Nag\_ColMajor;  
 $\mathbf{a}[(i-1) \times \mathbf{pda} + j - 1]$  when **order** = Nag\_RowMajor.  
*On entry:* the  $m$  by  $n$  matrix  $A$ .  
*On exit:* if  $m \leq n$ , the upper triangle of the subarray  $\mathbf{A}(1 : m, n - m + 1 : n)$  contains the  $m$  by  $m$  upper triangular matrix  $R$ .  
If  $m \geq n$ , the elements on and above the  $(m - n)$ th subdiagonal contain the  $m$  by  $n$  upper trapezoidal matrix  $R$ ; the remaining elements, with the array **tau**, represent the orthogonal matrix  $Q$  as a product of  $\min(m, n)$  elementary reflectors (see Section 3.3.6 in the f08 Chapter Introduction).
- 5: **pda** – Integer *Input*  
*On entry:* the stride separating row or column elements (depending on the value of **order**) in the array **a**.  
*Constraints:*  
if **order** = Nag\_ColMajor,  $\mathbf{pda} \geq \max(1, \mathbf{m})$ ;  
if **order** = Nag\_RowMajor,  $\mathbf{pda} \geq \max(1, \mathbf{n})$ .
- 6: **tau**[ $dim$ ] – double *Output*  
**Note:** the dimension,  $dim$ , of the array **tau** must be at least  $\max(1, \min(\mathbf{m}, \mathbf{n}))$ .  
*On exit:* the scalar factors of the elementary reflectors.
- 7: **fail** – NagError \* *Input/Output*  
The NAG error argument (see Section 2.7 in How to Use the NAG Library and its Documentation).

## 6 Error Indicators and Warnings

### NE\_ALLOC\_FAIL

Dynamic memory allocation failed.

See Section 2.3.1.2 in How to Use the NAG Library and its Documentation for further information.

### NE\_BAD\_PARAM

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

**NE\_INT**

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

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

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 **m** =  $\langle value \rangle$ .

Constraint: **pda**  $\geq \max(1, \mathbf{m})$ .

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

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

**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 2.7.6 in How to Use the NAG Library and its Documentation for further information.

**NE\_NO\_LICENCE**

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

See Section 2.7.5 in How to Use the NAG Library and its Documentation for further information.

**7 Accuracy**

The computed factorization is the exact factorization of a nearby matrix  $A + E$ , where

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

and  $\epsilon$  is the *machine precision*.

**8 Parallelism and Performance**

nag\_dgerqf (f08chc) makes calls to BLAS and/or LAPACK routines, which may be threaded within the vendor library used by this implementation. Consult the documentation for the vendor library for further information.

Please consult the x06 Chapter Introduction for information on how to control and interrogate the OpenMP environment used within this function. Please also consult the Users' Note for your implementation for any additional implementation-specific information.

**9 Further Comments**

The total number of floating-point operations is approximately  $\frac{2}{3}m^2(3n - m)$  if  $m \leq n$ , or  $\frac{2}{3}n^2(3m - n)$  if  $m > n$ .

To form the orthogonal matrix  $Q$  nag\_dgerqf (f08chc) may be followed by a call to nag\_dorgrq (f08cjc):

```
nag_dorgrq(order, n, n, minmn, a, pda, tau, &fail)
```

where  $\text{minmn} = \min(m, n)$ , but note that the first dimension of the array **a** must be at least **n**, which may be larger than was required by nag\_dgerqf (f08chc). When  $m \leq n$ , it is often only the first  $m$  rows of  $Q$  that are required and they may be formed by the call:

```
nag_dorgrq(order, m, n, m, a, pda, tau, c, pdc, &fail)
```

To apply  $Q$  to an arbitrary real rectangular matrix  $C$ , `nag_dgerqf (f08chc)` may be followed by a call to `nag_dormrq (f08ckc)`. For example:

```
nag_dormrq(Nag_LeftSide, Nag_Trans, n, p, minmn, a, pda, tau, c, pdc, &fail)
```

forms  $C = Q^T C$ , where  $C$  is  $n$  by  $p$ .

The complex analogue of this function is `nag_zgerqf (f08cvc)`.

## 10 Example

This example finds the minimum norm solution to the underdetermined equations

$$Ax = b$$

where

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -5.42 & 3.28 & -3.68 & 0.27 & 2.06 & 0.46 \\ -1.65 & -3.40 & -3.20 & -1.03 & -4.06 & -0.01 \\ -0.37 & 2.35 & 1.90 & 4.31 & -1.76 & 1.13 \\ -3.15 & -0.11 & 1.99 & -2.70 & 0.26 & 4.50 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad b = \begin{pmatrix} -2.87 \\ 1.63 \\ -3.52 \\ 0.45 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The solution is obtained by first obtaining an  $RQ$  factorization of the matrix  $A$ .

### 10.1 Program Text

```
/* nag_dgerqf (f08chc) Example Program.
 *
 * NAGPRODCODE Version.
 *
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 *
 * Mark 26, 2016.
 */

#include <stdio.h>
#include <nag.h>
#include <nag_stdlib.h>
#include <nagf07.h>
#include <nagf08.h>
#include <nagf16.h>

int main(void)
{
    /* Scalars */
    Integer i, j, m, n, nrhs, pda, pdb, pdx;
    Integer exit_status = 0;
    /* Arrays */
    double *a = 0, *b = 0, *tau = 0, *x = 0;
    /* Nag Types */
    Nag_OrderType order;
    NagError fail;

#ifdef NAG_COLUMN_MAJOR
#define A(I, J) a[(J - 1) * pda + I - 1]
#define B(I, J) b[(J - 1) * pdb + I - 1]
    order = Nag_ColMajor;
#else
#define A(I, J) a[(I - 1) * pda + J - 1]
#define B(I, J) b[(I - 1) * pdb + J - 1]
    order = Nag_RowMajor;
#endif

    INIT_FAIL(fail);

    printf("nag_dgerqf (f08chc) 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 "%" NAG_IFMT "%" NAG_IFMT "%*[\n]", &m, &n, &nrhs);
#else
    scanf("%" NAG_IFMT "%" NAG_IFMT "%" NAG_IFMT "%*[\n]", &m, &n, &nrhs);
#endif

#ifdef NAG_COLUMN_MAJOR
    pda = m;
    pdb = m;
    pdx = n;
#else
    pda = n;
    pdb = nrhs;
    pdx = 1;
#endif

/* Allocate memory */
if (!(a = NAG_ALLOC(m * n, double)) ||
    !(b = NAG_ALLOC(m * nrhs, double)) ||
    !(tau = NAG_ALLOC(MAX(1, MIN(m, n)), double)) ||
    !(x = NAG_ALLOC(n, double)))
{
    printf("Allocation failure\n");
    exit_status = -1;
    goto END;
}

/* Read the matrix A and the vectors b from data file */
for (i = 1; i <= m; ++i)
    for (j = 1; j <= n; ++j)
#ifdef _WIN32
        scanf_s("%lf", &A(i, j));
#else
        scanf("%lf", &A(i, j));
#endif
#ifdef _WIN32
    scanf_s("%*[\n]");
#else
    scanf("%*[\n]");
#endif

    for (i = 1; i <= m; ++i)
        for (j = 1; j <= nrhs; ++j)
#ifdef _WIN32
            scanf_s("%lf", &B(i, j));
#else
            scanf("%lf", &B(i, j));
#endif
#ifdef _WIN32
    scanf_s("%*[\n]");
#else
    scanf("%*[\n]");
#endif

/* nag_dgerqf (f08chc).
 * Compute the RQ factorization of A.
 */
nag_dgerqf(order, m, n, a, pda, tau, &fail);
if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR) {
    printf("Error from nag_dgerqf (f08chc).\n%s\n", fail.message);
    exit_status = 1;
    goto END;
}

/* nag_dge_copy (f16qfc).
 * Copy the m element vector b into x2, where x2 is the vector
 * containing the elements x(n-m+1), ..., x(n) of x.

```

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    */
    nag_dge_copy(order, Nag_NoTrans, m, 1, &B(1, 1), pdb, &x[n - m], pdx,
                &fail);
    if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR) {
        printf("Error from nag_dge_copy (f16qfc).\n%s\n", fail.message);
        exit_status = 1;
        goto END;
    }

    /* nag_dtrtrs (f07tec).
    * Solve R*y2 = b, storing the result in x2.
    */
    nag_dtrtrs(order, Nag_Upper, Nag_NoTrans, Nag_NonUnitDiag, m, 1,
                &A(1, n - m + 1), pda, &x[n - m], pdx, &fail);
    if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR) {
        printf("Error from nag_dtrtrs (f07tec).\n%s\n", fail.message);
        exit_status = 1;
        goto END;
    }

    /* nag_dload (f16fbc).
    * Set y1 to zero (stored in rows 1 to (n-m) of x).
    */
    nag_dload(n - m, 0.0, x, 1, &fail);
    if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR) {
        printf("Error from nag_dload (f16fbc).\n%s\n", fail.message);
        exit_status = 1;
        goto END;
    }

    /* nag_dormrq (f08ckc).
    * Compute the minimum-norm solution x = (Q^T)*y.
    */
    nag_dormrq(order, Nag_LeftSide, Nag_Trans, n, 1, m, a, pda, tau, x, pdx,
                &fail);
    if (fail.code != NE_NOERROR) {
        printf("Error from nag_dormrq (f08ckc).\n%s\n", fail.message);
        exit_status = 1;
        goto END;
    }

    /* Print minimum-norm solution */
    printf("Minimum-norm solution\n");
    for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)
        printf("%9.4f%s", x[i], (i + 1) % 8 == 0 ? "\n" : " ");

END:
    NAG_FREE(a);
    NAG_FREE(b);
    NAG_FREE(tau);
    NAG_FREE(x);

    return exit_status;
}

#undef A
#undef B

```

## 10.2 Program Data

nag\_dgerqf (f08chc) Example Program Data

4	6	1				:Values of m, n and nrhs
-5.42	3.28	-3.68	0.27	2.06	0.46	
-1.65	-3.40	-3.20	-1.03	-4.06	-0.01	
-0.37	2.35	1.90	4.31	-1.76	1.13	
-3.15	-0.11	1.99	-2.70	0.26	4.50	:End of matrix A

```
-2.87
 1.63
-3.52
 0.45                                :End of vector b
```

### **10.3 Program Results**

nag\_dgerqf (f08chc) Example Program Results

Minimum-norm solution

0.2371	-0.4575	-0.0085	-0.5192	0.0239	-0.0543
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