

NAG Library Routine Document

G02BDF

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

G02BDF computes means and standard deviations of variables, sums of squares and cross-products about zero, and correlation-like coefficients for a set of data.

2 Specification

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SUBROUTINE G02BDF(N, M, X, LDX, XBAR, STD, SSPZ, LDSSPZ, RZ, LDRZ,
1              IFAIL)
      INTEGER          N, M, LDX, LDSSPZ, LDRZ, IFAIL
      double precision X(LDX,M), XBAR(M), STD(M), SSPZ(LDSSPZ,M), RZ(LDRZ,M)

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3 Description

The input data consists of n observations for each of m variables, given as an array

$$[x_{ij}], \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n (n \geq 2), \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, m \quad (m \geq 2),$$

where x_{ij} is the i th observation on the j th variable.

The quantities calculated are:

(a) Means:

$$\bar{x}_j = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_{ij}, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, m.$$

(b) Standard deviations:

$$s_j = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_{ij} - \bar{x}_j)^2}, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, m.$$

(c) Sums of squares and cross-products about zero:

$$\tilde{S}_{jk} = \sum_{i=1}^n x_{ij} x_{ik}, \quad j, k = 1, 2, \dots, m.$$

(d) Correlation-like coefficients:

$$\tilde{R}_{jk} = \frac{\tilde{S}_{jk}}{\sqrt{\tilde{S}_{jj} \tilde{S}_{kk}}}, \quad j, k = 1, 2, \dots, m.$$

If $\tilde{S}_{jj}$ or $\tilde{S}_{kk}$ is zero, $\tilde{R}_{jk}$ is set to zero.

4 References

None.

5 Parameters

- 1: N – INTEGER *Input*
On entry: n , the number of observations or cases.
Constraint: $N \geq 2$.

- 2: M – INTEGER *Input*
On entry: m , the number of variables.
Constraint: $M \geq 2$.

- 3: X(LDX,M) – **double precision** array *Input*
On entry: $X(i, j)$ must be set to the value of x_{ij} , the i th observation on the j th variable, for $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ and $j = 1, 2, \dots, m$.

- 4: LDX – INTEGER *Input*
On entry: the first dimension of the array X as declared in the (sub)program from which G02BDF is called.
Constraint: $LDX \geq N$.

- 5: XBAR(M) – **double precision** array *Output*
On exit: $XBAR(j)$ contains the mean value, $\bar{x}_j$, of the j th variable, for $j = 1, 2, \dots, m$.

- 6: STD(M) – **double precision** array *Output*
On exit: the standard deviation, s_j , of the j th variable, for $j = 1, 2, \dots, m$.

- 7: SSPZ(LDSSPZ,M) – **double precision** array *Output*
On exit: $SSPZ(j, k)$ is the cross-product about zero, $\tilde{S}_{jk}$, for $j, k = 1, 2, \dots, m$.

- 8: LDSSPZ – INTEGER *Input*
On entry: the first dimension of the array SSPZ as declared in the (sub)program from which G02BDF is called.
Constraint: $LDSSPZ \geq M$.

- 9: RZ(LDRZ,M) – **double precision** array *Output*
On exit: $RZ(j, k)$ is the correlation-like coefficient, $\tilde{R}_{jk}$, between the j th and k th variables, for $j, k = 1, 2, \dots, m$.

- 10: LDRZ – INTEGER *Input*
On entry: the first dimension of the array RZ as declared in the (sub)program from which G02BDF is called.
Constraint: $LDRZ \geq M$.

- 11: IFAIL – INTEGER *Input/Output*
On entry: IFAIL must be set to 0, -1 or 1. If you are unfamiliar with this parameter you should refer to Section 3.3 in the Essential Introduction for details.
On exit: $IFAIL = 0$ unless the routine detects an error (see Section 6).
For environments where it might be inappropriate to halt program execution when an error is detected, the value -1 or 1 is recommended. If the output of error messages is undesirable, then the value 1 is recommended. Otherwise, if you are not familiar with this parameter, the

recommended value is 0. **When the value -1 or 1 is used it is essential to test the value of IFAIL on exit.**

6 Error Indicators and Warnings

If on entry $IFAIL = 0$ or -1 , explanatory error messages are output on the current error message unit (as defined by X04AAF).

Errors or warnings detected by the routine:

$IFAIL = 1$

On entry, $N < 2$.

$IFAIL = 2$

On entry, $M < 2$.

$IFAIL = 3$

On entry, $LDX < N$,
or $LDSSPZ < M$,
or $LDRZ < M$.

7 Accuracy

G02BDF does not use *additional precision* arithmetic for the accumulation of scalar products, so there may be a loss of significant figures for large n .

8 Further Comments

The time taken by G02BDF depends on n and m .

The routine uses a two-pass algorithm.

9 Example

This example reads in a set of data consisting of five observations on each of three variables. The means, standard deviations, sums of squares and cross-products about zero, and correlation-like coefficients for all three variables are then calculated and printed.

9.1 Program Text

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*      G02BDF Example Program Text
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*      .. Parameters ..
      INTEGER          M, N, LDX, LDSSPZ, LDRZ
      PARAMETER        (M=3,N=5,LDX=N,LDSSPZ=M,LDRZ=M)
      INTEGER          NIN, NOUT
      PARAMETER        (NIN=5,NOUT=6)
*      .. Local Scalars ..
      INTEGER          I, IFAIL, J
*      .. Local Arrays ..
      DOUBLE PRECISION RZ(LDRZ,M), SSPZ(LDSSPZ,M), STD(M), X(LDX,M),
+      XBAR(M)
*      .. External Subroutines ..
      EXTERNAL         G02BDF
*      .. Executable Statements ..
      WRITE (NOUT,*) 'G02BDF Example Program Results'
*      Skip heading in data file
      READ (NIN,*)
      READ (NIN,*) ((X(I,J),J=1,M),I=1,N)
      WRITE (NOUT,*)
      WRITE (NOUT,99999) 'Number of variables (columns) =', M
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      WRITE (NOUT,99999) 'Number of cases      (rows)      =', N
      WRITE (NOUT,*)
      WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Data matrix is:-'
      WRITE (NOUT,*)
      WRITE (NOUT,99998) (J,J=1,M)
      WRITE (NOUT,99997) (I,(X(I,J),J=1,M),I=1,N)
      WRITE (NOUT,*)
      IFAIL = 1
*
      CALL G02BDF(N,M,X,LDX,XBAR,STD,SSPZ,LDSSPZ,RZ,LDRZ,IFAIL)
*
      IF (IFAIL.LT.0) THEN
        WRITE (NOUT,*)
        WRITE (NOUT,99999) ' ** G02BDF returned with IFAIL = ', IFAIL
      ELSE
        IF (IFAIL.NE.0) THEN
          WRITE (NOUT,99999) 'Routine fails, IFAIL =', IFAIL
        ELSE
          WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Variable      Mean      St. dev.'
          WRITE (NOUT,99996) (I,XBAR(I),STD(I),I=1,M)
          WRITE (NOUT,*)
          WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Sums of squares and cross-products about'//
+          ' zero'
          WRITE (NOUT,99998) (I,I=1,M)
          WRITE (NOUT,99997) (I,(SSPZ(I,J),J=1,M),I=1,M)
          WRITE (NOUT,*)
          WRITE (NOUT,*) 'Correlation-like coefficients'
          WRITE (NOUT,99998) (I,I=1,M)
          WRITE (NOUT,99997) (I,(RZ(I,J),J=1,M),I=1,M)
        END IF
      END IF
*
      99999 FORMAT (1X,A,I5)
      99998 FORMAT (1X,6I12)
      99997 FORMAT (1X,I3,3F12.4)
      99996 FORMAT (1X,I5,2F11.4)
      END

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9.2 Program Data

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2.00	3.00	3.00
4.00	6.00	4.00
9.00	9.00	0.00
0.00	12.00	2.00
12.00	-1.00	5.00

9.3 Program Results

G02BDF Example Program Results

Number of variables (columns) = 3
 Number of cases (rows) = 5

Data matrix is:-

	1	2	3
1	2.0000	3.0000	3.0000
2	4.0000	6.0000	4.0000
3	9.0000	9.0000	0.0000
4	0.0000	12.0000	2.0000
5	12.0000	-1.0000	5.0000

Variable	Mean	St. dev.
1	5.4000	4.9800
2	5.8000	5.0695
3	2.8000	1.9235

Sums of squares and cross-products about zero

1	2	3
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1	245.0000	99.0000	82.0000
2	99.0000	271.0000	52.0000
3	82.0000	52.0000	54.0000

Correlation-like coefficients

	1	2	3
1	1.0000	0.3842	0.7129
2	0.3842	1.0000	0.4299
3	0.7129	0.4299	1.0000
