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ABSTRACT

In this paper a new algorithm for solving algebraic Riccati equations (both continuous-time and discrete-time versions) is presented. The method studied is a variant of the classical eigenvector approach and uses instead an appropriate set of Schur vectors thereby gaining substantial numerical advantages. Considerable discussion is devoted to a number of numerical issues. The method is apparently quite numerically stable and performs reliably on systems with dense matrices up to order 100 or so, storage being the main limiting factor.

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1. **Introduction**

In this paper a new algorithm for solving algebraic Riccati equations (both continuous-time and discrete-time versions) is presented. These equations play fundamental roles in the analysis, synthesis, and design of linear-quadratic-Gaussian control and estimation systems as well as in many other branches of applied mathematics. It is not the purpose of this paper to survey the extensive literature available for these equations but, rather, we refer the reader to, for example, [1], [2], [3], [4], and [5] for references. Nor is it our intention to investigate any but the unique (under suitable hypotheses) symmetric, nonnegative definite solution of an algebraic Riccati equation even though the algorithm to be presented does also have the potential to produce other solutions. For further reference to the "geometry" of the Riccati equation we refer to [3], [6], and [7].

The method studied here is a variant of the classical eigenvector approach to Riccati equations, the essentials of which date back to at least von Escherich in 1898 [8]. The approach has also found its way into the control literature in papers by, for example, MacFarlane [9], Potter [10], and Vaughn [11]. Its use in that literature is often associated with the name of Potter. However, the use of eigenvectors is often highly unsatisfactory from a numerical point of view and the present method uses the so-called and much more numerically attractive Schur vectors to get a basis for a certain subspace of interest in the problem.

Other authors such as Fath [12] and Willems [3], to name two, have also noted that any basis of the subspace would suffice but the specific
use of Schur vectors was inhibited by a not-entirely-straightforward problem of ordering triangular canonical forms - a problem which is discussed briefly in the sequel. The paper by Fath is very much in the spirit of the work presented here and is one of the very few in the literature which seriously addresses numerical issues.

One of the best summaries of the eigenvector approach to solving algebraic Riccati equations is the work of Martensson [13]. This work extends [10] to the case of "multiple closed-loop eigenvalues." It will be shown in the sequel how the present approach recovers all the theoretical results of [10] and [13] while providing significant numerical advantages.

Most numerical comparisons of Riccati algorithms tend to favor the standard eigenvector approach - its numerical difficulties notwithstanding - over other approaches such as Newton's method [14] or methods based on integrating a Riccati differential equation. Typical of such comparisons are [7], [15], and [16]. It will be demonstrated in this paper that if you previously liked the eigenvector approach, you must prefer, almost by definition, the Schur vector approach. This statement, while somewhat simplistic, is based on the fact that a Schur vector approach provides a substantially more efficient, useful, and reliable technique for numerically solving algebraic Riccati equations. The method is intended primarily for the solution of dense, moderate-sized equations (say, order $\leq 100$) rather than large, sparse equations. While the algorithm in its present state offers much scope for improvement, it still represents a substantial improvement over current direct methods for solving algebraic Riccati equations.
Briefly, the rest of the paper is organized as follows. This section is concluded with some notation and linear algebra review. In Sections 2 and 3 the continuous-time and discrete-time Riccati equations, respectively, are treated. In Section 4 numerical issues such as algorithm implementation, balancing, scaling, operation counts, timing, storage, stability, and conditioning are considered. In Section 5 we emphasize the advantages of the Schur vector approach and make some further general remarks. Six examples are given in Section 6 and some concluding remarks are made in Section 7.

1.1 Notation

Throughout the paper $A \in \mathbb{F}^{m \times n}$ will denote an $m \times n$ matrix with coefficients in a field $\mathbb{F}$. The field will usually be the real numbers $\mathbb{R}$ or the complex numbers $\mathbb{C}$. The notations $A^T$ and $A^H$ will denote transpose and conjugate transpose, respectively, while $A^{-T}$ will denote $(A^T)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^T$. The notation $A^+$ will denote the Moore-Penrose pseudo-inverse of the matrix $A$. For $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ its spectrum (set of $n$ eigenvalues) will be denoted by $\sigma(A)$. When a matrix $A \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ is partitioned into four $n \times n$ blocks as

$$
A = \begin{pmatrix}
A_{11} & A_{12} \\
A_{21} & A_{22}
\end{pmatrix}
$$

we shall frequently refer to the individual blocks $A_{ij}$ without further discussion.
1.2 Linear Algebra Review

Definition 1: \( A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \) is orthogonal if \( A^T = A^{-1} \).

Definition 2: \( A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n} \) is unitary if \( A^H = A^{-1} \).

Let \( J = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & I \\ -I & 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n} \) where \( I \) denotes the \( n \)-th order identity matrix. Note that \( J^T = J^{-1} = -J \).

Definition 3: \( A \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n} \) is Hamiltonian if \( J^{-1} A J = -A \).

Definition 4: \( A \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n} \) is symplectic if \( J^{-1} A J = A^{-1} \).

Hamiltonian and symplectic matrices are obviously closely related. For a discussion of this relationship and a review of "symplectic algebra" see [17], [18]. We will use the following two theorems from symplectic algebra. Their proofs (see [18]) are trivial (and hence will be omitted).

Theorem 1: 1. Let \( A \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n} \) be Hamiltonian. Then \( \lambda \in \sigma(A) \) implies \( -\lambda \in \sigma(A) \) with the same multiplicity. 2. Let \( A \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n} \) be symplectic. Then \( \lambda \in \sigma(A) \) implies \( \frac{1}{\lambda} \in \sigma(A) \) with the same multiplicity.

There is a relationship between the right and left eigenvectors of these symplectically associated eigenvalues. See [18] for details.

Theorem 2: Let \( A \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n} \) be Hamiltonian (or symplectic). Let \( U \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n} \) be symplectic. Then \( U^{-1}AU \) is Hamiltonian (or symplectic).

Finally, we need two theorems from classical similarity theory which form the theoretical cornerstone of modern numerical linear algebra. See [19], for example, for a textbook treatment.
Theorem 3 (Schur canonical form): Let \( A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \) have eigenvalues \( \lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_n \). Then there exists a unitary similarity transformation \( U \) such that \( U^H A U \) is upper triangular with diagonal elements \( \lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_n \) in that order.

In fact, it is possible to work only over \( \mathbb{R} \) by reducing to quasi-upper-triangular form with 2x2 blocks on the (block) diagonal corresponding to complex conjugate eigenvalues and 1x1 blocks corresponding to the real eigenvalues. We refer to this canonical form as the real Schur form (RSF) or the Murnaghan-Wintner [20] canonical form.

Theorem 4 (RSF): Let \( A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \). Then there exists an orthogonal similarity transformation \( U \) such that \( U^T A U \) is quasi-upper-triangular. Moreover, \( U \) can be chosen so that the 2x2 and 1x1 diagonal blocks appear in any desired order.

If in Theorem 4 we partition \( U^T A U \) into a block matrix \( \begin{pmatrix} S_{11} & S_{12} \\ 0 & S_{22} \end{pmatrix} \) where \( S_{11} \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times k}, \ 0 < k \leq n \), we shall refer to the first \( k \) vectors of \( U \) as the Schur vectors corresponding to \( \sigma(S_{11}) \subseteq \sigma(A) \). The Schur vectors corresponding to the eigenvalues of \( S_{11} \) span the eigenspace corresponding to those eigenvalues even when some of the eigenvalues are multiple (see [21]). We shall use this property heavily in the sequel.
2. **The Continuous-Time Algebraic Riccati Equation**

In this section we shall present a method for using a certain set of Schur vectors to solve (for $X$) the continuous-time algebraic Riccati equation

\[ F^T X + XF - XG + H = 0. \]  

(1)

All matrices are in $\mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ and $G = G^T \geq 0$, $H = H^T \geq 0$.

It is assumed that $(F, B)$ is a stabilizable pair \cite{1} where $B$ is a full-rank factorization (FRF) of $G$ (i.e., $BB^T = G$ and $\text{rank}(B) = \text{rank}(G)$) and $(C, F)$ is a detectable pair \cite{11} where $C$ is a FRF of $H$ (i.e., $C^T C = H$ and $\text{rank}(C) = \text{rank}(H)$). Under these assumptions, (1) is known to have a unique nonnegative definite solution \cite{1}. There are, of course, other solutions to (1) but for the algorithm presented here the emphasis will be on computing the nonnegative definite one.

Now consider the Hamiltonian matrix

\[ Z = \begin{pmatrix} F & -G \\ -H & -F^T \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n} \]  

(2)

Our assumptions guarantee that $Z$ has no pure imaginary eigenvalues. Thus by Theorem 4 we can find an orthogonal transformation $U \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ which puts $Z$ in RSF:

\[ U^T Z U = S = \begin{pmatrix} S_{11} & S_{12} \\ 0 & S_{22} \end{pmatrix} \]  

(3)

where $S_{ij} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$. It is possible to arrange, moreover, that the real parts of the spectrum of $S_{11}$ are negative while the real parts of the spectrum of $S_{22}$ are positive. $U$ is conformably partitioned into four $n \times n$ blocks:
Theorem 5: With respect to the notation and assumptions above:

1. $U_{11}$ is invertible and $X = U_{21} U_{11}^{-1}$ solves (1) with $X = X^T > 0$.

2. $\sigma(S_{11}) = \sigma(F - GX) = \text{the "closed-loop" spectrum.}$

Proof: A direct proof of this theorem may be found in [22] but will be omitted here. An alternate proof is suggested in Remark 1 below.

Remark 1: As an alternative to the direct proofs provided in [22] one could simply appeal to the proofs given for the eigenvector approach and note that the Schur vectors are related to the eigenvectors by a nonsingular transformation. Specifically, with $Z$, $U$, and $S$ as above, let $V \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ put $Z$ in real Jordan form

$$V^{-1} Z V = \begin{pmatrix} -\Lambda & 0 \\ 0 & \Lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

($\mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n}$ denotes the set of $2n \times 2n$ matrices of rank $2n$, i.e., invertible) where $-\Lambda$ is the real Jordan form of the eigenvalues of $Z$ with negative real parts. Furthermore, let $T \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ transform $S_{11}$ to the real Jordan form $-\Lambda$. Then

$$Z \begin{pmatrix} V_{11} \\ V_{21} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{11} \\ V_{21} \end{pmatrix} (-\Lambda)$$

and

$$Z \begin{pmatrix} U_{11} \\ U_{21} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} U_{11} \\ U_{21} \end{pmatrix} S_{11}.$$
\begin{equation}
\begin{pmatrix}
U_{11} \\
U_{21}
\end{pmatrix}
= (\begin{pmatrix}
V_{11} \\
V_{21}
\end{pmatrix}^T \Lambda).
\tag{7}
\end{equation}

Since eigenvectors are unique up to nonzero scalar multiple, comparing (6) and (7) we must have

\begin{equation}
\frac{U_{11}}{U_{21}} = \begin{pmatrix}
V_{11} \\
V_{21}
\end{pmatrix}
\end{equation}

where \(D\) is diagonal and invertible. Thus

\begin{equation}
\frac{U_{11}}{U_{21}} = \begin{pmatrix}
V_{11} \\
V_{21}
\end{pmatrix}_{DT}^{-1}
\end{equation}

and since

\begin{equation}
V_{21}V_{11}^{-1} \text{ solves (1)}, \quad U_{21}U_{11}^{-1} \text{ must also solve (1) since}
\end{equation}

\begin{equation}
U_{21}U_{11}^{-1} = V_{21}D_{DT}^{-1}(V_{11}DT^{-1})^{-1} = V_{21}V_{11}^{-1}.
\end{equation}

Further discussion of Theorem 5 and computational considerations are deferred until Section 4.
3. The Discrete-Time Algebraic Riccati Equation

In this section we shall present an analogous method using certain Schur vectors to solve the discrete-time algebraic Riccati equation

\[ F^T X F - X - F^T X G_1 (G_2 + G_1^T X G_1)^{-1} G_1^T X F + H = 0. \] (8)*

Here \( F, H, X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}, \ G_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}, \ G_2 \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}, \) and \( H = H^T > 0, \ G_2 = G_2^T > 0. \)

Also, \( m \leq n. \) The details of the method for this equation are sufficiently different from the continuous-time case that we shall explicitly present most of them.

It is assumed that \( (F, G_1) \) is a stabilizable pair and that \( (C, F) \) is a detectable pair where \( C \) is a FRF of \( H \) (i.e., \( C^T C = H \) and rank \( (C) = \) rank \( (H) \)).

We also assume that \( F \) is invertible - a common assumption on the open-loop dynamics of a discrete-time system [23]. The details for the case when \( F \) is singular or ill-conditioned with respect to inversion can be found in [24].

Under the above assumptions (8) is known to have a unique nonnegative definite solution [25] and the method proposed below will be directed towards finding that solution.

Setting \( G = G_1 G_2^{-1} G_1^T \) we consider this time the symplectic matrix

\[ Z = \begin{pmatrix} F + G F^T & -G F^T \\ -F^T H & F^T \end{pmatrix} \] (9)

Our assumptions guarantee that \( Z \) has no eigenvalues on the unit circle. By Theorem 4 we can find an orthogonal transformation \( U \in \mathbb{R}^{2n \times 2n} \) which puts \( Z \) in RSF:

*Note that an alternate equivalent form of (8) when \( X \) is invertible is:

\[ F^T (X^{-1} + G_1 G_2^{-1} G_1^T)^{-1} F - X + H = 0 \]
where $S_{ij} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$.

It is possible to arrange, moreover, that the spectrum of $S_{11}$ lies inside the unit circle while the spectrum of $S_{22}$ lies outside the unit circle. Again $U$ is partitioned conformably. We then have the following theorem.

**Theorem 6:** With respect to the notation and assumptions above:

1. $U_{11}$ is invertible and $X = U_{21} U_{11}^{-1}$ solves (8) with $X = X^T > 0$.

2. $\sigma(S_{11}) = \sigma(F - G_1 (G_2 + G_1^T X G_1)^{-1} G_1^T X F) = \sigma(F - G^T (X-H)) = \sigma(F - G(X^{-1} + G)^{-1} F)$ when $X$ is invertible

   = the "closed-loop" spectrum.

**Proof:**

As for Theorem 5 we shall omit a direct proof of this theorem and refer the interested reader instead to [22] or [24]. Again an alternate proof is possible as in Remark 1.

We now turn to some general numerical considerations regarding the Schur vector approach.
4. Numerical Considerations

There are two steps to the Schur vector approach. The first is reduction of a $2n \times 2n$ matrix to an ordered real Schur form; the second is the solution of an $n$th-order linear matrix equation. We shall discuss these in the context of the continuous-time case noting differences for the discrete-time case where appropriate.

4.1 Algorithm Implementation

It is well-known (see [21], for example) that the double Francis QR algorithm applied to a real general matrix does not guarantee any special order for the eigenvalues on the diagonal of the Schur form. However, it is also known how the real Schur form can be arbitrarily reordered via orthogonal similarities; see [21] for details. Thus any further orthogonal similarities required to ensure that $\sigma(S_{11})$ in (3) lies in the left-half complex plane can be combined with the $U$ initially used to get a RSF to get a final orthogonal matrix which effects the desired ordered RSF.

Stewart has recently published FORTRAN subroutines for calculating and ordering the RSF of a real upper Hessenberg matrix [26]. The $1 \times 1$ or $2 \times 2$ blocks are ordered so that the eigenvalues appear in descending order of magnitude along the diagonal. Stewart's software (HQR3) may thus be used directly if one is willing to first apply to the $Z$ of (2) an appropriate bilinear transformation which maps the left-half-plane to the exterior of the unit circle. Since the transformed $Z$ is an analytic function of $Z$, the $U$ that reduces it to an ordered RSF — with half the eigenvalues outside the unit circle — is the desired $U$ from which the
solution of (1) may be constructed. Alternatively, Stewart's software can be modified to directly reorder a RSF by algebraic sign.

In the discrete-time case, HQR3 can be used directly by working with

\[
Z^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} F^{-1} & F^{-1}G \\ HF^{-1} & F^T + HF^{-1}G \end{pmatrix}.
\]  

(11)

The U which puts \( \sigma(S_{11}) \) outside the unit circle is thus the same U which puts the upper left nxn block of the RSF of Z inside the unit circle.

In summary then, to use HQR3 we would recommend using the following sequence of subroutines (or their equivalents):

- **BALANC** to balance a real general matrix
- **ORTHES** to reduce the balanced matrix to upper Hessenberg form using orthogonal transformations
- **ORTRAN** to accumulate the transformations from the Hessenberg reduction
- **HQR3** to determine an ordered RSF from the Hessenberg matrix
- **BALBAK** to backtransform the orthogonal matrix to a non-singular matrix corresponding to the original matrix.

The subroutines BALANC, ORTHES, ORTRAN, BALBAK are all available in EISPACK [27].

The second step to be implemented is the solution of an \( n \)-order linear matrix equation

\[
XU_{11} = U_{21}
\]

to find \( X = U_{21}U_{11}^{-1} \). For this step we would recommend a good linear equation solver such as DECOMP and SOLVE available in [28] or the appropriate routines available in LINPACK [29]. A routine such
as DECOMP computes the LU-factorization of $U_{11}$ and SOLVE performs the forward and backward substitutions. A good estimate of the condition number of $U_{11}$ with respect to inversion is available with good linear equation software and this estimate should be inspected. A badly conditioned $U_{11}$ usually results from a "badly conditioned Riccati equation". This matter will be discussed further in Section 4.4. While we have no analytical proof at this time, we have observed empirically that a condition number estimate on the order of $10^t$ for $U_{11}$ usually results in a loss of about $t$ digits of accuracy in $X$.

One final note on implementation. Since $X$ is symmetric it is usually more convenient, with standard linear equation software, to solve the equation

$$U_{11}^T X = U_{21}^T$$

to find $X = U_{11}^{-T} U_{11}^{-1} = U_{21} U_{11}^{-1}$.

4.2 Balancing and Scaling

Note that the use of balancing in the above implementation results in a nonsingular (but not necessarily orthogonal) matrix which reduces $Z$ to RSF. More specifically, suppose $P$ is a permutation matrix and $D$ is a diagonal matrix such that $PD$ balances $Z$, i.e.,

$$D^{-1}PZPD = Z_b$$

where $Z_b$ is the balanced matrix; see [30] for details. We then find an orthogonal matrix $U$ which reduces $Z_b$ to ordered RSF:

$$U^T Z_b U = S.$$
Then PDU (produced by BALBAK) is clearly a nonsingular matrix which reduces Z to ordered RSF. The first n columns of PDU span the eigenspace corresponding to eigenvalues of Z with negative real parts and that is the only property we require of the transformation. For simplicity in the sequel, we shall speak of the transformation reducing Z to RSF as simply an orthogonal matrix U with the understanding that the more computationally attractive transformation is of the form PDU.

An alternative approach to direct balancing of Z is to attempt some sort of scaling in the problem which generates the Riccati equation. To illustrate, consider the linear optimal control problem of finding a feedback controller $u(t) = Kx(t)$ which minimizes the performance index

$$J(u) = \int_0^\infty [x^T(t)Hx(t) + u^T(t)Ru(t)]dt$$

with plant constraint dynamics given by

$$\dot{x}(t) = Fx(t) + Bu(t) ; \quad x(0) = x_0 .$$

We assume $H = H^T > 0$, $R = R^T > 0$ and $(F,B)$ controllable, $(F,C)$ observable where $C^T C = H$ and rank$(C) = \text{rank}(H)$. Then the optimal solution is well-known to be

$$u(t) = -R^{-1}B^T X x$$

where $X$ solves the Riccati equation

$$F^T X + XF - XBR^{-1}B^T X + H = 0 .$$

Now suppose we change coordinates via a nonsingular transformation $x(t) = Tw(t)$. Then in terms of the new state $w$ our problem is to minimize
\[ \int_0^{+\infty} [w^T(t)(T^HT)w(t) + u^T(t)Ru(t)] dt \]

subject to

\[ \dot{w}(t) = (T^{-1}FT)w(t) + (T^{-1}B)u(t) . \]

The Hamiltonian matrix \( Z \) for this transformed system is now given by

\[
Z_w = \begin{pmatrix}
T^{-1}FT & -T^{-1}BR^{-1}B & T & -T \\
-T^HT & -T^F & T & -T \\
-THT & -T & T & -T \\
-T^HT & -T^F & T & -T
\end{pmatrix}
\]

and the associated solution \( X_w \) of the transformed Riccati equation is related to the original \( X \) by \( X_w = T^{-T}X_w T^{-1} \). One interpretation of \( T \) then is as a scaling transformation, a diagonal matrix, for example, in an attempt to "balance" the elements of \( Z_w \). Applying such a procedure, even in an ad hoc way, is frequently very useful from a computational point of view.

Another way to look at the above procedure is that \( Z_w \) is symplectically similar to \( Z \) via the transformation \( T \), i.e.,

\[
Z_w = \begin{pmatrix}
T & 0 \\
0 & T^{-T}
\end{pmatrix}^{-1} Z \begin{pmatrix}
T & 0 \\
0 & T^{-T}
\end{pmatrix} .
\]

It is well-known that \( Z_w \) is again Hamiltonian (or symplectic in the discrete-time case) since the similarity transformation is symplectic.

One can then pose the problem of transforming \( Z \) by other symplectic similarities, say orthogonal, so as to achieve various desirable numerical properties or canonical forms. This topic for further research is presently being investigated.
4.3 Operation Counts, Timing, and Storage

We shall give approximate operation counts for the solution of \( n \)-th order algebraic Riccati equations of the form (1) or (8). Each operation is assumed to be roughly equivalent to forming \( a + (b \times c) \) where \( a, b, c \) are floating point numbers. It is almost impossible to give an accurate operation count for the algorithm described above since so many factors are variable such as the ordering of the RSF. We shall indicate only a ballpark \( O(n^3) \) figure.

Let us assume then that we already have at hand the \( 2n \times 2n \) matrix \( Z \) of the form (2) or (9). Note, however, that unlike forming \( Z \) in (2), \( Z \) in (9) requires approximately \( 4n^3 \) additional operations to construct, given only \( F, G, \) and \( H \). This will turn out to be fairly negligible compared to the counts for the overall process. Furthermore, we shall give only order of \( n^3 \) counts for these rough estimates. The three main steps are:

(i) reduction of \( Z \) to upper Hessenberg from \( -(2n)^3 \)
(ii) reduction of upper Hessenberg form to RSF \( > 4k(2n)^3 \)
(iii) solution of \( Xu_{11} = u_{21} \) \( \frac{4}{3} n^3 \)

The number \( k \) represents the average number of QR steps required per eigenvalue and is usually over-estimated by 1.5. We write \( > 4k(2n)^3 \) since, in general, the reduction may need more operations if ordering is required. Using \( k = 1.5 \) we see that the total number of operations required is at least \( 63n^3 \). Should the ordering of the RSF require, say, 25% more operations than the unordered RSF, we have
a ballpark estimate of about $75n^3$ for the entire process.

Timing estimates for steps (i) and (ii) may be obtained from [27] for a variety of computing environments. The additional time for balancing and for step (iii) would then add no more than about 5% to those times while the additional time for ordering the RSF is variable, but typically adds no more than about 15%. For example, adding 20% to the published figures [27] for an IBM 370/165 (a typical medium speed machine) under OS/360 at the University of Toronto using FORTRAN H Extended with Opt. = 2 and double precision arithmetic, we can construct the following table:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Riccati Equation</th>
<th>Order n =</th>
<th>10</th>
<th>20</th>
<th>30</th>
<th>40</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>CPU Time (Sec.)</td>
<td></td>
<td>0.2</td>
<td>1.3</td>
<td>4.0</td>
<td>9.0</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

In fact, these times are in fairly close agreement with actual observed times for randomly chosen test examples of these orders. Note the approximately cubic behavior of time versus order.

Extrapolating these figures for a 64th order equation (see Example 5 in Section 6) one might expect a CPU-time in the neighborhood of 38 sec. In fact, for that particular example the time was approximately 34 sec.

It must be re-emphasized here that timing estimates derived as above are very approximate and depend on numerous factors in the actual computing environment as well as the particular input data. However, such estimates can provide very useful and quite reliable information if interpreted as providing essentially order of magnitude figures.
With respect to storage considerations the algorithm requires $8n^2 + cn$ (c = a small constant) storage locations. This fairly large figure limits applicability of the algorithm to Riccati equations on the order of about 100 or less in many common computing environments. Of course, CPU time becomes a significant factor for $n>100$, also.

4.4 Stability and Conditioning

This section will be largely speculative in nature as very few hard results are presently available. A number of areas of continuing research will be described.

With respect to stability, the implementation discussed in Section 4.1 consists of two effectively stable steps. The crucial step is the QR step and the present algorithm is probably essentially as stable as QR. The overall two step process is apparently quite stable numerically but we have no proof of that statement.

Concerning the conditioning of (1) (or (8)) almost no analytical results are known. The study of (1) is obviously more complex than the study of even the Lyapunov equation

$$\quad F^T X + XF + H = 0 \quad (12)$$

where $H = H^T \geq 0$. And yet very little numerical analysis is known for (12). In case $F$ is normal, a condition number with respect to inversion of the Lyapunov operator $FX = F^T X + XF$ is easily shown to be given by

$$\quad \max_{i,j} \left| \frac{\lambda_i(F) + \lambda_j(F)}{\min_{i,j} \left| \lambda_i(F) + \lambda_j(F) \right|} \right| .$$
But in the general case, a condition number in terms of $F$ rather than $F^T \otimes I + I \otimes F^T$ (\(\otimes\) denotes Kronecker product) has not been determined. Some empirical observations on the accuracy of solutions of certain instances of (12) suggest that one factor influencing conditioning of (12) is the proximity of the spectrum of $F$ to the imaginary axis. To be more specific, suppose $F$ has an eigenvalue at $a \pm jb$ with $|b/a| >> 1$ (typically $a < 0$ is very small). If $|b/a| = 0 (10^t)$ we lose approximately $t$ digits of accuracy and we might expect a condition number for the solution of (12) to also be $0(10^t)$ in this situation.

There are some close connections between (12) and (1) (and the respective discrete-time versions) and we shall indicate some preliminary observations here. A perturbation analysis or the notion of a condition number for (1) is intimately related to the condition of an associated Lyapunov equation, namely one whose "F-matrix" approximates the closed-loop matrix $F-GX$ where $X$ solves (1). To illustrate, suppose $X = Y + E$ where $Y = Y^T$ may be interpreted as an approximation of $X$. Then

$$0 = F^T(Y+E) + (Y+E)F - (Y+E)G(Y+E) + H$$

$$\approx (F-GY)^T E + E(F-GY) + (F^T Y + YF - YGY + H)$$

$$= F^T E + EF + H$$

where we have neglected the second-order term $E^2$. Thus conditioning of (1) should be closely related to nearness of the closed-loop spectrum ($\sigma(F-GX)$) to the imaginary axis. Observations similar to these have been made elsewhere; see, for example, Bucy [31] where the problem is posed as one of structural stability. A condition number might, in some sense, be thought of as a quantitative measure of the degree of structural stability.
Another factor involved in the conditioning of (1) relates to the assumptions of stabilizability of (F,B) and detectability of (C,F). For example, near-unstabilizability of (F,B) in either a parametric sense or in a control energy sense (i.e., near-singular controllability Gramian) definitely causes (1) to become badly conditioned. Our experience has been that the ill-conditioning manifests itself in the algorithm by a badly conditioned $U_{11}$.

Work related to the conditioning of (1) and (8) is under continuing investigation and will be the subject of another paper. Such analysis is, of course, independent of the particular algorithm used to solve (1) or (8), but is useful to understand how ill-conditioning can be expected to manifest itself in a given algorithm.
5. Advantages of the Schur Vector Approach and Further General Remarks

5.1 Advantages and Disadvantages of the Schur Vector Approach

The advantages of this algorithm over others using eigenvectors (such as Potter's approach [10] and its extensions) are obvious. Firstly, the reduction to RSF is an intermediate step in computing eigenvectors anyway (using the double Francis QR algorithm) so the Schur approach must, by definition, be faster. Secondly, and more importantly, this algorithm will not suffer as severely from the numerical hazards inherent in computing eigenvectors associated with multiple or near-multiple eigenvalues. The computation of eigenvectors is fraught with difficulties (see, e.g. [21] for a cogent discussion) and the eigenvectors themselves are simply not needed. All that is needed is a basis for the eigenspace spanned by the eigenvalues of Z with negative real parts (with an analogous statement for the discrete-time case). As good a basis as is possible (in the presence of rounding error) for this subspace can be found from the Schur vectors comprising the matrix \( \begin{pmatrix} U_{11} \\ U_{21} \end{pmatrix} \), independently of individual eigenvalue multiplicities. The reader is strongly urged to consult [32] and [21] (especially pp. 609-610) for further numerical details.

The fact that any basis for the stable eigenspace can be used to construct the Riccati equation solution has been noted by many people; see [12] or [3] among others. The main stumbling block with using the Schur vectors was the ordering problem with the RSF but once that is handled satisfactorily the algorithm is easy.
The Schur vector approach derives its desirable numerical properties from the underlying QR-type process. To summarize: if you like the eigenvector approach for solving the algebraic Riccati equation you must like the Schur vector approach better.

Like the eigenvector approach, the Schur vector approach has the advantage of producing the closed-loop eigenvalues (or whatever is appropriate to the particular application from which the Riccati equation arises) essentially for free. And finally, an important advantage of the Schur vector approach, in addition to its general reliability for engineering applications, is its speed in comparison with other methods. We have already mentioned the advantage, by definition, over previous eigenvector approaches but there is also generally an even more significant speed advantage over iterative methods. This advantage is particularly apparent in poorly conditioned problems and in cases in which the iterative method has a bad starting value. Of course, it is impossible to make the comparison between a direct versus iterative method any more precise for general problems but we have found it not at all uncommon for an iterative method, such as straightforward Newton [14], to take ten to thirty times as long - if, indeed, there was convergence at all.

As mentioned above, a possible disadvantage of the method is the storage requirement of at least two \(2n \times 2n\) arrays. Another disadvantage is the fact that for the computed \(X = U_2 U_1^{-1}\) there is no guarantee of symmetry. In practice, we have found the deviation from symmetry to be only slight for most problems, becoming more pronounced only when the Riccati equation was known to be "ill-conditioned." This phenomenon might be used advantageously if the deviation from perfect symmetry could be used to reliably monitor conditioning.
5.2 Miscellaneous General Remarks

Remark 2: An \( n \)th order algebraic Riccati equation has a finite number of solutions if the characteristic and minimal polynomials of \( F - GX \) are equal where \( X \) is the unique nonnegative definite solution. In that case there are still as many as \( \binom{2n}{n} \) solutions corresponding to as many as \( \binom{2n}{n} \) choices of \( n \) of the 2n eigenvalues of \( Z \). Any of these solutions may also be generated by the Schur approach, as for the eigenvector approach, by an appropriate reordering of the RSF. For most control and filtering applications we are interested in the unique nonnegative definite solution and we have thus concentrated the exposition on that particular case.

Remark 3: One of the most complete sources for an eigenvector-oriented proof of Theorem 5 for the general case of multiple eigenvalues is Martensson [13]. But even a casual glance at that proof exposes the awkwardness of fussing with eigenvectors and principal vectors. The proof using Schur vectors is extremely clean and easy by comparison and neatly avoids any difficulties with multiple eigenvalues. This observation is but one instance of the more general observation that Schur vectors can probably always replace principal vectors (or generalized eigenvectors) corresponding to multiple eigenvalues throughout linear control/systems theory. Principal vectors are not generally reliably computable in the presence of roundoff error anyway (see [21]) and a basis for an eigenspace - but not the particular one corresponding to the principal vectors - is all that is normally needed. Use of Schur vectors will not only frequently provide cleaner proofs but is also numerically much more attractive.

Remark 4: The same Schur vector approach employed in this paper can also be used instead of the eigenvector approach for the nonsymmetric matrix quadratic
equation

\[ XEX + FX + XG + H = 0 \]  \hspace{1cm} (13)

where \( E \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n} \), \( F \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \), \( G \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m} \), \( H \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m} \), and \( X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m} \). In this case, we work with the \((m+n) \times (m+n)\) matrix

\[
Z = \begin{pmatrix}
-G & -E \\
H & F
\end{pmatrix}
\]

and various solutions of (13) are determined by generating appropriate combinations of \( m \) eigenvalues of \( Z \) along the diagonal of the RSF of \( Z \). The corresponding \( m \) Schur vectors give the solution \( X = U_1 U_2^{-1} \) as before where \( U_1 \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m} \), \( U_2 \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m} \). The analogous remarks apply for the corresponding nonsymmetric "discrete-time equation." Proofs are essentially the same in both cases. Further details on the eigenvector approach can be found in [33], [34].

**Remark 5:** Special cases of the matrix quadratic equations such as (1), (8), or (13) include the Lyapunov equation (12) (or its discrete-time counterpart \( FTXF - X + H = 0 \)) and the Sylvester equation

\[ FX + XG + H = 0 \]  \hspace{1cm} (14)

(or its discrete-time counterpart \( FXG - X + H = 0 \)).

Thus setting an appropriate block of the \( Z \) matrix equal to 0 provides a method of solving such "linear equations" and, in fact, this method has even been proposed in the literature [35]. However, the approach probably has little to recommend it from a numerical point of view as compared to applying the Bartels-Stewart algorithm [39] and we mention it only in passing.
6. Examples

In this section we give a few examples both to illustrate various points discussed previously and to provide some numerical results for comparison with other approaches. All computations were done at M.I.T. on an IBM 370/168 using FORTRAN H Extended (Opt. = 2) and double precision arithmetic.

Example 1: The Schur vector approach is obviously not well-suited to hand computation - which partly explains its desirable numerical properties. However, to pacify a certain segment of the population a "hand example" is provided in complete detail. Consider the equation

\[ A^T X + XA - XBR^{-1}B^T X + Q = 0 \]  

(15)

which arises in a linear-quadratic optimal control context with

\[ A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad R = 1, \quad Q = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}. \]

Then

\[ Z = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \]

and the matrix

\[ U = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -\frac{\sqrt{5}}{10} & -\frac{3\sqrt{5}}{10} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{5}}{10} & -\frac{3\sqrt{5}}{10} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{3\sqrt{5}}{10} & \frac{\sqrt{5}}{10} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{3\sqrt{5}}{10} & \frac{\sqrt{5}}{10} & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \]
is an orthogonal matrix which reduces $Z$ to RSF

$$S = U^T Z U = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 1 & -1/2 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$  

Then the unique positive definite solution of (15) is given by the solution of the linear matrix equation

$$X U_{11} = U_{21}$$

or

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} \\ x_{12} & x_{22} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 & -\sqrt{5}/10 \\ 1/2 & -\sqrt{5}/10 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 & -3\sqrt{5}/10 \\ 1/2 & -3\sqrt{5}/10 \end{pmatrix}.$$  

Thus $X = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ and it can quickly be checked that the spectrum of the "closed-loop matrix" $(A - BR^{-1}B^TX)$ is \{-1, -1\} as was evident from $S_{11}$.

**Example 2:** For checking purposes consider the solution of (15) with the following uncontrollable but stabilizable, and unobservable but detectable data:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 9/2 & -7/2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad R = 1, \quad Q = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 6 \\ 6 & 4 \end{pmatrix}. $$
The solution of (15) is $X = \begin{pmatrix} 9c & 6c \\ 6c & 4c \end{pmatrix}$ where $c = 1 + \sqrt{2}$ and the closed-loop spectrum is $\{-\frac{1}{2}, -\sqrt{2}\}$. These values were all obtained correctly to at least 14 significant figures as were the values for the corresponding discrete-time problem

$$A^T X A - X - A^T X B (R + B^T X B)^{-1} B^T X A + Q = 0$$

the solution of which is

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} 9d & 6d \\ 6d & 4d \end{pmatrix}$$

where $d = \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2}$ and the closed-loop spectrum is $\{-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{2}\}$.

**Example 3:** For further comparison purposes consider the discrete-time system of Example 6.15 in [36] where

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0.9512 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.9048 \end{pmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 4.877 & 4.877 \\ -1.1895 & 3.569 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Q = \begin{pmatrix} 0.005 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.02 \end{pmatrix}.$$  

The solution of (16) is given by

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} 0.010459082320970 & 0.003224644477419 \\ 0.003224644477419 & 0.050397741135643 \end{pmatrix}$$

and the feedback gain $\bar{F} = (R + B^T X B)^{-1} B^T X A$ is given by

$$\bar{F} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.071251660724426 & -0.070287376494153 \\ 0.013569839235296 & 0.045479287667006 \end{pmatrix}.$$
Note the typographical error in the (1,2)-element of $\bar{F}$ in [36]. The closed-loop eigenvalues are given by

$$0.50833461684191 \text{ and } 0.688069670988913$$

These are definitely different from [36] but have the same sum. Our numbers do appear to be the correct ones.

Example 4: We now consider somewhat higher order Riccati equations arising from position and velocity control for a string of high-speed vehicles. The matrices are taken from a paper by Athans, Levine, and Levis [37]. For a string of $N$ vehicles it is necessary to solve the Riccati equation

$$A^T_N X_N + X_N A_N - X_N B_N R^{-1} T_B X_N + Q_N = 0$$

where all matrices are of order $n = 2N-1$ and are given by

$$A_N = \begin{pmatrix}
A_{11} & A_{12} & & \\
& A_{22} & A_{23} & \\
& & \ddots & \ddots \\
& & & \ddots & A_{N-2,N-2} & A_{N-2,N-1} \\
& & & & A_{N-1,N-1} & -1 \\
& & & & 0 & -1 \\
0 & 0 & & & & -1
\end{pmatrix}$$

where $A_{k,k} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $A_{k,k+1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
and $B_N R^{-1}_N B_N^T = \text{diag}\{1,0,1,0,\ldots,0,1\}$

$Q_N = \text{diag}\{0,10,0,10,\ldots,10,0\}.$

For the case of 5 vehicles we repeated the calculations presented in [37]. The correct values for $X$ rounded to six significant figures are:

$$
\begin{pmatrix}
1.36302 & 2.61722 & -0.705427 & 0.936860 & -0.293666 & 0.477354 & -0.197375 & 0.211212 & -0.166552 \\
7.59255 & -1.68036 & 1.47522 & -0.459506 & 0.665147 & -0.266142 & 0.280654 & -0.211212 \\
1.77478 & 2.15771 & -0.609136 & 0.670717 & -0.262843 & 0.266142 & -0.197375 \\
8.25770 & -1.94650 & 1.75587 & -0.670717 & 0.665147 & -0.477354 \\
1.80560 & 1.94650 & -0.609136 & 0.459506 & -0.293666 \\
8.25770 & -2.15771 & 1.47522 & -0.936860 \\
1.77478 & 1.68036 & -0.705427 \\
7.59255 & -2.61722 \\
1.36302
\end{pmatrix}
$$

While 4 or 5 decimal places are published in [37], it can be seen that, surprisingly, only the first and sometimes the second were correct. Substitution of our full 16 decimal place solution into the Riccati equation gives a residual of norm on the order of $10^{-14}$ (consistent with a condition estimate of $U_{11}$ of 26.3) while the residual for the solution in [37] has a large norm on the order of $10^{-1}$. The closed-loop eigenvalues for the above problem (again rounded to six significant figures) are:

$$
\begin{align*}
-1.00000 \\
-1.10779 & \pm 0.852759j \\
-1.45215 & \pm 1.26836j \\
-1.67581 & \pm 1.51932j \\
-1.80486 & \pm 1.66057j
\end{align*}
$$

We also computed the Riccati solution and closed-loop eigenvalues for the cases of 10 and 20 vehicles. This involved the solutions of 19th and 39th order Riccati equations, respectively, and rather than
reproduce all the numbers here we give only the first five and last five elements of the first row (or column) of X and the fastest and slowest closed-loop modes. Again all values are rounded to just six significant figures; the complete numerical solutions are available from the author.

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<td>N=10 n=19</td>
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<tr>
<td>1.40826</td>
<td>-1.83667</td>
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<td>2.66762</td>
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<td>-0.658219</td>
<td>+ 1.70368 j</td>
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<tr>
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The closed-loop eigenvalues for the case of, say, 10 vehicles interlace and include, as a subset, those of 5 vehicles. Similarly, those for 20 vehicles interlace and include, as a subset, those of 10 (and hence 5) vehicles. It appears evident that both the elements of the Riccati solution and the closed-loop eigenvalues are converging to values in some finite region.

Example 5: This example involves circulant matrices. We wish to solve (15) with
and \( BR^{-1}B^T = I, \ Q = I \). The matrices \( A, BR^{-1}B^T, Q \) are all circulant so the Riccati solution \( X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \) is known to be circulant of the form

\[
X_k = X_{k-1} \begin{bmatrix} x_0 & x_{n-1} & x_{n-2} & \cdots & x_1 \\ x_1 & x_0 & x_{n-1} & \cdots & x_2 \\ x_2 & x_1 & x_0 & \cdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots \\ x_{n-1} & x_{n-2} & \cdots & x_0 \end{bmatrix}
\]

In fact, there is a simple transformation which "diagonalizes" the Riccati equation and allows the solution of (15) to be recovered via the solution of \( n \) scalar quadratic equations and an inverse discrete Fourier transform. The details of this procedure and related analysis of circulant systems can be found in the work of Wall [38]. For this example, we have \( n = 64 \) and the \( x_i \) are given by

\[
x_i = \frac{1}{64} \sum_{k=0}^{63} \left( -2+2\cos\left(\frac{2\pi k}{64}\right) + \sqrt{5-4\cos\left(\frac{2\pi k}{64}\right) + 4}\cos^2\left(\frac{2\pi k}{64}\right) \right) \omega_{64}^k
\]

where \( \omega_{64} \) is a 64-th root of unity. The solution was computed by the Schur vector approach and checked by means of the circulant analysis.
of Wall. Our computed Riccati solution had at least 13 significant figures. For reference purposes we list

\[
\begin{align*}
x_{11} &= 0.37884325313566 \\
x_{12} &= 0.18581947375535 \\
\vdots & \quad \vdots \\
x_{44} &= 0.37884325313567 \\
x_{45} &= 0.18581947375536 \\
\vdots & \quad \vdots 
\end{align*}
\]

The closed-loop eigenvalues are all real and are arranged as follows:

\[
\begin{align*}
-4.1231056256177 \\
-4.1137632861146 \\
-4.1137632861146 & \quad 31 \text{ eigenvalues of multiplicity 2} \\
\vdots & \quad \vdots \\
-0.99999999999991
\end{align*}
\]

This 64\textsuperscript{th} order example required approximately 50 sec. of CPU time on the 370/168 at M.I.T. and approximately 34 sec. on the 370/165 at the University of Toronto - both using FORTRAN H Extended (Opt. =2), double precision.

\textbf{Example 6:} This example is one which would be expected to cause problems on physical grounds and which appears to give rise to an "ill-conditioned Riccati equation". Consider the solution of (15) with
Here we have a system of \( n \) integrators connected in series. It is desired to apply a feedback controller to the \( n^{\text{th}} \) system (which is to be integrated \( n \) times) so as to achieve overall asymptotic stability. Only deviations of \( x_1 \) (the \( n^{\text{th}} \) integral of the constant system) from 0 are penalized. The reachability Gramian

\[
W_t = \int_0^t e^{SA}B_1 e^{SA^T}ds,
\]

while positive definite for all \( t>0 \), becomes more nearly singular as \( n \) increases. The system is "hard to control" in the sense of requiring a large amount of control energy (as measured by \( \|W_t^{-1}\| \)).

The closed-loop eigenvalues are easily seen to be the roots of

\[
\lambda^{2n} + (-1)^n \frac{q}{r} = 0
\]

with negative real parts. These eigenvalues lie in a classic Butterworth pattern. It can also be easily verified that

\[
x_{1n} = \sqrt{\frac{q}{r}}
\]

= product of the closed-loop eigenvalues.
We attempted the solution of (15) with the above matrices and \( q = r = 1 \).

While the closed-loop eigenvalues were determined quite accurately as ex-
pected (approximately 14 decimal places using IBM double precision), the
Riccati solution was increasingly less accurate as \( n \) increased due to the
increasingly ill-conditioned nature of \( U_{11} \). For example, for \( n = 21 \) there
was already a loss of 10 digits of accuracy (consistent with a condition
estimate of \( O(10^{10}) \) for \( U_{11} \)) in \( x_{1n} (=1) \). Other computed elements of \( X \) were
as large as \( O(10^9) \) in magnitude.

Repeating the calculations with \( q = 10^4, r = 1 \) there was a loss of
approximately 12 digits of accuracy in \( x_{1n} (=100) \) for \( n = 21 \). In this case
other elements of \( X \) were as large as \( O(10^{11}) \) in magnitude. Again, the closed-
loop eigenvalues were determined very accurately.

Our attempts to get Newton's method to converge on the above problem
were unsuccessful.

Obviously, there is more that can be said analytically about this
problem. Our interest here has been only to highlight some of the numerical
difficulties.
7. **Concluding Remarks**

We have discussed in considerable detail a new algorithm for solving algebraic Riccati equations. A number of numerical issues have been addressed and various examples given. The method is apparently quite numerically stable and performs reliably on systems with dense matrices of up to order 100 or so, storage being the main limiting factor.

For some reason, numerical analysts have never really studied algebraic Riccati equations. The algorithm presented here can undoubtedly be refined considerably from a numerical point of view but it nonetheless represents an immense improvement over algorithms heretofore proposed.

Some topics of continuing research in this area will include:

(i) conditioning of Riccati equations,

(ii) use of software to sort blocks of the RSP diagonal into just the two appropriate groups rather than within the two groups as well,

(iii) making numerically viable the use of symplectic transformations such as in [17] to reduce the Hamiltonian or symplectic matrix Z to a convenient canonical form.

Each of these topics is of research interest in its own right in addition to the application to Riccati equations.
8. References


We outline here how to set up the "symplectic approach" when the matrix $F$ in

$$F^T X F - X - F^T X G_1 (G_2 + G_1 X G_1)^{-1} G_1 X F + H = 0$$

is singular. All other assumptions and notation of Section 3 will be the same.

Letting $x_k$ denote the state at time $t_k$ and $\lambda_k$ the corresponding adjoint vector, recall the Hamiltonian difference equations arising from the discrete maximum principle:

$$
\begin{pmatrix}
  I & G \\
  0 & F^T
\end{pmatrix}
\begin{pmatrix}
  x_{k+1} \\
  \lambda_{k+1}
\end{pmatrix} =
\begin{pmatrix}
  F & 0 \\
  -H & I
\end{pmatrix}
\begin{pmatrix}
  x_k \\
  \lambda_k
\end{pmatrix}.
$$

Note that if $F$ were invertible we could work with the symplectic matrix

$$
\begin{pmatrix}
  I & G \\
  0 & F^T
\end{pmatrix}^{-1}
\begin{pmatrix}
  F & 0 \\
  -H & I
\end{pmatrix} =
\begin{pmatrix}
  F + GF^T H & -GF^T \\
  -F^T H & F^T
\end{pmatrix}
$$

which is just (9). Here, instead, we shall be concerned with a "symplectic generalized eigenvalue problem"

$$Lz = \lambda Mz$$

with

$$L =\begin{pmatrix}
  F & 0 \\
  -H & I
\end{pmatrix}, \quad M =\begin{pmatrix}
  I & G \\
  0 & F^T
\end{pmatrix}$$
and symplectic in the sense that if $\lambda \neq 0$ is a generalized eigenvalue then $\frac{1}{\lambda}$ is a generalized eigenvalue. In fact, $L$ and $M$ are characterized by the property that

$$LJLT = MJMT$$

where $J = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & I \\ -I & 0 \end{pmatrix}$.

In our specific situation $LJLT = MJMT = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & F \\ -F^T & 0 \end{pmatrix}$.

There is even more "reciprocal symmetry" in the problem. With $F$ singular there must be least one generalized eigenvalue at 0 and to each such generalized eigenvalue there corresponds its reciprocal at $\infty$. The generalized eigenvalues can then be arranged in two groups of $n$ as before:

$$\underbrace{0, \ldots, 0, \lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_k}_n, \underbrace{\frac{1}{\lambda_1}, \ldots, \frac{1}{\lambda_k}, \infty, \ldots, \infty}_n$$

with $0 < |\lambda_1| < 1$. We then find a basis for the generalized eigenspace corresponding to $0, \ldots, 0, \lambda_1, \ldots, \lambda_k$ and proceed essentially as before. The details are omitted here as they are the subject of a forthcoming paper with T. Pappas.
APPENDIX 2

In this appendix we provide FORTRAN source listings for one possible implementation of the Schur vector approach described in the paper. Subroutines for solving both the continuous-time algebraic Riccati equation (1) [RICCND] and the discrete-time algebraic Riccati equation (8) [RICDSD] are given. The subroutine names are derived from the following nomenclature convention for a family of subroutines to solve Riccati and various other matrix equations:

subroutine name: XXXYYZ

where

RIC Riccati equation

XXX =
    { LYP Lyapunov equation
      SYL Sylvester equation

YY =
    { CN continuous-time version
      DS discrete-time version

Z =
    { S single (short) precision version
      D double (long) precision version

Subroutine RICCND calls or further requires the following additional subroutines:

BALANC, BALBAK, DDCOMP, DSOLVE, EXCHNG, HQR3, MLINEQ, ORTHES,
ORTRAN, QRSTEP, SPLIT

Subroutine RICDSD requires each of the 11 subroutines above as well as the two additional subroutines MULWOA, MULWOB.
All the additional subroutines required have also been listed here with the exception of BALANC, BALBAK, ORTHES, and ORTRAN which are available in EISPACK [27].

These subroutines are being used in the environment described in Section 6 as part of a package called LQGPACK. This package is a preliminary version of a set of subroutines being developed at M.I.T.'s Laboratory for Information and Decision Systems to solve linear-quadratic-Gaussian control and estimation problems. The package has also been run in a single precision version on a CDC 6600. However, at this time we make no claims of portability of the code to other machines. The code listed here is solely for illustrative purposes.

Finally, we add two additional technical notes:

**NOTE 1:** A fairly reliable estimate of the condition number of $U_{11}$ with respect to inversion is returned by RICCND or RICDSD in WORK (1).

**NOTE 2:** The subroutine HQR3 contains a small error which can occasionally cause RICCND or RICDSD to give erroneous or misleading information. The trouble arises when ORTHES produces an upper Hessenberg form with a zero on the first subdiagonal. HQR3 then correctly orders the resulting RSF both above and below that zero element but not necessarily globally. In practice this almost never happens and it has only ever been observed for certain low-order examples with all coefficient matrices diagonal.

This error in HQR3 can and will be corrected. In the interim, the error can either be ignored (a safe strategy for virtually all "real problems") or temporarily patched by the following scheme.
Let $a_{i+1,i}$ be a zero element of the upper Hessenberg matrix $A$ (the output of ORTHES). Then before HQR3 is called, $a_{i+1,i}$ should be replaced by $\varepsilon \cdot \left( |a_{i,i}| + |a_{i+1,i+1}| \right)$ where $\varepsilon$ is the machine precision (EPS) defined by

$$\varepsilon = \min_\delta \{ \delta : \text{fl}(1+|\delta|) \neq 1 \}$$

($\text{fl}(\cdot)$ denotes floating point operation).

The source listings now follow.
SUBROUTINE RICCND (NZ, NF, NG, NH, N, NN, Z, W, F, G, H, ER, EI, WORK, + SCALE, ITYPE, IPVL, IPVS)

*****PARAMETERS:
INTEGER NZ, NF, NG, NH, N, NN, ITYPE(NN), IPVL(NN), IPVS(N)
DOUBLE PRECISION Z(NZ, NN), W(NZ, NN), F(NF, N), G(NG, N), H(NH, N), + ER(NN), EI(NN), WCRK(N), SCALE(NN)

*****LOCAL VARIABLES:
INTEGER I, J, LOW, IGH, NLOW, NUP
DOUBLE PRECISION EPS, EPS1, ZNORM, T, ALPHA, COND

*****FUNCTIONS:
DOUBLE PRECISION DABS, DSQRT

*****SUBROUTINES CALLED:
BALANC, BALBAK, HQR3, MLINEQ, ORTHES, ORTRAN

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*****PURPOSE:
THIS SUBROUTINE SOLVES THE CONTINUOUS-TIME ALGEBRAIC MATRIX RICCATI EQUATION
\[ T \]
\[ \begin{align*}
  F \cdot X + X \cdot F & - X \cdot G \cdot X + H = 0
\end{align*} \]

BY LAUB'S VARIANT OF THE HAMILTONIAN-EIGENVECTOR APPROACH.

*****PARAMETER DESCRIPTION:
ON INPUT:
NZ, NF, NG, NH  \quad ROW DIMENSIONS OF THE ARRAYS CONTAINING Z (AND W), F, G, AND H, RESPECTIVELY, AS DECLARED IN THE CALLING PROGRAM DIMENSION STATEMENT;
N  \quad ORDER OF THE MATRICES F, G, H;
NN  \quad = 2 \times N = ORDER OF THE INTERNALLY GENERATED MATRICES Z AND W;
F  \quad AN N X N (REAL) MATRIX;
G, H  \quad N X N SYMMETRIC, NONNEGATIVE DEFINITE (REAL) MATRICES.

ON OUTPUT:
H  \quad AN N X N ARRAY CONTAINING THE UNIQUE POSITIVE (OR NONNEGATIVE) DEFINITE SOLUTION OF THE RICCATI EQUATION;
ER, EI  \quad REAL SCRATCH VECTORS OF LENGTH 2 \times N; ON OUTPUT (ER(I), EI(I)), I=1, N CONTAIN THE REAL AND IMAGINARY PARTS, RESPECTIVELY, OF THE N
CLOSED LOOP EIGENVALUES (i.e., the
SPECTRUM OF \( F - G^*X \));

\( Z, W \)

2\( N \times 2\( N \) REAL SCRATCH ARRAYS USED FOR
COMPUTATIONS INVOLVING THE HAMILTONIAN
MATRIX ASSOCIATED WITH THE RICCATI EQUATION;

\( \text{WORK}, \text{SCALE} \)

REAL SCRATCH VECTORS OF LENGTHS \( N, 2\times N \),
RESPECTIVELY; ON OUTPUT, \( \text{WORK}(1) \) CONTAINS A
CONDITION NUMBER ESTIMATE FOR THE FINAL \( N \)
ORDER LINEAR MATRIX EQUATION SOLVED;

\( \text{ITYPE}, \text{IPVL}, \text{IPVS} \)

INTEGER SCRATCH VECTORS OF LENGTHS \( 2\times N, 2\times N, \)
\( N \), RESPECTIVELY.

***NOTE: ALL SCRATCH ARRAYS MUST BE DECLARED AND INCLUDED
IN THE CALL.***

*****ALGORITHM NOTES:
IT IS ASSUMED THAT \( G \) AND \( H \) ARE NONNEGATIVE DEFINITE AND THAT \( (F,B) \) IS STABILIZABLE AND \( (C,F) \) IS DETECTABLE WHERE \( B^*B = G \)
\( T \)
\( (B \) OF FULL RANK = \( \text{RANK}(G) \)) AND \( C^*C = H \) \( (C \) OF FULL
RANK = \( \text{RANK}(H) \)) IN WHICH CASE THE SOLUTION \( (\text{RETURNED IN THE}
\text{ARRAY} \text{H}) \) IS UNIQUE AND NONNEGATIVE DEFINITE.

*****HISTORY:
WRITTEN BY ALAN J. LAUB (ELEC. SYS. LAB., M.I.T., RM. 35-331,
CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139, PH.: (617) - 253-2125), SEPTEMBER 1977.

EPS IS AN INTERNALLY GENERATED MACHINE DEPENDENT PARAMETER
SPECIFYING THE RELATIVE PRECISION OF FLOATING POINT ARITHMETIC.
FOR EXAMPLE, \( \text{EPS} = 16.0D0**(-13) \) FOR DOUBLE PRECISION ARITHMETIC
ON IBM S360/S370.

EPS=1.0D0
EPS=0.5D0*EPS
EPSP1=EPS+1.0D0
IF (EPSP1.GT.1.0D0) GO TO 5
EPS=2.0D0*EPS

SET UP HAMILTONIAN MATRIX

DO 20 J=1, N
  DO 10 I=1, N
    Z(I,J)=F(I,J)
    Z(N+I,J)=-H(I,J)
    Z(I,N+J)=-G(I,J)
    Z(N+I,N+J)=-F(J,I)
  10 CONTINUE
20 CONTINUE
C C BALANCE Z C CALL BALANC (NZ, NN, Z, LOW, IGH, SCALE) C C COMPUTE 1-NORM OF Z C ZNORM=0.0D0 DO 40 J=1,NN T=0.0D0 DO 30 I=1,NN T=T+DABS(Z(I,J)) 30 CONTINUE IF (T.GT.ZNORM) ZNORM=T 40 CONTINUE ALPHA=DSQRT(ZNORM)+1.0D0 C C COMPUTE W = (ALPHA*I + Z) *(ALPHA*I - Z), AN ANALYTIC FUNCTION C OF Z MAPPING THE LEFT HALF PLANE TO THE EXTERIOR OF THE UNIT C DISK. THIS PERMITS DIRECT APPLICATION OF HQR3. THIS STEP MAY C BE REMOVED IF HQR3 IS MODIFIED APPROPRIATELY. C DO 60 J=1,NN DO 50 I=1,NN W(I,J)=-Z(I,J) 50 CONTINUE W(J,J)=ALPHA+W(J,J) Z(J,J)=ALPHA+Z(J,J) 60 CONTINUE CALL MLINEQ (NZ, NZ, NN, NN, Z, W, COND, IPVL, ER) C C REDUCE W TO REAL SCHUR FORM WITH EIGENVALUES OUTSIDE THE UNIT C DISK IN THE UPPER LEFT N X N UPPER QUASI-TRIANGULAR BLOCK C NLOW=1 NUP=NN CALL ORTHES (NZ, NN, NLOW, NUP, W, ER) CALL ORTRAN (NZ, NN, NLOW, NUP, W, ER, Z) DO 15 I=2,NN IF(W(I,I-1).EQ.0.0D0) W(I,I-1)=1.0D-14 15 CONTINUE CALL HQR3 (W, Z, NN, NLOW, NUP, EPS, ER, EI, ITYPE, NZ, NZ) C C COMPUTE SOLUTION OF THE RICCATI EQUATION FROM THE ORTHOGONAL C MATRIX NOW IN THE ARRAY Z. STORE THE RESULT IN THE ARRAY H. C CALL BALBAK (NZ, NN, LOW, IGH, SCALE, NN, Z) DO 80 J=1,N DO 70 I=1,N F(I,J)=Z(J,I) H(I,J)=Z(N+J,I) 70 CONTINUE CALL MLINEQ (NF, NH, N, F, H, COND, IPVS, WORK)
WORK(1)=COND

TRANSFORM BACK TO GET THE CLOSED LOOP SPECTRUM

DO 110 I=1,N
   IF (ITYPE(I).GE.0) GO TO 90
   WRITE (6,44400) I
44400 FORMAT (1X,I4,1X,4TH EIGENVALUE NOT SUCCESSFULLY CALCULATED)
   RETURN
90   IF (ITYPE(I).GT.0) GO TO 100
   ER(I)=ALPHA*(1.0D0-ER(I))/(1.0D0+ER(I))
   EI(I)=0.0D0
   GO TO 110
100  IF (ITYPE(I).EQ.2) GO TO 110
   T=ALPHA/((1.0D0+ER(I))**2+EI(I)**2)
   ER(I)=(1.0D0-ER(I)**2-EI(I)**2)*T
   EI(I)=-2.0D0*EI(I)*T
   ER(I+1)=ER(I)
   EI(I+1)=-EI(I)
110 CONTINUE
RETURN

LAST LINE OF RICCND

END
SUBROUTINE RICDS (NZ, NF, NG, NH, N, NN, Z, W, F, G, H, E, EI, WORK,
   + SCALE, ITYPE, IPVT)

*****PARAMETERS:
INTEGER NZ, NF, NG, NH, N, NN, ITYPE(NN), IPVT(N)
DOUBLE PRECISION Z(NZ, N), W(NZ, NN), F(NF, N), G(NG, N), H(NH, N),
   + E(NN), EI(NN), WORK(N), SCALE(NN)

*****LOCAL VARIABLES:
INTEGER I, J, K, LOW, IGH, NLOW, NUP
DOUBLE PRECISION EPS, EPS1, CCNDCON, NDP1

*****SUBROUTINES CALLED:
BALANC, BALBAK, DDCOMP, DSOLVE, HQR3, MLINEQ, MULWOA, MULWOB,
ORTHERS, ORTRAN

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*****PURPOSE:
THIS DOUBLE PRECISION SUBROUTINE SOLVES THE DISCRETE-TIME
ALGEBRAIC MATRIX RICCATI EQUATION

        T          T                        T           -1          T
X = F *X*F - F *X*G1* ((G2 + G1 *X*G1) ) *G1 *X*F + H

BY LAUB'S VARIANT OF THE HAMILTONIAN-EIGENVECTOR APPROACH.
THE MATRIX F IS ASSUMED TO BE NONSINGULAR AND THE MATRICES G1 AND
G2 ARE ASSUMED TO BE COMBINED INTO THE SQUARE ARRAY G AS FOLLOWS:

        -1          T
G = G1*G2 *G1

*****PARAMETER DESCRIPTION:
ON INPUT:
NZ, NF, NG, NH
DECLARED IN THE CALLING PROGRAM DIMENSION STATEMENT;

N
ORDER OF THE MATRICES F, G, H;

NN
= 2*N = ORDER OF THE INTERNALLY GENERATED
MATRICES Z AND W;

F
A NONSINGULAR N X N (REAL) MATRIX;

G, H
N X N symmetric, nonnegative definite
(REAL) MATRICES.

ON OUTPUT:
H
AN N X N ARRAY CONTAINING THE UNIQUE POSITIVE
(OR NONNEGATIVE) DEFINITE SOLUTION OF THE
RICCATI EQUATION;
REAL SCRATCH VECTORS OF LENGTH 2*N; ON OUTPUT RIC00561
(ER(I),EI(I)), I=1,N CONTAIN THE REAL AND RIC00571
IMAGINARY PARTS, RESPECTIVELY, OF THE N RIC00581
CLOSED LOOP EIGENVALUES (I.E., THE SPECTRUM OF P -1 T
F - G1*((G2 + G1*X*G1) )*G1*X*PRI320061 -T
= F - G*F *(X - H));

2*N X 2*N REAL SCRATCH ARRAYS USED FOR COMPUTATIONS INVOLVING THE SYMPLECTIC MATRIX ASSOCIATED WITH THE RICCATI EQUATION;

REAL SCRATCH VECTORS OF LENGTHS N, 2*N, RESPECTIVELY; ON OUTPUT, WORK(1) CONTAINS A CONDITION NUMBER ESTIMATE FOR THE FINAL NTH ORDER LINEAR MATRIX EQUATION SOLVED;

INTEGER SCRATCH VECTORS OF LENGTHS 2*N, N, RESPECTIVELY.

***NOTE: ALL SCRATCH ARRAYS MUST BE DECLARED AND INCLUDED IN THE CALL.***

******ALGORITHM NOTES:
IT IS ASSUMED THAT:
(1) F IS NONSINGULAR
(2) G AND H ARE NONNEGATIVE DEFINITE
(3) (F,G1) IS STABILIZABLE AND (C,F) IS DETECTABLE WHERE T
C *C = H (C OF FULL RANK = RANK(H)).
UNDER THESE ASSUMPTIONS THE SOLUTION (RETURNED IN THE ARRAY H) IS UNIQUE AND NONNEGATIVE DEFINITE.

******HISTORY:

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EPS=1.0D0
EPS=0.5D0*EPS
EPSF1=EPS+1.0D0
IF (EPSF1.GT.1.0D0) GO TO 5
EPS=2.0D0*EPS

SET UP SYMPLECTIC MATRIX Z
DO 20 J=1,N
DO 10 I=1,N
   Z (N+I, N+J) = F (J, I)
10  CONTINUE

20 CONTINUE
CALL DDCOMP (NF, N, F, COND, IFVT, WORK)
COND1 = COND + 1.0D0
IF (COND1 .GT. COND) GO TO 30
WRITE (6, 44400)
44400 FORMAT (42H1F MATRIX IS SINGULAR TO WORKING PRECISION)
RETURN

30 DO 60 J=1,N
   DO 40 I=1,N
      WORK (I) = 0.0D0
   40 CONTINUE
   WORK (J) = 1.0D0
   CALL DSOLVE (NF, N, F, WORK, IPVT)
   DO 50 I=1,N
      Z (I, J) = WORK (I)
   50 CONTINUE
60 CONTINUE

70 CONTINUE
DO 80 J=1,N
   DO 70 I=1,N
      F (I, J) = Z (I, J)
   70 CONTINUE
80 CONTINUE

CALL MULWOA (NH, NF, N, H, F, WORK)
DO 120 J=1,N
   DO 90 I=1,N
      Z (I, N+J) = 0.0D0
      Z (N+I, J) = H (I, J)
   90 CONTINUE
100 CONTINUE

CALL MULWOB (NH, NG, N, H, F, WORK)
DO 140 J=1,N
   DO 130 I=1,N
      Z (N+I, N+J) = Z (N+I, N+J) + F (I, K) * G (K, J)
   130 CONTINUE
140 CONTINUE

BALANCE Z

CALL BALANC (NZ, NN, Z, LOW, IGH, SCALE)

REDUCE Z TO REAL SCHUR FORM WITH EIGENVALUES OUTSIDE THE UNIT DISK IN THE UPPER LEFT N X N UPPER QUASI-TRIANGULAR BLOCK

NLOW=1
NUP=NN
CALL ORTHES (NZ, NN, NLOW, NUP, Z, ER)
CALL ORTRAN (NZ, NN, NLOW, NUP, Z, ER, W)
CALL HQR3 (Z, W, NN, NLOW, NUP, EPS, ER, EI, ITYPE, NZ, NZ)

C
C COMPUTE SOLUTION OF THE RICCATI EQUATION FROM THE ORTHOGONAL
C MATRIX NOW IN THE ARRAY W. STORE THE RESULT IN THE ARRAY H.
C
CALL BALBAK (NZ, NN, LOW, IGH, SCALE, NN, W)
DO 160 J=1, N
  DO 150 I=1, N
    F (I, J) = W (J, I)
    H (I, J) = W (N+J, I)
  CONTINUE
  CONTINUE
150 CONTINUE
160 CONTINUE
CALL MLINEQ (NF, NH, N, F, H, COND, IPVT, WORK)
WORK (1) = COND

C TRANSFORM TO GET THE CLOSED LOOP SPECTRUM
C
DO 190 I=1, N
  IF (ITYPE (I) .GE. 0) GO TO 170
  WRITE (6, 44410) I
44410 FORMAT (1X, I4, 1X, 'THE EIGENVALUE NOT SUCCESSFULLY CALCULATED')
  RETURN
170 IF (ITYPE (I) .GT. 0) GO TO 180
  ER (I) = 1.0D0 / ER (I)
  EI (I) = 0.0D0
  GO TO 190
180 IF (ITYPE (I) .EQ. 2) GO TO 190
  T = ER (I)**2 + EI (I)**2
  ER (I) = ER (I) / T
  EI (I) = EI (I) / T
  ER (I+1) = ER (I)
  EI (I+1) = -EI (I)
190 CONTINUE
RETURN

C LAST LINE OF RICDS D
C
END
SUBROUTINE DDCOMP (NA, N, A, COND, IPVT, WORK)

***PARAMETERS:
INTEGER NA, N, IPVT(N)
DOUBLE PRECISION A(NA, N), COND, WORK(N)

***LOCAL VARIABLES:
INTEGER NM1, I, J, K, KP1, KB, KM1, M
DOUBLE PRECISION EK, T, ANORM, YNORM, ZNORM

***FUNCTIONS:
DOUBLE PRECISION DABS

***PURPOSE:
THIS SUBROUTINE COMPUTES AN LU-DECOMPOSITION OF THE REAL N X N
MATRIX A BY GAUSSIAN ELIMINATION WITH PARTIAL PIVOTING.
A CONDITION NUMBER OF A IS ESTIMATED.

***PARAMETER DESCRIPTION:
ON INPUT:

NA
ROW DIMENSION OF THE ARRAY CONTAINING A AS
DECLARED IN THE CALLING PROGRAM DIMENSION
STATEMENT;

N
ORDER OF THE MATRIX;

A
N X N MATRIX TO BE TRIANGULARIZED.

ON OUTPUT:

A
N X N ARRAY CONTAINING AN UPPER TRIANGULAR
MATRIX U AND A PERMUTED VERSION OF A LOWER
TRIANGULAR MATRIX I-L SO THAT
(PERMUTATION MATRIX)*A = L*U.

COND
AN ESTIMATE OF THE CONDITION OF A FOR THE
LINEAR SYSTEM
A*X = B.
CHANGES IN A AND B MAY CAUSE CHANGES COND
TIMES AS LARGE IN X. IF COND + 1.0D0 = COND, A
IS SINGULAR TO WORKING PRECISION. COND IS
SET TO 1.0D+32 IF "EXACT" SINGULARITY IS
DETECTED.

IPVT
PIVOT VECTOR OF LENGTH N.
IPVT(K) = THE INDEX OF THE K-TH PIVOT ROW.
IPVT(N) = (-1)**(NUMBER OF INTERCHANGES).

WORK
REAL SCRATCH VECTOR OF LENGTH N.
ITS INPUT CONTENTS ARE IGNORED. ITS OUTPUT
CONTENTS ARE USUALLY UNIMPORTANT.
*****APPLICATIONS AND USAGE RESTRICTIONS:
DDCOMP CAN BE USED IN CONJUNCTION WITH DSOLVE TO COMPUTE SOLUTIONS TO SYSTEMS OF LINEAR EQUATIONS. IF NEAR-SINGULARITY IS DETECTED SOLUTIONS ARE MORE RELIABLY COMPUTED VIA SINGULAR VALUE DECOMPOSITION OF A.
DDCOMP CAN ALSO BE USED TO COMPUTE THE DETERMINANT OF A.
ON OUTPUT SIMPLY COMPUTE:
\[ \text{DET}(A) = \prod_{i=1}^{n} A(i,i) \]

*****ALGORITHM NOTES:
DDCOMP IS A DOUBLE PRECISION ADAPTATION OF THE SUBROUTINE DECOMP (SEE REFERENCE (1) FOR DETAILS). THIS ALGORITHM IMPLEMENTS GAUSSIAN ELIMINATION IN A MODERATELY UNCONVENTIONAL MANNER TO PROVIDE POTENTIAL EFFICIENCY ADVANTAGES UNDER CERTAIN OPERATING SYSTEMS (SEE REFERENCE (2) FOR DETAILS).

*****REFERENCES:
(2) MOLER, C.B., MATRIX COMPUTATIONS WITH FORTRAN AND PAGING, COMM. ACM, 15(1972), 268-270.

*****HISTORY:
CONTINUE
IPVT(K) = M
IF (M.NE.K) IPVT(N) = -IPVT(N)
T = A(M,K)
A(M,K) = A(K,K)
A(K,K) = T

C SKIP STEP IF PIVOT IS ZERO
C IF (T.EQ.0.0D0) GO TO 35
C COMPUTE MULTIPLIERS
C DO 20 I=K+1,N
   A(I,K) = A(I,K)/T
20 CONTINUE

C INTERCHANGE AND ELIMINATE BY COLUMNS
C DO 30 J=K+1,N
   T = A(M,J)
   A(M,J) = A(K,J)
   A(K,J) = T
   IF (T.EQ.0.0D0) GO TO 30
   DO 25 I=K+1,N
      A(I,J) = A(I,J) + A(I,K) * T
25 CONTINUE
30 CONTINUE

C COND = (1-NORM OF A) * (AN ESTIMATE OF 1-NORM OF A-1)
C ESTIMATE OBTAINED BY ONE STEP OF INVERSE ITERATION FOR THE
C SMALL SINGULAR VECTOR. THIS INVOLVES SOLVING TWO SYSTEMS
C OF EQUATIONS: A * Y = E AND A * Z = Y WHERE L
C IS A VECTOR OF +1 OR -1 CHOSEN TO CAUSE GROWTH IN Y.
C ESTIMATE = (1-NORM OF Z)/(1-NORM OF Y).

C T
C SOLVE A * Y = E
C DO 50 K=1,N
   T = 0.0D0
   IF (K.EQ.1) GO TO 45
   KM1 = K-1
   DO 40 I=1,KM1
      T = T + A(I,K) * WORK(I)
40 CONTINUE
45 CONTINUE
   EK = 1.0D0
   IF (T.LT.0.0D0) EK = -1.0D0
   IF (A(K,K).EQ.0.0D0) GO TO 90
      WORK(K) = -(EK + T)/A(K,K)
90 CONTINUE
DO 60 KB=1,NM1
   K = N - KB
T=0.0D0
KP1=K+1
DO 55 I=KP1,N
   T=T+A(I,K)*WORK(K)
55 CONTINUE
WORK(K)=T
M=IPVT(K)
IF (M.EQ.K) GO TO 60
T=WORK(M)
WORK(M)=WORK(K)
WORK(K)=T
60 CONTINUE
C
YNORM=0.0D0
DO 65 I=1,N
   YNORM=YNORM+DABS(WORK(I))
65 CONTINUE
C
SOLVE A*Z = Y
CALL DSOLVE (NA,N,A,WORK,IPVT)
C
ZNORM=0.0D0
DO 70 I=1,N
   ZNORM=ZNORM+DABS(WORK(I))
70 CONTINUE
C
ESTIMATE CONDITION
C
COND=ANORM*ZNORM/YNORM
IF (COND.LT.1.0D0) COND=1.0D0 RETURN
C
1-BY-1 CASE
C
80 COND=1.0D0
IF (A(1,1).NE.0.0D0) RETURN
C
"EXACT" SINGULARITY
C
90 COND=1.0D+32
RETURN
C
LAST LINE OF DDCOMP
C
END
**SUBROUTINE DSOLVE (NA, N, A, B, IPVT)**

*****PARAMETERS:
INTEGER NA, N, IPVT(N)
DOUBLE PRECISION A(NA, N), B(N)

*****LOCAL VARIABLES:
INTEGER KB, KM1, NM1, KP1, I, K, M
DOUBLE PRECISION T

*****Purpose:
This subroutine solves the linear system \( A \times X = B \) by forward elimination and back substitution using the triangular factors of \( A \) provided by DDCOMP.

*****Parameter Description:
**ON INPUT:**

\( NA \) 
row dimension of the array containing \( A \) as declared in the calling program dimension statement;

\( N \) 
order of the matrix \( A \);

\( A \) 
triangularized matrix obtained from DDCOMP;

\( B \) 
right hand side vector of length \( N \);

\( IPVT \) 
pivot vector of length \( N \) obtained from DDCOMP.

**ON OUTPUT:**

\( B \) 
solution vector, \( X \), of length \( N \).

*****Applications and Usage Restrictions:
DSOLVE should not be used in case DDCOMP has detected near-singularity. Singular value analysis is then more reliable.

*****Algorithm Notes:
DSOLVE is a double precision adaptation of the subroutine SOLVE (see reference (1) in the DDCOMP documentation for details).

*****History:
Adaptation and documentation written by Alan J. Laub
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Ph.: (617)-253-2125), August 1977.

FORWARD ELIMINATION

IF (N.EQ.1) GO TO 50
NM1 = N - 1
DO 20 K = 1, NM1
   KP1 = K + 1
   M = IPVT(K)
   T = B(M)
   B(M) = B(K)
   B(K) = T
   DO 10 I = KP1, N
      B(I) = B(I) + A(I, K) * T
   10 CONTINUE
20 CONTINUE
C
C BACK SUBSTITUTION
C
DO 40 KB = 1, NM1
   KM1 = N - KB
   K = KM1 + 1
   B(K) = B(K) / A(K, K)
   T = -B(K)
   DO 30 I = 1, KM1
      B(I) = B(I) + A(I, K) * T
   30 CONTINUE
40 CONTINUE
50 B(1) = B(1) / A(1, 1)
RETURN
C
C LAST LINE OF DSOLVE
C
END
SUBROUTINE EXCHNG (A, V, N, L, B1, B2, EPS, FAIL, NA, NV)

*****PARAMETERS
INTEGER B1, B2, L, NA, NV
DOUBLE PRECISION A(NA, N), EPS, V(NV, N)
LOGICAL FAIL

*****LOCAL VARIABLES:
INTEGER I, IT, J, L1, M
DOUBLE PRECISION P, Q, R, S, W, X, Y, Z

*****FUNCTIONS:
DOUBLE PRECISION DABS, DSQRT, DMAX1

*****SUBROUTINES CALLED:
QKSTEP

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*****PURPOSE:
GIVEN THE UPPER HESSENBERG MATRIX A WITH CONSECUTIVE B1 X B1 AND
B2 X B2 DIAGONAL BLOCKS (B1, B2 .LE. 2) STARTING AT A(L,L), THIS
SUBROUTINE PRODUCES A UNITARY SIMILARITY TRANSFORMATION THAT
EXCHANGES THE BLOCKS ALONG WITH THEIR EIGENVALUES. THE
TRANSFORMATION IS ACCUMULATED IN V.

*****PARAMETER DESCRIPTION:
ON INPUT:
NA, NV
ROW DIMENSIONS OF THE ARRAYS CONTAINING A
AND V, RESPECTIVELY, AS DECLARED IN THE
CALLING PROGRAM DIMENSION STATEMENT;

A
N X N MATRIX WHOSE BLOCKS ARE TO BE
INTERCHANGED;

N
ORDER OF THE MATRIX A;

L
POSITION OF THE BLOCKS;

B1
AN INTEGER CONTAINING THE SIZE OF THE FIRST
BLOCK;

B2
AN INTEGER CONTAINING THE SIZE OF THE SECOND
BLOCK;

EPS
A CONVERGENCE CRITERION (CF. HQR3).

ON OUTPUT:
FAIL
A LOGICAL VARIABLE WHICH IS .FALSE. ON A
NORMAL RETURN. IF THIRTY ITERATIONS WERE
PERFORMED WITHOUT CONVERGENCE, FAIL IS SET TO
.TRUE. AND THE ELEMENT A(L+B2, L+B2-1) CANNOT
BE ASSUMED ZERO.

EXC00010
EXC00020
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EXC00550
FAIL=.FALSE.
IF (B1.EQ.2) GO TO 70
IF (B2.EQ.2) GO TO 40
L1=L+1
Q=A(L+1,L+1)-A(L,L)
P=A(L,L+1)
R=DMAX1(P,Q)
IF (R.EQ.0.0 DO) RETURN
P=P/R
Q=Q/R
R=DSQRT(P**2+Q**2)
P=P/R
Q=Q/R
DO 10 J=L,N
  S=P*A(L,J)+Q*A(L+1,J)
  A(L+1,J)=P*A(L+1,J)-Q*A(L,J)
  A(L,J)=S
10 CONTINUE
DO 20 =1,1,L
  S=P*A(L,L)+Q*A(I,L+1)
  A(I,L+1)=P*A(I,L+1)-Q*A(I,L)
  A(I,L)=S
20 CONTINUE
DO 30 I=1,N
  S=P*V(I,L)+Q*V(I,L+1)
  V(I,L+1)=P*V(I,L+1)-Q*V(I,L)
  V(I,L)=S
30 CONTINUE
A(L+1,L)=0.0D0
RETURN
40 CONTINUE
X=A(L,L)
P=1.0D0
Q=1.0D0
R=1.0D0
CALL QRSTEP (A,V,P,Q,R,L,L+2,N,N,A,NV)
IT=0
50 IT=IT+1
IF (IT.LE.30) GO TO 60
FAIL=.TRUE.
RETURN
60 CONTINUE
P=A(L,L)-X
Q=A(L+1,L)
R=0.0D0
CALL QRSTEP (A,V,P,Q,R,L,L+2,N,N,A,NV)
IF (DABS(A(L+2,L+1))*GT.EPS*(DABS(A(L+1,L+1))+DABS(A(L+2,L+2))))
A (L+2, L+1) = 0.0D0
RETURN

70 CONTINUE
M = L + 2
IF (B2 .EQ. 2) M = M + 1
X = A (L+1, L+1)
Y = A (L, L)
W = A (L+1, L) * A (L, L+1)
P = 1.0D0
Q = 1.0D0
R = 1.0D0
CALL QRSTEP (A, V, P, Q, R, L, M, N, NA, NV)

IT = 0

80 IT = IT + 1
IF (IT .LE. 30) GO TO 90
FAIL = .TRUE.
RETURN

90 CONTINUE
Z = A (L, L)
R = X - Z
S = Y - Z
P = (R * S - W) / A (L+1, L) + A (L, L+1)
Q = A (L+1, L+1) - Z - R - S
R = A (L+2, L+1)
S = DABS (P) + DABS (Q) + DABS (R)
P = P / S
Q = Q / S
R = R / S
CALL QRSTEP (A, V, P, Q, R, L, M, N, NA, NV)
IF ((DABS (A (M-1, M-2)) .GT. EPS * (DABS (A (M-1, M-1)) + DABS (A (M-2, M-2)))) GO TO 80
A (M-1, M-2) = 0.0D0
RETURN

C
C  LASTLINE OF EXCHNG
C
C  END
SUBROUTINE HQR3 (A, V, N, NLOW, NUP, EPS, EI, ITYPE, NA, NV)

****PARAMETERS:
INTEGER N, NA, NLOW, NUP, NV, ITYPE(N)
DOUBLE PRECISION A(NA, N), EI(N), ER(N), EPS, V(NV, N)

****LOCAL VARIABLES:
LOGICAL FAIL
INTEGER I, IT, L, NU, NL, NU
DOUBLE PRECISION E1, E2, P, Q, R, S, T, W, X, Y, Z

****FUNCTIONS:
DOUBLE PRECISION DABS

****SUBROUTINES CALLED:
EXCHNG, QRSTEP, SPLIT

*****PURPOSE:
THIS SUBROUTINE REDUCES THE UPPER HESSENBERG MATRIX A TO QUASI-
TRIANGULAR FORM BY UNITARY SIMILARITY TRANSFORMATIONS. THE
EIGENVALUES OF A, WHICH ARE CONTAINED IN THE 1 X 1 AND 2 X 2
DIAGONAL BLOCKS OF THE REDUCED MATRIX, ARE ORDERED IN DESCENDING
ORDER OF MAGNITUDE ALONG THE DIAGONAL. THE TRANSFORMATIONS ARE
ACCUMULATED IN THE ARRAY V.

*****PARAMETER DESCRIPTION:
ON INPUT:
NA, NV
ROW DIMENSIONS OF THE ARRAYS CONTAINING A AND V, RESPECTIVELY, AS DECLARED IN THE CALLING
PROGRAM DIMENSION STATEMENT;

A
N X N ARRAY CONTAINING THE UPPER HESSENBERG
MATRIX TO BE REDUCED;

N
ORDER OF THE MATRICES A AND V;

NLOW, NUP
A(NLOW, NLOW-1) AND A(NUP, 1+NUP) ARE ASSUMED TO BE ZERO, AND ONLY ROWS NLOW THROUGH NUP
AND COLUMNS NLOW THROUGH NUP ARE TRANSFORMED, RESULTING IN THE CALCULATION OF EIGENVALUES
NLOW THROUGH NUP;

EPS
A CONVERGENCE CRITERION USED TO DETERMINE WHEN A SUBDIAGONAL ELEMENT OF A IS NEGICIENT.
SPECIFICALLY, A(I+1, I) IS REGARDED AS NEIGIBLE IF DABS(A(I+1, I)) .LE. EPS
(DABS(A(I+1, I+1))). THIS MEANS THAT THE FINAL
MATRIX RETURNED BY THE PROGRAM WILL BE EXACTLY SIMILAR TO A + E WHERE E IS ORDER
EPS * NOEM(A), FOR ANY REASONABLY BALANCED NORM SUCH AS THE ROW-SUM NORM;

ITYPE
AN INTEGER VECTOR OF LENGTH N WHOSE
I-TH ENTRY IS
0 IF THE I-TH EIGENVALUE IS REAL,
1 IF THE I-TH EIGENVALUE IS COMPLEX WITH
  POSITIVE IMAGINARY PART,
2 IF THE I-TH EIGENVALUE IS COMPLEX WITH
  NEGATIVE IMAGINARY PART,
-1 IF THE I-TH EIGENVALUE WAS NOT CALCULATED
  SUCCESSFULLY.

ON OUTPUT:

A
N X N ARRAY CONTAINING THE REDUCED, QUASI-
TRIANGULAR MATRIX;

V
N X N ARRAY CONTAINING THE REDUCING
TRANSFORMATIONS TO BE MULTIPLIED;

ER, EI
REAL SCRATCH VECTORS OF LENGTH N WHICH ON
RETURN CONTAIN THE REAL AND IMAGINARY PARTS,
RESPECTIVELY, OF THE EIGENVALUES.

****HISTORY:

DO 10 I=NLOW,NUP
  ITYPE (I) = -1
10 CONTINUE
T=0.000
NU=NUP
20 IF (NU.LT.NLOW) GO TO 240
  IT=0
30 CONTINUE
  L=NU
40 CONTINUE
  IF (L.EQ.NLOW) GO TO 50
  IF (DABS (A(L,L-1)) .LT. EPS* (DABS (A(L-1,L-1)) +DABS (A(L,L))))
    GO TO 50
  L=L-1
  GO TO 40
50 CONTINUE
  X=A(NU,NU)
  IF (L.EQ.NU) GO TO 160
  Y=A(NU-1,NU-1)
  W=A(NU,NU-1)*A(NU-1,NU)
  IF (L.EQ.NU-1) GO TO 100
  IF (IT.EQ.30) GO TO 70
  T=T+X
  DO 60 I=NLOW,NU
    A(I,I) = A(I,I) - X
60 CONTINUE
\[ S = \text{DABS}(A(NU, NU-1)) + \text{DABS}(A(NU-1, NU-2)) \]

\[ X = 0.75D0* S \]

\[ Y = X \]

\[ W = -0.4375D0*S**2 \]

\[ X = 0.75D0*HQR0112( Y = X \]

\[ W = -0.4375D0*S**2 \]

\[ IT = IT + 1 \]

\[ NL = NU - 2 \]

\[ X = 0.75D0*HQR0112( Y = X \]

\[ W = -0.4375D0*S**2 \]

\[ IT = IT + 1 \]

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\[ W = -0.4375D0*S**2 \]

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\[ W = -0.4375D0*S**2 \]

\[ IT = IT + 1 \]

\[ NL = NU - 2 \]

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\[ W = -0.4375D0*S**2 \]

\[ IT = IT + 1 \]

\[ NL = NU - 2 \]

\[ X = 0.75D0*HQR0112( Y = X \]

\[ W = -0.4375D0*S**2 \]

\[ IT = IT + 1 \]

\[ NL = NU - 2 \]

\[ X = 0.75D0*HQR0112( Y = X \]

\[ W = -0.4375D0*S**2 \]

\[ IT = IT + 1 \]

\[ NL = NU - 2 \]

\[ X = 0.75D0*HQR0112( Y = X \]

\[ W = -0.4375D0*S**2 \]

\[ IT = IT + 1 \]

\[ NL = NU - 2 \]

\[ X = 0.75D0*HQR0112( Y = X \]

\[ W = -0.4375D0*S**2 \]

\[ IT = IT + 1 \]

\[ NL = NU - 2 \]

\[ X = 0.75D0*HQR0112( Y = X \]

\[ W = -0.4375D0*S**2 \]

\[ IT = IT + 1 \]

\[ NL = NU - 2 \]

\[ X = 0.75D0*HQR0112( Y = X \]

\[ W = -0.4375D0*S**2 \]

\[ IT = IT + 1 \]

\[ NL = NU - 2 \]

\[ X = 0.75D0*HQR0112( Y = X \]

\[ W = -0.4375D0*S**2 \]

\[ IT = IT + 1 \]

\[ NL = NU - 2 \]

\[ X = 0.75D0*HQR0112( Y = X \]

\[ W = -0.4375D0*S**2 \]

\[ IT = IT + 1 \]

\[ NL = NU - 2 \]
IF (.NOT.FAIL) GO TO 140
ITYPE(NL) = -1
ITYPE(NL+1) = -1
ITYPE(NL+2) = -1
GO TO 240

140 CONTINUE
MU=MU+1

150 CONTINUE
GO TO 110

160 NL=0
A(NU,NU)=A(NU,NU)+T
IF (NU .NE. NLOW) A(NU,NU-1)=0.0DO
ITYPE(NU)=0
MU=NU

170 CONTINUE

180 CONTINUE
IF (MU.EQ.NUP) GO TO 220
IF (MU.EQ.NUP-1) GO TO 200
IF (A(MU+2,MU+1).EQ.0.0DO) GO TO 200
IF (A(MU,MU)**2 .GE. A(MU+1,MU+1)*A(MU+2,MU+2)) GO TO 230
CALL EXCHNG (A,V,N,MU,1,2,EPS,FAIL,NA,NV)
IF (.NOT.FAIL) GO TO 190
ITYPE(MU)=-1
ITYPE(MU+1)=-1
ITYPE(MU+2)=-1
GO TO 240

190 CONTINUE
MU=MU+2
GO TO 210

200 CONTINUE
IF (DABS(A(MU,NU)) .GE. DABS(A(MU+1,MU+1))) GO TO 220
CALL EXCHNG (A,V,N,MU,1,1,EPS,FAIL,NA,NV)
MU=MU+1

210 CONTINUE
GO TO 180

220 CONTINUE
MU=NL
NL=0
IF (MU.NE.0) GO TO 170

230 CONTINUE
NU=L-1
GO TO 20

240 IF (NU.LT.NLOW) GO TO 260
DO 250 I=1,NU
   A(I,I)=A(I,I)+T
250 CONTINUE

260 CONTINUE
NU=NUP

270 CONTINUE
IF (ITYPE(NU).NE.-1) GO TO 280
NU=NU-1
GO TO 310

280 CONTINUE
IF (NU.EQ.NLOW) GO TO 290
IF (A(NU,NU-1) .EQ. 0.0D0) GO TO 290
CALL SPLIT (A, V, N, NU-1, E1, E2, NA, NV)
IF (A(NU,NU-1) .EQ. 0.0D0) GO TO 290
ER(NU) = E1
EI(NU-1) = E2
ER(NU-1) = ER(NU)
EI(NU) = -EI(NU-1)
ITYPE(NU-1) = 1
ITYPE(NU) = 2
NU = NU-2
GO TO 300
290 CONTINUE
ER(NU) = A(NU,NU)
EI(NU) = 0.0D0
NU = NU-1
300 CONTINUE
310 CONTINUE
IF (NU .GE. NLOW) GO TO 270
RETURN
I
C
C   LAST LINE OF HQR3
C
END
SUBROUTINE MLINEQ (NA, NB, N, M, A, B, COND, IPVT, WORK)

*****PARAMETERS:
INTEGER NA, NB, N, M, IPVT(N)
DOUBLE PRECISION A(NA,N), B(NB,M), COND, WORK(N)

*****LOCAL VARIABLES:
INTEGER I, J, KIN, KOUT
DOUBLE PRECISION CONDP1

*****SUBROUTINES CALLED:
DDCOMP, DSOLVE

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*****PURPOSE:
THIS SUBROUTINE SOLVES THE MATRIX LINEAR EQUATION
A*X = B
WHERE A IS AN N X N (INVERTIBLE) MATRIX AND B IS AN N X M
MATRIX. SUBROUTINE DDCOMP IS CALLED ONCE FOR THE LU-DECOMP-
OSITION OF A AND SUBROUTINE DSOLVE IS CALLED M TIMES FOR
FORWARD ELIMINATION AND BACK SUBSTITUTION TO PRODUCE THE
M COLUMNS OF THE SOLUTION MATRIX X = (A-INV) *B. AN
ESTIMATE OF THE CONDITION OF A IS RETURNED. SHOULD A BE
SINGULAR TO WORKING ACCURACY, A MESSAGE TO THAT EFFECT IS
PRODUCED.

*****PARAMETER DESCRIPTION:
ON INPUT:
NA, NB ROW DIMENSIONS OF THE ARRAYS CONTAINING A AND
B, RESPECTIVELY, AS DECLARED IN THE CALLING
PROGRAM DIMENSION STATEMENT;
N ORDER OF THE MATRIX A AND NUMBER OF ROWS OF
THE MATRIX B;
M NUMBER OF COLUMNS OF THE MATRIX B;
A N X N COEFFICIENT MATRIX;
B N X M RIGHT HAND SIDE MATRIX.

ON OUTPUT:
B SOLUTION MATRIX X = (A-INV) *B;
COND AN ESTIMATE OF THE CONDITION OF A;
IPVT PIVOT VECTOR OF LENGTH N (SEE DDCOMP
DOCUMENTATION);
WORK A REAL SCRATCH VECTOR OF LENGTH N.

*****APPLICATIONS AND USAGE RESTRICTIONS:
(1) The value of Cond should always be checked by the calling program. Should a be near-singular (or singular to working accuracy) the data should be investigated for possible errors. If there are none and the problem is apparently well-posed and/or meaningful, singular value analysis is then a more reliable solution technique (cf. EISPACK subroutines SVD and MINFIT).

(2) MLINEQ can be used to compute the inverse of A: simply solve A*X = I where I is the N x N identity matrix.

(3) If the solution to X*A = B (X = B*(A-inverse)) is desired, simply transpose the solution of T = A*X = B.

*****Algorithm Notes:
The contents of A are modified by this subroutine. Should the original coefficients of A be needed subsequently, the contents of A should be saved prior to the call to MLINEQ.

*****History:

COMMON/IOU/KIN,KOUT
CALL DDCOMP (NA,N,A,COND,IPVT,WORK)
COND=COND+1.0D0
IF (CONDGT.COND) GO TO 100
WRITE (KOUT,44400)
RETURN
44400 FORMAT (40HMatrix is singular to working precision)
RETURN
100 DO 400 J=1,M
   DO 200 I=1,N
       WORK(I)=B(I,J)
200 CONTINUE
400 CONTINUE
RETURN
C
C Compute (J-th column of X) = (A-inverse)*(J-th column of B)

CALL DSOLVE (NA,N,A,WORK,IPVT)
DO 300 I=1,N
   B(I,J)=WORK(I)
300 CONTINUE
400 CONTINUE
RETURN
C
C Last line of MLINEQ
C
END
SUBROUTINE MULWOA (NA, NB, N, A, B, WORK)

C

*****PARAMETERS:
INTEGER NA, NB, N
DOUBLE PRECISION A (NA, N), B (NB, N), WORK (N)

C

*****LOCAL VARIABLES:
INTEGER I, J, K

C

*****SUBROUTINES CALLED:
NONE

C

DO 40 I=1, N
    DO 20 J=1, N
        WORK (J) = 0.0
        DO 10 K=1, N
            WORK (J) = WORK (J) + A (I, K) * B (K, J)
        10 CONTINUE
    20 CONTINUE
    DO 30 J=1, N
        A (I, J) = WORK (J)
    30 CONTINUE
40 CONTINUE
RETURN

C LAST LINE OF MULWOA

C END

MUL00560
MUL00570
MUL00580
MUL00590
MUL00600
SUBROUTINE MULWOB (NA, NB, N, A, B, WORK)

*****PARAMETERS:
INTEGER NA, NB, N
DOUBLE PRECISION A (NA, N), B (NB, N), WORK (N)

*****LOCAL VARIABLES:
INTEGER I, J, K

*****SUBROUTINES CALLED:
NONE

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DO 50 J = 1, N
  DO 10 I = 1, N
    WORK (I) = 0.0DO
  10 CONTINUE
DO 30 K = 1, N
  DO 20 I = 1, N
    WORK (I) = WORK (I) + A (I, K) * B (K, J)
  20 CONTINUE
DO 40 I = 1, N
  B (I, J) = WORK (I)
  40 CONTINUE

*****PURPOSE:
THIS SUBROUTINE OVERWRITES THE ARRAY B WITH THE MATRIX PRODUCT A*B. BOTH A AND B ARE N X N ARRAYS AND MUST BE DISTINCT.

*****PARAMETER DESCRIPTION:
ON INPUT:
NA, NB
ROW DIMENSIONS OF THE ARRAYS CONTAINING A AND B, RESPECTIVELY, AS DECLARED IN THE CALLING PROGRAM DIMENSION STATEMENT;
N
ORDER OF THE MATRICES A AND B;
A
AN N X N MATRIX;
B
AN N X N MATRIX.

ON OUTPUT:
B
AN N X N ARRAY CONTAINING A*B;
WORK
A REAL SCRATCH VECTOR OF LENGTH N.

*****HISTORY:
40   CONTINUE
50   CONTINUE
     RETURN
C
C   LAST LINE OF MULWOB
C
     END
SUBROUTINE QRSTEP (A, V, P, Q, R, NL, NU, N, NA, NV)

*****PARAMETERS:
INTEGER N, NA, NL, NU, NV
DOUBLE PRECISION A(NA, N), P, Q, R, V(NV, N)

*****LOCAL VARIABLES:
LOGICAL LAST
INTEGER I, J, K, NL2, NL3, NUM1
DOUBLE PRECISION S, X, Y, Z

*****FUNCTIONS:
DOUBLE PRECISION DABS, DSQRT

*****SUBROUTINES CALLED:
NONE

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*****PURPOSE:
THIS SUBROUTINE PERFORMS ONE IMPLICIT QR STEP ON THE UPPER
HESSENBERG MATRIX A. THE SHIFT IS DETERMINED BY THE NUMBERS P, Q,
AND R, AND THE STEP IS APPLIED TO ROWS AND COLUMNS NL THROUGH NU.
THE TRANSFORMATIONS ARE ACCUMULATED IN THE ARRAY V.

*****PARAMETER DESCRIPTION:
ON INPUT:
NA, NV
ROW DIMENSIONS OF THE ARRAYS CONTAINING A
AND V, RESPECTIVELY, AS DECLARED IN THE
CALLING PROGRAM DIMENSION STATEMENT;
A
N X N UPPER HESSENBERG MATRIX ON WHICH THE QR
STEP IS TO BE PERFORMED;
P, Q, R
PARAMETERS WHICH DETERMINE THE SHIFT;
NL
THE LOWER LIMIT OF THE STEP;
NU
THE UPPER LIMIT OF THE STEP;
N
ORDER OF THE MATRIX A.

ON OUTPUT:
V
N X N REAL SCRATCH ARRAY CONTAINING THE
ACCUMULATED TRANSFORMATIONS.

*****HISTORY:
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NL2=NL+2
DO 10 I=NL2,NU
   A (I, I-2) = 0.0 DO
10 CONTINUE
IF (NL2.EQ.NU) GO TO 30
NL3 = NL + 3
DO 20 I=NL3,NU
   A (I, I-3) = 0.0 DO
20 CONTINUE
30 CONTINUE
NUM1 = NU - 1
DO 130 K=NL,NUM1
   LAST = K.EQ.NUM1
   IF (.NOT. (NL.EQ. NU)) GO TO 30
   P = A (K, K-1)
   Q = A (K+1, K-1)
   R = 0.0 DO
   IF (X.EQ. 0.0 DO) GO TO 130
   P = P/X
   Q = Q/X
   R = R/X
40 CONTINUE
S = DSQRT (P**2 + Q**2 + R**2)
IF (P.LT. 0.0 DO) S = -S
IF (K.EQ. NU) GO TO 50
A (K, K-1) = -S*X
GO TO 60
50 CONTINUE
IF (NL .NE. 1) A (K, K-1) = -A (K, K-1)
60 CONTINUE
P = P + S
X = P/S
Y = Q/S
Z = R/S
Q = Q/P
R = R/P
DO 80 J=K, N
   P = A (K, J) + Q*A (K+1, J)
   IF (LAST) GO TO 70
   P = P + R*A (K+2, J)
   A (K+2, J) = A (K+2, J) - P*Z
70 CONTINUE
A (K+1, J) = A (K+1, J) - P*Y
A (K, J) = A (K, J) - P*X
80 CONTINUE
J = MIN0 (K+3, NU)
DO 100 I=1, J
   P = X*A (I, K) + Y*A (I, K+1)
   IF (LAST) GO TO 90
   P = P + Z*A (I, K+2)
   A (I, K+2) = A (I, K+2) - P*F
90 CONTINUE
A (I, K+1) = A (I, K+1) - P*Q
A (I, K) = A (I, K) - P
CONTINUE
DO 120 I=1,N
   P=X*V(I,K)+Y*V(I,K+1)
   IF (LAST) GO TO 110
   P=P+Z*V(I,K+2)
   V(I,K+2)=V(I,K+2)-P*R
110 CONTINUE
   V(I,K+1)=V(I,K+1)-P*Q
   V(I,K)=V(I,K)-P
120 CONTINUE
130 CONTINUE
RETURN
C
C     LAST LINE OF QRSSTEP
C
END
SUBROUTINE SPLIT (A, V, N, L, E1, E2, NA, NV)

C
C *****PARAMETERS:
INTEGER L, N, NA, NV
DOUBLE PRECISION A (NA, N), V (NV, N), E1, E2
C
C *****LOCAL VARIABLES:
INTEGER I, J, L1
DOUBLE PRECISION P, Q, R, T, U, W, X, Y, Z
C
C *****FUNCTIONS:
DOUBLE PRECISION DABS, DSQRT

C *****SUBROUTINES CALLED:
NONE

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C... :: ::
S:::
C
C... :: ::
C
C *****PURPOSE:
GIVEN THE UPPER-HESSERBERG MATRIX A WITH A 2 X 2 BLOCK STARTING AT
A(L,L), THIS PROGRAM DETERMINES IF THE CORRESPONDING EIGENVALUES
ARE REAL OR COMPLEX. IF THEY ARE REAL, A ROTATION IS DETERMINED
THAT REDUCES THE BLOCK TO UPPER-TRIANGULAR FORM WITH THE
EIGENVALUE OF LARGEST ABSOLUTE VALUE APPEARING FIRST. THE
ROTATION IS ACCUMULATED IN THE ARRAY V.

C *****PARAMETER DESCRIPTION:
ON INPUT:
NA, NV       ROW DIMENSIONS OF THE ARRAYS CONTAINING
A AND V, RESPECTIVELY, AS DECLARED IN THE
CALLING PROGRAM DIMENSION STATEMENT;
A       THE UPPER-HESSERBERG MATRIX WHOSE 2 X 2 BLOCK IS TO BE SPLIT;
N       ORDER OF THE MATRIX A;
L       POSITION OF THE 2 X 2 BLOCK.
ON OUTPUT:
V       AN N X N ARRAY CONTAINING THE ACCUMULATED
SPLITTING TRANSFORMATION;
E1, E2   REAL SCALARS. IF THE EIGENVALUES ARE COMPLEX, E1 AND E2
CONTAIN THEIR COMMON REAL PART AND
POSITIVE IMAGINARY PART (RESPECTIVELY).
IF THE EIGENVALUES ARE REAL, E1 CONTAINS THE
ONE LARGEST IN ABSOLUTE VALUE AND E2 CONTAINS
THE OTHER ONE.

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C *****HISTORY:
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X = A(L+1, L+1)
Y = A(L, L)
W = A(L, L+1) * A(L+1, L)
P = (Y-X) / 2.0D0
Q = P**2 + W
IF (Q .GE. 0.0D0) GO TO 10
E1 = P * X
E2 = DSQRT(-Q)
RETURN

10 CONTINUE
Z = DSQRT(Q)
IF (P .LT. 0.0D0) GO TO 20
Z = P + Z
GO TO 30

20 CONTINUE
Z = P - Z
GO TO 30

30 CONTINUE
IF (Z .EQ. 0.0D0) GO TO 40
R = -W / Z
GO TO 50

40 CONTINUE
R = 0.0D0
GO TO 50

50 CONTINUE
IF (DABS(X+Z) .GE. DABS(X+R)) Z = R
Y = Y - X - Z
X = -Z
T = A(L, L+1)
U = A(L+1, L)
IF (DABS(Y) + DABS(U) .LE. DABS(T) + DABS(X)) GO TO 60
Q = U
P = Y
GO TO 70

60 CONTINUE
Q = X
P = T
GO TO 70

70 CONTINUE
R = DSQRT(P**2 + Q**2)
IF (R .GT. 0.0D0) GO TO 80
E1 = A(L, L)
E2 = A(L+1, L+1)
A(L+1, L) = 0.0D0
RETURN

80 CONTINUE
P = P / R
Q = Q / R
DO 90 J = L, N
   Z = A(L, J)
   A(L, J) = P * Z + Q * A(L+1, J)
   A(L+1, J) = P * A(L+1, J) - Q * Z
90 CONTINUE
L1 = L + 1
DO 100 I = 1, L1
\[ Z = A(I, L) \]
\[ A(I, L) = P \times Z + Q \times A(I, L+1) \]
\[ A(I, L+1) = P \times A(I, L+1) - Q \times Z \]

100 CONTINUE
DO 110 I = 1, N
   Z = V(I, L)
   V(I, L) = P \times Z + Q \times V(I, L+1)
   V(I, L+1) = P \times V(I, L+1) - Q \times Z
110 CONTINUE

A(L+1, L) = 0.0
E1 = A(L, L)
E2 = A(L+1, L+1)
RETURN

C LAST LINE OF SPLIT
C END