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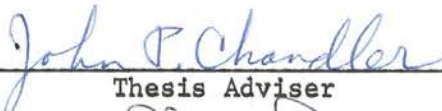
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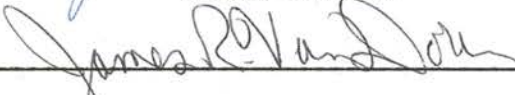
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PREFACE

This report describes the use of modified Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization in computer routines that find a basic approximate solution and the least squares solution of minimum Euclidean norm to the system of equations $AX=B$, where A is an m by n matrix of rank r , X is an n by h matrix, and B is an m by h matrix. A can be treated as if it were of a user-specified rank, k .

The report includes a description of the application of the routines to (a) perform stepwise regression analysis and (b) assess the effect on the solution of decreasing the reliability of the entries in the coefficient matrix.

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CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

This report discusses the use of modified Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization for solving generalized linear least squares problems and performing stepwise regression analysis. Chapter I of this report describes some sources of generalized linear least squares problems. Chapter II presents a general discussion of the generalized linear least squares problem. The closely related problem of stepwise regression analysis is discussed in Chapter III. An algorithm constructed by E. E. Osborne (1) to solve generalized linear least squares problems and some modifications and additions that have been made to Osborne's algorithm are described in Chapter IV. A package consisting of two computer subroutines has been written to implement the algorithm described in Chapter IV. Chapter V describes test cases that were run using the package and the results of these test cases.

Linear Least Squares Problems in Curve and Surface Fitting

One source of a generalized linear least squares problem occurs when trying to find the function,

$$y = f(\underline{t}, \underline{c}),$$

that best (to be defined) represents a set of data points,

$$\{y; \underline{t}\}_i,$$

where y is the dependent variable, the \underline{t} are the independent variables,

the \underline{c} are the coefficients to be determined (the solution vector), $f(\underline{t}, \underline{c})$ is a function from a given family of functions that is linear in \underline{c} , and $\{y; \underline{t}\}_i$ is the i -th observation. Note that $f(\underline{t}, \underline{c})$ is not necessarily linear in \underline{t} .

For example, we may wish to represent the set of data points,

$$"(t_i, y_i) = (2, 3), (0, 1), (1, 1),"$$

by a function, $f(\underline{t}, \underline{c})$, from some given family of functions, that gives the best fit. \underline{c} is called the vector of parameters for this family. The function that gives the best fit is taken often to be the function for which

$$\sum_{i=1}^m (f(\underline{t}_i, \underline{c}) - y_i)^2 \quad (1.1)$$

is minimized, where m is the number of data points and the general form of $f(\underline{t}, \underline{c})$ has been pre-determined. This definition was proposed by Gauss (2) and is the most often used definition of the best fit (3). Finding the vector \underline{c} that minimizes (1.1) is called a linear least squares problem. The discrepancy, or error,

$$f(\underline{t}_i, \underline{c}) - y_i$$

is called the i -th residual.

It will be shown that a necessary and sufficient condition for expression (1.1) to possess minima is that

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial c_j} \left(\sum_{i=1}^m (f(\underline{t}_i, \underline{c}) - y_i)^2 \right) = 0$$

for $j=1, \dots, n$, where n is the number of constants, c_j , which are to be determined.

Taking the first partial derivatives with respect to c_j , $j=1, \dots, n$, we obtain

$$\sum_{i=1}^m (f(\underline{t}_i, \underline{c}) - y_i) \frac{\partial f(\underline{t}_i, \underline{c})}{\partial c_j} = 0 \quad (1.2)$$

for $j=1, \dots, n$.

If we attempt to fit the above data to a function of the form

$$f(\underline{t}, \underline{c}) = c_1 + c_2 t_1,$$

equations (1.2) generate the system of equations

$$\begin{aligned} 3c_1 + 4c_2 &= 5 \\ 4c_1 + 10c_2 &= 7 \end{aligned} \quad (1.3)$$

These are called the "normal equations."

Solving the normal equations, we obtain

$$c_1 = \frac{11}{7} \quad \text{and} \quad c_2 = \frac{1}{14}.$$

An equivalent way of looking at the problem of finding the curve that best fits the data is that we are trying to find the least squares solution of the overdetermined system of equations

$$\underline{Tc} = \underline{y}, \quad \text{where } T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and } \underline{y} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix},$$

or

$$\begin{aligned} c_1 + 3c_2 &= 2 \\ c_1 + 0c_2 &= 1 \\ c_1 + 1c_2 &= 1. \end{aligned} \quad (1.4)$$

Problems of this form can also arise from situations unrelated to curve fitting.

There is no vector \underline{c} such that (1.4) is satisfied exactly since there are more equations than variables and none of the three equations is a restatement (linear superposition) of the other two. However, there is a point (c_1, c_2) such that

$$(c_1 + 3c_2 - 2)^2 + (c_1 - 1)^2 + (c_1 + c_2 - 1)^2$$

is a minimum. That point is $(11/7, 1/14)$. This corresponds to finding a vector \underline{c} such that

$$||\underline{Tc} - \underline{y}|| \quad (1.5)$$

is a minimum, where $||\underline{Tc} - \underline{y}||$ is the length (or "Euclidean norm") of the vector $\underline{Tc} - \underline{y}$. The length of the vector \underline{w} is defined to be

$$||\underline{w}|| = \sqrt{\underline{w}^T \cdot \underline{w}} = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i^2}$$

and is denoted by $||\underline{w}||$.

The \underline{c} that minimizes (1.5) is the linear least squares solution of equations (1.4).

The above example had only one independent variable. In general, there can be any number of independent variables in the function that is used as the mathematical model for the curve to be fitted. An example with two independent variables is the following.

The distance of penetration of a projectile into a target depends upon the thickness and hardness of the target plate (4). A simple mathematical model might include only the thickness (t_1) and hardness (t_2) and have the linear form

$$\hat{y} = c_1 + c_2 t_1 + c_3 t_2,$$

where \hat{y} is an estimate of the dependent variable y (penetration), and the c_i are the coefficients to be determined.

The need to solve a generalized linear least squares problem occurs almost any time one seeks the solution of an overdetermined system of equations (one which has more equations than variables),

$$\underline{Ax} = \underline{b}.$$

Only in exceptional cases can all of the equations be satisfied. We could choose a subset of the equations to be satisfied exactly. The fit of the remaining equations would be disregarded. In the least squares approach, we fit all the equations as closely as possible.

CHAPTER II

THE GENERALIZED LINEAR LEAST SQUARES PROBLEM

Problem Definition

The definition of the generalized linear least squares problem will be given after a short discussion of systems of linear equations.

Systems of Linear Equations

Consider the system of linear equations $A\underline{x}=\underline{b}$ consisting of m equations in n variables. The coefficient matrix, A , is an m by n matrix, where m may be less than, equal to, or greater than n , \underline{b} is an m -component vector (the "right hand side", or vector of constants), and \underline{x} is an n -component vector (the solution vector).

Let the j -th column of a matrix, A , be denoted by A^j . The column rank of the matrix, A , is defined to be the maximum number of linearly independent columns in A (5). A column is linearly independent of the other columns of A if there do not exist constants α_i such that

$$\sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ i \neq j}}^n \alpha_i A^i = A^j.$$

The row rank of A is the number of linearly independent rows in A (5). The row rank is equal to the column rank (6). The term rank refers to the column rank throughout the remainder of this report. The rank of a matrix is less than or equal to $\min(m,n)$. If the rank

of the matrix is equal to n , the matrix is said to be of full rank.

Exactly Determined Systems of Equations ($m=n$)

If A is an m by n matrix of full rank n , the ordinary inverse, A^{-1} , of A , exists, and $\underline{x} = A^{-1}\underline{b}$. The solution vector \underline{x} is unique (5).

Underdetermined Systems of Equations ($m < n$)

If the system of equations has more variables than equations ($m < n$), the system of equations is probably consistent. A system of equations is consistent if the rank of the coefficient matrix is equal to the rank of the augmented matrix (A, \underline{b}) (5). The rank of the system of equations is less than or equal to m , since any set of $m+1$ or more m -component vectors is linearly dependent (5). When the number of variables is greater than the number of equations, there is a linear subspace of solutions. Two types of solutions are usually of interest in this case. They are a basic approximate solution that has at most r nonzero components, where r is the rank of the coefficient matrix, and the least squares solution of minimum length (Euclidean norm). These types of solutions will be described in detail in the next section.

Overdetermined Systems of Equations ($m > n$)

If the matrix, A , is an m by n matrix, where m is greater than n , the system of equations $\underline{Ax} = \underline{b}$ is most likely inconsistent since there are more equations than variables. A system of equations is inconsistent if the rank of the coefficient matrix is not equal to the rank of the augmented matrix (A, \underline{b}) (5). With $m > n$, if the system of equations is

consistent, then $m-n$ of the equations are restatements of other equations or combinations of other equations in the system; they provide no new information. If the system of equations is consistent, there exists a unique vector \underline{x} such that $A\underline{x}=\underline{b}$.

If the system of equations is inconsistent, there does not exist a vector \underline{x} such that $A\underline{x}=\underline{b}$. In this case, the conventional choice is to find a vector \underline{x} that minimizes the length of the vector $A\underline{x}-\underline{b}$. As mentioned previously, the length (or Euclidean norm) of a vector \underline{w} is defined to be

$$||\underline{w}|| = \sqrt{\underline{w}^T \underline{w}} = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i^2}$$

and is denoted by $||\underline{w}||$. The vector $A\underline{x}-\underline{b}$ is called the "residual vector." A vector, \underline{x} , that produces the minimum value for the length of the residual vector is called a "least squares solution." The problem of finding a solution vector that produces a residual vector of minimum length is called a "linear least squares problem."

If the rank, r , of A is n , where n is the number of columns in the matrix, the vector that minimizes the length of the residual vector is unique (7). If the rank, r , is less than n , there is a linear subspace (a line or hyperplane) of least squares solutions (7). The solutions can be classified by type. The two types that are usually of interest are the least squares solution of minimum length and a basic approximate solution that has at most r nonzero components, where r is the rank of the coefficient matrix (1). The former is unique (7). The latter is not unique if $n > 1$ (7).

A basic approximate solution is defined as follows:

\underline{x}_b is a basic approximate solution of $A\underline{x}=\underline{b}$ if for all vectors \underline{x} ,

$$\|A\underline{x}-\underline{b}\| \geq \|A\underline{x}_b-\underline{b}\|$$

and \underline{x} has at most r nonzero components (8). Let BAS stand for basic approximate solution throughout this report.

A minimum norm solution is defined as follows:

\underline{x}_0 is the least squares solution of minimum Euclidean norm if for all vectors \underline{x} either

$$\|A\underline{x}-\underline{b}\| > \|A\underline{x}_0-\underline{b}\|$$

or else

$$\|A\underline{x}-\underline{b}\| = \|A\underline{x}_0-\underline{b}\| \text{ and } \|\underline{x}\| > \|\underline{x}_0\|.$$

The second condition holds if \underline{x} is orthogonal to the null space of A ; i.e., \underline{x} is orthogonal to every solution of $A\underline{x}=\underline{0}$ (1).

A vector \underline{u} is orthogonal to a vector \underline{v} if

$$\underline{u}^T \underline{v} = \sum_{i=1}^n u_i v_i = 0.$$

Definition of the Generalized Linear Least Squares Problem

The problem of finding the solution vector, \underline{x} , that minimizes the length of the vector $A\underline{x}-\underline{b}$, where the rank of A is less than or equal to n , is called the "generalized linear least squares problem." The term "generalized linear least squares problem" is used to emphasize that the rank of A may be less than the number of columns in A . In

the past, the term "linear least squares problem" was used to denote the problem of finding the vector, \underline{x} , that minimized the length of the vector $\underline{Ax}-\underline{b}$, where A was of full rank.

As mentioned previously, the solution of the system of equations $\underline{Ax}=\underline{b}$, where A is an n by n matrix of rank n, can be obtained by the pre-multiplication of the right hand side by a matrix, A^{-1} , called the inverse of A. The solution of the system of equations $\underline{Ax}=\underline{b}$, where A is an m by n matrix of rank r ($r \leq \min(m,n)$), can be represented by the pre-multiplication of the right hand side, \underline{b} , by a matrix (to be defined) called the generalized inverse of A. It has been shown further that the generalized inverse of any complex matrix, A (not necessarily square), is unique, and, therefore, the minimum length solution is unique (7).

Relation of the Linear Least Squares Problem to the Generalized Inverse of a Matrix

Penrose (7) has shown that the least squares solution of minimum Euclidean norm is unique and is represented by $\underline{x}=\underline{A}^{\textcircled{g}}\underline{b}$, where $\underline{A}^{\textcircled{g}}$ is called the generalized inverse or pseudo-inverse of A.

$\underline{A}^{\textcircled{g}}$ is defined by the relationships

$$\underline{A}\underline{A}^{\textcircled{g}}\underline{A}=\underline{A}$$

$$\underline{A}^{\textcircled{g}}\underline{A}\underline{A}=\underline{A}^{\textcircled{g}}$$

$$(\underline{A}\underline{A}^{\textcircled{g}})^*=\underline{A}^{\textcircled{g}}\underline{A}$$

and $(\underline{A}^{\textcircled{g}}\underline{A})^*=\underline{A}\underline{A}^{\textcircled{g}}$, where \underline{A}^* is the conjugate transpose of A.

$$\underline{A}^*=\overline{\underline{A}}^T = (\overline{A_{ji}}).$$

Rosen (8) has shown that the BAS (Basic Approximate Solution) can be represented by $\underline{x} = A^{\#} \underline{b}$, where $A^{\#}$ is defined below.

For $r = n \leq m$, $A^{\#}$ is equal to $A^{\textcircled{a}}$ and \underline{x}_b is also the least squares solution of minimum Euclidean norm. For $r = n = m$,

$$A^{\#} = A^{\textcircled{a}} = A^{-1}.$$

For $r < n$, $A^{\#}$ is not necessarily unique. For this last case, $A^{\#}$ can be defined as follows:

Let A be of rank r ($r < n$). Let B consist of r linearly independent columns of A . Let \underline{B} consist of the other $n-r$ columns of A . For simplification, assume that B consists of the first r columns of A so that

$$\begin{aligned} A &= (B, \underline{B}). \\ B^{\textcircled{a}} &= (B^* B^{-1}) B^* \\ A^{\#} &= \begin{pmatrix} B^{\textcircled{a}} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

The first r rows of $A^{\#}$ consist of the matrix $B^{\textcircled{a}}$. The remaining $n-r$ rows are zero.

$A^{\textcircled{a}}$ can be expressed in terms of $B^{\textcircled{a}}$ as follows:

$$A^{\textcircled{a}} = C^* (C C^*)^{-1} B^{\textcircled{a}}$$

where

$$C = B^{\textcircled{a}} A$$

and C^* is the conjugate transpose of C (7).

It is not necessary to find $A^{\textcircled{a}}$ or $A^{\#}$ explicitly to find the least squares solution of minimum norm or a BAS. Osborne has constructed an algorithm to find these solutions without finding $A^{\textcircled{a}}$ or $A^{\#}$. His

approach is analogous to the case of solving the system of equations $\underline{Ax}=\underline{b}$ by Gaussian elimination when A is an n by n matrix of rank n.

$$\underline{x}=\underline{A}^{-1}\underline{b}$$

in this case, but \underline{A}^{-1} did not need to be found explicitly.

Method

The most popular practical method for finding the least squares solution of $\underline{Ax}=\underline{b}$ is to solve the normal equations,

$$\underline{A}^T \underline{Ax} = \underline{A}^T \underline{b}.$$

A derivation of the normal equations and a justification for their use follows.

The vector, \underline{x} , that minimizes $||\underline{Ax}-\underline{b}||^2$ also minimizes $||\underline{Ax}-\underline{b}||$. A necessary condition for $||\underline{Ax}-\underline{b}||^2$ to possess a minimum is that

$$\frac{\partial ||\underline{Ax}-\underline{b}||^2}{\partial x_j} = 0 \quad \text{for } j=1, \dots, n, \quad (2.1)$$

where n is the number of columns in A. Since $||\underline{Ax}-\underline{b}||^2$ is a positive semidefinite quadratic form in \underline{x} and is greater than or equal to zero for all \underline{x} , $||\underline{Ax}-\underline{b}||^2$ does not contain an inflection point or a maximum in an unrestricted domain (5). Therefore, the \underline{x} for which equations (2.1) are satisfied must be the point where $||\underline{Ax}-\underline{b}||^2$ attains its minimum value. As mentioned above, $||\underline{Ax}-\underline{b}||^2$ does not contain an inflection point or a maximum in an unrestricted domain, and therefore, it is sufficient to find a vector \underline{x} that satisfies (2.1) to find a minimum to $||\underline{Ax}-\underline{b}||^2$.

Since

$$\begin{aligned} \|r\|^2 &= \|\underline{Ax-b}\|^2 = (\underline{Ax-b})^T(\underline{Ax-b}) \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^m (b_k - \sum_{i=1}^n x_i a_{ki})^2, \end{aligned} \quad (2.2)$$

$$\frac{\partial \|\underline{Ax-b}\|^2}{\partial x_j} = \sum_{k=1}^m (b_k - \sum_{i=1}^n x_i a_{ki}) a_{kj} = 0, \quad j=1, \dots, n.$$

Equation (2.2) can be rewritten as follows:

$$\sum_{k=1}^m b_k a_{kj} - \sum_{k=1}^m a_{kj} \sum_{i=1}^n a_{ki} x_i = 0 \quad \text{or}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^m a_{kj} \sum_{i=1}^n a_{ki} x_i = \sum_{k=1}^m b_k a_{kj}, \quad j=1, \dots, n.$$

The above equations are called the normal equations. In matrix notation this is equivalent to

$$A^T A \underline{x} = A^T \underline{b}.$$

$A^T A$ is always symmetric and positive semi-definite (its determinant is nonnegative, as are all its eigenvalues).

Note from (2.2) that the residual vector, r , is orthogonal to every nonzero column of A , since

$$(b_k - \sum_{i=1}^n x_i a_{ki}) = r_k,$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^m r_k a_{kj} = 0$$

or

$$r^T A^j = 0, \quad j=1, \dots, n.$$

This will be used in the derivation of an alternate method for solving a linear least squares problem. As stated earlier, the most popular method for finding the least squares solution of minimum norm is to solve the normal equations using a method such as Gaussian elimination. There are two problems with using the normal equations to find a least squares solution of minimum norm. First, if A has rank less than n , $A^T A$ has rank less than n . A method such as Gaussian elimination would fail to find a solution. Second, the matrix $A^T A$ is often ill-conditioned (3). A matrix is ill-conditioned if small errors in the entries in the matrix or small errors in the solving process have a large effect on the solution obtained to the problem $Ax=b$ for some b . The degree of ill-conditioning of a matrix depends on the magnitude of the elements of the inverse of A . A quantity called the condition number is a measure of the ill-conditioning of A . The condition number is equal to

$\|A\| \|A^{-1}\|$, where

$$\|A\| = \max_{\|x\|=1} \|Ax\| \quad (9).$$

The larger the condition number the greater the ill-conditioning (3). The smallest possible condition number is one. If the condition number of A is $\text{cond}(A)$, the condition number of $A^T A$ is $\text{cond}^2(A)$.

Longley (10) and Wampler (11) have done comparative studies of methods used to solve the generalized linear least squares problem. Both of them have shown examples where solving the normal equations has produced a solution vector with almost no correct digits.

Since the normal equations cannot easily be used to find the least squares solution when the coefficient matrix has a rank less

than the number of columns in the matrix, and should not be used when $A^T A$ is ill-conditioned, a better method is needed. In Chapter IV a description of an algorithm developed by E. E. Osborne is presented.

A brief history of some of the methods that have been developed to find the solution to the generalized linear least squares problem is given below.

History

As mentioned previously, if the coefficient matrix is of full rank, then the most popular method for finding the least squares solution is to solve the normal equations. If the system is ill-conditioned, solving the normal equations can produce a solution vector that is very inaccurate (10).

Orthogonalization techniques are the second most popular class of methods for solving the generalized linear least squares problem. Householder transformations or a form of the Gram-Schmidt method are used normally to do the orthogonalization (3).

Algorithms Using Householder Transformations

E. E. Osborne (12) first proposed using Householder transformations to do orthogonalization in 1961. The method he developed was primarily for the homogeneous case $A\underline{x}=0$. His intent was to improve the accuracy of the solution he obtained. In 1965, Businger and Golub (13) proposed using Householder transformations for solving the nonhomogeneous case $A\underline{x}=\underline{b}$, where A is of full rank. In 1965, Golub (14) allowed the imposition of linear equalities (a subset of equations that must be satisfied exactly). In 1967, Björck and Golub (15) added iterative improvement

of the solution to the algorithm proposed by Businger and Golub. In 1969, Hanson and Lawson (16) extended the Businger-Golub algorithm to solve systems of equations of the form $A\underline{x}=\underline{b}$, where A is of rank r ($r \leq n$).

Algorithms Using Gram-Schmidt Orthogonalization

In 1964, Bauer (17) published an algorithm using modified Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization to solve the system of equations $A\underline{x}=\underline{b}$. This method was good for matrices of full rank only. In 1965, Osborne (1) extended the use of modified Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization to the case where the coefficient matrix was of rank r ($r \leq n$). In 1968, Björck (18) combined iterative improvement of the solution with the use of modified Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization to reduce the error in the solution of the system of equations $A\underline{x}=\underline{b}$, where the rank of A is r ($r \leq n$). Björck (18) has shown that modified Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization produces a somewhat more accurate solution vector than the use of Householder transformations for orthogonalization.

Programs implementing Björck's algorithm (18) and Bauer's algorithm (17) are available at Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Oklahoma. The package consisting of the FORTRAN subroutines, LLCR and LLSQ, has been compared with the programs implementing Björck's and Bauer's algorithms. The LLCR package produced results that were as accurate or more accurate than the routines of Björck and Bauer. Björck's routine does allow the imposition of linear equalities. In practice, this option is not usually used and hence was omitted. The imposition of linear equalities can be approximated by multiplying those rows of A and components of \underline{b} by a large weighting factor before using the package. In addition, the user of the package consisting of LLCR and

LLSQ has many options available that are not available to the user of the other routines.

CHAPTER III

STEPWISE REGRESSION ANALYSIS

Stepwise regression analysis is closely related to the generalized linear least squares problem described in Chapter II.

In stepwise regression analysis a curve is fitted to a set of data points,

$$\{y_i; t_1, \dots, t_n\}_i, i=1, \dots, m, \text{ where}$$

$\{y_i; t_1, \dots, t_n\}_i$ is the i -th observation (19). The mathematical model for the curve is called the regression equation and has the form

$$\hat{y}_i = c_0 + c_1 t_{i1} + c_2 t_{i2} + \dots + c_n t_{in}$$

where \hat{y} is an estimate of the dependent variable, y , the t_j , $j=1, \dots, n$, are the independent variables, and the c_i , $i=0, \dots, n$, are the coefficients to be determined. The t_j , $j=1, \dots, n$, can represent functions of the form

$$t_j = g_j(\underline{z}_j),$$

where the functions, $g(\underline{z}_j)$, do not contain the dependent variable and where the \underline{z}_j are variables whose observed numerical values completely determine the numerical value of the t_j (19).

Stepwise regression is used when it is desired to represent the dependent variable in terms of as few of the independent variables as possible. When the dependent variables are highly correlated, the

simple regression model may be considerably simplified by eliminating some of the variables. In the stepwise procedure one variable is added to the mathematical model at a time (19). Thus, the intermediate equations

$$\hat{y} = c_0$$

$$\hat{y} = c_0' + c_1' t_{i_1}$$

$$\hat{y} = c_0'' + c_1'' t_{i_1} + c_2'' t_{i_2}$$

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are obtained. Note the i_1 is not necessarily equal to 1, i_2 is not necessarily equal to 2, etc.

An important property of the stepwise procedure is based on the fact that a variable may be significant at an early stage but may become insignificant after several other variables are entered in the equation. A variable that is not highly correlated with the other variables in the regression equation at an early stage may be highly correlated with variables that enter the regression equation later, thereby reducing its significance. The stepwise procedure permits the insignificant variable (highly correlated variable) to be removed from the regression equation. The test to decide if any variable is to leave or enter the regression equation is a statistical test, namely the F-test. The F-test measures the degree of linear correlation among variables in the regression equation (20). If a variable is too highly correlated with the other variables in the regression equation, it will be removed or not allowed to enter.

The decision as to which variable is to enter the regression equation

is a numerical decision. The variable added to the regression equation at each step is the one that makes the greatest improvement in the fit of the curve as measured by the length of the residual vector; i.e., it is the one that produces the shortest residual vector. At each stage of the stepwise procedure, the least squares solution is found for the variables entered in the regression equation at that point (19).

Stepwise regression does not necessarily produce the solution vector with the residual vector of minimum length. All that is assured is that given k variables in the regression equation, the next variable to enter the equation is the variable whose addition to the model produces the solution vector for which the length of the residual vector is minimized.

Some packages that are called stepwise regression packages do not have the ability to delete variables from the regression equation. Stepwise regression without the deletion of variables is called IVOR (Independent Variable Ordering by Regression Sum of Squares)(4) or "forward selection" (19). Some packages that include only forward selection are the IBM 360 Scientific Subroutine Package (21), the Bio-Medical (BMD) stepwise regression programs (22), and the package that implements the methods described in the next chapter.

Deletion of variables from the regression equation was not implemented because of the following reasons.

First, there is no standard statistical test that best calculates the linear correlation among variables in the regression equation for all cases. The F-test assumes that the standard deviations of all the variables are equal. If the standard deviations are not all equal, the F-test may not give an accurate calculation of the linear correlation among the variables.

Second, when a variable is deleted from the regression equation, the system of equations must be returned to the state in which it would have been if the variable had never entered the regression equation. When orthogonalization is used to do stepwise regression, this state must be constructed. The construction of this state can be inaccurate. The LLCR package was written to provide an accurate means to solve generalized linear least squares problems and to perform stepwise regression (IVOR).

Third, cycling may occur when variables are deleted from the equation. A group of variables may alternately enter and leave the regression equation. For example, variable t_{i1} may enter the regression equation followed by t_{i2} 's entry. t_{i1} may be deleted from the regression equation followed by t_{i2} 's deletion from the regression equation. t_{i1} may reenter the regression equation followed by t_{i2} 's reentry into the regression equation. This pattern may continue until something extra-ordinary happens to stop the process such as exceeding the time limit on the job.

An attempt will be made to implement deletion of variables from the regression equation in the future.

CHAPTER IV

THE USE OF MODIFIED GRAM-SCHMIDT ORTHOGONALIZATION TO SOLVE THE GENERALIZED LINEAR LEAST SQUARES PROBLEM

The generalized linear least squares problem consists of finding the solution vector \underline{x} to the system of equations, $\underline{Ax}=\underline{b}$, that minimizes the length of the residual vector $\underline{Ax}-\underline{b}$.

E. E. Osborne (1) has constructed a method for solving the generalized linear least squares problem based on the fact that (a) the residual vector for a linear least squares solution is orthogonal to every nonzero column of A and (b) the least squares solution of minimum norm is orthogonal to the null space of A; i.e., orthogonal to every solution of $\underline{Ax}=\underline{0}$.

Osborne's algorithm consists of three phases. During the first phase of the algorithm, the numerical rank of the system of equations is found and a decomposition of the coefficient matrix into the product of an orthogonal matrix and a permuted unit upper triangular matrix is determined. During the second phase, a BAS (Basic Approximate Solution) is found. During the third phase, the minimum norm solution is found. Before the three phases of the algorithm are discussed, a definition of numerical rank will be given.

As mentioned in Chapter II, the rank of a matrix is equal to the number of linearly independent columns in A. A^j , the j-th column of A, is linearly dependent on the other columns of A if there exist constants α_i such that

$$\sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ i \neq j}}^n \alpha_i A^i = A^j. \quad (4.1)$$

Osborne's algorithm considers a column, A^j , to be linearly dependent on other columns of A if there exist constants α_j such that

$$\frac{\left| \left| A^j - \sum_{\substack{i=1 \\ i \neq j}} \alpha_i A^i \right| \right|}{\left| \left| A^j \right| \right|} < \epsilon$$

where ϵ is set by the user of the algorithm, as a measure of the relative error he will tolerate. In practice, ϵ is $\geq \delta$, where δ is the smallest number such that

$$1 + \delta > 1.$$

in single precision real arithmetic on the computer being used. For example, on the IBM 360/65, $\delta \approx 9.6 \times 10^{-7}$.

The numerical rank of A is the number of linearly independent columns in A , where the definition of linear dependency is the numerical one given in (4.1).

Osborne's Algorithm

Phase I

Phase I of Osborne's algorithm consists largely of elementary column operations performed on the matrix,

$$\begin{pmatrix} A \\ R \end{pmatrix}$$

where R is an n by n identity matrix, that produces a decomposition

of the form $A = A_N R_N^{-1}$ and determines the numerical rank of A . If the numerical rank of A is r^* , r^* columns of A_N will be made mutually orthogonal using modified Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization. A description of R_N is given later in this section.

The transformation of

$$\begin{pmatrix} A \\ R \end{pmatrix}$$

into the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_N \\ R_N \end{pmatrix}$$

by modified Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization will be described now.

In modified Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization of a matrix of full rank, the second column is orthogonalized with respect to the first column, the third column is orthogonalized with respect to the first and second columns, ..., the n -th column is orthogonalized with respect to all the other columns of A , where n is the number of columns in A .

If the matrix has a numerical rank less than the number of columns, the lengths of some of the columns will become $\leq \epsilon$ during the orthogonalization process (1). No attempt should be made to orthogonalize these columns with respect to the other columns of the coefficient matrix.

In order to keep track of the columns that remain to be orthogonalized, if any, Osborne reordered the columns of the partially orthogonalized coefficient matrix so that the first k columns of the modified A matrix contain the k columns that have been made mutually orthogonal,

for $k=1, \dots, r^*$ numerical rank of A. A vector,

$$\rho = (\|A^1\|^2, \|A^2\|^2, \dots, \|A^n\|^2),$$

also is set up at the beginning of the algorithm. Whenever columns of the modified matrix,

$$\begin{pmatrix} A \\ R \end{pmatrix}$$

are interchanged, corresponding components of ρ are interchanged.

The k -th step of the modified Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization procedure is described below.

For $k=1, \dots, r^*$ the numerical rank of A, the quantities

$$\begin{aligned} d_k &= \|A_{k-1}^k\|^2 \\ \alpha_{kj} &= (A_{k-1}^k \cdot A_{k-1}^j) / d_k \\ A_k^j &= A_{k-1}^j - \alpha_{kj} A_{k-1}^k \\ R_k^j &= R_{k-1}^j - \alpha_{kj} R_{k-1}^k, \quad k+1 \leq j \leq n, \end{aligned}$$

where $A_0 = A$ and $R_0 = I$, are calculated.

A vector representation for the orthogonalization of two vectors in 2-space is shown in Figure 1 (23). The orthogonal projection of β on α is made. The orthogonalized vectors are β' and α , where $\beta' = \beta - \alpha$. β' is orthogonal to α .

Let

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_k \\ R_k \end{pmatrix}$$

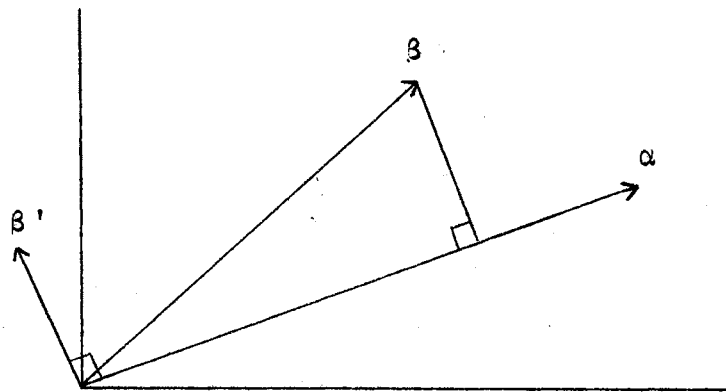


Figure 1. Geometrical Representation of the Orthogonalization of 2 vectors in 2-space.

be used to designate the state of the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} A \\ R \end{pmatrix}$$

after each step k , $k=1, \dots$, numerical rank of A , of the algorithm. At this point (1), k columns have been made mutually orthogonal and

$$A = A_k R_k^{-1}$$

or

$$A_k = A R_k.$$

The quantities

$$t(j) = \|A_k^j\|^2 / \rho(j)$$

are calculated for $j = k+1, \dots, n$, where A^j is the j -th column of A .

If

$$t(j) \leq \epsilon \quad \text{for } j=k+1, \dots, n,$$

the numerical rank of A is k and $A_N = A_k$. The numerical rank is the first k for which

$$t(j) \leq \epsilon \quad \text{for } j=k+1, \dots, n.$$

If

$$t(j) > \epsilon \quad \text{for any } j, j=k+1, \dots, n,$$

the j for which $t(j)$ is the maximum is found. Column j of

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_k \\ R_k \end{pmatrix}$$

is interchanged with column $k+1$ of

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_k \\ R_k \end{pmatrix}.$$

The j -th component of ρ is interchanged with the $(k+1)$ -st component of ρ . The selection of the column to become the $(k+1)$ -st column of A_{k+1} is called Osborne pivoting throughout the remainder of the report.

Once the numerical rank, r^* , of the matrix is determined, the $n-r^*$ vectors that have a length $\leq \epsilon$ are considered to be zero vectors. The last $n-r^*$ columns of R_{r^*} are made mutually orthogonal. The operations described above produce the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_N \\ R_N \end{pmatrix}$$

R_N has the following properties (1):

- (i) $\det R_N = \pm 1$,
- (ii) $A = A_N R_N$ or $A_N = A R_N^{-1}$,
- (iii) R_N is obtainable by permuting rows of an upper triangular matrix all of whose diagonal elements are unity.
- (iv) The vectors $R_N^{r^*+1}, R_N^{r^*+2}, \dots, R_N^n$ form an orthogonal basis for the null space of A (1).

Phase II

The basic approximate solution is found during phase II. The procedure to find the basic approximate solution is based on the fact that the residual vector for a linear least squares solution is orthogonal to every nonzero column of the coefficient matrix. The development of a method to find the basic approximate solution will be given now.

If the vector

$$\begin{pmatrix} -\underline{b} \\ \underline{0} \end{pmatrix}$$

is appended to the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} A R_N \\ R_N \end{pmatrix},$$

the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} A R_N & -\underline{b} \\ R_N & \underline{0} \end{pmatrix}$$

results. This matrix is post-multiplied by the $(n+1)$ by $(n+1)$ matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} I & \underline{u} \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

which will orthogonalize \underline{b} with respect to the first r^* columns of AR_N . The matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} AR_N & AR_N \underline{u} - \underline{b} \\ R_N & R_N \underline{u} \end{pmatrix}$$

results. Since R_N is nonsingular and the residual vector $AR_N \underline{u} - \underline{b}$ is orthogonal to every nonzero column of AR_N , $R_N \underline{u}$ is a least squares solution of $A\underline{x} = \underline{b}$. According to Rosen's definition (8), it is a basic approximate solution. This follows from properties (i) and (iii) above and from the fact that $R_N \underline{u}$ is a linear combination of the first r^* columns of R_N . Therefore, $R_N \underline{u}$ has at most r^* nonzero components (1).

Phase III

In phase III, the minimum length solution is found by computing a least squares solution that is orthogonal to the null space of A ; i.e., orthogonal to every solution of $A\underline{x} = \underline{0}$.

The following discussion shows how the minimum length solution is found from the basic approximate solution.

If the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} AR_N & AR_N \underline{u} - \underline{b} \\ R_N & R_N \underline{u} \end{pmatrix}$$

is post-multiplied by the $(n+1)$ by $(n+1)$ matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} I & \underline{v} \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

which will orthogonalize $R_N \underline{u}$ with respect to the last $n-r^*$ columns of R_N , where r^* is the numerical rank of A , the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} AR_N & AR_N(\underline{v}+\underline{u})-\underline{b} \\ R_N & R_N(\underline{v}+\underline{u}) \end{pmatrix}$$

is obtained. The first r^* components of \underline{v} are zero and the last $n-r^*$ columns of A are considered to be zero vectors. Therefore,

$$AR_N \underline{v} = 0$$

and $AR_N(\underline{v}+\underline{u})$ is orthogonal to the nonzero columns of AR_N . Thus, $R_N(\underline{v}+\underline{u})$ is a least squares solution of $A\underline{x}=\underline{b}$. $R_N(\underline{v}+\underline{u})$ is orthogonal to the null space of A , and, therefore, is the unique least squares solution of minimum length (1).

Mathematical Summary of the Algorithm

The complete algorithm can be described mathematically as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} A_N^1 &= A^1 \\ R_N^1 &= R^1 \\ R_N^k &= R^k - \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} \left(\frac{A_N^j \cdot A^k}{A_N^j \cdot A_N^j} \right) R^j \\ A_N^k &= A^k - \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} \left(\frac{A_N^j \cdot A^k}{A_N^j \cdot A_N^j} \right) A^j \quad \text{for } k=2, \dots, r^*, \end{aligned}$$

where r^* is the numerical rank of A .

$$R_N \underline{u} = - \sum_{j=1}^{r^*} \left(\frac{A_N^j \cdot (-\underline{b})}{A_N^j \cdot A_N^j} \right) R_N^j$$

$$R_N (\underline{u} + \underline{v}) = R_N \underline{u} - \sum_{j=r^*+1}^n \left(\frac{R_N^j \cdot (R_N \underline{u})}{R_N^j \cdot R_N^j} \right) R_N^j.$$

The routines that have been implemented to solve the generalized linear least squares problem employ the algorithm constructed by Osborne. Certain modifications in Osborne's method have been made and several additional features have been added.

Modification and Additions

The major addition to Osborne's algorithm was the ability to do IVOR (Independent Variable Ordering by Regression Sum of Squares)--stepwise regression without the deletion of variables from the regression equation. In addition, the coefficient matrix can be treated as if it had a pre-specified rank, the initial BAS and minimum length solutions can be iteratively refined, and the error matrix, $(A^T A)^{-1}$, is calculated for matrices of full rank.

IVOR

Earlier in the chapter it was stated that after r^* steps of the algorithm constructed by Osborne, r^* columns of the coefficient matrix are mutually orthogonal. After k steps of the algorithm, k columns of the coefficient matrix are mutually orthogonal. Let the state of the coefficient matrix be designated by A_k .

$$A_k = AR_k \quad \text{or } A = A_k R_k^{-1}$$

If

$$\begin{pmatrix} \underline{-b} \\ \underline{0} \end{pmatrix}$$

is appended to

$$\begin{pmatrix} AR_k \\ R_k \end{pmatrix}$$

the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} AR_k & \underline{-b} \\ R_k & \underline{0} \end{pmatrix}$$

results. If the resulting matrix is post-multiplied by the (n+1) by (n+1) matrix,

$$\begin{pmatrix} I & \underline{u} \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

that will orthogonalize $\underline{-b}$ with respect to the first k columns of AR_k , the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} AR_k & AR_k \underline{u} \underline{-b} \\ R_k & R_k \underline{u} \end{pmatrix}$$

results. $R_k \underline{u}$ has k nonzero components since $\det R_k = \pm 1$, R_k is obtainable by permuting the rows of a unit upper triangular matrix, and $R_k \underline{u}$ is a linear combination of the first k columns of R_k . The k nonzero components of $R_k \underline{u}$ are the regression coefficients for the k variables that have entered the regression equation. The (k+1)-st variable to enter the regression equation is found as follows:

For each variable not in the regression equation, we predict the

length of the residual vector that would be obtained if the variable were entered in the regression equation. The length of the residual vector can be predicted by calculating

$$\left| \left| (AR_k \underline{u-b}) - \left(\frac{A_k^t \cdot (AR_k \underline{u-b})}{A_k^t \cdot a_k^t} \right) A_k^t \right| \right|$$

for each variable t that is not in the regression equation. The variable that will produce the residual vector of the shortest length is the variable to enter the regression equation.

Solving the System of Equations for a Pre-specified Rank

The coefficient matrix can be treated as if it were of a pre-specified rank, k . If the numerical rank is less than k , the minimum norm solution is found; otherwise k columns of the coefficient matrix are made mutually orthogonal. Osborne's method (1) of column selection is used to choose those k columns. The remaining columns of the coefficient matrix are treated as if they are zero vectors. The last $n-k$ columns of R_k then are made mutually orthogonal, where n is the number of columns in the coefficient matrix. Orthogonalizing only k columns of the coefficient matrix when the rank of the coefficient matrix is not less than k corresponds to increasing the value of ϵ until the numerical rank of the coefficient matrix is equal to k . This might be used on an accurate computer such as the CDC 6600 to predict the solution that could be found on a less accurate computer such as the IBM 360.

ϵ is the value used to determine if a column is a linear combination of other columns in the coefficient matrix. The system of equations can be solved for several ranks during one run of the implemented routines. This corresponds to solving the system of equations for a range of ϵ .

Iterative Improvement of the Initial Solutions

Roundoff error in the calculation of a solution vector often makes the solution vector inaccurate. If \underline{x}_c is the calculated answer and \underline{x}_t is the true answer,

$$\underline{x}_c + \Delta \underline{x} = \underline{x}_t$$

and

$$A \underline{x}_t = \underline{b} \quad \text{or} \quad A(\underline{x}_c + \Delta \underline{x}) = \underline{b}$$

$$\text{or} \quad A \Delta \underline{x} = \underline{b} - A \underline{x}_c$$

Iterative improvement of the initial BAS and minimum length solutions has been implemented to improve their accuracy. The iterative improvement procedure is described as follows (1):

- (i) Let \underline{x}_i be the initial solution.
- (ii) Calculate the vector $\underline{r} = \underline{b} - A \underline{x}_i$ in double precision.
- (iii) Solve the system of equations

$$A \Delta \underline{x}_i = \underline{r}_i.$$

- (v) If $\| \underline{x}_{i+1} - \underline{x}_i \| / \| \underline{x}_{i+1} \| \leq \epsilon_1$

where ϵ_1 is greater than or equal to δ , \underline{x}_{i+1} is accepted as the solution to $\underline{Ax}=\underline{b}$.

δ is the smallest floating point number such that $1. + \delta > 1.$ in the computer.

Calculation of the Error Matrix

The matrix R_N generated by the orthogonalization process described above can be used to obtain the error matrix, $(A^T A)^{-1}$, if A is of full rank.

The derivation of the error matrix from R follows.

$$\begin{aligned}
 A &= A_N R_N^{-1} \\
 (A^T A)^{-1} &= [(A_N R_N^{-1})^T (A_N R_N^{-1})]^{-1} \\
 &= [(R_N^{-1})^T A_N^T A_N R_N^{-1}]^{-1} \\
 &= [(R_N^{-1})^T D R_N^{-1}]^{-1} \\
 &= R_N D^{-1} ((R_N^{-1})^T)^{-1} \\
 &= R_N D^{-1} ((R_N^{-1})^{-1})^T \\
 &= R_N D^{-1} R_N^T
 \end{aligned}$$

D is a diagonal matrix.

Polynomial Fitting

The LLCR package can be used to fit a polynomial to a set of data points,

$$\{y;t\}_1$$

where y is the dependent variable, t is the independent variable, and

$\{y;t\}_i$ is the i -th observation.

The mathematical model for the curve would have the form

$$\hat{y} = c_0 + c_1t + c_2t^2 + \dots + c_nt^n,$$

where \hat{y} is an estimate of y and the c_j , $j=0, \dots, n$, are the coefficients to be determined. When the package is used to fit a polynomial to a set of data points, one variable is entered into the mathematical model at a time. The variables are entered in the following order:

$$t, t^2, t^3, \dots, t^n.$$

Entering the variables in the above order is called sequential selection. When the variables are entered sequentially, the intermediate equations

$$y = c_0$$

$$y = c_0' + c_1't$$

$$y = c_0'' + c_1''t + c_2''t^2$$

$$y = c_0''' + c_1'''t + c_2'''t^2 + c_3'''t^3$$

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are obtained. The user can decide if he wishes to represent the data by a polynomial of a lesser degree.

CHAPTER V

RESULTS AND CONCLUSIONS

Test Problems and Verification

A package consisting of the routines LLCR and LLSQ has been written in Standard FORTRAN (24) to implement Osborne's method (1) for solving the generalized linear least squares problem. Since the routines can solve a system of equations for multiple right hand sides during one run of the program, the generalized inverse of an arbitrary matrix can be found accurately and efficiently. In addition, the user of the package can perform IVOR (Independent Variable Ordering by Regression Sum of Squares)--stepwise regression without the deletion of variables from the regression equation. The user also can study efficiently the effects on the solution vector of decreasing the reliability of the entries in the coefficient matrix. The error matrix, $(A^T A)^{-1}$, is calculated for systems where the coefficient matrix is of full rank.

Each of the above uses has been tested on the IBM 360/65 at Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Oklahoma. The results are listed below.

Using the Package to Find the Generalized Inverse of an Arbitrary Matrix

The generalized inverse of an arbitrary matrix, A , can be found by solving the set of equations $AX=I$, where A is an m by n matrix, X

(the generalized inverse of A) is an n by m matrix, and I is an m by m identity matrix.

The generalized inverse of a 6 by 4 zero matrix was found exactly in one iteration. Many routines for solving an arbitrary system of equations will not handle the case where the coefficient matrix has a rank of zero.

The generalized inverse of the matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1. & -1. & 3. & 1. \\ 2. & 4. & 5. & 1. \\ -1. & 2. & -1. & 1. \\ 4. & 1. & 9. & 1. \end{bmatrix}$$

was found to full single precision accuracy without iterating the solution. This example was taken from Rosen (8). The generalized inverse was found to be

$$\begin{bmatrix} -.21153 & .04487 & -.22435 & .05769 \\ -.19230 & .19230 & .03846 & -.03846 \\ .08653 & -.00320 & .01602 & .06730 \\ .50961 & -.09294 & .46474 & -.04807 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Using the Package to Find the Solution Vector
for an Arbitrary System of Equations

Example 1. The first example was taken from Rosen's article (8). The system consisted of

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1. & -1. & 3. & 1. \\ 2. & 4. & 5. & 1. \\ -1. & 2. & -1. & 1. \\ 4. & 1. & 9. & 1. \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ X_3 \\ X_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1. \\ 3. \\ 2.5 \\ 2.5 \end{bmatrix} .$$

Using an ϵ of $.16 \times 10^{-5}$, the rank of the system was found to be three. Full single precision accuracy was obtained without iterating the solution. The lengths of the residual vector for the basic approximate solution (BAS) and the minimum length solution were both .5. The lengths of the BAS vector and the minimum length solution vector were 1.607 and 1.451, respectively. The BAS vector was

$$\begin{bmatrix} .07692 \\ .38462 \\ 0 \\ 1.5577 \end{bmatrix} .$$

The minimum length solution vector was

$$\begin{bmatrix} -.49359 \\ .38462 \\ .28526 \\ 1.27240 \end{bmatrix} .$$

Example 2. The second system of equations that was used to test the package had a coefficient matrix consisting of the first five columns of a 6 by 6 inverse Hilbert matrix and a right hand side chosen to generate a solution vector of $(1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{5})$. The matrix,

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{3} & \dots & \frac{1}{m-1} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{4} & \dots & \frac{1}{m} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{5} & \dots & \frac{1}{m+1} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \frac{1}{m-1} & \frac{1}{m} & \frac{1}{m+1} & \dots & \frac{1}{2m-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

is the Hilbert matrix of order m .

The inverse of the Hilbert matrix was used because each of the entries in it is an integer and can be represented in a computer exactly if the precision of the computer is large enough (3). Therefore, the effect of roundoff error on the solution vector can be studied. This system of equations is fairly ill-conditioned, getting worse with larger m .

Full single precision accuracy was achieved when the solution was iterated. The results of the run are shown in Table I.

The implementation of Björck's routine (18) required five iterations to obtain this accuracy. Only three iterations were required with LLCR and LLSQ.

Example 3. The third test case consisted of the last six columns of an 8 by 8 inverse Hilbert matrix with a right hand side chosen to produce the solution vector $(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{5}, \frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{7}, \frac{1}{8})$.

This system is extremely ill-conditioned. As mentioned previously, when a system is ill-conditioned, small errors in the entries in the input coefficient matrix or in the solution process cause a large

TABLE I

SOLUTION OF THE SYSTEM OF EQUATIONS CONSISTING OF THE FIRST FIVE COLUMNS OF A 6 BY 6 INVERSE HILBERT MATRIX AND A RIGHT HAND SIDE CHOSEN TO GENERATE THE SOLUTION VECTOR $(1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{5})$

| Iteration Number | Solution Vector | Length of the Residual Vector |
|------------------|--|-------------------------------|
| 0 | .9558830 .4843262 .3263453 .2468576 .1988596 | 1.043110 |
| 1 | .9997082 .4999225 .3333055 .2499895 .1999996 | .4102879 |
| 2 | .9999999 .4999998 .3333333 .2499999 .2000000 | .1591172 |
| 3 | .9999999 .4999999 .3333333 .2499999 .2000000 | .2431152 |

change in the solution vector (3). The condition number of a matrix is a measure of the ill-conditioning of the system. The smallest possible condition number is unity. The system in the present example has a condition number of 10^8 .

Using an ϵ of $.16 \times 10^{-5}$ and doing all calculations in single precision, the numerical rank was determined to be four. Full single precision accuracy was achieved after iteration of the solution. The rank was not determined to be six as there was considerable truncation error in forming inner products due to the low precision of the IBM 360.

Table II contains the results of the run.

TABLE II

SOLUTION OF THE SYSTEM OF EQUATIONS CONSISTING
OF THE LAST SIX COLUMNS OF AN 8 BY 8 INVERSE
HILBERT MATRIX AND A RIGHT HAND SIDE CHOSEN
TO GENERATE THE SOLUTION VECTOR

$$\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{5}, \frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{7}, \frac{1}{8}\right)$$

| Iteration Number | Minimum Length Solution Vector | Length of the Residual Vector for the Minimum Length Solution | Basic Approximate Solution Vector | Length of the Residual Vector for the BAS |
|---------------------|--|--|--|--|
| 0 | -.09663224 .03279249 .05031452 .02720612 -.008033112 -.04418335 | 155.1612 | -.1880930 -.6149425 -.00001407021 0 0 -.005662531 | 97.75385 |
| 1 | -.09643781 .03278171 .05018743 .02709594 -.008037787 -.04403742 | 135.0647 | | |
| 2 | -.09643847 .03278175 .05018786 .02709632 -.008037772 -.04403792 | 133.9126 | | |
| 3 | -.09643847 .03278176 .05018786 .02709632 -.00837772 -.04403792 | 132.2448 | | |

Björck's routine failed to find a solution for this example. It must be emphasized again that obtaining a numerical rank of four was not a failure of the routines but was caused by the low precision of

the computer on which the test case was run.

Example 4. The fourth test case consisted of the first five elements of each of the first three rows of a 6 by 6 inverse Hilbert matrix with the right hand side (463,-13860,97020). Both the basic approximate solution vector and the minimum norm solution vector are of interest since the number of equations is less than the number of variables.

Table III contains the results of the run.

TABLE III
SOLUTION OF THE SYSTEM OF EQUATIONS CONSISTING OF
THE FIRST FIVE ELEMENTS OF EACH OF THE
FIRST THREE ROWS OF A 6 BY 6
INVERSE HILBERT MATRIX WITH
A RIGHT HAND SIDE
(463,-13860,97020)

| Iteration Number | Minimum Norm Solution Vector | Square of the Length of the Residual Vector | Basic Approximate Solution Vector |
|---------------------|---|--|---|
| 0 | .02615530 -.08060956 -.002280064 .07264209 .1280568 | .009011976 | 1.583456 .2777886 0 0 .07685214 |
| 1 | .02614972 -.08058983 -.002287482 .07262659 .1280463 | .0009218131 | |
| 2 | .02614973 -.08058983 -.002287471 .07262659 .1280463 | .0005667009 | |
| 3 | .02614974 -.08058983 -.002287467 .07262659 .1280463 | .0004688033 | |

Using the Package to Perform IVOR

The package consisting of LLCR and LLSQ was used to perform IVOR on oxygen solubility data. The mathematical model for this curve is defined below.

Let z_1 = absolute temperature,
 z_2 = salinity of seawater,
 y = log of the solubility of oxygen in sea water,

and the model be described by

$$\hat{y}_i = (a_{i1} + a_{i2}/z_{i1} + a_{i3} \ln(z_{i1}) + a_{i4} z_{i1} + a_{i5} z_{i1}^2 + \dots) \cdot (b_{i1} + b_{i2} z_{i2} + \dots)$$

so that

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| $t_{i1} \equiv 1,$ | $c_1 \equiv a_1 b_1$ |
| $t_{i2} \equiv z_{i2},$ | $c_2 \equiv a_2 b_2$ |
| $t_{i3} \equiv 1/z_{i1},$ | $c_3 \equiv a_2 b_1$ |
| $t_{i4} \equiv z_{i2}/z_{i1},$ | $c_4 \equiv a_2 b_2$ |
| $t_{i5} \equiv \ln(z_{i1}),$ | $c_5 \equiv a_3 b_1$ |
| $t_{i6} \equiv z_{i2} \ln(z_{i1}),$ | $c_6 \equiv a_3 b_2$ |
| $t_{i7} \equiv z_{i1},$ | $c_7 \equiv a_4 b_1$ |
| $t_{i8} \equiv z_{i2} z_{i1},$ | $c_8 \equiv a_4 b_2$ |
| etc. | etc. |

Table IV contains the results of the IVOR analysis. The results of a stepwise regression analysis of this data appears in an article by Weiss (25). In his analysis, only eight of the twelve variables in the model were entered in the regression equation because the sum of the squares of the residuals divided by the number of degrees of

TABLE IV
RESULTS OF THE IVOR ANALYSIS OF THE
OXYGEN SOLUBILITY DATA

| Number of Variables in the Equation | Number of the Variable Entered | Length of the Basic Solution Vector | Length of the Residual Vector for the Basic Solution | Length of the Minimum Norm Solution Vector | Length of Residual Vector for the Minimum Norm Solution |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|--|---|
| 1 | 2 | .4040704x10 ⁵ | 2419.978 | .1014893x10 ⁵ | 7617.572 |
| 2 | 1 | .9049813x10 ⁵ | 981.9752 | .1028102x10 ⁵ | 6018.982 |
| 3 | 7 | .8972010x10 ⁵ | 212.4384 | .1031885x10 ⁵ | 7818.671 |
| 4 | 3 | .3168621x10 ⁷ | 82.10176 | .1091479x10 ⁵ | 4422.227 |
| 5 | 8 | .1634972x10 ⁷ | 28.52036 | .1092203x10 ⁵ | 4558.884 |
| 6 | 12 | .1634366x10 ⁷ | 27.99304 | .1097797x10 ⁵ | 3548.216 |
| 7 | 4 | .1033133x10 ⁸ | 26.44726 | .1103234x10 ⁵ | 3473.011 |
| 8 | 9 | .1005459x10 ⁸ | 26.06484 | .1197020x10 ⁵ | 2147.965 |
| 9 | 5 | .1540121x10 ⁸ | 25.942180 | .1205483x10 ⁵ | 454.9831 |
| 10 | 6 | .2658320x10 ¹¹ | 25.50685 | .1207378x10 ⁵ | 29.94534 |
| 11 | 10 | .3464215x10 ¹¹ | 25.27790 | .2317320x10 ⁸ | 42.48019 |
| 12 | 11 | .3202155x10 ¹¹ | 25.12197 | .3202155x10 ¹¹ | 25.12197 |

freedom (m-n) failed to decrease after eight variables had entered the equation. This was caused by the use of the normal equations to perform the stepwise regression analysis.

Twelve variables were entered in the regression equation by the LLCR package. The length of the residual vector continued to decrease with each variable added to the regression equation.

Note that with all twelve variables in the regression equation,

the length of the solution vector was $.3202155 \times 10^{11}$ with a residual vector of length 25.12197. The length of the solution vector with seven variables in the regression equation was $.1033133 \times 10^8$ with a residual vector of length 26.44726. Thus, with a modest increase in the length of the residual vector, a large decrease in the length of the solution vector was obtained.

In Chapter II, it was stated that if the true rank of the coefficient matrix is less than the number of columns, there is a linear subspace of solution vectors with a residual vector of some minimum length. Among all the vectors in that subspace, there is a unique vector of minimum length (7). All the components of this vector are nonzero. An attempt was made to consider the variables not entered in the regression equation to be linear combinations of the variables represented in the regression equation. The least squares solution of minimum length was then calculated as if the coefficient matrix had a rank equal to the number of variables in the regression equation. The length of each of these solution vectors was considerably less than the length of the basic approximate solution vector (BAS) for the same rank. The lengths of the residual vectors were unacceptably high in most cases. Table IV contains the results of this analysis.

Using the Package to Test the Effects of Decreasing the Precision of the Entries in the Coefficient Matrix

As mentioned in Chapter IV, the user can request that the coefficient matrix be treated as if it had a rank equal to k . This corresponds to increasing the value of ϵ until the rank of the coefficient matrix is k , where ϵ is the value used to determine the numerical rank

of the coefficient matrix. If the true numerical rank is less than the rank requested, the true minimum length solution is found. If not, $n-k$ columns of the coefficient matrix are considered to be linear combinations of the k columns that are chosen to be made mutually orthogonal; the minimum norm solution for rank k is found.

The ability to specify a rank enables the user to test the effect on the solution vector of measuring the entries in the coefficient matrix less accurately. During one run of the package, the solution vectors for each choice of rank ranging from one to $\min(m,n)$ can be found. This corresponds to finding the solution to the generalized linear least squares problem for a range of ϵ . Osborne's method of column selection is used to select the columns to be made mutually orthogonal when the package is used for this purpose.

The solution vectors for a range of ranks were found for the oxygen solubility data. Table V contains the results of the analysis.

Note that for ranks ten and eleven, the length of the minimum length solution vectors greatly decreased with only a moderate increase in the length of the residual vector. For example, the minimum length solution vector's length was $.12072 \times 10^5$ with a residual vector of length 26.1 for rank ten. For rank eleven, the minimum length solution vector's length was $.3462100 \times 10^7$ with a residual vector of length 25.6. In contrast, when IVOR was performed and eleven variables had entered the regression equation, the length of the solution vector was $.3464215 \times 10^{11}$ with a residual vector of length 25.3. When ten variables had entered the regression equation, the length of the solution vector was $.1033 \times 10^8$ with a residual vector of length 25.5.

If the user's objective is to obtain the best trade-off between

TABLE V
ANALYSIS OF OXYGEN SOLUBILITY DATA
USING OSBORNE PIVOTING

| Rank | Basic Variable Entered in the Equation | Length of the Basic Solution Vector | Length of the Residual Vector for the BAS | Length of the Minimum Norm Solution Vector | Length of the Residual Vector for the Minimum Norm Solution |
|------|--|-------------------------------------|---|--|---|
| 1 | 1 | $.1612785 \times 10^5$ | $.4380520 \times 10^4$ | $.1008446 \times 10^5$ | $.8425207 \times 10^4$ |
| 2 | 10 | $.1614233 \times 10^5$ | $.4168454 \times 10^4$ | $.102177 \times 10^5$ | $.7203746 \times 10^4$ |
| 3 | 11 | $.161299 \times 10^5$ | $.4164684 \times 10^4$ | $.102470 \times 10^5$ | $.5419911 \times 10^4$ |
| 4 | 4 | $.1649864 \times 10^5$ | $.1013336 \times 10^4$ | $.1045335 \times 10^5$ | $.2508875 \times 10^4$ |
| 5 | 5 | $.1652604 \times 10^5$ | $.9690841 \times 10^3$ | $.1051180 \times 10^5$ | $.1671074 \times 10^4$ |
| 6 | 12 | $.1652779 \times 10^5$ | $.9588091 \times 10^3$ | $.1051873 \times 10^5$ | $.1564966 \times 10^4$ |
| 7 | 7 | $.1724977 \times 10^5$ | $.8021976 \times 10^2$ | $.1118416 \times 10^5$ | $.250944 \times 10^4$ |
| 8 | 6 | $.1724570 \times 10^5$ | $.7149151 \times 10^2$ | $.1127042 \times 10^5$ | $.236241 \times 10^4$ |
| 9 | 9 | $.1724276 \times 10^5$ | $.7111963 \times 10^2$ | $.1196991 \times 10^5$ | $.1190856 \times 10^4$ |
| 10 | 8 | $.1723771 \times 10^5$ | $.2611948 \times 10^2$ | $.1207238 \times 10^5$ | $.2611625 \times 10^2$ |
| 11 | 2 | $.6880348 \times 10^7$ | $.2565849 \times 10^2$ | $.3462101 \times 10^7$ | $.2565829 \times 10^2$ |
| 12 | 3 | $.3202155 \times 10^{11}$ | $.2512197 \times 10^2$ | $.3202155 \times 10^{11}$ | $.2512197 \times 10^2$ |

the length of the solution vector and the length of the residual vector, the package should be run once with IVOR and once with Osborne pivoting.

Comparison of Methods

The package consisting of LLCR and LLSQ appears to be the first accurate IVOR (stepwise regression) package for ill-conditioned systems of equations. Until this time, stepwise regression packages have

solved the normal equations,

$$A^T A \underline{x} = A^T \underline{b}.$$

The normal equations are often very ill-conditioned, making double precision calculations necessary (3). Longley (10) has shown examples where essentially no correct digits were obtained when the normal equations were solved. In addition, refinement of the intermediate solutions is available with this package.

For ill-conditioned systems using modified Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization produces a much more accurate solution vector than using the normal equations to solve a linear least squares problem. For a mathematical comparison of the accuracy of the methods, see articles by Björck (26), Golub (27), and Wampler (11).

Number of Operations and Storage Requirements

If the coefficient matrix is of full rank, the package requires approximately mn^2 multiplications and $mn + m + n^2 + 2n$ storage locations to calculate the linear least squares solution of minimum norm when iterative refinement of the solution is not performed. This should be contrasted with $2mn^2 + \frac{4n^3}{3}$ single precision multiplications and n^2 storage locations needed for forming and solving the normal equations in double precision (24).

If iterative refinement is performed, another $m(n+1)$ storage locations are required. An additional $n^2 + kn$ locations are needed if the system is solved for more than one rank, where k is the number of ranks for which the system is solved.

If the coefficient matrix is of deficient rank, r^* , the number of multiplications necessary for finding the solution is $mn^2 - (n - r^* - 1)(m + n)$ multiplications. The storage requirements are the same as for the full rank case.

When the package is used to perform IVOR, the number of operations necessary to add the k -th variable to the regression equation is $2m(n - k + \frac{mk}{2} - 3nk + n^2)$. The total number of operations would be $4m^2n^2 + mn^3 - n$. Approximately $(n+2)^2(m + \frac{3n}{2})$ operations are required for stepwise regression using the normal equations (19). If double precision calculations are necessary to obtain single precision accuracy, the comparison is more favorable.

The user of the LLCR package should consider putting all the floating point variables in double precision when solving an ill-conditioned system of equations. Refinement of the initial solutions would be ineffective so no more storage would be required than would be when the calculations were done in single precision with the initial solutions being refined. δ should be chosen so that $1.D0 + \delta > 1.D0$ when doing all calculations in double precision. The solution process is slower when all calculations are done in double precision; the results should be more accurate, however.

There are advantages to being able to solve the system of equations for a range of ranks during one run of the LLCR package instead of using a routine like Björck's. Beginning with a guess, several runs might be necessary to find the ϵ to produce the desired rank. In addition, if the results were sought for a range of ranks, Björck's routine would require that the first $h-1$ columns of the coefficient matrix be orthogonalized for each rank h for which the solution was

desired. The LLCR package requires that only one column of the coefficient matrix be orthogonalized after the solution vector for the first rank is found. $2n^2$ additional words are required for this feature, however.

Table VI contains a list of the various uses of the package, and the method of column selection, the ranks for which the system is solved, and the extra storage required for each use.

Summary

Routines have been written that use modified Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization to solve the generalized linear least squares problem. Both a basic approximate solution and the least squares solution of minimum Euclidean norm are found. Improvement in the accuracy of the solutions by means of iterative refinement of the initial solutions is available to the user of these routines. Full single-precision accuracy in the solutions is obtained when iterative improvement of the solutions is performed and the parameter that is used to determine the numerical rank of the system is at least as great as the relative accuracy of the computer on which the package is run. The error matrix, $(A^T A)^{-1}$, is returned for systems of full rank.

The routines can be used to determine efficiently and accurately the generalized inverse of an arbitrary matrix, A . This is accomplished by solving the system of equations

$$AX = I$$

for the matrix X . I is an m by m identity matrix, where n is the number of rows in the matrix A . The generalized inverse, X , is an n

TABLE VI
USES OF THE PACKAGE CONSISTING OF LLCR AND LLSQ

| Problem | Method of Column Selection | The Solution will be found for Ranks | Amount of Extra Storage Needed |
|--|----------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| To calculate the generalized inverse of A, an m by n matrix | Osborne pivoting | the numerical rank of A | $m(m-1)$ |
| To find the solution of an arbitrary system of equations, $Ax = b$ | Osborne pivoting | the numerical rank of A | none |
| To perform stepwise regression without the deletion of variables | IVOR | 1 to the numerical rank of the coefficient matrix | $2n^2$ |
| To study the effect of decreasing the reliability of the entries in the coefficient matrix (solve the system for a range of ranks) | Osborne pivoting | $1 \leq j \leq$ numerical rank of A (a range for j is chosen by the user) | $2n^2$ |
| To find the best trade-off between the length of the solution vector and the residual vector | IVOR and Osborne pivoting | 1 to the numerical rank of A | $2n^2$ |
| To fit a polynomial to a set of data points | Sequential selection | 1 to the degree of the polynomial | $2n^2$ |

by m matrix, where n is the number of columns in A.

IVOR, or forward selection, has been implemented. IVOR corresponds to stepwise regression without the deletion of variables from the regression equation. The package appears to be the first accurate stepwise regression package for ill-conditioned problems.

The coefficient matrix can be treated as if it had a user-specified rank, k . This corresponds to increasing the value of the parameter that is used to determine the numerical rank of the coefficient matrix until the rank is k . This facility can be used to test the sensitivity of the solution vector to decreased precision of the entries in the coefficient matrix.

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APPENDIX A

COMPUTER LISTINGS OF LLCR AND LLSQ

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274      SUBROUTINE LLCR(A,LA,R,LRE,SAVE,LSAV,X,RHO,RHOM,SA,ERR,RES,V,XOLD,LLCR0010
          *SALPH,LSAL,NR,NC,BASIC,NRHS,XSAVE)      LLCR0020
C  AUTHOR          JOANNA C. HWANG              LLCR0030
C                                                         LLCR0040
C  DATE            MARCH 1, 1972                VERSION 1.1      LLCR0050
C                                                         LLCR0060
C  BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THIS PROGRAM....        LLCR0070
C  THIS ROUTINE WILL GIVE THE SOLUTION OF MINIMUM NORM TO THE      LLCR0080
C  GENERAL LINEAR LEAST SQUARES PROBLEM. MODIFIED GRAM-SCHMIDT ORTHOG-  LLCR0090
C  ONALIZATION IS USED TO OBTAIN THIS SOLUTION.                   LLCR0100
C  THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS HAVE BEEN IMPLEMENTED.                   LLCR0110
C  1. THE SOLUTIONS FOR MULTIPLE RIGHT HAND SIDES WITH A SINGLE   LLCR0120
C  COEFFICIENT MATRIX CAN BE FOUND DURING ONE CALL TO THE ROUTINE. LLCR0130
C  2. REFINEMENT OF THE INITIAL BASIC APPROXIMATE AND INITIAL MINIMUM  LLCR0140
C  NORM SOLUTIONS IS AVAILABLE.                                   LLCR0150
C  3. THE ERROR MATRIX, THE INVERSE OF THE PRODUCT OF THE COEFFICIENT  LLCR0160
C  MATRIX AND ITS TRANPOSE, IS CALCULATED FOR SYSTEMS OF FULL RANK.  LLCR0170
C  4. THE BASIC SOLUTIONS CAN BE PRINTED.                         LLCR0180
C  ASSUME THAT THE RANK OF THE COEFFICIENT MATRIX IS IRANK, WHERE   LLCR0190
C  IRANK IS LESS THAN THE NUMBER OF COLUMNS IN THE COEFFICIENT MATRIX. LLCR0200
C  THE BASIC SOLUTION OBTAINED IS THE SOLUTION WITH AT MOST IRANK   LLCR0210
C  NONZERO COMPONENTS THAT GIVES THE MINIMUM EUCLIDEAN NORM.      LLCR0220
C  5. THE USER CAN REQUEST THAT IVOR, INDEPENDENT VARIABLE ORDERING  LLCR0230
C  BY REGRESSION SUM OF SQUARES, BE PERFORMED. IVOR CORRESPONDS TO  LLCR0240
C  PERFORMING STEPWISE REGRESSION WITHOUT REMOVING A VARIABLE FROM  LLCR0250
C  THE REGRESSION EQUATION ONCE IT HAS ENTERED THE REGRESSION      LLCR0260
C  EQUATION.                                                       LLCR0270
C  6. THE USER CAN REQUEST THAT THE COEFFICIENT MATRIX BE TREATED AS IF  LLCR0280
C  IT HAD A RANGE OF RANKS, KRBEQ THROUGH KREND. IF THE RANK      LLCR0290
C  REQUESTED IS GREATER THAN THE NUMERICAL RANK OF THE SYSTEM     LLCR0300
C  (DETERMINED BY THE RELATIVE ACCURACY EPS), A MESSAGE IS PRINTED. LLCR0310
C  FOR A MORE COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF THIS ROUTINE, SEE THE WRITE-UP  LLCR0320
C  IN THE AUTHOR-S M.S. REPORT (DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTING AND INFORMATION  LLCR0330
C  SCIENCES, OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY, MAY, 1972).               LLCR0340
C                                                         LLCR0350
C  REFERENCES....                                                 LLCR0360
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C  JOHN R. RICE, MATHEMATICS OF COMPUTATION 20 (1966) 325       LLCR0400
C  A. BJORCK, BIT 7 (1967) 257                                   LLCR0410
C  A. BJORCK, BIT 8 (1968) 8                                     LLCR0420
C  A. BJORCK, BIT 7 (1967) 1                                     LLCR0430
C                                                         LLCR0440
C  DESCRIPTION OF SUBROUTINES CALLED....                          LLCR0450
C  LLSQ -- THE INITIAL BASIC APPROXIMATE SOLUTION AND LEAST        LLCR0460
C  SQUARES SOLUTION OF MINIMUM NORM FOR EACH RIGHT HAND          LLCR0470
C  SIDE IS FOUND.                                                 LLCR0480
C                                                         LLCR0490
C  DESCRIPTION OF VARIABLES....                                  LLCR0500
C  INPUT VARIABLES....                                           LLCR0510
C  A -- THE NR BY NCOLS AUGMENTED MATRIX                          LLCR0520
C  THE NRHS RIGHT HAND SIDES ARE CONCATENATED WITH THE           LLCR0530
C  NR BY NC COEFFICIENT MATRIX TO FORM THE AUGMENTED             LLCR0540
C  MATRIX.                                                         LLCR0550
C  THE FIRST IRANK COLUMNS OF A ARE MADE MUTUALLY               LLCR0560
C  ORTHOGONAL. THE NEXT (NC-IRANK) COLUMNS ARE                  LLCR0570
C  CONSIDERED TO BE ZERO VECTORS. THIS TRANSFORMED               LLCR0580
C  MATRIX IS REFERRED TO BELOW AS A .                             LLCR0590

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C          KRBEG,KRBEG+1,...,KREND. IF THE TRUE RANK OF THE      LLCR1200
C          SYSTEM IS LESS THAN THE RANK THE USER REQUESTS, A    LLCR1210
C          MESSAGE IS PRINTED.                                  LLCR1220
C          KRBEG MUST BE SET GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO ONE. IF   LLCR1230
C          THE RANK OF THE COEFFICIENT MATRIX IS ZERO, THE      LLCR1240
C          CORRECT SOLUTION WILL BE RETURNED, HOWEVER.         LLCR1250
C          SEE THE DEFINITION OF KRANK BELOW.                   LLCR1260
C          MAXIT  -- THE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ITERATIONS ALLOWED FOR THE LLCR1270
C          ITERATIVE IMPROVEMENT PROCEDURE                     LLCR1280
C          MAXIT SHOULD BE GREATER OR EQUAL TO ONE IF ITERATIVE LLCR1290
C          IMPROVEMENT OF THE SOLUTION IS NOT DESIRED.         LLCR1300
C                                                                LLCR1310
C          OUTPUT VARIABLES....                                  LLGR1320
C          R  -- AN NC BY NCOLS MATRIX THAT INITIALLY HOLDS AN  LLCR1330
C          IDENTITY MATRIX IN ITS FIRST NC COLUMNS AND ZERO    LLCR1340
C          COLUMNS FOR THE REMAINING (NCOLS-NC) COLUMNS       LLCR1350
C          THE FIRST NC COLUMNS OF R ARE TRANSFORMED INTO THE R LLCR1360
C          -1                                                    LLCR1370
C          OF THE DECOMPOSITION  $A = A R^{-1}$ . THE REMAINING COLUMNS LLCR1380
C          N N                                                    LLCR1390
C          HOLD THE SOLUTIONS TO THE SYSTEMS OF EQUATIONS.     LLCR1400
C          XSAVE(I,J,K) -- IF IPIV.EQ.1, THE I-TH COEFFICIENT OF THE REGRESSION LLCR1410
C          EQUATION FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER J WHEN KRBEG    LLCR1420
C          +K-1 VARIABLES HAVE ENTERED THE REGRESSION EQUATION LLCR1430
C          OTHERWISE, THE I-TH COMPONENT OF THE SOLUTION VECTOR LLCR1440
C          OF MINIMUM LENGTH FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER J WHEN LLCR1450
C          RANK KRBEG+K-1                                         LLCR1460
C          BASIC(J)  -- THE LENGTH OF THE BASIC APPROXIMATE SOLUTION VECTOR LLCR1470
C          FOR THE J-TH RIGHT HAND SIDE                          LLCR1480
C          X  -- THE SOLUTION VECTOR FOR EACH RIGHT HAND SIDE  LLCR1490
C          IS PLACED IN X PRIOR TO THE ITERATIVE IMPROVEMENT OF LLCR1500
C          THE SOLUTION FOR THAT RIGHT HAND SIDE. ITERATIVE   LLCR1510
C          IMPROVEMENT IS PERFORMED ON THE SOLUTION VECTOR FOR LLCR1520
C          ONE RIGHT HAND SIDE AT A TIME.                       LLCR1530
C          RES  -- THE RESIDUAL VECTORS FOR THE RIGHT HAND SIDES LLCR1540
C          ERR  -- THE INVERSE OF THE TRANSPOSE OF THE COEFFICIENT LLCR1550
C          MATRIX TIMES ITS TRANSPOSE                           LLCR1560
C          THIS IS CALCULATED ONLY IF THE COEFFICIENT MATRIX IS LLCR1570
C          OF FULL RANK. THIS IS AN NC BY NC ARRAY.           LLCR1580
C          (A IS THE UNAUGMENTED COEFFICIENT MATRIX IN THIS   LLCR1590
C          CASE.)                                               LLCR1600
C          IRANK -- THE SMALLER OF THE NUMERICAL RANK OF THE COEFFICIENT LLCR1610
C          MATRIX AND KRANK                                     LLCR1620
C          NFAIL -- =0 IF ITERATIVE IMPROVEMENT FAILS TO PRODUCE RESULTS LLCR1630
C          OF THE DESIRED ACCURACY WITHIN MAXIT ITERATIONS    LLCR1640
C          -- =1 OTHERWISE                                       LLCR1650
C                                                                LLCR1660
C          INTERMEDIATE VARIABLES....                            LLCR1670
C          SALPH -- HOLDS R IN THE STATE IT IS IN AFTER THE BASIC LLCR1680
C          APPROXIMATE SOLUTION IS FOUND FOR A GIVEN RANK     LLCR1690
C          THIS MATRIX IS NOT NEEDED IF KRBEG.EQ.KREND.       LLCR1700
C          SAVE  -- HOLDS THE ORIGINAL AUGMENTED MATRIX, A    LLCR1710
C          THIS MATRIX IS NOT REFERENCED IF ITERATIVE IMPROVE- LLCR1720
C          MENT OF THE SOLUTIONS IS NOT DESIRED.             LLCR1730
C          XOLD  -- THE SOLUTION VECTOR FOR EACH RIGHT HAND SIDE FOUND LLCR1740
C          DURING THE PREVIOUS ITERATION OF THE IMPROVEMENT   LLCR1750
C          PROCEDURE IS PLACED IN XOLD.                       LLCR1760
C          RHO(K) -- THE SQUARE OF THE NORM OF THE K-TH COLUMN OF A LLCR1770
C          RHOM(K) -- THE SQUARE OF THE NORM OF THE K-TH COLUMN OF R LLCR1780
C          KRANK -- AN ATTEMPT IS MADE TO FIND THE SOLUTION   LLCR1790

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C ..... CHANGE QSQRT(Y)=SQRT(Y) TO QSQRT(Y)=DSQRT(Y) IF LCCR2400
C ..... ALL COMPUTATIONS ARE DONE IN DOUBLE PRECISION. LCCR2410
C LCCR2420
278 QSQRT(Y)=SQRT(Y) LCCR2430
C LCCR2440
279 IF(NTRAC)20,10,10 LCCR2450
280 10 WRITE(KW,870)EPS1,EPS,NR,NC,ISW,IREF,MAXIT,KRBEG,KREND LCCR2460
281 20 NCP=NC+1 LCCR2470
282 IRGT=0 LCCR2480
283 VZERO=0. LCCR2490
284 KROLD=-1 LCCR2500
285 ONE=1. LCCR2510
286 IRANK=NCP LCCR2520
287 NFAIL=1 LCCR2530
288 NCOLS=NC+NRHS LCCR2540
289 EPSQ=EPS*EPS LCCR2550
C ..... SAVE THE ORIGINAL COEFFICIENT MATRIX AND RIGHT LCCR2560
C ..... HAND SIDES. LCCR2570
290 IF(IREF)50,30,30 LCCR2580
291 30 DO 40 IR=1,NR LCCR2590
292 DO 40 IC=1,NCOLS LCCR2600
293 40 SAVE(IR,IC)=A(IR,IC) LCCR2610
C ..... PRINT THE ORIGINAL COEFFICIENT MATRIX AND RIGHT LCCR2620
C ..... HAND SIDES. LCCR2630
294 50 IF(NTRAC-2)90,60,60 LCCR2640
295 60 WRITE(KW,750) LCCR2650
296 DO 70 I=1,NR LCCR2660
297 70 WRITE(KW,810)(A(I,J),J=1,NC) LCCR2670
298 WRITE(KW,760) LCCR2680
299 DO 80 IC=NCP,NCOLS LCCR2690
300 80 WRITE(KW,810)(A(I,IC),I=1,NR) LCCR2700
C ..... NEGATE EACH RIGHT HAND SIDE. LCCR2710
301 90 DO 100 I=1,NR LCCR2720
302 DO 100 J=NCP,NCOLS LCCR2730
303 100 A(I,J)=-A(I,J) LCCR2740
C ..... FIND THE SOLUTIONS TO THE PROBLEM LCCR2750
C ..... FOR RANKS KRBEG THROUGH KREND. LCCR2760
304 DO 730 MRANK=KRBEG,KREND LCCR2770
305 KRANK=MRANK LCCR2780
C ..... WRITE A MESSAGE IF THE RANK ASKED FOR IS LCCR2790
C ..... KNOWN TO BE LESS THAN THE RANK OF THE SYSTEM. LCCR2800
306 IF(IRANK-KROLD)110,120,120 LCCR2810
307 110 WRITE(KW,850) LCCR2820
308 GO TO 740 LCCR2830
C ..... FIND THE INITIAL SOLUTION TO THE PROBLEM. LCCR2840
309 120 CALL LLSQ(A,LA,RHO,RHOM,SA,SALPH,LSAL,NR,NC,R,LRE,BASIC,NRHS, LCCR2850
*SAVE,LSAV,XSAVE) LCCR2860
310 IF(IRGT)740,130,740 LCCR2870
311 KROLD=KRANK LCCR2880
C ..... PRINT THE DECOMPOSED MATRIX. LCCR2890
312 IF(NTRAC-2)170,140,140 LCCR2900
313 140 WRITE(KW,840)IRANK LCCR2910
314 DO 150 I=1,NR LCCR2920
315 150 WRITE(KW,810)(A(I,J),J=1,NC) LCCR2930
316 DO 160 I=1,NC LCCR2940
317 160 WRITE(KW,810)(R(I,J),J=1,NC) LCCR2950
C ..... FIND THE FINAL SOLUTION FOR EACH RIGHT HAND LCCR2960
C ..... SIDE. LCCR2970
318 170 DO 670 K=NCP,NCOLS LCCR2980
319 KSW=-1 LCCR2990

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320      DO 180 I=1,NC
321      180 X(I)=R(I,K)
322      KNT=0
C ..... CHECK IF REFINEMENT OF THE SOLUTION IS DESIRED.
323      IF(IREF-1)510,190,510
324      190 KNT=0
C ..... CHECK TO SEE IF THE BASIC APPROXIMATE OR THE
C ..... MINIMUM NORM SOLUTION IS TO BE ITERATED.
325      IF(KSW)200,220,670
326      200 WRITE(KW,900)
327      KK=K-NC
328      NO=KRANK-KRBEG+1
329      DO 210 I=1,NC
330      210 X(I)=XSAVE(I,KK,NO)
331      GO TO 240
332      220 WRITE(KW,910)
333      DO 230 I=1,NC
334      230 X(I)=R(I,K)
335      240 KNT=KNT+1
C ..... CHECK FOR TOO MANY ITERATIONS TO ACHIEVE THE
C ..... DESIRED ACCURACY.
336      IF(KNT-MAXIT)260,260,250
337      250 NO=K-NC
338      WRITE(KW,790)NO,MAXIT
339      NFAIL=0
340      GO TO 740
C ..... CALCULATE THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE (K-NC)-TH
C ..... RIGHT HAND SIDE.
341      260 DO 280 I=1,NR
342      DRES=VZERO
343      DO 270 J=1,NC
344      DINT=X(J)
345      DINTP=SAVE(I,J)
346      270 DRES=DRES+DINTP*DINT
347      DSAVE=SAVE(I,K)
348      280 RES(I)=DSAVE-DRES
C ..... CALCULATE THE SQUARE OF THE NORM OF THE RESIDUAL
C ..... VECTOR.
349      DNORM=VZERO
350      DO 290 I=1,NR
351      290 DNORM=DNORM+RES(I)*RES(I)
C ..... CALCULATE THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR.
352      SNORM=DNORM
353      DNORM=QSORT(DNORM)
354      NO=K-NC
C ..... PRINT THE RESIDUAL VECTOR AND THE LENGTH OF THE
C ..... RESIDUAL VECTOR.
355      KNTM1=KNT-1
356      IF(NTRAC)310,300,300
357      300 WRITE(KW,860)KNTM1
358      WRITE(KW,770)NO,(RES(I),I=1,NR)
359      WRITE(KW,920)DNORM,SNORM
C ..... PRINT THE NEW SOLUTION VECTOR.
360      WRITE(KW,800)NO,(X(IC),IC=1,NC)
C ..... SOLVE THE PROBLEM COMPOSED OF THE
C ..... ORIGINAL COEFFICIENT MATRIX AND THE RESIDUAL
C ..... VECTOR FOR THE RIGHT HAND SIDE.
361      310 DO 320 I=1,NC
362      320 V(I)=VZERO
363      DO 330 IR=1,NR
LLCR3000
LLCR3010
LLCR3020
LLCR3030
LLCR3040
LLCR3050
LLCR3060
LLCR3070
LLCR3080
LLCR3090
LLCR3100
LLCR3110
LLCR3120
LLCR3130
LLCR3140
LLCR3150
LLCR3160
LLCR3170
LLCR3180
LLCR3190
LLCR3200
LLCR3210
LLCR3220
LLCR3230
LLCR3240
LLCR3250
LLCR3260
LLCR3270
LLCR3280
LLCR3290
LLCR3300
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LLCR3540
LLCR3550
LLCR3560
LLCR3570
LLCR3580
LLCR3590

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364 330 RES(IR)=-RES(IR)
365 IF(IRANK)400,400,340
366 340 DO 380 I=1,IRANK
367 DOT=VZERO
368 DO 350 J=1,NR
369 350 DOT=DOT+A(J,I)*RES(J)
370 ALPHA=DOT/RHO(I)
371 DO 360 J=1,NR
372 360 RES(J)=RES(J)-ALPHA*A(J,I)
373 DO 370 J=1,NC
374 370 V(J)=V(J)-ALPHA*R(J,I)
375 380 CONTINUE
376 IF(KSW)440,390,390
377 390 IF(IRANK-NC)400,440,400
378 400 IRNKP=IRANK+1
379 DO 430 I=IRNKP,NC
380 DOT=VZERO
381 DO 410 J=1,NC
382 410 DOT=DOT+R(J,I)*V(J)
C .... RHOM(I) CAN NEVER BE ZERO THEORETICALLY OR
C .... NUMERICALLY.
383 ALPHA=DOT/RHOM(I)
384 DO 420 J=1,NC
385 420 V(J)=V(J)-ALPHA*R(J,I)
386 430 CONTINUE
C .... CALCULATE THE NEW SOLUTION VECTOR.
387 440 DO 450 I=1,NC
388 XOLD(I)=X(I)
389 450 X(I)=X(I)+V(I)
C .... CHECK FOR CONVERGENCE.
390 DO 500 I=1,NC
391 DIF=X(I)-XOLD(I)
392 IF(DIF)460,470,470
393 460 DIF=-DIF
394 470 XOLD(I)=X(I)
395 IF(XOLD(I))480,490,490
396 480 XOLD(I)=-XOLD(I)
397 490 IF(DIF-EPS1*XOLD(I))500,500,240
398 500 CONTINUE
399 IF(KSW)540,510,540
400 510 IF(PIV-1)520,540,520
401 520 NO=KANK-KRBEG+1
402 KK=K-NC
403 DO 530 KL=1,NC
404 530 XSAVE(KL,KK,NO)=X(KL)
405 540 IF(NTRAC)670,550,550
406 550 WRITE(KW,860)KNT
407 NO=K-NC
408 IF(IREF)630,560,560
C .... CALCULATE THE RESIDUAL VECTOR.
409 560 DO 580 I=1,NR
410 DRES=VZERO
411 DO 570 J=1,NC
412 DINT=X(J)
413 DINTP=SAVE(I,J)
414 570 DRES=DRES+DINTP*DINT
415 DSAVE=SAVE(I,K)
416 580 RES(I)=DSAVE-DRES
417 IF(NTRAC-2)600,590,600
418 590 WRITE(KW,770)NO,(RES(I),I=1,NR)
LLCR3600
LLCR3610
LLCR3620
LLCR3630
LLCR3640
LLCR3650
LLCR3660
LLCR3670
LLCR3680
LLCR3690
LLCR3700
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LLCR3970
LLCR3980
LLCR3990
LLCR4000
LLCR4010
LLCR4020
LLCR4030
LLCR4040
LLCR4050
LLCR4060
LLCR4070
LLCR4080
LLCR4090
LLCR4100
LLCR4110
LLCR4120
LLCR4130
LLCR4140
LLCR4150
LLCR4160
LLCR4170
LLCR4180
LLCR4190

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C .....          CALCULATE THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR.          LLCR4200
419      600 DNORM=VZERO          LLCR4210
420      DO 610 I=1,NR          LLCR4220
421      610 DNORM=DNORM+RES(I)*RES(I)          LLCR4230
422      SNORM=DNORM          LLCR4240
423      DNORM=QSQRT(DNORM)          LLCR4250
424      WRITE(KW,780)DNORM,SNORM          LLCR4260
425      IF(DNORM-BASIC(NO))630,620,620          LLCR4270
426      620 WRITE(KW,880)          LLCR4280
427      630 WRITE(KW,830)NO,(X(I),I=1,NC)          LLCR4290
428      DOT=VZERO          LLCR4300
429      DO 640 I=1,NC          LLCR4310
430      640 DOT=DOT+X(I)*X(I)          LLCR4320
431      DOT=QSQRT(DOT)          LLCR4330
432      WRITE(KW,890)DOT          LLCR4340
433      IF(KSW)650,670,670          LLCR4350
434      650 DO 660 KL=1,NC          LLCR4360
435      660 XSAVE(KL,KK,NO)=X(KL)          LLCR4370
436      KSW=KSW+1          LLCR4380
437      GO TO 190          LLCR4390
438      670 CONTINUE          LLCR4400
C .....          CALCULATE THE ERROR MATRIX, THE INVERSE OF A          LLCR4410
C .....          TRANSPOSE TIMES A, IF THE RANK OF THE SYSTEM IS          LLCR4420
C .....          NC.          LLCR4430
439      IF(IRANK-NC) 730,680,730          LLCR4440
440      680 DO 700 I=1,NC          LLCR4450
441      DO 700 J=1,NC          LLCR4460
442      DOT=VZERO          LLCR4470
443      DO 690 K=1,NC          LLCR4480
444      690 DOT=DOT+R(I,K)*R(J,K)/RHO(K)          LLCR4490
445      700 ERR(I,J)=DOT          LLCR4500
446      IF(NTRAC-1)730,710,710          LLCR4510
447      710 WRITE(KW,820)          LLCR4520
448      DO 720 IR=1,NC          LLCR4530
449      720 WRITE(KW,810)(ERR(IR,IC),IC=1,NC)          LLCR4540
450      730 CONTINUE          LLCR4550
451      740 RETURN          LLCR4560
C .....          CHANGE 5E20.7 TO 4025.14 IF USING DOUBLE PRECISION          LLCR4570
C .....          CALCULATIONS.          LLCR4580
452      750 FORMAT(/32H THE ORIGINAL COEFFICIENT MATRIX)          LLCR4590
453      760 FORMAT(/30H THE ORIGINAL RIGHT HAND SIDES)          LLCR4600
454      770 FORMAT(/48H THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER ,I5,3H          LLCR4610
          *IS/(1X,5E20.7))          LLCR4620
455      780 FORMAT(/61H THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTI          LLCR4630
          *ON IS ,E20.7/75H THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FLLCR4640
          *OR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS ,E20.7)          LLCR4650
456      790 FORMAT(/72H THE CONVERGENCE CRITERION FOR THE SOLUTION WITH RIGHT          LLCR4660
          *HAND SIDE NUMBER ,I5/20H WAS NOT REACHED IN ,I5,12H ITERATIONS./          LLCR4670
          *85H THE VALUE OF EPS IS TOO SMALL FOR THE MACHINE ON WHICH YOU ARELLCR4680
          * RUNNING THIS ROUTINE./40H INCREASE EPS AND RUN THE ROUTINE AGAIN.LLCR4690
          *)          LLCR4700
457      800 FORMAT(/55H THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER          LLCR4710
          *,I5/(1X,5E20.7))          LLCR4720
458      810 FORMAT(/(1X,5E20.7))          LLCR4730
459      820 FORMAT(/17H THE ERROR MATRIX)          LLCR4740
460      830 FORMAT(/65H THE FINAL SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR THE RIGHT HAND SILLCR4750
          *DE NUMBER ,I5/(1X,5E20.7))          LLCR4760
461      840 FORMAT(/44H THE DECOMPOSITION MATRIX FOR RANK EQUAL TO ,I5)          LLCR4770
462      850 FORMAT(/58H THE RANK REQUESTED IS GREATER THAN THE RANK OF THE SYSLCR4780
          *TEM)          LLCR4790

463      860 FORMAT(/11H ITERATION ,I3)          LLCR4800
464      870 FORMAT(1H1,5HEPS1=,E10.3,5X,4HEPS=,E10.3,5X,3HNR=,I5,5X,3HNC=,          LLCR4810
          *I5,5X,4HISW=,I2/1X,5HIREF=,I2,5X,6HMAXIT=,I5,5X,6HKRBEG=,I5,5X,          LLCR4820
          *6HKREND=,I5)          LLCR4830
465      880 FORMAT(/76H THE BASIC APPROXIMATE SOLUTION IS A BETTER SOLUTION THLLCR4840
          *AN THE FINAL SOLUTION)          LLCR4850
466      890 FORMAT(/44H THE LENGTH OF THE FINAL SOLUTION VECTOR IS ,E20.7)          LLCR4860
467      900 FORMAT(///35H START ITERATING THE BASIC SOLUTION)          LLCR4870
468      910 FORMAT(///42H START ITERATING THE MINIMUM NORM SOLUTION)          LLCR4880
469      920 FORMAT(/38H THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS ,E20.7/          LLCR4890
          *52H THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS ,E20.7)          LLCR4900
470      END          LLCR4910

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87      SUBROUTINE LLSQ(A,LA,RHO,RHOM,SA,SALPH,LSAL,NR,NC,R,LRE,BASIC,      LLSQ0010
      *NRHS,SAVE,LSAV,XSAVE)      LLSQ0020
C   AUTHOR      JOANNA C. HWANG      LLSQ0030
C   DATE      MARCH 1, 1972      VERSION 1.1      LLSQ0040
C   BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THIS PROGRAM....      LLSQ0050
C   THIS ROUTINE FINDS THE INITIAL BASIC APPROXIMATE SOLUTIONS AND      LLSQ0060
C   THE SOLUTION OF MINIMUM NORM FOR A GENERAL LINEAR LEAST SQUARES      LLSQ0070
C   PROBLEM, A*X=B, WHERE A IS AN NR BY NC MATRIX, X IS AN NC BY NRHS      LLSQ0080
C   MATRIX, AND B IS AN NR BY NRHS MATRIX. A IS CONSIDERED TO HAVE A RANK      LLSQ0090
C   SPECIFIED BY THE USER.      LLSQ0100
C   FOR REFERENCES, DESCRIPTIONS OF METHODS USED, AND DESCRIPTIONS      LLSQ0110
C   OF VARIABLES, SEE THE SUBROUTINE LLCR.      LLSQ0120
88      DOUBLE PRECISION DRES,DINTP,DINT,DSAVE      LLSQ0130
C   ....      LLSQ0140
C   ....      LLSQ0150
C   ....      LLSQ0160
C   ....      LLSQ0170
C   ....      LLSQ0180
C   ....      LLSQ0190
C   ....      LLSQ0200
C   ....      LLSQ0210
C   ....      LLSQ0220
C   ....      LLSQ0230
C   ....      LLSQ0240
C   ....      LLSQ0250
89      DIMENSION A(LA,1),RHO(NC),RHOM(NC),SA(NC),SALPH(LSAL,1),R(LRE,1),      LLSQ0260
      *BASIC(NRHS),SAVE(LSAV,1),XSAVE(NC,NRHS,1)      LLSQ0270
90      COMMON/BETA/EPS,EPS1,IPIV,ISW,NTRAC,NCOLS,KRBEG,KREND,KRANK,KROLD,      LLSQ0280
      *IREF,KW,NCP,IRANK,MAXIT,NFAIL,IRGT      LLSQ0290
C   ....      LLSQ0300
C   ....      LLSQ0310
C   ....      LLSQ0320
C   ....      LLSQ0330
91      QSQRT(Y)=SQRT(Y)      LLSQ0340
C   ....      LLSQ0350
92      EPSQ=EPS*EPS      LLSQ0360
93      ONE=1.      LLSQ0370
94      HUGE=1.E50      LLSQ0380
95      VZERO=0.      LLSQ0390
C   ....      LLSQ0400
C   ....      LLSQ0410
96      IF(KROLD)30,30,10      LLSQ0420
97      10 KROP=KROLD+1      LLSQ0430
C   ....      LLSQ0440
C   ....      LLSQ0450
C   ....      LLSQ0460
C   ....      LLSQ0470
98      DO 20 IR=1,NC      LLSQ0480
99      DO 20 IC=KROP,NCOLS      LLSQ0490
100     20 R(IR,IC)=SALPH(IR,IC)      LLSQ0500
101     K=KROP      LLSQ0510
102     GO TO 80      LLSQ0520
C   ....      LLSQ0530
C   ....      LLSQ0540
C   ....      LLSQ0550
C   ....      LLSQ0560
103     30 DO 50 I=1,NC      LLSQ0570
104     DO 40 J=1,NCOLS      LLSQ0580
105     40 R(I,J)=VZERO      LLSQ0590

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106      50 R(I,I)=ONE                                LLSQ0600
C ..... SET UP A VECTOR RHO SUCH THAT RHO(J) IS THE LLSQ0610
C ..... SQUARE OF THE EUCLIDEAN NORM OF THE J-TH COLUMN LLSQ0620
C ..... OF A. LLSQ0630
107      DO 70 J=1,NC                                LLSQ0640
108      DOT=VZERO                                    LLSQ0650
109      DO 60 I=1,NR                                LLSQ0660
110      60 DOT=DOT+A(I,J)*A(I,J)                   LLSQ0670
111      RHO(J)=DOT                                   LLSQ0680
C ..... INITIALIZE SA(J) TO RHO(J). LLSQ0690
C ..... J=1,NC. LLSQ0700
112      70 SA(J)=RHO(J)                             LLSQ0710
C ..... INITIALIZE A POINTER K. LLSQ0720
113      K=1                                           LLSQ0730
C ..... TEST FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE TRANSFORMATION OF LLSQ0740
C ..... A INTO A MATRIX WHOSE NONZERO COLUMNS ARE LLSQ0750
C ..... ORTHOGONAL. LLSQ0760
114      80 IF(K-NC)90,90,710                         LLSQ0770
115      90 IF(K-KRANK)100,100,300                    LLSQ0780
116      100 MAXP=K                                    LLSQ0790
C ..... SEARCH FOR THE PIVOTAL COLUMN OF A. LLSQ0800
117      KP1=K+1                                      LLSQ0810
118      IF(IPIV)110,110,200                          LLSQ0820
119      110 IF(SA(K))120,120,130                     LLSQ0830
120      TMAX=VZERO                                    LLSQ0840
121      GO TO 140                                     LLSQ0850
122      130 TMAX=RHO(K)/SA(K)                        LLSQ0860
C ..... IF IPIV.EQ.-1, NO PIVOTING IS PERFORMED. LLSQ0870
123      140 IF(IPIV)290,150,150                     LLSQ0880
124      150 IF(K-NC)160,290,290                     LLSQ0890
125      160 DO 190 I=KP1,NC                          LLSQ0900
126      IF(SA(I))190,190,170                         LLSQ0910
127      170 TRY=RHO(I)/SA(I)                        LLSQ0920
128      IF(TRY-TMAX)190,190,180                     LLSQ0930
129      180 TMAX=TRY                                  LLSQ0940
130      MAXP=I                                        LLSQ0950
131      190 CONTINUE                                  LLSQ0960
132      GO TO 290                                     LLSQ0970
C ..... IF IPIV.EQ.1, IVOR, INDEPENDENT VARIABLE LLSQ0980
C ..... ORDERING BY REGRESSION SUM OF SQUARES, IS LLSQ0990
C ..... PERFORMED. LLSQ1000
133      200 TMAX=VZERO                                LLSQ1010
134      TMIN=HUGE                                    LLSQ1020
135      DO 270 J=K,NC                                LLSQ1030
136      IF(RHO(J)-SA(J)*EPSQ)270,270,210            LLSQ1040
137      210 DOT=VZERO                                 LLSQ1050
138      DO 220 I=1,NR                                LLSQ1060
139      220 DOT=DOT+A(I,J)*A(I,NCP)                 LLSQ1070
140      DOT=DOT/RHO(J)                               LLSQ1080
141      SUM=VZERO                                    LLSQ1090
142      DO 230 I=1,NR                                LLSQ1100
143      AUX=A(I,NCP)-DOT*A(I,J)                     LLSQ1110
144      230 SUM=SUM+AUX*AUX                          LLSQ1120
145      IF(NTRAC-2)250,240,250                      LLSQ1130
146      240 WRITE(KW,840)J,SUM                      LLSQ1140
147      250 IF(SUM-TMIN)260,270,270                LLSQ1150
148      260 TMIN=SUM                                  LLSQ1160
149      MAXP=J                                        LLSQ1170
150      270 CONTINUE                                  LLSQ1180
151      IF(SA(MAXP))300,300,280                     LLSQ1190

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152      280 TMAX=RHO(MAXP)/SA(MAXP)                                LLSQ1200
C ..... IF THE SQUARE OF THE NORM OF THE PIVOTAL                LLSQ1210
C ..... COLUMN DIVIDED BY THE SQUARE OF THE NORM OF             LLSQ1220
C ..... THAT COLUMN PRIOR TO ELEMENTARY COLUMN                   LLSQ1230
C ..... OPERATIONS BEING PERFORMED ON IT IS LESS THAN           LLSQ1240
C ..... OR EQUAL TO THE SQUARE OF EPS, THE RANK OF A IS          LLSQ1250
C ..... DETERMINED TO BE K-1.                                    LLSQ1260
153      290 IF(TMAX-EPSQ)300,300,490                               LLSQ1270
154      300 IRANK=K-1                                              LLSQ1280
155      NO=KRANK-KRBEG+1                                           LLSQ1290
C ..... PRINT THE RANK.                                          LLSQ1300
156      IF(NTRAC)310,310,310                                       LLSQ1310
157      310 WRITE(KW,810)IRANK                                     LLSQ1320
158      DO 320 I=1,NC                                              LLSQ1330
159      DO 320 J=NCP,NCOLS                                         LLSQ1340
160      JJ=J-NC                                                    LLSQ1350
161      320 XSAVE(I,JJ,NO)=R(I,J)                                   LLSQ1360
C ..... CALCULATE THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR             LLSQ1370
C ..... FOR EACH BASIC APPROXIMATE SOLUTION.                     LLSQ1380
162      IF(IREF)370,330,330                                       LLSQ1390
163      330 DO 360 IND1=NCP,NCOLS                                   LLSQ1400
164      NO=IND1-NC                                                 LLSQ1410
165      DOT=VZERO                                                  LLSQ1420
166      DO 350 IR=1,NR                                             LLSQ1430
167      DRES=VZERO                                                 LLSQ1440
168      DO 340 IC=1,NC                                             LLSQ1450
169      DINT=R(IC,IND1)                                           LLSQ1460
170      DINTP=SAVE(IR,IC)                                         LLSQ1470
171      340 DRES=DRES+DINTP*DINT                                   LLSQ1480
172      DSAVE=SAVE(IR,IND1)                                       LLSQ1490
173      DIF=DSAVE-DRES                                             LLSQ1500
174      350 DOT=DOT+DIF*DIF                                        LLSQ1510
175      360 BASIC(NO)=QSORT(DOT)                                   LLSQ1520
C ..... SAVE THE STATE OF THE SYSTEM AFTER FINDING THE         LLSQ1530
C ..... BASIC SOLUTIONS.                                         LLSQ1540
176      370 IF(KREND-KRBEG)400,400,380                             LLSQ1550
177      380 DO 390 IR=1,NC                                         LLSQ1560
178      DO 390 IC=K,NCOLS                                         LLSQ1570
179      390 SALPH(IR,IC)=R(IR,IC)                                  LLSQ1580
180      400 IF(IRANK-KROLD)420,410,420                             LLSQ1590
181      410 WRITE(KW,800)                                          LLSQ1600
182      IRGT=1                                                     LLSQ1610
183      GO TO 740                                                  LLSQ1620
C ..... CHECK IF THE BASIC SOLUTION IS TO BE PRINTED.          LLSQ1630
184      420 IF(NTRAC)460,430,430                                   LLSQ1640
185      430 DO 450 L=NCP,NCOLS                                     LLSQ1650
186      NO=L-NC                                                    LLSQ1660
187      WRITE(KW,790)NO                                           LLSQ1670
188      WRITE(KW,780)(R(IR,L),IR=1,NC)                            LLSQ1680
189      DOT=VZERO                                                  LLSQ1690
190      DO 440 IC=1,NC                                             LLSQ1700
191      440 DOT=DOT+R(IC,L)*R(IC,L)                                LLSQ1710
192      DOT=QSORT(DOT)                                             LLSQ1720
193      WRITE(KW,820)DOT                                           LLSQ1730
194      IF(IREF)460,450,450                                       LLSQ1740
195      SQLEN=BASIC(NO)*BASIC(NO)                                  LLSQ1750
196      WRITE(KW,830)NO,BASIC(NO),SQLEN                            LLSQ1760
197      460 IF(IRANK)470,470,660                                   LLSQ1770
198      470 DO 480 J=1,NC                                         LLSQ1780
199      480 RHOM(J)=ONE                                           LLSQ1790

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200      GO TO 720
C .....      IF MAXP, THE INDEX OF THE PIVOTAL COLUMN, IS K,
C .....      DO NOTHING. OTHERWISE INTERCHANGE THE MAXP-TH
C .....      AND K-TH COLUMNS OF A AND R, AND THE MAXP-TH
C .....      AND K-TH COMPONENTS OF RHO AND SA.
201      490 IF(MAXP-K)500,530,500
202      500 DO 510 I=1,NR
203      TEMP=A(I,K)
204      A(I,K)=A(I,MAXP)
205      510 A(I,MAXP)=TEMP
206      DO 520 I=1,NC
207      TEMP=R(I,K)
208      R(I,K)=R(I,MAXP)
209      520 R(I,MAXP)=TEMP
210      TEMP=RHO(K)
211      RHO(K)=RHO(MAXP)
212      RHO(MAXP)=TEMP
213      TEMP=SA(K)
214      SA(K)=SA(MAXP)
215      SA(MAXP)=TEMP
C .....      USE THE MODIFIED GRAM-SCHMIDT PROCESS TO
C .....      ORTHOGONALIZE THE NONZERO COLUMNS OF A.
216      530 KP1=K+1
217      DO 640 I=KP1,NCOLS
218      IF(I-NCP)540,550,550
219      540 IF(RHO(I)-EPSQ*SA(I))640,640,550
220      550 DOT=VZERO
221      DO 560 J=1,NR
222      560 DOT=DOT+A(J,K)*A(J,I)
C .....      DIVIDE THE CALCULATED INNER PRODUCT BY THE
C .....      SQUARE OF THE NORM OF THE K-TH COLUMN OF A.
223      IF(RHO(K))300,300,570
224      570 ALPHA=DOT/RHO(K)
C .....      SUBTRACT MULTIPLES OF THE K-TH COLUMNS OF A AND
C .....      R FROM THE I-TH COLUMNS.
225      DO 580 J=1, NR
226      580 A(J,I)=A(J,I)-ALPHA*A(J,K)
227      DO 590 J=1,NC
228      590 R(J,I)=R(J,I)-ALPHA*R(J,K)
C .....      RECALCULATE THE SQUARE OF THE NORM OF THE I-TH
C .....      COLUMN OF A.
229      IF(I-NCP)600,640,640
230      600 IF(ISW-1)610,610,620
231      RHO(I)=RHO(I)-ALPHA*ALPHA*RHO(K)
232      GO TO 640
233      620 DOT=VZERO
234      DO 630 J=1,NR
235      630 DOT=DOT+A(J,I)*A(J,I)
236      RHO(I)=DOT
237      640 CONTINUE
C .....      INCREMENT THE COLUMN COUNTER, K.
238      K=K+1
239      GO TO 80
C .....      CALCULATE THE SQUARE OF THE NORM OF THE K-TH
C .....      COLUMN OF R.
240      650 IF(K-NC)660,660,740
241      660 DENOM=VZERO
242      KP1=K+1
243      DO 670 I=1,NC
244      670 DENOM=DENOM+R(I,K)*R(I,K)

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APPENDIX B

SAMPLE OUTPUT FROM THE PROBLEM CONSISTING OF THE
FIRST FIVE COLUMNS OF A 6 BY 6 INVERSE HILBERT
MATRIX AND A RIGHT HAND SIDE CHOSEN
TO GENERATE THE SOLUTION VECTOR

$$(1., \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{5})$$

EPS1= 0.160E-05 EPS= 0.160E-05 NR= 6 NC= 5 ISW= 2
 IREF= 1 MAXIT= 10 KRBFG= 1 KREND= 5

THE ORIGINAL COEFFICIENT MATRIX

| | | | | |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| 0.3600000E 02 | -0.6300000E 03 | 0.3360000E 04 | -0.7560000E 04 | 0.7560000E 04 |
| -0.6300000E 03 | 0.1470000E 05 | -0.8820000E 05 | 0.2116800E 06 | -0.2205000E 06 |
| 0.3360000E 04 | -0.8820000E 05 | 0.5644800E 06 | -0.1411200E 07 | 0.1512000E 07 |
| -0.7560000E 04 | 0.2116800E 06 | -0.1411200E 07 | 0.3628800E 07 | -0.3969000E 07 |
| 0.7560000E 04 | -0.2205000E 06 | 0.1512000E 07 | -0.3969000E 07 | 0.4410000E 07 |
| -0.2772000E 04 | 0.8316000E 05 | -0.5821200E 06 | 0.1552320E 07 | -0.1746360E 07 |

THE ORIGINAL RIGHT HAND SIDES

| | | | | |
|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| 0.4630000E 03 | -0.1386000E 05 | 0.9702000E 05 | -0.2587200E 06 | 0.2910600E 06 |
| -0.1164240E 06 | | | | |

THE RANK OF THE SYSTEM OF EQUATIONS IS 1

THE BASIC SOLUTION FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1

| | | | | |
|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| 0.3601010E 02 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 |
|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|

THE LENGTH OF THE BASIC SOLUTION VECTOR IS 0.3601009E 02

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE BASIC SOLUTION FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS 0.3828919E 05
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE BASIC SOLUTION IS 0.1466062E 10

THE DECOMPOSITION MATRIX FOR RANK EQUAL TO 1

| | | | | |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| 0.3600000E 02 | 0.3942717E 03 | -0.3551730E 04 | 0.1038025E 05 | -0.1220827E 05 |
| -0.6300000E 03 | -0.3224754E 04 | 0.3275525E 05 | -0.1022744E 06 | 0.1254448E 06 |
| 0.3360000E 04 | 0.7398688E 04 | -0.8061488E 05 | 0.2632230E 06 | -0.3330380E 06 |
| -0.7560000E 04 | -0.3417063E 04 | 0.4026300E 05 | -0.1386520E 06 | 0.1823370E 06 |
| 0.7560000E 04 | -0.5402938E 04 | 0.6053700E 05 | -0.2015480E 06 | 0.2586630E 06 |
| -0.2772000E 04 | 0.4291125E 04 | -0.4991675E 05 | 0.1709210E 06 | -0.2242040E 06 |
| 0.1000000E 01 | 0.2845200E 02 | -0.2368622E 00 | 0.1341271E-01 | -0.2026308E-02 |
| 0.0000000E 00 | 0.1000000E 01 | 0.6739621E 01 | -0.3763733E 00 | 0.5461901E-01 |
| 0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | 0.1000000E 01 | 0.2539779E 01 | -0.3686066E 00 |
| 0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | 0.1000000E 01 | 0.9567620E 00 |
| 0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | 0.1000000E 01 |

START ITERATING THE BASIC SOLUTION

ITERATION 0

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 -0.8333639E 03 0.8826363E 04 -0.2397394E 05 0.1351636E 05 0.1882363E 05
 -0.1660400E 05

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.3828919E 05
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.1466062E 10

THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 0.3601010E 02 -0.0000000E 00 -0.0000000E 00 -0.0000000E 00 -0.0000000E 00

ITERATION 1

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 -0.8333652E 03 0.8826391E 04 -0.2397409E 05 0.1351671E 05 0.1882329E 05
 -0.1660387E 05

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.3828919E 05
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.1466062E 10

THE BASIC APPROXIMATE SOLUTION IS A BETTER SOLUTION THAN THE FINAL SOLUTION

THE FINAL SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR THE RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 0.3601015E 02 0.0000000E 00 0.0000000E 00 0.0000000E 00 0.0000000E 00

THE LENGTH OF THE FINAL SOLUTION VECTOR IS 0.3601013E 02

START ITERATING THE MINIMUM NORM SOLUTION

ITERATION 0

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 -0.6297306E 02 0.1089738E 04 -0.3764518E 04 0.2665347E 04 0.3240679E 04
 -0.3243177E 04

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.6594492E 04
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.4348734E 08

THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 0.6908472E-04 -0.1744074E-02 0.1176700E-01 -0.3054278E-01 0.3365493E-01

ITERATION 1

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 -0.6297322E 02 0.1089743E 04 -0.3764552E 04 0.2665438E 04 0.3240580E 04
 -0.3243138E 04

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.6594480E 04
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.4348718E 08

THE FINAL SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR THE RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 0.6908474E-04 -0.1744075E-02 0.1176700E-01 -0.3054279E-01 0.3365494E-01

THE LENGTH OF THE FINAL SOLUTION VECTOR IS 0.4697899E-01

THE RANK OF THE SYSTEM OF EQUATIONS IS 2

THE BASIC SOLUTION FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1

| | | | | |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
| -0.3918518E 01 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | 0.7271403E-01 |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|

THE LENGTH OF THE BASIC SOLUTION VECTOR IS 0.3919192E 01

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE BASIC SOLUTION FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS 0.5536350E 03
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE BASIC SOLUTION IS 0.3065117E 06

THE DECOMPOSITION MATRIX FOR RANK EQUAL TO 2

| | | | | |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| 0.3600000E 02 | -0.1220827E 05 | -0.6808057E 03 | 0.8523711E 03 | 0.1363816E 03 |
| -0.6300000E 03 | 0.1254448E 06 | 0.3255375E 04 | -0.4371688E 04 | -0.5748318E 03 |
| 0.3360000E 04 | -0.3330380E 06 | -0.2296938E 04 | 0.3305250E 04 | 0.3635234E 03 |
| -0.7560000E 04 | 0.1823370E 06 | -0.2615789E 04 | 0.3651938E 04 | 0.4346638E 03 |
| 0.7560000E 04 | 0.2586630E 06 | -0.2907891E 03 | 0.3241250E 03 | 0.6111328E 02 |
| -0.2772000E 04 | -0.2242040E 06 | 0.2807582E 04 | -0.4057813E 04 | -0.4450078E 03 |
| 0.1000000E 01 | -0.5491187E 03 | -0.6286052E 02 | 0.1585388E-01 | 0.2677550F-02 |
| 0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | 0.1000000F 01 |
| 0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | 0.1000000E 01 | 0.1109883E 01 | 0.1456825E 00 |
| 0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | 0.1000000E 01 | -0.1102253E 00 |
| 0.0000000E 00 | 0.1000000E 01 | -0.2351623E 00 | 0.5194420E 00 | -0.9915954E-01 |

START ITERATING THE BASIC SOLUTION

ITERATION 0

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS

| | | | | |
|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| 0.5434857E 02 | -0.2952224E 03 | 0.2426062E 03 | 0.2579912E 03 | 0.1512101E 02 |
| -0.3012573E 03 | | | | |

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.5536350E 03
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.3065118E 06

THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1

| | | | | |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
| -0.3918518E 01 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | 0.7271403E-01 |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|

ITERATION 1

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS

| | | | | |
|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| 0.5434805E 02 | -0.2952134E 03 | 0.2425582E 03 | 0.2580994E 03 | 0.1501286E 02 |
| -0.3012175E 03 | | | | |

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.5536348E 03
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.3065116E 06

THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1


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-0.3918504E 01      0.0000000E 00      0.0000000E 00      0.0000000E 00      0.7271403E-01
ITERATION 2
THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
  0.5434805E 02      -0.2952134E 03      0.2425582E 03      0.2580994E 03      0.1501286E 02
 -0.3012175E 03
THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.5536348E 03
THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.3065116E 06
THE FINAL SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR THE RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 -0.3918504E 01      0.0000000E 00      0.0000000E 00      0.0000000E 00      0.7271403E-01
THE LENGTH OF THE FINAL SOLUTION VECTOR IS 0.3919178E 01

START ITERATING THE MINIMUM NORM SOLUTION
ITERATION 0
THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
  0.1196937E 02      -0.9165155E 02      0.9815402E 02      0.9341266E 02      -0.2290949E 01
 -0.1245328E 03
THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.2059540E 03
THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.4241705E 05
THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 -0.1122564E-02      0.1701020E-01      -0.4927908E-01      0.7638268E-02      0.9062308E-01
ITERATION 1
THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
  0.1196851E 02      -0.9162877E 02      0.9800777E 02      0.9377876E 02      -0.2683254E 01
 -0.1243818E 03
THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.2059540E 03
THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.4241707E 05
THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 -0.1122562E-02      0.1701017E-01      -0.4927897E-01      0.7638149E-02      0.9062302E-01
ITERATION 2
THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
  0.1196846E 02      -0.9162712E 02      0.9799654E 02      0.9380801E 02      -0.2715523E 01
 -0.1243691E 03
THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.2059540E 03
THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.4241707E 05
THE FINAL SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR THE RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 -0.1122562E-02      0.1701017E-01      -0.4927897E-01      0.7638138E-02      0.9062302E-01
THE LENGTH OF THE FINAL SOLUTION VECTOR IS 0.1048326E 00
THE RANK OF THE SYSTEM OF EQUATIONS IS 3

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THE BASIC SOLUTION FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
0.5984886E 01 0.5876597E 00 -0.0000000E 00 -0.0000000E 00 0.8512783E-01

THE LENGTH OF THE BASIC SOLUTION VECTOR IS 0.6014267E 01

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE BASIC SOLUTION FOR RIGHT HANO SIDE NUMBER 1 IS 0.7305113E 02
THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE BASIC SOLUTION IS 0.5336465E 04

THE DECOMPOSITION MATRIX FOR RANK EQUAL TO 3

| | | | | |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| 0.3600000E 02 | -0.1220827E 05 | 0.1363816E 03 | -0.2807053E 03 | 0.1331047E 03 |
| -0.6300000E 03 | 0.1254448E 06 | -0.5748318E 03 | 0.4040898E 03 | -0.1751582E 03 |
| 0.3360000E 04 | -0.3330380E 06 | 0.3635234E 03 | 0.2850486E 03 | -0.1274695E 03 |
| -0.7560000E 04 | 0.1823370E 06 | 0.4346638E 03 | 0.4069238E 02 | -0.2176294E 02 |
| 0.7560000E 04 | 0.2586630E 06 | 0.6111328E 02 | -0.1836123E 03 | 0.7392822E 02 |
| -0.2772000E 04 | -0.2242040E 06 | -0.4450078E 03 | -0.3606279E 03 | 0.1518242E 03 |
| 0.1000000E 01 | -0.5491187E 03 | 0.1685228E 02 | -0.7022729E 02 | -0.1663666E 00 |
| 0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | 0.1000000E 01 | -0.8308134E 01 | 0.1486743E 01 |
| 0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | 0.1000000E 01 |
| 0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | -0.0000000E 00 | 0.1000000E 01 | 0.5393688E 00 |
| 0.0000000E 00 | 0.1000000E 01 | 0.2112422E-01 | 0.604942E 00 | 0.2171915E 00 |

START ITERATING THE BASIC SOLUTION

ITERATION 0

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
-0.2579671E 02 0.4256795E 02 0.2908449E 02 0.2302523E 01 -0.2051759E 02
-0.3983452E 02

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.7305113E 02
THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.5336469E 04

THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
0.5984886E 01 0.5876597E 00 -0.0000000E 00 -0.0000000E 00 0.8512783E-01

ITERATION 1

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
-0.2580716E 02 0.4262851E 02 0.2894385E 02 0.2535038E 01 -0.2078429E 02
-0.3970796E 02

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.7304846E 02
THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.5336078E 04

THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
0.5986060E 01 0.5877273E 00 0.0000000E 00 0.0000000E 00 0.8512926E-01

ITERATION 2

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 -0.2580716E 02 0.4262851E 02 0.2894385E 02 0.2535038E 01 -0.2078429E 02
 -0.3970796E 02

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.7304846E 02
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.5336078E 04

THE FINAL SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR THE RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 0.5986060E 01 0.5877273E 00 0.0000000E 00 0.0000000E 00 0.8512926E-01

THE LENGTH OF THE FINAL SOLUTION VECTOR IS 0.6015442E 01

START ITERATING THE MINIMUM NORM SOLUTION

ITERATION 0

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 -0.1412092E 01 0.7000010E 01 0.4034684E 01 -0.9714581E 00 -0.4376644E 01
 -0.7957222E 01

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.1227554E 02
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.1506889E 03

THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 0.1159034E-01 -0.7548279E-01 0.2888909E-01 0.1005700E 00 0.1428152E 00

ITERATION 1

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 -0.1419850E 01 0.7070168E 01 0.3861511E 01 -0.6887278E 00 -0.4759110E 01
 -0.7739984E 01

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.1224521E 02
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.1499453E 03

THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 0.1159722E-01 -0.7553279E-01 0.2893130E-01 0.1006204E 00 0.1428436E 00

ITERATION 2

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 -0.1419912E 01 0.7071811E 01 0.3850997E 01 -0.6624421E 00 -0.4787273E 01
 -0.7729140E 01

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.1224554E 02
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.1499532E 03

THE FINAL SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR THE RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 0.1159722E-01 -0.7553279E-01 0.2893132E-01 0.1006204E 00 0.1428436E 00

THE LENGTH OF THE FINAL SOLUTION VECTOR IS 0.1928872E 00

THE RANK OF THE SYSTEM OF EQUATIONS IS 4

THE BASIC SOLUTION FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1

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-0.2953621E 01   -0.8268492E 00   -0.2370200E 00   -0.0000000E 00   0.1109856E 00
THE LENGTH OF THE BASIC SOLUTION VECTOR IS           0.3078319E 01
THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE BASIC SOLUTION FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS           0.8257427E 01
THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE BASIC SOLUTION IS           0.6818509E 02
THE DECOMPOSITION MATRIX FOR RANK EQUAL TO           4
  0.3600000E 02   -0.1220827E 05   0.1363816E 03   0.1331047E 03   0.2305908E 02
-0.6300000E 03   0.1254448E 06   -0.5748318E 03   -0.1751582E 03   0.4353271E 01
  0.3360000E 04   -0.3330380E 06   0.3635234E 03   -0.1274695E 03   -0.5855225E 01
-0.7560000E 04   0.1823370E 06   0.4346638E 03   -0.2176294E 02   -0.8973831E 01
  0.7560000E 04   0.2586630E 06   0.6111328E 02   0.7392822E 02   -0.1489728E 02
-0.2772000E 04   -0.2242040E 06   -0.4450078E 03   0.1518242E 03   -0.1414307E 02
  0.1000000E 01   -0.5491187E 03   0.1685228E 02   0.3771204E 02   0.1583708E 02
  0.0000000E 00   -0.0000000E 00   0.1000000E 01   0.5967891E 01   0.5311466E 01
  0.0000000E 00   -0.0000000E 00   -0.0000000E 00   0.1000000E 01   0.2282146E 01
  0.0000000E 00   -0.0000000E 00   -0.0000000E 00   -0.0000000E 00   0.1000000E 01
  0.0000000E 00   0.1000000E 01   0.2112422E-01   -0.1090953E 00   0.3559704E 00

START ITERATING THE BASIC SOLUTION
ITERATION 0
THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
  0.5751670E 01   0.1055882E 01   -0.1063993E 01   -0.2833993E 01   -0.2997540E 01
-0.3979918E 01
THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS           0.8257427E 01
THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS           0.6818512E 02
THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
-0.2953621E 01   -0.8268492E 00   -0.2370200E 00   -0.0000000E 00   0.1109856E 00
ITERATION 1
THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
  0.5795353E 01   0.1082843E 01   -0.1307373E 01   -0.2626111E 01   -0.3283153E 01
-0.3707628E 01
THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS           0.8239532E 01
THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS           0.6788991E 02
THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
-0.2969888E 01   -0.8297057E 00   -0.2375268E 00   0.0000000E 00   0.1110445E 00

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ITERATION 2

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 0.5795730E 01 0.1074282E 01 -0.1251246E 01 -0.2769856E 01 -0.3126715E 01
 -0.3768431E 01

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.8243764E 01
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.6795966E 02

THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 -0.2969910E 01 -0.8297095E 00 -0.2375275E 00 0.0000000E 00 0.1110445E 00

ITERATION 3

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 0.5795730E 01 0.1074282E 01 -0.1251246E 01 -0.2769856E 01 -0.3126715E 01
 -0.3768431E 01

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.8243764E 01
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.6795966E 02

THE FINAL SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR THE RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 -0.2969910E 01 -0.8297095E 00 -0.2375275E 00 0.0000000E 00 0.1110445E 00

THE LENGTH OF THE FINAL SOLUTION VECTOR IS 0.3094758E 01

START ITERATING THE MINIMUM NORM SOLUTION

ITERATION 0

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 0.1576748E 01 0.2459836E 00 0.1041412E-01 -0.1475101E 01 -0.1892567E-01
 -0.1467851E 01

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.2622519E 01
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.6877613E 01

THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 -0.8600903E-01 0.1348953E 00 0.1762071E 00 0.1810695E 00 0.1754409E 00

ITERATION 1

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 0.1586388E 01 0.2919084E 00 -0.3293967E 00 -0.7901716E 00 -0.8221400E 00
 -0.1044050E 01

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.2258464E 01
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.5100661E 01

THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 -0.8656365E-01 0.1360603E 00 0.1770899E 00 0.1815757E 00 0.1756532E 00

ITERATION 2

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 0.1586201E 01 0.2967024E 00 -0.3611898E 00 -0.7083106E 00 -0.9115863E 00
 -0.1009189E 01

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.2255144E 01
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.5085675E 01
 THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 -0.8656299E-01 0.1360589E 00 0.1770889E 00 0.1815751E 00 0.1756529E 00
 ITERATION 3
 THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 0.1586201E 01 0.2967024E 00 -0.3611898E 00 -0.7083106E 00 -0.9115863E 00
 -0.1009189E 01
 THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.2255144E 01
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.5085675E 01
 THE FINAL SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR THE RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 -0.8656299E-01 0.1360589E 00 0.1770889E 00 0.1815751E 00 0.1756529E 00
 THE LENGTH OF THE FINAL SOLUTION VECTOR IS 0.3481222E 00
 THE RANK OF THE SYSTEM OF EQUATIONS IS 5
 THE DECOMPOSITION MATRIX FOR RANK EQUAL TO 5
 0.3600000E 02 -0.1220827E 05 0.1363816E 03 0.1331047E 03 0.2305908E 02
 -0.6300000E 03 0.1254448E 06 -0.5748318E 03 -0.1751582E 03 0.4353271E 01
 0.3360000E 04 -0.3330380E 06 0.3635234E 03 -0.1274695E 03 -0.5855225E 01
 -0.7560000E 04 0.1823370E 06 0.4346638E 03 -0.2176294E 02 -0.8973831E 01
 0.7560000E 04 0.2586630E 06 0.6111328E 02 0.7392822E 02 -0.1489728E 02
 -0.2772000E 04 -0.2242040E 06 -0.4450078E 03 0.1518242E 03 -0.1414307E 02
 0.1000000E 01 -0.5491187E 03 0.1685228E 02 0.3771204E 02 0.1583708E 02
 0.0000000E 00 -0.0000000E 00 0.1000000E 01 0.5967891E 01 0.5311466E 01
 0.0000000E 00 -0.0000000E 00 -0.0000000E 00 0.1000000E 01 0.2282146E 01
 0.0000000E 00 -0.0000000E 00 -0.0000000E 00 -0.0000000E 00 0.1000000E 01
 0.0000000E 00 0.1000000E 01 0.2112422E-01 -0.1090953E 00 0.3559704E 00

 START ITERATING THE BASIC SOLUTION
 ITERATION 0
 THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 0.5903137E-01 -0.2641082E-01 0.2598023E 00 -0.6255484E 00 0.6785452E 00
 -0.4057903E 00
 THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.1043110E 01
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.1088079E 01
 THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1

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0.9558830E 00    0.4843262E 00    0.3263453E 00    0.2468576E 00    0.1988596E 00
ITERATION 1
THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
  0.1099586E-02    -0.1439452E-01    0.9713173E-01    -0.2567983E 00    0.2835846E 00
 -0.1110306E 00
THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.4102879E 00
THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.1689362E 00
THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
  0.9997082E 00    0.4999225E 00    0.3333055E 00    0.2499895E 00    0.1999967E 00
ITERATION 2
THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 -0.2093315E-03    0.5882978E-02    -0.3905296E-01    0.1000857E 00    -0.1091981E 00
  0.4262781E-01
THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.1991172E 00
THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.2531829E-01
THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
  0.9999990E 00    0.4999998E 00    0.3333333E 00    0.2499999E 00    0.2000000E 00
ITERATION 3
THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 -0.3291368E-03    0.9074807E-02    -0.5993128E-01    0.1531076E 00    -0.1666510E 00
  0.6493306E-01
THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.2431152E 00
THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.5910502E-01
THE FINAL SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR THE RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
  0.9999999E 00    0.4999999E 00    0.3333333E 00    0.2499999E 00    0.2000000E 00
THE LENGTH OF THE FINAL SOLUTION VECTOR IS 0.1209797E 01

START ITERATING THE MINIMUM NORM SOLUTION
ITERATION 0
THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
  0.5903137E-01    -0.2641082E-01    0.2598023E 00    -0.6255484E 00    0.6785452E 00
 -0.4057903E 00
THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.1043110E 01
THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.1088079E 01
THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
  0.9558830E 00    0.4843262E 00    0.3263453E 00    0.2468576E 00    0.1988596E 00
ITERATION 1
THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
  0.1099586E-02    -0.1439452E-01    0.9713173E-01    -0.2567983E 00    0.2835846E 00

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-0.1110306E 00

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.4102879E 00
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.1683362E 00

THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 0.9997082E 00 0.4999225E 00 0.3333055E 00 0.2499895E 00 0.1999967E 00

ITERATION 2

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 -0.2093315E-03 0.5882978E-02 -0.3905296E-01 0.1000857E 00 -0.1091981E 00
 0.4262781E-01

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.1591172E 00
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR IS 0.2531829E-01

THE SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 0.9999990E 00 0.4999998E 00 0.3333333E 00 0.2499999E 00 0.2000000E 00

ITERATION 3

THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1 IS
 -0.3291368E-03 0.9074807E-02 -0.5993128E-01 0.1531076E 00 -0.1666510E 00
 0.6493306E-01

THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.2431152E 00
 THE SQUARE OF THE LENGTH OF THE RESIDUAL VECTOR FOR THE FINAL SOLUTION IS 0.5910502E-01

THE FINAL SOLUTION TO THE SYSTEM FOR THE RIGHT HAND SIDE NUMBER 1
 0.9999999E 00 0.4999999E 00 0.3333333E 00 0.2499999E 00 0.2000000E 00

THE LENGTH OF THE FINAL SOLUTION VECTOR IS 0.1209797E 01

THE ERROR MATRIX

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|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| 0.2461610E 00 | 0.7977712E-01 | 0.3363910E-01 | 0.1456363E-01 | 0.5140688E-02 |
| 0.7977712E-01 | 0.2632471E-01 | 0.1121059E-01 | 0.4884373E-02 | 0.1731764E-02 |
| 0.3363910E-01 | 0.1121059E-01 | 0.4800081E-02 | 0.2098641E-02 | 0.7458888E-03 |
| 0.1456363E-01 | 0.4884373E-02 | 0.2098641E-02 | 0.9195909E-03 | 0.3273471E-03 |
| 0.5140688E-02 | 0.1731764E-02 | 0.7458888E-03 | 0.3273471E-03 | 0.1166535E-03 |

APPENDIX C

SETTING THE INPUT VARIABLES FOR
LLCR AND LLSQ

The following flowchart and tables will give the user of the LLCR package the information he needs to set the FORTRAN variables needed by the package. A complete description of the calling sequence is given in Appendix A.

The first group of variables are usage independent. They should be set at the values given below for every problem solved by the package. Table VII contains the FORTRAN variables in the group and the corresponding values.

TABLE VII

SETTING THE USAGE INDEPENDENT FORTRAN
VARIABLES NEEDED BY THE LLCR PACKAGE

| FORTRAN Variables | Values |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| KREND | $\leq n, \geq \text{KRBEQ}$ |
| EPS | $\approx \delta$ |
| EPS1 | $\approx \delta$ |
| NR | m |
| NC | n |
| LA | $\approx m$ |
| LRE | $\approx n$ |

n is the number of columns in the coefficient matrix, m is the number of rows in the coefficient matrix, and δ is the relative accuracy of the computer.

The values at which the second group of variables are set depends upon the amount of extra storage available for the program, the accuracy desired for the final solutions, and the amount of extra execution time the user is willing to sacrifice. Figure 2 contains a flow chart that

will show the user how to set this group of variables.

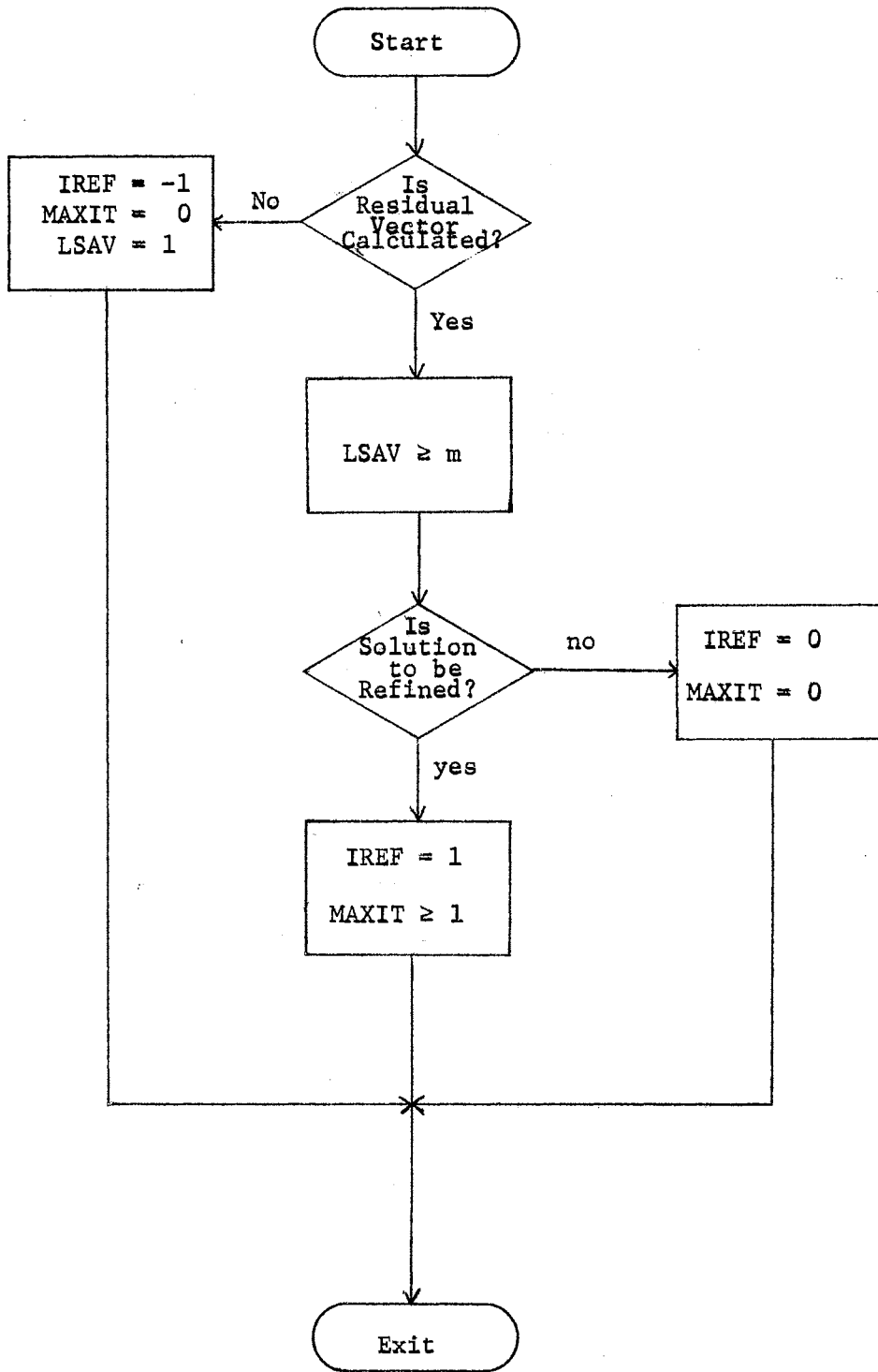


Figure 2. Setting the Usage Dependent FORTRAN Variables

The third group of variables are usage dependent; these variables will be set differently for different usages of the package. The appropriate value for each variable in this group for each usage is given in Table VIII.

TABLE VIII
SETTING THE USAGE DEPENDENT VARIABLES NEEDED
BY THE LLCR PACKAGE

| Program Usage | IPIV | KRBEG | NRHS | LSAL |
|---|------|----------|------|----------|
| To solve a system or systems of equations $AX=B$ | 0 | n | h | 1 |
| To perform IVOR or "forward selection" | 1 | 1 | 1 | $\geq n$ |
| To solve $AX=B$ while treating the entries in A as if they had a variable precision | 0 | ≥ 1 | h | $\geq n$ |
| To fit a polynomial to data | -1 | 1 | 1 | $\geq n$ |
| To calculate a generalized inverse | 0 | n | m | 1 |

The tables and flowchart given above and the information given in Appendix A should enable the user to work with LLCR and LLSQ with relative ease. The routines are also documented internally with comment cards.

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