



1 SUMMARY

Given a polynomial $f(x)$ (expressed as a sum of orthogonal polynomials), which is defined by

a) a set of coefficients a_0, a_1, \dots, a_m and

b) a set of recurrence parameters, α_i and β_i ($0 \leq i \leq m$) which define the orthogonal polynomials p_i which have been generated with respect to a set of x values

$$f(x) = a_0 p_0(x) + a_1 p_1(x) + \dots + a_m p_m(x),$$

this subroutine evaluates $f(x^*)$ and optionally $f'(x^*)$ and $f''(x^*)$ for a given value of $x = x^*$

$$f'(x^*) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x^*)$$

$$f''(x^*) = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} f(x^*)$$

The orthogonal polynomials $p_i(x)$ are specified by the three term recurrence relationship as follows

$$p_0(x) = 1$$

$$p_1(x) = x - \alpha_1$$

$$p_r(x) = (x - \alpha_r) p_{r-1}(x) - \beta_r p_{r-2}(x) \text{ in which}$$

$$\alpha_r = \frac{\sum_i (W_{yi} [p_{r-1}(x_i)]^2 x_i)}{\sum_i (W_{yi} [p_{r-1}(x_i)]^2)}$$

$$\beta_r = \frac{\sum_i (W_{yi} [p_{r-1}(x_i) p_{r-2}(x_i)]^2)}{\sum_i (W_{yi} [p_{r-2}(x_i)]^2)}$$

where the polynomials have been generated over the set of points x_i with respect to the weights W_{yi} (see also VC01).

ATTRIBUTES — **Version:** 1.0.0. **Types:** PE09A, PE09AD. **Original date:** May 1975. **Origin:** W.R. Owen, University of Queensland, Australia.

2 HOW TO USE THE PACKAGE

2.1 The argument list and calling sequence

The single precision version

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CALL PE09A(MORDER, ALPHA, BETA, ACOEF, X, FAD, IDERSW)
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The double precision version

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CALL PE09AD(MORDER, ALPHA, BETA, ACOEF, X, FAD, IDERSW)
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MORDER is an INTEGER giving the order (degree) of the polynomial to be evaluated.

ALPHA is a REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) array containing the recurrence relationship parameter, such that

$$\text{ALPHA}(K) = \alpha_k \quad 0 \leq K \leq \text{MORDER}, \quad 0 \leq k \leq \text{MORDER}$$

BETA is a REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) array containing the recurrence relationship parameters, such that

$$\text{BETA}(K) = \beta_k \quad 1 \leq K \leq \text{MORDER}, \quad 1 \leq k \leq \text{MORDER}$$

ACOEFF is a REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) array containing the coefficients of the expansion of the polynomial such that

$$\text{ACOEFF}(K) = a_{k-1} \quad 1 \leq K \leq (\text{MORDER}+1), \quad 1 \leq k \leq (\text{MORDER}+1)$$

X is a REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) variable giving the x value for which $f(x)$, $f'(x)$, $f''(x)$ are required.

FAD is a REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) array of length 3 which will be set on return, with $\text{FAD}(1) = f(x)$, $\text{FAD}(2) = f'(x)$, $\text{FAD}(3) = f''(x)$. This argument may be an array of length 2 or a scalar for $\text{IDERSW}=1$ and $\text{IDERSW}=0$ respectively.

IDERSW is an INTEGER acting as a switch indicating the results required

if $\text{IDERSW} \leq 0$ a function value only will be returned

if $\text{IDERSW} = 1$ the function value and the first derivative will be returned

if $\text{IDERSW} \geq 2$ the function, first and second derivative values will be returned.

3 GENERAL INFORMATION

Use of common: : None

Workspace: : None required

Input/output: : None

Restrictions: : None **Original date:** : May 1975

4 METHOD

The routine uses a recursive algorithm described by Smith, F.J., *Math. Comp.*, **19**, pp.33-36 (1965).