

PACKAGE SPECIFICATION

1 SUMMARY

Computes values of the **Bessel functions** $J_0(x)$ and $Y_0(x)$. A Chebyshev series in x is used if $0 \le x \le 8$ and a similar series in $\frac{1}{x}$ if x > 8, see, C.W. Clenshaw, 'Mathematical Tables', Vol. 5, NPL.

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2 HOW TO USE THE PACKAGE

The single precision version

CALL FF01A(VJ0,VY0,X,N)

The double precision version

CALL FF01AD(VJ0,VY0,X,N)

- VJ0 is a REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) variable which is set by the routine to the computed value of $J_0(x)$.
- VY0 is a REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) variable which is set by the routine to the computed value of $Y_0(x)$.
- X is a REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) variable which must be set by the user to the value of the argument x. **Restriction:** $x \neq 0$, for a value of $Y_0(x)$, but if x < 0 then |x| is used.
- N is an INTEGER variable which must be set by the user to select $J_0(x)$ only or both $J_0(x)$ and $Y_0(x)$, i.e.

 $N \le 0$ and $x \le 8$: only $J_0(x)$ is calculated.

Otherwise: both $J_0(x)$ and $Y_0(x)$ are calculated.

3 GENERAL INFORMATION

Use of common: none.

Workspace: none.

Other routines: none.

Input/Output: none.

Restrictions:

 $x \neq 0$ for $Y_0(x)$.

Accuracies:

6 sig. figs using 4-byte arithmetic.

9 sig. figs using 8-byte arithmetic.

4 METHOD

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