

1 SUMMARY

Given a polynomial $C(x) = c_0 + c_1x + \dots + c_nx^n$ of degree n finds the coefficients a_j $j=0, 1, \dots, k$ and b_j $j=1, 2, \dots, m$ of the Padé approximation

$$P_{k,m}(x) = \frac{a_0 + a_1x + \dots + a_kx^k}{1 + b_1x + \dots + b_mx^m} \quad k+m \leq n \quad k, m \leq 20$$

such that the first $m+n+1$ coefficients of the Taylor series expansion of $P_{k,m}(x)$ are the same as the first $k+m+1$ coefficients of $C(x)$.

The k zeros, the m poles and residues of the approximation are also returned.

ATTRIBUTES — **Version:** 1.0.0. **Types:** PE06A; PE06AD. **Calls:** FD05, MA21, PB01, PB02 and PA17. **Original date:** January 1964. **Origin:** L.Morgan, Harwell. **Language:** PE06AD uses COMPLEX*16 facility.

2 HOW TO USE THE PACKAGE

2.1 The argument lists

The single precision version

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CALL PE06A(A,B,C,K,M,N,XZ,YZ,XP,YP,XR,YR,ERROR)
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The double precision version

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CALL PE06AD(A,B,C,K,M,N,XZ,YZ,XP,YP,XR,YR,ERROR)
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- A is a REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) array of length at least $k+1$ which will be set by the subroutine to the coefficients of the numerator of $P_{k,m}(x)$, i.e. $A(i+1)$ is set to a_i , $i=0, 1, 2, \dots, k$.
- B is a REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) array of length at least $m+1$ which will be set by the subroutine to the coefficients of the denominator of $P_{k,m}(x)$, i.e. $B(i+1)$ is set to b_i , $i=0, 1, 2, \dots, m$.
- C is a REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) array of length at least $n+1$ which the user must set the coefficients of the polynomial $C(x)$, i.e. $C(i+1)$ must be set to c_i , $i=0, 1, 2, \dots, n$.
- K is an INTEGER variable which must be set by the user to k the degree of the numerator of $P_{k,m}(x)$. **Restriction:** $0 \leq k \leq 20$.
- M is an INTEGER variable which must be set by the user to m the degree of the denominator of $P_{k,m}(x)$. **Restriction:** $0 \leq m \leq 20$.
- N is an INTEGER variable which must be set by the user to n the degree of the polynomial $C(x)$. **Restriction:** $n \geq k+m$.
- XZ and YZ are REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) arrays of length at least k which are set by the subroutine to the real and imaginary parts of the zeros of $P_{k,m}(x)$, i.e. zeros of the numerator.
- XP and YP are REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) arrays of length at least m which are set by the subroutine to the real and imaginary parts of the poles of $P_{k,m}(x)$, i.e. zeros of the denominator.
- XR and YR are REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) arrays of length at least m which are set by the subroutine to the real and imaginary parts of the residues of $P_{k,m}(x)$ at their respective poles.
- ERROR is a REAL (DOUBLE PRECISION in the D version) variable which is set by the subroutine to 1.0 if no errors occurred and to -1.0 if $n < k+m$, and in that case no calculation is done.

3 GENERAL INFORMATION

Workspace: None.

Use of common: None.

Other routines called directly: MA21A/AD, PB01AS/AD, PB02AS/AD and PA17.

Portability: PE06AD uses COMPLEX*16 facility.

Input/output: None.

Restrictions: $k \leq 20$, $m \leq 20$, $n \geq k+m$. Note that the restrictions on k and m can be relaxed by recompiling with larger dimensioned private arrays AMAT and VEC.