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!DATA ASSIMILATION SAMPLE PROGRAM (R. Stull, UBC, Nov 2000)
!Includes both Bratseth's Sucessive Correction
!-AND- Optimum Interpolation, for comparison.
!Reference:
!Bratseth 1986: "Statistical interpolation by means
!of successive corrections". Tellus, 38A,439-447.
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!===== Modules (works like common blocks)
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module gridmodule                !grided analysis data (as meteorological fields)
integer :: nx                    !max number of grid points in x direction
real :: dx                       !delta_x = grid increment in x direction
real :: xwest                    !location of left edge (west-most) x grid point
character (len=5) :: gridunits  !example "km"
real, dimension (:), allocatable :: xgrid !grid point x-locations
real, dimension (:), allocatable :: agrid !analysis grid point scalar values (eg, temperature)
real, dimension (:), allocatable :: bgrid !background (first-guess) scalar values (eg, temperature)
real, dimension (:), allocatable :: fgrid !analysis increment (analysis - firstguess)
end module gridmodule
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module obsmodule                 !observation data (with same units as for x grid)
integer :: nobs                  !max number of observations
real, dimension (:), allocatable :: xobs !observation x-locations
real, dimension (:), allocatable :: sobs !actual observation values (eg, temperature)
real, dimension (:), allocatable :: aobs !analysis values estimated at obs locations
real, dimension (:), allocatable :: bobs !background grid values interpolated to obs locations
real, dimension (:), allocatable :: fobs !observation increment (sobs - bobs)
real, dimension (:), allocatable :: aobsnew !updated analysis values at obs locations
real :: xo, xscale              !Offset and and scaling factor: Bratseth -> reality
real :: so, sscale              !Offset and and scaling factor: Bratseth -> reality
end module obsmodule
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module statmodule               !correlation and error statistics
real :: sigmaBR                 !Bratseth dimensionless radius of influence
real :: sigmaR, sigmaR2        !physical radius of influence, and its square
real :: sigmax                  !x std deviation (assumed same for all grid points)
real, dimension (:), allocatable :: sigmaobs !observation std dev at each obs station
end module statmodule
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module iterationmodule          !misc iteration variables
integer :: nu                    !iteration counter
real :: sumcor                  !sum of correction magnitudes
real :: sumf                    !sum of analysis magnitudes
real :: epsilon = 0.001        !relative convergence criterion
character (len=1) :: tab=achar(9) !ascii tab character
end module iterationmodule
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module optimumodule            !only for comparison with optimum interpolation
real, dimension (:), allocatable :: ogrid !optmum analysis at grid locations
real, dimension (:,:), allocatable :: amatrix !normalized covariance matrix (obs)
real, dimension (:), allocatable :: bmatrix !normalized RHS matrix (obs,grid)
real, dimension (:), allocatable :: vv     !implicit scalings for each row
integer, dimension (:), allocatable :: indx !LU decomposition vector
real :: TINY=1.0e-20           !prevention of singular matrix
end module optimumodule
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!===== main program =====
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program scmain                  !successive correction main program
!declare variables
use gridmodule                 !analysis grid info
use obsmodule                  !observation station info
use statmodule                 !statistics of station errors and correlations
use iterationmodule            !misc iteration info
implicit none                 !enforce strong typing
logical :: done                !true when converged
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!set up
  call welcome                !welcome the user
  call setgrid                !set up the analysis grid
  call getobs                 !get the observation data points
  call firstguess            !get the first-guess (background) gridded analysis
  call getstats              !get observation-error statistics

!iterate
  call preprocess           !set up for iterations
  do nu=1,25                !for each successive iteration, nu
    call refine              !make a better analysis estimate
    call savefields          !save results for future display
    if (done()) exit        !leave iteration loop if converged
  enddo
  call optimum               !Optimum interpolation (for comparison)
  call postprocess           !do any postprocessing
end program scmain

!=====
  subroutine welcome          !Welcome the interactive user
  implicit none              !enforce strong typing
  write(*,*)
  write(*,*) "Welcome to SUCCESSIVE CORRECTION ... a Data Assimilation Method"
  write(*,*)
  write(*,*) "Based on Bratseth, A.M. 1986: Statistical interpolation "
  write(*,*) "by means of successive corrections. Tellus, 38A,439-447."
  write(*,*)
  write(*,*) "Coded by R. Stull, UBC, Nov 2000."
  write(*,*)
end subroutine welcome

!=====
  subroutine setgrid          !Set grid locations x
!Calculates evenly-spaced grid locations using location offset and scale
!values that were read from an input file.
  use gridmodule             !common grid variables
  implicit none              !enforce strong typing
  integer :: ix              !dummy grid index
  character (len=50) :: header !text header from grid file

!Initialize
  nx = 100                   !max number of grid locations in x direction
  gridunits = "km"          !units in x direction
  xwest = 0.0                !location of west (leftmost) grid point
  dx = 1.0                   !grid increment delta_x

!Get grid-location info from a disk file (as ascii text)
  write(*,*)
  write(*,*) "=====  

  write(*,*) "Hit RETURN to search for grid input file (in.GRID)"
  read(*,*)                  !wait until user responds
  open(1,file="",status="old") !activates Macintosh file finder box
  read(1,"(a50)") header ; print *, header !this line useful in input file
  read(1,*) nx,gridunits,xwest,dx !numb of grid points, units, starting(leftmost) x, delta_x
  print *, nx, gridunits, xwest, dx !echo to screen
  close(1)                   !de-activate the input file
  write(*,*) "SETGRID RESULTS: nx = ",nx, ", xwest & delta_x = ",xwest,dx," (",trim(gridunits),")"

!initialize grids
  allocate(xgrid(nx))        !dynamically allocate memory for x-location grid
  allocate(agrid(nx))        !dynamically allocate memory for analysis grid
  allocate(bgrid(nx))        !dynamically allocate memory for background grid
  allocate(fgrid(nx))        !dynamically allocate memory for difference grid
  do ix = 1,nx
    xgrid(ix)=xwest + (ix-1)*dx !compute the physical location
  enddo
  write(*,*) "...ending SETGRID" !status report
end subroutine setgrid

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      subroutine getobs                !Get the observation info (locations & values)
!Observations are paired (x,s), where s is the meteorological value
!(eg, temperature) at location x. Input is the raw (dimensionless) Bratseth values,
!which we then scale into reasonable meteorological and distance values.
!Read raw observation info from file. The file format, by line, is:
!  number of observations. Eg: 2
!  scaling in x direction, where input is X0 and XSCALE. Eg: 40.0,10.0
!  scaling of s scalar, where input is S0 and SSCALE. Eg: 0.0,10.0
!  header text for scaled (not raw Bratseth) fields. Eg: x(km),F(degC)
!  first raw Bratseth "observation" as X, S: Eg: 0.0,1.0
!  more rows of raw Bratseth obs as X,S, until number of rows = number of observations
!
      use obsmodule                    !common observation variables
      implicit none                    !enforce strong typing
      integer :: iobs                  !dummy observation index
      character (len=50) :: header     !text header (to help check units)
      write(*,*)
      write(*,*) "===== GETOBS - Get the observation info "
!Read the observation info from file
      write(*,*)
      write(*,*) "Hit RETURN to search for observation input file (in.OBS)"
      read(*,*)                        !wait until user responds
      open(1,file="",status="old")     !activate Macintosh file finder box
      read(1,"(a50)") header ; print *, header !this line useful in input file
      read(1,*) nobs ; print *, nobs   !read and echo number of obs
      allocate(xobs(nobs))             !dynamically allocate memory for obs x locations
      allocate(sobs(nobs))             !dynamically allocate memory for obs s values
      allocate(aobs(nobs))             !dynamically allocate memory for obs a values
      allocate(bobs(nobs))             !dynamically allocate memory for obs b values
      allocate(fobs(nobs))             !dynamically allocate memory for obs a-b values
      allocate(aobsnew(nobs))          !dynamically allocate memory for new a values
      read(1,*) xo,xscale ; print *, xo,xscale !scale x Bratseth -> reality
      read(1,*) so,sscale ; print *, so,sscale !scale s Bratseth -> reality
      read(1,"(a50)") header ; print *, " ", header
      do iobs = 1,nobs                 !for each observation point
          read(1,*) xobs(iobs),sobs(iobs) !Bratseth's dimensionless "obs"
          print *, xobs(iobs),sobs(iobs) !echo to screen
          xobs(iobs)=xo+xscale*xobs(iobs) !Scale into physically-realistic obs x locations
          sobs(iobs)=so+sscale*sobs(iobs) !Scale into physically realistic scalar values
          print *, " --> Scaled (x,s):", xobs(iobs),sobs(iobs) !echo to screen
      enddo
!Interpolate the background first guess to the observation points
      close(1)                         !de-activate this input file
      write(*,*) "...ending GETOBS"    !status report
      end subroutine getobs

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      subroutine firstguess
!Set the first-guess (background) analysis, usually from the previous forecast (prog)
!This first-guess info is read from a file, with one grid-point value per line.
      use gridmodule                    !common grid variables
      use obsmodule                    !common observation variables
      implicit none                    !enforce strong typing
      write(*,*)
      write(*,*) "===== FIRSTGUESS - Get the first guess gridded analysis "
      write(*,*)
      write(*,*) "Hit RETURN to search for first-guess input file (in.FIRST)"
      read(*,*)                        !wait until user responds
      open(1,file="",status="old")     !activate Macintosh file finder box
      read(1,*) bgrid                  !read whole first-guess (background) vector
      close(1)                         !de-activate the input file
      print *, "First guess is: ",bgrid(1) !echo first element of bgrid to screen
      agrid=bgrid                      !vector equality: set first analysis = background first-guess
      fgrid=0.0                        !initial state of difference vector (a-b)
      call interpolate                  !interpolate background to obs locations

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bobs = aobs                !copy interpolated results into background at obs points
fobs = sobs-bobs          !find observation increment
write(*,*) "aobs =",aobs
write(*,*) "bobs =",bobs
write(*,*) "fobs =",fobs
write(*,*) "...ending FIRSTGUESS" !status report
end subroutine firstguess

!=====
subroutine interpolate      !interpolate current gridded analysis to obs locations
!linearly interpolate the analysis from the grid points to all the obs locations
use obsmodule              !common observation variables
use gridmodule             !common grid variables
implicit none              !enforce strong typing
integer :: iobs             !dummy observation index
integer :: ilow             !grid index just left of obs location
real :: position           !relative obs position between neighboring grid points
!linear interpolation
do iobs=1,nobs              !for each observation location
  ilow=floor((xobs(iobs)-xwest+1)/dx) !calculate adjacent grid point location
  ilow=max(1,ilow) ; ilow=min(ilow,(nx-1)) !stay within grid
  position = ((xobs(iobs)-xgrid(ilow))/(xgrid(ilow+1)-xgrid(ilow))) !rel.position
  aobs(iobs)=agrid(ilow)+(position*(agrid(ilow+1)-agrid(ilow))) !interpolate
enddo
end subroutine interpolate

!=====
subroutine getstats        !get error statistics from file
!File format is:
!  epsilon                !relative convergence criterion (eg, 0.001)
!  sigmaBR                 !Bratseth's dimensionless radius of influence (eg, 1.0)
!  sigmaX                  !first-guess error std deviation at grid points (same for all grid points, eg, 1.0)
!  sigmaObs                !array of obs-error std deviations, with each obs location on separate line (eg, 0.0)
  use gridmodule           !common grid info
  use obsmodule            !common observation info
  use statmodule           !common error and correlation statistics
  use iterationmodule      !common iteration info
  implicit none            !enforce strong typing
  character (len=50) :: header !text header (to help check units)
  allocate(sigmaObs(nobs)) !dynamically allocate memory for obs std dev
  write(*,*)
  write(*,*) "==== GETSTATS - Get error statistics "
  write(*,*)
  write(*,*) "Hit RETURN to search for statistics input file (in.STATS)"
  read(*,*) !wait until user responds
  open(1,file=" ",status="old") !activate Macintosh file finder box
  read(1,"(a50)") header ; print *, header !this line useful in input file
  read(1,*) epsilon !read convergence criterion
  read(1,*) sigmaBR !read Bratseth's dimensionless radius of influence
  read(1,*) sigmaX !read std deviation at grid point x
  read(1,*) sigmaObs !read whole array of observation std deviations
  close(1) !de-active the input file
  sigmaR = sscale*sigmaBR !find physical radius of influence
  sigmaR2 = sigmaR*sigmaR !square of radius of influence
  write(*,*) "convergence criterion = ",epsilon
  write(*,*) "Bratseth sigmaR = ",sigmaBR
  write(*,*) "physical sigmaR = ",sigmaR, " (" ,trim(gridunits),")"
  write(*,*) "gridded std deviation error: ",sigmaX
  write(*,*) "array of observation std deviation errors: ",sigmaObs
  print *, "...ending GETSTATS" !status report
end subroutine getstats

!=====
subroutine preprocess      !set up for iterations
use gridmodule             !common grid info

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use iterationmodule           !common iteration counters and convergence info
implicit none                 !enforce strong typing
integer :: ix                 !dummy grid index
write(*,*)
write(*,*) "=====  

write(*,*) "Hit RETURN to open a new OUTPUT file: "  

read(*,*)                     !wait until user responds
open(2,file="",status="new")  !activate Macintosh file finder box
write(2,*) (tab, xgrid(ix), ix=1,nx) !first row list x grid locations
write(2,*) "  0", (tab, agrid(ix), ix=1,nx) !2nd row is first-guess analysis
open(3,status="scratch",form="unformatted") !open scratch file to temporarily hold obs analyses
write(*,*)
write(*,*) "Iteration, Correction Sum / Field Sum = RelativeError" !header for screen
end subroutine preprocess

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!=====
subroutine refine             !improve the analysis estimate during one iteration
use obsmodule                !common observation variables
use gridmodule               !common grid variables
use statmodule               !common error and correlation statistics
use iterationmodule          !common iteration variables
implicit none                !enforce strong typing
real :: correction           !correction at any one point during an iteration
real :: axj, aij             !amplification weights (maps obs error to correction)
real :: rxj, rij, rjk        !correlation coefficients
real :: sumw                 !sum of correlation coefs
real :: varb                 !background (first-guess) error variance (assumed homogeneous*)
real :: varobsi, varobsj     !error variances of observations at locations i & j
real :: varratio             !ratio of error variances
integer :: ix                !dummy grid index
integer :: iobs, jobs, kobs  !dummy observation indices
sumcor = 0.0                 !initialize sum of corrections for this iteration
sumf = 0.0                   !initialize sum of field values for this iteration
varb = sigmax*sigmax         !error variance of first guess (assumed homogeneous*)
!
!Update the analysis estimate at the grid points (agrid)
!find aobs by interpolating from grided analysis to obs locations
do ix=1,nx                   !for each grid point
  correction = 0.0           !initialize correction amount
  do jobs=1,nobs             !for each obs location
    varobsj = sigmaobs(jobs)*sigmaobs(jobs) !error variance of obs at location j
    sumw = varobsj/varb      !initialize sum of the weights w
    do kobs=1,nobs           !for each weight w
      rjk = exp(-0.5*((xobs(kobs)-xobs(jobs))**2)/sigmaR2) !correl drop-off with j-k distance
      sumw = sumw + abs(rjk) !sum of the weights w
    enddo
    rxj = exp(-0.5*((xgrid(ix)-xobs(jobs))**2)/sigmaR2) !correlation drop-off with x-j distance
    axj = rxj/sumw           !eq (15b), for optimum solution
    correction = correction + axj*(sobs(jobs)-aobs(jobs)) !RHS of eq (4)
  enddo
  agrid(ix) = agrid(ix) + correction !eq (4)
  sumcor = sumcor + abs(correction) !sum of correction magnitudes, to detect convergence
  sumf = sumf + abs(agrid(ix)) !sum of analysis field magnitudes, ditto
enddo
!Update the analysis estimate at the observation points (aobs)
do iobs=1,nobs              !for each obs point
  correction = 0.0           !initialize correction amount
  varobsi = sigmaobs(iobs)*sigmaobs(iobs) !error variance of obs at location i
  do jobs=1,nobs            !for each obs location
    varobsj = sigmaobs(jobs)*sigmaobs(jobs) !error variance of obs at location j
    sumw = varobsj/varb      !initialize sum of the weights w
    do kobs=1,nobs           !for each weight w
      rjk = exp(-0.5*((xobs(kobs)-xobs(jobs))**2)/sigmaR2) !correl drop-off with j-k distance
      sumw = sumw + abs(rjk) !sum of the weights w
    enddo
    rij = exp(-0.5*((xobs(iobs)-xobs(jobs))**2)/sigmaR2) !correlation drop-off with x-j distance
    varratio = 0.0           !initialize variance ratio

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        if (iobs==jobs) varratio=varobsi/varb !set variance ratio only for certain obs points
        aij = (rij+varratio)/sumw !eq (15a), for optimum solution
        correction = correction + aij*(sobs(jobs)-aobs(jobs)) !RHS of eq (4')
    enddo
    aobsnew(iobs) = aobs(iobs) + correction !eq (4')
enddo
aobs=aobsnew !replace old analysis with new, at obs locations
end subroutine refine

!=====
function done() result (converged) !check if analysis has converged
use iterationmodule !common iteration and convergence info
use gridmodule !common grid info
implicit none !enforce strong typing
real :: rellerror !relative error
logical :: converged !.true. if successive-corr has converged
converged = .false. !initialize state to NOT converged
rellerror = sumcor/(sumcor+sumf) !compute correction amount relative to the total value
write(*,*) nu,sumcor,sumf,rellerror !display iteration status report
write(*,*)
converged = (rellerror .LT. epsilon) !.true. when relative error is small enough
end function done

!=====
subroutine savefields !save results in a text file
use iterationmodule !common iteration variables
use gridmodule !common grid variables
use obsmodule !common observation variables
implicit none !enforce strong typing
integer :: ix, iobs !dummy array indices
write(2,*) " ",nu, (tab,agrid(ix),ix=1,nx) !write gridded analysis to disk, for each iteration
write(3) nu,aobs(1:nobs) !write obs analysis to scratch file, for each iteration
end subroutine savefields

!=====
subroutine postprocess !postprocessing
use iterationmodule !common iteration variables
use obsmodule !common observation variables
implicit none !enforce strong typing
integer :: iobs !dummy observation index
integer :: ios !input/output status flag
write(*,*)
write(*,*) "=====POSTPROCESS is starting."
write(*,*) "Successive correction data assimilation is finished."
write(*,*)
!append the original observations to the end of the file
write(2,*) (tab,xobs(iobs),iobs=1,nobs) !obs x-locations
write(2,*) "Obs", (tab,sobs(iobs),iobs=1,nobs) !actual obs values
!append the various analysis estimates at the observation points
rewind 3 !reset the scratch file (unit 3) to beginning
do !do for each successful iteration that was saved in scratch
    read(3,iostat=ios) nu,aobs(1:nobs) !read obs values from scratch file
    if (ios===-1) exit !exit loop if end of file
    write(2,*) " ",nu, (tab,aobs(iobs),iobs=1,nobs) !append write obs analysis to disk, for each iteratic
enddo
close(2) !close files and terminate
close(3) !close files and terminate
end subroutine postprocess

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!====+ the following is NOT needed for successive corrections =====

subroutine optimum !statistical (optimum) interpolation
!First, this routine solves Bratseth eq (3) for linear weights p.

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!It does this by forming a set of linear equations  $A X = B$  ,
!where A is the obs covariance matrix, X is the vector of weights p,
!and B is the vector of grid vs. obs correlations.
!(Uses LU decomposition for solution, modified from Num. Recipes, to solve for X)
!Then, the weights p are used in Bratseth (1) to solve for the analysis field.
  use obsmodule           !common observation variables
  use gridmodule          !common grid variables
  use statmodule          !common statistical variables
  use optimumodule        !common optimum interp variables
  implicit none           !enforce strong typing
  integer :: ix, iobs, jobs !dummy indices
  real :: rij, rxj         !correlation coefficients
  real :: varratio        !ratio of error variances
  character (len=1) :: tab=achar(9) !ascii tab character
  write(*,*)
  write(*,*) "===== OPTIMUM INTERPOLATION is starting."
  write(*,*)
  allocate(amatrix(nobs,nobs)) !dynamically allocate memory for covar matrix
  allocate(bmatrix(nobs))      !dynamically allocate memory for RHS matrix
  allocate(indx(nobs))         !dynamically allocate memory for LU index
  allocate(vv(nobs))           !dynamically allocate memory scrap matrix
  allocate(ogrid(nx))          !dynamically allocate memory for optimum gridded analysis
!Fill the symmetric matrix A of covariances. (Move this subsection to inside the ix loop if sigmax varies)
  do iobs = 1,nobs             !for each i observation location
    do jobs = iobs,nobs        !for each j obs location
      rij = exp(-0.5*((xobs(iobs)-xobs(jobs))**2)/sigmaR2) !correl drop-off with dist
      varratio = 0.0          !initialize variance ratio
      if (iobs==jobs) varratio = (sigmaobs(iobs)*sigmaobs(iobs))/(sigmax*sigmax) !ratio of error varian
      amatrix(jobs,iobs) = rij + varratio !fill upper triangle of A matrix
      amatrix(iobs,jobs) = amatrix(jobs,iobs) !fill bottom triangle. symmetric.
    enddo
  enddo
  call ludcmp                 !replace amatrix with LU decomposition
!Compute the gridded analysis
  do ix=1,nx                  !for each grid point
!Fill the B matrix
    do jobs = 1,nobs          !for each observation point
      rxj = exp(-0.5*((xgrid(ix)-xobs(jobs))**2)/sigmaR2) !correl drop-off with distance
      bmatrix(jobs) = rxj    !B matrix
    enddo
!Solve  $A X = B$  for solution vector X, which represents the weights p
    call lubksb               !solve for the linear weights, which are returned in bmatrix
!Use these weights to find the gridded analysis
    ogrid(ix) = 0.0           !initialize analysis increment
    do iobs = 1,nobs          !for each observation point
      ogrid(ix)=ogrid(ix)+bmatrix(iobs)*fobs(iobs) !accumulate the analysis increment
    enddo
    ogrid(ix) = bgrid(ix) + ogrid(ix) !get analysis by adding first-guess and increment
  enddo
  write(2,*) "OPTIMUM", (tab,ogrid(ix),ix=1,nx) !write optimum analysis to disk
  print *, "...ending OPTIMUM" !status report
end subroutine optimum

!=====
  SUBROUTINE ludcmp           !Lower-upper matrix decomposition
!Based on Numerical Recipes routine. (Modified to take I/O via modules.)
!Solves a set of linear algebraic equations:  $A X = B$ .
!This routine takes matrix A as input, and overwrites it with a LU decomposed matrix
!This LU version of A is then used by subroutine lubksb to solve for X.
!(for details: Press et al, 1992, Numerical Recipes in FORTRAN, 2Ed, Cambridge U Press)
  use obsmodule           !common observation variables
  use optimumodule        !common optimum interp variables
  implicit none           !enforce strong typing
  INTEGER :: i,imax,j,k
  REAL :: aamax,dum,sum
  do i=1,nobs
    aamax=0.

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do j=1,nobs
  if (abs(amatrix(i,j)).gt.aamax) aamax=abs(amatrix(i,j))
enddo
if (aamax.eq.0.) pause 'singular matrix in ludcmp'
vv(i)=1./aamax
enddo
do j=1,nobs
  do i=1,j-1
    sum=amatrix(i,j)
    do k=1,i-1
      sum=sum-amatrix(i,k)*amatrix(k,j)
    enddo
    amatrix(i,j)=sum
  enddo
  aamax=0.
  do i=j,nobs
    sum=amatrix(i,j)
    do k=1,j-1
      sum=sum-amatrix(i,k)*amatrix(k,j)
    enddo
    amatrix(i,j)=sum
    dum=vv(i)*abs(sum)
    if (dum.ge.aamax) then
      imax=i
      aamax=dum
    endif
  enddo
  if (j.ne.imax)then
    do k=1,nobs
      dum=amatrix(imax,k)
      amatrix(imax,k)=amatrix(j,k)
      amatrix(j,k)=dum
    enddo
    vv(imax)=vv(j)
  endif
  indx(j)=imax
  if(amatrix(j,j).eq.0.) amatrix(j,j)=TINY
  if(j.ne.nobs)then
    dum=1./amatrix(j,j)
    do i=j+1,nobs
      amatrix(i,j)=amatrix(i,j)*dum
    enddo
  endif
endif
enddo
end subroutine ludcmp
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  SUBROUTINE lubksb          !Lower-upper matrix back substitution
!Based on Numerical Recipes routine. (Modified to take I/O via modules.)
!Solves a set of linear algebraic equations: A X = B.
!Uses as input the LU decomposition from subroutine ludcmp, which was overwritten into amatrix.
!bmatrix holds eq RHS vector as input, but returns solution vector X as output
!(for details: Press et al, 1992, Numerical Recipes in FORTRAN, 2Ed, Cambridge U Press)
  use obsmodule              !common observation variables
  use optimummodule          !common optimum interp variables
  implicit none              !enforce strong typing
  INTEGER :: i,ii,j,ll
  REAL :: sum
  ii=0
  do i=1,nobs
    ll=indx(i)
    sum=bmatrix(ll)
    bmatrix(ll)=bmatrix(i)
    if (ii.ne.0)then
      do j=ii,i-1
        sum=sum-amatrix(i,j)*bmatrix(j)
      enddo
    endif
  enddo
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    else if (sum.ne.0.) then
      ii=i
    endif
    bmatrix(i)=sum
  enddo
do i=nobs,1,-1
  sum=bmatrix(i)
  do j=i+1,nobs
    sum=sum-amatrix(i,j)*bmatrix(j)
  enddo
  bmatrix(i)=sum/amatrix(i,i)
enddo
end subroutine lubksb
```