

## A computing program derived from Chree's method

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**SUMMARY.** — A computing program has been actived for having information from stationary time series.

The technique utilized is that of superposed epochs (Chree's method), adapted by using large computers.

This technique gives evidence for a phenomenon and statistical consistency is provided.

The program described elaborates unlimited numbers of data and epochs the maximum length of which is 2000 numerical data.

**RIASSUNTO.** — È stato fatto un programma di calcolo per ottenere informazioni da serie temporali stazionarie.

La tecnica usata è quella di sovrapposizione di epoche (metodo di Chree), di cui se ne propone una modifica per essere utilizzata con grandi calcolatori.

Si mette in evidenza un fenomeno e se ne discute la consistenza statistica.

Il programma descritto elabora un numero illimitato di dati e di epoche la cui lunghezza massima è fissata in 2000 dati numerici.

### INTRODUCTION.

In graphic registrations, or tabulations of some quantities, that constitute a stationary time series, the problem that arises is that of testing the consistency of certain particular phenomenon that are noticed in correspondence with determinate physical events <sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>.

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The graphed or tabulated quantities correspond in some way to these physical events that, by other methods, can be localized in time.

A typical example is constituted by the oscillations observed in recorded cosmic radiation in correspondence with the sudden commencement of magnetic storms, whose position in time can be found by observing the magnetograms.

The phenomenon we must test can be approximated to the order of the statistical fluctuation (or a little better) of the data series whose registration is examined, and therefore necessitates a particular analysis for determining the characteristics.

In this work we propose a solution to the problem by using the technique of Chree of superposed epochs<sup>(3)</sup> for using electronic computers and completing it by an ulterior analysis for proving the statistical consistency of the results regarding the width and the duration of the phenomena. Besides, the maximum temporal position is localized which allows us to visualize the bond between the registered phenomena and the physical events which are bound to it.

#### METHOD.

A stationary time series can be thought of as a linear combination of type:

$$I(t) = A(t) + \varepsilon,$$

being  $A(t)$  the systematic part and  $\varepsilon$  the random one of the series. The aim of pointing out the phenomena according to the type of series which we want to separate, we must utilize a preventive filter operation<sup>(1)</sup> of which a computing program<sup>(5)</sup> already exists.

In the numerical filtering steps the reduction of the influences by the random part in the residual series allows to note the phenomenon without modifying the structure.

Let us call  $q_r$  ( $r = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ) the corresponding values in the recording of the physical events which we consider responsible for the phenomenon that we must examine.

Let us construct the matrix:

$$\left| \begin{array}{ccccccccc} p_{1,1} & p_{1,2} & p_{1,3} & \dots & p_{1,n} & q_1 & d_{1,1} & d_{1,2} & \dots & d_{1,m} \\ p_{2,1} & p_{2,2} & p_{2,3} & \dots & p_{2,n} & q_2 & d_{2,1} & d_{2,2} & \dots & d_{2,m} \\ \hline & & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & & & \\ p_{n,1} & p_{n,2} & p_{n,3} & \dots & p_{n,n} & q_n & d_{n,1} & d_{n,2} & \dots & d_{n,m} \end{array} \right|$$

being  $p_{s,r}$  ( $s = 1, 2, \dots, l$ ) the numerical values of the  $l$  positions preceding the position of the event  $q_r$  and  $d_{t,r}$  the values of the  $m$  positions following.

Each row of the matrix,  $n \times R$  ( $R = l + m + 1$ ), contains the elements of each one of the  $n$  epochs<sup>(3)</sup>.

As for random part, between the variance of  $y_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ ) (obtained by adding and by averaging per columns the elements of the matrix:

$$y_i = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{r=1}^n p_{r,i} \quad (i = 1, 2, \dots, l)$$

$$y_{i+1} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{r=1}^n q_r$$

$$y_{i+l+1} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{r=1}^n d_{r,i} \quad (i = 1, 2, \dots, m)$$

of which  $\bar{S}^2$  is the estimate) and the mean variance of each of the  $n$  epochs (of which  $S^2$  constitutes the estimate) is the relation

$$\bar{S}^2 = n S_e^2.$$

The standard deviation  $S_e^2$  is

$$\text{s. d. } (S^2) = S_e^2 \sqrt{\frac{2}{R-1}} = \frac{\bar{S}^2}{n} \sqrt{\frac{2}{R-1}}.$$

Finally:

$$S = \sqrt{\frac{R-1}{2}} \left( n \frac{S_e^2}{\bar{S}^2} - 1 \right). \quad [1]$$

Being  $n$  the number of the superposed epochs, represents, in standard deviation units the true shift of the data series from random behaviour, and  $S$  is the significance level of the phenomenon in the series.

The lenght  $R$  of the epoch depends from the physical problem examined. The preceding ( $p_{s,r}$ ) and successive ( $d_{t,r}$ ) data of the event may be equally populated ( $l = m$ ).

Since the effects of a certain physical event are generally allayed in the recordings, whether for the inertia of the system on which it acts or by the recorder that smooths the various phenomena exploring them in a large width, a time contraction of the elements forming the epoch is elaborated. Such an operation permits a better

localisation of the phenomenon studied and ulteriorly decreases that statistical fluctuation of the series.

The problem studied will guide the choice of such a contraction. The relation (1) is modified:

$$S(k) = \sqrt{\frac{R}{\frac{k-1}{2}} \left( n_k \frac{S_{ek}^2}{\bar{S}^2} - 1 \right)} \quad \left( \frac{R}{k} \text{ integer} \right)$$

being  $k$  the order of the temporal contraction  $S_{ek}^2$  the variance of the contracted mean epoch.

A right representation of  $S(k)$  will permits useful considerations on the localisation and duration of the phenomena studied.

#### DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM.

The program has been carried out at "Centro di Calcolo del CNEN" in Bologna using the FORTRAN IV language versione 13 under the IBSYS 7094/7040 DCS monitor control.

The data number that can be elaborated is practically unlimited; the maximum allowed number of elements of the epoch is 2000. This number is extremely sufficient for many problems but it can also be increased by modifying the appropriate statements.

The number  $n$  of superposed epochs is 200. This number may be increased by modifying the appropriate statement, but attention must be made in order of the approximation due to the machine representation of the value of the elements, that arises when mean epoch is computed.

The program allows also to group,  $k$  by  $k$ , the set of elements in the mean epoch for giving an epoch whose variance is  $k$  times less than that of the original mean epoch.

This procedure allows a better accuracy in the computing of the average width of the studied event without phase changes, because, if  $k$  is odd,  $y_{t+1}$  will always be in the middle of the interval of the obtained epoch.

The program can also be informed to ignore the not good elements of the series without modifying the input data series cards.

It is useful to note  $\bar{S}^2$  is computed not using the mean of the variances of each row, but the mean of the variances concerning the consecutive epochs, each  $R$  elements long, obtained considering all

the time data series (except the not good elements); the variance computed in this way tends to the true variance of the series.

#### OUTPUT.

Normally we can obtain a following list:

- a) input tape (NTPI)
- b) number of data per input card (NDS)
- c) input FORMAT (FR1)
- d) print FORMAT (FR2)
- e) punch FORMAT (FR3)
- f) number of superposed epochs or  $q$  (NKPO)
- g) number of  $p$  (NOPR)
- h) number of  $d$  (NODO)
- i) index of  $q$  positions in time-series (KPO)
- j) number of utilized data
- k) number of consecutive epochs
- l) mean epoch information:
  - 1) mean variance (ISGR2)
  - 2) standard deviation (SE)
  - 3) variance (SIGMA)
  - 4) significance level (S)
  - 5)  $DIFVER = SIGMA - \frac{SIGR2}{NKPO}$
- m) length of mean epoch (R)
- n) elements of mean epoch (ELM)
- o) grouped epoch information:
  - 1) number of elements (R)
  - 2) GROUPS
  - 3) SIGMA
  - 4) S
  - 5) DIFVER
- p) local maxima of  $S$  are computed and the following information are listed:
  - 1) S
  - 2) SIGMA
  - 3) type of grouppping (GROUPS)
  - 4) R

If the restart procedure is required, the normal list is like the proceeding from *l*) to *p*).

If the program recognizes errors during his flow appropriate diagnostics are printed.

#### ORDER OF DATA CARDS DECK SET-UP.

All cards must be included in the order shown below,

a) *Start procedure* (Fig. 1)

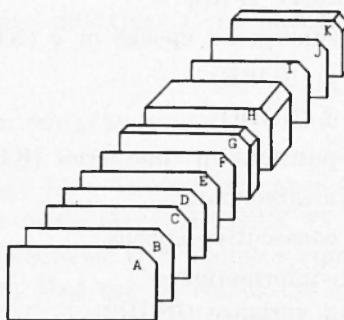


Fig. 1

- \*A\* Parameter card for starting and grouppping
- \*B\* Variable format card for time series input data
- \*C\* Variable format card for printout mean epoch
- \*D\* Variable format card for punched input epoch
- \*E\* Time series data parameter card
- \*F\* Epoch parameter card
- \*G\*  $q_t$  index card
- \*H\* Time series data
- \*I\* END punched in col. 1 — 3
- \*J\* Number of groups to be discarded
- \*K\* Index of group to be discarded

b) *Restart procedure* (Fig. 2)

- \*A\* Parameter card for restarting and grouppping
- \*B\* Blank card

\*C\* Like in a)

\*D\* Like in a)

\*L\* Mean epoch parameter card

\*M\* Mean epoch elements.

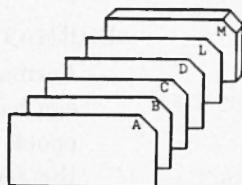


Fig. 2

#### CARD PREPARATION.

Card columns	Corresponding variable	Description
<i>*A* card</i>		FORMAT (4I3)
1-2	KTEST	— = 1 if restart procedure is required — ≠ 1 if start procedure is required
3-4	KRAI	— Initial groupping. Must always be KRAI > 1.
5-6	KRAF	— Last groupping. Must always be KRAF ≥ KRAI.
7-8	KRAP	— Step for executing intermediate grouppings.
<i>*B* card</i>		FORMAT (20A4)
1-80	FR1	— Format of time series input data. It must be like (A3, specifications for input data). Columns 1-3 cannot be used. This restriction is used to allow an indefinite number of time series input data cards, the end of which is reached when the program read the <i>*I*</i> card.

Card columns	Corresponding variable	Description
<b>*C* card</b>		<b>FORMAT (20A4)</b>
1-80	FR2	— Format of output data to be put on standard output tape.
<b>*D* card</b>		<b>FORMAT (20A4)</b>
1-80	FR3	— Format according which one can have the elements of mean epoch on logical tape 8, from the second record on.
<b>*E* card</b>		<b>FORMAT (4I3)</b>
1-2	NDS	— Number of time series data contained in each input card.
3-4	NTPI	— Logical tape number of input (5 if input is from punched cards).
5-6	KE	— Number of decimal figures if conversion is used (*).
7-8	IT	— > 0 if input conversion is required (*) — ≤ 0 if input conversion not required (*).
<b>*F* card</b>		<b>FORMAT (3I3)</b>
1-2	NKPO	— Number of superposed epochs
3-4	NOPR	— Number of elements preceding $q_i$ in the epoch
5-6	NODO	— Number of elements successive to $q_i$ in the epoch.

(\*) One must use conversion when time series input data are punched as integer constants having the sign (hole zone) over the less significant figure of the number. In this case each field of width  $w$  containing the number, is considered like it were formed of two sequential fields: the 1st of integer-type of width  $w-1$ , the 2nd of alphanumeric-type of width 1. i.e.: if number 12.125 is punched according to the format specification F7.3 no conversion is required, being a Fortran number (in this case IT = 0). The character string 1212N (where N means holes 5 and 11, minus sign overpunched) columns of the card, punched in a field of width  $w = 5$  for having the same value as the above one, must be read according to the format specification 14, A1 and must be KE = 3 (decimal figures of the number) and IT ≠ 0.

Card columns	Corresponding variable	Description
<b>*G* card</b>		FORMAT (16I5)
1-n	KPO	— Index of $q_i$ in the time series input (*H* card).
( $n \leq 80$ )		
<b>*H* card</b>		FR1 format (see *B* card)
4-n ( $n \leq 80$ )	EL (KA, KB)	— Time series input data.
<b>*I* card</b>		FORMAT (A3)
1-3	KEND	— The work END <i>must</i> be punched in the corresponding columns. This card notifies the program that all the cards containing time series input data have been read.
<b>*J* card</b>		FORMAT (I3)
1-3	NGRU	— Number of groups of elements to be discarded. If no groups be discarded NGRU = O or blank.
<b>*K* card</b>		FORMAT (8(2I5, 3X))
	NGRUI, NGRUF...	— Index of the initial and last elements for each group to be discarded among the time series input data. — If NGRU = O or blank this card must be omitted.
<b>*L* card</b>		FORMAT (I4, 2I3, 5E14.6)
	This card may be punched from the first record on logical tape 8.	
1-4	LEPO	— Number of elements of the mean epoch.
5-7	NOPR	— See *F* card.
8-10	NKPO	— See *F* card.

Card columns	Corresponding variable	Description
<b>*L* card (cont.)</b>		
11-24	SIGMA (1)	— Variance of the mean epoch.
25-38	S (1)	— Significance level of the mean epoch.
39-52	SIGR2	— Mean variance of data series.
53-66	SE	— Standard deviation of data series.
67-80	DIFVER (1)	SIGMA (1) - SIGR2/NKPO
<b>*M* card</b>		
	ELM	FR3 format (see *D* card) — Elements of mean epoch. They may be punched from the second record on from logical type 8.

#### COMMENT.

In the following pages it has been reproduced the list of the described program.

The authors have mainly contributed each in their activity field.

#### TIMING.

1) It takes 7'' to elaborate 1000 elements of stationary time series, the length of the epoch being 100, corresponding to  $n = 10$ , to group from 1 to 10 step 1, and to find the local maxima.

2) It takes 1'' to elaborate the restart procedure groupping from 4 to 9.

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$IBFTC EPO      M94,XR7,LIST          001
C                                         002
C===== 003
C           E P O C H S          004
C===== 005
C                                         006
C     DIMENSION FR1(20),FR2(20),FR3(20),KPO(100),KA(80),KB(80),EL(80), 007
1       NGRUI(100),NGRUF(100),LEFF(2000),ELM(2000),KDIV(2000), 008
2       LEPM(100),SIGMA(100),S(100),ELM1(2000),DIFVER(100) 009
    DATA KALT/3HEND/ 010
    WRITE(6,901) 011
C                                         012
C===== 013
C   INPUT OF PARAMETERS 014
C===== 015
C                                         016
C     READ(5,5) KTEST,KRAI,KRAF,KRAP 017
C     READ(5,15) FR1,FR2,FR3 018
C     IF(KTEST.EQ.1) GO TO 440 019
C     READ(5,5) NDS,NTPI,KE,IT 020
C     KE=10**KE 021
C     READ(5,5) NKPO,NOPR,NODO 022
C     READ(5,25) (KPO(I),I=1,NKPO) 023
C     WRITE(6,902) NTPI,NDS,FR1,FR2,FR3,NKPO,NOPR,NODO 024
C     WRITE(6,903)(KPO(I),I=1,NKPO) 025
C                                         026
C===== 027
C   INPUT OF DATA (NDS PER CARD) AND RECCRDING ON BINARY TAPE 3 (NDS PER 028
C   RECORD 029
C===== 030
C                                         031
C     REWIND 3 032
C     NREC=0 033
C     IF(IT.LE.0)GO TO 500 034
501  READ(NTPI,FR1)KFIN,(KA(J),KB(J),J=1,NDS) 035
C     IF(KFIN.EQ.KALT)GO TO 502 036
C     DO 503 J=1,NDS 037
C     KB(1)=MOD(KB(J)/KIFT,16) 038
503  EL(J)=ISIGN(KA(J)*10+IABS(MOD(KB(1),10)),KB(1))/KE 039
C     NREC=NREC+1 040
C     WRITE(3)(EL(J),J=1,NDS) 041
C     GO TO 501 042
500  READ(NTPI,FR1)KFIN,(EL(J),J=1,NDS) 043
C     IF(KFIN.EQ.KALT)GO TO 502 044
C     NREC=NREC+1 045
C     WRITE(3)(EL(J),J=1,NDS) 046
C     GO TO 500 047
502  NTCT=NREC*NDS 048
C     REWIND 3 049
C                                         050
C===== 051
C   COMPUTATION CF VARIANCE CONCERNING EACH EPOCH 052
C===== 053
C                                         054
C     LEPC=NOPR+NCD0+1 055
C     NTEPO=NTOT/LEPO 056
C     NTOTAL=NTEPO*LEPO 057
C     WRITE(6,904)NTOTAL,NTEPO 058

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READ(5,4)NGRU
IF(NGRU.EQ.0)GO TO 720
READ(5,6)(NGRUI(I),NGRUF(I),I=1,NGRU)
WRITE(6,905)NGRU
720 DC 701 I=1,NTEPO
701 LEFF(I)=LEPC
SIG2=C.
TOT=0.
SICR=0.
K=0
JJ=1
II=1
NC=0
DC 40C L=1,NREC
READ(3)(EL(J),J=1,NDS)
DC 401 I=1,NDS
IF(II.GT.NGRU)GO TO 704
NC=NC+1
IF(NC.GE.NGRUI(II).AND.NC.LE.NGRUF(II))GO TO 702
IF(NC.GT.NGRUF(II))II=II+1
704 TCT=TCT+EL(I)
SIG2=SIG2+EL(I)*EL(I)
703 K=K+1
IF(K.NE.LEPO)GO TO 401
SIG2=(SIG2-TOT*TOT/FLOAT(LEFF(JJ)))/(FLOAT(LEFF(JJ))-1.)
SIGR=SIGR+SIG2
TCT=0.
SIG2=C.
K=0
JJ=JJ+1
GC TO 401
702 LEFF(JJ)=LEFF(JJ)-1
GO TO 703
401 CCNTINUE
400 CCNTINUE
SIGR2=SIGR/FLOAT(NTEPO)

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===== COMPUTATION OF MEAN EPOCH =====
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    DC 411 I=1,LEPO
    KCIV(I)=NKPO
411 ELM(I)=C.
    DC 412 I=1,NKPO
    LEPOM(I)=LEPO
    KPO(I)=KPC(I)-NOPR
    IF(KPC(I).GT.0) GO TO 412
    KF=IAES(KPO(I))+1
    DC 732 K=1,KF
732 KCIV(K)=KDIV(K)-1
    LEPOM(I)=LEPOM(I)-KF
    KPO(I)=KPO(I)+KF
412 CONTINUE
    DO 413 L=1,NKPO
    REWIND 3
    I=1

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II=1          117
I2=1          118
J=LEPO -LEPOM(L) 119
IF(NGRU.GT.0)GO TO 711 120
I=2          121
I2=2          122
711 DO 414 L1=1,NREC 123
  READ(3) (EL(L2),L2=1,NDS) 124
  KT=NDS*(L1-1) 125
  DO 414 L2=1,NDS 126
    KI=KT+L2 127
    IF(KI.LE.KPO(L)) GO TO 414 128
    J=J+1 129
    IF(J.GT.LEPO) GO TO 413 130
    GC TO (705,706),I 131
705 DC 710 IG=1,NGRU 132
  IF(KI.LE.NGRUI(II).OR.KI.LE.NGRUF(II)) GO TO 708 133
710 II=II+1 134
  I2=2 135
706 GO TO (708,709),I2 136
708 IF(KI.GE.NGRUI(II).AND.KI.LE.NGRUF(II))GO TO 707 137
  IF(KI.GT.NGRUF(II)) II=II+1 138
  IF(II.GT.NGRU) I2=2 139
709 ELM(J)=ELM(J)+EL(L2) 140
  GC TO 414 141
707 KDIV(J)=KDIV(J)-1 142
  I=2 143
414 CONTINUE 144
  IF(J.GT.LEPO) GO TO 413 145
  J1=J+1 146
  DO 416 K=J1,LEPO 147
    KDIV(K)=KDIV(K)-1 148
416 CONTINUE 149
413 CONTINUE 150
C          151
C=====
C COMPUTATION OF STANDARD DEVIATION 152
C===== 153
C          154
C          155
      TSIGR2=SIGR2/FLOAT(NKPC) 156
      SE=TSIGR2*SQRT(2./FLOAT(LEPO-1)) 157
C          158
C=====
C LINEAR INTERPOLATION 159
C===== 160
C          161
C          162
      IZF=0 163
      DO 415 I=1,LEPO 164
        IF(KDIV(I).EQ.0)GO TO 733 165
        ELM(I)=ELM(I)/FLOAT(KDIV(I)) 166
        GC TO 415 167
733 IF(IZF.EQ.0)WRITE(6,909) 168
      IZF=1 169
      WRITE(6,417)I 170
415 CONTINUE 171
      J=1 172
      IN=1 173
      IF=1 174

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DC 421 I=1,LEPO          175
IF(KDIV(I).NE.0)GO TO 422 176
IF(J.EQ.2)GO TO 423      177
J=2                      178
IN=I                      179
423 IF=I                  180
GO TO 421                181
422 IF(J.EQ.1)GO TO 421  182
J=1                      183
IF(IN.EQ.1)GO TO 426    184
IF(IF.EQ.0,LEPO)GO TO 428 185
IF(IN.EQ.LEPO)GO TO 429  186
EME=(ELM(IF+1)-ELM(IN-1))/FLOAT(IF-IN+2) 187
427 DC 425 IM=IN,IF      188
IM=IM                    189
425 ELM(IM)=ELM(IM-1)+EME 190
GO TO 421                191
426 IF(IF.EQ.0,LEPO)GO TO 431 192
IN=1                      193
EME=ELM(IF+1)            194
432 DO 430 IM=IN,IF      195
430 ELM(IM)=EME          196
GO TO 421                197
431 WRITE(6,910)          198
GO TO 678                199
428 EME=ELM(IN-1)        200
GO TO 432                201
429 ELM(LEPO)=ELM(LEPO-1) 202
421 CCNTINUE              203
TKPO=NKPO                 204
CALL VAR(ELM,SIGMA,S,1,LEPO,1.,TKPO,SIGR2,DIFVER) 205
I3=3                      206
912 WRITE(6,9C7)SIGR2,SE,SIGMA(1),S(1),DIFVER(1) 207
WRITE(6,6C1)LEPO          208
WRITE(6,FR2)(ELM(J),J=1,LEPO) 209
WRITE(8,9C8)LEPO,NOPR,NKPO,SIGMA(1),S(1),SIGR2,SE,DIFVER(1) 210
WRITE(8,FR3)(ELM(J),J=1,LEPO) 211
KK=1                      212
WRITE(6,1C10)LEPO,KK,SIGMA(KK),S(KK),DIFVER(KK) 213
IF(IKTEST.EQ.1) KK=KRAI-1 214
DC 61C KRA=KRAI,KRAF,KRAP 215
IF(KRA.EQ.1)GO TO 610    216
KK=KK+1                  217
CALL RAC(ELM,ELM1,LEPO,NOPR,KRA,LEPRA,IER) 218
IF(IER.EQ.1)GO TO 640    219
WRITE(6,641)KK,NOPR,KRA  220
KK=KK-1                  221
GC TO 642                222
640 TKRA=KRA              223
CALL VAR(ELM1,SIGMA,S,KK,LEPRA,TKRA,TKPO,SIGR2,DIFVER) 224
610 CCNTINUE              225
C=====
C LOCAL MAXIMA OF SIGNIFICANCE LEVEL
C=====
C
        WRITE(6,647)          231
642 IF(KK.GE.I3)GO TO 644  232

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      WRITE(6,643)KK          233
      GO TO 678              234
C
 644 DC 645 I=I3,KK        235
      II=I                  236
      IF(S(I-2).GE.S(I-1).OR.S(I-1).LE.S(I))GC TC 645 237
      KRA=KRAI+(I-I3)*KRAP 238
      IF(KTEST.EQ.1) KRA=KRA+1 239
      CALL RAG(ELM,ELM1,LEPO,NOPR,KRA,LEPRA,IER) 240
      WRITE(6,646)S(I-1),SIGMA(I-1),KRA,KRA,LEPRA 241
      645 CONTINUE             242
      678 WRITE(6,914)          243
      END FILE 8              244
      STOP                   245
C                                         246
C=====
C IF KTEST=1 INPUT OF MEAN EPOCH TO RESTART A FCRMER COMPUTATION 247
C=====
C
 440 READ(5,908)LEPO,NOPR,NKPO,SIGMA(1),S(1),SIGR2,SE,DIFVER(1) 248
      TKPO=NKPO              249
      I3=KRAI+2               250
      WRITE(6,916)              251
      READ(5,FR3)(ELM(I),I=1,LEPO) 252
      GO TO 912               253
C                                         254
C=====
C
 4   FORMAT(I3)                255
 5   FORMAT(4I3)               256
 6   FORMAT(8(2I5,3X))         257
 15  FORMAT(20A4)              258
 25  FORMAT(16I5)              259
 417 FORMAT(15X,I6)            260
 601 FCRMAT(1H1,10X,15HMEAN EPOCH R =I6/11X,10(1H-),///) 261
 641 FORMAT(1H1,10X,16HGROUPLING NUMBERI3,15H CANNOT BE MADE5X,6HNOPR = 262
     1I6,10X,5HKRA =I5)       263
 643 FORMAT(1H0,10X,15HTHE GROUPS ARE I2,41H . THE LOCAL MAXIMUM CANNOT 264
     1 BE DETERMINED)         265
 646 FORMAT(1HC,10X,3HS =E14.6, 8X,7HSIGMA =E14.6, 8X,8HGROUPING,I4,3H 266
     1BY,I3,8X,3HR =,I5)      267
 547 FCRMAT(1H1,10X,12HLOCAL MAXIMA/11X,12(1H-),///) 268
 901 FCRMAT(1H1,10X,11HE P O C H S/11X,11(1H-),///) 269
 902 FCRMAT(11X,10HINPUT TAPEI3/11X,13HDATA PER CARDI4/11X21HTHE INPUT 270
     1FCRMAT IS 20A4/11X,21HTHE PRINT FORMAT IS 20A4/11X,21HTHE PUNCH 271
     2FCRMAT IS 20A4//11X,21HNUMBER OF POINTS Q(I)I4/11X,34HNUMBER OF 272
     3THE ELEMENTS PRECEDING QI4/11X,34HNUMBER OF THE ELEMENTS FOLLOWING 273
     4 QI4)                   274
 903 FORMAT(11X,31HINDEX OF SUPERPOSED PCINTS Q(I)//,(11X,16I6)) 275
 904 FORMAT(1H0,10X,27HNUMBER OF UTILIZED ELEMENTS18/11X,28HNUMBER OF C 276
     1ONSECUTIVE EPOCHSI6)    277
 905 FORMAT(1HC,10X,51HNUMBER OF GROUPS OF CONSECUTIVE ELEMENTS TO DISC 278
     1ARDI4)                 279
 906 FORMAT(11X,66HINDEXES OF THE FIRST AND THE LAST ELEMENT TO DISCARD 280
     1 IN EACH GROUP//(,11X,5(2I6,3H * ))) 281
 907 FORMAT(1HC,10X,21HMEAN VARIANCE SIGR2E15.6/ 282
     1 11X,23HSTANDARD DEVIATION SEE15.6/ 283
     2 11X,30HVARINACE OF MEAN EPOCH SIGMAE15.6/ 284

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3 11X,22HSIGNIFICANCE LEVEL SE15.6/ 291
4 11X,64HVARIANCE OF MEAN EPOCH - MEAN VARIANCE/NUMBER OF EPOCHS 292
5DIFVERE15.6////) 293
908 FFORMAT(I4,2I3,5E14.6) 294
909 FORMAT(1H0,10X,48HINDEX OF INTERPLATED ELEMENTS IN THE MEAN EPOCH 295
 1) 296
910 FORMAT(1H1,10X,40HTHE ELEMENTS OF MEAN EPOCH ARE ALL ZEROS) 297
914 FORMAT(1H0,10X,10HENDOF JOB/11X,10(1H=)) 298
916 FORMAT(1H1,///,11X,31HRESTART OF A FORMER COMPUTATION/11X,31(1H-), 299
 1///) 300
1010 FORMAT(1H0/1H0, 7X,1HR,7X,6HGRCUPS,10X,5HSIGMA,17X,1HS,16X,6HDIFVE 301
 1R//2I10,3E20.6) 302
C 303
C=====
C 304
C 305
C      END 306
$IBFTC VRI      M94,XR7,LIST 307
      SUBROUTINE VAR(EPO,SIGMA,S,KK,LUP,TKRA,TKPO,SIGR2,DIFVER) 308
C 309
C=====
C      DIMENSION EPO(1),SIGMA(1),S(1),DIFVER(1) 310
C===== 311
C      312
C      313
C      TL=LUP 314
C      DIF=SIGR2/TKPO 315
C      TCT=0. 316
C      SIGMA(KK)=0. 317
C      DC 1 I=1,LUP 318
C      TCT=TCT+EPO(I) 319
C      SIGMA(KK)=SIGMA(KK)+EPO(I)*EPC(I) 320
1 CCNTINUE 321
C      SIGMA(KK)=(SIGMA(KK)-TOT*TOT/TL)/(TL-1.) 322
C      S(KK)=SQRT((TL-1.)/2.)*(TKPC*TKRA*SIGMA(KK)/SIGR2-1.) 323
C      DIFVER(KK)=SIGMA(KK)-DIF 324
C      IF(KK.EQ.1) RETURN 325
C      WRITE(6,2) LUP,KK,SIGMA(KK),S(KK),DIFVER(KK) 326
C      RETURN 327
2 FORMAT(2I10,3E20.6) 328
C      END 329
$IBFTC RGR      M94,XR7,LIST 330
      SUBROUTINE RAG(EPOR,EPKK,LEPO,NOPR,KRA,LEPRA,IER) 331
C 332
C=====
C      DIMENSION EPOR(1),EPKK(1) 333
C===== 334
C      335
C      IER=1 336
C      NO=NOPR-KRA/2 337
C      IF(NO.LT.KRA)GO TO 1 338
C      IN=MOC(NO,KRA)+1 339
C      GO TO 2 340
1 IF(NO.LT.C)GO TO 7 341
C      IN=NO+1 342
2 I1=IN 343
C      12=IN+KRA-1 344
C      LCPRA=(LEPO-IN+1)/KRA 345
C      DC 3 I=1,LEPRA 346
C      EPKK(I)=EPCR(I) 347
C      348

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I1=I1+1	349
DO 4 J=I1,I2	350
4 EPKK(I)=EPKK(I)+EPOR(J)	351
I1=I2+1	352
I2=I2+KRA	353
3 CONTINUE	354
DO 5 I=1,LEPRA	355
5 EPKK(I)=EPKK(I)/FLOAT(KRA)	356
RETURN	357
7 IER=2	358
RETURN	359
END	360

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