

ALGORITHM 278

GRAPH PLOTTER [J6]

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procedure graphplotter (N, x, y, m, n, xerror, yerror, g, L, S, EM,
    C0, C1, C2, C3, C4, label);
    value N, m, n, xerror, yerror, g, L, S;
    array x, y;
    integer N, g, m, n, L, S;
    real xerror, yerror;
    string EM, C0, C1, C2, C3, C4;
    label label;

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**comment** This procedure is intended to be used to give an approximate graphical display of a multivalued function,  $y[i, j]$  of  $x[i]$ , on a line printer. Output channel  $N$  is selected for all output from *graphplotter*. The display is confined to points for which  $1 \leq i \leq m$  and  $1 \leq j \leq n$  where  $2 \leq n \leq 4$ . If  $n = 1$ , then  $y$  is considered to be a one-dimensional array  $y[i]$  and the display is again given for  $1 \leq i \leq m$ . The format of the print out is arranged so that a margin of  $g$  spaces separates the display from the left-hand side of the page.  $L$  and  $S$  denote the number of lines down the page and the number of spaces across the page which the display will occupy. The graph is plotted so that lines 1 and  $L$  correspond to the minimum and maximum values of  $x$ , and the spaces 1 and  $S$  correspond to the minimum and maximum values of  $y$ , that is,  $y$  is plotted across the page and  $x$  down the page. After the graph has been plotted, the ranges of  $x$  and  $y$  for which the display is given are printed out in the order as above, separated from the display by a blank line. The strings *EM* ... *C4* must be such that they occupy only one character position when printed out. The characters of *C1 C2 C3 C4* represent  $y[i,1]$   $y[i,2]$   $y[i,3]$   $y[i,4]$ . *EM* is the character printed out round the perimeter of the display. *C0* is printed at empty positions. At coincident points the order of precedence of the characters is *C1 C2 C3 C4 EM C0*. For the special case  $n=1$  the character *C1* represents  $y[i]$ . Control is passed from the procedure to the point labeled *label* if the interval between the maximum value and minimum values of  $x[i]$  is less than *xerror*, or if the range of  $y$  is less than *yerror*. If the values of  $x[i]$  occur at equal intervals, choosing  $L=m$  will make one line equivalent to one interval of  $x$ ;

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begin
    real p, q, xmax, xmin, ymax, ymin;
    integer i, j;
    integer array plot[1:L,1:S];
    xmax := xmin := x[1];
    for i := 2 step 1 until m do
        begin
            if x[i] > xmax then xmax := x[i];
            if x[i] < xmin then xmin := x[i];
        end of hunt for maximum and minimum values of x;
        if n=1 then go to N1A;
        ymax := ymin := y[1,1];
        for i := 1 step 1 until m do
            for j := 1 step 1 until n do
                begin
                    if y[i,j] > ymax then ymax := y[i,j];
                    if y[i,j] < ymin then ymin := y[i,j];
                end of hunt for maximum and minimum values of y;
            escape: if  $\text{abs}(x_{max}-x_{min}) < x_{error} \vee \text{abs}(y_{max}-y_{min}) < y_{error}$  then go to label;
            p := (L-1)/(xmax-xmin); q := (S-1)/(ymax-ymin);
            for i := 1 step 1 until L do
                for j := 1 step 1 until S do plot[i,j] := 2;
            for i := 1, L do

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        for j := 1 step 1 until S do plot[i,j] := 1;
        for i := 2 step 1 until L-1 do
            for j := 1, S do plot[i,j] := 1;
        if n = 1 then go to N1B;
        for i := 1 step 1 until m do
            for j := n step -1 until 1 do
                plot[1+entier(0.5+p×(x[i]-xmin)),
                    1+entier(0.5+q×(y[i,j]-ymin))] := j+2;
        plotter:
        for i := 1 step 1 until L do
            begin
                NEWLINE(N,1); SPACE(N,g);
                comment NEWLINE and SPACE must be declared globally to graphplotter, NEWLINE(N,p) outputs p carriage returns and p line feeds on channel N, SPACE(N,p) outputs p blank character positions on channel N;
                for j := 1 step 1 until S do
                    begin
                        switch SW := SW1, SW2, SW3, SW4, SW5, SW6;
                        go to SW[plot[i,j]];
                    SW1: outstring(N,EM); go to fin;
                    SW2: outstring(N,C0); go to fin;
                    SW3: outstring(N,C1); go to fin;
                    SW4: outstring(N,C2); go to fin;
                    SW5: outstring(N,C3); go to fin;
                    SW6: outstring(N,C4);
                    fin:
                        end
                        end of display output;
                        NEWLINE(N,2); SPACE(N,g); outreal(N,xmin);
                        outreal(N,xmax);
                        outreal(N,ymin); outreal(N,ymax);
                        go to end;
                    N1A:
                        ymax := ymin := y[1];
                        for i := 2 step 1 until m do
                            begin
                                if y[i] > ymax then ymax := y[i];
                                if y[i] < ymin then ymin := y[i];
                            end of hunt for maximum and minimum values of y when n = 1;
                            go to escape;
                        N1B:
                            for i := 1 step 1 until m do
                                plot[1+entier(0.5+p×(x[i]-xmin)),
                                    1+entier(0.5+q×(y[i]-ymin))] := 3;
                                go to plotter;
                            end:
                                end of graphplotter

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