

# arpack\_wrapper

## NAME

arpack\_wrapper - a frovedis module supports singular value decomposition on sparse data using arpack routines.

## SYNOPSIS

```
import frovedis.matrix.wrapper.ARPACK
```

## Public Member Functions

ARPACK.computeSVD (data, k)

## DESCRIPTION

This module provides interface to compute singular value decomposition on sparse data using arpack native routines at frovedis server side.

## Detailed Description

**computeSVD (data, k)**

### Parameters

*data*: Any scipy sparse matrix or python array-like structure or an instance of FrovedisCRSMatrix.

*k*: An integer value to specify the number of singular values to compute.

### Purpose

It computes the singular value decomposition on the sparse data at frovedis side. Once done, it returns a GesvdResult object containing the proxy of the results at frovedis server.

When required, the spark client can convert back the frovedis server side SVD result to numpy data by calling to\_numpy\_results() function on GesvdResult structure.

For example,

```
res = ARPACK.computeSVD(data,2) // compute 2 singular values for the given data
p_res = res.to_numpy_results()
```

### Return Value

On success, it returns an object of GesvdResult type containing the proxy of SVD results at frovedis server side. If any error occurs, it throws an exception.