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double A[1:n,1:n], LU[1:n,1:n]; # assume A initialized
int ps[1:n]; # pivot row indices
double pivot; int pivotRow; # pivot value and row
double mult; int t; # temporaries

# initialize ps and LU
for [i = 1 to n] {
    ps[i] = i;
    for [j = 1 to n]
        LU[i,j] = A[i,j];
}

# perform Gaussian elimination with partial pivoting
for [k = 1 to n-1] { # iterate down main diagonal
    pivot = abs(LU[ps[k],k]); pivotRow = k;
    for [i = k+1 to n] { # select pivot in column k
        if (abs(LU[ps[i],k]) > pivot) {
            pivot = abs(LU[ps[i],k]); pivotRow = i;
        }
    }
    if (pivotRow != k) { # swap rows by swapping indices
        t = ps[k]; ps[k] = ps[pivotRow]; ps[pivotRow] = t;
    }
    pivot = LU[ps[k],k]; # get actual value of pivot
    for [i = k+1 to n] { # for all rows in submatrix
        mult = LU[ps[i],k]/pivot; # calculate multiplier
        LU[ps[i],k] = mult; # and save it
        for [j = k+1 to n] # eliminate across columns
            LU[ps[i],j] = LU[ps[i],j] - mult*LU[ps[k],j];
    }
}
}

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**Figure 11.16** Sequential program for LU decomposition of a matrix.