

# NAG C Library Function Document

## nag\_dsb\_norm (f16rec)

### 1 Purpose

nag\_dsb\_norm (f16rec) calculates the value of the 1-norm, the  $\infty$ -norm, the Frobenius norm or the maximum absolute value of the elements of a real  $n$  by  $n$  symmetric band matrix.

### 2 Specification

```
#include <nag.h>
#include <nagf16.h>
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```
void nag_dsb_norm (Nag_OrderType order, Nag_NormType norm, Nag_UploType uplo,
                  Integer n, Integer k, const double ab[], Integer pdab, double *r,
                  NagError *fail)
```

### 3 Description

Given a real  $n$  by  $n$  symmetric band matrix,  $A$ , nag\_dsb\_norm (f16rec) calculates one of the values given by

$$\|A\|_1 = \max_j \sum_{i=1}^n |a_{ij}|,$$

$$\|A\|_\infty = \max_i \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}|,$$

$$\|A\|_F = \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n |a_{ij}|^2 \right)^{1/2}$$

or

$$\max_{i,j} |a_{ij}|.$$

Note that, since  $A$  is symmetric,  $\|A\|_1 = \|A\|_\infty$ .

### 4 References

The BLAS Technical Forum Standard (2001) [www.netlib.org/blas/blast-forum](http://www.netlib.org/blas/blast-forum)

### 5 Arguments

1: **order** – Nag\_OrderType *Input*

*On entry:* the **order** argument specifies the two-dimensional storage scheme being used, i.e., row-major ordering or column-major ordering. C language defined storage is specified by **order = Nag\_RowMajor**. See Section 2.2.1.4 of the Essential Introduction for a more detailed explanation of the use of this argument.

*Constraint:* **order = Nag\_RowMajor** or **Nag\_ColMajor**.

2: **norm** – Nag\_NormType *Input*

*On entry:* specifies the value to be returned.

**norm = Nag\_OneNorm**

The 1-norm.

**norm = Nag\_InfNorm**

The  $\infty$ -norm.

**norm = Nag\_FrobeniusNorm**

The Frobenius (or Euclidean) norm.

**norm = Nag\_MaxNorm**

The value  $\max_{ij} |a_{ij}|$  (not a norm).

*Constraint:* **norm = Nag\_OneNorm, Nag\_InfNorm, Nag\_FrobeniusNorm or Nag\_MaxNorm.**

3: **uplo** – Nag\_UploType *Input*

*On entry:* specifies whether the upper or lower triangular part of  $A$  is stored.

**uplo = Nag\_Upper**

The upper triangular part of  $A$  is stored.

**uplo = Nag\_Lower**

The lower triangular part of  $A$  is stored.

*Constraint:* **uplo = Nag\_Upper or Nag\_Lower.**

4: **n** – Integer *Input*

*On entry:*  $n$ , the order of the matrix  $A$ .

*Constraint:*  **$n \geq 0$ .**

5: **k** – Integer *Input*

*On entry:*  $k$ , the number of subdiagonals or superdiagonals of the matrix  $A$ .

*Constraint:*  **$k \geq 0$ .**

6: **ab[*dim*]** – const double *Input*

**Note:** the dimension, *dim*, of the array **ab** must be at least  $\max(1, \mathbf{pdab} \times \mathbf{n})$ .

*On entry:* the  $n$  by  $n$  symmetric band matrix  $A$ . This is stored as a notional two-dimensional array with row elements or column elements stored contiguously. The storage of elements  $a_{ij}$  depends on the **order** and **uplo** arguments as follows:

if **order = Nag\_ColMajor** and **uplo = Nag\_Upper**,  
 $a_{ij}$  is stored in **ab**[ $k + i - j + (j - 1) \times \mathbf{pdab}$ ],  
for  $j = 1, \dots, n$  and  $i = \max(1, j - k), \dots, j$ ;  
if **order = Nag\_ColMajor** and **uplo = Nag\_Lower**,  
 $a_{ij}$  is stored in **ab**[ $i - j + (j - 1) \times \mathbf{pdab}$ ],  
for  $j = 1, \dots, n$  and  $i = j, \dots, \min(n, j + k)$ ;  
if **order = Nag\_RowMajor** and **uplo = Nag\_Upper**,  
 $a_{ij}$  is stored in **ab**[ $j - i + (i - 1) \times \mathbf{pdab}$ ],  
for  $i = 1, \dots, n$  and  $j = i, \dots, \min(n, i + k)$ ;  
if **order = Nag\_RowMajor** and **uplo = Nag\_Lower**,  
 $a_{ij}$  is stored in **ab**[ $k + j - i + (i - 1) \times \mathbf{pdab}$ ],  
for  $i = 1, \dots, n$  and  $j = \max(1, i - k), \dots, i$ .

- 7: **pdab** – Integer *Input*  
*On entry:* the stride separating row or column elements (depending on the value of **order**) of the matrix  $A$  in the array **ab**.  
*Constraint:*  $\mathbf{pdab} \geq \mathbf{k} + 1$ .
- 8: **r** – double \* *Output*  
*On exit:* the value of the norm specified by **norm**.
- 9: **fail** – NagError \* *Input/Output*  
The NAG error argument (see Section 2.6 of the Essential Introduction).

## 6 Error Indicators and Warnings

### NE\_ALLOC\_FAIL

Dynamic memory allocation failed.

### NE\_BAD\_PARAM

On entry, argument  $\langle value \rangle$  had an illegal value.

### NE\_INT

On entry,  $\mathbf{k} = \langle value \rangle$ .

Constraint:  $\mathbf{k} \geq 0$ .

On entry,  $\mathbf{n} = \langle value \rangle$ .

Constraint:  $\mathbf{n} \geq 0$ .

### NE\_INT\_2

On entry,  $\mathbf{pdab} = \langle value \rangle$ ,  $\mathbf{k} = \langle value \rangle$ .

Constraint:  $\mathbf{pdab} \geq \mathbf{k} + 1$ .

## 7 Accuracy

The BLAS standard requires accurate implementations which avoid unnecessary over/underflow (see Section 2.7 of The BLAS Technical Forum Standard (2001)).

## 8 Further Comments

None.

## 9 Example

See Section 9 of the document for nag\_dpbcon (f07hgc).

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