

NAG Fortran Library Routine Document

F06EDF (DSCAL)

Note: before using this routine, please read the Users' Note for your implementation to check the interpretation of ***bold italicised*** terms and other implementation-dependent details.

1 Purpose

F06EDF (DSCAL) performs the operation

$$x \leftarrow \alpha x$$

where x is an n element real vector, and α is a real scalar.

2 Specification

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SUBROUTINE F06EDF (N, ALPHA, X, INCX)
  INTEGER          N, INCX
  double precision ALPHA, X(*)
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The routine may be called by its BLAS name ***dscal***.

3 Description

None.

4 References

None.

5 Parameters

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| 1: | N – INTEGER | Input |
| | <i>On entry:</i> n , the number of elements in x . | |
| 2: | ALPHA – double precision | Input |
| | <i>On entry:</i> the scalar α . | |
| 3: | X(*) – double precision array | Input/Output |
| | <i>On entry:</i> the vector x . | |
| | <i>On exit:</i> the vector αx . | |
| 4: | INCX – INTEGER | Input |
| | <i>On entry:</i> the increment in the subscripts of X between successive elements of x . | |
| | <i>Constraint:</i> INCX > 0. | |

6 Error Indicators and Warnings

None.