

## NAG Library Routine Document

### F16GCF (BLAS\_ZAXPBY)

**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

F16GCF (BLAS\_ZAXPBY) computes the sum of two scaled vectors, for complex scalars and vectors.

#### 2 Specification

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SUBROUTINE F16GCF (N, ALPHA, X, INCX, BETA, Y, INCY)
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INTEGER N, INCX, INCY
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COMPLEX (KIND=nag_wp) ALPHA, X(1+(N-1)*ABS(INCX)), BETA, &  
Y(1+(N-1)*ABS(INCY))
```

The routine may be called by its BLAST name *blas\_zaxpby*.

#### 3 Description

F16GCF (BLAS\_ZAXPBY) performs the operation

$$y \leftarrow \alpha x + \beta y,$$

where  $x$  and  $y$  are  $n$ -element complex vectors, and  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are complex scalars. If  $n$  is less than or equal to zero, or if  $\alpha$  is equal to zero and  $\beta$  is equal to 1, this routine returns immediately.

#### 4 References

Basic Linear Algebra Subprograms Technical (BLAST) Forum (2001) *Basic Linear Algebra Subprograms Technical (BLAST) Forum Standard* University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee <http://www.netlib.org/blas/blast-forum/blas-report.pdf>

#### 5 Parameters

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| 1: | N – INTEGER  | <i>Input</i> |
|    | <i>On entry:</i> $n$ , the number of elements in $x$ and $y$ .                             |              |
| 2: | ALPHA – COMPLEX (KIND=nag_wp)  | <i>Input</i> |
|    | <i>On entry:</i> the scalar $\alpha$ .   |              |
| 3: | X(1 + (N – 1) ×  INCX ) – COMPLEX (KIND=nag_wp) array                                      | <i>Input</i> |
|    | <i>On entry:</i> the $n$ -element vector $x$ .   |              |
|    | If INCX > 0, $x_i$ must be stored in X(1 + (i – 1) × INCX), for $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$ .     |              |
|    | If INCX < 0, $x_i$ must be stored in X(1 – (N – i) × INCX), for $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$ .     |              |
|    | Intermediate elements of X are not referenced.   |              |
| 4: | INCX – INTEGER   | <i>Input</i> |
|    | <i>On entry:</i> the increment in the subscripts of X between successive elements of $x$ . |              |
|    | <i>Constraint:</i> INCX ≠ 0.   |              |

- 5: BETA – COMPLEX (KIND=nag\_wp) *Input*  
*On entry:* the scalar  $\beta$ .
- 6:  $Y(1 + (N - 1) \times |\text{INCY}|)$  – COMPLEX (KIND=nag\_wp) array *Input/Output*  
*On entry:* the  $n$ -element vector  $y$ .  
 If  $\text{INCY} > 0$ ,  $y_i$  must be stored in  $Y(1 + (i - 1) \times \text{INCY})$ , for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$ .  
 If  $\text{INCY} < 0$ ,  $y_i$  must be stored in  $Y(1 - (N - i) \times \text{INCY})$ , for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, N$ .  
 Intermediate elements of  $Y$  are not referenced.  
*On exit:* the updated vector  $y$  stored in the array elements used to supply the original vector  $y$ .  
 Intermediate elements of  $Y$  are unchanged.
- 7: INCY – INTEGER *Input*  
*On entry:* the increment in the subscripts of  $Y$  between successive elements of  $y$ .  
*Constraint:*  $\text{INCY} \neq 0$ .

## 6 Error Indicators and Warnings

If  $\text{INCX} = 0$  or  $\text{INCY} = 0$ , an error message is printed and program execution is terminated.

## 7 Accuracy

The BLAS standard requires accurate implementations which avoid unnecessary over/underflow (see Section 2.7 of Basic Linear Algebra Subprograms Technical (BLAST) Forum (2001)).

## 8 Further Comments

None.

## 9 Example

This example computes the result of a scaled vector accumulation for

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= 3 + 2i, & x &= (-4 + 2.1i, 3.7 + 4.5i, -6 + 1.2i)^T, \\ \beta &= -i, & y &= (-3 - 2.4i, 6.4 - 5i, -5.1)^T. \end{aligned}$$

### 9.1 Program Text

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Program f16gcfe

!      F16GCF Example Program Text

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!      .. Use Statements ..
      Use nag_library, Only: blas_zaxpby, nag_wp
!      .. Implicit None Statement ..
      Implicit None
!      .. Parameters ..
      Integer, Parameter          :: nin = 5, nout = 6
!      .. Local Scalars ..
      Complex (Kind=nag_wp)      :: alpha, beta
      Integer                    :: incx, incy, n, nx, ny
!      .. Local Arrays ..
      Complex (Kind=nag_wp), Allocatable :: x(:), y(:)
!      .. Intrinsic Procedures ..
      Intrinsic                  :: abs
!      .. Executable Statements ..

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      Write (nout,*) 'F16GCF Example Program Results'

!      Skip heading in data file
      Read (nin,*)

      Read (nin,*) n
      Read (nin,*) incx, incy

      nx = 1 + (n-1)*abs(incx)
      ny = 1 + (n-1)*abs(incy)
      Allocate (x(nx),y(ny))

      Read (nin,*) alpha, beta
      Read (nin,*) x(1:nx:abs(incx))
      Read (nin,*) y(1:ny:abs(incy))

!      Compute Y = alpha*X + beta*Y

      Call blas_zaxpby(n,alpha,x,incx,beta,y,incy)

      Write (nout,*)
      Write (nout,99999)
      Write (nout,99998) y(1:ny:abs(incy))

99999 Format (1X,'Result of scaled vector addition is')
99998 Format (1X,'Y = ( ',2('(',F9.4,',',F9.4,')', '),'(',F9.4,',',F9.4,')' )')
      End Program f16gcfe

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## 9.2 Program Data

F16GCF Example Program Data

3				: n
-1	-1			: incx and incy
( 3., 2.0)	( 0.0,-1.0)			: alpha and beta
(-4., 2.1)	( 3.7, 4.5)	(-6.0, 1.2)		: x
(-3.,-2.4)	( 6.4,-5.0)	(-5.1, 0.0)		: y

## 9.3 Program Results

F16GCF Example Program Results

Result of scaled vector addition is  
Y = ( ( -18.6000, 1.3000), ( -2.9000, 14.5000), ( -20.4000, -3.3000) )

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