

# NAG Library Function Document

## nag\_quad\_opt\_get (d01zlc)

### 1 Purpose

nag\_quad\_opt\_get (d01zlc) is used to query the current value associated with an optional argument for nag\_quad\_1d\_gen\_vec\_multi\_rcomm (d01rac).

### 2 Specification

```
#include <nag.h>
#include <nagd01.h>

void nag_quad_opt_get (const char *optstr, Integer *ivalue, double *rvalue,
    char *cvalue, Integer lcvalue, Nag_VariableType *optype,
    const Integer iopts[], const double opts[], NagError *fail)
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### 3 Description

nag\_quad\_opt\_get (d01zlc) is used to query the current value associated with optional arguments. It is necessary to initialize optional argument arrays, **iopts** and **opts**, using nag\_quad\_opt\_set (d01zkc) before any optional arguments are queried.

nag\_quad\_opt\_get (d01zlc) will normally return either an integer, real or character value dependent upon the type associated with the optional argument being queried. Some real and integer optional arguments also return additional information in **cvalue**. Whether the optional argument queried is of integer, real or character type, and whether additional information is returned in **cvalue**, is indicated by the returned value of **optype**.

Information on optional argument names and whether these options are real, integer or character can be found in Section 11 in nag\_quad\_1d\_gen\_vec\_multi\_rcomm (d01rac).

### 4 References

None.

### 5 Arguments

1: **optstr** – const char \* *Input*

*On entry:* a string identifying the option whose current value is required. See Section 11 in nag\_quad\_1d\_gen\_vec\_multi\_rcomm (d01rac) for information on valid optional arguments. In addition, the following is a valid option:

#### Identify

In which case nag\_quad\_opt\_get (d01zlc) returns in **cvalue** the 6 character function name supplied to nag\_quad\_opt\_set (d01zkc) when the optional argument arrays **iopts** and **opts** were initialized.

2: **ivalue** – Integer \* *Output*

*On exit:* if the optional argument supplied in **optstr** is an integer valued argument, **ivalue** will hold that value.

3: **rvalue** – double \* *Output*

*On exit:* if the optional argument supplied in **optstr** is a real valued argument, **rvalue** will hold that value.

- 4: **cvalue** – char \* *Output*  
**Note:** the string returned in **cvalue** will never exceed  $\min(\mathbf{lvalue}, 41)$  characters in length (including the null terminator).  
*On exit:* if the optional argument supplied in **optstr** is a character valued argument, **cvalue** will hold that value. **cvalue** will also contain additional information for some integer and real valued arguments, as indicated by **optype**.
- 5: **lvalue** – Integer *Input*  
*On entry:* length of **cvalue**. At most  $\min(\mathbf{lvalue} - 1, 40)$  non-null characters will be written into **cvalue**.  
*Constraint:* **lvalue** > 1.
- 6: **optype** – Nag\_VariableType \* *Output*  
*On exit:* indicates whether the optional argument supplied in **optstr** is an integer, real or character valued argument and hence which of **ivalue**, **rvalue** or **cvalue** holds the current value.  
**optype** = Nag\_Integer  
**optstr** is an integer valued optional argument; its current value has been returned in **ivalue**.  
**optype** = Nag\_Real  
**optstr** is a real valued optional argument; its current value has been returned in **rvalue**.  
**optype** = Nag\_Character  
**optstr** is a character valued optional argument; its current value has been returned in **cvalue**.  
**optype** = Nag\_Integer\_Additional  
**optstr** is an integer valued optional argument; its current value has been returned in **ivalue**. Additional information has been returned in **cvalue**.  
**optype** = Nag\_Real\_Additional  
**optstr** is a real valued optional argument; its current value has been returned in **rvalue**. Additional information has been returned in **cvalue**.
- 7: **iopts**[*dim*] – const Integer *Communication Array*  
**Note:** the dimension, *dim*, of this array is dictated by the requirements of associated functions that must have been previously called. This array MUST be the same array passed as argument **iopts** in the previous call to nag\_quad\_opt\_set (d01zkc).
- 8: **opts**[*dim*] – const double *Communication Array*  
**Note:** the dimension, *dim*, of this array is dictated by the requirements of associated functions that must have been previously called. This array MUST be the same array passed as argument **opts** in the previous call to nag\_quad\_opt\_set (d01zkc).
- 9: **fail** – NagError \* *Input/Output*  
The NAG error argument (see Section 3.6 in the Essential Introduction).

## 6 Error Indicators and Warnings

### NE\_ALLOC\_FAIL

Dynamic memory allocation failed.

### NE\_BAD\_PARAM

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

**NE\_INT**

On entry, **lvalue** =  $\langle value \rangle$ .  
Constraint: **lvalue** > 1.

**NE\_INTERNAL\_ERROR**

An internal error has occurred in this function. Check the function call and any array sizes. If the call is correct then please contact NAG for assistance.

**NE\_INVALID\_OPTION**

On entry, the optional argument in **optstr** was not recognized: **optstr** = " $\langle value \rangle$ ".

The arrays **iopts** and **opts** have either not been initialized, have become corrupted, or are not compatible with this option setting function.

**NW\_TRUNCATED**

On entry, **optstr** indicates a character optional argument, but **cvalue** is too short to hold the stored value. The returned value will be truncated.

**7 Accuracy**

Not applicable.

**8 Parallelism and Performance**

Not applicable.

**9 Further Comments**

None.

**10 Example**

See the example programs associated with the problem solving function you wish to use for a demonstration of how to use `nag_quad_opt_get` (d01zlc).

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