Meaning of prefixes

S - REAL	C - COMPLEX
D - DOUBLE PRECISION	Z - COMPLEX*16 (this may not be supported by all machines)

For the Level 2 BLAS a set of extended-precision routines with the prefixes ES, ED, EC, EZ may also be available.

Level 1 BLAS

In addition to the listed routines there are two further extended-precision dot product routines DQDOTI and DQDOTA.

Level 2 and Level 3 BLAS

Matrix types:

GE - GEneral	GB - General Band	
SY - SYmmetric	SB - Sym. Band	SP - Sum. Packed
HE - HErmitian	HB - Herm. Band	HP - Herm. Packed
TR - TRiangular	TB - Triang. Band	TP - Triang. Packed

Level 2 and Level 3 BLAS Options

Dummy options arguments are declared as CHARACTER*1 and may be passed as character strings.

TRANx	= '**N**o transpose', '**T**ranspose', '**C**onjugate transpose' (X, X^T, X^H)
UPLO	= '**U**pper triangular', '**L**ower triangular'
DIAG	= '**N**on-unit triangular', '**U**nit triangular'
SIDE	= '**L**eft', '**R**ight' (A or op(A) on the left, or A or op(A) on the right)

For real matrices, TRANSx = 'T' and TRANSx = 'C' have the same meaning.
For Hermitian matrices, TRANSx = 'T' is not allowed.
For complex symmetric matrices, TRANSx = 'H' is not allowed.

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Obtaining the Software via `netlib@ornl.gov`

To receive a copy of the single-precision software, type in a mail message:

```
send sblas from blas
send sblas2 from blas
send sblas3 from blas
```

To receive a copy of the double-precision software, type in a mail message:

```
send dblas from blas
send dblas2 from blas
send dblas3 from blas
```

To receive a copy of the complex single-precision software, type in a mail message:

```
send cblas from blas
send cblas2 from blas
send cblas3 from blas
```

To receive a copy of the complex double-precision software, type in a mail message:

```
send zblas from blas
send zblas2 from blas
send zblas3 from blas
```

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Level 1 BLAS

	dim	scalar	vector	vector	scalars		5-element array		prefixes
SUBROUTINE xROTG (					A, B, C, S)			Generate plane rotation	S, D
SUBROUTINE xROTMG(					D1, D2, A, B,		PARAM)	Generate modified plane rotation	S, D
SUBROUTINE xROT (	N,		X, INCX,	Y, INCY,		C, S)		Apply plane rotation	S, D
SUBROUTINE xROTM (	N,		X, INCX,	Y, INCY,			PARAM)	Apply modified plane rotation	S, D
SUBROUTINE xSWAP (	N,		X, INCX,	Y, INCY)				$x \leftrightarrow y$	S, D, C, Z
SUBROUTINE xSCAL (	N,	ALPHA,	X, INCX)					$x \leftarrow \alpha x$	S, D, C, Z, CS, ZD
SUBROUTINE xCOPY (	N,		X, INCX,	Y, INCY)				$y \leftarrow x$	S, D, C, Z
SUBROUTINE xAXPY (	N,	ALPHA,	X, INCX,	Y, INCY)				$y \leftarrow \alpha x + y$	S, D, C, Z
FUNCTION xDOT (	N,		X, INCX,	Y, INCY)				$dot \leftarrow x^T y$	S, D, DS
FUNCTION xDOTU (	N,		X, INCX,	Y, INCY)				$dot \leftarrow x^T y$	C, Z
FUNCTION xDOTC (	N,		X, INCX,	Y, INCY)				$dot \leftarrow x^H y$	C, Z
FUNCTION xxDOT (	N,	ALPHA,	X, INCX,	Y, INCY)				$dot \leftarrow \alpha + x^T y$	SDS
FUNCTION xNRM2 (	N,		X, INCX)					$nrm2 \leftarrow \|\|x\|\|_2$	S, D, SC, DZ
FUNCTION xASUM (	N,		X, INCX)					$asum \leftarrow \|\|re(x)\|\|_1 + \|\|im(x)\|\|_1$	S, D, SC, DZ
FUNCTION IxAMAX(	N,		X, INCX)					$amax \leftarrow 1^{st} k \ni \|re(x_k)\| + \|im(x_k)\| = max(\|re(x_i)\| + \|im(x_i)\|)$	S, D, C, Z

Level 2 BLAS

	options			dim	b-width	scalar	matrix	vector	scalar	vector		
xGEMV (		TRANS,		M, N,		ALPHA,	A, LDA,	X, INCX,	BETA,	Y, INCY)	$y \leftarrow \alpha Ax + \beta y, y \leftarrow \alpha A^T x + \beta y, y \leftarrow \alpha A^H x + \beta y, A - m \times n$	S, D, C, Z
xGBMV (		TRANS,		M, N,	KL, KU,	ALPHA,	A, LDA,	X, INCX,	BETA,	Y, INCY)	$y \leftarrow \alpha Ax + \beta y, y \leftarrow \alpha A^T x + \beta y, y \leftarrow \alpha A^H x + \beta y, A - m \times n$	S, D, C, Z
xHEMV (	UPLO,			N,		ALPHA,	A, LDA,	X, INCX,	BETA,	Y, INCY)	$y \leftarrow \alpha Ax + \beta y$	C, Z
xHBMV (	UPLO,			N,	K,	ALPHA,	A, LDA,	X, INCX,	BETA,	Y, INCY)	$y \leftarrow \alpha Ax + \beta y$	C, Z
xHPMV (	UPLO,			N,		ALPHA,	AP,	X, INCX,	BETA,	Y, INCY)	$y \leftarrow \alpha Ax + \beta y$	C, Z
xSYMV (	UPLO,			N,		ALPHA,	A, LDA,	X, INCX,	BETA,	Y, INCY)	$y \leftarrow \alpha Ax + \beta y$	S, D
xSBMV (	UPLO,			N,	K,	ALPHA,	A, LDA,	X, INCX,	BETA,	Y, INCY)	$y \leftarrow \alpha Ax + \beta y$	S, D
xSPMV (	UPLO,			N,		ALPHA,	AP,	X, INCX,	BETA,	Y, INCY)	$y \leftarrow \alpha Ax + \beta y$	S, D
xTRMV (	UPLO,	TRANS,	DIAG,	N,			A, LDA,	X, INCX)			$x \leftarrow Ax, x \leftarrow A^T x, x \leftarrow A^H x$	S, D, C, Z
xTBMV (	UPLO,	TRANS,	DIAG,	N,	K,		A, LDA,	X, INCX)			$x \leftarrow Ax, x \leftarrow A^T x, x \leftarrow A^H x$	S, D, C, Z
xTPMV (	UPLO,	TRANS,	DIAG,	N,			AP,	X, INCX)			$x \leftarrow Ax, x \leftarrow A^T x, x \leftarrow A^H x$	S, D, C, Z
xTRSV (	UPLO,	TRANS,	DIAG,	N,			A, LDA,	X, INCX)			$x \leftarrow A^{-1} x, x \leftarrow A^{-T} x, x \leftarrow A^{-H} x$	S, D, C, Z
xTBSV (	UPLO,	TRANS,	DIAG,	N,	K,		A, LDA,	X, INCX)			$x \leftarrow A^{-1} x, x \leftarrow A^{-T} x, x \leftarrow A^{-H} x$	S, D, C, Z
xTPSV (	UPLO,	TRANS,	DIAG,	N,			AP,	X, INCX)			$x \leftarrow A^{-1} x, x \leftarrow A^{-T} x, x \leftarrow A^{-H} x$	S, D, C, Z

	options			dim	scalar	vector	vector	matrix			
xGER (				M, N,	ALPHA,	X, INCX,	Y, INCY,	A, LDA)			$A \leftarrow \alpha xy^T + A, A - m \times n$	S, D
xGERU (				M, N,	ALPHA,	X, INCX,	Y, INCY,	A, LDA)			$A \leftarrow \alpha xy^T + A, A - m \times n$	C, Z
xGERC (				M, N,	ALPHA,	X, INCX,	Y, INCY,	A, LDA)			$A \leftarrow \alpha xy^H + A, A - m \times n$	C, Z
xHER (	UPLO,			N,	ALPHA,	X, INCX,		A, LDA)			$A \leftarrow \alpha xx^H + A$	C, Z
xHPR (	UPLO,			N,	ALPHA,	X, INCX,		AP)			$A \leftarrow \alpha xx^H + A$	C, Z
xHER2 (	UPLO,			N,	ALPHA,	X, INCX,	Y, INCY,	A, LDA)			$A \leftarrow \alpha xy^H + y(\alpha x)^H + A$	C, Z
xHPR2 (	UPLO,			N,	ALPHA,	X, INCX,	Y, INCY,	AP)			$A \leftarrow \alpha xy^H + y(\alpha x)^H + A$	C, Z
xSYR (	UPLO,			N,	ALPHA,	X, INCX,		A, LDA)			$A \leftarrow \alpha xx^T + A$	S, D
xSPR (	UPLO,			N,	ALPHA,	X, INCX,		AP)			$A \leftarrow \alpha xx^T + A$	S, D
xSYR2 (	UPLO,			N,	ALPHA,	X, INCX,	Y, INCY,	A, LDA)			$A \leftarrow \alpha xy^T + \alpha yx^T + A$	S, D
xSPR2 (	UPLO,			N,	ALPHA,	X, INCX,	Y, INCY,	AP)			$A \leftarrow \alpha xy^T + \alpha yx^T + A$	S, D

Level 3 BLAS

	options			dim	scalar	matrix	matrix	scalar	matrix		
xGEMM (		TRANSA,	TRANSB,	M, N, K,	ALPHA,	A, LDA,	B, LDB,	BETA,	C, LDC)	$C \leftarrow \alpha op(A) op(B) + \beta C, op(X) = X, X^T, X^H, C - m \times n$	S, D, C, Z
xSYMM (	SIDE, UPLO,			M, N,		ALPHA,	A, LDA,	B, LDB,	BETA,	C, LDC)	$C \leftarrow \alpha AB + \beta C, C \leftarrow \alpha BA + \beta C, C - m \times n, A = A^T$	S, D, C, Z
xHEMM (	SIDE, UPLO,			M, N,		ALPHA,	A, LDA,	B, LDB,	BETA,	C, LDC)	$C \leftarrow \alpha AB + \beta C, C \leftarrow \alpha BA + \beta C, C - m \times n, A = A^H$	C, Z
xSYRK (		UPLO,	TRANS,	N, K,	ALPHA,	A, LDA,			BETA,	C, LDC)	$C \leftarrow \alpha AA^T + \beta C, C \leftarrow \alpha A^T A + \beta C, C - n \times n$	S, D, C, Z
xHERK (		UPLO,	TRANS,	N, K,	ALPHA,	A, LDA,			BETA,	C, LDC)	$C \leftarrow \alpha AA^H + \beta C, C \leftarrow \alpha A^H A + \beta C, C - n \times n$	C, Z
xSYR2K(		UPLO,	TRANS,	N, K,	ALPHA,	A, LDA,	B, LDB,	BETA,	C, LDC)	$C \leftarrow \alpha AB^T + \bar{\alpha} BA^T + \beta C, C \leftarrow \alpha A^T B + \bar{\alpha} B^T A + \beta C, C - n \times n$	S, D, C, Z
xHER2K(		UPLO,	TRANS,	N, K,	ALPHA,	A, LDA,	B, LDB,	BETA,	C, LDC)	$C \leftarrow \alpha AB^H + \bar{\alpha} BA^H + \beta C, C \leftarrow \alpha A^H B + \bar{\alpha} B^H A + \beta C, C - n \times n$	C, Z
xTRMM (	SIDE, UPLO,	TRANSA,	DIAG,	M, N,	ALPHA,	A, LDA,	B, LDB)			$B \leftarrow \alpha op(A)B, B \leftarrow \alpha B op(A), op(A) = A, A^T, A^H, B - m \times n$	S, D, C, Z
xTRSM (	SIDE, UPLO,	TRANSA,	DIAG,	M, N,	ALPHA,	A, LDA,	B, LDB)			$B \leftarrow \alpha op(A^{-1})B, B \leftarrow \alpha B op(A^{-1}), op(A) = A, A^T, A^H, B - m \times n$	S, D, C, Z