NAME

y0, y0f, y0l, y1, y1f, y1l, yn, ynf, ynl − Bessel functions of the second kind

LIBRARY

Math library (*libm*, −*lm*)

SYNOPSIS

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#include <math.h>

double y0(double x);
double y1(double x);
double yn(int n, double x);

float y0f(float x);
float y1f(float x);
float ynf(int n, float x);

long double y0l(long double x);
long double y1l(long double x);
long double ynl(int n, long double x);
```

Feature Test Macro Requirements for glibc (see **feature_test_macros**(7)):

y0(), **y1**(), **yn**():
_XOPEN_SOURCE
|| /* Since glibc 2.19: */ _DEFAULT_SOURCE
|| /* glibc <= 2.19: */ _SVID_SOURCE || _BSD_SOURCE

y0f(), **y0l**(), **y1f**(), **y1l**(), **ynf**(), **ynl**():
_XOPEN_SOURCE >= 600
|| (_ISOC99_SOURCE && _XOPEN_SOURCE)
|| /* Since glibc 2.19: */ _DEFAULT_SOURCE
|| /* glibc <= 2.19: */ _SVID_SOURCE || _BSD_SOURCE

DESCRIPTION

The **y0**() and **y1**() functions return Bessel functions of *x* of the second kind of orders 0 and 1, respectively. The **yn**() function returns the Bessel function of *x* of the second kind of order *n*.

The value of *x* must be positive.

The **y0f**(), **y1f**(), and **ynf**() functions are versions that take and return *float* values. The **y0l**(), **y1l**(), and **ynl**() functions are versions that take and return *long double* values.

RETURN VALUE

On success, these functions return the appropriate Bessel value of the second kind for *x*.

If *x* is a NaN, a NaN is returned.

If *x* is negative, a domain error occurs, and the functions return −**HUGE_VAL**, −**HUGE_VALF**, or −**HUGE_VALL**, respectively. (POSIX.1-2001 also allows a NaN return for this case.)

If *x* is 0.0, a pole error occurs, and the functions return −**HUGE_VAL**, −**HUGE_VALF**, or −**HUGE_VALL**, respectively.

If the result underflows, a range error occurs, and the functions return 0.0

If the result overflows, a range error occurs, and the functions return −**HUGE_VAL**, −**HUGE_VALF**, or −**HUGE_VALL**, respectively. (POSIX.1-2001 also allows a 0.0 return for this case.)

ERRORS

See **math_error**(7) for information on how to determine whether an error has occurred when calling these functions.

The following errors can occur:

Domain error: *x* is negative
: *errno* is set to **EDOM**. An invalid floating-point exception (**FE_INVALID**) is raised.

Pole error: *x* is 0.0
: *errno* is set to **ERANGE** and an **FE_DIVBYZERO** exception is raised (but see BUGS).

Range error: result underflow
: *errno* is set to **ERANGE**. No**FE_UNDERFLO W** exception is returned by **fetestexcept**(3) for this case.

Range error: result overflow
: *errno* is set to **ERANGE** (but see BUGS). An overflow floating-point exception (**FE_OVERFLOW**) is raised.

ATTRIBUTES

For an explanation of the terms used in this section, see **attributes**(7).

Interface	Attribute	Value
y0(), **y0f**(), **y0l**()	Thread safety	MT-Safe
y1(), **y1f**(), **y1l**()	Thread safety	MT-Safe
yn(), **ynf**(), **ynl**()	Thread safety	MT-Safe

STANDARDS

The functions returning *double* conform to SVr4, 4.3BSD, POSIX.1-2001, POSIX.1-2008. The others are nonstandard functions that also exist on the BSDs.

BUGS

Before glibc 2.19, these functions misdiagnosed pole errors: *errno* was set to **EDOM**, instead of **ERANGE** and no **FE_DIVBYZERO** exception was raised.

Before glibc 2.17, did not set *errno* for "range error: result underflow".

In glibc 2.3.2 and earlier, these functions do not raise an invalid floating-point exception (**FE_INVALID**) when a domain error occurs.

SEE ALSO

j0(3)