

# Package ‘general.spherical’

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**Type** Package

**Title** An R package which calculates the generalized spherical harmonics

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**Description**

An R package which calculates the generalized spherical harmonics. We use the definition provided by Dai and Xu in ``Approximation Theory and Harmonic Analysis on Spheres and Balls".

**License** GPL-3

**Encoding** UTF-8

**LazyData** true

**Depends** R (>= 4.0)

**Imports** orthopolynom, pracma, matrixcalc, mefa, Directional, hypergeo, stringr, assertr, Matrix, glmnet

**RoxygenNote** 7.1.1

**NeedsCompilation** no

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## Description

A function to calculate the generalized spherical harmonics as defined by Dai and Xu in "Approximation Theory and Harmonic Analysis on Spheres and Balls".

## Usage

```
y.q.x(x, q, normalize.by.volume)
```

**Arguments**

x	A vector of the form $x = (x_1, \dots, x_p)$ where $p \geq 3$ and each $x_j$ is a real number.
q	A vector of the form $q = (q_1, \dots, q_p)$ where $p \geq 3$ and each $q_j$ is a non-negative integer.
normalize.by.volume	Logical argument. Whether to normalize by the volume of the hyper-sphere. If TRUE, then the value returned will be normalized by the volume element.

**Value**

The generalized spherical harmonic evaluated for x evaluated for q.

**Note**

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**References**

Dai, F. and Xu, Y. (2013), *Approximation Theory and Harmonic Analysis on Spheres and Balls*, Springer Science & Business Media.

**Examples**

```
## Example 1
# q = c(1,0,0)
# x = c(1,1,1)

# y.q.x(x, q, F)
# y.q.x(x, q, T)

## Example 2
# q = c(1,0,0)
# x = c(1/sqrt(3),1/sqrt(3),1/sqrt(3))

# y.q.x(x, q, F)
# y.q.x(x, q, T)

## Example 3
# q = c(1,0,0,0)
# x = c(1/sqrt(8),2/sqrt(8),3/sqrt(8),4/sqrt(8))

# y.q.x(x, q, F)
# y.q.x(x, q, T)

## Example 4
# q = c(0,1,0,0)
# x = c(1/sqrt(8),2/sqrt(8),3/sqrt(8),4/sqrt(8))
```

$y.q.x$

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```
# y.q.x(x, q, F)
# y.q.x(x, q, T)
```

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