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Introduction

This International Standard is divided into three major subdivisions:

- preliminary elements (Clauses 1–3),
- indicating conformance (Clause 4), and
- the library facilities (Clauses 5–6).

Footnotes are provided to emphasize consequences of the rules described in that subclause or elsewhere in this International Standard. References are used to refer to other related documents and subclauses. A bibliography lists documents that are cited in this Standard, or that were referred to during the preparation of this Standard.

1 Scope [scope]

1.1 Purpose and intent [scope.purpose]

1 This International Standard describes extensions to the *C++ standard library* as described in the International Standard for the C++ programming language [8].

2 The provisions of this International Standard are based on 5.2 (“Mathematical special functions”) of *Technical Report 1 on C++ Library Extensions* [9]. That subclause also served as a basis for a similar International Standard [10] by ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 22/WG 14. Because of their common origin, it is intended that both these International Standards specify substantially identical syntax and semantics to the extent permitted by each Standard’s programming language.

1.2 Relation to C++ Standard Library Introduction [scope.libintro]

1 Unless otherwise specified, the whole of Chapter 17 (“Library Introduction”) of the ISO C++ Standard [8] is included into this International Standard by reference.

1.3 Categories of extensions [scope.ext]

1 This International Standard describes extensions to the C++ standard library to support mathematical special functions.

2 These extensions constitute new library components that are declared as additions to an existing standard header, as specified below. For consistency throughout the C++ standard library, adjustments to additional headers are also specified below. For some of these headers, the adjustments are specified as applicable only if the implementation provides the header.

1.4 Headers [scope.headers]

1 The headers affected by this International Standard are summarized in Table 1.

Table 1: Summary of affected headers

Subclause	Header(s)
6.1	`<cmath>`
6.2	`<math.h>`
6.3	`<ctgmath>`
6.4	`<tgmath.h>`

2 Vendors should not simply add declarations to standard headers in a way that would be visible to users by default.[1)] Users should be required to take explicit action to have access to library extensions.

[1)] That would fail to be standard conforming, even within a namespace, because the new names could conflict with user macros.

3 The visibility of the library extensions specified in Clause 6 shall be in accordance with the provisions of subclause 5.2.

1.5 Namespaces [scope.namespaces]

1 Unless otherwise specifed, all components described in this International Standard are declared in namespace `std`.

2 Unless otherwise specified, all references to components described in the C++ standard library are assumed to be qualified with `std`::.

2 Normative references [norm]

1 The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

2 IEC publication 60559:1989 [1].

3 ISO publication 31-11:1992 [2].

4 ISO/IEC publications

- 2382-1:1993 [3],
- 9899:1999 [4],
- 9899:1999/Cor 1:2001 [5],
- 9899:1999/Cor 2:2004 [6],
- 9899:1999/Cor 3:2007 [7], and
- 14882:2003 [8].

3 Terms, definitions, and symbols [terms]

1 For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO/IEC 14882:2003 [8], ISO/IEC 9899:1999 [4], and ISO/IEC 2382-1:1993 [3] apply. Other terms are defined where they appear in *italic* type.

4 Conformance [confor]

1 If a "shall" requirement is violated, the behavior is undefined.

2 The constraints upon, and latitude of, implementations of the extensions specified in this International Standard are identical to those specified in Chapter 17 (“Library Introduction”) of the ISO C++ Standard [8], previously (1.2) included into this International Standard by reference.

5 Macro names [macro]

5.1 Predefined macro name [macro.pre]

1 The following macro name shall be conditionally defined by the implementation:

`__CPP_MATH_SPEC_FUNCS` The value `200809L`, intended to indicate conformance to this International Standard.[2)]

5.2 User-defined macro name [macro.user]

1 The functions declared or defined in Clause 6 are not declared or defined by their respective headers if `__CPP_WANT_MATH_SPEC_FUNCS` is defined as a macro that expands to the integer constant `0` at the point in the source file where the appropriate header is included.

2 The functions declared or defined in Clause 6 are declared and defined by their respective headers if `__CPP_WANT_MATH_SPEC_FUNCS` is defined as a macro that expands to the integer constant `1` at the point in the source file where the appropriate header is included.

3 It is implementation-defined whether the functions declared or defined in Clause 6 are declared or defined by their respective headers if `__CPP_WANT_MATH_SPEC_FUNCS` is defined as a macro that expands to an integer constant other than `0` or `1` at the point in the source file where the appropriate header is included.[3)]

4 It is implementation-defined whether the functions declared or defined in Clause 6 are declared or defined by their respective headers if `__CPP_WANT_MATH_SPEC_FUNCS` is not defined as a macro at the point in the source file where the appropriate header is included.

5 Within a preprocessing translation unit, `__CPP_WANT_MATH_SPEC_FUNCS` either shall be nowhere defined as a macro, or else shall be defined identically for all inclusions of any headers from Clause 6. If `__CPP_WANT_MATH_SPEC_FUNCS` is defined differently for any such inclusion, the implementation shall issue a diagnostic as if a preprocessor error directive were used.

[2)] It is intended that future versions of this International Standard will replace the value of this macro with a greater value of type `long int`.

[3)] Future revisions of this International Standard may define meanings for other values of `__CPP_WANT_MATH_SPEC_FUNCS`.

6 Mathematical special functions [sf]

6.1 Additions to header <cmath> [sf.cmath]

1 Table 2 summarizes the functions that are added to header <cmath>.

Table 2: Additions to header <cmath> synopsis

Functions:		
assoc_laguerre	cyl_bessel_j	hermite
assoc_legendre	cyl_bessel_k	legendre
beta	cyl_neumann	laguerre
comp_ellint_1	ellint_1	riemann_zeta
comp_ellint_2	ellint_2	sph_bessel
comp_ellint_3	ellint_3	sph_legendre
cyl_bessel_i	expint	sph_neumann

2 Each of these functions is provided for arguments of types float, double, and long double. The detailed signatures added to header <cmath> are:

```
// [6.1.1] associated Laguerre polynomials:
double       assoc_laguerre(unsigned n, unsigned m, double x);
float        assoc_laguerref(unsigned n, unsigned m, float x);
long double  assoc_laguerrel(unsigned n, unsigned m, long double x);

// [6.1.2] associated Legendre polynomials:
double       assoc_legendre(unsigned l, unsigned m, double x);
float        assoc_legendref(unsigned l, unsigned m, float x);
long double  assoc_legendrel(unsigned l, unsigned m, long double x);

// [6.1.3] beta function:
double       beta(double x, double y);
float        betaf(float x, float y);
long double  betal(long double x, long double y);

// [6.1.4] (complete) elliptic integral of the first kind:
double       comp_ellint_1(double k);
float        comp_ellint_1f(float k);
long double  comp_ellint_1l(long double k);
```

```
// [6.1.5] (complete) elliptic integral of the second kind:
double       comp_ellint_2(double k);
float        comp_ellint_2f(float k);
long double  comp_ellint_2l(long double k);

// [6.1.6] (complete) elliptic integral of the third kind:
double       comp_ellint_3(double k, double nu);
float        comp_ellint_3f(float k, float nu);
long double  comp_ellint_3l(long double k, long double nu);

// [6.1.7] regular modified cylindrical Bessel functions:
double       cyl_bessel_i(double nu, double x);
float        cyl_bessel_if(float nu, float x);
long double  cyl_bessel_il(long double nu, long double x);

// [6.1.8] cylindrical Bessel functions (of the first kind):
double       cyl_bessel_j(double nu, double x);
float        cyl_bessel_jf(float nu, float x);
long double  cyl_bessel_jl(long double nu, long double x);

// [6.1.9] irregular modified cylindrical Bessel functions:
double       cyl_bessel_k(double nu, double x);
float        cyl_bessel_kf(float nu, float x);
long double  cyl_bessel_kl(long double nu, long double x);

// [6.1.10] cylindrical Neumann functions;
// cylindrical Bessel functions (of the second kind):
double       cyl_neumann(double nu, double x);
float        cyl_neumannf(float nu, float x);
long double  cyl_neumannl(long double nu, long double x);

// [6.1.11] (incomplete) elliptic integral of the first kind:
double       ellint_1(double k, double phi);
float        ellint_1f(float k, float phi);
long double  ellint_1l(long double k, long double phi);

// [6.1.12] (incomplete) elliptic integral of the second kind:
double       ellint_2(double k, double phi);
float        ellint_2f(float k, float phi);
long double  ellint_2l(long double k, long double phi);

// [6.1.13] (incomplete) elliptic integral of the third kind:
double       ellint_3(double k, double nu, double phi);
float        ellint_3f(float k, float nu, float phi);
long double  ellint_3l(long double k, long double nu, long double phi);

// [6.1.14] exponential integral:
double       expint(double x);
float        expintf(float x);
long double  expintl(long double x);
```

```
// [6.1.15] Hermite polynomials:
double       hermite(unsigned n, double x);
float        hermitef(unsigned n, float x);
long double  hermitel(unsigned n, long double x);

// [6.1.16] Laguerre polynomials:
double       laguerre(unsigned n, double x);
float        laguerref(unsigned n, float x);
long double  laguerrel(unsigned n, long double x);

// [6.1.17] Legendre polynomials:
double       legendre(unsigned l, double x);
float        legendref(unsigned l, float x);
long double  legendrel(unsigned l, long double x);

// [6.1.18] Riemann zeta function:
double       riemann_zeta(double x);
float        riemann_zetaf(float x);
long double  riemann_zetal(long double x);

// [6.1.19] spherical Bessel functions (of the first kind):
double       sph_bessel(unsigned n, double x);
float        sph_besself(unsigned n, float x);
long double  sph_bessell(unsigned n, long double x);

// [6.1.20] spherical associated Legendre functions:
double       sph_legendre(unsigned l, unsigned m, double theta);
float        sph_legendref(unsigned l, unsigned m, float theta);
long double  sph_legendrel(unsigned l, unsigned m, long double theta);

// [6.1.21] spherical Neumann functions;
// spherical Bessel functions (of the second kind):
double       sph_neumann(unsigned n, double x);
float        sph_neumannf(unsigned n, float x);
long double  sph_neumannl(unsigned n, long double x);
```

3 Each of the functions specified above that has one or more `double` parameters (the `double` version) shall have two additional overloads:

1. a version with each `double` parameter replaced with a `float` parameter (the `float` version), and
2. a version with each `double` parameter replaced with a `long double` parameter (the `long double` version).

The return type of each such `float` version shall be `float`, and the return type of each such `long double` version shall be `long double`.

4 Moreover, each `double` version shall have sufficient additional overloads to determine which of the above three versions to actually call, by the following ordered set of rules:

1. First, if any argument corresponding to a `double` parameter in the `double` version has type `long double`, the `long double` version is called.

2. Otherwise, if any argument corresponding to a `double` parameter in the `double` version has type `double` or has an integer type, the `double` version is called.

3. Otherwise, the `float` version is called.

5 If any argument value to any of the functions specified above is a NaN (Not a Number), the function shall return a NaN but it shall not report a domain error. Otherwise, the function shall report a domain error for just those argument values for which:

a) the function description's *Returns* clause explicitly specifies a domain and those argument values fall outside the specified domain, or

b) the corresponding mathematical function value has a non-zero imaginary component, or

c) the corresponding mathematical function is not mathematically defined.[4)]

6 Unless otherwise specified, each function is defined for all finite values, for negative infinity, and for positive infinity.

6.1.1 associated Laguerre polynomials [sf.cmath.Lnm]

```
double       assoc_laguerre(unsigned n, unsigned m, double x);
float        assoc_laguerref(unsigned n, unsigned m, float x);
long double  assoc_laguerrel(unsigned n, unsigned m, long double x);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the associated Laguerre polynomials of their respective arguments `n`, `m`, and `x`.

2 *Returns:* The `assoc_laguerre` functions return

$$\mathsf{L}_n^m(x) = (-1)^m \frac{\mathsf{d}^m}{\mathsf{d}x^m} \mathsf{L}_{n+m}(x), \quad \text{for } x \geq 0.$$

3 *Remark:* The effect of calling each of these functions is implementation-defined if `n >= 128` or if `m >= 128`.

6.1.2 associated Legendre polynomials [sf.cmath.Plm]

```
double       assoc_legendre(unsigned l, unsigned m, double x);
float        assoc_legendref(unsigned l, unsigned m, float x);
long double  assoc_legendrel(unsigned l, unsigned m, long double x);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the associated Legendre functions of their respective arguments `l`, `m`, and `x`.

2 *Returns:* The `assoc_legendre` functions return

$$\mathsf{P}_\ell^m(x) = (1-x^2)^{m/2} \frac{\mathsf{d}^m}{\mathsf{d}x^m} \mathsf{P}_\ell(x), \quad \text{for } |x| \leq 1.$$

3 *Remark:* The effect of calling each of these functions is implementation-defined if `l >= 128`.

[4)] A mathematical function is mathematically defined for a given set of argument values (a) if it is explicitly defined for that set of argument values, or (b) if its limiting value exists and does not depend on the direction of approach.

6.1.3 beta function [sf.cmath.beta]

```
double       beta(double x, double y);
float        betaf(float x, float y);
long double  betal(long double x, long double y);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the beta function of their respective arguments `x` and `y`.

2 *Returns:* The `beta` functions return

$$\mathsf{B}(x,y) = \frac{\Gamma(x)\,\Gamma(y)}{\Gamma(x+y)}, \quad \text{for } x > 0,\ y > 0.$$

6.1.4 (complete) elliptic integral of the first kind [sf.cmath.ellK]

```
double       comp_ellint_1(double k);
float        comp_ellint_1f(float k);
long double  comp_ellint_1l(long double k);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the complete elliptic integral of the first kind of their respective arguments `k`.

2 *Returns:* The `comp_ellint_1` functions return

$$\mathsf{K}(k) = \mathsf{F}(k, \pi/2), \quad \text{for } |k| \le 1.$$

3 See also 6.1.11.

6.1.5 (complete) elliptic integral of the second kind [sf.cmath.ellEx]

```
double       comp_ellint_2(double k);
float        comp_ellint_2f(float k);
long double  comp_ellint_2l(long double k);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the complete elliptic integral of the second kind of their respective arguments `k`.

2 *Returns:* The `comp_ellint_2` functions return

$$\mathsf{E}(k) = \mathsf{E}(k, \pi/2), \quad \text{for } |k| \le 1.$$

3 See also 6.1.12.

6.1.6 (complete) elliptic integral of the third kind [sf.cmath.ellPx]

```
double       comp_ellint_3(double k, double nu);
float        comp_ellint_3f(float k, float nu);
long double  comp_ellint_3l(long double k, long double nu);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the complete elliptic integral of the third kind of their respective arguments `k` and `nu`.

2 *Returns:* The `comp_ellint_3` functions return

$$\Pi(\nu,k) = \Pi(\nu,k,\pi/2), \quad \text{for } |k| \le 1.$$

3 See also 6.1.13.

6.1.7 regular modified cylindrical Bessel functions [sf.cmath.I]

```
double       cyl_bessel_i(double nu, double x);
float        cyl_bessel_if(float nu, float x);
long double  cyl_bessel_il(long double nu, long double x);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the regular modified cylindrical Bessel functions of their respective arguments `nu` and `x`.

2 *Returns:* The `cyl_bessel_i` functions return

$$\mathsf{I}_\nu(x) = \mathrm{i}^{-\nu}\mathsf{J}_\nu(\mathrm{i}x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(x/2)^{\nu+2k}}{k!\,\Gamma(\nu+k+1)}, \quad \text{for } x \ge 0.$$

3 *Remark:* The effect of calling each of these functions is implementation-defined if `nu >= 128`.

4 See also 6.1.8.

6.1.8 cylindrical Bessel functions (of the first kind) [sf.cmath.J]

```
double       cyl_bessel_j(double nu, double x);
float        cyl_bessel_jf(float nu, float x);
long double  cyl_bessel_jl(long double nu, long double x);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the cylindrical Bessel functions of the first kind of their respective arguments `nu` and `x`.

2 *Returns:* The `cyl_bessel_j` functions return

$$\mathsf{J}_\nu(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k(x/2)^{\nu+2k}}{k!\,\Gamma(\nu+k+1)}, \quad \text{for } x \ge 0.$$

3 *Remark:* The effect of calling each of these functions is implementation-defined if `nu >= 128`.

6.1.9 irregular modified cylindrical Bessel functions [sf.cmath.K]

```
double       cyl_bessel_k(double nu, double x);
float        cyl_bessel_kf(float nu, float x);
long double  cyl_bessel_kl(long double nu, long double x);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the irregular modified cylindrical Bessel functions of their respective arguments `nu` and `x`.

2 *Returns:* The `cyl_bessel_k` functions return

$$\mathsf{K}_\nu(x) = (\pi/2)\mathrm{i}^{\nu+1}(\mathsf{J}_\nu(\mathrm{i}x) + \mathrm{i}\mathsf{N}_\nu(\mathrm{i}x)) = \begin{cases} \dfrac{\pi}{2}\dfrac{\mathsf{I}_{-\nu}(x) - \mathsf{I}_\nu(x)}{\sin\nu\pi}, & \text{for } x \geq 0 \text{ and non-integral } \nu \\ \dfrac{\pi}{2}\lim\limits_{\mu\to\nu}\dfrac{\mathsf{I}_{-\mu}(x) - \mathsf{I}_\mu(x)}{\sin\mu\pi}, & \text{for } x \geq 0 \text{ and integral } \nu \end{cases}.$$

3 *Remark:* The effect of calling each of these functions is implementation-defined if `nu >= 128`.

4 See also 6.1.7.

6.1.10 cylindrical Neumann functions [sf.cmath.N]

```
double       cyl_neumann(double nu, double x);
float        cyl_neumannf(float nu, float x);
long double  cyl_neumannl(long double nu, long double x);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the cylindrical Neumann functions, also known as the cylindrical Bessel functions of the second kind, of their respective arguments `nu` and `x`.

2 *Returns:* The `cyl_neumann` functions return

$$\mathsf{N}_\nu(x) = \begin{cases} \dfrac{\mathsf{J}_\nu(x)\cos\nu\pi - \mathsf{J}_{-\nu}(x)}{\sin\nu\pi}, & \text{for } x \geq 0 \text{ and non-integral } \nu \\ \lim\limits_{\mu\to\nu}\dfrac{\mathsf{J}_\mu(x)\cos\mu\pi - \mathsf{J}_{-\mu}(x)}{\sin\mu\pi}, & \text{for } x \geq 0 \text{ and integral } \nu \end{cases}.$$

3 *Remark:* The effect of calling each of these functions is implementation-defined if `nu >= 128`.

4 See also 6.1.8.

6.1.11 (incomplete) elliptic integral of the first kind [sf.cmath.ellF]

```
double       ellint_1(double k, double phi);
float        ellint_1f(float k, float phi);
long double  ellint_1l(long double k, long double phi);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the incomplete elliptic integral of the first kind of their respective arguments `k` and `phi` (`phi` measured in radians).

2 *Returns:* The `ellint_1` functions return

$$\mathsf{F}(k,\phi) = \int_0^\phi \frac{\mathrm{d}\theta}{\sqrt{1 - k^2\sin^2\theta}}, \quad \text{for } |k| \leq 1.$$

6.1.12 (incomplete) elliptic integral of the second kind [sf.cmath.ellE]

```
double       ellint_2(double k, double phi);
float        ellint_2f(float k, float phi);
long double  ellint_2l(long double k, long double phi);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the incomplete elliptic integral of the second kind of their respective arguments `k` and `phi` (`phi` measured in radians).

2 *Returns:* The `ellint_2` functions return

$$\mathsf{E}(k,\phi) = \int_0^{\phi} \sqrt{1 - k^2 \sin^2\theta}\, \mathsf{d}\theta, \quad \text{for } |k| \le 1.$$

6.1.13 (incomplete) elliptic integral of the third kind [sf.cmath.ellP]

```
double       ellint_3(double k, double nu, double phi);
float        ellint_3f(float k, float nu, float phi);
long double  ellint_3l(long double k, long double nu, long double phi);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the incomplete elliptic integral of the third kind of their respective arguments `k`, `nu`, and `phi` (`phi` measured in radians).

2 *Returns:* The `ellint_3` functions return

$$\Pi(\nu,k,\phi) = \int_0^{\phi} \frac{\mathsf{d}\theta}{(1 - \nu \sin^2\theta)\sqrt{1 - k^2 \sin^2\theta}}, \quad \text{for } |k| \le 1.$$

6.1.14 exponential integral [sf.cmath.ei]

```
double       expint(double x);
float        expintf(float x);
long double  expintl(long double x);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the exponential integral of their respective arguments `x`.

2 *Returns:* The `expint` functions return

$$\mathsf{Ei}(x) = -\int_{-x}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-t}}{t}\, \mathsf{d}t\ .$$

6.1.15 Hermite polynomials [sf.cmath.Hn]

```
double       hermite(unsigned n, double x);
float        hermitef(unsigned n, float x);
long double  hermitel(unsigned n, long double x);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the Hermite polynomials of their respective arguments `n` and `x`.

2 *Returns:* The `hermite` functions return

$$\mathsf{H}_n(x) = (-1)^n e^{x^2} \frac{\mathsf{d}^n}{\mathsf{d}x^n} e^{-x^2} .$$

3 *Remark:* The effect of calling each of these functions is implementation-defined if `n >= 128`.

6.1.16 Laguerre polynomials [sf.cmath.Ln]

```
double       laguerre(unsigned n, double x);
float        laguerref(unsigned n, float x);
long double  laguerrel(unsigned n, long double x);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the Laguerre polynomials of their respective arguments `n` and `x`.

2 *Returns:* The `laguerre` functions return

$$\mathsf{L}_n(x) = \frac{e^x}{n!} \frac{\mathsf{d}^n}{\mathsf{d}x^n} (x^n e^{-x}), \quad \text{for } x \geq 0.$$

3 *Remark:* The effect of calling each of these functions is implementation-defined if `n >= 128`.

6.1.17 Legendre polynomials [sf.cmath.Pl]

```
double       legendre(unsigned l, double x);
float        legendref(unsigned l, float x);
long double  legendrel(unsigned l, long double x);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the Legendre polynomials of their respective arguments `l` and `x`.

2 *Returns:* The `legendre` functions return

$$\mathsf{P}_\ell(x) = \frac{1}{2^\ell \ell!} \frac{\mathsf{d}^\ell}{\mathsf{d}x^\ell} (x^2 - 1)^\ell, \quad \text{for } |x| \leq 1.$$

3 *Remark:* The effect of calling each of these functions is implementation-defined if `l >= 128`.

6.1.18 Riemann zeta function [sf.cmath.riemannzeta]

```
double       riemann_zeta(double x);
float        riemann_zetaf(float x);
long double  riemann_zetal(long double x);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the Riemann zeta function of their respective arguments `x`.

2 *Returns:* The `riemann_zeta` functions return

$$\zeta(x) = \begin{cases} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k^{-x}, & \text{for } x > 1 \\ \frac{1}{1-2^{1-x}} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{k-1} k^{-x}, & \text{for } 0 \le x \le 1 \\ 2^x \pi^{x-1} \sin(\frac{\pi x}{2}) \Gamma(1-x)\, \zeta(1-x), & \text{for } x < 0 \end{cases} .$$

6.1.19 spherical Bessel functions (of the first kind) [sf.cmath.j]

```
double       sph_bessel(unsigned n, double x);
float        sph_besself(unsigned n, float x);
long double  sph_bessell(unsigned n, long double x);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the spherical Bessel functions of the first kind of their respective arguments `n` and `x`.

2 *Returns:* The `sph_bessel` functions return

$$\mathrm{j}_n(x) = (\pi/2x)^{1/2} \mathrm{J}_{n+1/2}(x), \quad \text{for } x \ge 0.$$

3 *Remark:* The effect of calling each of these functions is implementation-defined if `n >= 128`.

4 See also 6.1.8.

6.1.20 spherical associated Legendre functions [sf.cmath.Ylm]

```
double       sph_legendre(unsigned l, unsigned m, double theta);
float        sph_legendref(unsigned l, unsigned m, float theta);
long double  sph_legendrel(unsigned l, unsigned m, long double theta);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the spherical associated Legendre functions of their respective arguments `l`, `m`, and `theta` (`theta` measured in radians).

2 *Returns:* The `sph_legendre` functions return

$$\mathrm{Y}_\ell^m(\theta, 0)$$

where

$$\mathrm{Y}_\ell^m(\theta,\phi) = (-1)^m \left[\frac{(2\ell+1)}{4\pi} \frac{(\ell-m)!}{(\ell+m)!} \right]^{1/2} \mathrm{P}_\ell^m(\cos\theta) e^{im\phi}, \quad \text{for } |m| \le \ell.$$

3 *Remark:* The effect of calling each of these functions is implementation-defined if `l >= 128`.

4 See also 6.1.2.

6.1.21 spherical Neumann functions [sf.cmath.n]

```
double       sph_neumann(unsigned n, double x);
float        sph_neumannf(unsigned n, float x);
long double  sph_neumannl(unsigned n, long double x);
```

1 *Effects:* These functions compute the spherical Neumann functions, also known as the spherical Bessel functions of the second kind, of their respective arguments `n` and `x`.

2 *Returns:* The `sph_neumann` functions return

$$\mathsf{n}_n(x) = (\pi/2x)^{1/2}\mathsf{N}_{n+1/2}(x), \quad \text{for } x \geq 0.$$

3 *Remark:* The effect of calling each of these functions is implementation-defined if `n >= 128`.

4 See also 6.1.10.

6.2 Additions to header <math.h> [sf.mathh]

1 The header <math.h> shall have sufficient additional using declarations to import into the global name space all of the function names specified in the previous section.

6.3 The header <ctgmath> [sf.ctgmath]

1 The header <ctgmath>, if provided by the implementation, effectively includes the header <cmath>.

6.4 The header <tgmath.h> [sf.tgmathh]

1 The header <tgmath.h>, if provided by the implementation, effectively includes the header <math.h>.

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