

# Package ‘muRty’

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## Title Murty's Algorithm for k-Best Assignments

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**Description** Calculates k-best solutions and costs for an assignment problem following the method outlined in Murty (1968) [doi:10.1287/opre.16.3.682](https://doi.org/10.1287/opre.16.3.682).

**URL** <https://github.com/arg0naut91/muRty>

**BugReports** <https://github.com/argonaut91/muRty/issues>

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get\_k\_best*Murty's algorithm for k-best assignments*

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## Description

Find k-best assignments for a given matrix (returns both solved matrices and costs).

## Usage

```
get_k_best(
  mat,
  k_best = NULL,
  algo = "hungarian",
  by_rank = FALSE,
  objective = "min",
  proxy_Inf = 10000000L
)
```

## Arguments

mat	Square matrix (N x N) in which values represent the weights.
k_best	How many best scenarios should be returned. If by_rank = TRUE, this equals best ranks.
algo	Algorithm to be used, either 'lp' or 'hungarian'; defaults to 'hungarian'.
by_rank	Should the solutions with same cost be counted as one and stored in a sublist? Defaults to FALSE.
objective	Should the cost be minimized ('min') or maximized ('max')? Defaults to 'min'.
proxy_Inf	What should be considered as a proxy for Inf? Defaults to 10e06; if objective = 'max' the sign is automatically reversed.

## Value

A list with solutions and costs (objective values).

## Examples

```
set.seed(1)
mat <- matrix(sample.int(15, 10*10, TRUE), 10, 10)

get_k_best(mat, 3)
```

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