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add_columns *add_columns*

Description

Function adds new columns to the existing magpie object. The new columns are filled with NAs.

Usage

```
add_columns(x, addnm = c("new"), dim = 3.1)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object which should be extended.
addnm	The new columns within dimension "dim"
dim	The number of the dimension that should be extended

Value

The extended MAgPIE object

Author(s)

Benjamin Bodirsky

See Also

add_dimension,mbind

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
a <- add_columns(population_magpie)
str(a)
fulldim(a)
```

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add_dimension *add_dimension*

Description

Function adds a name dimension as dimension number "dim" with the name "add" with an empty data column with the name "nm".

Usage

```
add_dimension(x, dim = 3.1, add = "new", nm = "dummy")
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object which should be extended.
dim	The dimension number of the new dimension. 4 stands for the second name dimension.
add	The name of the new dimension
nm	The name of the first entry in dimension "add".

Value

The extended MAgPIE object

Author(s)

Benjamin Bodirsky

See Also

add_columns,mbind

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
a <- add_dimension(population_magpie)
str(a)
fulldim(a)
```

are_units_convertible *are_units_convertible (!experimental!)*

Description

This function checks whether two units are inter-convertible. It extends ud.are.convertible from the udunits2 package to magpie objects and newly defined units.

Usage

```
are_units_convertible(u1, u2)
```

Arguments

u1, u2	Either argument can be a character of length one, a units object or a MAgPIE object.

Value

Returns a boolean. TRUE if u1 can be converted to u2, FALSE otherwise.

Author(s)

Stephen Bi

See Also

ud.are.convertible

as.array-methods *~~ Methods for Function as.array ~~*

Description

~~ Methods for function as.array ~~

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'magpie'
as.array(x)
```

Arguments

x	object which should be converted to an array

Methods

list("signature(x = \"ANY\")") standard as.array-method

list("signature(x = \"magpie\")") Conversion takes place just by removing MAgPIE-object specific elements

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`as.data.frame-methods` *~~ Methods for Function as.data.frame ~~*

Description

~~ Methods for function `as.data.frame` ~~

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'magpie'
as.data.frame(x, rev = 1)
```

Arguments

`x`	A MAgPIE-object
`rev`	The revision of the algorithm that should be used for conversion. rev=1 creates columns with the predefined names Cell, Region, Year, Data1, Data2,... and Value, rev=2 uses the set names of the MAgPIE object for naming and adds an attribute "dimtype" to the data.frame which contains information about the types of the different columns (spatial, temporal, data or value).

Methods

list("signature(x = \"magpie\")") Conversion creates columns for Cell, Region, Year, Data1, Data2,... and Value

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
head(as.data.frame(population_magpie))
head(as.data.frame(population_magpie,rev=2))
```

calibrate_it *calibrate_it*

Description

Standardized functions to calibrate values to a certain baseyear.

Usage

```
calibrate_it(
  origin,
  cal_to,
  cal_type = "convergence",
  cal_year = NULL,
  end_year = NULL,
  report_calibration_factors = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

origin	Original Values (MAgPIE object)
cal_to	Values to calibrate to (MAgPIE object).
cal_type	"none" leaves the values as they are, "convergence" starts from the aim values and then linearily converges towards the values of origin, "growth_rate" uses the growth-rates of origin and applies them on aim.
cal_year	year on which the dataset should be calibrated.
end_year	only for cal_type="convergence". Year in which the calibration shall be faded out.
report_calibration_factors	prints out the multipliers which are used for calibration.

Value

Calibrated dataset.

Author(s)

Benjamin Bodirsky

See Also

convergence,lin.convergence

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
test<-as.magpie(array(1000,dim(population_magpie[,,"A2"]),dimnames(population_magpie[,,"A2"])))
calibrate_it(origin=population_magpie,cal_to=test[,"y1995",],cal_type="growth_rate")
calibrate_it(origin=population_magpie,cal_to=test[,"y1995",],cal_type="convergence",
             cal_year="y1995", end_year="y2055")
calibrate_it(origin=population_magpie,cal_to=test[,"y1995",],cal_type="none")
```

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clean_magpie *MAgPIE-Clean*

Description

Function cleans MAgPIE objects so that they follow some extended magpie object rules (currently it makes sure that the dimnames have names and removes cell numbers if it is purely regional data)

Usage

```
clean_magpie(x, what = "all")
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object which should be cleaned.
what	term defining what type of cleaning should be performed. Current modes are "cells" (removes cell numbers if the data seems to be regional - this should be used carefully as it might remove cell numbers in some cases in which they should not be removed), "sets" (making sure that all dimensions have names) and "all" (performing all available cleaning methods)

Value

The eventually corrected MAgPIE object

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

"magpie"

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
a <- clean_magpie(population_magpie)
```

collapseNames *Collapse dataset names*

Description

This function will remove names in the data dimension which are the same for each element (meaning that this data dimension contains exactly one element)

Usage

```
collapseNames(x, collapsedim = NULL, preservedim = NULL)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object
collapsedim	If you want to remove the names of particular dimensions provide the dimensions here. Since the function only works in the third dimension, you have to count from there on (e.g. dim = 3.2 refers to collapsedim = 2). Alternatively, you can also specify the name of the dimension. Default: NULL. CAUTION with parameter collapsedim! You could also force him to remove dimnames, which are NOT the same for each element and so create duplicates in dimnames.
preservedim	If you want to remove the name of particular dimensions except some, you can specify the dimension(s) to preserve here. See collapsedim for naming convention. Note that preservedim will be ignored in the case, of a specified collapsedim

Value

The provided MAgPIE object with collapsed names

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich, David Klein, Xiaoxi Wang

See Also

getNames, setNames, "magpie"

Examples

```
x <- new.magpie("GLO",2000,c("bla.a","bla.b"))
print(x)
# An object of class "magpie"
# , , bla.a
#      y2000
# GLO.1    NA
# , , bla.b
```

```
#      y2000
# GLO.1    NA

print(collapseNames(x))
# An object of class "magpie"
# , , a
#      y2000
# GLO.1    NA
# , , b
#      y2000
# GLO.1    NA

print(collapseNames(x), collapseNames = 2)
# An object of class "magpie"
# , , bla
#      y2000
# GLO.1    NA
# , , bla
#      y2000
# GLO.1    NA
```

`colSums-methods` *~~ Methods for Function colSums and colMeans ~~*

Description

~~ Methods for function `colSums` and `colMeans` ~~

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'magpie'
colSums(x, na.rm = FALSE, dims = 1, ...)
```

Arguments

`x`	object on which calculation should be performed
`na.rm`	logical. Should missing values (including NaN) be omitted from the calculations?
`dims`	integer: Which dimensions are regarded as "rows" or "columns" to sum over. For row*, the sum or mean is over dimensions dims+1, ...; for col* it is over dimensions 1:dims.
`...`	further arguments passed to other colSums/colMeans methods

Methods

list("signature(x = \"ANY\")") normal colSums and colMeans method

list("signature(x = \"magpie\")") classical method prepared to handle MAgPIE objects

complete_magpie *complete_magpie*

Description

MAgPIE objects can be incomplete to reduce memory. This function blows up a magpie object to its real dimensions, so you can apply unwrap.

Usage

```
complete_magpie(x, fill = NA)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object which should be completed.
fill	Value that shall be written into the missing entries

Value

The completed MAgPIE object

Author(s)

Benjamin Bodirsky

See Also

add_dimension,clean_magpie

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
a <- complete_magpie(population_magpie)
b <- add_dimension(a)
c <- add_dimension(a,nm="dummy2")
incomplete<-mbind(b[,,1],c)
d<-complete_magpie(incomplete)
```

convergence *convergence*

Description

Cross-Fades the values of one MAGPIE object into the values of another over a certain time

Usage

```
convergence(
  origin,
  aim,
  start_year = NULL,
  end_year = NULL,
  direction = NULL,
  type = "smooth",
  par = 1.5
)
```

Arguments

origin	an object with one name-column
aim	Can be twofold: An magpie object or a numeric value.
start_year	year in which the convergence from origin to aim starts. If set to NULL the the first year of aim is used as start_year
end_year	year in which the convergence from origin to aim shall be (nearly) reached. If set to NULL the the last year of aim is used as end_year.
direction	NULL, "up" or "down". NULL means normal convergence in both directions, "up" is only a convergence if origin<aim, "down" means only a convergence if origin>aim
type	"smooth", "s", "linear" or "decay". Describes the type of convergence: linear means a linear conversion , s is an s-curve which starts from origin in start_year and reaches aim precisely in end_year. After 50 percent of the convergence time, it reaches about the middle of the two values. Its based on the function min(1, pos^4/(0.07+pos^4)*1.07) smooth is a conversion based on the function x^3/(0.1+x^3). In the latter case only 90% of convergence will be reached in the end year, because full convergence is reached in infinity. decay is a conversion based on the function x/(1.5 + x)*2.5.
par	parameter value for convergence function; currently only used for type="decay"

Value

returns a time-series with the same timesteps as origin, which lineary fades into the values of the aim object

Author(s)

Benjamin Bodirsky, Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

lin.convergence

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
population <- add_columns(population_magpie,"MIX")
population[,,"MIX"]<-convergence(population[,,"A2"],population[,,"B1"])
```

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convert.report *Converts a report from one model to another*

Description

This function converts the content of a reporting file from one model to another

Usage

```
convert.report(
  rep,
  inmodel = NULL,
  outmodel = "MAgPIE",
  full = FALSE,
  as.list = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

rep	Report. Either the file name of a mif file or a report already read in in R.
inmodel	Model the input comes from. If NULL the script tries to detect the inmodel automatically.
outmodel	Model format the data should be converted to. Currently, "MAgPIE" and "REMIND" are available
full	Boolean deciding whether only the converted output should be returned (FALSE) or the new output together with the input (TRUE)
as.list	if TRUE a list is returned (default), if FALSE it is tried to merge all information in one MAgPIE object (still under development and works currently only if the entries for the different models and scenarios have exactly the same regions and years).

Details

The function converts data based on a region mapping and transformation rules which are stored in the variable magclassdata which comes with this library.

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

read.report,write.report,magclassdata

Examples

```
## Not run: convert.report("report.mif")
```

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coord *coord*

Description

Extracts coordinates from a magpie object. Only works for objects which provide coordinates as spatial dimensions with the names "lon" and "lat"!

Usage

```
coord(x)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object

Details

Please note that "." have to be replaced with "," in lon/lat coordinates as "." is reserved as divider between subdimensions.

Value

data frame with columns "lon" and "lat" containing the coordinates of all spatial cells.

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

getItems

Examples

```
m <- new.magpie(c("0,5.0,5","0,5.-0,5","0,5.1,0","1,0.1,0"),sets=c("lon","lat","year","data"))
coord(m)
```

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copy.attributes *Copy Attributes*

Description

This function copies attributes from one object and assigns them to another.

Usage

```
copy.attributes(
  from,
  to,
  delete = c("names", "row.names", "class", "dim", "dimnames"),
  delete2 = NULL
)

copy.attributes(
  to,
  delete = c("names", "row.names", "class", "dim", "dimnames"),
  delete2 = NULL
) <- value
```

Arguments

from	object from which the attributes should be taken
to	object to which the attributes should be written
delete	attributes which should not be copied. By default this are class specific attributes which might cause problems if copied to another object. But you can add or remove attributes from the vector.
delete2	Identical to delete and just added for convenience for the case that you want to delete additional attributes but do not want to repeat the vector given in delete. In the function both vectors, delete and delete2, are just merged to one deletion vector.
value	Same as "from" (object from which the attributes should be taken)

Functions

- copy.attributes<-: assign attributes from object "value"

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

Examples

```
from <- array(12)
attr(from,"blablub") <- "I am an attribute!"
attr(from,"blablub2") <- "I am another attribute!"

print(attributes(from))

to <- as.magpie(0)
print(attributes(to))

copy.attributes(to) <- from
print(attributes(to))
```

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copy.magpie *Copy MAgPIE-files*

Description

This function copies MAgPIE-files from one location to another. During the copying it is also possible to change the file type (e.g. from 'mz' to 'csv')

Usage

```
copy.magpie(input_file, output_file, round = NULL)
```

Arguments

input_file	file, that should be copied
output_file	copy destination
round	number of digits the values should be rounded, if (AND ONLY IF) file format is changed. NULL means no rounding

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

read.magpie,write.magpie

Examples

```
# copy.magpie("bla.csv","blub.mz")
```

---

dimCode *dimCode*

Description

Function converts a dimension name or number to a dimension Code used for MAgPIE objects

Usage

```
dimCode(dim, x, missing = 0, sep = ".")
```

Arguments

dim	A vector of dimension numbers or dimension names which should be translated
x	MAgPIE object in which the dimensions should be searched for.
missing	Either a value to which a dimension should be set in case that it is not found (default is 0), or "stop" indicating that the function should throw an error in these cases.
sep	A character separating joined dimension names

Value

A dimension code identifying the dimension. Either a integer which represents the main dimensions (1=spatial, 2=temporal, 3=data) or a numeric, representing the subdimensions of a dimension (e.g. 3.2 for the second data dimension).

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich, Kristine Karstens

See Also

mselect, getDim

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
dimCode(c("t","scenario","blablub"),population_magpie)
```

dimOrder *dimOrder*

Description

Changes the order of the 3rd dimension in a magpie object similar to unwrapping and applying the aperm command, but more efficient.

Usage

```
dimOrder(x, perm)
```

Arguments

x	magpie object
perm	vector with the new order of the 3rd dimension

Value

magpie object

Author(s)

Benjamin Leon Bodirsky

Examples

```
## Not run:
data("population_magpie")
x<-setNames(population_magpie,c("kj","kej"))*population_magpie
dimOrder(x=x,perm=c(2,1))

## End(Not run)
```

dimReduce *dimReduce*

Description

Remove dimensions which contain identical data for all elements in it

Usage

```
dimReduce(x, dim_exclude = NULL)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object which should be reduced
dim_exclude	Vector with names of dimensions which must not be reduced

Value

The reduced MAgPIE object

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

add_dimension

Examples

```
#create data with 5 identical scenarios
p <- add_dimension(population_magpie,nm = paste0("scen",1:5))
p
dimReduce(p)

#set years to same value
p[,,] <- setYears(p[,1,], NULL)
p
dimReduce(p)

#set regions to same value
p[,,] <- setCells(p[1,,], "GLO")
p
dimReduce(p)
```

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dimSums *Summation over dimensions*

Description

This function sums over any dimension of a magpie object or an array

Usage

```
dimSums(x, na.rm = FALSE, dims = NULL, dim = 3, sep = ".", ...)
```

Arguments

x	A MAgPIE-object or an array
na.rm	logical. Should missing values (including NaN) be omitted from the calculations?
dims	Depreceated version of argument dim. Please use dim instead (it is just it there for back compatibility and will be removed soon.)
dim	The dimensions(s) to sum over. A vector of integers or characters (dimension names). If the MAgPIE object has more than 1 actual dimension collected in the third real dimension, each actual dimension can be summed over using the corresponding dim code (see dimCode for more information)
sep	A character separating joined dimension names
...	Further arguments passed to rowSums internally

Value

value	A MAgPIE object or an array (depending on the format of x) with values summed over the specified dimensions

Author(s)

Markus Bonsch, Ina Neher, Benjamin Bodirsky, Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

rowSums, dimSums, dimCode

Examples

```
test<-as.magpie(array(1:4,dim=c(2,2)))
dimSums(test,dim=c(1,3))
dimSums(test[,,1],na.rm=TRUE,dim=c(1,2))
```

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escapeRegex *escapeRegex*

Description

Escapes all symbols in a string which have a special meaning in regular expressions.

Usage

```
escapeRegex(x)
```

Arguments

x	String or vector of strings that should be escaped.

Value

The escaped strings.

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

grep

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fulldim *Reconstructs full dimensionality of MAgPIE objects*

Description

If a MAgPIE object is created from a source with more than one data dimension, these data dimensions are combined to a single dimension. fulldim reconstructs the original dimensionality and reports it.

Usage

```
fulldim(x, sep = ".")
```

Arguments

x	A MAgPIE-object
sep	A character separating joined dimension names

Value

A list containing in the first element the dim output and in the second element the dimnames output of the reconstructed array.

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

as.magpie,unwrap,wrap

Examples

```
a <- as.magpie(array(1:6,c(3,2),list(c("bla","blub","ble"),c("up","down"))))
fulldim(a)
```

`getCells` *Get Cells*

Description

Extracts cell names of a MAgPIE-object

Usage

```
getCells(x)

getCells(x) <- value

setCells(object, nm = "GLO")
```

Arguments

`x, object`	MAgPIE object
`value, nm`	cell names the data should be set to.

Details

setCells is a shortcut to use a MAgPIE object with manipulated cell names. setCells uses the variable names "object" and "nm" in order to be consistent to the already existing function setNames.

Value

getCells returns cell names of the MAgPIE-object, whereas setCells returns the MAgPIE object with the manipulated cell names.

Functions

- `getCells<-`: set cell names
- `setCells`: set cell names

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

getRegions, getNames, setNames, getCPR, read.magpie, write.magpie, "magpie"

Examples

```
a <- as.magpie(1)
getCells(a)
setCells(a,"AFR")
```

---

getComment *getComment*

Description

Extracts the comment from a MAgPIE-object

Usage

```
getComment(x)

getComment(x) <- value

setComment(object, nm = NULL)
```

Arguments

x, object	MAgPIE object
value, nm	A vector containing the comment.

Value

getComment returns the comment attached to a MAgPIE-object, NULL if no comment is present. setComment returns the magpie object with the modified comment.

Functions

- getComment<-: set comment
- setComment: set comment

Author(s)

Markus Bonsch

See Also

getRegions, getNames, getYears, getCPR, read.magpie, write.magpie, "magpie"

Examples

```
a <- as.magpie(1)
#returns NULL
getComment(a)
#set the comment
getComment(a)<-c("bla","blubb")
getComment(a)
```

---

getCPR *Get cells per region*

Description

Counts how many cells each region has and returns it as vector

Usage

```
getCPR(x)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object or a resolution written as numeric (currently only data for 0.5 degree resolution is available).

Value

cells per region

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

getRegions, read.magpie, write.magpie

Examples

```
# a <- read.magpie("example.mz")
# getCPR(a)
getCPR(0.5)
```

getDim *getDim*

Description

Function which tries to detect the dimension to which the given elems belong

Usage

```
getDim(elems, x, fullmatch = FALSE, dimCode = TRUE)
```

Arguments

elems	A vector of characters containing the elements that should be found in the MAgPIE object
x	MAgPIE object in which elems should be searched for.
fullmatch	If enabled, only dimensions which match exactly the elements provided will be returned. Otherwise, it is sufficient if elems contains a subset of the dimension.
dimCode	If enabled, the dimCode will be returned, otherwise the name of the dimension.

Value

The name or dimCode of the dimensions in which elems were found.

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

mcalc,dimCode

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
getDim(c("AFR","CPA"),population_magpie)
getDim(c("AFR","CPA"),population_magpie,fullmatch=TRUE)
getDim(c("AFR","CPA"),population_magpie,dimCode=FALSE)
```

getItems *Get Items*

Description

Extract items of a given (sub-)dimension of a MAgPIE-object

Usage

```
getItems(x, dim = NULL, split = FALSE, full = FALSE)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object
dim	Dimension for which the items should be returned. Either number or name of dimension or a vector of these. See dimCode for more details.
split	Boolean which determines whether a main dimension should be split in subdimensions. Only applicable to main dimensions (1,2,3) and ignored for all other.
full	if TRUE dimension names are returned as they are (including repetitions), if FALSE only the dimension elements (unique list of entries) are returned.

Value

items of the requested dimension in the MAgPIE-object. If split=TRUE and applied to a main dimension (1,2,3) a list of items for each sub-dimension.

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

dimCode

Examples

```
getItems(population_magpie,"scenario")
getItems(population_magpie,3.1)
```

getMetadata *getMetadata (!experimental!)*

Description

This function is currently experimental and non-functional by default! To activate it, set withMetadata(TRUE), otherwise it will not return or modify any metadata!

Usage

```
getMetadata(x, type = NULL)

getMetadata(x, type = NULL) <- value
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object
type	A vector containing the Metadata field. If NULL, getMetadata() will return all non-NULL fields, and 'getMetadata<-' will update all fields specified in value.
value	An object containing the Metadata entry.

Details

The function allows users to set and retrieve metadata for magclass objects

Metadata is an attribute of a magclass object, and it includes the default fields of "unit", "source", "date", "user", "calcHistory", "description" and "note", all contained in a list.

The "source" element is stored as a Bibtex class object (or a list thereof), but the value argument here can be either a Bibtex or bibentry object (or a list of any combination). Include all relevant information regarding where the data was originally reported. Specifically, the type of publication, author(s), article title, journal/publication name, volume, page numbers, URL and DOI.

The "calcHistory" field is stored as a Node class object. The value argument can be either a single node, a character of length 1 (to be converted to a node), or a full data tree. In the first two cases, the provided value will become the root node (read as the most recent function applied to the object). In the case of a full tree input, this will replace any existing calcHistory. Use updateMetadata() to merge the calcHistory of two magpie objects.

Value

getMetadata returns the metadata attached to a MAgPIE-object, NULL if no metadata attribute is present. getMetadata<- returns the magpie object with the modified metadata.

Functions

- `getMetadata<-`: set and modify Metadata

Author(s)

Stephen Bi

See Also

getComment, getRegions, getNames, getYears, getCPR, read.magpie, write.magpie, "magpie"

Examples

```
withMetadata(TRUE)
a <- as.magpie(1)
#returns NULL
getMetadata(a)
#set the unit field
getMetadata(a, "unit") <- "GtCO2eq"
getMetadata(a)

#set all Metadata fields
M <- list(unit='kg', source=list(author='John Doe', date='January 1, 2017',
title='example', publication='BigJournal, Vol. 200, pp. 100-115', institution='IEA'),
date=as.character(Sys.time()), user='my name', calcHistory=list('downloadSource','readSource'),
description='nonsense data')
getMetadata(a) <- M
getMetadata(a)
withMetadata(FALSE)
```

---

getNames *Get dataset names*

Description

Extracts dataset names of a MAgPIE-object

Usage

```
getNames(x, fulldim = FALSE, dim = NULL)

getNames(x, dim = NULL) <- value
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object
fulldim	specifies, how the object is treated. In case of FALSE, it is assumed that x is 3 dimensional and dimnames(x)[[3]] is returned. In case of TRUE, the dimnames of the real third dimension namesare returned
dim	Argument to choose a specific data dimension either by name of the dimension or by number of the data dimension.
value	a vector of names current names should be replaced with. If only one data element exists you can also set the name to NULL.

Details

setNames is a shortcut to use a MAgPIE object with manipulated data names. The setNames method uses the variable names "object" and "nm" in order to be consistent to the already existing function setNames.

Value

getNames returns data names of the MAgPIE-object, whereas setNames returns the MAgPIE object with the manipulated data names.

Functions

- `getNames<-`: set names

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

setNames-methods, getRegions, getYears, getCPR, read.magpie, write.magpie,ndata, "magpie"

Examples

```
a <- as.magpie(1)
getNames(a)
setNames(a,"bla")

x <- new.magpie("GLO",2000,c("a.o1","b.o1","a.o2"))
getNames(x,dim=2)

getSets(x,fulldim=FALSE)[3] <- "bla.blub"
getNames(x,dim="bla")

getSets(x)[4] <- "ble"
getNames(x,dim="ble") <- c("Hi","Bye")
x
```

---

getRegionList *Get a list of celluare region-belongings*

Description

Extracts a vector containing the region of each cell of a MAgPIE-object

Usage

```
getRegionList(x)

getRegionList(x) <- value
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object
value	A vector with ncell elements containing the regions of each cell.

Value

A vector with ncell elements containing the region of each cell.

Functions

- getRegionList<-: set region names

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

getRegions,getYears, getNames, getCPR, read.magpie, write.magpie, "magpie"

Examples

```
# a <- read.magpie("example.mz")
# getRegionList(a)
```

---

getRegions *Get regions*

Description

Extracts regions of a MAgPIE-object

Usage

```
getRegions(x)

getRegions(x) <- value
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object
value	Vector containing the new region names of the MAgPIE objects. If you also want to change the mapping of regions to cell please use getRegionList instead.

Value

Regions of the MAgPIE-object

Functions

- getRegions<-: overwrite region names

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

getYears, getNames, getCPR, read.magpie, write.magpie, "magpie"

Examples

```
# a <- read.magpie("example.mz")
# getRegions(a)
```

---

getSets *Get sets*

Description

Extracts sets of a MAgPIE-object if available

Usage

```
getSets(x, fulldim = TRUE, sep = ".")

getSets(x, fulldim = TRUE, sep = ".") <- value
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object
fulldim	bool: Consider dimension 3 as a possible aggregate of more dimensions (TRUE) or stick to it as one dimension (FALSE)
sep	A character separating joined dimension names
value	A vector with set names you want to replace the current set names of the object with.

Value

Sets of the MAgPIE-object. If no information about contained sets is available NULL

Functions

- getSets<-: replace set names

Author(s)

Markus Bonsch, Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

getRegions, getNames,getYears, getCPR, read.magpie, write.magpie, "magpie"

Examples

```
a <- new.magpie("GLO.1",2000,c("a.o1","b.o1","a.o2"))
getSets(a) <- c("reg","cell","t","bla","blub")
getSets(a)

getSets(a)["d3.1"] <- "BLA"
getSets(a,fulldim=FALSE)
getSets(a)
```

---

getYears *Get years*

Description

Extracts years of a MAgPIE-object

Usage

```
getYears(x, as.integer = FALSE)

getYears(x) <- value

setYears(object, nm = NULL)
```

Arguments

x, object	MAgPIE object
as.integer	Switch to decide, if output should be the used year-name (e.g. "y1995") or the year as integer value (e.g. 1995)
value, nm	Years the data should be set to. Either supplied as a vector of integers or a vector of characters in the predefined year format ("y0000"). If only 1 year exist you can also set the name of the year to NULL.

Details

setYears is a shortcut to use a MAgPIE object with manipulated year names. setYears uses the variable names "object" and "nm" in order to be consistent to the already existing function setNames.

Value

getYears returns years of the MAgPIE-object, whereas setYears returns the MAgPIE object with the manipulated years.

Functions

- getYears<-: rename years
- setYears: set years

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

getRegions, getNames, setNames, getCPR, read.magpie, write.magpie, "magpie"

Examples

```
a <- as.magpie(1)
getYears(a)
setYears(a,1995)
```

head.magpie *head/tail*

Description

head and tail methods for MAgPIE objects to extract the head or tail of an object

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'magpie'
head(x, n1 = 3L, n2 = 6L, n3 = 2L, ...)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object
n1, n2, n3	number of lines in first, second and third dimension that should be returned. If the given number is higher than the length of the dimension all entries in this dimension will be returned.
...	arguments to be passed to or from other methods.

Value

head returns the first n1 x n2 x n3 entries, tail returns the last n1 x n2 x n3 entries.

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

head, tail

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
head(population_magpie)
tail(population_magpie,2,4,1)
```

install_magpie_units *install_magpie_units (!experimental!)*

Description

This function is currently experimental and non-functional by default! To activate it, set withMetadata(TRUE).

Usage

```
install_magpie_units(x = NULL)
```

Arguments

x	Can be a character of length one, a magpie object, or NULL (default). If a character is given, it will be temporarily installed (for the current R session) to the units database if it isn't already. If a magpie object, then the same will be done for the metadata units field. If NULL, then a set of frequently used units will be installed to the database (also temporary).

Details

Please install the development version of the R-units package. The devtools or remotes package is a prerequisite for this - e.g. remotes::install_github("r-quantities/units")

The purpose of this function is to define common units used in MAgPIE and REMIND data for parseability by the udunits2 and units packages which handle unit conversions and compatibility checks.

Value

If x is a character, the newly installed units object. If x is a magpie object, a magpie object with an updated units metadata field. If x is NULL, no output is returned. Note that the udunits2 package does not accept units which start or end with a number. The current general work-around is to add a '_' before or after the unit as necessary. Some specific cases are handled differently, e.g. 'USD_2003' becomes 'y2003_USD'.

Author(s)

Stephen Bi

See Also

units.magpie, install_symbolic_unit, install_conversion_constant

is.temporal *is.temporal, is.spatial*

Description

Functions to find out whether a vector consists of strings consistent with the definition for auto-detection of temporal or spatial data.

Usage

```
is.temporal(x)
```

Arguments

x	A vector

Value

Returns TRUE or FALSE

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

Examples

```
is.temporal(1991:1993)
is.spatial(c("GLO","AFR"))
```

isYear *isYear*

Description

Function to find out whether a vector consists of strings in the format "yXXXX" or "XXXX" with X being a number

Usage

```
isYear(x, with_y = TRUE)
```

Arguments

x	A vector
with_y	indicates which dataformat years have to have (4-digit without y (e.g.1984) or 5digit including y (y1984))

Value

Returns a vector of the length of x with TRUE and FALSE

Author(s)

Benjamin Bodirsky

Examples

```
x<-c("1955","y1853","12a4")
isYear(x, with_y=TRUE)
isYear(x, with_y=FALSE)
```

`is_unit_installed` *is_unit_installed (!experimental!)*

Description

This function quickly checks whether a character is already recognizable as a units object. If FALSE, the unit can be installed via install_magpie_units.

Usage

```
is_unit_installed(char)
```

Arguments

`char`	A character string to be checked for units compatibility

Value

Returns a boolean. TRUE if char is recognized by the units package and FALSE otherwise. If FALSE, char can be installed as a compatible unit via install_magpie_units.

Author(s)

Stephen Bi

lin.convergence *lin.convergence*

Description

Cross-Fades the values of one MAGPIE object into the values of another over a certain time

Usage

```
lin.convergence(
  origin,
  aim,
  convergence_time_steps = NULL,
  start_year = NULL,
  end_year = NULL,
  before = "stable",
  after = "stable"
)
```

Arguments

origin	an object with one name-column
aim	Can be twofold: An object with one name-column and the same timesteps as origin. Then the model fades over from timestep 1, in which the value of origin is valid, to the last timestep, n which the value of aim is valid. In the second case, the aim object has to have only one timestep, which is also in origin. Then, the data will be faded from the value of origin in the first timestep to the value of aim in the timestep passed on by aim.
convergence_time_steps	In the case of timesteps(origin)==timesteps(aim), convergence_time_steps delivers the number of time_steps in which the convergence process shall be completed (e.g. 6 for y2055).
start_year	year in which the convergence from origin to aim starts. Value can also be a year not contained in the dataset.
end_year	year in which the convergence from origin to aim shall be reached. Value can also be a year not contained in the dataset. Can be used only alternatively to convergence_time_steps.
before	"stable" leaves the value at origin. If a year is entered, convergence begins at aim, reaches origin at start_year, and goes back to aim until end_year.
after	"stable" leaves the value at aim. All other values let the convergence continue in the same speed even beyond the end_year, such that the values of aim are left.

Value

returns a time-series with the same timesteps as origin, which lineary fades into the values of the aim object

Author(s)

Benjamin Bodirsky

See Also

lin.convergence

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
population <- add_columns(population_magpie,"MIX")
population[,,"MIX"] <- lin.convergence(population[,,"A2"],population[,,"B1"],
                                       convergence_time_steps=10)
```

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lowpass *Lowpass Filter*

Description

Filters high frequencies out of a time series. The filter has the structure x'(n) = (x(n-1)+2*x(n)+x(n+1))/4

Usage

```
lowpass(x, i = 1, fix = NULL, altFilter = NULL, warn = TRUE)
```

Arguments

x	Vector of data points, that should be filtered or MAgPIE object
i	number of iterations the filter should be applied to the data
fix	Fixes the starting and/or ending data point. Default value is NULL which doesn't fix any point. Available options are: "start" for fixing the starting point, "end" for fixing the ending point and "both" for fixing both ends of the data.
altFilter	set special filter rule to indexes defined in this parameter. The special filter has the structure x'(n) = (2*x(n)+x(n+1))/3
warn	boolean deciding whether lowpass issues a warning for critical parameter choices or not

Value

The filtered data vector or MAgPIE object

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich, Misko Stevanovic

Examples

```
lowpass(c(1,2,11,3,4))
# to fix the starting point
lowpass(c(0,9,1,5,14,20,6,11,0), i=2, fix="start")
```

`magclassdata` *magclassdata*

Description

General magclass-dataset

Details

Please do not directly access that data. It should be only used by library functions.

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

`magpie-class` *Class "magpie" ~~~*

Description

The MAgPIE class is a data format for cellular MAgPIE data with a close relationship to the array data format. `is.magpie` tests if `x` is an MAgPIE-object, `as.magpie` transforms `x` to an MAgPIE-object (if possible).

Arguments

`x`	An object that should be either tested or transformed as/to an MAgPIE-object.
`...`	additional arguments supplied for the conversion to a MAgPIE object. Allowed arguments for arrays and dataframes are `spatial` and `temporal` both expecting a vector of dimension or column numbers which contain the spatial or temporal information. By default both arguments are set to NULL which means that the `as.magpie` will try to detect automatically the temporal and spatial dimensions. The arguments will just overwrite the automatic detection. If you want to specify that the data does not contain a spatial or temporal dimension you can set the corresponding argument to 0. In addition `as.magpie` for data.frames is also expecting an argument called `datacol` which expects a number stating which is the first column containing data. This argument should be used if the dimensions are not detected corretly, e.g. if the last dimension column contains years which are

then detected as values and therefore interpreted as first data column. In addition an argument `tidy=TRUE` can be used to indicate that the data.frame structure is following the rules of tidy data (last column is the data column all other columns contain dimension information). This information will help the conversion. `sep` defines the dimension separator (default is ".") and `replacement` defines how the separator as a reserved character should be converted in order to not mess up with the object (default "_"). Another available argument for conversions of data.frames and quitte objects to magpie is `filter` if set to TRUE (default) "." (separator) will be replaced withe the `replacement` character and empty entries will be replaced with a single space. If set to FALSE no filter will be applied to the data.

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form `new("magpie",data,dim,dimnames,...)`. MAgPIE objects have three dimensions (cells,years,datatype) and the dimensionnames of the first dimension have the structure "REGION.cellnumber". MAgPIE-objects behave the same like array-objects with 2 exceptions:
1.Dimensions of the object will not collapse (e.g. `x[1,1,1]` will remain 3D instead of becoming 1D)
2.It is possible to extract full regions just by typing `x["REGIONNAME",,]`.

Please mind following standards:
Header must not contain any purely numeric entries, but combinations of characters and numbers are allowed (e.g. "bla","12" is forbidden, wheras "bla","b12" is allowed)
Years always have the structure "y" + 4-digit number, e.g. "y1995"
Regions always have the structure 3 capital letters, e.g. "AFR" or "GLO"

This standards are necessary to allow the scripts to detect headers, years and regions properly and to have a distinction to other data.

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

`read.magpie`, `write.magpie`, `getRegions`, `getYears`, `getNames`, `getCPR`, `ncells`, `nyears`, `ndata`

Examples

```
showClass("magpie")

data(population_magpie)

# returning PAO and PAS for 2025
population_magpie["PA",2025,,pmatch="left"]
```

```
# returning CPA for 2025
population_magpie["PA",2025,,pmatch="right"]

# returning CPA PAO and PAS for 2025
population_magpie["PA",2025,,pmatch=TRUE]

# returning PAS and 2025
population_magpie["PAS",2025,]

# returning everything but values for PAS or values for 2025
population_magpie["PAS",2025,,invert=TRUE]
```

---

magpieComp *magpieComp*

Description

Function that compares two magpie objects.

Usage

```
magpieComp(bench, comp, reg = NA)
```

Arguments

bench	A MAgPIE object.
comp	A MAgPIE object.
reg	The region(s) you want to focus on

Details

Function that compares two magpie objects.

Value

a list containing a1) the names found only in bench, a2) the names found only in comp, b) a sorted data frame with the largest relative difference between bench and comp in percentage values, and c) a magclass object with the same values

Author(s)

Anastasis Giannousakis

magpieResolution *magpieResolution*

Description

Returns the Resolution of a MAgPIE object

Usage

```
magpieResolution(object)
```

Arguments

object	An MAgPIE object

Value

"glo", "reg" or "cell"

Author(s)

Benjamin Bodirsky

See Also

population_magpie

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
magpieResolution(population_magpie)
```

magpiesort *MAgPIE-Sort*

Description

Brings the spatial and temporal structure of MAgPIE objects in the right order. This function is especially useful when you create new MAgPIE objects as the order typically should be correct for MAgPIE objects.

Usage

```
magpiesort(x)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object which might not be in the right order.

Value

The eventually corrected MAgPIE object (right order in spatial in temporal dimension)

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

"magpie"

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
a <- magpiesort(population_magpie)
```

---

magpie_expand *magpie_expand*

Description

Expands a MAgPIE object based on a reference

Usage

```
magpie_expand(x, ref)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object that should be expanded
ref	MAgPIE object that serves as a reference

Details

Expansion means here that the dimensions of x are expanded acordingly to ref. Please note that this is really only about expansion. In the case that one dimension of ref is smaller than of x nothing happens with this dimension. At the moment magpie_expand is only internally available in the magclass library

You can influence the verbosity of this function by setting the option "magclass.verbosity". By default verbosity is set to 2 which means that warnings as well as notes are returned. Setting verbosity to 1 means that only warnings are returned but no notes. This is done by options(verbosity.level=1)

With version 5 of the package magpie_expand has been updated to a newer version (currently 2.1). To switch to the old setup you have to set `options(magclass_expand_version=1)`.

By default expansion is based on the elements in a dimension ignoring the set name of the dimension. To expand based on set names instead of contents (recommended) you can switch `options(magclass_setMatching=TR`
Please be careful with this setting as it alters the behavior of magclass objects quite significantly!
For more information have a look at `vignette("magclass-expansion")`.

Value

An expanded version of x.

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

`as.magpie`, `options`

Examples

```
a <- new.magpie(c("AFR","CPA"),"y1995",c("m","n"))
b <- new.magpie("GLO","y1995",c("bla","blub"))
magpie_expand(b,a)
options(magclass.verbosity=1)
magpie_expand(b,a)
```

---

magpie_expand_dim *magpie_expand_dim*

Description

Expands a single MAgPIE object dimension

Usage

```
magpie_expand_dim(x, ref, dim = 1)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object that should be expanded
ref	MAgPIE object that serves as a reference
dim	dimension that should be expanded

Details

Expansion means here that the dimensions of x are expanded acordingly to ref. Please note that this is really only about expansion. In the case that one dimension of ref is smaller than of x nothing happens with this dimension. At the moment magpie_expand is only internally available in the magclass library

In contrast to magpie_expand this function is expanding only a single dimension. It is meant as a support function for magpie_expand itself.

Value

An expanded version of x.

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

as.magpie, options

Examples

```
d <- new.magpie(c("AFR.BLUB.1","AFR.BLUB.2","EUR.BLUB.1",
                  "AFR.BLA.1","AFR.BLA.2","EUR.BLA.1"),fill = 1)
getSets(d)[1:3] <- c("reg","b","i")
e <- new.magpie(c("BLA.AFR.A","BLA.EUR.A","BLUB.AFR.A","BLUB.EUR.A",
                  "BLA.AFR.B","BLA.EUR.B","BLUB.AFR.B","BLUB.EUR.B"),fill = 2)
getSets(e)[1:3] <- c("b","reg","a")
magclass:::magpie_expand_dim(d,e,dim=1)
```

---

magpply *magpply*

Description

apply command for magpieobjects. Very efficient for replacing loops.

Usage

```
magpply(X, FUN, MARGIN, ..., integrate = FALSE)
```

Arguments

X	magpie object
FUN	function that shall be applied X
MARGIN	dimension over which FUN shall be applied (like a loop over that dimension). This dimension will be preserved in the output object
...	further parameters passed on to FUN
integrate	if TRUE, the output will be filled into an magpie object of the same dimensionality as X

Value

magpie object

Author(s)

Benjamin Leon Bodirsky

Examples

```
## Not run:
data("population_magpie")
magpply(population_magpie,FUN=sum,MARGIN=2)
fourdim<-population_magpie*setNames(population_magpie,c("jkk","lk"))
magpply(fourdim,FUN=sum,MARGIN=c(1,3.1))
magpply(fourdim,FUN=function(x){return(x+1)},MARGIN=c(1,3.1),integrate=TRUE)

## End(Not run)
```

---

mbind *mbind*

Description

Merges MAgPIE-objects with identical structure in two dimensions. If data differs in the temporal or spatial dimension each year or region/cell must appear only once!

Usage

```
mbind(...)
```

Arguments

...	MAgPIE objects or a list of MAgPIE objects that should be merged.

Details

mbind2 is a reimplementation from mbind which had the aim to increase its overall memory efficiency. However, it is not clear which function is better and there are also some changes in behaviour of both functions. Therefore, the new version was just added as mbind2 instead of using it as a full replacement for mbind.

Value

The merged MAgPIE object

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich, Misko Stevanovic

See Also

"magpie"

Examples

```
m <- new.magpie(c("AFR","CPA","EUR"), c(1995,2005),"Data1",fill=c(1,2,3,4,5,6))
ms <- dimSums(m, dims=1)
mbind(m, ms)
my <- new.magpie(getRegions(m), 2010, getNames(m), fill=c(6,6,4))
mbind(m, my)
md <- new.magpie(getRegions(m), getYears(m), "Data2", fill=c(7,6,5,7,8,9))
mbind(m, md)

data(population_magpie)
a <- mbind(population_magpie,population_magpie)
dim(population_magpie)
dim(a)
```

---

mcalc *mcalc*

Description

Select values from a MAgPIE-object

Usage

```
mcalc(x, f, dim = NULL, append = FALSE)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object
f	A formula describing the calculation that should be performed
dim	The dimension in which the manipulation should take place. If set to NULL function tries to detect the dimension automatically.
append	If set to TRUE the result will be appended to x, otherwise the result will be returned.

Details

This functions only work for MAgPIE objects with named dimensions as the dimension name (set_name) has to be used to indicate in which dimension the entries should be searched for!

Value

The calculated MAgPIE object in the case that append is set to FALSE. Otherwise nothing is returned (as x is appended in place)

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

mselect

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
population_magpie
mcalc(population_magpie,X12 ~ A2*B1,append=TRUE)
population_magpie
mcalc(population_magpie,`Nearly B1` ~ 0.5*A2 + 99.5*B1)
```

---

mselect *MSelect*

Description

Select values from a MAgPIE-object

Usage

```
mselect(x, ..., collapseNames = FALSE)

mselect(x, ...) <- value
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object
...	entry selections of the form set_name=c(set_elem1,set_elem2). Alternatively a single list element containing these selections can be provided.
collapseNames	Boolean which decides whether names should be collapsed or not.
value	values on which the selected magpie entries should be set.

Details

This functions only work for MAgPIE objects with named dimensions as the dimension name (set_name) has to be used to indicate in which dimension the entries should be searched for!

Value

The reduced MAgPIE object containing only the selected entries or the full MAgPIE object in which a selection of entries was manipulated.

Functions

- mselect<-: replace values in magpie object

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

collapseNames, "magpie"

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
population_magpie
mselect(population_magpie,i=c("AFR","EUR"),scenario="A2",t="y2035")
```

---

ncells *Count elements*

Description

Functions to count the number of cells/years/datasets/regions of an MAgPIE-object

Usage

```
ncells(x)

ndata(x, fulldim = FALSE)

nregions(x)

nyears(x)
```

Arguments

x	A MAgPIE-object
fulldim	specifies, how the object is treated. In case of FALSE, it is assumed that x is 3 dimensional and dimnames(x)[[3]] is returned. In case of TRUE, the dimnames of the real third dimension namesare returned

Value

value	The number of cells/years/datasets/regions of x

Functions

- ndata: count datasets
- nregions: count regions
- nyears: count years

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

Examples

```
a <- is.magpie(NULL)
ncells(a)
nyears(a)
ndata(a)
nregions(a)
```

new.magpie *new.magpie*

Description

Creates a new MAgPIE object

Usage

```
new.magpie(
  cells_and_regions = "GLO",
  years = NULL,
  names = NULL,
  fill = NA,
  sort = FALSE,
  sets = NULL,
  unit = "unknown"
)
```

Arguments

cells_and_regions	Either the region names (e.g. "AFR"), or the cells (e.g. 1:10), or both in combination (e.g. "AFR.1"). NULL means no spatial element.
years	dimnames for years in the format "yXXXX" or as integers. NULL means one year which is not further specified
names	dimnames for names. NULL means one data element which is not further specified
fill	Default value for the MAgPIE object
sort	Bolean. Decides, wheher output should be sorted or not.
sets	A vector of dimension names. See getSets for more information.
unit	A character which sets the MAgPIE object's unit field in its metadata atrribute

Value

an empty magpie object filled with fill, with the given dimnames

Author(s)

Benjamin Bodirsky, Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

as.magpie

Examples

```
a <- new.magpie(1:10,1995:2000)
b <- new.magpie(c("AFR","CPA"),"y1995",c("bla","blub"),sets=c("i","t","value"))
c <- new.magpie()
```

`old_dim_convention` *old_dim_convention*

Description

Transforms new dim convention (e.g. 3.2) into old dim convention(e.g. 4)

Usage

```
old_dim_convention(dim)
```

Arguments

`dim`	The dim number in the new convention

Value

The dim number according to the old convention

Author(s)

Benjamin Bodirsky

See Also

`add_columns`,`add_dimension`

Examples

```
dim=old_dim_convention(3.2)
dim=old_dim_convention(1.1)
```

place_x_in_y *place_x_in_y*

Description

Function positions magpie object x into magpie object y.

Usage

```
place_x_in_y(x, y, expand = T)
```

Arguments

x	Object to be placed.
y	Object in which x shall be placed
expand	T: if x is larger than y, new columns are added.

Value

The combination of x and y. x overwrites y values which are in the same place.

Author(s)

Benjamin Bodirsky

See Also

add_dimension,add_columns,mbind

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
x <- population_magpie[,"y1995",]*0.2
a <- place_x_in_y(x, population_magpie)
```

population_magpie *population_magpie*

Description

Example dataset for a regional MAgPIE object

Value

A2 and B1 population scenario from SRES

Author(s)

Benjamin Bodirsky

print.magpie *print*

Description

print method for MAgPIE objects for conventient display of magpie data.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'magpie'
print(x, drop = TRUE, reshape = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object
drop	argument which controls whether empty dimensions should be skipped or not.
reshape	agrument that controls tabular representation of nested data dimension cross tables, FALSE will reproduce standard print behavior any pair of two dimension numbers will create a table for these two dims, and loop over the other dimensions
...	arguments to be passed to or from other methods.

Value

print displays the given MAgPIE object on screen.

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich, Kristine Karstens, Felicitas Beier

See Also

print

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
print(population_magpie)
print(population_magpie[,1,], drop=FALSE)
print(population_magpie[,1,])
```

`read.lpjml_nc` *Read LPJmL from nc-file*

Description

Reads a LPJmL nc-file and converts it to a 3D array of the structure (cells,years,datacolumn)

Usage

```
read.lpjml_nc(
  file_name,
  file_folder = "",
  years = NULL,
  split_data = FALSE,
  keep_month = FALSE,
  averaging_range = 1
)
```

Arguments

`file_name`	file name including file ending (wildcards are supported). Optionally also the full path can be specified here (instead of splitting it to file_name and file_folder)
`file_folder`	folder the file is located in (alternatively you can also specify the full path in file_name - wildcards are supported)
`years`	a vector containing the years of interest
`split_data`	split reading routine to avoid memory issues
`keep_month`	keep monthly data (month as 3rd magpie data dim)
`averaging_range`	number of years to be averaged (if even: overweight for prevous time period)

Value

`x`	MAgPIE-object

Author(s)

Kristine Karstens

See Also

"magpie", read.magpie

Examples

```
## Not run:
a <- read.lpjml_nc("sdate.nc")
## End(Not run)
```

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read.magpie *Read MAgPIE-object from file*

Description

Reads a MAgPIE-file and converts it to a 3D array of the structure (cells,years,datacolumn)

Usage

```
read.magpie(
  file_name,
  file_folder = "",
  file_type = NULL,
  as.array = FALSE,
  old_format = FALSE,
  comment.char = "*",
  check.names = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

file_name	file name including file ending (wildcards are supported). Optionally also the full path can be specified here (instead of splitting it to file_name and file_folder)
file_folder	folder the file is located in (alternatively you can also specify the full path in file_name - wildcards are supported)
file_type	format the data is stored in. Currently 13 formats are available: "rds" (recommended compressed format), "cs2" & "cs2b" (cellular standard MAgPIE format), "csv" (regional standard MAgPIE format), "cs3" (multidimensional format compatible to GAMS), "cs4" (alternative multidimensional format compatible to GAMS, in contrast to cs3 it can also handle sparse data), "csvr", "cs2r", "cs3r" and "cs4r" which are the same formats as the previous mentioned ones with the only difference that they have a REMIND compatible format, "m" (binary

	MAgPIE format "magpie"), "mz" (compressed binary MAgPIE format "magpie zipped") "put" (format used primarily for the REMIND-MAgPIE coupling) and "asc", (ASCII-Grid format as used by ArcGis) . If file_type=NULL the file ending of the file_name is used as format. If format is different to the formats mentioned standard MAgPIE format is assumed.
as.array	Should the input be transformed to an array? This can be useful for regional or global inputs, but all advantages of the magpie-class are lost.
old_format	used to read files in old MAgPIE-format (unused space was not located at the beginning of the file), will be removed soon.
comment.char	character: a character vector of length one containing a single character or an empty string. Use "" to turn off the interpretation of comments altogether. If a comment is found it will be stored in attr(,"comment"). In text files the comment has to be at the beginning of the file in order to be recognized by read.magpie.
check.names	logical. If TRUE then the names of the variables in the data frame are checked to ensure that they are syntactically valid variable names. Same functionality as in read.table.

Details

This function reads from 13 different MAgPIE file_types. "rds" is a R-default format for storing R objects."cs2" or "cs2b" is the new standard format for cellular data with or without header and the first columns (year,regiospatial) or only (regiospatial), "csv" is the standard format for regional data with or without header and the first columns (year,region,cellnumber) or only (region,cellnumber). "cs3" is a format similar to csv and cs2, but with the difference that it supports multidimensional data in a format which can be read by GAMS, "put" is a newly supported format which is mosty used for the REMIND-MAgPIE coupling. This format is only partly supported at the moment. "asc" is the AsciiGrid format (for example used for Arc Gis data). "nc" is the netCDF format (only "nc" files written by write.magpie can be read). All these variants are read without further specification. "magpie" (.m) and "magpie zipped" (.mz) are new formats developed to allow a less storage intensive management of MAgPIE-data. The only difference between both formats is that .mz is gzipped whereas .m is not compressed. So .mz needs less memory, whereas .m might have a higher compatibility to other languages.

Since library version 1.4 read.magpie can also read regional or global MAgPIE csv-files.

Value

x	MAgPIE-object

Note

The binary MAgPIE formats .m and .mz have the following content/structure (you only have to care for that if you want to implement read.magpie/write.magpie functions in other languages):

[FileFormatVersion | Current file format version number (currently 6) | integer | 2 Byte]
[nchar_comment | Number of character bytes of the file comment | integer | 4 Byte]
[nbyte_metadata | Number of bytes of the serialized metadata | integer | 4 Byte]
[nchar_sets | Number of characters bytes of all regionnames + 2 delimiter | integer | 2 Byte]

[nyears | Number of years | integer | 2 Byte]
[year_list | All years of the dataset (0, if year is not present) | integer | 2*nyears Byte]
[ncells | Number of cells | integer | 4 Byte]
[nchar_cell | Number of characters bytes of all regionnames + (nreg-1) for delimiters | integer | 4 Byte]
[cells | Cell names saved as cell1\cell2 (\n is the delimiter) | character | 1*nchar_cell Byte]
[nelem | Total number of data elements | integer | 4 Byte]
[nchar_data | Number of char. bytes of all datanames + (ndata - 1) for delimiters | integer | 4 Byte]
[datanames | Names saved in the format data1\ndata2 (\n as del.) | character | 1*nchar_data Byte]
[data | Data of the MAgPIE array in vectorized form | numeric | 4*nelem Byte]
[comment | Comment with additional information about the data | character | 1*nchar_comment Byte]
[sets | Set names with \n as delimiter | character | 1*nchar_sets Byte]
[metadata | serialized metadata information | bytes | 1*nbyte_metadata Byte]

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich, Stephen Bi, Florian Humpenoeder

See Also

"magpie", write.magpie

Examples

```
## Not run:
a <- read.magpie("lpj_yield_ir.csv")
write.magpie(a,"lpj_yield_ir.mz")

## End(Not run)
```

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read.report *Read file in report format*

Description

This function reads the content of a reporting file (a file in the model intercomparison file format *.mif) into a list of MAgPIE objects or a single MAgPIE object.

Usage

```
read.report(file, as.list = TRUE)
```

Arguments

file	file name the object should be read from.
as.list	if TRUE a list is returned (default), if FALSE it is tried to merge all information in one MAgPIE object (still under development and works currently only if the entries for the different models and scenarios have exactly the same regions and years).

Details

The **Model Intercomparison File Format (MIF)** is the default file format for data produced by Integrated Assessment Models. It is based on the common format used for Model Intercomparison Projects such as EMF and SSP with some slight changes/clarifications in its definition. For interactions between models this format should be used. For everything else it is at least recommended to use this format, too.

Aim of this standardization is to achieve a more flexible and smooth communication between models and to facilitate the creation of aggregated outputs from integrated assessment scenario runs which then can easily be uploaded to external databases such as the EMF or SSP database. By using this standard most of the required decisions for a working input output interface between models have already been specified which significantly reduces the required work to get a new interaction running.

Definition

The format is characterized by the following features:

- The file ending is ".mif"
- The file is written in ASCII format
- Entries are separated with ";", every line ends with a ";"
- The file always contains a header
- The format of the header is: `Model;Scenario;Region;Variable;Unit;<ADDITIONAL_COLUMNS>;<YEARS>;`

The first 5 entries always have to exist, <ADDITIONAL_COLUMNS> is additional information which can be added optionally (e.g. "Description") and <YEARS> are the years for which data is delivered. <YEARS> are always written as 4 digit numbers. In the (very unlikely) case that a year before 1000 is used the number has to start with a 0, e.g. 0950. <ADDITIONAL_COLUMNS> can be anything, there are no further rules at the moment what it can contain. However, there are strict rules for naming these columns. Allowed are single names starting with a capital letter without special characters in it except "_" which is allowed. Examples: "Description" allowed, "More Description" not allowed, "More_Description" allowed, "123Description" not allowed, "Description123" allowed. Scripts using this format must be able to ignore additional columns. For years there are no specific limitations/requirements which years should be reported. Scripts dealing with this data must be able to work with different temporal resolutions. For variables basically everything can be reported here. Missing values have to be marked with "N/A".

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

write.report

Examples

```
## Not run:
  read.report("report.csv")

## End(Not run)
```

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remind2magpie *Remind2MAgPIE*

Description

Converts a MAgPIE object with Remind regions to a MAgPIE object with MAgPIE regions

Usage

```
remind2magpie(x)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object with Remind regions

Value

MAgPIE object with MAgPIE regions

Author(s)

Florian Humpenoeder

See Also

"magpie"

Examples

```
## Not run: a <- remind2magpie(remind_c_prices)
```

replace_non_finite *Replace Non-Finite Data*

Description

Replaces all instances of non-finite data (NA, NaN, Inf, and -Inf).

Usage

```
replace_non_finite(x, replace = 0)
```

Arguments

x	A vector or magpie object.
replace	A value to replace non-finite data with.

Value

A vector or magpie object, same as x.

Author(s)

Michaja Pehl

Examples

```
part  <- new.magpie(letters[1:3], years = 'y1995', names = 'foo')
total <- new.magpie(letters[1:3], years = 'y1995', names = 'foo')

part[,,]  <- c(0, 1, 2)
total[,,] <- c(0, 10, 10)

part / total

replace_non_finite(part / total)
```

round-methods *Round-method for MAgPIE objects*

Description

Round-method for MAgPIE-objects respectively. Works exactly as for arrays.

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'magpie'
round(x, digits = 0)
```

Arguments

x	a magpie object
digits	integer indicating the number of decimal places (round) or significant digits (signif) to be used. Negative values are allowed.

Methods

x = "magpie" works as round(x) for arrays.

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rowSums-methods *~~ Methods for Function rowSums and rowMeans ~~*

Description

~~ Methods for function rowSums and rowMeans~~

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'magpie'
rowSums(x, na.rm = FALSE, dims = 1, ...)
```

Arguments

x	object on which calculation should be performed
na.rm	logical. Should missing values (including NaN) be omitted from the calculations?
dims	integer: Which dimensions are regarded as "rows" or "columns" to sum over. For row*, the sum or mean is over dimensions dims+1, ...; for col* it is over dimensions 1:dims.
...	further arguments passed to other colSums/colMeans methods

Methods

list("signature(x = \"ANY\")") normal rowSums and rowMeans method

list("signature(x = \"magpie\")") classical method prepared to handle MAgPIE objects

setNames-methods *Get dataset names*

Description

Extracts dataset names of a MAgPIE-object

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'magpie'
setNames(object = nm, nm)
```

Arguments

object	MAgPIE object
nm	a vector of names current names should be replaced with. If only one data element exists you can also set the name to NULL.

Details

setNames is a shortcut to use a MAgPIE object with manipulated data names. The setNames method uses the variable names "object" and "nm" in order to be consistent to the already existing function setNames.

Methods

list("signature(object = \"ANY\")") normal setNames method

list("signature(object = \"magpie\")") setNames for MAgPIE objects

See Also

getNames,

set_magpie_units *set_magpie_units (!experimental!)*

Description

A pipe-friendly version of units<-.magpie. Extension of set_units from the units package to MAgPIE objects.

Usage

```
set_magpie_units(x, value, manual_overwrite = FALSE)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object
value	object of class units, a character of length one coercible to units via as_units, or a MAgPIE object
manual_overwrite	boolean indicating whether to coerce the object into the provided unit. If FALSE (default), value must be convertible from x's original unit (or else an error will be thrown), and the data in x will be converted to the new unit if possible. If TRUE, value will replace the existing unit without altering the data.

Value

MAgPIE object x converted to given unit (if possible)

Author(s)

Stephen Bi

See Also

set_units

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sizeCheck *sizeCheck*

Description

Calculates expected magclass object length and checks that it stays below the limit defined with magclass_sizeLimit. This is useful to prevent out of memory errors in case of unwanted object expansions Ignored if `getOption("magclass_sizeLimit")` is negative.

Usage

```
sizeCheck(dim, newnames = NULL)
```

Arguments

dim	dimensions of the current object as returned by function dim
newnames	a list of new dimensions to be added to the object

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

Examples

```
magclass:::sizeCheck(dim(population_magpie),dimnames(population_magpie))
```

time_interpolate *time_interpolate*

Description

Function to extrapolate missing years in MAgPIE objects.

Usage

```
time_interpolate(
  dataset,
  interpolated_year,
  integrate_interpolated_years = FALSE,
  extrapolation_type = "linear"
)
```

Arguments

dataset	An MAgPIE object
interpolated_year	Vector of years, of which values are required. Can be in the formats 1999 or y1999.
integrate_interpolated_years	FALSE returns only the dataset of the interpolated year, TRUE returns the whole dataset, including all years of data and the itnerpolated year
extrapolation_type	Determines what happens if extrapolation is required, i.e. if a requested year lies outside the range of years in dataset. Specify "linear" for a linear extrapolation. "constant" uses the value from dataset closest in time to the requested year.

Value

Uses linear extrapolation to estimate the values of the interpolated year, using the values of the two surrounding years. If the value is before or after the years in data, the two closest neighbours are used for extrapolation.

Author(s)

Benjamin Bodirsky, Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

lin.convergence

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
time_interpolate(population_magpie,"y2000",integrate=TRUE)
time_interpolate(population_magpie,c("y1980","y2000"),integrate=TRUE,extrapolation_type="constant")
```

`units<-.magpie` *units*

Description

units method for MAgPIE objects to update the unit of the object

Usage

```
## S3 replacement method for class 'magpie'
units(x) <- value
```

Arguments

`x`	MAgPIE object
`value`	object of class units or character of length one coercible to class units via as_units

Value

MAgPIE object converted to given unit (if possible)

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich, Stephen Bi

See Also

`units`

unwrap *Unwrap*

Description

Reconstruct the full dimensionality of a MAgPIE object

Usage

```
unwrap(x, sep = ".")
```

Arguments

x	A MAgPIE object
sep	A character separating joined dimension names

Value

An array with the full dimensionality of the original data

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

wrap,fulldim

Examples

```
a <- as.magpie(array(1:6,c(3,2),list(c("bla","blub","ble"),c("up","down"))))
fulldim(a)
unwrap(a)
```

updateMetadata *updateMetadata (!experimental!)*

Description

This function is currently experimental and non-functional by default! To activate it, set withMetadata(TRUE), otherwise it will not return or modify any metadata!

Usage

```
updateMetadata(
  x,
  y = NULL,
  unit = ifelse(is.null(y), "keep", "update"),
  source = ifelse(is.null(y), "keep", "merge"),
  calcHistory = ifelse(is.null(y), "keep", "update"),
  user = "update",
  date = "update",
  description = ifelse(is.null(y), "keep", "merge"),
  note = ifelse(is.null(y), "keep", "merge"),
  version = ifelse(is.null(y), "keep", "merge"),
  n = 1,
  cH_priority = 2
)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object to be updated
y	MAgPIE object to copy Metadata from (optional)
unit	An object of type units indicating the units of measure of the MAgPIE data. Possible arguments are: - "keep": maintains the unit field in x - "copy": copies the unit field of y to x - "clear": deletes the unit field from x - "update": if units of x do not match units of y, sets units to "mixed". Else, copies units of y to x. - string or vector specifying new units for x The default argument is "keep" if no y argument is provided, or "update" if y is provided.
source	An object of class Bibtex (or a list of Bibtex objects) indicating the source(s) of the input data in BibTeX style. Possible arguments are "keep", "clear", "copy" (which overwrites the source(s) of x with the source(s) of y), "merge" (which combines the sources of x and y in a list), or a new source can be entered here as a Bibtex object. By default, "keep" if no y argument, or "merge" if y is provided.
calcHistory	A tree-like object of class Node indicating the functions through which x has passed. Possible arguments are "keep", "copy", "clear", "merge" (which combines the history trees of 2 or more objects), and "update" (which adds the function presently calling updateMetadata (or a function further upstream if specified by n) to calcHistory and also merges if y is provided). A node object can also be provided which will overwrite any existing value. Finally, if a character of length one is provided, the behavior will be like "update" using the string as the new root node. By default, "keep" if no y argument, or "merge" if y is provided.
user	A string indicating the user who last modified the MAgPIE object. Possible arguments are "keep", "copy", "update" (which retrieves the username currently logged into the system), or a character string which specifies a new user. "update" by default.
date	A character indicating the MAgPIE object's last modified date. Possible arguments are "keep", "copy", and "update" (which sets the date of x to the current time). "update" by default.

description	A string or list of strings containing a description of the dataset. Possible arguments are "keep", "copy", "merge", "clear", or a new description can be defined here by a character string. By default, "keep" if no y argument, or "copy" if y is provided.
note	A string or list of strings for attaching notes (e.g. instructions, warnings, etc.) to the data. Possible arguments are "keep", "copy", "merge", clear", or a new note can be entered here as a character string. By default, "keep" if no y argument, or "copy" if y is provided.
version	A named vector containing the name(s) and version number(s) of the software used. Possible arguments are "keep" (default), "copy", "merge", "clear", or a character vector (package names and numbers can be provided as a named vector, in concatenated strings with a space separating name & number, or in a single string with a ';' separating each package).
n	If calcHistory is to be updated, this integer indicates how many frames ahead in the stack to find the function to append to the the object's calcHistory. n=1 by default.
cH_priority	Integer to set the significance of the function call with respect to calcHistory tracking (lower = more significant). To be compared against the "calcHistory_verbosity" global option (user can set this via withMetadata).

Details

This function is to be used by other functions to update metadata for magclass objects

When an operation is performed on a MAgPIE dataset, updateMetadata can be used to copy Metadata entries to the new MAgPIE object or update the Metadata fields appropriately. fields of "unit", "source", "date", "user" and "calcHistory", contained in a list.

The "source" component should include all information about the source(s) where the data was originally reported. Specifically, the authors, publication date, article title, journal

Value

updateMetadata returns the magpie object x with metadata modified as desired.

Author(s)

Stephen Bi

See Also

getComment, getMetadata, getNames, getYears, getCPR, read.magpie, write.magpie, "magpie"

where *where*

Description

Analysis function for magpie objects

Usage

```
where(x, plot = NULL)
```

Arguments

x	A logical statement with a magpie object
plot	depreciated. Use the function whereplot in package luplot.

Value

A list of analysis parameters

Author(s)

Benjamin Leon Bodirsky

See Also

whereplot in package luplot

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
 test<-population_magpie
 dimnames(test)[[1]]<-c("AFG","DEU","FRA","EGY","IND","IDN","RUS","CHN","USA","YEM")
 where(test>500)
```

withMetadata *withMetadata (!experimental!)*

Description

Convenience function to (de-)activate metadata handling in magpie objects and to return current setting

Usage

```
withMetadata(set = NULL, verbosity = NULL)
```

Arguments

set	boolean to switch metadata on/off or NULL to leave the option as is.
verbosity	Integer to set the verbosity level of calcHistory tracking. 0 = no calcHistory tracking, 1 = only the core functions are tracked (e.g. calcOutput, readSource), 2 (default) = most magclass functions and toolAggregate are also tracked, 3 = virtually all functions are tracked.

Value

boolean indicating the current metadata setting (switched on or off)

Author(s)

Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

getMetadata

Examples

```
withMetadata()
withMetadata(TRUE)
a <- as.magpie(1)
getMetadata(a)
withMetadata(FALSE)
```

wrap *Wrap*

Description

Reshape an array or a matrix by permuting and/or joining dimensions.

Usage

```
wrap(x, map = list(NA), sep = ".")
```

Arguments

x	An array
map	A list of length equal to the number of dimensions in the reshaped array. Each element should be an integer vectors specifying the dimensions to be joined in corresponding new dimension. One element may equal NA to indicate that that dimension should be a join of all non-specified (remaining) dimensions. Default is to wrap everything into a vector.
sep	A character separating joined dimension names

Note

This function is extracted from the R.utils library which is licensed under LGPL>=2.1 and written by Henrik Bengtsson.

Author(s)

Henrik Bengtsson, Jan Philipp Dietrich

See Also

unwrap,fulldim

write.magpie *Write MAgPIE-object to file*

Description

Writes a MAgPIE-3D-array (cells,years,datacolumn) to a file in one of three MAgPIE formats (standard, "magpie", "magpie zipped")

Usage

```
write.magpie(
  x,
  file_name,
  file_folder = "",
  file_type = NULL,
  append = FALSE,
  comment = NULL,
  comment.char = "*",
  metadata.char = "~",
  mode = NULL,
  nc_compression = 9,
  verbose = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE-object
file_name	file name including file ending (wildcards are supported). Optionally also the full path can be specified here (instead of splitting it to file_name and file_folder)
file_folder	folder the file should be written to (alternatively you can also specify the full path in file_name - wildcards are supported)
file_type	Format the data should be stored as. Currently 13 formats are available: "rds" (default R-data format), "cs2" (cellular standard MAgPIE format), "cs2b" (cellular standard MAgPIE format with suppressed header ndata=1), "csv" (regional standard MAgPIE format), "cs3" (Format for multidimensional MAgPIE data, compatible to GAMS), "cs4" (alternative multidimensional format compatible to GAMS, in contrast to cs3 it can also handle sparse data), "csvr", "cs2r", "cs3r" and "cs4r" which are the same formats as the previous mentioned ones with the only difference that they have a REMIND compatible format, "m" (binary MAgPIE format "magpie"), "mz" (compressed binary MAgPIE format "magpie zipped"), "asc" (ASCII grid format / only available for 0.5deg data) and "nc" (netCDF format / only available for 0.5deg data). If file_type=NULL the file ending of the file_name is used as format. If format is different to the formats mentioned standard MAgPIE format is assumed. Please be aware that the file_name is independent of the file_type you choose here, so no additional file ending will be added!
append	Decides whether an existing file should be overwritten (FALSE) or the data should be added to it (TRUE). Append = TRUE only works if the existing data can be combined with the new data using the mbind function
comment	Vector of strings: Optional comment giving additional information about the data. If different to NULL this will overwrite the content of attr(x,"comment")
comment.char	character: a character vector of length one containing a single character or an empty string. Use "" to turn off the interpretation of comments altogether.
metadata.char	character: a character vector of length one containing a single character or an empty string.

mode	File permissions the file should be written with as 3-digit number (e.g. "777" means full access for user, group and all, "750" means full access for user, read access for group and no acess for anybody else). Set to NULL system defaults will be used. Access codes are identical to the codes used in unix function chmod.
nc_compression	Only used if file_type="nc". Sets the compression level for netCDF files (default is 9). If set to an integer between 1 (least compression) and 9 (most compression), the netCDF file is written in netCDF version 4 format. If set to NA, the netCDF file is written in netCDF version 3 format.
verbose	Boolean deciding about whether function should be verbose or not
...	arguments to be passed to write.magpie.ncdf

Details

This function can write 13 different MAgPIE file_types. "cs2" is the new standard format for cellular data with or without header and the first columns (year,regiospatial) or only (regiospatial), "cs2b" is identical to "cs2" except that it will suppress the data name if it has only 1 element in the data dimension. "csv" is the standard format for regional data with or without header and the first columns (year,region,cellnumber) or only (region,cellnumber), "cs3" is another csv format which is specifically designed for multidimensional data for usage in GAMS. All these variants are written without further specification. "rds" is a R-default format for storing R objects. "magpie" (.m) and "magpie zipped" (.mz) are new formats developed to allow a less storage intensive management of MAgPIE-data. The only difference between both formats is that .mz is gzipped whereas .m is not compressed. So .mz needs less memory, whereas .m might have a higher compatibility to other languages. "asc" is the ASCII grid format. "nc" is the netCDF format. It can only be applied for half degree data and writes one file per year per data column. In the case that more than one year and data column is supplied several files are written with the structure filename_year_datacolumn.asc

Note

The binary MAgPIE formats .m and .mz have the following content/structure (you only have to care for that if you want to implement read.magpie/write.magpie functions in other languages):

[FileFormatVersion | Current file format version number (currently 6) | integer | 2 Byte]
[nchar_comment | Number of character bytes of the file comment | integer | 4 Byte]
[nbyte_metadata | Number of bytes of the serialized metadata | integer | 4 Byte]
[nchar_sets | Number of characters bytes of all regionnames + 2 delimiter | integer | 2 Byte]
[nyears | Number of years | integer | 2 Byte]
[year_list | All years of the dataset (0, if year is not present) | integer | 2*nyears Byte]
[ncells | Number of cells | integer | 4 Byte]
[nchar_cell | Number of characters bytes of all regionnames + (nreg-1) for delimiters | integer | 4 Byte]
[cells | Cell names saved as cell1\cell2 (\n is the delimiter) | character | 1*nchar_cell Byte]
[nelem | Total number of data elements | integer | 4 Byte]
[nchar_data | Number of char. bytes of all datanames + (ndata - 1) for delimiters | integer | 4 Byte]
[datanames | Names saved in the format data1\ndata2 (\n as del.) | character | 1*nchar_data Byte]
[data | Data of the MAgPIE array in vectorized form | numeric | 4*nelem Byte]
[comment | Comment with additional information about the data | character | 1*nchar_comment

Byte]
[sets | Set names with \n as delimiter | character | 1*nchar_sets Byte]
[metadata | serialized metadata information | bytes | 1*nbyte_metadata Byte]

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See Also

"magpie", read.magpie,mbind,write.magpie.ncdf

Examples

```
# a <- read.magpie("lpj_yield_ir.csv")
# write.magpie(a,"lpj_yield_ir.mz")
```

`write.magpie.ncdf` *write.magpie.ncdf*

Description

Writes magpie object into netcdf4 file.

Usage

```
write.magpie.ncdf(
  x,
  file,
  nc_compression = 9,
  var_style = "fullname",
  comment = NULL,
  verbose = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object. Has to be on half degree resolution. If x as comments in attr, they are plotted as global attributes.
file	file path as provided in write.magpie
nc_compression	Only used if filetype="nc". Sets the compression level for netCDF files (default is 9). If set to an integer between 1 (least compression) and 9 (most compression), the netCDF file is written in netCDF version 4 format. If set to NA, the netCDF file is written in netCDF version 3 format.

var_style	change between variable naming in nc-file; "fullname" for ungrouped name, "grouped" for variable names divided into sub-groups
comment	Vector of comments (also used for setting the unit). Comments are set as global attributes in the netcdf file. Format of comments: "indicator: comment" (e.g. "unit: Share of land area per grid cell")
verbose	Boolean deciding about whether function should be verbose or not

Value

netcdf file. Writes one file per year per data column. In the case that more than one year and data column is supplied several files are written with the structure filename_year_datacolumn.asc. In the case several data dimensions exist, they are saved as subcategories.

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See Also

write.magpie

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write.report *Write file in report format*

Description

This function writes the content of a MAgPIE object into a file or returns it directly using the reporting format as it is used for many model intercomparisons.

Usage

```
write.report(
  x,
  file = NULL,
  model = "MAgPIE",
  scenario = "default",
  unit = NA,
  ndigit = 4,
  append = FALSE,
  skipempty = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object or a list of lists with MAgPIE objects as created by read.report. In the latter case settings for model and scenario are overwritten by the information given in the list.
file	file name the object should be written to. If NULL the formatted content is returned
model	Name of the model which calculated the results
scenario	The scenario which was used to get that results.
unit	Unit of the data. Only relevant if unit is not already supplied in Dimnames (format "name (unit)"). Can be either a single string or a vector of strings with a length equal to the number of different data elements in the MAgPIE object
ndigit	Number of digits the output should have
append	Logical which decides whether data should be added to an existing file or an existing file should be overwritten
skipempty	Determines whether empty entries (all data NA) should be written to file or not.

Author(s)

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See Also

read.report

Examples

```
## Not run:
data(population_magpie)
write.report(population_magpie)

## End(Not run)
```

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write.report2 *Write file in report format*

Description

This function writes the content of a MAgPIE object into a file or returns it directly using the reporting format as it is used for many model intercomparisons. It is a rewritten version of write.report and will probably replace write.report somewhen in the future

Usage

```
write.report2(
  x,
  file = NULL,
  model = NULL,
  scenario = NULL,
  unit = NULL,
  ndigit = 4,
  append = FALSE,
  skipempty = TRUE,
  extracols = NULL
)
```

Arguments

x	MAgPIE object or a list of lists with MAgPIE objects as created by read.report. In the latter case settings for model and scenario are overwritten by the information given in the list.
file	file name the object should be written to. If NULL the formatted content is returned
model	Name of the model which calculated the results
scenario	The scenario which was used to get that results.
unit	Unit of the data. Only relevant if unit is not already supplied in Dimnames (format "name (unit)"). Can be either a single string or a vector of strings with a length equal to the number of different data elements in the MAgPIE object
ndigit	Number of digits the output should have
append	Logical which decides whether data should be added to an existing file or an existing file should be overwritten
skipempty	Determines whether empty entries (all data NA) should be written to file or not.
extracols	names of dimensions which should appear in the output as additional columns

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See Also

read.report

Examples

```
data(population_magpie)
write.report2(population_magpie)
```

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