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- [doi:10.5281/zenodo.7773134](https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.7773134)
- Report bugs at <https://github.com/PIK-LPJmL/lpjmlkit/issues>

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`add_grid`*Add grid to an LPJmLData object*

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## Description

Function to add a grid to an `LPJmLData` object. The function acts as a `read_io()` wrapper for the grid file and adds it as an `LPJmLData` object itself to the `$grid` attribute of the main object.

## Usage

```
add_grid(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

`x` [LPJmLData](#) object.

`...` Arguments passed to [read\\_io\(\)](#). Without any arguments, `add_grid()` will search for a file name starting with "grid" in the same directory that `x` was loaded from. This supports grid files in "meta" and "clm" format. If the grid file is in "raw" format or should be loaded from a different directory, supply all necessary `read_io()` parameters.

**Details****Important:**

- If "file\_type" == "raw" prescribe variable = "grid" to ensure data are recognized as a grid.
- Do not use [read\\_io\(\)](#) argument subset here. `add_grid` will use the subset of the parent [LPJmLData](#) object `x`.

**Value**

A copy of `x` ([LPJmLData](#) object) with added `$grid` attribute.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:

# Read in vegetation carbon data with meta file
vegc <- read_io(filename = "./vegc.bin.json")

# Add grid as attribute (via grid file in output directory)
vegc_with_grid <- add_grid(vegc)

## End(Not run)
```

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asub

*Subset a named array*


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**Description**

Subset an array with the supplied dimnames and - if defined - replace values.

**Usage**

```
asub(x, ..., drop = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

x	An array with named dimensions.
...	One or several vectors of indices or character strings to be used to subset x. Argument names refer to the dimension name to be subset, while argument values specify the selected elements along the respective dimension. Examples: <code>cell = c(27411:27416)</code> , <code>band = -c(14:16, 19:32)</code> , <code>band = c("rainfed rice", "rainfed maize")</code> .
drop	Logical. If TRUE (default), dimensions with a length of 1 are dropped from the result. Otherwise, they are kept.

**Value**

array (or vector if `drop = TRUE` and only one dimension is left) of the selected subset of x.

**Examples**

```
my_array <- array(1,
                 dim = c(cell = 67, month = 12, band = 3),
                 dimnames = list(cell = 0:66,
                                 month = 1:12,
                                 band = c("band1", "band2", "band3")))
my_subset <- asub(my_array,
                 band = c("band1", "band3"))
dimnames(my_subset)[3]
# $ band
# [1] "band1"
# [2] "band3"
```

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as\_array

*Coerce an LPJmLData object to an array*


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**Description**

Function to coerce (convert) an [LPJmLData](#) object into a pure [array](#). Pure - because [LPJmLData](#) stores the data already as an array which can be accessed via `$data`. `as_array` provides additional functionality to subset or aggregate the array.

**Usage**

```
as_array(x, subset = NULL, aggregate = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	<a href="#">LPJmLData</a> object.
subset	List of array dimension(s) as name/key and corresponding subset vector as value, e.g. <code>list(cell = c(27411:27415))</code> . More information at <a href="#">subset.LPJmLData()</a> .

aggregate      List of array dimension(s) as name/key and corresponding aggregation function as value, e.g. `list(band = sum)`.  
 ...            Arguments passed to the aggregate function(s), e.g. `na.rm = TRUE`.

### Value

an `array` with dimensions of object `$data` with applied subset and aggregate functionality as well as `dim` and `dimnames` from the `LPJmLData` object.

### Examples

```
## Not run:

vegc <- read_io(filename = "./vegc.bin.json")

# Returns array attribute of LPJmLData object directly
vegc$data
#      time
# cell  1901-12-31  1902-12-31  1903-12-31  1904-12-31  1905-12-31
#  0    1.362730e+04 1.363163e+04 1.364153e+04 1.365467e+04 1.366689e+04
#  1    1.201350e+02 1.158988e+02 1.101675e+02 1.214204e+02 1.062658e+02
#  2    1.334261e+02 1.210387e+02 1.218128e+02 1.183210e+02 1.159934e+02
#  3    9.744530e+01 9.586801e+01 8.365642e+01 8.193731e+01 7.757602e+01
#  4    7.592700e+01 7.821202e+01 6.798551e+01 6.632317e+01 5.691082e+01
#  5    1.106748e+01 1.137272e+01 1.196524e+01 1.131316e+01 9.924266e+0

# Returns two-dimensional array with timeseries for the mean across cells
# 27410:27415
as_array(vegc,
         subset = list(cell = 27410:27415),
         aggregate = list(cell = mean))

#      band
# time      1
# 1901-12-31 1995.959
# 1902-12-31 1979.585
# 1903-12-31 1978.054
# 1904-12-31 1935.623
# 1905-12-31 1938.805

## End(Not run)
```

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as\_header

*Coerce LPJmLMetaData to an LPJmL header object*

---

### Description

Function to coerce (convert) an `LPJmLMetaData` object into an LPJmL header object. More information at `create_header()`.

**Usage**

```
as_header(x, silent = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

`x` An [LPJmLMetaData](#) object

`silent` Logical. Whether to suppress notifications from header conversion/initialization.

**Value**

An LPJmL header object. More information at [create\\_header\(\)](#).

**Examples**

```
## Not run:

vegc_meta <- read_meta(filename = "./vegc.bin.json")

# Returns a list object with the structure of an LPJmL header
as_header(vegc_meta)
# $name
# [1] "LPJDUMMY"
#
# $header
#   version      order  firstyear      nyear  firstcell
#   4.0          4.0    1901.0        200.0    0.0
#   ncell      nbands  cellsize_lon  scalar  cellsize_lat
#   67420.0     1.0     0.5          1.0     0.5
#   datatype   nstep   timestep
#   3.0         1.0     1.0
#
# $endian
# [1] "little"

## End(Not run)
```

---

as\_list

*Coerce LPJmLMetaData to a list*


---

**Description**

Function to coerce (convert) an [LPJmLMetaData](#) object into a [list](#).

**Usage**

```
as_list(x)
```

## Arguments

x An [LPJmLMetaData](#) object

## Value

A [list](#)

## Examples

```
## Not run:

veg_c_meta <- read_meta(filename = "./veg_c.bin.json")

# Returns one dimensional array with timeseries for cells `27410:27415`
as_list(veg_c_meta)
# $sim_name
# [1] "lu_cf"
#
# $source
# [1] "LPJmL C Version 5.3.001"
#
# $variable
# [1] "veg_c"
#
# $descr
# [1] "vegetation carbon"
#
# $unit
# [1] "gC/m2"
#
# $nbands
# [1] 1
#
# ...

## End(Not run)
```

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as\_raster

*Coerce an LPJmLData object to a raster object*

---

## Description

Function to coerce (convert) an [LPJmLData](#) object into a [raster](#) or [brick](#) object that allows for any GIS-based raster operations. Read more about the raster package at <https://rspatial.github.io/raster/reference/raster-package.html>. The successor package of raster is called terra: <https://rspatial.org/>.



**Usage**

```
as_raster(x, subset = NULL, aggregate = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	LPJmLData object
subset	List of array dimension(s) as name/key and corresponding subset vector as value, e.g. <code>list(cell = c(27411:27415))</code> . More information at <code>subset.LPJmLData()</code> .
aggregate	List of array dimension(s) as name/key and corresponding aggregation function as value, e.g. <code>list(band = sum)</code> .
...	Arguments passed to the aggregate function(s), e.g. <code>na.rm = TRUE</code> .

**Details**

The `$grid` attribute is required for spatial transformation. When using `file_type = "meta"`, grid data are usually read automatically via `add_grid()` if the grid file is present in the same directory. Otherwise, `add_grid()` has to be called explicitly with the path to a matching grid file. Supports either multiple bands or multiple time steps. Use `subset` or `aggregate` to reduce data with multiple bands and time steps.

**Value**

A `raster` or `brick` object with spatial extent and coordinates based on internal `$grid` attribute and containing a lon/lat representation of `x$data`. If multiple bands or time steps exist, a `brick` is created. Further meta information such as the lon/lat resolution are extracted from `$meta`.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:

vegc <- read_io(filename = "../vegc.bin.json")

# Returns a RasterBrick for all data
as_raster(vegc)
# class      : RasterBrick
# dimensions : 280, 720, 201600, 200  (nrow, ncol, ncell, nlayers)
# resolution : 0.5, 0.5  (x, y)
# extent     : -180, 180, -56, 84  (xmin, xmax, ymin, ymax)
# crs       : +proj=longlat +datum=WGS84 +no_defs
# source    : memory
# names     : X1901.12.31, X1902.12.31, X1903.12.31, X1904.12.31, ...
# min values :          0,          0,          0,          0, ...
# max values : 28680.72, 28662.49, 28640.29, 28634.03, ...

## End(Not run)
```

as\_terra

*Coerce an LPJmLData object to a terra object***Description**

Function to coerce (convert) an `LPJmLData` object into a `rast` object that allows GIS-based raster operations. Read more about the terra package at <https://rspatial.org/>.

**Usage**

```
as_terra(x, subset = NULL, aggregate = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	<code>LPJmLData</code> object.
<code>subset</code>	List of array dimension(s) as name/key and corresponding subset vector as value, e.g. <code>list(cell = c(27411:27415))</code> . More information at <code>subset.LPJmLData()</code> .
<code>aggregate</code>	List of array dimension(s) as name/key and corresponding aggregation function as value, e.g. <code>list(band = sum)</code> .
<code>...</code>	Arguments passed to the aggregate function(s), e.g. <code>na.rm = TRUE</code> .

**Details**

The `$grid` attribute is required for spatial transformation. When using `file_type = "meta"`, grid data are usually read automatically via `add_grid()` if the grid file is present in the same directory. Otherwise, `add_grid()` has to be called explicitly with the path to a matching grid file. Supports either multiple bands or multiple time steps. Use `subset` or `aggregate` to reduce data with multiple bands and time steps.

**Value**

A `rast` object with spatial extent and coordinates based on internal `$grid` attribute and containing a lon/lat representation of `x$data`. Further meta information such as the lon/lat resolution is extracted from `$meta`.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:

vegc <- read_io(filename = "../vegc.bin.json")

# Returns a SpatRaster for all data
as_terra(vegc)
# ...

## End(Not run)
```

---

as\_tibble.LPJmLData    *Coerce an LPJmLData object to a tibble*

---

## Description

Function to coerce (convert) an `LPJmLData` object into a `tibble` (modern `data.frame`). Read more about tibbles at <https://r4ds.had.co.nz/tibbles.html>. Please make sure to call `lpjmlkit::as_tibble()` explicitly when also using the tidyverse packages `tibble` or `dplyr`.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'LPJmLData'
as_tibble(x, subset = NULL, aggregate = NULL, value_name = "value", ...)
```

## Arguments

<code>x</code>	<code>LPJmLData</code> object
<code>subset</code>	List of array dimension(s) as name/key and corresponding subset vector as value, e.g. <code>list(cell = c(27411:27415))</code> . More information at <code>subset.LPJmLData()</code> .
<code>aggregate</code>	List of array dimension(s) as name/key and corresponding aggregation function as value, e.g. <code>list(band = sum)</code> .
<code>value_name</code>	Name of value column in returned tibble. Defaults to "value".
<code>...</code>	Arguments passed to the aggregate function(s), e.g. <code>na.rm = TRUE</code> .

## Value

a `tibble` with columns corresponding to dimension naming of the `LPJmLData` data array and values in one value column.

## Examples

```
## Not run:

vegc <- read_io(filename = "./vegc.bin.json")

# Returns two-dimensional tibble representation of vegc$data.
as_tibble(vegc)
#   cell time      band  value
#   <fct> <fct>    <fct> <dbl>
# 1 0 1901-12-31 1 13627.
# 2 1 1901-12-31 1 120.
# 3 2 1901-12-31 1 133.
# 4 3 1901-12-31 1 97.4
# 5 4 1901-12-31 1 75.9
# 6 5 1901-12-31 1 11.1

## End(Not run)
```

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calc\_cellarea                      *Calculate the cell area of LPJmL cells*

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### Description

Calculate the cell area of LPJmL cells based on an [LPJmLData](#) object or latitude coordinates and grid resolution. Uses a spherical representation of the Earth.

### Usage

```
calc_cellarea(
  x,
  cellsize_lon = 0.5,
  cellsize_lat = cellsize_lon,
  earth_radius = 6371000.785,
  return_unit = "m2"
)
```

### Arguments

x	LPJmLData object with \$grid attribute, an LPJmLData object of variable "grid" ("LPJGRID") or a vector of cell-center latitude coordinates in degrees.
cellsize_lon	Grid resolution in longitude direction in degrees (default: 0.5). If x is an LPJmLData object the resolution will be taken from the meta data included in x if available.
cellsize_lat	Grid resolution in latitude direction in degrees (default: same as cellsize_lon). If x is an LPJmLData object the resolution will be taken from the meta data included in x if available.
earth_radius	Radius of the sphere (in <i>m</i> ) used to calculate the cell areas.
return_unit	Character string describing the area unit of the returned cell areas. Defaults to "m2", further options: "ha" or "km2".

### Value

A vector or array matching the space dimension(s) of x if x is an LPJmLData object. A vector of the same length as x if x is a vector of latitude coordinates. Cell areas are returned in the unit return\_unit.

### Examples

```
grid <- matrix(
  data = c(-179.75, 89.75, -0.25, 0.25, 0.25, -0.25, 179.75, -89.75),
  ncol = 2,
  byrow = TRUE,
  dimnames = list(NULL, c("lon", "lat")))
)
gridarea <- calc_cellarea(grid[, "lat"])
```

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check_config	<i>Check the validity of LPJmL config JSON files</i>
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### Description

Check if created LPJmL config JSON files ([write\\_config\(\)](#)) are valid and are ready to be used for simulations using lpjcheck for multiple files.

### Usage

```
check_config(
  x,
  model_path = ".",
  sim_path = NULL,
  return_output = FALSE,
  raise_error = FALSE,
  output_path = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

x	job_details object returned by <a href="#">write_config()</a> or character vector providing the config file names (hint: returns x as a list entry).
model_path	Character string providing the path to LPJmL (equal to LPJROOT environment variable). Defaults to ".".
sim_path	Character string defining path where all simulation data are written, including output, restart and configuration files. If NULL, model_path is used. See also <a href="#">write_config</a>
return_output	Parameter affecting the output. If FALSE print stdout/stderr message. If TRUE, return the result of the check. Defaults to FALSE.
raise_error	Logical. Whether to raise an error if sub-process has non-zero exit status. Defaults to FALSE.
output_path	Argument is deprecated as of version 1.0; use sim_path instead.

### Value

NULL.

### Examples

```
## Not run:
library(tibble)
library(lpjmlkit)

model_path <- "./LPJmL_internal"
sim_path <- "./my_runs"
```

```

# Basic usage
my_params <- tibble(
  sim_name = c("scen1", "scen2"),
  random_seed = c(12, 404),
  `pftpar[[1]]$name` = c("first_tree", NA),
  `param$k_temp` = c(NA, 0.03),
  new_phenology = c(TRUE, FALSE)
)

config_details <- write_config(
  x = my_params,
  model_path = model_path,
  sim_path = sim_path
)

check_config(x = config_details,
  model_path = model_path,
  sim_path = sim_path,
  return_output = FALSE
)

## End(Not run)

```

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create\_header

*Create a new LPJmL input/output file header*


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## Description

Create a header from scratch in the format required by [write\\_header\(\)](#).

## Usage

```

create_header(
  name = "LPJGRID",
  version = 3,
  order = 1,
  firstyear = 1901,
  nyear = 1,
  firstcell = 0,
  ncell,
  nbands = 2,
  cellsize_lon = 0.5,
  scalar = 1,
  cellsize_lat = cellsize_lon,
  datatype = 3,
  nstep = 1,
  timestep = 1,

```

```

    endian = .Platform$endian,
    verbose = TRUE
)

```

### Arguments

name	Header name attribute (default: "LPJGRID").
version	CLM version to use (default: 3).
order	Order of data items. See details below or LPJmL code for supported values. The order may be provided either as an integer value or as a character string (default: 1).
firstyear	Start year of data in file (default: 1901).
nyear	Number of years of data included in file (default: 1).
firstcell	Index of first data item (default: 0).
ncell	Number of data items per band.
nbands	Number of bands per year of data (default: 2).
cellsize_lon	Longitude cellsize in degrees (default: 0.5).
scalar	Conversion factor applied to data when it is read by LPJmL or by read_io() (default: 1.0).
cellsize_lat	Latitude cellsize in degrees (default: same as cellsize_lon).
datatype	LPJmL data type in file. See details below or LPJmL code for valid data type codes (default: 3).
nstep	Number of time steps per year. Added in header version 4 to separate time bands from content bands (default: 1).
timestep	If larger than 1, outputs are averaged over timestep years and only written once every timestep years (default: 1).
endian	Endianness to use for file (either "big" or "little", by default uses platform-specific endianness .Platform\$endian).
verbose	If TRUE (the default), function provides some feedback on datatype and when using default values for missing parameters. If FALSE, only errors are reported.

### Details

File headers in input files are used by LPJmL to determine the structure of the file and how to read it. They can also be used to describe the structure of output files.

Header names usually start with "LPJ" followed by a word or abbreviation describing the type of input/output data. See LPJmL code for valid header names.

The version number determines the amount of header information included in the file. All versions save the header name and header attributes 'version', 'order', 'firstyear', 'nyear', 'firstcell', 'ncell', and 'nbands'. Header versions 2, 3 and 4 add header attributes 'cellsize\_lon' and 'scalar'. Header versions 3 and 4 add header attributes 'cellsize\_lat' and 'datatype'. Header version 4 adds attributes 'nstep' and 'timestep'.

Valid values for order are 1 / "cellyear", 2 / "yearcell", 3 / "cellindex", and 4 / "cellseq". The default for LPJmL input files is 1. The default for LPJmL output files is 4, except for grid output files which also use 1.

By default, input files contain data for all cells, indicated by setting the firstcell index to 0. If firstcell > 0, LPJmL assumes the first firstcell cells to be missing in the data.

Valid codes for the datatype attribute and the corresponding LPJmL data types are: 0 / "byte" (LPJ\_BYTE), 1 / "short" (LPJ\_SHORT), 2 / "int" (LPJ\_INT), 3 / "float" (LPJ\_FLOAT), 4 / "double" (LPJ\_DOUBLE).

The default parameters of the function are valid for grid input files using LPJ\_FLOAT data type.

### Value

The function returns a list with 3 components:

- name: The header name, e.g. "LPJGRID".
- header: Vector of header values ('version', 'order', 'firstyear', 'nyear', 'firstcell', 'ncell', 'nbands', 'cellsize\_lon', 'scalar', 'cellsize\_lat', 'datatype', 'nstep', 'timestep').
- endian: Endian used to write binary data, either "little" or "big".

### See Also

- [read\\_header\(\)](#) for reading headers from LPJmL input/output files.
- [write\\_header\(\)](#) for writing headers to files.

### Examples

```
header <- create_header(
  name = "LPJGRID",
  version = 3,
  order = 1,
  firstyear = 1901,
  nyear = 1,
  firstcell = 0,
  ncell = 67420,
  nbands = 2,
  cellsize_lon = 0.5,
  scalar = 1.0,
  cellsize_lat = 0.5,
  datatype = 3,
  nstep = 1,
  timestep = 1,
  endian = .Platform$endian,
  verbose = TRUE
)
```



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detect_io_type	<i>Detect the file type of an LPJmL input/output file</i>
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### Description

This utility function tries to detect automatically if a provided file is of "clm", "meta", or "raw" file type. NetCDFs and simple text formats such as ".txt" or ".csv" are also detected.

### Usage

```
detect_io_type(filename)
```

### Arguments

filename          Character string naming the file to check.

### Value

Character vector of length 1 giving the file type:

- "cdf" for a NetCDF file (classic or NetCDF4/HDF5 format).
- "clm" for a binary LPJmL input/output file with header.
- "meta" for a JSON meta file describing a binary LPJmL input/output file.
- "raw" for a binary LPJmL input/output file without header. This is also the default if no other file type can be recognized.
- "text" for any type of text-only file, e.g. ".txt" or ".csv"

### Examples

```
## Not run:  
detect_io_type(filename = "filename.clm")  
# [1] "clm"  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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dim.LPJmLData	<i>Dimensions of an LPJmLData data array</i>
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**Description**

Function to get the dimensions of the data array of an LPJmLData object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'LPJmLData'  
dim(x)
```

**Arguments**

x                    [LPJmLData](#) object

**Value**

For the default method, either NULL or a numeric vector, which is coerced to integer (by truncation).

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dimnames.LPJmLData	<i>Dimnames of an LPJmLData data array</i>
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**Description**

Function to get the dimnames (list) of the data array of an LPJmLData object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'LPJmLData'  
dimnames(x)
```

**Arguments**

x                    [LPJmLData](#) object

**Value**

A list of the same length as dim(x). Components are character vectors with positive length of the respective dimension of x.

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find_varfile	<i>Search for a variable file in a directory</i>
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**Description**

Function to search for a file containing a specific variable in a specific directory.

**Usage**

```
find_varfile(searchdir, variable = "grid", strict = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

searchdir	Directory where to look for the variable file.
variable	Single character string containing the variable to search for
strict	Boolean. If set to TRUE, file must be named "variable.", <b>where ""</b> is one or two file extensions with 3 or 4 characters, e.g. "grid.bin.json" if variable = "grid". If set to FALSE, the function will first try to match the strict pattern. If unsuccessful, any filename that starts with "variable" will be matched.

**Details**

This function looks for file names in searchdir that match the pattern parameter in its `list.files()` call. Files of type "meta" are preferred. Files of type "clm" are also accepted. The function returns an error if no suitable file or multiple files are found.

**Value**

Character string with the file name of a matched file, including the full path.

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get_cellindex	<i>Get Cell Index</i>
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**Description**

This function returns the cell index from a grid file based on the provided extent or coordinates. If neither extent nor coordinates are provided, the full grid will be returned. If both extent and coordinates are provided, the function will stop and ask for only one of them. The extent should be a vector of length 4 in the form c(lonmin, lonmax, latmin, latmax). If the extent is not in the correct form, the function will swap the values to correct it.

**Usage**

```
get_cellindex(grid_filename, extent = NULL, coordinates = NULL)
```

## Arguments

grid_filename	A string representing the grid file name.
extent	A numeric vector (lonmin, lonmax, latmin, latmax) containing the longitude and latitude boundaries between which values included in the subset.
coordinates	A list of two named (lon, lat) numeric vectors representing the coordinates.

## Details

The function reads a grid file specified by `grid_filename` and creates a data frame with columns for longitude, latitude, and cell number. The cell number is a sequence from 1 to the number of rows in the data frame.

If an `extent` is provided, the function filters the cells to include only those within the specified longitude and latitude range. The `extent` should be a numeric vector of length 4 in the form `c(lonmin, lonmax, latmin, latmax)`.

If a list of `coordinates` is provided, the function filters the cells to include only those that match the specified coordinates. The `coordinates` should be a list of two character vectors representing the longitude and latitude values as for `subset()`.

If both `extent` and `coordinates` are provided, the function will stop and ask for only one of them. If neither `extent` nor `coordinates` are provided, the function will return the cell numbers for all cells in the grid.

The function also includes checks for input types and values, and gives specific error messages for different error conditions. For example, it checks if the `grid_filename` exists, if the `extent` vector has the correct length, and if the `coordinates` list contains two vectors of equal length.

## Value

The cell index from the grid file based on the provided extent or coordinates.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
get_cellindex(
  grid_filename = "my_grid.bin.json",
  extent = c(-123.25, -122.75, 49.25, 49.75) # (lonmin, lonmax, latmin, latmax)
)
get_cellindex(
  grid_filename = "my_grid.bin.json",
  coordinates = list(lon = c(-123.25, -122.75), lat = c(49.25, 49.75))
)

## End(Not run)
```

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get_datatype	<i>Data type of an LPJmL input/output file</i>
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### Description

Provides information on the data type used in an LPJmL input/output file based on the 'datatype' attribute included in the file header.

### Usage

```
get_datatype(header, fail = TRUE)
```

### Arguments

header	Header list object as returned by <a href="#">read_header()</a> or <a href="#">create_header()</a> . Alternatively, can be a single integer just giving the data type code or a single character string giving one of the LPJmL type names c("byte", "short", "int", "float", "double").
fail	Determines whether the function should fail if the datatype is invalid (default: TRUE).

### Value

On success, the function returns a list object with three components:

- type: R data type; can be used with what parameter of [readBin\(\)](#).
- size: size of data type; can be used with size parameter of [readBin\(\)](#).
- signed: whether or not the data type is signed; can be used with signed parameter of [readBin\(\)](#).

If fail = FALSE, the function returns NULL if an invalid datatype is provided.

### See Also

- [read\\_header\(\)](#) for reading headers from LPJmL input/output files.
- [create\\_header\(\)](#) for creating headers from scratch.
- [get\\_headersize\(\)](#) for determining the size of file headers.

### Examples

```
## Not run:
# Read file header
header <- read_header("filename.clm")
# Open file for reading
fp <- file("filename.clm", "rb")
# Skip over file header
seek(fp, get_headersize(header))
# Read in file data
```

```

file_data <- readBin(
  fp,
  what = get_datatype(header)$type,
  size = get_datatype(header)$size,
  signed = get_datatype(header)$signed,
  n = header$header["ncell"] * header$header["nbands"] *
      header$header["nyear"] * header$header["nstep"],
  endian = header[["endian"]]
)
# Close file
close(fp)

## End(Not run)

```

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get_headersize	<i>Determine the size of an LPJmL input/output file header</i>
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### Description

Returns the size in bytes of an LPJmL file header based on a header list object read by [read\\_header\(\)](#) or generated by [create\\_header\(\)](#).

### Usage

```
get_headersize(header)
```

### Arguments

header            Header list object as returned by [read\\_header\(\)](#) or [create\\_header\(\)](#).

### Value

Integer value giving the size of the header in bytes. This can be used when seeking in the file or to calculate the expected total file size in combination with the number of included data values and the data type.

### See Also

- [read\\_header\(\)](#) for reading a header from an LPJmL input/output file.
- [create\\_header\(\)](#) for creating a header from scratch.

### Examples

```

## Not run:
header <- read_header("filename.clm")
size <- get_headersize(header)
# Open file for reading
fp <- file("filename.clm", "rb")

```

```
# Skip over file header
seek(fp, size)
# Add code to read data from file

## End(Not run)
```

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get_header_item	Retrieve information from an LPJmL input/output file header
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## Description

Convenience function to extract information from a header object as returned by [read\\_header\(\)](#) or [create\\_header\(\)](#). Returns one item per call.

## Usage

```
get_header_item(header, item)
```

## Arguments

header	LPJmL file header as returned by <a href="#">read_header()</a> or <a href="#">create_header()</a> .
item	Header information item to retrieve. One of c("name", "version", "order", "firstyear", "nyear", "firstcell", "ncell", "nbands", "cellsize_lon", "scalar", "cellsize_lat", "datatype", "nstep", "timestep", "endian").

## Value

Requested header item. Character string in case of "name" and "endian", otherwise numeric value.

## See Also

- [create\\_header\(\)](#) for creating headers from scratch and for a more detailed description of the LPJmL header format.
- [read\\_header\(\)](#) for reading headers from LPJmL input/output files.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Read file header
header <- read_header("filename.clm")
nyear <- get_header_item(header = header, item = "nyear")

## End(Not run)
```

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length.LPJmLData	<i>Length of an LPJmLData data array</i>
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### Description

Function to get the length of the data array of an LPJmLData object.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'LPJmLData'
length(x)
```

### Arguments

x [LPJmLData](#) object

### Value

A non-negative integer or numeric (which will be rounded down).

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LPJmLData	<i>LPJmL data class</i>
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### Description

A data container for LPJmL input and output. Container - because an LPJmLData object is an environment in which the data array as well as the meta data are stored after `read_io()`. The data array can be accessed via `$data`, the meta data via `$meta`. The enclosing environment is locked and cannot be altered by any other than the available modify methods to ensure its integrity and validity. Use base stats methods like `print()`, `summary.LPJmLData()` or `plot.LPJmLData()` to get insights and export methods like `as_tibble()` or `as_raster()` to export it into common working formats.

### Active bindings

meta [LPJmLMetaData](#) object to store corresponding meta data.

data [array](#) containing the underlying data.

grid Optional LPJmLData object containing the underlying grid.



## Methods

### Public methods:

- `LPJmLData$add_grid()`
- `LPJmLData$subset()`
- `LPJmLData$transform()`
- `LPJmLData$as_array()`
- `LPJmLData$as_tibble()`
- `LPJmLData$as_raster()`
- `LPJmLData$as_terra()`
- `LPJmLData$plot()`
- `LPJmLData$length()`
- `LPJmLData$dim()`
- `LPJmLData$dimnames()`
- `LPJmLData$summary()`
- `LPJmLData$print()`
- `LPJmLData$.__set_data__()`
- `LPJmLData$.__set_grid__()`
- `LPJmLData$new()`
- `LPJmLData$clone()`

**Method** `add_grid()`: Method to add a grid to an LPJmLData object. See also [add\\_grid](#)

*Usage:*

```
LPJmLData$add_grid(...)
```

*Arguments:*

... See [add\\_grid\(\)](#).

**Method** `subset()`: Method to use dimension names of LPJmLData\$data array directly to subset each dimension to match the supplied vectors.

*Usage:*

```
LPJmLData$subset(...)
```

*Arguments:*

... See [subset.LPJmLData\(\)](#)

**Method** `transform()`: Method to transform inner LPJmLData\$data array into another space or time format.

*Usage:*

```
LPJmLData$transform(...)
```

*Arguments:*

... See [transform\(\)](#).

**Method** `as_array()`: Method to coerce (convert) an LPJmLData object into an [array](#).

*Usage:*

LPJmLData\$as\_array(...)

*Arguments:*

... See [as\\_array\(\)](#).

**Method** `as_tibble()`: Method to coerce (convert) an LPJmLData object into a [tibble](#) (modern [data.frame](#)).

*Usage:*

LPJmLData\$as\_tibble(...)

*Arguments:*

... See [as\\_tibble\(\)](#).

**Method** `as_raster()`: Method to coerce (convert) an LPJmLData object into a [raster](#) or [brick](#) object that can be used for any GIS-based raster operations.

*Usage:*

LPJmLData\$as\_raster(...)

*Arguments:*

... See [as\\_raster\(\)](#).

**Method** `as_terra()`: Method to coerce (convert) an LPJmLData object into a [rast](#) object that can be used for any GIS-based raster operations.

*Usage:*

LPJmLData\$as\_terra(...)

*Arguments:*

... See [as\\_terra\(\)](#).

**Method** `plot()`: Method to plot a time-series or raster map of an LPJmLData object.

*Usage:*

LPJmLData\$plot(...)

*Arguments:*

... See [plot.LPJmLData\(\)](#).

**Method** `length()`: Method to get the length of the data array of an LPJmLData object. See also [length](#).

*Usage:*

LPJmLData\$length()

**Method** `dim()`: Method to get the dimensions of the data array of an LPJmLData object. See also [dim](#).

*Usage:*

LPJmLData\$dim()

**Method** `dimnames()`: Method to get the dimnames (list) of the data array of an LPJmLData object.

*Usage:*

LPJmLData\$dimnames(...)

*Arguments:*

... See [dimnames.LPJmLData\(\)](#).

**Method** `summary()`: Method to get the summary of the data array of an LPJmLData object.

*Usage:*

LPJmLData\$summary(...)

*Arguments:*

... See [[summary.LPJmLData\(\)](#)].

**Method** `print()`: Method to print the LPJmLData object.

See also [print](#).

*Usage:*

LPJmLData\$print()

**Method** `.__set_data__()`: !Internal method only to be used for package development!

*Usage:*

LPJmLData\$.\_\_set\_data\_\_(data)

*Arguments:*

data Data array.

**Method** `.__set_grid__()`: !Internal method only to be used for package development!

*Usage:*

LPJmLData\$.\_\_set\_grid\_\_(grid)

*Arguments:*

grid An LPJmLData object holding grid coordinates.

**Method** `new()`: !Internal method only to be used for package development!

*Usage:*

LPJmLData\$new(data, meta\_data = NULL)

*Arguments:*

data array with LPJmL data.

meta\_data An LPJmLMetaData object.

**Method** `clone()`: The objects of this class are cloneable with this method.

*Usage:*

LPJmLData\$clone(deep = FALSE)

*Arguments:*

deep Whether to make a deep clone.

LPJmLGridData

*LPJmL grid data class***Description**

A dedicated data class for an LPJmL input or output grid. LPJmLGridData serves the spatial reference for any LPJmLData objects and matches its spatial dimensions ("cell" or "lon", "lat") when attached as an grid attribute to it. LPJmLGridData holds the information which longitude and latitude correspond to each cell center assuming WGS84 as the coordinate reference system or the corresponding cell index when the data comes with longitude and latitude dimension. As in LPJmLData the data array can be accessed via `$data`, the meta data via `$meta`.

**Super class**

`lpjmlkit::LPJmLData` -> LPJmLGridData

**Methods****Public methods:**

- `LPJmLGridData$add_grid()`
- `LPJmLGridData$plot()`
- `LPJmLGridData$new()`
- `LPJmLGridData$print()`
- `LPJmLGridData$clone()`

**Method** `add_grid()`: ! Not allowed to add a grid to an LPJmLGridData object.

*Usage:*

`LPJmLGridData$add_grid(...)`

*Arguments:*

... See `add_grid()`.

**Method** `plot()`: ! No plot function available for LPJmLGridData object. Use `as_raster()` or `as_terra()` (and `plot()`) to visualize the grid.

*Usage:*

`LPJmLGridData$plot(...)`

*Arguments:*

... See `plot()`.

**Method** `new()`: !Internal method only to be used for package development!

*Usage:*

`LPJmLGridData$new(lpjml_data)`

*Arguments:*

`lpjml_data` LPJmLData object with variable "grid", "cellid" or "LPJGRID"

**Method** `print()`: Method to print the LPJmLGridData.

See also [print](#)

*Usage:*

```
LPJmLGridData#print()
```

**Method** `clone()`: The objects of this class are cloneable with this method.

*Usage:*

```
LPJmLGridData$clone(deep = FALSE)
```

*Arguments:*

`deep` Whether to make a deep clone.

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LPJmLMetaData

*LPJmL meta data class*

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## Description

A meta data container for LPJmL input and output meta data. Container - because an `LPJmLMetaData` object is an environment in which the meta data are stored after `read_meta()` (or `read_io()`). Each attribute can be accessed via `$<attribute>`. To get an overview over available attributes, `print` the object or export it as a list `as_list()`. The enclosing environment is locked and cannot be altered.

## Active bindings

`sim_name` Simulation name (works as identifier in LPJmL Runner).

`source` LPJmL version (character string).

`history` Character string of the call used to run LPJmL. This normally includes the path to the LPJmL executable and the path to the configuration file for the simulation.

`variable` Name of the input/output variable, e.g. "npp" or "runoff".

`descr` Description of the input/output variable.

`unit` Unit of the input/output variable.

`nbands` Number (numeric) of bands (categoric dimension). Please note that `nbands` follows the convention in LPJmL, which uses the plural form for bands as opposed to `nyear` or `ncell`.

`band_names` Name of the bands (categoric dimension). Not included if `nbands = 1`.

`nyear` Number (numeric) of data years in the parent LPJmLData object.

`firstyear` First calendar year (numeric) in the parent LPJmLData object.

`lastyear` Last calendar year (numeric) in the parent LPJmLData object.

`nstep` Number (numeric) of intra-annual time steps. 1 for annual, 12 for monthly, and 365 for daily data.

`timestep` Number (numeric) of years between time steps. `timestep = 5` means that output is written every 5 years.

`ncell` Number (numeric) of cells in the parent LPJmLData object.

**firstcell** First cell (numeric) in the parent LPJmLData object.  
**cellsize\_lon** Longitude cellsize in degrees (numeric).  
**cellsize\_lat** Latitude cellsize in degrees (numeric).  
**datatype** File data type (character string), e.g. "float". Note that data are converted into R-internal data type by `read_io()`.  
**scalar** Conversion factor (numeric) applied when reading raw data from file. The parent LPJmLData object contains the values after the application of the conversion factor.  
**order** Order of the data items in the file, either "cellyear", "yearcell", "cellindex", or "cellseq". The structure of the data array in the parent LPJmLData object may differ from the original order in the file depending on the `dim_order` parameter used in `read_io()`.  
**offset** Offset (numeric) at the start of the binary file before the actual data start.  
**bigendian** (Logical) Endianness refers to the order in which bytes are stored in a multi-byte value, with big-endian storing the most significant byte at the lowest address and little-endian storing the least significant byte at the lowest address.  
**format** Binary format (character string) of the file containing the actual data. Either "raw", "clm" (raw with header), or "cdf" for NetCDF format.  
**filename** Name of the file containing the actual data.  
**subset** Logical. Whether parent LPJmLData object is subsetted.  
**map** Character vector describing how to map the bands in an input file to the bands used inside LPJmL. May be used by `read_io()` to construct a `band_names` attribute.  
**version** Version of data file.  
**.\_data\_dir\_** *Internal* character string containing the directory from which the file was loaded.  
**.\_subset\_space\_** *Internal* logical. Whether space dimensions are subsetted in the parent LPJmLData object.  
**.\_fields\_set\_** *Internal* character vector of names of attributes set by the meta file.  
**.\_time\_format\_** *Internal* character string describing the time dimension format, either "time" or "year\_month\_day".  
**.\_space\_format\_** *Internal* character string describing the space dimension format, either "cell" or "lon\_lat".  
**.\_dimension\_map\_** *Internal* dictionary/list of space and time dimension formats with categories and namings.

## Methods

### Public methods:

- `LPJmLMetaData$as_list()`
- `LPJmLMetaData$as_header()`
- `LPJmLMetaData$print()`
- `LPJmLMetaData$.__init_grid__()`
- `LPJmLMetaData$.__update_subset__()`
- `LPJmLMetaData$.__transform_time_format__()`
- `LPJmLMetaData$.__transform_space_format__()`

- [LPJmLMetaData\\$.\\_\\_set\\_attribute\\_\\_\(\)](#)
- [LPJmLMetaData\\$new\(\)](#)
- [LPJmLMetaData\\$clone\(\)](#)

**Method** [as\\_list\(\)](#): Method to coerce (convert) an LPJmLMetaData object into a [list](#). See also [as\\_list\(\)](#).

*Usage:*

```
LPJmLMetaData$as_list()
```

**Method** [as\\_header\(\)](#): Method to coerce (convert) an LPJmLMetaData object into an LPJmL binary file header. More information about file headers at [create\\_header\(\)](#).

*Usage:*

```
LPJmLMetaData$as_header(...)
```

*Arguments:*

... See [as\\_header\(\)](#).

**Method** [print\(\)](#): Method to print an LPJmLMetaData object. See also [print](#).

*Usage:*

```
LPJmLMetaData$print(all = TRUE, spaces = "")
```

*Arguments:*

*all* Logical. Should all attributes be printed or only the most relevant (*all* = FALSE)?  
*spaces* *Internal parameter* Spaces to be printed at the start.

**Method** [.\\_\\_init\\_grid\\_\\_\(\)](#): !Internal method only to be used for package development!

*Usage:*

```
LPJmLMetaData$.__init_grid__()
```

**Method** [.\\_\\_update\\_subset\\_\\_\(\)](#): !Internal method only to be used for package development!

*Usage:*

```
LPJmLMetaData$.__update_subset__(
  subset,
  cell_dimnames = NULL,
  time_dimnames = NULL,
  year_dimnames = NULL
)
```

*Arguments:*

*subset* List of subset arguments, see also [subset.LPJmLData\(\)](#).

*cell\_dimnames* Optional list of new *cell\_dimnames* of subset data to update meta data. Required if spatial dimensions are subsetted.

*time\_dimnames* Optional list of new *time\_dimnames* of subset data to update meta data. Required if time dimension is subsetted.

*year\_dimnames* Optional list of new *year\_dimnames* of subset data to update meta data. Required if year dimension is subsetted.

**Method** `__transform_time_format__()`: !Internal method only to be used for package development!

*Usage:*

`LPJmLMetaData$__transform_time_format__(time_format)`

*Arguments:*

`time_format` Character. Choose between "year\_month\_day" and "time".

**Method** `__transform_space_format__()`: !Internal method only to be used for package development!

*Usage:*

`LPJmLMetaData$__transform_space_format__(space_format)`

*Arguments:*

`space_format` Character. Choose between "lon\_lat" and "cell".

**Method** `__set_attribute__()`: !Internal method only to be used for package development!

*Usage:*

`LPJmLMetaData$__set_attribute__(key, value)`

*Arguments:*

`key` Name of the attribute, e.g. "variable"

`value` Value of the attribute, e.g. "grid"

**Method** `new()`: Create a new LPJmLMetaData object.

*Usage:*

`LPJmLMetaData$new(x, additional_attributes = list(), data_dir = NULL)`

*Arguments:*

`x` A list (not nested) with meta data.

`additional_attributes` A list of additional attributes to be set that are not included in file header or JSON meta file. These are c("band\_names", "variable", "descr", "unit")

`data_dir` Directory containing the file this LPJmLMetaData object refers to. Used to "lazy load" grid.

**Method** `clone()`: The objects of this class are cloneable with this method.

*Usage:*

`LPJmLMetaData$clone(deep = FALSE)`

*Arguments:*

`deep` Whether to make a deep clone.



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make_lpjml	<i>Compile LPJmL model</i>
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### Description

Compiles the LPJmL source code and creates an executable by executing "make all" on the operating system shell.

### Usage

```
make_lpjml(
  model_path = ".",
  parallel_cores = NULL,
  make_clean = FALSE,
  raise_error = TRUE,
  debug = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

model_path	Character string providing the path to LPJmL (equal to LPJROOT environment variable). Defaults to ".".
parallel_cores	Numeric defining the number of available CPU cores for parallelization.
make_clean	Logical. If set to TRUE, calls "make clean" first to remove previous installation. Defaults to FALSE.
raise_error	Logical. Whether to raise an error if sub-process has non-zero exit status, hence if compilation fails. Defaults to TRUE.
debug	NULL or Logical. Whether to compile LPJmL with "-debug" flag. Defaults to NULL. If set to FALSE or TRUE, make_clean is set automatically and compilation configuration is reset with/without "-debug". Also the "configure.sh" file is rewritten.

### Value

A list with process status, see [run](#).

### Examples

```
## Not run:
model_path <- "./LPJmL_internal"
make_lpjml(model_path = model_path)

## End(Not run)
```

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plot.LPJmLData      *Plot an LPJmLData object*

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### Description

Function to plot a time-series or raster map of an [LPJmLData](#) object.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'LPJmLData'
plot(x, subset = NULL, aggregate = NULL, raster_extent = NULL, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	<a href="#">LPJmLData</a> object
subset	List of array dimension(s) as name/key and corresponding subset vector as value, e.g. <code>list(cell = c(27411:27416))</code> . More information at <a href="#">subset.LPJmLData()</a> .
aggregate	List of array dimension(s) as name/key and corresponding aggregation function as value, e.g. <code>list(band = sum)</code> .
raster_extent	Optional parameter to crop map display of spatial data. An <a href="#">extent</a> or any object from which an Extent object can be extracted. Not relevant if aggregate includes spatial dimension.
...	Arguments passed to <a href="#">plot</a> and <a href="#">plot</a>

### Details

Depending on the dimensions of the [LPJmLData](#) object's internal data array the plot will be a ...

- single map plot: more than 8 "cell"s or "lat" & "lon" dimensions available)
- multiple maps plot: length of one time (e.g. "time", "year", "month") or "band" dimension > 1.
- time series plot: less than 9 "cell"s
- lat/lon plot: a subsetted/aggregated "lat" or "lon" dimension

The plot can only handle 2-3 dimensions. Use arguments `subset` and `aggregate` to modify `x$data` to the desired plot type. If more than three dimensions have length > 1, plot will return an error and suggest to reduce the number of dimensions.

*Note that the plot function aims to provide a quick overview of the data rather than create publication-ready graphs.*

### Value

No return value; called for side effects.

**Examples**

```

## Not run:

vegc <- read_io(filename = "./vegc.bin.json")

# Plot first 9 years starting from 1901 as a raster plot
plot(vegc)

# Plot raster with mean over the whole time series
plot(vegc,
     aggregate = list(time = mean))

# Plot only year 2010 as a raster
plot(vegc,
     subset = list(time = "2010"))

# Plot first 10 time steps as global mean time series. Note: Aggregation
# across cells is not area-weighted.
plot(vegc,
     subset = list(time = 1:10),
     aggregate = list(cell = mean))

# Plot time series for cells with LPJmL index 27410 - 27415 (C indices start
# at 0 in contrast to R indices starting at 1).
plot(vegc,
     subset = list(cell = 27411:27416))

## End(Not run)

```

---

read\_config

*Read an LPJmL configuration file*


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**Description**

Reads a configuration (config) file (compilable csjon/js file or json file) and turns it into a nested list object.

**Usage**

```
read_config(filename, from_restart = FALSE, macro = "")
```

**Arguments**

filename	Character string representing path (if different from current working directory) and filename.
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from_restart	Logical defining whether config files should be read as from_restart (transient run) or without (spinup run). Defaults to FALSE (spinup run). Used only if file is not pre-compiled (no json).
macro	Optional character string to pass one or several macros to the pre-compiler, e.g. ("-DFROM_RESTART"). Used only if file is not pre-compiled (no json).

### Value

A nested list object representing the LPJmL configuration read from filename.

### Examples

```
## Not run:
config <- read_config(filename = "config_spinup.json")

config[["version"]]
# [1] "5.3"

config[["pftpar"]][[1]][["name"]]
# [1] "tropical broadleaved evergreen tree"

config[["input"]][["coord"]][["name"]]
# [1] "input_VERSION2/grid.bin"

# visualize configuration as tree view
View(config)

## End(Not run)
```

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read_grid	<i>Read LPJmL input and output grid files</i>
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### Description

Generic function to read LPJmL input & output files in different formats. Depending on the format, arguments can be automatically detected or have to be passed as individual arguments.

### Usage

```
read_grid(...)
```

### Arguments

... See [read\\_io](#) for further arguments.

### Details

See [read\\_io](#) for more details.

**Value**

An [LPJmLGridData](#) object.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
my_grid <- read_io("grid.bin.json")

## End(Not run)
```

---

read_header	<i>Read header (any version) from LPJmL input/output file</i>
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**Description**

Reads a header from an LPJmL clm file. CLM is the default format used for LPJmL input files and can also be used for output files.

**Usage**

```
read_header(filename, force_version = NULL, verbose = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

filename	Filename to read header from.
force_version	Manually set clm version. The default value NULL means that the version is determined automatically from the header. Set only if the version number in the file header is incorrect.
verbose	If TRUE (the default), read_header provides some feedback when using default values for missing parameters. If FALSE, only errors are reported.

**Value**

The function returns a list with 3 components:

- name: Header name, e.g. "LPJGRID"; describes the type of data in the file.
- header: Vector of header values ('version', 'order', 'firstyear', 'nyear', 'firstcell', 'ncell', 'nbands', 'cellsize\_lon', 'scalar', 'cellsize\_lat', 'datatype', 'nstep', 'timestep') describing the file structure. If header version is <4, the header is partially filled with default values.
- endian: Endianness of file ("little" or "big").

**See Also**

- [create\\_header\(\)](#) for a more detailed description of the LPJmL header format.
- [write\\_header\(\)](#) for writing headers to files.

## Examples

```
## Not run:  
header <- read_header("filename.clm")  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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read\_io

*Read LPJmL input and output files*

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## Description

Generic function to read LPJmL input & output files in different formats. Depending on the format, arguments can be automatically detected or have to be passed as individual arguments.

## Usage

```
read_io(  
  filename,  
  subset = list(),  
  band_names = NULL,  
  dim_order = c("cell", "time", "band"),  
  file_type = NULL,  
  version = NULL,  
  order = NULL,  
  firstyear = NULL,  
  nyear = NULL,  
  firstcell = NULL,  
  ncell = NULL,  
  nbands = NULL,  
  cellsize_lon = NULL,  
  scalar = NULL,  
  cellsize_lat = NULL,  
  datatype = NULL,  
  nstep = NULL,  
  timestep = NULL,  
  endian = NULL,  
  variable = NULL,  
  descr = NULL,  
  unit = NULL,  
  name = NULL,  
  silent = FALSE  
)
```

**Arguments**

filename	Mandatory character string giving the file name to read, including its path and extension.
subset	Optional list allowing to subset data read from the file along one or several of its dimensions. See details for more information.
band_names	Optional vector of character strings providing the band names or NULL. Normally determined automatically from the meta file in case of output files using <code>file_type = "meta"</code> .
dim_order	Order of dimensions in returned LPJmLData object. Must be a character vector containing all of the following in any order: <code>c("cell", "time", "band")</code> . Users may select the order most useful to their further data processing.
file_type	Optional character string giving the file type. This is normally detected automatically but can be prescribed if automatic detection is incorrect. Valid options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• "raw", a binary file without header.</li> <li>• "clm", a binary file with header.</li> <li>• "meta", a meta information JSON file complementing a raw or clm file.</li> </ul>
version	Integer indicating the clm file header version, currently supports one of <code>c(1, 2, 3, 4)</code> .
order	Integer value or character string describing the order of data items in the file (default in input file: 1; in output file: 4). Valid values for LPJmL input/output files are "cellyear" / 1, "yearcell" / 2, "cellindex" / 3, and "cellseq" / 4, although only options 1 and 4 are supported by this function.
firstyear	Integer providing the first year of data in the file.
nyear	Integer providing the number of years of data included in the file. These are not consecutive in case of <code>timestep &gt; 1</code> .
firstcell	Integer providing the cell index of the first data item. 0 by default.
ncell	Integer providing the number of data items per band.
nbands	Integer providing the number of bands per time step of data.
cellsize_lon	Numeric value providing the longitude cell size in degrees.
scalar	Numeric value providing a conversion factor that needs to be applied to raw data when reading it from file to derive final values.
cellsize_lat	Numeric value providing the latitude cell size in degrees.
datatype	Integer value or character string describing the LPJmL data type stored in the file. Supported options: "byte" / 0, "short" / 1, "int" / 2, "float" / 3, or "double" / 4.
nstep	Integer value defining the number of within-year time steps of the file. Valid values are 1 (yearly), 12 (monthly), 365 (daily). Defaults to 1 if not read from file ("clm" or "meta" file) or provided by the user.
timestep	Integer value providing the interval in years between years represented in the file data. Normally 1, but LPJmL also allows averaging annual outputs over several years. Defaults to 1 if not read from file ("clm" or "meta" file) or provided by user.

endian	Endianness to use for file (either "big" or "little"). By default uses endianness determined from file header or set in meta information or the platform-specific endianness <code>.Platform\$endian</code> if not set.
variable	Optional character string providing the name of the variable contained in the file. Included in some JSON meta files. <b>Important:</b> If <code>file_type == "raw"</code> , prescribe <code>variable = "grid"</code> to ensure that data are recognized as a grid.
descr	Optional character string providing a more detailed description of the variable contained in the file. Included in some JSON meta files.
unit	Optional character string providing the unit of the data in the file. Included in some JSON meta files.
name	Optional character string specifying the header name. This is usually read from <code>clm</code> headers for <code>file_type = "clm"</code> but can be specified for the other <code>file_type</code> options.
silent	If set to <code>TRUE</code> , suppresses most warnings or messages. Use only after testing that <code>read_io()</code> works as expected with the files it is being used on. Default: <code>FALSE</code> .

### Details

The `file_type` determines which arguments are mandatory or optional. `filename` must always be provided. `file_type` is usually detected automatically. Supply only if detected `file_type` is incorrect.

In case of `file_type = "meta"`, if any of the function arguments not listed as "mandatory" are provided and are already set in the JSON file, a warning is given, but they are still overwritten. Normally, you would only set meta attributes not set in the JSON file.

In case of `file_type = "clm"`, function arguments not listed as "optional" are usually determined automatically from the file header included in the `clm` file. Users may still provide any of these arguments to overwrite values read from the file header, e.g. when they know that the values in the file header are wrong. Also, `clm` headers with versions < 4 do not contain all header attributes, with missing attributes filled with default values that may not be correct for all files.

In case of `file_type = "raw"`, files do not contain any information about their structure. Users should provide all arguments not listed as "optional". Otherwise, default values valid for LPJmL standard outputs are used for arguments not supplied by the user. For example, the default `firstyear` is 1901, the default for `nyear`, `nbands`, `nstep`, and `timestep` is 1.

`subset` can be a list containing one or several named elements. Allowed names are "band", "cell", and "year".

- "year" can be used to return data for a subset of one or several years included in the file. Integer indices can be between 1 and `nyear`. If subsetting by actual calendar years (starting at `firstyear`) a character vector has to be supplied.
- "band" can be used to return data for a subset of one or several bands included in the file. These can be specified either as integer indices or as a character vector if bands are named.
- "cell" can be used to return data for a subset of cells. Note that integer indices start counting at 1, whereas character indices start counting at the value of `firstcell` (usually 0).

### Value

An [LPJmLData](#) object.



**Examples**

```

## Not run:
# First case: meta file. Reads meta information from "my_file.json" and
# data from binary file linked in "my_file.json". Normally does not require
# any additional arguments.
my_data <- read_io("my_file.json")

# Suppose that file data has two bands named "wheat" and "rice". `band_names`
# are included in the JSON meta file. Select only the "wheat" band during
# reading and discard the "rice" band. Also, read only data for years
# 1910-1920.
my_data_wheat <- read_io(
  "my_file.json",
  subset = list(band = "wheat", year = as.character(seq(1910, 1920)))
)

# Read data from clm file. This includes a header describing the file
# structure.
my_data_clm <- read_io("my_file.clm")

# Suppose that "my_file.clm" has two bands containing data for "wheat" and
# "rice". Assign names to them manually since the header does not include a
# `band_names` attribute.
my_data_clm <- read_io("my_file.clm", band_names = c("wheat", "rice"))

# Once `band_names` are set, subsetting by name is possible also for
# file_type = "clm"
my_data_wheat <- read_io(
  "my_file.clm",
  band_names = c("wheat", "rice"),
  subset = list(band = "wheat", year = as.character(seq(1910, 1920)))
)

# Read data from raw binary file. All information about file structure needs
# to be supplied. Use default values except for nyear (1 by default), and
# nbands (also 1 by default).
my_data <- read_io("my_file.bin", nyear = 100, nbands = 2)

# Supply band_names to be able to subset by name
my_data_wheat <- read_io(
  "my_file.bin",
  band_names = c("wheat", "rice"), # length needs to correspond to `nbands`
  subset = list(band = "wheat", year = as.character(seq(1910, 1920))),
  nyear = 100,
  nbands = 2,
)

## End(Not run)

```

**Description**

Reads a meta JSON file or the header of a binary LPJmL input or output file.

**Usage**

```
read_meta(filename, ...)
```

**Arguments**

filename	Character string representing path (if different from current working directory) and filename.
...	Additional arguments passed to <a href="#">read_header</a> if header file is read.

**Value**

An [LPJmLMetaData](#) object.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
meta <- read_meta(filename = "mpft_npp.bin.json")

meta$sim_name
# [1] "LPJmL Run"

meta$firstcell
# [1] 27410

meta$band_names[1]
# [1] "tropical broadleaved evergreen tree"

## End(Not run)
```

---

run\_lpjml

*Run LPJmL model*

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**Description**

Runs LPJmL using "config\_\*.json" files written by [write\\_config\(\)](#). [write\\_config\(\)](#) returns a tibble that can be used as an input (see [x](#)). It contains the details to run single or multiple (dependent/subsequent) model runs.

**Usage**

```
run_lpjml(
  x,
  model_path = ".",
  sim_path = NULL,
  run_cmd = "srun --propagate",
  parallel_cores = 1,
  write_stdout = FALSE,
  raise_error = TRUE,
  output_path = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	A <a href="#">tibble</a> with at least one column named "sim_name". Each simulation gets a separate row. Optional run parameters are "order" and "dependency" which are used for subsequent simulations (see details). <a href="#">write_config()</a> returns a tibble in the required format. OR provide a character string (vector) with the file name of one or multiple generated configuration file(s).
model_path	Character string providing the path to LPJmL (equal to LPJROOT environment variable). Defaults to "."
sim_path	Character string defining path where all simulation data are written, including output, restart and configuration files. If NULL, model_path is used. See also <a href="#">write_config</a>
run_cmd	Character string defining the command used to execute lpjml (see details). Defaults to "srun -propagate" (compute ondas of old cluster at PIK). Change to "mpirun" for HPC2024 at PIK.
parallel_cores	Integer defining the number of available CPU cores/nodes for parallelization. Defaults to 1 (no parallelization). Please note that parallelization is only supported for SLURM jobs and not for interactive runs.
write_stdout	Logical. If TRUE, stdout as well as stderr files are written. If FALSE (default), these are printed instead. Within a SLURM job write_stdout is automatically set to TRUE.
raise_error	Logical. Whether to raise an error if sub-process has non-zero exit status. Defaults to TRUE.
output_path	Argument is deprecated as of version 1.0; use sim_path instead.

**Details**

x: A [tibble](#) for x that has been generated by [write\\_config\(\)](#) and can look like the following examples can supplied:

```
sim_name
scen1_spinup
scen2_transient
```

To perform subsequent or rather dependent runs the optional run parameter "dependency" needs to be provided within the initial `tibble` supplied as param to `write_config()`.

<b>sim_name</b>	<b>order</b>	<b>dependency</b>
scen1_spinup	1	NA
scen2_transient	2	scen1_spinup

As a shortcut it is also possible to provide the config file "config\_\*.json" as a character string or multiple config files as a character string vector directly as the `x` argument to `run_lpjml`.

Also be aware that the order of the supplied config files is important (e.g. make sure the spin-up run is run before the transient one).

**run\_cmd:** The `run_cmd` argument is used to define the command to execute LPJmL. This is needed because the LPJmL executable can not directly be used on all machines. Which command has to be used depends on the software installed. Further information on this can be found in the `INSTALL` file of LPJmL. To determine the correct command, check the `lpj_submit.sh` file in the `bin` directory of LPJmL. Using PIK infrastructure the command is `srun` for the `hpc2015` and `mpirun` for the `hpc2024`. To facilitate usage on the interactive (login) nodes, no command is needed for `hpc2015`. For the `hpc2024` the command remains `mpirun` (in these cases `run_lpjml` adjusts `run_cmd` accordingly).

## Value

See `x`, extended by columns "type", "job\_id" and "status".

## Examples

```
## Not run:
library(tibble)

model_path <- "./LPJmL_internal"
sim_path <- "./my_runs"

# Basic usage
my_params1 <- tibble(
  sim_name = c("scen1", "scen2"),
  startgrid = c(27410, 27410),
  river_routing = c(FALSE, FALSE),
  random_seed = c(42, 404),
  `pftpar[[1]]$name` = c("first_tree", NA),
  `param$k_temp` = c(NA, 0.03),
  new_phenology = c(TRUE, FALSE)
)

config_details1 <- write_config(my_params1, model_path, sim_path)

run_details1 <- run_lpjml(
  x = config_details1,
  model_path = model_path,
  sim_path = sim_path
```

```

)

run_details1
#   sim_name      job_id  status
#   <chr>         <int> <chr>
# 1 scen1          NA    run
# 2 scen2          NA    run

# With run parameters dependency and order being set (also less other
# parameters than in previous example)
my_params2 <- tibble(
  sim_name = c("scen1", "scen2"),
  startgrid = c(27410, 27410),
  river_routing = c(FALSE, FALSE),
  random_seed = c(42, 404),
  dependency = c(NA, "scen1_spinup")
)

config_details2 <- write_config(my_params2, model_path, sim_path)

run_details2 <- run_lpjml(config_details2, model_path, sim_path)

run_details2
#   sim_name      order dependency  type      job_id  status
#   <chr>         <dbl> <chr>      <chr>    <chr>    <chr>
# 1 scen1_spinup      1 NA          simulation NA      run
# 2 scen1_transient    2 scen1_spinup simulation NA      run

# Same but by using the pipe operator
library(magrittr)

run_details2 <- tibble(
  sim_name = c("scen1_spinup", "scen1_transient"),
  random_seed = as.integer(c(1, 42)),
  dependency = c(NA, "scen1_spinup")
) %>%
  write_config(model_path, sim_path) %>%
  run_lpjml(model_path, sim_path)

# Shortcut approaches
run_details3 <- run_lpjml(
  x = "./config_scen1_transient.json",
  model_path = model_path,
  sim_path = sim_path
)

run_details4 <- run_lpjml(
  c("./config_scen1_spinup.json", "./config_scen1_transient.json"),
  model_path,
  sim_path

```

```
)

## End(Not run)
```

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set_header_item	<i>Set information in an LPJmL input (or output) file header</i>
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### Description

Convenience function to set information in a header object as returned by [read\\_header\(\)](#) or [create\\_header\(\)](#). One or several

### Usage

```
set_header_item(header, ...)
```

### Arguments

header	An LPJmL file header as returned by <a href="#">read_header()</a> or <a href="#">create_header()</a> .
...	Named header items to set. Can be one or several of 'name', 'version', 'order', 'firstyear', 'nyear', 'firstcell', 'ncell', 'nbands', 'cellsize_lon', 'scalar', 'cellsize_lat', 'datatype', 'nstep', 'timestep', 'endian'. Parameter 'verbose' can be used to control verbosity, as in <a href="#">create_header()</a> .

### Value

Header header where header items supplied through the ellipsis have been changed.

### See Also

- [create\\_header\(\)](#) for creating headers from scratch and for a more detailed description of the LPJmL header format.
- [read\\_header\(\)](#) for reading headers from files.

### Examples

```
header <- create_header(
  name = "LPJGRID",
  version = 3,
  order = 1,
  firstyear = 1901,
  nyear = 1,
  firstcell = 0,
  ncell = 67420,
  nbands = 2,
  cellsize_lon = 0.5,
```

```

    scalar = 1.0,
    cellsize_lat = 0.5,
    datatype = 3,
    nstep = 1,
    timestep = 1,
    endian = .Platform$endian,
    verbose = TRUE
)

header
# $name
# [1] "LPJGRID"
#
# $header
#   version      order  firstyear      nyear  firstcell      ncell
#   3.0          1.0    1901.0         1.0    0.0            67420.0
#   nbands cellsize_lon      scalar cellsize_lat      datatype      nstep
#   2.0          0.5      1.0          0.5      3.0            1.0
#   timestep
#   1.0
#
# $endian
# [1] "little"

# Change number of cells to 1
set_header_item(header = header, ncell = 1)
# $name
# [1] "LPJGRID"
#
# $header
#   version      order  firstyear      nyear  firstcell      ncell
#   3.0          1.0    1901.0         1.0    0.0            1.0
#   nbands cellsize_lon      scalar cellsize_lat      datatype      nstep
#   2.0          0.5      1.0          0.5      3.0            1.0
#   timestep
#   1.0
#
# $endian
# [1] "little"

```

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submit\_lpjml

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*Submit LPJmL model simulation to SLURM*


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## Description

LPJmL simulations are submitted to SLURM using "config\*.json" files written by `write_config()`. `write_config()` returns a tibble that can be used as an input (see x). It serves the details to submit single or multiple (dependent/subsequent) model simulations.

**Usage**

```
submit_lpjml(
  x,
  model_path,
  sim_path = NULL,
  group = "",
  sclass = "short",
  ntasks = 256,
  wtime = "",
  blocking = "",
  constraint = "",
  slurm_options = list(),
  no_submit = FALSE,
  output_path = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	A <b>tibble</b> with at least one column named "sim_name". Each simulation gets a separate row. An optional run parameter "dependency" is used for subsequent simulations (see details). <code>write_config()</code> returns a tibble in the required format. OR provide a character string (vector) with the file name of one or multiple generated config file(s).
model_path	Character string providing the path to LPJmL (equal to LPJROOT environment variable).
sim_path	Character string defining path where all simulation data are written, including output, restart and configuration files. If NULL, model_path is used. See also <a href="#">write_config</a>
group	Character string defining the user group for which the job is submitted.
sclass	Character string defining the job classification. Available options at PIK: c("short", "medium", "long", "priority", "standby", "io") More information at <a href="https://www.pik-potsdam.de/en">https://www.pik-potsdam.de/en</a> . Defaults to "short".
ntasks	Integer defining the number of tasks/threads. More information at <a href="https://www.pik-potsdam.de/en">https://www.pik-potsdam.de/en</a> and <a href="https://slurm.schedmd.com/sbatch.html">https://slurm.schedmd.com/sbatch.html</a> . Defaults to 256.
wtime	Character string defining the time limit. Setting a lower time limit than the maximum runtime for sclass can reduce the wait time in the SLURM job queue. More information at <a href="https://www.pik-potsdam.de/en">https://www.pik-potsdam.de/en</a> and <a href="https://slurm.schedmd.com/sbatch.html">https://slurm.schedmd.com/sbatch.html</a> .
blocking	Integer defining the number of cores to be blocked. More information at <a href="https://www.pik-potsdam.de/en">https://www.pik-potsdam.de/en</a> and <a href="https://slurm.schedmd.com/sbatch.html">https://slurm.schedmd.com/sbatch.html</a> .
constraint	Character string defining constraints for node selection. Use constraint = "haswell" to request nodes of the type haswell with 16 cores per node, constraint = "broadwell" to request nodes of the type broadwell CPUs with 32 cores per node or constraint = "exclusive" to reserve all CPUs of assigned nodes



even if less are requested by ntasks. Using exclusive should prevent interference of other batch jobs with LPJmL. More information at <https://www.pik-potsdam.de> and <https://slurm.schedmd.com/sbatch.html>.

slurm_options	A named list of further arguments to be passed to sbatch. E.g. list(mail-user = "max.mustermann@pik-potsdam.de") More information at <a href="https://www.pik-potsdam.de">https://www.pik-potsdam.de</a> and <a href="https://slurm.schedmd.com/sbatch.html">https://slurm.schedmd.com/sbatch.html</a>
no_submit	Logical. Set to TRUE to test if x set correctly or FALSE to actually submit job to SLURM.
output_path	Argument is deprecated as of version 1.0; use sim_path instead.

## Details

A [tibble](#) for x that has been generated by [write\\_config\(\)](#) and can look like the following examples can supplied:

```

sim_name
scen1_spinup
scen2_transient

```

To perform subsequent or rather dependent simulations the optional run parameter "dependency" needs to be provided within the initial [tibble](#) supplied as param to [write\\_config\(\)](#).

```

sim_name    dependency
scen1_spinup NA
scen2_transient scen1_spinup

```

To use different SLURM settings for each run the optional SLURM options "sclass", "ntasks", "wtime", "blocking" or constraint can also be supplied to the initial [tibble](#) supplied as param to [submit\\_lpjml](#) (or constraint) supplied to [submit\\_lpjml](#).

```

sim_name    dependency    wtime
scen1_spinup NA            "8:00:00"
scen2_transient scen1_spinup "2:00:00"

```

As a shortcut it is also possible to provide the config file "config\_\*.json" as a character string or multiple config files as a character string vector directly as the x argument to [submit\\_lpjml](#). With this approach, run parameters or SLURM options cannot be taken into account.

## Value

See x, extended by columns "type", "job\_id" and "status".

**Examples**

```

## Not run:
library(tibble)

model_path <- "./LPJmL_internal"
sim_path <- "./my_runs"

# Basic usage
my_params <- tibble(
  sim_name = c("scen1", "scen2"),
  random_seed = as.integer(c(42, 404)),
  `pftpar[[1]]$name` = c("first_tree", NA),
  `param$k_temp` = c(NA, 0.03),
  new_phenology = c(TRUE, FALSE)
)

config_details <- write_config(my_params, model_path, sim_path)

run_details <- submit_lpjml(
  x = config_details,
  model_path = model_path,
  sim_path = sim_path
)

run_details
#   sim_name      job_id  status
#   <chr>         <int> <chr>
# 1 scen1         21235215 submitted
# 2 scen2         21235216 submitted

# With run parameter dependency and SLURM option wtime being
# set (also less other parameters than in previous example)
my_params <- tibble(
  sim_name = c("scen1", "scen2"),
  random_seed = as.integer(c(42, 404)),
  dependency = c(NA, "scen1_spinup"),
  wtime = c("8:00:00", "4:00:00"),
)

config_details2 <- write_config(my_params2, model_path, sim_path)

run_details2 <- submit_lpjml(config_details2, model_path, sim_path)

run_details2
#   sim_name      order dependency  wtime  type      job_id  status
#   <chr>         <dbl> <chr>    <chr> <chr>    <chr>  <chr>
# 1 scen1_spinup      1 NA          8:00:00 simulation 22910240 submitted
# 2 scen1_transient    2 scen1_spinup 4:00:00 simulation 22910241 submitted

```

```

# Same but by using the pipe operator
library(magrittr)

run_details <- tibble(
  sim_name = c("scen1_spinup", "scen1_transient"),
  random_seed = as.integer(c(1, 42)),
  dependency = c(NA, "scen1_spinup"),
  wtime = c("8:00:00", "4:00:00"),
) %>%
  write_config(model_path, sim_path) %>%
  submit_lpjml(model_path, sim_path)

# Shortcut approach
run_details <- submit_lpjml(
  x = "./config_scen1_transient.json",
  model_path = model_path,
  sim_path = sim_path
)

run_details <- submit_lpjml(
  c("./config_scen1_spinup.json", "./config_scen1_transient.json"),
  model_path,
  sim_path
)

## End(Not run)

```

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subset.LPJmLData	<i>Subset an LPJmLData object</i>
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## Description

Function to extract a subset of the full data in an [LPJmLData](#) object by applying selections along one or several of its dimensions.

## Usage

```

## S3 method for class 'LPJmLData'
subset(x, ...)

```

## Arguments

x	An <a href="#">LPJmLData</a> object
...	One or several key-value combinations where keys represent the dimension names and values represent the requested elements along these dimensions. Subsets may either specify integer indices, e.g. <code>cell = c(27411:27416)</code> , <code>band =</code>

-c(14:16, 19:32), or character vectors if the dimension has a `dimnames` attribute, e.g. `band = c("rainfed rice", "rainfed maize")`. Coordinate pairs of individual cells can be selected by providing a list or tibble in the form of `coords = list(lon = ..., lat = ...)`. Coordinate values need to be supplied as character vectors. The argument can also be called `coordinates`. When coordinates are supplied as character vectors to subset either along the `lon` or `lat` dimension or to subset by coordinate pair, the function matches the grid cells closest to the supplied coordinate value.

### Value

An `LPJmLData` object with dimensions resulting from the selection in `subset`. Meta data are updated as well.

### Examples

```
## Not run:

vegc <- read_io(filename = "./vegc.bin.json")

# Subset cells by index
subset(vegc, cell = seq(27410, 27415))
# [...]
# $data |>
#   dimnames() |>
#     .$cell "27409" "27410" "27411" "27412" "27413" "27414"
#     .$time "1901-12-31" "1902-12-31" "1903-12-31" "1904-12-31" ...
#     .$band "1"
# [...]

# Subset time by character vector
subset(vegc, time = c("2001-12-31", "2002-12-31", "2003-12-31"))
# [...]
# $data |>
#   dimnames() |>
#     .$cell "0" "1" "2" "3" ... "67419"
#     .$time "2001-12-31" "2002-12-31" "2003-12-31"
#     .$band "1"
# [...]

## End(Not run)
```

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summary.LPJmLData

*LPJmLData object summary*

---

### Description

Function to get the summary of the data array of an `LPJmLData` object. See also [summary](#).

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'LPJmLData'
summary(object, ...)
```

**Arguments**

object      [LPJmLData](#) object

...          Further arguments:

- dimension for which a summary is printed for every element (in style of matrix summary). Default is dimension = "band". Choose from available dimensions like "time" or "cell".
- subset list of array dimension(s) as name/key and corresponding subset vector as value, e.g. list(cell = c(27411:27415)). More information at [subset.LPJmLData\(\)](#).
- cutoff (logical) If TRUE summary for dimension elements > 16 are cut off.
- Additional arguments to be passed on to [summary](#).

**Value**

Summary for object of class matrix (see [summary](#)) for selected dimension(s) and if defined subset.

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transform	<i>Transform an LPJmLData object</i>
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**Description**

Function to transform an [LPJmLData](#) data object into another space or another time format. Combinations of space and time formats are also possible.

**Usage**

```
transform(x, to)
```

**Arguments**

x            An [LPJmLData](#) object.

to           A character vector defining space and/or time format into which the corresponding data dimensions should be transformed. Choose from space formats c("cell", "lon\_lat") and time formats c("time", "year\_month\_day").

**Value**

An [LPJmLData](#) object in the selected format.

## Examples

```
## Not run:

runoff <- read_io(filename = "runoff.bin.json",
                 subset = list(year = as.character(1991:2000)))

# Transform into space format "lon_lat". This assumes a "grid.bin.json" file
# is present in the same directory as "runoff.bin.json".
transform(runoff, to = "lon_lat")
# [...]
# $data |>
#   dimnames() |>
#   .$lat "-55.75" "-55.25" "-54.75" "-54.25" ... "83.75"
#   .$lon "-179.75" "-179.25" "-178.75" "-178.25" ... "179.75"
#   .$time "1991-01-31" "1991-02-28" "1991-03-31" "1991-04-30" ...
#   .$band "1"
# [...]

# Transform time format from a single time dimension into separate dimensions
# for years, months, and days. Dimensions for time steps not present in the
# data are omitted, i.e. no "day" dimension for monthly data.
transform(runoff, to = "year_month_day")
# [...]
# $data |>
#   dimnames() |>
#   .$lat "-55.75" "-55.25" "-54.75" "-54.25" ... "83.75"
#   .$lon "-179.75" "-179.25" "-178.75" "-178.25" ... "179.75"
#   .$month "1" "2" "3" "4" ... "12"
#   .$year "1991" "1992" "1993" "1994" ... "2000"
#   .$band "1"
# [...]

## End(Not run)
```

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write\_config

*Write LPJmL config files (JSON)*

---

## Description

Requires a [tibble](#) (modern [data.frame](#) class) in a specific format (see details & examples) to write the model configuration file "config\_\*.json". Each row in the tibble corresponds to a model run. The generated "config\_\*.json" is based on a cJSON file (e.g. "lpjml\_config.cjson").

## Usage

```
write_config(
  x,
  model_path,
```

```

sim_path = NULL,
output_list = c(),
output_list_timestep = "annual",
output_format = NULL,
cjson_filename = "lpjml_config.cjson",
parallel_cores = 4,
debug = FALSE,
params = NULL,
output_path = NULL,
js_filename = NULL
)

```

### Arguments

x	A tibble in a defined format (see details).
model_path	Character string providing the path to LPJmL (equal to LPJROOT environment variable).
sim_path	Character string defining path where all simulation data are written. Also an output, a restart and a configuration folder are created in sim_path to store respective data. If NULL, model_path is used.
output_list	Character vector containing the "id" of outputvars. If defined, only these defined outputs will be written. Otherwise, all outputs set in cjson_filename will be written. Defaults to NULL.
output_list_timestep	Single character string or character vector defining what temporal resolution the defined outputs from output_list should have. Either provide a single character string for all outputs or a vector with the length of output_list defining each timestep individually. Choose between "annual", "monthly" or "daily".
output_format	Character string defining the format of the output. Defaults to NULL (use default from cjson file). Options: "raw", "cdf" (NetCDF) or "c1m" (file with header).
cjson_filename	Character string providing the name of the main LPJmL configuration file to be parsed. Defaults to "lpjml_config.cjson".
parallel_cores	Integer defining the number of available CPU cores for parallelization. Defaults to 4.
debug	logical If TRUE, the inner parallelization is switched off to enable tracebacks and all types of error messages. Defaults to FALSE.
params	Argument is deprecated as of version 1.0; use x instead.
output_path	Argument is deprecated as of version 1.0; use sim_path instead.
js_filename	Argument is deprecated as of version 1.3; use cjson_filename instead.

### Details

Supply a [tibble](#) for x, in which each row represents a configuration (config) for an LPJmL simulation.

Here a config refers to a precompiled "lpjml\_config.cjson" file (or file name provided as cjson\_filename

argument) which already contains all the information from the mandatory cJSON files. The precompilation is done internally by `write_config()`.

`write_config()` uses the column names of `param` as keys for the config json using the same syntax as lists, e.g. "k\_temp" from "param.js" can be accessed with "param\$k\_temp" or "param[["k\_temp"]]" as the column name. (The former point-style syntax - "param.k\_temp" - is still valid but deprecated)

For each run and thus each row, this value has to be specified in the `tibble`. If the original value should instead be used, insert NA.

Each run can be identified via the "sim\_name", which is mandatory to specify.

```
my_params1 <- tibble(
  sim_name = c("scenario1", "scenario2"),
  random_seed = c(42, 404),
  `pftpar[[1]]$name` = c("first_tree", NA),
  `param$k_temp` = c(NA, 0.03),
  new_phenology = c(TRUE, FALSE)
)
```

```
my_params1
# A tibble: 2 x 5
#   sim_name random_seed `pftpar[[1]]$name` `param$k_temp` new_phenology
#   <chr>          <dbl> <chr>          <dbl> <lgl>
# 1 scenario1         42 first_tree          NA    TRUE
# 2 scenario2        404 NA                    0.03 FALSE
```

### Simulation sequences:

To set up spin-up and transient runs, where transient runs are dependent on the spin-up(s), a parameter "dependency" has to be defined as a column in the `tibble` that links simulations with each other using the "sim\_name".

Do not manually set "-DFROM\_RESTART" when using "dependency". The same applies for LPJmL config settings "restart", "write\_restart", "write\_restart\_filename", "restart\_filename", which are set automatically by this function. This way multiple runs can be performed in succession and build a conceivably endless chain or tree.

# With dependent runs.

```
my_params3 <- tibble(
  sim_name = c("scen1_spinup", "scen1_transient"),
  random_seed = c(42, 404),
  dependency = c(NA, "scen1_spinup")
)
```

```
my_params3
# A tibble: 2 x 4
#   sim_name      random_seed order dependency
#   <chr>          <int> <lgl> <chr>
# 1 scen1_spinup         42 FALSE NA
# 2 scen1_transient    404 TRUE  scen1_spinup
```

### SLURM options:

Another feature is to define SLURM options for each simulation (row) separately. For example, users may want to set a lower wall clock limit (wtime) for the transient run than the spin-up run



to get a higher priority in the SLURM queue. This can be achieved by supplying this option as a parameter to `param`.

6 options are available, namely `sclass`, `ntasks`, `wtime`, `blocking`, `constraint` and `slurm_options`.

Use as arguments for `[submit_lpjml()].\cr` If specified in `param`, they overwrite the corresponding function

```
my_params4 <- tibble(
  sim_name = c("scen1_spinup", "scen1_transient"),
  random_seed = c(42, 404),
  dependency = c(NA, "scen1_spinup"),
  wtime = c("8:00:00", "2:00:00")
)
```

```
my_params4
# A tibble: 2 x 5
#   sim_name      random_seed order dependency  wtime
#   <chr>          <int> <lg1> <chr>      <chr>
# 1 scen1_spinup      42 FALSE NA          8:00:00
# 2 scen1_transient  404 TRUE  scen1_spinup 2:00:00
```

### Use of macros:

To set a macro (e.g. "MY\_MACRO" or "CHECKPOINT") provide it as a column of the `tibble` as you would do with a flag in the shell: "-DMY\_MACRO" "-DCHECKPOINT".

Wrap macros in backticks or `tibble` will raise an error, as starting an object definition with "-" is not allowed in *R*.

```
my_params2 <- tibble(
  sim_name = c("scen1_spinup", "scen1_transient"),
  random_seed = c(42, 404),
  `~DMY_MACRO` = c(TRUE, FALSE),
)
```

```
my_params2
# A tibble: 2 x 3
#   sim_name      random_seed `~DMY_MACRO`
#   <chr>          <int> <lg1>
# 1 scen1_spinup      42 TRUE
# 2 scen1_transient  404 FALSE
```

### In short:

- `write_config()` creates subdirectories within the `sim_path` directory
  - `./configurations` to store the config files.
  - `./output` to store the output within subdirectories for each `sim_name`.
  - `./restart` to store the restart files within subdirectories for each `sim_name`.
- The list syntax (e.g. `pftpar[[1]]$name`) allows to create column names and thus keys for accessing values in the config json.
- The column "sim\_name" is mandatory (used as an identifier).
- The run parameter "dependency" is optional but enables interdependent consecutive runs using `submit_lpjml()`.

- SLURM options in param allow to use different values per run.
- If NA is specified as cell value the original value is used.
- R booleans/logical constants TRUE and FALSE are to be used for boolean parameters in the config json.
- Value types need to be set correctly, e.g. no strings where numeric values are expected.

## Value

`tibble` with at least one column named "sim\_name". Run parameters "order" and "dependency" are included if defined in x. `tibble` in this format is required for `submit_lpjml()`.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
library(tibble)

model_path <- "./LPJmL_internal"
sim_path <- "./my_runs"

# Basic usage
my_params <- tibble(
  sim_name = c("scen1", "scen2"),
  random_seed = c(12, 404),
  `pftpar[[1]]$name` = c("first_tree", NA),
  `param$k_temp` = c(NA, 0.03),
  new_phenology = c(TRUE, FALSE)
)

config_details <- write_config(
  x = my_params,
  model_path = model_path,
  sim_path = sim_path
)

config_details
# A tibble: 2 x 1
#   sim_name
#   <chr>
# 1 scen1
# 2 scen2

# Usage with dependency
my_params <- tibble(
  sim_name = c("scen1_spinup", "scen1_transient"),
  random_seed = c(42, 404),
  dependency = c(NA, "scen1_spinup")
)

config_details <- write_config(
  x = my_params,
  model_path = model_path,
```

```

    sim_path = sim_path
  )

  config_details
# A tibble: 2 x 3
#   sim_name      order dependency
#   <chr>         <dbl> <chr>
# 1 scen1_spinup     1 NA
# 2 scen1_transient 2 scen1_spinup

my_params <- tibble(
  sim_name = c("scen1_spinup", "scen1_transient"),
  random_seed = c(42, 404),
  dependency = c(NA, "scen1_spinup"),
  wtime = c("8:00:00", "2:00:00")
)

config_details <- write_config(
  x = my_params,
  model_path = model_path,
  sim_path = sim_path
)

config_details
# A tibble: 2 x 4
#   sim_name      order dependency  wtime
#   <chr>         <dbl> <chr>      <chr>
# 1 scen1_spinup     1 NA        8:00:00
# 2 scen1_transient 2 scen1_spinup 2:00:00

## End(Not run)

```

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write\_header

*Write LPJmL header object to an LPJmL input (or output) file*


---

## Description

Write an LPJmL clm header to a file. The header has to be a list following the structure returned by [read\\_header\(\)](#) or [create\\_header\(\)](#). The function will fail if the output file exists already unless `overwrite` is set to `TRUE`.

## Usage

```
write_header(filename, header, overwrite = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

filename	Filename to write header into.
header	The header to be written.
overwrite	Whether to overwrite an existing output file (default FALSE).

**Value**

Returns filename invisibly.

**See Also**

- [create\\_header\(\)](#) for creating headers from scratch and for a more detailed description of the LPJmL header format.
- [read\\_header\(\)](#) for reading headers from files.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
header <- read_header(filename = "old_filename.clm")  
write_header(  
  filename = "new_filename.clm",  
  header = header,  
  overwrite = FALSE  
)  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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