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**Description** This is the central location for data and tools for the development, maintenance, analysis, and deployment of the International Soil Radiocarbon Database (ISRaD). ISRaD was developed as a collaboration between the U.S. Geological Survey Powell Center and the Max Planck Institute for Biogeochemistry. This R package provides tools for accessing and manipulating ISRaD data, compiling local data using the ISRaD data structure, and simple query and reporting functions for ISRaD. For more detailed information visit the ISRaD website at: <<https://soilradiocarbon.org/>>.

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checkTemplateFiles	<i>Check ISRaD Template/Info files</i>
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## Description

Check that the template information file and the template file match appropriately.

## Usage

```
checkTemplateFiles(outfile = "", verbose = TRUE)
```

## Arguments

outfile	file to dump the output report. Defaults to an empty string that will print to standard output
verbose	if TRUE (default) will print output to specified outfile

**Details**

Used in compile() function, but primarily a development tool

**Value**

Nothing (run for side effects).

**Examples**

```
checkTemplateFiles()
```

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compile	<i>Compile ISRaD data product</i>
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**Description**

Compiles template files into ISRaD database format.

**Usage**

```
compile(
  dataset_directory,
  write_report = FALSE,
  write_out = FALSE,
  return_type = c("none", "list")[2],
  checkdoi = FALSE,
  verbose = TRUE
)
```

**Arguments**

dataset_directory	Directory where completed QAQCed template files are stored.
write_report	Boolean flag to write a log file of the compilation. File will be in the specified dataset_directory at "database/ISRaD_log.txt". If a file with this name already exists in this directory it will be overwritten.
write_out	Set to TRUE to write the compiled database file in .xlsx format in dataset_directory
return_type	A string that defines return object. Acceptable values are "none" or "list"; default is "list".
checkdoi	Set to FALSE if you do not want to validate DOIs during QAQC. (Warning: time consuming).
verbose	Set to TRUE to print results of function to console.

**Examples**

```

# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
entry <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
# Save as .xlsx file
ISRaD.save.entry(
  entry = entry,
  template_file = system.file("extdata", "ISRaD_Master_Template.xlsx", package = "ISRaD"),
  outfile = file.path(tempdir(), "Gaudinski_2001.xlsx")
)
# Compile .xlsx file/s in dataset_directory into ISRaD database object
ISRaD.compiled <- compile(tempdir(),
  write_report = TRUE, write_out = TRUE,
  return_type = "list", checkdoi = FALSE, verbose = TRUE
)

```

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 convert\_fm\_d14c

*convert\_fm\_d14c*


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**Description**

convert fraction modern to d14c and d14c to fraction modern

**Usage**

```
convert_fm_d14c(fm = NA, d14c = NA, obs_date_y, verbose = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

fm	fraction modern
d14c	delta 14c in per mille
obs_date_y	year of observation/sample collection
verbose	prints message stating which conversion was performed

**Details**

Convenience function for radiocarbon unit conversions. Recommended to set verbose = FALSE for batch conversions.

**Author(s)**

J. Beem-Miller

**Examples**

```

convert_fm_d14c(fm = 0.97057, obs_date_y = 2005)
convert_fm_d14c(d14c = -35.86611, obs_date_y = 2005)

```

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`future14C`*Future atmospheric 14C dataset for delta-delta calculation*

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**Description**

Predicted atmospheric 14C data for 2020-2025.

**Usage**

```
data(future14C)
```

**Format**

dataframe

**Details**

Future atmospheric 14C predictions for the period 2020 to 2025 are projected using a time series model trained on data covering the period 2000-2019. See Sierra (2018) for model details.

**References**

Sierra, C. "Forecasting atmospheric radiocarbon decline to pre-bomb values", Radiocarbon, Vol 60, Nr 4, 2018, p 1055.1066 DOI:10.1017/RDC.2018.33

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`Gaudinski_2001`*Gaudinski 2001 example dataset*

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**Description**

Gaudinski\_2001 data set

**Usage**

```
data(Gaudinski_2001)
```

**Format**

list

**Details**

Example of an ISRaD entry. Selected as an example dataset as it contains data in all 8 tables of the ISRaD data structure: metadata, site, profile, flux, layer, interstitial, fraction, incubation.

**References**

Gaudinski, J., 2001, Belowground carbon cycling in three temperate forests of the eastern United States, University of California Irvine, Ph.D. thesis

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Graven\_2017

*Graven dataset for delta-delta calculation*

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**Description**

Atmospheric 14C and 13C data for the period 1850-2016.

**Usage**

```
data(Graven_2017)
```

**Format**

dataframe

**Details**

Data from Graven et al., 2017. Annual timestep. Three zones for 14C: 1) northern hemisphere, "NHc14" > 30 deg N, 2) southern hemisphere, "SHc14" > 30 deg S, 3) tropics, "Tropicsc14" < 30 deg N & < 30 deg S. 13C data are the global annual averages.

**References**

Graven, H., Allison, C. E., Etheridge, D. M., Hammer, S., Keeling, R. F., Levin, I., Meijer, H. A. J., Rubino, M., Tans, P. P., Trudinger, C. M., Vaughn, B. H., and White, J. W. C.: Compiled records of carbon isotopes in atmospheric CO<sub>2</sub> for historical simulations in CMIP6, *Geosci. Model Dev.*, 10, 4405–4417, <https://doi.org/10.5194/gmd-10-4405-2017>, 2017.

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Hua\_2021

*Hua 2021 dataset for delta-delta calculation*

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**Description**

Atmospheric 14C data for the period 1941-2019.

**Usage**

```
data(Hua_2021)
```

**Format**

dataframe

**Details**

Data from Hua et al., 2021. Original dataset had subannual resolution and five atmospheric zones: three in the northern hemisphere, two in the southern hemisphere (cf. Fig. 1, Hua et al., 2021). Data here are smoothed to annual means and averaged across the northern and southern hemispheres, yielding two atmospheric zones: 1) northern hemisphere, "NH14C" > 0 deg N, 2) southern hemisphere, "SH14C" > 0 deg S. Original data available in supplemental table 2 of Hua et al. (2021), or from the SoilR package as object 'Hua2021' (note the data object has a different name in this package to prevent data masking).

**References**

Hua, Q., Turnbull, J., Santos, G., Rakowski, A., Ancapichún, S., De Pol-Holz, R., . . . Turney, C. (2022). ATMOSPHERIC RADIOCARBON FOR THE PERIOD 1950–2019. Radiocarbon, 64(4), 723–745. doi:10.1017/RDC.2021.95

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 ISRaD.extra

*ISRaD.extra*


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**Description**

Fills transformed and geospatial data where possible to generate an enhanced version of ISRaD.

**Usage**

```
ISRaD.extra(database, geodata_directory)
```

**Arguments**

database	ISRaD dataset object
geodata_directory	directory where geospatial data are found

**Details**

Fills fraction modern, delta 14C, delta-delta, profile coordinates, bulk density, organic C concentration, and SOC stocks from entered data; fills soil and climatic data from external geospatial data products

**Value**

New ISRaD\_extra object with derived, transformed, and filled columns.

## Examples

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
# Fill ISRaD.extra data
database.x <- ISRaD.extra(database,
  geodata_directory = system.file("extdata", "geodata_directory", package = "ISRaD")
)
```

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ISRaD.extra.calc\_atm14c

*ISRaD.extra.calc\_atm14c*

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## Description

Calculates atmospheric 14c in the year of sampling for each record in an ISRaD object

## Usage

```
ISRaD.extra.calc_atm14c(database, future = TRUE)
```

## Arguments

database	ISRaD object
future	Project atmospheric radiocarbon into the future?

## Details

Creates new column for atmospheric 14c (xxx\_atm14c). Observation year and profile coordinates must be filled (use `ISRaD.extra.fill_dates`, and `ISRaD.extra.fill_coords` functions). The relevant atmospheric 14C data (northern or southern hemisphere) are determined by profile coordinates.

Atmospheric zones are limited to the northern or southern hemisphere, as differences in 14C in the source data (Hua et al., 2021) within either the northern or southern hemisphere are essentially zero after ~1980, and this is the period over which the majority of data in ISRaD were collected.

Future atmospheric 14C predictions for the period 2020 to 2025 are projected using a time series model trained on data covering the period 2000-2019 (cf. Sierra, 2018).

## Value

ISRaD\_data object with new atmospheric zone and atmospheric 14C columns in relevant tables.

## Author(s)

J. Beem-Miller and C. Hicks-Pries

## References

Hua, Q., Turnbull, J., Santos, G., Rakowski, A., Ancapichún, S., De Pol-Holz, R., . . . Turney, C. (2022). ATMOSPHERIC RADIOCARBON FOR THE PERIOD 1950–2019. Radiocarbon, 64(4), 723-745. doi:10.1017/RDC.2021.95

## Examples

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
# Fill profile coordinates
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_coords(database)
# Fill dates
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_dates(database.x)
# Fill delta 14C from fraction modern
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_rc(database.x)
# Fill atmospheric 14c
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.calc_atm14c(database.x)
```

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ISRaD.extra.Cstocks     *ISRaD.extra.Cstocks*

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## Description

Calculates soil organic carbon stock

## Usage

```
ISRaD.extra.Cstocks(database)
```

## Arguments

database            ISRaD dataset object.

## Details

Function first fills `lyr_bd_samp`, `lyr_c_org`, `lyr_c_org`, `lyr_coarse_tot`. Notes:

- 1) SOC stocks can only be calculated if organic carbon concentration and bulk density data are available
- 2) SOC stocks are calculated for the fine earth fraction (<2mm).

## Value

ISRaD\_data object with filled columns "lyr\_coarse\_tot\_filled", "lyr\_bd\_samp\_filled", "lyr\_c\_inorg\_filled", "lyr\_c\_org\_filled", "lyr\_soc\_filled".

**Author(s)**

J. Beem-Miller

**Examples**

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.Cstocks(database)
```

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ISRaD.extra.delta\_delta  
*ISRaD.extra.delta\_delta*

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**Description**

Calculates the difference between sample delta 14c and the atmosphere for the year of collection (delta-delta)

**Usage**

```
ISRaD.extra.delta_delta(database)
```

**Arguments**

database           ISRaD dataset object

**Details**

Creates new column for delta-delta value. Function "ISRaD.extra.calc\_atm14c" should be run first.

**Value**

ISRaD\_data object with new delta-delta columns in relevant tables.

**Author(s)**

J. Beem-Miller

**Examples**

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
# Fill profile coordinates
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_coords(database)
# Fill dates
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_dates(database.x)
# Fill delta 14C from fraction modern
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_rc(database.x)
# Fill atmospheric 14c
```

```
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.calc_atm14c(database.x)
# Fill delta delta
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.delta_delta(database.x)
```

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ISRaD.extra.fill\_CN    *ISRaD.extra.fill\_c\_to\_n*

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## Description

Calculates missing C:N ratios for records with reported C and N data

## Usage

```
ISRaD.extra.fill_CN(database)
```

## Arguments

database            ISRaD dataset object

## Details

When possible, missing C:N ratios are calculated for records in the layer and fraction tables using reported values for organic C and total N. Variable "lyr\_c\_org\_filled" must exist for function to work on layer table data. If you are running the function on a standard ISRaD database object (i.e. NOT ISRaD\_extra) it is recommended to run the function "ISRaD.extra.Cstocks" first in order to create and fill the required "lyr\_c\_org\_filled" column.

## Value

ISRaD database object with gap-filled C:N data in new column ""

## Author(s)

Shane Stoner & J. Beem-Miller

## Examples

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
# Create lyr_c_org_filled column
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.Cstocks(database)
# Fill CN data
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_CN(database.x)
```

ISRaD.extra.fill\_coords

*ISRaD.extra.fill\_coords*

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### **Description**

Fills profile coordinates from site coordinates if profile coordinates not reported.

### **Usage**

```
ISRaD.extra.fill_coords(database)
```

### **Arguments**

database           ISRaD dataset object.

### **Value**

ISRaD\_data object with filled profile coordinates.

### **Author(s)**

J. Beem-Miller

### **Examples**

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
# Fill profile coordinates
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_coords(database)
```

---

ISRaD.extra.fill\_country

*ISRaD.extra.fill\_country*

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### **Description**

Fills country code from profile coordinates

### **Usage**

```
ISRaD.extra.fill_country(database, continent = FALSE, region = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

database	ISRaD dataset object.
continent	Boolean noting whether a column should be added for extracted continent (8 continent model, including Oceania)
region	Boolean noting whether a column should be added for extracted subregion

**Value**

ISRaD\_data object with extracted country names.

**Author(s)**

Shane Stoner & J. Beem-Miller

**Examples**

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
# Fill profile coordinates
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_coords(database)
# Fill country
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_country(database.x)
```

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ISRaD.extra.fill\_dates

*ISRaD.extra.fill\_dates*

---

**Description**

Fills frc\_obs\_date\_y and inc\_obs\_date\_y columns from lyr\_obs\_date\_y if not reported.

**Usage**

```
ISRaD.extra.fill_dates(database)
```

**Arguments**

database	ISRaD dataset object.
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**Details**

QAQC does not require frc\_obs\_date\_y or inc\_obs\_date\_y fields to be filled in. Therefore it is recommended to run this function prior to running the functions "ISRaD.extra.fill\_rc" and "ISRaD.extra.calc\_atm14c", which require xxx\_obs\_date\_y data.

**Value**

ISRaD\_data object with filled frc\_obs\_date\_y and inc\_obs\_date\_y fields.

## Examples

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
# Fill dates
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_dates(database)
# Fraction table now has lyr_obs_date_y values in frc_obs_date_y field
```

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ISRaD.extra.fill\_rc     *ISRaD.extra.fill\_14c*

---

## Description

Fills delta 14c or fraction modern data if either are missing

## Usage

```
ISRaD.extra.fill_rc(database)
```

## Arguments

database            ISRaD dataset object.

## Details

Warning: xxx\_obs\_date\_y columns must be filled for this to work! This function also fills standard deviation and sigma values. Note that this function replaces two older functions ("ISRaD.extra.fill\_fm" and "ISRaD.extra.fill\_14c") from ISRaD v1.0 that did not work properly.

## Value

ISRaD\_data object with filled radiocarbon data columns in all tables

## Author(s)

J. Beem-Miller & A. Hoyt

## References

Stuiver and Polach, 1977

## Examples

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
# Note that some flx_14c values are NA
is.na(database$flux$flx_14c)
is.na(database$layer$lyr_14c)
# Fill dates
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_dates(database)
```

```
# Fill rc values
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_rc(database.x)
# Missing radiocarbon data has now been filled if possible, e.g. column flx_14c in the "flux" table
is.na(database$flux$flx_14c)
```

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```
ISRaD.extra.geospatial
      ISRaD.extra.geospatial
```

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## Description

Extracts data from a user-supplied raster file and adds data as a new variable at the profile level

## Usage

```
ISRaD.extra.geospatial(
  database,
  geodata_directory,
  CRS = "+proj=longlat +datum=WGS84 +no_defs +ellps=WGS84 +towgs84=0,0,0"
)
```

## Arguments

database	ISRaD dataset object
geodata_directory	Directory where geospatial data are found
CRS	Coordinate reference system used for geospatial datasets

## Details

Generic function that uses geographic coordinates of profiles to extract data from one or more raster files. Raster data will be added as new variables at the profile level.

The new variable name will be a concatenation of "pro\_", and the file name (excluding the file extension). The ISRaD file name convention for geospatial files uses a 6 component string, separated by "\_". Missing components can be replaced with "x" ("x"s will be dropped before creating variable names). The 6 components are as follows:

- 1) Short description of the data type, e.g. "bd" for bulk density
- 2) Top layer depth or exact depth (numeric, cm)
- 3) Bottom layer depth (numeric, cm)
- 4) Year of data observation (numeric)
- 5) Data units (e.g. mmyr for mean annual precipitation)
- 6) Any relevant notes

Coordinate reference system can be specified with the "CRS" argument; default is WGS84. Note that all files in geodata\_directory must use the same CRS.

**Value**

Updated ISRaD\_extra object with new columns at the profile level

**Examples**

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
# Fill profile coordinates
database <- ISRaD.extra.fill_coords(database)
# Run function
# Note that geospatial data in pkg is only for the Gaudinski_2001 dataset
# Users may supply their own geospatial data as long as it can be read by the raster package
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.geospatial(database,
  geodata_directory = system.file("extdata", "geodata_directory", package = "ISRaD")
)
```

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ISRaD.extra.geospatial.keys

*ISRaD.extra.geospatial.keys*

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**Description**

Recode numeric values from categorical geospatial data products

**Usage**

```
ISRaD.extra.geospatial.keys(database, geodata_keys)
```

**Arguments**

database	ISRaD dataset object
geodata_keys	directory where geospatial data are found

**Details**

Generic function that reads .csv files paired with categorical raster data and recodes extracted data in the ISRaD\_extra object. For the function to work, the .csv filenames must be identical to the corresponding raster filenames (except for the file extension). Additionally, the first column of the .csv file must contain the numeric identifier and the remaining column/s the corresponding character value/s.

**Value**

Updated ISRaD\_extra object with recoded columns.

**Examples**

```

# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
# Fill profile coordinates
database <- ISRaD.extra.fill_coords(database)
# Fill geospatial data
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.geospatial(database,
  geodata_directory = system.file("extdata", "geodata_directory", package = "ISRaD")
)
# Recode numeric data to categorical
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.geospatial.keys(database.x,
  geodata_keys = system.file("extdata", "geodata_keys", package = "ISRaD")
)

```

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```

ISRaD.extra.norm14c_year
  ISRaD.extra.norm14c_year

```

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**Description**

Normalizes delta 14c values to a given year (norm\_year)

**Usage**

```

ISRaD.extra.norm14c_year(
  obs_d14c,
  obs_year,
  atm_zone,
  norm_year,
  df,
  slow = TRUE,
  tau = TRUE,
  verbose = TRUE
)

```

**Arguments**

obs_d14c	column name in df with observed delta 14c values to be normalized OR numeric value
obs_year	column name in df with year in which obs_d14c was observed (sample collection year) OR numeric value
atm_zone	column name in df with atmospheric zone for obs_d14c OR character string. Notes: column values/character string must be one of c("NH14C", "SH14C"). "NH14C" > 0 degrees latitude N; "SH14C" > 0 latitude S.
norm_year	desired normalization year (numeric)

<code>df</code>	data frame with columns for observed d14c ( <code>obs_d14c</code> ), observation year ( <code>obs_year</code> ), and atmospheric zone ( <code>atm_zone</code> )
<code>slow</code>	if TRUE (default) normalized 14c value will be fit using the slower solution for tau
<code>tau</code>	if TRUE (default) the solution for tau will be returned along with the normalized 14c value
<code>verbose</code>	Show progress bar? TRUE/FALSE (default = TRUE)

### Details

This function can be run on a data frame or with single value input. For the data frame method, the inputs `'obs_d14c'`, `'obs_year'`, and `'atm_zone'` correspond to column names in the supplied data frame (see Example 1). For the single value method, the inputs for `'obs_d14c'`, `'obs_year'`, and `'atm_zone'` are single values (Example 2).

The function works by creating a one pool steady-state model using atmospheric 14c over the period 1850 to 2021. Turnover time ( $\tau^{-1}$ ) is determined by fitting the model to the observed delta 14c (`obs_d14c`) in the given observation year (`obs_year`), and the normalized 14c value is calculated by running the model forwards or backwards to the desired normalization year (`norm_year`). Note that highly negative values of delta 14c (e.g.  $< -100$ ) are unaffected by normalization and are thus returned unchanged by the function.

The curvature of the bomb peak can lead to two viable solutions for tau in a one pool model. Determining which value is more appropriate depends on the carbon dynamics of the system and thus cannot be determined a priori (Trumbore 2000). The `'slow'` parameter can be used to select which tau is used for calculating the normalized 14c value. If `'slow' = TRUE`, and the algorithm is able to find two solutions for tau, the function will return normalized 14c values calculated with the slower of the two turnover time solutions. If `"slow" = FALSE`, the faster turnover time is used.

In certain cases the algorithm used to determine tau fails to converge. This situation arises when observed radiocarbon values are too high relative to the year of observation. This problem is well documented (Gaudinski et al. 2000), and can be solved by introducing a time-lag for the carbon inputs to the system. However, this functionality is beyond the scope of this function. If the algorithm fails to converge, the function will select the tau value giving the closest match for observed 14c in the given observation year and return `norm_error = "TRUE"`.

Example 1 shows how to run the function when the `'df'` argument corresponds to a table from an ISRaD object, e.g. `"flux"`, `"layer"`, etc.

Example 2 shows how to run the function when single values are supplied and `'df'` is absent.

Note: There is no guarantee that normalized 14c values will be meaningful as the model assumes a well-mixed homogenous system, and this is rarely the case in soils.

### Value

data frame with new columns: `"norm_14c"`, `"norm_error"`, and optionally `"norm_tau"`; OR list with length = 3: `"norm_14c"`, `"norm_tau"`, `"norm_error"`. Note that if is parameter `df` is not

NULL and obs\_d14c contains an underscore, e.g. "lyr\_14c", supplied names will take the form "lyr\_norm\_14c", "lyr\_norm\_error", etc.

### Author(s)

J. Beem-Miller and J. Randerson

### References

Gaudinski et al. 2000. Soil carbon cycling in a temperate forest: radiocarbon-based estimates of residence times, sequestration rates and partitioning of fluxes. *Biogeochemistry* 51: 33-69 [doi:10.1023/A:1006301010014](https://doi.org/10.1023/A:1006301010014)

Trumbore, S. 2000. Age of Soil Organic Matter and Soil Respiration: Radiocarbon Constraints on Belowground C Dynamics. *Ecological Applications*, 10(2): 399–411 [doi:10.2307/2641102](https://doi.org/10.2307/2641102)

### Examples

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
# Fill profile coordinates
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_coords(database)
# Fill dates
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_dates(database.x)
# Fill delta 14C from fraction modern
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.fill_rc(database.x)
# Fill atmospheric 14c
database.x <- ISRaD.extra.calc_atm14c(database.x)
# Run normalization function for the year 2010 with layer data
# Example 1
database.x$layer <- ISRaD.extra.norm14c_year(
  obs_d14c = "lyr_14c",
  obs_year = "lyr_obs_date_y",
  atm_zone = "pro_atm_zone",
  norm_year = 2010,
  tau = TRUE,
  df = database.x$layer,
  verbose = TRUE
)
# Example 2
ISRaD.extra.norm14c_year(
  obs_d14c = 182.8958,
  obs_year = 1996,
  atm_zone = "NH14C",
  norm_year = 2010
)
```

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`ISRaD.flatten`*ISRaD.flatten*

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**Description**

Joins tables in ISRaD based on linking variables and returns flat data frame/s

**Usage**

```
ISRaD.flatten(database, table)
```

**Arguments**

database	ISRaD dataset object: e.g. ISRaD_data, or ISRaD_extra
table	ISRaD table of interest ("flux", "layer", "interstitial", "fraction", "incubation"). Must be entered with "".

**Details**

ISRaD.extra.flatten generates 2-dimensional matrices for user-specified ISRaD tables by joining higher level tables (metadata, site, profile, layer) to lower level tables (layer, fraction, incubation, flux, interstitial).

**Value**

A dataframe with `nrow = nrow(table)` and `ncol = sum(ncol(meta), ncol(site), ncol(profile), ..., ncol(table))`

**Author(s)**

J. Beem-Miller

**Examples**

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
fractions <- ISRaD.flatten(database, "fraction")
layers <- ISRaD.flatten(database, "layer")
```

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ISRaD.getdata	<i>ISRaD.getdata</i>
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## Description

Retrieves most recent version of ISRaD data from github

## Usage

```
ISRaD.getdata(  
  directory,  
  dataset = "full",  
  extra = FALSE,  
  force_download = FALSE  
)
```

## Arguments

directory	Location of ISRaD_database_files folder. If not found, it will be created.
dataset	Specify which data you want. Options are c("full", "flux", "interstitial", "incubation", "fraction", "layer")
extra	TRUE/FALSE. If TRUE, the ISRaD_extra object will be returned. If FALSE, ISRaD_data will be returned. Default is FALSE.
force_download	TRUE/FALSE. If ISRaD_database files already exist in the specified directory, new data will not be downloaded by default. If force_download is set to TRUE, the newest data from github will be downloaded and overwrite any existing files.

## Value

ISRaD data object

## Examples

```
# Return full dataset ("full")  
ISRaD_full <- ISRaD.getdata(tempdir(), dataset = "full", extra = FALSE)  
# Return full dataset plus "extra" filled data  
ISRaD_extra <- ISRaD.getdata(tempdir(), dataset = "full", extra = TRUE)  
# Return only fraction data, including filled fraction data  
ISRaD_fractions <- ISRaD.getdata(tempdir(), dataset = "fraction", extra = TRUE)
```

ISRaD.read.entry      *ISRaD.read.entry*

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### Description

Reads ISRaD data object from Excel file in standard template format

### Usage

```
ISRaD.read.entry(  
  entry,  
  template_file = system.file("extdata", "ISRaD_Master_Template.xlsx", package = "ISRaD")  
)
```

### Arguments

entry                    ISRaD data object.  
template\_file          Directory path and name of template file to use (defaults to the ISRaD\_Master\_Template file built into the package).

### Author(s)

J. Beem-Miller

### Examples

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001  
entry <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001  
ISRaD.save.entry(  
  entry = entry,  
  template_file = system.file("extdata", "ISRaD_Master_Template.xlsx", package = "ISRaD"),  
  outfile = file.path(tempdir(), "Gaudinski_2001.xlsx")  
)  
# Read in .xlsx file  
ISRaD.read.entry(file.path(tempdir(), "Gaudinski_2001.xlsx"))
```

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ISRaD.rep.count.all      *ISRaD.rep.count.all*

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### Description

Generates a report of counts of observations at each level of the database

### Usage

```
ISRaD.rep.count.all(database)
```

**Arguments**

database      ISRaD data object

**Value**

A tibble of observation counts, one column for each database table.

**Examples**

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
ISRaD.rep.count.all(database)
```

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*ISRaD.rep.count.frc*      *ISRaD.rep.count.frc*

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**Description**

Generates a report of fraction level observations, including fraction scheme and properties. Note that this function only counts rows, not 14C observations.

**Usage**

```
ISRaD.rep.count.frc(database)
```

**Arguments**

database      ISRaD data object

**Examples**

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
ISRaD.rep.count.frc(database)
```

ISRaD.rep.entry.stats *ISRaD.rep.entry.stats*

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### Description

Generates a report of metadata statistics for all entries

### Usage

```
ISRaD.rep.entry.stats(database)
```

### Arguments

database           ISRaD data object

### Examples

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
ISRaD.rep.entry.stats(database)
```

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ISRaD.rep.site.map    *ISRaD.rep.site.map*

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### Description

Generates a world map showing locations of all ISRaD sites

### Usage

```
ISRaD.rep.site.map(database)
```

### Arguments

database           ISRaD data object

### Examples

```
# Obtain current ISRaD data
database <- ISRaD.getdata(tempdir(), dataset = "full", extra = FALSE)
# Generate a map of all ISRaD sites
ISRaD.rep.site.map(database)
```

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ISRaD.report	<i>ISRaD.report</i>
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**Description**

Generate basic summary reports of ISRaD data

**Usage**

```
ISRaD.report(database, report)
```

**Arguments**

database	ISRaD data object
report	Parameter to define which type of report is desired. The default is "count.all" other options include "entry.stats", "count.frc", or "site.map".

**Details**

Wrapper for the simple reporting functions `ISRaD.rep.count.all`, `ISRaD.rep.count.frc`, `ISRaD.rep.entry.stats`, `ISRaD.rep.site.map`

**Examples**

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
database <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
# Report metadata statistics
ISRaD.report(database, report = "entry.stats")
# Report summary statistics for all levels of the database
ISRaD.report(database, report = "count.all")
# Generate a map of all ISRaD sites
ISRaD.report(database, report = "site.map")
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ISRaD.save.entry	<i>ISRaD.save.entry</i>
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**Description**

Saves ISRaD data object to .xlsx file

**Usage**

```
ISRaD.save.entry(  
  entry,  
  template_file = system.file("extdata", "ISRaD_Master_Template.xlsx", package = "ISRaD"),  
  outfile  
)
```

**Arguments**

entry	ISRaD data object
template_file	Directory path and name of template file to use (defaults to the ISRaD_Master_Template file built into the package). Not recommended to change this.
outfile	File name and path for .xlsx output

**Details**

This function can be used to save a single entry (or a compiled database in the standard template format) to an .xlsx file.

Note: Replaces the function "ISRaD.save.xlsx" as that function depended on the package openxlsx, which was unstable at the time. This a simpler function and does not maintain the formatting of the template file. The code for the original function is available in the ISRaD github repository in the [devScripts](#) directory.

**Author(s)**

J. Beem-Miller

**Examples**

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001  
entry <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001  
ISRaD.save.entry(  
  entry = entry,  
  template_file = system.file("extdata", "ISRaD_Master_Template.xlsx", package = "ISRaD"),  
  outfile = file.path(tempdir(), "Gaudinski_2001.xlsx")  
)
```

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QAQC

QAQC

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**Description**

Checks template files for data coherence, formatting, and data entry errors

**Usage**

```
QAQC(
  file,
  writeQCreport = FALSE,
  outfile_QAQC = "",
  summaryStats = TRUE,
  dataReport = FALSE,
  checkdoi = TRUE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  local = TRUE
)
```

**Arguments**

file	File path for template file to be checked
writeQCreport	If TRUE, a text report of the QC output will be written to the outfile. Default is FALSE
outfile_QAQC	Filename of the output file (if writeQCreport is TRUE). Default is NULL, with the outfile being written to the directory where the template file is stored and named according to the file being checked.
summaryStats	Prints summary statistics. Default is TRUE.
dataReport	Prints list structure of database. Default is FALSE.
checkdoi	Set to FALSE if you do not want the QAQC check to validate DOIs (if TRUE this will be time consuming). Default is TRUE.
verbose	Set to TRUE to print results of function to console. Default is TRUE.
local	Set to FALSE to fetch most up-to-date template and template info files. If TRUE, the local files or files from CRAN package will be used. Default is TRUE.

**Details**

This function can also be called from the [ISRaD website](#).

**Examples**

```
# Load example dataset Gaudinski_2001
entry <- ISRaD::Gaudinski_2001
# Save as .xlsx file
ISRaD.save.entry(
  entry = entry,
  template_file = system.file("extdata", "ISRaD_Master_Template.xlsx", package = "ISRaD"),
  outfile = file.path(tempdir(), "Gaudinski_2001.xlsx")
)
# Run QAQC
QAQC(file.path(tempdir(), "Gaudinski_2001.xlsx"))
```

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