

# Package ‘twc’

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crop_data	<i>Crop precipitation data sets</i>
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### Description

The function `crop_data` crops the data sets using a shapefile mask.

### Usage

```
crop_data(x, y)

## S4 method for signature 'Raster'
crop_data(x, y)

## S4 method for signature 'data.table'
crop_data(x, y)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
crop_data(x, y)
```

### Arguments

x	Raster* object; data.table (see details); filename (character; see details)
y	filename (character). Path to a *.shp file

### Details

If 'x' is a data.table, its columns should be named: "lon", "lat", "date", and "value"

If 'x' is a filename, it should point to a \*.nc file.

### Value

Raster\* object; data.table

## Examples

```
## Not run:
download_data("gldas-vic", tempdir(), timestep = "yearly")
r <- raster::brick(paste0(tempdir(),
"/gldas-vic_tp_mm_land_194801_201412_025_yearly.nc"))
s <- crop_data(r, "cze.shp")

## End(Not run)
```

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fldmean

*Field mean*

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## Description

The function fldmean computes the spatial weighted average for each timestep.

## Usage

```
fldmean(x)

## S4 method for signature 'Raster'
fldmean(x)

## S4 method for signature 'data.table'
fldmean(x)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
fldmean(x)
```

## Arguments

x Raster\* object; data.table (see details); filename (character, see details)

## Details

If 'x' is a data.table, its columns should be named: "lon", "lat", "date", and "value"

If 'x' is a filename, it should point to a \*.nc file.

## Value

data.table

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
download_data("gldas-vic", tempdir(), timestep = "yearly")
r <- raster::brick(paste0(tempdir(),
"/gldas-vic_tp_mm_land_194801_201412_025_yearly.nc"))
s <- fldmean(r)

## End(Not run)
```

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infoNC

*Show data content*


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**Description**

The function infoNC displays the specification of the desired file.

**Usage**

```
infoNC(x)

## S4 method for signature 'Raster'
infoNC(x)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
infoNC(x)
```

**Arguments**

x                    Raster\* Object; character

**Value**

character

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muldpm

*Multiply by days per month*


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**Description**

The function muldpm multiplies the value by days per month.

**Usage**

```
muldpm(x)

## S4 method for signature 'Raster'
muldpm(x)

## S4 method for signature 'data.table'
muldpm(x)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
muldpm(x)
```

**Arguments**

x                    Raster\* object; data.table (see details); filename (character, see details)

**Details**

'x' object with monthly data in [units/day]

If 'x' is a data.table, its columns should be named: "lon", "lat", "date", and "value"

If 'x' is a filename, it should point to a \*.nc file.

**Value**

Raster\* object; data.table

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
tavg_brick <- raster::brick('terraclimate_tavg.nc')
pet_od <- pet(method = "od", tavg = tavg_brick)
pet_od <- muldpm(pet_od)

## End(Not run)
```

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nse

*Nash–Sutcliffe Efficiency*

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**Description**

Function for calculating the Nash–Sutcliffe efficiency.

**Usage**

```
nse(x, ref)
```

**Arguments**

x a data.table generated by [fldmean](#)  
 ref a data.table with data used for evaluation

**Value**

numeric

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pRecipe_masks	<i>Masks data</i>
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**Description**

Function for various masks.

**Usage**

```
pRecipe_masks()
```

**Value**

data.table

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rank_repres	<i>Ensemble representativeness ranking</i>
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**Description**

The function rank\_repres ranks the elements of a dataset ensemble in terms of a representativeness metric.

**Usage**

```
rank_repres(data, method = "all", ensemble = "median")
```

**Arguments**

data data.table with three variables: dataset, date, value  
 method character with seven options: mean, var (variance), slope, kge (Kling–Gupta Efficiency), tss (Taylor Skill Score), kld (Kullback–Leibler Divergence), all (default)  
 ensemble character with two options: mean, median (default)

**Details**

data is a data.table (time, value) method relates to the metric used to estimate the similarity to the ensemble mean/median. Can be mean, variance, correlation, slope, Kling–Gupta efficiency, Taylor skill score, Kullback–Leibler divergence, and all (for returning all of them)

**Value**

data.table 2-column (dataset, repres\_metric) or 8-column (dataset, mean, variance, ...) in case of method = all

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
download_data("gldas-vic", tempdir(), timestep = "yearly")
download_data("gpcc", tempdir(), timestep = "yearly")
download_data("ghcn", tempdir(), timestep = "yearly")
r1 <- raster::brick(paste0(tempdir(),
"/gldas-vic-v2-0_tp_mm_land_194801_201412_025_yearly.nc"))
s1 <- fldmean(r1)
s1$dataset <- "gldas-vic"
r2 <- raster::brick(paste0(tempdir(),
"/gpcc-v2022_tp_mm_land_198201_202012_025_yearly.nc"))
s2 <- fldmean(r2)
s2$dataset <- "gpcc"
r3 <- raster::brick(paste0(tempdir(),
"/ghcn-v2_tp_mm_land_190001_201505_025_yearly.nc"))
s3 <- fldmean(r2)
s3$dataset <- "ghcn"
dt <- rbind(r1, r2, r3)
dr <- rank_repres(dt[year(date) >= 1991 & year(date) <= 2012, .(dataset, date, value)])

## End(Not run)
```

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remap

*Spatial aggregation*


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**Description**

The function remap aggregates data into a new grid resolution.

**Usage**

```
remap(x, y)

## S4 method for signature 'Raster'
remap(x, y)

## S4 method for signature 'data.table'
```

```
remap(x, y)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
remap(x, y)
```

### Arguments

x	Raster* object; data.table (see details); filename (character, see details)
y	numeric

### Details

If 'x' is a data.table, its columns should be named: "lon", "lat", "date", and "value"  
 If 'x' is a filename, it should point to a \*.nc file.

### Value

Raster\* object; data.table

### Examples

```
## Not run:
download_data("gldas-vic", tempdir(), timestep = "yearly")
r <- raster::brick(paste0(tempdir(),
"/gldas-vic_tp_mm_land_194801_201412_025_yearly.nc"))
s <- remap(r, 1)

## End(Not run)
```

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saveNC

*Save .nc file*

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### Description

Function to save data compatible with pRecipe in .nc file

### Usage

```
saveNC(x, file, name = "tp", longname = "Total precipitation", units = "mm")
```

### Arguments

x	Raster* object
file	character
name	character
longname	character
units	character

**Value**

No return value, called to save a file

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
save_nc(dummie_brick, "gpcp_tp_mm_global_197901_202205_025_monthly.nc")

## End(Not run)
```

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subset_data	<i>Subset data in space and time</i>
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**Description**

The function `subset_data` subsets the data in space within a bounding box, and/or in time within a year range.

**Usage**

```
subset_data(x, box = NULL, yrs = NULL)
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```
## S4 method for signature 'Raster'
subset_data(x, box = NULL, yrs = NULL)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'data.table'
subset_data(x, box = NULL, yrs = NULL)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'character'
subset_data(x, box = NULL, yrs = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	Raster* object; data.table (see details); filename (character, see details)
<code>box</code>	numeric. Bounding box in the form: (xmin, xmax, ymin, ymax)
<code>yrs</code>	numeric. Time range in the form: (start_year, end_year)

**Details**

If ‘`x`’ is a `data.table`, its columns should be named: "lon", "lat", "date", and "value"

If ‘`x`’ is a filename, it should point to a \*.nc file.

If subsetting only in space or time then the arguments must be passed by name. I.e., `subset_data(x, box = ...)` (space) or `subset_data(x, yrs = ...)` (time)

**Value**

Raster\* object; data.table

## Examples

```
## Not run:
download_data("gldas-vic", tempdir(), timestep = "yearly")
r <- raster::brick(paste0(tempdir(),
"/gldas-vic_tp_mm_land_194801_201412_025_yearly.nc"))
sd <- subset_data(r, c(12.24, 18.85, 48.56, 51.12), c(2000, 2010))
ss <- subset_data(r, box = c(12.24, 18.85, 48.56, 51.12))
st <- subset_data(r, yrs = c(2000, 2010))

## End(Not run)
```

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tabular

*Transform raster into data.table*

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## Description

Function to transform a raster brick into a data.table

## Usage

```
tabular(x)

## S4 method for signature 'Raster'
tabular(x)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
tabular(x)
```

## Arguments

x Raster\* object; filename (character, see details)

## Value

data.table

## Examples

```
## Not run:
download_data("gldas-vic", tempdir(), timestep = "yearly")
r <- raster::brick(paste0(tempdir(),
"/gldas-vic_tp_mm_land_194801_201412_025_yearly.nc"))
s <- tabular(r)

## End(Not run)
```

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trend	<i>Trends</i>
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### Description

The function `trend` computes linear slope.

### Usage

```
trend(x)

## S4 method for signature 'Raster'
trend(x)

## S4 method for signature 'data.table'
trend(x)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
trend(x)
```

### Arguments

`x` Raster\* object; data.table (see details); filename (character, see details)

### Details

If `'x'` is a data.table, its columns should be named: "lon", "lat", "date", and "value"

If `'x'` is a filename, it should point to a \*.nc file.

### Value

Raster\* object; data.table

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yearstat	<i>Yearly &lt;stat&gt;</i>
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### Description

The function `yearstat` aggregates the data from monthly to yearly.

**Usage**

```
yearstat(x, stat = "sum")

## S4 method for signature 'Raster'
yearstat(x, stat = "sum")

## S4 method for signature 'data.table'
yearstat(x, stat = "sum")

## S4 method for signature 'character'
yearstat(x, stat = "sum")
```

**Arguments**

x	Raster* object; data.table (see details); filename (character, see details)
stat	character

**Details**

If 'x' is a data.table, its columns should be named: "lon", "lat", "date", and "value"

If 'x' is a filename, it should point to a \*.nc file.

'stat' is a character string describing the desired aggregation function. Suitable options are:

- "max"
- "mean"
- "median"
- "min"
- "sum" (default)

**Value**

Raster\* object; data.table

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
download_data("gldas-vic", path = tempdir())
r <- raster::brick(paste0(tempdir(),
"/gldas-vic_tp_mm_land_194801_201412_025_monthly.nc"))
s <- yearstat(r, "mean")

## End(Not run)
```

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