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#### **Description**

The package allows you to study compartmental Soil models.

#### **Details**

The typical workflow consists of the following steps:

\itemCreate a model \itemInspect it

The simplest way of creating a model is to use one of the top level functions for predefined models: predefinedModels.

The objects returned by these functions can be of different type, usually either Model or Model14. To inspect the behaviour of a model object these classes provide several methods to be found in their respective descriptions: (Model or Model\_14)

If none of the predefined models fits your needs you can assemble your own model. The functions that create it are the constructors of the classes Model or Model\_14. By convention they have the same name as the class and are desribed here:

Model,

Model\_14.

 $Absolute Fraction Modern\_from\_Delta 14C, matrix-method \\ Absolute Fraction Modern\_from\_Delta 14C, matrix-method \\ from \ Delta 14C \ to \ Absolute \ Fraction \ Modern$ 

### Description

This method produces a matrix of Delta14C values from a Matrix or number of Absolute Fraction Modern

# Arguments

delta14C

: of class matrix, An object of class matrix containing the values in Delta14C format

AbsoluteFractionModern\_from\_Delta14C, numeric-method

AbsoluteFractionModern\_from\_Delta14C,numeric-method Converts from Delta14C to Absolute Fraction Modern

### **Description**

Converts a number or vector containing Delta14C values to the appropriate Absolute Fraction Modern values. Have a look at the methods for details.

### Arguments

delta14C : of class numeric, A numeric object containing the values in Delta14C format

add\_plot,TimeMap-method

add\_plot,TimeMap-method overview plot

### **Description**

The method adds a simple overview plot of a the scalar, vector, matrix or arrayvalued function plotting all time dependent component.

### Arguments

x : of class TimeMap, the TimeMap Object to be plotted

... : other plot parameters not implemented yet

as.character,TimeMap-method

as.character,TimeMap-method convert TimeMap Objects to something

printable.

### Description

This method is needed to print a TimeMap object.

#### **Arguments**

x : of class TimeMap, An Object of class time map

... : will be ignored

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# Description

This function implements the microbial model AWB (Allison, Wallenstein, Bradford, 2010), a four-pool model with a microbial biomass, enzyme, SOC and DOC pools. It is a special case of the general nonlinear model.

# Usage

```
AWBmodel(t, V_M = 1e+08, V_m = 1e+08, r_B = 2e-04, r_E = 5e-06, r_L = 0.001, a_BS = 0.5, epsilon_0 = 0.63, epsilon_s = -0.016, Km_0 = 500, Km_u0 = 0.1, Km_s = 0.5, Km_us = 0.1, Ea = 47, R = 0.008314, Temp1 = 20, Temp2 = 20, ival = c(B = 2.19159, E = 0.0109579, S = 111.876, D = 0.00144928), I_S = 0.005, I_D = 0.005)
```

### **Arguments**

t	vector of times (in hours) to calculate a solution.
V_M	a scalar representing the maximum rate of uptake (mg DOC cm-3 h-1). Equivalent to V_maxuptake0 in original paper.
V_m	a scalar representing the maximum rate of decomposition of SOM (mg SOM cm-3 h-1). Equivalent to $V_{\rm max0}$ in original paper.
r_B	a scalar representing the rate constant of microbial death (h-1). Equivalent to r_death in original publication.
r_E	a scalar representing the rate constant of enzyme production (h-1). Equivalent to r_EnzProd in original publication.
r_L	a scalar representing the rate constant of enzyme loss (h-1). Equivalent to r_EnzLoss in original publication.
a_BS	a scalar representing the fraction of the dead microbial biomass incorporated to SOC. MICtoSOC in original publication.
epsilon	a scalar representing the intercept of the CUE function (mg mg-1). CUE_0 in original paper.
epsilon	a scalar representing the slope of the CUE function (degree-1). CUE_slope in original paper.
Km_0	a scalar representing the intercept of the half-saturation constant of SOC as a function of temperature (mg cm-3).
Km_u0	a scalar representing the intercept of the half saturation constant of uptake as a function of temperature (mg cm-3).
Km_s	a scalar representing the slope of the half saturation constant of SOC as a function of temperature (mg cm-3 degree-1).

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Km_us	a scalar representing the slope of the half saturation constant of uptake as a function of temperature (mg cm-3 degree-1).
Ea	a scalar representing the activation energy (kJ mol-1).
R	a scalar representing the gas constant (kJ mol-1 degree-1).
Temp1	a scalar representing the temperature in the output vector.
Temp2	a scalar representing the temperature in the transfer matrix.
ival	a vector of length 4 with the initial values for the pools (mg cm-3).
I_S	a scalar with the inputs to the SOC pool (mg cm-3 h-1).
I_D	a scalar with the inputs to the DOC pool (mg cm-3 h-1).

#### **Details**

This implementation containts default parameters presented in Allison et al. (2010).

#### Value

An object of class NIModel that can be further queried.

#### References

Allison, S.D., M.D. Wallenstein, M.A. Bradford. 2010. Soil-carbon response to warming dependent on microbial physiology. Nature Geoscience 3: 336-340.

#### **Examples**

```
hours=seq(0,800,0.1)

#Run the model with default parameter values
bcmodel=AWBmodel(t=hours)
Cpools=getC(bcmodel)

##Time solution

# fixme mm:

# the next line causes trouble on Rforge Windows patched build
matplot(hours,Cpools,type="1",ylab="Concentrations",xlab="Hours",lty=1,ylim=c(0,max(Cpools)*1.2))

##State-space diagram
plot(as.data.frame(Cpools))
```

bacwaveModel	Implementation of the microbial model Bacwave (bacterial waves)

### **Description**

This function implements the microbial model Bacwave (bacterial waves), a two-pool model with a bacterial and a substrate pool. It is a special case of the general nonlinear model.

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#### Usage

```
bacwaveModel(t, umax = 0.063, ks = 3, theta = 0.23, Dmax = 0.26, kd = 14.5, kr = 0.4, Y = 0.44, ival = c(S0 = 0.5, X0 = 1.5), BGF = 0.15, ExuM = 8, ExuT = 0.8)
```

#### **Arguments**

t	vector of times (in hours) to calculate a solution.
umax	a scalar representing the maximum relative growth rate of bacteria (hr-1)
ks	a scalar representing the substrate constant for growth (ug C /ml soil solution)
theta	a scalar representing soil water content (ml solution/cm3 soil)
Dmax	a scalar representing the maximal relative death rate of bacteria (hr-1)
kd	a scalar representing the substrate constant for death of bacteria (ug C/ml soil solution)
kr	a scalar representing the fraction of death biomass recycling to substrate (unitless)
Υ	a scalar representing the yield coefficient for bacteria (ug C/ugC)
ival	a vector of length 2 with the initial values for the substrate and the bacterial pools (ug $\mbox{C/cm3}$ )
BGF	a scalar representing the constant background flux of substrate (ug C/cm3 soil/hr)
ExuM	a scalar representing the maximal exudation rate (ug C/(hr cm3 soil))
ExuT	a scalar representing the time constant for exudation, responsible for duration of exudation (1/hr).

#### **Details**

This implementation containts default parameters presented in Zelenev et al. (2000). It produces nonlinear damped oscillations in the form of a stable focus.

### Value

An object of class NlModel that can be further queried.

#### References

Zelenev, V.V., A.H.C. van Bruggen, A.M. Semenov. 2000. "BACWAVE," a spatial-temporal model for traveling waves of bacterial populations in response to a moving carbon source in soil. Microbail Ecology 40: 260-272.

#### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

bind.C14curves

#### **Examples**

```
hours=seq(0,800,0.1)
#
#Run the model with default parameter values
bcmodel=bacwaveModel(t=hours)
Cpools=getC(bcmodel)
#
#Time solution
matplot(hours,Cpools,type="1",ylab="Concentrations",xlab="Hours",lty=1,ylim=c(0,max(Cpools)*1.2))
legend("topleft",c("Substrate", "Microbial biomass"),lty=1,col=c(1,2),bty="n")
#
#State-space diagram
plot(Cpools[,2],Cpools[,1],type="1",ylab="Substrate",xlab="Microbial biomass")
#
#Microbial biomass over time
plot(hours,Cpools[,2],type="1",col=2,xlab="Hours",ylab="Microbial biomass")
```

bind.C14curves

Binding of pre- and post-bomb Delta14C curves

### **Description**

This function takes a pre- and a post-bomb curve, binds them together, and reports the results back either in years BP or AD.

### Usage

```
bind.C14curves(prebomb, postbomb, time.scale)
```

#### **Arguments**

prebomb	A pre-bomb radiocarbon dataset. They could be either IntCal09 or IntCal13.
postbomb	A post-bomb radiocarbon dataset. They could be any of the datasets in Hua2013.
time.scale	A character indicating whether to report the results in years before present BP or anno domini AD.

#### Value

A data.frame with 3 columns: years in AD or BP, the atmospheric Delta14C value, the standard deviation of the Delta14C value.

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BoundFc, character-method

BoundFc, character-method A constructor

### **Description**

The method constructs an object from a format string and other parameters which are passed on to TimeMap

### Arguments

format : of class character, a string that specifies the format used to represent the atmo-

spheric fraction. Possible values are "Delta14C" which is the default or "afn"

the Absolute Fraction Normal representation

... : passed on to TimeMap

BoundFc, missing-method

BoundFc, missing-method A constructor

### **Description**

The method constructs an object from a list which must contain a

### **Arguments**

format : of class missing, If this method is called the format argument was not present.

... : passed on to TimeMap

BoundFc-class Objects containing the atmospheric 14C fraction and the format it is

provided in.

### **Description**

no Description

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#### Methods

```
No exported methods directly defined for class BoundFc:
```

Methods inherited from superclasses:

from class TimeMap:

```
GeneralDecompOp signature(object = "TimeMap"): ... GeneralDecompOp, TimeMap-method
GeneralInFlux signature(object = "TimeMap"): ... GeneralInFlux, TimeMap-method
TimeMap signature(map = "TimeMap", starttime = "ANY", endtime = "ANY", times = "ANY", data = "ANY"): ... TimeMap, TimeMap, ANY, ANY, ANY, ANY-method
add_plot signature(x = "TimeMap"): ... add_plot, TimeMap-method
as.character signature(x = "TimeMap"): ... as.character, TimeMap-method
getFunctionDefinition signature(object = "TimeMap"): ... getFunctionDefinition, TimeMap-method
getTimeRange signature(object = "TimeMap"): ... getTimeRange, TimeMap-method
```

BoundInFlux

constructor for BoundInFlux

### Description

The method internally calls TimeMap and expects the same kind of arguments

#### Usage

```
BoundInFlux(...)
```

#### **Arguments**

... passed on to TimeMap

BoundInFlux-class

BoundInFlux S4 class

### **Description**

defines a time dependent inputrate as function of time and including the domain where the function is well defined. This can be used to avoid interpolations out of range when mixing different time dependent data sets

#### Methods

No exported methods directly defined for class BoundInFlux:

Methods inherited from superclasses:

from class InFlux:

```
GeneralInFlux signature(object = "InFlux"): ... GeneralInFlux, InFlux-method
```

from class TimeMap:

BoundLinDecompOp, ANY-method

BoundLinDecompOp,ANY-method a constructor

#### **Description**

Creates a BoundLinDecompOp Object.

#### Arguments

map : of class ANY, passed on to TimeMap

... : passed on to TimeMap

BoundLinDecompOp, UnBoundLinDecompOp-method

BoundLinDecompOp,UnBoundLinDecompOp-method convert a Un-

 $BoundLinDecompOp\ to\ a\ BoundLinDecompOp$ 

#### **Description**

The method creates a BoundLinDecompOp consisting of a constant time dependent function and the limits of its domain (starttime and endtime) set to -Inf and Inf respectively

#### **Arguments**

map : of class UnBoundLinDecompOp

starttime : the left hand boundary of the valid time interval endtime : the right hand boundary of the valid time interval

BoundLinDecompOp-class

a decomposition operator described by a matrix valued function of time

### **Description**

no Description

#### Methods

No exported methods directly defined for class BoundLinDecompOp:

Methods inherited from superclasses:

from class DecompOp:

```
GeneralDecompOp signature(object = "DecompOp"): ... GeneralDecompOp, DecompOp-method
```

from class TimeMap:

```
GeneralDecompOp signature(object = "TimeMap"): ... GeneralDecompOp, TimeMap-method
GeneralInFlux signature(object = "TimeMap"): ... GeneralInFlux, TimeMap-method
```

```
add_plot signature(x = "TimeMap"): ... add_plot, TimeMap-method
```

```
as.character signature(x = "TimeMap"): ... as.character,TimeMap-method
```

getFunctionDefinition signature(object = "TimeMap"): ... getFunctionDefinition, TimeMap-method

getTimeRange signature(object = "TimeMap"): ... getTimeRange,TimeMap-method

C14Atm

Atmospheric 14C fraction

#### **Description**

Atmospheric 14C fraction in units of Delta14C for the bomb period in the northern hemisphere.

#### **Format**

A data frame with 108 observations on the following 2 variables.

```
list("V1") a numeric vector
```

list("V2") a numeric vector

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#### Note

This function will be deprecated soon. Please use C14Atm\_NH or Hua2013 instead.

#### **Examples**

```
#Notice that C14Atm is a shorter version of C14Atm_NH
require("SoilR")
data("C14Atm_NH")
plot(C14Atm_NH, type="l")
lines(C14Atm, col=2)
```

C14Atm\_NH

Post-bomb atmospheric 14C fraction

### **Description**

Atmospheric 14C concentrations for the post-bomb period expressed as Delta 14C in per mile. This dataset contains a combination of observations from locations in Europe and North America. It is representative for the Northern Hemisphere.

#### **Format**

A data frame with 111 observations on the following 2 variables.

**list("YEAR")** a numeric vector with year of measurement.

list("Atmosphere") a numeric vector with the Delta 14 value of atmospheric CO2 in per mil.

### **Examples**

```
plot(C14Atm_NH, type="1")
```

CenturyModel

Implementation of the Century model

### Description

This function implements the Century model as described in Parton et al. (1987).

#### Usage

```
CenturyModel(t, ks = c(k.STR = 0.094, k.MET = 0.35, k.ACT = 0.14, k.SLW = 0.0038, k.PAS = 0.00013), C0 = <math>c(0, 0, 0, 0, 0), In, LN, Ls, clay = 0.2, silt = 0.45, xi = 1, solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper)
```

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#### **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
ks	A vector of lenght 5 containing the values of the decomposition rates for the different pools. Units in per week.
C0	A vector of length 5 containing the initial amount of carbon for the 5 pools.
In	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time (mass per area per week).
LN	A scalar representing the lignin to nitrogen ratio of the plant residue inputs.
Ls	A scalar representing the fraction of structural material that is lignin.
clay	Proportion of clay in mineral soil.
silt	Proportion of silt in mineral soil.
xi	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.

#### Value

A Model Object that can be further queried

#### References

Parton, W.J, D.S. Schimel, C.V. Cole, and D.S. Ojima. 1987. Analysis of factors controlling soil organic matter levels in Great Plain grasslands. Soil Science Society of America Journal 51: 1173–1179. Sierra, C.A., M. Mueller, S.E. Trumbore. 2012. Models of soil organic matter decomposition: the SoilR package version 1.0. Geoscientific Model Development 5, 1045-1060.

#### See Also

RothCModel. There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

#### **Examples**

```
t=seq(0,52*200,1) #200 years
LNcorn=0.17/0.004 # Values for corn clover reported in Parton et al. 1987
Ex=CenturyModel(t,LN=0.5,Ls=0.1,In=0.1)
Ct=getC(Ex)
Rt=getReleaseFlux(Ex)

matplot(t,Ct,type="1", col=1:5,lty=1,ylim=c(0,max(Ct)*2.5),
ylab=expression(paste("Carbon stores (kg C", ha^-1,")")),xlab="Time (weeks)")
lines(t,rowSums(Ct),lwd=2)
legend("topright", c("Structural litter","Metabolic litter",
"Active SOM","Slow SOM","Passive SOM","Total Carbon"),
lty=1,lwd=c(rep(1,5),2),col=c(1:5,1),bty="n")

matplot(t,Rt,type="1",lty=1,ylim=c(0,max(Rt)*3),ylab="Respiration (kg C ha-1 week-1)",xlab="Time")
```

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```
lines(t,rowSums(Rt),lwd=2)
legend("topright", c("Structural litter","Metabolic litter",
"Active SOM","Slow SOM","Passive SOM","Total Respiration"),
lty=1,lwd=c(rep(1,5),2),col=c(1:5,1),bty="n")
```

ConstFc

creates an object containing the initial values for the 14C fraction needed to create models in SoilR

#### **Description**

The function returns an object of class ConstFc which is a building block for any 14C model in SoilR. The building blocks of a model have to keep iformation about the formats their data are in, because the high level function dealing with the models have to know. This function is actually a convienient wrapper for a call to R's standard constructor new, to hide its complexity from the user.

#### Usage

```
ConstFc(values = c(0), format = "Delta14C")
```

#### **Arguments**

values a numeric vector

format a character string describing the format e.g. "Delta14C"

### Value

An object of class ConstFc that contains data and a format description that can later be used to convert the data into other formats if the conversion is implemented.

ConstFc-class

ConstFc S4 class

#### **Description**

no Description

#### Methods

No exported methods directly defined for class ConstFc:

ConstInFlux, numeric-method

ConstInFlux,numeric-method constructor

#### **Description**

the method converts a vector of constant input rates into an object of Class ConstInFlux.

#### **Arguments**

map

: of class numeric

ConstInFlux-class

ConstInFlux S4 class

### **Description**

defines a constant inputrate

#### Methods

Exported methods directly defined for class ConstInFlux:

getFunctionDefinition signature(object = "ConstInFlux"): ... getFunctionDefinition,ConstInFlux-method
getTimeRange signature(object = "ConstInFlux"): ... getTimeRange,ConstInFlux-method

Methods inherited from superclasses:

from class InFlux:

GeneralInFlux signature(object = "InFlux"): ... GeneralInFlux, InFlux-method

ConstLinDecompOp, matrix-method

ConstLinDecompOp,matrix-method construct from matric

### **Description**

This method creates a ConstLinDecompOp from a matrix The operator is assumed to act on the vector of carbon stocks by multiplication of the (time invariant) matrix from the left.

### Arguments

mat

: of class matrix

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ConstLinDecompOp-class

constant decomposition operator

### Description

no Description

#### Methods

Exported methods directly defined for class ConstLinDecompOp:

getFunctionDefinition signature(object = "ConstLinDecompOp"): ... getFunctionDefinition, ConstLinDecompOpgetMeanTransitTime signature(object = "ConstLinDecompOp"): ... getMeanTransitTime, ConstLinDecompOp-meth
getTimeRange signature(object = "ConstLinDecompOp"): ... getTimeRange, ConstLinDecompOp-method
getTransitTimeDistributionDensity signature(object = "ConstLinDecompOp"): ... getTransitTimeDistributionDensity

Methods inherited from superclasses:

from class DecompOp:

GeneralDecompOp signature(object = "DecompOp"): ... GeneralDecompOp, DecompOp-method

cycling

Cycling analysis of compartmental matrices

#### **Description**

Computes the fundamental matrix N, and the expected number of steps from a compartmental matrix A

# Usage

cycling(A)

#### **Arguments**

Α

A compartmental linear square matrix with cycling rates in the diagonal and transfer rates in the off-diagonal.

#### Value

A list with 2 objects: the fundamental matrix N, and the expected number of steps Et.

#### See Also

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decomposition operator

#### **Description**

The decomposition operator is a necessary ingredient of any Model. Very generally it describes the fluxes between the pools and to the exterior as functions of time and the pool contents. SoilR arranges different decomposition operators into different classes, to determine which computations can be performed with them (which methods can be called on them). The simplest and least general decomposition operator is ConstLinDecompOp-class which can be created from a constant reservoir matrix. Since it is the least general (most specific) the additional information can be used to compute more and more specific results (more methods) not available for the more abstract sub classes (for instance BoundLinDecompOp-class that are necessary to model the more general situations where the decomposition and transfer rates are functions of time. The different decomposition operators are created by class-specific functions, called constructors. (see the constructors section of this help page)

#### Methods

Exported methods directly defined for class DecompOp:

GeneralDecompOp signature(object = "DecompOp"): ... GeneralDecompOp, DecompOp-method

DecompositionOperator-class

deprecated decomposition operator class

### **Description**

no Description

#### Methods

Exported methods directly defined for class DecompositionOperator:

getFunctionDefinition signature(object = "DecompositionOperator"): ... getFunctionDefinition,Decompositio
getTimeRange signature(object = "DecompositionOperator"): ... getTimeRange,DecompositionOperator-method

Methods inherited from superclasses:

from class DecompOp:

GeneralDecompOp signature(object = "DecompOp"): ... GeneralDecompOp, DecompOp-method

 ${\tt Delta14C\_from\_AbsoluteFractionModern, matrix-method}$ 

Delta14C\_from\_AbsoluteFractionModern,matrix-method Converts Absolute Fraction Modern values to Delta14C

#### **Description**

This method produces a matrix of Delta14C values from a matrix of values in Absolute Fraction Modern.

#### **Arguments**

AbsoluteFractionModern

: of class matrix, An object of class matrix containing the values in Absolute Fraction Modern format

Delta14C\_from\_AbsoluteFractionModern, numeric-method

Delta14C\_from\_AbsoluteFractionModern,numeric-method Converts to Delta14C format

### **Description**

This method produces Delta14C values from Absolute Fraction Modern Have a look at the methods for details.

#### **Arguments**

AbsoluteFractionModern

: of class numeric, A numeric object containing the values in Absolute Fraction Modern format

deSolve.lsoda.wrapper deSolve.lsoda.wrapper

# Description

The function serves as a wrapper for Isoda using a much simpler interface which allows the use of matrices in the definition of the derivative. To use Isoda we have to convert our vectors to lists, define tolerances and so on. This function does this for us, so we don't need to bother about it.

#### Usage

```
deSolve.lsoda.wrapper(t, ydot, startValues)
```

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#### **Arguments**

t A row vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.

ydot The function of y and t that computes the derivative for a given point in time and

a column vector y.

startValues A column vector with the starting values.

#### Value

A matrix. Every column represents a pool and every row a point in time

eCO2

Soil CO2 efflux from an incubation experiment

#### **Description**

A dataset with soil CO2 efflux measurements from a laboratory incubation at controlled temperature and moisture conditions.

#### Usage

data(eCO2)

#### **Format**

A data frame with the following 3 variables.

Days A numeric vector with the day of measurement after the experiment started.

eCO2mean A numeric vector with the release flux of CO2. Units in ug C g-1 soil day-1.

eCO2sd A numeric vector with the standard deviation of the release flux of CO2-C. Units in ug C g-1 soil day-1.

#### **Details**

A laboratory incubation experiment was performed in March 2014 for a period of 35 days under controlled conditions of temperature (15 degrees Celsius), moisture (30 percent soil water content), and oxygen levels (20 percent). Soil CO2 measurements were taken using an automated system for gas sampling connected to an infrared gas analyzer. The soil was sampled at a boreal forest site (Caribou Poker Research Watershed, Alaska, USA). This dataset presents the mean and standard deviation of 4 replicates.

# Examples

```
head(eCO2)

plot(eCO2[,1:2],type="o",ylim=c(0,50),ylab="CO2 efflux (ug C g-1 soil day-1)")

arrows(eCO2[,1],eCO2[,2]-eCO2[,3],eCO2[,1],eCO2[,2]+eCO2[,3], angle=90,length=0.3,code=3)
```

euler euler

# Description

This function can solve arbitrary first order ode systems with the euler forward method and an adaptive time-step size control given a tolerance for the deviation of a coarse and fine estimate of the change in y for the next time step. It is an alternative to deSolve.lsoda.wrapper and has the same interface. It is much slower than ode and should probably be considered less capable in solving stiff ode systems. However it has one main advantage, which consists in its simplicity. It is quite easy to see what is going on inside it. Whenever you don't trust your implementation of another (more efficient but probably also more complex) ode solver, just compare the result to what this method computes.

#### Usage

```
euler(times, ydot, startValues)
```

### **Arguments**

times A row vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.

ydot The function of y and t that computes the derivative for a given point in time and

a column vector y.

startValues A column vector with the initial values.

example. 2D Bound In Flux From Function

example. 2D Bound In Flux From Function

### Description

Create a 2-dimensionsonal example of a BoundInFlux object

#### Usage

```
example.2DBoundInFluxFromFunction()
```

#### Value

The returned object represents a time dependent Influx into a two pool model.

 $example. 2D Bound Lin Decomp Op From Function \\ example. 2D Bound Lin Decomp Op From Function$ 

# Description

An example used in tests and other examples.

# Usage

```
example.2DBoundLinDecompOpFromFunction()
```

```
{\tt example.2DConstFc.Args}
```

example.2DConstFc.Args

### **Description**

Create a 2-dimensionsonal examples of a Influx objects from different arguments

# Usage

```
example.2DConstFc.Args()
```

```
example.2DConstInFluxFromVector
```

2D example for constant Influx

### **Description**

An example used in tests and other examples.

# Usage

```
example.2DConstInFluxFromVector()
```

#### Value

The returned object represents a time invariant constant influx into a two pool model.

 $example. 2D {\tt General Decomp Op Args}\\ example. 2D {\tt General Decomp Op Args}$ 

# Description

We present all possibilities to define a 2D DecompOp-class

# Usage

```
example.2DGeneralDecompOpArgs()
```

example.2DInFlux.Args example.2DInFlux.Args

# Description

Create a 2-dimensionsonal examples of a Influx objects from different arguments

# Usage

```
example.2DInFlux.Args()
```

 $example. 2 {\tt DUnBoundLinDecompOpFromFunction}\\ example. 2 {\tt DUnBoundLinDecompOpFromFunction}$ 

# Description

An example used in tests and other examples.

### Usage

example.2DUnBoundLinDecompOpFromFunction()

 $example. {\tt ConstlinDecompOpFromMatrix}\\ example. {\tt ConstlinDecompOpFromMatrix}$ 

# Description

An example used in tests and other examples.

### Usage

```
example.ConstlinDecompOpFromMatrix()
```

 $\label{list_constraint} example. nested {\it Time 2DMatrix List} \\ create \ an \ example \ nested \ list \ that \ can \ be$ 

# **Description**

An example used in tests and other examples.

### Usage

```
example.nestedTime2DMatrixList()
```

example.Time2DArrayList

create an example TimeMap from 2D array

# Description

An example used in tests and other examples.

#### Usage

```
example.Time2DArrayList()
```

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example.Time3DArrayList

create an example TimeFrame from 3D array

### **Description**

An example used in tests and other examples.

### Usage

```
example.Time3DArrayList()
```

example.TimeMapFromArray

create an example TimeFrame from 3D array

#### **Description**

The function creates an example TimeMap that is used in other examples and tests.

### Usage

```
example.TimeMapFromArray()
```

Fc-class

Fc S4 class

### **Description**

The  $^{14}C$  fraction is a necessary ingredient of any Model\_14 object. In the most general case it is a real valued function of time, accompanied by a string describing the unit or format (i.e. "Delta14C" or "afn" for Absolute Fraction Modern) . In the most simple case it is constant real number plus format.

# Methods

No exported methods directly defined for class Fc:

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# Description

This function is deprecated constructor of the deprecatied class FcAtm

# Usage

```
FcAtm.from.Dataframe(dframe, lag = 0, interpolation = splinefun,
    format)
```

# Arguments

dframe	A data frame containing exactly two columns: the first one is interpreted as time the secon one is interpreted as atmospheric C14 fraction in the format mentioned
lag	a scalar describing the time lag. Positive Values shift the argument of the interpolation function forward in time. (retard its effect)
interpolation	A function that returns a function the default is splinefun. Other possible values are the linear interpolation approxfun or any self made function with the same interface.
format	a string that specifies the format used to represent the atmospheric fracton. Possible values are "Delta14C" which is the default or "afn" the Absolute Fraction Normal representation

### Value

An object of the new class BoundFc that replaces FcAtm

fT.Arrhenius	Effects of temperature on decomposition rates according the Arrhenius equation
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# Description

Calculates the effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to the Arrhenius equation.

# Usage

```
fT.Arrhenius(Temp, A = 1000, Ea = 75000, Re = 8.3144621)
```

#### **Arguments**

Temp	A scalar or vector containing values of temperature (in degrees Kelvin) for which the effects on decomposition rates are calculated.
Α	A scalar defining the pre-exponential factor.
Ea	A scalar defining the activation energy in units of J mol^-1.
Re	A scalar defining the universal gas contant in units of J K^-1 mol^-1.

#### Value

A scalar or a vector containing the effects of temperature on decomposition rates (unitless).

# Description

Calculates the effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to the CENTURY model.

# Usage

```
fT.Century1(Temp, Tmax = 45, Topt = 35)
```

### Arguments

Temp	A scalar or vector containing values of temperature for which the effects on decomposition rates are calculated.
Tmax	A scalar defining the maximum temperature in degrees C.
Topt	A scalar defining the optimum temperature for the decomposition process in degrees C.

# Value

A scalar or a vector containing the effects of temperature on decomposition rates (unitless).

# References

Burke, I. C., J. P. Kaye, S. P. Bird, S. A. Hall, R. L. McCulley, and G. L. Sommerville. 2003. Evaluating and testing models of terrestrial biogeochemistry: the role of temperature in controlling decomposition. Pages 235-253 in C. D. Canham, J. J. Cole, and W. K. Lauenroth, editors. Models in ecosystem science. Princeton University Press, Princeton.

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fT.Century2	Effects of temperature on decomposition rates according the the CEN-TURY model

# Description

Calculates the effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to the CENTURY model.

### Usage

```
fT.Century2(Temp, Tmax = 45, Topt = 35)
```

#### **Arguments**

Temp A scalar or vector containing values of temperature for which the effects on

decomposition rates are calculated.

Tmax A scalar defining the maximum temperature in degrees C.

Topt A scalar defining the optimum temperature for the decomposition process in

degrees C.

#### Value

A scalar or a vector containing the effects of temperature on decomposition rates (unitless).

### References

Adair, E. C., W. J. Parton, S. J. D. Grosso, W. L. Silver, M. E. Harmon, S. A. Hall, I. C. Burke, and S. C. Hart. 2008. Simple three-pool model accurately describes patterns of long-term litter decomposition in diverse climates. Global Change Biology 14:2636-2660.

fT.Daycent1	Effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to the DAY-CENT model
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# Description

Calculates the effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to the DAYCENT model.

#### Usage

```
fT.Daycent1(Temp)
```

#### **Arguments**

Temp A scalar or vector containing values of soil temperature for which the effects on

decomposition rates are calculated

### Value

A scalar or a vector containing the effects of temperature on decomposition rates (unitless).

#### References

Kelly, R. H., W. J. Parton, M. D. Hartman, L. K. Stretch, D. S. Ojima, and D. S. Schimel (2000), Intra-annual and interannual variability of ecosystem processes in shortgrass steppe, J. Geophys. Res., 105.

fT.Daycent2

Effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to the DAY-CENT model

### Description

Calculates the effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to the Daycent/Century models.

### Usage

fT.Daycent2(Temp)

# **Arguments**

Temp

A scalar or vector containing values of soil temperature for which the effects on decomposition rates are calculated.

#### Value

A scalar or a vector containing the effects of temperature on decomposition rates (unitless).

#### References

Del Grosso, S. J., W. J. Parton, A. R. Mosier, E. A. Holland, E. Pendall, D. S. Schimel, and D. S. Ojima (2005), Modeling soil CO2 emissions from ecosystems, Biogeochemistry, 73(1), 71-91.

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fT.Demeter	Effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to the DEMETER model
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#### **Description**

Calculates the effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to the DEMETER model.

#### Usage

```
fT.Demeter(Temp, Q10 = 2)
```

### **Arguments**

Temp A scalar or vector containing values of temperature for which the effects on

decomposition rates are calculated

Q10 A scalar. Temperature coefficient Q10

#### Value

A scalar or a vector containing the effects of temperature on decomposition rates (unitless).

#### References

Foley, J. A. (1995), An equilibrium model of the terrestrial carbon budget, Tellus B, 47(3), 310-319.

fT.KB	Effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to a model
	proposed by M. Kirschbaum (1995)

# **Description**

Calculates the effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to a model proposed by Kirschbaum (1995).

#### Usage

```
fT.KB(Temp)
```

# Arguments

Temp a scalar or vector containing values of soil temperature for which the effects on

decomposition rates are calculated

### Value

A scalar or a vector containing the effects of temperature on decomposition rates (unitless).

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#### References

Kirschbaum, M. U. F. (1995), The temperature dependence of soil organic matter decomposition, and the effect of global warming on soil organic C storage, Soil Biology and Biochemistry, 27(6), 753-760.

fT.LandT	Effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to a function proposed by Lloyd and Taylor (1994)

### **Description**

Calculates the effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to a function proposed by Lloyd and Taylor (1994).

### Usage

```
fT.LandT(Temp)
```

### **Arguments**

Temp

A scalar or vector containing values of soil temperature for which the effects on decomposition rates are calculated

#### Value

A scalar or a vector containing the effects of temperature on decomposition rates (unitless).

#### References

Lloyd, J., and J. A. Taylor (1994), On the Temperature Dependence of Soil Respiration, Functional Ecology, 8(3), 315-323.

fT.linear	Effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to a linear model

# Description

Calculates the effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to a linear model.

### Usage

```
fT.linear(Temp, a = 0.198306, b = 0.036337)
```

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#### **Arguments**

Temp	A scalar or vector containing values of temperature for which the effects on decomposition rates are calculated.
а	A scalar defining the intercept of the linear function.
b	A scalar defining the slope of the linear function.

### Value

A scalar or a vector containing the effects of temperature on decomposition rates (unitless).

#### References

Adair, E. C., W. J. Parton, S. J. D. Grosso, W. L. Silver, M. E. Harmon, S. A. Hall, I. C. Burke, and S. C. Hart. 2008. Simple three-pool model accurately describes patterns of long-term litter decomposition in diverse climates. Global Change Biology 14:2636-2660.

fT.Q10	Effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to a $Q10$ function

# Description

Calculates the effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to the modified Van't Hoff function (Q10 function).

### Usage

```
fT.Q10(Temp, k_ref = 1, T_ref = 10, Q10 = 2)
```

# Arguments

k_ref       A scalar representing the value of the decomposition rate at a reference temperature vaule.         T_ref       A scalar representing the reference temperature.         Q10       A scalar. Temperature coefficient Q10.	Temp	A scalar or vector containing values of temperature for which the effects on decomposition rates are calculated.
	k_ref	
Q10 A scalar. Temperature coefficient Q10.	T_ref	A scalar representing the reference temperature.
	Q10	A scalar. Temperature coefficient Q10.

#### Value

A scalar or a vector containing the effects of temperature on decomposition rates (unitless).

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fT.RothC	Effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to the func-
	tions included in the RothC model

### **Description**

Calculates the effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to the functions included in the RothC model.

#### Usage

```
fT.RothC(Temp)
```

# Arguments

Temp

A scalar or vector containing values of temperature for which the effects on decomposition rates are calculated.

#### Value

A scalar or a vector containing the effects of temperature on decomposition rates (unitless).

#### Note

This function returns NA for Temp <= -18.3

#### References

Jenkinson, D. S., S. P. S. Andrew, J. M. Lynch, M. J. Goss, and P. B. Tinker (1990), The Turnover of Organic Carbon and Nitrogen in Soil, Philosophical Transactions: Biological Sciences, 329(1255), 361-368.

fT.Standcarb	Effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to the Stand-Carb model
	Carb model

### **Description**

Calculates the effects of temperature on decomposition rates according to the StandCarb model.

### Usage

```
fT.Standcarb(Temp, Topt = 45, Tlag = 4, Tshape = 15, Q10 = 2)
```

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## **Arguments**

Temp	A scalar or vector containing values of temperature for which the effects on decomposition rates are calculated.
Topt	A scalar representing the optimum temperature for decomposition.
Tlag	A scalar that determines the lag of the response curve.
Tshape	A scalar that determines the shape of the response curve.
Q10	A scalar. Temperature coefficient Q10.

## Value

A scalar or a vector containing the effects of temperature on decomposition rates (unitless).

#### References

Harmon, M. E., and J. B. Domingo (2001), A users guide to STANDCARB version 2.0: A model to simulate carbon stores in forest stands. Oregon State University, Corvallis.

fW.Candy	Effects of moisture on decomposition rates according to the Candy model
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# Description

Calculates the effects of water content and pore volume on decomposition rates.

## Usage

```
fW.Candy(theta, PV)
```

# Arguments

theta A scalar or vector containing values of volumetric soil water content.

PV A scalar or vector containing values of pore volume.

#### References

J. Bauer, M. Herbst, J.A. Huisman, L. Weiherm\"uller, H. Vereecken. 2008. Sensitivity of simulated soil heterotrophic respiration to temperature and moisture reduction functions. Geoderma, Volume 145, Issues 1-2, 15 May 2008, Pages 17-27.

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# Description

Calculates the effects of precipitation and potential evapotranspiration on decomposition rates.

# Usage

```
fW.Century(PPT, PET)
```

### **Arguments**

PPT	A scalar or vector containing values of monthly precipitation.
PET	A scalar or vector containing values of potential evapotranspiration.

### Value

A scalar or a vector containing the effects of precipitation and potential evapotranspiration on decomposition rates (unitless).

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# Description

Calculates the effects of Soil Water Content on decomposition rates according to the Daycent Model.

# Usage

```
fW.Daycent1(swc, a = 0.6, b = 1.27, c = 0.0012, d = 2.84, partd = 2.65, bulkd = 1, width = 1)
```

## **Arguments**

SWC	A scalar or vector with soil water content of a soil layer (cm).
a	Empirical coefficient. For fine textured soils $a = 0.6$ . For coarse textured soils $a = 0.55$ .
b	Empirical coefficient. For fine textured soils $b = 1.27$ . For coarse textured soils $b = 1.70$ .
С	Empirical coefficient. For fine textured soils $c = 0.0012$ . For coarse textured soils $c = -0.007$ .

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d	Empirical coefficient. For fine textured soils $d = 2.84$ . For coarse textured soils $d = 3.22$ .
partd	Particle density of soil layer.
bulkd	Bulk density of soil layer (g/cm <sup>3</sup> ).
width	Thickness of a soil layer (cm).

### Value

A data frame with values of water filled pore space (wfps) and effects of soil water content on decomposition rates. Both vectors are unitless.

#### References

Kelly, R. H., W. J. Parton, M. D. Hartman, L. K. Stretch, D. S. Ojima, and D. S. Schimel (2000), Intra-annual and interannual variability of ecosystem processes in shortgrass steppe, J. Geophys. Res., 105.

fW.Daycent2	Effects of moisture on decomposition rates according to the DAYCENT model
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## **Description**

Calculates the effects of volumetric water content on decomposition rates according to the Daycent/Century models.

### Usage

```
fW.Daycent2(W, WP = 0, FC = 100)
```

# Arguments

W	A scalar or vector of volumetric water content in percentage.

WP A scalar representing the wilting point in percentage.

FC A scalar representing the field capacity in percentage.

# Value

A data frame with values of relative water content (RWC) and the effects of RWC on decomposition rates (fRWC).

#### References

Del Grosso, S. J., W. J. Parton, A. R. Mosier, E. A. Holland, E. Pendall, D. S. Schimel, and D. S. Ojima (2005), Modeling soil CO2 emissions from ecosystems, Biogeochemistry, 73(1), 71-91.

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	fW.Demeter	Effects of moisture on decomposition rates according to the DEME- TER model
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# Description

Calculates the effects of soil moisture on decomposition rates according to the DEMETER model.

# Usage

```
fW.Demeter(M, Msat = 100)
```

# **Arguments**

M A scalar or vector containing values of soil moisture for which the effects on

decomposition rates are calculated.

Msat A scalar representing saturated soil moisture.

### Value

A scalar or a vector containing the effects of moisture on decomposition rates (unitless).

### References

Foley, J. A. (1995), An equilibrium model of the terrestrial carbon budget, Tellus B, 47(3), 310-319.

fW.Gompertz	Effects of moisture on decomposition rates according to the Gompertz function
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# Description

Calculates the effects of water content on decomposition rates.

# Usage

```
fW.Gompertz(theta, a = 0.824, b = 0.308)
```

#### **Arguments**

theta A scalar or vector containing values of volumetric soil water content	nt.
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a Empirical parameterb Empirical parameter

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### References

I. Janssens, S. Dore, D. Epron, H. Lankreijer, N. Buchmann, B. Longdoz, J. Brossaud, L. Montagnani. 2003. Climatic Influences on Seasonal and Spatial Differences in Soil CO2 Efflux. In Valentini, R. (Ed.) Fluxes of Carbon, Water and Energy of European Forests. pp 235-253. Springer.

fW.Moyano	Effects of moisture on decomposition rates according to the function proposed by Moyano et al. (2013)

# **Description**

Calculates the effects of water content on decomposition rates.

### Usage

```
fW.Moyano(theta, a = 3.11, b = 2.42)
```

# Arguments

theta A scalar or vector containing values of volumetric soil water content.

a Empirical parameterb Empirical parameter

## References

F. E. Moyano, S. Manzoni, C. Chenu. 2013 Responses of soil heterotrophic respiration to moisture availability: An exploration of processes and models. Soil Biology and Biochemistry, Volume 59, April 2013, Pages 72-85

fW.RothC	Effects of moisture on decomposition rates according to the RothC model

## **Description**

Calculates the effects of moisture (precipitation and pan evaporation) on decomposition rates according to the RothC model.

## Usage

```
fW.RothC(P, E, S.Thick = 23, pClay = 23.4, pE = 0.75, bare = FALSE)
```

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### **Arguments**

Р	A vector with monthly precipitation (mm).
Е	A vector with same length with open pan evaporation or evapotranspiration (mm).
S.Thick	Soil thickness in cm. Default for Rothamsted is 23 cm.
pClay	Percent clay.
pE	Evaporation coefficient. If open pan evaporation is used pE=0.75. If Potential evaporation is used, pE=1.0.
bare	Logical. Under bare soil conditions, bare=TRUE. Dafault is set under vegetated soil.

### Value

A data.frame with accumulated top soil moisture deficit (Acc.TSMD) and the rate modifying factor b.

## References

Coleman, K., and D. S. Jenkinson (1999), RothC-26.3 A model for the turnover of carbon in soil: model description and windows user guide (modified 2008), 47 pp, IACR Rothamsted, Harpenden.

fW.Skopp	Effects of moisture on decomposition rates according to the function proposed by Skopp et al. 1990
	proposed by snopp of all 1990

# Description

Calculates the effects of relative soil water content on decomposition rates.

# Usage

```
fW.Skopp(rwc, alpha = 2, beta = 2, f = 1.3, g = 0.8)
```

# Arguments

rwc	relative water content
alpha	Empirical parameter
beta	Empirical parameter
f	Empirical parameter
g	Empirical parameter

### References

J. Skopp, M. D. Jawson, and J. W. Doran. 1990. Steady-state aerobic microbial activity as a function of soil water content. Soil Sci. Soc. Am. J., 54(6):1619-1625

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model	fW.Standcarb	Effects of moisture on decomposition rates according to the StandCarb model
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# Description

Calculates the effects of moisture on decomposition rates according to the StandCarb model.

## Usage

```
fW.Standcarb(Moist, MatricShape = 5, MatricLag = 0, MoistMin = 30,
  MoistMax = 350, DiffuseShape = 15, DiffuseLag = 4)
```

# Arguments

Moist	A scalar or vector containing values of moisture content of a litter or soil pool (%).
MatricShape	A scalar that determines when matric limit is reduced to the point that decay can begin to occur.
MatricLag	A scalar used to offset the curve to the left or right.
MoistMin	A scalar determining the minimum moisture content.
MoistMax	A scalar determining the maximum moisture content without diffusion limitations.
DiffuseShape	A scalar that determines the range of moisture contents where diffusion is not limiting.
DiffuseLag	A scalar used to shift the point when moisture begins to limit diffusion.

## Value

A data frame with limitation due to water potential (MatricLimit), limitation due to oxygen diffusion (DiffuseLimit), and the overall limitation of moisture on decomposition rates (MoistDecayIndex).

#### References

Harmon, M. E., and J. B. Domingo (2001), A users guide to STANDCARB version 2.0: A model to simulate carbon stores in forest stands. Oregon State University, Corvallis.

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GaudinskiModel14	Implementation of a the six-pool C14 model proposed by Gaudinski et al. 2000
	и. 2000

# Description

This function creates a model as described in Gaudinski et al. 2000. It is a wrapper for the more general functions GeneralModel\_14 that can handle an arbitrary number of pools.

# Usage

```
GaudinskiModel14(t, ks = c(kr = 1/1.5, koi = 1/1.5, koeal = 1/4, koeah = 1/80, kA1 = 1/3, kA2 = 1/75, kM = 1/110), C0 = c(FR0 = 390, C10 = 220, C20 = 390, C30 = 1370, C40 = 90, C50 = 1800, C60 = 560), F0_Delta14C = rep(0, 7), LI = 150, RI = 255, xi = 1, inputFc, lambda = -0.0001209681, lag = 0, solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

### **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought. It must be specified within the same period for which the Delta 14 C of the atmosphere is provided. The default period in the provided dataset C14Atm_NH is 1900-2010.
ks	A vector of length 7 containing the decomposition rates for the 6 soil pools plus the fine-root pool.
C0	A vector of length 7 containing the initial amount of carbon for the 6 pools plus the fine-root pool.
F0_Delta14C	A vector of length 7 containing the initial amount of the radiocarbon fraction for the 7 pools as Delta14C values in per mil.
LI	A scalar or a data.frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
RI	A scalar or a data.frame object specifying the amount of root inputs by time.
xi	A scalar or a data.frame specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
inputFc	A Data Frame object containing values of atmospheric Delta14C per time. First column must be time values, second column must be Delta14C values in per mil.
lambda	Radioactive decay constant. By default lambda=-0.0001209681 y^-1 . This has the side effect that all your time related data are treated as if the time unit was year.
lag	A positive integer representing a time lag for radiocarbon to enter the system.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. An alternative to the default is euler or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

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### Value

A Model Object that can be further queried

#### References

Gaudinski JB, Trumbore SE, Davidson EA, Zheng S (2000) Soil carbon cycling in a temperate forest: radiocarbon-based estimates of residence times, sequestration rates and partitioning fluxes. Biogeochemistry 51: 33-69

#### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

### **Examples**

```
years=seq(1901,2010,by=0.5)
Ex=GaudinskiModel14(
ks=c(kr=1/3, koi=1/1.5, koeal=1/4, koeah=1/80, kA1=1/3, kA2=1/75, kM=1/110),
inputFc=C14Atm_NH
R14m=getF14R(Ex)
C14m=getF14C(Ex)
plot(
C14Atm_NH,
type="1",
xlab="Year",
ylab=expression(paste(Delta^14, "C ","(\u2030)")),
xlim=c(1940,2010)
lines(years,C14m,col=4)
points(HarvardForest14C02[1:11,1], HarvardForest14C02[1:11,2], pch=19, cex=0.5)
points(HarvardForest14C02[12:173,1],HarvardForest14C02[12:173,2],pch=19,col=2,cex=0.5)
points(HarvardForest14CO2[158,1], HarvardForest14CO2[158,2], pch=19, cex=0.5)
lines(years,R14m,col=2)
legend(
"topright",
c("Delta 14C Atmosphere",
"Delta 14C SOM",
"Delta 14C Respired"
1ty=c(1,1,1),
col=c(1,4,2),
bty="n"
## We now show how to bypass soilR s parameter sanity check if nacessary
## (e.g in for parameter estimation ) in functions
## wchich might call it with unreasonable parameters
years=seq(1800,2010,by=0.5)
Ex=GaudinskiModel14(
```

```
t=years,
ks=c(kr=1/3,koi=1/1.5,koeal=1/4,koeah=1/80,kA1=1/3,kA2=1/75,kM=1/110),
inputFc=C14Atm_NH,
pass=TRUE
)
```

GeneralDecompOp, DecompOp-method

GeneralDecompOp,DecompOp-method pass through factory

# Description

This method handles the case that no actual construction is necessary since the argument is already of a subclass of DecompOp. See the subclasses section of DecompOp-class

### **Arguments**

object : of class DecompOp

GeneralDecompOp, function-method

GeneralDecompOp,function-method creates a UnBoundLinDecompOp from a matrix valued function

# Description

The resulting operator is created by a call to the constructor of class UnBoundLinDecompOp

### **Arguments**

object : of class function

GeneralDecompOp,list-method

GeneralDecompOp,list-method creates a BoundLinDecompOp from a nested list of a times vector and a list of matrices (a matrix for each time step)

## **Description**

The resulting operator is creted by a call to the constructor of class BoundLinDecompOp

## Arguments

object : of class list

GeneralDecompOp,matrix-method

GeneralDecompOp,matrix-method creates a ConstanDecompOp from a matrix

## **Description**

The resulting operator is creted by a call to the constructor of class ConstLinDecompOp

# Arguments

object : of class matrix

GeneralDecompOp,TimeMap-method

GeneralDecompOp,TimeMap-method creates a BoundLinDecompOp from a TimeMap object

### **Description**

The resulting operator is creted by a call to the constructor of class BoundLinDecompOp

# Arguments

object : of class TimeMap

GeneralInFlux, function-method

GeneralInFlux,function-method creates a UnBoundInFlux from a vector valued function

## **Description**

The resulting operator is created by a call to the constructor of class UnBoundInFlux. You should only use this if the domain of your function is the complete time axis (-Inf,+Inf). If your function has a finite domain create an object of class BoundInFlux-class ### by calling BoundInFlux. This will active the checks on that avoid unintended extrapolation.

## Arguments

object : of class function

GeneralInFlux,InFlux-method

GeneralInFlux,InFlux-method pass through conversion

## **Description**

This method handles the case that no actual conversion is necessary since the argument is already of a subclass of InFlux-class

### **Arguments**

object : of class InFlux

GeneralInFlux,list-method

GeneralInFlux, list-method creates a BoundInFlux from a nested list of a times vector and a list of vectors (a vector for each time step)

# Description

The resulting object is created by a call to the constructor of class BoundInFlux

# Arguments

object : of class list

GeneralInFlux,numeric-method

GeneralInFlux,numeric-method conversion of a vector to an object of class ConstInFlux

# **Description**

This method enables the model creating functions to handle constant input streams

# Arguments

object : of class numeric

GeneralInFlux, TimeMap-method

GeneralInFlux,TimeMap-method create a BoundInFlux from a TimeMap object

## **Description**

The method is used to ensure compatibility TimeMap class. The resulting BoundInFlux is created by a call to the constructor BoundInFlux(object) of that class.

## **Arguments**

object : of class TimeMap

GeneralModel

additional function to create Models

## **Description**

In previous SoilR Version GeneralModel was the function to create linear models, a task now fulfilled by the function Model. To ensure backward compatibility this function remains as a wrapper. In future versions it might take on the role of an abstract factory that produces several classes of models (i.e linear or non-linear) depending on different combinations of arguments. It creates a Model object from any combination of arguments that can be converted into the required set of building blocks for a model for n arbitrarily connected pools.

### Usage

```
GeneralModel(t, A, ivList, inputFluxes,
   solverfunc = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

### **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
A	Anything that can be converted by GeneralDecompOp to any of the available DecompositionOperator classes
ivList	A vector containing the initial amount of carbon for the n pools. The length of this vector is equal to the number of pools and thus equal to the length of k. This is checked by an internal function.
inputFluxes	something that can be converted to any of the available InFlux classes
solverfunc	The function used by to actually solve the ODE system. This can be deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

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## Value

A model object that can be further queried.

#### See Also

TwopParallelModel, TwopSeriesModel, TwopFeedbackModel

GeneralModel\_14 create objects of class Model\_14

### **Description**

At the moment this is just a wrapper for the actual constructor Model\_14 with additional support for some now deprecated parameters for backward compatibility. This role may change in the future to an abstract factory where the actual class of the created model will be determined by the supplied parameters.

## Usage

```
GeneralModel_14(t, A, ivList, initialValF, inputFluxes, Fc = NULL,
  inputFc = Fc, di = -0.0001209681,
  solverfunc = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

## **Arguments**

	A control control to the control to
t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
A	something that can be converted by GeneralDecompOp to any of the available subclasses of DecompOp.
ivList	A vector containing the initial amount of carbon for the n pools. The length of this vector is equal to the number of pools and thus equal to the length of k. This is checked by an internal function.
initialValF	An object equal or equivalent to class ConstFc containing a vector with the initial values of the radiocarbon fraction for each pool and a format string describing in which format the values are given.
inputFluxes	something that can be converted by GeneralInFlux to any of the available sub- classes of InFlux.
Fc	deprecated keyword argument, please use inputFc instead
inputFc	An object describing the fraction of C_14 in per mille (different formats are possible)
di	the rate at which $C_14$ decays radioactivly. If you don't provide a value here we assume the following value: $k=-0.0001209681 \text{ y}^{-1}$ . This has the side effect that all your time related data are treated as if the time unit was year. Thus beside time itself it also affects decay rates the inputrates and the output
solverfunc	The function used by to actually solve the ODE system. This can be deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

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### Value

A model object that can be further queried.

#### See Also

TwopParallelModel, TwopSeriesModel, TwopFeedbackModel

GeneralNlModel	Use this function to create objects of class NlModel.

## **Description**

The function creates a numerical model for n arbitrarily connected pools. It is one of the constructors of class NlModel. It is used by some more specialized wrapper functions, but can also be used directly.

### Usage

```
GeneralNlModel(t, TO, ivList, inputFluxes,
   solverfunc = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

### **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
ТО	A object describing the model decay rates for the n pools, connection and feed-back coefficients. The number of pools n must be consistent with the number of initial values and input fluxes.
ivList	A numeric vector containing the initial amount of carbon for the n pools. The length of this vector is equal to the number of pools.
inputFluxes	A TimeMap object consisting of a vector valued function describing the inputs to the pools as funtions of time TimeMap.new.
solverfunc	The function used by to actually solve the ODE system.
pass	Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid. If set to TRUE, does not enforce the requirements for a biologically meaningful model, e.g. does not check if negative values of respiration are calculated.

## Value

Tr=getTransferMatrix(Anl) #this is a function of C and t

Ynonlin=getC(modnl) lt1=2 lt2=4 plot(t,Ynonlin[,1],type="l",lty=lt1,col=1, ylab="Concentrations",xlab="Time",ylim=c(milines(t,Ynonlin[,2],type="l",lty=lt2,col=2) legend("topleft",c("Pool 1", "Pool 2"),lty=c(lt1,lt2),col=c(1,2))

### See Also

GeneralModel.

### **Examples**

```
t_start=0
t_end=20
tn=100
timestep=(t_end-t_start)/tn
t=seq(t_start,t_end,timestep)
k1=1/2
k2=1/3
Km=0.5
nr=2
alpha=list()
alpha[["1_to_2"]]=function(C,t){
1/5
}
alpha[["2_to_1"]]=function(C,t){
1/6
}
f=function(C,t){
# The only thing to take care of is that we release a vector of the same
# size as C
S=C[[1]]
M=C[[2]]
O=matrix(byrow=TRUE, nrow=2, c(k1*M*(S/(Km+S)),
k2*M))
return(0)
Anl=new("TransportDecompositionOperator",t_start,Inf,nr,alpha,f)
c01=3
c02=2
iv=c(c01,c02)
input rates = new("TimeMap", t\_start, t\_end, function(t) \{ return(matrix(t), t\_end, t) \} = (matrix(t), t\_end, t) \} = (ma
nrow=nr,
ncol=1,
c(2, 2)
))})
# we check if we can reproduce the linear decomposition operator from the
# nonlinear one
```

getAccumulatedRelease,Model-method

getAccumulatedRelease,Model-method time integrals of release fluxes per pool

getC,Model-method 53

## **Description**

The method integrates the release flux of every pool for all times in the interval specified by the model definition.

# **Arguments**

object

: of class Model

getC,Model-method

getC,Model-method

# Description

This function computes the value for C for each time and pool.

# Arguments

object

: of class Model

#### **Details**

This function takes a Model object, which represents a system of ODEs of the form

$$\frac{d\mathbf{C}(t)}{dt} = \mathbf{I}(t) + \mathbf{A}(t)\mathbf{C}(t)$$

and solves the system for C(t). The numerical solver used can be specified in the constructor of the Model class e.g. Model, GeneralModel.

#### Value

A matrix with m columns representing the number of pools, and n rows representing the times as specified by the argument t in Model, General Model or another model creating function.

### See Also

 $See\ examples\ in\ General Model,\ General Model\_14,\ TwopParallel Model,\ TwopSeries Model,\ TwopFeedback Model,\ etc.$ 

getC,NlModel-method

getC,NlModel-method compute the solution for the content of the pools

poor

# Description

This function computes the value for C for each time and pool.

# **Arguments**

object

: of class NlModel, the model

as.closures

: a flag that in TRUE will return an approximating function instead of the values

getC14,Model\_14-method

getC14,Model\_14-method

# Description

This function computes the value for  $^{14}C$  (mass or concentration ) as function of time

# Arguments

object

: of class Model\_14

getDecompOp,Model-method

getDecompOp, Model-method

# Description

Extracts the Operator from a model object

# Arguments

object

: of class Model

 ${\it getDecompOp,NlModel-method} \\ {\it getDecompOp,NlModel-method}$ 

## **Description**

This method returns the Decomposition Operator of the Model

# Arguments

object : of class NlModel

getF14,Model\_14-method

getF14,Model\_14-method radiocarbon

# Description

Calculates the radiocarbon fraction for each pool at each time step.

# Arguments

object : of class Model\_14, The model

getF14C,Model\_14-method

 $getF14C, Model\_14-method\ read\ access\ to\ the\ models\ F14C\ variable$ 

## **Description**

The model was created with a F14C object to describe the atmospheric 14C content. This method serves to investigate those settings from the model.

# Arguments

object : of class Model\_14

getF14R, Model\_14-method

getF14R,Model\_14-method average radiocarbon fraction weighted by carbonrelease

## **Description**

Calculates the average radiocarbon fraction weighted by the amount of carbon release at each time step.  $\overline{F_R} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n-14} R_i}{\sum_{i=1}^{n} R_i}$  Where  $^{14}R_i(t)$  is the time dependent release of  $^{14}C$  of pool i and  $R_i(t)$  the release of all carbon isotops of pool i. Since the result is always in Absolute Fraction Modern format wie have to convert it to Delta14C

## **Arguments**

object : of class Model\_14, an object

 $\label{lem:getFunctionDefinition} getFunctionDefinition, ConstInFlux-method$  getFunctionDefinition, ConstInFlux-method

## **Description**

create the (constant) function of time that is required by the models

## **Arguments**

object : of class ConstInFlux

#### Value

A constant function of time that is used by the Models to represent the input fluxes.

 ${\tt getFunctionDefinition,ConstLinDecompOp-method}$ 

getFunctionDefinition,ConstLinDecompOp-method creates a constant timedependent function and returns it

### **Description**

The method creates a timedependent function from the existing matrix describing the operator

## **Arguments**

object : of class ConstLinDecompOp

 ${\it getFunctionDefinition, DecompositionOperator-method} \\ {\it getFunctionDefinition, DecompositionOperator-method}$ 

# Description

extract the function definition (the R-function)

### **Arguments**

object : of class DecompositionOperator

 ${\it getFunctionDefinition, TimeMap-method} \\ {\it getFunctionDefinition, TimeMap-method}$ 

# Description

extract the function definition (the R-function)

# Arguments

object : of class TimeMap

 ${\it getFunctionDefinition, TransportDecompositionOperator-method} \\ {\it getFunctionDefinition, TransportDecompositionOperator-method}$ 

# Description

extract the function definition (the R-function) from the object

## **Arguments**

object : of class TransportDecompositionOperator

getFunctionDefinition,UnBoundInFlux-method

getFunctionDefinition,UnBoundInFlux-method creates a constant timedependent function and returns it

## **Description**

The method creates a timedependent function from the existing matrix describing the operator

### **Arguments**

object : of class UnBoundInFlux

 ${\tt getFunctionDefinition, UnBoundLinDecompOp-method}$ 

getFunctionDefinition,UnBoundLinDecompOp-method creates a constant timedependent function and returns it

## **Description**

The method creates a timedependent function from the existing matrix describing the operator

## **Arguments**

object : of class UnBoundLinDecompOp

 $\tt getMeanTransitTime,ConstLinDecompOp-method$ 

getMeanTransitTime,ConstLinDecompOp-method compute the mean transit time

# Description

This method computes the mean transit time for the linear time invariant system that can be constructed from the given operator and input distribution.

### Arguments

object : of class ConstLinDecompOp

inputDistribution

: distribution of the inputs

#### **Details**

It relies on the mehtod getTransitTimeDistributionDensity using the same arguments.

To compute the mean transit time for the distribution we have to compute the integral

$$ar{T} = \int_0^\infty T \cdot S_r \left( \frac{\vec{I}}{I}, 0, T \right) dT$$

for the numerically computed density. To avoid issues with numerical integration we dont use  $\infty$  as upper limit but cut off the integragion interval prematurely. For this purpose we calculate a maximum response time of the system as Lasaga

$$\tau_{cycle} = \frac{1}{|\min(\lambda_i)|}$$

where  $\lambda_i$  are non-zero eigenvalues of the matrix **A**.

#### References

Lasaga, A.: The kinetic treatment of geochemical cycles, Geochimica et Cosmochimica Acta, 44, 815 – 828, doi10.1016/0016-7037(80)90263-X, 1980.

getReleaseFlux, Model-method

getReleaseFlux,Model-method get the release rate for all pools

## **Description**

The method computes the release of carbon per time for all points in time specified in the Model objects time slot.

#### **Arguments**

object

: of class Model, an object of class Model created by a call to a constructor e.g. Model, GeneralModelor other model creating functions.

#### **Details**

This function takes a Model object, which represents a system of ODEs

$$\frac{d\mathbf{C}(t)}{dt} = \mathbf{I}(t) + \mathbf{A}(t)\mathbf{C}(t)$$

solves the system for C(t), calculates the release coefficients R(t), and computes the release flux as R(t)C(t). The numerical solver used can be specified in the model creating functions like e.g. Model.

#### Value

A n x m matrix of release fluxes with m columns representing the number of pools, and n rows representing the values for each time step as specified by the argument t in Model, GeneralModel or another model creating function.

getReleaseFlux,NlModel-method

getReleaseFlux,NlModel-method get the release rate for all pools

### **Description**

The method computes the release of carbon per time for all points in time specified in the objects time slot.

### **Arguments**

object

: of class NIModel, an object of class NIModel

getReleaseFlux14,Model\_14-method

getReleaseFlux14,Model\_14-method 14C respiration rate for all

pools

## **Description**

The function computes the  $^{14}C$  release flux ( mass per time ) for all pools. Note that the respiration coefficients for  $^{14}C$  do not change in comparison to the total C case. The fraction of  $^{14}C$  lost by respiration is not greater for  $^{14}C$  although the decay is faster due to the contribution of radioactivity.

### **Arguments**

object

: of class Model\_14, the model.

getTimeRange,ConstInFlux-method

getTimeRange,ConstInFlux-method time domain of the function

# Description

The method returns a vector containing the start and end time where the intepolation is valid. Since the class ConstInFlux represents an input stream constant in time it will return -infinity,+infinity

# Arguments

object

: of class ConstInFlux

getTimeRange,ConstLinDecompOp-method

getTimeRange,ConstLinDecompOp-method return an (infinite) time range since the operator is constant

### **Description**

some functions dealing with DecompOps in general rely on this so we have to implement it even though the timerange is always the same: (-inf,inf)

## Arguments

object : of class ConstLinDecompOp

getTimeRange,DecompositionOperator-method

getTimeRange,DecompositionOperator-method ask for the boundaries of the underlying time interval

## **Description**

The method returns the time range of the given object It is (probably mostly) used internally to make sure that time dependent functions retrieved from data are not used outside the interval where they are valid.

### **Arguments**

object : of class DecompositionOperator

getTimeRange,TimeMap-method

getTimeRange,TimeMap-method ask for the boundaries of the underlying time interval

### Description

The method returns the time range of the given object It is probably mostly used internally to make sure that time dependent functions retrieved from data are not used outside the interval where they are valid.

### **Arguments**

object : of class TimeMap, An object of class TimeMap or one that inherits from

TimeMap

getTimeRange, UnBoundInFlux-method

getTimeRange,UnBoundInFlux-method return an (infinite) time range since the function is assumed to be valid for all times

# Description

some functions dealing with DecompOps in general rely on this so we have to implement it even though the timerange is always the same: (-inf,inf)

# **Arguments**

object : of class UnBoundInFlux

getTimeRange,UnBoundLinDecompOp-method

getTimeRange,UnBoundLinDecompOp-method return an (infinite) time range since the function is assumed to be valid for all times

# Description

some functions dealing with DecompOps in general rely on this so we have to implement it even though the timerange is always the same: (-inf,inf)

## **Arguments**

object : of class UnBoundLinDecompOp

 ${\tt getTimes,Model-method} \ \ \textit{getTimes,Model-method}$ 

### **Description**

This functions extracts the times argument from an argument of class Model

# Arguments

object : of class Model

getTimes, NlModel-method

getTimes,NlModel-method

### **Description**

This functions extracts the times argument from an object of class NlModel

#### Arguments

object : of class NlModel

getTransitTimeDistributionDensity,ConstLinDecompOp-method

getTransitTimeDistributionDensity,ConstLinDecompOp-method compute the TransitTimeDistributionDensity

# **Description**

This mehtod computes the probability density of the transit time of the linear time invariant system that can be constructed from the given operator and input distribution.

#### **Arguments**

object : of class ConstLinDecompOp

inputDistribution

: distribution of the inputs

times : the points in time where the solution is sought

#### **Details**

In a forthcoming paper *SoilRv1.2* we derive the algorithm used in this implementation under the assumption of steady conditions having prevailed infinitely. We arrive at a formulation well known from the literature about time invariant linlear systems, cited e.g. in *ManzoniJGR*.

The somehow amazing result is that the weight of the transit time density  $\psi(T)$  for a transit time T for the steady state system is identical to the output O(T) observed at time T of a different system which started with a normalized impulsive input  $\frac{\vec{I}}{I}$  at time T=0, where  $I=\sum_{k=1}^m i_k$  is the cumulative input flux to all pools.

This fact simpliefies the computation considerably. Translated into the language of an ode solver an impulsive input becomes a start vector  $\frac{\vec{I}}{I}$  at time T=0 and O(T) the respiration related to the solution of the initial value problem observed at time T.

$$\psi(T) = S_r \left(\frac{\vec{I}}{I}, 0, T\right)$$

Note that from the perspective of the ode solver  $S_r$  depends on the decomposition operator and the distribution of the input among the pools only. It is therefor possible to implement the transit time distribution as a function of the decomposition operator and the fixed input flux distribution. To insure steady state conditions the decomposition operator is not allowed to be a true function of time. We therefor implement the method only for the subclass ConstLinDecompOp

#### Remark:

The decision to implement this method for transitTimeDensity especially for objects of class ConstLinDecompOp reflects the fact that an arbitrary model in SoilR is by no means bound to end up in steady state. To insure this we would have to ignore the input part of a user created model which would be confusing.

#### Remark:

In future versions of SoilR it will be possible to compute a dynamic, time dependent transit time distribution for objects of class Model with a time argument specifying for which time the distribution is sought. The steady state results computed here could than be reproduced with the user responsible for providing a model actually reaching it.

#### References

Manzoni, S., Katul, G.~G., and Porporato, A.: Analysis of soil carbon transit times and age distributions using network theories, J. Geophys. Res., 114,

HarvardForest14C02

Delta14C in soil CO2 efflux from Harvard Forest

### **Description**

Measurements of Delta14C in soil CO2 efflux conducted at Harvard Forest, USA, between 1996 and 2010.

#### Format

A data frame with the following 3 variables.

**list("Year")** A numeric vector with the date of measurement in years

**list("D14C")** A numeric vector with the value of the Delta 14C value measured in CO2 efflux in per mil

**list("Site")** A factor indicating the site where measurements were made. NWN: Northwest Near, Drydown: Rainfall exclusion experiment.

#### **Details**

Samples for isotopic measurements of soil CO2 efflux were collected from chambers that enclosed an air headspace in contact with the soil surface in the absence of vegetation using a closed dynamic chamber system to collect accumulated CO2 in stainless steel traps with a molecular sieve inside. See Sierra et al. (2012) for additional details.

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#### References

Sierra, C. A., Trumbore, S. E., Davidson, E. A., Frey, S. D., Savage, K. E., and Hopkins, F. M. 2012. Predicting decadal trends and transient responses of radiocarbon storage and fluxes in a temperate forest soil, Biogeosciences, 9, 3013-3028, doi:10.5194/bg-9-3013-2012

# **Examples**

plot(HarvardForest14CO2[,1:2])

Hua2013

Atmospheric radiocarbon for the period 1950-2010 from Hua et al. (2013)

### Description

Atmospheric radiocarbon for the period 1950-2010 reported by Hua et al. (2013) for 5 atmospheric zones.

#### **Format**

A list containing 5 data frames, each representing an atmospheric zone. The zones are: NHZone1: northern hemisphere zone 1, NHZone2: northern hemisphere zone 2, NHZone3: northern hemisphere zone 3, SHZone12: southern hemisphere zones 1 and 2, SHZone3: southern hemisphere zone 3. Each data frame contains a variable number of observations on the following 5 variables.

list("Year.AD") Year AD

list("mean.Delta14C") mean value of atmospheric radiocarbon reported as Delta14C
 list("sd.Delta14C") standard deviation of atmospheric radiocarbon reported as Delta14C
 list("mean.F14C") mean value of atmospheric radiocarbon reported as fraction modern F14C
 list("sd.F14") standard deviation of atmospheric radiocarbon reported as fraction modern F14C

#### **Details**

This dataset corresponds to Table S3 from Hua et al. (2013). For additional details see the original publication.

### **Source**

https://journals.uair.arizona.edu/index.php/radiocarbon/article/view/16177

#### References

Hua Q., M. Barbetti, A. Z. Rakowski. 2013. Atmospheric radiocarbon for the period 1950-2010. Radiocarbon 55(4):2059-2072.

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### **Examples**

```
plot(Hua2013$NHZone1$Year.AD, Hua2013$NHZone1$mean.Delta14C,
     type="l",xlab="Year AD",ylab=expression(paste(Delta^14,"C (\u2030)")))
lines(Hua2013$NHZone2$Year.AD, Hua2013$NHZone2$mean.Delta14C,col=2)
lines(Hua2013$NHZone3$Year.AD, Hua2013$NHZone3$mean.Delta14C,col=3)
lines(Hua2013$SHZone12$Year.AD, Hua2013$SHZone12$mean.Delta14C,col=4)
lines(Hua2013$SHZone3$Year.AD, Hua2013$SHZone3$mean.Delta14C,col=5)
legend(
"topright",
c(
"Norther hemisphere zone 1",
"Norther hemisphere zone 2",
"Norther hemisphere zone 3",
                "Southern hemisphere zones 1 and 2",
"Southern Hemispher zone 3"
),
1ty=1,
col=1:5,
bty="n"
```

**ICBMModel** 

Implementation of the Introductory Carbon Balance Model (ICBM)

### **Description**

This function is an implementation of the Introductory Carbon Balance Model (ICBM). This is simply a two pool model connected in series.

# Usage

```
ICBMModel(t, ks = c(k1 = 0.8, k2 = 0.00605), h = 0.13, r = 1.32, c0 = c(Y0 = 0.3, 00 = 3.96), In = 0, solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sougth.
ks	A vector of length 2 with the decomposition rates for the young and the old pool.
h	Humufication coefficient (transfer rate from young to old pool).
r	External (environmental or edaphic) factor.
c0	A vector of length 2 with the initial value of carbon stocks in the young and old pool.

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In Mean annual carbon input to the soil.

Solver A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.

pass if TRUE forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

#### References

Andren, O. and T. Katterer. 1997. ICBM: The Introductory Carbon Balance Model for Exploration of Soil Carbon Balances. Ecological Applications 7:1226-1236.

#### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

# **Examples**

```
# examples from external files
# inst/examples/exICBMModel.R exICBMModel_paper:
   # This example reproduces the simulations
   # presented in Table 1 of Andren and Katterer (1997).
   # First, the model is run for different values of the
   # parameters representing different field experiments.
   times=seq(0,20,by=0.1)
   Bare=ICBMModel(t=times) #Bare fallow
   pNpS=ICBMModel(t=times, h=0.125, r=1,
                                             c0=c(0.3,4.11), In=0.19+0.095) #+N +Straw
   mNpS=ICBMModel(t=times, h=0.125, r=1.22, c0=c(0.3, 4.05), In=0.19+0.058) #-N +Straw
   mNmS=ICBMModel(t=times, h=0.125, r=1.17, c0=c(0.3, 3.99), In=0.057) #-N -Straw
   pNmS=ICBMModel(t=times, h=0.125, r=1.07, c0=c(0.3, 4.02), In=0.091) #+N -Straw
   FM=ICBMModel(t=times, h=0.250, r=1.10, c0=c(0.3, 3.99), In=0.19+0.082) #Manure
   SwS=ICBMModel(t=times, h=0.340, r=0.97, c0=c(0.3, 4.14), In=0.19+0.106) #Sewage Sludge
   SS=ICBMModel(t=times, h=0.125, r=1.00, c0=c(0.25, 4.16), In=0.2) #Steady State
   #The amount of carbon for each simulation is recovered with the function getC
   CtBare=getC(Bare)
   CtpNpS=getC(pNpS)
   CtmNpS=getC(mNpS)
   CtmNmS=getC(mNmS)
   CtpNmS=getC(pNmS)
   CtFM=getC(FM)
   CtSwS=getC(SwS)
   CtSS=getC(SS)
   #This plot reproduces Figure 1 in Andren and Katterer (1997)
   plot(times,
     rowSums(CtBare),
     type="1",
     ylim=c(0,8),
     xlim=c(0,20),
     ylab="Topsoil carbon mass (kg m-2)",
     xlab="Time (years)"
```

```
lines(times,rowSums(CtpNpS),lty=2)
lines(times,rowSums(CtmNpS),lty=3)
lines(times,rowSums(CtmNmS),lty=4)
lines(times,rowSums(CtpNmS),lwd=2)
lines(times,rowSums(CtFM),lty=2,lwd=2)
lines(times,rowSums(CtSwS),lty=3,lwd=2)
#lines(times,rowSums(CtSS),lty=4,lwd=2)
legend("topleft",
  c("Bare fallow",
    "+N +Straw",
    "-N +Straw",
    "-N -Straw"
    "+N -Straw",
    "Manure",
   "Sludge"
  ),
  lty=c(1,2,3,4,1,2,3),
  lwd=c(1,1,1,1,2,2,2),
 bty="n"
```

incubation\_experiment Soil CO2 efflux from an incubation experiment, along with the soil mass and carbon concentration measurements.

# Description

A dataset with soil CO2 efflux measurements from a laboratory incubation at controlled temperature and moisture conditions.

#### Usage

```
data(incubation_experiment)
```

### Format

A list with 3 variables.

eC02 A data.frame with the flux data.

c\_concentrations a vector with 3 measurement of the concentration of carbon in th soil.

soil\_mass the mass of the soil column in g

### **Details**

The data.frame incubation\_experiment\$eCO2 has 3 columns.

Days A numeric vector with the day of measurement after the experiment started.

eCO2mean A numeric vector with the release flux of CO2. Units in ug C g-1 soil day-1.

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eCO2sd A numeric vector with the standard deviation of the release flux of CO2-C. Units in ug C g-1 soil day-1.

A laboratory incubation experiment was performed in March 2014 for a period of 35 days under controlled conditions of temperature (15 degrees Celsius), moisture (30 percent soil water content), and oxygen levels (20 percent). Soil CO2 measurements were taken using an automated system for gas sampling connected to an infrared gas analyzer. The soil was sampled at a boreal forest site (Caribou Poker Research Watershed, Alaska, USA). This dataset presents the mean and standard deviation of 4 replicates.

### **Examples**

```
eCO2=incubation_experiment$eCO2 head(eCO2)  
plot(eCO2[,1:2],type="o",ylim=c(0,50),ylab="CO2 efflux (ug C g-1 soil day-1)")  
arrows(eCO2[,1],eCO2[,2]-eCO2[,3],eCO2[,1],eCO2[,2]+eCO2[,3], angle=90,length=0.3,code=3)
```

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### **Description**

All models need to specify the influx of material to the pools. This parameter will be represented as an object of one of the subclasses of this class. The most general form of influx supported up to now is a vector valued function of time represented by BoundInFlux-class. In the most simple case it is constant and represented by an object of class ConstInFlux-class. Such an object can for instance be created from a numeric vector.

#### Methods

Exported methods directly defined for class InFlux:

GeneralInFlux signature(object = "InFlux"): ... GeneralInFlux, InFlux-method

IntCal09 Northern Hemisphere atmospheric radiocarbon for the pre-bomb riod	pe-
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### Description

Northern Hemisphere atmospheric radiocarbon calibration curve for the period 0 to 50,000 yr BP.

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#### **Format**

```
A data frame with 3522 observations on the following 5 variables.
```

```
list("CAL.BP") Calibrated age in years Before Present (BP).
list("C14.age") C14 age in years BP.
list("Error") Error estimate for C14.age.
list("Delta.14C") Delta.14C value in per mil.
list("Sigma") Standard deviation of Delta.14C in per mil.
```

#### **Details**

Deltal.14C is age-corrected as per Stuiver and Polach (1977). All details about the derivation of this dataset are provided in Reimer et al. (2009).

#### References

P. Reimer, M.Baillie, E. Bard, A. Bayliss, J. Beck, P. Blackwell, C. Ramsey, C. Buck, G. Burr, R. Edwards, et al. 2009. IntCal09 and Marine09 radiocarbon age calibration curves, 0 - 50,000 years cal bp. Radiocarbon, 51(4):1111 - 1150.

M. Stuiver and H. A. Polach. 1977. Rerporting of C-14 data. Radiocarbon, 19(3):355 - 363.

## **Examples**

```
par(mfrow=c(2,1))
plot(IntCal09$CAL.BP, IntCal09$C14.age, type="1")
polygon(x=c(IntCal09$CAL.BP,rev(IntCal09$CAL.BP)),
y=c(IntCal09$C14.age+IntCal09$Error,rev(IntCal09$C14.age-IntCal09$Error)),
col="gray",border=NA)
lines(IntCal09$CAL.BP,IntCal09$C14.age)

plot(IntCal09$CAL.BP,IntCal09$Delta.14C,type="1")
polygon(x=c(IntCal09$CAL.BP,rev(IntCal09$CAL.BP)),
y=c(IntCal09$Delta.14C+IntCal09$Sigma,rev(IntCal09$Delta.14C-IntCal09$Sigma)),
col="gray",border=NA)
lines(IntCal09$CAL.BP,IntCal09$Delta.14C)
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
```

IntCal13

Atmospheric radiocarbon for the 0-50,000 yr BP period

#### **Description**

Atmospheric radiocarbon calibration curve for the period 0 to 50,000 yr BP. This is the most recent update to the internationally agreed calibration curve and superseds IntCal09.

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#### **Format**

A data frame with 5140 observations on the following 5 variables.

```
list("CAL.BP") Calibrated age in years Before Present (BP).
```

list("C14.age") C14 age in years BP.

list("Error") Error estimate for C14.age.

list("Delta.14C") Delta.14C value in per mil.

list("Sigma") Standard deviation of Delta. 14C in per mil.

#### **Details**

Deltal.14C is age-corrected as per Stuiver and Polach (1977). All details about the derivation of this dataset are provided in Reimer et al. (2013).

#### References

Reimer PJ, Bard E, Bayliss A, Beck JW, Blackwell PG, Bronk Ramsey C, Buck CE, Cheng H, Edwards RL, Friedrich M, Grootes PM, Guilderson TP, Haflidason H, Hajdas I, Hatte C, Heaton TJ, Hogg AG, Hughen KA, Kaiser KF, Kromer B, Manning SW, Niu M, Reimer RW, Richards DA, Scott EM, Southon JR, Turney CSM, van der Plicht J. 2013. IntCal13 and MARINE13 radiocarbon age calibration curves 0-50000 years calBP. Radiocarbon 55(4): 1869-1887. DOI: 10.2458/azu\_js\_rc.55.16947

M. Stuiver and H. A. Polach. 1977. Rerporting of C-14 data. Radiocarbon, 19(3):355 - 363.

# **Examples**

linesCPool

Add lines with the output of getC14, getC, or getReleaseFlux to an existing plot

#### **Description**

This function adds lines to a plot with the C content, the C release, or Delta 14C value of each pool over time. Needs as input a matrix obtained after a call to getC14, getC, or getReleaseFlux.

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## Usage

```
linesCPool(t, mat, col, ...)
```

## **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the time points for plotting.
mat	A matrix object obtained after a call to $getC14$ , $getC$ , or $getReleaseFlux$ .
col	A color palette specifying color lines for each pool (columns of mat).
	Other arguments passed to plot.

listProduct

tensor product of lists

# Description

Creates a list of all combinations of the elements of the inputlists (like a "tensor product list" The list elements can be of any class. The function is used in examples and tests to produce all possible combinations of arguments to a function. look at the tests for example usage

# Usage

```
listProduct(...)
```

## **Arguments**

... lists

### Value

a list of lists each containing one combinations of the elements of the input lists

## **Examples**

```
listProduct(list('a','b'),list(1,2))
```

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Model	Constructor for class Model
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### **Description**

This function creates an object of class Model, The arguments can be given in different form as long as they can be converted to the necessary internal building blocks. (See the links)

## Usage

```
Model(t, A, ivList, inputFluxes, solverfunc = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper,
   pass = FALSE)
```

### **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
A	something that can be converted by GeneralDecompOp to any of the available subclasses of DecompOp.
ivList	A numeric vector containing the initial amount of carbon for the n pools. The length of this vector is equal to the number of pools. This is checked by an internal function.
inputFluxes	something that can be converted by GeneralInFlux to any of the available sub- classes of InFlux.
solverfunc	The function used to actually solve the ODE system. The default is deSolve.lsoda.wrapper but you can also provide your own function that the same interface.
pass	Forces the constructor to create the model even if it does not pass internal sanity checks

#### **Details**

This function Model wraps the internal constructor of class Model. The internal constructor requires the argument A to be of class DecompOp and argument inputFluxes to be of class InFlux. Before calling the internal constructor Model calls GeneralDecompOp on its argument A and GeneralInFlux on its argument inputFluxes to convert them into the required classes. Both are generic functions. Follow the links to see for which kind of inputs conversion methods are available. The attempted conversion allows great flexibility with respect to arguments and independence from the actual implementation. However if your code uses the wrong argument the error will most likely occur in the delegate functions. If this happens analyse the errormassage (or use traceback()) to see which function was called and try to call the constructor of the desired subclass explicitly with your arguments. The subclasses are linked in the class documentation DecompOp or InFlux respectively.

Note also that this function checks its arguments quite elaborately and tries to detect accidental unreasonable combinations, especially concerning two kinds of errors.

- 1. unintended extrapolation of time series data
- 2. violoations of massbalance by the DecompOp argument.

SoilR has a lot of unit tests which are installed i with the package and are sometimes instructive as examples. To see example scenarios for parameter check look at:

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#### Value

An object of class Model that can be queried by many methods to be found there.

#### See Also

This function is called by many of the predefinedModels. Package functions called in the examples: example.2DInFlux.Args, example.2DGeneralDecompOpArgs,

```
# examples from external files
# inst/tests/requireSoilR/runit.all.possible.Model.arguments.R test.all.possible.Model.arguments:
 # This example shows different kinds of arguments to the function Model.
 # The model objects we will build will share some common features.
 # - two pools
 # - initial values
      iv < -c(5,6)
   - times
      times <- seq(1,10,by=0.1)
 # The other parameters A and inputFluxes will be different
 # The function Model will transform these arguments
 # into objects of the classes required by the internal constructor.
 # This leads to a number of possible argument types.
 # We demonstrate some of the possibilities here.
 # Let us first look at the choeices for argument 'A'.
 possibleAs <- example.2DGeneralDecompOpArgs()</pre>
 # Since "Model" will call "GeneralInFlux" on its "inputFluxes"
 # argument there are again different choices
 # we have included a function in SoilR that produces 2D examples
 possibleInfluxes <- example.2DInFlux.Args()</pre>
print(possibleInfluxes$I.vec)
 # We can build a lot of models from the possible combinations
 # for instance
 #m1 <- Model(
          t=times,
          A=matrix(nrow=2,byrow=TRUE,c(-0.1,0,0,-0.2)),
          ivList=iv,
          inputFluxes=possibleInfluxes$I.vec)
 ## We now produce that all combinations of As and InputFluxes
 combinations <- listProduct(possibleAs,possibleInfluxes)</pre>
```

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## **Description**

The class Model is the focal point of SoilR.

- 1. It combines all the components that are needed to solve the initial value problem for the pool contents.  $\vec{C}$ .
- It provides the single argument for the different functions that are available to compute various results from the solution of the initial value problem. See subsection Methods and the examples.)

### **Details**

The initial value problem is given by:

- the ordinary differential equation  $\dot{\vec{C}}=\mathbf{A}(t)\vec{C}=\vec{I}(t)$
- the intial Values  $\vec{C}_0 = \vec{C}(t_0)$
- for the times  $\{t_0, ..., t_m\}$ .

In an object of class Model the components are represented as follows:

- The time-dependent matrix valued function  $\vec{A}(t)$  is represented by an object of a class that inherits from class DecompOp. Such objects can be created in different ways from functions, matrices or data. (see the subclasses of DecompOp and especially their Constructors sections. and the examples section of this help page.
- The vector-valued time-dependent function  $\vec{I}(t)$  is in SoilR represented by an object of a class that inherits from class InFlux InFlux. Such objects can be created from functions, constant vectors and data. (see the subclasses of InFlux and especially their Constructors sections.
- The times for which the results are computed are represented by a numeric vector.
- The initial values are represented by a numeric vector

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#### Methods

Exported methods directly defined for class Model:

```
[ signature(x = "Model",i = "character",j = "missing",drop = "missing"): ... [,Model,character,missing,mis
getAccumulatedRelease signature(object = "Model"): ... getAccumulatedRelease,Model-method
getC signature(object = "Model"): ... getC,Model-method
getDecompOp signature(object = "Model"): ... getDecompOp,Model-method
getReleaseFlux signature(object = "Model"): ... getReleaseFlux,Model-method
getTimes signature(object = "Model"): ... getTimes,Model-method
```

```
# examples from external files
# inst/examples/ModelExamples.R CorrectNonautonomousLinearModelExplicit:
 # This example describes the creation and use of a Model object that
 # is defined by time dependent functions for decomposition and influx.
 # The constructor of the Model-class (see ?Model)
 # works for different combinations of
 # arguments.
 # Although Model (the constructor function for objects of this class
 # accepts many many more convienient kinds of arguments,
 # we will in this example call the constructor whith arguments which
 # are of the same type as one of hte current internal
 # representations in the
 # Model object and create these arguments explicitly beforehand
 # to demonstrate the approach with the most flexibility.
 # We start with the Decomposition Operator.
 # For this example we assume that we are able to describe the
 # decomposition ofperator by explicit R functions that are valid
 # for a finite time interval.
 # Therefore we choose the appropriate sub class BoundLinDecompOp
 # of DecompOp explicitly. (see ?'BoundLinDecompOp-class')
 A=BoundLinDecompOp(
   ## We call the generic constructor (see ?BoundLindDcompOp)
   ## which has a method
   ## that takes a matrix-valued function of time as its first argument.
   ## (Although Model accepts time series data directly and
   ## will derive the internally used interpolating for you,
   ## the function argument could for instance represent the result
   ## of a very sophisticated interpolation performed by yourself)
   function(t){
     matrix(nrow=3,ncol=3,byrow=TRUE,
        c(
                 0,
          -1,
         0.5,
               -2,
               1, sin(t)-1
           0,
       )
     )
```

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```
## The other two arguments describe the time interval where the
  ## function is valid (the domain of the function)
  ## The interval will be checked against the domain of the InFlux
  ## argument of Model and against its 't' argument to avoid
  ## invalid computations outside the domain.
  ## (Inf and -Inf are possible values, but should only be used
  ## if the function is really valid for all times, which is
  ## especially untrue for functions resulting from interpolations,
  ## which are usually extremely misleading for arguments outside the
  ## domain covered by the data that has been used for the interpolation.)
 ## This is a safety net against wrong results origination from unitendet EXTRApolation )
  starttime=0,
  endtime=20
I=BoundInFlux(
   ## The first argument is a vector-valued function of time
   function(t){
     matrix(nrow=3,ncol=1,byrow=TRUE,
         c(-1, 0,
                        0)
   },
   ## The other two arguments describe the time interval where the
   ## function is valid (the domain of the function)
   starttime=0,
   endtime=40
## No we specify the points in time where we want
## to compute results
t_start=0
t_end=10
tn=50
timestep <- (t_end-t_start)/tn</pre>
times <- seq(t_start,t_end,timestep)</pre>
## and the start values
sv=c(0,0,0)
mod=Model(t=times,A,sv,I)
## No we use the model to compute some results
getC(mod)
getReleaseFlux(mod)
#also look at the methods section of Model-class
```

Model\_14

general constructor for class Model\_14

#### **Description**

This method tries to create an object from any combination of arguments that can be converted into the required set of building blocks for the Model\_14 for n arbitrarily connected pools.

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## Usage

```
Model_14(t, A, ivList, initialValF, inputFluxes, inputFc,
  c14DecayRate = -0.0001209681, solverfunc = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper,
  pass = FALSE)
```

## **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
A	something that can be converted by GeneralDecompOp to any of the available subclasses of DecompOp.
ivList	A vector containing the initial amount of carbon for the n pools. The length of this vector is equal to the number of pools and thus equal to the length of k. This is checked by an internal function.
initialValF	An object equal or equivalent to class ConstFc containing a vector with the initial values of the radiocarbon fraction for each pool and a format string describing in which format the values are given.
inputFluxes	something that can be converted by GeneralInFlux to any of the available sub- classes of InFlux.
inputFc	An object describing the fraction of C_14 in per mille (different formats are possible)
c14DecayRate	the rate at which $C_14$ decays radioactivly. If you don't provide a value here we assume the following value: $k=-0.0001209681 \text{ y}^{-1}$ . This has the side effect that all your time related data are treated as if the time unit was year. Thus beside time itself it also affects decay rates the inputrates and the output
solverfunc	The function used by to actually solve the ODE system. This can be deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.

Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

#### Value

pass

A model object that can be further queried.

### See Also

TwopParallelModel, TwopSeriesModel, TwopFeedbackModel

```
# examples from external files
# inst/tests/requireSoilR/runit.all.possible.Model.arguments.R test.all.possible.Model.arguments:

# This example shows different kinds of arguments to the function Model.

# The model objects we will build will share some common features.

# - two pools
# - initial values

iv<- c(5,6)</pre>
```

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```
# - times
      times <- seq(1,10,by=0.1)
 # The other parameters A and inputFluxes will be different
 # The function Model will transform these arguments
 # into objects of the classes required by the internal constructor.
 # This leads to a number of possible argument types.
 # We demonstrate some of the possibilities here.
 # Let us first look at the choeices for argument 'A'.
 possibleAs <- example.2DGeneralDecompOpArgs()</pre>
 # Since "Model" will call "GeneralInFlux" on its "inputFluxes"
 # argument there are again different choices
 # we have included a function in SoilR that produces 2D examples
 possibleInfluxes <- example.2DInFlux.Args()</pre>
print(possibleInfluxes$I.vec)
 # We can build a lot of models from the possible combinations
 # for instance
 #m1 <- Model(
           t=times,
          A=matrix(nrow=2,byrow=TRUE,c(-0.1,0,0,-0.2)),
           inputFluxes=possibleInfluxes$I.vec)
 ## We now produce that all combinations of As and InputFluxes
 combinations <- listProduct(possibleAs,possibleInfluxes)</pre>
 print(length(combinations))
 # an a Model for each
 models <- lapply(</pre>
              combinations,
              function(combi){
                #Model(t=times,A=combi$A,ivList=iv,inputFluxes=combi$I)
                Model(t=times,A=combi[[1]],ivList=iv,inputFluxes=combi[[2]])
 ## lets check that we can compute something#
 lapply(models,getC)
# inst/examples/ModelExamples.R CorrectNonautonomousLinearModelExplicit:
 # This example describes the creation and use of a Model object that
 # is defined by time dependent functions for decomposition and influx.
 # The constructor of the Model-class (see ?Model)
 # works for different combinations of
 # arguments.
 # Although Model (the constructor function for objects of this class
 # accepts many many more convienient kinds of arguments,
 # we will in this example call the constructor whith arguments which
 # are of the same type as one of hte current internal
```

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```
# representations in the
# Model object and create these arguments explicitly beforehand
# to demonstrate the approach with the most flexibility.
# We start with the Decomposition Operator.
# For this example we assume that we are able to describe the
# decomposition ofperator by explicit R functions that are valid
# for a finite time interval.
# Therefore we choose the appropriate sub class BoundLinDecompOp
# of DecompOp explicitly. (see ?'BoundLinDecompOp-class')
A=BoundLinDecompOp(
  ## We call the generic constructor (see ?BoundLindDcompOp)
  ## which has a method
  ## that takes a matrix-valued function of time as its first argument.
  ## (Although Model accepts time series data directly and
  ## will derive the internally used interpolating for you,
  ## the function argument could for instance represent the result
  ## of a very sophisticated interpolation performed by yourself)
  function(t){
    matrix(nrow=3,ncol=3,byrow=TRUE,
       c(
                0,
        0.5,
               -2,
                1, \sin(t)-1
          0,
      )
    )
  },
  ## The other two arguments describe the time interval where the
  ## function is valid (the domain of the function)
  ## The interval will be checked against the domain of the InFlux
  ## argument of Model and against its 't' argument to avoid
  ## invalid computations outside the domain.
  ## (Inf and -Inf are possible values, but should only be used
  ## if the function is really valid for all times, which is
  ## especially untrue for functions resulting from interpolations,
  ## which are usually extremely misleading for arguments outside the
  ## domain covered by the data that has been used for the interpolation.)
 ## This is a safety net against wrong results origination from unitendet EXTRApolation )
  starttime=0,
  endtime=20
I=BoundInFlux(
   ## The first argument is a vector-valued function of time
   function(t){
     matrix(nrow=3,ncol=1,byrow=TRUE,
         c(-1, 0,
                       0)
     )
   },
   ## The other two arguments describe the time interval where the
   ## function is valid (the domain of the function)
   starttime=0.
   endtime=40
## No we specify the points in time where we want
```

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```
## to compute results
t_start=0
t_end=10
tn=50
timestep <- (t_end-t_start)/tn
times <- seq(t_start,t_end,timestep)
## and the start values
sv=c(0,0,0)
mod=Model(t=times,A,sv,I)

## No we use the model to compute some results
getC(mod)
getReleaseFlux(mod)
#also look at the methods section of Model-class</pre>
```

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 $Model\_14$ 

### **Description**

This class extends Model, to represent  $^{14}C$  decay.

- 1. As Model it contains all the components that are needed to solve the initial value problem for the pool contents  $\vec{C}$ .
  - It adds the components that are needed to solve the additional initial value problem for the  $^{14}C$  contents of the pools  $^{14}C$ .
- It provides the single argument for all the functions that are available for an argument of class Model.
  - and for additional functions that are available to compute various results from the solution of the additional initial value problem for  $^{14}C$ . See subsection Methods and the examples.)

### **Details**

The original initial value problem for  $\vec{C}$  as decribed in the docomentation of the superclass Model was given by:

- $\frac{d\mathbf{C}(t)}{dt} = \mathbf{I}(t) + \mathbf{A}(t)\mathbf{C}(t)$
- the initial Values  $\vec{C}_0 = \vec{C}(t_0)$
- for the times  $\{t_0, ....t_m\}$ .

The additional initial value problem for  $^{14}C$  is represented by additional parameters:

• a second ordinary differential equation:

$$\frac{d^{14}\mathbf{C}(t)}{dt} = F(t)\mathbf{I}(t) + \mathbf{A}(t)^{14}\mathbf{C}(t) - k_{14}^{14}\mathbf{C}(t)$$

with initial values  ${}^{14}\mathbf{C}_0 = F_0\mathbf{C}_0$  with:

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- the time dependent  $^{14}C$  fraction F(t),
- the constant  $^{14}C$  fraction of the initial pool contents  $F_0$ ,
- the  $^{14}C$  decay rate  $k_{14}$ .

In an object of class Model\_14 the components are represented as follows:

- The time-dependent matrix valued function  $\vec{A}(t)$  is represented by an object of a subclass of DecompOp (for decomposition operator). Such objects can be created in different ways from functions, matrices or data. (see the subclasses of DecompOp and especially their Constructors sections, and the examples section of this help page.
- The vector-valued time-dependent function  $\vec{I}(t)$  is in SoilR represented by an object of a subclass of class InFlux. Such objects can also be created from functions, constant vectors and data. (see the subclasses of InFlux and especially their Constructors sections.
- The initial values for  $C_0$  are represented by a numeric vector

getTimes signature(object = "Model"): ... getTimes, Model-method

- The value for the <sup>14</sup>C fraction of the initial C is represented as an object of class ConstFc which is a subclass of Fc representing the <sup>14</sup>C fraction F and its unit. (Either "Delta14C" or "afn" for Absolute Fraction Normal)
- The value for the  $^{14}$ C fraction of the input I(t) is also represented as an object of a subclass of Fc. It can be time dependent or constant.

#### Methods

Exported methods directly defined for class Model\_14:

```
getC14 signature(object = "Model_14"): ... getC14, Model_14-method
getF14 signature(object = "Model_14"): ... getF14, Model_14-method
getF14C signature(object = "Model_14"): ... getF14C, Model_14-method
getF14R signature(object = "Model_14"): ... getF14R, Model_14-method
getReleaseFlux14 signature(object = "Model_14"): ... getReleaseFlux14, Model_14-method
```

Methods inherited from superclasses:

from class Model:

```
[ signature(x = "Model",i = "character",j = "missing",drop = "missing"): ... [,Model,character,missing,mis
getAccumulatedRelease signature(object = "Model"): ... getAccumulatedRelease,Model-method
getC signature(object = "Model"): ... getC,Model-method
getDecompOp signature(object = "Model"): ... getDecompOp,Model-method
getReleaseFlux signature(object = "Model"): ... getReleaseFlux,Model-method
```

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## **Description**

serves as a fence to the interface of SoilR functions. So that later implementations can differ

## Methods

Exported methods directly defined for class NIModel:

```
$ signature(x = "NlModel"): ... $,NlModel-method
[ signature(x = "NlModel",i = "character",j = "ANY",drop = "ANY"): ... [,NlModel,character,ANY,ANY-method
getC signature(object = "NlModel"): ... getC,NlModel-method
getDecompOp signature(object = "NlModel"): ... getDecompOp,NlModel-method
getReleaseFlux signature(object = "NlModel"): ... getReleaseFlux,NlModel-method
getTimes signature(object = "NlModel"): ... getTimes,NlModel-method
```

OnepModel	Implementation of a one pool model	

## **Description**

This function creates a model for one pool. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel.

## Usage

```
OnepModel(t, k, C0, In, xi = 1, solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper,
   pass = FALSE)
```

## **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
k	A scalar with the decomposition rate of the pool.
C0	A scalar containing the initial amount of carbon in the pool.
In	A scalar or a data frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
xi	A scalar or a data.frame specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

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### References

Sierra, C.A., M. Mueller, S.E. Trumbore. 2012. Models of soil organic matter decomposition: the SoilR package version 1.0. Geoscientific Model Development 5, 1045-1060.

### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

```
t_start=0
t_end=10
tn=50
timestep=(t_end-t_start)/tn
t=seq(t_start,t_end,timestep)
k=0.8
C0=100
In = 30
Ex=OnepModel(t,k,C0,In)
Ct=getC(Ex)
Rt=getReleaseFlux(Ex)
Rc=getAccumulatedRelease(Ex)
plot(
t,
Ct,
type="1",
ylab="Carbon stocks (arbitrary units)",
xlab="Time (arbitrary units)",
1wd=2
)
plot(
t,
Rt,
type="1",
ylab="Carbon released (arbitrary units)",
xlab="Time (arbitrary units)",
1wd=2
)
plot(
t,
Rc,
type="1",
ylab="Cummulative carbon released (arbitrary units)",
xlab="Time (arbitrary units)",
1wd=2
)
```

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OnepModel14 Implementation of a one-pool C14 model
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# Description

This function creates a model for one pool. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel\_14.

# Usage

```
OnepModel14(t, k, C0, F0_Delta14C, In, xi = 1, inputFc,
  lambda = -0.0001209681, lag = 0, solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper,
  pass = FALSE)
```

# Arguments

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought. It must be specified within the same period for which the Delta 14 C of the atmosphere is provided. The default period in the provided dataset C14Atm_NH is 1900-2010.
k	A scalar with the decomposition rate of the pool.
C0	A scalar containing the initial amount of carbon in the pool.
F0_Delta14C	A scalar containing the initial amount of the radiocarbon fraction in the pool in Delta_14C format.
In	A scalar or a data frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
xi	A scalar or a data.frame specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
inputFc	A Data Frame object consisting of a function describing the fraction of C_14 in per mille. The first column will be assumed to contain the times.
lambda	Radioactive decay constant. By default lambda=-0.0001209681 y^-1. This has the side effect that all your time related data are treated as if the time unit was year.
lag	A (positive) scalar representing a time lag for radiocarbon to enter the system.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

## See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model\_14.

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### **Examples**

```
years=seq(1901,2009,by=0.5)
LitterInput=700

Ex=OnepModel14(t=years,k=1/10,C0=500, F0=0,In=LitterInput, inputFc=C14Atm_NH)
C14t=getF14(Ex)

plot(C14Atm_NH,type="1",xlab="Year",ylab="Delta 14C (per mil)",xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years, C14t[,1], col=4)
legend(
"topright",
c("Delta 14C Atmosphere", "Delta 14C in SOM"),
lty=c(1,1),
col=c(1,4),
lwd=c(1,1),
bty="n"
)
```

ParallelModel

models for unconnected pools

# Description

This function creates a (linear) numerical model for n independent (parallel) pools that can be queried afterwards. It is used by the convinient wrapper functions TwopParallelModel and ThreepParallelModel but can also be used independently.

### Usage

```
ParallelModel(times, coeffs_tm, startvalues, inputrates,
    solverfunc = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

# Arguments

times	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
coeffs_tm	A TimeMap object consisting of a vector valued function containing the decay rates for the n pools as function of time and the time range where this function is valid. The length of the vector is equal to the number of pools.
startvalues	A vector containing the initial amount of carbon for the n pools. «The length of this vector is equal to the number of pools and thus equal to the length of k. This is checked by the function.
inputrates	An object consisting of a vector valued function describing the inputs to the pools as funtions of time TimeMap.new
solverfunc	The function used to actually solve the ODE system. This can be deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

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## **Examples**

```
t_start=0
t end=10
tn=50
timestep=(t_end-t_start)/tn
t=seq(t_start,t_end,timestep)
k=TimeMap(
function(times)\{c(-0.5, -0.2, -0.3)\},\
t_start,
t_end
)
c0=c(1, 2, 3)
#constant inputrates
inputrates=BoundInFlux(
function(t){matrix(nrow=3,ncol=1,c(1,1,1))},
t_start,
t\_end
)
mod=ParallelModel(t,k,c0,inputrates)
Y=getC(mod)
lt1=1 ;lt2=2 ;lt3=3
col1=1; col2=2; col3=3
plot(t,Y[,1],type="l",lty=lt1,col=col1,
ylab="C stocks",xlab="Time")
lines(t,Y[,2],type="1",lty=lt2,col=col2)
lines(t,Y[,3],type="l",lty=lt3,col=col3)
legend(
"topleft",
c("C in pool 1",
"C in 2",
"C in pool 3"
lty=c(lt1,lt2,lt3),
col=c(col1,col2,col3)
Y=getAccumulatedRelease(mod)
plot(t,Y[,1],type="1",lty=lt1,col=col1,ylab="C release",xlab="Time")
lines(t,Y[,2],lt2,type="1",lty=lt2,col=col2)
lines(t,Y[,3],type="l",lty=lt3,col=col3)
legend("topright",c("R1","R2","R3"),lty=c(lt1,lt2,lt3),col=c(col1,col2,col3))
```

plotC14Pool

Plots the output of getF14 for each pool over time

## Description

This function produces a plot with the Delta14C in the atmosphere and the Delta14C of each pool obtained after a call to getF14.

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## Usage

```
plotC14Pool(t, mat, inputFc, col, ...)
```

# **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the time points for plotting.
mat	A matrix object obtained after a call to getF14
inputFc	A Data Frame object containing values of atmospheric Delta14C per time. First column must be time values, second column must be Delta14C values in per mil.
col	A color palette specifying color lines for each pool (columns of mat).
	Other arguments passed to plot.

plotCPool

Plots the output of getC or getReleaseFlux for each pool over time

# Description

This function produces a plot with the C content or released C for each pool over time. Needs as input a matrix obtained after a call to getC or getReleaseFlux.

# Usage

```
plotCPool(t, mat, col, ...)
```

# **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the time points for plotting.
mat	A matrix object obtained after a call to getC or getReleaseFlux
col	A color palette specifying color lines for each pool (columns of mat).
	Other arguments passed to link{plot}.

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PREDEFINED MODELS

## **Description**

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TwopFeedbackModel14

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TwopParallelModel14

TwopMMmodel

ThreepairMMmodel

TwopSeriesModel

TwopSeriesModel14

YassoModel

bacwaveModel

Yasso07Model

SeriesLinearModel

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 ${\tt Century Model}$ 

RespirationCoefficients

helper function to compute respiration coefficients

# Description

This function computes the respiration coefficients as function of time for all pools according to the given matrix A

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### Usage

```
RespirationCoefficients(A)
```

## **Arguments**

A matrix valued function representing the model.

## Value

A vector valued function of time containing the respiration coefficients for all pools.

el Implementation of the RothCModel
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# Description

This function implements the RothC model of Jenkinson et al. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel.

# Usage

```
RothCModel(t, ks = c(k.DPM = 10, k.RPM = 0.3, k.BIO = 0.66, k.HUM = 0.02, k.IOM = 0), C0 = <math>c(0, 0, 0, 0, 2.7), In = 1.7, FYM = 0, DR = 1.44, clay = 23.4, xi = 1, solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

## **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
ks	A vector of lenght 5 containing the values of the decomposition rates for the different pools
C0	A vector of length 5 containing the initial amount of carbon for the 5 pools.
In	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
FYM	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the amount of Farm Yard Manure inputs by time.
DR	A scalar representing the ratio of decomposable plant material to resistant plant material (DPM/RPM).
clay	Percent clay in mineral soil.
xi	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

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#### Value

A Model Object that can be further queried

#### References

Jenkinson, D. S., S. P. S. Andrew, J. M. Lynch, M. J. Goss, and P. B. Tinker. 1990. The Turnover of Organic Carbon and Nitrogen in Soil. Philosophical Transactions: Biological Sciences 329:361-368. Sierra, C.A., M. Mueller, S.E. Trumbore. 2012. Models of soil organic matter decomposition: the SoilR package version 1.0. Geoscientific Model Development 5, 1045-1060.

#### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

## **Examples**

```
t=0:500
Ex=RothCModel(t)
Ct=getC(Ex)
Rt=getReleaseFlux(Ex)
matplot(t,Ct,type="l",col=1:5, ylim=c(0,25),
ylab=expression(paste("Carbon stores (Mg C ", ha^-1,")")),
xlab="Time (years)", lty=1)
lines(t,rowSums(Ct),lwd=2)
legend("topleft",
c("Pool 1, DPM",
"Pool 2, RPM",
"Pool 3, BIO",
"Pool 4, HUM",
"Pool 5, IOM",
"Total Carbon"),
lty=1,
lwd=c(rep(1,5),2),
col=c(1:5,1),
bty="n"
)
```

SeriesLinearModel

General m-pool linear model with series structure

## **Description**

This function creates a model for m number of pools connected in series. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel.

#### Usage

```
SeriesLinearModel(t, m.pools, ki, Tij, C0, In, xi = 1,
    solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

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### **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
m.pools	An integer with the total number of pools in the model.
ki	A vector of lenght m containing the values of the decomposition rates for each pool i.
Tij	A vector of length m-1 with the transfer coefficients from pool j to pool i. The value of these coefficients must be in the range [0, 1].
C0	A vector of length m containing the initial amount of carbon for the m pools.
In	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
xi	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

#### References

Sierra, C.A., M. Mueller, S.E. Trumbore. 2012. Models of soil organic matter decomposition: the SoilR package version 1.0. Geoscientific Model Development 5, 1045-1060.

#### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

```
#A five-pool model
t_start=0
t_end=10
tn=50
timestep=(t_end-t_start)/tn
t=seq(t_start,t_end,timestep)
ks=c(k1=0.8,k2=0.4,k3=0.2, k4=0.1,k5=0.05)
Ts=c(0.5,0.2,0.2,0.1)
C0=c(C10=100,C20=150, C30=50, C40=50, C50=10)
In = 50
Ex1=SeriesLinearModel(t=t,m.pools=5,ki=ks,Tij=Ts,C0=C0,In=In,xi=fT.Q10(15))
Ct=getC(Ex1)
matplot(t,Ct,type="1",col=2:6,lty=1,ylim=c(0,sum(C0)))
lines(t,rowSums(Ct),lwd=2)
legend("topright",c("Total C","C in pool 1", "C in pool 2","C in pool 3",
"C in pool 4", "C in pool 5"),
lty=1,col=1:6,lwd=c(2,rep(1,5)),bty="n")
```

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SeriesLinearModel14	General m-pool linear C14 model with series structure

# Description

This function creates a radiocarbon model for m number of pools connected in series. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel\_14.

# Usage

```
SeriesLinearModel14(t, m.pools, ki, Tij, C0, F0_Delta14C, In, xi = 1,
  inputFc, lambda = -0.0001209681, lag = 0,
  solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

### **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
m.pools	An integer with the total number of pools in the model.
ki	A vector of lenght m containing the values of the decomposition rates for each pool i.
Tij	A vector of length m-1 with the transfer coefficients from pool j to pool i. The value of these coefficients must be in the range [0, 1].
CØ	A vector of length m containing the initial amount of carbon for the m pools.
F0_Delta14C	A vector of length m containing the initial amount of the radiocarbon fraction for the m pools.
In	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
xi	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
inputFc	A Data Frame object containing values of atmospheric Delta14C per time. First column must be time values, second column must be Delta14C values in per mil.
lambda	Radioactive decay constant. By default lambda=-0.0001209681 y^-1. This has the side effect that all your time related data are treated as if the time unit was year.
lag	A positive scalar representing a time lag for radiocarbon to enter the system.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

#### References

Sierra, C.A., M. Mueller, S.E. Trumbore. 2014. Modeling radiocarbon dynamics in soils: SoilR version 1.1. Geoscientific Model Development 7, 1919-1931.

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### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

### **Examples**

```
years=seq(1901,2009,by=0.5)
LitterInput=700
Ex=SeriesLinearModel14(
t=years,ki=c(k1=1/2.8, k2=1/35, k3=1/100), m.pools=3,
C0=c(200,5000,500), F0_Delta14C=c(0,0,0),
In=LitterInput, Tij=c(0.5, 0.1),inputFc=C14Atm_NH
R14m=getF14R(Ex)
C14m=getF14C(Ex)
C14t=getF14(Ex)
par(mfrow=c(2,1))
plot(C14Atm_NH, type="1", xlab="Year",
ylab="Delta 14C (per mil)",xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years, C14t[,1], col=4)
lines(years, C14t[,2],col=4,lwd=2)
lines(years, C14t[,3],col=4,lwd=3)
legend(
"topright",
c("Delta 14C Atmosphere", "Delta 14C pool 1", "Delta 14C pool 2", "Delta 14C pool 3"),
lty=rep(1,4), col=c(1,4,4,4), lwd=c(1,1,2,3), bty="n")
plot(C14Atm_NH,type="l",xlab="Year",ylab="Delta 14C (per mil)",xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years,C14m,col=4)
lines(years,R14m,col=2)
legend("topright",c("Delta 14C Atmosphere","Delta 14C SOM", "Delta 14C Respired"),
lty=c(1,1,1), col=c(1,4,2),bty="n")
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
```

SoilR.F0.new

deprecated function that used to create an object of class SoilR.F0

#### **Description**

The function internally calls the constructor of the replacement class ConstFc-class.

# Usage

```
SoilR.F0.new(values = c(0), format = "Delta14C")
```

### **Arguments**

values a numeric vector

format a character string describing the format e.g. "Delta14C"

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## Value

An object of class ConstFc-class that contains data and a format description that can later be used to convert the data into other formats if the conversion is implemented.

systemAge	System and pool age for compartment models	

# Description

Computes the density distribution and mean for the system and pool ages of a SoilR model or a matrix representation of a compartmental model

## Usage

```
systemAge(A, u, a = seq(0, 100), q = c(0.05, 0.5, 0.95))
```

## Arguments

A	A compartmental linear square matrix with cycling rates in the diagonal and transfer rates in the off-diagonal.
u	A one-column matrix defining the amount of inputs per compartment.
а	A sequence of ages to calculate density functions
q	A vector of probabilities to calculate quantiles of the system age distribution

## Value

A list with 5 objects: mean system age, system age distribution, quantiles of system age distribution, mean pool-age, and pool-age distribution.

## See Also

transitTime

ThreepairMMmodel	Implementation of a 6-pool Michaelis-Menten model	

## **Description**

This function implements a 6-pool Michaelis-Meneten model with pairs of microbial biomass and substrate pools.

## Usage

```
ThreepairMMmodel(t, ks, kb, Km, r, Af = 1, ADD, ival)
```

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### **Arguments**

t	vector of times to calculate a solution.
ks	a vector of length 3 representing SOM decomposition rate (m3 d-1 (gCB)-1)
kb	a vector of length 3 representing microbial decay rate (d-1)
Km	a vector of length 3 representing the Michaelis constant (g m-3)
r	a vector of length 3 representing the respired carbon fraction (unitless)
Af	a scalar representing the Activity factor; i.e. a temperature and moisture modifier (unitless)
ADD	a vector of length 3 representing the annual C input to the soil (g m-3 d-1)
ival	a vector of length 6 with the initial values of the SOM pools and the microbial biomass pools (g m-3)

#### Value

An object of class NlModel that can be further queried.

#### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

```
days=seq(0,1000)
#Run the model with default parameter values
MMmodel=ThreepairMMmodel(t=days,ival=rep(c(100,10),3),ks=c(0.1,0.05,0.01),
kb=c(0.005,0.001,0.0005), Km=c(100,150,200), r=c(0.9,0.9,0.9),
ADD=c(3,1,0.5))
Cpools=getC(MMmodel)
#Time solution
matplot(days,Cpools,type="1",ylab="Concentrations",xlab="Days",lty=rep(1:2,3),
ylim=c(0,max(Cpools)*1.2),col=rep(1:3,each=2),
main="Multi-substrate microbial model")
legend("topright",c("Substrate 1", "Microbial biomass 1",
"Substrate 2", "Microbial biomass 2",
"Substrate 3", "Microbial biomass 3"),
lty=rep(1:2,3),col=rep(1:3,each=2),
bty="n")
#State-space diagram
plot(Cpools[,2],Cpools[,1],type="l",ylab="Substrate",xlab="Microbial biomass")
lines(Cpools[,4],Cpools[,3],col=2)
lines(Cpools[,6],Cpools[,5],col=3)
legend("topright",c("Substrate-Enzyme pair 1","Substrate-Enzyme pair 2",
"Substrate-Enzyme pair 3"),col=1:3,lty=1,bty="n")
#Microbial biomass over time
plot(days,Cpools[,2],type="l",col=2,xlab="Days",ylab="Microbial biomass")
```

ThreepFeedbackModel	Implementation o	f a three poo	l model with	feedback structure
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# Description

This function creates a model for three pools connected with feedback. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel.

## Usage

```
ThreepFeedbackModel(t, ks, a21, a12, a32, a23, C0, In, xi = 1,
    solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

# Arguments

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
ks	A vector of lenght 3 containing the values of the decomposition rates for pools 1, 2, and 3.
a21	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 1 to pool 2.
a12	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 2 to pool 1.
a32	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 2 to pool 3.
a23	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 3 to pool 2.
C0	A vector containing the initial concentrations for the 3 pools. The length of this vector is 3
In	A data.frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
xi	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

#### References

Sierra, C.A., M. Mueller, S.E. Trumbore. 2012. Models of soil organic matter decomposition: the SoilR package version 1.0. Geoscientific Model Development 5, 1045-1060.

## See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

```
t_start=0
t_end=10
tn=50
timestep=(t_end-t_start)/tn
t=seq(t_start,t_end,timestep)
ks=c(k1=0.8, k2=0.4, k3=0.2)
C0=c(C10=100,C20=150,C30=50)
In = 60
Temp=rnorm(t,15,1)
TempEffect=data.frame(t,fT.Daycent1(Temp))
\texttt{Ex1=ThreepFeedbackModel(t=t,ks=ks,a21=0.5,a12=0.1,a32=0.2,a23=0.1,C0=C0,In=In,xi=TempEffect)}
Ct=getC(Ex1)
Rt=getReleaseFlux(Ex1)
plot(
rowSums(Ct),
type="1",
ylab="Carbon stocks (arbitrary units)",
xlab="Time (arbitrary units)",
1wd=2,
ylim=c(0,sum(Ct[51,]))
lines(t,Ct[,1],col=2)
lines(t,Ct[,2],col=4)
lines(t,Ct[,3],col=3)
legend(
"topleft",
c("Total C", "C in pool 1", "C in pool 2", "C in pool 3"),
lty=c(1,1,1,1),
col=c(1,2,4,3),
lwd=c(2,1,1,1),
bty="n"
)
plot(
t,
rowSums(Rt),
type="1",
ylab="Carbon released (arbitrary units)",
xlab="Time (arbitrary units)",
1wd=2,
ylim=c(0,sum(Rt[51,]))
lines(t,Rt[,1],col=2)
lines(t,Rt[,2],col=4)
lines(t,Rt[,3],col=3)
legend(
"topleft",
```

```
c("Total C release",
"C release from pool 1",
"C release from pool 2",
"C release from pool 3"),
1ty=c(1,1,1,1),
col=c(1,2,4,3),
lwd=c(2,1,1,1),
bty="n"
)
Inr=data.frame(t,Random.inputs=rnorm(length(t),50,10))
plot(Inr,type="1")
\label{eq:ex2} Ex2=ThreepFeedbackModel(t=t,ks=ks,a21=0.5,a12=0.1,a32=0.2,a23=0.1,C0=C0,In=Inr)
Ctr=getC(Ex2)
Rtr=getReleaseFlux(Ex2)
plot(
t,
rowSums(Ctr),
type="1",
ylab="Carbon stocks (arbitrary units)",
xlab="Time (arbitrary units)",
1wd=2,
ylim=c(0,sum(Ctr[51,]))
lines(t,Ctr[,1],col=2)
lines(t,Ctr[,2],col=4)
lines(t,Ctr[,3],col=3)
legend("topright", c("Total \ C", "C \ in \ pool \ 1", \ "C \ in \ pool \ 2", "C \ in \ pool \ 3"),
lty=c(1,1,1,1),col=c(1,2,4,3),lwd=c(2,1,1,1),bty="n")
plot(t,rowSums(Rtr),type="l",ylab="Carbon released (arbitrary units)",
xlab="Time (arbitrary units)",lwd=2,ylim=c(0,sum(Rtr[51,])))
lines(t,Rtr[,1],col=2)
lines(t,Rtr[,2],col=4)
lines(t,Rtr[,3],col=3)
legend(
"topright",
c("Total C release",
"C release from pool 1",
"C release from pool 2",
"C release from pool 3"
),
lty=c(1,1,1,1),
col=c(1,2,4,3),
lwd=c(2,1,1,1),
bty="n")
```

## **Description**

This function creates a model for three pools connected with feedback. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel\_14 that can handle an arbitrary number of pools with arbitrary connections. GeneralModel\_14 can also handle input data in different formats, while this function requires its input as Delta14C. Look at it as an example how to use the more powerful tool GeneralModel\_14 or as a shortcut for a standard task!

## Usage

```
ThreepFeedbackModel14(t, ks, C0, F0_Delta14C, In, a21, a12, a32, a23,
  xi = 1, inputFc, lambda = -0.0001209681, lag = 0,
  solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

# Arguments

_	A contact and the contact in time when the contact in the contact
t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought. It must be specified within the same period for which the Delta 14 C of the atmosphere is provided. The default period in the provided dataset C14Atm_NH is 1900-2010.
ks	A vector of length 3 containing the decomposition rates for the 3 pools.
C0	A vector of length 3 containing the initial amount of carbon for the 3 pools.
F0_Delta14C	A vector of length 3 containing the initial fraction of radiocarbon for the 3 pools in Delta14C format. The format will be assumed to be Delta14C, so please take care that it is.
In	A scalar or a data frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
a21	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 1 to pool 2.
a12	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 2 to pool 1.
a32	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 2 to pool 3.
a23	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 3 to pool 2.
xi	A scalar or a data.frame specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
inputFc	A Data Frame object containing values of atmospheric Delta14C per time. First column must be time values, second column must be Delta14C values in per mil.
lambda	Radioactive decay constant. By default lambda=-0.0001209681 y^-1. This has the side effect that all your time related data are treated as if the time unit was year.
lag	A positive scalar representing a time lag for radiocarbon to enter the system.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid. This is sometimes useful when SoilR is used by externel packages for parameter estimation.

## See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model\_14.

```
#years=seq(1901,2009,by=0.5)
years=seq(1904,2009,by=0.5)
LitterInput=100
k1=1/2; k2=1/10; k3=1/50
a21=0.9*k1
a12=0.4*k2
a32=0.4*k2
a23=0.7*k3
Feedback=ThreepFeedbackModel14(
t=years,
ks=c(k1=k1, k2=k2, k3=k3),
C0=c(100,500,1000),
F0_Delta14C=c(0,0,0),
In=LitterInput,
a21=a21,
a12=a12,
a32=a32,
a23 = a23,
inputFc=C14Atm_NH
F.R14m=getF14R(Feedback)
F.C14m=getF14C(Feedback)
F.C14t=getF14(Feedback)
Series=ThreepSeriesModel14(
t=years,
ks=c(k1=k1, k2=k2, k3=k3),
C0=c(100,500,1000),
F0_Delta14C=c(0,0,0),
In=LitterInput,
a21=a21,
a32=a32,
inputFc=C14Atm_NH
S.R14m=getF14R(Series)
S.C14m=getF14C(Series)
S.C14t=getF14(Series)
Parallel=ThreepParallelModel14(
t=years,
ks=c(k1=k1, k2=k2, k3=k3),
C0=c(100,500,1000),
F0_Delta14C=c(0,0,0),
In=LitterInput,
gam1=0.6,
gam2=0.2,
```

```
inputFc=C14Atm_NH,
lag=2
P.R14m=getF14R(Parallel)
P.C14m=getF14C(Parallel)
P.C14t=getF14(Parallel)
par(mfrow=c(3,2))
plot(
C14Atm_NH,
type="1",
xlab="Year"
ylab=expression(paste(Delta^14, "C ","(\u2030)")),
xlim=c(1940,2010)
)
lines(years, P.C14t[,1], col=4)
lines(years, P.C14t[,2],col=4,lwd=2)
lines(years, P.C14t[,3],col=4,lwd=3)
legend(
"topright",
c("Atmosphere", "Pool 1", "Pool 2", "Pool 3"),
lty=rep(1,4),
col=c(1,4,4,4),
lwd=c(1,1,2,3),
bty="n"
plot(C14Atm_NH,type="1",xlab="Year",
ylab=expression(paste(Delta^14,"C ","(\u2030)")),xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years,P.C14m,col=4)
lines(years,P.R14m,col=2)
legend("topright",c("Atmosphere","Bulk SOM", "Respired C"),
lty=c(1,1,1), col=c(1,4,2),bty="n")
plot(C14Atm_NH, type="1", xlab="Year",
ylab=expression(paste(Delta^14,"C ","(\u2030)")),xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years, S.C14t[,1], col=4)
lines(years, S.C14t[,2],col=4,lwd=2)
lines(years, S.C14t[,3],col=4,lwd=3)
legend("topright",c("Atmosphere", "Pool 1", "Pool 2", "Pool 3"),
lty=rep(1,4),col=c(1,4,4,4),lwd=c(1,1,2,3),bty="n")
plot(C14Atm_NH,type="1",xlab="Year",
ylab=expression(paste(Delta^14,"C ","(\u2030)")),xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years,S.C14m,col=4)
lines(years, S.R14m, col=2)
legend("topright",c("Atmosphere","Bulk SOM", "Respired C"),
lty=c(1,1,1), col=c(1,4,2),bty="n")
plot(C14Atm_NH, type="l", xlab="Year",
ylab=expression(paste(Delta^14,"C ","(\u2030)")),xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years, F.C14t[,1], col=4)
lines(years, F.C14t[,2],col=4,lwd=2)
```

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```
lines(years, F.C14t[,3],col=4,lwd=3)
legend("topright",c("Atmosphere", "Pool 1", "Pool 2", "Pool 3"),
lty=rep(1,4),col=c(1,4,4,4),lwd=c(1,1,2,3),bty="n")

plot(C14Atm_NH,type="1",xlab="Year",
ylab=expression(paste(Delta^14,"C ","(\u2030)")),xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years,F.C14m,col=4)
lines(years,F.R14m,col=2)
legend("topright",c("Atmosphere","Bulk SOM", "Respired C"),
lty=c(1,1,1), col=c(1,4,2),bty="n")
```

ThreepParallelModel

Implementation of a three pool model with parallel structure

## **Description**

The function creates a model for three independent (parallel) pools. It is a wrapper for the more general function ParallelModel that can handle an arbitrary number of pools.

### Usage

```
ThreepParallelModel(t, ks, C0, In, gam1, gam2, xi = 1,
    solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
ks	A vector of length 3 containing the decomposition rates for the 3 pools.
C0	A vector of length 3 containing the initial amount of carbon for the 3 pools.
In	A scalar or a data frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
gam1	A scalar representing the partitioning coefficient, i.e. the proportion from the total amount of inputs that goes to pool 1.
gam2	A scalar representing the partitioning coefficient, i.e. the proportion from the total amount of inputs that goes to pool 2.
xi	A scalar or a data frame specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	Logical that forces the Model to be created even if the chect suggest problems.

#### References

Sierra, C.A., M. Mueller, S.E. Trumbore. 2012. Models of soil organic matter decomposition: the SoilR package version 1.0. Geoscientific Model Development 5, 1045-1060.

### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

### **Examples**

```
t_start=0
t_end=10
tn=50
timestep=(t_end-t_start)/tn
t=seq(t_start,t_end,timestep)
Ex=ThreepParallelModel(t,ks=c(k1=0.5,k2=0.2,k3=0.1),
C0=c(c10=100, c20=150,c30=50),In=20,gam1=0.7,gam2=0.1,xi=0.5)
Ct=getC(Ex)
plot(t,rowSums(Ct),type="1",lwd=2,
ylab="Carbon stocks (arbitrary units)",xlab="Time",ylim=c(0,sum(Ct[1,])))
lines(t,Ct[,1],col=2)
lines(t,Ct[,2],col=4)
lines(t,Ct[,3],col=3)
legend("topright",c("Total C","C in pool 1", "C in pool 2","C in pool 3"),
lty=c(1,1,1,1),col=c(1,2,4,3),lwd=c(2,1,1,1),bty="n")
Rt=getReleaseFlux(Ex)
plot(t,rowSums(Rt),type="l",ylab="Carbon released (arbitrary units)",
xlab="Time",lwd=2,ylim=c(0,sum(Rt[1,])))
lines(t,Rt[,1],col=2)
lines(t,Rt[,2],col=4)
lines(t,Rt[,3],col=3)
legend("topright",c("Total C release","C release from pool 1",
"C release from pool 2", "C release from pool 3"),
lty=c(1,1,1,1),col=c(1,2,4,3),lwd=c(2,1,1,1),bty="n")
```

ThreepParallelModel14 Implementation of a three-pool C14 model with parallel structure

### **Description**

This function creates a model for two independent (parallel) pools. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel\_14 that can handle an arbitrary number of pools.

## Usage

```
ThreepParallelModel14(t, ks, C0, F0_Delta14C, In, gam1, gam2, xi = 1, inputFc, lambda = -0.0001209681, lag = 0, solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

## **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought. It must be specified within the same period for which the Delta 14 C of the atmosphere is provided. The default period in the provided dataset C14Atm_NH is 1900-2010.
ks	A vector of length 3 containing the decomposition rates for the 3 pools.
C0	A vector of length 3 containing the initial amount of carbon for the 3 pools.
F0_Delta14C	A vector of length 3 containing the initial amount of the radiocarbon fraction for the 3 pools in Delta14C values in per mil.
In	A scalar or a data.frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
gam1	A scalar representing the partitioning coefficient, i.e. the proportion from the total amount of inputs that goes to pool 1.
gam2	A scalar representing the partitioning coefficient, i.e. the proportion from the total amount of inputs that goes to pool 2.
xi	A scalar or a data.frame specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
inputFc	A Data Frame object containing values of atmospheric Delta14C per time. First column must be time values, second column must be Delta14C values in per mil.
lambda	Radioactive decay constant. By default lambda=-0.0001209681 y^-1 . This has the side effect that all your time related data are treated as if the time unit was year.
lag	A positive scalar representing a time lag for radiocarbon to enter the system.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

# See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model\_14.

```
years=seq(1903,2009,by=0.5) # note that we
LitterInput=700
Ex=ThreepParallelModel14(
t=years,
ks=c(k1=1/2.8, k2=1/35, k3=1/100),
C0=c(200,5000,500),
F0_Delta14C=c(0,0,0),
In=LitterInput,
gam1=0.7,
gam2=0.1,
inputFc=C14Atm_NH,
lag=2)
```

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```
R14m=getF14R(Ex)
C14m=getF14C(Ex)
C14t=getF14(Ex)
par(mfrow=c(2,1))
plot(C14Atm_NH,type="1",xlab="Year",ylab="Delta 14C (per mil)",xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years, C14t[,1], col=4)
lines(years, C14t[,2],col=4,lwd=2)
lines(years, C14t[,3],col=4,lwd=3)
legend(
"topright",
c(
"Delta 14C Atmosphere",
"Delta 14C pool 1",
"Delta 14C pool 2",
"Delta 14C pool 3"
),
lty=rep(1,4),
col=c(1,4,4,4),
lwd=c(1,1,2,3),
bty="n"
plot(C14Atm_NH,type="l",xlab="Year",ylab="Delta 14C (per mil)",xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years,C14m,col=4)
lines(years,R14m,col=2)
legend("topright",c("Delta 14C Atmosphere","Delta 14C SOM", "Delta 14C Respired"),
lty=c(1,1,1), col=c(1,4,2),bty="n")
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
```

ThreepSeriesModel

*Implementation of a three pool model with series structure* 

## **Description**

This function creates a model for three pools connected in series. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel.

### Usage

```
ThreepSeriesModel(t, ks, a21, a32, C0, In, xi = 1,
    solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

### **Arguments**

t A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.

A vector of lenght 3 containing the values of the decomposition rates for pools 1, 2, and 3.

A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 1 to pool 2.

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a32	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 2 to pool 3.
C0	A vector of length 3 containing the initial amount of carbon for the 3 pools.
In	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
xi	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

#### Value

A Model Object that can be further queried

## References

Sierra, C.A., M. Mueller, S.E. Trumbore. 2012. Models of soil organic matter decomposition: the SoilR package version 1.0. Geoscientific Model Development 5, 1045-1060.

#### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

```
t_start=0
t_end=10
tn=50
\label{timestep} \\ \texttt{timestep=(t\_end-t\_start)/tn} \\
t=seq(t\_start, t\_end, timestep)
ks=c(k1=0.8, k2=0.4, k3=0.2)
C0=c(C10=100,C20=150, C30=50)
In = 50
Ex1=ThreepSeriesModel(t=t,ks=ks,a21=0.5,a32=0.2,C0=C0,In=In,xi=fT.Q10(15))
Ct=getC(Ex1)
Rt=getReleaseFlux(Ex1)
plot(t,rowSums(Ct),type="1",ylab="Carbon stocks (arbitrary units)",
xlab="Time (arbitrary units)",lwd=2,ylim=c(0,sum(Ct[1,])))
lines(t,Ct[,1],col=2)
lines(t,Ct[,2],col=4)
lines(t,Ct[,3],col=3)
legend("topright",c("Total C","C in pool 1", "C in pool 2","C in pool 3"),
lty=c(1,1,1,1),col=c(1,2,4,3),lwd=c(2,1,1,1),bty="n")
```

# Description

This function creates a model for three pools connected in series. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel\_14 that can handle an arbitrary number of pools.

# Usage

```
ThreepSeriesModel14(t, ks, C0, F0_Delta14C, In, a21, a32, xi = 1,
  inputFc, lambda = -0.0001209681, lag = 0,
  solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

### **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought. It must be specified within the same period for which the Delta 14 C of the atmosphere is provided. The default period in the provided dataset C14Atm_NH is 1900-2010.
ks	A vector of length 3 containing the decomposition rates for the 3 pools.
C0	A vector of length 3 containing the initial amount of carbon for the 3 pools.
F0_Delta14C	A vector of length 3 containing the initial amount of the radiocarbon fraction for the 3 pools.
In	A scalar or a data.frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
a21	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 1 to pool 2.
a32	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 2 to pool 3 as Delta14C values in per mil.
xi	A scalar or a data.frame specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
inputFc	A Data Frame object containing values of atmospheric Delta14C per time. First column must be time values, second column must be Delta14C values in per mil.
lambda	Radioactive decay constant. By default lambda=-0.0001209681 y^-1 . This has the side effect that all your time related data are treated as if the time unit was year.
lag	A positive scalar representing a time lag for radiocarbon to enter the system.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

## Value

A Model Object that can be further queried

### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model\_14.

### **Examples**

```
years=seq(1901,2009,by=0.5)
LitterInput=700
Ex=ThreepSeriesModel14(
t=years, ks=c(k1=1/2.8, k2=1/35, k3=1/100),
C0=c(200,5000,500), F0_Delta14C=c(0,0,0),
In=LitterInput, a21=0.1, a32=0.01,inputFc=C14Atm_NH
R14m=getF14R(Ex)
C14m=getF14C(Ex)
C14t=getF14(Ex)
par(mfrow=c(2,1))
plot(C14Atm_NH, type="1", xlab="Year",
ylab="Delta 14C (per mil)",xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years, C14t[,1], col=4)
lines(years, C14t[,2],col=4,lwd=2)
lines(years, C14t[,3],col=4,lwd=3)
legend(
"topright",
c("Delta 14C Atmosphere", "Delta 14C pool 1", "Delta 14C pool 2", "Delta 14C pool 3"),
lty=rep(1,4), col=c(1,4,4,4), lwd=c(1,1,2,3), bty="n")
plot(C14Atm_NH,type="l",xlab="Year",ylab="Delta 14C (per mil)",xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years,C14m,col=4)
lines(years,R14m,col=2)
legend("topright",c("Delta 14C Atmosphere","Delta 14C SOM", "Delta 14C Respired"),
lty=c(1,1,1), col=c(1,4,2),bty="n")
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
```

 $\label{thm:constructor} Time \textit{Map,data.frame,missing,missin$ 

### **Description**

create a TimeMap object by interpolating the data.frame

### **Arguments**

map : of class data.frame, a data frame containing two columns

lag : a time delay

interpolation : the interpolating function

TimeMap, function, numeric, numeric, missing, missing-method

TimeMap,function,numeric,numeric,missing,missing-method

structor

### **Description**

create a TimeMap object from the function definition and the time interval

### **Arguments**

map : of class function starttime : of class numeric endtime : of class numeric

TimeMap, list, missing, missing, missing, missing-method

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TimeMap from a nested list

### **Description**

The method creates an instance of TimeMap-class from a list that contains data and a vector of times referring to it.

### **Arguments**

map : of class list

lag : either a scalar or an element of the same shape as the elements of the data entry

that refer to one time step

interpolation : the interpolation method to be used

### **Details**

The list must have two entries If the entries are not named, the first one is supposed to be a numeric vector of times and the second to contain the data referring to those times. The data entry of the list can itself be a list with the same length as the times entry or an array whose last dimension is equal to the length of the times entry. If the data entry is a list the elements must be vectors, matrices or arrays.

TimeMap, missing, missing, numeric, array-method

TimeMap,missing,missing,missing,numeric,array-method Create a

TimeMap from times and array

# Description

The method creates an instance of TimeMap-class from a vector of times and an array whose last dimension ### is referring to it.

# **Arguments**

times : of class numeric data : of class array

lag : Either a scalar or an object of the same size as a slice of the array per timestep.

It describes the time lag of the array elements

interpolation : the interpolation method to be used

TimeMap, missing, missing, numeric, list-method

TimeMap,missing,missing,missing,numeric,list-method Create of

TimeMap from a nested list

# **Description**

The method creates an instance of TimeMap-class from a vector of times and a list of the same length, containing vectors matrices or arrays

# Arguments

times : of class numeric, A vector of times

data : of class list, A list of the same length as times with every list element referring

to one time in times

lag : Either a scalar or an object of the same size as the list elements describing the

time lag of the data

interpolation : the interpolation method to be used

TimeMap, missing, missing, numeric, matrix-method

TimeMap,missing,missing,missing,numeric,matrix-method Create a TimeMap from a nested list

# Description

The method creates an instance of TimeMap-class from a vector of times and an array referring to it.

### **Arguments**

times : of class numeric

data : of class matrix, a matrix, every column corresponds to one time step

lag : a scalar or a vector describing how much the data is laging behind the times

interpolation : the interpolation method to be used

TimeMap, missing, missing, numeric, numeric-method

TimeMap,missing,missing,missing,numeric,numeric-method Create a

TimeMap from a nested list

# **Description**

The method creates an instance of TimeMap-class from a vector of times and an array referring to it.

# Arguments

times : of class numeric
data : of class numeric

lag : a scalar or a vector, matrix or array describing how much the data lag behind

the times. If lag is a vector, matrix or array, the resulting ## function will be

vector, matrix or array valued accordingly.

interpolation : the interpolation method to be used

```
\label{thm:continuous} Time \textit{Map}, \textit{ANY}, \textit{ANY},
```

### **Description**

The function just returns its argument. So any function that has to convert one of its argument can just call TimeMap on it even if the argument is allready one.

#### **Arguments**

map : of class TimeMap, the object that will be returned unchanged

TimeMap-class TimeMap S4 class

### Description

This class enhances a time dependent function by information about its domain. The information about the delay is especially usefull for functions that interpolate data. Assume that you are given time series data in two vectors times, values. You can create an interpolating function with splinefun or approxfun f <-splinefun(x=times,y=values) f(t) will yield sensible values for  $\min_{t \in times} \leq t \leq \max_{t \in times}$ . but will produce unreasonable values for any t outside these limits. Unfortunately the interpolating functions produced by splinefun or approxfun do not retain any information about their domain which makes it possible to accidentatly apply them to times not at all supported by the original data. This would not even cause errors in the code but silently corrupt the results. To help you to keep track of the domains of the many time dependent functions used in SoilR's Models this class TimeMap stores the starttime and endtime values along with the function represented by map. SoilR functions that accept time series data will normally convert it to subclasses TimeMap-class automatically but you can do it explicitly.

### Methods

Exported methods directly defined for class TimeMap:

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TimeMap.from.Dataframe

TimeMap.from.Dataframe

### **Description**

This function is a deprecated constructor of the class TimeMap.

# Usage

```
TimeMap.from.Dataframe(dframe, lag = 0, interpolation = splinefun)
```

### **Arguments**

dframe A data frame containing exactly two columns: the first one is interpreted as time a scalar describing the time lag. Positive Values shift the argument of the inter-

polation function forward in time. (retard its effect)

interpolation A function that returns a function the default is splinefun. Other possible values

are the linear interpolation approxfun or any self made function with the same

interface.

### Value

An object of class TimeMap that contains the interpolation function and the limits of the time range where the function is valid. Note that the limits change according to the time lag this serves as a saveguard for Model which thus can check that all involved functions of time are actually defined for the times of interest

TimeMap.new

deprecated constructor of the class TimeMap.

### **Description**

deprecated functions ################## use the generic TimeMap(...) instead

### Usage

```
TimeMap.new(t_start, t_end, f)
```

# Arguments

t_start	A number marking the beg	in of the time of	domain where t	he function is valid
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t\_end A number the end of the time domain where the function is validf The time dependent function definition (a function in R's sense)

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# Value

An object of class TimeMap that can be used to describe models.

transitTime

Transit times for compartment models

# Description

Computes the density distribution and mean for the transit time of a compartmental model

### Usage

```
transitTime(A, u, a = seq(0, 100), q = c(0.05, 0.5, 0.95))
```

# **Arguments**

A	A compartmental linear square matrix with cycling rates in the diagonal and transfer rates in the off-diagonal.
u	A one-column matrix defining the amount of inputs per compartment.
а	A sequence of ages to calculate density functions

q Vector of probabilities to calculate quantiles of the transit time distribution

#### Value

A list with 3 objects: mean transit time, transit time density distribution, and quantiles.

# See Also

systemAge

 ${\it Transport Decomposition Operator-class}$ 

TransportDecompositionOperator S4 class

# **Description**

no Description

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#### Methods

Exported methods directly defined for class TransportDecompositionOperator:

turnoverFit

Estimation of the turnover time from a soil radiocarbon sample.

# **Description**

This function finds the best possible value of turnover time from a soil radiocarbon sample assuming a one pool model and annual litter inputs.

### Usage

```
turnoverFit(obsC14, obsyr, In, C0 = 0, yr0 = 1900, Zone = "NHZone2",
   plot = TRUE, by = 0.5)
```

### Arguments

obsC14	a scalar with the observed radiocarbon value in Delta14C of the soil sample.
obsyr	a scalar with the year in which the soil sample was taken.
In	a scalar or data.frame with the annual amount of litter inputs to the soil.
CØ	a scalar with the initial amount of carbon stored at the begning of the simulation.
yr0	The year at which simulations will start.
Zone	the hemispheric zone of atmospheric radiocarbon. Possible values are NHZone1: northern hemisphere zone 1, NHZone2: northern hemisphere zone 2, NHZone3: northern hemisphere zone 3, SHZone12: southern hemisphere zones 1 and 2, SHZone3: southern hemisphere zone 3. See Hua2013 for additional information.
plot	logical. Should the function produce a plot?
by	numeric. The increment of the sequence of years used in the simulations.

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# **Details**

This algorithm takes the observed values and a given amount of litter inputs, runs OnepModel14, calculates the squared difference between predictions and observations, and uses optimize to find the minimum difference. If the turnover time is relatively short (< 50 yrs), it is safe to assume C0=0 because the soil will reach steady state within the simulation time. However, for longer turnover times it is recommended to use a value of C0 close to the steady state value.

#### Value

A scalar with the value of the turnover time that minimizes the difference between the prediction of a one pool model and the observed radiocarbon value.

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# **Description**

This function creates a model for two pools connected with feedback. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel.

### Usage

```
TwopFeedbackModel(t, ks, a21, a12, C0, In, xi = 1,
    solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

### **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
ks	A vector of length 2 with the values of the decomposition rate for pools 1 and 2.
a21	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 1 to pool 2.
a12	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 2 to pool 1.
C0	A vector of length 2 containing the initial amount of carbon for the 2 pools.
In	A data frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
xi	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

#### Value

A Model Object that can be further queried

#### References

Sierra, C.A., M. Mueller, S.E. Trumbore. 2012. Models of soil organic matter decomposition: the SoilR package version 1.0. Geoscientific Model Development 5, 1045-1060.

#### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

### **Examples**

```
#This example show the difference between the three types of two-pool models
times=seq(0,20,by=0.1)
ks=c(k1=0.8, k2=0.00605)
C0=c(C10=5,C20=5)
Temp=rnorm(times, 15, 2)
WC=runif(times, 10, 20)
TempEffect=data.frame(times,fT=fT.Daycent1(Temp))
MoistEffect=data.frame(times, fW=fW.Daycent2(WC)[2])
Inmean=1
InRand=data.frame(times,Random.inputs=rnorm(length(times),Inmean,0.2))
InSin=data.frame(times,Inmean+0.5*sin(times*pi*2))
Parallel=TwopParallelModel(t=times,ks=ks,C0=C0,In=Inmean,gam=0.9,
xi=(fT.Daycent1(15)*fW.Demeter(15)))
Series=TwopSeriesModel(t=times,ks=ks,a21=0.2*ks[1],C0=C0,In=InSin,
xi=(fT.Daycent1(15)*fW.Demeter(15)))
Feedback=TwopFeedbackModel(t=times,ks=ks,a21=0.2*ks[1],a12=0.5*ks[2],C0=C0,
In=InRand,xi=MoistEffect)
CtP=getC(Parallel)
CtS=getC(Series)
CtF=getC(Feedback)
RtP=getReleaseFlux(Parallel)
RtS=getReleaseFlux(Series)
RtF=getReleaseFlux(Feedback)
par(mfrow=c(2,1), mar=c(4,4,1,1))
plot(times,rowSums(CtP),type="1",ylim=c(0,20),ylab="Carbon stocks (arbitrary units)",xlab=" ")
lines(times,rowSums(CtS),col=2)
lines(times,rowSums(CtF),col=3)
legend("topleft",c("Two-pool Parallel","Two-pool Series","Two-pool Feedback"),
lty=c(1,1,1),col=c(1,2,3),bty="n")
plot(times,rowSums(RtP),type="1",ylim=c(0,3),ylab="Carbon release (arbitrary units)", xlab="Time")
lines(times,rowSums(RtS),col=2)
lines(times,rowSums(RtF),col=3)
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
```

TwopFeedbackModel14 Implementation of a two-pool C14 model with feedback structure

# Description

This function creates a model for two pools connected with feedback. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel\_14 that can handle an arbitrary number of pools.

# Usage

```
TwopFeedbackModel14(t, ks, C0, F0_Delta14C, In, a21, a12, xi = 1,
  inputFc, lambda = -0.0001209681, lag = 0,
  solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

# Arguments

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought. It must be specified within the same period for which the Delta 14 C of the atmosphere is provided. The default period in the provided dataset C14Atm_NH is 1900-2010.
ks	A vector of length 2 containing the decomposition rates for the 2 pools.
C0	A vector of length 2 containing the initial amount of carbon for the 2 pools.
F0_Delta14C	A vector of length 2 containing the initial amount of the radiocarbon fraction for the 2 pools as Delta14C values in per mil.
In	A scalar or a data frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
a21	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 1 to pool 2.
a12	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 2 to pool 1.
xi	A scalar or a data frame specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
inputFc	A Data Frame object containing values of atmospheric Delta14C per time. First column must be time values, second column must be Delta14C values in per mil.
lambda	Radioactive decay constant. By default lambda=-0.0001209681 y^-1. This has the side effect that all your time related data are treated as if the time unit was year.
lag	A positive integer representing a time lag for radiocarbon to enter the system.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

### Value

A Model Object that can be further queried

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### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model\_14.

# **Examples**

```
years=seq(1901,2009,by=0.5)
LitterInput=700
Ex=TwopFeedbackModel14(t=years,ks=c(k1=1/2.8, k2=1/35),C0=c(200,5000),
F0_Delta14C=c(0,0),In=LitterInput, a21=0.1,a12=0.01,inputFc=C14Atm_NH)
R14m=getF14R(Ex)
C14m=getF14C(Ex)
C14t=getF14(Ex)
par(mfrow=c(2,1))
plot(C14Atm_NH,type="l",xlab="Year",ylab="Delta 14C (per mil)",xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years, C14t[,1], col=4)
lines(years, C14t[,2],col=4,lwd=2)
legend("topright",c("Delta 14C Atmosphere", "Delta 14C pool 1", "Delta 14C pool 2"),
lty=c(1,1,1),col=c(1,4,4),lwd=c(1,1,2),bty="n")
plot(C14Atm_NH,type="1",xlab="Year",ylab="Delta 14C (per mil)",xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years,C14m,col=4)
lines(years,R14m,col=2)
legend("topright",c("Delta 14C Atmosphere","Delta 14C SOM", "Delta 14C Respired"),
lty=c(1,1,1), col=c(1,4,2),bty="n")
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
```

TwopMMmodel

Implementation of a two-pool Michaelis-Menten model

# **Description**

This function implements a two-pool Michaelis-Meneten model with a microbial biomass and a substrate pool.

#### **Usage**

```
TwopMMmodel(t, ks = 1.8e-05, kb = 0.007, Km = 900, r = 0.6, Af = 1, ADD = 3.2, ival)
```

### **Arguments**

t	vector of times (in days) to calculate a solution.
ks	a scalar representing SOM decomposition rate (m3 d-1 (gCB)-1)
kb	a scalar representing microbial decay rate (d-1)
Km	a scalar representing the Michaelis constant (g m-3)

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r	a scalar representing the respired carbon fraction (unitless)
Af	a scalar representing the Activity factor; i.e. a temperature and moisture modifier (unitless)
ADD	a scalar representing the annual C input to the soil (g m-3 d-1)
ival	a vector of length 2 with the initial values of the SOM pool and the microbial biomass pool (g m-3)

#### **Details**

This implementation is similar to the model described in Manzoni and Porporato (2007).

#### Value

Microbial biomass over time

#### References

Manzoni, S, A. Porporato (2007). A theoretical analysis of nonlinearities and feedbacks in soil carbon and nitrogen cycles. Soil Biology and Biochemistry 39: 1542-1556.

#### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

# **Examples**

```
days = seq(0,1000,0.5)
MMmodel=TwopMMmodel(t=days,ival=c(100,10))
Cpools=getC(MMmodel)
matplot(days,Cpools,type="1",ylab="Concentrations",xlab="Days",lty=1,ylim=c(0,max(Cpools)*1.2))
legend("topleft",c("SOM-C", "Microbial biomass"),lty=1,col=c(1,2),bty="n")
ks=0.000018
kb=0.007
r=0.6
ADD=3.2
#Analytical solution of fixed points
\#Cs_=kb/((1-r)*ks) wrong look at the sympy test print twopMModel.pdf
Km=900
Af=1
Cs=kb*Km/(Af*ks*(1-r)-kb)
abline(h=Cs,lty=2)
Cb=(ADD*(1-r))/(r*kb)
abline(h=Cb,lty=2,col=2)
#State-space diagram
plot(Cpools[,2],Cpools[,1],type="1",ylab="SOM-C",xlab="Microbial biomass")
plot(days,Cpools[,2],type="l",col=2,xlab="Days",ylab="Microbial biomass")
#The default parameterization exhaust the microbial biomass.
#A different behavior is obtained by increasing ks and decreasing kb
MMmodel=TwopMMmodel(t=days,ival=c(972,304),Af=3,kb=0.0000001)
Cpools=getC(MMmodel)
```

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```
matplot(days,Cpools,type="1",ylab="Concentrations",xlab="Days",lty=1,ylim=c(0,max(Cpools)*1.2))
legend("topleft",c("SOM-C", "Microbial biomass"),lty=1,col=c(1,2),bty="n")
plot(Cpools[,2],Cpools[,1],type="1",ylab="SOM-C",xlab="Microbial biomass")
plot(days,Cpools[,2],type="1",col=2,xlab="Days",ylab="Microbial biomass")
```

TwopParallelModel

Implementation of a linear two pool model with parallel structure

# Description

This function creates a model for two independent (parallel) pools. It is a wrapper for the more general function ParallelModel that can handle an arbitrary number of pools.

### Usage

```
TwopParallelModel(t, ks, C0, In, gam, xi = 1,
    solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

# **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
ks	A vector of length 2 containing the decomposition rates for the 2 pools.
C0	A vector of length 2 containing the initial amount of carbon for the 2 pools.
In	A scalar or a data frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
gam	A scalar representing the partitioning coefficient, i.e. the proportion from the total amount of inputs that goes to pool 1.
xi	A scalar or a data.frame specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

# Value

A Model Object that can be further queried

#### References

Sierra, C.A., M. Mueller, S.E. Trumbore. 2012. Models of soil organic matter decomposition: the SoilR package version 1.0. Geoscientific Model Development 5, 1045-1060.

### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

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# **Examples**

```
t_start=0
t_end=10
tn=50
timestep=(t_end-t_start)/tn
t=seq(t_start,t_end,timestep)
 \texttt{Ex=TwopParallelModel(t,ks=c(k1=0.5,k2=0.2),C0=c(c10=100,\ c20=150),In=10,gam=0.7,xi=0.5)} \\
Ct=getC(Ex)
plot(t,rowSums(Ct),type="1",lwd=2,
ylab="Carbon stocks (arbitrary units)",xlab="Time",ylim=c(0,sum(Ct[1,])))
lines(t,Ct[,1],col=2)
lines(t,Ct[,2],col=4)
legend("topright",c("Total C","C in pool 1", "C in pool 2"),
lty=c(1,1,1),col=c(1,2,4),lwd=c(2,1,1),bty="n")
Rt=getReleaseFlux(Ex)
plot(t,rowSums(Rt),type="l",ylab="Carbon released (arbitrary units)",
xlab="Time",lwd=2,ylim=c(0,sum(Rt[1,])))
lines(t,Rt[,1],col=2)
lines(t,Rt[,2],col=4)
legend("topleft",c("Total C release","C release from pool 1", "C release from pool 2"),
lty=c(1,1,1),col=c(1,2,4),lwd=c(2,1,1),bty="n")
```

TwopParallelModel14 Implementation of a two-pool C14 model with parallel structure

# Description

This function creates a model for two independent (parallel) pools. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel\_14 that can handle an arbitrary number of pools.

# Usage

```
TwopParallelModel14(t, ks, C0, F0_Delta14C, In, gam, xi = 1, inputFc,
lambda = -0.0001209681, lag = 0, solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper,
pass = FALSE)
```

# **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought. It must be specified within the same period for which the Delta 14 C of the atmosphere is provided. The default period in the provided dataset C14Atm_NH is 1900-2010.
ks	A vector of length 2 containing the decomposition rates for the 2 pools.
C0	A vector of length 2 containing the initial amount of carbon for the 2 pools.
F0_Delta14C	A vector of length 2 containing the initial amount of the fraction of radiocarbon for the 2 pools as Delta14C values in per mil.
In	A scalar or a data.frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.

gam	A scalar representing the partitioning coefficient, i.e. the proportion from the total amount of inputs that goes to pool 1.
xi	A scalar or a data.frame specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
inputFc	A Data Frame object containing values of atmospheric Delta14C per time. First column must be time values, second column must be Delta14C values in per mil.
lambda	Radioactive decay constant. By default lambda=-0.0001209681 y^-1 . This has the side effect that all your time related data are treated as if the time unit was year.
lag	A positive scalar representing a time lag for radiocarbon to enter the system.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

#### Value

A Model Object that can be further queried

### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model\_14.

# **Examples**

```
lag <- 2
years=seq(1901+lag,2009,by=0.5)
LitterInput=700
Ex=TwopParallelModel14(t=years,ks=c(k1=1/2.8, k2=1/35),C0=c(200,5000),
F0_Delta14C=c(0,0),In=LitterInput, gam=0.7,inputFc=C14Atm_NH,lag=lag)
R14m=getF14R(Ex)
C14m=getF14C(Ex)
C14t=getF14(Ex)
par(mfrow=c(2,1))
plot(C14Atm_NH,type="l",xlab="Year",ylab="Delta 14C (per mil)",xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years, C14t[,1], col=4)
lines(years, C14t[,2],col=4,lwd=2)
legend("topright",c("Delta 14C Atmosphere", "Delta 14C pool 1", "Delta 14C pool 2"),
lty=c(1,1,1),col=c(1,4,4),lwd=c(1,1,2),bty="n")
plot(C14Atm_NH,type="1",xlab="Year",ylab="Delta 14C (per mil)",xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years,C14m,col=4)
lines(years,R14m,col=2)
legend("topright",c("Delta 14C Atmosphere","Delta 14C SOM", "Delta 14C Respired"),
lty=c(1,1,1), col=c(1,4,2),bty="n")
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
```

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# **Description**

This function creates a model for two pools connected in series. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel.

# Usage

```
TwopSeriesModel(t, ks, a21, C0, In, xi = 1,
    solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

# Arguments

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.	
ks	A vector of length 2 with the values of the decomposition rate for pools 1 and 2.	
a21	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 1 to pool 2.	
C0	A vector of length 2 containing the initial amount of carbon for the 2 pools.	
In	A scalar or a data frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.	
xi	A scalar or a data frame specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.	
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.	
pass	if TRUE Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid	

### Value

A Model Object that can be further queried

### References

Sierra, C.A., M. Mueller, S.E. Trumbore. 2012. Models of soil organic matter decomposition: the SoilR package version 1.0. Geoscientific Model Development 5, 1045-1060.

# See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

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### **Examples**

```
t_start=0
t_end=10
tn=50
timestep=(t_end-t_start)/tn
t=seq(t_start,t_end,timestep)
ks=c(k1=0.8, k2=0.4)
a21=0.5
C0=c(C10=100,C20=150)
In = 30
Temp=rnorm(t,15,1)
TempEffect=data.frame(t,fT.Daycent1(Temp))
Ex1=TwopSeriesModel(t,ks,a21,C0,In,xi=TempEffect)
Ct=getC(Ex1)
Rt=getReleaseFlux(Ex1)
plot(t,rowSums(Ct),type="l",ylab="Carbon stocks (arbitrary units)",
xlab="Time (arbitrary units)",lwd=2,ylim=c(0,sum(Ct[1,])))
lines(t,Ct[,1],col=2)
lines(t,Ct[,2],col=4)
legend("bottomright",c("Total C","C in pool 1", "C in pool 2"),
lty=c(1,1,1),col=c(1,2,4),lwd=c(2,1,1),bty="n")
```

TwopSeriesModel14

Implementation of a two-pool C14 model with series structure

# **Description**

This function creates a model for two pools connected in series. It is a wrapper for the more general function GeneralModel\_14 that can handle an arbitrary number of pools.

### Usage

```
TwopSeriesModel14(t, ks, C0, F0_Delta14C, In, a21, xi = 1, inputFc,
  lambda = -0.0001209681, lag = 0, solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper,
  pass = FALSE)
```

### **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought. It must be specified within the same period for which the Delta 14 C of the atmosphere is provided. The default period in the provided dataset C14Atm_NH is 1900-2010.
ks	A vector of length 2 containing the decomposition rates for the 2 pools.
C0	A vector of length 2 containing the initial amount of carbon for the 2 pools.
F0_Delta14C	A vector of length 2 containing the initial amount of the radiocarbon fraction for the 2 pools as Delta14C values in per mil.

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In	A scalar or a data frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time.
a21	A scalar with the value of the transfer rate from pool 1 to pool 2.
xi	A scalar or a data frame specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
inputFc	A Data Frame object containing values of atmospheric Delta14C per time. First column must be time values, second column must be Delta14C values in per mil.
lambda	Radioactive decay constant. By default lambda=-0.0001209681 y^-1. This has the side effect that all your time related data are treated as if the time unit was year.
lag	A (positive) scalar representing a time lag for radiocarbon to enter the system.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE Forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

### Value

A Model Object that can be further queried

#### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model\_14.

### **Examples**

```
years=seq(1901,2009,by=0.5)
LitterInput=700
Ex=TwopSeriesModel14(t=years,ks=c(k1=1/2.8, k2=1/35),
C0=c(200,5000), F0_Delta14C=c(0,0),
In=LitterInput, a21=0.1,inputFc=C14Atm_NH)
R14m=getF14R(Ex)
C14m=getF14C(Ex)
C14t=getF14(Ex)
par(mfrow=c(2,1))
plot(C14Atm_NH, type="1", xlab="Year",
ylab="Delta 14C (per mil)",xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years, C14t[,1], col=4)
lines(years, C14t[,2],col=4,lwd=2)
legend("topright",c("Delta 14C Atmosphere", "Delta 14C pool 1", "Delta 14C pool 2"),
lty=c(1,1,1),col=c(1,4,4),lwd=c(1,1,2),bty="n")
plot(C14Atm_NH,type="1",xlab="Year",ylab="Delta 14C (per mil)",xlim=c(1940,2010))
lines(years,C14m,col=4)
lines(years,R14m,col=2)
legend("topright",c("Delta 14C Atmosphere","Delta 14C SOM", "Delta 14C Respired"),
lty=c(1,1,1), col=c(1,4,2),bty="n")
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
```

UnBoundInFlux-class

constant decomposition operator

# **Description**

no Description

# Methods

Exported methods directly defined for class UnBoundInFlux:

```
getFunctionDefinition signature(object = "UnBoundInFlux"): ... getFunctionDefinition, UnBoundInFlux-method
getTimeRange signature(object = "UnBoundInFlux"): ... getTimeRange, UnBoundInFlux-method
```

Methods inherited from superclasses:

from class InFlux:

GeneralInFlux signature(object = "InFlux"): ... GeneralInFlux, InFlux-method

 ${\tt UnBoundLinDecompOp,function-method}$ 

UnBoundLinDecompOp,function-method construct from matrix valued function

# **Description**

This method creates a UnBoundLinDecompOp from a matrix The operator is assumed to act on the vector of carbon stocks by multiplication of the (time dependent) matrix from the left.

# Arguments

matFunc

: of class function

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constant decomposition operator

### **Description**

no Description

#### Methods

Exported methods directly defined for class UnBoundLinDecompOp:

**BoundLinDecompOp** signature(map = "UnBoundLinDecompOp"): ... BoundLinDecompOp, UnBoundLinDecompOp-method getFunctionDefinition signature(object = "UnBoundLinDecompOp"): ... getFunctionDefinition, UnBoundLinDecompOp getTimeRange signature(object = "UnBoundLinDecompOp"): ... getTimeRange, UnBoundLinDecompOp-method

Methods inherited from superclasses:

from class DecompOp:

GeneralDecompOp signature(object = "DecompOp"): ... GeneralDecompOp, DecompOp-method

Yasso07Model

Implementation of the Yasso07 model

### **Description**

This function creates a model for five pools as described in Tuomi et al. (2009)

# Usage

```
Yasso07Model(t, ks = c(kA = 0.66, kW = 4.3, kE = 0.35, kN = 0.22, kH = 0.0033), p = c(p1 = 0.32, p2 = 0.01, p3 = 0.93, p4 = 0.34, p5 = 0, p6 = 0, p7 = 0.035, p8 = 0.005, p9 = 0.01, p10 = 5e-04, p11 = 0.03, p12 = 0.92, pH = 0.04), C0, In, xi = 1, solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

### **Arguments**

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
ks	A vector of lenght 5 containing the values of the decomposition rates for each pool.
р	A vector of length 13 containing transfer coefficients among different pools.
C0	A vector containing the initial amount of carbon for the 5 pools. The length of this vector must be 5.

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In	A single scalar or data.frame object specifying the amount of litter inputs by time
xi	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

#### Value

A Model Object that can be further queried

#### References

Tuomi, M., Thum, T., Jarvinen, H., Fronzek, S., Berg, B., Harmon, M., Trofymow, J., Sevanto, S., and Liski, J. (2009). Leaf litter decomposition-estimates of global variability based on Yasso07 model. Ecological Modelling, 220:3362 - 3371.

#### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

### **Examples**

```
years=seq(0,50,0.1)
C0=rep(100,5)
In=0

Ex1=Yasso07Model(t=years,C0=C0,In=In)
Ct=getC(Ex1)
Rt=getReleaseFlux(Ex1)

plotCPool(years,Ct,col=1:5,xlab="years",ylab="C pool",
ylim=c(0,max(Ct)))
legend("topright",c("xA","xW","xE","xN","xH"),lty=1,col=1:5,bty="n")

plotCPool(years,Rt,col=1:5,xlab="years",ylab="Respiration",ylim=c(0,50))
legend("topright",c("xA","xW","xE","xN","xH"),lty=1,col=1:5,bty="n")
```

YassoModel

Implementation of the Yasso model.

# **Description**

This function creates a model for seven pools as described in Liski et al. (2005). Model not yet implemented due to lack of data in original publication: values of vector p not completely described in paper. 0.1 was assumed.

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### Usage

```
YassoModel(t, ks = c(a_fwl = 0.54, a_cwl = 0.03, k_ext = 0.48, k_cel = 0.3, k_lig = 0.22, k_hum1 = 0.012, k_hum2 = 0.0012), p = c(fwl_ext = 0.1, cwl_ext = 0.1, fwl_cel = 0.1, cwl_cel = 0.1, fwl_lig = 0.1, cwl_lig = 0.1, pext = 0.05, pcel = 0.24, plig = 0.77, phum1 = 0.51), C0, In = c(u_fwl = 0.0758, u_cwl = 0.0866, u_nwl_cnwl_ext = 0.251 * 0.3, u_nwl_cnwl_cel = 0.251 * 0.3, u_nwl_cnwl_lig = 0.251 * 0.3, 0, 0), xi = 1, solver = deSolve.lsoda.wrapper, pass = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

t	A vector containing the points in time where the solution is sought.
ks	A vector of lenght 7 containing the values of the exposure and decomposition rates for each pool.
р	A vector of containing transfer coefficients among different pools.
C0	A vector containing the initial amount of carbon for the 7 pools. The length of this vector must be 7.
In	A vector of constatn litter inputs.
xi	A scalar or data.frame object specifying the external (environmental and/or edaphic) effects on decomposition rates.
solver	A function that solves the system of ODEs. This can be euler or deSolve.lsoda.wrapper or any other user provided function with the same interface.
pass	if TRUE forces the constructor to create the model even if it is invalid

### Value

A Model Object that can be further queried

### References

Liski, J., Palosuo, T., Peltoniemi, M., and Sievanen, R. (2005). Carbon and decomposition model Yasso for forest soils. Ecological Modelling, 189:168-182.

### See Also

There are other predefinedModels and also more general functions like Model.

# **Examples**

```
years=seq(0,500,0.5)
C0=rep(100,7)
#
Ex1=YassoModel(t=years,C0=C0)
Ct=getC(Ex1)
Rt=getReleaseFlux(Ex1)
#
plotCPool(years,Ct,col=1:7,xlab="years",ylab="C pool",ylim=c(0,200))
legend("topright",c("fwl","cwl","ext","cel","lig","hum1","hum2"),lty=1,col=1:7,bty="n")
```

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```
#
plotCPool(years,Rt,col=1:7,xlab="years",ylab="Respiration",ylim=c(0,50))
legend("topright",c("fwl","cwl","ext","cel","lig","hum1","hum2"),lty=1,col=1:7,bty="n")
```

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