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Read, Write, and Convert xlum Data

## Description

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## **Details**

## **Support contact**

• https://github.com/R-Lum/xlum/discussions

#### **Bug reporting**

• https://github.com/R-Lum/xlum/issues

## Project source code repository

• https://github.com/R-Lum/xlum

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Convert Risø BIN/BINX to XLUM

## **Description**

Convert Risø BIN/BINX to XLUM

## Usage

```
convert_binx2xlum(file, out_file = NULL)
convert_bin2xlum(file, out_file = NULL)
```

## **Arguments**

file character (required): file

out\_file character (optional): output file, if set a file output is created

#### Value

Depending on the setting. If out\_file == NULL an xml2::xml\_document object is returned, if file is set the function attempts to write an \*.xlum file'.

#### **Function version**

0.1.0

## How to cite

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## Author(s)

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## See Also

```
convert_rlum2xlum, Luminescence::read_BIN2R
```

```
file <- system.file("extdata/BINfile_V8.binx", package = "Luminescence")
convert_binx2xlum(file)</pre>
```

## **Description**

Convert Daybreak TXT and DAT files to XLUM

## Usage

```
convert_Daybreak2xlum(file, out_file = NULL)
```

## **Arguments**

file character (required): file

out\_file character (optional): output file, if set a file output is created

#### Value

Depending on the setting. If out\_file == NULL an xml2::xml\_document object is returned, if file is set the function attempts to write an \*.xlum file'.

## **Function version**

0.1.0

## How to cite

Kreutzer, S., 2022. convert\_Daybreak2xlum(): Convert Daybreak TXT and DAT files to XLUM. Function version 0.1.0. In: Kreutzer, S., 2022. xlum: Read, Write, and Convert XLUM Data. R package version 0.1.0.9000-61.

#### Author(s)

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## See Also

```
convert_rlum2xlum, Luminescence::read_Daybreak2R
```

```
file <- system.file("extdata/Daybreak_TestFile.txt", package = "Luminescence")
convert_Daybreak2xlum(file)</pre>
```

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Convert SUERC PSL-files to XLUM

## **Description**

Convert SUERC PSL-files to XLUM

## Usage

```
convert_psl2xlum(file, out_file = NULL)
```

## **Arguments**

file character (required): file

out\_file character (optional): output file, if set a file output is created

#### Value

Depending on the setting. If out\_file == NULL an xml2::xml\_document object is returned, if file is set the function attempts to write an \*.xlum file'.

## **Function version**

0.1.0

## How to cite

Kreutzer, S., 2022. convert\_psl2xlum(): Convert SUERC PSL-files to XLUM. Function version 0.1.0. In: Kreutzer, S., 2022. xlum: Read, Write, and Convert XLUM Data. R package version 0.1.0.9000-61.

#### Author(s)

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## See Also

```
convert_rlum2xlum, Luminescence::read_PSL2R
```

```
file <- system.file("extdata", "DorNie_0016.psl", package = "Luminescence")
convert_psl2xlum(file)</pre>
```

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convert\_rlum2xlum

Convert RLum-class objects to the XLUM format

#### **Description**

Converts Luminescence::RLum objects to xlum format

#### Usage

```
convert_rlum2xlum(rlum, file = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

rlum Luminescence::RLum.Data and Luminescence::RLum.Analysis or a list of it

(required): input for the conversion

file character (optional): file name for the export, if NULL (the default), an xml2::xml\_document

object is returned

#### **Details**

The function tries to make a best possible conversion of the Luminescence::RLum to the xlum format. Luminescence::RLum.Results objects are not supported.

Because of the nature the Luminescence::RLum structure, the nodes <xlum/>, <sample/> are set automatically because the Luminescence::RLum does not distinguish between different samples.

## Value

Depending on the setting. If file == NULL an xml2::xml\_document object is returned, if file is set the function attempts to write an \*.xlum file'.

#### **Function version**

0.1.0

#### How to cite

Kreutzer, S., 2022. convert\_rlum2xlum(): Convert RLum-class objects to the XLUM format. Function version 0.1.0. In: Kreutzer, S., 2022. xlum: Read, Write, and Convert XLUM Data. R package version 0.1.0.9000-61.

#### Author(s)

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## See Also

Luminescence::RLum.Data, write\_xlum

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#### **Examples**

```
data(ExampleData.RLum.Analysis,
envir = environment(),
package = "Luminescence")
convert_rlum2xlum(IRSAR.RF.Data)
```

convert\_xsyg2xlum

Convert Freiberg Instruments XSYG files to XLUM

## Description

Convert Freiberg Instruments XSYG files to XLUM

## Usage

```
convert_xsyg2xlum(file, out_file = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

file character (required): file

out\_file character (optional): output file, if set a file output is created

#### Value

Depending on the setting. If out\_file == NULL an xml2::xml\_document object is returned, if file is set the function attempts to write an \*.xlum file'.

## **Function version**

0.1.0

#### How to cite

Kreutzer, S., 2022. convert\_xsyg2xlum(): Convert Freiberg Instruments XSYG files to XLUM. Function version 0.1.0. In: Kreutzer, S., 2022. xlum: Read, Write, and Convert XLUM Data. R package version 0.1.0.9000-61.

## Author(s)

Sebastian Kreutzer, Geography & Earth Sciences, Aberystwyth University (United Kingdom)

#### See Also

```
convert_rlum2xlum, Luminescence::read_XSYG2R
```

```
file <- system.file("extdata/XSYG_file.xsyg", package = "Luminescence")
convert_xsyg2xlum(file)</pre>
```

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Import XLUM files

## **Description**

Imports XLUM-files using xml2::read\_xml. Comes with a few convenience features, such as the transformation of string lists to numeric vectors where meaningful.

## Usage

```
read_xlum(file, verify = TRUE, output = "xlum_list")
```

#### **Arguments**

file character (required): path to file

verify logical (with default): enable/disable format validation

output character (with default): output object of the import, supported are "xml\_document",

"list", "xlum\_list" (the default)

#### **Details**

#### **Supported output options**

"xlum\_list" (default): imports XML-data and coerces them to list. Numeric values for level <curve> are transposed into numeric vectors for better handling

"list": imports XML-data and coerces it to a list, no further treatment of data

#### Value

The output depends on the setting selected in output. It will be either an xml2::xml\_document, list, or a list of class xlum\_list.

#### **Function version**

0.1.0

### How to cite

Kreutzer, S., 2022. read\_xlum(): Import XLUM files. Function version 0.1.0. In: Kreutzer, S., 2022. xlum: Read, Write, and Convert XLUM Data. R package version 0.1.0.9000-61.

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## See Also

```
xml2::read_xml, validate_xlum, write_xlum
```

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## **Examples**

```
file <- system.file("extdata/xlum_example.xlum", package="xlum")
read_xlum(file)</pre>
```

validate\_xlum

Validate xlum format against an XSD reference schema

## **Description**

A a convenience wrapper around xml2::xml\_validate against the reference format description shipped with xlum-package

## Usage

```
validate_xlum(file)
```

#### **Arguments**

file xml2::xml doc

xml2::xml\_document (**required**): object to test

## Value

Results of the validation logical with attributes

## How to cite

Kreutzer, S., 2022. validate\_xlum(): Validate xlum format against an XSD reference schema. In: Kreutzer, S., 2022. xlum: Read, Write, and Convert XLUM Data. R package version 0.1.0.9000-61.

## Author(s)

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```
file <- system.file("extdata/xlum_prototype.xlum", package = "xlum")
validate_xlum(file)</pre>
```

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Write XLUM-files

## **Description**

Create XLUM-files using xml2::read\_xml

#### Usage

```
write_xlum(x, file, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

#### Value

Creates an XML-file with ending \*.xlum

#### **Function version**

0.1.0

## How to cite

Kreutzer, S., 2022. write\_xlum(): Write XLUM-files. Function version 0.1.0. In: Kreutzer, S., 2022. xlum: Read, Write, and Convert XLUM Data. R package version 0.1.0.9000-61.

## Author(s)

Sebastian Kreutzer, Geography & Earth Sciences, Aberystwyth University (united Kingdom)

## See Also

```
xml2::write_xml, read_xlum
```

```
file <- system.file("extdata/xlum_prototype.xlum", package="xlum")
out_file <- tempfile()

xlum_data <- read_xlum(file)
write_xlum(xlum_data, out_file)</pre>
```

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