

# erw-l3\*

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## Abstract

L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X3 package defining narrow-purpose commands built around `expl3`[\[1\]](#).

## 1 Intro

This package consists of the following modules

1. `compose` Musings in recursion. Think  $f_1 \circ f_2 \cdots \circ f_n$ , where the  $f_i$ 's are either pre- or inline-defined commands
1. `csutil` Narrow-purpose, handy, commands
1. `disambig` Wrapper around `\NewDocumentCommand`[\[3\]](#) to prevent name conflicts with existing commands.
1. `numbrdcs` Numbered commands built from other commands or inline

## Part I

# Usage

We call front-end commands those that are for typesetting, and back-end commands those that go into the code of front-end commands. The first and second are recognizable by the absence and presence, respectively, of the prefix `erw_` in, and `_` and `:` inside, their identifier (a.k.a control sequence name). See [\[2, Part l3bootstrap\]](#).

## 1 Getting started

Make sure the file `erw-l3.sty` is in the path of the L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X engine. Load the package as follows in the preamble of the document:

```
\usepackage[<options>]{erw-l3}
```

## 2 Options

`disambig=<prefix>`

A prefix that is added to front-end command names, should they conflict with existing commands. For all the modules, except the `disambig` module itself.

## 3 csutil

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<code>\erw_apply:Nn</code>	<code>\erw_apply:Nn&lt;cs&gt;{\args}</code>
<code>\erw_apply:cn</code>	

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<code>\erw_cs_set_eq:NN</code>	<code>\erw_cs_set_eq:NN&lt;cs&gt;&lt;cs&gt;</code>
<code>\erw_cs_set_eq:cN</code>	

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<code>\erw_cs_set_inline:Nn</code>	<code>\erw_cs_set_inline:Nn&lt;cs&gt;{\code}</code>
<code>\erw_cs_set_inline:cn</code>	

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<code>\erw_fold:NV</code>	<code>\erw_fold:NV&lt;cs&gt;&lt;var&gt;</code>
<code>\erw_fold:cV</code>	

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See Listing 9

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<code>\erw_map:Nn</code>	<code>\erw_map:Nn&lt;cs&gt;{\args}</code>
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See Listing 10. Redundant with `\tl_map_function:nN` (but I use it to access internals in another package).

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<code>\erw_map_inline:nn</code>	<code>\erw_map_inline:nn{\code}{\args}</code>
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See Listing 11

## 4 compose

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<code>\erw_compose:nV</code>	<code>\erw_compose:nV{\cs list}&lt;var&gt;</code>
<code>\erw_compose:nn</code>	

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See Listing 3

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<code>\erw_compose_c:nV</code>	<code>\erw_compose_c:nV{\cs names}&lt;var&gt;</code>
<code>\erw_compose_c:nn</code>	

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See Listing 4

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<code>\erw_compose_seq:nV</code>	<code>\erw_compose_seq:nV{\cs list}&lt;seq&gt;</code>
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See Listing 5

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<code>\erw_compose_seq_c:nV</code>	<code>\erw_compose_seq_c:nV{\cs names}&lt;seq&gt;</code>
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See Listing 6

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<code>\erw_compose_vers:nV</code>	<code>\erw_compose_vers:nV{&lt;list of cs or code&gt;}{&lt;var&gt;}</code>
<code>\erw_compose_vers:nn</code>	See Listing 7. Only the nn version is implemented

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<code>\erw_compose_seq_vers:nV</code>	<code>\erw_compose_seq_vers:nV{&lt;list of cs or code&gt;}{&lt;seq&gt;}</code>
<code>\erw_compose_seq_vers:nn</code>	Not implemented.

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## 5 disambig

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<code>\disambigset</code>	<code>\disambigset{&lt;prefix&gt;}</code>
	See Listing 12

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<code>\disambignewcmd</code>	<code>\disambignewcmd{&lt;cs name&gt;}{&lt;pars&gt;}{&lt;code&gt;}</code>
<code>\disambignewcmd*</code>	See Listing 13

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<code>\disambignewenv</code>	<code>\disambignewenv{&lt;env name&gt;}{&lt;pars&gt;}{&lt;code1&gt;}{&lt;code2&gt;}</code>
<code>\disambignewenv*</code>	See Listing 14

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## 6 numbrdcs

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<code>\numbrdcsnew</code>	<code>\numbrdcsnew{&lt;list of cs or code&gt;}</code>
<code>\numbrdcsnew*</code>	Creates numbered control sequences. The starred version does not reset. See Listing 15

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<code>\numbrdcs</code>	<code>\numbrdcs{&lt;int&gt;}{&lt;arg&gt;}</code>
	Evaluates control sequence numbered <code>&lt;int&gt;</code> with argument <code>&lt;arg&gt;</code> . See Listing 15

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<code>\erw_numbrd_cs_reset:</code>	<code>\erw_numbrd_cs_reset:{}_</code>
	See Listing 16

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<code>\erw_numbrd_cs_new:n</code>	<code>\erw_numbrd_cs_new:n {&lt;cs or code&gt;}</code>
	Use it as the first arg to <code>\tl_function_map:Nn</code>

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<code>\erw_numbrd_cs:nn</code>	<code>\erw_numbrd_cs:nn {&lt;cs or code&gt;}</code>
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<code>\erw_numbrd_cs_names_braced:nnn</code>	<code>\erw_numbrd_cs_names_braced:nnn{&lt;first&gt;}{&lt;step&gt;}{&lt;last&gt;}</code>
	See Listing 16

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## Part II

# Listings

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### Listing 1 Initialization

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```
\NewDocumentCommand{\myfoo}{m}{f(#1)}
\NewDocumentCommand{\mybar}{m}{g(#1)}
\NewDocumentCommand{\mybaz}{m}{h(#1)}
```

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### Listing 2 Initialization

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```
\ExplSyntaxOn
\cs_set:Npn\__foo #1 {f(#1)}
\cs_set:Npn\__bar #1 {g[#1]}
\cs_set:Npn\__baz #1 {h\{#1\}}
\ExplSyntaxOff
```

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## 1 compose

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### Listing 3

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```
\tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl{X}
\erw_compose:nV{
  {\__foo}{\__bar}{\__baz}}
  \l_tmpa_tl
\l_tmpa_tl                                h{g[f(X)]}
\tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl{X}
\erw_compose:nn{
  {\__foo}{\__bar}{\__baz}}
  {X}                                    h{g[f(X)]}
```

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### Listing 4

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```
\tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl{X}
\erw_compose_c:nV{
  {\__foo}{\__bar}{\__baz}}
  \l_tmpa_tl
\l_tmpa_tl                                h{g[f(X)]}
\erw_compose_c:nn{
  {\__foo}{\__bar}{\__baz}}
  {X}                                    h{g[f(X)]}
```

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**Listing 5**

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<code>\seq_new:N\l_tmp_seq</code>	
<code>\seq_put_right:Nn\l_tmp_seq{X}</code>	
<code>\l_tmp_seq</code>	
<code>\seq_item:Nn\l_tmp_seq{1}</code>	$X$
<code>\seq_item:Nn\l_tmp_seq{2}</code>	$f(X)$
<code>\seq_item:Nn\l_tmp_seq{3}</code>	$g[f(X)]$
<code>\seq_item:Nn\l_tmp_seq{4}</code>	$h\{g[f(X)]\}$

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**Listing 6**

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<code>\seq_new:N\l_tmp_seq</code>	
<code>\seq_put_right:Nn\l_tmp_seq{X}</code>	
<code>\erw_compose_seq_c:nV{</code>	
<code>  {__foo}{__bar}{__baz}}</code>	
<code>  \l_tmp_seq</code>	
<code>\seq_item:Nn\l_tmp_seq{1}</code>	$X$
<code>\seq_item:Nn\l_tmp_seq{2}</code>	$f(X)$
<code>\seq_item:Nn\l_tmp_seq{3}</code>	$g[f(X)]$
<code>\seq_item:Nn\l_tmp_seq{4}</code>	$h\{g[f(X)]\}$

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**Listing 7**

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<code>\erw_compose_vers:nn{</code>	
<code>  {\__foo}{g[#1]}{\__baz}}</code>	
<code>  {X}</code>	$h\{g[f(X)]\}$

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## 2 csutil

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**Listing 8**

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<code>\ExplSyntaxOn</code>	
<code>\erw_apply:Nn\__foo{X}</code>	$f(X)$
<code>\ExplSyntaxOff</code>	

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**Listing 9**

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```
\ExplSyntaxOn
\tl_set:Nn \l_tmpa_tl{X}
\erw_fold_set_par:n{Nf}
\erw_fold_apply_par:n{Nf}
\erw_fold:NV\__foo\l_tmpa_tl
\l_tmpa_tl f(X)
\cs_set:Npn\__bar #1 {g[#1]}
\erw_fold:cV{__bar}\l_tmpa_tl
\l_tmpa_tl g[f(X)]
\ExplSyntaxOff
```

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**Listing 10**

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```
\ExplSyntaxOn
\erw_map:Nn \__foo{{a}{b}{c}} (a)(b)(c)
\ExplSyntaxOff
```

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**Listing 11**

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```
\ExplSyntaxOn
\erw_map_inline:nn{
  (#1)}{{a}{b}{c}} (a)(b)(c)
\ExplSyntaxOff
```

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### 3 disambig

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**Listing 12**

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**Input**

```
\disambigset{my}
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**Output**

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**Listing 13**

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**Input**

```
\disambignewcmd{foo}{m}{#1~world!}
\noindent\myfoo{Hello}
\disambignewcmd*{foo}{m}{#1~universe!}
\\myfoo{Hello}
```

**Output**

```
Hello world!
Hello universe!
```

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**Listing 14**

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**Input**

```
\disambignewenv{bar}{}{\textrightarrow}{\textleftarrow}
\begin{mybar}
  Hello~world
\end{mybar}
\disambignewenv*{bar}{}{>}{<}
\\ \begin{mybar}
  Hello~world
\end{mybar}
```

**Output**

```
→ Hello world ←
> Hello world <
```

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## 4 numbrdcs

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**Listing 15**

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```
\numbrdcsnew*{\myfoo}{g[#1]}\mybaz}}

\numbrdcs{1}{X}          f(X)
\numbrdcs{2}{X}          g[X]
\numbrdcs{3}{X}          h(X)
\numbrdcsnew*{\myfoo}{g[#1]}\mybaz}}

\numbrdcs{4}{X}          f(X)
\numbrdcs{5}{X}          g[X]
\numbrdcs{6}{X}          h(X)
```

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**Listing 16**

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```
\ExplSyntaxOn
\exp_last_unbraced:Nx
  \erw_compose_c:nn
  {
    {\erw_numbrd_cs_names
      _braced:nnn{1}{1}{3}}
    {X}
  }
\ExplSyntaxOff          h(g[f(X)])
```

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## Part III

# Other

### 1 Acknowledgment

The idea to create `l3erw-numbrdcs` arose while developing `l3erw-compose` and stumbling upon a problem discussed in [4]. The use of `\exp_last_unbraced:Nx` originated in [5].

### References

- [1] The L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X3 Project Team *The expl3 package and L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X3 programming* <http://ftp.math.purdue.edu/mirrors/ctan.org/macros/latex/contrib/l3kernel/expl3.pdf>
- [2] The L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X3 Project Team *The L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X3 interfaces* <http://ftp.math.purdue.edu/mirrors/ctan.org/macros/latex/contrib/l3kernel/interface3.pdf>
- [3] The L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X3 Project Team *The xparse package* <http://ftp.math.purdue.edu/mirrors/ctan.org/macros/latex/contrib/l3packages/xparse.pdf>
- [4] <https://tex.stackexchange.com/questions/431046/calling-expl3s-usec-on-an-expression-expanding-to-a-cs-name-causes-error>
- [5] <https://tex.stackexchange.com/questions/432171/expl3-making-arguments-from-a-loop>

## Part IV

# Implementation

```
1 \NeedsTeXFormat{LaTeX2e}
2 \RequirePackage{expl3}[2018/02/21]
3 \RequirePackage{xparse}[2018/02/21]
4 \RequirePackage{l3keys2e}
5 \ExplSyntaxOn
```

### 1 compose

```
6 \msg_new:nnn{erw_compose}{generic}{#1}
7 \cs_set:Npn \erw_compose:NnV
8   #1 % method
9   #2 % funs
10  #3 % var
11 {
12   \erw_fold_set_par:n{Nf}
13   \erw_fold_apply_par:n{Nf}
14   \erw_cs_set_inline:Nn \__erw_map:n
15   {
16     #1{##1}#3
17   }
```



```

18   \erw_map:n{#2}
19 }
20 \cs_set:Npn \erw_compose:nV #1 #2
21 {
22   \erw_compose:NnV \erw_fold:NV {#1} #2
23 }
24 \cs_set:Npn \erw_compose_c:nV #1 #2
25 {
26   \erw_compose:NnV \erw_fold:cV {#1} #2
27 }
28 \tl_new:N \__erw_compose_tl
29 \cs_set:Npn \erw_compose:nn #1 #2
30 {
31   \tl_set:Nn \__erw_compose_tl {#2}
32   \erw_compose:nV{#1}\__erw_compose_tl
33   \__erw_compose_tl
34 }
35 \cs_set:Npn \erw_compose_c:nn #1 #2
36 {
37   \tl_set:Nn \__erw_compose_tl {#2}
38   \erw_compose_c:nV{#1}\__erw_compose_tl
39   \__erw_compose_tl
40 }
41 \tl_new:N \__erw_fold_seq_item_tl
42 \cs_set:Npn \erw_fold_seq:NV
43   #1 % fun
44   #2 % seq
45 {
46   \seq_get_right:NN #2 \__erw_fold_seq_item_tl
47   \erw_fold:NV #1 \__erw_fold_seq_item_tl
48   \seq_put_right:No #2 {\__erw_fold_seq_item_tl}
49 }
50 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \erw_fold_seq:NV {cV}
51 \cs_set:Npn \erw_compose_seq:nV #1 #2
52 {
53   \erw_compose:NnV \erw_fold_seq:NV {#1} #2
54 }
55 \cs_set:Npn \erw_compose_seq_c:nV
56   #1 % funs
57   #2 % seq
58 {
59   \erw_compose:NnV \erw_fold_seq:cV {#1} #2
60 }
61 \cs_set:Npn \erw_compose_vers:nV #1 #2
62 {
63   \msg_error:nnn{erw_rec}{generic}{erw_compose_vers:nV~to~be~defined}
64 }
65 \cs_set:Npn \erw_compose_seq_vers:nV #1 #2
66 {
67   \msg_error:nnn{erw_rec}{generic}{erw_compose_seq_vers:nV~to~be~defined}
68 }
69 \cs_set:Npn \erw_compose_vers:nn #1 #2
70 {
71   \erw_numbrd_cs_reset:{}

```

```

72     \tl_map_function:nn{#1}\erw_numbrd_cs_new:n
73     \exp_last_unbraced:Nx
74     \erw_compose_c:nn
75     {{\erw_numbrd_cs_names_braced:{}}}
76     {#2}
77 }

```

## 2 disambig

```

78 \tl_new:N \__erw_disambig_tl
79 \keys_define:nn { erw }
80 {
81   disambig .tl_set:N = \__erw_disambig_tl,
82   disambig .initial:n = \c_empty_tl
83 }
84 \cs_set:Npn \__erw_disambig:NN #1 #2 {#1{#2}}
85 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \__erw_disambig:NN { Nc }
86 \NewDocumentCommand{\disambignewcmd}{ s m m m }
87 {
88   \IfBooleanTF{#1}
89     {\__erw_disambig:Nc{\RenewDocumentCommand}}
90     {\__erw_disambig:Nc{\NewDocumentCommand}}
91     {\__erw_disambig_tl #2}
92     {#3}
93     {#4}
94 }
95 \NewDocumentCommand{\disambignewenv}{ s m m m m }
96 {
97   \IfBooleanTF{#1}
98     {\RenewDocumentEnvironment}
99     {\NewDocumentEnvironment}
100   {\__erw_disambig_tl #2}
101   {#3}
102   {#4}
103   {#5}
104 }
105 \NewDocumentCommand{\disambigset}{ m }
106 {
107   \keys_set:nn { erw }
108   {
109     disambig={#1}
110   }
111 }
112 \ProcessKeysPackageOptions{ erw }

```

## 3 csutil

```

113 \msg_new:nnn
114   {erw_csutil}
115   {generic}
116   {#1}
117 \cs_set:Npn \erw_cs_set_eq:NN #1 #2
118 {
119   \cs_set:Npn #1 ##1{#2{##1}}

```

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120 }
121 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \erw_cs_set_eq:NN {cN}
122 \cs_set:Npn \erw_cs_set_inline:Nn #1 #2
123 {
124   \cs_set:Npn #1 ##1{#2}
125 }
126 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \erw_cs_set_inline:Nn {cn}
127 \cs_set:Npn \erw_map:n #1
128 {
129   \__erw_map:nn#1\q_recursion_tail\q_recursion_stop\q_recursion_tail\q_recursion_stop
130 }
131 \cs_set:Npn \__erw_map:nn #1 #2
132 {
133   \quark_if_recursion_tail_stop:n{#1}
134   \__erw_map:n{#1} \__erw_map:nn{#2}
135 }
136 \cs_new:Npn \__erw_map:n #1
137 {
138   \msg_error:nnn
139     {erw_csutil}
140     {generic}
141     {\__erw_map:n~not~set}
142 }
143 \cs_set:Npn \erw_map:Nn
144   #1 % fun
145   #2 % tl
146 {
147   \erw_cs_set_eq:NN \__erw_map:n #1
148   \erw_map:n{#2}
149 }
150 \cs_set:Npn \erw_map_inline:nn
151   #1 % inl
152   #2 % tl
153 {
154   \erw_cs_set_inline:Nn \__erw_map:n {#1}
155   \erw_map:n{#2}
156 }
157 \cs_set:Npn \erw_apply:Nn
158   #1 % fun
159   #2 % tl
160 {
161   #1{#2}
162 }
163 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \erw_apply:Nn {No, Nf, Nx, c}
164 \tl_set:Nn \__erw_fold_set_par_tl{c_novalue_tl}
165 \tl_set:Nn \__erw_fold_apply_par_tl{c_novalue_tl}
166 \cs_set:Npn \erw_fold_set_par:n #1
167 {
168   \tl_set:Nn \__erw_fold_set_par_tl{#1}
169 }
170 \cs_set:Npn \erw_fold_apply_par:n #1
171 {
172   \tl_set:Nn \__erw_fold_apply_par_tl{#1}
173 }

```

```

174 \cs_set:Npn \erw_fold:NV
175   #1 % fun
176   #2 % var
177 {
178   \use:c{tl_set:\_erw_fold_set_par_tl}
179     #2
180     {\use:c{erw_apply:\_erw_fold_apply_par_tl}{#1}{#2}}
181 }
182 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \erw_fold:NV {cV}

```

## 4 numbrdcs

```

183 \disambignewcmd{numbrdcsnew}{ s m }
184 {
185   \IfBooleanTF{#1}
186   {}
187   { \erw_numbrd_cs_reset:{} }
188   \tl_map_function:nN {#2}\erw_numbrd_cs_new:n
189 }
190 \disambignewcmd{numbrdcs}{ m m }
191 {
192   \erw_numbrd_cs:nn{#1}{#2}
193 }
194 \msg_new:nnn
195   {erw_numbrdcs}
196   {generic}
197   {#1}
198 \int_new:N \_erw_numbrd_cs_int
199 \cs_set:Npn \erw_numbrd_cs_name:n #1{\_erw_numbrd_cs\_int_to_alph:n{#1}:n}
200 \cs_set:Npn \erw_numbrd_cs_name_braced:n #1{{\_erw_numbrd_cs_name:n{#1}}}
201 \tl_set:Nn \_erw_numbrd_cs_name_tl {\erw_numbrd_cs_name:n{\_erw_numbrd_cs_int}}
202 \cs_set:Npn \erw_numbrd_cs:nn #1 #2
203 {
204   \erw_apply:cn{\_erw_numbrd_cs\_int_to_alph:n{#1}:n}{#2}
205 }
206 \cs_new_protected:Npn \erw_numbrd_cs_reset:
207 {
208   \int_zero:N \_erw_numbrd_cs_int
209   \tl_set:Nn \_erw_numbrd_cs_ext_tl{}
210 }
211 \cs_new_protected:Npn \erw_numbrd_cs_new:n #1
212 {
213   \int_incr:N \_erw_numbrd_cs_int
214   \erw_cs_set_inline:cn{\_erw_numbrd_cs_name_tl}
215   {
216     \token_if_cs:NTF
217     {#1}
218     {#1{##1}}
219     {#1}
220   }
221 }
222 \cs_new:Npn \erw_numbrd_cs_names:nnn #1 #2 #3
223 {
224   \int_step_function:nnnN { #1 }{ #2 }{ #3 } \erw_numbrd_cs_name:n

```

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225 }
226 \cs_new:Npn \erw_numbrd_cs_names_braced:nnn #1 #2 #3
227 {
228     \int_step_function:nnnN { #1 }{ #2 }{ #3 } \erw_numbrd_cs_name_braced:n
229     % TODO \tl_range_braced:nnn?
230 }
231 \cs_new:Npn \erw_numbrd_cs_names_braced:
232 {
233     \erw_numbrd_cs_names_braced:nnn{1}{1}{\_erw_numbrd_cs_int}
234 }
235 \ExplSyntaxOff

```