

# Package ‘tealeaves’

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## Description

Implements models of leaf temperature using energy balance. It uses units to ensure that parameters are properly specified and transformed before calculations. It allows separate lower and upper surface conductances to heat and water vapour, so sensible and latent heat loss are calculated for each surface separately as in Foster and Smith (1986) <[doi:10.1111/j.1365-3040.1986.tb02108.x](https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1365-3040.1986.tb02108.x)>. It's straightforward to model leaf temperature over environmental gradients such as light, air temperature, humidity, and wind. It can also model leaf temperature over trait gradients such as leaf size or stomatal conductance. Other references are Monteith and Unsworth (2013, ISBN:9780123869104), Nobel (2009, ISBN:9780123741431), and Okajima et al. (2012) <[doi:10.1007/s11284-011-0905-5](https://doi.org/10.1007/s11284-011-0905-5)>.

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*.get\_dwv**d\_wv: water vapour gradient (mol / m ^ 3)*

## Description

*d\_wv*: water vapour gradient (mol / m ^ 3)

## Usage

```
.get_dwv(T_leaf, pars, unitless)
```

## Arguments

T_leaf	Leaf temperature in Kelvin
pars	Concatenated parameters (leaf_par, enviro_par, and constants)
unitless	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

## Details

**Water vapour gradient:** The water vapour pressure differential from inside to outside of the leaf is the saturation water vapor pressure inside the leaf ( $p_{\text{leaf}}$ ) minus the water vapor pressure of the air ( $p_{\text{air}}$ ):

$$d_{\text{wv}} = p_{\text{leaf}}/(RT_{\text{leaf}}) - RH p_{\text{air}}/(RT_{\text{air}})$$

Note that water vapor pressure is converted from kPa to mol / m<sup>3</sup> using ideal gas law.

Symbol	R	Description	Units	Default
$p_{\text{air}}$	$p_{\text{air}}$	saturation water vapour pressure of air	kPa	calculated
$p_{\text{leaf}}$	$p_{\text{leaf}}$	saturation water vapour pressure inside the leaf	kPa	calculated
$R$	R	ideal gas constant	J / (mol K)	8.3144598
RH	RH	relative humidity	%	0.50
$T_{\text{air}}$	$T_{\text{air}}$	air temperature	K	298.15
$T_{\text{leaf}}$	$T_{\text{leaf}}$	leaf temperature	K	input

## Value

Value in mol / m<sup>3</sup> of class units

## Examples

```
# Water vapour gradient:

leaf_par <- make_leafpar()
enviro_par <- make_enviropar()
constants <- make_constants()
pars <- c(leaf_par, enviro_par, constants)
T_leaf <- set_units(300, K)
T_air <- set_units(298.15, K)
p_leaf <- set_units(35.31683, kPa)
p_air <- set_units(31.65367, kPa)

d_wv <- p_leaf / (pars$R * T_leaf) - pars$RH * p_air / (pars$R * T_air)
```

<code>.get_Dx</code>	<i>D_x: Calculate diffusion coefficient for a given temperature and pressure</i>
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## Description

`D_x`: Calculate diffusion coefficient for a given temperature and pressure

## Usage

```
.get_Dx(D_0, Temp, eT, P, unitless)
```

## Arguments

<code>D_0</code>	Diffusion coefficient at 273.15 K (0 °C) and 101.3246 kPa
<code>Temp</code>	Temperature in Kelvin
<code>eT</code>	Exponent for temperature dependence of diffusion
<code>P</code>	Atmospheric pressure in kPa
<code>unitless</code>	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

## Details

$$D = D_0(T/273.15)^{eT}(101.3246/P)$$

According to Montieith & Unger (2013),  $eT$  is generally between 1.5 and 2. Their data in Appendix 3 indicate  $eT = 1.75$  is reasonable for environmental physics.

## Value

Value in m<sup>2</sup>/s of class `units`

## References

Monteith JL, Unsworth MH. 2013. Principles of Environmental Physics. 4th edition. Academic Press, London.

## Examples

```
tealeaves:::get_Dx(
  D_0 = set_units(2.12e-05, m^2/s),
  Temp = set_units(298.15, K),
  eT = set_units(1.75),
  P = set_units(101.3246, kPa),
```

```
    unitless = FALSE  
}
```

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`.get_gb`

*g\_bw: Boundary layer conductance to water vapour (m / s)*

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## Description

`g_bw`: Boundary layer conductance to water vapour (m / s)

## Usage

```
.get_gb(T_leaf, surface, pars, unitless)
```

## Arguments

<code>T_leaf</code>	Leaf temperature in Kelvin
<code>surface</code>	Leaf surface (lower or upper)
<code>pars</code>	Concatenated parameters ( <code>leaf_par</code> , <code>enviro_par</code> , and <code>constants</code> )
<code>unitless</code>	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

## Details

$$g_{bw} = D_w Sh/d$$

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Default</i>
$d$	<code>leafsize</code>	Leaf characteristic dimension in meters	m	0.1
$D_w$	<code>D_w</code>	diffusion coefficient for water vapour	$m^2 / s$	calculated
$Sh$	<code>Sh</code>	Sherwood number	none	calculated

## Value

Value in m / s of class units

## Examples

```
library(tealeaves)  
  
cs <- make_constants()  
ep <- make_enviropar()  
lp <- make_leafpar()
```

```
T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, K)
tealeaves:::get_gbw(T_leaf, "lower", c(cs, ep, lp), FALSE)
```

`.get_gh`*g\_h: boundary layer conductance to heat (m / s)*

## Description

`g_h`: boundary layer conductance to heat (m / s)

## Usage

```
.get_gh(T_leaf, surface, pars, unitless)
```

## Arguments

<code>T_leaf</code>	Leaf temperature in Kelvin
<code>surface</code>	Leaf surface (lower or upper)
<code>pars</code>	Concatenated parameters ( <code>leaf_par</code> , <code>enviro_par</code> , and <code>constants</code> )
<code>unitless</code>	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

## Details

$$g_h = D_h N_u / d$$

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Default</i>
<code>d</code>	<code>leafsize</code>	Leaf characteristic dimension in meters	m	0.1
<code>D_h</code>	<code>D_h</code>	diffusion coefficient for heat in air	$\text{m}^2 / \text{s}$	calculated
<code>Nu</code>	<code>Nu</code>	Nusselt number	none	calculated

## Value

Value in m/s of class units

## Examples

```
library(tealeaves)

cs <- make_constants()
ep <- make_enviropar()
lp <- make_leafpar()
```

```
T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, K)  
tealeaves:::get_gh(T_leaf, "lower", c(cs, ep, lp), FALSE)
```

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`.get_gr`*Gr: Grashof number*

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## Description

Gr: Grashof number

## Usage

```
.get_gr(T_leaf, pars, unitless)
```

## Arguments

<code>T_leaf</code>	Leaf temperature in Kelvin
<code>pars</code>	Concatenated parameters ( <code>leaf_par</code> , <code>enviro_par</code> , and <code>constants</code> )
<code>unitless</code>	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

## Details

$$Gr = t_{\text{air}} G d^3 |T_{v,\text{leaf}} - T_{v,\text{air}}| / D_m^2$$

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Default</i>
$d$	<code>leafsize</code>	Leaf characteristic dimension in meters	m	0.1
$D_m$	<code>D_m</code>	diffusion coefficient of momentum in air	$\text{m}^2 / \text{s}$	calculated
$G$	<code>G</code>	gravitational acceleration	$\text{m} / \text{s}^2$	9.8
$t_{\text{air}}$	<code>t_air</code>	coefficient of thermal expansion of air	1 / K	1 / Temp
$T_{v,\text{air}}$	<code>Tv_air</code>	virtual air temperature	K	calculated
$T_{v,\text{leaf}}$	<code>Tv_leaf</code>	virtual leaf temperature	K	calculated

## Value

A unitless number of class `units`

## Examples

```
library(tealeaves)
```

```
cs <- make_constants()
ep <- make_enviropar()
lp <- make_leafpar()

T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, K)

tealeaves:::get_gr(T_leaf, c(cs, ep, lp), FALSE)
```

[.get\\_gtw](#)*g\_tw: total conductance to water vapour (m/s)*

## Description

`g_tw`: total conductance to water vapour (m/s)

## Usage

```
.get_gtw(T_leaf, pars, unitless)
```

## Arguments

<code>T_leaf</code>	Leaf temperature in Kelvin
<code>pars</code>	Concatenated parameters ( <code>leaf_par</code> , <code>enviro_par</code> , and <code>constants</code> )
<code>unitless</code>	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when <code>FALSE</code> , but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

## Details

**Total conductance to water vapor:** The total conductance to water vapor ( $g_{tw}$ ) is the sum of the parallel lower (abaxial) and upper (adaxial) conductances:

$$g_{tw} = g_{w,lower} + g_{w,upper}$$

The conductance to water vapor on each surface is a function of parallel stomatal ( $g_{sw}$ ) and cuticular ( $g_{uw}$ ) conductances in series with the boundary layer conductance ( $g_{bw}$ ). The stomatal, cuticular, and boundary layer conductance on the lower surface are:

$$g_{sw,lower} = g_{sw}(1 - sr)R(T_{leaf} + T_{air})/2$$

$$g_{uw,lower} = g_{uw}/2R(T_{leaf} + T_{air})/2$$

See [.get\\_gbw](#) for details on calculating boundary layer conductance. The equations for the upper surface are:

$$g_{sw,upper} = g_{sw}srR(T_{leaf} + T_{air})/2$$

$$g_{uw,upper} = g_{uw}/2R(T_{leaf} + T_{air})/2$$

Note that the stomatal and cuticular conductances are given in units of  $(\mu\text{mol H}_2\text{O}) / (\text{m}^2 \text{ s Pa})$  (see [make\\_leafpar](#)) and converted to m/s using the ideal gas law. The total leaf stomatal ( $g_{sw}$ ) and cuticular ( $g_{uw}$ ) conductances are partitioned across lower and upper surfaces. The stomatal conductance on each surface depends on stomatal ratio (sr); the cuticular conductance is assumed identical on both surfaces.

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Default</i>
$g_{sw}$	$g_{sw}$	stomatal conductance to H <sub>2</sub> O	$(\mu\text{mol H}_2\text{O}) / (\text{m}^2 \text{ s Pa})$	5
$g_{uw}$	$g_{uw}$	cuticular conductance to H <sub>2</sub> O	$(\mu\text{mol H}_2\text{O}) / (\text{m}^2 \text{ s Pa})$	0.1
$R$	R	ideal gas constant	J / (mol K)	8.3144598
$\text{logit}(sr)$	$\text{logit\_sr}$	stomatal ratio (logit transformed)	none	$0 = \text{logit}(0.5)$
$T_{air}$	$T_{air}$	air temperature	K	298.15
$T_{leaf}$	$T_{leaf}$	leaf temperature	K	input

## Value

Value in m/s of class units

## Examples

```
# Total conductance to water vapor

## Hypostomatous leaf; default parameters
leaf_par <- make_leafpar(replace = list(logit_sr = set_units(-Inf)))
enviro_par <- make_enviropar()
constants <- make_constants()
pars <- c(leaf_par, enviro_par, constants)
T_leaf <- set_units(300, K)

## Fixing boundary layer conductance rather than calculating
gbw_lower <- set_units(0.1, m / s)
gbw_upper <- set_units(0.1, m / s)

# Lower surface ----
## Note that pars$logit_sr is logit-transformed! Use stats::plogis() to convert to proportion.
gsw_lower <- set_units(pars$g_sw * (set_units(1) - stats::plogis(pars$logit_sr)) * pars$R *
    ((T_leaf + pars$T_air) / 2), "m / s")
guw_lower <- set_units(pars$g_uw * 0.5 * pars$R * ((T_leaf + pars$T_air) / 2), m / s)
gtw_lower <- 1 / (1 / (gsw_lower + guw_lower) + 1 / gbw_lower)

# Upper surface ----
gsw_upper <- set_units(pars$g_sw * stats::plogis(pars$logit_sr) * pars$R *
    ((T_leaf + pars$T_air) / 2), m / s)
guw_upper <- set_units(pars$g_uw * 0.5 * pars$R * ((T_leaf + pars$T_air) / 2), m / s)
gtw_upper <- 1 / (1 / (gsw_upper + guw_upper) + 1 / gbw_upper)

## Lower and upper surface are in parallel
g_tw <- gtw_lower + gtw_upper
```

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<code>.get_H</code>	<i>H: sensible heat flux density (W / m<sup>2</sup>)</i>
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### Description

*H*: sensible heat flux density (W / m<sup>2</sup>)

### Usage

```
.get_H(T_leaf, pars, unitless)
```

### Arguments

<code>T_leaf</code>	Leaf temperature in Kelvin
<code>pars</code>	Concatenated parameters ( <code>leaf_par</code> , <code>enviro_par</code> , and <code>constants</code> )
<code>unitless</code>	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

### Details

$$H = P_a c_p g_h (T_{\text{leaf}} - T_{\text{air}})$$

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Default</i>
$c_p$	<code>c_p</code>	heat capacity of air	J / (g K)	1.01
$g_h$	<code>g_h</code>	boundary layer conductance to heat	m / s	calculated
$P_a$	<code>P_a</code>	density of dry air	g / m <sup>3</sup>	calculated
$T_{\text{air}}$	<code>T_air</code>	air temperature	K	298.15
$T_{\text{leaf}}$	<code>T_leaf</code>	leaf temperature	K	input

### Value

Value in W / m<sup>2</sup> of class units

### See Also

[.get\\_gh](#), [.get\\_Pa](#)

### Examples

```
library(tealeaves)

cs <- make_constants()
```

```
ep <- make_enviropar()
lp <- make_leafpar()

T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, K)

tealeaves:::get_H(T_leaf, c(cs, ep, lp), FALSE)
```

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`.get_hvap`

*h\_vap: heat of vaporization (J / mol)*

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## Description

`h_vap`: heat of vaporization (J / mol)

## Usage

```
.get_hvap(T_leaf, unitless)
```

## Arguments

<code>T_leaf</code>	Leaf temperature in Kelvin
<code>unitless</code>	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

## Details

**Heat of vaporization:** The heat of vaporization ( $h_{\text{vap}}$ ) is a function of temperature. I used data from on temperature and  $h_{\text{vap}}$  from Nobel (2009, Appendix 1) to estimate a linear regression. See Examples.

## Value

Value in J/mol of class units

## References

Nobel PS. 2009. Physicochemical and Environmental Plant Physiology. 4th Edition. Academic Press.

## Examples

```
# Heat of vaporization and temperature
## data from Nobel (2009)

T_K <- 273.15 + c(0, 10, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60)
h_vap <- 1e3 * c(45.06, 44.63, 44.21, 44.00,
```

```

43.78, 43.35, 42.91, 42.47) # (in J / mol)

fit <- lm(h_vap ~ T_K)

## coefficients are 56847.68250 J / mol and 43.12514 J / (mol K)

coef(fit)

T_leaf <- 298.15
h_vap <- set_units(56847.68250, J / mol) -
    set_units(43.12514, J / mol / K) * set_units(T_leaf, K)

## h_vap at 298.15 K is 43989.92 [J/mol]

set_units(h_vap, J / mol)

tealeaves:::get_hvap(set_units(298.15, K), FALSE)

```

`.get_L`*L: Latent heat flux density (W / m<sup>2</sup>)***Description**L: Latent heat flux density (W / m<sup>2</sup>)**Usage**`.get_L(T_leaf, pars, unitless)`**Arguments**

T_leaf	Leaf temperature in Kelvin
pars	Concatenated parameters (leaf_par, enviro_par, and constants)
unitless	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

**Details**

$$L = h_{\text{vap}} g_{\text{tw}} d_{\text{wv}}$$

Symbol	R	Description	Units	Default
$d_{\text{wv}}$	$d_{\text{wv}}$	water vapour gradient	mol / m <sup>3</sup>	calculated
$h_{\text{vap}}$	$h_{\text{vap}}$	latent heat of vaporization	J / mol	calculated
$g_{\text{tw}}$	$g_{\text{tw}}$	total conductance to H <sub>2</sub> O	(μmol H <sub>2</sub> O) / (m <sup>2</sup> s Pa)	calculated

**Value**

Value in W / m^2 of class units

**Examples**

```
library(tealeaves)

cs <- make_constants()
ep <- make_enviropar()
lp <- make_leafpar()

T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, K)

tealeaves:::.get_L(T_leaf, c(cs, ep, lp), FALSE)
```

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`.get_nu`*Nu: Nusselt number*

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**Description**

`Nu`: Nusselt number

**Usage**

```
.get_nu(T_leaf, surface, pars, unitless)
```

**Arguments**

<code>T_leaf</code>	Leaf temperature in Kelvin
<code>surface</code>	Leaf surface (lower or upper)
<code>pars</code>	Concatenated parameters ( <code>leaf_par</code> , <code>enviro_par</code> , and <code>constants</code> )
<code>unitless</code>	Logical. Should function use parameters with <code>units?</code> ? The function is faster when <code>FALSE</code> , but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

**Details**

The Nusselt number depends on a combination how much free or forced convection predominates. For mixed convection:

$$Nu = (aRe^b)^{3.5} + (cGr^d)^{1/3.5}$$

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Default</i>
$a, b, c, d$	$a, b, c, d$	empirical coefficients	none	calculated
$Gr$	Gr	Grashof number	none	calculated
$Re$	Re	Reynolds number	none	calculated

**Value**

A unitless number of class units

**Examples**

```
library(tealeaves)

cs <- make_constants()
ep <- make_enviropar()
lp <- make_leafpar()

T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, K)

tealeaves:::get_nu(T_leaf, "lower", c(cs, ep, lp), FALSE)
```

`.get_Pa`

*P\_a*: density of dry air ( $\text{g} / \text{m}^3$ )

**Description**

*P\_a*: density of dry air ( $\text{g} / \text{m}^3$ )

**Usage**

```
.get_Pa(T_leaf, pars, unitless)
```

**Arguments**

- |                   |  |
|-------------------|--|
| $T_{\text{leaf}}$ | Leaf temperature in Kelvin   |
| <i>pars</i>       | Concatenated parameters ( <code>leaf_par</code> , <code>enviro_par</code> , and <code>constants</code> )   |
| <i>unitless</i>   | Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning. |

**Details**

$$P_a = P/(R_{\text{air}}(T_{\text{leaf}} - T_{\text{air}})/2)$$

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Default</i>
<i>P</i>	P	atmospheric pressure	kPa	101.3246
<i>R<sub>air</sub></i>	R_air	specific gas constant for dry air	J / (kg K)	287.058
<i>T<sub>air</sub></i>	T_air	air temperature	K	298.15
<i>T<sub>leaf</sub></i>	T_leaf	leaf temperature	K	input

**Value**

Value in g / m<sup>3</sup> of class units

**Examples**

```
library(tealeaves)

cs <- make_constants()
ep <- make_enviropar()
lp <- make_leafpar()

T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, K)

tealeaves:::get_Pa(T_leaf, c(cs, ep, lp), FALSE)
```

`.get_ps`

*Saturation water vapour pressure (kPa)*

**Description**

Saturation water vapour pressure (kPa)

**Usage**

```
.get_ps(Temp, P, unitless)
```

**Arguments**

Temp	Temperature in Kelvin
P	Atmospheric pressure in kPa
unitless	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

**Details**

Goff-Gratch equation (see <http://cires1.colorado.edu/~voemel/vp.html>)

This equation assumes P = 1 atm = 101.3246 kPa, otherwise boiling temperature needs to change

**Value**

Value in kPa of class units

**References**

<http://cires1.colorado.edu/~voemel/vp.html>

**Examples**

```
T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, K)
P <- set_units(101.3246, kPa)
tealeaves:::get_ps(T_leaf, P, FALSE)
```

`.get_Rabs`

*R\_abs: total absorbed radiation (W / m<sup>2</sup>)*

**Description**

`R_abs`: total absorbed radiation (W / m<sup>2</sup>)

**Usage**

`.get_Rabs(pars, unitless)`

**Arguments**

<code>pars</code>	Concatenated parameters ( <code>leaf_par</code> , <code>enviro_par</code> , and <code>constants</code> )
<code>unitless</code>	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when <code>FALSE</code> , but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

**Details**

The following treatment follows Okajima et al. (2012):

$$R_{\text{abs}} = \alpha_s(1 + r)S_{\text{sw}} + \alpha_l\sigma(T_{\text{sky}}^4 + T_{\text{air}}^4)$$

The incident longwave (aka thermal infrared) radiation is modeled from sky and air temperature  $\sigma(T_{\text{sky}}^4 + T_{\text{air}}^4)$  where  $T_{\text{sky}}$  is function of the air temperature and incoming solar shortwave radiation:

$$T_{\text{sky}} = T_{\text{air}} - 20S_{\text{sw}}/1000$$

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Default</i>
$\alpha_s$	<code>abs_s</code>	absorbtivity of shortwave radiation (0.3 - 4 $\mu\text{m}$ )	none	0.80

$\alpha_l$	abs_1	absorbtivity of longwave radiation (4 - 80 $\mu\text{m}$ )	none	0.97
$r$	r	reflectance for shortwave irradiance (albedo)	none	0.2
$\sigma$	s	Stefan-Boltzmann constant	$\text{W} / (\text{m}^2 \text{ K}^4)$	5.67e-08
$S_{\text{sw}}$	$S_{\text{sw}}$	incident short-wave (solar) radiation flux density	$\text{W} / \text{m}^2$	1000
$S_{\text{lw}}$	$S_{\text{lw}}$	incident long-wave radiation flux density	$\text{W} / \text{m}^2$	calculated
$T_{\text{air}}$	$T_{\text{air}}$	air temperature	K	298.15
$T_{\text{sky}}$	$T_{\text{sky}}$	sky temperature	K	calculated

**Value**

Value in  $\text{W} / \text{m}^2$  of class units

**References**

Okajima Y, H Taneda, K Noguchi, I Terashima. 2012. Optimum leaf size predicted by a novel leaf energy balance model incorporating dependencies of photosynthesis on light and temperature. Ecological Research 27: 333-46.

**Examples**

```
library(tealeaves)

cs <- make_constants()
ep <- make_enviropar()
lp <- make_leafpar()
ep$T_sky <- ep$T_sky(ep)

tealeaves:::get_Rabs(c(cs, ep, lp), FALSE)
```

.get\_re

*Re: Reynolds number*

**Description**

Re: Reynolds number

**Usage**

```
.get_re(T_leaf, pars, unitless)
```

**Arguments**

T_leaf	Leaf temperature in Kelvin
pars	Concatenated parameters (leaf_par, enviro_par, and constants)
unitless	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

**Details**

$$Re = ud/D_m$$

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Default</i>
<i>d</i>	<code>leafsize</code>	Leaf characteristic dimension in meters	m	0.1
<i>D<sub>m</sub></i>	<code>D_m</code>	diffusion coefficient of momentum in air	$\text{m}^2 / \text{s}$	<code>calculated</code>
<i>u</i>	<code>wind</code>	windspeed	$\text{m} / \text{s}$	2

**Value**

A unitless number of class `units`

**Examples**

```
library(tealeaves)

cs <- make_constants()
ep <- make_enviropar()
lp <- make_leafpar()

T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, K)

tealeaves:::get_re(T_leaf, c(cs, ep, lp), FALSE)
```

`.get_sh`

*Sh: Sherwood number*

**Description**

`Sh`: Sherwood number

**Usage**

```
.get_sh(T_leaf, surface, pars, unitless)
```

**Arguments**

<code>T_leaf</code>	Leaf temperature in Kelvin
<code>surface</code>	Leaf surface (lower or upper)
<code>pars</code>	Concatenated parameters ( <code>leaf_par</code> , <code>enviro_par</code> , and <code>constants</code> )
<code>unitless</code>	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when <code>FALSE</code> , but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

### Details

The Sherwood number depends on a combination how much free or forced convection predominates. For mixed convection:

$$Sh = (aRe^b)^{3.5} + (cGr^d)^{3.5})^{1/3.5}$$

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Default</i>
<i>a, b, c, d</i>	a, b, c, d	empirical coefficients	none	calculated
<i>Gr</i>	Gr	Grashof number	none	calculated
<i>Re</i>	Re	Reynolds number	none	calculated

### Value

A unitless number of class units

### Examples

```
library(tealeaves)

cs <- make_constants()
ep <- make_enviropar()
lp <- make_leafpar()

T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, K)

tealeaves:::get_sh(T_leaf, "lower", c(cs, ep, lp), FALSE)
```

.get\_Sr

*S\_r: longwave re-radiation (W / m^2)*

### Description

*S\_r: longwave re-radiation (W / m^2)*

### Usage

.get\_Sr(*T\_leaf*, *pars*)

### Arguments

<i>T_leaf</i>	Leaf temperature in Kelvin
<i>pars</i>	Concatenated parameters ( <i>leaf_par</i> , <i>enviro_par</i> , and <i>constants</i> )

### Details

$$S_r = 2\sigma\alpha_l T_{air}^4$$

The factor of 2 accounts for re-radiation from both leaf surfaces (Foster and Smith 1986).

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Default</i>
$\alpha_l$	abs_l	absorbtivity of longwave radiation (4 - 80 $\mu\text{m}$ )	none	0.97
$T_{air}$	T_air	air temperature	K	298.15
$\sigma$	s	Stefan-Boltzmann constant	W / (m <sup>2</sup> K <sup>4</sup> )	5.67e-08

Note that leaf absorbtivity is the same value as leaf emissivity

### Value

Value in W / m<sup>2</sup> of class units

### References

Foster JR, Smith WK. 1986. Influence of stomatal distribution on transpiration in low-wind environments. Plant, Cell & Environment 9: 751-9.

### Examples

```
library(tealeaves)

cs <- make_constants()
ep <- make_enviropar()
lp <- make_leafpar()

T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, K)

tealeaves:::get_Sr(T_leaf, c(cs, ep, lp))
```

`.get_Tv`

*Calculate virtual temperature*

### Description

Calculate virtual temperature

### Usage

```
.get_Tv(Temp, p, P, epsilon, unitless)
```

## Arguments

Temp	Temperature in Kelvin
p	water vapour pressure in kPa
P	Atmospheric pressure in kPa
epsilon	ratio of water to air molar masses (unitless)
unitless	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

## Details

$$T_v = T/[1 - (1 - \epsilon)(p/P)]$$

Eq. 2.35 in Monteith & Unsworth (2013)

Symbol	R	Description	Units	Default
$\epsilon$	epsilon	ratio of water to air molar masses	unitless	0.622
p	p	water vapour pressure	kPa	calculated
P	P	atmospheric pressure	kPa	101.3246

## Value

Value in K of class units

## References

Monteith JL, Unsworth MH. 2013. Principles of Environmental Physics. 4th edition. Academic Press, London.

## Examples

```
library(tealeaves)

cs <- make_constants()
ep <- make_enviropar()
lp <- make_leafpar()

T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, K)
p <- ep$RH * tealeaves:::get_ps(T_leaf, ep$P, FALSE)
tealeaves:::get_Tv(T_leaf, p, ep$P, cs$epsilon, FALSE)
```

Ar

*Ar: Archimedes number***Description**

Ar: Archimedes number

**Usage**

```
Ar(T_leaf, pars, unitless = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

T_leaf	Leaf temperature in Kelvin
pars	Concatenated parameters (leaf_par, enviro_par, and constants)
unitless	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

**Details**

The Archimedes number is a dimensionless number that describes when free or forced convection dominates.

$$Ar = Gr/Re^2$$

Symbol	R	Description	Units	Default
Gr	Gr	Grashof number	none	calculated
Re	Re	Reynolds number	none	calculated

**Value**

unitless = TRUE: A unitless number of class numeric  
 unitless = FALSE: A unitless number of class units  
 Also returns Reynolds and Grashof numbers

**Examples**

```
cs <- make_constants()
ep <- make_enviropar()
lp <- make_leafpar()
pars <- c(cs, lp, ep)
T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, "K")

Ar(T_leaf, pars)
```

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constants*S3 class constants*

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**Description**

Constructor function for constants class. This function ensures that physical constant inputs are properly formatted.

**Usage**

```
constants(.x)
```

**Arguments**

- |    |  |
|----|--|
| .x | A list to be constructed into <b>constants</b> . If units are not provided, they will be set without conversion. If units are provided, they will be checked and converted to units that tealeaves uses. |
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convert\_conductance     *Convert conductance units*

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**Description**

Convert conductance units

**Usage**

```
convert_conductance(.g, Temp = NULL, P = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

- |      |   |
|------|---|
| .g   | Conductance in class units. Units must convertible to one of "m/s", "umol/m^2/s/Pa", or "mol/m^2/s" |
| Temp | A temperature value of class units  |
| P    | A pressure value of class units that is convertible to kPa  |

**Value**

A list of three values of clas units with units "m/s", "umol/m^2/s/Pa", and "mol/m^2/s".

## Examples

```

g_sw <- set_units(10, "m/s")
convert_conductance(g_sw,
                     Temp = set_units(298.15, "K"),
                     P = set_units(101.3246, "kPa"))

g_sw <- set_units(4, "umol/m^2/s/Pa")
convert_conductance(g_sw,
                     Temp = set_units(298.15, "K"),
                     P = set_units(101.3246, "kPa"))

g_sw <- set_units(0.4, "mol/m^2/s")
convert_conductance(g_sw,
                     Temp = set_units(298.15, "K"),
                     P = set_units(101.3246, "kPa"))

```

E

*Evaporation (mol / (m<sup>2</sup> s))*

## Description

Evaporation (mol / (m<sup>2</sup> s))

## Usage

```
E(T_leaf, pars, unitless)
```

## Arguments

T_leaf	Leaf temperature in Kelvin
pars	Concatenated parameters (leaf_par, enviro_par, and constants)
unitless	Logical. Should function use parameters with units? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

## Details

The leaf evaporation rate is the product of the total conductance to water vapour (m / s) and the water vapour gradient (mol / m<sup>3</sup>):

$$E = g_{tw} D_{wv}$$

If unitless = TRUE, T\_leaf is assumed in degrees K without checking.

**Value**

unitless = TRUE: A value in units of mol / (m<sup>2</sup> / s) number of class numeric unitless = FALSE:  
A value in units of mol / (m<sup>2</sup> / s) of class units

**Examples**

```
library(tealeaves)

cs <- make_constants()
ep <- make_enviropar()
lp <- make_leafpar()

T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, K)

E(T_leaf, c(cs, ep, lp), FALSE)
```

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energy\_balance      *Calculate leaf energy balance*

---

**Description**

Calculate leaf energy balance

**Usage**

```
energy_balance(
  tleaf,
  leaf_par,
  enviro_par,
  constants,
  quiet = FALSE,
  components = FALSE,
  set_units = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

- |            |   |
|------------|---|
| tleaf      | Leaf temperature in Kelvin. If input is numeric, it will be automatically converted to units.             |
| leaf_par   | A list of leaf parameters. This can be generated using the <code>make_leafpar</code> function.            |
| enviro_par | A list of environmental parameters. This can be generated using the <code>make_enviropar</code> function. |
| constants  | A list of physical constants. This can be generated using the <code>make_constants</code> function.       |

quiet	Logical. Should a message appear about conversion from numeric to units? Useful for finding leaf temperature that balances heat transfer using <a href="#">uniroot</a> .
components	Logical. Should leaf energy components be returned? Transpiration (in mol / (m <sup>2</sup> s)) also returned.
set_units	Logical. Should units be set? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.

**Value**

A numeric value in W / m<sup>2</sup>. Optionally, a named list of energy balance components in W / m<sup>2</sup> and transpiration in mol / (m<sup>2</sup> s).

**Examples**

```
library(tealeaves)

cs <- make_constants()
ep <- make_enviropar()
lp <- make_leafpar()
ep$T_sky <- ep$T_sky(ep)

T_leaf <- set_units(298.15, K)

energy_balance(T_leaf, lp, ep, cs, FALSE, TRUE, TRUE)
```

**enviro\_par**

*S3 class enviro\_par*

**Description**

Constructor function for **enviro\_par** class. This function ensures that environmental parameter inputs are properly formatted.

**Usage**

```
enviro_par(.x)
```

**Arguments**

.x	A list to be constructed into <b>enviro_par</b> . If units are not provided, they will be set without conversion. If units are provided, they will be checked and converted to units that tealeaves uses.
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`leaf_par`*S3 class leaf\_par*

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### Description

Constructor function for `leaf_par` class. This function ensures that leaf parameter inputs are properly formatted.

### Usage

```
leaf_par(.x)
```

### Arguments

.x

A list to be constructed into **leaf\_par**. If units are not provided, they will be set without conversion. If units are provided, they will be checked and converted to units that tealeaves uses.

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`make_parameters`*Make lists of parameters of leaf, environmental, or constant parameters*

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### Description

Make lists of parameters of leaf, environmental, or constant parameters

`make_leafpar`

`make_enviropar`

`make_constants`

### Usage

```
make_leafpar(replace = NULL)
```

```
make_enviropar(replace = NULL)
```

```
make_constants(replace = NULL)
```

### Arguments

`replace`

A named list of parameters to replace defaults. If `NULL`, defaults will be used.

### Details

**Leaf parameters:**

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Default</i>
<i>d</i>	leafsize	Leaf characteristic dimension	m	0.1
$\alpha_l$	abs_l	absorbivity of longwave radiation (4 - 80 $\mu\text{m}$ )	none	0.97
$\alpha_s$	abs_s	absorbivity of shortwave radiation (0.3 - 4 $\mu\text{m}$ )	none	0.50
$g_{\text{sw}}$	g_sw	stomatal conductance to H <sub>2</sub> O	( $\mu\text{mol H}_2\text{O}$ ) / (m <sup>2</sup> s Pa)	5
$g_{\text{uw}}$	g_uw	cuticular conductance to H <sub>2</sub> O	( $\mu\text{mol H}_2\text{O}$ ) / (m <sup>2</sup> s Pa)	0.1
logit( <i>sr</i> )	logit_sr	stomatal ratio (logit transformed)	none	0 = logit(0.5)

**Environment parameters:**

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Default</i>
<i>P</i>	P	atmospheric pressure	kPa	101.3246
<i>r</i>	r	reflectance for shortwave irradiance (albedo)	none	0.2
RH	RH	relative humidity	none	0.50
$S_{\text{sw}}$	S_sw	incident short-wave (solar) radiation flux density	W / m <sup>2</sup>	1000
$S_{\text{lw}}$	S_lw	incident long-wave radiation flux density	W / m <sup>2</sup>	calculated
$T_{\text{air}}$	T_air	air temperature	K	298.15
<i>u</i>	wind	windspeed	m / s	2

**Constants:**

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Default</i>
$c_p$	c_p	heat capacity of air	J / (g K)	1.01
$D_{h,0}$	D_h0	diffusion coefficient for heat in air at 0 °C	m <sup>2</sup> / s	19.0e-06
$D_{m,0}$	D_m0	diffusion coefficient for momentum in air at 0 °C	m <sup>2</sup> / s	13.3e-06
$D_{w,0}$	D_w0	diffusion coefficient for water vapour in air at 0 C	m <sup>2</sup> / s	21.2e-06
$\epsilon$	epsilon	ratio of water to air molar masses	none	0.622
$eT$	eT	exponent for temperature dependence of diffusion	none	1.75
<i>G</i>	G	gravitational acceleration	m / s <sup>2</sup>	9.8
<i>Nu</i>	Nu	Nusselt number	none	calculated
<i>R</i>	R	ideal gas constant	J / (mol K)	8.3144598
$R_{\text{air}}$	R_air	specific gas constant for dry air	J / (kg K)	287.058
$\sigma$	s	Stefan-Boltzmann constant	W / (m <sup>2</sup> K <sup>4</sup> )	5.67e-08
<i>Sh</i>	Sh	Sherwood number	none	calculated

**Value**

make\_leafpar: An object inheriting from class `leaf_par`  
 make\_enviropar: An object inheriting from class `enviro_par`  
 make\_constants: An object inheriting from class `constants`

**Examples**

```
library(tealeaves)

# Use defaults
cs <- make_constants()
ep <- make_enviropar()
```

```
lp <- make_leafpar()

# Replace defaults

ep <- make_enviropar(
  replace = list(
    T_air = set_units(300, K)
  )
)

lp <- make_leafpar(
  replace = list(
    leafsize = set_units(c(0.1, 0.2), m)
  )
)
```

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parameter_names	<i>Get vector of parameter names</i>
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## Description

Get vector of parameter names

## Usage

```
parameter_names(which)
```

## Arguments

which	A character string indicating which parameter names to retrieve, "constants", "enviro", or "leaf". Partial matching allowed.
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## Examples

```
parameter_names("leaf")
```

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tealeaves	<i>tealeaves package</i>
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## Description

Solve for Leaf Temperature Using Energy Balance

## Details

See the README on [GitHub](#)

**tleave***tleave: find leaf temperatures for multiple parameter sets*

## Description

**tleave:** find leaf temperatures for multiple parameter sets  
**tleaf:** find leaf temperatures for a single parameter set

## Usage

```
tleave(
  leaf_par,
  enviro_par,
  constants,
  progress = TRUE,
  quiet = FALSE,
  set_units = TRUE,
  parallel = FALSE
)

tleaf(leaf_par, enviro_par, constants, quiet = FALSE, set_units = TRUE)
```

## Arguments

<code>leaf_par</code>	A list of leaf parameters. This can be generated using the <code>make_leafpar</code> function.
<code>enviro_par</code>	A list of environmental parameters. This can be generated using the <code>make_enviropar</code> function.
<code>constants</code>	A list of physical constants. This can be generated using the <code>make_constants</code> function.
<code>progress</code>	Logical. Should a progress bar be displayed?
<code>quiet</code>	Logical. Should messages be displayed?
<code>set_units</code>	Logical. Should units be set? The function is faster when FALSE, but input must be in correct units or else results will be incorrect without any warning.
<code>parallel</code>	Logical. Should parallel processing be used via <code>future_map</code> ?

## Value

**tleave:**

A tibble with the following units columns

**Input:**`abs_l`

Absorbtivity of longwave radiation (unitless)

abs_s	Absorbtivity of shortwave radiation (unitless)
g_sw	Stomatal conductance to H <sub>2</sub> O ( $\mu\text{mol H}_2\text{O} / (\text{m}^2 \text{s Pa})$ )
g_uw	Cuticular conductance to H <sub>2</sub> O ( $\mu\text{mol H}_2\text{O} / (\text{m}^2 \text{s Pa})$ )
leafsize	Leaf characteristic dimension (m)
logit_sr	Stomatal ratio (logit transformed; unitless)
P	Atmospheric pressure (kPa)
RH	Relative humidity (unitless)
S_lw	incident long-wave radiation flux density (W / m <sup>2</sup> )
S_sw	incident short-wave (solar) radiation flux density (W / m <sup>2</sup> )
T_air	Air temperature (K)
wind	Wind speed (m / s)
<b>Output:</b>	
T_leaf	Equilibrium leaf tempearture (K)
value	Leaf energy balance (W / m <sup>2</sup> ) at tleaf
convergence	Convergence code (0 = converged)
R_abs	Total absorbed radiation (W / m <sup>2</sup> ; see <a href="#">.get_Rabs</a> )
S_r	Thermal infrared radiation loss (W / m <sup>2</sup> ; see <a href="#">.get_Sr</a> )
H	Sensible heat flux density (W / m <sup>2</sup> ; see <a href="#">.get_H</a> )
L	Latent heat flux density (W / m <sup>2</sup> ; see <a href="#">.get_L</a> )
E	Evapotranspiration (mol H <sub>2</sub> O/ (m <sup>2</sup> s))

tleaf:

A data.frame with the following numeric columns:

T_leaf	Equilibrium leaf temperature (K)
value	Leaf energy balance (W / m <sup>2</sup> ) at tleaf
convergence	Convergence code (0 = converged)
R_abs	Total absorbed radiation (W / m <sup>2</sup> ; see <a href="#">.get_Rabs</a> )
S_r	Longwave re-radiation (W / m <sup>2</sup> ; see <a href="#">.get_Sr</a> )
H	Sensible heat flux density (W / m <sup>2</sup> ; see <a href="#">.get_H</a> )
L	Latent heat flux density (W / m <sup>2</sup> ; see <a href="#">.get_L</a> )
E	Evapotranspiration (mol H <sub>2</sub> O/ (m <sup>2</sup> s))

## Examples

```
# tleaf for single parameter set:
```

```
leaf_par <- make_leafpar()
enviro_par <- make_enviropar()
constants <- make_constants()
tleaf(leaf_par, enviro_par, constants)
```

```
# tleaves for multiple parameter set:
```

```
enviro_par <- make_enviropar(
  replace = list(
    T_air = set_units(c(293.15, 298.15), K)
```

```
)  
)  
tleaves(leaf_par, enviro_par, constants)
```

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**tl\_example1**                   *tealeaves example output 1*

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### Description

An example output from the [tealeaves](#) function.

### Usage

```
tl_example1
```

### Format

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