

# Package ‘deeptime’

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**Description** Extends the functionality of other plotting packages like 'ggplot2' and 'lattice' to help facilitate the plotting of data over long time intervals, including, but not limited to, geological, evolutionary, and ecological data. The primary goal of 'deeptime' is to enable users to add highly customizable timescales to their visualizations. Other functions are also included to assist with other areas of deep time visualization.

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| coord_geo | <i>Transformed coordinate system with geological timescale</i> |
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### Description

coord\_geo behaves similarly to `ggplot2::coord_trans()` in that it occurs after statistical transformation and will affect the visual appearance of geoms. The main difference is that it also adds a geological timescale to the specified side(s) of the plot.

### Usage

```
coord_geo(
  pos = "bottom",
  dat = "periods",
  xlim = NULL,
  ylim = NULL,
  xtrans = identity_trans(),
  ytrans = identity_trans(),
  clip = "on",
  expand = FALSE,
  fill = NULL,
  alpha = 1,
  height = unit(2, "line"),
```

```

bord = c("left", "right", "top", "bottom"),
lwd = 0.25,
color = "black",
lab = TRUE,
lab_color = NULL,
rot = 0,
family = "sans",
fontface = "plain",
size = 5,
skip = c("Quaternary", "Holocene", "Late Pleistocene"),
abbrv = TRUE,
neg = FALSE,
center_end_labels = FALSE,
dat_is_discrete = FALSE,
fittext_args = list()
)

```

### Arguments

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| pos            | Which side to add the scale to (left, right, top, or bottom). First letter may also be used.  |
| dat            | Either A) a string indicating a built-in dataframe with interval data from the ICS ("periods", "epochs", "stages", "eons", or "eras"), B) a string indicating a timescale from macrostrat (see list here: <a href="https://macrostrat.org/api/defs/timescales?all">https://macrostrat.org/api/defs/timescales?all</a> ), or C) a custom data.frame of time interval boundaries (see Details).   |
| xlim, ylim     | Limits for the x and y axes.  |
| xtrans, ytrans | Transformers for the x and y axes. For more information see <code>ggplot2::coord_trans()</code> .   |
| clip           | Should drawing be clipped to the extent of the plot panel? A setting of "on" (the default) means yes, and a setting of "off" means no. In most cases, the default of "on" should not be changed, as setting <code>clip = "off"</code> can cause unexpected results. It allows drawing of data points anywhere on the plot, including in the plot margins. If limits are set via <code>xlim</code> and <code>ylim</code> and some data points fall outside those limits, then those data points may show up in places such as the axes, the legend, the plot title, or the plot margins. |
| expand         | If FALSE, the default, limits are taken exactly from the data or <code>xlim/ylim</code> . If TRUE, adds a small expansion factor to the limits to ensure that data and axes don't overlap.  |
| fill           | The fill color of the boxes. The default is to use the color column included in <code>dat</code> . If a custom dataset is provided with <code>dat</code> without a color column and without fill, a greyscale will be used. Custom fill colors can be provided with this option (overriding the color column) and will be recycled if/as necessary.   |
| alpha          | The transparency of the fill colors.  |
| height         | The height (or width if <code>pos</code> is left or right) of the scale.  |
| bord           | A vector specifying on which sides of the scale to add borders (same options as <code>pos</code> ).   |

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| lwd               | Line width.   |
| color             | The outline color of the interval boxes.  |
| lab               | Whether to include labels.  |
| lab_color         | The color of the labels. The default is to use the <code>lab_color</code> column included in <code>dat</code> . If a custom dataset is provided with <code>dat</code> without a <code>lab_color</code> column and without <code>fill</code> , all labels will be black. Custom label colors can be provided with this option (overriding the <code>lab_color</code> column) and will be recycled if/as necessary. |
| rot               | The amount of counter-clockwise rotation to add to the labels (in degrees).   |
| family            | The font family to use for the labels. There are only three fonts that are guaranteed to work everywhere: “sans” (the default), “serif”, or “mono”.   |
| fontface          | The font face to use for the labels. The standard options are "plain" (default), "bold", "italic", and "bold.italic".   |
| size              | Label size. Either a number as you would specify in <code>ggplot2::geom_text()</code> or "auto" to use <code>ggfittext::geom_fit_text()</code> .  |
| skip              | A vector of interval names indicating which intervals should not be labeled. If <code>abbrv</code> is TRUE, this can also include interval abbreviations.   |
| abbrv             | If including labels, whether to use abbreviations instead of full interval names.   |
| neg               | Set this to true if your x-axis is using negative values.   |
| center_end_labels | Should labels be centered within the visible range of intervals at the ends of the axis?  |
| dat_is_discrete   | Are the ages in <code>dat</code> already converted for a discrete scale?  |
| fittext_args      | A list of named arguments to provide to <code>ggfittext::geom_fit_text()</code> . Only used if <code>size</code> is set to "auto".  |

## Details

Transforming the side with the scale is not currently implemented. If a custom data.frame is provided (with `dat`), it should consist of at least 3 columns of data. See `data( periods )` for an example.

- The `name` column lists the names of each time interval. These will be used as labels if no abbreviations are provided.
- The `max_age` column lists the oldest boundary of each time interval.
- The `min_age` column lists the youngest boundary of each time interval.
- The `abbr` column is optional and lists abbreviations that may be used as labels.
- The `color` column is also optional and lists a `color` for the background for each time interval.
- The `lab_color` column is also optional and lists a `color` for the label for each time interval.

If the axis of the time scale is discrete, `max_age` and `min_age` will automatically be converted to the discrete scale. In this case, the categories of the discrete axis should match the values in the `name` column. If the ages within `dat` are already discretized, you can set `dat_is_discrete` to TRUE to prevent this automatic conversion. This can be useful for adding a time scale where categories and time intervals are not 1:1.

pos may also be a list of sides (including duplicates) if multiple time scales should be added to the plot. In this case, dat, fill, alpha, height, bord, lwd, color, lab, lab\_color, rot, family, fontface, size, skip, abbrev, neg, center\_end\_labels, and dat\_is\_discrete can also be lists. If these lists are not as long as pos, the elements will be recycled. If individual values (or vectors) are used for these parameters, they will be applied to all time scales (and recycled as necessary).

## Examples

```
library(ggplot2)
# single scale on bottom
ggplot() +
  geom_point(aes(y = runif(1000, 0, 8), x = runif(1000, 0, 1000))) +
  scale_x_reverse() +
  coord_geo(xlim = c(1000, 0), ylim = c(0, 8)) +
  theme_classic()

# stack multiple scales
ggplot() +
  geom_point(aes(y = runif(1000, 0, 8), x = runif(1000, 0, 100))) +
  scale_x_reverse() +
  coord_geo(
    xlim = c(100, 0), ylim = c(0, 8), pos = as.list(rep("bottom", 3)),
    dat = list("stages", "epochs", "periods"),
    height = list(unit(4, "lines"), unit(4, "lines"), unit(2, "line")),
    rot = list(90, 90, 0), size = list(2.5, 2.5, 5), abbrev = FALSE
  ) +
  theme_classic()
```

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coord\_geo\_polar

*Polar coordinate system with geological timescale*

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## Description

### [Deprecated]

coord\_geo\_polar behaves similarly to `ggplot2::coord_polar()` in that it occurs after statistical transformation and will affect the visual appearance of geoms. The main difference is that it also adds a geological timescale to the background of the plot.

## Usage

```
coord_geo_polar(
  dat = "periods",
  theta = "y",
  start = -pi/2,
  direction = -1,
  clip = "on",
  fill = NULL,
```

```

alpha = 1,
lwd = 0.25,
color = "grey80",
lty = "solid",
lab = FALSE,
abbrv = TRUE,
skip = c("Quaternary", "Holocene", "Late Pleistocene"),
neg = TRUE,
prop = 1,
textpath_args = list()
)

```

### Arguments

|               |   |
|---------------|---|
| dat           | Either A) a string indicating a built-in dataframe with interval data from the ICS ("periods", "epochs", "stages", "eons", or "eras"), B) a string indicating a timescale from macrostrat (see list here: <a href="https://macrostrat.org/api/defs/timescales?all">https://macrostrat.org/api/defs/timescales?all</a> ), or C) a custom data.frame of time interval boundaries (see Details). |
| theta         | variable to map angle to (x or y)   |
| start         | Offset of starting point from 12 o'clock in radians. Offset is applied clockwise or anticlockwise depending on value of direction.  |
| direction     | 1, clockwise; -1, anticlockwise   |
| clip          | Should drawing be clipped to the extent of the plot panel? A setting of "on" (the default) means yes, and a setting of "off" means no. For details, please see <a href="#">coord_cartesian()</a> .  |
| fill          | The fill color of the background. The default is to use the color column included in dat. If a custom dataset is provided with dat without a color column and without fill, a greyscale will be used. Custom fill colors can be provided with this option (overriding the color column) and will be recycled if/as necessary.   |
| alpha         | The transparency of the fill colors.  |
| lwd           | Line width for lines between intervals. Set to NULL to remove lines.  |
| color         | The color of the lines between intervals.   |
| lty           | Line type for lines between intervals.  |
| lab           | Whether to include labels.  |
| abbrv         | If including labels, whether to use abbreviations instead of full interval names.   |
| skip          | A vector of interval names indicating which intervals should not be labeled. If abbrv is TRUE, this can also include interval abbreviations.  |
| neg           | Set this to true if your theta-axis is using negative values. This is usually true if you are using ggtree.   |
| prop          | This is the rotational proportion of the background that the scale takes up.  |
| textpath_args | A list of named arguments to provide to <a href="#">geomtextpath::geom_textpath()</a> . Only used if lab is set to TRUE. Useful arguments include color (font color), family (font family), fontface, hjust (radial adjustment), and size (font size).  |

## Details

If a custom data.frame is provided (with `dat`), it should consist of at least 2 columns of data. See `data(periods)` for an example.

- The `max_age` column lists the oldest boundary of each time interval.
- The `min_age` column lists the youngest boundary of each time interval.
- The `abbr` column is optional and lists abbreviations that may be used as labels.
- The `color` column is optional and lists a `color` for the background for each time interval.

`dat` may also be a list of values and/or dataframes if multiple time scales should be added to the background. Scales will be added sequentially starting at `start` and going in the specified direction. By default the scales will all be equal in circular/rotational proportion, but this can be overridden with `prop`. If `dat` is a list, `fill`, `alpha`, `lwd`, `color`, `lty`, `lab`, `abbrv`, `skip`, `neg`, `prop`, and `textpath_args` can also be lists (N.B. `textpath_args` would be a list of lists). If these lists are not as long as `dat`, the elements will be recycled. If individual values (or vectors) are used for these parameters, they will be applied to all time scales (and recycled as necessary).

If the sum of the `prop` values is greater than 1, the proportions will be scaled such that they sum to 1. However, the `prop` values may sum to less than 1 if the user would like blank space in the background.

`coord_geo_polar` manually generates the `r` axis, meaning it does not support changing the guide features of `ggplot` v. 2.5.0 or later. However, the `deeptime.axis.line.r`, `deeptime.axis.text.r`, `deeptime.axis.ticks.r`, and `deeptime.axis.ticks.length.r` `ggplot2` theme elements can be modified just like their `x` and `y` counterparts to change the appearance of the radius axis. The default settings work well for a horizontal axis pointing towards the right, but these theme settings will need to be modified for other orientations. The default value for `deeptime.axis.line.r` is `element_line()`. The default value for `deeptime.axis.text.r` is `element_text(size = 3.5, vjust = -2, hjust = NA)`. The default value for `deeptime.axis.ticks.r` is `element_line()`. The default value for `deeptime.axis.ticks.length.r` is `unit(1.5, "points")`. However, note that the units for this element are meaningless and only the numeric value will be used (but a unit must still be used).

Care must be taken when adding labels to plots, as they are very likely to overlap with the plot under the default settings. The `textpath_args` argument can be used to adjust the settings for the plotting of the labels. See `geomtextpath::geom_textpath()` for details about the available arguments. Also note that the curvature of the labels may vary based on the distance from the origin. This is why `abbrv` is set to `TRUE` by default.

## Life cycle

This function is soft-deprecated in favor of `coord_geo_radial()` as of `deeptime` version 1.1.0. There is currently no plan to remove this function, but users are strongly encouraged to migrate to the new function for enhanced polar functionality. Note that `coord_geo_radial()` requires `ggplot2` version 3.5.0 or later.

## Examples

```
library(ggplot2)
```

```

library(ggtree)
set.seed(1)
tree <- rtree(100)
# single scale
revts(ggtree(tree)) +
  coord_geo_polar(dat = "stages")

# multiple scales
revts(ggtree(tree)) +
  coord_geo_polar(
    dat = list("stages", "periods"), alpha = .5,
    prop = list(0.75, .25), start = pi / 4, lty = "dashed"
  ) +
  scale_y_continuous(expand = expansion(mult = c(0.02, 0.02))) +
  theme(deeptime.axis.text.r = element_text(size = 3.5, hjust = .75,
                                             vjust = .75))

library(ggplot2)
library(paleotree)
data(RaiaCopesRule)
ggtree(ceratopsianTreeRaia,
       position = position_nudge(x = -ceratopsianTreeRaia$root.time)) +
  coord_geo_polar(dat = "stages")

```

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 coord\_geo\_radial

*Enhanced polar coordinate system with geological timescale*


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## Description

coord\_geo\_radial behaves similarly to `ggplot2::coord_radial()` in that it occurs after statistical transformation and will affect the visual appearance of geoms. The main difference is that it also adds a geological timescale to the background of the plot. `coord_geo_radial` is similar to `coord_geo_polar()` but has more options related to the polar coordinate plotting that are inherited from `ggplot2::coord_radial()` (e.g., `end`, `r_axis_inside`, `inner.radius`). Furthermore, unlike `coord_geo_polar`, `coord_geo_radial` uses the `ggplot2` internals to draw the `r` and `theta` axes, gridlines, etc. This means that users can tweak the `guide` and `theme` settings for these features (see examples). Note that `coord_geo_radial` requires `ggplot2` v. 3.5.0 or later.

## Usage

```

coord_geo_radial(
  dat = "periods",
  theta = "y",
  start = -0.5 * pi,
  end = 1.25 * pi,
  expand = TRUE,
  direction = 1,

```



```

    r_axis_inside = NULL,
    inner.radius = 0.05,
    fill = NULL,
    alpha = 1,
    lwd = 0.25,
    color = "grey80",
    lty = "solid",
    lab = FALSE,
    abbrev = TRUE,
    skip = c("Quaternary", "Holocene", "Late Pleistocene"),
    neg = TRUE,
    prop = 1,
    textpath_args = list(),
    clip = "off",
    rotate_angle = FALSE
  )

```

### Arguments

|               |   |
|---------------|---|
| dat           | Either A) a string indicating a built-in dataframe with interval data from the ICS ("periods", "epochs", "stages", "eons", or "eras"), B) a string indicating a timescale from macrostrat (see list here: <a href="https://macrostrat.org/api/defs/timescales?all">https://macrostrat.org/api/defs/timescales?all</a> ), or C) a custom data.frame of time interval boundaries (see Details). |
| theta         | variable to map angle to (x or y)   |
| start         | Offset of starting point from 12 o'clock in radians. Offset is applied clockwise or anticlockwise depending on value of direction.  |
| end           | Position from 12 o'clock in radians where plot ends, to allow for partial polar coordinates. The default, NULL, is set to start + 2 * pi.   |
| expand        | If TRUE, the default, adds a small expansion factor to the limits to prevent overlap between data and axes. If FALSE, limits are taken directly from the scale.   |
| direction     | 1, clockwise; -1, anticlockwise   |
| r_axis_inside | If TRUE, places the radius axis inside the panel. If FALSE, places the radius axis next to the panel. The default, NULL, places the radius axis outside if the start and end arguments form a full circle.  |
| inner.radius  | A numeric between 0 and 1 setting the size of a inner.radius hole.  |
| fill          | The fill color of the background. The default is to use the color column included in dat. If a custom dataset is provided with dat without a color column and without fill, a greyscale will be used. Custom fill colors can be provided with this option (overriding the color column) and will be recycled if/as necessary.   |
| alpha         | The transparency of the fill colors.  |
| lwd           | Line width for lines between intervals. Set to NULL to remove lines.  |
| color         | The color of the lines between intervals.   |
| lty           | Line type for lines between intervals.  |
| lab           | Whether to include labels.  |

|               |  |
|---------------|--|
| abbrv         | If including labels, whether to use abbreviations instead of full interval names.  |
| skip          | A vector of interval names indicating which intervals should not be labeled. If abbrv is TRUE, this can also include interval abbreviations.   |
| neg           | Set this to true if your theta-axis is using negative values. This is usually true if you are using <code>ggtree</code> .  |
| prop          | This is the rotational proportion of the background that the scale takes up.   |
| textpath_args | A list of named arguments to provide to <code>geomtextpath::geom_textpath()</code> . Only used if <code>lab</code> is set to TRUE. Useful arguments include <code>color</code> (font color), <code>family</code> (font family), <code>fontface</code> , <code>hjust</code> (radial adjustment), and <code>size</code> (font size). |
| clip          | Should drawing be clipped to the extent of the plot panel? A setting of "on" (the default) means yes, and a setting of "off" means no. For details, please see <code>coord_cartesian()</code> .  |
| rotate_angle  | If TRUE, transforms the angle aesthetic in data in accordance with the computed theta position. If FALSE (default), no such transformation is performed. Can be useful to rotate text geoms in alignment with the coordinates.   |

## Details

If a custom `data.frame` is provided (with `dat`), it should consist of at least 2 columns of data. See `data( periods )` for an example.

- The `max_age` column lists the oldest boundary of each time interval.
- The `min_age` column lists the youngest boundary of each time interval.
- The `abbr` column is optional and lists abbreviations that may be used as labels.
- The `color` column is optional and lists a `color` for the background for each time interval.

`dat` may also be a list of values and/or dataframes if multiple time scales should be added to the background. Scales will be added sequentially starting at `start` and going in the specified direction. By default the scales will all be equal in circular/rotational proportion, but this can be overridden with `prop`. If `dat` is a list, `fill`, `alpha`, `lwd`, `color`, `lty`, `lab`, `abbrv`, `skip`, `neg`, `prop`, and `textpath_args` can also be lists (N.B. `textpath_args` would be a list of lists). If these lists are not as long as `dat`, the elements will be recycled. If individual values (or vectors) are used for these parameters, they will be applied to all time scales (and recycled as necessary).

If the sum of the `prop` values is greater than 1, the proportions will be scaled such that they sum to 1. However, the `prop` values may sum to less than 1 if the user would like blank space in the background.

Care must be taken when adding labels to plots, as they are very likely to overlap with the plot under the default settings. The `textpath_args` argument can be used to adjust the settings for the plotting of the labels. See `geomtextpath::geom_textpath()` for details about the available arguments. Also note that the curvature of the labels may vary based on the distance from the origin. This is why `abbrv` is set to TRUE by default.

**Examples**

```

library(ggplot2)

library(ggtree)
set.seed(1)
tree <- rtree(100)
# single scale
revts(ggtree(tree)) +
  coord_geo_radial(dat = "stages") +
  scale_y_continuous(guide = "none", breaks = NULL) +
  theme_gray()

# multiple scales
revts(ggtree(tree)) +
  coord_geo_radial(
    dat = list("stages", "periods"), alpha = .5,
    prop = list(0.75, .25), start = pi / 4, end = 2 * pi, lty = "dashed"
  ) +
  scale_y_continuous(expand = expansion(mult = c(0.02, 0.02)),
                    guide = "none", breaks = NULL) +
  theme_gray()

library(ggplot2)
library(paleotree)
data(RaiaCopesRule)
ggtree(ceratopsianTreeRaia,
       position = position_nudge(x = -ceratopsianTreeRaia$root.time)) +
  coord_geo_radial(dat = "stages") +
  scale_y_continuous(guide = "none", breaks = NULL) +
  theme_classic()

```

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 coord\_trans\_flip

*Transformed and flipped Cartesian coordinate system*


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**Description**

coord\_trans\_flip behaves similarly to `ggplot2::coord_trans()` in that it occurs after statistical transformation and will affect the visual appearance of geoms. The main difference is that it also flips the x and y coordinates like `ggplot2::coord_flip()`.

**Usage**

```

coord_trans_flip(
  x = "identity",
  y = "identity",
  xlim = NULL,
  ylim = NULL,

```

```

    clip = "on",
    expand = TRUE
  )

```

### Arguments

|                         |   |
|-------------------------|---|
| <code>x, y</code>       | Transformers for x and y axes or their names.   |
| <code>xlim, ylim</code> | Limits for the x and y axes.  |
| <code>clip</code>       | Should drawing be clipped to the extent of the plot panel? A setting of "on" (the default) means yes, and a setting of "off" means no. In most cases, the default of "on" should not be changed, as setting <code>clip = "off"</code> can cause unexpected results. It allows drawing of data points anywhere on the plot, including in the plot margins. If limits are set via <code>xlim</code> and <code>ylim</code> and some data points fall outside those limits, then those data points may show up in places such as the axes, the legend, the plot title, or the plot margins. |
| <code>expand</code>     | If TRUE, the default, adds a small expansion factor to the limits to ensure that data and axes don't overlap. If FALSE, limits are taken exactly from the data or <code>xlim/ylim</code> .  |

### Examples

```

library(ggplot2)
ggplot(mtcars, aes(displ, wt)) +
  geom_point() +
  coord_trans_flip(x = "log10", y = "log10")

```

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coord\_trans\_xy

*Transformed XY Cartesian coordinate system*

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### Description

`coord_trans_xy` behaves similarly to `ggplot2::coord_trans()` in that it occurs after statistical transformation and will affect the visual appearance of geoms. The main difference is that it takes a single transformer that is applied to the x and y axes simultaneously. Any transformers produced by `ggforce::linear_trans()` that have x and y arguments should work, but any other transformers produced using `scales::trans_new()` that take x and y arguments should also work. Axis limits will be adjusted to account for transformation unless limits are specified with `xlim` or `ylim`.

### Usage

```

coord_trans_xy(
  trans = NULL,
  xlim = NULL,
  ylim = NULL,
  expand = FALSE,
  default = FALSE,
  clip = "on"
)

```

**Arguments**

|            |  |
|------------|--|
| trans      | Transformer for x and y axes.  |
| xlim, ylim | Limits for the x and y axes.   |
| expand     | If TRUE, the default, adds a small expansion factor to the limits to ensure that data and axes don't overlap. If FALSE, limits are taken exactly from the data or xlim/ylim.   |
| default    | Is this the default coordinate system? If FALSE (the default), then replacing this coordinate system with another one creates a message alerting the user that the coordinate system is being replaced. If TRUE, that warning is suppressed.   |
| clip       | Should drawing be clipped to the extent of the plot panel? A setting of "on" (the default) means yes, and a setting of "off" means no. In most cases, the default of "on" should not be changed, as setting clip = "off" can cause unexpected results. It allows drawing of data points anywhere on the plot, including in the plot margins. If limits are set via xlim and ylim and some data points fall outside those limits, then those data points may show up in places such as the axes, the legend, the plot title, or the plot margins. |

**Details**

This coordinate system only works with geoms where all points are defined with x and y coordinates (e.g., `ggplot2::geom_point()`, `ggplot2::geom_polygon()`). This does not currently work with geoms where point coordinates are extrapolated (e.g., `ggplot2::geom_rect()`). Furthermore, when used with `ggplot2` 3.5.0 and later, some transformation edge cases may cause problems with rendering axis lines. This includes not currently support "capping" axes. I hope to support all of these geoms, edge cases, and features in the future.

**Examples**

```
# make transformer
library(ggforce)
trans <- linear_trans(shear(2, 0), rotate(-pi / 3))

# set up data to be plotted
square <- data.frame(x = c(0, 0, 4, 4), y = c(0, 1, 1, 0))
points <- data.frame(x = runif(100, 0, 4), y = runif(100, 0, 1))

# plot data normally
library(ggplot2)
ggplot(data = points, aes(x = x, y = y)) +
  geom_polygon(data = square, fill = NA, color = "black") +
  geom_point(color = "black") +
  coord_cartesian(expand = FALSE) +
  theme_classic()

# plot data with transformation
ggplot(data = points, aes(x = x, y = y)) +
  geom_polygon(data = square, fill = NA, color = "black") +
  geom_point(color = "black") +
  coord_trans_xy(trans = trans, expand = FALSE) +
```

```
theme_classic()
```

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```
disparity_through_time
```

*Disparity through time plot using lattice*

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## Description

Plots points on 2-D surfaces within a 3-D framework. See `lattice::wireframe()` and `lattice::panel.cloud()` for customization options.

## Usage

```
disparity_through_time(
  x,
  data,
  groups,
  pch = 16,
  col.point = c("blue"),
  scales = list(arrows = FALSE, distance = 1, col = "black", z = list(rot = 90)),
  colorkey = FALSE,
  screen = list(z = 90, x = 70, y = 180),
  aspect = c(1.5, 4),
  drape = TRUE,
  col.regions = c("white"),
  alpha.regions = c(1),
  perspective = FALSE,
  R.mat = matrix(c(1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1), 4, 4),
  par.settings = list(axis.line = list(col = "transparent"), layout.heights =
    list(top.padding = 0, main.key.padding = 0, key.axis.padding = 0, axis.xlab.padding =
    0, xlab.key.padding = 0, key.sub.padding = 0, bottom.padding = 0), layout.widths =
    list(left.padding = 0, key.ylab.padding = 0, ylab.axis.padding = 0, axis.key.padding
    = 0, right.padding = 0)),
  lattice.options = list(axis.padding = list(factor = 0)),
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| <code>x</code>         | a formula (most likely of the form $z \sim x * y$ )                                       |
| <code>data</code>      | a data frame in which variables in the formula are to be evaluated                        |
| <code>groups</code>    | a variable in data to be used as a grouping variable (this is probably the z variable)    |
| <code>pch</code>       | the point type  |
| <code>col.point</code> | color(s) for points on surfaces   |
| <code>scales</code>    | a list specifying how the axes are drawn (see <code>lattice::xyplot()</code> for details) |

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| colorkey        | logical, should a legend be drawn (or a list describing the legend; see <code>lattice::levelplot()</code> for details) |
| screen          | a list of the rotations that should be applied to each axis  |
| aspect          | a numeric vector of length 2, giving the relative aspects of the y-size/x-size and z-size/x-size of the enclosing cube |
| drape           | logical, whether the surfaces should be colored based on <code>col.regions</code> and <code>alpha.regions</code>       |
| col.regions     | color(s) for surfaces  |
| alpha.regions   | alpha value(s) for surfaces  |
| perspective     | logical, whether to plot a perspective view  |
| R.mat           | a transformational matrix that is applied to the orientation of the axes   |
| par.settings    | plotting settings (see <code>lattice::trellis.par.set()</code> )   |
| lattice.options | lattice settings (see <code>lattice::lattice.options()</code> )  |
| ...             | Other arguments passed to <code>lattice::wireframe()</code>  |

**Value**

An object of class "trellis", as output by `lattice::wireframe()`.

**Examples**

```
g <- data.frame(
  x = runif(100, 0, 60), y = runif(100, 0, 10),
  z = factor(rep( periods$name[1:5], each = 20),
    levels = periods$name[1:5]
  )
)
disparity_through_time(z ~ x * y,
  data = g, groups = z, aspect = c(1.5, 2),
  xlim = c(0, 60), ylim = c(0, 10), col.regions = "lightgreen",
  col.point = c("red", "blue")
)
```

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eons

*Eon data from the International Commission on Stratigraphy  
(v2022/10)*

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**Description**

A dataset containing the boundary ages, abbreviations, and colors for the eons of the Geologic Time Scale. Based on The ICS International Chronostratigraphic Chart (v2022/10), by Cohen, Finney, Gibbard, and Fan.

**Usage**

eons

**Format**

A data frame with 3 rows and 5 variables:

**name** eon name

**max\_age** maximum age, in millions of years

**min\_age** minimum age, in millions of years

**abbr** eon name abbreviations

**color** the colors for each eon, according to the Commission for the Geological Map of the World

**Source**

<https://stratigraphy.org> via <https://macrostrat.org/api/v2/defs/intervals?timescale=international%20eons>

**See Also**

Other timescales: [epochs](#), [eras](#), [periods](#), [stages](#)

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| epochs | <i>Epoch data from the International Commission on Stratigraphy (v2022/10)</i> |
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**Description**

A dataset containing the boundary ages, abbreviations, and colors for the epochs of the Geologic Time Scale. Based on The ICS International Chronostratigraphic Chart (v2022/10), by Cohen, Finney, Gibbard, and Fan.

**Usage**

epochs

**Format**

A data frame with 34 rows and 5 variables:

**name** epoch name

**max\_age** maximum age, in millions of years

**min\_age** minimum age, in millions of years

**abbr** epoch name abbreviations

**color** the colors for each epoch, according to the Commission for the Geological Map of the World



**Source**

<https://stratigraphy.org> via <https://macrostrat.org/api/v2/defs/intervals?timescale=international%20epochs>

**See Also**

Other timescales: [eons](#), [eras](#), [periods](#), [stages](#)

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eras

*Era data from the International Commission on Stratigraphy (v2022/10)*

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**Description**

A dataset containing the boundary ages, abbreviations, and colors for the eras of the Geologic Time Scale. Based on The ICS International Chronostratigraphic Chart (v2022/10), by Cohen, Finney, Gibbard, and Fan.

**Usage**

eras

**Format**

A data frame with 10 rows and 5 variables:

**name** era name

**max\_age** maximum age, in millions of years

**min\_age** minimum age, in millions of years

**abbr** era name abbreviations

**color** the colors for each era, according to the Commission for the Geological Map of the World

**Source**

<https://stratigraphy.org> via <https://macrostrat.org/api/v2/defs/intervals?timescale=international%20eras>

**See Also**

Other timescales: [eons](#), [epochs](#), [periods](#), [stages](#)

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facet\_grid\_color      *Lay out panels in a grid with colored strips*

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### Description

facet\_grid\_color behaves similarly to `ggplot2::facet_grid()` in that it forms a matrix of panels defined by row and column faceting variables. The main difference is that it also allows the user to specify the background colors of the individual facet strips using the `colors` argument. If you have only one variable with many levels, try `facet_wrap_color()`.

### Usage

```
facet_grid_color(
  rows = NULL,
  cols = NULL,
  scales = "fixed",
  space = "fixed",
  shrink = TRUE,
  labeller = "label_value",
  colors = stages,
  as.table = TRUE,
  switch = NULL,
  drop = TRUE,
  margins = FALSE,
  axes = "margins",
  axis.labels = "all"
)
```

### Arguments

|            |  |
|------------|--|
| rows, cols | A set of variables or expressions quoted by <code>vars()</code> and defining faceting groups on the rows or columns dimension. The variables can be named (the names are passed to <code>labeller</code> ).<br>For compatibility with the classic interface, <code>rows</code> can also be a formula with the rows (of the tabular display) on the LHS and the columns (of the tabular display) on the RHS; the dot in the formula is used to indicate there should be no faceting on this dimension (either row or column). |
| scales     | Are scales shared across all facets (the default, "fixed"), or do they vary across rows ("free_x"), columns ("free_y"), or both rows and columns ("free")?   |
| space      | If "fixed", the default, all panels have the same size. If "free_y" their height will be proportional to the length of the y scale; if "free_x" their width will be proportional to the length of the x scale; or if "free" both height and width will vary. This setting has no effect unless the appropriate scales also vary.   |
| shrink     | If TRUE, will shrink scales to fit output of statistics, not raw data. If FALSE, will be range of raw data before statistical summary.   |

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| labeller    | A function that takes one data frame of labels and returns a list or data frame of character vectors. Each input column corresponds to one factor. Thus there will be more than one with <code>vars(cyl, am)</code> . Each output column gets displayed as one separate line in the strip label. This function should inherit from the "labeller" S3 class for compatibility with <code>labeller()</code> . You can use different labeling functions for different kind of labels, for example use <code>label_parsed()</code> for formatting facet labels. <code>label_value()</code> is used by default, check it for more details and pointers to other options. |
| colors      | Specifies which colors to use to replace the strip backgrounds. Either A) a function that returns a color for a given strip label, B) the character name of a function that does the same, C) a named character vector with names matching strip labels and values indicating the desired colors, or D) a data.frame representing a lookup table with columns named "name" (matching strip labels) and "color" (indicating desired colors). If the function returns   |
| as.table    | If TRUE, the default, the facets are laid out like a table with highest values at the bottom-right. If FALSE, the facets are laid out like a plot with the highest value at the top-right.  |
| switch      | By default, the labels are displayed on the top and right of the plot. If "x", the top labels will be displayed to the bottom. If "y", the right-hand side labels will be displayed to the left. Can also be set to "both".   |
| drop        | If TRUE, the default, all factor levels not used in the data will automatically be dropped. If FALSE, all factor levels will be shown, regardless of whether or not they appear in the data.  |
| margins     | Either a logical value or a character vector. Margins are additional facets which contain all the data for each of the possible values of the faceting variables. If FALSE, no additional facets are included (the default). If TRUE, margins are included for all faceting variables. If specified as a character vector, it is the names of variables for which margins are to be created.  |
| axes        | Determines which axes will be drawn. When "margins" (default), axes will be drawn at the exterior margins. "all_x" and "all_y" will draw the respective axes at the interior panels too, whereas "all" will draw all axes at all panels. Only works for ggplot2 version 3.5.0 and later.  |
| axis.labels | Determines whether to draw labels for interior axes when the axes argument is not "margins". When "all" (default), all interior axes get labels. When "margins", only the exterior axes get labels and the interior axes get none. When "all_x" or "all_y", only draws the labels at the interior axes in the x- or y-direction respectively. Only works for ggplot2 version 3.5.0 and later.   |

### Examples

```
library(ggplot2)
df <- data.frame(x = 1:10, y = 1:10, period = c("Permian", "Triassic"))
ggplot(df) +
  geom_point(aes(x, y)) +
  facet_grid_color(cols = vars(period), colors = periods)
```

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facet\_wrap\_color      *Wrap a 1d ribbon of panels into 2d with colored strips*

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### Description

facet\_wrap\_color behaves similarly to `ggplot2::facet_wrap()` in that it wraps a 1d sequence of panels into 2d. The main difference is that it also allows the user to specify the background colors of the individual facet strips using the `colors` argument. This is generally a better use of screen space than `facet_grid_color()` because most displays are roughly rectangular.

### Usage

```
facet_wrap_color(
  facets,
  nrow = NULL,
  ncol = NULL,
  scales = "fixed",
  shrink = TRUE,
  labeller = "label_value",
  colors = stages,
  as.table = TRUE,
  drop = TRUE,
  dir = "h",
  strip.position = "top",
  axes = "margins",
  axis.labels = "all"
)
```

### Arguments

|            |   |
|------------|---|
| facets     | A set of variables or expressions quoted by <code>vars()</code> and defining faceting groups on the rows or columns dimension. The variables can be named (the names are passed to <code>labeller</code> ).<br>For compatibility with the classic interface, can also be a formula or character vector. Use either a one sided formula, <code>~a + b</code> , or a character vector, <code>c("a", "b")</code> .                   |
| nrow, ncol | Number of rows and columns.   |
| scales     | Should scales be fixed ("fixed", the default), free ("free"), or free in one dimension ("free_x", "free_y")?  |
| shrink     | If TRUE, will shrink scales to fit output of statistics, not raw data. If FALSE, will be range of raw data before statistical summary.  |
| labeller   | A function that takes one data frame of labels and returns a list or data frame of character vectors. Each input column corresponds to one factor. Thus there will be more than one with <code>vars(cyl, am)</code> . Each output column gets displayed as one separate line in the strip label. This function should inherit from the "labeller" S3 class for compatibility with <code>labeller()</code> . You can use different |

labeling functions for different kind of labels, for example use `label_parsed()` for formatting facet labels. `label_value()` is used by default, check it for more details and pointers to other options.

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| colors         | Specifies which colors to use to replace the strip backgrounds. Either A) a function that returns a color for a given strip label, B) the character name of a function that does the same, C) a named character vector with names matching strip labels and values indicating the desired colors, or D) a data.frame representing a lookup table with columns named "name" (matching strip labels) and "color" (indicating desired colors). If the function returns |
| as.table       | If TRUE, the default, the facets are laid out like a table with highest values at the bottom-right. If FALSE, the facets are laid out like a plot with the highest value at the top-right.  |
| drop           | If TRUE, the default, all factor levels not used in the data will automatically be dropped. If FALSE, all factor levels will be shown, regardless of whether or not they appear in the data.  |
| dir            | Direction: either "h" for horizontal, the default, or "v", for vertical.  |
| strip.position | By default, the labels are displayed on the top of the plot. Using <code>strip.position</code> it is possible to place the labels on either of the four sides by setting <code>strip.position = c("top", "bottom", "left", "right")</code>  |
| axes           | Determines which axes will be drawn in case of fixed scales. When "margins" (default), axes will be drawn at the exterior margins. "all_x" and "all_y" will draw the respective axes at the interior panels too, whereas "all" will draw all axes at all panels. Only works for ggplot2 version 3.5.0 and later.  |
| axis.labels    | Determines whether to draw labels for interior axes when the scale is fixed and the axis argument is not "margins". When "all" (default), all interior axes get labels. When "margins", only the exterior axes get labels, and the interior axes get none. When "all_x" or "all_y", only draws the labels at the interior axes in the x- or y-direction respectively. Only works for ggplot2 version 3.5.0 and later.   |

### Examples

```
library(ggplot2)
df <- data.frame(x = 1:10, y = 1:10, period = c("Permian", "Triassic"))
ggplot(df) +
  geom_point(aes(x, y)) +
  facet_wrap_color(vars(period), colors = periods)
```

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geom\_phylomorphy

*Plot a 2-D phylomorphospace in ggplot2*

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### Description

This behaves similar to `phytools::phylomorphospace()`, but is for plotting a 2-D phylomorphospace with `ggplot2::ggplot()`. This function works like any other ggplot2 geom; it can be combined with other geoms (see the example below), and the output can be modified using scales, themes, etc.

**Usage**

```
geom_phylomorpha(
  tree,
  mapping = NULL,
  data = NULL,
  position = "identity",
  ...,
  seg_args = list(),
  point_args = list(),
  arrow = NULL,
  arrow.fill = NULL,
  lineend = "butt",
  linejoin = "round",
  na.rm = FALSE,
  show.legend = NA,
  inherit.aes = TRUE
)
```

**Arguments**

|            |   |
|------------|---|
| tree       | An object of class "phylo".   |
| mapping    | Set of aesthetic mappings created by <a href="#">aes()</a> . If specified and <code>inherit.aes = TRUE</code> (the default), it is combined with the default mapping at the top level of the plot. You must supply mapping if there is no plot mapping.   |
| data       | The data to be displayed in this layer. There are three options:<br>If <code>NULL</code> , the default, the data is inherited from the plot data as specified in the call to <a href="#">ggplot()</a> .<br>A <code>data.frame</code> , or other object, will override the plot data. All objects will be fortified to produce a data frame. See <a href="#">fortify()</a> for which variables will be created.<br>A function will be called with a single argument, the plot data. The return value must be a <code>data.frame</code> , and will be used as the layer data. A function can be created from a formula (e.g. <code>~ head(.x, 10)</code> ). |
| position   | Position adjustment, either as a string naming the adjustment (e.g. "jitter" to use <code>position_jitter</code> ), or the result of a call to a position adjustment function. Use the latter if you need to change the settings of the adjustment.   |
| ...        | Other arguments passed on to both <a href="#">ggplot2::geom_segment()</a> and <a href="#">ggplot2::geom_point()</a> .   |
| seg_args   | A list of arguments passed only to <a href="#">ggplot2::geom_segment()</a> .  |
| point_args | A list of arguments passed only to <a href="#">ggplot2::geom_point()</a> .  |
| arrow      | specification for arrow heads, as created by <a href="#">grid::arrow()</a> .  |
| arrow.fill | fill colour to use for the arrow head (if closed). <code>NULL</code> means use colour aesthetic.  |
| lineend    | Line end style (round, butt, square).   |
| linejoin   | Line join style (round, mitre, bevel).  |

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| na.rm       | If FALSE, the default, missing values are removed with a warning. If TRUE, missing values are silently removed.   |
| show.legend | logical. Should this layer be included in the legends? NA, the default, includes if any aesthetics are mapped. FALSE never includes, and TRUE always includes. It can also be a named logical vector to finely select the aesthetics to display.              |
| inherit.aes | If FALSE, overrides the default aesthetics, rather than combining with them. This is most useful for helper functions that define both data and aesthetics and shouldn't inherit behaviour from the default plot specification, e.g. <code>borders()</code> . |

## Details

The ancestral states are estimated using `phytools::fastAnc()`. The nodes are connected using `ggplot2::geom_segment()`, while the tips are indicated using `ggplot2::geom_point()`.

The default expectation is that the order of the data is the same order as the tip labels of the tree (`tree$tip.label`). However, if this is not the case, you can map the optional `label` aesthetic to a column in the data that contains the tip names (see example below).

## Examples

```
library(ggplot2)

library(ape)
tr <- rtree(10)
dat <- data.frame(
  x = runif(10), y = runif(10), label = tr$tip.label,
  row.names = tr$tip.label
)
ggplot(dat, aes(x = x, y = y, label = label)) +
  geom_phylomorpho(tr) +
  geom_label(size = 5)
```

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geom\_points\_range      *Display points and their range*

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## Description

This geom is like `ggplot2::geom_pointrange()` in that it draws points and lines. However, unlike `ggplot2::geom_pointrange()`, this geom takes in sets of x-y points and calculates the ranges/intervals based on those. It then plots both the original points and the ranges using `ggplot2::geom_linerange()`. In cases where not all points are connected (because of grouping due to aesthetics), the `background_line` argument can be used to add lines that span the entire point range for each x or y category.

**Usage**

```
geom_points_range(
  mapping = NULL,
  data = NULL,
  stat = "points_range",
  position = "identity",
  ...,
  na.rm = FALSE,
  orientation = NA,
  background_line = NULL,
  show.legend = NA,
  inherit.aes = TRUE
)
```

```
stat_points_range(
  mapping = NULL,
  data = NULL,
  geom = "points_range",
  position = "identity",
  ...,
  na.rm = FALSE,
  orientation = NA,
  show.legend = NA,
  inherit.aes = TRUE
)
```

**Arguments**

|          |   |
|----------|---|
| mapping  | Set of aesthetic mappings created by <a href="#">aes()</a> . If specified and <code>inherit.aes = TRUE</code> (the default), it is combined with the default mapping at the top level of the plot. You must supply mapping if there is no plot mapping.   |
| data     | The data to be displayed in this layer. There are three options:<br>If <code>NULL</code> , the default, the data is inherited from the plot data as specified in the call to <a href="#">ggplot()</a> .<br>A <code>data.frame</code> , or other object, will override the plot data. All objects will be fortified to produce a data frame. See <a href="#">fortify()</a> for which variables will be created.<br>A function will be called with a single argument, the plot data. The return value must be a <code>data.frame</code> , and will be used as the layer data. A function can be created from a formula (e.g. <code>~ head(.x, 10)</code> ). |
| stat     | The statistical transformation to use on the data for this layer, either as a <code>ggproto</code> <code>Geom</code> subclass or as a string naming the stat stripped of the <code>stat_</code> prefix (e.g. "count" rather than "stat_count")  |
| position | Position adjustment, either as a string naming the adjustment (e.g. "jitter" to use <code>position_jitter</code> ), or the result of a call to a position adjustment function. Use the latter if you need to change the settings of the adjustment.   |
| ...      | Arguments passed on to both <a href="#">ggplot2::geom_linerange()</a> and <a href="#">ggplot2::geom_point()</a> .   |



|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| na.rm           | If FALSE, the default, missing values are removed with a warning. If TRUE, missing values are silently removed.  |
| orientation     | The orientation of the layer. The default (NA) automatically determines the orientation from the aesthetic mapping. In the rare event that this fails it can be given explicitly by setting orientation to either "x" or "y". See the <i>Orientation</i> section for more detail.  |
| background_line | A named list of aesthetic values to use for plotted line segments that span the entire y or x range for each x or y category. The default aesthetics will be used for any aesthetics that are not specified in the list. This can be useful if the plotted groups of points don't overlap but you want a continuous line connecting all points for a given x or y category. If NULL (the default), no line segments will be plotted. |
| show.legend     | logical. Should this layer be included in the legends? NA, the default, includes if any aesthetics are mapped. FALSE never includes, and TRUE always includes. It can also be a named logical vector to finely select the aesthetics to display.   |
| inherit.aes     | If FALSE, overrides the default aesthetics, rather than combining with them. This is most useful for helper functions that define both data and aesthetics and shouldn't inherit behaviour from the default plot specification, e.g. <code>borders()</code> .  |
| geom            | The geometric object to use to display the data, either as a ggproto Geom subclass or as a string naming the geom stripped of the geom_ prefix (e.g. "point" rather than "geom_point")   |

## Aesthetics

`geom_points_range()` understands the following aesthetics (required aesthetics are in bold):

- **x**
- **y**
- size
- color/colour
- fill
- shape
- alpha
- group
- linetype
- linewidth

## Computed variables

These are calculated by the 'stat' part of layers and can be accessed with [delayed evaluation](#). `stat_points_range()` provides the following variables, some of which depend on the orientation:

- `after_stat(ymin)` *or* `after_stat(xmin)`  
the minimum extent of the point range
- `after_stat(ymax)` *or* `after_stat(xmax)`  
the maximum extent of the point range

## Orientation

This geom treats each axis differently and, thus, can thus have two orientations. Often the orientation is easy to deduce from a combination of the given mappings and the types of positional scales in use. Thus, ggplot2 will by default try to guess which orientation the layer should have. Under rare circumstances, the orientation is ambiguous and guessing may fail. In that case the orientation can be specified directly using the orientation parameter, which can be either "x" or "y". The value gives the axis that the geom should run along, "x" being the default orientation you would expect for the geom.

## Examples

```
library(ggplot2)

library(palaeoverse)
data(tetrapods)
tetrapod_names <- tetrapods$accepted_name[1:50]
beds_sampled <- sample.int(n = 10, size = 50, replace = TRUE)
occdf <- data.frame(taxon = tetrapod_names, bed = beds_sampled)
ggplot(occdf, aes(y = reorder(taxon, bed, min), x = bed)) +
  geom_points_range()
```

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get\_scale\_data

*Get geological timescale data*

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## Description

This function takes a name of a geological timescale and returns data for the timescale. Valid names include those of built-in data frames (`periods()`, `epochs()`, `stages()`, `eons()`, or `eras()`), partial matches of those names (e.g., "per" or "stage"), and exact matches to those hosted by Macrostrat (see full list here: <https://macrostrat.org/api/defs/timescales?all>).

## Usage

```
get_scale_data(name)
```

## Arguments

name            The name of the desired timescale.

## Value

A data.frame with the following columns:

|         |  |
|---------|--|
| name    | the names of the time intervals.                                     |
| max_age | the oldest boundaries of the time intervals, in millions of years.   |
| min_age | the youngest boundaries of the time intervals, in millions of years. |

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| abbr  | either traditional abbreviations of the names of the time intervals (if they exist) or custom abbreviations created with R. |
| color | hex color codes associated with the time intervals (if applicable).   |

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ggarrange2

*Combine and arrange multiple ggplot-like objects*


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### Description

Arrange multiple ggplot, grobified ggplot, or geo\_scale objects on a page, aligning the plot panels, axes, and axis titles.

### Usage

```
ggarrange2(
  ...,
  plots = list(...),
  layout = NULL,
  nrow = NULL,
  ncol = NULL,
  widths = NULL,
  heights = NULL,
  byrow = TRUE,
  top = NULL,
  bottom = NULL,
  left = NULL,
  right = NULL,
  padding = unit(0.5, "line"),
  margin = unit(0.5, "line"),
  clip = "on",
  draw = TRUE,
  newpage = TRUE,
  debug = FALSE,
  labels = NULL,
  label.args = list(gp = gpar(font = 4, cex = 1.2))
)
```

### Arguments

|        |  |
|--------|--|
| ...    | ggplot, grobified ggplot (gtable), or geo_scale objects  |
| plots  | list of ggplot, gtable, or geo_scale objects   |
| layout | a matrix of integers specifying where each plot should go, like mat in <code>graphics::layout()</code> ; NA or a value less than 0 or greater than the number of plots indicates a blank plot; overrides nrow/ncol/byrow |
| nrow   | number of rows   |
| ncol   | number of columns  |

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| widths     | list of requested widths   |
| heights    | list of requested heights  |
| byrow      | logical, fill by rows  |
| top        | optional string, or grob   |
| bottom     | optional string, or grob   |
| left       | optional string, or grob   |
| right      | optional string, or grob   |
| padding    | unit of length one, margin around annotations  |
| margin     | vector of units of length 4: top, right, bottom, left (as in <code>gtable::gtable_add_padding()</code> ) |
| clip       | argument of <code>gtable</code>  |
| draw       | logical: draw or return a grob   |
| newpage    | logical: draw on a new page  |
| debug      | logical, show layout with thin lines   |
| labels     | character labels used for annotation of subfigures (should be in the same order as plots)                |
| label.args | label list of parameters for the formatting of labels  |

### Value

gtable of aligned plots

### Examples

```
library(ggplot2)
p1 <- ggplot(mtcars, aes(mpg, wt, colour = factor(cyl))) +
  geom_point()
p2 <- ggplot(mtcars, aes(mpg, wt, colour = factor(cyl))) +
  geom_point() +
  facet_wrap(~cyl, ncol = 2, scales = "free") +
  guides(colour = "none") +
  theme()
ggarrange2(p1, p2, widths = c(2, 1), labels = c("a", "b"))

p3 <- ggplot() +
  geom_point(aes(y = runif(1000, 0, 8), x = runif(1000, 0, 1000))) +
  scale_x_reverse() +
  coord_geo(xlim = c(1000, 0), ylim = c(0, 8)) +
  theme_classic()
ggarrange2(ggarrange2(p1, p2, widths = c(2, 1), draw = FALSE), p3, nrow = 2)
```

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|---------------|----------------------------------|
| gtable_frame2 | <i>Decompose a ggplot gtable</i> |
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## Description

Reformat the gtable associated with a ggplot object into a 7x7 gtable where the central cell corresponds to the plot panel(s), the rectangle of cells around that corresponds to the axes, and the rectangle of cells around that corresponds to the axis titles.

## Usage

```
gtable_frame2(  
  g,  
  width = unit(1, "null"),  
  height = unit(1, "null"),  
  debug = FALSE  
)
```

## Arguments

|        |                           |
|--------|---------------------------|
| g      | gtable                    |
| width  | requested width           |
| height | requested height          |
| debug  | logical draw gtable cells |

## Value

7x7 gtable wrapping the plot

## Examples

```
library(grid)  
library(gridExtra)  
library(ggplot2)  
p1 <- ggplot(mtcars, aes(mpg, wt, colour = factor(cyl))) +  
  geom_point()  
  
p2 <- ggplot(mtcars, aes(mpg, wt, colour = factor(cyl))) +  
  geom_point() +  
  facet_wrap(~cyl, ncol = 2, scales = "free") +  
  guides(colour = "none") +  
  theme()  
  
p3 <- ggplot(mtcars, aes(mpg, wt, colour = factor(cyl))) +  
  geom_point() +  
  facet_grid(. ~ cyl, scales = "free")  
  
g1 <- ggplotGrob(p1)
```

```

g2 <- ggplotGrob(p2)
g3 <- ggplotGrob(p3)
fg1 <- gtable_frame2(g1)
fg2 <- gtable_frame2(g2)
fg12 <- gtable_frame2(gtable_rbind(fg1, fg2), width = unit(2, "null"),
                        height = unit(1, "null"))
fg3 <- gtable_frame2(g3, width = unit(1, "null"), height = unit(1, "null"))
grid.newpage()
combined <- gtable_cbind(fg12, fg3)
grid.draw(combined)

```

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| panel.disparity | <i>Combined wireframe and cloud panel</i> |
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### Description

Plots the provided data on 2-D surfaces within a 3-D framework. See [disparity\\_through\\_time\(\)](#).

### Usage

```
panel.disparity(x, y, z, groups, subscripts, ...)
```

### Arguments

`x`, `y`, `z`, `groups`, `subscripts`, ...  
 Same as for [lattice::panel.cloud\(\)](#)

### Value

No return value, plots the results of both [lattice::panel.cloud\(\)](#) and [lattice::panel.wireframe\(\)](#).

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| periods | <i>Period data from the International Commission on Stratigraphy (v2022/10)</i> |
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### Description

A dataset containing the boundary ages, abbreviations, and colors for the periods of the Geologic Time Scale. Based on The ICS International Chronostratigraphic Chart (v2022/10), by Cohen, Finney, Gibbard, and Fan.

### Usage

```
periods
```

**Format**

A data frame with 22 rows and 5 variables:

**name** period name

**max\_age** maximum age, in millions of years

**min\_age** minimum age, in millions of years

**abbr** period name abbreviations

**color** the colors for each period, according to the Commission for the Geological Map of the World

**Source**

<https://stratigraphy.org> via <https://macrostrat.org/api/v2/defs/intervals?timescale=international%20periods>

**See Also**

Other timescales: [eons](#), [epochs](#), [eras](#), [stages](#)

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| scale_color_geo | <i>Geological Time Scale color scales</i> |
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**Description**

Color scales using the colors in the Geological Time Scale graphics.

**Usage**

```
scale_color_geo(dat, ...)
```

```
scale_fill_geo(dat, ...)
```

```
scale_discrete_geo(dat, aesthetics, ...)
```

**Arguments**

**dat** Either A) a string indicating a built-in dataframe with interval data from the ICS ("periods", "epochs", "stages", "eons", or "eras"), B) a string indicating a timescale from macrostrat (see list here: <https://macrostrat.org/api/defs/timescales?all>), or C) a custom data.frame of time interval boundaries (see [coord\\_geo\(\)](#)).

**...** Arguments passed on to [ggplot2::discrete\\_scale](#)

**scale\_name** **[Deprecated]** The name of the scale that should be used for error messages associated with this scale.

**name** The name of the scale. Used as the axis or legend title. If [waiver\(\)](#), the default, the name of the scale is taken from the first mapping used for that aesthetic. If NULL, the legend title will be omitted.

labels One of:

- NULL for no labels
- `waiver()` for the default labels computed by the transformation object
- A character vector giving labels (must be same length as breaks)
- An expression vector (must be the same length as breaks). See `?plot-math` for details.
- A function that takes the breaks as input and returns labels as output. Also accepts rlang `lambda` function notation.

limits One of:

- NULL to use the default scale values
- A character vector that defines possible values of the scale and their order
- A function that accepts the existing (automatic) values and returns new ones. Also accepts rlang `lambda` function notation.

`na.translate` Unlike continuous scales, discrete scales can easily show missing values, and do so by default. If you want to remove missing values from a discrete scale, specify `na.translate = FALSE`.

`na.value` If `na.translate = TRUE`, what aesthetic value should the missing values be displayed as? Does not apply to position scales where NA is always placed at the far right.

`drop` Should unused factor levels be omitted from the scale? The default, TRUE, uses the levels that appear in the data; FALSE uses all the levels in the factor.

`guide` A function used to create a guide or its name. See `guides()` for more information.

`call` The call used to construct the scale for reporting messages.

`super` The super class to use for the constructed scale

`aesthetics` Character string or vector of character strings listing the name(s) of the aesthetic(s) that this scale works with. This can be useful, for example, to apply colour settings to the `colour` and `fill` aesthetics at the same time, via `aesthetics = c("colour", "fill")`.

## Examples

```
library(ggplot2)
df <- data.frame(
  x = runif(1000, 0, 10), y = runif(1000, 0, 10),
  color = sample( periods$name, 1000, TRUE), shape = 21
)
ggplot(df) +
  geom_point(aes(x = x, y = y, fill = color), shape = 21) +
  scale_fill_geo("periods", name = "Period") +
  theme_classic()

# cut continuous variable into discrete
df <- data.frame(x = runif(1000, 0, 1000), y = runif(1000, 0, 8))
df$color <- cut(df$x, c( periods$min_age, periods$max_age[22]), periods$name)
ggplot(df) +
```



```
geom_point(aes(x = x, y = y, color = color)) +  
scale_x_reverse() +  
scale_color_geo("periods", name = "Period") +  
coord_geo(xlim = c(1000, 0), ylim = c(0, 8)) +  
theme_classic()
```

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| stages | <i>Stage data from the International Commission on Stratigraphy (v2022/10)</i> |
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### Description

A dataset containing the boundary ages, abbreviations, and colors for the stages of the Geologic Time Scale. Based on The ICS International Chronostratigraphic Chart (v2022/10), by Cohen, Finney, Gibbard, and Fan.

### Usage

stages

### Format

A data frame with 102 rows and 5 variables:

**name** stage name

**max\_age** maximum age, in millions of years

**min\_age** minimum age, in millions of years

**abbr** stage name abbreviations

**color** the colors for each stage, according to the Commission for the Geological Map of the World

### Source

<https://stratigraphy.org> via <https://macrostrat.org/api/v2/defs/intervals?timescale=international%20ages>

### See Also

Other timescales: [eons](#), [epochs](#), [eras](#), [periods](#)

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