

# Package ‘GGIRread’

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**Description** Reads data collected from wearable accelerometers as used in sleep and physical activity research. Currently supports file formats: binary data from 'GENEAActiv' <<https://activinsights.com/>>, binary data from GENEA devices (not for sale), and .cwa-format and .wav-format data from 'Axivity' <<https://axivity.com>>. Primarily designed to complement R package GGIR <<https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=GGIR>>.

**URL** <https://github.com/wadpac/GGIRread/>

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GGIRread-package      *A package to read data files from wearable accelerometers*

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### Description

This package offers a collection of functions to read data files from wearable accelerometers. Some functions were migrated from R package GGIR to make GGIR more modular and to reduce it's complexity, while other functions such as readGENEActiv (R) and GENEActivReader (C++) are newly written.

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| GENEActivReader | <i>Function (C++) to read binary files as produced by the GENEActiv accelerometer</i> |
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### Description

Function to read binary files as produced by the GENEActiv accelerometer by ActivInsights Ltd  
<https://activinsights.com/>

### Usage

```
GENEActivReader(filename, start = 0L, end = 0L, progress_bar = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

|              |                             |
|--------------|-----------------------------|
| filename     | filename (required)         |
| start        | start page for reading data |
| end          | end page for reading data   |
| progress_bar | Boolean                     |

### Details

If only start page is defined then all data is read beyond start until the end of the file is reached

### Value

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| info        | List with ReadOK (good=0 or error=1), ReadErrors (Count of pages with read errors), SampleRate (Hertz), numBlocksTotal |
| time        | Numeric vector with time in milliseconds since start page  |
| x           | Numeric vector with x-axis acceleration in gravitational units   |
| y           | Numeric vector with y-axis acceleration in gravitational units   |
| z           | Numeric vector with z-axis acceleration in gravitational units   |
| temperature | matrix with battery voltage and corresponding timestamps   |
| lux         | Numeric vector with lux values in Volts  |

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| readAxivity | <i>Function to read .cwa-format files as produced by the accelerometer named 'Axivity'</i> |
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### Description

For reading .cwa-format data with the Axivity AX3 and AX6 sensors.

### Usage

```
readAxivity(filename, start = 0, end = 0, progressBar = FALSE,
            desiredtz = "", configtz = c(), interpolationType=1, loadbattery = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| filename          | filename (required)   |
| start             | start point for reading data, this can either be a timestamp "year-month-day hr:min:sec" or a page number (optional)  |
| end               | end point for reading data, this can either be a timestamp "year-month-day hr:min:sec" or a page number (optional)  |
| progressBar       | Is trigger to switch on/off the text progress bar. If progressBar is TRUE then the function displays the progress bar but it works slightly slower  |
| desiredtz         | Desired timezone, a character with timezone database name.  |
| configtz          | Only functional for AX3 cwa data at the moment. Timezone in which the accelerometer was configured. Only use this argument if the timezone of configuration and timezone in which recording took place are different. |
| interpolationType | Integer to indicate type of interpolation to be used, 1=linear, 2=nearest neighbour.  |
| loadbattery       | Boolean to indicate whether battery voltage should be loaded  |

### Value

|        |  |
|--------|--|
| data   | dataframe with timestamp, raw x, -y, and, -z acceleration values, temperature, battery and light |
| header | file header  |

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### Examples

```
cwafilename = system.file("testfiles/ax3_testfile.cwa", package = "GGIRread")[1]
AX3 = readAxivity(filename = cwafilename, desiredtz = "Europe/Berlin", start = 1, end = 2)
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| readGenea | <i>Function to read binary files as produced by the accelerometer named 'Genea', not to be confused with the 'GENEActiv' (see package GENEAREad for this)</i> |
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### Description

For reading the binary data as collected with a Genea accelerometer (Unilever Discover, UK). For reading GENEActive binary data, see package GENEAREad.

### Usage

```
readGenea(filename, start = 0, end = 0)
```

### Arguments

|          |  |
|----------|--|
| filename | filename (required)  |
| start    | start point for reading data, this can either be a timestamp in POSIXct format "year-month-day hr:min:sec" or a page number (optional) |
| end      | end point for reading data, this can either be a timestamp in POSIXct format "year-month-day hr:min:sec" or a page number (optional)   |

### Details

If only start is defined then readGenea will read all data beyond start until the end of the file is reached

### Value

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| rawxyz       | matrix with raw x, y, and, z acceleration values         |
| header       | file header  |
| timestamps1  | timestamps for rawxyz in seconds since 1970-01-01 00:00  |
| timestamps2  | timestamps for rawxyz in day time format                 |
| batt.voltage | matrix with battery voltage and corresponding timestamps |

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### Examples

```
geneafile = system.file("testfiles/genea_testfile.bin", package = "GGIRread")[1]
GENEA = readGenea(filename = geneafile, start = 0, end = 2)
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| readGENEActiv | <i>Function (R) to read binary files as produced by the GENEActiv accelerometer</i> |
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### Description

R function wrapper around [GENEActivReader](#) to read binary files as produced by the GENEActiv accelerometer by ActivInsights Ltd <https://activinsights.com/>

### Usage

```
readGENEActiv(filename, start = 0L, end = 0L, progress_bar = FALSE,
              desiredtz = "", configtz = NULL)
```

### Arguments

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| filename     | filename (required)  |
| start        | start page for reading data  |
| end          | end page for reading data  |
| progress_bar | Boolean  |
| desiredtz    | Character, timezone database name of the timezone where the accelerometer was worn.  |
| configtz     | Character, timezone database name of the timezone where the accelerometer was configured. Leave NULL if equal to timezone where experiment took place. |

### Details

If only start page is defined then all data is read beyond start until the end of the file is reached

### Value

header:

|                |  |
|----------------|--|
| serial_number  | Device serial number as extracted from file header       |
| firmware       | Firmware version   |
| tzzone         | Time zone as extracted from file header                  |
| ReadOK         | see <a href="#">GENEActivReader</a>                      |
| SampleRate     | matrix with battery voltage and corresponding timestamps |
| ReadErrors     | matrix with battery voltage and corresponding timestamps |
| numBlocksTotal | matrix with battery voltage and corresponding timestamps |
| StartTime      | Start time as extracted from file header                 |

data.out:

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| time        | Unix time in seconds with decimal places for milliseconds |
| x           | see <a href="#">GENEActivReader</a>                       |
| y           | see <a href="#">GENEActivReader</a>                       |
| z           | see <a href="#">GENEActivReader</a>                       |
| light       | Ligth values express in lux units                         |
| temperature | Temperature in Celsius                                    |

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**Examples**

```
binfile = system.file("testfiles/GENEActiv_testfile.bin", package = "GGIRread")[1]
rdata = readGENEActiv(filename = binfile, start = 1, end = 1, desiredtz = "Europe/London")
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readWav *Reads .wav files as can be stored with OMGUI software by Axivity Ltd*

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**Description**

Reads the wav accelerometer data format as stored with the OMGUI software by Axivity Ltd and documented [here](#).

**Usage**

```
readWav(filename, start = 1, end = 100, units="minutes")
```

**Arguments**

|          |  |
|----------|--|
| filename | filename (required)                          |
| start    | start point for reading data, see also units |
| end      | end point for reading data, see also units   |
| units    | units used for defining start and end        |

**Details**

If only start is defined then g.binread will read all data beyond start until the end of the file is reached

**Value**

|            |  |
|------------|--|
| rawxyz     | matrix with raw x, y, and, z acceleration values |
| header     | file header                                      |
| timestamps | local timestamps for rawxyz                      |

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resample

*Resample timeseries*

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**Description**

Resample single- or multi-variate time series using linear or nearest neighbour interpolation

**Usage**

```
resample(raw, rawTime, time, stop, type = 1)
```

**Arguments**

|         |  |
|---------|--|
| raw     | stop-by-3 matrix with raw values of x, y and z.                          |
| rawTime | vector with stop elements of raw time.                                   |
| time    | array with required time points.   |
| stop    | Number of rows in raw  |
| type    | integer to indicate type of interpolation, 1=linear, 2=nearest neighbour |

**Examples**

```
raw = cbind(1:10, 1:10, 1:10)
rawTime = seq(0.1, 1, by = 0.1)
time = seq(0.15001, 1.05001, by = 0.1)
stop = 10
dat_lin = resample(raw, rawTime, time, stop, type = 1)
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