

# Package ‘nonmem2rx’

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**Title** Converts 'NONMEM' Models to 'rxode2'

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**Description** 'NONMEM' has been a tool for running nonlinear mixed effects models since the 80s and is still used today (Bauer 2019 <[doi:10.1002/psp4.12404](https://doi.org/10.1002/psp4.12404)>). This tool allows you to convert 'NONMEM' models to 'rxode2' (Wang, Hallow and James (2016) <[doi:10.1002/psp4.12052](https://doi.org/10.1002/psp4.12052)>) and with simple models 'nlmixr2' syntax (Fidler et al (2019) <[doi:10.1002/psp4.12445](https://doi.org/10.1002/psp4.12445)>). The 'nlmixr2' syntax requires the residual specification to be included and it is not always translated. If available, the 'rxode2' model will read in the 'NONMEM' data and compare the simulation for the population model ('PRED') individual model ('IPRED') and residual model ('IWRES') to immediately show how well the translation is performing. This saves the model development time for people who are creating an 'rxode2' model manually. Additionally, this package reads in all the information to allow simulation with uncertainty (that is the number of observations, the number of subjects, and the covariance matrix) with a 'rxode2' model. This is complementary to the 'babelmixr2' package that translates 'nlmixr2' models to 'NONMEM' and can convert the objects converted from 'nonmem2rx' to a full 'nlmixr2' fit.

**License** GPL (>= 3)

**URL** <https://nlmixr2.github.io/nonmem2rx/>,  
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as.nonmem2rx	<i>Convert a model to a nonmem2rx model</i>
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## Description

Convert a model to a nonmem2rx model

## Usage

```
as.nonmem2rx(model1, model2, compress = TRUE)
```

## Arguments

model1	Input model 1
model2	Input model 2
compress	boolean to compress the ui at the end

## Value

nonmem2rx model

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
mod <- nonmem2rx(system.file("mods/cpt/runODE032.ct1", package="nonmem2rx"),
  determineError=FALSE, lst=".res", save=FALSE)

mod2 <-function() {
  ini({
    lc1 <- 1.37034036528946
    lvc <- 4.19814911033061
    lq <- 1.38003493562413
    lvp <- 3.87657341967489
    RSV <- c(0, 0.196446108190896, 1)
    eta.c1 ~ 0.101251418415006
    eta.v ~ 0.0993872449483344
    eta.q ~ 0.101302674763154
    eta.v2 ~ 0.0730497519364148
  })
  model({
    cmt(CENTRAL)
    cmt(PERI)
    c1 <- exp(lc1 + eta.c1)
    v <- exp(lvc + eta.v)
    q <- exp(lq + eta.q)
    v2 <- exp(lvp + eta.v2)
    v1 <- v
    scale1 <- v
    k21 <- q/v2
    k12 <- q/v
    d/dt(CENTRAL) <- k21 * PERI - k12 * CENTRAL - c1 * CENTRAL/v1
    d/dt(PERI) <- -k21 * PERI + k12 * CENTRAL
    f <- CENTRAL/scale1
    f ~ prop(RSV)
  })
}

new <- try(as.nonmem2rx(mod2, mod))
if (!inherits(new, "try-error")) print(new, page=1)
```

**Description**

Read in data file

**Usage**

```
nmcov(file, ...)
```

**Arguments**

file            file name to read the results from  
...            other parameters passed to `data.table::fread`

**Value**

A matrix with covariance step from NONMEM

**Author(s)**

Philip Delff and Matthew L. Fidler

**Examples**

```
nmcov(system.file("mods/cpt/runODE032.cov", package="nonmem2rx"))
```

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nmext

*Reads the NONMEM .ext file for final parameter information*

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**Description**

Reads the NONMEM .ext file for final parameter information

**Usage**

```
nmext(file)
```

**Arguments**

file            File where the list is located

**Value**

return a list with `$theta`, `$eta` and `$eps`

**Author(s)**

Matthew L. Fidler

**Examples**

```
nmext(system.file("run001.ext", package="nonmem2rx"))
```

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nmgrd	<i>Reads the NONMEM .grd file for final parameter gradient</i>
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**Description**

Reads the NONMEM .grd file for final parameter gradient

**Usage**

```
nmgrd(file)
```

**Arguments**

file            File where the list is located

**Value**

return a list with \$rawGrad

**Author(s)**

Matthew L. Fidler

**Examples**

```
nmgrd(system.file("mods/cpt/runODE032.grd", package="nonmem2rx"))
```

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nminfo	<i>Get the most accurate information you can get from NONMEM</i>
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**Description**

Get the most accurate information you can get from NONMEM

**Usage**

```
nminfo(  
  file,  
  mod = ".mod",  
  xml = ".xml",  
  ext = ".ext",  
  cov = ".cov",  
  phi = ".phi",  
  lst = ".lst",  
  grd = ".grd",
```

```

    useXml = TRUE,
    useExt = TRUE,
    useCov = TRUE,
    usePhi = TRUE,
    useLst = TRUE,
    strictLst = FALSE,
    verbose = FALSE
  )

```

### Arguments

<code>file</code>	nonmem file, like control stream, phi. This function will remove the extension to try to get the right information. It preferentially selects the most accurate estimates from the file.
<code>mod</code>	the NONMEM output extension, defaults to <code>.mod</code>
<code>xml</code>	the NONMEM xml file extension, defaults to <code>.xml</code>
<code>ext</code>	the NONMEM ext file extension, defaults to <code>.ext</code>
<code>cov</code>	the NONMEM covariance file extension, defaults to <code>.cov</code>
<code>phi</code>	the NONMEM eta/phi file extension, defaults to <code>.phi</code>
<code>lst</code>	the NONMEM output extension, defaults to <code>.lst</code>
<code>grd</code>	the NONMEM gradient file extension, defaults to <code>.grd</code>
<code>useXml</code>	if present, use the NONMEM xml file to import much of the NONMEM information
<code>useExt</code>	if present, use the NONMEM ext file to extract parameter estimates (default TRUE), otherwise defaults to parameter estimates extracted in the NONMEM output
<code>useCov</code>	if present, use the NONMEM cov file to import the covariance, otherwise import the covariance with list file
<code>usePhi</code>	if present, use the NONMEM phi file to extract etas (default TRUE), otherwise defaults to etas in the tables (if present)
<code>useLst</code>	if present, use the NONMEM lst file to extract NONMEM information
<code>strictLst</code>	The list parsing needs to be correct for a successful load (default FALSE).
<code>verbose</code>	this is a flag to be more verbose when reading information in, by default this is FALSE

### Value

list of NONMEM information

### Author(s)

Matthew L. Fidler

### Examples

```
nminfo(system.file("mods/cpt/runODE032.res", package="nonmem2rx"))
```

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nmlst	<i>Reads the NONMEM .lst file for final parameter information</i>
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**Description**

Reads the NONMEM .lst file for final parameter information

**Usage**

```
nmlst(file, strictLst = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

file	File where the list is located
strictLst	The list parsing needs to be correct for a successful load (default FALSE).

**Value**

return a list with \$theta, \$eta and \$eps and other information about the control stream

**Author(s)**

Matthew L. Fidler

**Examples**

```
nmlst(system.file("mods/DDMODEL00000322/HQ1CMT.lst", package="nonmem2rx"))
nmlst(system.file("mods/DDMODEL00000302/run1.lst", package="nonmem2rx"))
nmlst(system.file("mods/DDMODEL00000301/run3.lst", package="nonmem2rx"))
nmlst(system.file("mods/cpt/runODE032.res", package="nonmem2rx"))
```

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nmtab	<i>Read nonmem table file</i>
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**Description**

Read nonmem table file

**Usage**

```
nmtab(file, ...)
```

**Arguments**

file	file name to read the results from
...	other parameters passed to data.table::fread

**Value**

data frame of the read table

**Author(s)**

Philip Delff, Matthew L. Fidler

**Examples**

```
nmtab(system.file("mods/cpt/runODE032.csv", package="nonmem2rx"))
```

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nmxml

*Read a nonmem xml and create output similar to the nmlst()*

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**Description**

Read a nonmem xml and create output similar to the nmlst()

**Usage**

```
nmxml(xml)
```

**Arguments**

xml            xml file

**Value**

list of nonmem information

**Author(s)**

Matthew L. Fidler

**Examples**

```
nmxml(system.file("mods/cpt/runODE032.xml", package="nonmem2rx"))
```

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nonmem2rx

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Convert a NONMEM source file to a rxode model (nlmixr2-syle)

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## Description

Convert a NONMEM source file to a rxode model (nlmixr2-syle)

## Usage

```

nonmem2rx(
  file,
  inputData = NULL,
  nonmemOutputDir = NULL,
  rename = NULL,
  tolowerLhs = TRUE,
  thetaNames = TRUE,
  etaNames = TRUE,
  cmtNames = TRUE,
  updateFinal = TRUE,
  determineError = TRUE,
  validate = getOption("nonmem2rx.validate", TRUE),
  nonmemData = FALSE,
  strictLst = FALSE,
  unintFixed = FALSE,
  extended = getOption("nonmem2rx.extended", FALSE),
  nLinesPro = 20L,
  delta = 1e-04,
  usePhi = TRUE,
  useExt = TRUE,
  useCov = TRUE,
  useXml = TRUE,
  useLst = TRUE,
  mod = ".mod",
  cov = ".cov",
  phi = ".phi",
  lst = getOption("nonmem2rx.lst", ".lst"),
  xml = ".xml",
  ext = ".ext",
  grd = ".grd",
  scanLines = getOption("nonmem2rx.scanLines", 50L),
  save = getOption("nonmem2rx.save", NA),
  saveTime = getOption("nonmem2rx.saveTime", 15),
  overwrite = getOption("nonmem2rx.overwrite", TRUE),
  load = getOption("nonmem2rx.load", TRUE),
  compress = getOption("nonmem2rx.compress", TRUE),
  keep = getOption("nonmem2rx.keep", c("dfSub", "dfObs", "thetaMat", "sigma"))
)

```

**Arguments**

file	NONMEM run file, like an .xml or .lst file or even a control stream
inputData	this is a path to the input dataset (or NULL to determine from the dataset). Often the input dataset may be different from the place it points to in the control stream because directories can be created to run NONMEM from a script. Because of this, when this is specified the input data will be assumed to be from here instead.
nonmemOutputDir	This is a path the the nonmem output directory. When not NULL it will assume that the directory for the output files is located here instead of where the control stream currently exists.
rename	When not NULL this should be a named character vector that contains the parameters that should be renamed. For example, if the model uses the variable YTYPE and has CMT it isn't compatible with rxode2/nlmixr2. You can change this for the input dataset and the model to create a new model that still reproduces the NONMEM output by specifying <code>rename=c(dvid="YTYPE")</code>
tolowerLhs	Boolean to change the lhs to lower case (default: TRUE)
thetaNames	this could be a boolean indicating that the theta names should be changed to the comment-labeled names (default: TRUE). This could also be a character vector of the theta names (in order) to be replaced.
etaNames	this could be a boolean indicating that the eta names should be changed to the comment-labeled names (default: TRUE). This could also be a character vector of the theta names (in order) to be replaced.
cmtNames	this could be a boolean indicating that the compartment names should be changed to the named compartments in the \$MODEL by <code>COMP = (name)</code> (default: TRUE). This could also be a character vector of the compartment names (in order) to be replaced.
updateFinal	Update the parsed model with the model estimates from the .lst output file.
determineError	Boolean to try to determine the nlmixr2-style residual error model (like <code>ipred ~ add(add.sd)</code> ), otherwise endpoints are not defined in the rxode2/nlmixr2 model (default: TRUE)
validate	Boolean that this tool will attempt to "validate" the model by solving the derived model under pred conditions (etas are zero and eps values are zero)
nonmemData	Boolean that tells nonmem2rx to read in the nonmem data (if possible) even if the model will not be validated (like if it is a simulation run or missing final parameter estimates). By default this is FALSE, nonmem data will not be integrated into the nonmem2rx ui.
strictLst	The list parsing needs to be correct for a successful load (default FALSE).
unintFixed	Treat uninteresting values as fixed parameters (default FALSE)
extended	Translate extended control streams from tools like wings for NONMEM
nLinesPro	The number of lines to check for the \$PROBLEM statement.
delta	this is the offset for NONMEM times that are tied
usePhi	if present, use the NONMEM phi file to extract etas (default TRUE), otherwise defaults to etas in the tables (if present)

useExt	if present, use the NONMEM ext file to extract parameter estimates (default TRUE), otherwise defaults to parameter estimates extracted in the NONMEM output
useCov	if present, use the NONMEM cov file to import the covariance, otherwise import the covariance with list file
useXml	if present, use the NONMEM xml file to import much of the NONMEM information
useLst	if present, use the NONMEM lst file to extract NONMEM information
mod	the NONMEM output extension, defaults to .mod
cov	the NONMEM covariance file extension, defaults to .cov
phi	the NONMEM eta/phi file extension, defaults to .phi
lst	the NONMEM output extension, defaults to .lst
xml	the NONMEM xml file extension , defaults to .xml
ext	the NONMEM ext file extension, defaults to .ext
grd	the NONMEM gradient file extension, defaults to .grd
scanLines	number of lines to scan for comment chars when IGNORE=@, default is 50
save	This can be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a NULL (meaning don't save),</li> <li>• a logical (default FALSE, don't save) that when TRUE will use the base name of the control stream, append .qs and save the file using <code>qs2::qs_save()</code></li> <li>• A path to a file to write Note that this file will be saved with <code>qs2::qs_save()</code> and can be loaded with <code>qs2::qs_read()</code></li> <li>• A NA value which means save if the whole process (including validation) takes too much time</li> </ul>
saveTime	The time that the translation/validation needs (in secs) before it will save to avoid having to rerun the model (default 15 for 15 seconds)
overwrite	is a boolean to allow overwriting the save file (see load for more information).
load	a boolean that says to load the save file (if it exists) instead of re-running the translation and validation. Note if <code>overwrite=TRUE</code> and <code>load=TRUE</code> then this will overwrite based on time stamp of the files. If the save file is newer than the input file, then load that file, otherwise regenerate and overwrite. This works best if you point to an output file, like a .xml or listing file instead of the control stream
compress	a boolean indicating if the UI should be a compressed UI. If you are using this for simulation with old versions of rxode2, the compressed ui is not supported, so this should be FALSE. Otherwise use TRUE if you are using a newer rxode2.
keep	is a character vector of imported model items that are kept in the model itself; The defaults is "sigma" which keeps the sigma matrix in the model itself. You can add rxode2 solving options that are imported from NONMEM to keep in the model.

## Details

Since some of these options you may want to set per project, the following options are queried:

- `nonmem2rx.validate` - boolean to validate the model (default: TRUE)
- `nonmem2rx.lst` - default extension for output (default: .lst)
- `nonmem2rx.save` - should nonmem2rx save the model output?
- `nonmem2rx.overwrite` - should nonmem2rx save output be overwritten (default TRUE)
- `nonmem2rx.load` - should nonmem2rx load a saved model instead of translating and validating again? (default TRUE)
- `nonmem2rx.extended` - should nonmem2rx support extended control streams? (default FALSE)
- `nonmem2rx.compress` - should the ui be compressed or uncompressed (default: TRUE)

## Value

rxode2 function

## Examples

```
# You can run a translation without validating the input. This is
# a faster way to import a dataset (and allows the CRAN machines to
# run a quick example)

mod <- nonmem2rx(system.file("mods/cpt/runODE032.ct1", package="nonmem2rx"), lst=".res",
                 save=FALSE, validate=FALSE, compress=FALSE)

# Though by default you likely wish to validate the input

mod <- nonmem2rx(system.file("mods/cpt/runODE032.ct1", package="nonmem2rx"),
                 lst=".res", save=FALSE)

mod

# you can plot to compare the pred/ipred differences

plot(mod)

# if you want to see the individual differences
# you can by plotting by page of plots

plot(mod, nrow=2, ncol=2, page=1, log="y")

# or select which pages you want to print

plot(mod, nrow=2, ncol=2, page=c(1,3), log="y")

#' or even all the individuals with
# plot(page=TRUE)
```

```
plot(mod, nrow=5, ncol=5, page=TRUE, log="y")  
  
# you can also convert to a nlmixr2 object, but need babelmixr2 for  
# that conversion
```

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