

# Package ‘morestopwords’

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**Type** Package

**Title** All Stop Words in One Place

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**Description** A standalone package combining several stop-word lists for 65 languages with a median of 329 stop words for language and over 1,000 entries for English, Breton, Latin, Slovenian, and Ancient Greek! The user automatically gets access to all the unique stop words contained in: the 'StopwordISO' repository; the 'Natural Language Toolkit' for 'python'; the 'Snowball' stop-word list; the R package 'quanteda'; the 'marimo' repository; the 'Perseus' project; and A. Berra's list of stop words for Ancient Greek and Latin.

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**URL** <https://fatelarico.github.io/morestopwords.html>

**BugReports** <https://github.com/FATelarico/morestopwords/issues>

**Encoding** UTF-8

**Depends** R (>= 2.10)

**LazyData** no

**RoxygenNote** 7.2.3

**Suggests** cld2

**NeedsCompilation** no

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languages	Returns ISO codes and names for all language or only those available in this package
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### Description

See the relevant [Wikipedia article](#) for details on the language codes.

### Usage

```
languages(available = TRUE)
```

### Arguments

available      *logical*, whether to return only the languages supported in this package.

### Details

Note that:

- the ISO 639-1 code for mainland Chinese was changed to zh-cn.
- A list of stop words in the variety of Chinese spoken in the island of Taiwan is accessible using the ISO 639-1 zh-tw or the name 'Chinese Taiwan'.
- Ancient Greek has been assigned an artifact ISO 639-1 code (gr) because it had none. Its ISO 639-2 and 639-3 codes are both grc.

### Value

A data frame with a row for each languages (only those supported if available is TRUE) and columns for the several ISO codes (639-2, 639-3, 639-1) and the name.

### Examples

```
# Return all languages in the ISO 639-2/3 standard  
languages()
```

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remove.stopwords	<i>Removes stop words for a string the language of which is known</i>
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### Description

Removes stop words for a string the language of which is known

### Usage

```
remove.stopwords(str, lang = "auto", fallback = "English")
```

### Arguments

str	A string or a vector of strings which to delete the stop words from
lang	Either: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 'auto' in which case cld2 is used to perform language detection; or</li><li>• A string (or a vector of strings, depending on str) representing an ISO 639-2/3 or a language name from which to derive a ISO 639-2 code (for language names, string matching is performed)</li></ul>
fallback	Fallback language in case cld2 fails to detect the language of the manually-specified string does not match a supported language. Default to 'English'.

### Value

A strings (or a vector, depending on str) corresponding to the string/s str without stop words for the language/s lang.

### Examples

```
# Multiple strings in different languages
remove.stopwords(str = c(Gibberish = 'dadas',
                        Catalan = 'Adeu amic meu',
                        Irish = 'Slan a chara',
                        French = 'Je suis en Allemagne',
                        German = 'Eich liebe Deutschland'),
# Various ways of indicating the language
lang = c(NA, 'cata', 'Iris', 'fr', 'deu'),
# Yet another way
fallback = 'english'
)
```

stopwords

*Collection of stopwords in multiple languages*

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**Description**

This function returns stop words contained in the **StopwordsISO** repository.

**Usage**

```
stopwords(lang = "en")
```

**Arguments**

lang	Language for which to retrieve the stop word among those supported. This parameters supports: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• three-letter ISO 639-2/3 codes (e.g., 'eng');</li><li>• two-letter ISO639-1 codes ('en');</li><li>• names based ISO 639-2 codes ('English' or 'english') and their unambiguous substrings ('engl', 'engli', etc.).</li></ul>
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**Value**

A character vector containing the stop words from the selected language as listed in the **StopwordISO** repository.

**Examples**

```
# They all return the correct list of stop words!  
  
stopwords('German')  
stopwords('germ')  
stopwords('de')  
stopwords('deu')
```

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stopwordsISO*Combined stop words for all languages*

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**Description**

A list of stop words in each of the supported languages

**Usage**

```
stopwordsISO
```

**Format**

An object of class `list` of length 65.

**Details**

Note: All Unicode characters are escaped. To un-escape them, consider using:

```
library(AllStopwords)
if(!requireNamespace('stringi')){
  install.packages('stringi')
}
data('stopwordsISO')
stopwords_unescaped <- lapply(stopwordsISO,
                              stringi::stri_unescape_unicode)
```

**Author(s)**

Each stop-word list's Authors

**Source**

All unique stopwords in the following databases:

- the StopwordISO [repository](#);
- python's Natural Language Toolkit ([nltk](#));
- the [Snowball](#) stop-word list;
- the R package [quanteda](#);
- the marimo [repository](#);
- the [Perseus](#) project; and
- Aurélien Berra's list of stop words for Ancient Greek and Latin ([doi:10.5281/zenodo.3860343](https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.3860343)).

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