

# Package ‘rtiddlywiki’

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**Description** 'TiddlyWiki' is a unique non-linear notebook for capturing, organising and sharing complex information. 'rtiddlywiki' is a R interface of 'TiddlyWiki' <<https://tiddlywiki.com>> to create new tiddler from 'R Markdown' file, and then put into a local 'TiddlyWiki' server if it is available.

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create_tabs	<i>Create HTML Tabs for Multiple Objects</i>
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## Description

This function generates a tabbed HTML interface for displaying multiple R objects such as ‘ggplot2’ plots and data frames. Each tab can include custom arguments for rendering (e.g., image width or table formatting).

## Usage

```
create_tabs(...)
```

## Arguments

- ...
- Named arguments where each name defines a tab label. Each argument can be either:
- A single object (‘ggplot’, ‘data.frame’, etc.)
  - A list with an ‘object’ element and additional named arguments passed to the relevant rendering function.

## Details

Supported object types:

- ‘ggplot’ objects — rendered as base64-encoded images using ‘save\_base64()’
- ‘data.frame’ or ‘tibble’ — rendered using ‘kable\_html()’

Additional arguments passed inside the list are used by the relevant rendering function.

## Value

A ‘htmltools::tag’ object representing the full tab interface. Can be printed in R Markdown documents or displayed interactively in RStudio Viewer.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
library(ggplot2)

# Simple plot and table
p <- ggplot(cars) + geom_point(aes(speed, dist))
df <- head(cars)

# Basic usage
create_tabs(
  plot = p,
  table = df
)

# With custom rendering arguments
create_tabs(
  plot = list(object = p, width = 4),
  table = list(object = df, digits = 2)
)

## End(Not run)
```

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delete\_tiddler

*Delete a tiddler*

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## Description

Delete a tiddler

## Usage

```
delete_tiddler(title, bag = TW_OPTIONS("bag"))
```

**Arguments**

title title of the tiddler to retrieve  
 bag string defining which recipe to write to (optional, defaults to "default")

**Value**

no return values

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
delete_tiddler("GettingStarted")

## End(Not run)
```

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get_status	<i>Get server status</i>
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**Description**

Get server status

**Usage**

```
get_status()
```

**Value**

a list of service status

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get_tiddler	<i>Get a tiddler</i>
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**Description**

Get a tiddler

**Usage**

```
get_tiddler(title, recipe = TW_OPTIONS("recipe"))
```

**Arguments**

title title of the tiddler to retrieve  
 recipe string defining which recipe to read from (optional, defaults to "default")

**Value**

tiddler information in JSON format

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
get_tiddler("GettingStarted")  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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get_tiddlers	<i>Get all tiddlers</i>
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**Description**

Get all tiddlers

**Usage**

```
get_tiddlers(filter = NULL, exclude = NULL, recipe = TW_OPTIONS("recipe"))
```

**Arguments**

- filter filter identifying tiddlers to be returned (optional, defaults to "[all[tiddlers]!is[system]sort[title]]")
- exclude comma delimited list of fields to excluded from the returned tiddlers (optional, defaults to "text")
- recipe string defining which recipe to read from (optional, defaults to "default")

**Value**

all tiddlers information in JSON format

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
#' Get all tiddlers  
get_tiddlers()  
  
## End(Not run)
```

kable\_html                      *Convert Data Frame to HTML Table using kable*

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**Description**

Convert Data Frame to HTML Table using kable

**Usage**

```
kable_html(df, ...)
```

**Arguments**

df                      A data frame to be converted to an HTML table.  
...                     Other arguments to be passed to 'knitr::kable'.

**Value**

A htmltools object containing the HTML representation of the table.

**Examples**

```
kable_html(cars[1:10,])
```

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print.tw\_html                      *Print tw\_html object*

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**Description**

Print tw\_html object

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'tw_html'  
print(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                      a 'tw\_html' object.  
...                     additional arguments passed to or from other methods.

**Value**

no return

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put_tiddler	<i>Put a tiddler</i>
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**Description**

Put a tiddler

**Usage**

```
put_tiddler(  
  title,  
  text,  
  type = c("text/vnd.tiddlywiki", "text/x-tiddlywiki", "text/x-markdown", "text/html",  
           "text/plain", "application/json"),  
  tags = NULL,  
  fields = NULL,  
  recipe = TW_OPTIONS("recipe")  
)
```

**Arguments**

title	tiddler title
text	tiddler text
type	tiddler type
tags	tiddler tags which is merged with existing tags
fields	a named vector for tiddler fields which is merged with existing tags
recipe	string defining which recipe to write to (optional, defaults to "default")

**Value**

No return value

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
title <- "New tiddler"  
text <- c("!! Section",  
         "This is a new tiddler")  
type <- "text/vnd.tiddlywiki"  
tags <- c("Tag1", "Tag 2")  
fields <- c("F1" = "V1", "F2" = "V2")  
put_tiddler(title = title,  
            text = text,  
            type = type,  
            tags = tags,  
            fields = fields)  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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read_table	<i>Read a TiddlyWiki Table into a Data Frame</i>
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### Description

This function parses a table written in TiddlyWiki format and converts it into an R data frame. It can optionally treat the first row as a header.

### Usage

```
read_table(table, header = TRUE)
```

### Arguments

table	A character string representing the TiddlyWiki table.
header	A logical value indicating whether the first row should be treated as column headers. Default is TRUE.

### Value

A data frame containing the parsed table data.

### Examples

```
table <- "|!Cell1 |!Cell2 |\n|Cell3 |Cell4 |"
df <- read_table(table, header = TRUE)
print(df)
```

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remove_fields	<i>Remove fields from tiddlers</i>
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### Description

Remove fields from tiddlers

### Usage

```
remove_fields(title, fields, recipe = TW_OPTIONS("recipe"))
```

### Arguments

title	tiddler title
fields	fields to remove
recipe	string defining which recipe to write to (optional, defaults to "default")

**Value**

no return value

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save_base64	<i>Save ggplot into base64</i>
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**Description**

Save ggplot into base64

**Usage**

```
save_base64(plot, width = NULL, height = NULL, dpi = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

plot	object for ggplot2 or a function for plot
width	image width
height	image height
dpi	image resolution
...	Other arguments for plot function

**Value**

character string for base64 image

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
library(ggplot2)  
p <- cars |>  
  ggplot() +  
  geom_point(aes(speed, dist))  
p |> save_base64()  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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split_field	<i>Split tiddlywiki field into values</i>
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**Description**

Split tiddlywiki field into values

**Usage**

```
split_field(s)
```

**Arguments**

s                    a string

**Value**

an vector of values

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tabs	<i>Generate HTML Tabs with Dynamic Content</i>
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**Description**

This function creates a tabbed interface where each tab has dynamically generated content.

**Usage**

```
tabs(names, fun, groupname = .unique_name(), checked = 1, ...)
```

**Arguments**

names	A character vector of tab labels.
fun	A function that generates the content for each tab. It must take an index ('i') as the first argument.
groupname	A unique string to group the radio inputs (default is generated automatically).
checked	The index of the tab that should be pre-selected (default is '1').
...	Additional arguments passed to 'fun'.

**Value**

An 'htmltools::tagList' containing the tabbed interface.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
tab_labels <- c("Tab1", "Tab2", "Tab3")

tab_content_fun <- function(i, extra_text = "") {
  htmltools::tagList(
    htmltools::tags$p(paste("Content for tab:", tab_labels[i], extra_text)),
    htmltools::tags$img(src = paste0("plot_", i, ".png"), width = "100%")
  )
}

tabs(tab_labels, tab_content_fun, checked = 2, extra_text = "Additional details")

## End(Not run)
```

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tiddler\_document

*Format for converting from R Markdown to another tiddler markdown*


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**Description**

Format for converting from R Markdown to another tiddler markdown

**Usage**

```
tiddler_document(
  host = NULL,
  remote = FALSE,
  preview = FALSE,
  tags = NULL,
  fields = NULL,
  use_bookdown = FALSE,
  overwrite = FALSE,
  variant = "gfm",
  pandoc_args = "--wrap=none",
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

host	the host of tiddlywiki web server
remote	whether put into remote TiddlyWiki Node.js Server
preview	whether to send ‘open_tiddler‘ command to ws server (tw-livebridge) to preview in browser
tags	tiddler tags
fields	a named vector for tiddler fields
use_bookdown	logical. Use bookdown to generate markdown file.

overwrite	whether to overwrite the existing tiddler.
variant	variant for md_document
pandoc_args	pandoc_args for md_document
...	Other argument pass to md_document

**Value**

R Markdown output format to pass to render()

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
library(rmarkdown)
render("input.Rmd")

## End(Not run)
```

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tiddler_json	<i>Generate tiddler in json format</i>
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**Description**

Generate tiddler in json format

**Usage**

```
tiddler_json(
  title,
  text,
  type = c("text/vnd.tiddlywiki", "text/x-tiddlywiki", "text/x-markdown", "text/html",
           "text/plain", "application/json"),
  tags = NULL,
  fields = NULL,
  format = c("json", "list")
)
```

**Arguments**

title	tiddler title
text	tiddler text
type	tiddler type
tags	a vector for tiddler tags
fields	a named vector for tiddler fields.
format	export format as json or list

**Value**

New tiddler in json format

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tiddler_json2	<i>Generate tiddler in json format</i>
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**Description**

Generate tiddler in json format

**Usage**

```
tiddler_json2(tiddler)
```

**Arguments**

tiddler	A list for new tiddler
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**Value**

New tiddler in json format

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tw_options	<i>Set or get options for my package</i>
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**Description**

Set or get options for my package

**Usage**

```
tw_options(...)
```

**Arguments**

...	Option names to retrieve option values or [key]=[value] pairs to set options.
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**Value**

the default and modified options.

**Supported options**

The following options are supported host: Host of tiddlywiki recipe: Recipes are named lists of bags, ordered from lowest priority to highest bag: Bags have access controls that determines which users can read or write to them

**Examples**

```
tw_options(host = "http://127.0.0.1:8080/")
```

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tw_reset	<i>Reset global options for pkg</i>
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**Description**

Reset global options for pkg

**Usage**

```
tw_reset()
```

**Value**

the default options

**Examples**

```
tw_options()
```

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tw_table	<i>Convert data.frame into table of TiddlyWiki</i>
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**Description**

Convert data.frame into table of TiddlyWiki

**Usage**

```
tw_table(df, collapse = "\n")
```

**Arguments**

df	data.frame object
collapse	an optional character string to separate the results.

**Value**

character string for table in TiddlyWiki

**Examples**

```
cars |>  
  dplyr::slice(1:10) |>  
  tw_table()
```

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tw_widget	<i>Create a tiddlywiki widget from htmlwidget</i>
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**Description**

Create a tiddlywiki widget from htmlwidget

**Usage**

```
tw_widget(widget, is_cat = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

widget	an object of htmlwidget
is_cat	whether to show results on screen

**Value**

a new tiddlywiki widget

**Examples**

```
library(leaflet)
## Not run:
content <- paste(sep = "<br/>",
                 "<b><a href='http://www.samurainoodle.com'>Samurai Noodle</a></b>",
                 "606 5th Ave. S",
                 "Seattle, WA 98138"
                )

widget <- leaflet() %>% addTiles() %>%
  addPopups(-122.327298, 47.597131, content,
            options = popupOptions(closeButton = FALSE)
  )
tw_widget(widget)

## End(Not run)
```

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wikitext_backticks_return	<i>backticks</i>
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**Description**

backticks for wikitext

**Usage**

```
wikitext_backticks_return(x)
```

**Arguments**

x                    character vector

**Value**

By default this function outputs (see: `cat`) the result. Call the function ending in `.return` to catch the result instead.

**Examples**

```
wikitext_backticks('FOO')  
wikitext_backticks_return('FOO')
```

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word\_to\_md

*Convert a Word File to Markdown with Optional Embedded Images*

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**Description**

This function converts a Word (‘.docx’) file to Markdown using Pandoc. Optionally, it embeds images as Base64 for a self-contained Markdown file.

**Usage**

```
word_to_md(  
  docx_file,  
  output_file = NULL,  
  embed_images = FALSE,  
  overwrite = FALSE  
)
```

**Arguments**

docx\_file            Path to the input Word file.  
output\_file         Path to the final Markdown output file. If null, the original file name.  
embed\_images        Logical. If ‘TRUE’, all images will be embedded as Base64. Default is ‘FALSE’.  
overwrite            Logical. If ‘TRUE’, Output file is overwrote. Default is ‘FALSE’

**Value**

Saves a Markdown file (optionally with Base64-embedded images).

**Examples**

```
# Convert Word to Markdown without embedding images
## Not run:
word_to_md("input.docx", "output.md", embed_images = FALSE)

# Convert and embed images as Base64
word_to_md("input.docx", "output_embedded.md", embed_images = TRUE)

## End(Not run)
```

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