

# Package ‘nlaR’

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**Title** Interface to the National Lakes Assessment

**Version** 0.4.0

**Description** Client for programmatic access to the 2007 and 2012 National Lakes Assessment database <<https://www.epa.gov/national-aquatic-resource-surveys/nla>> containing data for hundreds of lakes in the lower 48 states of the contiguous US.

**Depends** R (>= 3.0.0)

**Imports** rappdirs

**URL** <https://github.com/jsta/nlaR>

**BugReports** <https://github.com/jsta/nlaR/issues>

**License** GPL

**Encoding** UTF-8

**LazyData** true

**RoxygenNote** 6.1.1

**Suggests** knitr, rmarkdown, dplyr, magrittr, skimr, sf, maps, R.rsp

**VignetteBuilder** R.rsp, knitr

**Language** en-US

**NeedsCompilation** no

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**nlaR-package**

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*R interface to the National Lakes Assessment*

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## Description

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**nla\_compile**

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*Compile NLA data for on-disk storage*

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## Description

Compile NLA data for on-disk storage

## Usage

```
nla_compile(year, use_rappdirs, local_path)
```

## Arguments

- |              |  |
|--------------|--|
| year         | numeric choice of 2007 or 2012.  |
| use_rappdirs | logical write files to operating system data directories at the location returned by <a href="#">user_data_dir</a> . |
| local_path   | folder path to raw downloads from ‘nla_get’  |

## Value

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nla_get	<i>Download NLA data from USEPA</i>
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## Description

Retrieves NLA flat files.

## Usage

```
nla_get(year, use_rappdirs = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

- |              |  |
|--------------|--|
| year         | numeric choice of 2007 or 2012.  |
| use_rappdirs | logical write files to operating system data directories at the location returned by <a href="#">user_data_dir</a> . |

## Examples

```
nla_get(2012)
```

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nla_load	<i>Load NLA data into current R session</i>
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## Description

Load NLA data into current R session

## Usage

```
nla_load(year, use_rappdirs = FALSE, source_folder = NA)
```

## Arguments

- |               |  |
|---------------|--|
| year          | numeric choice of 2007 or 2012.  |
| use_rappdirs  | logical write files to operating system data directories at the location returned by <a href="#">user_data_dir</a> . |
| source_folder | optional custom file.path to data directory  |

## Value

list

**Examples**

```
source_folder <- nla_get(2012)
dt <- nla_load(2012, source_folder = source_folder)
```

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