

# Package ‘nombre’

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<b>adverbial</b>	<i>Convert numbers to adverbial character vectors (once, twice, three times)</i>
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## Description

Convert numbers to adverbial character vectors (once, twice, three times)

## Usage

```
adverbial(x, thrice = FALSE, ...)
nom_adv(x, thrice = FALSE, ...)
nom_times(x, thrice = FALSE, ...)
```

## Arguments

x	A numeric vector
thrice	A logical of length one. If TRUE, the adverbial of 3 will be "thrice". If FALSE, the adverbial of 3 will be "three times". Defaults to FALSE.
...	Additional arguments passed to <a href="#">cardinal()</a>

## Value

A character vector of the same length as x

## See Also

Other number names: [cardinal\(\)](#), [collective\(\)](#), [denominator\(\)](#), [numerator\(\)](#), [ordinal\(\)](#), [ratio\(\)](#)

## Examples

```
nom_adv(1:4)
nom_adv(1:4, thrice = TRUE)
```

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**cardinal***Convert numbers to cardinal character vectors (one, two, three)*

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## Description

Convert numbers to cardinal character vectors (one, two, three)

## Usage

```
cardinal(x, max_n = Inf, negative = "negative", ...)  
nom_card(x, max_n = Inf, negative = "negative", ...)
```

## Arguments

x	A numeric vector
max_n	A numeric vector. When the absolute value of x is greater than max_n, x remains numeric instead of being converted to words. If max_n is negative, no xs will be converted to words. (This can be useful when max_n is passed by another function.) Defaults to Inf, which converts all xs to words.
negative	A character vector to append to negative numbers. Defaults to "negative".
...	Arguments passed on to <a href="#">fracture::frac_mat</a>
denom	If denom is not <a href="#">NULL</a> , all fractions will have a denominator of denom. This will ignore all other arguments that affect the denominator.
base_10	If TRUE, all denominators will be a power of 10.
common_denom	If TRUE, all fractions will have the same denominator. If the least common denominator is greater than max_denom, max_denom is used.
max_denom	All denominators will be less than or equal to max_denom. If base_10 is TRUE, the maximum denominator will be the largest power of 10 less than max_denom. A max_denom greater than the inverse square root of <a href="#">machine double epsilon</a> will produce a warning because floating point rounding errors can occur when denominators grow too large.

## Value

A character vector of the same length as x

## Fractions

Decimal components of x are automatically converted to fractions by [fracture::frac\\_mat\(\)](#).

**See Also**

[uncardinal\(\)](#) to convert character vectors to numbers

Other number names: [adverbial\(\)](#), [collective\(\)](#), [denominator\(\)](#), [numerator\(\)](#), [ordinal\(\)](#), [ratio\(\)](#)

**Examples**

```
nom_card(2)
nom_card(1:10)
nom_card(2 + 4/9)
nom_card(-2)
nom_card(-2, negative = "minus")

nom_card(5:15, max_n = 10)

paste("There are", nom_card(525600), "minutes in a year.")
paste("There are", nom_card(3.72e13), "cells in the human body.")

nom_card(1 / 2^(1:4))
nom_card(1 / 2^(1:4), common_denom = TRUE)
nom_card(1 / 2^(1:4), base_10 = TRUE)
nom_card(1 / 2^(1:4), base_10 = TRUE, common_denom = TRUE)

nom_card(1 / 2:5)
nom_card(1 / 2:5, base_10 = TRUE)
nom_card(1 / 2:5, base_10 = TRUE, max_denom = 100)
```

collective

*Convert numbers to collective character vectors (the, both, all three)*

**Description**

Convert numbers to collective character vectors (the, both, all three)

**Usage**

```
collective(x, all_n = TRUE, of_the = FALSE, cardinal = TRUE, ...)
nom_coll(x, all_n = TRUE, of_the = FALSE, cardinal = TRUE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	A numeric vector.
all_n	Whether to include the cardinal number after "all" for collectives of 3 or more. Defaults to TRUE.
of_the	Whether to include "of the" for collectives other than 1. Defaults to FALSE.
cardinal	Whether to convert the number after "all" with <a href="#">cardinal()</a> when all_n is TRUE. Defaults to TRUE.
...	Additional arguments passed to <a href="#">cardinal()</a> when cardinal is TRUE.

**Value**

A character vector of the same length as x.

**See Also**

Other number names: [adverbial\(\)](#), [cardinal\(\)](#), [denominator\(\)](#), [numerator\(\)](#), [ordinal\(\)](#), [ratio\(\)](#)

**Examples**

```
paste(nom_coll(0:3), "fish")
paste(nom_coll(9:12, max_n = 10), "fish")
```

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**denominator***Convert numbers to denominator character vectors (whole, half, third)*

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**Description**

Convert numbers to denominator character vectors (whole, half, third)

**Usage**

```
denominator(x, numerator = 1, quarter = TRUE, ...)
nom_denom(x, numerator = 1, quarter = TRUE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	A numeric vector
numerator	A numeric vector. The numerator(s) associated with the denominator(s). When numerator is not 1 or -1, the denominator will be pluralized.
quarter	A logical of length one. If TRUE, the denominator of 4 will be "quarter(s)". If FALSE, the denominator of 4 will be "fourth(s)". Defaults to TRUE.
...	Additional arguments passed to <a href="#">ordinal()</a>

**Value**

A character vector of the same length as x

**See Also**

Other number names: [adverbial\(\)](#), [cardinal\(\)](#), [collective\(\)](#), [numerator\(\)](#), [ordinal\(\)](#), [ratio\(\)](#)

## Examples

```
nom_denom(2)
nom_denom(1:10)
nom_denom(1:10, numerator = 2)
nom_denom(1:10, numerator = 1:10)

nom_denom(4)
nom_denom(4, quarter = FALSE)

nom_denom(1:10, numerator = 2, cardinal = FALSE)
nom_denom(5:15, numerator = 2, max_n = 10)
```

numerator

*Convert numbers to numerator character vectors (one, two, three)*

## Description

`nom_numer()` and `numerator()` are equivalent to `nom_card()` and `cardinal()` for integers, but `cardinals` support fractional components while numerators do not.

## Usage

```
numerator(x, ...)
nom_numer(x, ...)
```

## Arguments

<code>x</code>	A numeric vector
<code>...</code>	Additional arguments passed to <code>cardinal()</code>

## See Also

Other number names: `adverbial()`, `cardinal()`, `collective()`, `denominator()`, `ordinal()`, `ratio()`

ordinal

*Convert numbers to ordinal character vectors (first, second, third)*

## Description

Adds ordinal suffixes to numbers (or a character vector of number-like words). Converts numeric vectors to cardinal numbers before adding prefixes unless `cardinal` is `FALSE`.

**Usage**

```
ordinal(x, cardinal = TRUE, ...)
nom_ord(x, cardinal = TRUE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

- x A numeric or character vector.  
 cardinal Whether to convert a numeric vector with [cardinal\(\)](#) before applying ordinal suffixes. When TRUE, 1 -> "first". When FALSE, 1 -> "1st". Defaults to TRUE.  
 ... Further arguments passed to [cardinal\(\)](#) when cardinal is TRUE.

**Value**

A character vector of the same length as x

**See Also**

Other number names: [adverbial\(\)](#), [cardinal\(\)](#), [collective\(\)](#), [denominator\(\)](#), [numerator\(\)](#), [ratio\(\)](#)

**Examples**

```
nom_ord(2)
nom_ord(1:10)
nom_ord(525600)

nom_ord(1:10, cardinal = FALSE)
nom_ord(5:15, max_n = 10)

nom_ord(c("n", "dozen", "umpteen", "eleventy", "one zillion"))
nom_ord(9 + 3/4)
```

<b>ratio</b>	<i>Convert numbers to ratio character vectors (two to one, one in three, five out of ten)</i>
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**Description**

Convert numbers to ratio character vectors (two to one, one in three, five out of ten)

**Usage**

```
ratio(x, sep = "in", max_n = Inf, negative = "negative", ...)
nom_ratio(x, sep = "in", max_n = Inf, negative = "negative", ...)
```

## Arguments

<code>x</code>	A numeric vector
<code>sep</code>	A character vector separating components of the ratio. Defaults to "in".
<code>max_n</code>	A numeric vector. When the absolute value of <code>x</code> is greater than <code>max_n</code> , <code>x</code> remains numeric instead of being converted to words. If <code>max_n</code> is negative, no <code>xs</code> will be converted to words. (This can be useful when <code>max_n</code> is passed by another function.) Defaults to <code>Inf</code> , which converts all <code>xs</code> to words.
<code>negative</code>	A character vector to append to negative numbers. Defaults to "negative".
<code>...</code>	Arguments passed on to <a href="#">fracture::frac_mat</a>
<code>denom</code>	If <code>denom</code> is not <code>NULL</code> , all fractions will have a denominator of <code>denom</code> . This will ignore all other arguments that affect the denominator.
<code>base_10</code>	If <code>TRUE</code> , all denominators will be a power of 10.
<code>common_denom</code>	If <code>TRUE</code> , all fractions will have the same denominator. If the least common denominator is greater than <code>max_denom</code> , <code>max_denom</code> is used.
<code>max_denom</code>	All denominators will be less than or equal to <code>max_denom</code> . If <code>base_10</code> is <code>TRUE</code> , the maximum denominator will be the largest power of 10 less than <code>max_denom</code> . A <code>max_denom</code> greater than the inverse square root of <a href="#">machine double epsilon</a> will produce a warning because floating point rounding errors can occur when denominators grow too large.

## Details

`x` is converted to a fraction by [fracture::frac\\_mat](#).

## Value

A character vector of the same length as `x`

## See Also

Other number names: [adverbial](#)(), [cardinal](#)(), [collective](#)(), [denominator](#)(), [numerator](#)(), [ordinal](#)()

## Examples

```
paste0("Our team is outnumbered ", nom_ratio(10), ".")
paste0("The chances of winning are ", nom_ratio(1/1000000, sep = "in"), ".")  
  

nom_ratio(c(1, 10, 100))
nom_ratio(c(0, 0.5, 1.5))
nom_ratio(c(0, 0.125, 0.625, 1), sep = "out of", common_denom = TRUE)
nom_ratio(5 / 10, sep = "in", base_10 = TRUE)
nom_ratio(6 / 25, sep = "in")
nom_ratio(6 / 25, sep = "out of", max_denom = 10)
```

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**uncardinal***Convert cardinal character vectors to numbers*

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## Description

This function is in experimental development. It currently only supports English cardinal integers or character vectors produced by one of [nombre](#)'s functions.

## Usage

```
uncardinal(x)
```

```
nom_uncard(x)
```

## Arguments

x	A character vector of the cardinal names of numbers
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## Value

A numeric vector the same length as n. NAs will be produced for numbers with fractions or decimals or non-cardinal numbers (e.g. ordinals).

## See Also

[cardinal\(\)](#) to convert numeric vectors to number names

## Examples

```
uncardinal("one")
uncardinal("negative one hundred fifty-seven")
uncardinal(
  c(
    "twenty-five",
    "one million two hundred thirty-four thousand five hundred sixty-seven"
  )
)
uncardinal("infinity")

card <- cardinal(25)
uncardinal(card)
ord <- ordinal(25)
uncardinal(ord)
```

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