



## Calculation different carbon balance values

Some output-files display values which were calculated in the course of the model run or immediately before issued to the output-file. The following describes how the calculations/balancing is done.

### File **c\_bal**

This file displays values of the carbon balance as [kg/ha] as well as [mol/m<sup>2</sup>]. Often following conversion factors are used:

gm2\_in\_kgha  
cpart  
Cmass

### GPP

Sum of total NPP and total autotrophic respiration of all cohorts and species (autresp) in [kg C/ha]

$y_{\text{autresp}} = \text{autresp} * \text{cpart} * 10000./\text{kpatchsize}$

Conversion: kg DW / patch --> kg C/ha

$y_{\text{GPP}} = y_{\text{NPP}} + y_{\text{autresp}}$

### NPP

$y_{\text{NPP}} = \text{sumNPP} * \text{cpart} * 10000./\text{kpatchsize}$

Conversion: kg DW / patch --> kg C / patch --> kg C/ha

### C\_dead\_st

$y_{\text{C\_d\_st}} = \text{C\_opm\_stem} * \text{gm2\_in\_kgha}$       g/m<sup>2</sup> --> kg C/ha

$y_{\text{m\_C\_d\_st}} = \text{C\_opm\_stem} / \text{Cmass}$       g/m<sup>2</sup> --> mol/m<sup>2</sup>

### C\_sumvsab

$y_{\text{sumvsab}} = \text{sumvsab} * \text{cpart!}$  kg DW /ha --> kg C

### File **comp**

### cumVs\_ab



cumsumvsab = cumsumvsab + sumvsab

if (thin\_dead .ne. 0) then

    cumsumvsab = cumsumvsdead

    cumsumvsdead = 0.

end if

### **cumVs\_dead**

cumsumvsdead = cumsumvsdead + sumvsdead

### **C\_sum**

C\_sum = C\_tot + C\_opm\_stem +  
         (sumbio + cumsumvsab + cumsumvsdead) \* cpart / 1000.

### **C\_d\_stm**

C-amount of all dead and partially digested stems until the end of simulation time

$C\_opm\_stem = \sum_{i=1}^n slit(i) \% C\_opm\_stem$                       n – amount of species

### **C\_tot**

C-amount in the entire ground/soil including humus ground cover and litter cover without dead stems at the end of simulation time

$C\_tot = C\_hum\_tot + \sum_{j=1}^{nlay} C\_opm(j)$                       nlay – amount of soil layers

### **C\_hum\_tot**

$C\_hum\_tot = \sum_{j=1}^{nlay} C\_hum(j)$



## File Copm

C\_opm(1): organic primary substance of the cover layer without dead stems

C\_opm(j) , j = 2,...,nlay: organic primary substance of each mineal soil layer; contains only roots

Initialisation (in s\_cn\_gener):

$$C\_opm(1) = \sum_{i=1}^n (slit(i)\%C\_opm\_fol + slit(i)\%C\_opm\_frt + slit(i)\%C\_opm\_tbc)$$

n – amount of species

$$C\_opm(j) = \sum_p (p\%coh\%ftrel(j) \cdot spar(ns)\%psr \cdot p\%coh\%x\_frt \cdot cpart \cdot p\%coh\%ntreea \cdot hconvd)$$

p ∈ {Cohorten}, ns = p %coh%species

Annual balancing (in cn\_inp)::

$$C\_opm(1) = C\_opm(1) + \sum_p (p\%coh\%litC\_fol + p\%coh\%litC\_tbc + p\%coh\%litC\_frt \cdot hconvd \cdot p\%coh\%ftrel(1))$$

$$C\_opm(j) = C\_opm(j) + \sum_p (p\%coh\%litC\_frt \cdot hconvd \cdot p\%coh\%ftrel(j))$$

p ∈ {Cohorts}

hconvd = 1000. / kpatchsize