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address

*Email Address*

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**Description**

Create an address object which represents an email address.

**Usage**

```
address(email = NA, display = NA, local = NA, domain = NA, normalise = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

email	Email address.
display	Display name.
local	Local part of email address.
domain	Domain part of email address.
normalise	Whether to try to normalise address to RFC-5321 requirements.

**Details**

Implemented as an **S3 vector class**.

**Value**

An address object, representing an email address.

**Examples**

```
address("gerry@gmail.com")
address("gerry@gmail.com", "Gerald")
address(
  c("gerry@gmail.com", "alice@yahoo.com", "jim@aol.com"),
  c("Gerald", "Alice", NA)
)
```

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addresses

*Add address fields to message*

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**Description**

Add address fields to message

**Usage**

```
to(msg, ..., append = TRUE)

cc(msg, ..., append = TRUE)

bcc(msg, ..., append = TRUE)

from(msg, addr = NULL)

reply(msg, addr = NULL)

sender(msg, addr = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

msg	A message object.
...	Addresses.
append	Whether to append or replace addresses.
addr	Single address.

**Value**

A message object.

**Examples**

```
# Populating the To field.
msg <- envelope()
msg %>% to("bob@gmail.com, alice@yahoo.com")
msg %>% to("bob@gmail.com", "alice@yahoo.com")
msg %>% to(c("bob@gmail.com", "alice@yahoo.com"))

# Populating the Cc field.
msg <- envelope()
msg %>% cc("bob@gmail.com, alice@yahoo.com")
msg %>% cc("bob@gmail.com", "alice@yahoo.com")
msg %>% cc(c("bob@gmail.com", "alice@yahoo.com"))

# Populating the Bcc field.
msg <- envelope()
msg %>% bcc("bob@gmail.com, alice@yahoo.com")
msg %>% bcc("bob@gmail.com", "alice@yahoo.com")
msg %>% bcc(c("bob@gmail.com", "alice@yahoo.com"))

msg <- envelope()

# Populating the From field.
msg %>% from("craig@gmail.com")

# Populating the Reply-To field.
msg <- envelope()
msg %>% reply("gerry@gmail.com")

# Populating the Sender field.
msg <- envelope()
msg %>% sender("on_behalf_of@gmail.com")
```

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append.envelope

*Append children to message*

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**Description**

Append children to message

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'envelope'  
append(x, child)
```

**Arguments**

x	Message object
child	A child to be appended

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as.address	<i>Create an address object</i>
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**Description**

Create an address object

**Usage**

```
as.address(addr)
```

**Arguments**

addr	An email address.
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**Value**

An address object.

**Examples**

```
as.address("gerry@gmail.com")  
as.address("Gerald <gerry@gmail.com>")  
as.address(c("Gerald <gerry@gmail.com>", "alice@yahoo.com", "jim@aol.com"))  
as.address("Gerald <gerry@gmail.com>, alice@yahoo.com, jim@aol.com")  
as.address(c("Gerald <gerry@gmail.com>", "alice@yahoo.com, jim@aol.com"))
```

as.character.envelope *Create formatted message.*

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### Description

Accepts a message object and formats it as a MIME document.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'envelope'  
as.character(x, ..., details = TRUE)
```

### Arguments

x	A message object.
...	Further arguments passed to or from other methods.
details	Whether or not to display full message content.

### Value

A formatted message object.

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as.character.header *Create formatted header.*

---

### Description

Accepts a header object and formats it as a header field.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'header'  
as.character(x, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	A header object.
...	Further arguments passed to or from other methods.

### Value

A formatted header field.

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as.character.MIME      *Convert MIME object to character vector*

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**Description**

Convert MIME object to character vector

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'MIME'  
as.character(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                      MIME object  
...                     Further arguments passed to or from other methods.

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as.character.vctrs\_address  
                          *Convert address object to character*

---

**Description**

Convert address object to character

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'vctrs_address'  
as.character(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                      A vector of address objects.  
...                     Further arguments passed to or from other methods.

**Value**

A character vector.

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**attachment***Add attachments to a message object*

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**Description**

Add attachments to a message object

**Usage**

```
attachment(msg, path, name = NA, type = NA, cid = NA)
```

**Arguments**

<code>msg</code>	A message object.
<code>path</code>	Path to file.
<code>name</code>	Name to be used for attachment (defaults to base name of path).
<code>type</code>	MIME type or <i>NA</i> , which will result in a guess based on file extension.
<code>cid</code>	Content-ID or <i>NA</i> .

**Value**

A message object.

**Examples**

```
library(magrittr)

path_mtcars <- tempfile(fileext = ".csv")
path_scatter <- tempfile(fileext = ".png")
path_cats <- system.file("cats.jpg", package = "emayili")

write.csv(mtcars, path_mtcars)

png(path_scatter)
plot(1:10)
dev.off()

msg <- envelope() %>%
  attachment(path_mtcars) %>%
  # This attachment will have file name "cats.jpg".
  attachment(path_cats, name = "cats.jpg", type = "image/jpeg") %>%
  attachment(path_scatter, cid = "scatter")

file.remove(path_scatter, path_mtcars)
```



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compare	<i>Compare vectors</i>
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**Description**

Returns TRUE wherever elements are the same (including NA), and FALSE everywhere else.

**Usage**

```
compare(lhs, rhs)
```

**Arguments**

lhs	LHS of operation.
rhs	RHS of operation.

**Value**

A Boolean value.

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compliant	<i>Tests whether an email address is syntactically correct</i>
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**Description**

Checks whether an email address conforms to the [syntax rules](#).

**Usage**

```
compliant(addr, error = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

addr	An email address.
error	Whether to create an error if not compliant.

**Details**

An email address may take either of the following forms:

- local@domain or
- Display Name <local@domain>.

**Value**

A Boolean.

**Examples**

```
compliant("alice@example.com")
compliant("alice?example.com")
```

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display	<i>Extract display name</i>
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**Description**

Extracts the display name from an email address.

**Usage**

```
display(addr)
```

**Arguments**

addr            An address object.

**Value**

The display name or NA.

**Examples**

```
gerry <- as.address("Gerald <gerry@gmail.com>")
display(gerry)
```

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domain	<i>Extract domain of email address</i>
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**Description**

Extract domain of email address

**Usage**

```
domain(addr)
```

**Arguments**

addr            An address object.

**Value**

A character vector.

**Examples**

```
domain("alice@example.com")
```

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envelope	<i>Create a message.</i>
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**Description**

Create a message.

**Usage**

```
envelope(  
  to = NULL,  
  from = NULL,  
  cc = NULL,  
  bcc = NULL,  
  reply = NULL,  
  subject = NULL,  
  importance = NULL,  
  priority = NULL,  
  text = NULL,  
  html = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

to	See <a href="#">to()</a> .
from	See <a href="#">from()</a> .
cc	See <a href="#">cc()</a> .
bcc	See <a href="#">bcc()</a> .
reply	See <a href="#">reply()</a> .
subject	See <a href="#">subject()</a> .
importance	See <a href="#">importance()</a> .
priority	See <a href="#">priority()</a> .
text	See <a href="#">text()</a> .
html	See <a href="#">html()</a> .

**Value**

A message object.

**See Also**

[subject\(\)](#), [from\(\)](#), [to\(\)](#), [cc\(\)](#), [bcc\(\)](#) and [reply\(\)](#).

## Examples

```
# Create an (empty) message object.
#
msg <- envelope()

# Create a complete message object, specifying all available fields.
#
envelope(
  to = "bob@gmail.com",
  from = "craig@gmail.com",
  cc = "alex@gmail.com",
  bcc = "shannon@gmail.com",
  reply = "craig@yahoo.com",
  importance = "high",
  priority = "urgent",
  subject = "Hiya!",
  text = "Hi Bob, how are you?"
)
```

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format.vctrs\_address *Encode email addresses in a common format*

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## Description

Encode email addresses in a common format

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'vctrs_address'
format(x, ...)
```

## Arguments

x                    A vector of address objects.  
...                   Further arguments passed to or from other methods.

## Value

A character vector.

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html	<i>Add an HTML body to a message object.</i>
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### Description

Add an HTML body to a message object.

### Usage

```
html(  
  msg,  
  content,  
  disposition = "inline",  
  charset = "utf-8",  
  encoding = "quoted-printable",  
  css_files = c(),  
  interpolate = TRUE,  
  .open = "{{",  
  .close = "}}",  
  .envir = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

msg	A message object.
content	A string of message content.
disposition	How content is presented (Content-Disposition).
charset	How content is encoded.
encoding	How content is transformed to ASCII (Content-Transfer-Encoding).
css_files	Extra CSS files.
interpolate	Whether or not to interpolate into input using <a href="#">glue</a> .
.open	The opening delimiter.
.close	The closing delimiter.
.envir	Environment used for glue interpolation. Defaults to <code>parent.frame()</code> .

### Value

A message object.

### See Also

[text](#)

**Examples**

```
library(magrittr)

# Inline HTML message.
envelope() %>% html("<b>Hello!</b>")

# Read HTML message from a file.
htmlfile <- tempfile(fileext = ".html")
cat("<p>Hello!</p>\n", file = htmlfile)
envelope() %>% html(htmlfile)
```

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local	<i>Extract local part of email address</i>
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**Description**

Extract local part of email address

**Usage**

```
local(addr)
```

**Arguments**

addr            An address object.

**Value**

A character vector.

**Examples**

```
local("alice@example.com")
```

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new_address	<i>Helper function for creating address objects</i>
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**Description**

Helper function for creating address objects

**Usage**

```

new_address(
  email = character(),
  display = character(),
  local = character(),
  domain = character(),
  normalise = TRUE
)

```

**Arguments**

email	Email address.
display	Display name.
local	Local part of email address.
domain	Domain part of email address.
normalise	Whether to try to normalise address to RFC-5321 requirements.

**Value**

An address object, representing an email address.

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parties	<i>Extract sender and recipient(s)</i>
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**Description**

Extract sender and recipient(s)

**Usage**

```
parties(msg)
```

**Arguments**

msg	A message object.
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**Value**

A tibble.

**Examples**

```
email <- envelope() %>%
  from("Gerald <gerald@gmail.com>") %>%
  to(c("bob@gmail.com", "alice@yahoo.com")) %>%
  cc("Craig <craig@gmail.com>") %>%
  bcc(" Erin <erin@yahoo.co.uk >")

parties(email)
```

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```
precedence
```

```
Add fields for message importance and priority
```

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**Description**

A hint to influence transmission speed and delivery.

A hint to the message recipient about how important the message is.

**Usage**

```
priority(msg, priority = NULL)
```

```
importance(msg, importance = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

`msg` A message object.

`priority` Priority level. One of "non-urgent", "normal", or "urgent".

`importance` Importance level. One of "low", "normal", or "high".

**Details**

Does not influence transmission speed or delivery.

**Value**

A message object.

**Examples**

```
# How rapidly does the message need to be delivered?
#
envelope() %>%
  subject("Deliver this immediately!") %>%
  priority("urgent")

envelope(priority = "non-urgent") %>%
  subject("No rush with this.")
```



```
# How much attention should be paid by recipient?
#
envelope() %>%
  subject("Read this immediately!") %>%
  importance("high")

envelope(importance = "low") %>%
  subject("Not important at all. Just delete.")
```

---

print.envelope      *Print a message object*

---

## Description

The message body will be printed if details is TRUE or if the envelope\_details option is TRUE.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'envelope'
print(x, details = NA, ...)
```

## Arguments

x	A message object.
details	Whether or not to display full message content.
...	Further arguments passed to or from other methods.

## Examples

```
msg <- envelope() %>% text("Hello, World!")

print(msg)
print(msg, details = TRUE)

options(envelope_details = TRUE)
print(msg)
```

---

print.vctrs\_address      *Print an address object*

---

## Description

Print an address object

**Usage**

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

**Arguments**

x                    An address object.  
...                  Further arguments passed to or from other methods.

**Examples**

```
gerry <- as.address("gerry@gmail.com")  
print(gerry)
```

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qp_decode	<i>Decode a quoted-printable string.</i>
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**Description**

Decode a quoted-printable string.

**Usage**

```
qp_decode(x)
```

**Arguments**

x                    A vector of strings.

**Value**

A vector of decoded strings.

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qp_encode	<i>Encode a string to quoted-printable.</i>
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**Description**

Encode a string to quoted-printable.

**Usage**

```
qp_encode(x)
```

**Arguments**

x                    A vector of strings.

**Value**

A vector of encoded strings.

---

raw                    *Extract raw email address*

---

**Description**

Strips the display name off an email address (if present).

**Usage**

```
raw(addr)
```

**Arguments**

addr                An address object.

**Value**

A raw email address.

**Examples**

```
gerry <- as.address("Gerald <gerry@gmail.com>")
raw(gerry)
```

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render                *Render Markdown into email*

---

**Description**

Render either Plain Markdown or R Markdown directly into the body of an email.

If input is a file then it will be interpreted as R Markdown if its extension is either "Rmd" or "Rmarkdown". Otherwise it will be processed as Plain Markdown.

## Usage

```
render(  
  msg,  
  input,  
  params = NULL,  
  squish = TRUE,  
  css_files = c(),  
  include_css = c("rmd", "bootstrap", "highlight"),  
  interpolate = TRUE,  
  .open = "{{",  
  .close = "}}",  
  .envir = NULL  
)
```

## Arguments

<code>msg</code>	A message object.
<code>input</code>	The input Markdown file to be rendered or a character vector of Markdown text.
<code>params</code>	A list of named parameters that override custom parameters specified in the YAML front-matter.
<code>squish</code>	Whether to clean up whitespace in rendered document.
<code>css_files</code>	Extra CSS files.
<code>include_css</code>	Whether to include rendered CSS from various sources ("rmd" — native R Markdown CSS; "bootstrap" — Bootstrap CSS; "highlight" — highlight.js CSS).
<code>interpolate</code>	Whether or not to interpolate into input using <a href="#">glue</a> .
<code>.open</code>	The opening delimiter.
<code>.close</code>	The closing delimiter.
<code>.envir</code>	Environment used for glue interpolation. Defaults to <code>parent.frame()</code> .

## Value

A message object.

## Plain Markdown

Plain Markdown is processed with `commonmark::markdown_html()`.

## R Markdown

R Markdown is processed with `rmarkdown::render()`.

Regardless of what output type is specified in the input file, `render()` will always use the "html\_document" output format.

## Examples

```

# Plain Markdown

markdown <- "[This](https://www.google.com) is a link."
filename <- "message.md"

# Render from Markdown in character vector.
msg <- envelope() %>% render(markdown)

# Create a file containing Markdown
cat(markdown, file = filename)

# Render from Markdown in file.
msg <- envelope() %>% render(filename)

# Cleanup.
file.remove(filename)

# R Markdown

filename <- "gh-doc.Rmd"

# Create an Rmd document from template.
rmarkdown::draft(
  filename,
  template = "github_document",
  package = "rmarkdown",
  edit = FALSE
)

# Check for suitable version of Pandoc (https://pandoc.org/).
#
# Need to have version 2.0 or greater to support required --quiet option.
#
pandoc <- rmarkdown::find_pandoc()
suitable_pandoc <- !is.null(pandoc$dir) && grepl("^2", pandoc$version)

# Render from Rmd file.
if (suitable_pandoc) {
  msg <- envelope() %>%
    render(filename, include_css = c("rmd", "highlight"))
}

# Cleanup.
file.remove(filename)

```

**Description**

Create a SMTP server object.

**Usage**

```
server(
  host,
  port = 25,
  username = NULL,
  password = NULL,
  insecure = FALSE,
  reuse = TRUE,
  helo = NA,
  pause_base = 1,
  max_times = 5,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

host	DNS name or IP address of the SMTP server.
port	Port that the SMTP server is listening on.
username	Username for SMTP server.
password	Password for SMTP server.
insecure	Whether to ignore SSL issues.
reuse	Whether the connection to the SMTP server should be left open for reuse.
helo	The HELO domain name of the sending host. If left as NA then will use local host name.
pause_base	Base delay (in seconds) for exponential backoff. See <a href="#">rate_backoff</a> .
max_times	Maximum number of times to retry.
...	Additional curl options. See <code>curl::curl_options()</code> for a list of supported options.

**Value**

A function which is used to send messages to the server.

**Examples**

```
library(magrittr)

# Set parameters for SMTP server (with username and password)
smtp <- server(
  host = "smtp.gmail.com",
  port = 465,
  username = "bob@gmail.com",
  password = "bd40ef6d4a9413de9c1318a65cbae5d7"
```

```

)

# Set parameters for a (fake) testing SMTP server.
#
# More information about this service can be found at https://www.smtpbucket.com/.
#
smtp <- server(
  host = "mail.smtpbucket.com",
  port = 8025
)

# Create a message
msg <- envelope() %>%
  from("bob@gmail.com") %>%
  to("alice@yahoo.com")

# Send message (verbose output from interactions with server)
## Not run:
smtp(msg, verbose = TRUE)

## End(Not run)

# To confirm that the message was sent, go to https://www.smtpbucket.com/ then:
#
# - fill in "bob@gmail.com" for the Sender field and
# - fill in "alice@yahoo.com" for the Recipient field then
# - press the Search button.

# With explicit HELO domain.
#
smtp <- server(host = "mail.example.com",
              helo = "client.example.com")

```

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subject	<i>Add or query subject of message.</i>
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---

## Description

Add or query subject of message.

## Usage

```

subject(
  msg,
  subject = NULL,
  interpolate = TRUE,
  .open = "{{",
  .close = "}}",
  .envir = NULL
)

```

### Arguments

<code>msg</code>	A message object.
<code>subject</code>	A subject for the message.
<code>interpolate</code>	Whether or not to interpolate into input using <a href="#">glue</a> .
<code>.open</code>	The opening delimiter.
<code>.close</code>	The closing delimiter.
<code>.envir</code>	Environment used for glue interpolation. Defaults to <code>parent.frame()</code> .

### Value

A message object or the subject of the message object (if `subject` is `NULL`).

### See Also

[to](#), [from](#), [cc](#), [bcc](#) and [reply](#)

### Examples

```
library(magrittr)

# Create a message and set the subject
msg <- envelope() %>% subject("Updated report")

# Retrieve the subject for a message
subject(msg)
```

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<code>text</code>	<i>Add a text body to a message.</i>
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### Description

Uses `glue::glue()` to evaluate expressions enclosed in brackets as R code.

### Usage

```
text(
  msg,
  content,
  disposition = "inline",
  charset = "utf-8",
  encoding = "7bit",
  interpolate = TRUE,
  .open = "{{",
  .close = "}}",
  .envir = NULL
)
```



**Arguments**

msg	A message object.
content	A string of message content.
disposition	How content is presented (Content-Disposition).
charset	How content is encoded.
encoding	How content is transformed to ASCII (Content-Transfer-Encoding).
interpolate	Whether or not to interpolate into input using <a href="#">glue</a> .
.open	The opening delimiter.
.close	The closing delimiter.
.envir	Environment used for glue interpolation. Defaults to <code>parent.frame()</code> .

**Value**

A message object.

**See Also**

[html](#)

**Examples**

```
library(magrittr)

msg <- envelope() %>% text("Hello!")

# Using {glue} interpolation.
#
name <- "Alice"
msg <- envelope() %>% text("Hello {name}.")

print(msg, details = TRUE)

# Disable {glue} interpolation.
#
msg <- envelope() %>% text("This is a set: {1, 2, 3}.", interpolate = FALSE)
```

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