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Description

A1 and A2 are symmetrical on the two sides of Ax+By+C=0. The input of the function is A1, and the result is A2. The function also works when the line is horizontal or vertical. Note: the two shapes are symmetrical only when `ggplot2::coord_fixed()` is used.

Usage

```r
ABCxy(
  x,  # the input. It can be a data frame, matrix, tibble object, or a list of these kinds of objects. Each object must have exactly 2 columns and must be numeric without NA. If it has more than 2 columns, only the first 2 columns will be used.
  A,  # for Ax+By+C=0.
  B,  # for Ax+By+C=0.
  C,  # for Ax+By+C=0.
  p1 = NULL,  # if A, B, C are not given, you can also give two points p1 and p2 on the supposed Ax+By+C=0 line. Note: if A, B, C, p1, p2 are all given, the given A, B, C will be ignored. It must be a vector of length 2. The first element is x and the second is y.
  p2 = NULL,  # see p1.
  f = NULL,  # argument passed to `split` to divide a data frame into a list of data frames. It should be a vector whose length is equal to the number of rows of x (if x is a data frame).
  group = TRUE,  # default is TRUE. It indicates whether to add a 3rd column named "g" to label the group number of each group of points. It is useful when using `aes(. . . group=g)` with 'ggplot2'.
  todf = TRUE,  # default is TRUE. It indicates whether to combine the output (a list) into a data frame.
  checks = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

- `x` is the input. It can be a data frame, matrix, tibble object, or a list of these kinds of objects. Each object must have exactly 2 columns and must be numeric without NA. If it has more than 2 columns, only the first 2 columns will be used.
- `A` is for Ax+By+C=0.
- `B` is for Ax+By+C=0.
- `C` is for Ax+By+C=0.
- `p1` is if A, B, C are not given, you can also give two points p1 and p2 on the supposed Ax+By+C=0 line. Note: if A, B, C, p1, p2 are all given, the given A, B, C will be ignored. It must be a vector of length 2. The first element is x and the second is y.
- `p2` is see p1.
- `f` is argument passed to `split` to divide a data frame into a list of data frames. It should be a vector whose length is equal to the number of rows of x (if x is a data frame).
- `group` is default is TRUE. It indicates whether to add a 3rd column named "g" to label the group number of each group of points. It is useful when using `aes(. . . group=g)` with 'ggplot2'.
- `todf` is default is TRUE. It indicates whether to combine the output (a list) into a data frame.
checks

default is TRUE. It indicates whether to check input validity. Do not turn it off unless you are sure that the input is OK.

Value

if todf = TRUE, the output will be a data frame with coordinates of possibly several polygons, otherwise, it will be a list of data frames. Data frames have 2 columns named "x" and "y", and if group = TRUE, a third column named "g" is added indicating group numbers.

Examples

```r
library(ggplot2)
dat1=data.frame(x=c(0, 2, 2, 0), y=c(0, 0, 1, 1))
dat2=ABCxy(dat1, -1, -1, 3)
ggplot()+
  coord_fixed()+
  geom_polygon(data=dat1, aes(x=x, y=y), fill="red")+
  geom_polygon(data=dat2, aes(x=x, y=y), fill="blue")+
  geom_abline(intercept=3, slope=-1)
dat3=ABCxy(dat1, p1=c(0, 1), p2=c(-0.5, 0), todf=TRUE)
ggplot()+
  coord_fixed()+
  geom_polygon(data=dat1, aes(x=x, y=y), fill="red")+
  geom_polygon(data=dat3, aes(x=x, y=y), fill="blue")+
  geom_abline(intercept=1, slope=2)
```

add_slash_n

Adding Slash_n inside Strings

Description

This function simply adds change-line signs inside strings, so that they can be put vertically as the texts of x-axis.

Usage

```r
add_slash_n(x, delete_space = TRUE, vertical_line = TRUE)
```

Arguments

- `x`: a character vector
- `delete_space`: whether to delete spaces. Default is TRUE.
- `vertical_line`: whether to change - into |. Default is TRUE.

Examples

```r
lab=add_slash_n(c("a b-c", "d - ef ", "n"))
```
annotation_shading_polygon

Layer for Drawing a Single Irregular Polygon with Shading Colors

Description

ggplot2::annotation_raster can only draw shading rectangles. However, this function can draw polygons of any shape with shading colors. See the shape argument and the raster argument.

Usage

```r
annotation_shading_polygon(
  shape = data.frame(c(-1, 1, 0), c(0, 0, 1.732)),
  xmin = NULL,
  xmax = NULL,
  ymin = NULL,
  ymax = NULL,
  raster = NULL,
  interpolate = TRUE,
  result_interpolate = TRUE,
  shape_trim = NULL,
  raster_trim = NULL,
  result_trim = NULL,
  result = c("layer", "magick"),
  width = 800,
  height = NULL,
  res = 72
)
```

Arguments

- `shape`: the polygon can be a data frame (or matrix object, or tbl_df object) with x and y coordinates (that is, with two columns), a plot created by ggplot or an image read into R by magick::image_read. If it is a plot created by ggplot, its axes can be of numeric, discrete or date/datetime type; however, when the type is date/datetime, the plot should not use ggplot2::coord_fixed.
- `xmin`: the left side of the position to put the polygon. When shape is something like a data frame, you do not need to set xmin, xmax, ymin and ymax, for the function will generate these values according to the coordinates in the polygon.
- `xmax`: the right side.
- `ymin`: the bottom side.
- `ymax`: the top side.
- `raster`: the shading colors. It can be a raster object, a matrix of colors, a ggplot plot or an image read into R by magick::image_read.
interpolate  the interpolate argument used by `ggplot2::annotation_raster` when the
raster argument is a matrix or raster.

result_interpolate  whether to interpolate in the final result which is essentially an output of `ggplot2::annotation_raster`. Default is TRUE.

shape_trim  this argument decides whether to trim edges of shape. It should be a number between 0 and 100. Default is NULL. If it is NULL, no trimming will be done.

raster_trim  whether to trim raster. Most of the time we do want to trim the raster. However, the `magick::image_trim` function sometimes trims wrongly. So you may want to turn it off. Default is NULL.

result_trim  how to trim the final result. If you find your figure loses some parts, you can try to turn this off. Default is NULL.

result  when it is "layer", the function is a ggplot layer. When it is "magick", the function only create an image.

width  the width which will be passed to `magick::image_graph`. Most of the time you do not need to modify this. Default is 800. HOWEVER, if the final polygon has fuzzy edges, try to enlarge width to make them look better.

height  the height which will be passed to `magick::image_graph`. DO SEE Details below to see how to use this parameter.

res  resolution in pixels which will be passed to `magick::image_graph`. Default is 72.

Details

height can be used in the following ways:

• (1) an integer which will be directly passed to `image::graph`.

• (2) a character-like integer, e.g., `height = "0.5"`. Suppose width = 400, the height that will be used is 400*0.5 = 200. This effectively prevents the image from becoming too large.

• (3) `height = "coord_fixed"`. The ratio between height and width will be (top-bottom)/(right-left). And top, bottom, right and left are extreme values of shape when the latter is of class data.frame/matrix/gg.

• (4) `height = "image"`. The width and height will be the width and height of raster when raster is a magick object.

• (5) `height = NULL`, the default. Now height is computed automatically. A ratio is computed first, `ratio = (top-bottom)/(right-left)`. If the ratio is larger than 5 or smaller than 0.2, then height will be width*5 or width*0.2; else, the height will be treated in the same way as in (3) above. If shape is of class gg and it has uses `coord_flip()`, the height will be automatically adjusted. All these works are needed to prevent the image from becoming too large.

Examples

# Example 1
poly=ellipsexy(-1, 0, a=1, b=1)
m=matrix(rainbow(7))
**annotation_transparent_text**

*Layer for Transparent Text*

**Description**

Suppose there is a colored rectangle with some texts and you want the texts to be transparent so that the colors of the background can be seen. Now you can use this function. The function can be used as a ggplot layer or a generator of image. NOTE: when the function is used as a layer, it uses ggplot2::annotation_raster to do the drawing, so you must set limits for the x axis and the y axis. See examples.

**Usage**

```r
annotation_transparent_text(
  label,
  xmin,
  xmax,
  ...)
```

annotation_transparent_text

```r
ymin, xmax, 
bg = "black", alpha = 0.5, 
operator = "out", 
interpolate = TRUE, 
result_interpolate = TRUE, 
expand = c(0.05, 0.05), 
family = "SimHei", 
fontface = 1, 
reflow = FALSE, 
place = "center", label_trim = NULL, 
bg_trim = NULL, result = c("layer", "magick"), 
width = 800, height = NULL, res = 72, ...
```

**Arguments**

- `label` the text.
- `xmin` the left side of the rectangle.
- `xmax` the right side of the rectangle.
- `ymin` the bottom side of the rectangle.
- `ymax` the top side of the rectangle.
- `bg` the colors of the rectangle. It can be a character vector of colors, a matrix of colors, an object of raster class or even a image read into R through `magick::image_read`. Default is color black.
- `alpha` it is only used when `bg` is a character vector. Default is 0.5.
- `operator` the argument used by `magick::image_composite`. It should be "out" (default) or "in". The former makes the texts transparent, the latter creates shading texts.
- `interpolate` when `bg` is a matrix, a image or a raster, this parameter is used and will be passed to `ggplot2::annotation_raster` to draw a colored rectangle. Default is TRUE.
- `result_interpolate` whether to use interpolate in the final result. Default is TRUE.
- `expand` sometimes it is needed to slightly expand the x position and y position to put the text so that they can be shown nicely. It should be two values used by x and y respectively. Default is 0.05 and 0.05.
- `family` family of text. Default is SimHei which ensures that Chinese texts can be shown. However, you can change it to others, e.g., sans, serif, mono.
- `fontface` fontface.
reflow whether to change lines automatically. It will be passed to ggfittext::geom_fit_text. Default is FALSE.

place position adjustment used by ggfittext::geom_fit_text. The value is one of "center", "middle" (= "center"), "topleft", "top", "topright", "right", "bottom-right", "bottom", "bottomleft", "left".

label_trim whether to trim label. The default is NULL which means no trimming. But if you want to remove all edges around label, you should give label_trim a value which will be passed to magick::image_trim. However, most of the time you do not need this parameter.

bg_trim whether to trim bg. Most of the time we do want to trim it. However, the magick::image_trim function sometimes trims wrongly. So you can turn it off. NOTE: the default value of bg_trim is NULL, which means DO NOT TRIM.

result when it is "layer", the function can be used as a ggplot layer. When it is "magick", the result is only an image which is created by the magick package.

width the width of the text rectangle. It will be passed to magick::image_graph. Most of the time you do not need to modify this. Default is 800.

height the height of the text rectangle. It will be passed to magick::image_graph. Default is NULL, which means it will be computed automatically. DO SEE Details below to learn how to handle this parameter.

res resolution in pixels which will be passed to magick::image_graph. Default is 72.

... arguments which will be passed to ggfittext::geom_fit_text. Most often used are angle (0 to 360), lineheight.

Details

height can be used in the following ways:

- (1) an integer which will be directly passed to magick::image_graph.
- (2) a character-like integer, e.g., height = "0.5". Suppose width = 400, the height that will be used is 400*0.5 = 200. This effectively prevents the image from becoming too large.
- (3) height = "coord_fixed". the ratio between height and width will be (ymax-ymin)/(xmax-xmin).
- (4) height = "image", the width and height will be the width and height of bg when the latter is a magick object.
- (5) height = NULL, the default. Now height is computed automatically. If bg is a magick object, the width and height of the image will be used. If bg is not a magick object, a ratio is computed first, ratio = (ymax-ymin)/(xmax-xmin). if the ratio is larger than 5 or smaller than 0.2, then height will be width*5 or width*0.2; else, the height will be treated in the same way as in (3) above. All these works are needed to prevent the image from becoming too large.

Examples

# Example 1
m=matrix(rainbow(7), nrow=1)
ggplot()+coord_fixed()+
xlim(0, 7)+ylim(-2, 4)+theme_void()+
annotation_raster(
raster=m,
xmin=0, ymin=-3,
xmax=7, ymax=5,
interpolate=TRUE )+
annotation_transparent_text(
label="R\nDATA\nVISUALIZATION",
xmin=0, xmax=7,
ymin=-1, ymax=3,
family="sans", fontface=2, alpha=0.8,
place="left", expand=c(0.08, 0.02) )
#
# Example 2, this time the result is only an image.
tt=annotation_transparent_text(
label="abcdefg",
xmin=1, xmax=8,
ymin=1, ymax=4,
alpha=0.6,
result="magick"
)
#
# Example 3, the rectangle is a matrix.
m=colorRampPalette(c("yellow", "purple"))(10)
ggplot()+coord_fixed(expand=FALSE)+
theme(panel.background=element_rect(fill="red"))+
annotation_transparent_text(
label="hehehaha",
xmin=1, xmax=8,
ymin=1, ymax=4,
bg=m, alpha=1)
#
# Example 4, height is too large.
# Now you should explicitly set
# width and height, otherwise, the
# characters will become too flat.
x=c(0, 5, 10)
y=c(0, 500, 1000)
ggplot()+ylim(0, 4000)+
geom_point(aes(x, y))+
annotation_transparent_text(label="ha ha\nhe he",
xmin=0, xmax=10, ymin=1000, ymax=4000, bg="black",
width=300, height=150)
) # do not set height=NULL here
Generating Groups of Coordinates for Any Polygon

Description

Given your function to create a multiple of points (for example, points to form a polygon), this function generates x and y coordinates for groups of points of the same type with different parameters. The output of this function can be shown by ellipsexy and rectxy in this package.

Usage

ANYxy(myfun = NULL, ..., MoreArgs = NULL, group = TRUE, todf = TRUE)

Arguments

myfun your function to generate a single polygon. Note: the value of each argument of your function must be a single-value vector. And the result of your function should be a data frame!. See examples.

... named parameters used by your function. These parameters will be passed to mapply.

MoreArgs this will be passed to the MoreArgs argument of mapply.

group default is TRUE which means a column named "g" will be added to each data frame. This facilitates further drawing using aes(..., group = g).

todf default is TRUE which means to combine the result into a data frame. Otherwise, the result is a list.

Examples

library(ggplot2)
# First, you need a function to generate
# x and y coordinates for a single group
# of points.
x_square=function(start, end, A, B){
x=seq(start, end, 0.1)
data.frame(x=x, y=A*(x^2)+B)
}
# All the arguments of your function
# (here, start, end, A, B) should only accept
# vectors of length 1. And, the result of
# your function should be a data frame
# of x and y coordinates
# (here, coordinates of curves).
dat=ANYxy(myfun=x_square,
start=-1, end=1, A=c(1, 2), MoreArgs=list(B=1),
group=TRUE, todf=TRUE)
ggplot(dat)+geom_line(aes(x, y, group=g, color=factor(g)))
count_each_column  Counting Each Column and Summarizing in a Matrix

Description

This function counts the frequencies of each element of each column of a data frame or matrix. The frequencies of missing values and the 0 frequencies of non-existent values are also included in the final result.

Usage

count_each_column(x, answer = NULL, checks = TRUE)

Arguments

x  
a data frame or matrix with at least 1 row and 1 column. NOTE: all column should belong to the same class (numeric, character). However, if checks = TRUE, character and factor variables can co-exist and logical values are also OK. If a column has nothing but NA, it should be remove; otherwise, an error will be raised.

answer  
the values whose frequencies you want to know, e. g., "agree" and "disagree" in your survey data. Default is NULL which means all possible answers in the whole data will be used.

checks  
whether to check the validity of the input data. Default is TRUE. Do not turn it off unless you are sure that your data has no logical variables or factor variables and each column has at least 1 non-missing value.

Examples

# values that do not appear in  
# the data can also be counted.  
# a factor will be transformed into  
# a character variable automatically.  
x1=c("a", "b", "a", "b", NA)  
x2=factor(x1)  
x3=c("1", "3", "2", "1", "a")  
dat=data.frame(x1, x2, x3, stringsAsFactors=FALSE)  
res=count_each_column(dat, answer=c("c", "d", NA, "a"))  
# logical value is OK.  
x1=c(TRUE, TRUE, TRUE)  
x2=c(TRUE, NA, NA)  
dat=data.frame(x1, x2)  
res=count_each_column(dat)  
res=count_each_column(dat, c(TRUE, FALSE))
Generating Coordinates of Multiple Ellipses or Circles

Description

If radius a is equal to radius b, then the shape will be a circle. Note: the shapes are correct only when `ggplot2::coord_fixed()` is used.

Usage

```r
ellipsexy(
  x = 0,
  y = 0,
  a = 2,
  b = 1,
  start = 0,
  end = 6.283185,
  angle = 0,
  n = 40,
  xytype = "middle",
  fan = FALSE,
  group = TRUE,
  todf = TRUE,
  checks = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

- **x**: the x coordinates of relative points. Its length can be larger than 1. See `xytype`.
- **y**: the y coordinates of relative points. Its length can be larger than 1. See `xytype`.
- **a**: the radius that is parallel to x-axis before rotation. Its length can be larger than 1.
- **b**: the radius that is parallel to y-axis before rotation. Its length can be larger than 1.
- **start**: default is 0. The angle of the starting point of the arc. Its length can be larger than 1. Note: "radian = degree * pi / 180".
- **end**: default is 6.283185. The angle of the ending point of the arc. Its length can be larger than 1.
- **angle**: default is 0. The rotation angle in radian. Its length can be larger than 1. Note: "radian = degree * pi / 180". The rotation direction is anti-clockwise.
- **n**: default is 40. The number of points used to draw an arc. The larger, the smoother. It must at least be 4. However, when `checks` is FALSE, this check is ignored. **NOTE**: to draw a triangle, you must use `ellipsexy(n=4,fan=FALSE)`, as the first and 4th points are so close. Similarly, to draw a rectangle, use `ellipsexy(n=5,fan=FALSE)`.
xytype should be one of "middle/center" (default), "bottomleft", "middleleft/left/centerleft". It indicates the type of argument of the middle point of an ellipse. If it is "middleleft", x and y are the middle-left coordinates before rotation. If it is "bottomleft", x and y are the coordinates of the bottom-left corner of the rectangle that walls the ellipse.

fan default is FALSE. If it is TRUE, the coordinates of the middle of an ellipse is added to the output data frame. Meanwhile, if, say, you set n = 50, then n becomes 49 automatically because the last position is reserved for the middle. This helps draw a fan.

group default is TRUE. It indicates whether to add a 3rd column named "g" to label the group number of each group of points. It is useful when using aes(. . . group=g) with 'ggplot2'.

todf default is TRUE. It indicates whether to combine the output (a list) into a data frame.

checks default is TRUE. It indicates whether to check input validity. Do not turn it off unless you are sure that the input is OK.

Value

if todf = TRUE, the output will be a data frame with coordinates of possibly several polygons, otherwise, it will be a list of data frames. Data frames have 2 columns named "x" and "y", and if group = TRUE, a third column named "g" is added indicating group numbers.

Examples

library(ggplot2)
dat1=ellipsex(x=1, y=1,
a=seq(1, 4, length.out=8), angle=seq(0, pi, length.out=8),
xytype="middleleft", n=30, todf=TRUE)
ggplot()+coord_fixed()+
geom_polygon(show.legend=FALSE,
data=dat1, aes(x=x, y=y, group=g, fill=factor(g)), alpha=0.3)
Arguments

x  a color matrix or raster. It should have at least 1 row and 1 column with no NAs.
n  a vector with 2 numbers. If it has 1 number, the number will be repeated twice. The two numbers indicate how many colors you will get in the result per row and per column. Default is c(10, 10).
row_first  enlarge rows first or enlarge columns first? Default is TRUE. The results are almost the same, so you do not need to change this.
space  the space parameter used by colorRampPalette. It can be "rgb" (default) or "Lab".

Examples

library(ggplot2)
# the original matrix
m=matrix(c(
  "red", "yellow", "green",
  "blue", "purple", "cyan",
  "black", "orange", "grey"), byrow=TRUE, nrow=3)
# enlarge the matrix
mm=enlarge_raster(m, c(15, 15), space="Lab")
ggplot()+xlim(0, 10)+ylim(0, 5)+coord_fixed()+
  annotation_raster(mm,
  xmin=0, xmax=10, ymin=0, ymax=5, interpolate=TRUE)

geom_circle_cm  Geom Layer for Circle with Absolute Size

Description

This layer uses centimeter as unit to draw circles so that the size and shape will not be influenced by the change of the coordinate systems (even when a polar system is used). Note: this function does not have linetype and n arguments.

Usage

geom_circle_cm(
  mapping = NULL,
  data = NULL,
  stat = "identity",
  position = "identity",
  na.rm = FALSE,
  show.legend = NA,
  inherit.aes = TRUE,
  linetype = NULL,
  ...
)
**geom_ellipse_cm**

**Geom Layer for Ellipse with Absolute Size**

**Description**

This layer uses centimeter as unit to draw ellipse so that its size and shape will not be influenced by the coordinate systems (even when a polar system is used).
Usage

geom_ellipse_cm(
  mapping = NULL,
  data = NULL,
  stat = "identity",
  position = "identity",
  na.rm = FALSE,
  show.legend = NA,
  inherit.aes = TRUE,
  ...
)

Arguments

  mapping         aes mapping.
  data            data.
  stat            stat.
  position        position.
  na.rm            logical, whether to remove NA values.
  show.legend     whether to show legend.
  inherit.aes     logical, whether to inherit aes from ggplot().
  ...             additional parameters.

Details

Accepted properties are:

• (1) rcm radius in centimeter.
• (2) ab it means to what extent radius a of an ellipse is larger than radius b. However, its true meaning is the aspect ratio which is used by gridExtra::ellipseGrob and indicates the extent to which y dimension is flattened. So, say, when ab = 2, radius a is larger than b, but it is not exactly 2 times larger.
• (3) color color of the the outline.
• (4) fill color inside the shape.
• (5) alpha alpha of color and fill.
• (6) size line width of the outline.
• (7) linetype line type.
• (8) angle angle of rotation from 0 degree and in anti-clockwise direction.
• (9) n the number of points to draw the shape. Note: it must be written inside the aes(...) function.
• (10) x x coordinates of middle points.
• (11) y y coordinates of middle points.
Examples

```r
library(ggplot2)
dat=data.frame(x=c(1, 3, 5, 7, 9), y=rep(5, 5))
ggplot(dat)+xlim(0, 11)+ylim(1, 9)+
geom_ellipse_cm(aes(x=x, y=y), fill="red", ab=seq(1, 4, length.out=5))
ggplot(dat)+xlim(0, 11)+ylim(1, 9)+
geom_ellipse_cm(aes(x=x, y=y, fill=factor(x)), ab=3, angle=c(0, pi/4, pi/3, pi/2, 0.75*pi))
```

Description

Unlike `annotation_raster` which draws only 1 raster, this layer draws one or more rasters at the same time. The data must be a tbl object created by package tibble and the reason is that, as we must give each rectangle a vector of colors, the column that contains these vectors of colors must be a list rather than a vector. A list can be a column for tbl object, not for a normal data frame. See examples. Accepted properties are:

- (1) `xmin`.
- (2) `xmax`.
- (3) `ymin`.
- (4) `ymax`.
- (5) `raster`. a list with 1 or more rasters. If you have only 1 raster, you also have to put it into a list. Each raster should be a matrix, a raster object, a character vector or a magick object read into R by `magick::image_read`. You can also use a data frame created by package tibble to combine `xmin`, `xmax`, `ymin`, `ymax`, `raster`.
- (6) `interpolate`. It is the same as that in `annotation_raster` except that the default value is `TRUE`. It can be used either inside or outside the `aes(...)` function. Its length must be either 1 or the same as the number of rasters.
- (7) `flip`. The default is `FALSE`. You only need to use `TRUE` when you use `coord_flip`. Used outside the `aes(...)` function.

Usage

```r
geom_multi_raster(
  mapping = NULL,
  data = NULL,
  stat = "identity",
  position = "identity",
  na.rm = FALSE,
  show.legend = NA,
  inherit.aes = TRUE,
  flip = FALSE,
  ...
)
```
**geom_rect_cm**  
*Geom Layer for Rectangle with Absolute Size*

**Description**

This layer uses centimeter as unit to draw rectangles so that the size and shape will not be influenced by the coordinate systems (even when a polar system is used).

**Usage**

```r
geom_rect_cm(
  mapping = NULL,
  data = NULL,
  stat = "identity",
```

**Arguments**

- **mapping** aes mapping.
- **data** data. It should be a tbl object.
- **stat** stat.
- **position** position.
- **na.rm** logical, whether to remove NA values.
- **show.legend** This will not be used because the layer does not create any legend.
- **inherit.aes** logical, whether to inherit aes from ggplot().
- **flip** see description.
- **...** additional parameters.

**Examples**

```r
# Example 1: use vectors and a list.
mycolor=list(
c1=matrix(c("red", "blue", "green", "yellow"), nrow=2),
c2=matrix(c("green", "yellow")),
c3=matrix(c("purple", "red")))
xmin=1: 3
xmax=1:3+0.8
ymin=c(0, 1, 2)
ymax=c(1, 3, 5)
ggplot()+
  geom_multi_raster(aes(xmin=xmin, xmax=xmax,
                      ymin=ymin, ymax=ymax, raster=mycolor))
```

```r
# Example 2: the same as example 1
# except flip=TRUE.
ggplot()+
  coord_flip() +
  geom_multi_raster(aes(xmin=xmin, xmax=xmax,
                        ymin=ymin, ymax=ymax, raster=mycolor), flip=TRUE)
```
position = "identity",
na.rm = FALSE,
show.legend = NA,
inherit.aes = TRUE,
...
}

Arguments

mapping   aes mapping.
data       data.
stat       stat.
position   position.
na.rm      logical, whether to remove NA values.
show.legend whether to show legend.
inherit.aes logical, whether to inherit aes from ggplot().
...       additional parameters.

Details

Accepted properties are:

• (1) width width in centimeter.
• (2) height height in centimeter.
• (3) color color of the outline.
• (4) fill color inside the shape.
• (5) alpha alpha of color and fill.
• (6) size line width of outline.
• (7) linetype line type.
• (8) hjust horizontal adjustment, default is 0.5 which means no adjustment.
• (9) vjust vertical adjustment, default is 0.5 which means no adjustment.
• (10) x x coordinates of middle points.
• (11) y y coordinates of middle points.

Examples

library(ggplot2)
ggplot()+xlim(-0.5, 10.5)+
geom_rect_cm(aes(x=1: 10, y=rep(4, 10)), fill="red", height=rep(1: 2, each=5),
vjust=rep(c(0, 0.5), 5)+
geom_point(aes(x=1: 10, y=rep(4, 10)), color="green")
Description

This function is similar to `geom_bar(aes(x,y),stat="identity")` except that it draws bars with shading colors. Unlike `gg_shading_bar` which is a convenient function, this function is used as a ggplot layer. Accepted properties are different from those in `geom_multi_raster` and `gg_shading_bar`.

- (1) x. It is the same as that in `geom_bar`.
- (2) y. It is the same as that in `geom_bar`.
- (3) raster. It should be a list with 1 or more character vectors of colors. If the list only has 1 vector, all the bars will use the same shading pattern. If you have, for example, 5 bars to draw, then you have to put 5 vectors of colors into a list. If you use a data frame, it must be a data frame made by package tibble, and the column for raster should be a list.
- (4) width. It is the same as that in `geom_bar`.
- (5) flip. The default is FALSE. You only need to use TRUE when you use `coord_flip`. Use outside the `aes(...)` function.
- (6) modify_raster. If it is TRUE (default), colors will be smoothed using the value of smooth. If raster has enough colors, you can set this to FALSE. It is the same as that in `gg_shading_bar`.
- (7) equal_scale. The default is FALSE. When it is TRUE, a bar will use a certain part of the shading colors according to a global scale. It is the same as that in `gg_shading_bar`.
- (8) smooth. The default is 15. The number of shading colors each bar has. The bigger, the better. It is the same as that in `gg_shading_bar`.
- (9) space. The color space that is used. It can be "rgb" (default) or "Lab".
- (10) orientation. This parameter mimics the same parameter used in `geom_bar`, though acts differently. This enables to flip the x axis and y axis without using `coord_flip`. If it is NA or "x" (default), it supposes x = SOME LABELS and y = SOME VALUES. If it is "y", you must set x = SOME VALUES and y = SOME LABELS. These effects are the same as `geom_bar`.

NOTE: the function does interpolation as default, so you does not need to use `interpolate` parameter. And, unlike `gg_shading_bar`, this function does not draw lines around rectangles.

Usage

```r
geom_shading_bar(
  mapping = NULL,
  data = NULL,
  stat = "identity",
  position = "identity",
  na.rm = FALSE,
  show.legend = NA,
  inherit.aes = TRUE,
  width = 0.9,
)```
Arguments

- **mapping**: aes mapping.
- **data**: data. It should be a tbl object.
- **stat**: stat.
- **position**: position. The parameter will not be used here.
- **na.rm**: logical, whether to remove NA values.
- **show.legend**: This will not be used because the layer does not create any legend.
- **inherit.aes**: logical, whether to inherit aes from ggplot().
- **width**: see description.
- **flip**: see description.
- **modify_raster**: see description or gg_shading_bar.
- **smooth**: see description.
- **equal_scale**: see description or gg_shading_bar.
- **space**: see description.
- **orientation**: see description.
- ... additional parameters.

Examples

```r
# Example 1: use vectors.
x=c("b", "a", "c", "d", "e")
y=c(2, 1, 3, 5, 4)
raster=list(c("blue", "red"), c("green", "orange"), c("cyan", "yellow"), c("purple", "orangered"), c("grey", "red"))

ggplot() +
  geom_shading_bar(aes(x=x, y=y, raster=raster), smooth=40)

# Example 2: other parameters
x=1: 5
y=c(1, 2, -3, 5, 4)
raster=list(c("blue", "red"))

ggplot() +
  geom_shading_bar(aes(x=x, y=y, raster=raster), smooth=50, width=0.6, equal_scale=TRUE) +
  scale_x_continuous(breaks=1: 5, labels=letters[1: 5])
```
get_click_color

Obtaining the Colors of Positions Clicked

Description
The function draws an image and asks the user to click on the positions whose colors the user wants to know. NOTE: after clicking, you must press Esc button to continue. The result is a vector of colors in hex mode.

Usage
get_click_color(x)

Arguments
- x: a raster object, or an image loaded by magick::image_read or the filename of that image.

get_gg_label
Checking Min, Max, Labels and Label Positions

Description
Given a numeric vector or a ggplot object, the function will check the range, labels and label positions (the same as major grid lines) that will used on the axis. The result is a length 5 list for min limit, max limit, labels, major grid-line positions, all (major and minor) grid-line positions.

Usage
get_gg_label(
  a = NULL,
  b = NULL,
  v = NULL,
  gg = NULL,
  mult = 0.05,
  add = 0,
  axis = "y"
)

Arguments
- a: extreme values of a numeric vector. Note: only one of a, v, gg can be non-NULL. It can also be a gg object.
- b: another extreme value if a is not NULL.
- v: a numeric vector.
gg

a gg object created by ggplot function. Which value will be checked depends on axis.

mult

default is 0.05 and should be of length 1 or 2. It mimics the mult argument of ggplot2::expansion. It is only used when a is numeric or v is non-NULL.

add

default is 0. It mimics the add argument of ggplot2::expansion.

axis

if gg is used or a is a ggplot object, which axis will be checked? It can be "x" or "y" (default).

Examples

get_gg_label(a=1, b=1000)
# The following three have the same results.
get_gg_label(a=1, b=1000, mult=0)
get_gg_label(v=c(1, 500, 1000), mult=0)
p=ggplot()+geom_point(aes(1: 3, c(1, 500, 1000)))+
  scale_y_continuous(expand=expansion(mult=0))
get_gg_label(gg=p)

gg_shading_bar

drawing barplot with shading colors

Description

In ordinary barplot, each bar has only one color. This function aims to draw a barplot whose bars have shading effect. Note: unlike ggplot2::geom_bar, this function can only deals with a vector of frequencies.

Usage

gg_shading_bar(
  v,
  labels = NULL,
  raster = NULL,
  flip = FALSE,
  change_order = "normal",
  equal_scale = FALSE,
  smooth = 15,
  interpolate = TRUE,
  width = 0.8,
  color = NA,
  linetype = 1,
  size = 1,
  modify_raster = TRUE,
  space = "rgb",
  ...)

Arguments

v  a vector of item frequencies. Negative values are OK.
labels  a vector of item names. Its length should be equal to that of v. If it is NULL, default names will be used. If it is of class numeric or factor, it will be transformed to a character vector.
raster  a list. The length of the list should be equal to that of v. Each element of the list should be a color vector corresponding to a value in v. If it is a vector, it will be automatically transformed to a list. If its length is 1, but the length of v is, say, 3, then it will be automatically repeated for 3 times. Let us suppose v = 5 and raster = list(c("green", "red")). This means the starting side of the bar is green and the far side is red. See examples.
flip  default is FALSE and the bars are vertical. When it is TRUE, the bars are horizontal. Note: when using this function, DO NOT USE ggplot2::coord_flip!
change_order  when it is "normal" (default), the drawing order is the order of v. When it is "big", big values will be drawn first. When it is "small", small values will be drawn first. When it is "rev", the inverse order of v will be used.
equal_scale  default is FALSE. When it is TRUE, a bar will use a certain part of the shading colors according to a global scale. See examples.
smooth  default is 15. The number of shading colors each bar has. The bigger, the better.
interpolate  when it is TRUE (default), it makes the colors smoother.
width  the width of each bar. It should be between 0 and 1.
color  color of the outlines of the bars.
linetype  line type of the outlines of the bars.
size  line width of the outlines of the bars.
modify_raster  if it is TRUE (default), colors will be smoothed using the value of smooth. If raster has enough colors, you can set this to FALSE.
space  the space parameter used by colorRampPalette. It should be "rgb" (default) or "Lab".
...  additional arguments used by ggplot2::coord_flip when flip = TRUE.

Examples

library(ggplot2)
x=c(10, 30, 25, 6)
lab=c("children", "youth", "middle", "aged")
r=list(c("cyan", "red"), c("blue", "yellow"), c("green", "orange"), c("grey", "black"))
#
# (1) change_order
# change_order = "ordinary", the default
p1=gg_shading_bar(v=x, labels=lab)
# change_order = "big"
p2=gg_shading_bar(v=x, labels=lab, change_order="big")
# flip and let the largest on the top
image_col_numeric

Colorize an Image according to Gray Scale

Description

A color image can be converted to one with different degrees of gray. Then, colors in a palette can be added according to the gray degrees. The function is a simple wrapper of scales::col_numeric. The pixels which are deliberately assigned "transparent" in the original magick image will always kept unchanged.

Usage

```
image_col_numeric(
  x,
  palette = c("purple", "yellow"),
  n = 256,
  alpha = FALSE,
  result = "magick",
  res = 144
)
```

Arguments

- **x**
  - an image read into R by magick::image_read.
- **palette**
  - two or more colors. The default is c("purple", "yellow") which means the deeper colors on the image will become purple and the lighter yellow.
- **n**
  - the max num of colors that will be used. The default is 256. Note, the number of colors that really exist may be smaller than this number.
alpha

whether transparency is used. Transparency only exists when alpha = TRUE and your image is in the format (e.g., png) that supports transparency. The default is FALSE.

result

if it is "magick" (default), the result is a picture of the same type used by package magick. If it is "raster", the result is a matrix that can be used as a raster by ggplot2::annotation_raster.

res

resolution that is used by magick::image_graph. The default is 144.

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**image_crop_click**  
_Cut out a Subregion of an Image by Mouse Click_

**Description**

This function is a wrapper of magick::image_crop. While the latter asks you to set a geometry parameter, this function enables you to set the four sides of a subregion only by click the mouse. You must click at least 2 times (that is, click on 2 different points to define a rectangle). After clicking, please press Esc on your keyboard. You can also designate an irregular polygon by mouse with at least 3 clicks. If it is irregular, you MUST click on positions in order (something like that, when you draw a polygon in R, you must input the positions of points in order).

**Usage**

image_crop_click(x, only_value = FALSE, rectangle = TRUE, trim = FALSE)

**Arguments**

- **x**
  an image read into R by magick::image_read or an image modified by functions in the magick package.

- **only_value**
  the default is FALSE, which will return the subregion. If you set it to TRUE, the result is only four values with the order: left, right, top, bottom.

- **rectangle**
  whether the cropped area is a rectangle (default is TRUE). If it is FALSE, the subregion can be irregular.

- **trim**
  this is only used when rectangle is FALSE. It decides whether the irregular subregion is to be trimmed. If it is FALSE (default), no trimming will be done. If it is a 0 to 100 value, magick::image_trim will be used, whose fuzz argument is equal to trim. If it is TRUE (not 1), trimming will be done according to the mouse click you have made.
image_keep_color  
*Keep Some Colors Unchanged and Make Others into Grayscale*

**Description**

This function keeps pixels with certain colors unchanged and transforms others into grayscale. The function is in fact a wrapper of `magick::image_transparent`, so it uses the latter’s `color` and `fuzz` parameters. NOTE: the function only works for fully opaque or fully transparent (labelled as "transparent") pixels.

**Usage**

```r
image_keep_color(x, color = NULL, fuzz = 10, result = "magick")
```

**Arguments**

- `x`: an image read into R by `magick::image_read`.
- `color`: the same as `magick::image_transparent`. You can use 1 or more colors.
- `fuzz`: the same as `magick::image_transparent`. However, its length must either be 1 or the same as `color`.
- `result`: if it is "magick" (default), the result is a magick image, if it is "raster", the result is a matrix.

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image_locator  
*Get the Width and Height of the Mouse Clicked Points*

**Description**

This function simply gets the width and height values of the points on which you click. The result is a list of two vectors, the first vector is for width, the second for height.

**Usage**

```r
image_locator(x, rectangle = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

- `x`: a raster object, or an image loaded by `magick::image_read` or the filename of that image.
- `rectangle`: if it is `FALSE` (default), the result list contains the width and height values. If it is `TRUE`, only the left, right, top, bottom values of the rectangle designated by your clicking are returned.
image_modify_hsv

Modify the H, S, V Values of a Color Vector or an Image

Description

The function modifies the H (0 - 1), S, V values of a vector of colors or an image. The three channels can be modified separately. However, the most frequently used is only the V modification. The ways to modify include: setting values to some specified values (set_*), adding (add_*), multiplying the original values (mult_*), rescaling the original values (rescale_*), using a function to recompute values (fun_*). The most useful way is to use some internal curves that mimic those PS-like apps. DO see Details.

Usage

image_modify_hsv(
  x,
  set_h = NULL,
  add_h = NULL,
  mult_h = NULL,
  rescale_h = NULL,
  fun_h = NULL,
  set_s = NULL,
  add_s = NULL,
  mult_s = NULL,
  rescale_s = NULL,
  fun_s = NULL,
  set_v = NULL,
  add_v = NULL,
  mult_v = NULL,
  rescale_v = NULL,
  fun_v = NULL,
  result = "magick",
  res = 144
)

Arguments

x an image created by image_read or other functions in package magick. Alternatively, it can be a vector of colors.

set_h set H values with specific values.

add_h add specific values to current H values.

mult_h multiply the current values with specific values.

rescale_h a length 2 numeric vector specifying the desired range of H values, e.g., rescale_h = c(0.6, 0.95) which will make the smallest original value to be 0.6, and the largest, 0.95. Alternatively, it can be your own scaling function.
fun_h your own modifying function (e. g., fun_h = sqrt). Alternatively, it can be a list that designates how to use internal curves. See Details.

set_s, add_s, mult_s, rescale_s, fun_s parameters to change S values. Used in the same way as those for H. See above.

set_v, add_v, mult_v, rescale_v, fun_v parameters to change V values. Used in the same way as those for H. See above.

result the default is "magick", the output is a magick picture. When it is "raster", a matrix is created which can be used as a raster for ggplot2::annotation_raster.

res when the result is a magick picture, the res parameter used by magick::image_graph. Default is 144.

Details

fun_* can be a function or a named list which tells the function which internal function is to be used. You must ensure values used by the function specified by you to be in the range [0, 1] for H, S, V modification and [0, 255] for R, G, B modification. Also, you’d better make sure the output values of the function are in

When fun_* is a list, it should be written in the following way:

- (1) fun_* = list(fun = "s", c1 = -2, c2 = 2, domain = c(0, 1)) An "s" curve will be used. c1 points out how to deal with values below 0.5, c2 with values above 0.5. For c1 and c2, a value larger than 0 means a curvature towards y = 1, and a value smaller than 0 means a curvature towards y = 0. So, c1 < 0 and c2 > 0 will make an s shape curve. c1 and c2 can be any number, though those with absolute values below 4 are quite good (default is -2 and 2). 0 means no change. domain specifies the value domain to put the result. The default is c(0, 1) which means not to rescale, thus 0.1 is 0.1. However, if you set domain = c(0.5, 1), then 0.1 will be 0.55. If you do not know how to set domain, just ignore it.

- (2) fun_* = list(fun = "circle", value = 0.5) When the fun is "circle" or "c", an arc will be used. value must be a number between -1 and 1 (default is 0.5). A number larger than 0 means the curvature is towards y = 1, and a number smaller than 0 means it is towards y = 0. value should not be 0.

- (3) list(fun_* = "linear", x0 = 0.4, y0 = 0.6) This makes a linear modification except that there is a breakpoint. The default point is (0.4, 0.6) which means: suppose all the original numbers and output numbers are in the [0, 1] range and the points with their x position smaller than 0.4 will be put along the line that links (0, 0) and (0.4, 0.6), and, those with x position larger than 0.4 will be put along the line that links (0.4, 0.6) and (1, 1).

Examples

```r
# First create an image
library(magick)
mycolor=grDevices::hsv(0, s=seq(0.1, 0.9, 0.1),
v=seq(0.1, 0.9, 0.1))
img=image_graph(width=400, height=400)
print(showcolor(mycolor)+theme_void())
dev.off()
# Now increase S values with
```
# an internal circle curve and
# set V values between [0.5, 1].
res=image_modify_hsv(img,
  fun_s=list("circle", value=1),
  rescale_v=c(0.5, 1))

---

Modify Only a Subregion of an Image

Description

The function allows you to modify a subregion of your image (or, the opposite, keep the subregion unchanged while modifying other parts). You can set the four sides of the subregion or an irregular polygon by mouse click. If it is irregular, you MUST click in order.

Usage

```r
image_modify_local(
  x, 
  FUN, 
  geometry = "click", 
  local = "local", 
  rectangle = TRUE, 
  trim = FALSE, 
  ...
)
```

Arguments

- **x**: an image read into R by `magick::image_read` or an image modified by functions in the `magick` package.
- **FUN**: the function used to modify `x`. NOTE: the result of `FUN` must be of the same class as `x` and its width and height must not be changed during modification.
- **geometry**: this parameter is different from the one used in package `magick`. Here, in this function, you can set `geometry = "click"` if you want to show which part you want to modify by mouse click (see function `image_crop_click` for how to use mouse click). Otherwise, you can use a length 4 vector with the exact order: left, right, top, bottom.
- **local**: if it is 1 or "local", only a subregion of your image will be modified. If it is 2 or "other", keep the subregion unchanged while modifying other parts. If it is 3 or "subregion", the result is only the modified subregion, not the whole image.
- **rectangle**: if it is TRUE (default), the subregion is a rectangle. If it is FALSE, the subregion can be an irregular polygon designated by your mouse click.
- **trim**: whether to trim the subregion. This is only used when `local` is 3 or "subregion". It helps remove the transparent parts. See `image_crop_click` to know how to use this parameter.
..., extra parameters used by FUN.

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**image_modify_local2**  
*Modify both a Subregion and the Whole of an Image*

**Description**

The function is similar to `image_modify_local` but with different parameters. It modifies both a subregion of the image and the whole image, and then combines them. The subregion can be chosen either by numeric values or by mouse click, which is the same as `image_modify_local`.

**Usage**

```r
image_modify_local2(x, FUN1, FUN2 = NULL, geometry = "click", rectangle = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

- `x`  
an image read into R by `magick::image_read` or an image modified by functions in the magick package.
- `FUN1`  
a function to modify a subregion of `x`. NOTE: the result of these functions must be of the same class as `x` and should not change the sizes of the subregion.
- `FUN2`  
a function to modify the whole image, which must not change the size of the image. If it is NULL (default), nothing will do to the whole image.
- `geometry`  
this parameter is different from the one used in package magick. Here, in this function, you can set `geometry = "click"` if you want to show which part is the subregion by mouse click (see function `image_crop_click` for how to use mouse click). Otherwise, you can use a length 4 vector with the exact order: left, right, top, bottom.
- `rectangle`  
if it is TRUE (default), the subregion is a rectangle area. If it is FALSE, the subregion is an irregular polygon area, and, now `geometry` is ignored, you must designate the area by mouse click.

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**image_modify_rgb**  
*Modify R, G, B Values of an Image*

**Description**

The function modifies the R, G, B values of an image and is used in the same way as `image_modify_hsv` in this package. The three channels can be modified separately. The ways to modify include: setting values to some specified values (`set_*`), adding (`add_*`), multiplying the original values (`mult_*`), rescaling the original values (`rescale_*`), using a function to recomputes values (`fun_*`). The most useful way is to use some internal curves that mimic those PS-like apps.
Usage

```r
image_modify_rgb(
  x,
  set_r = NULL,
  add_r = NULL,
  mult_r = NULL,
  rescale_r = NULL,
  fun_r = NULL,
  set_g = NULL,
  add_g = NULL,
  mult_g = NULL,
  rescale_g = NULL,
  fun_g = NULL,
  set_b = NULL,
  add_b = NULL,
  mult_b = NULL,
  rescale_b = NULL,
  fun_b = NULL,
  result = "magick",
  res = 144
)
```

Arguments

- **x**: an image created by `magick::image_read` or other functions in package `magick`.
- **set_r**: set R values with specific values.
- **add_r**: add specific values to current R values.
- **mult_r**: multiply the current values with specific values.
- **rescale_r**: a length 2 numeric vector specifying the desired range of R values, e.g., `rescale_r = c(180, 240)` which will make the smallest original value to be 180, and the largest, 240. Alternatively, it can be your own scaling function.
- **fun_r**: your own modifying function (e.g., `fun_r = sqrt`). Alternatively, it can be a list that designates how to use internal curves. See `image_modify_hsv`.
- **set_g, add_g, mult_g, rescale_g, fun_g**: parameters to change G values. Used in the same way as those for R. See above.
- **set_b, add_b, mult_b, rescale_b, fun_b**: parameters to change B values. Used in the same way as those for R. See above.
- **result**: the default is "magick", the output is a magick picture. When it is "raster", a matrix is created which can be use as a raster for `ggplot2::annotation_raster`.
- **res**: when the result is a magick picture, the `res` parameter used by `magick::image_graph`. Default is 144.

Details

Several internal curves can be used. Please see the Details part of `image_modify_hsv`.
image_modify_rgb_v

Modify R, G, B Values according to V values

Description

While the `image_modify_rgb` function modifies R, G, B with reference to the original values, `image_modify_rgb_v` also takes into account the brightness (V) values. It is similar to those apps which divide an image into a bright part and a dark part (and, for example, you can increase red in the bright part and decrease red in the dark part.

Usage

```r
image_modify_rgb_v(
  x,
  fun_r = NULL,
  fun_g = NULL,
  fun_b = NULL,
  alpha = FALSE,
  rescale_v = NULL,
  result = "magick",
  res = 144
)
```

Arguments

- **x**: an image created by `magick::image_read` or other functions in package `magick`.
- **fun_r, fun_g, fun_b**: a function or a list which designates an internal curve. See the Details part of `image_modify_hsv`.
- **alpha**: whether to allow the output colors have transparency. Default is FALSE.
- **rescale_v**: You can rescale the V values before modifying colors. A desired range of V values can be given, e.g., `rescale_v = c(0.2, 1)` which will make the smallest original value to be 0.2, and the largest, 1. Alternatively, it can be your own scaling function.
- **result**: the default is "magick", the output is a magick picture. When it is "raster", a matrix is created which can be use as a raster for `ggplot2::annotation_raster`.
- **res**: when the result is a magick picture, the `res` parameter used by `magick::image_graph`. Default is 144.

Details

This function uses custom functions or internal curves to make modification. See the Details part of `image_modify_hsv` to know how to use them. Note: values will be coerced to be in the [0, 255] range with no warning. For example, the original value is 240 and it becomes 280 in the output, then it will be set to 255 automatically.
image_transparent_inverse

*Keep Certain Colors Unchanged and Make Others Transparent*

**Description**

This function is an inverse version of `magick::image_transparent`. While the latter makes certain colors transparent, the former keeps them unchanged and make others transparent.

**Usage**

```r
image_transparent_inverse(x, color, fuzz = 0)
```

**Arguments**

- `x`: a magick image.
- `color`: one or more colors you want to keep unchanged.
- `fuzz`: color tolerance between 0 and 100. Its length must be 1 or the same as `color` (which means you can have different fuzz values for different colors). Suppose your color is white. If fuzz=0, then only white will be kept unchanged; if fuzz=10, colors similar to white will also be kept unchanged.

raster_alpha

*Combine a Matrix of Colors and a Matrix of Alpha Values*

**Description**

The function is a wrapper of `scales::alpha`. While the latter only works on vectors, the former can combine a matrix of colors and a matrix of alpha values as long as the two have the same numbers of rows and columns.

**Usage**

```r
raster_alpha(color, alpha, result = "raster", res = 144)
```

**Arguments**

- `color`: a matrix of colors, a raster or an image read into R by `magick::image_read`.
- `alpha`: either a single value (e.g., 0.4) or a matrix of alpha values. The matrix should have the same numbers of rows and columns as `color`.
- `result`: if it is "raster", the result will be a matrix which can be used by `annotation_raster` (default); if it is "magick", the result is a magick image.
- `res`: the `res` parameter used by `magick::image_graph` when `result` is "magick". Default is 144.
Examples

```r
# A color matrix
colours <- c("red", "yellow", "green", "blue")
colours <- bind_rows(colours, colours, colours)

# An alpha matrix
alphas <- c(1, 0.6, 0.3, 0.1)
alphas <- bind_rows(alphas, alphas, alphas)

# Now combine the two
result <- raster_alpha(colours, alphas)
```

rectxy

Generating Coordinates of Multiple Rectangles

Description

Note: the shapes are correct only when `ggplot2::coord_fixed()` is used.

Usage

```r
rectxy(
x = 0,
y = 0,
a = 1,
b = 1,
angle = 0,
xytype = "middle",
group = TRUE,
todf = TRUE,
checks = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

- **x**: the x coordinates of relative points. Its length can be larger than 1. See `xytype`.
- **y**: the y coordinates of relative points. Its length can be larger than 1. See `xytype`.
- **a**: the side that is parallel to x-axis before rotation. Its length can be larger than 1.
- **b**: the side that is parallel to y-axis before rotation. Its length can be larger than 1.
- **angle**: default is 0. The rotation angle in radian. Note: "radian = degree * pi / 180". Its length can be larger than 1. The rotation direction is anti-clockwise.
- **xytype**: should be one of "middle/center" (default), "bottomleft", "middleleft/centerleft/left". It indicates the type of argument of the middle point of an shape. If it is "middleleft", x and y are the middle-left coordinates before rotation. If it is "bottomleft", x and y are the coordinates of the bottom-left corner.
- **group**: default is TRUE. It indicates whether to add a 3rd column named "g" to label the group number of each group of points. It is useful when using `aes(...group=g)` with `ggplot2`.
todf

default is TRUE. It indicates whether to combine the output (a list) into a data frame.

checks

default is TRUE. It indicates whether to check input validity. Do not turn it off unless you are sure that the input is OK.

Value

if todf = TRUE, the output will be a data frame with coordinates of possibly several polygons, otherwise, it will be a list of data frames. Data frames have 2 columns named "x" and "y", and if group = TRUE, a third column named "g" is added indicating group numbers.

Examples

library(ggplot2)
dat1=rectxy(x=4, y=3, a=2, b=1, angle=0, xytype="bottomleft", todf=TRUE)
dat2=rectxy(x=4, y=3, a=2, b=1, angle=pi/6, xytype="bottomleft", todf=TRUE)
ggplot() + geom_polygon(data=dat1, aes(x=x, y=y), fill="red", alpha=0.3) + geom_polygon(data=dat2, aes(x=x, y=y), fill="blue", alpha=0.3) + coord_fixed()

Description

Simple wrapper of magick::image_resize. See the parameters below.

Usage

resize_to_standard(x, standard = 0.5, what = "all", scale = TRUE)

Arguments

x
the image you want to resize.

standard
either the image whose size is the standard or two ratios. When it specifies two ratios, it should be a numeric vector whose first and second elements are multipliers for width and height. For example, x’s width and height are 100 and 60, and standard = c(0.5, 3), then the result image’s width and height will be 50 and 180. If one of the two number is NA, then the dimension represented by this NA will be modified automatically.

what
this parameter is used only when standard is an image. It specifies the way to resize. When it is "width", let x’s width be the same as standard; whether its height is automatically scaled depends on scale. When it is "height", let x’s height be the same as standard; whether its width is automatically scaled depends on scale. When it is "all" (or "both"), the default, let x’s width and height be the same as standard. When it is two number linked with a "_", it
means resizing a according to b’s width and height multiplied. For example, if it is "3_2" and b’s width and height are 50, 70, then the result’s width and height are 50 * 3 = 150, 70 * 2 = 140. Forms like "_2" or "3_" are also accepted.

scale

Default is TRUE. It is only used when only one of width and height is to be modified. This parameter decides whether the image is automatically scaled.

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**Description**

A2 (output) is the result of rotating A1 (input) around a point. Note: the two shapes look the same (though with different angles) only when `ggplot2::coord_fixed()` is used.

**Usage**

```r
rotatexy(
x,  # the input. It can be a data frame, matrix, tibble object, or a list of these kinds of objects. Each object must have exactly 2 columns and must be numeric without NA. If it has more than 2 columns, only the first 2 columns will be used.
angle = pi/4,  # default is pi/4. The rotation angle in radian. Note: "radian = degree * pi / 180". Its length can be larger than 1. The rotation direction is anti-clockwise.
xmiddle = 0,  # the x coordinates of rotation centers. Its length can be larger than 1.
ymiddle = 0,  # the y coordinates of rotation centers. Its length can be larger than 1.
f = NULL,  # argument passed to `split` to divide a data frame into a list of data frames. It should be a vector whose length is equal to the number of rows of x (if x is a data frame).
group = TRUE,  # default is TRUE. It indicates whether to add a 3rd column named "g" to label the group number of each group of points. It is useful when using `aes(...group=g)` with `ggplot2`.
todf = TRUE,  # default is TRUE. It indicates whether to combine the output (a list) into a data frame.
checks = TRUE)  # default is TRUE. It indicates whether to check input validity. Do not turn it off unless you are sure that the input is OK.
```

**Arguments**

- `x`: the input. It can be a data frame, matrix, tibble object, or a list of these kinds of objects. Each object must have exactly 2 columns and must be numeric without NA. If it has more than 2 columns, only the first 2 columns will be used.
- `angle`: default is pi/4. The rotation angle in radian. Note: "radian = degree * pi / 180". Its length can be larger than 1. The rotation direction is anti-clockwise.
- `xmiddle`: the x coordinates of rotation centers. Its length can be larger than 1.
- `ymiddle`: the y coordinates of rotation centers. Its length can be larger than 1.
- `f`: argument passed to `split` to divide a data frame into a list of data frames. It should be a vector whose length is equal to the number of rows of x (if x is a data frame).
- `group`: default is TRUE. It indicates whether to add a 3rd column named "g" to label the group number of each group of points. It is useful when using `aes(...group=g)` with `ggplot2`.
- `todf`: default is TRUE. It indicates whether to combine the output (a list) into a data frame.
- `checks`: default is TRUE. It indicates whether to check input validity. Do not turn it off unless you are sure that the input is OK.
**Value**

if todf = TRUE, the output will be a data frame with coordinates of possibly several polygons, otherwise, it will be a list of data frames. Data frames have 2 columns named "x" and "y", and if group = TRUE, a third column named "g" is added indicating group numbers.

**Examples**

```r
library(ggplot2)
dat1=data.frame(x=c(0, 4, 4, 0), y=c(0, 0, 2, 2))
dat2=data.frame(x=c(5, 6, 6, 5), y=c(4, 4, 8, 8))
dat3=rotatexy(list(dat1, dat2), angle=c(pi, pi/4), xmiddle=c(0, 5), ymiddle=c(0, 4), todf=TRUE)

ggplot()+
  coord_fixed()+
  geom_polygon(data=dat1, aes(x=x, y=y), fill="red", alpha=0.2)+
  geom_polygon(data=dat2, aes(x=x, y=y), fill="blue", alpha=0.2)+
  geom_polygon(show.legend=FALSE, data=dat3,
               aes(x=x, y=y, group=g, fill=factor(g)), alpha=0.2)
```

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**round_text**

*Converting Numeric Values into Characters with the Same Digits*

**Description**

This simple function is to facilitate something like decimal horizontal adjustment which demands each value has the same digits after the decimal point.

**Usage**

```r
round_text(x, digits = 2, na = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

- `x`: a vector of numeric values.
- `digits`: digits which is to be passed to `round`. It should not be smaller than 0.
- `na`: how to show NAs. The default is to show " NA", however, you can change it to "NA" or simply NA.

**Examples**

```r
v=c(3, 3.1, 3.456, 3.452, 3.77, NA, 0, 10.56332)
res=round_text(v, 2, na=NA)
```
**scale_free**  
*Scale values into a Certain Location*

**Description**
A simple function to put numeric values into a certain interval. Suppose you have 20, 60, 80, 100, and you want them to be in the interval of [0, 1], so you can get 0, 0.5, 0.75, 1.

**Usage**
```
scale_free(
  x,
  left = 0,
  right = 1,
  reverse = FALSE,
  xmin = NULL,
  xmax = NULL,
  na.rm = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**
- **x**: a numeric vector or a numeric matrix, data frame, tibble object.
- **left**: the smallest value of the interval. If `x` has `n` columns, then `left` is expected to be of length `n`. However, if it is shorter, it will be repeated to reach that length.
- **right**: the largest value of the interval. If `x` has `n` columns, then `right` is expected to be of length `n`. However, if it is shorter, it will be repeated to reach that length.
- **reverse**: whether to assign values in a reverse way. Default is `FALSE`. If `x` has `n` columns, then `reverse` is expected to be of length `n`. However, if it is shorter, it will be repeated to reach that length.
- **xmin**: the min value. Default is `NULL`, which means use the min value of `x`. However, sometimes the min value of `x` may not be the true min value. Suppose the two scores of a 100-point test are 59, 87, then the true min score is 0 and the true max score is 100. Thus you must add `xmin = 0`, `xmax = 100`. If `reverse = TRUE` (that is, 0 is better than 100), also add `xmin = 0`, `xmax = 100`.
- **xmax**: the same meaning as `xmin`, but for max value.
- **na.rm**: used by `min` and `max`. Default is `FALSE`.

**Examples**
```
y=scale_free(c(-1, 0, 2))
y=scale_free(c(-1, 0, 2), rev=TRUE)
#
# x is a data frame.
x=data.frame(  
c(-1, 0, 0, 2), c(-1, 0, 0, 2),
```
Create a Shading Raster with a Palette

Description

The function is a simple wrapper of `scales::col_numeric`. The function creates a matrix of colors that can be used to draw a shading rectangle. There are 2 ways to use the function, see the following parameters.

Usage

```r
shading_raster(
  nr = NULL,
  nc = NULL,
  middle = NULL,
  palette = c("blue", "red"),
  mat = NULL,
  FUN = NULL
)
```

Arguments

- **nr**: method 1 to use this function is to use `nr`, `nc`, `middle`. Suppose there is a matrix with `nr` rows and `nc` columns. A cell whose position in the matrix is designated by `middle`. Then, this cell gets the first color of `palette`, and other cells get shading colors according to their distances between them and `middle`. Method 2 to use this function is to use `mat`. The biggest cell gets the first color and other cells get shading colors.

- **nc**: see `nr`.

- **middle**: see `nr`. The parameter should be a length 2 vector designating the row number and column number of a cell.

- **palette**: two or more colors used to make shading colors.

- **mat**: see `nr`.

- **FUN**: the default `NULL` makes the colors distributed in a linear way. However, `FUN` can be a single parameter function which transforms the numeric values, such as `log`, `sqrt`.

```r
c(-2, 0, 2, 4, 6), c(-2, 0, 2, 4, 6)
}
y = scale_free(x,
  left = 0, right = 10,
  reverse = c(FALSE, TRUE, FALSE, TRUE)
}
y = scale_free(x,
  left = c(0, 0, 100, 100), right = c(10, 100, 200, 200),
  reverse = c(FALSE, TRUE, FALSE, TRUE)
}"
Examples

# Use method 1.
r = shading_raster(nr = 31, nc = 60, middle = c(10, 55),
palette = c("darkorange", "red", "purple"))
ggplot()+xlim(0, 8)+ylim(0, 6)+
annotation_raster(r, xmin = -Inf, xmax = Inf,
ymin = -Inf, ymax = Inf, interpolate = TRUE)
# Use method 2.
r = matrix(c(
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8,
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8,
1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1),
nrow = 3, byrow = TRUE)
r = shading_raster(mat = r, palette = c("green", "blue"))

showcolor

Show a Color Palette

Description

Simple function to show colors. NOTE: do not add coord_flip().

Usage

showcolor(x, label_size = 15, ...)

Arguments

x a character vector of colors.
label_size size of text on x-axis to show color names.
... other arguments passed to geom_bar.

Examples

# A palette used by David Hockney
col = c("#833822", "#C03800", "#D3454C",
"#DC6A30", "#F29856", "#FEEF70",
"#A5D56D", "#16D670", "#009332F",
"#03592E", "#04B7B0", "#007BA9",
"#EC46BF", "#6A2C8F"
)
showcolor(co, label_size=10)
Reordering Points to Form a "s" Shape

Description

This is a convenient function to generate points with x and y coordinates (which form a 2-column data.frame). It is much like expand.grid. The points generated by expand.grid always in this "s" order: the bottom line, form left to right, and the second line, from left to right. However, spathxy allows you choose the order you want. See examples.

Usage

spathxy(
  x,
  y,
  first = "right",
  second = "top",
  change_line = FALSE,
  stringsAsFactors = TRUE
)

Arguments

x  a vector of values to be paired with y.
y  a vector of values to be paired with x.
first  the first direction. It may be one of "right", "left", "top", "bottom". Default is "right".
second  the second direction. It may be one of "right", "left", "top", "bottom". Default is "top".
change_line  tail-to-tail or tail-to-head. Default is FALSE which means tail-to-tail. See examples.
stringsAsFactors  to be passed to data.frame.

Value

always a 3-column data frame. Column x and y are coordinates of points; column index contains the index number of points.

Examples

library(ggplot2)
# # dat1 is generated by expand.grid
# Note the difference between dat1 and dat2.
# dat3 is the same as dat1.
Stretching Transformation

Description

A2 (output) is the result of enlarging (or shrinking) A1 (input) in x dimension and y dimension. Note: the two shapes manifest enlarging or shrinking effect only when `ggplot2::coord_fixed()` is used.

Usage

```r
stretchxy(
  x,
  xlarge = 2,
  ylarge = 2,
  f = NULL,
  group = TRUE,
  todf = TRUE,
  checks = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

- **x**: the input. It can be a data frame, matrix, tibble object, or a list of these kinds of objects. Each object must have exactly 2 columns and must be numeric without NA. If it has more than 2 columns, only the first 2 columns will be used.
- **xlarge**: the enlarging extent in x dimension. If it is smaller than 1, the shape will be shrinking.
- **ylarge**: the enlarging extent in y dimension. If it is smaller than 1, the shape will be shrinking.
- **f**: argument passed to `split` to divide a data frame into a list of data frames. It should be a vector whose length is equal to the number of rows of x (if x is a data frame).
- **group**: default is TRUE. It indicates whether to add a 3rd column named "g" to label the group number of each group of points. It is useful when using `aes(...group=g)` with `ggplot2`.
sunshinexy

**todf**
default is TRUE. It indicates whether to combine the output (a list) into a data frame.

**checks**
default is TRUE. It indicates whether to check input validity. Do not turn it off unless you are sure that the input is OK.

**Value**

if todf = TRUE, the output will be a data frame with coordinates of possibly several polygons, otherwise, it will be a list of data frames. Data frames have 2 columns named "x" and "y", and if group = TRUE, a third column named "g" is added indicating group numbers.

**Examples**

library(ggplot2)
dat1=data.frame(x=c(0, 1, 1), y=c(0, 0, 1))
dat2=data.frame(x=c(4, 5, 5, 4), y=c(0, 0, 3, 3))
dat3=stretchxy(list(dat1, dat2), xlarge=3, ylarge=c(3, 2), todf=TRUE)
ggplot()+coord_fixed()+
  geom_polygon(data=dat1, aes(x, y), fill="red", alpha=0.3)+
  geom_polygon(data=dat2, aes(x, y), fill="blue", alpha=0.3)+
  geom_polygon(data=dat3, aes(x, y, fill=g, group=g), fill="blue", alpha=0.3)

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**sunshinexy Generating Lines Which Link One Points to Many**

**Description**

Suppose there is a middle point a, this function simultaneous generates points on lines that start from a to other points.

**Usage**

sunshinexy(
  x = 0,
  y = 0,
  outer = data.frame(1, 1),
  n = 10,
  delete_n = 0,
  distance = FALSE,
  checks = TRUE
)

**Arguments**

x the x coordinate of the middle points. It should be of length 1.
y the y coordinate of the middle points. It should be of length 1.
outer the other points. It can be a data frame, it must have exactly 2 columns and must be numeric without NA.
n default is 10. The number of points per line.
delete_n default is 0. The number of points to be deleted. Suppose a line has p1, p2, p3, p4, p5 points on it with p1 as the starting point. If delete_n is 2, then p1 and p2 will be deleted. Note: n - delete_n must be larger than 1.
distance default is FALSE. If it is TRUE, a column named "distance" is added which indicates the distances from the middle point to other points.
checks default is TRUE. It indicates whether to check input validity. Do not turn it off unless you are sure that the input is OK.

Value
A data frame that has 3 columns. The first and second columns are named "x" and "y", the third column is named "g" indicating group numbers. If distance = TRUE, a fourth column is added which indicates the distances from the middle point to other points.

Examples
library(ggplot2)
p=c(1, 1, 0, -1, -1, -1, 0, 1)
q=c(0, 1, 1, 0, -1, -1, -1, -1)
pq=data.frame(cbind(p, q))
dat=sunshinexy(outer=pq, n=20, delete_n=5, distance=TRUE)
ggplot()+coord_fixed()+theme_void()+
geom_point(data=pq, aes(p, q), size=4)+
geom_line(show.legend=FALSE, data=dat, aes(x, y, group=g, color=distance), size=2)+
scale_color_continuous(low="blue", high="red")

textgif

Simple Text "gif" File

Description
This is a wrapper of functions in package ggfittext and magick. The output is a "gif" with changing texts and colors. Characters are automatically enlarged or shrunk.

Usage
textgif(
text,
text_color = NULL,
bg_color = NULL,
reflow = FALSE,
width = 200,
height = 100,
family = "SimHei",
fontface = 1,
fps = 2,
Arguments

text must be a character vector.
text_color colors of the texts. Its length must be the same as that of text.
bg_color background color of the texts. It should have the same length as text.
reflow default is FALSE. If it is TRUE, ggfittext::geom_fit_text will automatically separate characters into several lines. However, you can separate lines manually by using line break.
width the width of the final gif object. Default is 200. NOTE: how texts are adjusted in the text box depends on the values of width and height.
height the height of the final gif object. Default is 100.
family default is "SimHei" so that Chinese characters can be shown. However, some computers may not be able to use this family. And, this family ignores fontface. For Latin words, the built-in families are "serif", "sans" and "mono", and more can be found by typing "?Hershey".
fontface 1 (default) for plain, 2 for bold, 3 for italic, 4 for bold italic.
fps the larger the faster. It should be a factor of 100, say, 2 (default), 4, 5, 10, rather than 3, 6, 7.
output if it is NULL (default), an object is created. Otherwise, object will not only be created but also be saved with a file name (".gif") represented by this argument.
... extra arguments used by ggfittext::geom_fit_text, e.g., angle (0 to 360), lineheight.

Examples

mytext=c("AAA", "BBB", "CCC")
color1=c("orange", "red", "white")
color2=c("black", "blue", "green")
g1=textgif(mytext, text_color=color1, bg_color=color2, width=180, height=120, fps=2, family="serif")
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