Package ‘tensorflow’

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**Description**  Interface to 'TensorFlow' [https://www.tensorflow.org/], an open source software library for numerical computation using data flow graphs. Nodes in the graph represent mathematical operations, while the graph edges represent the multidimensional data arrays (tensors) communicated between them. The flexible architecture allows you to deploy computation to one or more 'CPUs' or 'GPUs' in a desktop, server, or mobile device with a single 'API'. 'TensorFlow' was originally developed by researchers and engineers working on the Google Brain Team within Google's Machine Intelligence research organization for the purposes of conducting machine learning and deep neural networks research, but the system is general enough to be applicable in a wide variety of other domains as well.

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Description

This function returns an object that can be used when subsetting tensors with [. If you are familiar with python, this is equivalent to the python Ellipsis ..., (not to be confused with ... in R).

Usage

all_dims()
## Examples

```r
# Not run:
# in python, if x is a numpy array or tensorflow tensor
x[..., i]
# the ellipsis means "expand to match number of dimension of x".
# to translate the above python expression to R, write:
x[all_dims(), i]
```

## Description

Coerce objects to tensorflow tensors (potentially of a specific dtype). The provided default methods will call `tf.convert_to_tensor` and `tf.cast` as appropriate.

## Usage

```r
as_tensor(x, dtype = NULL, ..., name = NULL)
```

## Default S3 method:

```r
as_tensor(x, dtype = NULL, ..., shape = NULL, name = NULL)
```

## S3 method for class 'double'

```r
as_tensor(x, dtype = NULL, ..., name = NULL)
```

### Arguments

- **x**: object to convert
- **dtype**: NULL, a tensorflow dtype (`tf$int32`), or something coercible to one (e.g. a string "int32")
- **...**: ignored
- **name**: NULL or a string. Useful for debugging in graph mode, ignored while in eager mode.
- **shape**: an integer vector, tensor, or `tf.TensorShape`. Can contain up to 1 unspecified dimension, encoded as a `-1` or `NA`. This will reshape `x` using row-major (C-style) semantics. It will prefer reshaping using non-graph operations if possible, but will otherwise invoke `tf$reshape()`. If `x` is a scalar and the requested shape is fully defined or a tensor, the value of `x` will be recycled to fill a tensor of the requested shape (it will dispatch to `tf$fill()`).

### Value

A tensorflow tensor
### Examples

```r
## Not run:
as_tensor(42, "int32")
as_tensor(as_tensor(42))

## End(Not run)
```

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#### `evaluate`  
**Evaluate a Model**

**Description**

Evaluate a model object. See implementations in the keras and tfestimators packages.

**Usage**

```r
evaluate(object, ...)
```

**Arguments**

- `object`  
  An evaluable \texttt{R} object.

- `...`  
  Optional arguments passed on to implementing methods.

**Implementations**

- keras
- tfestimators

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#### `export_savedmodel`  
**Export a Saved Model**

**Description**

Serialize a model to disk. See implementations in the keras and tfestimators packages.

**Usage**

```r
export_savedmodel(object, export_dir_base, ...)
```

**Arguments**

- `object`  
  An \texttt{R} object.

- `export_dir_base`  
  A string containing a directory in which to export the SavedModel.

- `...`  
  Optional arguments passed on to implementing methods.
Value

The path to the exported directory, as a string.

Implementations

- keras
- tfestimators

install_tensorflow

Install TensorFlow and its dependencies

Description

install_tensorflow() installs just the tensorflow python package and it’s direct dependencies.
For a more complete installation that includes additional optional dependencies, use keras::install_keras().

Usage

install_tensorflow(
  method = c("auto", "virtualenv", "conda"),
  conda = "auto",
  version = "default",
  envname = NULL,
  extra_packages = NULL,
  restart_session = TRUE,
  conda_python_version = NULL,
  ...,
  pip_ignore_installed = TRUE,
  python_version = conda_python_version
)

Arguments

method Installation method. By default, "auto" automatically finds a method that will work in the local environment. Change the default to force a specific installation method. Note that the "virtualenv" method is not available on Windows.

conda The path to a conda executable. Use "auto" to allow reticulate to automatically find an appropriate conda binary. See Finding Conda and conda_binary() for more details.

version TensorFlow version to install. Valid values include:

- "default" installs 2.8
- "release" installs the latest release version of tensorflow (which may be incompatible with the current version of the R package)
- A version specification like "2.4" or "2.4.0". Note that if the patch version is not supplied, the latest patch release is installed (e.g., "2.4" today installs version "2.4.2")
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• nightly for the latest available nightly build.
• To any specification, you can append "-cpu" to install the cpu version only of the package (e.g., "2.4-cpu")
• The full URL or path to a installer binary or python *.whl file.

envname
The name, or full path, of the environment in which Python packages are to be installed. When NULL (the default), the active environment as set by the RETICULATE_PYTHON_ENV variable will be used; if that is unset, then the r-reticulate environment will be used.

extra_packages
Additional Python packages to install along with TensorFlow.

restart_session
Restart R session after installing (note this will only occur within RStudio).

... other arguments passed to reticulate::conda_install() or reticulate::virtualenv_install(), depending on the method used.

pip_ignore_installed
Whether pip should ignore installed python packages and reinstall all already installed python packages. This defaults to TRUE, to ensure that TensorFlow dependencies like NumPy are compatible with the prebuilt TensorFlow binaries.

python_version, conda_python_version
Pass a string like "3.8" to request that conda install a specific Python version. This is ignored when attempting to install in a Python virtual environment. Note that the Python version must be compatible with the requested Tensorflow version, documented here: https://www.tensorflow.org/install/pip#system-requirements

Details
You may be prompted you if you want it to download and install miniconda if reticulate did not find a non-system installation of python. Miniconda is the recommended installation method for most users, as it ensures that the R python installation is isolated from other python installations. All python packages will by default be installed into a self-contained conda or venv environment named "r-reticulate". Note that "conda" is the only supported method on Windows.

If you initially declined the miniconda installation prompt, you can later manually install miniconda by running reticulate::install_miniconda().

Custom Installation

install_tensorflow() or keras::install_keras() isn't required to use tensorflow with the package. If you manually configure a python environment with the required dependencies, you can tell R to use it by pointing reticulate at it, commonly by setting an environment variable:

Sys.setenv("RETICULATE_PYTHON" = "~/path/to/python-env/bin/python")

Apple Silicon
Tensorflow on Apple Silicon is not officially supported by the Tensorflow maintainers. However Apple has published a custom version of Tensorflow compatible with Arm Macs. install_tensorflow() will install the special packages tensorflow-macos and tensorflow-metal on Arm Macs. See https://developer.apple.com/metal/tensorflow-plugin/ for instructions on how to do the
equivalent manually. Please note that this is an experimental build of both Python and Tensorflow, with known issues. In particular, certain operations will cause errors, but can often be remedied by pinning them to the CPU. For example:

```r
x <- array(runif(64*64), c(1, 64, 64))
keras::layer_random_rotation(x, .5) # Error:
# No registered 'RngReadAndSkip' OpKernel for 'GPU' devices
# Pin the operation to the CPU to avoid the error
with(tf$device("CPU"), keras::layer_random_rotation(x, .5) ) # No Error
```

**Additional Packages**

If you wish to add additional PyPI packages to your Keras / TensorFlow environment you can either specify the packages in the `extra_packages` argument of `install_tensorflow()` or `install_keras()`, or alternatively install them into an existing environment using the `reticulate::py_install()` function. Note that `install_keras()` includes a set of additional python packages by default, see `?keras::install_keras` for details.

**See Also**

`keras::install_keras()`

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install_tensorflow_extras

*(Defunct) Install additional Python packages alongside TensorFlow*

**Description**

This function is deprecated. Use the `extra_packages` argument to `install_tensorflow()` or `reticulate::py_install()` to install additional packages.

**Usage**

`install_tensorflow_extras(packages, conda = "auto")`

**Arguments**

- **packages**: Python packages to install
- **conda**: Path to conda executable (or "auto" to find conda using the PATH and other conventional install locations). Only used when TensorFlow is installed within a conda environment.
parse_arguments  Parse Command Line Arguments

Description
Parse command line arguments of the form --key=value and --key value. The values are assumed to be valid yaml and will be converted using `yaml.load()`.

Usage
parse_arguments(arguments = NULL)

Arguments
arguments  A vector of command line arguments. When NULL (the default), the command line arguments received by the current R process are used.

parse_flags  Parse Configuration Flags for a TensorFlow Application

Description
Parse configuration flags for a TensorFlow application. Use this to parse and unify the configuration(s) specified through a flags.yml configuration file, alongside other arguments set through the command line.

Usage
parse_flags(
  config = Sys.getenv("R_CONFIG_ACTIVE", unset = "default"),
  file = "flags.yml",
  arguments = commandArgs(TRUE)
)

Arguments
config  The configuration to use. Defaults to the active configuration for the current environment (as specified by the R_CONFIG_ACTIVE environment variable), or default when unset.
file  The configuration file to read.
arguments  The command line arguments (as a character vector) to be parsed.

Value
A named R list, mapping configuration keys to values.
Examples

```r
## Not run:
# examine an example configuration file provided by tensorflow
file <- system.file("examples/config/flags.yml", package = "tensorflow")
cat(readLines(file), sep = "\n")

# read the default configuration
FLAGS <- tensorflow::parse_flags("default", file = file)
str(FLAGS)

# read the alternate configuration: note that
# the default configuration is inherited, but
# we override the 'string' configuration here
FLAGS <- tensorflow::parse_flags("alternate", file = file)
str(FLAGS)

# override configuration values using command
# line arguments (normally, these would be
# passed in through the command line invocation
# used to start the process)
FLAGS <- tensorflow::parse_flags("alternate",
  file = file,
  arguments = c("--foo=1")
)
str(FLAGS)

## End(Not run)
```

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**set_random_seed**

Set random seed for TensorFlow

**Description**

Sets all random seeds needed to make TensorFlow code reproducible.

**Usage**

```r
set_random_seed(seed, disable_gpu = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

- **seed**: A single value, interpreted as an integer
- **disable_gpu**: TRUE to disable GPU execution (see Parallelism below).
Details
This function should be used instead of use_session_with_seed() if you are using TensorFlow >= 2.0, as the concept of session doesn’t really make sense anymore.

This functions sets:

- The R random seed with set.seed().
- The python and Numpy seeds via (reticulate::py_set_seed()).
- The TensorFlow seed with (tf$random$set_seed())

It also optionally disables the GPU execution as this is a potential source of non-reproducibility.

Description
Create a tf.TensorShape object

Usage
shape(..., dims = list(...))

Arguments
... Tensor dimensions as integers or NULL for an unknown dimensions. NA and -1 are synonyms for NULL.
dims Tensor dimensions as a vector.

See Also
https://www.tensorflow.org/api_docs/python/tf/TensorShape

Examples
## Not run:
## --- construct ---
shape() # tf.TensorShape() # scalar
shape(NULL) # tf.TensorShape([None]) # 1-D array of unknown length
shape(NA) # tf.TensorShape([None]) # 1-D array of unknown length, NA is a synonym for NULL
shape(dims = NULL) # TensorShape(None) # Unknown rank, unknown size
shape(3, 4) # TensorShape([3, 4]) # 2-D array (matrix) with 3 rows, 4 columns
shape(NA, 4) # TensorShape([None, 4]) # 2-D array (matrix) with unknown rows, 4 columns
shape(dims = c(NA, 4)) # TensorShape([None, 4]) # same as above; bypass ... and pass dims directly

## --- inspect ---
length(shape(dims = NULL)) # NA_integer_
length(shape(1,2,3,NA)) # 4L

# ---convert---
x <- shape(dims = list(3L, 5L))
as.list(x) # list(3L, 5L)
as.integer(x) # c(3L, 5L)
as.numeric(x) # c(3, 5)
as.double(x) # c(3, 5) # alias for as.numeric
as_tensor(x) # tf.Tensor([3 5], shape=(2,), dtype=int32)

# convert partially undefined shapes
x <- shape(NA, 3)
as.list(x) # list(NULL, 3L)
as.integer(x) # c(NA, 3L)
as_tensor(x) # tf.Tensor([-1 3], shape=(2,), dtype=int32) # unspecified dims default is -1

# as_tensor() converts undefined dimensions to -1, which is useful for
# tf functions that only accept tensors for shapes, e.g,
tf$reshape(tf$zeros(shape(8)),
as_tensor(shape(NA, 4)))
# tf.Tensor([[0. 0. 0. 0.]
# [0. 0. 0. 0.]], shape=(2, 4), dtype=float32)

# converting fully unknown shapes raises an error
try(as.list(shape(dims = NULL))) # ValueError: as_list() is not defined on an unknown TensorShape.

# test for rank first if this a concern:
as.list_or_null <- function(x) if(is.na(length(x))) NULL else as.list(x)
as.list_or_null(shape(dims = NULL))

# ---compare---
# Fully known shapes return TRUE if and only if each element is equal
shape(3, 4) == shape(3, 4) # TRUE
shape(3, 4) == shape(4, 4) # FALSE

# Partially-known shapes always return FALSE
shape(NA, 4) == shape(NA, 4) # FALSE
shape(NA, 4) == shape(3, 4) # FALSE

# Two unknown shapes, return TRUE
shape(dims = NULL) == shape(dims = NULL) # TRUE

# Comparing an unknown shape to a partially or fully defined shape returns FALSE
shape(dims = NULL) == shape(NULL) # FALSE
shape(dims = NULL) == shape(4) # FALSE

# != is mostly the inverse of ==, with one difference:
# it raises an error when comparing a fully unknown shapes
try(shape(dims = NULL) != shape(dims = NULL)) # ValueError: The inequality of unknown TensorShapes is undefined.
try(shape(dims = NULL) != shape(4)) # ValueError: The inequality of unknown TensorShapes is undefined.
# --- extract or replace ---
# regular R-list semantics for ``, `[[`, `[['`, `[<->`, `[[<-

```r
x <- shape(1, 2, 3)
x[1]    # TensorShape([1])
x[[1]]  # 1L
x[2:3]  # TensorShape([2, 3])
x[-1]   # TensorShape([2, 3])

x[1] <- 11  ; x # TensorShape([11, 2, 3])
x[1] <- shape(11) ; x # TensorShape([11, 2, 3])
x[1] <- list(11) ; x # TensorShape([11, 2, 3])

x[[1]] <- 22  ; x # TensorShape([22, 2, 3])
x[1:2] <- c(NA, 99) ; x # TensorShape([None, 99, 3])
x[1:2] <- shape(33, 44) ; x # TensorShape([33, 44, 3])
```

# --- concatenate ---
c(shape(1), shape(2, 3), shape(4, NA)) # TensorShape([1, 2, 3, 4, None])

# --- merge ---
merge(shape(NA, 2),
     shape(1, 2)) # TensorShape([1, 2])

try(merge(shape(2, 2),
          shape(1, 2))) # ValueError: Shapes (2, 2) and (1, 2) are not compatible

rm(x) # cleanup

## End(Not run)

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### Description

TensorBoard is a tool inspecting and understanding your TensorFlow runs and graphs.

### Usage

```r
tensorboard(
  log_dir,
  action = c("start", "stop"),
  host = "127.0.0.1",
  port = "auto",
  launch_browser = getOption("tensorflow.tensorboard.browser", interactive()),
  reload_interval = 5,
  purge_orphaned_data = TRUE
)
```
Arguments

log_dir  
Directories to scan for training logs. If this is a named character vector then the specified names will be used as aliases within TensorBoard.

action  
Specify whether to start or stop TensorBoard (TensorBoard will be stopped automatically when the R session from which it is launched is terminated).

host  
Host for serving TensorBoard

port  
Port for serving TensorBoard. If "auto" is specified (the default) then an unused port will be chosen automatically.

launch_browser  
Open a web browser for TensorBoard after launching. Defaults to TRUE in interactive sessions. When running under RStudio uses an RStudio window by default (pass a function e.g. `utils::browseURL()` to open in an external browser). Use the `tensorflow.tensorboard.browser` option to establish a global default behavior.

reload_interval  
How often the backend should load more data.

purge_orphaned_data  
Whether to purge data that may have been orphaned due to TensorBoard restarts. Disabling purge_orphaned_data can be used to debug data disappearance.

Details

When TensorBoard is passed a logdir at startup, it recursively walks the directory tree rooted at logdir looking for subdirectories that contain tfevents data. Every time it encounters such a subdirectory, it loads it as a new run, and the frontend will organize the data accordingly.

The TensorBoard process will be automatically destroyed when the R session in which it is launched exits. You can pass `action = "stop"` to manually terminate TensorBoard.

Value

URL for browsing TensorBoard (invisibly).

description

TensorFlow is an open source software library for numerical computation using data flow graphs. Nodes in the graph represent mathematical operations, while the graph edges represent the multi-dimensional data arrays (tensors) communicated between them. The flexible architecture allows you to deploy computation to one or more CPUs or GPUs in a desktop, server, or mobile device with a single API.
Details

The TensorFlow API is composed of a set of Python modules that enable constructing and executing TensorFlow graphs. The tensorflow package provides access to the complete TensorFlow API from within R.

For additional documentation on the tensorflow package see https://tensorflow.rstudio.com

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### tf

**Main TensorFlow module**

**Description**

Interface to main TensorFlow module. Provides access to top level classes and functions as well as sub-modules (e.g. tf$nn, tf$contrib$learn, etc.).

**Usage**

tf

**Format**

TensorFlow module

**Examples**

```r
## Not run:
library(tensorflow)

hello <- tf$constant('Hello, TensorFlow!')
zeros <- tf$Variable(tf$zeros(shape(1L)))

tf$print(hello)
tf$print(zeros)
## End(Not run)
```

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### tfe_enable_eager_execution

*(Deprecated)* Enables, for the rest of the lifetime of this program, eager execution.

**Description**

This function is no longer needed since Tensorflow 2.0, when eager execution became the default.
tf_enable_eager_execution

Usage

tfe_enable_eager_execution(
  config = NULL,
  device_policy = c("explicit", "warn", "silent")
)

Arguments

  config  (Optional) A tf$ConfigProto() protocol buffer with configuration options for
           the Context. Note that a lot of these options may be currently unimplemented or
           irrelevant when eager execution is enabled.

  device_policy  (Optional) What policy to use when trying to run an operation on a device with
                 inputs which are not on that device. Valid values: "explicit": raises an error if the
                 placement is not correct. "warn": copies the tensors which are not on the right
                 device but raises a warning. "silent": silently copies the tensors. This might hide
                 performance problems.

Details

  If not called immediately on startup risks creating breakage and bugs.

  After eager execution is enabled, operations are executed as they are defined and tensors hold
  concrete values, and can be accessed as R matrices or arrays with as.matrix(), as.array(),
  as.double(), etc.

Examples

  ## Not run:
  
  # load tensorflow and enable eager execution
  library(tensorflow)
  tfe_enable_eager_execution()
  
  # create a random 10x10 matrix
  x <- tf$random$normal(shape(10, 10))
  
  # use it in R via as.matrix()
  heatmap(as.matrix(x))
  
  ## End(Not run)

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Tensor extract options

Description

  Tensor extract options
tf_extract_opts

Usage

```r
tf_extract_opts(
  style = getOption("tensorflow.extract.style"),
  ..., 
  one_based = getOption("tensorflow.extract.one_based", TRUE),
  inclusive_stop = getOption("tensorflow.extract.inclusive_stop", TRUE),
  disallow_out_of_bounds = getOption("tensorflow.extract.disallow_out_of_bounds", TRUE),
  warn_tensors_passed_asis = getOption("tensorflow.extract.warn_tensors_passed_asis", TRUE),
  warn_negatives_pythonic = getOption("tensorflow.extract.warn_negatives_pythonic", TRUE)
)
)
```

Arguments

- `style`: one of NULL (the default) "R" or "python". If supplied, this overrides all other options. "python" is equivalent to all the other arguments being FALSE. "R" is equivalent to `warn_tensors_passed_asis` and `warn_negatives_pythonic` set to FALSE
- ... ignored
- `one_based`: TRUE or FALSE, if one-based indexing should be used
- `inclusive_stop`: TRUE or FALSE, if slices like `start:stop` should be inclusive of stop
- `disallow_out_of_bounds`: TRUE or FALSE, whether checks are performed on the slicing index to ensure it is within bounds.
- `warn_tensors_passed_asis`: TRUE or FALSE, whether to emit a warning the first time a tensor is supplied to `[` that tensors are passed as-is, with no R to python translation
- `warn_negatives_pythonic`: TRUE or FALSE, whether to emit a warning the first time a negative number is supplied to `[` about the non-standard (python-style) interpretation

Value

an object with class "tf_extract_opts", suitable for passing to `tensorflow.tensor()`

Examples

```r
## Not run:
x <- tf$constant(1:10)

opts <- tf_extract_opts("R")
x[1, options = opts]

# or for more fine-grained control
opts <- tf_extract_opts(
  one_based = FALSE,
)```
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```r
warn_tensors_passed_asis = FALSE,
warn_negatives_pythonic = FALSE
)
x[0:2, options = opts]
## End(Not run)
```

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**tf_function**

Creates a callable TensorFlow graph from an R function.

### Description

tf_function constructs a callable that executes a TensorFlow graph created by tracing the TensorFlow operations in `f`. This allows the TensorFlow runtime to apply optimizations and exploit parallelism in the computation defined by `f`.

### Usage

```r
tf_function(f, input_signature = NULL, autograph = TRUE, ...)
```

### Arguments

- **f**: the function to be compiled
- **input_signature**: A possibly nested sequence of `tf$TensorSpec` objects specifying the shapes and dtypes of the tensors that will be supplied to this function. If `NULL`, a separate function is instantiated for each inferred input signature. If `input_signature` is specified, every input to `f` must be a tensor.
- **autograph**: TRUE or FALSE. If TRUE (the default), you can use tensors in R control flow expressions if, while, for and break and they will be traced into the tensorflow graph. A guide to getting started and additional details can be found: [here](#)
- **...**: additional arguments passed on to `tf.function` (vary based on Tensorflow version). See [here](#) for details.

### Details

A guide to getting started with `tf.function` can be found [here](#).
tf_probability  TensorFlow Probability Module

Description
TensorFlow Probability Module

Usage
tf_probability()

Value
Reference to TensorFlow Probability functions and classes

Examples
## Not run:
library(tensorflow)
tfp <- tf_probability()
tfp$distributions$Normal(loc=0, scale=1)
## End(Not run)

train  Train a Model

Description
Train a model object. See implementation in the tfestimators package.

Usage
train(object, ...)

Arguments
object  A trainable R object.
...
Optional arguments passed on to implementing methods.

Implementations
• tfestimators
train_and_evaluate  Simultaneously Train and Evaluate a Model

Description
Train and evaluate a model object. See implementation in the tfestimators package.

Usage

```r
train_and_evaluate(object, ...)
```

Arguments

- `object`: An R object.
- `...`: Optional arguments passed on to implementing methods.

Implementations

- `tfestimators`

use_compat  Use Compatibility

Description
Enables TensorFlow to run under a different API version for compatibility with previous versions. For instance, this is useful to run TensorFlow 1.x code when using TensorFlow 2.x.

Usage

```r
use_compat(version = c("v1", "v2"))
```

Arguments

- `version`: The version to activate. Must be "v1" or "v2".

Examples

```r
## Not run:
library(tensorflow)
use_compat("v1")

## End(Not run)
```
use_session_with_seed  Use a session with a random seed

Description

Set various random seeds required to ensure reproducible results. The provided seed value will establish a new random seed for R, Python, NumPy, and TensorFlow. GPU computations and CPU parallelism will also be disabled by default.

Usage

use_session_with_seed(
  seed,
  disable_gpu = TRUE,
  disable_parallel_cpu = TRUE,
  quiet = FALSE
)

Arguments

- **seed**: A single value, interpreted as an integer
- **disable_gpu**: TRUE to disable GPU execution (see Parallelism below).
- **disable_parallel_cpu**: TRUE to disable CPU parallelism (see Parallelism below).
- **quiet**: TRUE to suppress printing of messages.

Details

This function must be called at the very top of your script (i.e. immediately after library(tensorflow), library(keras), etc.). Any existing TensorFlow session is torn down via tf$reset_default_graph().

This function takes all measures known to promote reproducible results from TensorFlow sessions, however it’s possible that various individual TensorFlow features or dependent libraries escape its effects. If you encounter non-reproducible results please investigate the possible sources of the problem, contributions via pull request are very welcome!

Packages which need to be notified before and after the seed is set can register for the "tensorflow.on_before_use_session" and "tensorflow.on_use_session" hooks (see setHook() for additional details on hooks).

Value

TensorFlow session object, invisibly

Parallelism

By default the use_session_with_seed() function disables GPU and CPU parallelism, since both can result in non-deterministic execution patterns (see https://stackoverflow.com/questions/42022950/). You can optionally enable GPU or CPU parallelism by setting the disable_gpu and/or disable_parallel_cpu parameters to FALSE.
Examples

```
## Not run:
library(tensorflow)
use_session_with_seed(42)

## End(Not run)
```

view_savedmodel  View a Saved Model

Description

View a serialized model from disk.

Usage

`view_savedmodel(model_dir)`

Arguments

- `model_dir` The path to the exported model, as a string.

Value

URL for browsing TensorBoard (invisibly).

[.tensorflow.tensor  Subset tensors with [

Description

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Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'tensorflow.tensor'

x[
  ..., 
  drop = TRUE, 
  style = getOption("tensorflow.extract.style"), 
  options = tf_extract_opts(style)
]```
Arguments

- **x** Tensorflow tensor
- **drop** whether to drop scalar dimensions
- **style** One of "python" or "R".
- **options** An object returned by tf_extract_opts()

Examples

```r
## Not run:

x <- as_tensor(array(1:15, dim = c(3, 5)))
x
# by default, numerics supplied to [...] are interpreted R style
x[,1]  # first column
x[1:2,] # first two rows
x[,1, drop = FALSE] # 1 column matrix

# strided steps can be specified in R syntax or python syntax
x[, seq(1, 5, by = 2)]
x[, 1:5:2]
# if you are unfamiliar with python-style strided steps, see:

# missing arguments for python syntax are valid, but they must by backticked
# or supplied as NULL
x[, ':2']
x[, NULL:NULL:2]
x[, '2:']

# all_dims() expands to the shape of the tensor
# (equivalent to a python ellipsis `...`)
# (not to be confused with R dots `...`)  
y <- as_tensor(array(1:(3^5), dim = c(3,3,3,3,3)))
all.equal(y[all_dims()],
          y[, , , , 1])

# tf$newaxis are valid (equivalent to a NULL)
x[, , tf$newaxis]
x[, , NULL]

# negative numbers are always interpreted python style
# The first time a negative number is supplied to `['`, a warning is issued
# about the non-standard behavior.
x[-1,] # last row, with a warning
x[-1,] # the warning is only issued once

# specifying `style = 'python'` changes the following:
# + zero-based indexing is used
# + slice sequences in the form of `start:stop` do not include `stop`
# + in the returned value
# + out-of-bounds indices in a slice are valid

# The style argument can be supplied to individual calls of `['` or set
# as a global option

# example of zero based indexing
x[0, , style = 'python']  # first row
x[1, , style = 'python']  # second row

# example of slices with exclusive stop
options(tensorflow.extract.style = 'python')
x[, 0:1]  # just the first column
x[, 0:2]  # first and second column

# example of out-of-bounds index
x[, 0:10]
options(tensorflow.extract.style = NULL)

# slicing with tensors is valid too, but note, tensors are never
# translated and are always interpreted python-style.
# A warning is issued the first time a tensor is passed to `['`
x[, tf$constant(0L):tf$constant(2L)]  # just as in python, only scalar tensors are valid
# https://www.tensorflow.org/api_docs/python/tf/Tensor#__getitem__

# To silence the warnings about tensors being passed as-is and negative numbers
# being interpreted python-style, set
options(tensorflow.extract.style = 'R')

# clean up from examples
options(tensorflow.extract.style = NULL)

## End(Not run)
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