Package ‘fauxnaif’

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faux_census  
A small sample of a fabricated census-like dataset

Description

A dataset containing fake demographic data, used in the fauxnaif vignette.

Usage

faux_census

Format

A tibble with 20 rows and 6 variables.

Source

Fabricated

na_if_in  
Convert values to NA

Description

This is a replacement for dplyr::na_if(). It is useful if you want to convert annoying values to NA. Unlike dplyr::na_if(), this function allows you to specify multiple values to be replaced with NA at the same time.

- na_if_in() replaces values that match its arguments with NA.
- na_if_not() replaces values that do not match its arguments with NA.

Usage

na_if_in(x, ...)

na_if_not(x, ...)

Arguments

x  
Vector to modify

...  
Values to replace with NA, specified as either:

- An object, vector of objects, or list of objects.
- A function (including a purrr-style lambda function) that returns a logical vector of the same length as x. See section "Formulas" for more details.
Value

A modified version of \( x \) with selected values replaced with NA.

Formulas

These functions accept one-sided formulas that can evaluate to logical vectors of the same length as \( x \). The input is represented in these conditional statements as ".". Valid formulas take the form ~.

See Also

dplyr::na_if() to replace a single value with NA.
dplyr::coalesce() to replace missing values with a specified value.
tidyr::replace_na() to replace NA with a value.
dplyr::recode() and dplyr::case_when() to more generally replace values.

Examples

```r
x <- sample(c(1:5, 99))
# We can replace 99...
# ... explicitly
na_if_in(x, 99)
# ... by specifying values to keep
na_if_not(x, 1:5)
# ... or by using a formula
na_if_in(x, ~ . > 5)

messy_string <- c("abc", ",", "def", "NA", "ghi", 42, "jkl", "NULL", "mno")
# We can replace unwanted values...
# ... one at a time
clean_string <- na_if_in(messy_string, ",")
clean_string <- na_if_in(clean_string, "NA")
clean_string <- na_if_in(clean_string, 42)
clean_string <- na_if_in(clean_string, "NULL")
clean_string
# ... or all at once
na_if_in(messy_string, ",", "NA", "NULL", 1:100)
na_if_in(messy_string, c(\\"","NA","NULL",1:100))
na_if_in(messy_string, list(\\"","NA","NULL",1:100))
# ... or using a clever formula
grepl("[a-z]{3,}\", messy_string)
na_if_not(messy_string, ~ grepl("[a-z]{3,}\", .))

# na_if_in() is particularly useful inside dplyr::mutate
library(dplyr)
faux_census %>%
  mutate(
    state = na_if_in(state, "Canada"),
    age = na_if_in(age, ~ . < 18, ~ . > 120)
  )
```
# This function handles vector values differently than dplyr, and returns a different result with vector replacement values:
na_if_in(1:5, 5:1)
dplyr::na_if(1:5, 5:1)
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