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flexdashboard-package  flexdashboard: Interactive dashboards for R

Description

Create interactive dashboards using rmarkdown.

Details

- Use R Markdown to publish a group of related data visualizations as a dashboard.
- Ideal for publishing interactive JavaScript visualizations based on htmlwidgets (also works with standard base, lattice, and grid graphics).
- Flexible and easy to specify layouts. Charts are intelligently re-sized to fill the browser and adapted for display on mobile devices.
- Optionally use Shiny to drive visualizations dynamically.

See the flexdashboard website for additional documentation: https://pkgs.rstudio.com/flexdashboard/
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Useful links:

- https://pkgs.rstudio.com/flexdashboard/
- https://github.com/rstudio/flexdashboard/
- Report bugs at https://github.com/rstudio/flexdashboard/issues
Description

Format for converting an R Markdown document to a grid oriented dashboard layout. The dashboard flexibly adapts the size of its plots and htmlwidgets to its containing web page.

Usage

```r
flex_dashboard(
  fig_width = 6,
  fig_height = 4.8,
  fig_retina = 2,
  fig_mobile = TRUE,
  dev = "png",
  self_contained = TRUE,
  favicon = NULL,
  logo = NULL,
  social = NULL,
  source_code = NULL,
  navbar = NULL,
  orientation = c("columns", "rows"),
  vertical_layout = c("fill", "scroll"),
  storyboard = FALSE,
  theme = "default",
  highlight = "default",
  mathjax = "default",
  extra_dependencies = NULL,
  css = NULL,
  includes = NULL,
  lib_dir = NULL,
  md_extensions = NULL,
  pandoc_args = NULL,
  devel = FALSE,
  resize_reload = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

- `fig_width` Default width (in inches) for figures
- `fig_height` Default height (in inches) for figures
- `fig_retina` Scaling to perform for retina displays (defaults to 2). Note that for flexdashboard enabling retina scaling provides for both crisper graphics on retina screens but also much higher quality auto-scaling of R graphics within flexdashboard containers.
**fig_mobile** Create an additional rendering of each R graphics figure optimized for rendering on mobile devices oriented in portrait mode. If **TRUE**, creates a figure which is 3.75 x 4.80 inches wide; if **FALSE**, create no additional figure for mobile devices; if a numeric vector of length 2, creates a mobile figure with the specified width and height.

**dev** Graphics device to use for figure output (defaults to png)

**self_contained** Produce a standalone HTML file with no external dependencies, using data: URLs to incorporate the contents of linked scripts, stylesheets, images, and videos. Note that even for self contained documents MathJax is still loaded externally (this is necessary because of its size).

**favicon** Path to graphic to be used as a favicon for the dashboard. Pass NULL to use no favicon.

**logo** Path to graphic to be used as a logo for the dashboard. Pass NULL to not include a logo. Note that no scaling is performed on the logo image, so it should fit exactly within the dimensions of the navigation bar (48 pixels high for the default "cosmo" theme, other themes may have slightly different navigation bar heights).

**social** Specify a character vector of social sharing services to automatically add sharing links for them on the navbar. Valid values are "twitter", "facebook", "linkedin", and "pinterest" (more than one service can be specified).

**source_code** URL for source code of dashboard (used primarily for publishing flexdashboard examples). Automatically creates a navbar item which links to the source code.

**navbar** Optional list of elements to be placed on the flexdashboard navigation bar. Each element should be a list containing a `title` and/or `icon` field, an `href` field. Optional fields `target` (e.g. "_blank") and align ("left" or "right") are also supported.

**orientation** Determines whether level 2 headings are treated as dashboard rows or dashboard columns.

**vertical_layout** Vertical layout behavior: "fill" to vertically resize charts so they completely fill the page; "scroll" to layout charts at their natural height, scrolling the page if necessary.

**storyboard** **TRUE** to use a storyboard layout scheme that places each dashboard component in a navigable storyboard frame. When a storyboard layout is used the `orientation` and `vertical_layout` arguments are ignored. When creating a dashboard with multiple pages you should apply the `.storyboard` attribute to individual pages rather than using the global `storyboard` option.

**theme** One of the following: * A [bslib::bs_theme()] object (or a list of [bslib::bs_theme()] argument values) * Use this option to choose any [Bootstrap version](https://rstudio.github.io/bslib/articles/bslib.html#bootstrap-versions), [Bootswatch theme](https://rstudio.github.io/bslib/articles/bslib.html#bootswatch-themes), or implement a [custom theme](https://rstudio.github.io/bslib/articles/bslib.html#custom-themes). * In this case, any `.scss`/`.sass` files provided to the 'css' parameter may utilize the `theme`'s underlying Sass utilities (e.g., variables, mixins, etc.). * A character string specifying a [Bootswatch 3](https://bootswatch.com/3/) theme name (for backwards-compatibility). The "cosmo" theme is used when "default" is specified.

mathjax Include mathjax. The "default" option uses an https URL from a MathJax CDN. The "local" option uses a local version of MathJax (which is copied into the output directory). You can pass an alternate URL or pass NULL to exclude MathJax entirely.

extra_dependencies Extra dependencies as a list of the html_dependency class objects typically generated by htmltools::htmlDependency().

css CSS and/or Sass files to include. Files with an extension of .sass or .scss are compiled to CSS via sass::sass(). Also, if theme is a bslib::bs_theme() object, Sass code may reference the relevant Bootstrap Sass variables, functions, mixins, etc.

includes Named list of additional content to include within the document (typically created using the includes function).

lib_dir Directory to copy dependent HTML libraries (e.g. jquery, bootstrap, etc.) into. By default this will be the name of the document with _files appended to it.

md_extensions Markdown extensions to be added or removed from the default definition of R Markdown. See the rmarkdown_format for additional details.

pandoc_args Additional command line options to pass to pandoc

devel Enable development mode (used for development of the format itself, not useful for users of the format).

resize_reload Disable the auto-reloading behavior when the window is resized. Useful when debugging large flexdashboard applications and this functionality is not needed.

... Other arguments to [rmarkdown::html_document_base()].

Details

See the flexdashboard website for additional documentation: https://pkgs.rstudio.com/flexdashboard/

Examples

## Not run:

```r
library(rmarkdown)
library(flexdashboard)

# simple invocation
render("dashboard.Rmd", flex_dashboard())

# specify the theme option
render("pres.Rmd", flex_dashboard(theme = "yeti"))
```

## End(Not run)
gauge

Create a gauge component for a dashboard.

Description

A gauge displays a numeric value on a meter that runs between specified minimum and maximum values.

Usage

gauge(
  value,  
  min,   
  max,  
  sectors = gaugeSectors(),  
  symbol = NULL,  
  label = NULL,  
  abbreviate = TRUE,  
  abbreviateDecimals = 1,  
  href = NULL
)

gaugeSectors(
  success = NULL,  
  warning = NULL,  
  danger = NULL,  
  colors = c("success", "warning", "danger")
)

Arguments

- **value**: Numeric value to display
- **min**: Minimum numeric value
- **max**: Maximum numeric value
- **sectors**: Custom colored sectors (e.g. "success", "warning", "danger"). By default all values are colored using the "success" theme color
- **symbol**: Optional symbol to show next to value (e.g. 'kg')
- **label**: Optional label to display beneath the value
- **abbreviate**: Abbreviate large numbers for min, max, and value (e.g. 1234567 -> 1.23M). Defaults to TRUE.
- **abbreviateDecimals**: Number of decimal places for abbreviated numbers to contain (defaults to 1).
- **href**: An optional URL to link to. Note that this can be an anchor of another dashboard page (e.g. "#details").
success  Two-element numeric vector defining the range of values to color as "success"  
(specific color provided by theme or custom colors)

warning  Two-element numeric vector defining the range of values to color as "warning"  
(specific color provided by theme or custom colors)

danger  Two-element numeric vector defining the range of values to color as "danger"  
(specific color provided by theme or custom colors)

colors  Vector of colors to use for the success, warning, and danger ranges. Colors  
can be standard theme colors ("success", "warning", "danger", "primary", and  
"info") or any other valid CSS color specifier. Note that if no custom sector  
ranges are defined, this parameter can be a single color value rather than a vector  
of three values

Details

See the flexdashboard website for additional documentation: <https://pkgs.rstudio.com/flexdashboard/articles/using.html#gauges>

Examples

library(flexdashboard)

gauge(42, min = 0, max = 100, symbol = '%', gaugeSectors(  
  success = c(80, 100), warning = c(40, 79), danger = c(0, 39)  
))

gauge-shiny  

Shiny bindings for gauge

description

Output and render functions for using gauge within Shiny applications and interactive Rmd documents.

Usage

renderGauge(expr, env = parent.frame(), quoted = FALSE)

Arguments

outputId  output variable to read from
width, height  Must be a valid CSS unit (like '100%', '400px', 'auto') or a number, which  
will be coerced to a string and have 'px' appended.
expr  An expression that generates a gauge
env  The environment in which to evaluate expr.
quoted  Is expr a quoted expression (with quote())? This is useful if you want to save  
an expression in a variable.
valueBoxCreate a value box component for a dashboard.

Description

A value box displays a value (usually a number) in large text, with a smaller caption beneath, and a large icon on the right side.

Usage

valueBox(value, caption = NULL, icon = NULL, color = NULL, href = NULL)

Arguments

- value: The value to display in the box. Usually a number or short text.
- caption: The caption to display beneath the value.
- icon: An icon for the box (e.g. "fa-comments").
- color: Background color for the box. This can be one of the built-in background colors ("primary", "info", "success", "warning", "danger") or any valid CSS color value.
- href: An optional URL to link to. Note that this can be an anchor of another dashboard page (e.g. "#details").

Details

See the flexdashboard website for additional documentation: <https://pkgs.rstudio.com/flexdashboard/articles/using.html#value-boxes-1>

Examples

library(flexdashboard)

valueBox(42, caption = "Errors", icon="fa-thumbs-down")
valueBox(107, caption = "Trials", icon="fa-tag")
valueBox(247, caption = "Connections", icon="fa-random")
valueBox-shiny

Shiny bindings for valueBox

Description

Output and render functions for using valueBox within Shiny applications and interactive Rmd documents.

Usage

valueBoxOutput(outputId, width = "100\%", height = "160px")

renderValueBox(expr, env = parent.frame(), quoted = FALSE)

Arguments

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>outputId</th>
<th>output variable to read from</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>width, height</td>
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<td>env</td>
<td>The environment in which to evaluate expr.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>quoted</td>
<td>Is expr a quoted expression (with quote())? This is useful if you want to save an expression in a variable.</td>
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