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addAttrToGeom-methods

constructs SpatialXxxDataFrame from geometry and attributes

Description

constructs SpatialXxxDataFrame from geometry and attributes

Usage

addAttrToGeom(x, y, match.ID, ...)

Arguments

x geometry (locations) of the queries
y data.frame object with attributes
match.ID logical; if TRUE, the IDs of the geometry and of the data.frame are matched (possibly swapping records), and an error occurs when some IDs do not match
... (optional) arguments passed to the constructor functions

Value

an object of class XxxDataFrame, where Xxx is the class of x

Methods

x = "SpatialPoints", y = "data.frame"

x = "SpatialPixels", y = "data.frame"

x = "SpatialGrid", y = "data.frame"

x = "SpatialLines", y = "data.frame"

x = "SpatialPolygons", y = "data.frame"

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See Also

over
aggregate  

**Description**
spatial aggregation of thematic information in spatial objects

**Usage**
```r
## S3 method for class 'Spatial'
aggregate(x, by = list(ID = rep(1, length(x))),
FUN, ..., dissolve = TRUE, areaWeighted = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**
- `x` object deriving from `Spatial`, with attributes
- `by` aggregation predicate; if `by` is a `Spatial` object, the geometry by which attributes in `x` are aggregated; if `by` is a list, aggregation by attribute(s), see `aggregate.data.frame`
- `FUN` aggregation function, e.g. `mean`; see details
- `...` arguments passed on to function `FUN`, unless `minDimension` is specified, which is passed on to function `over`
- `dissolve` logical; should, when aggregating based on attributes, the resulting geometries be dissolved? Note that if `x` has class `SpatialPointsDataFrame`, this returns an object of class `SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame`
- `areaWeighted` logical; should the aggregation of `x` be weighted by the areas it intersects with each feature of `by`? See value.

**Details**
`FUN` should be a function that takes as first argument a vector, and that returns a single number. The canonical examples are `mean` and `sum`. Counting features is obtained when summing an attribute variable that has the value 1 everywhere.

**Value**
The aggregation of attribute values of `x` either over the geometry of `by` using `over` for spatial matching, or by attribute values, using aggregation function `FUN`.  
If `areaWeighted` is `TRUE`, `FUN` is ignored and the area weighted mean is computed for numerical variables, or if all attributes are factors, the area dominant factor level (area mode) is returned.  
This will compute the `gIntersection` of `x` and `by`; see examples below.
If `by` is missing, aggregates over all features.

**Note**
uses `over` to find spatial match if `by` is a `Spatial` object
Examples

data("meuse")
coordinates(meuse) <- ~x+y
data("meuse.grid")
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- ~x+y
gridded(meuse.grid) <- TRUE
i = cut(meuse.grid$dist, c(0,.25,.5,.75,1), include.lowest = TRUE)
j = sample(1:2, 3103, replace=TRUE)
## Not run:
if (require(rgeos)) {
  # aggregation by spatial object:
  ab = gUnaryUnion(as(meuse.grid, "SpatialPolygons"), meuse.grid$part.a)
  x = aggregate(meuse["zinc"], ab, mean)
  spplot(x)
  # aggregation of multiple variables
  x = aggregate(meuse[c("zinc", "copper")], ab, mean)
  spplot(x)
  # aggregation by attribute, then dissolve to polygon:
  x = aggregate(meuse.grid["dist"], list(i=i), mean)
  spplot(x["i"], col.regions=bpy.colors())
  spplot(x["dist"], col.regions=bpy.colors(4))
  spplot(x["i"], col.regions=bpy.colors(4))
  spplot(x["j"], col.regions=bpy.colors())
}
## End(Not run)

x = aggregate(meuse.grid["dist"], list(i=i,j=j), mean, dissolve = FALSE)
spplot(x["j"], col.regions=bpy.colors())

if (require(gstat) && require(rgeos)) {
  x = idw(log(zinc)~1, meuse, meuse.grid, debug.level=0)[1]
  spplot(x[1], col.regions=bpy.colors())
  i = cut(x$var1.pred, seq(4, 7.5, by=.5),
          include.lowest = TRUE)
  xa = aggregate(x["var1.pred"], list(i=i), mean)
  spplot(xa[1], col.regions=bpy.colors(8))
}

if (require(rgeos)) {
  # Area-weighted example, using two partly overlapping grids:
  gt1 = SpatialGrid(GridTopology(c(0,0), c(1,1), c(4,4)))
  gt2 = SpatialGrid(GridTopology(c(-1.25,-1.25), c(1,1), c(4,4)))
  # convert both to polygons; give p1 attributes to aggregate
  p1 = SpatialPolygonsDataFrame(as(gt1, "SpatialPolygons"),
as.SpatialPolygons.GridTopology

Make SpatialPolygons object from GridTopology object

Description

Converts grids of regular rectangles into a SpatialPolygons object, which can be transformed to a different projection or datum with spTransform in package rgdal. The function is not suitable for high-resolution grids. The ordering of the grid cells is as in coordinates() of the same object, and is reported by IDvaluesGridTopology.

Usage

as.SpatialPolygons.GridTopology(grd, proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)))
IDvaluesGridTopology(obj)
as.SpatialPolygons.SpatialPixels(obj)
IDvaluesSpatialPixels(obj)
HexPoints2SpatialPolygons(hex, dx)

Arguments

grd
proj4string
obj

GridTopology object
object of class CRS-class
SpatialPixels object
hex SpatialPoints object with points that are generated by hexagonal sampling; see `spsample`
dx spacing of two horizontally adjacent points; if missing, this will be computed from the points

Value

`as.SpatialPolygons.GridTopology` and `as.SpatialPolygons.SpatialPixels` return a `SpatialPolygons` object; `IDvaluesGridTopology` and `IDvaluesSpatialPixels` return a character vector with the object grid indices.

See Also

`GridTopology`, `SpatialPixels`, `SpatialPolygons` `spTransform` in package `rgdal`

Examples

```r
library(lattice)
grd <- GridTopology(cellcentre.offset=c(-175,55), cellsize=c(10,10), cells.dim=c(4,4))
SpP_grd <- as.SpatialPolygons.GridTopology(grd)
plot(SpP_grd)

trdata <- data.frame(A=rep(c(1,2,3,4), 4), B=rep(c(1,2,3,4), each=4),
  row.names=sapply(slot(SpP_grd, "polygons"), function(i) slot(i, "ID")),
  col=sapply(slot(SpP_grd, "polygons"), function(i) slot(i, "ID")))
SpPDF <- SpatialPolygonsDataFrame(SpP_grd, trdata)
spplot(SpPDF)
```

data(meuse.grid)
gridded(meuse.grid)=~x+y
xx = spsample(meuse.grid, type="hexagonal", cellsize=200)
xxpl = HexPoints2SpatialPolygons(xx)
image(meuse.grid["dist"])
plot(xxpl, add = TRUE)
points(xx, cex = .5)

```
## Not run:
spplot(aggregate(as(meuse.grid[,1:3], "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame"), xxpl,
  areaWeighted=TRUE), main = "aggregated meuse.grid")

## End(Not run)
```
Usage

as.SpatialPolygons.PolygonsList(Srl, proj4string=CRS(as.character(NA)))

Arguments

Srl A list of Polygons objects
proj4string Object of class "CRS"; holding a valid proj4 string

Value

The functions return a SpatialPolygons object

Author(s)

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Examples
bbox-methods

bbox-methods

retrieve bbox from spatial data

Description

retrieves spatial bounding box from spatial data

Usage

bbox(obj)

Arguments

obj object deriving from class "Spatial", or one of classes: "Line", "Lines", "Polygon" or "Polygons", or ANY, which requires obj to be an array with at least two columns

Value

two-column matrix; the first column has the minimum, the second the maximum values; rows represent the spatial dimensions

Methods

obj = "Spatial" object deriving from class "Spatial"
obj = "ANY" an array with at least two columns
obj = "Line" object deriving from class "Line"
obj = "Lines" object deriving from class "Lines"
obj = "Polygon" object deriving from class "Polygon"
obj = "Polygons" object deriving from class "Polygons"
Examples

# just 9 points on a grid:
x <- c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3)
y <- c(1,2,3,1,2,3,1,2,3)
xy <- cbind(x,y)
S <- SpatialPoints(xy)
bbox(S)

# data.frame
data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- ~x+y
gridded(meuse.grid) <- TRUE
bbox(meuse.grid)

bpy.colors

blue-pink-yellow color scheme, which also prints well on black/white printers

Description

Create a vector of ‘n’ “contiguous” colors.

Usage

bpy.colors(n = 100, cutoff.tails = 0.1, alpha = 1.0)

Arguments

n number of colors (>= 1) to be in the palette
cutoff.tails tail fraction to be cut off on each side. If 0, this palette runs from black to white; by cutting off the tails, it runs from blue to yellow, which looks nicer.
alpha numeric; alpha transparency, 0 is fully transparent, 1 is opaque.

Value

A character vector, ‘cv’, of color names. This can be used either to create a user-defined color palette for subsequent graphics by ‘palette(cv)’, a ‘col=’ specification in graphics functions or in ‘par’.

Note

This color map prints well on black-and-white printers.

Author(s)

unknown; the palette was posted to gnuplot-info a few decades ago; R implementation Edzer Pebesma, <edzer.pebesma@uni-muenster.de>
bubble

Create a bubble plot of spatial data

Description

Create a bubble plot of spatial data, with options for bicolour residual plots (xyplot wrapper)

Usage

bubble(obj, zcol = 1, ..., fill = TRUE, maxsize = 3, do.sqrt = TRUE, pch, col = c("#d01c8b", "#4dac26"), key.entries = quantile(data[, zcol]), main, identify = FALSE, labels = row.names(data.frame(obj)), key.space = "right", scales = list(draw = FALSE), xlab = NULL, ylab = NULL, panel = panel.bubble, sp.layout = NULL, xlim = bbexpand(bbox(obj)[1,], 0.04), ylim = bbexpand(bbox(obj)[2,], 0.04))

Arguments

obj object of, or extending, class SpatialPointsDataFrame or SpatialGridDataFrame; the object knows about its spatial coordinates

zcol z-variable column name, or column number after removing spatial coordinates from x@data: 1 refers to the first non-coordinate column

fill logical; if TRUE, filled circles are plotted (pch = 16), else open circles (pch = 1); the pch argument overrides this

maxsize cex value for largest circle

do.sqrt logical; if TRUE the plotting symbol area (sqrt(diameter)) is proportional to the value of the z-variable; if FALSE, the symbol size (diameter) is proportional to the z-variable

pch plotting character

See Also

rainbow, cm.colors

Examples

bpy.colors(10)
p <- expand.grid(x=1:30, y=1:30)
p$z <- p$x + p$y
coordinates(p) <- c("x", "y")
grided(p) <- TRUE
image(p, col = bpy.colors(100), asp = 1)
# require(lattice)
# trellis.par.set("regions", list(col=bpy.colors())) # make this default pallette
bubble

col  colours to be used; numeric vector of size two: first value is for negative values, second for positive values. Default colors: 5-class PiYG from colorbrewer.org.

key.entries  the values that will be plotted in the key; by default the five quantiles min, q.25, median q.75, max

main  main plotting title

identify  logical; if true, regular plot is called instead of xyplot, and followed by a call to identify().

labels  labels argument passed to plot if identify is TRUE

...  arguments, passed to xyplot, or plot if identification is required.

key.space  location of the key

scales  scales argument as passed to xyplot

xlab  x-axis label

ylab  y-axis label

panel  panel function used

sp.layout  possible layout items; see spplot

xlim  x axis limit

ylim  y axis limit

Value

returns (or plots) the bubble plot; if identify is TRUE, returns the indexes (row numbers) of identified points.

Author(s)

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See Also

xyplot, mapasp, identify

Examples

data(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) <- c("x", "y") # promote to SpatialPointsDataFrame
bubble(meuse, "cadmium", maxsize = 2.5, main = "cadmium concentrations (ppm)",
    key.entries = 2^(-1:4))
bubble(meuse, "zinc", main = "zinc concentrations (ppm)",
    key.entries = 100 * 2^(0:4))
char2dms

Convert character vector to DMS-class object

Description

These two helper functions convert character vectors and decimal degree vectors to the DMS-class representation of degrees, minutes, and decimal seconds. "DMS" objects cannot contain NAs.

Usage

char2dms(from, chd = "d", chm = ":", chs = "\""")
dd2dms(dd, NS = FALSE)

Arguments

from character vector of degree, minute, decimal second data
chd degree character terminator
chm minute character terminator
chs second character terminator
dd numeric vector of decimal degrees
NS logical, TRUE for north/south decimal degrees, FALSE for east/west decimal degrees

Details

In char2dms, the input data vector should use a regular format, such as that used in the PROJ.4 library, with a trailing capital (NSWE) indicating compass direction.

Value

Both functions return a "DMS" object.

Methods

from = "DMS", to = "numeric" coerce a "DMS" object to a "numeric" vector
from = "DMS", to = "character" coerce a "DMS" object to a "character" vector (the as.character.DMS S3 method is also available)

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See Also

DMS-class
compassRose

Examples

data(state)
str(state.center$y)
stateN <- dd2dms(state.center$y, NS=TRUE)
str(attributes(stateN))
ch.stateN <- as.character(stateN)
str(ch.stateN)
stateNa <- char2dms(ch.stateN)
str(attributes(stateNa))
ch.stateN <- as(stateN, "character")
str(ch.stateN)
stateNa <- char2dms(ch.stateN)
str(attributes(stateNa))

compassRose

Display a compass rose.

Description

Displays a basic compass rose, usually to orient a map.

Usage

compassRose(x,y,rot=0,cex=1)

Arguments

x, y The position of the center of the compass rose in user units.
rot Rotation for the compass rose in degrees. See Details.
cex The character expansion to use in the display.

Details

‘compassRose’ displays a conventional compass rose at the position requested. The size of the compass rose is determined by the character expansion, as the central "rose" is calculated relative to the character size. Rotation is in degrees counterclockwise.

Value

nil

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coordinates

set spatial coordinates to create a Spatial object, or retrieve spatial coordinates from a Spatial object

Description

set spatial coordinates to create a Spatial object, or retrieve spatial coordinates from a Spatial object

Usage

coordinates(obj, ...)
coordinates(object) <- value

Arguments

obj object deriving from class "Spatial"
object object of class "data.frame"
value spatial coordinates; either a matrix, list, or data frame with numeric data, or column names, column number or a reference: a formula (in the form of e.g. ~x*y), column numbers (e.g. c(1,2)) or column names (e.g. c("x","y")) specifying which columns in object are the spatial coordinates. If the coordinates are part of object, giving the reference does not duplicate them, giving their value does duplicate them in the resulting structure.

... additional arguments that may be used by particular methods

Value

usually an object of class SpatialPointsDataFrame; if the coordinates set cover the full set of variables in object, an object of class SpatialPoints is returned

Examples

# data.frame
data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- ~x+y
gridded(meuse.grid) <- TRUE
class(meuse.grid)
bbox(meuse.grid)

data(meuse)
meuse.xy = meuse[c("x", "y")]
coordinates(meuse.xy) <- ~x+y
class(meuse.xy)
coordinates-methods

retrie (or set) spatial coordinates

Description

retrieve (or set) spatial coordinates from (for) spatial data

Methods

obj = "list"  list with (at least) two numeric components of equal length
obj = "data.frame"  data.frame with at least two numeric components
obj = "matrix"  numeric matrix with at least two columns
obj = "SpatialPoints"  object of, or deriving from, SpatialPoints
obj = "SpatialPointsDataFrame"  object of, or deriving from, SpatialPointsDataFrame
obj = "SpatialPolygons"  object of, or deriving from, SpatialPolygons
obj = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame"  object of, or deriving from, SpatialPolygonsDataFrame
obj = "Line"  object of class Line; returned value is matrix
obj = "Lines"  object of class Lines; returned value is list of matrices
obj = "SpatialLines"  object of, or deriving from, SpatialLines; returned value is list of lists of matrices
obj = "GridTopology"  object of, or deriving from, GridTopology
obj = "GridTopology"  object of, or deriving from, GridTopology
obj = "SpatialPixels"  object of, or deriving from, SpatialPixels
obj = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame"  object of, or deriving from, SpatialPixelsDataFrame
obj = "SpatialGrid"  object of, or deriving from, SpatialGrid
obj = "SpatialGridDataFrame"  object of, or deriving from, SpatialGridDataFrame

Methods for "coordinates<-"

object = "data.frame", value="ANY"  promote data.frame to object of class SpatialPointsDataFrame-class, by specifying coordinates; see coordinates
Description

retrieve or assign coordinate names for classes in \texttt{sp}

Methods for coordnames

\texttt{x = "SpatialPoints"} retrieves coordinate names
\texttt{x = "SpatialLines"} retrieves coordinate names
\texttt{x = "Lines"} retrieves coordinate names
\texttt{x = "Line"} retrieves coordinate names
\texttt{x = "SpatialPolygons"} retrieves coordinate names
\texttt{x = "Polygons"} retrieves coordinate names
\texttt{x = "Polygon"} retrieves coordinate names

Methods for "coordnames\textless;\textgreater;"

\texttt{x = "SpatialPoints", value = "character"} replace coordinate names
\texttt{x = "SpatialLines", value = "character"} replace coordinate names
\texttt{x = "Lines", value = "character"} replace coordinate names
\texttt{x = "Line", value = "character"} replace coordinate names
\texttt{x = "SpatialPolygons", value = "character"} replace coordinate names
\texttt{x = "GridTopology", value = "character"} replace coordinate names
\texttt{x = "SpatialGrid", value = "character"} replace coordinate names
\texttt{x = "SpatialPixels", value = "character"} replace coordinate names

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CRS-class

Class "CRS" of coordinate reference system arguments

Description

Interface class to the PROJ projection and transformation system. The class is defined as an empty stub accepting value NA in the \texttt{sp} package. The initiation function may call the PROJ library through \texttt{rgdal} to verify the argument set against those known in the library, returning error messages where necessary. If the "CRS" object is instantiated using \texttt{CRS()} with \texttt{rgdal} using PROJ $\geq$ 6 and GDAL $\geq$ 3, the object may also have a WKT2 (2019) string carried as a comment. The arguments for a Proj.4 string must be entered exactly as in the Proj.4 documentation, in particular there cannot be any white space in +<key>=<value> strings, and successive such strings can only be separated by blanks. Note that only "+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84" is accepted for geographical coordinates, which must be ordered (eastings, northings); the "+ellps=" definition must be given (or expanded internally from a given "+datum=" value) for recent versions of the Proj.4 library, and should be set to an appropriate value.
Usage

CRS(projargs, doCheckCRSArgs=TRUE, SRS_string=NULL)
identicalCRS(x,y)

Arguments

projargs: A character string of projection arguments; the arguments must be entered exactly as in the PROJ.4 documentation; if the projection is unknown, use as.character(NA), it may be missing or an empty string of zero length and will then set to the missing value.
doCheckCRSArgs: default TRUE, must be set to FALSE by package developers including CRS in an S4 class definition to avoid uncontrollable loading of the rgdal namespace
SRS_string: default NULL, only used when rgdal is built with PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3; a valid WKT string or SRS definition such as "EPSG:4326"
x: object having a proj4string method, or if y is missing, list with objects that have a proj4string method
y: object of class Spatial, or having a proj4string method

Value

CRS returns on success an object of class CRS. identicalCRS returns a logical, indicating whether x and y have identical CRS, or if y is missing whether all objects in list x have identical CRS.

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form CRS("projargs"), where "projargs" is a valid string of PROJ.4 arguments. If the argument is a zero-length string or a character NA, the object records NA. If the “CRS” object is instantiated using CRS() with rgdal using PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3, the object may also have a WKT2 (2019) string carried as a comment. The initiation function may call the PROJ library through rgdal to verify the argument set against those known in the library, returning error messages where necessary. The function CRSargs() can be used to show the expanded Proj.4 string used by the PROJ library.

Slots

projargs: Object of class "character": projection arguments; the arguments must be entered exactly as in the PROJ.4 documentation, in particular there cannot be any white space in +<arg>=<value> strings, and successive such strings can only be separated by blanks.

Methods

show signature(object = "CRS"): print projection arguments in object
wkt signature(object = "CRS"): return WKT comment on object
rebuild_CRS rebuild a CRS object, usually used to add a WKT comment with PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3
Note

Lists of projections may be seen by using the programs installed with the PROJ.4 library, in particular proj and cs2cs; with the latter, -lp lists projections, -le ellipsoids, -lu units, and -ld datum(s) known to the installed software (available in rgdal using projInfo). These are added to in successive releases, so tracking the website or compiling and installing the most recent revisions will give the greatest choice. Finding the very important datum transformation parameters to be given with the +towgs84 tag is a further challenge, and is essential when the datums used in data to be used together differ. Tracing projection arguments is easier now than before the mass ownership of GPS receivers raised the issue of matching coordinates from different argument sets (GPS output and paper map, for example). See GridsDatums, make_EPSG and showEPSG for help in finding CRS definitions.

The 4.9.1 release of the PROJ library omitted a small file of defaults, leading to reports of “major axis or radius = 0 or not given” errors. From 0.9-3, rgdal checks for the presence of this file (proj_def.dat), and if not found, and under similar conditions to those used by PROJ.4, adds “+ellps=WGS84” to the input string being checked by checkCRSArgs The “+no_defs” tag ignores the file of defaults, and the default work-around implemented to get around this problem; strings including “init” and “datum” tags also trigger the avoidance of the work-around. Now messages are issued when a candidate CRS is checked; they may be suppressed using suppressMessages.

From release 6 of the PROJ library, when used in building rgdal with GDAL >= 3, the +datum= key in the Proj.4 string CRS representation is deprecated, and the +towgs84= and +nadgrids= keys may be deprecated soon. For this reason, sp, rgdal and sf are starting to use WK2 (2019) string representations. In sp, the "CRS" object in itself remains unchanged, but the content of its "projargs" slot may be degraded. To work around the degradation, a comment is added around the "CRS" object containing a WK2 (2019) string when rgdal is available and built with PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >=3.

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References

https://github.com/OSGeo/proj.4

Examples

CRS()
CRS(""
CRS(as.character(NA))
CRS("+proj=longlat +datum=WGS84")
if (require(rgdal)) {
  print(CRSargs(CRS("+proj=longlat +datum=NAD27")))
  print(CRSargs(CRS("+init=epsg:4267")))
  print(CRSargs(CRS("+init=epsg:26978")))
  print(CRSargs(CRS(paste("+proj=sterea +lat_0=52.15616055555555 +lon_0=5.3876388888888889 +k=0.999908 +x_0=155000 +y_0=463000 +ellps=bessel",
                     "+towgs84=565.237,50.0087,465.658,-0.406857,0.350733,-1.87035,4.0812 +units=m"))))
  print(CRSargs(CRS("+init=epsg:28992")))
}
# see http://trac.osgeo.org/gdal/ticket/1987
o <- new("Spatial")
proj4string(o) <- CRS("+init=epsg:27700")
if (!is.null(comment(slot(o, "proj4string")))) {
  cat(strsplit(wkt(o), "\n")[[1]], sep="\n")
  cat(strsplit(wkt(slot(o, "proj4string")), "\n")[[1]], sep="\n")
}

degAxis

axis with degrees

Description
draw axes on a plot using degree symbols in numbers

Usage
degAxis(side, at, labels, ...)

Arguments
side integer; see axis
at numeric; if missing, axTicks is called for nice values; see axis
labels character; if omitted labels are constructed with degree symbols, ending in
N/S/E/W; in case of negative degrees, sign is reversed and S or W is added;
see axis
... passed to the actual axis call

Value
axis is plotted on current graph

Note
decimal degrees are used if variation is small, instead of minutes and seconds

Examples
xy = cbind(x = 2 * runif(100) - 1, y = 2 * runif(100) - 1)
plot(SpatialPoints(xy, proj4string = CRS("+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84")),xlim=c(-1,1),ylim=c(-1,1))
degAxis(1)
degAxis(2, at = c(-1,-0.5,0,0.5,1))
#
**dimensions-methods**

*retrieve spatial dimensions from spatial data*

**Description**

retrieves spatial dimensions box from spatial data

**Usage**

`dimensions(obj)`

**Arguments**

- **obj** object deriving from class "Spatial"

**Value**

two-column matrix; the first column has the minimum, the second the maximum values; rows represent the spatial dimensions

**Methods**

- **obj = "Spatial"** object deriving from class "Spatial"

**Examples**

```r
# just 9 points on a grid:
x <- c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3)
y <- c(1,2,3,1,2,3,1,2,3)
xy <- cbind(x,y)
S <- SpatialPoints(xy)
dimensions(S)

# data.frame
data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- ~x+y
gidded(meuse.grid) <- TRUE
dimensions(meuse.grid)
```
disaggregate-methods

**Description**

`disaggregate` SpatialLines, SpatialLinesDataFrame, SpatialPolygons, or SpatialPolygonsDataFrame objects, using functions from rgeos to handle polygon hole nesting.

**Usage**

`disaggregate(x, ...)`

**Arguments**

- `x` object of class `SpatialLines` or `SpatialPolygons`
- `...` ignored

**Value**

object of class `SpatialLines` or `SpatialPolygons`, where groups of `Line` or `Polygon` are disaggregated to one `Line` per `Lines`, or one `Polygon` per `Polygons`, respectively.

**Author(s)**

Robert Hijmans, Edzer Pebesma

**Examples**

```r
Sr1 = Polygon(cbind(c(2,4,4,1,2),c(2,3,5,4,2)), hole = FALSE)
Sr2 = Polygon(cbind(c(5,4,2,5),c(2,3,2,2)), hole = FALSE)
Sr3 = Polygon(cbind(c(4,4,5,10,4),c(5,3,2,5,5)), hole = FALSE)
Sr4 = Polygon(cbind(c(5,6,6,5,5),c(4,4,3,3,4)), hole = TRUE)
Srs1 = Polygons(list(Sr1, Sr2), "s1/2")
Srs3 = Polygons(list(Sr3, Sr4), "s3/4")
sp = SpatialPolygons(list(Srs1,Srs3), 1:2)
length(sp) ## [1] 2
length(disaggregate(sp)) ## [1] 3
l1 = cbind(c(1,2,3),c(3,2,2))
l1a = cbind(l1[,1]+.05,l1[,2]+.05)
l2 = cbind(c(1,2,3),c(1,1.5,1))
S11 = Line(l1)
S11a = Line(l1a)
S12 = Line(l2)
S1 = Lines(list(S11, S11a), ID="a")
S2 = Lines(list(S12), ID="b")
s1 = SpatialLines(list(S1,S2))
```
DMS-class

Class "DMS" for degree, minute, decimal second values

Description
The class provides a container for coordinates stored as degree, minute, decimal second values.

Objects from the Class
Objects can be created by calls of the form `new("DMS",...)`, converted from decimal degrees using `dd2dms()`, or converted from character strings using `char2dms()`.

Slots
- `WS`: Object of class "logical" TRUE if input value negative
- `deg`: Object of class "numeric" degrees
- `min`: Object of class "numeric" minutes
- `sec`: Object of class "numeric" decimal seconds
- `NS`: Object of class "logical" TRUE if input value is a Northing

Methods
- `coerce` signature(from = "DMS", to = "numeric"): convert to decimal degrees
- `show` signature(object = "DMS"): print data values

Author(s)
Roger Bivand <Roger.Bivand@nhh.no>

See Also
`char2dms, dd2dms`

Examples
```r
data(state)
dd2dms(state.center$x)
dd2dms(state.center$y, NS=TRUE)
as.numeric(dd2dms(state.center$y))
as(dd2dms(state.center$y), NS=TRUE, "numeric")
as.numeric.DMS(dd2dms(state.center$y))
state.center$y
```
flip

Description
rearrange SpatialPointsDataFrame or SpatialGridDataFrame for plotting with spplot (levelplot/xyplot wrapper)

Usage
flipHorizontal(x)
flipVertical(x)

Arguments
x
object of class SpatialGridDataFrame

Value
object of class SpatialGridDataFrame, with pixels flipped horizontally or vertically. Note that the spatial structure is destroyed (or at least: drastically changed).

Author(s)
Michael Sumner

Examples
data(meuse.grid) # data frame
gridded(meuse.grid) = c("x", "y") # promotes to
defullgrid(meuse.grid) = TRUE
d = meuse.grid["dist"]
image(d, axes=TRUE)
image(flipHorizontal(d), axes=TRUE)
image(flipVertical(d), axes=TRUE)

geometry-methods
Methods for retrieving the geometry from a composite (geometry + attributes) object

Description
geometry retrieves the SpatialXxx object from a SpatialXxxDataFrame object, with Xxx Lines, Points, Polygons, Grid, or Pixels. geometry<- converts a data.frame into a Spatial object.
Usage

geometry(obj)
geometry(obj) <- value

Arguments

obj in case of assignment, a data.frame, else an object of class Spatial
value object of class Spatial

Methods

obj = "Spatial"
obj = "SpatialPointsDataFrame"
obj = "SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame"
obj = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame"
obj = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame"
obj = "SpatialGridDataFrame"
obj = "SpatialLinesDataFrame"

Author(s)

Edzer Pebesma, <edzer.pebesma@uni-muenster.de>

Examples

data(meuse)
m = meuse
coordinates(m) = meuse[, c("x", "y")]
pts = geometry(m)
class(pts)
geometry(meuse) = pts
class(meuse)
identical(m, meuse) # TRUE

Description

returns logical (TRUE or FALSE) telling whether the object is gridded or not; in assignment promotes a non-gridded structure to a gridded one, or demotes a gridded structure back to a non-structured one.
gridded-methods

Usage

gridded(obj)
gridded(obj) <- value
fullgrid(obj)
fullgrid(obj) <- value
gridparameters(obj)

Arguments

obj object deriving from class "Spatial" (for gridded), or object of class SpatialGridDataFrame-class (for fullgrid and gridparameters)
value logical replacement values, TRUE or FALSE

Value

if obj derives from class Spatial, gridded(object) will tell whether it is has topology on a regular grid; if assigned TRUE, if the object derives from SpatialPoints and has gridded topology, grid topology will be added to object, and the class of the object will be promoted to SpatialGrid-class or SpatialGridDataFrame-class.
ullgrid returns a logical, telling whether the grid is full and ordered (i.e., in full matrix form), or whether it is not full or unordered (i.e. a list of points that happen to lie on a grid. If assigned, the way the points are stored may be changed. Changing a set of points to full matrix form and back may change the original order of the points, and will remove duplicate points if they were present.

gridparameters returns, if obj inherits from SpatialGridDataFrame its grid parameters, else it returns numeric(0). The returned value is a data.frame with three columns, named cellcentre.offset ("lower left cell centre coordinates"), cellsize, and cells.dim (cell dimension); the rows correspond to the spatial dimensions.

Methods

obj = "Spatial" object deriving from class "Spatial"

Examples

# just 9 points on a grid:
x <- c(1,1,2,2,3,3)
y <- c(1,2,2,3,3,3)
xy <- cbind(x,y)
S <- SpatialPoints(xy)
class(S)
plot(S)
gridded(S) <- TRUE
gridded(S)
class(S)
summary(S)
plot(S)
gridded(S) <- FALSE
gridded(S)
class(S)
# data.frame
data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- -x+y
gridded(meuse.grid) <- TRUE
plot(meuse.grid) # not much good
summary(meuse.grid)

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gridIndex2nb  
create neighbourhood (nb) object from grid geometry

Description
create neighbourhood (nb) object from grid geometry

Usage
gridIndex2nb(obj, maxdist = sqrt(2), fullMat = TRUE, ...)

Arguments
- **obj**: object of class `SpatialGrid` or `SpatialPixels`
- **maxdist**: maximum distance to be considered (inclusive), expressed in number of grid cell (sqrt(2) results in queen neighbours)
- **fullMat**: use `dist` to compute distances from grid (row/col) indices; `FALSE` avoids forming the full distance matrix, at a large performance cost
- **...**: arguments passed on to `dist`

Value
Object of class `nb`, which is a list.
The `nb` object follows the convention of `nb` objects in package spdep; it is a list with each list element corresponding to a grid cell or pixel; the list element contains the indices of neighbours defined as cells less than maxdist away, measured in cell unit (N/S/E/W neighbour has distance 1).

Note
Unequal grid cell size is ignored; grid cell row/col indices are taken to be the coordinates from which distances are computed.

Author(s)
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See Also
`plot.nb` in package spdep
Create N-S and E-W grid lines over a geographic region; create and plot corresponding labels

Usage

```r
gridlines(x, easts = pretty(bbox(x)[1,]), norths = pretty(bbox(x)[2,]),
          ndiscr = 100)
gridat(x, easts = pretty(bbox(x)[1,]), norths = pretty(bbox(x)[2,]),
        offset = 0.5, side = "WS")
## S3 method for class 'SpatialLines'
lables(object, labelCRS, side = 1:2, ...)
## S3 method for class 'SpatialPointsDataFrame'
text(x, ...)
```

Arguments

- **x**: object deriving from class `Spatial-class`
- **easts**: numeric; east-west values for vertical lines
- **norths**: numeric; north-south values for horizontal lines
- **ndiscr**: integer; number of points used to discretize the line, could be set to 2, unless the grid is (re)projected
- **offset**: offset value to be returned, see `text`
- **object**: `SpatialLines-class` object, as returned by `gridlines`
- **labelCRS**: the CRS in which the grid lines were drawn and labels should be printed; if missing, the CRS from `object` is taken
- **side**: for labels: integer, indicating side(s) at which gridlines labels will be drawn: 1=below (S), 2=left (W), 3=above (N), and 4=right (E); for `gridat`: default "WS", if "EN" labels placed on the top and right borders
- **...**: for labels: ignored; for `text`: arguments passed on to `text`, see below for example use of `adj`

Value

- `gridlines` returns an object of class `SpatialLines-class`, with lines as specified; the return object inherits the projection information of `x`; `gridat` returns a `SpatialPointsDataFrame` with points at the west and south ends of the grid lines created by `gridlines`, with degree labels.
- The `labels` method for `SpatialLines` objects returns a `SpatialPointsDataFrame-class` object with the parameters needed to print labels below and left of the gridlines. The locations for the labels are those of `proj4string(object)` the labels also unless `labelCRS` is given, in which case they are in that CRS. This object is prepared to be plotted with `text`.
- The `text` method for `SpatialPointsDataFrame` puts text labels on its coordinates, and takes care of attributes `pos, labels, srt` and `offset`; see `text`.
Author(s)

Edzer Pebesma, <edzer.pebesma@uni-muenster.de>, using example code of Roger Bivand.

See Also

spTransform; llgridlines in rgdal (recent versions) for plotting long-lat grid over projected data

Examples

data(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) = ~x+y
plot(meuse)
plot(gridlines(meuse), add = TRUE)
text(labels(gridlines(meuse)))
title("default gridlines within Meuse bounding box")

proj4string(meuse) <- CRS("+init=epsg:28992")
crs.longlat <- CRS("+init=epsg:4326")
meuse.ll <- spTransform(meuse, crs.longlat)
grd <- gridlines(meuse.ll)
grd_x <- spTransform(grd, CRS("+init=epsg:28992"))

# labels South and West:
plot(meuse)
plot(grd_x, add=TRUE, lty=2)
grdat.ll <- gridat(meuse.ll)
grdat_x <- spTransform(grdat.ll, CRS("+init=epsg:28992"))
text(grdat_x)

# labels North and East:
plot(meuse)
plot(grd_x, add=TRUE, lty=2)
grdat.ll <- gridat(meuse.ll, side="EN")
grdat_x <- spTransform(grdat.ll, CRS("+init=epsg:28992"))
text(grdat_x)

# now using labels:
plot(meuse)
plot(grd_x, add=TRUE, lty=2)
text(labels(grd_x, crs.longlat))

# demonstrate axis labels with angle, both sides:
sp = SpatialPoints(rbind(c(-101,9), c(-101,55), c(-19,9), c(-19,55)), crs.longlat)
laea = CRS("+proj=laea +lat_0=30 +lon_0=-40")
sp.l = spTransform(sp, laea)
plot(sp.l, expandBB = c(0, 0.05, 0, .05))
gl = spTransform(gridlines(sp), laea)
plot(gl, add = TRUE)
text(labels(gl, crs.longlat))
text(labels(gl, crs.longlat, side = 3:4), col = 'red')
title("curved text label demo")
# polar:
pts= SpatialPoints(rbind(c(-180,-70),c(0,-70),c(180,-89),c(180,-70)), crs.longlat)
polar = CRS("+init=epsg:3031")
gl = spTransform(gridlines(pts, easts = seq(-180,180,20), ndiscr = 100), polar)
plot(spTransform(pts, polar), expandBB = c(.05,.0,.05,.0))
lines(gl)
l = labels(gl, crs.longlat, side = 3)
l$pos = NULL # pos is too simple, use adj:
text(l, adj = c(0.5, -0.5))
l = labels(gl, crs.longlat, side = 4)
l$srt = 0 # otherwise they end up upside-down

text(l)
title("grid line labels on polar projection, epsg 3031")
## Not run:
if (require(maps)) demo(polar) # adds the map of the antarctic
## End(Not run)

GridTopology-class  Class "GridTopology"

Description

class for defining a rectangular grid of arbitrary dimension

Objects from the Class

Objects are created by using e.g.
GridTopology(c(0,0), c(1,1), c(5,5))
see SpatialGrid

Slots

cellcentre.offset: numeric; vector with the smallest centroid coordinates for each dimension;
coordinates refer to the cell centre

cellsize: numeric; vector with the cell size in each dimension

cells.dim: integer; vector with number of cells in each dimension

Methods

coordinates signature(x = "SpatialGrid"): calculates coordinates for each point on the grid

summary signature(object = "SpatialGrid"): summarize object

coerce signature(from = "GridTopology", to = "data.frame"): convert to data.frame with columns
cellcentre.offset, cellsize and cells.dim

Author(s)

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See Also

SpatialGridDataFrame-class, SpatialGrid-class

Examples

```r
x = GridTopology(c(0,0), c(1,1), c(5,5))
class(x)
x
summary(x)
coordinates(x)
y = SpatialGrid(grid = x)
class(y)
y
```

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**image.SpatialGridDataFrame**

*Image or contour method for gridded spatial data; convert to and from image data structure*

**Description**

Create image for gridded data in SpatialGridDataFrame or SpatialPixelsDataFrame objects.

**Usage**

```r
## S3 method for class 'SpatialGridDataFrame'
image(x, attr = 1, xcol = 1, ycol = 2,
col = heat.colors(12), red=NULL, green=NULL, blue=NULL,
axes = FALSE, xlim = NULL,
ylim = NULL, add = FALSE, ..., asp = NA, setParUsrBB=FALSE, 
interpolate = FALSE, angle = 0,
useRasterImage = !(.Platform$GUI[1] == "Rgui" && 
  getIdentification() == "R Console") && missing(breaks), breaks, 
zlim = range(as.numeric(x[[attr]]))[is.finite(x[[attr]])])
## S3 method for class 'SpatialPixelsDataFrame'
image(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'SpatialGrid'
image(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'SpatialGridDataFramexx'
contour(x, attr = 1, xcol = 1, ycol = 2,
col = 1, add = FALSE, xlim = NULL, ylim = NULL, axes = FALSE, 
..., setParUsrBB = FALSE)
## S3 method for class 'SpatialPixelsDataFrame'
contour(x, ...)
as.image.SpatialGridDataFrame(x, xcol = 1, ycol = 2, attr = 1)
image2Grid(im, p4 = as.character(NA), digits=10)
```
Arguments

x
  object of class SpatialGridDataFrame
attr
  column of attribute variable; this may be the column name in the data.frame of
  data (as.data.frame(data)), or a column number
xcol
  column number of x-coordinate, in the coordinate matrix
ycol
  column number of y-coordinate, in the coordinate matrix
col
  a vector of colors
red, green, blue
  columns names or numbers given instead of the attr argument when the data
  represent an image encoded in three colour bands on the 0-255 integer scale;
  all three columns must be given in this case, and the attribute values will be
  constructed using function rgb
axes
  logical; should coordinate axes be drawn?
xlim
  x-axis limits
ylim
  y-axis limits
zlim
  data limits for plotting the (raster, attribute) values
add
  logical; if FALSE, the image is added to the plot layout setup by plot(as(x,"Spatial"),axes=axes,xlim=ylim,asp=asp)
  which sets up axes and plotting region; if TRUE, the image is added to the ex-
  isting plot.
...
  arguments passed to image, see examples
asp
  aspect ratio to be used for plot
setParUsrBB
  default FALSE, see Spatial-class for further details
useRasterImage
  if TRUE, use rasterImage to render the image if available; for legacy rendering
  set FALSE; should be FALSE on Windows SDI installations
breaks
  class breaks for coloured values
interpolate
  default FALSE, a logical vector (or scalar) indicating whether to apply linear
  interpolation to the image when drawing, see rasterImage
angle
  default 0, angle of rotation (in degrees, anti-clockwise from positive x-axis,
  about the bottom-left corner), see rasterImage
im
  list with components named x, y, and z, as used for image
p4
  CRS object, proj4 string
digits
  default 10, number of significant digits to use for checking equal row/column
  spacing

Value

as.image.SpatialGridDataFrame returns the list with elements x and y, containing the coor-
  dinates of the cell centres of a matrix z, containing the attribute values in matrix form as needed by
  image.

Note

Providing xcol and ycol attributes seems obsolete, and it is for 2D data, but it may provide oppor-
  tunities for plotting certain slices in 3D data. I haven’t given this much thought yet.
filled.contour seems to misinterpret the coordinate values, if we take the image.default manual page
  as the reference.
Author(s)

Edzer Pebesma

See Also

image.default, SpatialGridDataFrame-class, levelplot in package lattice. Function image.plot in package fields can be used to make a legend for an image, see an example in https://stat.ethz.ch/pipermail/r-sig-geo/2007-June/002143.html

Examples

data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) = c("x", "y") # promote to SpatialPointsDataFrame
gridded(meuse.grid) = TRUE # promote to SpatialGridDataFrame
data(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) = c("x", "y")
image(meuse.grid["dist"], main = "Distance to river Meuse")
points(coordinates(meuse), pch = "+")
image(meuse.grid["dist"], main = "Distance to river Meuse", useRasterImage=TRUE)
points(coordinates(meuse), pch = "+")

# color scale:
layout(cbind(1,2), c(4,1),1)
image(meuse.grid["dist"])
imageScale(meuse.grid$dist, axis.pos=4, add.axis=FALSE)
axis(4,at=c(0,.2,.4,.8), las=2)

data(Rlogo)
d = dim(Rlogo)
cellsize = abs(c(gt[2],gt[6]))
cells.dim = c(d[1], d[2]) # c(d[2],d[1])
cellcentre.offset = c(x = gt[1] + 0.5 * cellsize[1], y = gt[4] - (d[2] - 0.5) * abs(cellsize[2]))
grid = GridTopology(cellcentre.offset, cellsize, cells.dim)
df = as.vector(Rlogo[,1])
for (band in 2:d[3]) df = cbind(df, as.vector(Rlogo[,band]))
df = as.data.frame(df)
names(df) = paste("band", 1:d[3], sep="")
Rlogo <- SpatialGridDataFrame(grid = grid, data = df)
summary(Rlogo)
image(Rlogo, red="band1", green="band2", blue="band3")
image(Rlogo, red="band1", green="band2", blue="band3", useRasterImage=FALSE)
is.na(Rlogo$band1) <- Rlogo$band1 == 255
is.na(Rlogo$band2) <- Rlogo$band2 == 255
is.na(Rlogo$band3) <- Rlogo$band3 == 255
Rlogo$i7 <- 7
image(Rlogo, "i7")
image(Rlogo, red="band1", green="band2", blue="band3", add=TRUE)
is.projected

Sets or retrieves projection attributes on classes extending SpatialData

Description

Sets or retrieves projection attributes on classes extending SpatialData; set or retrieve option value for error or warning on exceedance of geographical coordinate range, set or retrieve option value for exceedance tolerance of geographical coordinate range. Note that only “+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84” is accepted for geographical coordinates, which must be ordered (eastings, northings); the “+ellps=” definition must be given (or expanded internally from a given “+datum=” value) for recent versions of the PROJ library, and should be set to an appropriate value.

From release 6 of the PROJ library, when used in building rgdal with GDAL >= 3, the +datum= key in the Proj.4 string CRS representation is deprecated, and the +towgs84= and +nadgrids= keys may be deprecated soon. For this reason, sp, rgdal and sf are starting to use WKT2 (2019) string representations. In sp, the “CRS” object in itself remains unchanged, but the content of its “projargs” slot may be degraded. To work around the degradation, a comment is added around the “CRS” object containing a WKT2 (2019) string when rgdal is available and built with PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >=3. The wkt() accessor function returns the WKT2 (2019) string comment belonging to the “CRS” object.

Usage

is.projected(obj)
proj4string(obj)
proj4string(obj) <- value
wkt(obj)
gtl_warn()
gtl_TOL()
gtlCRS_warn()
set_gtl_warn(value)
set_gtl_TOL(value)
set_gtlCRS_warn(value)

Arguments

obj
An object of class or extending Spatial-class

value
For proj4string CRS object, containing a valid proj4 string; attempts to assign an object containing “longlat” to data extending beyond longitude [-180, 360] or latitude [-90, 90] will be stopped. For set_gtl_warn a single logical value, if FALSE (default) error on range exceedance, if TRUE, warning. For set_gtl_TOL the value of the power of .Machine$double.eps (default 0.25) to use as tolerance in testing range exceedance. set_gtlCRS_warn may be used to turn off warnings issued when changing object CRS with the proj4string replacement method (by setting value=FALSE).
Details

proj4 strings are operative through CRAN package rgdal. For strings defined as “longlat”, the minimum longitude should be -180, the maximum longitude 360, the minimum latitude -90, and the maximum latitude 90. Note that the \texttt{proj4string} replacement method does not project spatial data - for this use \texttt{spTransform} methods in the rgdal package.

Value

\texttt{is.projected} returns a logical that may be \texttt{NA}; \texttt{proj4string} returns a character vector of length 1.

Author(s)

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See Also

\texttt{CRS}

Examples

\begin{verbatim}
o <- new("Spatial")
proj4string(o) <- CRS("+init=epsg:27700")
if (!is.null(comment(slot(o, "proj4string")))) {
    cat(unsplit(wkt(o), "\n")[[1]], sep="\n")
    cat(unsplit(wkt(slot(o, "proj4string")), "\n")[[1]], sep="\n")
}
\end{verbatim}

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\begin{itemize}
  \item \texttt{Line} \hspace{1cm} create objects of class \texttt{Line} or \texttt{Lines}
\end{itemize}

Description

create objects of class Line or Lines from coordinates

Usage

\begin{verbatim}
Line(coords)
Lines(slinelist, ID)
\end{verbatim}

Arguments

\begin{verbatim}
  coords  \hspace{1cm} 2-column numeric matrix with coordinates for a single line
  slinelist \hspace{1cm} list with elements of class \texttt{Line-class}
  ID \hspace{1cm} a single word unique character identifier, character vector of length one
\end{verbatim}
Value

Line returns an object of class Line-class; Lines returns an object of class Lines-class

See Also

SpatialLines-class

Examples

# from the sp vignette:
l1 = cbind(c(1,2,3),c(3,2,2))
l1a = cbind(l1[,1]+.05,l1[,2]+.05)
l2 = cbind(c(1,2,3),c(1,1.5,1))
Sl1 = Line(l1)
Sl1a = Line(l1a)
Sl2 = Line(l2)
S1 = Lines(list(Sl1, Sl1a), ID="a")
S2 = Lines(list(Sl2), ID="b")
Lines-class

Class "Lines"

Description

class for sets of line objects

Arguments

  SL, Lines
  an Lines object

Objects from the Class

  Objects can be created by calls to the function Line

Slots

  Lines: Object of class "list", containing elements of class Line-class
  ID: "character" vector of length one, with unique identifier string

Methods

  coordinates signature(obj = "Line"): retrieve coordinates from lines; returns list with matrices
  lines signature(x = "Line"): add lines to a plot

Author(s)

  Roger Bivand, Edzer Pebesma

See Also

  Lines-class, SpatialLines-class

loadMeuse

deprecated function to load the Meuse data set

Description

deprecated function to load the Meuse data set

Usage

  loadMeuse()

Value

  none; it prints a warning to run demo(meuse)
mapasp

See Also

meuse, meuse.grid

Examples

demo(meuse)

mapasp

Calculate aspect ratio for plotting geographic maps; create nice degree axis labels

Description

Calculate aspect ratio for plotting geographic maps; create nice degree axis labels

Usage

mapasp(data, xlim, ylim)
degreeLabelsEW(x)
degreeLabelsNS(x)

Arguments

data object of class or extending Spatial
xlim the xlim argument passed (or derived from bounding box)
ylim the ylim argument passed (or derived from bounding box)
x numeric; values at which tics and marks will be generated

Value

mapasp is used for the aspect argument in lattice plots and spplot;
let x = dy/dx, with dy and dx the y- and x-size of the map.
let s = 1/cos((My * pi)/180) with My the y coordinate of the middle of the map (the mean of ylim)
for latlong (longlat) data, mapasp returns s * x. for other data, mapasp returns "iso".

Note

the values for x are typically obtained from axTicks

See Also

levelplot in package lattice
merge

Merge a Spatial* object having attributes with a data.frame

Description

Merge a Spatial object having a data.frame (i.e. merging of non-spatial attributes).

Usage

```r
## S4 method for signature 'Spatial, data.frame'
merge(x, y, by = intersect(names(x), names(y)),
      by.x = by, by.y = by, all.x = TRUE, suffixes = c(".x", ".y"),
      incomparables = NULL, duplicateGeoms = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

- `x`: object deriving from `Spatial`
- `y`: object of class `data.frame`, or any other class that can be coerced to a data.frame with `as.data.frame`
- `by, by.x, by.y`: specifications of the common columns. See 'Details' in (base) `merge`.
- `all.x`: logical; if TRUE, then the returned object will have all rows of `x`, even those that has no matching row in `y`. These rows will have NAs in those columns that are usually filled with values from `y`
- `suffixes`: character(2) specifying the suffixes to be used for making non-by names() unique.
- `incomparables`: values which cannot be matched. See `match`.
- `duplicateGeoms`: logical; if TRUE geometries in `x` are duplicated if there are multiple matches between records in `x` and `y`
- `...`: arguments to be passed to or from methods.

Value

a Spatial* object

Author(s)

Robert J. Hijmans

See Also

merge
Meuse river data set

Description

This data set gives locations and topsoil heavy metal concentrations, along with a number of soil and landscape variables at the observation locations, collected in a flood plain of the river Meuse, near the village of Stein (NL). Heavy metal concentrations are from composite samples of an area of approximately 15 m x 15 m.

Usage

data(meuse)

Format

This data frame contains the following columns:

- x  a numeric vector; Easting (m) in Rijksdriehoek (RDH) (Netherlands topographical) map coordinates
- y  a numeric vector; Northing (m) in RDH coordinates
- cadmium  topsoil cadmium concentration, mg kg-1 soil ("ppm"); zero cadmium values in the original data set have been shifted to 0.2 (half the lowest non-zero value)
- copper  topsoil copper concentration, mg kg-1 soil ("ppm")
- lead  topsoil lead concentration, mg kg-1 soil ("ppm")
- zinc  topsoil zinc concentration, mg kg-1 soil ("ppm")
- elev  relative elevation above local river bed, m
- dist  distance to the Meuse; obtained from the nearest cell in meuse.grid, which in turn was derived by a spread (spatial distance) GIS operation, horizontal precision 20 metres; then normalized to $[0,1]$
- om  organic matter, kg (100 kg)-1 soil (percent)
- ffreq  flooding frequency class: 1 = once in two years; 2 = once in ten years; 3 = one in 50 years
- soil  soil type according to the 1:50 000 soil map of the Netherlands. 1 = Rd10A (Calcaneous weakly-developed meadow soils, light sandy clay); 2 = Rd90C/VII (Non-calcaneous weakly-developed meadow soils, heavy sandy clay to light clay); 3 = Bkd26/VII (Red Brick soil, fine-sandy, silty light clay)
- lime  lime class: 0 = absent, 1 = present by field test with 5% HCl
- landuse  landuse class: Aa Agriculture/unspecified = , Ab = Agr/sugar beetsm, Ag = Agr/small grains, Ah = Agr/??, Am = Agr/maize, B = woods, Bw = trees in pasture, DEN = ??, Fh = tall fruit trees, Fl = low fruit trees; Fw = fruit trees in pasture, Ga = home gardens, SPO = sport field, STA = stable yard, Tv = ?? , W = pasture
- dist.m  distance to river Meuse in metres, as obtained during the field survey
Note

row.names refer to the original sample number.

Soil units were mapped with a minimum delineation width of 150 m, and so somewhat generalize the landscape.

Approximate equivalent World Reference Base 2002 for Soil Resources names are: Rd10A Gleyic Fluvisols; Rd90C Haplic Fluvisols; Bkd26 Haplic Luvisols. Units Rd90C and Bkd26 have winter groundwater > 80cm, summer > 120cm depth.

Author(s)

Field data were collected by Ruud van Rijn and Mathieu Rikken; compiled for R by Edzer Pebesma; description extended by David Rossiter

References

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Stichting voor Bodemkartering (STIBOKA), 1970. Bodemkaart van Nederland : Blad 59 Peer, Blad 60 West en 60 Oost Sittard: schaal 1 : 50 000. Wageningen, STIBOKA.

http://www.gstat.org/

Examples

data(meuse)
summary(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) <- ~x+y
proj4string(meuse) <- CRS("+init=epsg:28992")

meuse.grid Prediction Grid for Meuse Data Set

Description

The meuse.grid data frame has 3103 rows and 7 columns; a grid with 40 m x 40 m spacing that covers the Meuse study area (see meuse)

Usage

data(meuse.grid)
Format

This data frame contains the following columns:

- **x**: a numeric vector; x-coordinate (see meuse)
- **y**: a numeric vector; y-coordinate (see meuse)
- **dist**: distance to the Meuse river; obtained by a spread (spatial distance) GIS operation, from border of river; normalized to $[0,1]$
- **ffreq**: flooding frequency class, for definitions see this item in meuse; it is not known how this map was generated
- **part.a**: arbitrary division of the area in two areas, a and b
- **part.b**: see part.a
- **soil**: soil type, for definitions see this item in meuse; it is questionable whether these data come from a real soil map, they do not match the published 1:50 000 map

Details

- $x$ and $y$ are in RD New, the Dutch topographical map coordinate system. Roger Bivand projected this to UTM in the R-Grass interface package.

Source

http://www.gstat.org/

References

See the meuse documentation

Examples

data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) = ~x+y
proj4string(meuse.grid) <- CRS("+init=epsg:28992")
gridded(meuse.grid) = TRUE
spplot(meuse.grid)

meuse.grid_ll

Description

The object contains the meuse.grid data as a SpatialPointsDataFrame after transformation to WGS84 and geographical coordinates.

Usage

data(meuse.grid_ll)
**Format**

The format is: Formal class 'SpatialPointsDataFrame' [package "sp"].

**Source**

See the meuse documentation

**Examples**

data(meuse.grid_ll)

data(meuse.grid)

data(meuse.area)

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<th>River Meuse outline</th>
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**Description**

The `meuse.riv` data consists of an outline of the Meuse river in the area a few kilometers around the `meuse` data set.

The `meuse.area` polygon has an outline of `meuse.grid`. See example below how it can be created from `meuse.grid`.

**Usage**

data(meuse.riv)

data(meuse.area)

**Format**

- `meuse.riv`: two-column data.frame containing 176 coordinates.
- `meuse.area`: two-column matrix with coordinates of outline.

**Details**

x and y are in RDM, the Dutch topographical map coordinate system. See examples of `spTransform` in the rgdal package for projection parameters.

**References**

See the meuse documentation
Examples

data(meuse.riv)
plot(meuse.riv, type = "l", asp = 1)
data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) = c("x", "y")
gridded(meuse.grid) = TRUE
image(meuse.grid, "dist", add = TRUE)
data(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) = c("x", "y")
meuse.sr = SpatialPolygons(list(Polygons(list(Polygon(meuse.riv)),"meuse.riv")))
spplot(meuse.grid, col.regions=bpy.colors(), main = "meuse.grid",
       sp.layout=list(
       list("sp.polygons", meuse.sr),
       list("sp.points", meuse, pch="+", col="black")
       ))
spplot(meuse, "zinc", col.regions=bpy.colors(), main = "zinc, ppm",
       cuts = c(100,200,400,700,1200,2000), key.space = "right",
       sp.layout= list("sp.polygons", meuse.sr, fill = "lightblue")
       )

# creating meuse.area from meuse.grid:
if (require(rgdal)) {
  meuse.area = gUnaryUnion(as(meuse.grid, "SpatialPolygons"))
  plot(meuse.area)
}

over-methods

consistent spatial overlay for points, grids and polygons

Description

consistent spatial overlay for points, grids and polygons: at the spatial locations of object x retrieves
the indexes or attributes from spatial object y

Usage

over(x, y, returnList = FALSE, fn = NULL, ...)
ex %over% y

Arguments

x geometry (locations) of the queries
y layer from which the geometries or attributes are queried
returnList logical; see value
fn (optional) a function; see value
... arguments passed on to function fn, except for the special argument minDimension: minimal dimension for an intersection to be counted; -1 takes any intersection, and does not order; 0 takes any intersection but will order according to dimensionality of the intersections (if returnList is TRUE, 1 (2) selects intersections with dimension 1, meaning lines (2, meaning areas); see vignette("over") for details

Value

If y is only geometry an object of length length(x). If returnList is FALSE, a vector with the (first) index of y for each geometry (point, grid cell centre, polygon or lines) matching x. if returnList is TRUE, a list of length length(x), with list element i the vector of all indices of the geometries in y that correspond to the i-th geometry in x.

If y has attribute data, attribute data are returned. returnList is FALSE, a data.frame with number of rows equal to length(x) is returned, if it is TRUE a list with length(x) elements is returned, with a list element the data.frame elements of all geometries in y that correspond to that element of x.

In case the rgeos over methods are used, matching is done by gRelate, which uses DE-9IM (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/DE-9IM). From the string returned, characters 1, 2, 4 and 5 are used, indicating the dimension of the overlap of the inner and boundary of each x geometry with the inner and boundary of each y geometry. The order in which matched y geometries are returned is determined by the dimension of the overlap (2: area overlap, 1: line in common, 0: point in common), and then by the position in the string (1, 2, 4, 5, meaning points in polygons are preferred over points on polygon boundaries).

Methods

x = "SpatialPoints", y = "SpatialPolygons" returns a numeric vector of length equal to the number of points; the number is the index (number) of the polygon of y in which a point falls; NA denotes the point does not fall in a polygon; if a point falls in multiple polygons, the last polygon is recorded.

x = "SpatialPointsDataFrame", y = "SpatialPolygons" equal to the previous method, except that an argument fn=xxx is allowed, e.g. fn = mean which will then report a data.frame with the mean attribute values of the x points falling in each polygon (set) of y

x = "SpatialPoints", y = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame" returns a data.frame of the second argument with row entries corresponding to the first argument

x = "SpatialPolygons", y = "SpatialPoints" returns the polygon index of points in y; if x is a SpatialPolygonsDataFrame, a data.frame with rows from x corresponding to points in y is returned.

x = "SpatialGridDataFrame", y = "SpatialPoints" returns object of class SpatialPointsDataFrame with grid attribute values x at spatial point locations y; NA for NA grid cells or points outside grid, and NA values on NA grid cells.

x = "SpatialGrid", y = "SpatialPoints" returns grid values x at spatial point locations y; NA for NA grid cells or points outside the grid

x = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame", y = "SpatialPoints" returns grid values x at spatial point locations y; NA for NA grid cells or points outside the grid
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x = "SpatialPixels", y = "SpatialPoints" returns grid values x at spatial point locations y; NA for NA grid cells or points outside the grid
x = "SpatialPoints", y = "SpatialGrid" xx
x = "SpatialPoints", y = "SpatialGridDataFrame" xx
x = "SpatialPoints", y = "SpatialPixels" xx
x = "SpatialPoints", y = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame" xx
x = "SpatialPolygons", y = "SpatialGridDataFrame" xx

Note

over can be seen as a left outer join in SQL; the match is a spatial intersection.
points on a polygon boundary and points corresponding to a polygon vertex are considered to be inside the polygon.
These methods assume that pixels and grid cells are never overlapping; for objects of class SpatialPixels this is not guaranteed.
over methods that involve SpatialLines objects, or pairs of SpatialPolygons require package rgeos, and use gIntersects.

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See Also

vignette("over") for examples and figures; point.in.polygon, package gIntersects

Examples

```r
r1 = cbind(c(180114, 180553, 181127, 181477, 181294, 181007, 180409, 180162, 180114), c(332349, 332057, 332342, 33250, 333558, 333676, 332618, 332413, 332349))
r2 = cbind(c(180042, 180545, 180553, 180314, 179955, 179142, 179437, 179524, 179979, 180042), c(332373, 332026, 331426, 331426, 330889, 330683, 331133, 331623, 332152, 332357, 332373))
r3 = cbind(c(179110, 179907, 180433, 180712, 180752, 180329, 179875, 179668, 179572, 179269, 178879, 178600, 178544, 179046, 179110), c(331086, 330620, 330494, 330265, 330075, 330233, 330336, 330004, 329783, 329665, 329720, 329933, 330478, 331062, 331086))
r4 = cbind(c(180304, 180403, 179632, 179420, 180304), c(332791, 333304, 333635, 333058, 332791))
sr1=Polygons(list(Polygon(r1)),"r1")
sr2=Polygons(list(Polygon(r2)),"r2")
sr3=Polygons(list(Polygon(r3)),"r3")
sr4=Polygons(list(Polygon(r4)),"r4")
sr=SpatialPolygons(list(sr1,sr2,sr3,sr4))
srdf=SpatialPolygonsDataFrame(sr, data.frame(cbind(1:4,5:2), row.names=c("r1","r2","r3","r4"))
```
data(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) = ~x+y

plot(meuse)
polygon(r1)
polygon(r2)
polygon(r3)
polygon(r4)

# retrieve mean heavy metal concentrations per polygon:
over(sr, meuse[,1:4], fn = mean)

# return the number of points in each polygon:
sapply(over(sr, geometry(meuse), returnList = TRUE), length)

data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) = ~x+y
gridded(meuse.grid) = TRUE

over(sr, geometry(meuse))
over(sr, meuse)
over(sr, geometry(meuse), returnList = TRUE)
over(sr, meuse, returnList = TRUE)

over(meuse, sr)
over(meuse, srdf)

# same thing, with grid:
over(sr, meuse.grid)
over(sr, meuse.grid, fn = mean)
over(sr, meuse.grid, returnList = TRUE)

over(meuse.grid, sr)
over(meuse.grid, srdf, fn = mean)
over(as(meuse.grid, "SpatialPoints"), sr)
over(as(meuse.grid, "SpatialPoints"), srdf)

panel.splot

panel and panel utility functions for spplot

Description

panel functions for spplot functions, and functions that can be useful within these panel functions

Usage

spplot.key(sp.layout, rows = 1, cols = 1)
SpatialPolygonsRescale(obj, offset, scale = 1, fill = "black", col = "black",
plot.grid = TRUE, ...
sp.lines(obj, col = 1, ...)
sp.points(obj, pch = 3, ...)
panel.spplot

sp.polygons(obj, col = 1, fill = "transparent", ...)
sp.grid(obj, col = 1, alpha = 1,..., at = pretty(obj[[1]]), col.regions = col)
sp.text(loc, txt, ...)
sp.panel.layout(lst, p.number, ...)
bexpand(x, fraction)

Arguments

sp.layout list; see spplot for definition
rows integer; panel row(s) for which the layout should be drawn
cols integer; panel column(s) for which the layout should be drawn
obj object of class SpatialPolygons-class for SpatialPolygonsRescale; of class SpatialLines-class, Lines-class or Line-class for sp.lines of a class that has a coordinates-methods for sp.points; of class SpatialPolygons-class for sp.polygons. When obj is character, the actual object is retrieved by get(obj) before its class is evaluated.
offset offset for shifting a Polygons object
scale scale for rescaling
fill fill color
col line color
plot.grid logical; plot through grid functions (TRUE), or through traditional graphics functions (FALSE)
pch plotting character
at numeric; values at which colour breaks should occur
col.regions colours to fill the grid cells, defaults to col
loc numeric vector of two elements
txt text to be plotted
alpha alpha (transparency) level
lst sp.layout argument, see spplot
p.number panel number; in a panel, panel.number() should be passed to this argument
x length two numeric vector, containing a range
fraction fraction to expand the range by
... arguments passed to the underlying panel, lattice or grid functions

Note

The panel functions of spplot, panel.gridplot for grids, panel.pointsplot for points, or panel.polygonsplot for lines or polygons can be called with arguments \((x, y, \ldots)\). Customizing spplot plots can be done by extending the panel function, or by supplying an sp.layout argument; see the documentation for spplot. Inside these panel functions, sp.panel.layout is called to deal with plotting the items in a sp.layout object.

SpatialPolygonsRescale scales and shifts an object of class SpatialPolygons-class; this is useful e.g. for scale bars, or other layout items.
**point.in.polygon**

sp.lines, sp.points, sp.polygons and sp.text plot lines, points, polygons or text in a panel. `spplot.key` draws the sp.layout object at given rows/cols. sp.pagefn can be passed as a page argument, and will call function `spplot.key` for the last panel drawn on a page.

**Author(s)**

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**References**

[https://edzer.github.io/sp/](https://edzer.github.io/sp/) has a graph gallery with examples with R code.

**See Also**

spplot, spplot-methods

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<th>point.in.polygon</th>
<th>do point(s) fall in a given polygon?</th>
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**Description**

verifies for one or more points whether they fall in a given polygon

**Usage**

```r
point.in.polygon(point.x, point.y, pol.x, pol.y, mode.checked=FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

- `point.x` numerical array of x-coordinates of points
- `point.y` numerical array of y-coordinates of points
- `pol.x` numerical array of x-coordinates of polygon
- `pol.y` numerical array of y-coordinates of polygon
- `mode.checked` default FALSE, used internally to save time when all the other argument are known to be of storage mode double

**Value**

integer array; values are: 0: point is strictly exterior to pol; 1: point is strictly interior to pol; 2: point lies on the relative interior of an edge of pol; 3: point is a vertex of pol.

**References**

Uses the C function InPoly(). InPoly is Copyright (c) 1998 by Joseph O’Rourke. It may be freely redistributed in its entirety provided that this copyright notice is not removed.
Examples

# open polygon:
point.in.polygon(1:10,1:10,c(3,5,5,3),c(3,3,5,5))
# closed polygon:
point.in.polygon(1:10,rep(4,10),c(3,5,5,3,3),c(3,3,5,5,3))

---

**Polygon-class**  
*Class "Polygon"*

Description

class for spatial polygon

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls to the function Polygon

Slots

- **ringDir**: Object of class "integer"; the ring direction of the ring (polygon) coordinates, holes are expected to be anti-clockwise
- **labpt**: Object of class "numeric"; an x, y coordinate pair forming the label point of the polygon
- **area**: Object of class "numeric"; the planar area of the polygon, does not respect projection as objects of this class have no projection defined
- **hole**: Object of class "logical"; does the polygon seem to be a hole
- **coords**: Object of class "matrix"; coordinates of the polygon; first point should equal the last point

Extends

Class "Line", directly.

Methods

No methods defined with class "Polygon" in the signature.

Author(s)

Roger Bivand

See Also

Polygons-class, SpatialPolygons-class
polymgons

sets spatial coordinates to create spatial data, or retrieves spatial coordinates

Description

sets spatial coordinates to create spatial data, or retrieves spatial coordinates

Usage

polygons(obj)
polygons(object) <- value

Arguments

obj object of class "SpatialPolygons" or "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame"
object object of class "data.frame"
value object of class "SpatialPolygons"

Value

polygons returns the SpatialPolygons of obj; polygons<- promotes a data.frame to a SpatialPolygonsDataFrame object

Examples

grd <- GridTopology(c(1,1), c(1,1), c(10,10))
polys <- as.SpatialPolygons.GridTopology(grd)
centroids <- coordinates(polys)
x <- centroids[,1]
y <- centroids[,2]
z <- 1.4 + 0.1*x + 0.2*y + 0.002*x*x
df <- data.frame(x=x, y=y, z=z, row.names=row.names(polys))
polygons(df) <- polys
class(df)
summary(df)
Slots

Polygons: Object of class "list": list with objects of class Polygon-class

plotOrder: Object of class "integer": order in which the Polygon objects should be plotted, currently by order of decreasing size

labpt: Object of class "numeric": pair of x, y coordinates giving a label point, the label point of the largest polygon component

ID: Object of class "character": unique identifier string

area: Object of class "numeric": the gross total planar area of the Polygon list but not double-counting holes (changed from 0.9-58 - islands are summed, holes are ignored rather than subtracted); these values are used to make sure that polygons of a smaller area are plotted after polygons of a larger area, does not respect projection as objects of this class have no projection defined

Methods

No methods defined with class "Polygons" in the signature.

Note

By default, single polygons (where Polygons is a list of length one) are not expected to be holes, but in multiple polygons, hole definitions for member polygons can be set. Polygon objects belonging to an Polygons object should either not overlap one-other, or should be fully included (as lakes or islands in lakes). They should not be self-intersecting. Checking of hole FALSE/TRUE status for Polygons objects is included in the maptools package using functions in the rgeos package, function checkPolygonsHoles().

Author(s)

Roger Bivand

polygons-methods  Retrieve polygons from SpatialPolygonsDataFrame object

Description

Retrieve polygons from SpatialPolygonsDataFrame object

Methods for polygons

  obj = "SpatialPolygons"  object of, or deriving from, SpatialPolygons

  obj = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame"  object of, or deriving from, SpatialPolygonsDataFrame

Methods for "polygons<-"

  object = "data.frame", value="SpatialPolygons"  promote data.frame to object of class SpatialPolygonsDataFrame-class, by specifying polygons
read.asciigrid  

**Description**
read/write to/from ESRI asciigrid format

**Usage**

```r
read.asciigrid(fname, as.image = FALSE, plot.image = FALSE, colname = fname, proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)))
write.asciigrid(x, fname, attr = 1, na.value = -9999, ...)
```

**Arguments**

- `fname` file name
- `as.image` logical; if FALSE, a list is returned, ready to be shown with the `image` command; if FALSE an object of class `SpatialGridDataFrame-class` is returned
- `plot.image` logical; if TRUE, an image of the map is plotted
- `colname` alternative name for data column if not file name
- `proj4string` A CRS object setting the projection arguments of the Spatial Grid returned
- `x` object of class `SpatialGridDataFrame`
- `attr` attribute column; if missing, the first column is taken; a name or a column number may be given
- `na.value` numeric; value given to missing valued cells in the resulting map
- `...` arguments passed to `write.table`, which is used to write the numeric data

**Value**
read.asciigrid returns the grid map read; either as an object of class `SpatialGridDataFrame-class` or, if `as.image` is TRUE, as list with components `x`, `y` and `z`.

**Author(s)**
Edzer Pebesma

**See Also**

`as.image`, `SpatialGridDataFrame`, `image`

**Examples**

```r
x <- read.asciigrid(system.file("external/test.ag", package="sp")[1])
class(x)
image(x)
```
Description

Methods for function `recenter` in package `sp` to shift or re-center geographical coordinates for a Pacific view. All longitudes < 0 are added to 360, to avoid for instance parts of Alaska being represented on the far left and right of a plot because they have values straddling 180 degrees. In general, using a projected coordinate reference system is to be preferred, but this method permits a geographical coordinate reference system to be used. This idea was suggested by Greg Snow, and corresponds to the two world representations in the `maps` package.

Methods

- `obj = "SpatialPolygons"` recenter a SpatialPolygons object
- `obj = "Polygons"` recenter a Polygons object
- `obj = "Polygon"` recenter an Polygon object
- `obj = "SpatialLines"` recenter a SpatialLines object
- `obj = "Lines"` recenter a Lines object
- `obj = "Line"` recenter an Line object

Examples

```r
crds <- matrix(c(179, -179, -179, 179, 50, 50, 52, 52), ncol=2)
SL <- SpatialLines(list(Lines(list(Line(crds)), "1")),
  CRS("+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84"))
bbox(SL)
SLr <- recenter(SL)
bbox(SLr)
rcrds <- rbind(crds, crds[1,])
SpP <- SpatialPolygons(list(Polygons(list(Polygon(rcrds)), ID="r1")),
  proj4string=CRS("+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84"))
bbox(SpP)
SpPr <- recenter(SpP)
bbox(SpPr)
par(opar) <- par(mfrow=c(1,2))
plot(SpP)
plot(SpPr)
par(opar)
```

Description

Rlogo jpeg image data as imported by getRasterData in the rgdal package

Usage

data(Rlogo)

Format

The format is: int [1:101, 1:77, 1:3] 255 255 255 255 255 255 255 255 255 255 ...

Examples

## Not run:
library(rgdal)
logo <- system.file("pictures/Rlogo.jpg", package="rgdal")[1]
x <- GDAL.open(logo)
gt = .Call("RGDAL_GetGeoTransform", x, PACKAGE="rgdal")
data <- getRasterData(x)
GDAL.close(x)

## End(Not run)
data(Rlogo)
d = dim(Rlogo)
cells.dim = c(d[1], d[2]) # c(d[2],d[1])
cellcentre.offset = c(x = gt[1] + 0.5 * cellsize[1], y = gt[4] - (d[2] - 0.5) * abs(cellsize[2]))
grid = GridTopology(cellcentre.offset, cellsize, cells.dim)
df = as.vector(Rlogo[,,1])
for (band in 2:d[3]) df = cbind(df, as.vector(Rlogo[,,band]))
df = as.data.frame(df)
names(df) = paste("band", 1:d[3], sep"")
Rlogo <- SpatialGridDataFrame(grid = grid, data = df)
summary(Rlogo)
spplot(Rlogo, zcol=1:3, names.attr=c("red","green","blue"),
col.regions=grey(c(0:100/100),
main="example of three-layer (RGB) raster image", as.table=TRUE)
select.spatial  

select points spatially

Description

select a number of points by digitizing the area they fall in

Usage

select.spatial(data, digitize = TRUE, pch = "+", rownames = FALSE)

Arguments

data  
data object of class, or extending SpatialPoints; this object knows about its x and y coordinate

digitize  
logical; if TRUE, points in a digitized polygon are selected; if FALSE, points identified by mouse clicks are selected

pch  
plotting character used for points

rownames  
logical; if FALSE, row (coordinate) numbers are returned; if TRUE and data contains a data.frame part, row.names for selected points in the data.frame are returned.

Value

if rownames == FALSE, array with either indexes (row numbers) of points inside the digitized polygon; if rownames == TRUE, character array with corresponding row names in the data.frame part

See Also

point.in.polygon, locator, SpatialPoints-class, SpatialPointsDataFrame-class

Examples

data(meuse)
## the following command requires user interaction: left mouse
## selects points, right mouse ends digitizing
data(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) = c("x", "y")
# select.spatial(meuse)
Description

This package provides S4 classes for importing, manipulating and exporting spatial data in R, and for methods including print/show, plot, subset, $, [[, $, names, dim, summary, and a number of methods specific to spatial data handling.

Introduction

Several spatial statistical packages have been around for a long while, but no organized set of classes for spatial data has yet been devised. Many of the spatial packages make their own assumptions, or use their own class definitions for spatial data, making it inconvenient to move from one package to another. This package tries to provide a solid set of classes for many different types of spatial data. The idea is that spatial statistical packages will either support these classes (i.e., directly read and write them) or will provide conversion to them, so that we have a base class set with which any package can exchange. This way, many-to-many conversions can be replace with one-to-many conversions, provided either in this package or the spatial packages. Wherever possible conversion (coercion) functions are automatic, or provided by sp.

External packages that depend on sp will provide importing and exporting from and to external GIS formats, e.g. through GDAL, OGR or shapelib.

In addition, this package tries to provide convenient methods to print, summarize and plot such spatial data.

Dimensions

In principal, geographical data are two-dimensional, on a flat surface (a map) or on a sphere (the earth). This package provides space for dealing with higher dimensional data where possible; this is e.g. very simple for points and grids, but hard to do for polygons. Plotting functions are devised primarily for two-dimensional data, or two-dimensional projections of higher dimensional data.

Coordinate reference systems

Central to spatial data is that they have a coordinate reference system, which is coded in object of CRS class. Central to operations on different spatial data sets is that their coordinate reference system is compatible (i.e., identical).

This CRS can be a character string describing a reference system in a way understood by the PROJ.4 projection library, or a (character) missing value. An interface to the PROJ.4 library is available only if the R package rgdal is present.

Class structure

All spatial classes derive from a basic class Spatial, which only provides a bounding box and a CRS. This class has no useful instances, but useful derived classes.
SpatialPoints extends Spatial and has coordinates. The method coordinates extracts the numeric matrix with coordinates from an object of class SpatialPoints, or from other (possibly derived) classes that have points.

Objects of class SpatialGrid points on a regular grid. Either a full grid is stored or a partial grid (i.e., only the non-missing valued cells); calling coordinates on them will give the coordinates for the grid cells.

SpatialPoints, SpatialPixels and SpatialGrid can be of arbitrary dimension, although most of the effort is in making them work for two dimensional data.

SpatialLines provides lines, and SpatialPolygons provides polygons, i.e., lines that end where they start and do not intersect with itself. SpatialLines and SpatialPolygons only have two-dimensional data.

SpatialPointsDataFrame extends SpatialPoints with a data slot, having a data.frame with attribute data. Similarly, SpatialPixelsDataFrame, SpatialLinesDataFrame, SpatialPolygonsDataFrame extend the primary spatial information with attribute data.

References

PROJ.4: https://github.com/OSGeo/proj.4

GDAL and OGR: http://www.gdal.org/.

Authors

sp is a collaborative effort of Edzer Pebesma, Roger Bivand, Barry Rowlingson and Virgilo Gi’omez-Rubio.

sp-deprecated

Deprecation functions in sp

Description

Deprecated functions in sp: getSpP*, getPolygon*, getLines* getSL*

Note

For overlay the new implementation is found in the over method; this works slightly different and more consistent.
Spatial-class  

Class "Spatial"

Description

An abstract class from which useful spatial classes are derived

Usage

Spatial(bbox, proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)))
# S3 method for class 'Spatial'
subset(x, subset, select, drop = FALSE, ...)

Arguments

bbox a bounding box matrix
proj4string a CRS object
x object of class Spatial
subset see subset.data.frame
select see subset.data.frame
drop see subset.data.frame
... passed through

Objects from the Class

are never to be generated; only derived classes can be meaningful

Slots

bbox: Object of class "matrix"; 2-column matrix holding the minimum in first and maximum in second column for the x-coordinate (first row), y-coordinate (second row) and optionally, for points and grids only, further coordinates. The constructed Spatial object will be invalid if any bbox values are NA or infinite. The column names must be c("min","max")

proj4string: Object of class "CRS". The name of this slot was chosen to reflect the use of Proj.4 strings to represent coordinate reference systems (CRS). The slot name will continue to be used, but as PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3 are taken into use for reading files and for projection and transformation, the Proj.4 string CRS representation is being supplemented by a WKT2 (2019) representation. The reason for the modification is that important keys in the Proj.4 string representation are being deprecated in PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3. Legacy "CRS" objects hold only a valid Proj.4 string, which can be used for unprojecting or reprojecting coordinates; it is initialised to NA. If the "CRS" object is instantiated using CRS() with rgdal using PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3, the object may also have a WKT2 (2019) string carried as a comment. Non-NA strings may be checked for validity in the rgdal package, but attempts to assign a string containing "longlat" to data extending beyond longitude [-180, 360] or latitude [-90, 90] will be stopped or warned, use set_ll_warn to warn rather than stop, and set_ll_TOL to change the default tolerance for the range exceedance tests.
Methods

bbox signature(obj = "Spatial"): retrieves the bbox element

dimensions signature(obj = "Spatial"): retrieves the number of spatial dimensions spanned

gridded signature(obj = "Spatial"): logical, tells whether the data is on a regular spatial grid

plot signature(x = "Spatial", y = "missing"): plot method for spatial objects; does nothing but setting up a plotting region choosing a suitable aspect if not given (see below), colouring the plot background using either a bg= argument or par("bg"), and possibly drawing axes.

summary signature(object = "Spatial"): summarize object

$ retrieves attribute column

$<- sets or replaces attribute column, or promote a geometry-only object to an object having an attribute

rebuild_CRS rebuild a CRS object, usually used to add a WKT comment with PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3

plot method arguments

The plot method for “Spatial” objects takes the following arguments:

x object of class Spatial
xlim default NULL; the x limits (x1, x2) of the plot
ylim default NULL; the y limits of the plot
asp default NA; the y/x aspect ratio
axes default FALSE; a logical value indicating whether both axes should be drawn
bg default par("bg"); colour to be used for the background of the device region
xaxs The style of axis interval calculation to be used for the x-axis
yaxs The style of axis interval calculation to be used for the y-axis
lab A numerical vector of the form c(x, y, len) which modifies the default way that axes are annotated

setParUsrBB default FALSE; set the par “usr” bounding box; see below
bgMap object of class ggmap, or returned by function RgoogleMaps::GetMap
expandBB numeric; factor to expand the plotting region default: bbox(x) with on each side (1=below, 2=left, 3=above and 4=right); defaults to c(0,0,0,0); setting xlim or ylim overrides this.

... passed through

Warning

this class is not useful in itself, but all spatial classes in this package derive from it
Note

The default aspect for map plots is 1; if however data are not projected (coordinates are longlat), the aspect is by default set to 1/cos(My * pi)/180) with My the y coordinate of the middle of the map (the mean of ylim, which defaults to the y range of bounding box).

The argument setParUsrBB may be used to pass the logical value TRUE to functions within plot.Spatial. When set to TRUE, par("usr") will be overwritten with c(xlim,ylim), which defaults to the bounding box of the spatial object. This is only needed in the particular context of graphic output to a specified device with given width and height, to be matched to the spatial object, when using par("xaxs") and par("yaxs") in addition to par(mar=c(0,0,0,0)).

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See Also

SpatialPoints-class, SpatialGrid-class,
SpatialPointsDataFrame-class, SpatialGridDataFrame-class

Examples

```r
o <- new("Spatial")
proj4string(o) <- CRS("+init=epsg:27700")
if (!is.null(comment(slot(o, "proj4string")))) {
  cat(strsplit(wkt(o), "\n")[[1]], sep="\n")
  cat(strsplit(wkt(slot(o, "proj4string")), "\n")[[1]], sep="\n")
}
```

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SpatialGrid-class  Class "SpatialGrid"

Description

class for defining a full, rectangular grid of arbitrary dimension

Objects from the Class

Objects are created by using e.g.

SpatialGrid(grid)

with grid of class GridTopology-class

Slots

grid  object of class GridTopology-class, defining the grid topology (offset, cellsize, dim)
bbox:  Object of class "matrix"; bounding box
proj4string: Object of class "CRS"; projection
Class "SpatialPoints" directly; Class "Spatial", by class "SpatialPoints".

Methods

coordinates signature(x = "SpatialGrid"): calculates coordinates for each point on the grid; coordinates are not stored in objects of class SpatialGrid

summary signature(object = "SpatialGrid"): summarize object

plot signature(x = "SpatialGrid"): plots cell centers

"[" signature(x = "SpatialGrid"): select rows and columns

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See Also

SpatialGridDataFrame-class, SpatialGrid

Examples

x = GridTopology(c(0,0), c(1,1), c(5,5))
class(x)
x
summary(x)
coordinates(x)
y = SpatialGrid(grid = x)
class(y)
y

Description

Class for spatial attributes that have spatial locations on a (full) regular grid.

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form as(x,"SpatialGridDataFrame"), where x is of class SpatialPixelsDataFrame-class, or by importing through rgdal. Ordered full grids are stored instead or unordered non-NA cells;
Slots

- **grid**: see `GridTopology-class`; grid parameters
- **bbox**: Object of class "matrix"; bounding box
- **proj4string**: Object of class "CRS"; projection
- **data**: Object of class data.frame, containing attribute data

Extends

Class "SpatialGrid", directly. Class "Spatial", by class "SpatialGrid".

Methods

- **coordinates** signature(x = "SpatialGridDataFrame"): retrieves (and calculates!) coordinates
- **signature(x = "SpatialGridDataFrame"):** selects rows, columns, and attributes; returns an object of class SpatialGridDataFrame
- **as.matrix** signature(x = "SpatialGridDataFrame"): coerce to matrix; increasing col index corresponds to decreasing y coordinate, row index increases with coordinate index
- **as.array** signature(x = "SpatialGridDataFrame"): coerce to array; increasing array index for the second dimension corresponds to decreasing coordinates, all other coordinate dimensions increase with array index
- **cbind** signature(...): if arguments have identical topology, combine their attribute values

Plot method arguments

The plot methods for “SpatialPixelsDataFrame” or “SpatialGridDataFrame” objects take the following arguments:

- **x** object of class SpatialPixelsDataFrame or SpatialGridDataFrame
- **...** arguments passed on to image.SpatialGridDataFrame
- **attr** integer or character, indicating the attribute variable to be plotted; default 1
- **col** color ramp to be used; default bpy.colors(100) for continuous, or RColorBrewer::brewer.pal(nlevels(x[[1]]),"" for factor variables
- **breaks** for continuous attributes: values at which color breaks should take place
- **zlim** for continuous attributes: numeric of length 2, specifying the range of attribute values to be plotted; default to data range range(as.numeric(x[[attr]])[is.finite(x[[attr]])])
- **axes** logical: draw x and y axes? default FALSE
- **xaxs** character, default "i", see par
- **yaxs** character, default equal to xaxs, see par
- **at** numeric or NULL, values at which axis tics and labels should be drawn; default NULL (use pretty)
- **border** color, to be used for drawing grid lines; default NA (don’t draw grid lines)
- **axis.pos** integer, 1-4; default 4, see axis
- **add.axis** logical: draw axis along scale? default TRUE
what  what to draw: "image", "scale", or "both"; default "both"

scale.size  size for the scale bar; use \texttt{lcm} to specify in absolute size, or a numeric value such as 1/6 to specify relative size; default lcm(2.8)

scale.shrink  non-negative numeric indicating the amount to shrink the scale length, default 0

scale.frac  for categorical attributes: numeric between 0 and 1, indicating the scale width, default 0.3

scale.n  for categorical attributes: integer, indicating how many scale categories should fill a complete width; default 15

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See Also

\texttt{SpatialGrid-class}, which does not contain the attribute data, and \texttt{SpatialPixelsDataFrame-class} which holds possibly incomplete grids

Plotting gridded data with \texttt{sp}: \url{http://r-spatial.org/r/2016/03/08/plotting-spatial-grids.html}

Examples

data(meuse.grid) # only the non-missing valued cells
coordinates(meuse.grid) = c("x", "y") # promote to SpatialPointsDataFrame
gridded(meuse.grid) <- TRUE # promote to SpatialPixelsDataFrame
x = as(meuse.grid, "SpatialGridDataFrame") # creates the full grid
x["idist"] = 1 - x["dist"] # assigns new attribute
image(x["idist"]) # note the single [ for attribute selection

# toy example:
df = data.frame(z = c(1:6,NA,8,9),
    xc = c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3),
    yc = c(rep(c(0, 1.5, 3),3)))
coordinates(df) = ~xc+yc
gridded(df) = TRUE
df = as(df, "SpatialGridDataFrame") # to full grid
image(df["z"]) # draw labels to verify:
cc = coordinates(df)
z=as.character(z)
zc[is.na(zc)]="NA"
text(cc[,1],cc[,2],zc)

# the following is weird, but illustrates the concept of row/col selection:
fullgrid(meuse.grid) = TRUE
image(meuse.grid)
image(meuse.grid[20:70, 10:70, "dist"], add = TRUE, col = bpy.colors())

# as.matrix, as.array
sgdim = c(3,4)
SG = SpatialGrid(GridTopology(rep(0,2), rep(10,2), sgdim))
SGDF = SpatialGridDataFrame(SG, data.frame(val = 1:12))
as.array(SGDF)
as.matrix(SGDF)
as(SGDF, "array")

**SpatialLines**

create objects of class **SpatialLines** or **SpatialLinesDataFrame**

**Description**

create objects of class SpatialLines or SpatialLinesDataFrame from lists of Lines objects and data.frames; extract list od Lines from a SpatialLines object

**Usage**

```r
SpatialLines(LinesList, proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)))
SpatialLinesDataFrame(sl, data, match.ID = TRUE)
as.SpatialLines.SLDF(SLDF)
getSpatialLinesMidPoints(SL)
LineLength(cc, longlat = FALSE, sum = TRUE)
LinesLength(Ls, longlat = FALSE)
SpatialLinesLengths(SL, longlat)
```

**Arguments**

- **LinesList**: list with objects of class Lines-class
- **proj4string**: Object of class "CRS"; holding a valid proj4 string
- **sl, SL**: object of class SpatialLines-class
- **data**: object of class data.frame; the number of rows in data should equal the number of Lines elements in sl
- **match.ID**: logical: (default TRUE): match SpatialLines member Lines ID slot values with data.frame row names, and re-order the data frame rows if necessary; if character: indicates the column in data with Lines IDs to match
- **SLDF**: SpatialLinesDataFrame object
- **Ls**: Object of class Lines
- **cc**: Object of class Line, or two-column matrix with points
- **longlat**: if FALSE, Euclidean distance, if TRUE Great Circle distance in kilometers
- **sum**: logical; if TRUE return scalar length of sum of segments in Line, if FALSE return vector with segment lengths
Value

SpatialLines returns object of class SpatialLines; SpatialLinesDataFrame returns object of class SpatialLinesDataFrame; getSpatialLinesMidPoints returns an object of class SpatialPoints, each point containing the (weighted) mean of the lines elements; weighted in the sense that mean is called twice.

See Also

SpatialLines-class

SpatialLines-class  a class for spatial lines

Description

a class that holds spatial lines

Objects from the Class

hold a list of Lines objects; each Lines object holds a list of Line (line) objects.

Slots

  lines: Object of class "list"; list members are all of class Lines-class
  bbox: Object of class "matrix"; see Spatial-class
  proj4string: Object of class "CRS"; see CRS-class

Extends

Class "Spatial", directly.

Methods

[  signature(obj = "SpatialLines"): select subset of (sets of) lines; NAs are not permitted in the row index
coordinates  value is a list of lists with matrices
plot  signature(x = "SpatialLines", y = "missing"): plot lines in SpatialLines object
lines  signature(x = "SpatialLines"): add lines in SpatialLines object to a plot
rbind  signature(object = "SpatialLines"): rbind-like method, see notes
summary  signature(object = "SpatialLines"): summarize object
plot method arguments

The plot method for “SpatialLines” objects takes the following arguments:

- **x** object of class SpatialLines
- **xlim** default NULL; the x limits (x1, x2) of the plot
- **ylim** default NULL; the y limits of the plot
- **col** default 1; default plotting color
- **lwd** default 1; line width
- **lty** default 1; line type
- **add** default FALSE; add to existing plot
- **axes** default FALSE; a logical value indicating whether both axes should be drawn
- **lend** default 0; line end style
- **ljoin** default 0; line join style
- **lmitre** default 10; line mitre limit
- ... passed through

**setParUsrBB** set the par “usr” bounding box, see note in Spatial-class

Note

**rbind** calls the function **SpatialLines**, where it is checked that all IDs are unique. If rbind-ing SpatialLines without unique IDs, it is possible to set the argument **makeUniqueIDs** = TRUE, although it is preferred to change these explicitly with **spChFIDs**.

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See Also

Line-class, Lines-class

Examples

```
# from the sp vignette:
l1 = cbind(c(1,2,3),c(3,2,2))
rownames(l1) = letters[1:3]
l1a = cbind(l1[,1]+.05,l1[,2]+.05)
rownames(l1a) = letters[1:3]
l2 = cbind(c(1,2,3),c(1,1.5,1))
rownames(l2) = letters[1:3]
S11 = Line(l1)
S11a = Line(l1a)
S12 = Line(l2)
S1 = Lines(list(S11, S11a), ID="a")
S2 = Lines(list(S12), ID="b")
S1 = SpatialLines(list(S1,S2))
```
SpatialLinesDataFrame-class

```
summary(Sl)
plot(Sl, col = c("red", "blue"))
```

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**SpatialLinesDataFrame-class**

* a class for spatial lines with attributes

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**Description**

this class holds data consisting of (sets of lines), where each set of lines relates to an attribute row in a data.frame

**Objects from the Class**

can be created by the function `SpatialLinesDataFrame`

**Slots**

data: Object of class `data.frame` containing the attribute table

lines: Object of class "list"; see `SpatialLines-class`

bbox: Object of class "matrix"; see `Spatial-class`

proj4string: Object of class "CRS"; see `CRS-class`

**Extends**

Class "SpatialLines", directly. Class "Spatial", by class "SpatialLines".

**Methods**

Methods defined with class "SpatialLinesDataFrame" in the signature:

- `signature(x = "SpatialLinesDataFrame")`: subset rows or columns; in case of row subsetting, the line sets are also subsetted; NAs are not permitted in the row index
- `coordinates` signature(obj = "SpatialLinesDataFrame")`: retrieves a list with lists of coordinate matrices
- `show` signature(object = "SpatialLinesDataFrame")`: print method
- `plot` signature(x = "SpatialLinesDataFrame")`: plot points
- `lines` signature(object = "SpatialLinesDataFrame")`: add lines to plot
- `rbind` signature(object = "SpatialLinesDataFrame")`: rbind-like method

**Note**

`rbind` for `SpatialLinesDataFrame` is only possible for objects with unique IDs. If you want to `rbind` objects with duplicated IDs, see `spChFIDs`. 
SpatialMultiPoints

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See Also
SpatialLines-class

SpatialMultiPoints
create objects of class SpatialMultiPoints or SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame-class from coordinates, and from coordinates and data.frames

Usage
SpatialMultiPoints(coords, proj4string=CRS(as.character(NA)), bbox = NULL)
SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame(coords, data,
  proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)), match.ID, bbox = NULL)

Arguments
coords list with in each element a numeric matrix or data.frame with coordinates (each row representing a point); in case of SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame an object of class SpatialMultiPoints-class is also allowed
proj4string projection string of class CRS-class
bbox bounding box matrix, usually NULL and constructed from the data, but may be passed through for coercion purposes if clearly needed
data object of class data.frame; the number of rows in data should equal the number of points in the coords object
match.ID logical or character; if missing, and coords and data both have row names, and their order does not correspond, matching is done by these row names and a warning is issued; this warning can be suppressed by setting match.ID to TRUE. If TRUE AND coords has non-automatic rownames (i.e., coerced to a matrix by as.matrix, dimnames(coords)[[1]] is not NULL), AND data has row.names (i.e. is a data.frame), then the SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame object is formed by matching the row names of both components, leaving the order of the coordinates in tact. Checks are done to see whether both row names are sufficiently unique, and all data are matched. If FALSE, coordinates and data are simply "glued" together, ignoring row names. If character: indicates the column in data with coordinates IDs to use for matching records. See examples below.
Value

SpatialMultiPoints returns an object of class SpatialMultiPoints; SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame returns an object of class SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame;

See Also

coordinates, SpatialMultiPoints-class, SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame-class

Examples

c11 = cbind(rnorm(3, 10), rnorm(3, 10))
c12 = cbind(rnorm(5, 10), rnorm(5, 0))
c13 = cbind(rnorm(7, 0), rnorm(7, 10))

mp = SpatialMultiPoints(list(c11, c12, c13))
mpx = rbind(mp, mp) # rbind method
plot(mp, col = 2, cex = 1, pch = 1:3)
mp
mp[1:2]

print(mp, asWKT=TRUE, digits=3)

mpdf = SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame(list(c11, c12, c13), data.frame(a = 1:3))
mpdf
mpdfx = rbind(mpdf, mpdf) # rbind method

plot(mpdf, col = mpdf$a, cex = 1:3)
as(mpdf, "data.frame")
mpdf[1:2,]

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SpatialMultiPoints-class

Class "SpatialMultiPoints"

Description

Class for (irregularly spaced) MultiPoints

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form SpatialPoints(x).

Slots

cords: Object of class "list", containing the coordinates of point sets (each list element is a matrix)
bbox: Object of class "matrix", with bounding box
proj4string: Object of class "CRS", projection string
Extends

Class "Spatial", directly.

Methods

[ signature(x = "SpatialMultiPoints"): subsets point sets
coerce signature(from = "SpatialPoints", to = "data.frame"): coerce to data.frame
coordinates signature(obj = "SpatialMultiPoints"): retrieves all the coordinates, as one single matrix
plot signature(x = "SpatialPoints", y = "missing"): plot points
summary signature(object = "SpatialPoints"): summarize object
points signature(x = "SpatialPoints"): add point symbols to plot
show signature(object = "SpatialPoints"): prints coordinates
rbind signature(object = "SpatialPoints"): rbind-like method

plot method arguments

The plot method for “SpatialPoints” objects takes the following arguments:

x object of class SpatialPoints
pch default 3; either an integer specifying a symbol or a single character to be used as the default in plotting points
axes default FALSE; a logical value indicating whether both axes should be drawn
add default FALSE; add to existing plot
xlim default NULL; the x limits (x1, x2) of the plot
ylim default NULL; the y limits of the plot
... passed through
setParUsrBB default FALSE; set the par “usr” bounding box, see note in Spatial-class
cex default 1; numerical value giving the amount by which plotting text and symbols should be magnified relative to the default
col default 1; default plotting color
lwd default 1; line width
bg default 1; colour to be used for the background of the device region

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See Also

SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame-class SpatialPoints-class
Examples

c1 = cbind(rnorm(3, 10), rnorm(3, 10))
c2 = cbind(rnorm(5, 10), rnorm(5, 0))
c3 = cbind(rnorm(7, 0), rnorm(7, 10))

mp = SpatialMultiPoints(list(c1, c2, c3))
plot(mp, col = 2, cex = 1, pch = 1:3)
mp
mp[1:2]

print(mp, asWKT=TRUE, digits=3)

SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame-class

Class "SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame"

Description

Class for spatial attributes that correspond to point sets

Usage

## S4 method for signature 'SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame'
x[i, j, ..., drop = TRUE]
## S4 method for signature 'SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame,data.frame'
coerce(from, to, strict=TRUE)
## S4 method for signature 'SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame'
coordinates(obj)
## S4 method for signature 'SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame'
show(object)
## S4 method for signature 'SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame'
points(x)

Arguments

x, from, obj, object

SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame object
to
class to which to coerce
strict
see as
i
row indices
j
column indices
drop
see Extract
...
indices passed through
SpatialPixels

**Slots**

data: Object of class data.frame containing the attribute data (may or may not contain the coordinates in its columns)

cords: Object of class "list": the list with coordinates matrices; points are rows in the matrix, the list length equals the number of rows in the data slot

bbox: Object of class "matrix": bounding box

proj4string: Object of class "CRS": projection string

**Extends**

Class "SpatialMultiPoints", directly. Class "Spatial", by class "SpatialMultiPoints".

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**See Also**

coordinates, SpatialMultiPoints-class

**Examples**

```r
# create three sets of points:
c11 = cbind(rnorm(3, 10), rnorm(3, 10))
c12 = cbind(rnorm(5, 10), rnorm(5, 0))
c13 = cbind(rnorm(7, 0), rnorm(7, 10))

mpdf = SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame(list(c11, c12, c13), data.frame(a = 1:3))
mpdf

plot(mpdf, col = mpdf$a, cex = 1:3)
as(mpdf, "data.frame")
mpdf[1:2,]
```

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**SpatialPixels**

*define spatial grid*

**Description**

defines spatial grid by offset, cell size and dimensions
Usage

GridTopology(cellcentre.offset, cellsize, cells.dim)
SpatialPixels(points, tolerance = sqrt(.Machine$double.eps),
proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)), round = NULL, grid = NULL)
SpatialGrid(grid, proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)))
coordinatevalues(obj)
points2grid(points, tolerance = sqrt(.Machine$double.eps), round=NULL)
getGridIndex(cc, grid, all.inside = TRUE)
getGridTopology(obj)
areaSpatialGrid(obj)

Arguments

cellcentre.offset numeric; vector with the smallest centroid coordinates for each dimension; coordinates refer to the cell centre

cellsize numeric; vector with the cell size in each dimension

cells.dim integer; vector with number of cells in each dimension

points coordinates, object of class SpatialPoints-class

grid grid topology; object of class GridTopology-class; for calls to SpatialPixels, a value of NULL implies that this will be derived from the point coordinates

tolerance precision, used to which extent points are exactly on a grid

round default NULL, otherwise a value passed to as the digits argument to round for setting cell size

proj4string object of class CRS-class

obj object of class or deriving from SpatialGrid-class

cc numeric matrix with coordinates

all.inside logical; if TRUE and cc points fall outside the grid area, an error message is generated; if FALSE, NA values are generated for such points

Value

GridTopology returns a value of class GridTopology-class; SpatialGrid returns an object of class SpatialGrid-class
coordinatevalues returns a list with the unique x-coordinates, the unique y-coordinate, etc. instead of the coordinates of all grid cells

SpatialGrid returns an object of class SpatialGrid-class.
points2grid returns the GridTopology-class from a set of points.

getGridIndex finds the index of a set of point coordinates in a given grid topology, and depending on all.inside setting, generates NA or an error message if points are outside the grid domain.

getGridTopology returns the slot of class GridTopology-class from obj.
areaSpatialGrid returns the spatial area of (the non-missing valued cells of) the grid. For objects of class SpatialGridDataFrame-class the area refers to cells where any (one or more) of the attribute columns are non-missing valued.
Note

SpatialGrid stores grid topology and may or may not store the coordinates of the actual points, which may form a subset of the full grid. To find out or change this, see `fullgrid`.

points2grid tries to figure out the grid topology from points. It succeeds only if points on a grid line have constant y column, and points on a grid column have constant x coordinate, etc. In other cases, use `signif` on the raw coordinate matrices to make sure this is the case.

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See Also

`SpatialGrid-class`, `SpatialGridDataFrame-class`.

Examples

```r
x = GridTopology(c(0,0), c(1,1), c(5,4))
class(x)
x
summary(x)
coordinates(x)
coordinatevalues(x)
data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- c("x", "y")
points2grid(meuse.grid)
data(meuse.grid)
set.seed(1)
meuse.grid$x <- meuse.grid$x + rnorm(length(meuse.grid$x), 0, 0.002)
meuse.grid$y <- meuse.grid$y + rnorm(length(meuse.grid$y), 0, 0.002)
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- c("x", "y")
# EJP
# points2grid(meuse.grid, tolerance=0.76, round=1)
data(meuse.grid)
a <- which(meuse.grid$x == 180140)
b <- which(meuse.grid$x == 180180)
c <- which(meuse.grid$x == 179260)
d <- which(meuse.grid$y == 332460)
e <- which(meuse.grid$y == 332420)
f <- which(meuse.grid$y == 330740)
meuse.grid <- meuse.grid[-c(a, b, c, d, e, f),]
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- c("x", "y")
points2grid(meuse.grid)
data(meuse.grid)
set.seed(1)
meuse.grid$x <- meuse.grid$x + rnorm(length(meuse.grid$x), 0, 0.002)
meuse.grid$y <- meuse.grid$y + rnorm(length(meuse.grid$y), 0, 0.002)
meuse.grid <- meuse.grid[-c(a, b, c, d, e, f),]
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- c("x", "y")
# EJP
```
SpatialPixels-class

Description

class for defining a pixels, forming a possibly incomplete rectangular grid of arbitrary dimension

Objects from the Class

Objects are created by using e.g.
SpatialPixels(points)
with points of class SpatialPoints-class

Slots

grid object of class GridTopology-class, defining the grid topology (offset, cellsize, dim)
grid.index integer; index of points in full grid
coords coordinates of points, or bbox of grid
bbox: Object of class "matrix": bounding box
proj4string: Object of class "CRS": projection

Extends

Class "SpatialPoints" directly; Class "Spatial", by class "SpatialPoints".

Methods

coordinates signature(x = "SpatialPixels"): calculates coordinates for each point on the grid; coordinates are not stored in objects of class SpatialGrid
summary signature(object = "SpatialPixels"): summarize object
plot signature(x = "SpatialPixels"): plots cell centers
"[" signature(x = "SpatialPixels"): select pixel cells; the argument drop=FALSE (default) does not recalculate grid topology for the selection, if drop=TRUE the grid topology is recomputed, and might change.
rbind signature(x = "SpatialPixels"): rbind-like method

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See Also

SpatialPixelsDataFrame-class, SpatialGrid-class
Examples

data(meuse.grid)
pts = meuse.grid[c("x", "y")]
y = SpatialPixels(SpatialPoints(pts))
class(y)
y
summary(y)
plot(y) # plots grid
plot(y, grid = FALSE) # plots points

SpatialPixelsDataFrame

*define spatial grid with attribute data*

Description

defines spatial grid by offset, cell size and dimensions

Usage

SpatialPixelsDataFrame(points, data, tolerance = sqrt(.Machine$double.eps),
proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)), round = NULL, grid = NULL)
SpatialGridDataFrame(grid, data, proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)))

Arguments

points coordinates, either as numeric matrix or as object of class SpatialPoints-class
grid grid topology; object of class GridTopology-class; for calls to SpatialPixelsDataFrame
a value of NULL implies that this will be derived from the point coordinates
data data.frame; contains the attribute (actual grid) data
tolerance precision up to which extent points should be exactly on a grid
round default NULL, otherwise a value passed to as the digits argument to round for
setting cell size
proj4string object of class CRS-class in the first form only used when points does not
inherit from Spatial-class

Value

SpatialPixelsDataFrame returns an object of class SpatialPixelsDataFrame-class; SpatialGridDataFrame
returns an object of class SpatialGridDataFrame-class.

Note

SpatialPixels stores grid topology and coordinates of the actual points, which may be in the form of
a subset (set of pixels) of a full grid. To find out or change this, see fullgrid and SpatialGrid-class.
SpatialPixelsDataFrame-class

Author(s)

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See Also

gridded, gridded<-, SpatialGrid, SpatialGrid-class

Examples

data(meuse.grid)
m = SpatialPixelsDataFrame(points = meuse.grid[c("x", "y")], data = meuse.grid)
class(m)
summary(m)

SpatialPixelsDataFrame-class

Class "SpatialPixelsDataFrame"

Description

Class for spatial attributes that have spatial locations on a regular grid.

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form as(x,"SpatialPixelsDataFrame"), where x is of class SpatialPointsDataFrame-class, or by importing through rgdal. Ordered full grids are stored instead or unordered non-NA cells;

Slots

bbox: Object of class "matrix": bounding box
proj4string: Object of class "CRS": projection
coords: see SpatialPoints: points slot
coords.nrs see SpatialPointsDataFrame
grid: see GridTopology-class: grid parameters
grid.index: integer; index of points in the list to points in the full (ordered) grid. x cycles fastest;
all coordinates increase from low to high except y, which decreases from high to low
data: Object of class data.frame, containing the attribute data

Extends

Class "SpatialPixels", directly. Class "Spatial", by class "SpatialPixels".
Methods

coordinates signature(x = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame"): retrieves coordinates

[ signature(x = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame"): selects row(s) and/or attribute(s), and returns an
object of class SpatialPixelsDataFrame; rows refer here to the pixel numbers, not grid lines.
For selecting a square block in a grid, coerce to a SpatialGridDataFrame-class first, and use [ on that object

as.matrix signature(x = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame"): coerce to matrix

rbind signature(x = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame"): rbind-like method

plot signature(x = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame", y = "missing"): see SpatialGridDataFrame-class for details

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See Also

SpatialPixels-class, which does not contain the attribute data

Examples

```r
data(meuse.grid) # only the non-missing valued cells
coordinates(meuse.grid) = c("x", "y") # promote to SpatialPointsDataFrame
gridded(meuse.grid) <- TRUE # promote to SpatialPixelsDataFrame
meuse.grid["idist"] = 1 - meuse.grid["dist"] # assigns new attribute
image(meuse.grid["idist"]) # note the single [ ]

# toy example:
df = data.frame(z = c(1:6,NA,8,9),
               xc = c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3),
               yc = c(rep(c(0, 1.5, 3),3)))
coordinates(df) = ~xc+yc
gridded(df) = TRUE
image(df["z"]) # draw labels to verify:
cc = coordinates(df)
z=df["z"]
zc=as.character(z)
zc[is.na(zc)]="NA"
text(cc[,1],cc[,2],zc)
```
Description

create objects of class `SpatialPoints-class` or `SpatialPointsDataFrame-class` from coordinates, and from coordinates and data.frames

Usage

```r
SpatialPoints(coords, proj4string=CRS(as.character(NA)), bbox = NULL)
SpatialPointsDataFrame(coords, data, coords.nrs = numeric(0),
                      proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)), match.ID, bbox = NULL)
```

Arguments

- `coords` numeric matrix or data.frame with coordinates (each row is a point); in case of `SpatialPointsDataFrame` an object of class `SpatialPoints-class` is also allowed
- `proj4string` projection string of class `CRS-class`
- `bbox` bounding box matrix, usually NULL and constructed from the data, but may be passed through for coercion purposes if clearly needed
- `data` object of class data.frame; the number of rows in data should equal the number of points in the `coords` object
- `coords.nrs` numeric; if present, records the column positions where in `data` the coordinates were taken from (used by `coordinates<-`)
- `match.ID` logical or character; if missing, and `coords` and `data` both have row names, and their order does not correspond, matching is done by these row names and a warning is issued; this warning can be suppressed by setting `match.ID` to TRUE. If TRUE AND `coords` has non-automatic rownames (i.e., coerced to a matrix by `as.matrix`, `dimnames(coords)[[1]]` is not NULL), AND `data` has row.names (i.e. is a data.frame), then the `SpatialPointsDataFrame` object is formed by matching the row names of both components, leaving the order of the coordinates in tact. Checks are done to see whether both row names are sufficiently unique, and all data are matched. If FALSE, coordinates and data are simply "glued" together, ignoring row names. If character: indicates the column in `data` with coordinates IDs to use for matching records. See examples below.

Value

`SpatialPoints` returns an object of class `SpatialPoints`; `SpatialPointsDataFrame` returns an object of class `SpatialPointsDataFrame`;

See Also

`coordinates`, `SpatialPoints-class`, `SpatialPointsDataFrame-class`
Examples

```r
set.seed(1331)
pts = cbind(1:5, 1:5)
dimnames(pts)[[1]] = letters[1:5]
df = data.frame(a = 1:5)
row.names(df) = letters[5:1]

library(sp)
options(warn=1) # show warnings where they occur
SpatialPointsDataFrame(pts, df) # warn
SpatialPointsDataFrame(pts, df, match.ID = TRUE) # don't warn
SpatialPointsDataFrame(pts, df, match.ID = FALSE) # don't warn
df$m = letters[5:1]
SpatialPointsDataFrame(pts, df, match.ID = "m") # don't warn

dimnames(pts)[[1]] = letters[5:1]
SpatialPointsDataFrame(pts, df) # don't warn: ID matching doesn't reorder
```

SpatialPoints-class  Class "SpatialPoints"

Description

Class for (irregularly spaced) points

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form `SpatialPoints(x)`.

Slots

- `coords`: Object of class "matrix", containing the coordinates (each row is a point)
- `bbox`: Object of class "matrix", with bounding box
- `proj4string`: Object of class "CRS", projection string

Extends

Class "Spatial", directly.

Methods

- `[` signature(x = "SpatialPoints"): subsets the points; only rows (points) can be subsetted
- `coerce` signature(from = "SpatialPoints", to = "data.frame"): retrieves the data part
- `coerce` signature(from = "SpatialPoints", to = "SpatialPixels"): equivalent to assigning gridded TRUE for a copy of the object
- `coerce` signature(from = "SpatialPointsDataFrame", to = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame"): equivalent to assigning gridded TRUE for a copy of the object
coerce signature(from = "data.frame", to = "SpatialPoints"): sets coordinates, which may be in a data frame

coerce signature(from = "matrix", to = "SpatialPoints"): set coordinates, which may be in a matrix

coordinates signature(obj = "SpatialPoints"): retrieves the coordinates, as matrix

plot signature(x = "SpatialPoints", y = "missing"): plot points

summary signature(object = "SpatialPoints"): summarize object

points signature(x = "SpatialPoints"): add point symbols to plot

show signature(object = "SpatialPoints"): prints coordinates

rbind signature(object = "SpatialPoints"): rbind-like method

plot method arguments

The plot method for “SpatialPoints” objects takes the following arguments:

x object of class SpatialPoints

pch default 3; either an integer specifying a symbol or a single character to be used as the default in plotting points

axes default FALSE; a logical value indicating whether both axes should be drawn

add default FALSE; add to existing plot

xlim default NULL; the x limits (x1, x2) of the plot

ylim default NULL; the y limits of the plot

... passed through

setParUsrBB default FALSE; set the par “usr” bounding box, see note in Spatial-class

cex default 1; numerical value giving the amount by which plotting text and symbols should be magnified relative to the default

col default 1; default plotting color

lwd default 1; line width

bg default 1; colour to be used for the background of the device region

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See Also

SpatialPointsDataFrame-class

Examples

x = c(1,2,3,4,5)
y = c(3,2,5,1,4)
S <- SpatialPoints(cbind(x,y))
S <- SpatialPoints(list(x,y))
S <- SpatialPoints(data.frame(x,y))
S
plot(S)
SpatialPointsDataFrame-class

Class "SpatialPointsDataFrame"

Description

Class for spatial attributes that have spatial point locations

Usage

```r
# S4 method for signature 'SpatialPointsDataFrame'
x[i, j, ..., drop = TRUE]
# S4 method for signature 'SpatialPointsDataFrame, SpatialPoints'
coerce(from, to, strict = TRUE)
# S4 method for signature 'SpatialPointsDataFrame, data.frame'
coerce(from, to, strict = TRUE)
# S4 method for signature 'SpatialPointsDataFrame'
coordinates(obj)
# S4 method for signature 'SpatialPointsDataFrame'
show(object)
# S4 method for signature 'SpatialPointsDataFrame'
points(x)
# S3 method for class 'SpatialPointsDataFrame'
rbind(...)```

Arguments

- `x`, `from`, `obj`, `object`
  - SpatialPointsDataFrame object
- `to`
  - class to which to coerce
- `strict`
  - see `as`
- `i`
  - row indices
- `j`
  - column indices
- `drop`
  - see `Extract`
- `...`
  - indices passed through

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form `coordinates(x) = c("x", "y")` or of the form `coordinates(x) = xy`; see `coordinates`. 
Slots

data: Object of class data.frame containing the attribute data (may or may not contain the coordinates in its columns)

coops: Object of class "matrix": the coordinates matrix (points are rows in the matrix)

coops.nrs Object of class logical; if TRUE, when the object was created the coordinates were retrieved from the data.frame, and hence stripped from it; after coercion to data.frame, e.g. by as.data.frame(x), coordinates will again be added (as first few columns) to the data.frame

bbox: Object of class "matrix": bounding box

proj4string: Object of class "CRS": projection string

Extends

Class "SpatialPoints", directly. Class "Spatial", by class "SpatialPoints".

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See Also

coordinates, SpatialPoints-class

Examples

data(meuse)
xy = meuse[c("x", "y")]
# retrieve coordinates as data.frame
class(meuse)
data(meuse)
# reload data.frame
coordinates(meuse) = c("x", "y")
# specify column names
class(meuse)
data(meuse)
# reload data.frame
coordinates(meuse) = c(1, 2)
# specify column names
class(meuse)
data(meuse)
# reload data.frame
coordinates(meuse) = ~x+y
# formula
class(meuse)
data(meuse)
# reload data.frame
coordinates(meuse) = xy
# as data frame
class(meuse)
data(meuse)
# reload data.frame
coordinates(meuse) = as.matrix(xy)
# as matrix
meuse$log.zn = log(meuse$zinc)
class(meuse)
dim(meuse)
SpatialPolygons

create objects of class SpatialPolygons or SpatialPolygonsDataFrame from lists of Polygons objects and data.frames

Usage

Polygon(coords, hole=as.logical(NA))
Polygons(srl, ID)
SpatialPolygons(Srl, pO, proj4string=CRS(as.character(NA)))
SpatialPolygonsDataFrame(Sr, data, match.ID = TRUE)
getSpatialPolygonsLabelPoints(SP)

Arguments

coords 2-column numeric matrix with coordinates; first point (row) should equal last coordinates (row); if the hole argument is not given, the status of the polygon as a hole or an island will be taken from the ring direction, with clockwise meaning island, and counter-clockwise meaning hole

hole logical value for setting polygon as hole or not; if the hole argument is not given, the status of the polygon as a hole or an island will be taken from the ring direction, with clockwise meaning island, and counter-clockwise meaning hole

proj4string projection string of class CRS-class
srl list with Polygon-class objects
ID character vector of length one with identifier
Srl list with objects of class Polygons-class
pO integer vector; plotting order; if missing in reverse order of Polygons area
Sr object of class SpatialPolygons-class
data object of class data.frame; the number of rows in data should equal the number of Polygons-class objects in Sr

match.ID logical: (default TRUE): match SpatialPolygons member Polygons ID slot values with data frame row names, and re-order the data frame rows if necessary. If character: indicates the column in data with Polygons IDs to match

SP object of class SpatialPolygons-class
Details

In Polygon, if the hole argument is not given, the status of the polygon as a hole or an island will be taken from the ring direction, with clockwise meaning island, and counter-clockwise meaning hole. In Polygons, if all of the member Polygon objects are holes, the largest by area will be converted to island status. Until 2010-04-17, version 0.9-61, the area of this converted object was erroneously left at its hole value of zero. Thanks to Patrick Giraudoux for spotting the bug.

The class definitions used for polygons in sp do not accord with those of the simple features specification of the Open Geospatial Consortium. The rgeos package, an interface to Geometry Engine – Open Source (GEOS), uses this specification, in which each hole (interior ring) must be associated with its containing exterior ring. In order to avoid introducing incompatible changes into the class definition of Polygons objects, a comment has been added as a single character string to each such object. Here we can trust the data source to assign the hole status correctly, and use the simple function createSPComment to add such comments to each Polygons member of the polygons slot of this SpatialPolygons object. Exterior rings are coded zero, while interior rings are coded with the 1-based index of the exterior ring to which they belong. SpatialPolygons objects created by reading using readOGR from rgdal have the comments set on input, as OGR also uses SFS.

Refer to Bivand et al. (2013), pages 47-48 and 132-133 for a further discussion.

Value

Polygon returns an object of class Polygon; Polygons returns an object of class Polygons; SpatialPolygons returns object of class SpatialPolygons; SpatialPolygonsDataFrame returns object of class SpatialPolygonsDataFrame getSpatialPolygonsLabelPoints returns an object of class SpatialPoints with label points.

References


See Also

SpatialPolygons-class, SpatialPolygonsDataFrame-class

SpatialPolygons-class  Class "SpatialPolygons"

Description

class to hold polygon topology (without attributes)

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls to the function SpatialPolygons
Slots

polygons: Object of class "list"; list elements are all of class Polygons-class
plotOrder: Object of class "integer"; integer array giving the order in which objects should be plotted
bbox: Object of class "matrix"; see Spatial-class
proj4string: Object of class "CRS"; see CRS-class

Extends

Class "Spatial", directly.

Methods

Methods defined with class "SpatialPolygons" in the signature:

[ signature(obj = "SpatialPolygons")]: select subset of (sets of) polygons; NAs are not permitted in the row index
plot signature(x = "SpatialPolygons", y = "missing")]: plot polygons in SpatialPolygons object
summary signature(object = "SpatialPolygons")]: summarize object
rbind signature(object = "SpatialPolygons")]: rbind-like method

plot method arguments

The plot method for spatial polygons takes the following arguments:

x a SpatialPolygons object
col a vector of colour values
border default par("fg"); the colour to draw the border
add default FALSE; if TRUE, add to existing plot
xlim, ylim default NULL; ranges for the plotted ‘x’ and ‘y’ values
xpd default NULL; controls clipping, see par
density default NULL; the density of shading lines, in lines per inch, see polygon
angle default 45; the slope of shading lines, given as an angle in degrees (counter-clockwise), see polygon
pbg default NULL, set to par("bg") by default “transparent”; the colour to paint holes
axes default FALSE; draw axes
lty default par("lty"); border line type
... other arguments passed through
setParUsrBB default FALSE; see Spatial-class for further details
usePolypath default NULL to set from option value; use polypath for hole-handling in plot
rule default NULL to set from option value; character value specifying the path fill mode, see polypath
The options for usePolypath and rule may be retrieved with get_Polypath (default TRUE on package load) and get_PolypathRule (default “winding” on package load), and set with set_Polypath and set_PolypathRule.

The class definitions used for polygons in sp do not accord with those of the simple features specification of the Open Geospatial Consortium. The rgeos package, an interface to Geometry Engine – Open Source (GEOS), uses this specification, in which each hole (interior ring) must be associated with its containing exterior ring. In order to avoid introducing incompatible changes into the class definition of Polygons objects, a comment has been added as a single character string to each such object. Here we can trust the data source to assign the hole status correctly, and use the simple function createSPComment to add such comments to each Polygons member of the polygons slot of this SpatialPolygons object. Exterior rings are coded zero, while interior rings are coded with the 1-based index of the exterior ring to which they belong. SpatialPolygons objects created by reading using readOGR from rgdal have the comments set on input, as OGR also uses SFS.

Refer to Bivand et al. (2013), pages 47-48 and 132-133 for a further discussion.

Note

rbind calls the function SpatialPolygons, where it is checked that all IDs are unique. If rbind-ing SpatialPolygons without unique IDs, it is possible to set the argument makeUniqueIDs = TRUE, although it is preferred to change these explicitly with spChFIDs.

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References


See Also

SpatialPolygons

Examples

# simple example, from vignette("sp"):
Sr1 = Polygon(cbind(c(2,4,4,1,2),c(2,3,5,4,2)))
Sr2 = Polygon(cbind(c(5,4,2,5),c(2,3,2,2)))
Sr3 = Polygon(cbind(c(4,4,5,10,4),c(5,3,2,5,5)))
Sr4 = Polygon(cbind(c(5,6,6,5,5),c(4,4,3,3,4)), hole = TRUE)
Srs1 = Polygons(list(Sr1), "s1")
Srs2 = Polygons(list(Sr2), "s2")
Srs3 = Polygons(list(Sr3, Sr4), "s3/4")
SpP = SpatialPolygons(list(Srs1,Srs2,Srs3), 1:3)
plot(SpP, col = 1:3, pbg="white")

grd <- GridTopology(c(1,1), c(1,1), c(10,10))
polys <- as(grd, "SpatialPolygons")
plot(polys)

text(coordinates(polys), labels=row.names(polys))

SpatialPolygonsDataFrame-class

Class "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame"

Description

class to hold polygons with attributes

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls to the function SpatialPolygonsDataFrame

Slots

data: Object of class "data.frame"; attribute table
polygons: Object of class "list"; see SpatialPolygons-class
plotOrder: Object of class "integer"; see SpatialPolygons-class
bbox: Object of class "matrix"; see Spatial-class
proj4string: Object of class "CRS"; see CRS-class

Extends

Class "SpatialPolygons", directly. Class "Spatial", by class "SpatialPolygons".

Methods

Methods defined with class "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame" in the signature:

[ signature(x = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame"): select subset of (sets of) polygons; NAs are not permitted in the row index

rbind signature(object = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame"): rbind-like method, see notes below

Note

SpatialPolygonsDataFrame with default ID matching checks the data frame row names against the Polygons ID slots. They must then agree with each other, and be unique (no Polygons objects can share IDs); the data frame rows will be re-ordered if needed to match the Polygons IDs.

If you want to rbind objects with duplicated IDs, see spChFIDs.

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spChFIDs-methods

change feature IDs in spatial objects

Description

When the feature IDs need to be changed in SpatialLines* or SpatialPolygons* objects, these methods may be used. The new IDs should be a character vector of unique IDs of the correct length.

Methods

- **obj = "SpatialLines", x = "character"** replace IDs in a SpatialLines object
- **obj = "SpatialLinesDataFrame", x = "character"** replace IDs in a SpatialLinesDataFrame object
- **obj = "SpatialPolygons", x = "character"** replace IDs in a SpatialPolygons object
- **obj = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame", x = "character"** replace IDs in a SpatialPolygonsDataFrame object

Examples

```r
# simple example, from scratch:
Sr1 = Polygon(cbind(c(2,4,4,1,2),c(2,3,5,4,2)))
Sr2 = Polygon(cbind(c(5,4,2,5),c(2,3,2,2)))
Sr3 = Polygon(cbind(c(4,4,5,10,4),c(5,3,2,5,5)))
Sr4 = Polygon(cbind(c(5,6,6,5,5),c(4,4,3,3,4)), hole = TRUE)
Srs1 = Polygons(list(Sr1), "s1")
Srs2 = Polygons(list(Sr2), "s2")
Srs3 = Polygons(list(Sr3, Sr4), "s3/4")
SpP = SpatialPolygons(list(Srs1,Srs2,Srs3), 1:3)
plot(SpP, col = 1:3, pbg="white")

grd <- GridTopology(c(1,1), c(1,1), c(10,10))
polys <- as(grd, "SpatialPolygons")
centroids <- coordinates(polys)
x <- centroids[,1]
y <- centroids[,2]
z <- 1.4 + 0.1*x + 0.2*y + 0.002*x*x
ex_1.7 <- SpatialPolygonsDataFrame(polys,
data=data.frame(x=x, y=y, z=z, row.names=row.names(polys)))
brks <- quantile(z, seq(0,1,1/7))
cols <- grey((length(brks):2)/length(brks))
dens <- (2:length(brks))*3
plot(ex_1.7, col=cols[findInterval(z, brks, all.inside=TRUE)])
plot(ex_1.7, density=dens[findInterval(z, brks, all.inside=TRUE)])
```
Note

It is usually sensible to keep a copy of the original feature IDs in the object, but this should be done by the user.

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See Also

spCbind-methods, spRbind-methods

Examples

```r
## Not run:
require(maptools)
xx <- readShapePoly(system.file("shapes/sids.shp", package="maptools")[[1]],
                   IDvar="FIPSNO", proj4string=CRS("+proj=longlat +ellps=clrk66"))
row.names(as(xx, "data.frame"))
xx1 <- spChFIDs(xx, as.character(xx$CNTY_ID))
row.names(as(xx1, "data.frame"))
## End(Not run)
```

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**spDistsN1**

Euclidean or Great Circle distance between points

Description

The function returns a vector of distances between a matrix of 2D points, first column longitude, second column latitude, and a single 2D point, using Euclidean or Great Circle distance (WGS84 ellipsoid) methods.

Usage

```r
spDistsN1(pts, pt, longlat = FALSE)
spDists(x, y = x, longlat = FALSE, segments = FALSE, diagonal = FALSE)
```

Arguments

- `pts` A matrix of 2D points, first column x/longitude, second column y/latitude, or a SpatialPoints or SpatialPointsDataFrame object
- `pt` A single 2D point, first value x/longitude, second value y/latitude, or a SpatialPoints or SpatialPointsDataFrame object with one point only
- `x` A matrix of n-D points with row denoting points, first column x/longitude, second column y/latitude, or a Spatial object that has a `coordinates` method
A matrix of n-D points with row denoting points, first column x/longitude, second column y/latitude, or a Spatial object that has a \texttt{coordinates} method.

\texttt{longlat} logical; if \texttt{FALSE}, Euclidean distance, if \texttt{TRUE} Great Circle (WGS84 ellipsoid) distance; if \texttt{x} is a Spatial object, \texttt{longlat} should not be specified but will be derived from \texttt{is.projected(x)}.

\texttt{segments} logical; if \texttt{TRUE}, \texttt{y} must be missing; the vector of distances between consecutive points in \texttt{x} is returned.

\texttt{diagonal} logical; if \texttt{TRUE}, \texttt{y} must be given and have the same number of points as \texttt{x}; the vector with distances between points with identical index is returned.

Value

\texttt{spDistsN1} returns a numeric vector of distances in the metric of the points if \texttt{longlat}=\texttt{FALSE}, or in kilometers if \texttt{longlat}=\texttt{TRUE}.

\texttt{spDists} returns a full matrix of distances in the metric of the points if \texttt{longlat}=\texttt{FALSE}, or in kilometers if \texttt{longlat}=\texttt{TRUE}; it uses \texttt{spDistsN1} in case points are two-dimensional. In case of \texttt{spDists(x,x)}, it will compute all n x n distances, not the sufficient n x (n-1).

Note

The function can also be used to find a local kilometer equivalent to a plot scaled in decimal degrees in order to draw a scale bar.

Author(s)

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References

\url{http://www.abecedarical.com/javascript/script_greatcircle.html}

See Also

\texttt{is.projected}

Examples

```r
ll <- matrix(c(5, 6, 60, 60), ncol=2)
km <- spDistsN1(ll, ll[1,], longlat=TRUE)
zapsmall(km)
utm32 <- matrix(c(276.9799, 332.7052, 6658.1572, 6655.2055), ncol=2)
spDistsN1(utm32, utm32[1,])
dg <- spDistsN1(ll, ll[1,])
dg
dg[2]/km[2]
data(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) <- c("x", "y")
res <- spDistsN1(meuse, meuse[1,])
summary(res)
```
p1 = SpatialPoints(cbind(1:3, 1:3))
spDists(p1)
spDists(p1, p1)
spDists(p1, p1, diagonal = TRUE)
try(spDists(p1, p1, segments = TRUE))
spDists(p1, segments = TRUE)
p2 = SpatialPoints(cbind(5:2, 2:5))
spDists(p1, p2)
try(spDists(p1, p2, diagonal = TRUE)) # fails
try(spDists(p1, p2, segments = TRUE)) # fails

# longlat points:
proj4string(p1) = "+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84"
proj4string(p2) = "+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84"
is.projected(p1)
is.projected(p2)
spDists(p1)
spDists(p1, p1)
spDists(p1, p1, diagonal = TRUE)
spDists(p1, p2)
try(spDists(p1, p2, diagonal = TRUE)) # fails
spDists(p1, p2[1:length(p1),], diagonal = TRUE)
spDists(p1, segments = TRUE)
spDists(p1[0],p2[0],diagonal=TRUE)
spDists(p1[0])

p1 = SpatialPoints(cbind(1:3, 1:3, 1:3))
spDists(p1)
spDists(p1, p1)
try(spDists(p1, p1, diagonal = TRUE))
try(spDists(p1, p1, segments = TRUE))
try(spDists(p1, segments = TRUE))
p2 = SpatialPoints(cbind(5:2, 2:5, 3:6))
spDists(p1, p2)
try(spDists(p1, p2, diagonal = TRUE)) # fails
try(spDists(p1, p2, segments = TRUE)) # fails

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spplot

Plot methods for spatial data with attributes

Description

Lattice (trellis) plot methods for spatial data with attributes

Usage

spplot(obj, ...)
spplot.grid(obj, zcol = names(obj), ..., names.attr, scales = list(draw = FALSE),
          xlab = NULL, ylab = NULL, aspect = mapasp(obj,xlim,ylim),
spplot

panel = panel.gridplot, sp.layout = NULL, formula, xlim = bbox(obj)[1, ],
ylim = bbox(obj)[2, ], checkEmptyRC = TRUE, col.regions = get_col_regions()
spplot.polygons(obj, zcol = names(obj), ..., names.attr, scales = list(draw = FALSE),
xlab = NULL, ylab = NULL, aspect = mapasp(obj,xlim,ylim),
panel = panel.polygonsplot, sp.layout = NULL, formula, xlim = bbox(obj)[1, ],
ylim = bbox(obj)[2, ], col.regions = get_col_regions()
spplot.points(obj, zcol = names(obj), ..., names.attr, scales = list(draw = FALSE),
xlab = NULL, ylab = NULL, aspect = mapasp(obj,xlim,ylim),
panel = panel.pointsplot, sp.layout = NULL, formula, xlim = bbexpand(bbox(obj)[1, ], 0.04),
ylim = bbexpand(bbox(obj)[2, ], 0.04),
edge.col = "transparent", colorkey = FALSE, col.regions = get_col_regions())
mapLegendGrob(obj, widths = unit(1, "cm"), heights = unit(1, "cm"),
fill = "black", just = "right")
sp.theme(set = FALSE, regions = list(col = bpy.colors(100)), ...)
layout.north.arrow(type = 1)
layout.scale.bar(height = 0.05)
spplot.locator(n = 512, type = "n", ...) set_col_regions(value)
get_col_regions()

Arguments

obj object of class extending Spatial-class
zcol character; attribute name(s) or column number(s) in attribute table
names.attr names to use in panel, if different from zcol names
scales scales argument to be passed to Lattice plots; use list(draw = TRUE) to draw
axes scales; see xyplot for full options
... other arguments passed to levelplot (grids, polygons) or xyplot (points)
xlab label for x-axis
ylab label for y-axis
aspect aspect ratio for spatial axes; defaults to "iso" (one unit on the x-axis equals one
unit on the y-axis) but may be set to more suitable values if the data are e.g. if
coordinates are latitude/longitude
panel depending on the class of obj, panel.polygonsplot (for polygons or lines), panel.gridplot
(grids) or panel.pointsplot (points) is used; for further control custom panel
functions can be supplied that call one of these panel functions, but do read
below how the argument sp.layout may help
sp.layout NULL or list; see notes below
identify if not FALSE, identify plotted objects (currently only working for points plots).
Labels for identification are the row.names of the attribute table row.names(as.data.frame(obj)).
If TRUE, identify on panel (1,1); for identifying on panel i,j, pass the value
c(i,j)
formula optional; may be useful to plot a transformed value. Defaults to z~x+y for single
and z~x+y|name for multiple attributes; use e.g. exp(x)~x+y|name to plot the
exponent of the z-variable
xlim numeric; x-axis limits
ylim numeric; y-axis limits
edge.col color of symbol edge
colorkey if FALSE, use symbol key; if TRUE, use continuous, levelplot-like colorkey; if list, follow syntax of argument colorkey in levelplot (see below for an example)
widths width of grob
heights heights of grob
fill fill color of grob
just grob placement justification
set logical; if TRUE, trellis.par.set is called, else a list is returned that can be passed to trellis.par.set()
regions color ramp for the theme
height height of scale bar; width is 1.0
n see locator
type see locator
checkEmptyRC logical; if TRUE, a check is done to see if empty rows or columns are present, and need to be taken care of. Setting to FALSE may improve speed.
col.regions vector with fill colours; in case the variable to be plotted is a factor, this vector should have length equal to the number of factor levels
value vector with color values, default for col.regions

Value

spplot returns a lattice plot of class "trellis", if you fail to "see" it, explicitly call print(spplot(...)). If identify is TRUE, the plot is plotted and the return value is a vector with row names of the selected points.
spplot.locator returns a matrix with identified point locations; use trellis.focus first to focus on a given panel.
get_col_regions returns the default value for col.regions

Methods

obj = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame" see spplot
obj = "SpatialGridDataFrame" see spplot
obj = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame" see spplot
obj = "SpatialLinesDataFrame" see spplot
obj = "SpatialPointsDataFrame" see spplot
Note

Missing values in the attributes are (currently) not allowed.
spplot.grid, spplot.polygons and spplot.points are S4 methods for spplot; see \texttt{spplot-methods}.

Useful arguments that can be passed as \ldots{} are:

- \texttt{layout} integer; for the layout of panels (cols,rows)
- \texttt{pretty} logical; choose colour breaks at pretty numbers?
- \texttt{at} specify at which values colours change
- \texttt{as.table} logical; start drawing panels upper-left instead of lower-left
- \texttt{page} to add marks to each plotted page

for useful values see the appropriate documentation of \texttt{xyplot} (in case of points), and \texttt{levelplot} (otherwise).

If \texttt{obj} is of \texttt{SpatialPointsDataFrame}, the following options are useful to pass:

- \texttt{key.space} character: "bottom", "right", "left" or "right" to denote key location, or list: see argument key in the help for \texttt{xyplot} what the options are
- \texttt{legendEntries} character; array with key legend (text) entries; suitable defaults obtained from data
cuts number of cuts, or, for objects of class \texttt{SpatialPointsDataFrame} only, the actual cuts to use
do.log logical; if TRUE use log-linear scale to divide range in equal cuts, else use a linear scale if
cuts is only number of cuts
- \texttt{pch} integer; plotting character to use; defaults to 16 if fill is TRUE, else 1
- \texttt{cex} numeric; character expansion, proportional to default value of 1
- \texttt{fill} logical; use filled circles?

\texttt{layout.north.arrow} and \texttt{layout.scale.bar} can be used to set a north arrow or scale bar.

The \texttt{sp.layout} argument is either a single layout item, or a list with one or more layout items. A
layout item is one of

- a list with one or more \texttt{Spatial*} objects, along with style arguments like \texttt{col}, \texttt{lty}, \texttt{pch}, \texttt{fill}
etc.
- a list with its first argument the layout function or the name of the layout function to be called:
  \texttt{sp.points} for \texttt{SpatialPoints}, \texttt{sp.polygons} for \texttt{SpatialPolygons} object, \texttt{sp.lines} for a \texttt{SpatialLines} object, and \texttt{sp.text} for text to place. The second argument contains the object (or
  text) to be plotted; remaining arguments are passed to the corresponding \texttt{panel.*} functions.

The order of items in \texttt{sp.layout} matters; objects are drawn in the order they appear. With respect
to \texttt{obj}, default plot order and precedence of \texttt{sp.layout} items is as follows: for points and lines,
\texttt{sp.layout} items are drawn over (after) \texttt{obj}; for grids and polygons, \texttt{sp.layout} items are drawn
behind (before) \texttt{obj}. Transparency may further help making multiple things visible. Adding a
\texttt{first} argument to a layout item overrides its default plotting order with respect to \texttt{obj}:

Special control elements of \texttt{sp.layout} items:

- \texttt{first} logical; should the layout item be drawn before the \texttt{obj} (\texttt{TRUE}), or after (\texttt{FALSE})? This
  overrides the default order (points and lines in front, polygons and grids behind).
which integer; controls to which panel a layout item should be added. If which is present in the main, top-level list it applies to all layout items; in sub-lists with layout items it denotes the (set of) panel(s) in which the layout item should be drawn. Without a which item, layout items are drawn in each panel.

sp.theme returns a lattice theme; use, after loading package lattice, the command trellis.par.set(sp.theme()) after a device is opened or changed to make this work. Currently, this only sets the colors to bpy.colors.

If the attributes to be plotted are of type factor, spplot tries to create a legend that reflects this. In this case, the color ramp passed needs to be of the same length as the number of factor levels. The factor levels are derived from the first map; subsequent factors with different factor levels result in an error.

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References
https://edzer.github.io/sp/

See Also
xyplot, levelplot, panel.identify to identify objects

Examples
library(lattice)
trellis.par.set(sp.theme()) # sets bpy.colors() ramp
demo(meuse, ask = FALSE, echo = FALSE)
l2 = list("SpatialPolygonsRescale", layout.north.arrow(), offset = c(181300,329800), scale = 400)
l3 = list("SpatialPolygonsRescale", layout.scale.bar(), offset = c(180500,329800), scale = 500, fill=c("transparent","black"))
l4 = list("sp.text", c(180500,329900), "0")
l5 = list("sp.text", c(181000,329900), "500 m")

spplot(meuse, c("ffreq"), sp.layout=list(l2,l3,l4,l5), col.regions= "black", pch=c(1,2,3), key.space=list(x=0.1,y=0.95,corner=c(0,1)))
spplot(meuse, c("zinc", "lead"), sp.layout=list(l2,l3,l4,l5, which = 2), key.space=list(x=0.1,y=0.95,corner=c(0,1)))

# plotting factors:
meuse$f = factor(sample(letters[6:10], 155, replace=TRUE),levels=letters[1:10])
meuse$g = factor(sample(letters[1:5], 155, replace=TRUE),levels=letters[1:10])
spplot(meuse, c("f","g"), col.regions=bpy.colors(10))

if (require(RColorBrewer)) {
spplot(meuse, c("ffreq"), sp.layout=list(l2,l3,l4,l5), col.regions=brewer.pal(3, "Set1"))
}


**spsample**

Sample point locations in (or on) a spatial object

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**Description**

Sample point locations within a square area, a grid, a polygon, or on a spatial line, using regular or random sampling methods; the methods used assume that the geometry used is not spherical, so...
objects should be in planar coordinates

Usage

spsample(x, n, type, ...)
makgrid(x, n = 10000, nsig = 2, cellsize, offset = rep(0.5, nrow(bb)),
pretty = TRUE)

Arguments

x Spatial object; spsample(x,...) is a generic method for the existing sample.Xxx
functions
...
optional arguments, passed to the appropriate sample.Xxx functions; see NOTES
for nclusters and iter
n (approximate) sample size
type character; "random" for completely spatial random; "regular" for regular (sys-
tematically aligned) sampling; "stratified" for stratified random (one single
random location in each "cell"); "nonaligned" for nonaligned systematic sam-
ppling (nx random y coordinates, ny random x coordinates); "hexagonal" for
sampling on a hexagonal lattice; "clustered" for clustered sampling; "Fibonacci"
for Fibonacci sampling on the sphere (see references).
bb bounding box of the sampled domain; setting this to a smaller value leads to
sub-region sampling
offset for square cell-based sampling types (regular, stratified, nonaligned, hexagonal):
the offset (position) of the regular grid; the default for spsample methods is a
random location in the unit cell [0,1] x [0,1], leading to a different grid after
each call; if this is set to c(0.5,0.5), the returned grid is not random (but, in
Ripley's wording, "centric systematic"). For line objects, a single offset value is
taken, where the value varies within the [0,1] interval, and 0 is the beginning of
each Line object, and 1 its end
cellsize if missing, a cell size is derived from the sample size n; otherwise, this cell size
is used for all sampling methods except "random"
nsig for "pretty" cell size; spsample does not result in pretty grids
pretty logical; if TRUE, choose pretty (rounded) coordinates

Value

an object of class SpatialPoints-class. The number of points is only guaranteed to equal n when
sampling is done in a square box, i.e. (sample.Spatial). Otherwise, the obtained number of
points will have expected value n.

When x is of a class deriving from Spatial-class for which no spsample-methods exists, sampling is
done in the bounding box of the object, using spsample.Spatial. An overlay using over may be
necessary to select the features inside the geometry afterwards.

Sampling type "nonaligned" is not implemented for line objects.

Some methods may return NULL if no points could be successfully placed.
makegrid makes a regular grid that covers x; when cellsize is not given it derives one from the number of grid points requested (approximating the number of cells). It tries to choose pretty cell size and grid coordinates.

Methods

x = "Spatial" sample in the bbox of x
x = "Line" sample on a line
x = "Polygon" sample in a Polygon
x = "Polygons" sample in a Polygons object, consisting of possibly multiple Polygon objects (holes must be correctly defined, use checkPolygonsHoles if need be)

x = "SpatialPolygons" sample in an SpatialPolygons object; sampling takes place over all Polygons objects present, use subsetting to vary sampling intensity (density); holes must be correctly defined, use checkPolygonsHoles if need be

x = "SpatialGrid" sample in an SpatialGrid object
x = "SpatialPixels" sample in an SpatialPixels object

Note

If an Polygon-class object has zero area (i.e. is a line), samples on this line element are returned. If the area is very close to zero, the algorithm taken here (generating points in a square area, selecting those inside the polygon) may be very resource intensive. When numbers of points per polygon are small and type="random", the number searched for is inflated to ensure hits, and the points returned sampled among these.

The following two arguments can be further specified:

nclusters Number of clusters (strata) to sample from.
iter (default = 4) number of times to try to place sample points in a polygon before giving up and returning NULL - this may occur when trying to hit a small and awkwardly shaped polygon in a large bounding box with a small number of points

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References

Chapter 3 in B.D. Ripley, 1981. Spatial Statistics, Wiley

See Also

over, point.in.polygon, sample
Examples

```r
data(meuse.riv)
meuse.sr = SpatialPolygons(list(Polygons(list(Polygon(meuse.riv)), "x")))

plot(meuse.sr)
points(spsample(meuse.sr, n = 1000, "regular"), pch = 3)

plot(meuse.sr)
points(spsample(meuse.sr, n = 1000, "random"), pch = 3)

plot(meuse.sr)
points(spsample(meuse.sr, n = 1000, "stratified"), pch = 3)

plot(meuse.sr)
points(spsample(meuse.sr, n = 1000, "nonaligned"), pch = 3)

plot(meuse.sr)
points(spsample(meuse.sr@polygons[[1]], n = 100, "stratified"), pch = 3, cex=.5)

data(meuse.grid)
gridded(meuse.grid) = ~x+y
image(meuse.grid)
points(spsample(meuse.grid,n=1000,type="random"), pch=3, cex=.5)
image(meuse.grid)
points(spsample(meuse.grid,n=1000,type="stratified"), pch=3, cex=.5)
image(meuse.grid)
points(spsample(meuse.grid,n=1000,type="regular"), pch=3, cex=.5)
image(meuse.grid)
points(spsample(meuse.grid,n=1000,type="nonaligned"), pch=3, cex=.5)

fullgrid(meuse.grid) = TRUE
image(meuse.grid)
points(spsample(meuse.grid,n=1000,type="stratified"), pch=3,cex=.5)
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**spTransform**

*spTransform for map projection and datum transformation*

**Description**

spTransform for map projection and datum transformation

**Usage**

`spTransform(x, CRSobj, ...)`
Arguments

x  object to be transformed
CRSobj  object of class CRS, or of class character in which case it is converted to CRS
...  further arguments (ignored)

Value

object with coordinates transformed to the new coordinate reference system.

Note

Package rgdal provides the methods doing actual transformation, see spTransform; when rgdal cannot be loaded, an error message follows.

Description

rearrange SpatialPointsDataFrame for plotting with spplot or levelplot

Usage

spmap.to.lev(data, zcol = 1:n, n = 2, names.attr)
## S3 method for class 'SpatialPointsDataFrame'
stack(x, select, ...)
## S3 method for class 'SpatialGridDataFrame'
stack(x, select, ...)

Arguments

data  object of class (or extending) SpatialPointsDataFrame or SpatialGridDataFrame
zcol  z-coordinate column name(s), or a column number (range) (after removing the spatial coordinate columns: 1 refers to the first non-coordinate column, etc.)
names.attr  names of the set of z-columns (these names will appear in the plot); if omitted, column names of zcol
n  number of columns to be stacked
x  same as data
select  same as zcol
...  ignored
surfaceArea

Compute surface area of a digital elevation model.

Description

It is often said that if Wales was flattened out it would have an area bigger than England. This function computes the surface area of a grid of heights taking into account the sloping nature of the surface.

Usage

surfaceArea(m, ...)
surfaceArea.matrix(m, cellx = 1, celly = 1, byCell = FALSE)
Arguments

m  a matrix of height values, or an object of class SpatialPixelsDataFrame or SpatialGridDataFrame.
cellx  the size of the grid cells in the x-direction, in the same units as the height values.
celly  the size of the grid cells in the y-direction, in the same units as the height values.
byCell  return single value or matrix of values
...  ignored

Value

Either a single value of the total area if byCell=FALSE, or a matrix the same shape as m of individual cell surface areas if byCell=TRUE. In this case, the sum of the returned matrix should be the same value as that which is returned if byCell=FALSE.

Missing values (NA) in the input matrix are allowed. They will produce an NA in the output matrix for byCell=TRUE, and contribute zero to the total area. They also have an effect on adjacent cells - see code comments for details.

Methods

obj = "matrix"  takes a matrix as input, requires cellx and celly to be set
obj = "SpatialGridDataFrame"  takes an object of class SpatialGridDataFrame as input, and retrieves cellx and celly from this
obj = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame"  takes an object of class SpatialPixelsDataFrame as input, and retrieves cellx and celly from this

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References


Examples

```
surfaceArea(volcano)
image(surfaceArea(volcano,byCell=TRUE))

data(meuse.grid)
gridded(meuse.grid) = ~x+y
image(surfaceArea(meuse.grid["dist"], byCell=TRUE))
surfaceArea(meuse.grid["dist"])
```
zerodist

find point pairs with equal spatial coordinates

Description

find point pairs with equal spatial coordinates

Usage

zerodist(obj, zero = 0.0, unique.ID = FALSE, memcmp = TRUE)
zerodist2(obj1, obj2, zero = 0.0, memcmp = TRUE)
remove.duplicates(obj, zero = 0.0, remove.second = TRUE, memcmp = TRUE)

Arguments

obj object of, or extending, class SpatialPoints
obj1 object of, or extending, class SpatialPoints
obj2 object of, or extending, class SpatialPoints
zero distance values less than or equal to this threshold value are considered to have zero distance (default 0.0); units are those of the coordinates for projected data or unknown projection, or km if coordinates are defined to be longitude/latitude
unique.ID logical; if TRUE, return an ID (integer) for each point that is different only when two points do not share the same location
memcmp use memcmp to find exactly equal coordinates; see NOTE
remove.second logical; if TRUE, the second of each pair of duplicate points is removed, if FALSE remove the first

Value

zerodist and zerodist2 return a two-column matrix with in each row pairs of row numbers with identical coordinates; a matrix with zero rows is returned if no such pairs are found. For zerodist, row number pairs refer to row pairs in obj. For zerodist2, row number pairs refer to rows in obj and obj2, respectively. remove.duplicates removes duplicate observations if present, and else returns obj.

Note

When using kriging, duplicate observations sharing identical spatial locations result in singular covariance matrices. This function may help identify and remove spatial duplices. The full matrix with all pair-wise distances is not stored; the double loop is done at the C level.

When unique.ID=TRUE is used, an integer index is returned. sp 1.0-14 returned the highest index, sp 1.0-15 and later return the lowest index.

When zero is 0.0 and memcmp is not FALSE, zerodist uses memcmp to evaluate exact equality of coordinates; there may be cases where this results in a different evaluation compared to doing the double arithmetic of computing distances.
Examples

data(meuse)
summary(meuse)
# pick 10 rows
n <- 10
ran10 <- sample(nrow(meuse), size = n, replace = TRUE)
meusedup <- rbind(meuse, meuse[ran10, ])
coordinates(meusedup) <- c("x", "y")
zd <- zerodist(meusedup)
sum(abs(zd[1:n,1] - sort(ran10))) # 0!
# remove the duplicate rows:
meusedup2 <- meusedup[-zd[,2], ]
summary(meusedup2)
meusedup3 <- subset(meusedup, !(1:nrow(meusedup) %in% zd[,2]))
summary(meusedup3)
coordinates(meuse) <- c("x", "y")
zerodist2(meuse, meuse[c(10:33,1,10),])
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