Package ‘yamlet’

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Description A YAML-based mechanism for working with table metadata. Supports compact syntax for creating, modifying, viewing, exporting, importing, displaying, and plotting metadata coded as column attributes. The 'yamlet' dialect is valid 'YAML' with defaults and conventions chosen to improve readability. See ?yamlet, ?decorate.data.frame and ?modify.default. See ?read_yamlet ?write_yamlet, %o_csv, and ?ggplot.decorated.

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as.integer.classified  

Coerce Classified to Integer

Description

Coerces classified to integer. Result is like as.integer(as.numeric(x)) + offset but has a guide giving original values. If you need a simple integer, consider coercing first to numeric.

Usage

```r
## S3 method for class 'classified'
as.integer(
x,
offset = 0L,
...

, persistence = getOption("yamlet_persistence", TRUE)
)
```

Arguments

- `x` classified, see `classified`
- `offset` an integer value to add to intermediate result
- `...` passed to `as.numeric`, `codeas.integer`, and `code.desolve`
- `persistence` whether to return 'dvec' (is.integer(): TRUE) or just integer.
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Value

integer (possibly of class dvec)

See Also

Other classified: [.classified(), [<-.classified(), [[.classified(), [[<-.classified(),
c.classified(), classified.classified(), classified.data.frame(), classified.default(),
classified.dvec(), classified(), desolve.classified(), unclassified.classified(), unclassified.data.frame(),
unclassified()]

Examples

library(magrittr)

# create factor with codelist attribute
classified(c('knife','fork','spoon'))

# give back a simple numeric
classified(c('knife','fork','spoon')) %>% as.numeric

# intentionally preserve levels as 'guide' attribute
classified(c('knife','fork','spoon')) %>% as.integer

# implement offset
classified(c('knife','fork','spoon')) %>% as.integer(-1)

# globally defeat the 'persistence' paradigm
options(yamlet_persistence = FALSE)
c('knife','fork','spoon') %>%
classified %>%
as.integer %>%
class

# remove option to restore default persistence paradigm
options(yamlet_persistence = NULL)
c('knife','fork','spoon') %>%
classified %>%
as.integer %>%
class

# locally defeat persistence paradigm
c('knife','fork','spoon') %>%
classified %>%
as.integer(persistence = FALSE) %>%
class
### as_dvec.units

**Coerce Units to Decorated Vector**

**Description**

Coerces units to dvec.

**Usage**

```r
## S3 method for class 'units'
as_dvec_units(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

- `x` units
- `...` passed arguments

**Examples**

```r
library(magrittr)
library(dplyr)
a <- data.frame(id = 1:4, wt = c(70, 80, 70, 80), sex = c(0,1,0,1))
a %<>% decorate('wt: [ body weight, kg ]')
a %<>% decorate('sex: [ sex, [ female: 0, male: 1] ]')
a %<>% decorate('id: identifier')
a %<>% resolve
a %<>% mutate(wt = as_units(wt))
a %<>% mutate(wt = as_dvec(wt))
str(a$wt)
```

### as_units.dvec

**Coerce Decorated Vector to Units**

**Description**

Coerces dvec to units. If x has a units attribute, it is used to create class 'units'. It is an error if x has no units attribute.

**Usage**

```r
## S3 method for class 'dvec'
as_units(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

- `x` dvec
- `...` ignored
Examples

library(magrittr)
a <- data.frame(id = 1:4, wt = c(70, 80, 70, 80), sex = c(0,1,0,1))
a %<>% decorate('wt: [ body weight, kg ]')
a %<>% decorate('sex: [ sex, [ female: 0, male: 1] ]')
a %<>% decorate('id: identifier')
a %<>% resolve
a$wt %>% as_units

Description

Enforces canonical attribute order for class 'decorated'. Set of default_keys will be augmented with all observed attribute names and will be expanded or reduced as necessary for each data item.

Usage

## S3 method for class 'decorated'
canonical(
  x,
  default_keys = getOption("yamlet_default_keys", list("label", "guide")),
  ...
)

Arguments

x  decorated

default_keys  attribute names in preferred order

...  ignored

Value

decorated

See Also

Other canonical: canonical.yamlet(), canonical()
Other interface: classified.data.frame(), decorate.character(), decorate.data.frame(), desolve.decorated(), ggplot.decorated(), io_csv.character(), io_csv.data.frame(), io_res.character(), io_res.decorated(), io_table.character(), io_table.data.frame(), io_yamlet.character(), io_yamlet.data.frame(), is_parseable.default(), mimic.default(), modify.default(), promote.list(), read_yamlet(), resolve.decorated(), selected.default(), write_yamlet()
Examples

```r
# make some decorated data
library(magrittr)
x <- data.frame(x = 1, y = 1, z = factor('a'))
x %<>% decorate('x': [ guide: mm, desc: this, label: foo ]
"y": [ guide: bar, desc: other ]
')

# retrieve decorations: label not first!
decorations(x)

# sort label first by default
decorations(canonical(x))

# equivalent invocation
canonical(decorations(x))
```

classified.default  

Create Classified by Default

Description

Creates a factor of subclass 'classified', for which there are attribute-preserving methods. In particular, classified has a codelist attribute indicating the origin of its levels: it is constructed from the codelist attribute of x if available, or from 'levels' and 'labels' by default. Unlike the case for `factor`, length of labels cannot be one (i.e., different from length of levels).

Usage

```r
## Default S3 method:
classified(
  x = character(),
  levels,
  labels = levels,
  exclude = NA,
  ordered = is.ordered(x),
  nmax = NA,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

- `x`  
  see `factor`
- `levels`  
  see `factor`
- `labels`  
  see `factor`, must have same length as levels
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`exclude` see `factor`  
`ordered` see `factor`  
`nmax` see `factor`  
...
 ignored

**Value**

'classified' 'factor'

**See Also**

Other classified: `.classified()`, `<-.classified()`, `[.classified()`, `[[<-.classified()`, `as.integer.classified()`, `c.classified()`, `classified.classified()`, `classified.data.frame()`, `classified.dvec()`, `classified()`, `desolve.classified()`, `unclassified.classified()`, `unclassified.data.frame()`, `unclassified()`

**Examples**

```r
# classified creates a factor with a corresponding codelist attribute
classified(c('a','b','c'))

# codelist 'remembers' the origins of levels
classified(c('a','b','c'), labels = c('A','B','C'))

# classified is 'reversible'
library(magrittr)
c('a','b','c') %>%
  classified(labels = c('A','B','C')) %>%
  unclassified
```

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**decorate.character  Decorate Character**

**Description**

Treats `x` as a file path. By default, metadata is sought from a file with the same base but the 'yaml' extension.

**Usage**

```r
## S3 method for class 'character'
decorate(
  x,
  meta = NULL,
  ...,
  read = getOption("yamlet_import", as.csv),
  ext = getOption("yamlet_extension", ".yaml")
)
```
Arguments

x  file path for table data
meta  file path for corresponding yamlet metadata, or a yamlet object
...  passed to read (if accepted) and to \texttt{as\_yamlet\_character}
read  function or function name for reading x
ext  file extension for metadata file, if relevant

Value

\texttt{class\ 'decorated'\ 'data.frame'}

See Also

Other decorate: \texttt{as\_decorated.default()}, \texttt{as\_decorated()}, \texttt{decorate.data.frame()}, \texttt{decorate\()\}, \texttt{decorations.data.frame()}, \texttt{decorations()}, \texttt{redecorate()}  

Other interface: \texttt{canonical.decorated()}, \texttt{classified.data.frame()}, \texttt{decorate.data.frame()}, \texttt{desolve.decorated()}, \texttt{ggplot.decorated()}, \texttt{io.csv.character()}, \texttt{io.csv.data.frame()}, \texttt{io.res.character()}, \texttt{io.res.decorated()}, \texttt{io.table.character()}, \texttt{io.table.data.frame()}, \texttt{io.yamlet.character()}, \texttt{io.yamlet.data.frame()}, \texttt{is\_parseable.default()}, \texttt{mimic.default()}, \texttt{modify.default()}, \texttt{promote.list()}, \texttt{read\_yamlet()}, \texttt{resolve.decorated()}, \texttt{selected.default()}, \texttt{write\_yamlet()}

Examples

```r
# find data file
file <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata','quinidine.csv')
file

# find metadata file
meta <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata','quinidine.yaml')
meta

# decorate with explicit metadata reference
a <- decorate(file, meta)

# rely on default metadata path
b <- decorate(file)

# in this case: same
stopifnot(identical(a, b))
```
decorate.data.frame  Decorate Data Frame

Description

Decorates a data.frame. Expects metadata in yamlet format, and loads it onto columns as attributes.

Usage

```r
## S3 method for class 'data.frame'
decorate(
  x,
  meta = NULL,
  ..., 
  persistence = getOption("yamlet_persistence", TRUE)
)
```

Arguments

- `x` : data.frame
- `meta` : file path for corresponding yaml metadata, or a yamlet; an attempt will be made to guess the file path if x has a 'source' attribute
- `...` : passed to `decorate.list`
- `persistence` : whether to coerce decorated columns to 'dvec' where suitable method exists

Details

As of v0.8.8, the data.frame method for decorate() coerces affected columns using `as_dvec` if persistence is true and a suitable method exists. 'vctrs' methods are implemented for class dvec to help attributes persist during tidyverse operations. Details are described in `c_dvec`. Disable this functionality with options(yamlet_persistence = FALSE).

Value

class 'decorated' 'data.frame'

See Also

decorate.list

Other interface: canonical.decorated(), classified.data.frame(), decorate.character(), desolve.decorated(), ggplot.decorated(), io.csv.character(), io.csv.data.frame(), io.res.character(), io.res.decorated(), io_table.character(), io_table.data.frame(), io_yamlet.character(), io_yamlet.data.frame(), is_parseable.default(), mimic.default(), modify.default(), promote.list(), read_yamlet(), resolve.decorated(), selected.default(), write_yamlet()

Other decorate: as_decorated.default(), as_decorated(), decorate.character(), decorate.list(), decorate(), decorations.data.frame(), decorations(), redecorate()
Examples

```r
# find data path
library(csv)
file <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata','quinidine.csv')
file
dat <- as.csv(file) # dat now has 'source' attribute

# use source attribute to find metadata
a <- decorate(as.csv(file))

# supply metadata path (or something close) explicitly
b <- decorate(dat, meta = file)

# these are equivalent
stopifnot(identical(a, b))
```

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**decorations.data.frame**

*Retrieve Decorations for Data Frame*

**Description**

Retrieve the decorations of a data.frame; i.e., the metadata used to decorate it. Returns a list with same names as the data.frame. By default, 'class' and 'level' attributes are excluded from the result, as you likely don’t want to manipulate these independently.

**Usage**

```r
## S3 method for class 'data.frame'
decorations(
  x,
  ..., 
  exclude_attr = getOption("yamlet_exclude_attr", c("class", "levels"))
)
```

**Arguments**

- `x` data.frame
- `...` optional unquoted column names to limit output (passed to `select`)
- `exclude_attr` attributes to remove from the result

**Value**

named list of class 'yamlet'
See Also

Other decorate: `as_decorated.default()`, `as_decorated()`, `decorate.character()`, `decorate.data.frame()`, `decorate.list()`, `decorate()`, `decorations()`, `redecorate()`

Examples

```r
# prepare a decorated data.frame
file <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata', 'quinidine.csv')
x <- decorate(file)

# retrieve the decorations
decorations(x, Subject, time, conc)
```

Description

Un-resolves explicit usage of default key 'guide' to implicit usage for class 'classified'. Calls `drop_title` (a non-action by default), `unclassified`, followed by `implicit_guide`.

Usage

```r
## S3 method for class 'classified'
desolve(x, ...)
```

Arguments

- `x`: classified
- `...`: passed to `drop_title`, `unclassified`, and `unclassified`

Value

dvec

See Also

Other resolve: `desolve.decorated()`, `desolve.dvec()`, `desolve()`, `resolve.decorated()`, `resolve.dvec()`, `resolve()`

Other classified: `.[classified]`, `[<-.classified]`, `[[classified]`, `[[<-.classified]`, `as.integer.classified()`, `c.classified()`, `classified.classified()`, `classified.data.frame()`, `classified.default()`, `classified.dvec()`, `classified()`, `unclassified.classified()`, `unclassified.data.frame()`, `unclassified()`
Examples

library(magrittr)
x <- as_dvec(
  4:6,
  guide = list(a = 4L, b = 5L, c = 6L)
)

# untouched
x %>% str

# resolved
x %>% resolve %>% str

# resolved and desolved
x %>% resolve %>% desolve %>% str

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desolve.decorated  Desolve Guide for Decorated

Description

Un-resolves explicit usage of default key 'guide' to implicit usage for 'decorated' class. Simply calls drop_title, unclassified, and implicit_guide.

Usage

## S3 method for class 'decorated'
desolve(x, ...)

Arguments

x  decorated

... passed to drop_title, unclassified, and implicit_guide

Value

decorated

See Also

Other resolve: desolve.classified(), desolve.dvec(), desolve(), resolve.decorated(), resolve.dvec(), resolve()

Other interface: canonical.decorated(), classified.data.frame(), decorate.character(), decorate.data.frame(), ggplot.decorated(), io_csv.character(), io_csv.data.frame(), io_res.character(), io_res.decorated(), io_table.character(), io_table.data.frame(), io_yamlet.character(), io_yamlet.data.frame(), is_parseable.default(), mimic.default(), modify.default(), promote.list(), read_yamlet(), resolve.decorated(), selected.default(), write_yamlet()
Examples

```r
library(magrittr)
file <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata', 'quinidine.csv')
x <- decorate(file)

# this is how Age, glyco, Race look when resolved
x %>% resolve %>% decorations(Age, glyco, Race)

# we can resolve two of them and then 'unresolve' all of them
x %>% resolve(glyco, Race) %>% desolve %>% decorations(Age, glyco, Race)
```

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**ggplot.decorated**

*Create a New ggplot for a Decorated Data Frame*

**Description**

Creates a new ggplot object for a decorated data.frame. This is the `ggplot()` method for class ‘decorated’. It creates a ggplot object using the default method, but reclassifies it as ‘decorated_ggplot’ so that a custom print method is invoked; see `print.decorated_ggplot`.

**Usage**

```r
## S3 method for class 'decorated'
ggplot(data, ...)
```

**Arguments**

- `data` decorated, see `decorate`
- `...` passed to `ggplot`

**Details**

This approach is similar to but more flexible than the method for `ggready`. For fine control, you can switch between ’data.frame’ and ’decorated’ using `as_decorated` (supplies null decorations) and `as.data.frame` (preserves decorations).

**Value**

return value like `ggplot` but inheriting 'decorated_ggplot'

**See Also**

decorate resolve ggready
Other decorated_ggplot: `ggplot_build.decorated_ggplot()`, `print.decorated_ggplot()`
Other interface: `canonical.decorated()`, `classified.data.frame()`, `decorate.character()`, `decorate.data.frame()`, `desolve.decorated()`, `io_csv.character()`, `io_csv.data.frame()`, `io_res.character()`, `io_res.decorated()`, `io_table.character()`, `io_table.data.frame()`
Examples

```r
file <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata', 'quinidine.csv')
library(ggplot2)
library(dplyr)
library(magrittr)
# par(ask = FALSE)

x <- decorate(file)
x %>>% filter(!is.na(conc))

# Manipulate class to switch among ggplot methods.
class(x)
class(data.frame(x))
class(as_decorated(data.frame(x)))

# The bare data.frame gives boring labels and un-ordered groups.
map <- aes(x = time, y = conc, color = Heart)
data.frame(x) %>% ggplot(map) + geom_point()

# Decorated data.frame uses supplied labels.
# Notice CHF levels are still not ordered. (Moderate first.)
x %>% ggplot(map) + geom_point()

# If we resolve Heart, CHF levels are ordered.
x %>% resolve(Heart)
x %>% ggplot(map) + geom_point()

# We can map aesthetics as decorations.
x %>% decorate('Heart: [ color: [gold, purple, green]]')
x %>% ggplot(map) + geom_point()

# Colors are matched to particular levels. Purple drops out here:
x %>% filter(Heart != 'Moderate') %>% ggplot(map) + geom_point()

# We can resolve other columns for a chance to enrich the output with units.
x %>% resolve
suppressWarnings(# because this complains for columns with no units
  x <- modify(x, title = paste0(label, '
(', units, ')'))
)x %>% ggplot(map) + geom_point()

# Or something fancier.
x %>% modify(conc, title = 'conc_serum. (mg*L^-1.)')
x %>% ggplot(map) + geom_point()

# The y-axis title is deliberately given in spork syntax for elegant coercion:
library(spork)
x %>% modify(conc, expression = as.expression(as_plotmath(as_spork(title)))))
```
x %>% ggplot(map) + geom_point()

# Add a fancier label for Heart, and facet by a factor:
x %<>% modify(Heart, expression = as.expression(as_plotmath(as_spork('CHF^\*'))))
x %>% ggplot(map) + geom_point() + facet_wrap(~Creatinine)

# ggready handles the units and plotmath implicitly for a 'standard' display:
x %>% ggready %>% ggplot(map) + geom_point() + facet_wrap(~Creatinine)

# Notice that instead of over-writing the label
# attribute, we are creating a stack of label
# substitutes (title, expression) so that
# label is still available as an argument
# if we want to try something else. The
# print method by default looks for all of these.
# Precedence is expression, title, label, column name.
# Precedence can be controlled using
# options(decorated_ggplot_search = c(a, b, ... )).

# Here we try a dataset with conditional labels and units.

file <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata','phenobarb.csv')
x <- file %>% decorate %>% resolve

x %>% ggplot(map) + geom_point()

# If we subset appropriately, the relevant value is substituted.
x %>% filter(event == 'conc') %>% ggplot(map) + geom_point()

x %>% ggplot(aes(x = time, y = value, color = event)) + geom_point()

# print.decorated_ggplot will attempt to honor coordinated aesthetics.
x <- data.frame(x = c(1:6, 3:8), y = c(1:6,1:6), z = letters[c(1:6,1:6)])
x %<>% decorate('z: [color: ["red", "blue", "green", "gold", "black", "magenta"]]

x %<>% decorate('z: [fill: ["red", "blue", "green", "gold", "black", "magenta"]]

x %<>% decorate('z: [shape: [20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25]]

x %<>% decorate('z: [linetype: [6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1]]

x %<>% decorate('z: [alpha: [.9, .8, .7, .6, .5, .4]]

x %<>% decorate('z: [size: [1, 1.5, 2, 2.5, 3, 3.5]]

x %>% ggplot(aes( x, y,
color = z,
fill = z,
shape = z,
linetype = z,
alpha = z,
size = z,
)) +
  geom_point() +
  geom_line(size = 1)

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**io_csv**

*Import and Export Documented Tables as CSV*

**Description**

Imports or exports documented tables as comma-separated variable. Generic, with methods that extend `as.csv`.

**Usage**

```r
io_csv(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

- `x`  
  object

- `...`  
  passed arguments

**Value**

See methods.

**See Also**


**Examples**

```r
# generate some decorated data
file <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata','quinidine.csv')
x <- decorate(file)

# get a temporary filepath
out <- file.path(tempdir(), 'out.csv')

# save file using io_csv (returns filepath)
foo <- io_csv(x, out)
stopifnot(identical(out, foo))
```
# read using this filepath
y <- io_csv(foo)

# lossless round-trip (ignoring source attribute)
attr(x, 'source') <- NULL
attr(y, 'source') <- NULL
stopifnot(identical(x, y))

io_table  Import and Export Documented Tables

Description
Imports or exports documented tables. Generic, with methods that extend `read.table` and `write.table`.

Usage
io_table(x, ...)

Arguments
  x      object
  ...    passed arguments

Value
See methods.

See Also
Other io: `io_csv.character()`, `io_csv.data.frame()`, `io_csv()`, `io_res.character()`, `io_res.decorated()`,
`io_res()`, `io_table.character()`, `io_table.data.frame()`, `io_yamlet.character()`, `io_yamlet.data.frame()`,
`io_yamlet.yamlet()`, `io_yamlet()

Examples
# generate some decorated data
file <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata', 'quinidine.csv')
x <- decorate(file)

# get a temporary filepath
out <- file.path(tempdir(), 'out.tab')

# save file using io_table (returns filepath)
foo <- io_table(x, out)
stopifnot(identical(out, foo))

# read using this filepath
```r
y <- io_table(foo, as.is = TRUE)

# lossless round-trip
attr(x, 'source') <- NULL
rownames(x) <- NULL
rownames(y) <- NULL
stopifnot(identical(x, y))
```

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**mimic.default**

Try To Look Like Another Equal-length Variable

**Description**

Tries to mimic another vector or factor. If meaningful and possible, `x` acquires a guide attribute with labels from corresponding values in `y`. Any codelist attribute is removed. No guide is created for zero-length `x`. If `x` is a factor, unused levels are removed.

**Usage**

```r
## Default S3 method:
mimic(x, y = x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

- `x` vector-like
- `y` vector-like, same length as `x`
- `...` ignored arguments

**Value**

same class as `x`

**See Also**

Other mimic: `mimic.classified()`, `mimic()`

Other interface: `canonical.decorated()`, `classified.data.frame()`, `decorate.character()`, `decorate.data.frame()`, `desolve.decorated()`, `ggplot.decorated()`, `io.csv.character()`, `io.csv.data.frame()`, `io.res.character()`, `io.res.decorated()`, `io.table.character()`, `io.table.data.frame()`, `io.yamlet.character()`, `io.yamlet.data.frame()`, `is_parseable.default()`, `modify.default()`, `promote.list()`, `read_yamlet()`, `resolve.decorated()`, `selected.default()`, `write_yamlet()`
Examples

```r
library(magrittr)
library(dplyr)
let <- letters[1:5]
LET <- LETTERS[1:5]
int <- 0L:4L
num <- as.numeric(int)
fac <- factor(let)
css <- classified(let)

# any of these can mimic any other
str(mimic(LET, let))
str(mimic(num, let))
str(mimic(let, num))

# factors get a guide and classifieds get a named codelist
str(mimic(fac, int))
str(mimic(css, int))

# int can 'pick up' the factor levels as guide names
str(mimic(int, css))

# if two variables mean essentially the same thing,
# mimic lets you save space
x <- data.frame(id = 1:2, ID = c('A', 'B'))
x
x %<>% mutate(id = mimic(id, ID)) %>% select(-ID)
x
# ID still available, in principle:
x %>% as_decorated %>% resolve
```

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**modify.default**  
*Modify Attributes of Indicated Components by Default*

**Description**

Modifies the attributes of each indicated element (all elements by default). Tries to assign the value of an expression to the supplied label, with existing attributes and the object itself (.) available as arguments. Gives a warning if the supplied label is considered reserved. Intends to support anything with one or more non-empty names.

**Usage**

```r
## Default S3 method:
modify(
  x,
  ...,
  .reserved = getOption("yamlet_modify_reserved", c("class", "levels", "labels", "names"))
)
```
modify.default

Arguments

x  object
...
.reserved  reserved labels that warn on assignment

Details

The name of the component itself is available during assignments as attribute 'name' (any pre-existing attribute 'name' is temporarily masked). After all assignments are complete, the value of 'name' is enforced at the object level. Thus, modify expressions can modify component names.

As currently implemented, the expression is evaluated by `eval_tidy`, with attributes supplied as the `data` argument. Thus, names in the expression may be disambiguated, e.g. with `.data`. See examples.

Value

same class as x

See Also

Other modify: `modify()`, `named()`, `selected.default()`, `selected()`

Other interface: `canonical.decorated()`, `classified.data.frame()`, `decorate.character()`, `decorate.data.frame()`, `desolve.decorated()`, `ggplot.decorated()`, `io_csv.character()`, `io_csv.data.frame()`, `io_res.character()`, `io_res.decorated()`, `io_table.character()`, `io_table.data.frame()`, `io_yamlet.character()`, `io_yamlet.data.frame()`, `is_parseable.default()`, `mimic.default()`, `promote.list()`, `read_yamlet()`, `resolve.decorated()`, `selected.default()`, `write_yamlet`

Examples

library(magrittr)
library(dplyr)

file <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata','quinidine.csv')
x <- decorate(file)

# modify selected columns
x %<>% modify(title = paste(label, '(', guide, ')'), time)
x %>% select(time, conc) %>% decorations

# modify (almost) all columns
x %<>% modify(title = paste(label, '(', guide, ')'), -Subject)
x %>% select(time, conc) %>% decorations

# use column itself
x %<>% modify('defined values' = sum(!is.na(.)))
x %>% select(time) %>% decorations

# rename column
x %<>% modify(time, name = label)
The `print.decorated_ggplot` function is used to substitute expressions, titles, labels, and aesthetics in ggplots. It searches for more meaningful labels, taking first available from attributes with names in `search`. Likewise, if mappings for colour (color), fill, size, etc. indicate columns that have these defined as attributes, an attempt is made to add a corresponding discrete scale if one does not exist already. Values are recycled if necessary and are specific by ordinal position to the corresponding level of the corresponding variable. Levels are defined in increasing priority by `sort(unique(x))`, any guide attribute, any factor levels, or any codelist attribute.

### Usage

```r
## S3 method for class 'decorated_ggplot'
print(
  x,
  ...,
  search = getOption("yamlet_decorated_ggplot_search", c("expression", "title", "label")),
)```
discrete = getOption("yamlet_decorated_ggplot_discrete", c("colour", "fill", "size", "shape", "linetype", "alpha")),
  drop = getOption("yamlet_decorated_ggplot_drop", TRUE)
)

Arguments

x class 'decorated_ggplot' from ggplot.decorated
...
search attribute names from which to seek label substitutes
discrete discrete aesthetics to map from data decorations where available
drop should unused factor levels be omitted from data-driven discrete scales?

Value

see print.ggplot

See Also

Other decorated_ggplot: ggplot.decorated(), ggplot_build.decorated_ggplot()

Examples

example(ggplot.decorated)

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read_yamlet  Read Yamlet

Description

Reads yamlet from file. Similar to io_yamlet.character but also reads text fragments.

Usage

read_yamlet(
  x,
  ...
)

Arguments

x file path for yamlet, or vector of yamlet in storage syntax
...
default_keys character: default keys for the first n anonymous members of each element
Value

yamlet: a named list with default keys applied

See Also
decorate.data.frame

Other interface: canonical.decorated(), classified.data.frame(), decorate.character(),
decorate.data.frame(), desolve.decorated(), ggplot.decorated(), io_csv.character(),
io_csv.data.frame(), io_res.character(), io_res.decorated(), io_table.character(),
io_table.data.frame(), io_yamlet.character(), io_yamlet.data.frame(), is_parseable.default(),
mimic.default(), modify.default(), promote.list(), resolve.decorated(), selected.default(),
write_yamlet()

Examples

library(csv)
file <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata', 'quinidine.csv')
meta <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata', 'quinidine.yaml')
x <- as.csv(file)
y <- read_yamlet(meta)
x <- decorate(x, meta = y)
stopifnot(identical(x, decorate(file)))

resolve.decorated Resolve Guide for Decorated

Description

Resolves implicit usage of default key 'guide' to explicit usage for decorated class. Calls explicit_guide,
classified, and make_title.

Usage

## S3 method for class 'decorated'
resolve(x, ...)

Arguments

x    decorated
...

Passed to explicit_guide, classified, and make_title

Value

decorated
See Also

Other resolve: `desolve.classified()`, `desolve.decorated()`, `desolve.dvec()`, `desolve()`, `resolve.dvec()`, `resolve()`

Other interface: `canonical.decorated()`, `classified.data.frame()`, `decorate.character()`, `decorate.data.frame()`, `desolve.decorated()`, `ggplot.decorated()`, `io.csv.character()`, `io.csv.data.frame()`, `io_res.character()`, `io_res.decorated()`, `io_table.character()`, `io_table.data.frame()`, `io_yamlet.character()`, `io_yamlet.data.frame()`, `is_parseable.default()`, `mimic.default()`, `modify.default()`, `promote.list()`, `read_yamlet()`, `selected.default()`, `write_yamlet()`

Examples

```r
# generate some decorated data
library(magrittr)
file <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata', 'quinidine.csv')
x <- decorate(file)
x %>% decorations(Age, glyco)

# resolve everything, and show selected decorations
x %>% resolve %>% decorations(Age, glyco)

# resolve selectively, and show selected decorations
x %>% resolve(glyco) %>% decorations(Age, glyco)
```

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**write_yamlet**

**Write Yamlet**

**Description**

Writes yamlet to file. Similar to `io_yamlet.yamlet` but returns invisible storage format instead of invisible storage location.

**Usage**

```r
write_yamlet(
  x,
  con = stdout(),
  eol = newline,
  useBytes = FALSE,
  default_keys = getOption("yamlet_default_keys", list("label", "guide")),
  fileEncoding = getOption("encoding"),
  block = FALSE,
  ...
)
```
Arguments

- **x**: something that can be coerced to class 'yamlet', like a yamlet object or a decorated data.frame
- **con**: passed to `writeLines`
- **eol**: end-of-line; passed to `writeLines` as sep
- **useBytes**: passed to `writeLines`
- **default_keys**: character: default keys for the first n anonymous members of each element
- **fileEncoding**: if con is character, passed to `file` as encoding
- **block**: whether to write block scalars
- **...**: passed to `as_yamlet` and to `as.character.yamlet`

Value

invisible character representation of yamlet (storage syntax)

See Also

- `decorate.list`

Other interface: `canonical.decorated()`, `classified.data.frame()`, `decorate.character()`, `decorate.data.frame()`, `desolve.decorated()`, `ggplot.decorated()`, `io_csv.character()`, `io_csv.data.frame()`, `io_res.character()`, `io_res.decorated()`, `io_table.character()`, `io_table.data.frame()`, `io_yamlet.character()`, `io_yamlet.data.frame()`, `is_parseable.default()`, `mimic.default()`, `modify.default()`, `promote.list()`, `read_yamlet()`, `resolve.decorated()`, `selected.default()`

Examples

```r
library(csv)
file <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata','quinidine.csv')
meta <- system.file(package = 'yamlet', 'extdata','quinidine.yaml')
x <- as.csv(file)
y <- read_yamlet(meta)
x <- decorate(x, meta = y)
identical(x, decorate(file))
tmp <- tempfile()
write_yamlet(x, tmp)
stopifnot(identical(read_yamlet(meta), read_yamlet(tmp)))
```

Description

The **yamlet** package supports storage and retrieval of table metadata in yaml format. The most important function is `decorate.character`: it lets you 'decorate' your data by attaching attributes retrieved from a file in yaml format. Typically your data will be of class 'data.frame', but it could be anything that is essentially a named list.
Storage Format

Storage format for ‘yamlet’ is a text file containing well-formed yaml. Technically, it is a map of sequences. Though well formed, it need not be complete: attributes or their names may be missing.

In the simplest case, the data specification consists of a list of column (item) names, followed by semicolons. Perhaps you only have one column:

mpg:

or maybe several:

mpg:
cyl:
disp:

If you know descriptive labels for your columns, provide them (skip a space after the colon).

mpg: fuel economy
cyl: number of cylinders
disp: displacement

If you know units, create a sequence with square brackets.

mpg: [ fuel economy, miles/gallon ]
cyl: number of cylinders
disp: [ displacement, in^3 ]

If you are going to give units, you probably should give a key first, since the first anonymous element is ‘label’ by default, and the second is ‘guide’. (A guide can be units for numeric variables, factor levels/labels for categorical variables, or a format string for dates, times, and datetimes.) You could give just the units but you would have to be specific:

mpg: [units: miles/gallon]

You can over-ride default keys by providing them in your data:

mpg: [units: miles/gallon]
_keys: [label, units]

Notice that stored yamlet can be informationally defective while syntactically correct. If you don’t know an item key at the time of data authoring, you can omit it:

race: [race, [white: 0, black: 1, 2, asian: 3]]

Or perhaps you know the key but not the value:

race: [race, [white: 0, black: 1, asian: 2, ? other]]

Notice that race is factor-like; the factor sequence is nested within the attribute sequence. Equivalently:

race: [label: race, guide: [white: 0, black: 1, asian: 2, ? other]]

If you have a codelist of length one, you should still enclose it in brackets:
sex: [Sex, [ M ]]

To get started using yamlet, see ?as_yamlet.character and examples there. See also ?decorate which adds yamlet values to corresponding items in your data. See also ?print.decorated which uses label attributes, if present, as axis labels.

Note: the quinidine and phenobarb datasets in the examples are borrowed from nlme (?Quinidine, ?Phenobarb), with some reorganization.

## yamlet_options

<table>
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<th>Description</th>
<th>Display Global Yamlet Options</th>
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</thead>
</table>

### Description

Displays global yamlet options: those options whose names begin with 'yamlet_'.

- **yamlet_append_units_open**: see append_units.default. Controls how labels are constructed for variables with 'units' attributes. In brief, units are wrapped in parentheses, and appended to the label.

- **yamlet_append_units_close**: see append_units.default. Controls how labels are constructed for variables with 'units' attributes. In brief, units are wrapped in parentheses, and appended to the label.

- **yamlet_append_units_style**: see append_units.default. Determines parsing as 'plotmath' or 'latex', or 'plain' for no parsing.

- **yamlet_append_units_target**: see append_units.default. By default, append result is assigned to attribute 'label', but could be something else like 'title'.

- **yamlet_default_keys**: see as_yamlet.character. The first two yaml attributes without specified names are assumed to be 'label' and 'guide'.

- **yamlet_persistence**: see decorate.list and as.integer.classified. By default, persistence of column attributes is implemented by creating 'dvec' objects (decorated vectors) using vctrs methodology.

- **yamlet_cell_value**: see as.data.frame.yamlet. Controls how cells are calculated when converting yamlet (decorations) to a data.frame.

- **yamlet_import**: see decorate.character. Controls how primary data is read from file (default: as.csv()).

- **yamlet_extension**: see decorate.character. Controls what file extension is expected for yaml metadata (default: '.yaml')

- **yamlet_overwrite**: see decorate.list. Controls whether existing decorations are overwritten.

- **yamlet_exclude_attr**: see decorations.data.frame Controls what attributes are excluded from display.

- **yamlet_with_title**: see make_title.dvec and drop_title.dvec. For objects with (implied) units attributes, titles are by default automatically created on resolve() and destroyed on desolve(). Interacts with yamlet_append_units_*.
• **yamlet_infer_guide**: see `explicit_guide.yamlet`. Identifies the function that will be used to reclassify 'guide' as something more explicit.

• **yamlet_explicit_guide_overwrite**: see `explicit_guide.data.frame` and `explicit_guide.dvec`. In the latter case, controls whether existing attributes are overwritten.

• **yamlet_explicit_guide_simplify**: `explicit_guide.data.frame` and `explicit_guide.dvec`. Ordinarily, the 'guide' attribute is removed if something more useful can be inferred.

• **yamlet_decorated_ggplot_search**: see `print.decorated_ggplot`. The print method for `decorated_ggplot` populates axis labels by searching first for attributes named 'expression', 'title', and 'label'. Customizable.

• **yamlet_decorated_ggplot_discrete**: see `print.decorated_ggplot`. Discrete aesthetics to map from data decorations where available.

• **yamlet_decorated_ggplot_drop**: see `print.decorated_ggplot`. Should unused factor levels be omitted from data-driven discrete scales?

• **yamlet_ggready_parse**: see `ggready.data.frame`, `ggready.decorated`. Whether to parse axis labels. TRUE by default, but may be problematic if unintended.

• **yamlet_modify_reserved**: see `modify.default`. A list of reserved labels that warn on reassignment.

• **yamlet_promote_reserved**: see `promote.list`. Attributes to leave untouched when promoting singularities.

• **yamlet_promote**: see `filter.decorated`. Whether to promote when filtering 'decorated'.

Usage

```r
yamlet_options()
```

Value

list

Examples

```r
yamlet_options()
```
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