

Package ‘loopr’

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Type Package

Title Uses an Archive to Amend Previous Stages of a Pipe using Current Output

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Description Remedies a common problem in piping: not having access to intermediate outputs of the pipe. Within a “loop”, a piping intermediate is stored in a stack archive, data is processed, and then both the stored intermediate and the current output are reintegrated using an “ending” function. Two special ending functions are provided: amend and insert. However, any ending function can be specified, including merge functions, join functions, setNames(), etc. This framework allows the following work-flow: focus on a particular aspect or section of a data set, conduct specific operations, and then reintegrate changes into the whole.

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amend	<i>Amend a dataframe with new information</i>
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Description

[full_join](#) two dataframes. If there are matching columns, amend each data column with the corresponding amendData column using [amendColumns](#).

Usage

```
amend(data, amendData, by = NULL, suffix = "toFix")
```

Arguments

data	A data frame
amendData	A data frame
by	A quoted vector of column names to join by. If set to NULL or unspecified, will default to the grouping columns in data
suffix	A suffix used internally. No existing column names should use this suffix.

Value

An amended [tbl_df](#)

amendColumns	<i>Amend variables with new information</i>
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Description

Replace all non-NA values in one set of columns with values from another matching set

Usage

```
amendColumns(data, originalNames, amendNames)
```

Arguments

data	A data frame
originalNames	A vector of column names with out-of-date information
amendNames	A vector of column names with amended information. They will be removed at the end of processing.

Value

An amended `tbl_df`

fillColumns	<i>Fill variables with new information</i>
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Description

Replace all NA values in one set of columns with values from another matching set

Usage

```
fillColumns(data, originalNames, fillNames)
```

Arguments

data	A data frame
originalNames	A vector of column names with out-of-date information
fillNames	A vector of column names with new information. They will be removed at the end of processing.

Value

A `tbl_df`

insert	<i>Insert new information into a dataframe.</i>
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Description

`anti_join` data with `insertData`, then `bind_cols` of `insertData`, then arrange by `by` variables.

Usage

```
insert(data, insertData, by)
```

Arguments

data	A data frame
insertData	A data frame
by	A quoted vector of column names to join by.

Value

An inserted `tbl_df`

loopClass	<i>An implementation of an loop</i>
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Description

An implementation of an loop

Usage

```
loopClass
```

Format

An `R6Class` generator object

Inherits

`stackClass`

Methods

`begin(item, name = "")` Alias for `stackClass$push`

`end(endData, FUN, ...)` Will return `FUN(stackClass$pop, endData, ...)`

`cross(crossData, FUN, ...)` Will return `FUN(crossData, stackClass$pop, ...)`

stackClass	<i>An implementation of a stack</i>
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Description

An implementation of a stack

Usage

stackClass

Format

An [R6Class](#) generator object

Fields

stack A list which can directly accessed or accessed through the functions below. The bottom (original) item, set to NULL, should not be modified.

Methods

push(item, name = "") Append an item to the stack with an optional name and return the item

Active Bindings

height This will return the length of the stack

pop This will remove the last (most recent) item from the stack and return it

pop This will return, but not remove, the last (most recent) item from the stack

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