

# Package ‘soundcorrs’

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addSeparators	<i>Intersperse a vector of strings with a character or string.</i>
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### Description

Primarily intended to insert separators into a column of words, to facilitate manual segmentation and aligning.

### Usage

```
addSeparators(x, separator = "|")
```

**Arguments**

x [character vector] The strings to be interspersed.  
 separator [character] The string with which to intersperse. Defaults to "|".

**Value**

character vector A vector of interspersed strings.

**Examples**

```
addSeparators (c("word", "mot", "focal"), ".")
```

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allPairs	<i>Produce a list of all sound correspondences and all pairs in which they are attested.</i>
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**Description**

Take all segment-to-segment correspondences in the dataset, and produce for each a section composed of a title, a contingency table of all renderings of the given segment, and subsections listing all word pairs in which the given rendering is attested, all nicely formatted.

**Usage**

```
allPairs(data, file, count, unit, direction, cols, formatter, ...)
```

**Arguments**

data [character] The dataset. Only datasets with two languages are supported.  
 file [character] Name of the file to write the formatted list to. If NULL, the output will be printed to the screen. Defaults to NULL.  
 count [character] Report the absolute number of times or words, or relative to how many times or in how many words the given segments co-occur in L1 or L2. Accepted values are "a(bsolute)" and "r(el(ative))". Defaults to "a".  
 unit [character] Count how many times a correspondence occurs or in how many words it occurs. Accepted values are "o(cc(ur(ence(s))))" and "w(or(d(s)))". Defaults to "w".  
 direction [integer] If 1, correspondences are in the order Language1 > Language2 ("x yields y"). If 2, the order is Language2 < Language1 ("y originates from x"). Defaults to 1.  
 cols [character vector] Which columns of the dataset to print. Can be a vector of names, "aligned" (the two columns with segmented, aligned words), or "all" (all columns). Defaults to "aligned".  
 formatter [function] The function to which to pass unformatted data. Available formatters are: `formatter.none`, `formatter.html`, and `formatter.latex`. Defaults to `formatter.none`.  
 ... Additional arguments passed to `formatter`.

**Examples**

```
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.capitals
allPairs (dataset)
allPairs (dataset, formatter=formatter.latex, cols=c("ORTHOGRAPHY.German", "ORTHOGRAPHY.Polish"))
```

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allTables	<i>Generate all contingency tables for a dataset.</i>
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**Description**

Generate all correspondence-to-correspondence or correspondence-to-metadata contingency tables for a dataset.

**Usage**

```
allTables(data, column, count, unit, direction, bin)
```

**Arguments**

data	[soundcorrs] The dataset from which to draw frequencies. Only datasets with two languages are supported.
column	[character] Name of the column with metadata. If NULL, sound correspondences are cross-tabulated with themselves. Defaults to NULL.
count	[character] Report the absolute number of times or words, or relative to how many times or in how many words the given segments co-occur in L1 or L2. Accepted values are "a(bs(olute))" and "r(el(ative))". Defaults to "a".
unit	[character] Count how many times a correspondence occurs or in how many words it occurs. Accepted values are "o(cc(ur(ence(s))))" and "w(or(d(s)))". Defaults to "w".
direction	[integer] If 1, correspondences are in the order Language1 > Language2 ("x yields y"). If 2, the order is Language2 < Language1 ("y originates from x"). Defaults to 1.
bin	[logical] Whether to bin tables before applying fun to them. Defaults to TRUE.

**Value**

list A list of tables.

**Examples**

```
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.abc
allTables (dataset)
allTables (dataset, "DIALECT.L2", unit="o")
```

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binTable	<i>Sum all rows and all columns in a table, except for the selected ones.</i>
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**Description**

Useful for when the data are scarce and `chisq.test` returns a warning, or when a more specific analysis of the data is required.

**Usage**

```
binTable(x, row, col)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	[data.frame/matrix/table] Table to be binned.
<code>row</code>	[integer/vector] The rows to not be binned.
<code>col</code>	[integer/vector] The columns to not be binned.

**Value**

table Table with some of its data binned.

**Examples**

```
mtx <- matrix (1:16, nrow=4, dimnames=list(paste0("r",1:4),paste0("c",1:4)))
binTable (mtx, 1, 1)
binTable (mtx, 1, c(1,3))
```

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cbind.soundcorrs	<i>Attach one or more columns to a <a href="#">soundcorrs</a> object.</i>
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**Description**

Attach one or more columns to a [soundcorrs](#) object. Note that sound correspondences attached with this function will not be usable as such.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'soundcorrs'
cbind(data, ...)
```

**Arguments**

<code>data</code>	[soundcorrs] The <a href="#">soundcorrs</a> object.
<code>...</code>	Objects to be attached.

**Value**

soundcorrs The original [soundcorrs](#) object with the columns attached.

**Examples**

```
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.capitals
cbind (dataset, ID=1:nrow(dataset$data))
cbind (dataset, CONTINENT="Europe")
```

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 char2value

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*Convert characters to their values.*


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**Description**

Convert a vector of characters to their values, as defined in the [transcription](#).

**Usage**

```
char2value(data, language, x)
```

**Arguments**

data	[soundcorrs] The <a href="#">soundcorrs</a> object which holds the <a href="#">transcription</a> .
language	[character or integer] Which <a href="#">transcription</a> to use; can be the name of the language, or its number (in which place it was listed when creating the <a href="#">soundcorrs</a> object).
x	[character vector] Characters to convert.

**Value**

character vector Values, as defined in the [transcription](#).

**Examples**

```
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.abc
segms <- findSegments (dataset, "a", "o", +1)
char2value (dataset, "L1", segms$L1)
```

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expandMeta	<i>Expand custom metacharacters to a regular expression.</i>
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### Description

Turn characters defined in a [transcription](#) as metacharacters into the corresponding regular expression.

### Usage

```
expandMeta(transcription, x)
```

### Arguments

`transcription` [transcription] The [transcription](#) to use.  
`x` [character] The string containing metacharacters.

### Value

character A string with metacharacters expanded.

### Examples

```
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.capitals
expandMeta (dataset$trans[[1]], "aN")
orth.german <- dataset$data$ORTHOGRAPHY.German
query <- "lin"
orth.german [ grep (query, orth.german) ]
query <- expandMeta (dataset$trans[[1]], "lin$")
orth.german [ grep (query, orth.german) ]
```

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findPairs	<i>Find all pairs with corresponding sequences of sounds.</i>
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### Description

Sift the dataset for word pairs such that the first word contains `x` and the second word contains `y` in the corresponding segment or segments.

### Usage

```
findPairs(data, x, y, exact, cols)
```

**Arguments**

data	[soundcorrs] The dataset in which to look. Only datasets with two languages are supported.
x	[character] The sequence to find in language1. May be a regular expression. If an empty string, anything will be considered a match.
y	[character] The sequence to find in language2. May be a regular expression. If an empty string, anything will be considered a match.
exact	[logical] Only return exact, full-segment to full-segment matches? If TRUE, linguistic zeros are not ignored. Defaults to FALSE.
cols	[character vector] Which columns of the dataset to return as the result. Can be a vector of names, "aligned" (the two columns with segmented, aligned words), or "all" (all columns). Defaults to "aligned".

**Value**

df.findPairs A subset of the dataset, containing only the pairs with corresponding sequences. Warning: pairs with multiple occurrences of such sequences are only included once.

**Examples**

```
# In the examples below, non-ASCII characters had to be escaped for technical reasons.
# In actual usage, all soundcorrs functions accept characters from beyond ASCII.
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.capitals
findPairs (dataset, "\u00E4", "e", cols=c("ORTHOGRAPHY.German","ORTHOGRAPHY.Polish")) # a-diaeresis
findPairs (dataset, "a", "[ae]", cols="all")
findPairs (dataset, "\u0259", "Vr", exact=FALSE) # schwa
findPairs (dataset, "\u0259", "Vr", exact=TRUE) # schwa
subset (dataset, findPairs(dataset, "\u00E4", "e")$which) # a-diaeresis
```

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findSegments

*Segments in relation to segments exhibiting a correspondence.*

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**Description**

Find pairs with a specific sound correspondence, and extract from them the segments which come before or after the segments exhibiting that correspondence.

**Usage**

```
findSegments(data, x, y, segment)
```



**Arguments**

data	[soundcorrs] The dataset in which to look. Only datasets with two languages are supported.
x	[character] The sequence to find in language1. May be a regular expression. If an empty string, anything will be considered a match.
y	[character] The sequence to find in language2. May be a regular expression. If an empty string, anything will be considered a match.
segment	[integer] Number of the segment to be returned, in relation to segments containing x and y. Defaults to 0.

**Value**

list Vectors for both languages, each of the same length as the dataset.

**Examples**

```
# In the examples below, non-ASCII characters had to be escaped for technical reasons.
# In actual usage, all soundcorrs functions accept characters from beyond ASCII.
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.capitals
findPairs (dataset, "\u00E4", "e") # a-diaeresis
findSegments (dataset, "\u00E4", "e")
findSegments (dataset, "\u00E4", "e", -1)
```

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fitTable

*Fit multiple models to multiple datasets.*


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**Description**

Apply `multiFit` to all rows or all columns of a table.

**Usage**

```
fitTable(models, data, margin, conv = vec2df.id, ...)
```

**Arguments**

models	[list] A list of models to fit data to. Each element must be a list with at least two named fields: <code>formula</code> which contains the formula, and <code>start</code> which is a list of lists of starting estimates. Regarding the formula, the converter functions (see below) use "X" and "Y" for column names.
data	[matrix/table] The data to fit models to.
margin	[integer] As in <code>apply</code> : the subscripts which the fitting function (cf. <code>multiFit</code> ) will be applied over. Accepted values are: 1 for rows, and 2 for columns.
conv	[function] Function that converts vectors into data frames to which models will be fitted. Available functions are: <code>vec2df.id</code> , <code>vec2df.hist</code> , and <code>vec2df.rank</code> . Defaults to <code>vec2df.id</code> .
...	Additional arguments passed to <code>multiFit</code> .

**Value**

list.multiFit A list of results returned by the fitting function (cf. [multiFit](#)).

**Examples**

```
dataset <- summary (sampleSoundCorrsData.abc)
models <- list (
  "model A" = list (
    formula = "Y ~ a/X",
    start = list (list(a=1))),
  "model B" = list (
    formula = "Y ~ a/(1+exp(1)^X)",
    start = list (list(a=1)))
)
fitTable (models, dataset, 1, vec2df.rank)
```

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formatter.html

*A formatter for [allPairs](#). This one formats to HTML.*

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**Description**

A formatter for [allPairs](#). This one formats to HTML.

**Usage**

```
formatter.html(what, x, direction = 1)
```

**Arguments**

what	[character] What type of data is x.
x	The object to be formatted.
direction	[integer] If 1, correspondences are in the order Language1 > Language2 ("x yields y"). If 2, the order is Language2 < Language1 ("y originates from x"). Defaults to 1.

**Value**

character Formatted x.

**Examples**

```
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.capitals
allPairs (dataset, unit="o", formatter=formatter.html)
```

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formatter.latex	<i>A formatter for <a href="#">allPairs</a>. This one formats to LaTeX.</i>
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**Description**

A formatter for [allPairs](#). This one formats to LaTeX.

**Usage**

```
formatter.latex(what, x, direction = 1)
```

**Arguments**

what	[character] What type of data is x.
x	The object to be formatted.
direction	[integer] If 1, correspondences are in the order Language1 > Language2 ("x yields y"). If 2, the order is Language2 < Language1 ("y originates from x"). Defaults to 1.

**Value**

character Formatted x.

**Examples**

```
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.capitals
allPairs (dataset, unit="o", formatter=formatter.latex)
```

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formatter.none	<i>A formatter for <a href="#">allPairs</a>. This one does practically no formatting at all.</i>
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**Description**

A formatter for [allPairs](#). This one does practically no formatting at all.

**Usage**

```
formatter.none(what, x, direction = 1)
```

**Arguments**

what	[character] What type of data is x.
x	The object to be formatted.
direction	[integer] If 1, correspondences are in the order Language1 > Language2 ("x yields y"). If 2, the order is Language2 < Language1 ("y originates from x"). Defaults to 1.

**Value**

character Formatted x.

**Examples**

```
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.capitals
allPairs (dataset, unit="o", formatter=formatter.none)
```

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lapplyTest

*Apply a function to a list.*

---

**Description**

Takes a list and applies to each of its elements a function, returning a list of outputs. Primary intended for tests of independence on a list of contingency tables.

**Usage**

```
lapplyTest(x, fun = chisq.test, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	[list] The list to which to apply fun.
fun	[function] The function which to apply to data. Must return an object containing an element named p.value. Defaults to <a href="#">chisq.test</a> .
...	Additional arguments passed to fun.

**Value**

list.lapplyTest A list of outputs of fun.

**Examples**

```
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.abc
lapplyTest (allTables(dataset))
lapplyTest (allTables(dataset), fisher.test, simulate.p.value=TRUE)
```

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long2wide	<i>Convert from the long format (single entry per row) to the wide format (multiple entries per row).</i>
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### Description

Takes a data frame of word pairs/triples/..., each stored in multiple rows, and returns a data frame with the same words but each pair/triple/... stored in one row. **WARNING:** in the original data frame, entries from all languages must be in the same order.

### Usage

```
long2wide(data, col.lang = "LANGUAGE", skip = NULL)
```

### Arguments

data	[data.frame] The dataset to be converted.
col.lang	[character] Name of the column with language names. Defaults to "LANGUAGE".
skip	[character vector] Names of columns to not convert. Defaults to NULL.

### Value

data.frame A data frame in the wide format (multiple entries per row).

### Examples

```
# path to sample data in the "long format"
fName <- system.file("extdata", "data-abc.tsv", package="soundcorrs")
long <- read.table(fName, header=TRUE)
wide <- long2wide(long, skip=c("ID"))
```

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multiFit	<i>Fit multiple models to one dataset.</i>
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### Description

Apply a fitting function, with multiple models and multiple starting estimates, to one dataset.

### Usage

```
multiFit(models, data, fun = nls, ...)
```

**Arguments**

models	[list] A list of models to fit data to. Each element must be a list with at least two named fields: <code>formula</code> which contains the formula, and <code>start</code> which is a list of lists of starting estimates.
data	[numeric data.frame/list] A list of vectors to fit models to.
fun	[function] The function to use for fitting. Defaults to <code>nls</code> .
...	Additional arguments passed to <code>fun</code> .

**Value**

`list.multiFit` A list of results returned by `fun` or, if it ended with an error, `NULL`.

**Examples**

```
set.seed (27)
dataset <- data.frame (X=1:10, Y=(1:10)^2+runif(10,-10,10))
models <- list (
  "model A" = list (
    formula = "Y ~ X^a",
    start = list (list(a=100), list(a=1))),
  "model B" = list (
    formula = "Y ~ a*(X+b)",
    start = list (list(a=1,b=1)))
)
multiFit (models, dataset)
```

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ngrams

*Frequencies of n-grams.*


---

**Description**

Find n-grams of specified length and return their counts.

**Usage**

```
ngrams(data, n, zeros, as.table)
```

**Arguments**

data	[scOne] A <code>scOne</code> object in which to look for n-grams.
n	[integer] The length of n-grams to look for. Defaults to 1.
zeros	[logical] Include linguistic zeros? Defaults to <code>TRUE</code> .
as.table	[logical] Return the result as a table? Defaults to <code>TRUE</code> .

**Value**

table Table with counts of n-grams.

**Examples**

```
# path to sample data in the "wide format"
fNameData <- system.file("extdata", "data-capitals.tsv", package="soundcorrs")
# path to a sample transcription
fNameTrans <- system.file("extdata", "trans-common.tsv", package="soundcorrs")
d.cap.ger <- read.scOne(fNameData, "German", "ALIGNED.German", fNameTrans)
ngrams(d.cap.ger, 2)
ngrams(d.cap.ger, 2, FALSE)
```

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```
print.df.findPairs    Pretty printing for the result of findPairs.
```

---

**Description**

Pretty printing for the result of `findPairs`.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'df.findPairs'
print(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

`x` [df.findPairs] The output of `findPairs`.  
`...` Unused; only for consistency with `print`.

**Value**

A more human-friendly digest.

**Examples**

```
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.capitals
findPairs(dataset, "a", "[ae]", cols="all")
```

---

```
print.scOne          A more reasonable display of a scOne object.
```

---

**Description**

A more reasonable display of a `scOne` object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'scOne'
print(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                    [scOne] The [scOne](#) object.  
 ...                    Unused; only for consistency with [print](#).

**Value**

A more human-friendly digest.

**Examples**

```
# path to sample data in the "wide format"
fNameData <- system.file("extdata", "data-capitals.tsv", package="soundcorrs")
# path to a sample transcription
fNameTrans <- system.file("extdata", "trans-common.tsv", package="soundcorrs")
read.scOne(fNameData, "German", "ALIGNED.German", fNameTrans)
```

---

print.soundcorrs        *A more reasonable display of a [soundcorrs](#) object.*

---

**Description**

A more reasonable display of a [soundcorrs](#) object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'soundcorrs'
print(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                    [soundcorrs] The [soundcorrs](#) object.  
 ...                    Unused; only for consistency with [print](#).

**Value**

A more human-friendly digest.

**Examples**

```
sampleSoundCorrsData.abc
sampleSoundCorrsData.capitals
sampleSoundCorrsData.ie
```



---

```
print.transcription
```

*A more reasonable display of a [transcription](#) object.*

---

**Description**

A more reasonable display of a [transcription](#) object.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'transcription'
print(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

`x` [transcription] The transcription.  
`...` Unused; only for consistency with [print](#).

**Value**

A more human-friendly digest.

**Examples**

```
# path to a sample transcription
fName <- system.file("extdata", "trans-common.tsv", package="soundcorrs")
read.transcription(fName)
```

---

```
read.scOne
```

*Read data for a single language from a tsv file.*

---

**Description**

Read the data for one language, from a file in the wide format, and combine it with metadata into a [scOne](#) object.

**Usage**

```
read.scOne(file, name, col.aligned, transcription, separator = "\\|")
```

**Arguments**

`file` [character] Path to the data file in the wide format.  
`name` [character] Name of the language.  
`col.aligned` [character] Name of the column with the aligned words.  
`transcription` [character] Path to the file with the transcription.  
`separator` [character] String used to separate segments in `col.aligned`. Defaults to `"\\|"`.

**Value**

scOne An object containing the data and metadata for one language.

**Examples**

```
# path to sample data in the "wide format"
fNameData <- system.file("extdata", "data-capitals.tsv", package="soundcorr")
# path to a sample transcription
fNameTrans <- system.file("extdata", "trans-common.tsv", package="soundcorr")
ger <- read.scOne(fNameData, "German", "ALIGNED.German", fNameTrans)
```

---

read.transcription      *Read transcription from a tsv file.*

---

**Description**

Read a table from file and create a [transcription](#) object out of it.

**Usage**

```
read.transcription(
  file,
  col.grapheme = "GRAPHEME",
  col.meta = "META",
  col.value = "VALUE"
)
```

**Arguments**

file	[character] Path to the data file.
col.grapheme	[character] Name of the column with graphemes. Defaults to "GRAPHEME".
col.meta	[character] Name of the column with the coverage of metacharacters. If empty string or NA, the column will be generated automatically. Defaults to "META".
col.value	[character] Name of the column with values of graphemes. Defaults to "VALUE".

**Value**

transcription A transcription object containing the read transcription.

**Examples**

```
# path to a sample transcription
fName <- system.file("extdata", "trans-common.tsv", package="soundcorr")
read.transcription(fName)
```

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`sampleSoundCorrsData.abc`

*A sample dataset with entirely made up words and languages.*

---

### **Description**

A sample dataset with entirely made up words and languages.

### **Usage**

`sampleSoundCorrsData.abc`

### **Format**

A [soundcorrs](#) object.

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`sampleSoundCorrsData.capitals`

*A sample dataset with the names of EU capitals in German, Polish, and Spanish.*

---

### **Description**

A sample dataset with the names of EU capitals in German, Polish, and Spanish.

### **Usage**

`sampleSoundCorrsData.capitals`

### **Format**

A [soundcorrs](#) object.

---

sampleSoundCorrsData.ie

*A sample dataset with a dozen words in English, Gothic, Greek, and Latin.*

---

### Description

A sample dataset with a dozen words in English, Gothic, Greek, and Latin.

### Usage

```
sampleSoundCorrsData.ie
```

### Format

A `soundcorrs` object.

### Source

Campbell L. 2013. Historical Linguistics. An Introduction. Edinburgh University Press. Pp. 136f.

---

scOne

*Constructor function for the scOne class.*

---

### Description

Take a data frame containing data for one language, in the wide format, and combine it with meta-data into a `scOne` object. In a normal workflow, the user should have no need to invoke this function other than through `read.scOne`.

### Usage

```
scOne(data, name, col.aligned, transcription, separator = "\\|")
```

### Arguments

<code>data</code>	[data.frame] Data for one language.
<code>name</code>	[character] Name of the language.
<code>col.aligned</code>	[character] Name of the column with the aligned words.
<code>transcription</code>	[transcription] The <code>transcription</code> for the given language.
<code>separator</code>	[character] String used to separate segments in <code>col.aligned</code> . Defaults to <code>"\ "</code> .

### Value

`scOne` A `scOne` object containing the data and metadata for one language.

**Fields**

cols [character list] Names of important columns.

data [data.frame] The original data.

name [character] Name of the language.

segms [character list] Words exploded into segments. With linguistic zeros preserved (\$z) or removed (\$nz).

segpos [integer list] A lookup list to check which character belongs to which segment. Counted with linguistic zeros preserved (\$z) and removed (\$nz).

separator [character] The string used as segment separator in `col.aligned`.

trans [transcription] The [transcription](#) object for the language.

words [character list] Words obtained by removing separators from the `col.aligned` column. With linguistic zeros (\$z) or without them (\$nz).

**Examples**

```
fNameData <- system.file("extdata", "data-capitals.tsv", package="soundcorr")
fNameTrans <- system.file("extdata", "trans-common.tsv", package="soundcorr")
readData <- read.table(fNameData, header=TRUE)
readTrans <- read.transcription(fNameTrans)
ger <- scOne(readData, "German", "ALIGNED.German", readTrans)
```

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soundcorr

*Constructor function for the soundcorr class.*

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**Description**

Take multiple [scOne](#) objects and combine them into a single `soundcorr` object.

**Usage**

```
soundcorr(...)
```

**Arguments**

... [scOne] Multiple [scOne](#) objects to be combined.

**Value**

`soundcorr` An object containing the data and metadata for multiple language.

**Fields**

cols [character list] Names of important columns.

data [data.frame] The original data, merged.

name [character] Names of the languages.

segms [character list] Words exploded into segments. With linguistic zeros preserved (\$z) or removed (\$nz).

segpos [integer list] A lookup list to check which character belongs to which segment. Counted with linguistic zeros preserved (\$z) and removed (\$nz).

separators [character] Strings used as segment separators in cols\$aligned.

trans [transcription] [transcription](#) objects.

words [character list] Words obtained by removing separators from the cols\$aligned columns. With linguistic zeros (\$z) or without them (\$nz).

**Examples**

```
# path to sample data in the "wide format"
fNameData <- system.file("extdata", "data-capitals.tsv", package="soundcorrs")
# path to a sample transcription
fNameTrans <- system.file("extdata", "trans-common.tsv", package="soundcorrs")
ger <- read.scOne(fNameData, "German", "ALIGNED.German", fNameTrans)
pol <- read.scOne(fNameData, "Polish", "ALIGNED.Polish", fNameTrans)
spa <- read.scOne(fNameData, "Spanish", "ALIGNED.Spanish", fNameTrans)
dataset <- soundcorrs(ger, pol, spa)
```

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subset.soundcorrs	<i>Return a subset of sound correspondences data which meets a condition.</i>
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**Description**

Reduce a [soundcorrs](#) object to just those word pairs/triples/... which meet a certain condition.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'soundcorrs'
subset(x, condition, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	[soundcorrs] The dataset to be subsetted.
condition	[logical] The condition the subsetted data must meet.
...	Unused; only for consistency with <a href="#">subset</a> .

**Value**

soundcorrs A soundcorrs object containing the subsetted dataset.

## Examples

```
# In the examples below, non-ASCII characters had to be escaped for technical reasons.
# In actual usage, all soundcorrs functions accept characters from beyond ASCII.
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.capitals
subset (dataset, OFFICIAL.LANGUAGE=="German")
subset (dataset, grepl("German",OFFICIAL.LANGUAGE))
subset (dataset, findPairs(dataset, "\u00E4", "e")$which) # a-diaeresis
```

---

summary.list.lapplyTest

*A quick summary of the result of [lapplyTest](#).*

---

## Description

Take the output of [lapplyTest](#), and extract from it only the noteworthy results.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'list.lapplyTest'
summary(object, p.value = 0.05, ...)
```

## Arguments

object	[list.lapplyTest] The output of <a href="#">lapplyTest</a> .
p.value	[double] Results above this value will not be reported. Defaults to 0.05.
...	Unused; only for consistency with <a href="#">summary</a> .

## Value

A more human-friendly digest.

## Examples

```
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.abc
lapplyTest (allTables(dataset))
```

---

summary.list.multiFit *A comparison of the results produced by fitTable or multiFit.*

---

## Description

Take the output of `fitTable` or `multiFit`, extract a specific metric from the fits, and present them in the form of a table.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'list.multiFit'  
summary(object, metric = "rss", ...)
```

## Arguments

<code>object</code>	[list.multiFit] The output of <code>fitTable</code> or <code>multiFit</code> .
<code>metric</code>	[character] The metric to extract from object. Available metrics are: "aic", "bic", "rss", and "sigma". Defaults to "rss".
<code>...</code>	Unused; only for consistency with <code>summary</code> .

## Value

A more human-friendly digest.

## Examples

```
set.seed (27)  
dataset <- data.frame (X=1:10, Y=(1:10)^2+runif(10,-10,10))  
models <- list (  
  "model A" = list (  
    formula = "Y ~ X^a",  
    start = list (list(a=100), list(a=1)),  
    "model B" = list (  
      formula = "Y ~ a*(X+b)",  
      start = list (list(a=1,b=1))  
    )  
  )  
summary (multiFit(models,dataset))  
summary (fitTable(models,as.matrix(dataset),1,vec2df.rank), "sigma")
```



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```
summary.soundcorrs
```

*Generate a segment-to-segment contingency table for two languages.*

---

## Description

Produce a contingency table detailing all segment-to-segment correspondences in a dataset.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'soundcorrs'
summary(object, count = "a", unit = "w", direction = 1, ...)
```

## Arguments

object	[soundcorrs] The dataset from which to draw frequencies. Only datasets with two languages are supported.
count	[character] Report the absolute number of times or words, or relative to how many times or in how many words the given segments co-occur in L1 or L2. Accepted values are "a(bs(olute))" and "r(el(ative))". Defaults to "a".
unit	[character] Count how many times a correspondence occurs or in how many words it occurs. Accepted values are "o(cc(ur(ence(s))))" and "w(or(d(s)))". Defaults to "w".
direction	[integer] If 1, correspondences are in the order Language1 > Language2 ("x yields y"). If 2, the order is Language2 < Language1 ("y originates from x"). Defaults to 1.
...	Unused; only for consistency with <a href="#">print</a> .

## Value

table The contingency table.

## Examples

```
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.abc
summary (dataset)
round (summary(dataset,count="r"), digits=3)
summary (dataset, unit="o")
summary (dataset, direction=2)
```

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table	<i>The base::table function.</i>
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**Description**

The base::table function.

**Usage**

```
table(...)
```

**Arguments**

... base::table's arguments.

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table.soundcorrs	<i>Generate a correspondence-to-correspondence or correspondence-to-metadata contingency table.</i>
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**Description**

Take all segment-to-segment correspondences in a dataset, and cross-tabulate them with themselves or with metadata taken from a separate column.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'soundcorrs'
table(data, column = NULL, count = "a", unit = "w", direction = 1, ...)
```

**Arguments**

data	[soundcorrs] The dataset from which to draw frequencies. Only datasets with two languages are supported.
column	[character] Name of the column with metadata. If NULL, sound correspondences are cross-tabulated with themselves. Defaults to NULL.
count	[character] Report the absolute number of times or words, or relative to how many times or in how many words the given segments co-occur in L1 or L2. Accepted values are "a(bsolute)" and "r(el(ative))". Defaults to "a".
unit	[character] Count how many times a correspondence occurs or in how many words it occurs. Accepted values are "o(cc(ur(ence(s))))" and "w(or(d(s)))". Defaults to "w".
direction	[integer] If 1, correspondences are in the order Language1 > Language2 ("x yields y"). If 2, the order is Language2 < Language1 ("y originates from x"). Defaults to 1.
...	Unused; only for consistency with table.

**Value**

table The contingency table.

**Examples**

```
dataset <- sampleSoundCorrsData.abc
table (dataset)
table (dataset, direction=2)
table (dataset, "DIALECT.L2")
round (table(dataset,"DIALECT.L2",count="r"), digits=3)
```

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transcription

*Constructor function for the transcription class.*


---

**Description**

Take a data frame containing transcription and turn it into a transcription object, as required by the `soundcorrs` constructor function. In a normal workflow, the user should have no need to call this function other than through `read.transcription`.

**Usage**

```
transcription(
  data,
  col.grapheme = "GRAPHEME",
  col.meta = "META",
  col.value = "VALUE"
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>data</code>	[data.frame] Data frame containing the transcription and its meaning.
<code>col.grapheme</code>	[character] Name of the column with graphemes. Defaults to "GRAPHEME".
<code>col.meta</code>	[character] Name of the column with the coverage of metacharacters. If empty string or NA, the column will be generated automatically. Defaults to "META".
<code>col.value</code>	[character] Name of the column with values of graphemes. Defaults to "VALUE".

**Value**

transcription A transcription object containing the provided data.

**Fields**

<code>data</code>	[data.frame] The original data frame.
<code>cols</code>	[character list] Names of the important columns in the data frame.
<code>zero</code>	[character] A regular expression to catch linguistic zeros.

## Examples

```
# path to a sample transcription
fName <- system.file ("extdata", "trans-common.tsv", package="soundcorr")
fut <- transcription (read.table(fName,header=TRUE))
```

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vec2df.hist	<i>A vector to data frame converter for <a href="#">fitTable</a>. This one makes a histogram, and returns a data frame with midpoints and counts.</i>
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## Description

A vector to data frame converter for [fitTable](#). This one makes a histogram, and returns a data frame with midpoints and counts.

## Usage

```
vec2df.hist(data)
```

## Arguments

data            [numeric vector] The data to be converted.

## Value

data.frame    Converted data.

## Examples

```
dataset <- summary (sampleSoundCorrsData.abc)
models <- list (
  "model A" = list (
    formula = "Y ~ a/X",
    start = list (list(a=1))),
  "model B" = list (
    formula = "Y ~ a/(1+exp(1)^X)",
    start = list (list(a=1)))
)
fitTable (models, dataset, 1, vec2df.hist)
```

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vec2df.id	<i>A vector to data frame converter for <a href="#">fitTable</a>. This one only does the necessary minimum.</i>
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**Description**

A vector to data frame converter for [fitTable](#). This one only does the necessary minimum.

**Usage**

```
vec2df.id(data)
```

**Arguments**

data [numeric vector] The data to be converted.

**Value**

data.frame Converted data.

**Examples**

```
dataset <- summary (sampleSoundCorrsData.abc)
models <- list (
  "model A" = list (
    formula = "Y ~ a/X",
    start = list (list(a=1))),
  "model B" = list (
    formula = "Y ~ a/(1+exp(1)^X)",
    start = list (list(a=1)))
)
fitTable (models, dataset, 1, vec2df.id)
```

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vec2df.rank	<i>A vector to data frame converter for <a href="#">fitTable</a>. This one orders data by rank.</i>
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**Description**

A vector to data frame converter for [fitTable](#). This one orders data by rank.

**Usage**

```
vec2df.rank(data)
```

**Arguments**

`data` [numeric vector] The data to be converted.

**Value**

`data.frame` Converted data.

**Examples**

```
dataset <- summary (sampleSoundCorrsData.abc)
models <- list (
  "model A" = list (
    formula = "Y ~ a/X",
    start = list (list(a=1))),
  "model B" = list (
    formula = "Y ~ a/(1+exp(1)^X)",
    start = list (list(a=1)))
)
fitTable (models, dataset, 1, vec2df.rank)
```

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wide2long	<i>Convert from the wide format (multiple entries per row) to the long format (single entry per row).</i>
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**Description**

Takes a data frame of word pairs/triples/..., each stored in a single row, and returns a data frame with the same pairs/triples/... but with each word stored in its own row.

**Usage**

```
wide2long(data, suffixes, col.lang = "LANGUAGE", strip = 0)
```

**Arguments**

`data` [data.frame] The dataset to be converted.

`suffixes` [character vector] Suffixes used to differentiate column names; in the output, those will be used as language names.

`col.lang` [character] Name of the column in which language names are to be stored. Defaults to "LANGUAGE".

`strip` [integer] The number of characters to strip from the beginning of suffixes when they are turned into language names. Defaults to 0.

**Value**

`data.frame` A data frame in the long format (single entry per row).

### Examples

```
# path to sample data in the "wide format"
fName <- system.file("extdata", "data-capitals.tsv", package="soundcorr")
wide <- read.table(fName, header=TRUE)
long <- wide2long(wide, c(".German", ".Polish", ".Spanish"), strip=1)
```

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%hasPrefix%                      *Check if a string starts with another string.*

---

### Description

Within soundcorr, primarily intended to extract rows and columns from contingency tables. Other than that, of general applicability.

### Usage

```
x %hasPrefix% prefix
```

### Arguments

x                      [character] The string or strings in which to look.  
prefix                [character] The string to look for. May be a regular expression.

### Value

logical TRUE iff x begins with prefix.

### Examples

```
"loans.tsv" %hasPrefix% "loans"  
c("abc", "bbc", "cbc") %hasPrefix% "[bc]"
```

---

%hasSuffix%                      *Check if a string ends in another string.*

---

### Description

Within soundcorr, primarily intended to extract rows and columns from contingency tables. Other than that, of general applicability.

### Usage

```
x %hasSuffix% suffix
```

**Arguments**

`x` [character] The string or strings in which to look.  
`suffix` [character] The string to look for. May be a regular expression.

**Value**

logical TRUE iff `x` ends with `suffix`.

**Examples**

```
"loans.tsv" %hasSuffix% ".tsv"  
c("aba", "abb", "abc") %hasSuffix% "[bc]"
```



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