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addBreakpoint	<i>Add a Scenario breakpoint</i>
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Description

This function allows the user to add breakpoints to a SyncroSim model, for a given [Scenario](#). When the Scenario is [run](#) the function specified by the callback argument will be called for the specified iterations or timesteps.

Usage

```
addBreakpoint(x, transformerName, breakpointType, arguments, callback)

## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
addBreakpoint(x, transformerName, breakpointType, arguments, callback)
```

Arguments

x	Scenario object
transformerName	character. A Stochastic Time Transformer e.g. "stsim_Runtime" (optional)
breakpointType	character. Options include "bi" (before iteration), "ai" (after iteration), "bt" (before timestep), or "at" (after timestep) (optional)
arguments	vector of timesteps or iterations e.g. c(1,2) (optional)
callback	function to be called when the breakpoint is hit (optional)

Details

Breakpoints are only supported for Stochastic Time Transformers.

Value

A SyncroSim Scenario with an updated list of breakpoints.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Create callback function
callbackFunction <- function(x, iteration, timestep) {
  print(paste0("Breakpoint hit: ", scenarioId(x)))
}

# Install helloworldSpatial package
addPackage("helloworldSpatial")

# Set SsimLibrary name
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set Session and SsimLibrary
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName,
                        session = mySession,
```

```

                                package = "helloworldSpatial")
myScenario <- scenario(myLibrary, "My Scenario")

# Add breakpoints before the 1st and 2nd iterations
myScenario <- addBreakpoint(x= myScenario,
                           transformerName= "helloworldSpatial_Primary",
                           breakpointType = "bi",
                           arguments = c(1,2),
                           callback = callbackFunction)

# Check that the breakpoints were added
breakpoint(myScenario)

## End(Not run)

```

addon

Addon(s) installed in SsimLibrary or Session

Description

Lists the addon SyncroSim package(s) associated with a [SsimLibrary](#) or [Session](#). These packages can only be used to extend existing SyncroSim base packages; as a result they cannot be used to create new SsimLibraries. For example, *stsimsf* is an addon for *stsim* which provides optional additional functionality for the base ST-Sim model. More information on addons can be found in the [syncrosim documentation](#).

Usage

```

addon(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
addon(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'missingOrNULL'
addon(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Session'
addon(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimObject'
addon(ssimObject)

```

Arguments

`ssimObject` [SsimLibrary](#) or [Session](#) object. If NULL (default), `session()` will be used

Value

A data.frame listing the addon(s) in use by the SsimLibrary or Session to which the object belongs.

Examples

```
# Install the base package "stsim"
addPackage("stsim")

# Set the file path and name of the new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(),"testlib")

# Set the SyncroSim Session and SsimLibrary
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)

# Retrieve a data.frame of available add-on(s) for the SsimLibrary
addon(myLibrary)
```

addPackage

Adds package to SyncroSim Installation

Description

This function installs a package to the SyncroSim [Session](#). If only the package name is provided as input, the function queries the SyncroSim package server for the specified package. If a file path is provided as input, the function adds a package to SyncroSim from a local package file (ends in ".ssimpkg"). The list of SyncroSim packages can be found [here](#).

Usage

```
addPackage(name, session = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'ANY,character'
addPackage(name, session = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'ANY,missingOrNULL'
addPackage(name, session = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'ANY,Session'
addPackage(name, session = NULL)
```

Arguments

name	character string. The name or file path of the package to install
session	Session object. If NULL (default), session() will be used

Value

Invisibly returns TRUE upon success (i.e.successful install) and FALSE upon failure.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Create a new SyncroSim Session
mySession <- session()

# Add package from the package server
addPackage("stsim", session = mySession)

# Add package using a local file path
addPackage("c:/path/to/stsim.ssimpkg")

## End(Not run)
```

addRow	<i>Add row(s) to a data.frame</i>
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Description

This function is mostly used internally to add rows to data.frames associated with SyncroSim Datasheets retrieved from the command line.

Usage

```
addRow(targetDataframe, value)

## S4 method for signature 'data.frame'
addRow(targetDataframe, value)
```

Arguments

targetDataframe	data.frame
value	data.frame, character string, vector, or list. Columns or elements in value should be a subset of columns in targetDataframe

Details

Preserves the types and factor levels of the targetDataframe. Fills missing values if possible using factor levels. If value is a named vector or list, it will be converted to a single row data.frame. If value is an unnamed vector or list, the number of elements should equal the number of columns in the targetDataframe; elements are assumed to be in same order as data.frame columns.

Value

A dataframe with new rows.

Examples

```
# Create an example data.frame
oldDataframe <- as.data.frame(mtcars)

# Add a single row to the example data.frame
newDataframe <- addRow(oldDataframe, list(mpg = 100, wt = 10))

# Create an example data.frame with more than one row of data
multipleRows <- data.frame(mpg = c(40, 50, 75), wt = c(4, 7, 6))

# Add the old example data.frame to the new example data.frame
newDataframe <- addRow(oldDataframe, multipleRows)
```

autogentags

Auto Generation Tags for a Scenario

Description

Retrieves or sets the Auto Generation Tags for a [Scenario](#).

Usage

```
autogentags(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
autogentags(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
autogentags(ssimObject)

autogentags(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'character'
autogentags(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'Scenario'
autogentags(ssimObject) <- value
```

Arguments

ssimObject	Scenario object
value	character

Value

Returns the Auto Generation Tags.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Get the Auto Generation Tags for a SyncroSim Scenario
autogentags(myScenario)

# Set the Auto Generation Tags for a SyncroSim Scenario
autogentags(myScenario) <- "myTag"

## End(Not run)
```

backup	<i>Backup a SsimLibrary</i>
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Description

Backup a [SsimLibrary](#). The backup folder can be defined in the SyncroSim User Interface, but is by default at the same level as the SsimLibrary file, and is called libraryName.backup.

Usage

```
backup(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
backup(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimObject'
backup(ssimObject)
```

Arguments

ssimObject [SsimLibrary](#), [Project](#) or [Scenario](#) object

Value

Invisibly returns TRUE upon success (i.e.successful backup) and FALSE upon failure.

Examples

```
# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, and Project
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)

# Back up data from the SsimLibrary
backup(myLibrary)
```

breakpoint	<i>Breakpoints for a Scenario</i>
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Description

Lists the breakpoints for a Scenario.

Usage

```
breakpoint(x)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
breakpoint(x)
```

Arguments

x [Scenario](#) object

Value

None

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Create callback function
callbackFunction <- function(x, iteration, timestep) {
  print(paste0("Breakpoint hit: ", scenarioId(x)))
}

# Install helloworldSpatial package
addPackage("helloworldSpatial")

# Set SsimLibrary name
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set Session and SsimLibrary
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName,
                        session = mySession,
                        package = "helloworldSpatial")
myScenario <- scenario(myLibrary, "My Scenario")

# Add breakpoints before the 1st and 2nd iterations
myScenario <- addBreakpoint(x= myScenario,
                          transformerName= "helloworldSpatial_Primary",
                          breakpointType = "bi",
                          arguments = c(1,2),
                          callback = callbackFunction)

# Check that the breakpoints were added
breakpoint(myScenario)

# Delete breakpoints
```

```

myScenario <- deleteBreakpoint(myScenario)

# Check that breakpoints were deleted
breakpoint(myScenario)

## End(Not run)

```

command

SyncroSim console command

Description

This function issues a command to the SyncroSim console, and is mostly used internally by other functions.

Usage

```
command(args, session = NULL, program = "SyncroSim.Console.exe", wait = TRUE)
```

Arguments

args	character string, named list, named vector, unnamed list, or unnamed vector. Arguments for the SyncroSim console. See 'details' for more information about this argument
session	Session object. If NULL(default), the default session will be used
program	character. The name of the target SyncroSim executable. Options include "SyncroSim.Console.exe" (default), "SyncroSim.Server.exe", "SyncroSim.PackageManager.exe" and "SyncroSim.Multiband.exe"
wait	logical. If TRUE(default) R will wait for the command to finish before proceeding. Note that silent(session) is ignored if wait=FALSE

Details

Example args, and the resulting character string passed to the SyncroSim console:

- Character string e.g. "--create --help": "--create --help"
- Named list or named vector e.g. list(name1=NULL,name2=value2): "--name1 --name2=value2"
- Unnamed list or unnamed vector e.g. c("create","help"): "--create --help"

Value

Character string: output from the SyncroSim program.

Examples

```
# Install "stsim" if not already installed
addPackage("stsim")

# Set the file path and name of the new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib.ssim")

# Specify the command line arguments for creating a new stsim SsimLibrary
args <- list(create = NULL, library = NULL,
            name = myLibraryName,
            package = "stsim")

# Use a default session to create a new SsimLibrary in the current working directory
output <- command(args, session = session(printCmd = TRUE))
output

# Provide arguments to the command line using an unnamed vector
command(c("create", "help"))

# Provide arguments to the command line using a character string
command("--create --help")

# Provide arguments to the command line using a named list
command(list(create = NULL, help = NULL))

# Call on a different program to find all installed packages
command(list(installed = NULL, program = "SyncroSim.PackageManager.exe")
```

datasheet

Retrieve a SyncroSim Datasheet

Description

This function retrieves a SyncroSim Datasheet, either by calling the SyncroSim console, or by directly querying the [SsimLibrary](#) database.

Usage

```
datasheet(
  ssimObject,
  name = NULL,
  project = NULL,
  scenario = NULL,
  summary = NULL,
  optional = FALSE,
  empty = FALSE,
  lookupsAsFactors = TRUE,
  sqlStatement = list(select = "SELECT *", groupBy = ""),
  includeKey = FALSE,
  forceElements = FALSE,
  fastQuery = FALSE
)
```

```

## S4 method for signature 'list'
datasheet(
  ssimObject,
  name = NULL,
  project = NULL,
  scenario = NULL,
  summary = NULL,
  optional = FALSE,
  empty = FALSE,
  lookupsAsFactors = TRUE,
  sqlStatement = list(select = "SELECT *", groupBy = ""),
  includeKey = FALSE,
  forceElements = FALSE,
  fastQuery = FALSE
)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
datasheet(
  ssimObject,
  name,
  project,
  scenario,
  summary,
  optional,
  empty,
  lookupsAsFactors,
  sqlStatement,
  includeKey,
  fastQuery
)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimObject'
datasheet(
  ssimObject,
  name = NULL,
  project = NULL,
  scenario = NULL,
  summary = NULL,
  optional = FALSE,
  empty = FALSE,
  lookupsAsFactors = TRUE,
  sqlStatement = list(select = "SELECT *", groupBy = ""),
  includeKey = FALSE,
  forceElements = FALSE,
  fastQuery = FALSE
)

```

Arguments

ssimObject [SsimLibrary](#), [Project](#), or [Scenario](#) object or list of objects. Note that all objects in a list must be of the same type, and belong to the same SsimLibrary

name	character or character vector. Sheet name(s). If NULL (default), all datasheets in the ssimObject will be returned. Note that setting summary=FALSE and name=NULL pulls all Datasheets, which is time consuming and not generally recommended
project	numeric or numeric vector. One or more Project ids
scenario	numeric or numeric vector. One or more Scenario ids
summary	logical or character. If TRUE (default) returns a data.frame of sheet names and other info. If FALSE returns data.frame or list of data.frames. If "CORE" returns data.frame of sheet names and other info including built-in core SyncroSim Datasheets
optional	logical. If summary=TRUE and optional=TRUE returns only scope, name and displayName. If summary=FALSE and optional=TRUE returns all of the Datasheet's columns, including the optional columns. If summary=TRUE, optional=FALSE (default), returns only those columns that are mandatory and contain data (if empty=FALSE). Ignored if summary=FALSE, empty=FALSE and lookupsAsFactors=FALSE
empty	logical. If TRUE returns empty data.frames for each Datasheet. Ignored if summary=TRUE Default is FALSE
lookupsAsFactors	logical. If TRUE (default) dependencies returned as factors with allowed values (levels). Set FALSE to speed calculations. Ignored if summary=TRUE
sqlStatement	list returned by sqlStatement . SELECT and GROUP BY SQL statements passed to SQLite database. Ignored if summary=TRUE (optional)
includeKey	logical. If TRUE include primary key in table. Default is FALSE
forceElements	logical. If FALSE (default) and name has a single element returns a data.frame; otherwise returns a list of data.frames. Ignored if summary=TRUE
fastQuery	logical. If TRUE, the request is optimized for performance. Ignored if combined with summary, empty, or sqlStatement flags. Default is FALSE

Details

If summary=TRUE or summary=NULL and name=NULL a data.frame describing the Datasheets is returned. If optional=TRUE, columns include: scope, package, name, displayName, isSingle, isOutput, data. data only displayed for a SyncroSim [Scenario](#). dataInherited and dataSource columns added if a Scenario has dependencies. If optional=FALSE, columns include: scope, name, displayName. All other arguments are ignored.

Otherwise, for each element in name a Datasheet is returned as follows:

- If lookupsAsFactors=TRUE (default): Each column is given the correct data type, and dependencies returned as factors with allowed values (levels). A warning is issued if the lookup has not yet been set.
- If empty=TRUE: Each column is given the correct data type. Fast (1 less console command).
- If empty=FALSE and lookupsAsFactors=FALSE: Column types are not checked, and the optional argument is ignored. Fast (1 less console command).
- If SsimObject is a list of [Scenario](#) or [Project](#) objects (output from [run](#), [Scenario](#) or [Project](#)): Adds ScenarioID/ProjectID column if appropriate.
- If Scenario/Project is a vector: Adds ScenarioID/ProjectID column as necessary.
- If requested Datasheet has Scenario scope and contains info from more than one Scenario: ScenarioID/ScenarioName/ScenarioParent columns identify the Scenario by name, id, and parent (if a result Scenario).
- If requested Datasheet has Project scope and contains info from more than one Project: ProjectID/ProjectName columns identify the Project by name and id

Value

If `summary=TRUE` or `summary="CORE"` returns a data.frame of Datasheet names and other information, otherwise returns a data.frame or list of these.

Examples

```
# Install helloworldSpatial package from package server
addPackage("helloworldSpatial")

# Set the file path and name of the new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib_datasheet")

# Set the SyncroSim Session
mySession <- session()

# Create a new SsimLibrary with the example template from helloworldSpatial
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName,
                        session = mySession,
                        package = "helloworldSpatial",
                        template = "example-library")

# Set the Project and Scenario
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")

# Get all Datasheet info for the Scenario
myDatasheets <- datasheet(myScenario)

# Can get same info using Project and Scenario arguments
myDatasheets <- datasheet(myLibrary, project = 1, scenario = 1)

# Return a list of data.frames (1 for each Datasheet)
myDatasheetList <- datasheet(myScenario, summary = FALSE)

# Get a specific Datasheet
myDatasheet <- datasheet(myScenario, name = "RunControl")

# Include primary key when retrieving a Datasheet
myDatasheet <- datasheet(myScenario, name = "RunControl", includeKey = TRUE)

# Return all columns, including optional ones
myDatasheet <- datasheet(myScenario, name = "RunControl", summary = TRUE,
                        optional = TRUE)

# Return Datasheet as an element
myDatasheet <- datasheet(myScenario, name = "RunControl", forceElements = T)
myDatasheet$helloworldSpatial_RunControl

# Get a Datasheet without pre-specified values
myDatasheetEmpty <- datasheet(myScenario, name = "RunControl", empty = TRUE)

# If Datasheet is empty, do not return dependencies as factors
myDatasheetEmpty <- datasheet(myScenario, name = "RunControl", empty = TRUE,
                             lookupsAsFactors = FALSE)

# Optimize query
```

```

myDdatasheet <- datasheet(myScenario, name = "RunControl", fastQuery = TRUE)

# Get all the SsimLibrary core Datasheet info
myDdatasheets <- datasheet(myLibrary, summary = "CORE")

# Get specific SsimLibrary core Datasheet
myDdatasheet <- datasheet(myLibrary, name = "core_Backup")

# Use an SQL statement to query a Datasheet
mySQL <- sqlStatement(
  groupBy = c("ScenarioID"),
  aggregate = c("MinimumTimestep"),
  where = list(MinimumTimestep = c(1))
)
myAggregatedDdatasheet <- datasheet(myScenario, name = "RunControl",
                                     sqlStatement = mySQL)

```

datasheetRaster

Retrieve spatial data from a SyncroSim Datasheet

Description

This function retrieves spatial columns from one or more SyncroSim [Scenario](#) Datasheets.

Usage

```

datasheetRaster(
  ssimObject,
  datasheet,
  column = NULL,
  scenario = NULL,
  iteration = NULL,
  timestep = NULL,
  subset = NULL,
  forceElements = FALSE
)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
datasheetRaster(
  ssimObject,
  datasheet,
  column = NULL,
  scenario = NULL,
  iteration = NULL,
  timestep = NULL,
  subset = NULL,
  forceElements = FALSE
)

## S4 method for signature 'list'

```



```

datasheetRaster(
  ssimObject,
  datasheet,
  column = NULL,
  scenario = NULL,
  iteration = NULL,
  timestep = NULL,
  subset = NULL,
  forceElements = FALSE
)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimObject'
datasheetRaster(
  ssimObject,
  datasheet,
  column = NULL,
  scenario = NULL,
  iteration = NULL,
  timestep = NULL,
  subset = NULL,
  forceElements = FALSE
)

## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
datasheetRaster(
  ssimObject,
  datasheet,
  column = NULL,
  scenario = NULL,
  iteration = NULL,
  timestep = NULL,
  subset = NULL,
  forceElements = FALSE
)

```

Arguments

<code>ssimObject</code>	SsimLibrary/Project/Scenario object or list of Scenario objects. If SsimLibrary/Project, then scenario argument is required
<code>datasheet</code>	character string. The name of the Datasheet containing the raster data
<code>column</code>	character string. The name of the column in the datasheet containing the file names for raster data. If NULL (default) then use the first column that contains raster file names
<code>scenario</code>	character string, integer, or vector of these. The Scenarios to include. Required if SsimObject is an SsimLibrary/Project, ignored if SsimObject is a list of Scenarios (optional)
<code>iteration</code>	integer, character string, or vector of integer/character strings. Iteration(s) to include. If NULL (default) then all iterations are included. If no Iteration column is in the Datasheet, then ignored
<code>timestep</code>	integer, character string, or vector of integer/character string. Timestep(s) to include. If NULL (default) then all timesteps are included. If no Timestep column is in the Datasheet, then ignored


```

subset = expression(grepl("ts20",
                           resultDatasheet$OutputRasterFile,
                           fixed = TRUE))
)

# Return the raster Datasheets as a raster stack
resultRaster <- datasheetRaster(resultScenario,
                                datasheet = "IntermediateDatasheet",
                                column = "OutputRasterFile",
                                forceElements = TRUE
                                )

```

dateModified	<i>Last date a SsimLibrary, Project or Scenario was modified</i>
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Description

The most recent modification date of a [SsimLibrary](#), [Project](#) or [Scenario](#).

Usage

```

dateModified(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
dateModified(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimLibrary'
dateModified(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Project'
dateModified(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
dateModified(ssimObject)

```

Arguments

ssimObject [SsimLibrary](#), [Project](#), or [Scenario](#) object

Value

A character string: date and time of the most recent modification to the SsimObject provided as input.

Examples

```

## Not run:
# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session and SsimLibrary

```

```

mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)

# Check the last date of modification of the SsimLibrary
dateModified(myLibrary)

## End(Not run)

```

delete

Delete SsimLibrary, Project, Scenario, Datasheet

Description

Deletes one or more items. Note that this is irreversible.

Usage

```

delete(
  ssimObject,
  project = NULL,
  scenario = NULL,
  datasheet = NULL,
  force = FALSE
)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
delete(
  ssimObject,
  project = NULL,
  scenario = NULL,
  datasheet = NULL,
  force = FALSE
)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimObject'
delete(
  ssimObject,
  project = NULL,
  scenario = NULL,
  datasheet = NULL,
  force = FALSE
)

```

Arguments

ssimObject	SsimLibrary , Project , or Scenario object, or character (i.e. path to a Ssim-Library)
project	character string, numeric, or vector of these. One or more Project names or ids. Note that project argument is ignored if SsimObject is a list. Note that integer ids are slightly faster (optional)

scenario	character string, numeric, or vector of these. One or more Scenario names or ids. Note that Scenario argument is ignored if SsimObject is a list. Note that integer ids are slightly faster (optional)
datasheet	character string or vector of these. One or more Datasheet names (optional)
force	logical. If FALSE (default), user will be prompted to approve removal of each item

Value

Invisibly returns a list of boolean values corresponding to each input: TRUE upon success (i.e. successful deletion) and FALSE upon failure.

Examples

```
# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, and Project
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "a project")

# Check the Projects associated with this SsimLibrary
project(myLibrary)

# Delete Project
delete(myLibrary, project = "a project", force = TRUE)

# Check that Project was successfully deleted from SsimLibrary
project(myLibrary)
```

deleteBreakpoint	<i>Delete a Scenario breakpoint</i>
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Description

This function will delete a [Scenario](#) breakpoint.

Usage

```
deleteBreakpoint(x, transformerName = NULL, breakpointType = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
deleteBreakpoint(x, transformerName = NULL, breakpointType = NULL)
```

Arguments

x	Scenario object
transformerName	character. A Stochastic Time Transformer e.g. "stsim_Runtime" (optional)
breakpointType	character. Options include "bi" (before iteration), "ai" (after iteration), "bt" (before timestep), or "at" (after timestep) (optional)

Value

A SyncroSim Scenario with an updated list of breakpoints.

See Also

[addBreakpoint](#).

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Create callback function
callbackFunction <- function(x, iteration, timestep) {
  print(paste0("Breakpoint hit: ", scenarioId(x)))
}

# Install helloworldSpatial package
addPackage("helloworldSpatial")

# Set SsimLibrary name
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set Session and SsimLibrary
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName,
                        session = mySession,
                        package = "helloworldSpatial")
myScenario <- scenario(myLibrary, "My Scenario")

# Add breakpoints before the 1st and 2nd iterations
myScenario <- addBreakpoint(x= myScenario,
                          transformerName= "helloworldSpatial_Primary",
                          breakpointType = "bi",
                          arguments = c(1,2),
                          callback = callbackFunction)

# Check that the breakpoints were added
breakpoint(myScenario)

# Delete breakpoints
myScenario <- deleteBreakpoint(myScenario)

# Check that breakpoints were deleted
breakpoint(myScenario)

## End(Not run)
```

dependency

Get, set or remove Scenario dependency(s)

Description

List dependencies, set dependencies, or remove dependencies from a SyncroSim [Scenario](#). Setting dependencies is a way of linking together Scenario Datafeeds, such that a change in the Scenario that is the source dependency will update the dependent Scenario as well.

Usage

```
dependency(scenario, dependency = NULL, remove = FALSE, force = FALSE)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'character'
```

```
dependency(scenario, dependency = NULL, remove = FALSE, force = FALSE)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
```

```
dependency(scenario, dependency = NULL, remove = FALSE, force = FALSE)
```

Arguments

scenario	Scenario object, character string, integer, or vector of these. The Scenario object, name, or ID to which a dependency is to be added (or has already been added if remove=TRUE). Note that integer ids are slightly faster
dependency	Scenario object, character string, integer, or list/vector of these. The Scenario(s) that are the source of the dependency, in order from lowest to highest precedence. If NULL (default) other arguments are ignored and the list of existing dependencies is returned
remove	logical. If FALSE (default) dependencies are added. If TRUE, dependencies are removed
force	logical. If FALSE (default) prompt before removing dependencies

Details

If dependency==NULL, other arguments are ignored, and set of existing dependencies is returned in order of precedence (from highest to lowest precedence). Otherwise, returns list of saved or error messages for each dependency of each scenario.

Note that the order of dependencies can be important - dependencies added most recently take precedence over existing dependencies. So, dependencies included in the dependency argument take precedence over any other existing dependencies. If the dependency argument includes more than one element, elements are ordered from lowest to highest precedence.

Value

If dependency is NULL, a data frame of existing dependencies, or list of these if multiple inputs are provided. If dependency is not NULL, the function invisibly returns a list bearing the names of the dependencies inputted and carrying a logical TRUE upon success (i.e. successful addition or deletion) and FALSE upon failure

Examples

```
# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, Project, and 2 Scenarios
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")
myNewScenario <- scenario(myProject,
                           scenario = "my New Scenario")

# Set myScenario as a dependency of myNewScenario
```

```

dependency(myNewScenario, dependency = myScenario)

# Get all dependencies info
dependency(myNewScenario)

# Remove dependency
dependency(myNewScenario, dependency = myScenario, remove = TRUE)

# Force removal of dependency
dependency(myNewScenario, dependency = myScenario, remove = TRUE,
           force = TRUE)

```

description	<i>Description of SsimLibrary, Project or Scenario</i>
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Description

Get or set the description of a [SsimLibrary](#), [Project](#) or [Scenario](#).

Usage

```

description(ssimObject)

description(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 method for signature 'character'
description(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimObject'
description(ssimObject)

## S4 replacement method for signature 'character'
description(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'SsimObject'
description(ssimObject) <- value

```

Arguments

ssimObject	SsimLibrary , Project or Scenario object
value	character string specifying the new description

Value

A character string: the description of the SsimObject

Examples

```
# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, and Project
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")

# Retrieve the description of the SyncroSim Project
mydescription <- description(myProject)

# Set the description of the SyncroSim Project
description(myProject) <- "my description"
```

disableAddon	<i>Disable addon package(s)</i>
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Description

Disable [addon](#) package(s) of a [SsimLibrary](#).

Usage

```
disableAddon(ssimLibrary, name)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
disableAddon(ssimLibrary, name)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimLibrary'
disableAddon(ssimLibrary, name)
```

Arguments

ssimLibrary	SsimLibrary object
name	character string or vector of addon name(s)

Value

This function invisibly returns TRUE upon success (i.e. successful deactivation of the addon) or FALSE upon failure.

See Also

[addon](#)

Examples

```
# Install "stsim" SyncroSim package
addPackage("stsim")

# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, and Project
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession,
                        package = "stsim")

# Enable addon package
enableAddon(myLibrary, c("stsimsf"))
addon(myLibrary)

# Disable addon package
disableAddon(myLibrary, c("stsimsf"))
addon(myLibrary)
```

enableAddon	<i>Enable addon package(s)</i>
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Description

Enable [addon](#) package(s) of a [SsimLibrary](#).

Usage

```
enableAddon(ssimLibrary, name)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
enableAddon(ssimLibrary, name)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimLibrary'
enableAddon(ssimLibrary, name)
```

Arguments

ssimLibrary	SsimLibrary object
name	character string or vector of addon name(s)

Value

Invisibly returns TRUE upon success (i.e. successful activation of the addon) or FALSE upon failure.

See Also

[addon](#)

Examples

```
# Install "stsim" SyncroSim package
addPackage("stsim")

# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, and Project
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession,
                        package = "stsim")

# Enable add on package
enableAddon(myLibrary, c("stsimsf"))
addon(myLibrary)

# Disable add on package
disableAddon(myLibrary, c("stsimsf"))
addon(myLibrary)
```

filepath

Retrieves the path to a SyncroSim object on disk

Description

Retrieves the path to a SyncroSim [Session](#), [SsimLibrary](#), [Project](#) or [Scenario](#) on disk.

Usage

```
filepath(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
filepath(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Session'
filepath(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimObject'
filepath(ssimObject)
```

Arguments

ssimObject [Session](#), [Project](#), or [SsimLibrary](#) object

Value

A character string: the path to a SyncroSim object on disk.

Examples

```
# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session and SsimLibrary
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)

# Get the file path
myFilePath <- filepath(myLibrary)
```

ignoreDependencies	<i>Ignore dependencies for a Scenario</i>
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Description

Retrieves or sets the Datafeeds to ignore for a [Scenario](#).

Usage

```
ignoreDependencies(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
ignoreDependencies(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
ignoreDependencies(ssimObject)

ignoreDependencies(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'character'
ignoreDependencies(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'Scenario'
ignoreDependencies(ssimObject) <- value
```

Arguments

ssimObject	Scenario object
value	character string of Datafeed names to be ignored, separated by commas (optional)

Value

A character string: Scenario Datafeeds that will be ignored.

Examples

```
# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, Project, and Scenario
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")

# List the Datafeeds to ignore
ignoreDependencies(myScenario)

# Set Scenario Datafeeds to ignore
ignoreDependencies(myScenario) <- "stsim_RunControl,stsim_TransitionTarget"
```

info	<i>Retrieves information about a library</i>
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Description

Retrieves some basic metadata about a SsimLibrary: Name, Owner, Last Modified, Size, Read Only, Package Name, Package Description, Current Package Version, Minimum Package Version, External input files, External output files, Temporary files, Backup files.

Usage

```
info(ssimLibrary)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimLibrary'
info(ssimLibrary)
```

Arguments

ssimLibrary [SsimLibrary](#) object

Value

Returns a data.frame with information on the properties of the SsimLibrary object.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session and SsimLibrary
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)

# Get information about SsimLibrary
```

```
info(myLibrary)

## End(Not run)
```

mergeDependencies	<i>Merge dependencies for a Scenario</i>
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Description

Retrieves or sets whether or not a [Scenario](#) is configured to merge dependencies at run time.

Usage

```
mergeDependencies(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
mergeDependencies(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
mergeDependencies(ssimObject)

mergeDependencies(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'character'
mergeDependencies(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'Scenario'
mergeDependencies(ssimObject) <- value
```

Arguments

ssimObject	Scenario object
value	logical. If TRUE the Scenario will be set to merge dependencies at run time. Default is FALSE

Value

A logical: TRUE if the scenario is configured to merge dependencies at run time, and FALSE otherwise.

Examples

```
# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(),"testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, Project, and Scenario
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")
```

```
# Retrieve whether or not dependencies will be merged for a Scenario
mergeDependencies(myScenario)

# Set whether or not dependencies will be merged for a Scenario
mergeDependencies(myScenario) <- TRUE
```

name	<i>Name of a SsimLibrary, Project or Scenario</i>
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Description

Retrieves or sets the name of a [SsimLibrary](#), [Project](#) or [Scenario](#).

Usage

```
name(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
name(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimLibrary'
name(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
name(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Project'
name(ssimObject)

name(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'character'
name(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'SsimLibrary'
name(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'Project'
name(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'Scenario'
name(ssimObject) <- value
```

Arguments

ssimObject	Scenario , Project , or SsimLibrary object
value	character string of the new name

Value

A character string: the name of the SsimObject.

Examples

```
# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, Project, and Scenario
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")

# Retrieve names of the SsimObjects
name(myLibrary)
name(myProject)
name(myScenario)

# Set the name of the SyncroSim Scenario
name(myScenario) <- "My Scenario Name"
```

owner

Owner of a SsimLibrary, Project or Scenario

Description

Retrieves or sets the owner of a [SsimLibrary](#), [Project](#) or [Scenario](#).

Usage

```
owner(ssimObject)

owner(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 method for signature 'character'
owner(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimLibrary'
owner(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Project'
owner(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
owner(ssimObject)

## S4 replacement method for signature 'character'
owner(ssimObject) <- value
```



```
## S4 replacement method for signature 'SsimObject'
owner(ssimObject) <- value
```

Arguments

```
ssimObject      Session, Project, or SsimLibrary object
value           character string of the new owner
```

Value

A character string: the owner of the SsimObject.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, Project, and Scenario
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")

# Retrieve the owner of an SsimObject
owner(myLibrary)
owner(myProject)
owner(myScenario)

# Set the owner of a SyncroSim Scenario
owner(myScenario) <- "Apex RMS"

## End(Not run)
```

package

Installed or available packages

Description

Retrieves the packages installed or available for this version of SyncroSim.

Usage

```
package(ssimObject = NULL, installed = TRUE, listTemplates = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
package(ssimObject = NULL, installed = TRUE, listTemplates = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'missingOrNULL'
package(ssimObject = NULL, installed = TRUE, listTemplates = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'Session'
```

```
package(ssimObject = NULL, installed = TRUE, listTemplates = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimLibrary'
package(ssimObject)
```

Arguments

ssimObject	Session or SsimLibrary object. If NULL (default), session() will be used
installed	logical or character. TRUE (default) to list installed packages, FALSE to list available packages, and "BASE" to list installed base packages
listTemplates	character. Name of a SyncroSim package. If not NULL (default), then lists all templates available for that package. The package must be installed in the current Session. Ignored if ssimObject is a SsimLibrary object

Value

Returns a data.frame of packages installed or templates available for a specified package.

Examples

```
# Set the file path and name of the new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set the SyncroSim Session and SsimLibrary
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)

# List all installed packages
package(mySession)

# List all the installed base packages
package(installed = "BASE")

# List all available packages on the server (including currently installed)
package(installed = FALSE)

# Check the package you're SsimLibrary is currently using
package(myLibrary)

# Check the templates available for an installed package
addPackage("helloworldSpatial")
package(listTemplates = "helloworldSpatial")
```

parentId

Retrieves the parent Scenario id

Description

Retrieves the id of the parent of a SyncroSim results Scenario.

Usage

```

parentId(scenario)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
parentId(scenario)

## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
parentId(scenario)

```

Arguments

scenario [Scenario](#) object

Value

An integer id of the parent Scenario. If the input Scenario does not have a parent, the function returns NA

Examples

```

# Install helloworldSpatial SyncroSim package
addPackage("helloworldSpatial")

# Set the file path and name of the new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(),"testlib_parentId")

# Set the SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, Project, and Scenario
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName,
                        session = mySession,
                        package = "helloworldSpatial",
                        template = "example-library")
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")

# Run Scenario to generate results
resultScenario <- run(myScenario)

# Find the parent ID of the Scenario
parentId(resultScenario)

```

printCmd

Retrieves printCmd setting of a Session

Description

Retrieves a printCmd setting of a [Session](#) object. The printCmd setting configures a Session for printing commands sent to the console.

Usage

```
printCmd(session = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'Session'
printCmd(session = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'missingOrNULLOrChar'
printCmd(session = NULL)
```

Arguments

session Session object or character. The Session or path to a Session where the printCmd settings are retrieved from. If NULL (default), session() will be used

Value

A logical : TRUE if the session is configured to print commands and FALSE if it is not.

Examples

```
# Set SyncroSim Session
mySession <- session()

# Retrieve printCmd settings for given Session
printCmd(mySession)
```

progressBar	<i>Sets the progress bar in the SyncroSim User Interface</i>
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Description

This function is designed to facilitate the development of R-based SyncroSim Packages, such as beginning, stepping, ending, and reporting the progress for a SyncroSim simulation.

Usage

```
progressBar(
  type = "step",
  iteration = NULL,
  timestep = NULL,
  totalSteps = NULL
)
```

Arguments

type character. Update to apply to progress bar. Options include "begin", "end", "step", and "report" (Default is "step")

iteration integer. The current iteration. Only used if type = "report"

timestep integer. The current timestep. Only used if type = "report"

totalSteps integer. The total number of steps in the simulation. Only used if type = "begin"

Value

No returned value, used for side effects

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Begin the progress bar for a simulation
progressBar(type = "begin", totalSteps = numIterations * numTimesteps)

# Increase the progress bar by one step for a simulation
progressBar(type = "step")

# Report progress for a simulation
progressBar(type = "report", iteration = iter, timestep = ts)

# End the progress bar for a simulation
progressBar(type = "end")

## End(Not run)
```

project	<i>Create or open Project(s)</i>
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Description

Creates or retrieves a [Project](#) or multiple Projects from a SsimLibrary.

Usage

```
project(
  ssimObject = NULL,
  project = NULL,
  sourceProject = NULL,
  summary = NULL,
  forceElements = FALSE,
  overwrite = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

ssimObject	Scenario or SsimLibrary object, or a character string (i.e. a filepath)
project	Project object, character, integer, or vector of these. Names or ids of one or more Projects. Note that integer ids are slightly faster (optional)
sourceProject	Project object, character, or integer. If not NULL (default), new Projects will be copies of the sourceProject
summary	logical. If TRUE then return the Project(s) in a data.frame with the projectId, name, description, owner, dateModified, readOnly. Default is TRUE if project=NULL and SsimObject is not Scenario/Project, FALSE otherwise
forceElements	logical. If TRUE then returns a single Project as a named list; otherwise returns a single project as a Project object. Applies only when summary=FALSE Default is FALSE
overwrite	logical. If TRUE an existing Project will be overwritten. Default is FALSE

Details

For each element of project:

- If element identifies an existing Project: Returns the existing Project.
- If element identifies more than one Project: Error.
- If element does not identify an existing Project: Creates a new Project named element. Note that SyncroSim automatically assigns an id to a new Project.

Value

Returns a [Project](#) object representing a SyncroSim Project. If summary is TRUE, returns a data.frame of Project names and descriptions.

Examples

```
# Set the file path and name of the new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(),"testlib_project")

# Set the SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, and Project
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)
myProject <- project(ssimObject = myLibrary, project = "My project name")
myproject2 <- project(ssimObject = myLibrary, project = "My new project name")

# Get a named list of existing Projects
# Each element in the list is named by a character version of the Project ID
myProjects <- project(myLibrary, summary = FALSE)
names(myProjects)

# Get an existing Project.
myProject <- myProjects[[1]]
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "My new project name")

# Get/set the Project properties
name(myProject)
name(myProject) <- "New project name"

# Create a new Project from a copy of an existing Project
myNewProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "My copied project",
                        sourceProject = 1)

# Overwrite an existing Project
myNewProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "My copied project",
                        overwrite = TRUE)
```

Description

Project object representing a SyncroSim Project. A Project is the intermediate level of organization in the SyncroSim workflow, between the [ssimLibrary](#) and the [scenario](#). It contains information relevant to a group of Scenarios.

Slots

session [Session](#) object. The Session associated with the Project's SsimLibrary
 filepath character string. The path to the Project's SsimLibrary on disk
 datasheetNames Names and scopes of datasheets in the Project's Library
 projectId integer. The Project id

See Also

See [project](#) for options when creating or loading a SyncroSim Project.

projectId	<i>Retrieves projectId of SyncroSim Project or Scenario</i>
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Description

Retrieves the projectId of a SyncroSim [Project](#) or [Scenario](#).

Usage

```
projectId(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
projectId(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Project'
projectId(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
projectId(ssimObject)
```

Arguments

ssimObject [Scenario](#) or [Project](#) object

Value

An integer: project id.

Examples

```
# Set the file path and name of the new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(),"testlib")

# Set the SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, Project, and Scenario
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")

# Get Project ID for SyncroSim Project and Scenario
projectId(myProject)
projectId(myScenario)
```

readOnly

Read-only status of a SsimLibrary, Project or Scenario

Description

Retrieves or sets whether or not a [SsimLibrary](#), [Project](#) or [Scenario](#) is read-only.

Usage

```
readOnly(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
readOnly(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimLibrary'
readOnly(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Project'
readOnly(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
readOnly(ssimObject)

readOnly(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'character'
readOnly(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'SsimObject'
readOnly(ssimObject) <- value
```

Arguments

ssimObject	Scenario , Project , or SsimLibrary object
value	logical. If TRUE the SsimObject will be read-only. Default is FALSE

Value

A logical: TRUE if the SsimObject is read-only and FALSE otherwise.

Examples

```
# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, Project, and Scenario
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")

# Retrieve the read-only status of a SsimObject
readOnly(myLibrary)
readOnly(myProject)
readOnly(myScenario)

# Set the read-only status of a SsimObject
readOnly(myScenario) <- TRUE
```

removePackage	<i>Removes package from SyncroSim installation</i>
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Description

Removes package from SyncroSim installation

Usage

```
removePackage(name, session = NULL, force = FALSE)

## S4 method for signature 'ANY,character'
removePackage(name, session = NULL, force = FALSE)

## S4 method for signature 'ANY,missingOrNULL'
removePackage(name, session = NULL, force = FALSE)

## S4 method for signature 'ANY,Session'
removePackage(name, session = NULL, force = FALSE)
```

Arguments

name	character. The name of the package to remove
session	Session object. If NULL (default), session() will be used
force	logical. If TRUE, remove without requiring confirmation from the user. Default is FALSE

Value

Invisibly returns TRUE upon success (i.e. successful removal) and FALSE upon failure.

Examples

```
# Set SyncroSim Session
mySession <- session()

# Remove package from SyncroSim Session
removePackage("stsim", mySession, force = FALSE)
```

rsyncrosim

rsyncrosim: The R interface to SyncroSim: <https://syncrosim.com/>

Description

rsyncrosim provides an interface to SyncroSim, a generalized framework for running and managing scenario-based stochastic simulations over space and time. Different kinds of simulation models can "plug-in" to SyncroSim as packages and take advantage of general features common to many kinds of simulation models, such as defining scenarios of inputs, running Monte Carlo simulations, and viewing charts and maps of outputs.

Details

To learn more about rsyncrosim, start with the vignette tutorial: `browseVignettes("rsyncrosim")`.

run

Run scenarios

Description

Run one or more SyncroSim [Scenario\(s\)](#).

Usage

```
run(
  ssimObject,
  scenario = NULL,
  summary = FALSE,
  jobs = 1,
  transformerName = NULL,
  forceElements = FALSE
)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
run(
  ssimObject,
  scenario = NULL,
```

```

summary = FALSE,
jobs = 1,
transformerName = NULL,
forceElements = FALSE
)

## S4 method for signature 'list'
run(
  ssimObject,
  scenario = NULL,
  summary = FALSE,
  jobs = 1,
  transformerName = NULL,
  forceElements = FALSE
)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimObject'
run(
  ssimObject,
  scenario = NULL,
  summary = FALSE,
  jobs = 1,
  transformerName = NULL,
  forceElements = FALSE
)

## S4 method for signature 'BreakpointSession'
run(ssimObject, scenario, summary, jobs, forceElements)

```

Arguments

ssimObject	SsimLibrary , Project , or Scenario object, or a list of Scenarios, or character (i.e. path to a SsimLibrary on disk)
scenario	character, integer, or vector of these. Scenario names or ids. If NULL (default), then runs all Scenarios associated with the SsimObject. Note that integer ids are slightly faster
summary	logical. If FALSE (default) result Scenario objects are returned. If TRUE (faster) result Scenario ids are returned
jobs	integer. The number of jobs to run. Passed to SyncroSim where multithreading is handled
transformerName	character. The name of the transformer to run (optional)
forceElements	logical. If TRUE then returns a single result Scenario as a named list; if FALSE (default) returns a single result Scenario as a Scenario object. Applies only when summary=FALSE

Details

Note that breakpoints are ignored unless the SsimObject is a single Scenario.

Value

If summary = FALSE, returns a result Scenario object or a named list of result Scenarios. The name is the parent Scenario for each result. If summary = TRUE, returns summary info for result Scenarios.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Install helloworldSpatial package
addPackage("helloworldSpatial")

# Set the file path and name of the new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(),"testlib")

# Set the SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, Project, and Scenario
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName,
                        session = mySession,
                        package = "helloworldSpatial",
                        template = "example-library")
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")

# Run with default parameters
resultScenario <- run(myScenario)

# Only return summary information
resultScenario <- run(myScenario, summary = TRUE)

# Run with multiprocessing
resultScenario <- run(myScenario, jobs = 6)

# Return results as a named list
resultScenario <- run(myScenario, forceElements = TRUE)

## End(Not run)
```

runLog

Retrieves run log of result Scenario

Description

Retrieves the run log of a result Scenario.

Usage

```
runLog(scenario)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
runLog(scenario)

## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
runLog(scenario)
```

Arguments

scenario [Scenario](#) object.

Value

A character string: the run log for a result scenario.

Examples

```
## Not run:
# Install helloworldSpatial package
addPackage("helloworldSpatial")

# Set the file path and name of the new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(),"testlib")

# Set the SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, Project, and Scenario
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName,
                        session = mySession,
                        package = "helloworldSpatial",
                        template = "example-library")
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")

# Run Scenario
resultScenario <- run(myScenario)

# Retrieve the run log of the result Scenario
runLog(resultScenario)

## End(Not run)
```

runtimeInputFolder	<i>SyncroSim DataSheet Input Folder</i>
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Description

This function is part of a set of functions designed to facilitate the development of R-based SyncroSim Packages. This function creates and returns a SyncroSim Datasheet Input Folder.

Usage

```
runtimeInputFolder(scenario, datasheetName)
```

Arguments

scenario [Scenario](#) object. A SyncroSim result Scenario
 datasheetName character. The input Datasheet name

Value

Returns a folder name for the specified Datasheet.

Examples

```
## Not run:
inputFolder <- runtimeInputFolder()

## End(Not run)
```

runtimeOutputFolder	<i>SyncroSim DataSheet Output Folder</i>
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Description

This function is part of a set of functions designed to facilitate the development of R-based SyncroSim Packages. This function creates and returns a SyncroSim DataSheet Output Folder.

Usage

```
runtimeOutputFolder(scenario, datasheetName)
```

Arguments

scenario	Scenario object. A SyncroSim result Scenario
datasheetName	character. The output Datasheet name

Value

Returns a folder name for the specified datasheet.

Examples

```
## Not run:
outputFolder <- runtimeOutputFolder()

## End(Not run)
```

runtimeTempFolder	<i>SyncroSim Temporary Folder</i>
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Description

This function is part of a set of functions designed to facilitate the development of R-based SyncroSim Packages. This function creates and returns a SyncroSim Temporary Folder.

Usage

```
runtimeTempFolder(folderName)
```

Arguments

folderName	character. The folder name
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Value

Returns a temporary folder name.

Examples

```
## Not run:
tempFolder <- runtimeTempFolder()

## End(Not run)
```

saveDatasheet	<i>Save Datasheet(s)</i>
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Description

Saves Datasheets to a [SsimLibrary](#), [Project](#), or [Scenario](#).

Usage

```
saveDatasheet(
  ssimObject,
  data,
  name = NULL,
  fileData = NULL,
  append = NULL,
  forceElements = FALSE,
  force = FALSE,
  breakpoint = FALSE,
  import = TRUE,
  path = NULL
)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
saveDatasheet(
  ssimObject,
  data,
  name = NULL,
  fileData = NULL,
  append = NULL,
  forceElements = FALSE,
  force = FALSE,
  breakpoint = FALSE,
  import = TRUE,
  path = NULL
)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimObject'
saveDatasheet(
  ssimObject,
  data,
```

```

    name = NULL,
    fileData = NULL,
    append = NULL,
    forceElements = FALSE,
    force = FALSE,
    breakpoint = FALSE,
    import = TRUE,
    path = NULL
  )

```

Arguments

ssimObject	SsimLibrary , Project , or Scenario object
data	data.frame, named vector, or list of these. One or more Datasheets to load
name	character or vector of these. The name(s) of the Datasheet(s) to be saved. If a vector of names is provided, then a list must be provided for the data argument. Names provided here will override those provided with data argument's list
fileData	named list or raster stack. Names are file names (without paths), corresponding to entries in data. The elements are objects containing the data associated with each name. Currently only supports Raster objects as elements
append	logical. If TRUE, the incoming data will be appended to the Datasheet if possible. Default is TRUE for Project/SsimLibrary-scope Datasheets, and FALSE for Scenario-scope Datasheets. See 'details' for more information about this argument
forceElements	logical. If FALSE (default) a single return message will be returned as a character string. Otherwise it will be returned in a list
force	logical. If Datasheet scope is Project/SsimLibrary, and append=FALSE, Datasheet will be deleted before loading the new data. This can also delete other definitions and results, so if force=FALSE (default) user will be prompted for approval
breakpoint	logical. Set to TRUE when modifying Datasheets in a breakpoint function. Default is FALSE
import	logical. Set to TRUE to import the data after saving. Default is FALSE
path	character. output path (optional)

Details

SsimObject/Project/Scenario should identify a single SsimObject.

If fileData != NULL, each element of names(fileData) should correspond uniquely to at most one entry in data. If a name is not found in data the element will be ignored with a warning. If names(fileData) are full filepaths, rsyncrosim will write each object to the corresponding path for subsequent loading by SyncroSim. Note this is generally more time-consuming because the files must be written twice. If names(fileData) are not filepaths (faster, recommended), rsyncrosim will write each element directly to the appropriate SyncroSim input/output folders. rsyncrosim will write each element of fileData directly to the appropriate SyncroSim input/output folders. If fileData != NULL, data should be a data.frame, vector, or list of length 1, not a list of length >1.

About the 'append' argument:

- A Datasheet is a VALIDATION SOURCE if its data can be used to validate column values in a different Datasheet.
- The append argument will be ignored if the Datasheet is a validation source and has a Project scope. In this case the data will be MERGED.

Value

Invisibly returns a vector or list of logical values for each input: TRUE upon success (i.e. successful save) and FALSE upon failure.

Examples

```
# Install helloworldSpatial package
addPackage("helloworldSpatial")

# Set the file path and name of the new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(),"testlib_saveDatasheet")

# Set the SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, Project, and Scenario
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName,
                        session = mySession,
                        package = "helloworldSpatial",
                        template = "example-library")
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")

# Get all Datasheet info
myDatasheets <- datasheet(myScenario)

# Get a specific Datasheet
myDatasheet <- datasheet(myScenario, name = "RunControl")

# Modify Datasheet
myDatasheet$MaximumTimestep <- 10

# Save Datasheet
saveDatasheet(ssimObject = myScenario, data = myDatasheet, name = "RunControl")

# Import data after saving
saveDatasheet(ssimObject = myScenario, data = myDatasheet, name = "RunControl",
              import = TRUE)

# Save the new Datasheet to a specified output path
saveDatasheet(ssimObject = myScenario, data = myDatasheet, name = "RunControl",
              path = tempdir())

# Save a raster stack using fileData
# Create a raster stack - add as many raster files as you want here
map1 <- datasheetRaster(myScenario, datasheet = "InputDatasheet",
                      column = "InterceptRasterFile")
inRasters <- raster::stack(map1)

# Change the name of the rasters in the input Datasheets to match the stack
inSheet <- datasheet(myScenario, name="InputDatasheet")
inSheet[1,"InterceptRasterFile"] <- names(inRasters)[1]

# Save the raster stack to the input Datasheet
saveDatasheet(myScenario, data=inSheet, name="InputDatasheet",
              fileData=inRasters)
```

scenario	<i>Create or open Scenario(s)</i>
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Description

Create or open one or more [Scenarios](#) from a [SsimLibrary](#).

Usage

```
scenario(
  ssimObject = NULL,
  scenario = NULL,
  sourceScenario = NULL,
  summary = NULL,
  results = FALSE,
  forceElements = FALSE,
  overwrite = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

ssimObject	SsimLibrary or Project object, or character (i.e. a filepath)
scenario	character, integer, or vector of these. Names or ids of one or more Scenarios. Note integer ids are slightly faster, but can only be used to open existing Scenarios
sourceScenario	character or integer. If not NULL (Default), new Scenarios will be copies of the sourceScenario
summary	logical. If TRUE then loads and returns the Scenario(s) in a named vector/dataframe with the scenarioId, name, description, owner, dateModified, readOnly, parentId. Default is TRUE if scenario=NULL, FALSE otherwise
results	logical. If TRUE only return result Scenarios. Default is FALSE
forceElements	logical. If TRUE then returns a single Scenario as a named list; if FALSE (default), returns a single Scenario as a Scenario object. Applies only when summary=FALSE
overwrite	logical. If TRUE an existing Scenario will be overwritten. Default is FALSE

Details

For each element of Scenario:

- If element/Project/SsimObject uniquely identifies an existing Scenario: Returns the existing Scenario.
- If element/Project/SsimObject uniquely identifies more than one existing Scenario: Error.
- If element/Project/SsimObject do not identify an existing Scenario or Project: Error.
- If element/Project/SsimObject do not identify an existing Scenario and element is numeric: Error - a name is required for new Scenarios. SyncroSim will automatically assign an id when a Scenario is created.
- If element/Project/SsimObject do not identify an existing Scenario and do identify a Project, and element is a character string: Creates a new Scenario named element in the Project. SyncroSim automatically assigns an id. If sourceScenario is not NULL the new Scenario will be a copy of sourceScenario.

Value

A Scenario object representing a SyncroSim scenario, a list of Scenario objects, or a data frame of Scenario names and descriptions. If `summary = FALSE`, returns one or more [Scenario](#) objects representing SyncroSim Scenarios. If `summary = TRUE`, returns Scenario summary info.

Examples

```
# Set the file path and name of the new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set the SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, and Project
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "My Project")

# Create a new Scenario
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")

# Create a new Scenario from an existing Scenario
myScenarioCopy <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario Copy",
                           sourceScenario = myScenario)

# Find all the Scenarios in a SsimLibrary
scenario(myLibrary)

# Only return the results Scenarios for a SsimLibrary
scenario(myLibrary, results = TRUE)

# Overwrite an existing Scenario
myNewScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My New Scenario",
                          overwrite = TRUE)
```

Scenario-class

SyncroSim Scenario class

Description

Scenario object representing a SyncroSim Scenario. A Scenario is the lowest level of organization in the SyncroSim workflow, and is often used to isolate information on a single Datasheet.

Slots

`session` [Session](#) object. The Session associated with the Scenario
`filepath` character string. The path to the Scenario's SsimLibrary on disk
`datasheetNames` character string. Names and scope of all Datasheets in Scenario's SsimLibrary
`projectId` integer. The Project id
`scenarioId` integer. The Scenario id
`parentId` integer. For a result Scenario, this is the id of the parent Scenario. 0 indicates this is not a result Scenario
`breakpoints` list of Breakpoint objects (optional)

See Also

See [scenario](#) for options when creating or loading a SyncroSim Scenario.

scenarioId	<i>Retrieves scenarioId of Scenario</i>
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Description

Retrieves the scenarioId of a [Scenario](#).

Usage

```
scenarioId(scenario)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
scenarioId(scenario)

## S4 method for signature 'Scenario'
scenarioId(scenario)
```

Arguments

scenario [Scenario](#) object

Value

Integer id of the input Scenario.

Examples

```
# Set the file path and name of the new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(),"testlib")

# Set the SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, Project, and Scenario
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")

# Get Scenario ID of Scenario
scenarioId(myScenario)
```

session	<i>Create or return SyncroSim Session</i>
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Description

Methods to create or return a SyncroSim [Session](#).

Usage

```
session(x = NULL, silent = TRUE, printCmd = FALSE)

## S4 method for signature 'missingOrNULLOrChar'
session(x = NULL, silent = TRUE, printCmd = FALSE)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimObject'
session(x = NULL, silent = TRUE, printCmd = FALSE)

session(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'character'
session(ssimObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'SsimObject'
session(ssimObject) <- value
```

Arguments

x	character or SsimObject. Path to SyncroSim installation. If NULL (default), then default path is used
silent	logical. Applies only if x is a path or NULL. If TRUE, warnings from the console are ignored. Otherwise they are printed. Default is FALSE
printCmd	logical. Applies only if x is a path or NULL. If TRUE, arguments passed to the SyncroSim console are also printed. Helpful for debugging. Default is FALSE
ssimObject	Project or Scenario object
value	Session object

Details

In order to avoid problems with SyncroSim version compatibility and SsimLibrary updating, the new Session must have the same filepath as the Session of the SsimObject e.g. `filepath(value)==filepath(session(ssimObject))`. Therefore, the only time when you will need to set a new SyncroSim Session is if you have updated the SyncroSim software and want to update an existing SsimObject to use the new software.

Value

A SyncroSim [Session](#) object.

Examples

```
# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, and Project
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")

# Lists the folder location of SyncroSim Session
filepath(mySession)

# Lists the version of SyncroSim Session
version(mySession)

# Data frame of the packages installed with this version of SyncroSim
package(mySession)

# Data frame of the base packages installed with this version of SyncroSim
package(mySession, installed = "BASE")

# Set a new SyncroSim Session for the SyncroSim Project
session(myProject) <- session(x = filepath(session(myProject)))
```

Session-class

SyncroSim Session class

Description

A SyncroSim Session object contains a link to a SyncroSim installation. SsimLibrary, Project and Scenario objects contain a Session used to query and modify the object.

Slots

`filepath` The path to the SyncroSim installation

`silent` If FALSE, all SyncroSim output with non-zero exit status is printed. Helpful for debugging. Default is TRUE

`printCmd` If TRUE, arguments passed to the SyncroSim console are also printed. Helpful for debugging. Default is FALSE

See Also

See [session](#) for options when creating a Session.

`silent`*Silent status of SyncroSim Session*

Description

Checks or sets whether a SyncroSim [Session](#) is silent or not. In a silent session, warnings from the console are ignored.

Usage

```
silent(session)

## S4 method for signature 'Session'
silent(session)

## S4 method for signature 'missingOrNULLOrChar'
silent(session)

silent(session) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'character'
silent(session) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'Session'
silent(session) <- value
```

Arguments

<code>session</code>	Session object or character (i.e. filepath to a session). If NULL, <code>session()</code> will be used
<code>value</code>	logical. If TRUE (default), the SyncroSim Session will be silent

Value

A logical: TRUE if the session is silent and FALSE otherwise.

Examples

```
# Set up a SyncroSim Session
mySession <- session()

# Check the silent status of a SyncroSim Session
silent(mySession)

# Set the silent status of a SyncroSim Session
silent(mySession) <- FALSE
```

sqlStatement	<i>Construct an SQLite query</i>
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Description

Creates SELECT, GROUP BY and WHERE SQL statements. The resulting list of SQL statements will be converted to an SQLite database query by the [datasheet](#) function.

Usage

```
sqlStatement(
  groupBy = NULL,
  aggregate = NULL,
  aggregateFunction = "SUM",
  where = NULL
)
```

Arguments

groupBy	character string or vector of these. Vector of variables (column names) to GROUP BY (optional)
aggregate	character string or vector of these. Vector of variables (column names) to aggregate using aggregateFunction (optional)
aggregateFunction	character string. An SQL aggregate function (e.g. SUM, COUNT). Default is SUM
where	named list. A list of subset variables. Names are column names, and elements are the values to be selected from each column (optional)

Details

Variables are column names of the Datasheet. See column names using `datasheet(, empty=TRUE)`. Variables not included in `groupBy`, `aggregate` or `where` will be dropped from the table. Note that it is not possible to construct a complete SQL query at this stage, because the [datasheet](#) function may add ScenarioID and/or ProjectID to the query.

Value

Returns a list of SELECT, GROUP BY and WHERE SQL statements used by the [datasheet](#) function to construct an SQLite database query.

Examples

```
# Query total Amount for each combination of ScenarioID, Iteration, Timestep and StateLabelXID,
# including only Timesteps 0,1 and 2, and Iterations 3 and 4.
mySQL <- sqlStatement(
  groupBy = c("ScenarioID", "Iteration", "Timestep"),
  aggregate = c("yCum"),
  aggregateFunction = "SUM",
  where = list(Timestep = c(0, 1, 2), Iteration = c(3, 4))
)
mySQL
```



```

# The SQL statement can then be used in the datasheet function
# Install helloworldSpatial package
addPackage("helloworldSpatial")

# Set the file path and name of the new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(),"testlib_sqlStatement")

# Set the SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, Project, and Scenario
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName,
                        session = mySession,
                        package = "helloworldSpatial",
                        template = "example-library")
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "Definitions")
myScenario <- scenario(myProject, scenario = "My Scenario")

# Run Scenario to generate results
resultScenario <- run(myScenario)

# Use the SQL statement when loading the Datasheet
myAggregatedDataFrame <- datasheet(resultScenario, name = "OutputDatasheet",
                                   sqlStatement = mySQL)

# View aggregated DataFrame
myAggregatedDataFrame

```

ssimEnvironment

SyncroSim Environment

Description

This function is part of a set of functions designed to facilitate the development of R-based SyncroSim Packages. `ssimEnvironment` retrieves specific environment variables.

Usage

```
ssimEnvironment()
```

Value

Returns a single-row data.frame of SyncroSim specific environment variables.

Examples

```

## Not run:
# Get the whole set of variables
e <- ssimEnvironment()

# Get the path to transfer directory, for instance
transferdir <- e$TransferDirectory

```

```
## End(Not run)
```

ssimLibrary	<i>Create or open a SsimLibrary</i>
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Description

Creates or opens a [SsimLibrary](#) object. If summary = TRUE, returns SsimLibrary summary info. If summary = NULL, returns SsimLibrary summary info if ssimObject is a SsimLibrary, SsimLibrary object otherwise.

Usage

```
ssimLibrary(
  name = NULL,
  summary = NULL,
  package = NULL,
  session = NULL,
  addon = NULL,
  template = NULL,
  forceUpdate = FALSE,
  overwrite = FALSE
)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimObject'
ssimLibrary(
  name = NULL,
  summary = NULL,
  package = NULL,
  session = NULL,
  addon = NULL,
  template = NULL,
  forceUpdate = FALSE,
  overwrite = FALSE
)

## S4 method for signature 'missingOrNULLOrChar'
ssimLibrary(
  name = NULL,
  summary = NULL,
  package = NULL,
  session = NULL,
  addon = NULL,
  template = NULL,
  forceUpdate = FALSE,
  overwrite = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

name	SsimLibrary , Project or Scenario object, or character string (i.e. path to a SsimLibrary or SsimObject)
summary	logical. Default is TRUE
package	character. The package type. Default is "stsim"
session	Session object. If NULL (default), session() will be used
addon	character or character vector. One or more addon packages. See addon for options (optional)
template	character. Creates the SsimLibrary with the specified template (optional)
forceUpdate	logical. If FALSE (default) user will be prompted to approve any required updates. If TRUE, required updates will be applied silently
overwrite	logical. If TRUE an existing SsimLibrary will be overwritten

Details

Example arguments:

- If name is SyncroSim Project or Scenario: Returns the [SsimLibrary](#) associated with the Project or Scenario.
- If name is NULL: Create/open a [SsimLibrary](#) in the current working directory with the filename [SsimLibrary.ssim](#).
- If name is a string: If string is not a valid path treat as filename in working directory. If no file suffix provided in string then add .ssim. Attempts to open a [SsimLibrary](#) of that name. If [SsimLibrary](#) does not exist creates a [SsimLibrary](#) of type package in the current working directory.
- If given a name and a package: Create/open a [SsimLibrary](#) called <name>.ssim. Returns an error if the [SsimLibrary](#) already exists but is a different type of package.

Value

Returns a [SsimLibrary](#) object.

Examples

```
# Make sure packages are installed
addPackage("stsim")
addPackage("stsimsf")

# Create or open a SsimLibrary using the default Session
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = file.path(tempdir(), "mylib"))

# Create SsimLibrary using a specific Session
mySession <- session()

myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = file.path(tempdir(), "mylib"),
                        session = mySession)

# Retrieve SsimLibrary properties
session(myLibrary)

# Load a SsimLibrary with addon package
```

```

myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = file.path(tempdir(), "mylib"),
                        overwrite = TRUE, package = "stsim",
                        addon = "stsimsf")

# Create SsimLibrary from template
addPackage("helloworldSpatial")
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = file.path(tempdir(), "mylib"),
                        session = mySession,
                        package = "helloworldSpatial",
                        template = "example-library",
                        overwrite = TRUE)

```

SsimLibrary-class	<i>SyncroSim Library class</i>
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Description

SsimLibrary object representing a SyncroSim Library. A SsimLibrary is the highest level of organization in the SyncroSim workflow and contains at least one [Project](#).

Slots

session [Session](#) object
 filepath character string. The path to the SsimLibrary on disk
 datasheetNames character string. The name and scope of all Datasheets in the SsimLibrary.

See Also

See [ssimLibrary](#) for options when creating or loading a SyncroSim SsimLibrary.

ssimUpdate	<i>Apply updates</i>
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Description

Apply updates to a [SsimLibrary](#), or a [Project](#) or [Scenario](#) associated with a SsimLibrary.

Usage

```

ssimUpdate(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
ssimUpdate(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimObject'
ssimUpdate(ssimObject)

```

Arguments

ssimObject [Session](#), [Project](#), or [SsimLibrary](#) object. If NULL (default), session() will be used

Value

Invisibly returns TRUE upon success (i.e. successful update) and FALSE upon failure.

Examples

```
# Set the file path and name of the new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(),"testlib")

# Set the SyncroSim Session, SsimLibrary, and Project
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession,
                        overwrite=TRUE)
myProject <- project(myLibrary, project = "My Project")

# Update Project
ssimUpdate(myProject)

# Create Scenario
myScenario <- scenario(myLibrary, scenario = "My Scenario")

# Update scenario
ssimUpdate(myScenario)
```

tempfilepath

Retrieves the temporary file path to a SyncroSim object on disk

Description

Retrieves the temporary file path to a SyncroSim [Session](#), [SsimLibrary](#), [Project](#) or [Scenario](#) on disk.

Usage

```
tempfilepath(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
tempfilepath(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'Session'
tempfilepath(ssimObject)

## S4 method for signature 'SsimObject'
tempfilepath(ssimObject)
```

Arguments

ssimObject [Session](#), [Project](#), or [SsimLibrary](#) object

Value

A character string: the temporary file path to a SyncroSim object on disk.

Examples

```
# Specify file path and name of new SsimLibrary
myLibraryName <- file.path(tempdir(), "testlib")

# Set up a SyncroSim Session and SsimLibrary
mySession <- session()
myLibrary <- ssimLibrary(name = myLibraryName, session = mySession)

# Get the temporary file path
myFilePath <- tempfilepath(myLibrary)
```

updatePackage

Update Package

Description

Updates a SyncroSim package.

Usage

```
updatePackage(name = NULL, session = NULL, listonly = FALSE)

## S4 method for signature 'ANY,character'
updatePackage(name = NULL, session = NULL, listonly = FALSE)

## S4 method for signature 'ANY,missingOrNULL'
updatePackage(name = NULL, session = NULL, listonly = FALSE)

## S4 method for signature 'ANY,Session'
updatePackage(name = NULL, session = NULL, listonly = FALSE)
```

Arguments

name	character string. The name of the package to update. If NULL (default), all packages will be updated
session	Session object. If NULL (default), session() is used
listonly	logical. If TRUE, available updates are listed only. Default is FALSE

Value

Invisibly returns TRUE upon success (i.e.successful update) and FALSE upon failure.

Examples

```
# Set SyncroSim Session
mySession <- session()

# List all available updates for a package
updatePackage(name = "stsim", session = mySession, listonly = TRUE)

# Update ST-Sim package
updatePackage(name = "stsim", session = mySession, listonly = FALSE)

# Update all packages
updatePackage(session = mySession)
```

version	<i>Retrieves SyncroSim version</i>
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Description

Retrieves the version of a SyncroSim Session.

Usage

```
version(session = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
version(session = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'missingOrNULL'
version(session = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'Session'
version(session = NULL)
```

Arguments

session [Session](#) object

Value

A character string e.g. "2.2.13".

Examples

```
# Set SyncroSim Session
mySession <- session()

# Retrieve version of SyncroSim associated with Session
version(mySession)
```

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