# Example workflow of input and output to the Seatrack database

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# **Summary**

This is an example of a normal workflow that goes through the normal cycle of logger data. This cycle also describes the order in which the tasks is meant to be performed. There are several checks in the database that might throw an error if this order is not respected, e.g. if deployment info is registered before the logger is started up, or a logger is retrieved before it is deployed etc.

Finally, it is shown how to work with the file archive, that stores the raw output files from the loggers.

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- 5. Storing download files

- a. Identifying which files the storage place expects
- b. Uploading logger files
- 6. Retrieving download files from the storage space (this step can be done anytime for already present files)

There are of course other important taskt, but these are not covered here. For example, sometimes it is necessary to update the lookup tables for standard information. This may be a new logger model, a new colony, new people working in the project and so on. Other tasks is to upload the processed positions files.

#### Firstly

Remember to always work using the lastest version of the R package SeatrackR. This is installed by:

```
devtools::install_github("NINAnor/seatrack-db/seatrackR")
```

As of this time, the current version is 0.0.1.5.

# Connecting to the database

Use your name and password, provided to you elsewhere. Remember to change your password! This can be done with the changePassword() function, or for example in Pgadmin3.

For this work-through, we use the username: testwriter with password:testwriter. We also use several functions in the tidyverse package universe, so we'll load this as well.

```
library(seatrackR)
connectSeatrack(Username = "testwriter", Password = "testwriter")

## To change the password: changePassword('newpassword')

## connectSeatrack('testwriter', 'newpassword')

# This shouldn't be needed, but I will use dplyr and pipes in

# the following code.
library(tidyverse)
library(stringr)
```

Internally, connectSeatrack creates a connection to the database called con through the package DBI using the driver Rpostgres::Postgres(). Most functions used later checks that this connection is active and trows an error if it is not. Although you probably won't ever have to, you check the connection and also disconnect manually. Normally, you don't need to disconnect.

```
disconnectSeatrack()
seatrackR:::checkCon() ##produces error if not connected
#> Error in seatrackR:::checkCon(): No connection, run connectSeatrack()
connectSeatrack(Username = "testwriter", Password = "testwriter")
seatrackR:::checkCon() ##returns nothing if the connection exists
```

# Importing logger info, allocating loggers, and starting logging sessions.

There are two major routes for importing logger data into the database. The first is through the table imports.logger\_import, which takes info on logger serial numbers and models, startup info, allocation info, and shutdown info. This table is just a pipeline to other tables in the database. It redistributes data to several tables depending on what it is fed but is always itself empty. This is meant as a convenience for the user so that they don't have to interact to more tables than necessary.

As of today, the redistribution rules are:

- If the logger\_serial\_number + the logger\_model column is not already present in the loggers.logger\_info table, this info is added as a new logger and given a new logger\_id in the loggers.logger\_info table. This means that typoes in this import can result in registering non existent loggers! Make sure the logger serial numbers are correct when importing this data. These colums are then written to the loggers.logger\_info table:
  - logger erial no
  - producer
  - logger\_model
  - production vear
  - project
- If the column starttime\_gmt is not empty (NULL), the logger is started up. A new logging session is registered in the loggers.logging\_session as active, and these columns are moved to the loggers.startup table:
  - logger\_id
  - starttime\_gmt
  - logging\_mode
  - started by
  - started where
  - days\_delayed
  - programmed\_gmt\_time
- If the column intended\_species is not empty (NULL), the allocation data is moved to the loggers.allocation table. These columns are filled in in the table loggers.startup:
  - logger id
  - intended species
  - intended location
  - intended deployer
- Lastly, if the column shutdown\_session is True, the logging session is shutdown in the table loggers.logging\_session and info about the shutdown is imported into the loggers.shutdown table. If the column download\_type at the same time either "Successfully downloaded", or "Reconstructed", filenames are also generated in the loggers.file\_archive table. These columns are imported into the loggers.shutdown:
  - session id
  - download type
  - download date
  - field\_status
  - downloaded\_by
  - decomissioned

The table sampleLoggerImport contains an example of information required to register, startup, and allocate a number of loggers. This is written to the imports.logger\_import table by the function writeLoggerImport. The sample data contains both information on new loggers, their startup, and allocations. Note that we don't have to include info on all these steps in the same go. It is fine to first just send the columns that contain the info on the logger serial numbers, then the ones that starts them, and lastly the ones that allocates them. Remember also that if you also include info on shutdown in the same go (shutdown\_session = True), then the

session is closed and you won't be able to upload deployment or retrieval data. The order of input matters!

```
head(sampleLoggerImport)
#> # A tibble: 6 x 22
     logger_serial_no logger_model producer
                                                 production_year
#>
     <chr>
                       <chr>
                                    <chr>
                                                            \langle db l \rangle
#> 1 Z231
                       c65
                                    Migrate Te~
                                                             2013
                       c65
#> 2 Z236
                                                             2013
                                    Migrate Te~
#> 3 Z234
                       c65
                                    Migrate Te~
                                                             2013
#> 4 Z232
                       c65
                                    Migrate Te~
                                                             2013
#> 5 Y604
                       f100
                                    Migrate Te~
                                                             2013
#> 6 Y612
                                    Migrate Te~
                       f100
                                                             2013
#> # ... with 18 more variables: project <chr>,
       starttime_gmt <dttm>, logging_mode <dbl>,
#> #
       started_by <chr>, started_where <chr>,
#> #
       days_delayed <dbl>, programmed_qmt_time <dttm>,
#> #
       intended_species <chr>, intended_location <chr>,
       intended_deployer <chr>, shutdown_session <lql>,
#> #
#> #
       shutdown_date <lgl>, field_status <lgl>,
#> #
       downloaded_by <lql>, download_type <lql>,
       download_date <lql>, decomissioned <lql>, comment <lql>
#> #
```

We can check how many of the rows in the table about to be imported that has starttimes, and will result in started logging sessions.

```
noStartups <- sampleLoggerImport %>% summarize(no_startups = sum(!is.na(starttime_gmt)))
noStartups
#> # A tibble: 1 x 1
#> no_startups
#> <int>
#> 1 77
```

So, the import of this data should result in 77 active sessions (since we here start with an empty database). Next, we import the logger startup data.

```
writeLoggerImport(sampleLoggerImport)
```

We can use some convenience functions to checkout some of the newly imported data. The getLoggerInfo function reads from the loggers.logger\_info table, which stores basic information of each registered logger (in use or not).

```
loggerInfo <- getLoggerInfo() # This reads from the loggers.logger_info table</pre>
loggerInfo
#> # A tibble: 1,469 x 7
#>
      id
              logger_id logger_serial_no logger_model producer
#>
      <chr>
                  <int> <chr>
                                          <chr>
                                                        <chr>
#> 1 a36170~
                      1 Z231
                                          c65
                                                        Migrate~
#> 2 a36228~
                      2 Z236
                                          c65
                                                       Migrate~
                      3 Z234
#> 3 a3625e~
                                          c65
                                                       Migrate~
   4 a36290~
                      4 Z232
#>
                                                       Migrate~
                                          c65
#> 5 a362c6~
                      5 Y604
                                          f100
                                                       Migrate~
                      6 Y612
#> 6 a362fa~
                                          f100
                                                       Migrate~
#> 7 a3632c~
                      7 Y614
                                                       Migrate~
                                          f100
#> 8 a36354~
                      8 Y595
                                          f100
                                                       Migrate~
                      9 Y116
#> 9 a3637a~
                                                       Migrate~
                                          c330
#> 10 a363a3~
                     10 Y099
                                          c330
                                                       Migrate~
#> # ... with 1,459 more rows, and 2 more variables:
```

```
#> # production_year <int>, project <chr>
```

We see that we have 1469 registered loggers. Next, we can have a look at the current active sessions, most easily through the getActiveSessions function.

```
activeSessions <- getActiveSessions() # This reads from the table loggers.logging_session.
activeSessions
#> # A tibble: 909 x 12
#>
       id
                 session_id logger_id deployment_id retrieval_id
#>
       <chr>
                      \langle int \rangle
                                  \langle int \rangle
                                                  \langle int \rangle
                                                                 \langle int \rangle
#>
    1 347d3be~
                        9139
                                     87
                                                   8448
                                                                  3819
#>
    2 2278a88~
                       12288
                                   1677
                                                  11958
                                                                    NA
#>
    3 347d6d2~
                        9140
                                     88
                                                   8451
                                                                  3837
#>
                        9509
                                                   8695
                                                                  3840
    4 479d6b1~
                                    482
#>
   5 22800df~
                       12316
                                   1705
                                                  11963
                                                                    NA
#>
   6 347d9e4~
                        9141
                                     89
                                                     NA
                                                                    NA
#>
    7 347dcd5~
                        9142
                                     90
                                                     NA
                                                                    NA
#>
   8 228212f~
                       12324
                                   1710
                                                  11965
                                                                    NA
#>
  9 479d9db~
                        9510
                                    483
                                                   8708
                                                                  3846
#> 10 2287175~
                       12342
                                   1723
                                                  11967
                                                                    NA
#> # ... with 899 more rows, and 7 more variables:
        active <lql>, colony <chr>, species <chr>,
#> #
        year_tracked <chr>, individ_id <chr>,
#> #
        last updated <dttm>, updated by <chr>
```

We se that there are 909 open sessions, meaning they have been started up but not shut down. We can se how many of these have been deployed and retrieved by counting the number of rows with deployment id and a retrieval id. Note that we exclude the rows with NAs, which signifies missing data and is read as NULL in the database.

```
activeSessions %>% summarise(no_deployed = sum(!is.na(deployment_id)),
    no_retrieved = sum(!is.na(retrieval_id)))
#> # A tibble: 1 x 2
#> no_deployed no_retrieved
#> <int> <int>
#> 1 900 52
```

At this point all 909 loggers are started up, but none is registered as deployed or retrieved.

# Importing metadata (field information)

When the loggers are registered and started up, we can upload some metadata. This conforms to the existing metadata sheets used in the field. Note here the correct order of input; first start up a session through the writeLoggerImport function, then import deployment info using the writeMetadata() function, then do the same with the retrieval data. You can import deployment and retrieval data in the same go if they appear in the right order in the metadata file (sort by date to make it so).

```
head(sampleMetadata)
#> # A tibble: 6 x 39
#>
     date
                 ring_number euring_code color_ring
     <date>
                 <chr>
                             <chr>
                                          <chr>
#> 1 2016-01-07 5175137
                             NOS
                                          <NA>
#> 2 2016-01-07 5175138
                             NOS
                                          <NA>
#> 3 2016-01-07 5175139
                             NOS
                                          <NA>
```

```
#> 4 2016-01-07 5175140
                            NOS
                                         <NA>
#> 5 2016-02-07 2000741
                            NOS
                                         Red SM
#> 6 2016-02-07 2000903
                            NOS
                                         Red ZY
#> # ... with 35 more variables: logger status <chr>,
      logger model retrieved <chr>,
#> #
       logger_id_retrieved <chr>, logger_model_deployed <chr>,
#> #
       logger_id_deployed <chr>, species <chr>, morph <chr>,
#> #
       subspecies <chr>, age <dbl>, sex <chr>,
#> #
      sexing method <chr>, weight <dbl>, scull <dbl>,
#> #
       tarsus <dbl>, wing <dbl>, breeding_stage <chr>,
#> #
       eggs <dbl>, chicks <dbl>, hatching_success <lql>,
#> #
      breeding_success <lql>,
#> #
      breeding_success_criterion <chr>, country <chr>,
#> #
       colony <chr>, colony_latitude <dbl>,
       colony_longitude <dbl>, nest_id <chr>,
#> #
#> #
      blood_sample <chr>, feather_sample <chr>,
#> #
      other_samples <chr>, data_responsible <chr>,
#> #
      back_on_nest <chr>, logger_mount_method <chr>,
#> #
       comment <chr>, other <chr>, old_ring_number <lgl>
```

In this test case, the metadata file contains both deployment, retrieval and measurement info. We can see how many deployments and retrievals we have.

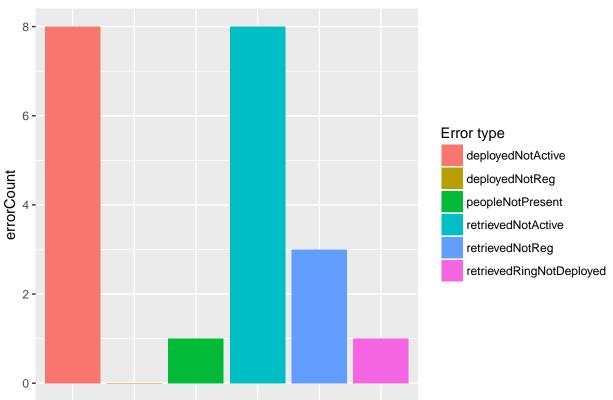
So, 77 deployment events, and 57 retrieval events are going to be registered in one go, by importing this data. Before we import the data, we can do some quality checks to find common errors. The import routine should stop in the event of important errors, but it can be tedious to step through these problems one by one. The function checkMetadata wraps several checking routines, see ?checkMetadata for a list of all of them.

```
myErrors <- checkMetadata(sampleMetadata)
#> Joining, by = "session_id"
#> Errors found!
```

Looks like there are errors in our metadata! The object created by the function checkMetadata has a special class, with a print and plot function. The plot and summary function can be used to quickly get a quick look, the print function (just typing the object) shows all errors and some hints. Look at the str(myErrors) if you want to se the innards of the object.

```
plot(myErrors)
```





summ	ary(myErrors)		
#> #	t A tibble: 6 x 2		
#>	reason	error Count	;
#>	<chr></chr>	<int></int>	•
#> 1	${\it deployedNotActive}$	8	}
#> 2	${\it ?retrievedNotActive}$	8	}
#> 3	$^{ m R}$ $deployedNotReg$	0	)
#> 4	retrieved Not Reg	3	}
#> 5	peopleNotPresent	1	
#> 6	${\it FiretrievedRingNotDeployed}$	1	

#### myErrors

#>

- #> These loggers are not in an open logging session, but metadata contains deployment info.
- #> Start a new logging session with writeLoggerImport() before importing deployment info.
- row\_number logger\_serial\_no *#> 1* 8 Y604 #> 2 9 Y612 #> 3 25 Y613 45 #> 4 Y107 *#> 5* 56 T075 #> 6 Y097 83 #> 7 100 Z284 #> 8 101 Z247
- #> These loggers are not in an open logging session, but metadata contains retrieval info.
- #> Start a new logging session with writeLoggerImport(), and add deployment info before importing retri

```
#> row_number logger_serial_no
       103 scraped off!
#> 1
          104
                scraped off!
#> 2
#> 3
         105
                   scraped off!
          107
#> 4
                          Y604
#> 5
          108
                           Y612
#> 6
          142
                           T075
#> 7
          161
                           Y097
#> 8
           173
                           Z247
#>
#> These loggers are not registered in the table loggers.logger_info, but metadata contains retrieval i
\#> Register the loggers with writeLoggerImport(), and add deployment info before importing retrieval in
#> row_number logger_serial_no
#> 1
           103
                   scraped off!
           104
#> 2
                   scraped off!
#> 3
           105
                   scraped off!
#> These retrieved ring numbers don't match the ring numbers that where deployed on this logger.
#> Individ_id of NA means the deployment data is not yet in database.
                              individ_id ring_number.y.y
#> 1 89a21e74-5903-11e8-bf36-005056b165f3
                                               5175140
#>
   euring_code.y.y session_id
#> 1
               NOS
                       12399
#>
#> These names are not in the table metadata.people. Check spelling and compare with getNames().
#> row number
                             n.a.me.
#> 1
       20 Alkekungen himself
```

In this case, it appears that the logger serial number was not readable for 3 loggers containing info on retrievals, and the field personnel noted this as "scraped off!". Naturally, this "serial number" is not registered in the logger\_info table, and these loggers are not registered as in an open logging session.

In addition, someone has been having a bit of fun with the name of the data responsible on a record. This nickname is not registered in the metadata.people table.

We fix these errors and run another check.

```
ringsOfErrors <- sampleMetadata$ring_number[103:105]</pre>
sampleMetadata[sampleMetadata$ring_number %in% ringsOfErrors,
   ]
#> # A tibble: 6 x 39
   date ring number euring code color ring
            \langle chr \rangle \langle chr \rangle
#>
   <date>
                                       <chr>
#> 1 2016-01-07 5175137
                           NOS
                                        <NA>
#> 2 2016-01-07 5175138
                        NOS
                                        <NA>
#> 3 2016-01-07 5175139
                         NOS
                                        <NA>
#> 4 2017-01-06 5175137
                         NOS
                                        <NA>
#> 5 2017-01-06 5175138
                           NOS
                                        <NA>
#> 6 2017-01-06 5175139
                           NOS
                                        <NA>
#> # ... with 35 more variables: logger_status <chr>,
     logger_model_retrieved <chr>,
      logger_id_retrieved <chr>, logger_model_deployed <chr>,
     logger_id_deployed <chr>, species <chr>, morph <chr>,
#> # subspecies <chr>, age <dbl>, sex <chr>,
#> # sexing_method <chr>, weight <dbl>, scull <dbl>,
```

```
#> # tarsus <dbl>, wing <dbl>, breeding_stage <chr>,
#> # eggs <dbl>, chicks <dbl>, hatching_success <lgl>,
#> # breeding_success <lgl>,
#> # breeding_success_criterion <chr>, country <chr>,
#> # colony <chr>, colony_latitude <dbl>,
#> # colony_longitude <dbl>, nest_id <chr>,
#> # blood_sample <chr>, feather_sample <chr>,
#> # other_samples <chr>, data_responsible <chr>,
#> # back_on_nest <chr>, logger_mount_method <chr>,
#> # comment <chr>, other <chr>, old_ring_number <lgl>
```

Going by the data on the deployments, it seems that the missing logger serial numbers where "Z231", "Z236", and "Z234".

```
sampleMetadata$logger_id_retrieved[103:105] <- c("Z231", "Z236",</pre>
    "Z234")
sampleMetadata %>% select(date, colony, species, data_responsible) %>%
    filter(row_number() %in% 18:22)
#> # A tibble: 5 x 4
#>
    date
            colony species
                                      data_responsible
#>
     <date>
               <chr>
                        <chr>
                                     <chr>
#> 1 2016-05-07 Sklinna European shag Svein-Håkon Lorentsen
#> 2 2016-06-06 Sklinna Herring gull Svein-Håkon Lorentsen
#> 3 2016-06-06 Sklinna Herring gull Alkekungen himself
#> 4 2016-06-06 Sklinna Herring gull Svein-Håkon Lorentsen
#> 5 2016-06-06 Sklinna Herring gull Svein-Håkon Lorentsen
## Looks like it should be Svein-Håkon
```

Time for a new check of the data.

```
myErrors <- checkMetadata(sampleMetadata)
#> Joining, by = "session_id"
#> Errors found!
```

sampleMetadata\$data\_responsible[20] <- sampleMetadata\$data\_responsible[19]

Thats better. Note however that these checks doesn't find every possible error. Please suggest further checks to put into this routine!

We can now import the metadata.

```
writeMetadata(sampleMetadata)
```

And check the new status of the number of deployed and retrieved loggers.

We see that the logger\_session table has been filled with data on deployments and retrievals. Data on the colony, species, and individ id the logger was deployed on is also added to the table. The rows with retrieval

data also contains data on the year tracked.

```
activeSessions %>% filter(!is.na(retrieval_id))
#> # A tibble: 52 x 12
#>
       id
                 session_id logger_id deployment_id retrieval_id
#>
       <chr>
                       \langle int \rangle
                                  \langle int \rangle
                                                  \langle int \rangle
                                                                 \langle int \rangle
    1 347d3be~
                        9139
                                      87
                                                                  3819
#>
                                                   8448
                        9140
                                      88
                                                                  3837
#>
    2 347d6d2~
                                                    8451
                        9509
#>
   3 479d6b1~
                                    482
                                                    8695
                                                                  3840
#>
    4 479d9db~
                        9510
                                    483
                                                    8708
                                                                  3846
#>
    5 4797060~
                        9483
                                    456
                                                    8713
                                                                  3850
#>
    6 47914f9~
                        9459
                                    432
                                                    8714
                                                                  3851
#>
    7 478fb1c~
                        9452
                                    425
                                                    8718
                                                                  3853
#>
    8 347dff6~
                        9143
                                      91
                                                    8462
                                                                  4671
#> 9 4797687~
                        9485
                                     458
                                                    8742
                                                                  3867
#> 10 47969da~
                        9481
                                     454
                                                    8743
                                                                  3868
#> # ... with 42 more rows, and 7 more variables:
       active <lql>, colony <chr>, species <chr>,
#> #
       year_tracked <chr>, individ_id <chr>,
        last_updated <dttm>, updated_by <chr>
```

#### Importing shutdown information

We can now shut down the logging sessions that have been given retrieval data. We could also have shut down these logging sessions before, but we would then not be able to add deployment or retrieval data.

We use the logger\_import table again to shut the logging sessions down. For all rows where shutdown\_session = True, the corresponding logging sessions will be shut down. Remember that it is usually not a good idea to import startup and shutdown data at the same time, since this will just open and close the session. One way of only importing shutdown info is to blank out all the other columns in the logger import data.

Here the startup and allocation info is empty.

```
sampleLoggerShutdown
#> # A tibble: 57 x 22
#>
      logger_serial_no logger_model producer production_year
#>
      <chr>
                        <chr>
                                      <lgl>
                                                <lql>
   1 Z231
#>
                        c65
                                      NA
                                               NA
#>
    2 Z236
                        c65
                                      NA
                                               NA
#>
    3 Z234
                        c65
                                      NA
                                               NA
#>
    4 Z232
                        c65
                                      NA
                                               NA
    5 Y604
#>
                        f100
                                      NA
                                               NA
#>
    6 Y612
                                               NA
                        f100
                                      NA
#>
    7 Y614
                        f100
                                      NA
                                               NA
#>
   8 Y595
                                      NA
                                               NA
                        f100
    9 Y116
#>
                        c330
                                      NA
                                               NA
#> 10 Y099
                                      NA
                        c330
                                               NA
#> # ... with 47 more rows, and 18 more variables:
       project <lgl>, starttime_gmt <lgl>, logging_mode <lgl>,
#> #
       started_by <lgl>, started_where <lgl>,
#> #
       days_delayed <lgl>, programmed_gmt_time <lgl>,
#> #
       intended species <lql>, intended location <lql>,
       intended_deployer <lql>, shutdown_session <lql>,
#> #
       shutdown_date <date>, field_status <chr>,
```

```
#> # downloaded_by <chr>, download_type <chr>,
#> # download_date <date>, decomissioned <lgl>,
#> # comment <lgl>
```

And we only have shutdown info.

```
sampleLoggerShutdown %>% select(logger serial no, logger model,
    shutdown_session:comment)
#> # A tibble: 57 x 10
#>
      logger_serial_no logger_model shutdown_session
#>
      <chr>
                       <chr>
                                     <lgl>
                                     T
#> 1 Z231
                       c65
#> 2 Z236
                       c65
                                     T
#> 3 Z234
                       c65
                                     T
#> 4 Z232
                       c65
                                     T
#> 5 Y604
                                     T
                       f100
                                     T
#> 6 Y612
                       f100
                                     T
#> 7 Y614
                       f100
#> 8 Y595
                       f100
                                     T
                                     T
#> 9 Y116
                       c330
#> 10 Y099
                       c330
                                     T
#> # ... with 47 more rows, and 7 more variables:
       shutdown_date <date>, field_status <chr>,
       downloaded by <chr>, download type <chr>,
#> #
       download_date <date>, decomissioned <lgl>,
#> #
       comment <lql>
```

Remember that filenames will only be produced in the case when the download\_type is either "Successfully downloaded" or "Reconstructed". Let's have a look at the types of downloads we are about to import.

```
downloadTypes <- sampleLoggerShutdown %>% group_by(download_type) %>%
  tally()
```

This means that we should get filenames from 40 of the 57 loggers.

We import this data similarly as with the startups.

```
writeLoggerImport(sampleLoggerShutdown)
```

This should have closed 57 sessions and so we should now have 20 still active sessions.

```
activeSessions <- getActiveSessions()</pre>
activeSessions
#> # A tibble: 909 x 12
#>
      id
                session_id logger_id deployment_id retrieval_id
#>
       <chr>
                      \langle int \rangle
                                 \langle int \rangle
                                                 <int>
                                                                \langle int \rangle
                       9139
                                                                 3819
#> 1 347d3be~
                                    87
                                                  8448
#> 2 2278a88~
                      12288
                                  1677
                                                 11958
                                                                   NA
#> 3 347d6d2~
                       9140
                                    88
                                                  8451
                                                                 3837
#> 4 479d6b1~
                       9509
                                                  8695
                                   482
                                                                 3840
#> 5 22800df~
                      12316
                                  1705
                                                 11963
                                                                   NA
#> 6 347d9e4~
                                    89
                                                                   NA
                       9141
                                                    NA
#> 7 347dcd5~
                       9142
                                    90
                                                    NA
                                                                   NA
#> 8 228212f~
                      12324
                                  1710
                                                 11965
                                                                   NA
#> 9 479d9db~
                       9510
                                   483
                                                  8708
                                                                 3846
#> 10 2287175~
                      12342
                                                 11967
                                  1723
                                                                   NA
#> # ... with 899 more rows, and 7 more variables:
```

```
#> # active <lgl>, colony <chr>, species <chr>,
#> # year_tracked <chr>, individ_id <chr>,
#> # last_updated <dttm>, updated_by <chr>
```

Looks good.

The shutdown also creates filenames associated with the session, depending on the make and model of the logger. These end up in the table loggers.file\_archive.

### Working with the file archive

We can now see what these shutdowns has produced in the file archive table. This table lists the expected filenames produced by the logging sessions that has been shutdown. It is up to the users to manually upload these files to the file archive location. The file archive is an FTP server running on the same machine as the seatrack database. We use the passwords in the database to connect to the FTP server, but this is handled through the functions in this package so that users do not have to enter their credentials once a seatrack connection has been made.

We can take a look at the expected filenames through to functions. Firstly, the function getFileArchiveSummary retrieves the info of the expected filenames, together with which logging session they are connected to and some info on the related birds.

```
databaseFileArchive <- getFileArchiveSummary()</pre>
databaseFileArchive
#> # A tibble: 3,168 x 9
      file_id session_id colony
#>
                                       ring_number euring_code
#>
        \langle int \rangle
                    <int> <chr>
                                       <chr>
                                                    <chr>>
                     9144 Bear Island DA42338
                                                    NOS
#>
    1
        11690
#>
    2
        11691
                     9144 Bear Island DA42338
                                                    NOS
#>
    3
        11692
                     9144 Bear Island DA42338
                                                    NOS
#>
    4
        11693
                     9144 Bear Island DA42338
                                                    NOS
#>
        11694
                     9144 Bear Island DA42338
                                                    NOS
    5
#>
    6
        11695
                     9144 Bear Island DA42338
                                                    NOS
                     9144 Bear Island DA42338
#>
    7
        11696
                                                    NOS
    8
                     9131 Bear Island DA29201
#>
        11697
                                                    NOS
#>
    9
        11698
                     9131 Bear Island DA29201
                                                    NOS
#> 10
        11699
                     9131 Bear Island DA29201
                                                    NOS
#> # ... with 3,158 more rows, and 4 more variables:
       year tracked <chr>, logger_serial_no <chr>,
       logger_model <chr>, filename <chr>
```

You could use this table to get some bookkeeping info. Currently, we have shut down 5 different logger models, some of which produces 7 and some that produces 4 files. For example see how the recorded file names group into individual logger models.

Currently, we have shut down 5 different logger models, some of which produces 7 and some that produces 4 files, depending on their make and model. We could also from this table see how many loggers that have been shutdown and are expected to have files associated with them.

So out of the 57 shutdowns we performed, only 40 of them resulted in files in the table loggers.file\_archive. This is as predicted since only 40 was successfully downloaded or had their download data reconstructed.

#### Uploading and downloading files from the file storage.

So far, we have only looked in the database for the expected files connected to each logging session. The actual file storage is located on the FTP server. We can use the listFileArchive function to list the files in the file storage on this ftp server. This function also compares the the content of the file storage and to the proposed filenames in the database.

```
fileArchive <- listFileArchive()</pre>
fileArchive
#> $filesInArchive
#> # A tibble: 2 x 1
    filename
     <chr>
#>
#> 1 F630_2014_c65.sst
#> 2 F630_2014_c65driftadj.trn
#>
#> $filesNotInArchive
#> # A tibble: 3,166 x 1
#>
      filename
#>
      <chr>
  1 F630_2014_c65.trn
#>
   2 F630_2014_c65driftadj.lux
#> 3 F630_2014_c65.lux
#> 4 F630_2014_c65driftadj.deg
#> 5 F630_2014_c65.deg
#> 6 18A817_2014_mk18.lig
#> 7 18A817 2014 mk18.act
#> 8 18A817_2014_mk18.txt
#> 9 18A817_2014_mk18.trn
#> 10 18A817_2014_mk18.lig
#> # ... with 3,156 more rows
```

```
#> $filesNotInDatabase
#> # A tibble: 2 x 1
#> filename
#> <chr>
#> 1 F630_2014_c65.sst
#> 2 F630_2014_c65driftadj.trn
```

For the purpose of testing, we have uploaded some dummy files, called F630\_2014\_c65.sst, and F630\_2014\_c65driftadj.trn. These are found in the list element filesInArchive and since they are not expected by the database, also in the list element filesNotInDatabase. The summary also show filesNotInArchive which lists the expected files registered in the database, that are not yet sent to the file storage.

We can upload files to the storage, using the function uploadFiles. This function grabs the appropriate username and passwords for the ftp connection from the database and uploads the files specified. You need to specify overwrite = True to overwrite existing files. Only users that login to the database with write permissions (members of the role group "seatrack writer") will be able to upload files to the file storage.

Here we will upload two test files that are locally stored in the folder "temp".

```
uploadFiles(c("test.txt", "test2.txt"), originFolder = "../temp")
#> [1] "File uploaded: ../temp/test.txt"
#> [2] "File uploaded: ../temp/test2.txt"
```

Although we get a confirmation, we can double check that the files actually are now stored in the file storage.

```
fileArchive <- listFileArchive()</pre>
fileArchive
#> $filesInArchive
#> # A tibble: 4 x 1
    filename
#>
    <chr>
#> 1 F630 2014 c65.sst
#> 2 F630_2014_c65driftadj.trn
#> 3 test.txt
#> 4 test2.txt
#>
#> $filesNotInArchive
#> # A tibble: 3,166 x 1
     filename
#>
      <chr>
#> 1 F630_2014_c65.trn
#> 2 F630_2014_c65driftadj.lux
#> 3 F630_2014_c65.lux
#> 4 F630_2014_c65driftadj.deg
#> 5 F630_2014_c65.deg
#> 6 18A817_2014_mk18.lig
#> 7 18A817_2014_mk18.act
#> 8 18A817_2014_mk18.txt
#> 9 18A817_2014_mk18.trn
#> 10 18A817_2014_mk18.lig
#> # ... with 3,156 more rows
#> $filesNotInDatabase
#> # A tibble: 4 x 1
#> filename
```

```
#> <chr>
#> 1 F630_2014_c65.sst

#> 2 F630_2014_c65driftadj.trn

#> 3 test.txt

#> 4 test2.txt
```

We can download files from the storage using the function downloadFiles. This is available for everyone that can login to the database (members of the group "seatrack\_reader"). Here, we download all the files.

```
filesToGet = listFileArchive()$filesInArchive
downloadFiles(files = filesToGet, destFolder = "../temp", overwrite = T)
#> [1] "File downloaded: ../temp/F630_2014_c65.sst"
#> [2] "File downloaded: ../temp/F630_2014_c65driftadj.trn"
#> [3] "File downloaded: ../temp/test.txt"
#> [4] "File downloaded: ../temp/test2.txt"
```

More often though you would identify a subset of files to download. Which files you are interested in could be found through a custom SQL query, or some R code that searches through the getFileArchiveSummary output.

#### Deleting files from the FTP archive

In case a wrong file has been uploaded to the file archive, or for testing purposes, we may need to delete files from the file archive. This is done through the deleteFiles function, which requires write permissions in the database. This asks for confirmation if you don't specify force = True.

```
filesInArchive <- listFileArchive() $filesInArchive
filesInArchive
#> # A tibble: 4 x 1
#>
    filename
#>
    <chr>
#> 1 F630_2014_c65.sst
#> 2 F630_2014_c65driftadj.trn
#> 3 test.txt
#> 4 test2.txt
filesToDelete <- filesInArchive %>% filter(str_detect(filename,
filesToDelete
#> # A tibble: 2 x 1
#>
    filename
    <chr>
#> 1 test.txt
#> 2 test2.txt
deleteFiles(files = filesToDelete, force = T)
\# [1] "File deleted: test.txt" "File deleted: test2.txt"
```

We can double check that the test files are gone.

```
listFileArchive()$filesInArchive
#> # A tibble: 2 x 1
#> filename
#> <chr>
```

#> 1 F630\_2014\_c65.sst

#> 2 F630\_2014\_c65driftadj.trn