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# Description

Shiny makes it incredibly easy to build interactive web applications with R. Automatic "reactive" binding between inputs and outputs and extensive pre-built widgets make it possible to build beautiful, responsive, and powerful applications with minimal effort.

# **Details**

The Shiny tutorial at <a href="http://shiny.rstudio.com/tutorial/">http://shiny.rstudio.com/tutorial/</a> explains the framework in depth, walks you through building a simple application, and includes extensive annotated examples.

# See Also

shiny-options for documentation about global options.

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# Description

Creates a panel whose contents are absolutely positioned.

# Usage

```
absolutePanel(..., top = NULL, left = NULL, right = NULL, bottom = NULL,
  width = NULL, height = NULL, draggable = FALSE, fixed = FALSE,
  cursor = c("auto", "move", "default", "inherit"))

fixedPanel(..., top = NULL, left = NULL, right = NULL, bottom = NULL,
  width = NULL, height = NULL, draggable = FALSE, cursor = c("auto",
  "move", "default", "inherit"))
```

# Arguments

• • •	Attributes (named arguments) or children (unnamed arguments) that should be included in the panel.
top	Distance between the top of the panel, and the top of the page or parent container.
left	Distance between the left side of the panel, and the left of the page or parent container.
right	Distance between the right side of the panel, and the right of the page or parent container.
bottom	Distance between the bottom of the panel, and the bottom of the page or parent container.
width	Width of the panel.
	•
height	Height of the panel.
height draggable	•
•	Height of the panel.

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#### **Details**

The absolutePanel function creates a <div> tag whose CSS position is set to absolute (or fixed if fixed = TRUE). The way absolute positioning works in HTML is that absolute coordinates are specified relative to its nearest parent element whose position is not set to static (which is the default), and if no such parent is found, then relative to the page borders. If you're not sure what that means, just keep in mind that you may get strange results if you use absolutePanel from inside of certain types of panels.

The fixedPanel function is the same as absolutePanel with fixed = TRUE.

The position (top, left, right, bottom) and size (width, height) parameters are all optional, but you should specify exactly two of top, bottom, and height and exactly two of left, right, and width for predictable results.

Like most other distance parameters in Shiny, the position and size parameters take a number (interpreted as pixels) or a valid CSS size string, such as "100px" (100 pixels) or "25%".

For arcane HTML reasons, to have the panel fill the page or parent you should specify 0 for top, left, right, and bottom rather than the more obvious width = "100%" and height = "100%".

#### Value

An HTML element or list of elements.

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# **Description**

Creates an action button or link whose value is initially zero, and increments by one each time it is pressed.

#### **Usage**

```
actionButton(inputId, label, icon = NULL, width = NULL, ...)
actionLink(inputId, label, icon = NULL, ...)
```

# Arguments

inputId	The input slot that will be used to access the value.
label	The contents of the button or link-usually a text label, but you could also use any other HTML, like an image.
icon	An optional icon to appear on the button.
width	The width of the input, e.g. '400px', or '100%'; see validateCssUnit.
	Named attributes to be applied to the button or link.

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### See Also

observeEvent and eventReactive

Other input.elements: checkboxGroupInput, checkboxInput, dateInput, dateRangeInput, fileInput, numericInput, passwordInput, radioButtons, selectInput, sliderInput, submitButton, textInput

### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# In server.R
output$distPlot <- renderPlot({
    # Take a dependency on input$goButton
    input$goButton

# Use isolate() to avoid dependency on input$obs
    dist <- isolate(rnorm(input$obs))
    hist(dist)
})

# In ui.R
actionButton("goButton", "Go!")

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

addResourcePath

Resource Publishing

### **Description**

Adds a directory of static resources to Shiny's web server, with the given path prefix. Primarily intended for package authors to make supporting JavaScript/CSS files available to their components.

### Usage

```
addResourcePath(prefix, directoryPath)
```

# **Arguments**

prefix

The URL prefix (without slashes). Valid characters are a-z, A-Z, 0-9, hyphen, period, and underscore; and must begin with a-z or A-Z. For example, a value of 'foo' means that any request paths that begin with '/foo' will be mapped to

the given directory.

directoryPath

The directory that contains the static resources to be served.

### **Details**

You can call addResourcePath multiple times for a given prefix; only the most recent value will be retained. If the normalized directoryPath is different than the directory that's currently mapped to the prefix, a warning will be issued.

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### See Also

```
singleton
```

# **Examples**

```
addResourcePath('datasets', system.file('data', package='datasets'))
```

bootstrapLib

Bootstrap libraries

### **Description**

This function returns a set of web dependencies necessary for using Bootstrap components in a web page.

#### Usage

```
bootstrapLib(theme = NULL)
```

# Arguments

theme

Alternative Bootstrap stylesheet (normally a css file within the www directory, e.g. www/bootstrap.css)

#### **Details**

It isn't necessary to call this function if you use bootstrapPage or others which use bootstrapPage, such basicPage, fluidPage, fillPage, pageWithSidebar, and navbarPage, because they already include the Bootstrap web dependencies.

bootstrapPage

Create a Bootstrap page

# Description

Create a Shiny UI page that loads the CSS and JavaScript for Bootstrap, and has no content in the page body (other than what you provide).

# Usage

```
bootstrapPage(..., title = NULL, responsive = NULL, theme = NULL)
basicPage(...)
```

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#### **Arguments**

... The contents of the document body.

title The browser window title (defaults to the host URL of the page) responsive This option is deprecated; it is no longer optional with Bootstrap 3.

theme Alternative Bootstrap stylesheet (normally a css file within the www directory,

e.g. www/bootstrap.css)

#### **Details**

This function is primarily intended for users who are proficient in HTML/CSS, and know how to lay out pages in Bootstrap. Most applications should use fluidPage along with layout functions like fluidRow and sidebarLayout.

#### Value

A UI defintion that can be passed to the shinyUI function.

#### Note

The basicPage function is deprecated, you should use the fluidPage function instead.

### See Also

fluidPage, fixedPage

brushedPoints

Find rows of data that are selected by a brush

# Description

This function returns rows from a data frame which are under a brush used with plotOutput.

#### Usage

```
brushedPoints(df, brush, xvar = NULL, yvar = NULL, panelvar1 = NULL,
    panelvar2 = NULL, allRows = FALSE)
```

#### **Arguments**

df A data frame from which to select rows.

brush The data from a brush, such as input\$plot\_brush.

xvar, yvar A string with the name of the variable on the x or y axis. This must also be the

name of a column in df. If absent, then this function will try to infer the variable

from the brush (only works for ggplot2).

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panelvar1, panelvar2

Each of these is a string with the name of a panel variable. For example, if with ggplot2, you facet on a variable called cy1, then you can use "cy1" here. However, specifying the panel variable should not be necessary with ggplot2; Shiny should be able to auto-detect the panel variable.

allRows

If FALSE (the default) return a data frame containing the selected rows. If TRUE, the input data frame will have a new column, selected\_, which indicates whether the row was inside the brush (TRUE) or outside the brush (FALSE).

#### **Details**

It is also possible for this function to return all rows from the input data frame, but with an additional column selected\_, which indicates which rows of the input data frame are selected by the brush (TRUE for selected, FALSE for not-selected). This is enabled by setting allRows=TRUE option.

The xvar, yvar, panelvar1, and panelvar2 arguments specify which columns in the data correspond to the x variable, y variable, and panel variables of the plot. For example, if your plot is plot(x=cars\$speed, y=cars\$dist), and your brush is named "cars\_brush", then you would use brushedPoints(cars,input\$cars\_brush, "speed", "dist").

For plots created with ggplot2, it should not be necessary to specify the column names; that information will already be contained in the brush, provided that variables are in the original data, and not computed. For example, with ggplot(cars, aes(x=speed, y=dist)) + geom\_point(), you could use brushedPoints(cars, input\$cars\_brush). If, however, you use a computed column, like ggplot(cars, aes(x=speed/2, y=dist)) + geom\_point(), then it will not be able to automatically extract column names and filter on them. If you want to use this function to filter data, it is recommended that you not use computed columns; instead, modify the data first, and then make the plot with "raw" columns in the modified data.

If a specified x or y column is a factor, then it will be coerced to an integer vector. If it is a character vector, then it will be coerced to a factor and then integer vector. This means that the brush will be considered to cover a given character/factor value when it covers the center value.

If the brush is operating in just the x or y directions (e.g., with brush0pts(direction = "x"), then this function will filter out points using just the x or y variable, whichever is appropriate.

### See Also

plotOutput for example usage.

brushOpts

Create an object representing brushing options

### **Description**

This generates an object representing brushing options, to be passed as the brush argument of imageOutput or plotOutput.

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# Usage

```
brushOpts(id = NULL, fill = "#9cf", stroke = "#036", opacity = 0.25,
delay = 300, delayType = c("debounce", "throttle"), clip = TRUE,
direction = c("xy", "x", "y"), resetOnNew = FALSE)
```

# Arguments

id	Input value name. For example, if the value is "plot_brush", then the coordinates will be available as input\$plot_brush. Multiple imageOutput/plotOutput calls may share the same id value; brushing one image or plot will cause any other brushes with the same id to disappear.
fill	Fill color of the brush.
stroke	Outline color of the brush.
opacity	Opacity of the brush
delay	How long to delay (in milliseconds) when debouncing or throttling, before sending the brush data to the server.
delayType	The type of algorithm for limiting the number of brush events. Use "throttle" to limit the number of brush events to one every delay milliseconds. Use "debounce" to suspend events while the cursor is moving, and wait until the cursor has been at rest for delay milliseconds before sending an event.
clip	Should the brush area be clipped to the plotting area? If FALSE, then the user will be able to brush outside the plotting area, as long as it is still inside the image.
direction	The direction for brushing. If "xy", the brush can be drawn and moved in both x and y directions. If "x", or "y", the brush wil work horizontally or vertically.
resetOnNew	When a new image is sent to the browser (via renderImage), should the brush be reset? The default, FALSE, is useful if you want to update the plot while keeping the brush. Using TRUE is useful if you want to clear the brush whenever the plot is updated.

builder	HTML Builder Functions

# Description

Simple functions for constructing HTML documents.

# Usage

```
tags
p(...)
h1(...)
```

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h2(...)
h3(...)
h4(...)
h5(...)
h6(...)
d(...)
gran(...)
pre(...)
code(...)
img(...)
strong(...)
hr(...)

# Arguments

. . .

Attributes and children of the element. Named arguments become attributes, and positional arguments become children. Valid children are tags, single-character character vectors (which become text nodes), and raw HTML (see HTML). You can also pass lists that contain tags, text nodes, and HTML.

### **Details**

The tags environment contains convenience functions for all valid HTML5 tags. To generate tags that are not part of the HTML5 specification, you can use the tag() function.

Dedicated functions are available for the most common HTML tags that do not conflict with common R functions.

The result from these functions is a tag object, which can be converted using as.character().

```
doc <- tags$html(</pre>
```

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callModule

Invoke a Shiny module

# **Description**

Shiny's module feature lets you break complicated UI and server logic into smaller, self-contained pieces. Compared to large monolithic Shiny apps, modules are easier to reuse and easier to reason about. See the article at http://shiny.rstudio.com/articles/modules.html to learn more.

# Usage

```
callModule(module, id, ..., session = getDefaultReactiveDomain())
```

# **Arguments**

module	A Shiny module server function
id	An ID string that corresponds with the ID used to call the module's UI function
	Additional parameters to pass to module server function
session	Session from which to make a child scope (the default should almost always be used)

### Value

The return value, if any, from executing the module server function

### See Also

```
http://shiny.rstudio.com/articles/modules.html
```

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# Description

Create a group of checkboxes that can be used to toggle multiple choices independently. The server will receive the input as a character vector of the selected values.

# Usage

```
checkboxGroupInput(inputId, label, choices, selected = NULL, inline = FALSE,
    width = NULL)
```

# Arguments

inputId	The input slot that will be used to access the value.
label	Display label for the control, or NULL for no label.
choices	List of values to show checkboxes for. If elements of the list are named then that name rather than the value is displayed to the user.
selected	The values that should be initially selected, if any.
inline	If TRUE, render the choices inline (i.e. horizontally)
width	The width of the input, e.g. '400px', or '100%'; see validateCssUnit.

# Value

A list of HTML elements that can be added to a UI definition.

# See Also

```
checkboxInput, updateCheckboxGroupInput
```

Other input.elements: actionButton, checkboxInput, dateInput, dateRangeInput, fileInput, numericInput, passwordInput, radioButtons, selectInput, sliderInput, submitButton, textInput

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checkboxInput Checkbox Input Control
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### **Description**

Create a checkbox that can be used to specify logical values.

# Usage

```
checkboxInput(inputId, label, value = FALSE, width = NULL)
```

# Arguments

inputId The input slot that will be used to access the value.

label Display label for the control, or NULL for no label.

value Initial value (TRUE or FALSE).

width The width of the input, e.g. '400px', or '100%'; see validateCssUnit.

### Value

A checkbox control that can be added to a UI definition.

# See Also

checkboxGroupInput, updateCheckboxInput

Other input.elements: actionButton, checkboxGroupInput, dateInput, dateRangeInput, fileInput, numericInput, passwordInput, radioButtons, selectInput, sliderInput, submitButton, textInput

### **Examples**

```
checkboxInput("outliers", "Show outliers", FALSE)
```

clickOpts Create an object representing click options

# **Description**

This generates an object representing click options, to be passed as the click argument of imageOutput or plotOutput.

### Usage

```
clickOpts(id = NULL, clip = TRUE)
```

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# **Arguments**

id	Input value name. For example, if the value is "plot_click", then the click
	coordinates will be available as input\$plot_click.

Should the click area be clipped to the plotting area? If FALSE, then the server

will receive click events even when the mouse is outside the plotting area, as

long as it is still inside the image.

column

Create a column within a UI definition

# Description

Create a column for use within a fluidRow or fixedRow

### Usage

```
column(width, ..., offset = 0)
```

# **Arguments**

width The grid width of the column (must be between 1 and 12)

. . . Elements to include within the column

offset The number of columns to offset this column from the end of the previous col-

umn.

#### Value

A column that can be included within a fluidRow or fixedRow.

# See Also

fluidRow, fixedRow.

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```
"4"
),
column(width = 3, offset = 2,
    "3 offset 2"
)
)
```

conditionalPanel

Conditional Panel

### **Description**

Creates a panel that is visible or not, depending on the value of a JavaScript expression. The JS expression is evaluated once at startup and whenever Shiny detects a relevant change in input/output.

### Usage

```
conditionalPanel(condition, ...)
```

# Arguments

condition

A JavaScript expression that will be evaluated repeatedly to determine whether the panel should be displayed.

... Elements to include in the panel.

#### **Details**

In the JS expression, you can refer to input and output JavaScript objects that contain the current values of input and output. For example, if you have an input with an id of foo, then you can use input. foo to read its value. (Be sure not to modify the input/output objects, as this may cause unpredictable behavior.)

#### Note

You are not recommended to use special JavaScript characters such as a period . in the input id's, but if you do use them anyway, for example, inputId = "foo.bar", you will have to use input["foo.bar"] instead of input.foo.bar to read the input value.

```
sidebarPanel(
    selectInput(
        "plotType", "Plot Type",
        c(Scatter = "scatter",
            Histogram = "hist")),

# Only show this panel if the plot type is a histogram conditionalPanel(
        condition = "input.plotType == 'hist'",
```

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```
selectInput(
    "breaks", "Breaks",
    c("Sturges",
        "Scott",
        "Freedman-Diaconis",
        "[Custom]" = "custom")),

# Only show this panel if Custom is selected
conditionalPanel(
    condition = "input.breaks == 'custom'",
        sliderInput("breakCount", "Break Count", min=1, max=1000, value=10)
    )
)
)
```

createWebDependency

Create a web dependency

### **Description**

Ensure that a file-based HTML dependency (from the htmltools package) can be served over Shiny's HTTP server. This function works by using addResourcePath to map the HTML dependency's directory to a URL.

### Usage

createWebDependency(dependency)

# **Arguments**

dependency

A single HTML dependency object, created using htmlDependency. If the src value is named, then href and/or file names must be present.

#### Value

A single HTML dependency object that has an href-named element in its src.

dateInput

Create date input

### **Description**

Creates a text input which, when clicked on, brings up a calendar that the user can click on to select dates.

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### Usage

```
dateInput(inputId, label, value = NULL, min = NULL, max = NULL,
format = "yyyy-mm-dd", startview = "month", weekstart = 0,
language = "en", width = NULL)
```

### **Arguments**

inputId The input slot that will be used to access the value. label Display label for the control, or NULL for no label. value The starting date. Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd format. If NULL (the default), will use the current date in the client's time zone. min The minimum allowed date. Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd format. The maximum allowed date. Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd max format. format The format of the date to display in the browser. Defaults to "yyyy-mm-dd". The date range shown when the input object is first clicked. Can be "month" startview (the default), "year", or "decade". weekstart Which day is the start of the week. Should be an integer from 0 (Sunday) to 6 (Saturday). language The language used for month and day names. Default is "en". Other valid values include "bg", "ca", "cs", "da", "de", "el", "es", "fi", "fr", "he", "hr", "hu", "id", "is", "it", "ja", "kr", "lt", "lv", "ms", "nb", "nl", "pl", "pt", "pt-BR", "ro", "rs", "rs-latin", "ru", "sk", "sl", "sv", "sw", "th", "tr", "uk", "zh-CN", and "zh-TW". The width of the input, e.g. '400px', or '100%'; see validateCssUnit. width

### Details

The date format string specifies how the date will be displayed in the browser. It allows the following values:

- yy Year without century (12)
- yyyy Year with century (2012)
- mm Month number, with leading zero (01-12)
- m Month number, without leading zero (01-12)
- · M Abbreviated month name
- MM Full month name
- dd Day of month with leading zero
- d Day of month without leading zero
- D Abbreviated weekday name
- DD Full weekday name

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### See Also

```
dateRangeInput, updateDateInput
```

Other input.elements: actionButton, checkboxGroupInput, checkboxInput, dateRangeInput, fileInput, numericInput, passwordInput, radioButtons, selectInput, sliderInput, submitButton, textInput

# **Examples**

dateRangeInput

Create date range input

# Description

Creates a pair of text inputs which, when clicked on, bring up calendars that the user can click on to select dates.

# Usage

```
dateRangeInput(inputId, label, start = NULL, end = NULL, min = NULL,
  max = NULL, format = "yyyy-mm-dd", startview = "month", weekstart = 0,
  language = "en", separator = " to ", width = NULL)
```

# Arguments

inputId The input slot that will be used to access the value.

label Display label for the control, or NULL for no label.

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start	The initial start date. Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd format. If NULL (the default), will use the current date in the client's time zone.
end	The initial end date. Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd format. If NULL (the default), will use the current date in the client's time zone.
min	The minimum allowed date. Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd format.
max	The maximum allowed date. Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd format.
format	The format of the date to display in the browser. Defaults to "yyyy-mm-dd".
startview	The date range shown when the input object is first clicked. Can be "month" (the default), "year", or "decade".
weekstart	Which day is the start of the week. Should be an integer from 0 (Sunday) to 6 (Saturday).
language	The language used for month and day names. Default is "en". Other valid values include "bg", "ca", "cs", "da", "de", "el", "es", "fi", "fr", "he", "hr", "hu", "id", "is", "it", "ja", "kr", "lt", "lv", "ms", "nb", "nl", "pl", "pt", "pt-BR", "ro", "rs", "rs-latin", "ru", "sk", "sl", "sv", "sw", "th", "tr", "uk", "zh-CN", and "zh-TW".
separator	String to display between the start and end input boxes.
width	The width of the input, e.g. '400px', or '100%'; see validateCssUnit.

### **Details**

The date format string specifies how the date will be displayed in the browser. It allows the following values:

- yy Year without century (12)
- yyyy Year with century (2012)
- mm Month number, with leading zero (01-12)
- m Month number, without leading zero (01-12)
- M Abbreviated month name
- MM Full month name
- dd Day of month with leading zero
- d Day of month without leading zero
- D Abbreviated weekday name
- DD Full weekday name

# See Also

# dateInput, updateDateRangeInput

Other input.elements: actionButton, checkboxGroupInput, checkboxInput, dateInput, fileInput, numericInput, passwordInput, radioButtons, selectInput, sliderInput, submitButton, textInput

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### **Examples**

```
dateRangeInput("daterange", "Date range:",
              start = "2001-01-01",
              end = "2010-12-31")
# Default start and end is the current date in the client's time zone
dateRangeInput("daterange", "Date range:")
# start and end are always specified in yyyy-mm-dd, even if the display
# format is different
dateRangeInput("daterange", "Date range:",
              start = "2001-01-01",
              end = "2010-12-31",
              min = "2001-01-01",
                   = "2012-12-21",
              max
              format = "mm/dd/yy",
              separator = " - ")
# Pass in Date objects
dateRangeInput("daterange", "Date range:",
              start = Sys.Date()-10,
              end = Sys.Date()+10)
# Use different language and different first day of week
dateRangeInput("daterange", "Date range:",
              language = "de",
              weekstart = 1)
# Start with decade view instead of default month view
dateRangeInput("daterange", "Date range:",
              startview = "decade")
```

dblclickOpts

Create an object representing double-click options

# Description

This generates an object representing dobule-click options, to be passed as the dblclick argument of imageOutput or plotOutput.

### Usage

```
dblclickOpts(id = NULL, clip = TRUE, delay = 400)
```

#### **Arguments**

id

Input value name. For example, if the value is "plot\_dblclick", then the click coordinates will be available as input\$plot\_dblclick.

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clip	Should the click area be clipped to the plotting area? If FALSE, then the server will receive double-click events even when the mouse is outside the plotting area, as long as it is still inside the image.
delay	Maximum delay (in ms) between a pair clicks for them to be counted as a double-click.

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# **Description**

Reactive domains are a mechanism for establishing ownership over reactive primitives (like reactive expressions and observers), even if the set of reactive primitives is dynamically created. This is useful for lifetime management (i.e. destroying observers when the Shiny session that created them ends) and error handling.

### Usage

```
getDefaultReactiveDomain()
withReactiveDomain(domain, expr)
onReactiveDomainEnded(domain, callback, failIfNull = FALSE)
```

#### **Arguments**

domain A valid domain object (for example, a Shiny session), or NULL

expr An expression to evaluate under domain

callback A callback function to be invoked

failIfNull If TRUE then an error is given if the domain is NULL

#### **Details**

At any given time, there can be either a single "default" reactive domain object, or none (i.e. the reactive domain object is NULL). You can access the current default reactive domain by calling getDefaultReactiveDomain.

Unless you specify otherwise, newly created observers and reactive expressions will be assigned to the current default domain (if any). You can override this assignment by providing an explicit domain argument to reactive or observe.

For advanced usage, it's possible to override the default domain using withReactiveDomain. The domain argument will be made the default domain while expr is evaluated.

Implementers of new reactive primitives can use onReactiveDomainEnded as a convenience function for registering callbacks. If the reactive domain is NULL and failIfNull is FALSE, then the callback will never be invoked.

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downloadButton

Create a download button or link

### **Description**

Use these functions to create a download button or link; when clicked, it will initiate a browser download. The filename and contents are specified by the corresponding downloadHandler defined in the server function.

# Usage

```
downloadButton(outputId, label = "Download", class = NULL)
downloadLink(outputId, label = "Download", class = NULL)
```

# Arguments

outputId The name of the output slot that the downloadHandler is assigned to.

label The label that should appear on the button.

class Additional CSS classes to apply to the tag, if any.

### See Also

downloadHandler

```
## Not run:
# In server.R:
output$downloadData <- downloadHandler(
    filename = function() {
        paste('data-', Sys.Date(), '.csv', sep='')
    },
    content = function(con) {
        write.csv(data, con)
    }
)
# In ui.R:
downloadLink('downloadData', 'Download')
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

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downloadHandler

File Downloads

# **Description**

Allows content from the Shiny application to be made available to the user as file downloads (for example, downloading the currently visible data as a CSV file). Both filename and contents can be calculated dynamically at the time the user initiates the download. Assign the return value to a slot on output in your server function, and in the UI use downloadButton or downloadLink to make the download available.

#### Usage

```
downloadHandler(filename, content, contentType = NA)
```

### **Arguments**

filename A string of the filename, including extension, that the user's web browser should

default to when downloading the file; or a function that returns such a string.

(Reactive values and functions may be used from this function.)

content A function that takes a single argument file that is a file path (string) of a

nonexistent temp file, and writes the content to that file path. (Reactive values

and functions may be used from this function.)

contentType A string of the download's content type, for example "text/csv" or "image/png".

If NULL or NA, the content type will be guessed based on the filename extension,

or application/octet-stream if the extension is unknown.

```
## Not run:
# In server.R:
output$downloadData <- downloadHandler(
    filename = function() {
        paste('data-', Sys.Date(), '.csv', sep='')
    },
    content = function(file) {
        write.csv(data, file)
    }
)
# In ui.R:
downloadLink('downloadData', 'Download')
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

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exprToFunction	Convert an expression to a function

### **Description**

This is to be called from another function, because it will attempt to get an unquoted expression from two calls back.

#### Usage

```
exprToFunction(expr, env = parent.frame(), quoted = FALSE)
```

### **Arguments**

expr A quoted or unquoted expression, or a function.

env The desired environment for the function. Defaults to the calling environment

two steps back.

quoted Is the expression quoted?

### **Details**

If expr is a quoted expression, then this just converts it to a function. If expr is a function, then this simply returns expr (and prints a deprecation message). If expr was a non-quoted expression from two calls back, then this will quote the original expression and convert it to a function.

```
# Example of a new renderer, similar to renderText
# This is something that toolkit authors will do
renderTriple <- function(expr, env=parent.frame(), quoted=FALSE) {</pre>
 # Convert expr to a function
 func <- shiny::exprToFunction(expr, env, quoted)</pre>
 function() {
    value <- func()</pre>
    paste(rep(value, 3), collapse=", ")
 }
}
# Example of using the renderer.
# This is something that app authors will do.
values <- reactiveValues(A="text")</pre>
## Not run:
# Create an output object
output$tripleA <- renderTriple({</pre>
 values$A
```

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```
## End(Not run)

# At the R console, you can experiment with the renderer using isolate()
tripleA <- renderTriple({
   values$A
})

isolate(tripleA())
# "text, text, text"</pre>
```

fileInput

File Upload Control

### **Description**

Create a file upload control that can be used to upload one or more files.

### Usage

```
fileInput(inputId, label, multiple = FALSE, accept = NULL, width = NULL)
```

# Arguments

inputId	The input slot that will be used to access the value.
label	Display label for the control, or NULL for no label.
multiple	Whether the user should be allowed to select and upload multiple files at once. <b>Does not work on older browsers, including Internet Explorer 9 and earlier.</b>
accept	A character vector of MIME types; gives the browser a hint of what kind of files the server is expecting.
width	The width of the input, e.g. '400px', or '100%'; see validateCssUnit.

# **Details**

Whenever a file upload completes, the corresponding input variable is set to a dataframe. This dataframe contains one row for each selected file, and the following columns:

name The filename provided by the web browser. This is **not** the path to read to get at the actual data that was uploaded (see datapath column).

size The size of the uploaded data, in bytes.

type The MIME type reported by the browser (for example, text/plain), or empty string if the browser didn't know.

datapath The path to a temp file that contains the data that was uploaded. This file may be deleted if the user performs another upload operation.

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#### See Also

Other input.elements: actionButton, checkboxGroupInput, checkboxInput, dateInput, dateRangeInput, numericInput, passwordInput, radioButtons, selectInput, sliderInput, submitButton, textInput

fillPage Create a page that fills the window

#### Description

fillPage creates a page whose height and width always fill the available area of the browser window

#### Usage

```
fillPage(..., padding = 0, title = NULL, bootstrap = TRUE, theme = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

. . . Elements to include within the page.

padding Padding to use for the body. This can be a numeric vector (which will be inter-

preted as pixels) or a character vector with valid CSS lengths. The length can be between one and four. If one, then that value will be used for all four sides. If two, then the first value will be used for the top and bottom, while the second value will be used for left and right. If three, then the first will be used for top, the second will be left and right, and the third will be bottom. If four, then the

values will be interpreted as top, right, bottom, and left respectively.

title The title to use for the browser window/tab (it will not be shown in the docu-

ment).

bootstrap If TRUE, load the Bootstrap CSS library.
theme URL to alternative Bootstrap stylesheet.

# **Details**

The fluidPage and fixedPage functions are used for creating web pages that are laid out from the top down, leaving whitespace at the bottom if the page content's height is smaller than the browser window, and scrolling if the content is larger than the window.

fillPage is designed to latch the document body's size to the size of the window. This makes it possible to fill it with content that also scales to the size of the window.

For example, fluidPage(plotOutput("plot", height = "100%")) will not work as expected; the plot element's effective height will be 0, because the plot's containing elements (<div> and <body>) have *automatic* height; that is, they determine their own height based on the height of their contained elements. However, fillPage(plotOutput("plot", height = "100%")) will work because fillPage fixes the <body> height at 100% of the window height.

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Note that fillPage(plotOutput("plot")) will not cause the plot to fill the page. Like most Shiny output widgets, plotOutput's default height is a fixed number of pixels. You must explicitly set height = "100%" if you want a plot (or htmlwidget, say) to fill its container.

One must be careful what layouts/panels/elements come between the fillPage and the plots/widgets. Any container that has an automatic height will cause children with height = "100%" to misbehave. Stick to functions that are designed for fill layouts, such as the ones in this package.

### **Examples**

```
fillPage(
  tags$style(type = "text/css",
    ".half-fill { width: 50%; height: 100%; }",
    "#one { float: left; background-color: #ddddff; }",
    "#two { float: right; background-color: #ccffcc; }"
  ),
  div(id = "one", class = "half-fill",
    "Left half"
  div(id = "two", class = "half-fill",
    "Right half"
  padding = 10
)
fillPage(
  fillRow(
    div(style = "background-color: red; width: 100%; height: 100%;"),
    div(style = "background-color: blue; width: 100%; height: 100%;")
  )
)
```

fillRow

Flex Box-based row/column layouts

# **Description**

Creates row and column layouts with proportionally-sized cells, using the Flex Box layout model of CSS3. These can be nested to create arbitrary proportional-grid layouts. **Warning:** Flex Box is not well supported by Internet Explorer, so these functions should only be used where modern browsers can be assumed.

# Usage

```
fillRow(..., flex = 1, width = "100%", height = "100%")
fillCol(..., flex = 1, width = "100%", height = "100%")
```

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### **Arguments**

... UI objects to put in each row/column cell; each argument will occupy a single

cell. (To put multiple items in a single cell, you can use tagList or div to combine them.) Named arguments will be used as attributes on the div element

that encapsulates the row/column.

flex Determines how space should be distributed to the cells. Can be a single value

like 1 or 2 to evenly distribute the available space; or use a vector of numbers to specify the proportions. For example, flex = c(2, 3) would cause the space to be split 40%/60% between two cells. NA values will cause the corresponding

cell to be sized according to its contents (without growing or shrinking).

width, height The total amount of width and height to use for the entire row/column. For the

default height of "100%" to be effective, the parent must be fillPage, another fillRow/fillCol, or some other HTML element whose height is not deter-

mined by the height of its contents.

#### **Details**

If you try to use fillRow and fillCol inside of other Shiny containers, such as sidebarLayout, navbarPage, or even tags\$div, you will probably find that they will not appear. This is due to fillRow and fillCol defaulting to height="100%", which will only work inside of containers that have determined their own size (rather than shrinking to the size of their contents, as is usually the case in HTML).

To avoid this problem, you have two options:

- only use fillRow/fillCol inside of fillPage, fillRow, or fillCol
- provide an explicit height argument to fillRow/fillCol

```
# Only run this example in interactive R sessions.
# NOTE: This example should be run with example(fillRow, ask = FALSE) to
# avoid being prompted to hit Enter during plot rendering.
if (interactive()) {
ui <- fillPage(fillRow(</pre>
 plotOutput("plotLeft", height = "100%"),
 fillCol(
    plotOutput("plotTopRight", height = "100%"),
    plotOutput("plotBottomRight", height = "100%")
 )
))
server <- function(input, output, session) {</pre>
 output$plotLeft <- renderPlot(plot(cars))</pre>
 output$plotTopRight <- renderPlot(plot(pressure))</pre>
 output$plotBottomRight <- renderPlot(plot(AirPassengers))</pre>
}
```

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```
shinyApp(ui, server)
}
```

fixedPage

Create a page with a fixed layout

# **Description**

Functions for creating fixed page layouts. A fixed page layout consists of rows which in turn include columns. Rows exist for the purpose of making sure their elements appear on the same line (if the browser has adequate width). Columns exist for the purpose of defining how much horizontal space within a 12-unit wide grid it's elements should occupy. Fixed pages limit their width to 940 pixels on a typical display, and 724px or 1170px on smaller and larger displays respectively.

# Usage

```
fixedPage(..., title = NULL, responsive = NULL, theme = NULL)
fixedRow(...)
```

# **Arguments**

... Elements to include within the container

title The browser window title (defaults to the host URL of the page) responsive This option is deprecated; it is no longer optional with Bootstrap 3.

theme Alternative Bootstrap stylesheet (normally a css file within the www directory).

For example, to use the theme located at www/bootstrap.css you would use

theme = "bootstrap.css".

#### **Details**

To create a fixed page use the fixedPage function and include instances of fixedRow and column within it. Note that unlike fluidPage, fixed pages cannot make use of higher-level layout functions like sidebarLayout, rather, all layout must be done with fixedRow and column.

#### Value

A UI defintion that can be passed to the shinyUI function.

#### Note

See the Shiny Application Layout Guide for additional details on laying out fixed pages.

### See Also

column

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### **Examples**

```
shinyUI(fixedPage(
  title = "Hello, Shiny!",
  fixedRow(
    column(width = 4,
        "4"
    ),
    column(width = 3, offset = 2,
        "3 offset 2"
    )
  )
))
```

flowLayout

Flow layout

# **Description**

Lays out elements in a left-to-right, top-to-bottom arrangement. The elements on a given row will be top-aligned with each other. This layout will not work well with elements that have a percentage-based width (e.g. plotOutput at its default setting of width = "100%").

# Usage

```
flowLayout(..., cellArgs = list())
```

### **Arguments**

... Unnamed arguments will become child elements of the layout. Named arguments will become HTML attributes on the outermost tag.

cellArgs Any additional attributes that should be used for each cell of the layout.

### See Also

```
verticalLayout
```

```
flowLayout(
  numericInput("rows", "How many rows?", 5),
  selectInput("letter", "Which letter?", LETTERS),
  sliderInput("value", "What value?", 0, 100, 50)
)
```

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fluidPage	Create a page with fluid

# **Description**

Functions for creating fluid page layouts. A fluid page layout consists of rows which in turn include columns. Rows exist for the purpose of making sure their elements appear on the same line (if the browser has adequate width). Columns exist for the purpose of defining how much horizontal space within a 12-unit wide grid it's elements should occupy. Fluid pages scale their components in realtime to fill all available browser width.

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# Usage

```
fluidPage(..., title = NULL, responsive = NULL, theme = NULL)
fluidRow(...)
```

#### **Arguments**

... Elements to include within the page

title The browser window title (defaults to the host URL of the page). Can also be

set as a side effect of the titlePanel function.

responsive This option is deprecated; it is no longer optional with Bootstrap 3.

theme Alternative Bootstrap stylesheet (normally a css file within the www directory).

For example, to use the theme located at www/bootstrap.css you would use

theme = "bootstrap.css".

#### **Details**

To create a fluid page use the fluidPage function and include instances of fluidRow and column within it. As an alternative to low-level row and column functions you can also use higher-level layout functions like sidebarLayout.

# Value

A UI defintion that can be passed to the shinyUI function.

# Note

See the Shiny-Application-Layout-Guide for additional details on laying out fluid pages.

### See Also

```
column, sidebarLayout
```

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# **Examples**

```
shinyUI(fluidPage(
  # Application title
  titlePanel("Hello Shiny!"),
  sidebarLayout(
    # Sidebar with a slider input
    sidebarPanel(
      sliderInput("obs",
                  "Number of observations:",
                  min = 0,
                  max = 1000,
                  value = 500)
   ),
    # Show a plot of the generated distribution
   mainPanel(
      plotOutput("distPlot")
 )
))
shinyUI(fluidPage(
  title = "Hello Shiny!",
  fluidRow(
    column(width = 4,
      "4"
   ),
   column(width = 3, offset = 2,
      "3 offset 2"
))
```

headerPanel

Create a header panel

# Description

Create a header panel containing an application title.

# Usage

```
headerPanel(title, windowTitle = title)
```

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# Arguments

title An application title to display

windowTitle The title that should be displayed by the browser window. Useful if title is not

a string.

#### Value

A headerPanel that can be passed to pageWithSidebar

# **Examples**

```
headerPanel("Hello Shiny!")
```

helpText

Create a help text element

# **Description**

Create help text which can be added to an input form to provide additional explanation or context.

# Usage

```
helpText(...)
```

# **Arguments**

... One or more help text strings (or other inline HTML elements)

# Value

A help text element that can be added to a UI definition.

```
helpText("Note: while the data view will show only",
    "the specified number of observations, the",
    "summary will be based on the full dataset.")
```

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# Description

This generates an object representing hovering options, to be passed as the hover argument of imageOutput or plotOutput.

# Usage

```
hoverOpts(id = NULL, delay = 300, delayType = c("debounce", "throttle"),
    clip = TRUE, nullOutside = TRUE)
```

# Arguments

id	Input value name. For example, if the value is "plot_hover", then the hover coordinates will be available as input\$plot_hover.
delay	How long to delay (in milliseconds) when debouncing or throttling, before sending the mouse location to the server.
delayType	The type of algorithm for limiting the number of hover events. Use "throttle" to limit the number of hover events to one every delay milliseconds. Use "debounce" to suspend events while the cursor is moving, and wait until the cursor has been at rest for delay milliseconds before sending an event.
clip	Should the hover area be clipped to the plotting area? If FALSE, then the server will receive hover events even when the mouse is outside the plotting area, as long as it is still inside the image.
nullOutside	If TRUE (the default), the value will be set to NULL when the mouse exits the plotting area. If FALSE, the value will stop changing when the cursor exits the plotting area.

	HTML	Mark Characters as HTML	
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# Description

Marks the given text as HTML, which means the tag functions will know not to perform HTML escaping on it.

# Usage

```
HTML(text, ...)
```

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### **Arguments**

text The text value to mark with HTML

... Any additional values to be converted to character and concatenated together

#### Value

The same value, but marked as HTML.

# Examples

```
el <- div(HTML("I like <u>turtles</u>"))
cat(as.character(el))
```

htmlOutput

Create an HTML output element

## **Description**

Render a reactive output variable as HTML within an application page. The text will be included within an HTML div tag, and is presumed to contain HTML content which should not be escaped.

### Usage

```
htmlOutput(outputId, inline = FALSE, container = if (inline) span else div,
...)
uiOutput(outputId, inline = FALSE, container = if (inline) span else div,
...)
```

# **Arguments**

outputId output variable to read the value from

inline use an inline (span()) or block container (div()) for the output container a function to generate an HTML element to contain the text

... Other arguments to pass to the container tag function. This is useful for provid-

ing additional classes for the tag.

#### **Details**

uiOutput is intended to be used with renderUI on the server side. It is currently just an alias for htmlOutput.

## Value

An HTML output element that can be included in a panel

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### **Examples**

```
htmlOutput("summary")

# Using a custom container and class
tags$ul(
  htmlOutput("summary", container = tags$li, class = "custom-li-output")
)
```

htmlTemplate

Process an HTML template

# Description

Process an HTML template and return a tagList object. If the template is a complete HTML document, then the returned object will also have class html\_document, and can be passed to the function renderDocument to get the final HTML text.

#### Usage

```
htmlTemplate(filename = NULL, ..., text_ = NULL, document_ = "auto")
```

### **Arguments**

filename Path to an HTML template file. Incompatible with text\_.

... Variable values to use when processing the template.

text\_ A string to use as the template, instead of a file. Incompatible with filename.

document\_ Is this template a complete HTML document (TRUE), or a fragment of HTML

that is to be inserted into an HTML document (FALSE)? With "auto" (the default), auto-detect by searching for the string "<HTML>" within the template.

### See Also

renderDocument

icon

Create an icon

# **Description**

Create an icon for use within a page. Icons can appear on their own, inside of a button, or as an icon for a tabPanel within a navbarPage.

#### Usage

```
icon(name, class = NULL, lib = "font-awesome")
```

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# Arguments

name	Name of icon. Icons are drawn from the Font Awesome and Glyphicons" libraries. Note that the "fa-" and "glyphicon-" prefixes should not be used in icon names (i.e. the "fa-calendar" icon should be referred to as "calendar")
class	Additional classes to customize the style of the icon (see the usage examples for details on supported styles).
lib	Icon library to use ("font-awesome" or "glyphicon")

### Value

An icon element

### See Also

For lists of available icons, see http://fontawesome.io/icons/ and http://getbootstrap.com/components/#glyphicons.

# **Examples**

```
icon("calendar")  # standard icon
icon("calendar", "fa-3x")  # 3x normal size
icon("cog", lib = "glyphicon") # From glyphicon library

# add an icon to a submit button
submitButton("Update View", icon = icon("refresh"))

shinyUI(navbarPage("App Title",
    tabPanel("Plot", icon = icon("bar-chart-o")),
    tabPanel("Summary", icon = icon("list-alt")),
    tabPanel("Table", icon = icon("table"))
))
```

include

Include Content From a File

### **Description**

Load HTML, text, or rendered Markdown from a file and turn into HTML.

# Usage

```
includeHTML(path)
includeText(path)
includeMarkdown(path)
includeCSS(path, ...)
```

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```
includeScript(path, ...)
```

## Arguments

path The path of the file to be included. It is highly recommended to use a relative

path (the base path being the Shiny application directory), not an absolute path.

... Any additional attributes to be applied to the generated tag.

#### **Details**

These functions provide a convenient way to include an extensive amount of HTML, textual, Markdown, CSS, or JavaScript content, rather than using a large literal R string.

#### Note

includeText escapes its contents, but does no other processing. This means that hard breaks and multiple spaces will be rendered as they usually are in HTML: as a single space character. If you are looking for preformatted text, wrap the call with pre, or consider using includeMarkdown instead.

The includeMarkdown function requires the markdown package.

inputPanel Input panel

## **Description**

A flowLayout with a grey border and light grey background, suitable for wrapping inputs.

# Usage

```
inputPanel(...)
```

## Arguments

... Input controls or other HTML elements.

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### **Description**

Installs an expression in the given environment as a function, and registers debug hooks so that breakpoints may be set in the function.

## Usage

```
installExprFunction(expr, name, eval.env = parent.frame(2), quoted = FALSE,
  assign.env = parent.frame(1), label = deparse(sys.call(-1)[[1]]),
  wrappedWithLabel = TRUE, ..stacktraceon = FALSE)
```

## **Arguments**

A quoted or unquoted expression expr name The name the function should be given eval.env The desired environment for the function. Defaults to the calling environment two steps back. quoted Is the expression quoted? assign.env The environment in which the function should be assigned. label A label for the object to be shown in the debugger. Defaults to the name of the calling function. wrappedWithLabel, ..stacktraceon Advanced use only. For stack manipulation purposes; see stacktrace.

### **Details**

This function can replace exprToFunction as follows: we may use func <- exprToFunction(expr) if we do not want the debug hooks, or installExprFunction(expr, "func") if we do. Both approaches create a function named func in the current environment.

#### See Also

Wraps exprToFunction; see that method's documentation for more documentation and examples.

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# **Description**

Schedules the current reactive context to be invalidated in the given number of milliseconds.

### Usage

```
invalidateLater(millis, session = getDefaultReactiveDomain())
```

# **Arguments**

millis Approximate milliseconds to wait before invalidating the current reactive con-

text.

session A session object. This is needed to cancel any scheduled invalidations after a

user has ended the session. If NULL, then this invalidation will not be tied to any

session, and so it will still occur.

#### **Details**

If this is placed within an observer or reactive expression, that object will be invalidated (and reexecute) after the interval has passed. The re-execution will reset the invalidation flag, so in a typical use case, the object will keep re-executing and waiting for the specified interval. It's possible to stop this cycle by adding conditional logic that prevents the invalidateLater from being run.

# See Also

reactiveTimer is a slightly less safe alternative.

```
## Not run:
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {
  observe({
    # Re-execute this reactive expression after 1000 milliseconds
    invalidateLater(1000, session)

    # Do something each time this is invalidated.
    # The isolate() makes this observer _not_ get invalidated and re-executed
    # when input$n changes.
    print(paste("The value of input$n is", isolate(input$n)))
})

# Generate a new histogram at timed intervals, but not when
# input$n changes.
    output$plot <- renderPlot({
        # Re-execute this reactive expression after 2000 milliseconds</pre>
```

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```
invalidateLater(2000)
   hist(isolate(input$n))
  })
})
## End(Not run)
```

is.reactivevalues

Checks whether an object is a reactivevalues object

# **Description**

Checks whether its argument is a reactivevalues object.

# Usage

```
is.reactivevalues(x)
```

# **Arguments** Х

The object to test.

## See Also

reactiveValues.

isolate

Create a non-reactive scope for an expression

# Description

Executes the given expression in a scope where reactive values or expression can be read, but they cannot cause the reactive scope of the caller to be re-evaluated when they change.

# Usage

```
isolate(expr)
```

# **Arguments**

expr

An expression that can access reactive values or expressions.

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#### **Details**

Ordinarily, the simple act of reading a reactive value causes a relationship to be established between the caller and the reactive value, where a change to the reactive value will cause the caller to reexecute. (The same applies for the act of getting a reactive expression's value.) The isolate function lets you read a reactive value or expression without establishing this relationship.

The expression given to isolate() is evaluated in the calling environment. This means that if you assign a variable inside the isolate(), its value will be visible outside of the isolate(). If you want to avoid this, you can use local() inside the isolate().

This function can also be useful for calling reactive expression at the console, which can be useful for debugging. To do so, simply wrap the calls to the reactive expression with isolate().

```
## Not run:
observe({
 input$saveButton # Do take a dependency on input$saveButton
 # isolate a simple expression
 data <- get(isolate(input$dataset)) # No dependency on input$dataset</pre>
 writeToDatabase(data)
})
observe({
 input$saveButton # Do take a dependency on input$saveButton
 # isolate a whole block
 data <- isolate({</pre>
    a <- input$valueA  # No dependency on input$valueA or input$valueB
   b <- input$valueB
   c(a=a, b=b)
 })
 writeToDatabase(data)
observe({
 x <- 1
 # x outside of isolate() is affected
 isolate(x <- 2)
 print(x) # 2
 # Use local() to avoid affecting calling environment
 isolate(local(y <- 2))</pre>
 print(y) # 1
})
## End(Not run)
# Can also use isolate to call reactive expressions from the R console
values <- reactiveValues(A=1)</pre>
```

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```
fun <- reactive({ as.character(values$A) })
isolate(fun())
# "1"

# isolate also works if the reactive expression accesses values from the
# input object, like input$x</pre>
```

knitr\_methods

Knitr S3 methods

# Description

These S3 methods are necessary to help Shiny applications and UI chunks embed themselves in knitr/rmarkdown documents.

# Usage

```
knit_print.shiny.appobj(x, ...)
knit_print.shiny.render.function(x, ..., inline = FALSE)
knit_print.reactive(x, ..., inline = FALSE)
```

# **Arguments**

x Object to knit\_print... Additional knit\_print argumentsinline Whether the object is printed inline.

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Knitr S3 methods

### **Description**

These S3 methods are necessary to allow HTML tags to print themselves in knitr/rmarkdown documents.

## Usage

```
knit_print.shiny.tag(x, ...)
knit_print.html(x, ...)
knit_print.shiny.tag.list(x, ...)
```

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# **Arguments**

X	Object to knit_print
	Additional knit_print arguments

mainPanel Create a main panel

# **Description**

Create a main panel containing output elements that can in turn be passed to sidebarLayout.

# Usage

```
mainPanel(..., width = 8)
```

# **Arguments**

... Output elements to include in the main panel

width The width of the main panel. For fluid layouts this is out of 12 total units; for

fixed layouts it is out of whatever the width of the main panel's parent column

Value

A main panel that can be passed to sidebarLayout.

### **Examples**

```
# Show the caption and plot of the requested variable against mpg
mainPanel(
   h3(textOutput("caption")),
   plotOutput("mpgPlot")
)
```

makeReactiveBinding

Make a reactive variable

# **Description**

Turns a normal variable into a reactive variable, that is, one that has reactive semantics when assigned or read in the usual ways. The variable may already exist; if so, its value will be used as the initial value of the reactive variable (or NULL if the variable did not exist).

## Usage

```
makeReactiveBinding(symbol, env = parent.frame())
```

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# Arguments

symbol A character string indicating the name of the variable that should be made reac-

tive

env The environment that will contain the reactive variable

#### Value

None.

# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
a <- 10
makeReactiveBinding("a")
b <- reactive(a * -1)
observe(print(b()))
a <- 20
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

markRenderFunction

Mark a function as a render function

## Description

Should be called by implementers of renderXXX functions in order to mark their return values as Shiny render functions, and to provide a hint to Shiny regarding what UI function is most commonly used with this type of render function. This can be used in R Markdown documents to create complete output widgets out of just the render function.

### Usage

```
markRenderFunction(uiFunc, renderFunc)
```

# **Arguments**

uiFunc A function that renders Shiny UI. Must take a single argument: an output ID.

renderFunc A function that is suitable for assigning to a Shiny output slot.

## Value

The renderFunc function, with annotations.

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 ${\tt maskReactiveContext}$ 

Evaluate an expression without a reactive context

# Description

Temporarily blocks the current reactive context and evaluates the given expression. Any attempt to directly access reactive values or expressions in expr will give the same results as doing it at the top-level (by default, an error).

## Usage

```
maskReactiveContext(expr)
```

### **Arguments**

expr

An expression to evaluate.

#### Value

The value of expr.

#### See Also

isolate

navbarPage

Create a page with a top level navigation bar

# **Description**

Create a page that contains a top level navigation bar that can be used to toggle a set of tabPanel elements.

# Usage

```
navbarPage(title, ..., id = NULL, position = c("static-top", "fixed-top",
   "fixed-bottom"), header = NULL, footer = NULL, inverse = FALSE,
   collapsible = FALSE, collapsable, fluid = TRUE, responsive = NULL,
   theme = NULL, windowTitle = title)
navbarMenu(title, ..., icon = NULL)
```

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# Arguments

<pre>id</pre>
the current tabs is active. The value will correspond to the value argument that is passed to tabPanel.  Determines whether the navbar should be displayed at the top of the page with normal scrolling behavior ("static-top"), pinned at the top ("fixed-top"), or pinned at the bottom ("fixed-bottom"). Note that using "fixed-top" or "fixed-bottom" will cause the navbar to overlay your body content, unless you
normal scrolling behavior ("static-top"), pinned at the top ("fixed-top"), or pinned at the bottom ("fixed-bottom"). Note that using "fixed-top" or "fixed-bottom" will cause the navbar to overlay your body content, unless you
and planting, e.g., edge-to-type text/ess, soul (planting top. repx,)
header Tag or list of tags to display as a common header above all tabPanels.
footer Tag or list of tags to display as a common footer below all tabPanels
inverse TRUE to use a dark background and light text for the navigation bar
collapsible TRUE to automatically collapse the navigation elements into a menu when the width of the browser is less than 940 pixels (useful for viewing on smaller touch-screen device)
collapsable Deprecated; use collapsible instead.
fluid TRUE to use a fluid layout. FALSE to use a fixed layout.
responsive This option is deprecated; it is no longer optional with Bootstrap 3.
theme Alternative Bootstrap stylesheet (normally a css file within the www directory). For example, to use the theme located at www/bootstrap.css you would use theme = "bootstrap.css".
windowTitle The title that should be displayed by the browser window. Useful if title is not a string.
icon Optional icon to appear on a navbarMenu tab.

# Details

The navbarMenu function can be used to create an embedded menu within the navbar that in turns includes additional tabPanels (see example below).

# Value

A UI defintion that can be passed to the shinyUI function.

# See Also

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## **Examples**

```
shinyUI(navbarPage("App Title",
   tabPanel("Plot"),
   tabPanel("Summary"),
   tabPanel("Table")
))
shinyUI(navbarPage("App Title",
   tabPanel("Plot"),
   navbarMenu("More",
     tabPanel("Summary"),
     tabPanel("Table")
)
))
```

navlistPanel

Create a navigation list panel

# Description

Create a navigation list panel that provides a list of links on the left which navigate to a set of tabPanels displayed to the right.

# Usage

```
navlistPanel(..., id = NULL, selected = NULL, well = TRUE, fluid = TRUE, widths = c(4, 8))
```

## **Arguments**

	tabPanel elements to include in the navlist
id	If provided, you can use input\$id in your server logic to determine which of the current navlist items is active. The value will correspond to the value argument that is passed to tabPanel.
selected	The value (or, if none was supplied, the title) of the navigation item that should be selected by default. If NULL, the first navigation will be selected.
well	TRUE to place a well (gray rounded rectangle) around the navigation list.
fluid	TRUE to use fluid layout; FALSE to use fixed layout.
widths	Column withs of the navigation list and tabset content areas respectively.

#### **Details**

You can include headers within the navlistPanel by including plain text elements in the list. Versions of Shiny before 0.11 supported separators with "——", but as of 0.11, separators were no longer supported. This is because version 0.11 switched to Bootstrap 3, which doesn't support separators.

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### See Also

```
tabPanel, updateNavlistPanel
```

# **Examples**

```
shinyUI(fluidPage(
  titlePanel("Application Title"),
  navlistPanel(
    "Header",
    tabPanel("First"),
    tabPanel("Second"),
    tabPanel("Third")
  )
))
```

nearPoints

Find rows of data that are near a click/hover/double-click

# **Description**

This function returns rows from a data frame which are near a click, hover, or double-click, when used with plotOutput. The rows will be sorted by their distance to the mouse event.

### Usage

```
nearPoints(df, coordinfo, xvar = NULL, yvar = NULL, panelvar1 = NULL,
panelvar2 = NULL, threshold = 5, maxpoints = NULL, addDist = FALSE,
allRows = FALSE)
```

# Arguments

df	A data frame from which to select rows.
coordinfo	The data from a mouse event, such as input\$plot_click.
xvar	A string with the name of the variable on the x or y axis. This must also be the name of a column in df. If absent, then this function will try to infer the variable from the brush (only works for ggplot2).
yvar	A string with the name of the variable on the x or y axis. This must also be the name of a column in df. If absent, then this function will try to infer the variable from the brush (only works for ggplot2).
panelvar1	Each of these is a string with the name of a panel variable. For example, if with ggplot2, you facet on a variable called cyl, then you can use "cyl" here. However, specifying the panel variable should not be necessary with ggplot2; Shiny should be able to auto-detect the panel variable.

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panelvar2	Each of these is a string with the name of a panel variable. For example, if with ggplot2, you facet on a variable called cyl, then you can use "cyl" here. However, specifying the panel variable should not be necessary with ggplot2; Shiny should be able to auto-detect the panel variable.
threshold	A maxmimum distance to the click point; rows in the data frame where the distance to the click is less than threshold will be returned.
maxpoints	Maximum number of rows to return. If NULL (the default), return all rows that are within the threshold distance.
addDist	If TRUE, add a column named dist_ that contains the distance from the coordinate to the point, in pixels. When no mouse event has yet occured, the value of dist_ will be NA.
allRows	If FALSE (the default) return a data frame containing the selected rows. If TRUE, the input data frame will have a new column, selected_, which indicates whether the row was inside the selected by the mouse event (TRUE) or not (FALSE).

### **Details**

It is also possible for this function to return all rows from the input data frame, but with an additional column selected\_, which indicates which rows of the input data frame are selected by the brush (TRUE for selected, FALSE for not-selected). This is enabled by setting allRows=TRUE option. If this is used, the resulting data frame will not be sorted by distance to the mouse event.

The xvar, yvar, panelvar1, and panelvar2 arguments specify which columns in the data correspond to the x variable, y variable, and panel variables of the plot. For example, if your plot is plot(x=cars\$speed, y=cars\$dist), and your click variable is named "cars\_click", then you would use nearPoints(cars,input\$cars\_brush, "speed", "dist").

# See Also

plotOutput for more examples.

```
## Not run:
# Note that in practice, these examples would need to go in reactives
# or observers.

# This would select all points within 5 pixels of the click
nearPoints(mtcars, input$plot_click)

# Select just the nearest point within 10 pixels of the click
nearPoints(mtcars, input$plot_click, threshold = 10, maxpoints = 1)

## End(Not run)
```

Namespaced IDs for inputs/outputs

NS

# Description

The NS function creates namespaced IDs out of bare IDs, by joining them using ns.sep as the delimiter. It is intended for use in Shiny modules. See http://shiny.rstudio.com/articles/modules.html.

# Usage

```
NS(namespace, id = NULL)
ns.sep
```

## **Arguments**

namespace

The character vector to use for the namespace. This can have any length, though a single element is most common. Length 0 will cause the id to be returned without a namespace, and length 2 will be interpreted as multiple namespaces, in increasing order of specificity (i.e. starting with the top-level namespace).

id

The id string to be namespaced (optional).

# **Format**

An object of class character of length 1.

## Details

Shiny applications use IDs to identify inputs and outputs. These IDs must be unique within an application, as accidentally using the same input/output ID more than once will result in unexpected behavior. The traditional solution for preventing name collisions is *namespaces*; a namespace is to an ID as a directory is to a file. Use the NS function to turn a bare ID into a namespaced one, by combining them with ns. sep in between.

#### Value

If id is missing, returns a function that expects an id string as its only argument and returns that id with the namespace prepended.

## See Also

http://shiny.rstudio.com/articles/modules.html

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numericInput	Create a numeric input control	

# Description

Create an input control for entry of numeric values

# Usage

```
numericInput(inputId, label, value, min = NA, max = NA, step = NA,
  width = NULL)
```

# Arguments

inputId	The input slot that will be used to access the value.
label	Display label for the control, or NULL for no label.
value	Initial value.
min	Minimum allowed value
max	Maximum allowed value
step	Interval to use when stepping between min and max
width	The width of the input, e.g. '400px', or '100%'; see validateCssUnit.

# Value

A numeric input control that can be added to a UI definition.

# See Also

```
updateNumericInput
```

Other input.elements: actionButton, checkboxGroupInput, checkboxInput, dateInput, dateRangeInput, fileInput, passwordInput, radioButtons, selectInput, sliderInput, submitButton, textInput

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## **Description**

Creates an observer from the given expression.

## Usage

```
observe(x, env = parent.frame(), quoted = FALSE, label = NULL,
   suspended = FALSE, priority = 0, domain = getDefaultReactiveDomain(),
   autoDestroy = TRUE, ...stacktraceon = TRUE)
```

### **Arguments**

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	x	An expression (quoted or unquoted). Any return value will be ignored.	
	env	The parent environment for the reactive expression. By default, this is the calling environment, the same as when defining an ordinary non-reactive expression.	
	quoted	Is the expression quoted? By default, this is FALSE. This is useful when you want to use an expression that is stored in a variable; to do so, it must be quoted with quote().	
	label	A label for the observer, useful for debugging.	
	suspended	If TRUE, start the observer in a suspended state. If FALSE (the default), start in a non-suspended state.	
	priority	An integer or numeric that controls the priority with which this observer should be executed. An observer with a given priority level will always execute sooner than all observers with a lower priority level. Positive, negative, and zero values are allowed.	
	domain	See domains.	
	autoDestroy	If TRUE (the default), the observer will be automatically destroyed when its domain (if any) ends.	
	stacktraceon	Advanced use only. For stack manipulation purposes; see stacktrace.	

#### **Details**

An observer is like a reactive expression in that it can read reactive values and call reactive expressions, and will automatically re-execute when those dependencies change. But unlike reactive expressions, it doesn't yield a result and can't be used as an input to other reactive expressions. Thus, observers are only useful for their side effects (for example, performing I/O).

Another contrast between reactive expressions and observers is their execution strategy. Reactive expressions use lazy evaluation; that is, when their dependencies change, they don't re-execute right away but rather wait until they are called by someone else. Indeed, if they are not called then they will never re-execute. In contrast, observers use eager evaluation; as soon as their dependencies change, they schedule themselves to re-execute.

Starting with Shiny 0.10.0, observers are automatically destroyed by default when the domain that owns them ends (e.g. when a Shiny session ends).

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#### Value

An observer reference class object. This object has the following methods:

suspend() Causes this observer to stop scheduling flushes (re-executions) in response to invalidations. If the observer was invalidated prior to this call but it has not re-executed yet then that re-execution will still occur, because the flush is already scheduled.

- resume() Causes this observer to start re-executing in response to invalidations. If the observer was invalidated while suspended, then it will schedule itself for re-execution.
- destroy() Stops the observer from executing ever again, even if it is currently scheduled for reexecution.
- setPriority(priority = 0) Change this observer's priority. Note that if the observer is currently invalidated, then the change in priority will not take effect until the next invalidation—unless the observer is also currently suspended, in which case the priority change will be effective upon resume.
- setAutoDestroy(autoDestroy) Sets whether this observer should be automatically destroyed when its domain (if any) ends. If autoDestroy is TRUE and the domain already ended, then destroy() is called immediately."
- onInvalidate(callback) Register a callback function to run when this observer is invalidated. No arguments will be provided to the callback function when it is invoked.

## **Examples**

```
values <- reactiveValues(A=1)

obsB <- observe({
   print(values$A + 1)
})

# Can use quoted expressions
obsC <- observe(quote({ print(values$A + 2) }), quoted = TRUE)

# To store expressions for later conversion to observe, use quote()
expr_q <- quote({ print(values$A + 3) })
obsD <- observe(expr_q, quoted = TRUE)

# In a normal Shiny app, the web client will trigger flush events. If you
# are at the console, you can force a flush with flushReact()
shiny:::flushReact()</pre>
```

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Event handler

### **Description**

Respond to "event-like" reactive inputs, values, and expressions.

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### Usage

```
observeEvent(eventExpr, handlerExpr, event.env = parent.frame(),
    event.quoted = FALSE, handler.env = parent.frame(),
    handler.quoted = FALSE, label = NULL, suspended = FALSE, priority = 0,
    domain = getDefaultReactiveDomain(), autoDestroy = TRUE,
    ignoreNULL = TRUE)

eventReactive(eventExpr, valueExpr, event.env = parent.frame(),
    event.quoted = FALSE, value.env = parent.frame(), value.quoted = FALSE,
    label = NULL, domain = getDefaultReactiveDomain(), ignoreNULL = TRUE)
```

#### **Arguments**

eventExpr A (quoted or unquoted) expression that represents the event; this can be a simple

reactive value like input\$click, a call to a reactive expression like dataset(),

or even a complex expression inside curly braces

handlerExpr The expression to call whenever eventExpr is invalidated. This should be a

side-effect-producing action (the return value will be ignored). It will be exe-

cuted within an isolate scope.

event.env The parent environment for eventExpr. By default, this is the calling environ-

ment.

event.quoted Is the eventExpr expression quoted? By default, this is FALSE. This is useful

when you want to use an expression that is stored in a variable; to do so, it must

be quoted with quote().

handler.env The parent environment for handlerExpr. By default, this is the calling envi-

ronment.

handler.quoted Is the handlerExpr expression quoted? By default, this is FALSE. This is useful

when you want to use an expression that is stored in a variable; to do so, it must

be quoted with quote().

label A label for the observer or reactive, useful for debugging.

suspended If TRUE, start the observer in a suspended state. If FALSE (the default), start in a

non-suspended state.

priority An integer or numeric that controls the priority with which this observer should

be executed. An observer with a given priority level will always execute sooner than all observers with a lower priority level. Positive, negative, and zero values

are allowed.

domain See domains.

autoDestroy If TRUE (the default), the observer will be automatically destroyed when its do-

main (if any) ends.

ignoreNULL Whether the action should be triggered (or value calculated, in the case of

eventReactive) when the input is NULL. See Details.

valueExpr The expression that produces the return value of the eventReactive. It will be

executed within an isolate scope.

value.env The parent environment for valueExpr. By default, this is the calling environ-

ment.

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value.quoted

Is the valueExpr expression quoted? By default, this is FALSE. This is useful when you want to use an expression that is stored in a variable; to do so, it must be quoted with quote().

#### **Details**

Shiny's reactive programming framework is primarily designed for calculated values (reactive expressions) and side-effect-causing actions (observers) that respond to *any* of their inputs changing. That's often what is desired in Shiny apps, but not always: sometimes you want to wait for a specific action to be taken from the user, like clicking an actionButton, before calculating an expression or taking an action. A reactive value or expression that is used to trigger other calculations in this way is called an *event*.

These situations demand a more imperative, "event handling" style of programming that is possible—but not particularly intuitive—using the reactive programming primitives observe and isolate. observeEvent and eventReactive provide straightforward APIs for event handling that wrap observe and isolate.

Use observeEvent whenever you want to *perform an action* in response to an event. (Note that "recalculate a value" does not generally count as performing an action—see eventReactive for that.) The first argument is the event you want to respond to, and the second argument is a function that should be called whenever the event occurs.

Use eventReactive to create a *calculated value* that only updates in response to an event. This is just like a normal reactive expression except it ignores all the usual invalidations that come from its reactive dependencies; it only invalidates in response to the given event.

Both observeEvent and eventReactive take an ignoreNULL parameter that affects behavior when the eventExpr evaluates to NULL (or in the special case of an actionButton, 0). In these cases, if ignoreNULL is TRUE, then an observeEvent will not execute and an eventReactive will raise a silent validation error. This is useful behavior if you don't want to do the action or calculation when your app first starts, but wait for the user to initiate the action first (like a "Submit" button); whereas ignoreNULL=FALSE is desirable if you want to initially perform the action/calculation and just let the user re-initiate it (like a "Recalculate" button).

## Value

observeEvent returns an observer reference class object (see observe). eventReactive returns a reactive expression object (see reactive).

#### See Also

actionButton

```
## Only run this example in interactive R sessions
if (interactive()) {
  ui <- fluidPage(
    column(4,
        numericInput("x", "Value", 5),
        br(),
        actionButton("button", "Show")</pre>
```

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```
),
  column(8, tableOutput("table"))
server <- function(input, output) {</pre>
  # Take an action every time button is pressed;
  # here, we just print a message to the console
  observeEvent(input$button, {
    cat("Showing", input$x, "rows\n")
  })
  # Take a reactive dependency on input$button, but
  # not on any of the stuff inside the function
  df <- eventReactive(input$button, {</pre>
    head(cars, input$x)
  output$table <- renderTable({</pre>
    df()
  })
}
shinyApp(ui=ui, server=server)
```

outputOptions

Set options for an output object.

# **Description**

These are the available options for an output object:

- suspendWhenHidden. When TRUE (the default), the output object will be suspended (not execute) when it is hidden on the web page. When FALSE, the output object will not suspend when hidden, and if it was already hidden and suspended, then it will resume immediately.
- priority. The priority level of the output object. Queued outputs with higher priority values will execute before those with lower values.

### Usage

```
outputOptions(x, name, ...)
```

### **Arguments**

x A shinyoutput object (typically output).

name The name of an output observer in the shinyoutput object.

. . . Options to set for the output observer.

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### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Get the list of options for all observers within output
outputOptions(output)

# Disable suspend for output$myplot
outputOptions(output, "myplot", suspendWhenHidden = FALSE)

# Change priority for output$myplot
outputOptions(output, "myplot", priority = 10)

# Get the list of options for output$myplot
outputOptions(output, "myplot")

## End(Not run)
```

pageWithSidebar

Create a page with a sidebar

# **Description**

Create a Shiny UI that contains a header with the application title, a sidebar for input controls, and a main area for output.

### Usage

```
pageWithSidebar(headerPanel, sidebarPanel, mainPanel)
```

### **Arguments**

headerPanel The headerPanel with the application title
sidebarPanel The sidebarPanel containing input controls
mainPanel The mainPanel containing outputs

#### Value

A UI defintion that can be passed to the shinyUI function

## Note

This function is deprecated. You should use fluidPage along with sidebarLayout to implement a page with a sidebar.

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### **Examples**

```
# Define UI
shinyUI(pageWithSidebar(
 # Application title
 headerPanel("Hello Shiny!"),
 # Sidebar with a slider input
 sidebarPanel(
   sliderInput("obs",
                "Number of observations:",
                min = 0,
                max = 1000,
                value = 500)
 ),
 # Show a plot of the generated distribution
 mainPanel(
   plotOutput("distPlot")
))
```

parseQueryString

Parse a GET query string from a URL

# **Description**

Returns a named list of key-value pairs.

# Usage

```
parseQueryString(str, nested = FALSE)
```

## **Arguments**

str

The query string. It can have a leading "?" or not.

nested Whether to parse the query string of as a nested list when it contains pairs of

square brackets []. For example, the query 'a[i1][j1]=x&b[i1][j1]=y&b[i2][j1]=z'

will be parsed as list(a = list(i1 = list(j1 = 'x')), b = list(i1 = list(j1 = 'y'), i2 = list(j1 = 'y'), i3 = list(j1 = 'y'), i4 = list(j1 = 'y'), i5 = lis 'z'))) when nested = TRUE, and list(`a[i1][j1]` = 'x', `b[i1][j1]` = 'y', `b[i2][j1]` = '

when nested = FALSE.

```
parseQueryString("?foo=1&bar=b%20a%20r")
## Not run:
# Example of usage within a Shiny app
```

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```
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {
  output$queryText <- renderText({
     query <- parseQueryString(session$clientData$url_search)

    # Ways of accessing the values
    if (as.numeric(query$foo) == 1) {
        # Do something
    }
    if (query[["bar"]] == "targetstring") {
        # Do something else
    }

    # Return a string with key-value pairs
    paste(names(query), query, sep = "=", collapse=", ")
    })
})

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

passwordInput

Create a password input control

# Description

Create an password control for entry of passwords.

### Usage

```
passwordInput(inputId, label, value = "", width = NULL)
```

# **Arguments**

inputId The input slot that will be used to access the value.

label Display label for the control, or NULL for no label.

value Initial value.

width The width of the input, e.g. '400px', or '100%'; see validateCssUnit.

# Value

A text input control that can be added to a UI definition.

#### See Also

```
updateTextInput
```

Other input.elements: actionButton, checkboxGroupInput, checkboxInput, dateInput, dateInput, fileInput, numericInput, radioButtons, selectInput, sliderInput, submitButton, textInput

#### **Examples**

```
passwordInput("password", "Password:")
```

plotOutput

Create an plot or image output element

## Description

Render a renderPlot or renderImage within an application page.

## Usage

```
imageOutput(outputId, width = "100%", height = "400px", click = NULL,
  dblclick = NULL, hover = NULL, hoverDelay = NULL,
  hoverDelayType = NULL, brush = NULL, clickId = NULL, hoverId = NULL,
  inline = FALSE)

plotOutput(outputId, width = "100%", height = "400px", click = NULL,
  dblclick = NULL, hover = NULL, hoverDelay = NULL,
  hoverDelayType = NULL, brush = NULL, clickId = NULL, hoverId = NULL,
  inline = FALSE)
```

#### **Arguments**

outputId output variable to read the plot/image from.

width, height Image width/height. Must be a valid CSS unit (like "100%", "400px", "auto")

or a number, which will be coerced to a string and have "px" appended. These two arguments are ignored when inline = TRUE, in which case the width/height of a plot must be specified in renderPlot(). Note that, for height, using "auto" or "100%" generally will not work as expected, because of how height is com-

puted with HTML/CSS.

click This can be NULL (the default), a string, or an object created by the clickOpts

function. If you use a value like "plot\_click" (or equivalently, clickOpts(id="plot\_click")),

the plot will send coordinates to the server whenever it is clicked, and the value will be accessible via input\$plot\_click. The value will be a named list with

x and y elements indicating the mouse position.

dblclick This is just like the click argument, but for double-click events.

hover Similar to the click argument, this can be NULL (the default), a string, or an ob-

ject created by the hoverOpts function. If you use a value like "plot\_hover" (or equivalently, hoverOpts(id="plot\_hover")), the plot will send coordinates to the server pauses on the plot, and the value will be accessible via input\$plot\_hover. The value will be a named list with x and y elements indicating the mouse position. To control the hover time or hover delay type, you

must use hoverOpts.

hoverDelay Deprecated; use hover instead. Also see the hoverOpts function.

hoverDelayType Deprecated; use hover instead. Also see the hoverOpts function.

brush Similar to the click argument, this can be NULL (the default), a string, or an

object created by the <code>brushOpts</code> function. If you use a value like "plot\_brush" (or equivalently, <code>brushOpts(id="plot\_brush")</code>), the plot will allow the user to "brush" in the plotting area, and will send information about the brushed area to the server, and the value will be accessible via <code>input\$plot\_brush</code>. Brushing means that the user will be able to draw a rectangle in the plotting area and drag it around. The value will be a named list with <code>xmin</code>, <code>xmax</code>, <code>ymin</code>, and <code>ymax</code> elements indicating the brush area. To control the brush behavior, use <code>brushOpts</code>. Multiple <code>imageOutput/plotOutput</code> calls may share the same <code>id</code> value; brushing one <code>image</code> or plot will cause any other brushes with the same <code>id</code>

to disappear.

clickId Deprecated; use click instead. Also see the clickOpts function.

hoverId Deprecated; use hover instead. Also see the hoverOpts function.

inline use an inline (span()) or block container (div()) for the output

#### Value

A plot or image output element that can be included in a panel.

## **Interactive plots**

Plots and images in Shiny support mouse-based interaction, via clicking, double-clicking, hovering, and brushing. When these interaction events occur, the mouse coordinates will be sent to the server as input\$ variables, as specified by click, dblclick, hover, or brush.

For plotOutput, the coordinates will be sent scaled to the data space, if possible. (At the moment, plots generated by base graphics and ggplot2 support this scaling, although plots generated by lattice and others do not.) If scaling is not possible, the raw pixel coordinates will be sent. For imageOutput, the coordinates will be sent in raw pixel coordinates.

With ggplot2 graphics, the code in renderPlot should return a ggplot object; if instead the code prints the ggplot2 object with something like print(p), then the coordinates for interactive graphics will not be properly scaled to the data space.

#### Note

The arguments clickId and hoverId only work for R base graphics (see the **graphics** package). They do not work for **grid**-based graphics, such as **ggplot2**, **lattice**, and so on.

## See Also

For the corresponding server-side functions, see renderPlot and renderImage.

```
# Only run these examples in interactive R sessions
if (interactive()) {

# A basic shiny app with a plotOutput
```

```
shinyApp(
 ui = fluidPage(
   sidebarLayout(
      sidebarPanel(
        actionButton("newplot", "New plot")
      mainPanel(
        plotOutput("plot")
      )
   )
 ),
 server = function(input, output) {
    output$plot <- renderPlot({</pre>
      input$newplot
      # Add a little noise to the cars data
      cars2 <- cars + rnorm(nrow(cars))</pre>
      plot(cars2)
   })
 }
)
# A demonstration of clicking, hovering, and brushing
shinyApp(
 ui = basicPage(
    fluidRow(
      column(width = 4,
        plotOutput("plot", height=300,
          click = "plot_click", # Equiv, to click=clickOpts(id="plot_click")
          hover = hoverOpts(id = "plot_hover", delayType = "throttle"),
          brush = brushOpts(id = "plot_brush")
        h4("Clicked points"),
        tableOutput("plot_clickedpoints"),
        h4("Brushed points"),
        tableOutput("plot_brushedpoints")
      ),
      column(width = 4,
        verbatimTextOutput("plot_clickinfo"),
        verbatimTextOutput("plot_hoverinfo")
      ),
      column(width = 4,
        wellPanel(actionButton("newplot", "New plot")),
        verbatimTextOutput("plot_brushinfo")
      )
   )
 ),
 server = function(input, output, session) {
   data <- reactive({</pre>
      input$newplot
      \mbox{\#}\mbox{ Add} a little noise to the cars data so the points move
      cars + rnorm(nrow(cars))
    })
```

```
output$plot <- renderPlot({</pre>
      d <- data()</pre>
      plot(d$speed, d$dist)
    })
    output$plot_clickinfo <- renderPrint({</pre>
      cat("Click:\n")
      str(input$plot_click)
    })
    output$plot_hoverinfo <- renderPrint({</pre>
      cat("Hover (throttled):\n")
      str(input$plot_hover)
    })
    output$plot_brushinfo <- renderPrint({</pre>
      cat("Brush (debounced):\n")
      str(input$plot_brush)
    output$plot_clickedpoints <- renderTable({</pre>
      # For base graphics, we need to specify columns, though for ggplot2,
      # it's usually not necessary.
      res <- nearPoints(data(), input$plot_click, "speed", "dist")</pre>
      if (nrow(res) == 0)
        return()
      res
    })
    output$plot_brushedpoints <- renderTable({</pre>
      res <- brushedPoints(data(), input$plot_brush, "speed", "dist")</pre>
      if (nrow(res) == 0)
        return()
      res
   })
 }
)
# Demo of clicking, hovering, brushing with imageOutput
# Note that coordinates are in pixels
shinyApp(
 ui = basicPage(
    fluidRow(
      column(width = 4,
        imageOutput("image", height=300,
          click = "image_click",
          hover = hoverOpts(
            id = "image_hover",
            delay = 500,
            delayType = "throttle"
          brush = brushOpts(id = "image_brush")
        )
      ),
      column(width = 4,
        verbatimTextOutput("image_clickinfo"),
        verbatimTextOutput("image_hoverinfo")
```

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```
),
      column(width = 4,
        wellPanel(actionButton("newimage", "New image")),
        verbatimTextOutput("image_brushinfo")
      )
   )
 ),
 server = function(input, output, session) {
    output$image <- renderImage({</pre>
      input$newimage
      # Get width and height of image output
      width <- session$clientData$output_image_width</pre>
      height <- session$clientData$output_image_height</pre>
      # Write to a temporary PNG file
      outfile <- tempfile(fileext = ".png")</pre>
      png(outfile, width=width, height=height)
      plot(rnorm(200), rnorm(200))
      dev.off()
      # Return a list containing information about the image
      list(
        src = outfile,
        contentType = "image/png",
        width = width,
        height = height,
        alt = "This is alternate text"
      )
    })
    output$image_clickinfo <- renderPrint({</pre>
      cat("Click:\n")
      str(input$image_click)
    })
    output$image_hoverinfo <- renderPrint({</pre>
      cat("Hover (throttled):\n")
      str(input$image_hover)
    output$image_brushinfo <- renderPrint({</pre>
      cat("Brush (debounced):\n")
      str(input$image_brush)
    })
 }
)
}
```

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## **Description**

This function returns the name of the PNG file that it generates. In essence, it calls png(), then func(), then dev.off(). So func must be a function that will generate a plot when used this way.

#### Usage

```
plotPNG(func, filename = tempfile(fileext = ".png"), width = 400,
  height = 400, res = 72, ...)
```

# Arguments

func A function that generates a plot.

filename The name of the output file. Defaults to a temp file with extension .png.

width Width in pixels. height Height in pixels.

res Resolution in pixels per inch. This value is passed to png. Note that this affects

the resolution of PNG rendering in R; it won't change the actual ppi of the

browser.

... Arguments to be passed through to png. These can be used to set the width,

height, background color, etc.

### **Details**

For output, it will try to use the following devices, in this order: quartz (via png), then CairoPNG, and finally png. This is in order of quality of output. Notably, plain png output on Linux and Windows may not antialias some point shapes, resulting in poor quality output.

In some cases, Cairo() provides output that looks worse than png(). To disable Cairo output for an app, use options(shiny.usecairo=FALSE).

Progress Reporting progress (object-oriented API)	
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## **Description**

Reports progress to the user during long-running operations.

## Arguments

session	The Shiny session object, as provided by shinyServer to the server function.
min	The value that represents the starting point of the progress bar. Must be less tham max.
max	The value that represents the end of the progress bar. Must be greater than min.
message	A single-element character vector; the message to be displayed to the user, or NULL to hide the current message (if any).

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detail	A single-element character vector; the detail message to be displayed to the user, or NULL to hide the current detail message (if any). The detail message will be shown with a de-emphasized appearance relative to message.
value	A numeric value at which to set the progress bar, relative to min and max. NULL hides the progress bar, if it is currently visible.
amount	Single-element numeric vector; the value at which to set the progress bar, relative to min and max. NULL hides the progress bar, if it is currently visible.
amount	For the inc() method, a numeric value to increment the progress bar.

### **Details**

This package exposes two distinct programming APIs for working with progress. withProgress and setProgress together provide a simple function-based interface, while the Progress reference class provides an object-oriented API.

Instantiating a Progress object causes a progress panel to be created, and it will be displayed the first time the set method is called. Calling close will cause the progress panel to be removed.

#### Methods

```
    initialize(session, min = 0, max = 1) Creates a new progress panel (but does not display it).
    set(value = NULL, message = NULL, detail = NULL) Updates the progress panel. When called the first time, the progress panel is displayed.
    inc(amount = 0.1, message = NULL, detail = NULL) Like set, this updates the progress panel. The difference is that inc increases the progress bar by amount, instead of setting it to a specific value.
```

close() Removes the progress panel. Future calls to set and close will be ignored.

#### See Also

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

radioButtons Create radio buttons

# Description

Create a set of radio buttons used to select an item from a list.

# Usage

```
radioButtons(inputId, label, choices, selected = NULL, inline = FALSE,
  width = NULL)
```

# Arguments

inputId	The input slot that will be used to access the value.
label	Display label for the control, or NULL for no label.
choices	List of values to select from (if elements of the list are named then that name rather than the value is displayed to the user)
selected	The initially selected value (if not specified then defaults to the first value)
inline	If TRUE, render the choices inline (i.e. horizontally)
width	The width of the input, e.g. '400px', or '100%'; see validateCssUnit.

#### **Details**

If you need to represent a "None selected" state, it's possible to default the radio buttons to have no options selected by using selected = character( $\emptyset$ ). However, this is not recommended, as it gives the user no way to return to that state once they've made a selection. Instead, consider having the first of your choices be c("None selected" = "").

# Value

A set of radio buttons that can be added to a UI definition.

## See Also

#### updateRadioButtons

Other input.elements: actionButton, checkboxGroupInput, checkboxInput, dateInput, dateRangeInput, fileInput, numericInput, passwordInput, selectInput, sliderInput, submitButton, textInput

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### **Examples**

reactive

Create a reactive expression

# Description

Wraps a normal expression to create a reactive expression. Conceptually, a reactive expression is a expression whose result will change over time.

## Usage

```
reactive(x, env = parent.frame(), quoted = FALSE, label = NULL,
  domain = getDefaultReactiveDomain(), ..stacktraceon = TRUE)
is.reactive(x)
```

## **Arguments**

X	For reactive, an expression (quoted or unquoted). For is.reactive, an object to test.
env	The parent environment for the reactive expression. By default, this is the calling environment, the same as when defining an ordinary non-reactive expression.
quoted	Is the expression quoted? By default, this is FALSE. This is useful when you want to use an expression that is stored in a variable; to do so, it must be quoted with quote().
label	A label for the reactive expression, useful for debugging.
domain	See domains.
stacktraceon	Advanced use only. For stack manipulation purposes; see stacktrace.

#### **Details**

Reactive expressions are expressions that can read reactive values and call other reactive expressions. Whenever a reactive value changes, any reactive expressions that depended on it are marked as "invalidated" and will automatically re-execute if necessary. If a reactive expression is marked as invalidated, any other reactive expressions that recently called it are also marked as invalidated. In this way, invalidations ripple through the expressions that depend on each other.

See the Shiny tutorial for more information about reactive expressions.

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# Value

a function, wrapped in a S3 class "reactive"

## **Examples**

```
values <- reactiveValues(A=1)

reactiveB <- reactive({
   values$A + 1
})

# Can use quoted expressions
reactiveC <- reactive(quote({ values$A + 2 }), quoted = TRUE)

# To store expressions for later conversion to reactive, use quote()
expr_q <- quote({ values$A + 3 })
reactiveD <- reactive(expr_q, quoted = TRUE)

# View the values from the R console with isolate()
isolate(reactiveB())
isolate(reactiveC())
isolate(reactiveD())</pre>
```

reactive File Reader

Reactive file reader

# Description

Given a file path and read function, returns a reactive data source for the contents of the file.

## Usage

```
reactiveFileReader(intervalMillis, session, filePath, readFunc, ...)
```

# Arguments

intervalMillis	Approximate number of milliseconds to wait between checks of the file's last modified time. This can be a numeric value, or a function that returns a numeric value.
session	The user session to associate this file reader with, or NULL if none. If non-null, the reader will automatically stop when the session ends.
filePath	The file path to poll against and to pass to readFunc. This can either be a single-element character vector, or a function that returns one.
readFunc	The function to use to read the file; must expect the first argument to be the file path to read. The return value of this function is used as the value of the reactive file reader.
	Any additional arguments to pass to readFunc whenever it is invoked.

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## **Details**

reactiveFileReader works by periodically checking the file's last modified time; if it has changed, then the file is re-read and any reactive dependents are invalidated.

The intervalMillis, filePath, and readFunc functions will each be executed in a reactive context; therefore, they may read reactive values and reactive expressions.

#### Value

A reactive expression that returns the contents of the file, and automatically invalidates when the file changes on disk (as determined by last modified time).

#### See Also

```
reactivePoll
```

## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Per-session reactive file reader
shinyServer(function(input, output, session)) {
 fileData <- reactiveFileReader(1000, session, 'data.csv', read.csv)</pre>
 output$data <- renderTable({</pre>
    fileData()
 })
}
# Cross-session reactive file reader. In this example, all sessions share
# the same reader, so read.csv only gets executed once no matter how many
# user sessions are connected.
fileData <- reactiveFileReader(1000, session, 'data.csv', read.csv)</pre>
shinyServer(function(input, output, session)) {
 output$data <- renderTable({</pre>
    fileData()
 })
}
## End(Not run)
```

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Plot output (deprecated)

## Description

See renderPlot.

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## Usage

```
reactivePlot(func, width = "auto", height = "auto", ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

func A function.
width Width.
height Height.

... Other arguments to pass on.

reactivePoll Reactive polling

# **Description**

Used to create a reactive data source, which works by periodically polling a non-reactive data source.

# Usage

```
reactivePoll(intervalMillis, session, checkFunc, valueFunc)
```

# **Arguments**

intervalMillis Approximate number of milliseconds to wait between calls to checkFunc. This

can be either a numeric value, or a function that returns a numeric value.

session The user session to associate this file reader with, or NULL if none. If non-null,

the reader will automatically stop when the session ends.

checkFunc A relatively cheap function whose values over time will be tested for equality;

inequality indicates that the underlying value has changed and needs to be inval-

idated and re-read using valueFunc. See Details.

valueFunc A function that calculates the underlying value. See Details.

#### **Details**

reactivePoll works by pairing a relatively cheap "check" function with a more expensive value retrieval function. The check function will be executed periodically and should always return a consistent value until the data changes. When the check function returns a different value, then the value retrieval function will be used to re-populate the data.

Note that the check function doesn't return TRUE or FALSE to indicate whether the underlying data has changed. Rather, the check function indicates change by returning a different value from the previous time it was called.

For example, reactivePoll is used to implement reactiveFileReader by pairing a check function that simply returns the last modified timestamp of a file, and a value retrieval function that actually reads the contents of the file.

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As another example, one might read a relational database table reactively by using a check function that does SELECT MAX(timestamp) FROM table and a value retrieval function that does SELECT \* FROM table.

The intervalMillis, checkFunc, and valueFunc functions will be executed in a reactive context; therefore, they may read reactive values and reactive expressions.

## Value

A reactive expression that returns the result of valueFunc, and invalidates when checkFunc changes.

#### See Also

reactiveFileReader

# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Assume the existence of readTimestamp and readValue functions
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {
   data <- reactivePoll(1000, session, readTimestamp, readValue)
   output$dataTable <- renderTable({
      data()
    })
})
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

reactivePrint

*Print output (deprecated)* 

# **Description**

See renderPrint.

# Usage

```
reactivePrint(func)
```

# **Arguments**

func

A function.

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*Table output (deprecated)* 

# Description

```
See renderTable.
```

# Usage

```
reactiveTable(func, ...)
```

# Arguments

func A function.

... Other arguments to pass on.

reactiveText

Text output (deprecated)

# **Description**

See renderText.

# Usage

```
reactiveText(func)
```

## **Arguments**

func A function.

reactiveTimer

Timer

# Description

Creates a reactive timer with the given interval. A reactive timer is like a reactive value, except reactive values are triggered when they are set, while reactive timers are triggered simply by the passage of time.

# Usage

```
reactiveTimer(intervalMs = 1000, session = getDefaultReactiveDomain())
```

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## **Arguments**

intervalMs How often to fire, in milliseconds

session A session object. This is needed to cancel any scheduled invalidations after a

user has ended the session. If NULL, then this invalidation will not be tied to any

session, and so it will still occur.

#### **Details**

Reactive expressions and observers that want to be invalidated by the timer need to call the timer function that reactiveTimer returns, even if the current time value is not actually needed.

See invalidateLater as a safer and simpler alternative.

#### Value

A no-parameter function that can be called from a reactive context, in order to cause that context to be invalidated the next time the timer interval elapses. Calling the returned function also happens to yield the current time (as in Sys.time).

#### See Also

invalidateLater

# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {
 # Anything that calls autoInvalidate will automatically invalidate
 # every 2 seconds.
 autoInvalidate <- reactiveTimer(2000)</pre>
    # Invalidate and re-execute this reactive expression every time the
   # timer fires.
   autoInvalidate()
   # Do something each time this is invalidated.
   # The isolate() makes this observer _not_ get invalidated and re-executed
   # when input$n changes.
   print(paste("The value of input$n is", isolate(input$n)))
 })
 # Generate a new histogram each time the timer fires, but not when
 # input$n changes.
 output$plot <- renderPlot({</pre>
   autoInvalidate()
   hist(isolate(input$n))
 })
})
```

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

reactiveUI

UI output (deprecated)

# Description

See renderUI.

# Usage

reactiveUI(func)

# **Arguments**

func

A function.

reactiveValues

Create an object for storing reactive values

# Description

This function returns an object for storing reactive values. It is similar to a list, but with special capabilities for reactive programming. When you read a value from it, the calling reactive expression takes a reactive dependency on that value, and when you write to it, it notifies any reactive functions that depend on that value. Note that values taken from the reactive Values object are reactive, but the reactive Values object itself is not.

# Usage

```
reactiveValues(...)
```

# **Arguments**

... Objects that will be added to the reactive values object. All of these objects must be named.

#### See Also

isolate and is.reactivevalues.

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# **Examples**

```
# Create the object with no values
values <- reactiveValues()</pre>
# Assign values to 'a' and 'b'
values$a <- 3
values[['b']] <- 4</pre>
## Not run:
# From within a reactive context, you can access values with:
values[['a']]
## End(Not run)
# If not in a reactive context (e.g., at the console), you can use isolate()
# to retrieve the value:
isolate(values$a)
isolate(values[['a']])
# Set values upon creation
values <- reactiveValues(a = 1, b = 2)</pre>
isolate(values$a)
```

reactiveValuesToList Convert a reactivevalues object to a list

# Description

This function does something similar to what you might as.list to do. The difference is that the calling context will take dependencies on every object in the reactivevalues object. To avoid taking dependencies on all the objects, you can wrap the call with isolate().

# Usage

```
reactiveValuesToList(x, all.names = FALSE)
```

#### Arguments

x A reactive values object.

all.names If TRUE, include objects with a leading dot. If FALSE (the default) don't include those objects.

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## **Examples**

```
values <- reactiveValues(a = 1)
## Not run:
reactiveValuesToList(values)

## End(Not run)

# To get the objects without taking dependencies on them, use isolate().
# isolate() can also be used when calling from outside a reactive context (e.g.
# at the console)
isolate(reactiveValuesToList(values))</pre>
```

registerInputHandler Register an Input Handler

# **Description**

Adds an input handler for data of this type. When called, Shiny will use the function provided to refine the data passed back from the client (after being deserialized by jsonlite) before making it available in the input variable of the server.R file.

# Usage

```
registerInputHandler(type, fun, force = FALSE)
```

# **Arguments**

type	The type for which the handler should be added – should be a single-element character vector.
fun	The handler function. This is the function that will be used to parse the data delivered from the client before it is available in the input variable. The function will be called with the following three parameters:
	<ol> <li>The value of this input as provided by the client, deserialized using jsonlite.</li> <li>The shinysession in which the input exists.</li> <li>The name of the input.</li> </ol>
force	If TRUE, will overwrite any existing handler without warning. If FALSE, will throw an error if this class already has a handler defined.

## **Details**

This function will register the handler for the duration of the R process (unless Shiny is explicitly reloaded). For that reason, the type used should be very specific to this package to minimize the risk of colliding with another Shiny package which might use this data type name. We recommend the format of "packageName.widgetName".

Currently Shiny registers the following handlers: shiny.matrix, shiny.number, and shiny.date.

The type of a custom Shiny Input widget will be deduced using the getType() JavaScript function on the registered Shiny inputBinding.

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## See Also

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# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Register an input handler which rounds a input number to the nearest integer
registerInputHandler("mypackage.validint", function(x, shinysession, name) {
    if (is.null(x)) return(NA)
        round(x)
})

## On the Javascript side, the associated input binding must have a corresponding getType method:
getType: function(el) {
    return "mypackage.validint";
}

## End(Not run)
```

removeInputHandler

Deregister an Input Handler

# Description

Removes an Input Handler. Rather than using the previously specified handler for data of this type, the default jsonlite serialization will be used.

# Usage

```
removeInputHandler(type)
```

# **Arguments**

type

The type for which handlers should be removed.

# Value

The handler previously associated with this type, if one existed. Otherwise, NULL.

## See Also

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renderDataTable	Table output with the JavaScript library DataTables

# **Description**

Makes a reactive version of the given function that returns a data frame (or matrix), which will be rendered with the DataTables library. Paging, searching, filtering, and sorting can be done on the R side using Shiny as the server infrastructure.

## Usage

```
renderDataTable(expr, options = NULL, searchDelay = 500,
  callback = "function(oTable) {}", escape = TRUE, env = parent.frame(),
  quoted = FALSE)
```

# **Arguments**

expr	An expression that returns a data frame or a matrix.
options	A list of initialization options to be passed to DataTables, or a function to return such a list.
searchDelay	The delay for searching, in milliseconds (to avoid too frequent search requests).
callback	A JavaScript function to be applied to the DataTable object. This is useful for DataTables plug-ins, which often require the DataTable instance to be available (http://datatables.net/extensions/).
escape	Whether to escape HTML entities in the table: TRUE means to escape the whole table, and FALSE means not to escape it. Alternatively, you can specify numeric column indices or column names to indicate which columns to escape, e.g. 1:5 (the first 5 columns), c(1, 3, 4), or c(-1, -3) (all columns except the first and third), or c('Species', 'Sepal.Length').
env	The environment in which to evaluate expr.
quoted	Is expr a quoted expression (with quote())? This is useful if you want to save an expression in a variable.

# **Details**

For the options argument, the character elements that have the class "AsIs" (usually returned from I()) will be evaluated in JavaScript. This is useful when the type of the option value is not supported in JSON, e.g., a JavaScript function, which can be obtained by evaluating a character string. Note this only applies to the root-level elements of the options list, and the I() notation does not work for lower-level elements in the list.

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# Note

This function only provides the server-side version of DataTables (using R to process the data object on the server side). There is a separate package **DT** (https://github.com/rstudio/DT) that allows you to create both server-side and client-side DataTables, and supports additional DataTables features. Consider using DT::renderDataTable() and DT::dataTableOutput() (see http://rstudio.github.io/DT/shiny.html for more information).

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```
http://datatables.net
```

## **Examples**

```
## Only run this example in interactive R sessions
if (interactive()) {
 # pass a callback function to DataTables using I()
 shinyApp(
   ui = fluidPage(
      fluidRow(
        column(12,
          dataTableOutput('table')
      )
   ),
    server = function(input, output) {
      output$table <- renderDataTable(iris,</pre>
        options = list(
          pageLength = 5,
          initComplete = I("function(settings, json) {alert('Done.');}")
   }
 )
}
```

renderImage

Image file output

## **Description**

Renders a reactive image that is suitable for assigning to an output slot.

# Usage

```
renderImage(expr, env = parent.frame(), quoted = FALSE, deleteFile = TRUE)
```

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## **Arguments**

expr An expression that returns a list.

env The environment in which to evaluate expr.

quoted Is expr a quoted expression (with quote())? This is useful if you want to save

an expression in a variable.

deleteFile Should the file in func()\$src be deleted after it is sent to the client browser?

Generally speaking, if the image is a temp file generated within func, then this

should be TRUE; if the image is not a temp file, this should be FALSE.

#### **Details**

The expression expr must return a list containing the attributes for the img object on the client web page. For the image to display, properly, the list must have at least one entry, src, which is the path to the image file. It may also useful to have a contentType entry specifying the MIME type of the image. If one is not provided, renderImage will try to autodetect the type, based on the file extension.

Other elements such as width, height, class, and alt, can also be added to the list, and they will be used as attributes in the img object.

The corresponding HTML output tag should be div or img and have the CSS class name shiny-image-output.

#### See Also

For more details on how the images are generated, and how to control the output, see plotPNG.

## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
shinyServer(function(input, output, clientData) {
 # A plot of fixed size
 output$plot1 <- renderImage({</pre>
    # A temp file to save the output. It will be deleted after renderImage
    # sends it, because deleteFile=TRUE.
    outfile <- tempfile(fileext='.png')</pre>
    # Generate a png
    png(outfile, width=400, height=400)
   hist(rnorm(input$n))
    dev.off()
    # Return a list
    list(src = outfile,
         alt = "This is alternate text")
 }, deleteFile = TRUE)
 # A dynamically-sized plot
 output$plot2 <- renderImage({</pre>
    # Read plot2's width and height. These are reactive values, so this
```

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```
# expression will re-run whenever these values change.
    width <- clientData$output_plot2_width</pre>
    height <- clientData$output_plot2_height</pre>
    # A temp file to save the output.
    outfile <- tempfile(fileext='.png')</pre>
    png(outfile, width=width, height=height)
   hist(rnorm(input$obs))
    dev.off()
    # Return a list containing the filename
   list(src = outfile,
         width = width,
         height = height,
         alt = "This is alternate text")
 }, deleteFile = TRUE)
 # Send a pre-rendered image, and don't delete the image after sending it
 output$plot3 <- renderImage({</pre>
    # When input$n is 1, filename is ./images/image1.jpeg
    filename <- normalizePath(file.path('./images',</pre>
                               paste('image', input$n, '.jpeg', sep='')))
    # Return a list containing the filename
   list(src = filename)
 }, deleteFile = FALSE)
})
## End(Not run)
```

renderPlot

Plot Output

# **Description**

Renders a reactive plot that is suitable for assigning to an output slot.

# Usage

```
renderPlot(expr, width = "auto", height = "auto", res = 72, ...,
env = parent.frame(), quoted = FALSE, func = NULL)
```

## **Arguments**

expr

An expression that generates a plot.

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W	idth, height	The width/height of the rendered plot, in pixels; or 'auto' to use the offsetWidth/offsetHeight of the HTML element that is bound to this plot. You can also pass in a function that returns the width/height in pixels or 'auto'; in the body of the function you may reference reactive values and functions. When rendering an inline plot, you must provide numeric values (in pixels) to both width and height.
r	es	Resolution of resulting plot, in pixels per inch. This value is passed to png. Note that this affects the resolution of PNG rendering in R; it won't change the actual ppi of the browser.
		Arguments to be passed through to png. These can be used to set the width, height, background color, etc.
е	nv	The environment in which to evaluate expr.
q	uoted	Is expr a quoted expression (with quote())? This is useful if you want to save an expression in a variable.
f	unc	A function that generates a plot (deprecated; use expr instead).

#### **Details**

The corresponding HTML output tag should be div or img and have the CSS class name shiny-plot-output.

## Interactive plots

With ggplot2 graphics, the code in renderPlot should return a ggplot object; if instead the code prints the ggplot2 object with something like print(p), then the coordinates for interactive graphics will not be properly scaled to the data space.

See plotOutput for more information about interactive plots.

## See Also

For the corresponding client-side output function, and example usage, see plotOutput. For more details on how the plots are generated, and how to control the output, see plotPNG.

## **Description**

Makes a reactive version of the given function that captures any printed output, and also captures its printable result (unless invisible), into a string. The resulting function is suitable for assigning to an output slot.

# Usage

```
renderPrint(expr, env = parent.frame(), quoted = FALSE, func = NULL,
  width = getOption("width"))
```

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# Arguments

expr An expression that may print output and/or return a printable R object.

env The environment in which to evaluate expr.

quoted Is expr a quoted expression (with quote())? This

func A function that may print output and/or return a printable R object (deprecated;

use expr instead).

width The value for options('width').

#### **Details**

The corresponding HTML output tag can be anything (though pre is recommended if you need a monospace font and whitespace preserved) and should have the CSS class name shiny-text-output.

The result of executing func will be printed inside a capture.output call.

Note that unlike most other Shiny output functions, if the given function returns NULL then NULL will actually be visible in the output. To display nothing, make your function return invisible().

#### See Also

renderText for displaying the value returned from a function, instead of the printed output.

## **Examples**

```
isolate({
# renderPrint captures any print output, converts it to a string, and
# returns it
visFun <- renderPrint({ "foo" })</pre>
visFun()
# '[1] "foo"'
invisFun <- renderPrint({ invisible("foo") })</pre>
invisFun()
# ''
multiprintFun <- renderPrint({</pre>
  print("foo");
  "bar"
})
multiprintFun()
# '[1] "foo"\n[1] "bar"'
nullFun <- renderPrint({ NULL })</pre>
nullFun()
# 'NULL'
invisNullFun <- renderPrint({ invisible(NULL) })</pre>
invisNullFun()
```

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```
vecFun <- renderPrint({ 1:5 })</pre>
vecFun()
# '[1] 1 2 3 4 5'
# Contrast with renderText, which takes the value returned from the function
# and uses cat() to convert it to a string
visFun <- renderText({ "foo" })</pre>
visFun()
# 'foo'
invisFun <- renderText({ invisible("foo") })</pre>
invisFun()
# 'foo'
multiprintFun <- renderText({</pre>
  print("foo");
  "bar"
})
multiprintFun()
# 'bar'
nullFun <- renderText({ NULL })</pre>
nullFun()
# ''
invisNullFun <- renderText({ invisible(NULL) })</pre>
invisNullFun()
# ''
vecFun <- renderText({ 1:5 })</pre>
vecFun()
# '1 2 3 4 5'
})
```

renderTable

Table Output

# Description

Creates a reactive table that is suitable for assigning to an output slot.

# Usage

```
renderTable(expr, ..., env = parent.frame(), quoted = FALSE, func = NULL)
```

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# **Arguments**

expr	An expression that returns an R object that can be used with xtable.
	Arguments to be passed through to xtable and print.xtable.
env	The environment in which to evaluate expr.
quoted	Is expr a quoted expression (with quote())? This is useful if you want to save an expression in a variable.
func	A function that returns an R object that can be used with xtable (deprecated; use expr instead).

#### **Details**

The corresponding HTML output tag should be div and have the CSS class name shiny-html-output.

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------------------------

# Description

Makes a reactive version of the given function that also uses cat to turn its result into a single-element character vector.

# Usage

```
renderText(expr, env = parent.frame(), quoted = FALSE, func = NULL)
```

# **Arguments**

expr	An expression that returns an R object that can be used as an argument to cat.
env	The environment in which to evaluate expr.
quoted	Is expr a quoted expression (with quote())? This is useful if you want to save an expression in a variable.
func	A function that returns an R object that can be used as an argument to cat.(deprecated; use expr instead).

## **Details**

The corresponding HTML output tag can be anything (though pre is recommended if you need a monospace font and whitespace preserved) and should have the CSS class name shiny-text-output.

The result of executing func will passed to cat, inside a capture.output call.

# See Also

renderPrint for capturing the print output of a function, rather than the returned text value.

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# **Examples**

```
isolate({
# renderPrint captures any print output, converts it to a string, and
# returns it
visFun <- renderPrint({ "foo" })</pre>
visFun()
# '[1] "foo"'
invisFun <- renderPrint({ invisible("foo") })</pre>
invisFun()
# ''
multiprintFun <- renderPrint({</pre>
  print("foo");
  "bar"
})
multiprintFun()
# '[1] "foo"\n[1] "bar"'
nullFun <- renderPrint({ NULL })</pre>
nullFun()
# 'NULL'
invisNullFun <- renderPrint({ invisible(NULL) })</pre>
invisNullFun()
# ''
vecFun <- renderPrint({ 1:5 })</pre>
vecFun()
# '[1] 1 2 3 4 5'
# Contrast with renderText, which takes the value returned from the function
# and uses cat() to convert it to a string
visFun <- renderText({ "foo" })</pre>
visFun()
# 'foo'
invisFun <- renderText({ invisible("foo") })</pre>
invisFun()
# 'foo'
multiprintFun <- renderText({</pre>
  print("foo");
  "bar"
})
multiprintFun()
nullFun <- renderText({ NULL })</pre>
nullFun()
```

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```
# ''
invisNullFun <- renderText({ invisible(NULL) })
invisNullFun()
# ''
vecFun <- renderText({ 1:5 })
vecFun()
# '1 2 3 4 5'
})</pre>
```

renderUI

UI Output

# Description

**Experimental feature.** Makes a reactive version of a function that generates HTML using the Shiny UI library.

# Usage

```
renderUI(expr, env = parent.frame(), quoted = FALSE, func = NULL)
```

# Arguments

expr	An expression that returns a Shiny tag object, HTML, or a list of such objects.
env	The environment in which to evaluate expr.
quoted	Is expr a quoted expression (with quote())? This is useful if you want to save an expression in a variable.
func	A function that returns a Shiny tag object, HTML, or a list of such objects (deprecated: use expr instead).

# **Details**

The corresponding HTML output tag should be div and have the CSS class name shiny-html-output (or use uiOutput).

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## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
  output$moreControls <- renderUI({
    list(
    )
})
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

repeatable

Make a random number generator repeatable

## **Description**

Given a function that generates random data, returns a wrapped version of that function that always uses the same seed when called. The seed to use can be passed in explicitly if desired; otherwise, a random number is used.

# Usage

```
repeatable(rngfunc, seed = stats::runif(1, 0, .Machine$integer.max))
```

# **Arguments**

rngfunc The function that is affected by the R session's seed.

seed The seed to set every time the resulting function is called.

#### Value

A repeatable version of the function that was passed in.

#### Note

When called, the returned function attempts to preserve the R session's current seed by snapshotting and restoring .Random. seed.

# Examples

```
rnormA <- repeatable(rnorm)
rnormB <- repeatable(rnorm)
rnormA(3) # [1] 1.8285879 -0.7468041 -0.4639111
rnormA(3) # [1] 1.8285879 -0.7468041 -0.4639111
rnormA(5) # [1] 1.8285879 -0.7468041 -0.4639111 -1.6510126 -1.4686924
rnormB(5) # [1] -0.7946034 0.2568374 -0.6567597 1.2451387 -0.8375699</pre>
```

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req

Check for required values

# **Description**

Ensure that values are available ("truthy"—see Details) before proceeding with a calculation or action. If any of the given values is not truthy, the operation is stopped by raising a "silent" exception (not logged by Shiny, nor displayed in the Shiny app's UI).

#### Usage

```
req(...)
```

## **Arguments**

... Values to check for truthiness.

#### **Details**

The req function was designed to be used in one of two ways. The first is to call it like a statement (ignoring its return value) before attempting operations using the required values:

```
rv <- reactiveValues(state = FALSE)
r <- reactive({
  req(input$a, input$b, rv$state)
  # Code that uses input$a, input$b, and/or rv$state...
})</pre>
```

In this example, if r() is called and any of input\$a, input\$b, and rv\$state are NULL, FALSE, "", etc., then the req call will trigger an error that propagates all the way up to whatever render block or observer is executing.

The second is to use it to wrap an expression that must be truthy:

```
output$plot <- renderPlot({
  if (req(input$plotType) == "histogram") {
    hist(dataset())
  } else if (input$plotType == "scatter") {
    qplot(dataset(), aes(x = x, y = y))
  }
})</pre>
```

In this example, req(input\$plotType) first checks that input\$plotType is truthy, and if so, returns it. This is a convenient way to check for a value "inline" with its first use.

## Truthy and falsy values

The terms "truthy" and "falsy" generally indicate whether a value, when coerced to a logical, is TRUE or FALSE. We use the term a little loosely here; our usage tries to match the intuitive notions of

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"Is this value missing or available?", or "Has the user provided an answer?", or in the case of action buttons, "Has the button been clicked?".

For example, a textInput that has not been filled out by the user has a value of "", so that is considered a falsy value.

To be precise, req considers a value truthy *unless* it is one of:

- FALSE
- NULL
- ""
- An empty atomic vector
- · An atomic vector that contains only missing values
- A logical vector that contains all FALSE or missing values
- An object of class "try-error"
- A value that represents an unclicked actionButton

Note in particular that the value 0 is considered truthy, even though as .logical(0) is FALSE.

If the built-in rules for truthiness do not match your requirements, you can always work around them. Since FALSE is falsy, you can simply provide the results of your own checks to req:

```
req(input$a != 0)
```

#### Value

The first value that was passed in.

runApp

Run Shiny Application

# **Description**

Runs a Shiny application. This function normally does not return; interrupt R to stop the application (usually by pressing Ctrl+C or Esc).

## Usage

```
runApp(appDir = getwd(), port = getOption("shiny.port"),
  launch.browser = getOption("shiny.launch.browser", interactive()),
  host = getOption("shiny.host", "127.0.0.1"), workerId = "",
  quiet = FALSE, display.mode = c("auto", "normal", "showcase"))
```

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#### **Arguments**

appDir The application to run. Should be one of the following:

 A directory containing server.R, plus, either ui.R or a www directory that contains the file index.html.

- A directory containing app.R.
- An .R file containing a Shiny application, ending with an expression that produces a Shiny app object.
- A list with ui and server components.
- A Shiny app object created by shinyApp.

port The TCP port that the application should listen on. If the port is not specified,

and the shiny.port option is set (with options(shiny.port = XX)), then that

port will be used. Otherwise, use a random port.

launch.browser If true, the system's default web browser will be launched automatically after

the app is started. Defaults to true in interactive sessions only. This value of this

parameter can also be a function to call with the application's URL.

host The IPv4 address that the application should listen on. Defaults to the shiny.host

option, if set, or "127.0.0.1" if not. See Details.

workerId Can generally be ignored. Exists to help some editions of Shiny Server Pro route

requests to the correct process.

quiet Should Shiny status messages be shown? Defaults to FALSE.

display.mode The mode in which to display the application. If set to the value "showcase",

shows application code and metadata from a DESCRIPTION file in the application directory alongside the application. If set to "normal", displays the application normally. Defaults to "auto", which displays the application in the mode given

in its DESCRIPTION file, if any.

# Details

The host parameter was introduced in Shiny 0.9.0. Its default value of "127.0.0.1" means that, contrary to previous versions of Shiny, only the current machine can access locally hosted Shiny apps. To allow other clients to connect, use the value "0.0.0.0" instead (which was the value that was hard-coded into Shiny in 0.8.0 and earlier).

## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Start app in the current working directory
runApp()

# Start app in a subdirectory called myapp
runApp("myapp")

## End(Not run)

## Only run this example in interactive R sessions
if (interactive()) {
    # Apps can be run without a server.r and ui.r file
```

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```
runApp(list(
   ui = bootstrapPage(
      numericInput('n', 'Number of obs', 100),
      plotOutput('plot')
   ),
    server = function(input, output) {
      output$plot <- renderPlot({ hist(runif(input$n)) })</pre>
    }
 ))
 # Running a Shiny app object
 app <- shinyApp(</pre>
   ui = bootstrapPage(
      numericInput('n', 'Number of obs', 100),
      plotOutput('plot')
   ),
    server = function(input, output) {
      output$plot <- renderPlot({ hist(runif(input$n)) })</pre>
 )
 runApp(app)
}
```

runExample

Run Shiny Example Applications

# **Description**

Launch Shiny example applications, and optionally, your system's web browser.

# Usage

```
runExample(example = NA, port = NULL,
  launch.browser = getOption("shiny.launch.browser", interactive()),
  host = getOption("shiny.host", "127.0.0.1"), display.mode = c("auto",
  "normal", "showcase"))
```

# Arguments

example	The name of the example to run, or NA (the default) to list the available examples.
port	The TCP port that the application should listen on. Defaults to choosing a random port.
launch.browser	If true, the system's default web browser will be launched automatically after the app is started. Defaults to true in interactive sessions only.
host	The IPv4 address that the application should listen on. Defaults to the shiny host option, if set, or "127.0.0.1" if not.
display.mode	The mode in which to display the example. Defaults to showcase, but may be set to normal to see the example without code or commentary.

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## **Examples**

```
## Only run this example in interactive R sessions
if (interactive()) {
    # List all available examples
    runExample()

# Run one of the examples
    runExample("01_hello")

# Print the directory containing the code for all examples
    system.file("examples", package="shiny")
}
```

runGadget

Run a gadget

# **Description**

Similar to runApp, but handles input\$cancel automatically, and if running in RStudio, defaults to viewing the app in the Viewer pane.

## Usage

```
runGadget(app, server = NULL, port = getOption("shiny.port"),
  viewer = paneViewer(), stopOnCancel = TRUE)
```

# Arguments

app Either a Shiny app object as created by shinyApp et al, or, a UI object.

server Ignored if app is a Shiny app object; otherwise, passed along to shinyApp (i.e.

shinyApp(ui = app, server = server)).

port See runApp.

viewer Specify where the gadget should be displayed-viewer pane, dialog window, or

external browser-by passing in a call to one of the viewer functions.

stopOnCancel If TRUE (the default), then an observeEvent is automatically created that han-

dles input\$cancel by calling stopApp() with an error. Pass FALSE if you want

to handle input\$cancel yourself.

## Value

The value returned by the gadget.

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# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
library(shiny)

ui <- fillPage(...)

server <- function(input, output, session) {
    ...
}

# Either pass ui/server as separate arguments...
runGadget(ui, server)

# ...or as a single app object
runGadget(shinyApp(ui, server))

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

runUrl

Run a Shiny application from a URL

# **Description**

runUrl() downloads and launches a Shiny application that is hosted at a downloadable URL. The Shiny application must be saved in a .zip, .tar, or .tar.gz file. The Shiny application files must be contained in the root directory or a subdirectory in the archive. For example, the files might be myapp/server.r and myapp/ui.r. The functions runGitHub() and runGist() are based on runUrl(), using URL's from GitHub (https://github.com) and GitHub gists (https://gist.github.com), respectively.

## Usage

```
runUrl(url, filetype = NULL, subdir = NULL, destdir = NULL, ...)
runGist(gist, destdir = NULL, ...)
runGitHub(repo, username = getOption("github.user"), ref = "master",
    subdir = NULL, destdir = NULL, ...)
```

## **Arguments**

url URL of the application.

filetype The file type (".zip", ".tar", or ".tar.gz". Defaults to the file extension

taken from the url.

subdir A subdirectory in the repository that contains the app. By default, this function

will run an app from the top level of the repo, but you can use a path such as

"inst/shinyapp".

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Directory to store the downloaded application files. If NULL (the default), the destdir application files will be stored in a temporary directory and removed when the app exits Other arguments to be passed to runApp(), such as port and launch.browser. The identifier of the gist. For example, if the gist is https://gist.github.com/jcheng5/3239667, gist then 3239667, '3239667', and 'https://gist.github.com/jcheng5/3239667' are all valid values. Name of the repository. repo GitHub username. If repo is of the form "username/repo", username will be username taken from repo. ref Desired git reference. Could be a commit, tag, or branch name. Defaults to "master".

#### **Examples**

```
## Only run this example in interactive R sessions
 if (interactive()) {
 runUrl('https://github.com/rstudio/shiny_example/archive/master.tar.gz')
 # Can run an app from a subdirectory in the archive
 runUrl("https://github.com/rstudio/shiny_example/archive/master.zip",
    subdir = "inst/shinyapp/")
## Only run this example in interactive R sessions
if (interactive()) {
 runGist(3239667)
 runGist("https://gist.github.com/jcheng5/3239667")
 # Old URL format without username
 runGist("https://gist.github.com/3239667")
}
## Only run this example in interactive R sessions
if (interactive()) {
 runGitHub("shiny_example", "rstudio")
 # or runGitHub("rstudio/shiny_example")
 # Can run an app from a subdirectory in the repo
 runGitHub("shiny_example", "rstudio", subdir = "inst/shinyapp/")
}
```

selectInput

Create a select list input control

# Description

Create a select list that can be used to choose a single or multiple items from a list of values.

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#### Usage

```
selectInput(inputId, label, choices, selected = NULL, multiple = FALSE,
 selectize = TRUE, width = NULL, size = NULL)
selectizeInput(inputId, ..., options = NULL, width = NULL)
```

# **Arguments**

inputId The input slot that will be used to access the value. label Display label for the control, or NULL for no label. choices List of values to select from. If elements of the list are named then that name rather than the value is displayed to the user. selected The initially selected value (or multiple values if multiple = TRUE). If not specified then defaults to the first value for single-select lists and no values for multiple select lists. multiple Is selection of multiple items allowed? selectize Whether to use selectize.js or not. width The width of the input, e.g. '400px', or '100%'; see validateCssUnit. Number of items to show in the selection box; a larger number will result in a size taller box. Not compatible with selectize=TRUE. Normally, when multiple=FALSE, a select input will be a drop-down list, but when size is set, it will be a box instead. Arguments passed to selectInput(). A list of options. See the documentation of **selectize.js** for possible options options

(character option values inside I() will be treated as literal JavaScript code; see

renderDataTable() for details).

# **Details**

By default, selectInput() and selectizeInput() use the JavaScript library selectize.js (https: //github.com/brianreavis/selectize.js) to instead of the basic select input element. To use the standard HTML select input element, use selectInput() with selectize=FALSE.

In selectize mode, if the first element in choices has a value of "", its name will be treated as a placeholder prompt. For example: selectInput("letter", "Letter", c("Choose one" = "", LETTERS))

#### Value

A select list control that can be added to a UI definition.

## Note

The selectize input created from selectizeInput() allows deletion of the selected option even in a single select input, which will return an empty string as its value. This is the default behavior of **selectize.js**. However, the selectize input created from selectInput(..., selectize = TRUE) will ignore the empty string value when it is a single choice input and the empty string is not in the choices argument. This is to keep compatibility with selectInput(..., selectize = FALSE). 102 session

## See Also

```
updateSelectInput
```

Other input.elements: actionButton, checkboxGroupInput, checkboxInput, dateInput, dateRangeInput, fileInput, numericInput, passwordInput, radioButtons, sliderInput, submitButton, textInput

## **Examples**

serverInfo

Collect information about the Shiny Server environment

# **Description**

This function returns the information about the current Shiny Server, such as its version, and whether it is the open source edition or professional edition. If the app is not served through the Shiny Server, this function just returns list(shinyServer = FALSE).

## Usage

serverInfo()

#### **Details**

This function will only return meaningful data when using Shiny Server version 1.2.2 or later.

# Value

A list of the Shiny Server information.

session

Session object

## **Description**

Shiny server functions can optionally include session as a parameter (e.g. function(input, output, session)). The session object is an environment that can be used to access information and functionality relating to the session. The following list describes the items available in the environment; they can be accessed using the \$ operator (for example, session\$clientData\$url\_search).

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#### Value

clientData

A reactive Values object that contains information about the client.

- allowDataUriScheme is a logical value that indicates whether the browser is able to handle URIs that use the data: scheme.
- pixelratio reports the "device pixel ratio" from the web browser, or 1 if none is reported. The value is 2 for Apple Retina displays.
- singletons for internal use
- url\_protocol, url\_hostname, url\_port, url\_pathname, url\_search, and url\_hash\_initial can be used to get the components of the URL that was requested by the browser to load the Shiny app page. These values are from the browser's perspective, so neither HTTP proxies nor Shiny Server will affect these values. The url\_search value may be used with parseQueryString to access query string parameters.

clientData also contains information about each output. output\_outputId\_width and output\_outputId\_height give the dimensions (using offsetWidth and offsetHeight) of the DOM element that is bound to outputId, and output\_outputId\_hidden is a logical that indicates whether the element is hidden. These values may be NULL if the output is not bound.

input

The session's input object (the same as is passed into the Shiny server function as an argument).

isClosed() A:

A function that returns TRUE if the client has disconnected.

onEnded(callback)

 $Synonym\ for\ on Session Ended.$ 

onFlush(func, once=TRUE)

Registers a function to be called before the next time (if once=TRUE) or every time (if once=FALSE) Shiny flushes the reactive system. Returns a function that can be called with no arguments to cancel the registration.

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onSessionEnded(callback)

Registers a function to be called after the client has disconnected. Returns a function that can be called with no arguments to cancel the registration.

output

The session's output object (the same as is passed into the Shiny server function as an argument).

reactlog For internal use.

registerDataObj(name, data, filterFunc)

Publishes any R object as a URL endpoint that is unique to this session. name must be a single element character vector; it will be used to form part of the URL. filterFunc must be a function that takes two arguments: data (the value that was passed into registerDataObj) and req (an environment that implements the Rook specification for HTTP requests). filterFunc will be called with these values whenever an HTTP request is made to the URL endpoint. The return value of filterFunc should be a Rook-style response.

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reload() The equivalent of hitting the browser's Reload button. Only works if the session

is actually connected.

request An environment that implements the Rook specification for HTTP requests.

This is the request that was used to initiate the websocket connection (as op-

posed to the request that downloaded the web page for the app).

sendCustomMessage(type, message)

Sends a custom message to the web page. type must be a single-element character vector giving the type of message, while message can be any jsonlite-encodable value. Custom messages have no meaning to Shiny itself; they are used soley to convey information to custom JavaScript logic in the browser. You

 $can \ do \ this \ by \ adding \ Java Script \ code \ to \ the \ browser \ that \ calls \ Shiny. \ add Custom Message Handler (type, the context of the browser \ that \ calls \ Shiny.)$ 

as the page loads; the function you provide to addCustomMessageHandler will

be invoked each time sendCustomMessage is called on the server.

sendInputMessage(inputId, message)

Sends a message to an input on the session's client web page; if the input is present and bound on the page at the time the message is received, then the input binding object's receiveMessage(el, message) method will be called. sendInputMessage should generally not be called directly from Shiny apps, but

through friendlier wrapper functions like updateTextInput.

ns(id) Server-side version of ns <- NS(id). If bare IDs need to be explicitly names-

paced for the current module, session\$ns("name") will return the fully-qualified

ID.

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Global options for Shiny

#### **Description**

There are a number of global options that affect Shiny's behavior. These can be set with (for example) options(shiny.trace=TRUE).

#### **Details**

**shiny.launch.browser** A boolean which controls the default behavior when an app is run. See runApp for more information.

**shiny.port** A port number that Shiny will listen on. See runApp for more information.

**shiny.trace** If TRUE, all of the messages sent between the R server and the web browser client will be printed on the console. This is useful for debugging.

**shiny.autoreload** If TRUE when a Shiny app is launched, the app directory will be continually monitored for changes to files that have the extensions: r, htm, html, js, css, png, jpg, jpeg, gif. If any changes are detected, all connected Shiny sessions are reloaded. This allows for fast feedback loops when tweaking Shiny UI.

Since monitoring for changes is expensive (we simply poll for last modified times), this feature is intended only for development.

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You can customize the file patterns Shiny will monitor by setting the shiny.autoreload.pattern option. For example, to monitor only ui.R: option(shiny.autoreload.pattern = glob2rx("ui.R"))

The default polling interval is 500 milliseconds. You can change this by setting e.g. option(shiny.autoreload.inter (every two seconds).

- **shiny.reactlog** If TRUE, enable logging of reactive events, which can be viewed later with the showReactLog function. This incurs a substantial performance penalty and should not be used in production.
- **shiny.usecairo** This is used to disable graphical rendering by the Cairo package, if it is installed. See plotPNG for more information.
- **shiny.maxRequestSize** This is a number which specifies the maximum web request size, which serves as a size limit for file uploads. If unset, the maximum request size defaults to 5MB.
- **shiny.suppressMissingContextError** Normally, invoking a reactive outside of a reactive context (or isolate()) results in an error. If this is TRUE, don't error in these cases. This should only be used for debugging or demonstrations of reactivity at the console.
- shiny.host The IP address that Shiny should listen on. See runApp for more information.
- **shiny.json.digits** The number of digits to use when converting numbers to JSON format to send to the client web browser.
- shiny.minified If this is TRUE or unset (the default), then Shiny will use minified JavaScript (shiny.min.js).
  If FALSE, then Shiny will use the un-minified JavaScript (shiny.js); this can be useful during development.
- **shiny.error** This can be a function which is called when an error occurs. For example, options(shiny.error=recover) will result a the debugger prompt when an error occurs.
- shiny.table.class CSS class names to use for tables.
- **shiny.deprecation.messages** This controls whether messages for deprecated functions in Shiny will be printed. See <a href="https://shinyDeprecated">shinyDeprecated</a> for more information.
- **shiny.fullstacktrace** Controls whether "pretty" or full stack traces are dumped to the console when errors occur during Shiny app execution. The default is FALSE (pretty stack traces).
- **shiny.stacktraceoffset** If TRUE, then Shiny's printed stack traces will display srcrefs one line above their usual location. This is an arguably more intuitive arrangement for casual R users, as the name of a function appears next to the srcref where it is defined, rather than where it is currently being called from.

shinyApp

Create a Shiny app object

#### **Description**

These functions create Shiny app objects from either an explicit UI/server pair (shinyApp), or by passing the path of a directory that contains a Shiny app (shinyAppDir). You generally shouldn't need to use these functions to create/run applications; they are intended for interoperability purposes, such as embedding Shiny apps inside a **knitr** document.

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## Usage

```
shinyApp(ui = NULL, server = NULL, onStart = NULL, options = list(),
  uiPattern = "/")
shinyAppDir(appDir, options = list())
shinyAppFile(appFile, options = list())
as.shiny.appobj(x)
## S3 method for class 'shiny.appobj'
as.shiny.appobj(x)
## S3 method for class 'list'
as.shiny.appobj(x)
## S3 method for class 'character'
as.shiny.appobj(x)
is.shiny.appobj(x)
## S3 method for class 'shiny.appobj'
print(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'shiny.appobj'
as.tags(x, ...)
```

# **Arguments** ui

	controls)
server	A server function
onStart	A function that will be called before the app is actually run. This is only needed for shinyAppObj, since in the shinyAppDir case, a global.R file can be used for this purpose.
options	Named options that should be passed to the 'runApp' call. You can also specify width and height parameters which provide a hint to the embedding environment about the ideal height/width for the app.
uiPattern	A regular expression that will be applied to each GET request to determine whether the ui should be used to handle the request. Note that the entire request path must match the regular expression in order for the match to be considered successful.
appDir	Path to directory that contains a Shiny app (i.e. a server.R file and either ui.R or

The UI definition of the app (for example, a call to fluidPage() with nested

www/index.html)
appFile Path to a .R file containing a Shiny application

x Object to convert to a Shiny app.

... Additional parameters to be passed to print.

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## **Details**

Normally when this function is used at the R console, the Shiny app object is automatically passed to the print() function, which runs the app. If this is called in the middle of a function, the value will not be passed to print() and the app will not be run. To make the app run, pass the app object to print() or runApp().

## Value

An object that represents the app. Printing the object or passing it to runApp will run the app.

# **Examples**

```
## Only run this example in interactive R sessions
if (interactive()) {
 shinyApp(
   ui = fluidPage(
      numericInput("n", "n", 1),
      plotOutput("plot")
    ),
    server = function(input, output) {
      output$plot <- renderPlot( plot(head(cars, input$n)) )</pre>
   }
 )
 shinyAppDir(system.file("examples/01_hello", package="shiny"))
 # The object can be passed to runApp()
 app <- shinyApp(</pre>
   ui = fluidPage(
      numericInput("n", "n", 1),
      plotOutput("plot")
    server = function(input, output) {
      output$plot <- renderPlot( plot(head(cars, input$n)) )</pre>
    }
 )
 runApp(app)
}
```

shinyServer

Define Server Functionality

## **Description**

Defines the server-side logic of the Shiny application. This generally involves creating functions that map user inputs to various kinds of output. In older versions of Shiny, it was necessary to

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call shinyServer() in the server.R file, but this is no longer required as of Shiny 0.10. Now the server.R file may simply return the appropriate server function (as the last expression in the code), without calling shinyServer().

## Usage

```
shinyServer(func)
```

# **Arguments**

func

The server function for this application. See the details section for more information.

## **Details**

Call shinyServer from your application's server.R file, passing in a "server function" that provides the server-side logic of your application.

The server function will be called when each client (web browser) first loads the Shiny application's page. It must take an input and an output parameter. Any return value will be ignored. It also takes an optional session parameter, which is used when greater control is needed.

See the tutorial for more on how to write a server function.

# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# A very simple Shiny app that takes a message from the user
# and outputs an uppercase version of it.
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {
 output$uppercase <- renderText({</pre>
    toupper(input$message)
 })
})
# It is also possible for a server.R file to simply return the function,
# without calling shinyServer().
# For example, the server.R file could contain just the following:
function(input, output, session) {
 output$uppercase <- renderText({</pre>
    toupper(input$message)
 })
}
## End(Not run)
```

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Create a Shiny UI handler

#### **Description**

Historically this function was used in ui.R files to register a user interface with Shiny. It is no longer required as of Shiny 0.10; simply ensure that the last expression to be returned from ui.R is a user interface. This function is kept for backwards compatibility with older applications. It returns the value that is passed to it.

#### Usage

shinyUI(ui)

# **Arguments**

ui

A user interace definition

#### Value

The user interface definition, without modifications or side effects.

showReactLog

Reactive Log Visualizer

# **Description**

Provides an interactive browser-based tool for visualizing reactive dependencies and execution in your application.

#### Usage

showReactLog()

# **Details**

To use the reactive log visualizer, start with a fresh R session and run the command options(shiny.reactlog=TRUE); then launch your application in the usual way (e.g. using runApp). At any time you can hit Ctrl+F3 (or for Mac users, Command+F3) in your web browser to launch the reactive log visualization.

The reactive log visualization only includes reactive activity up until the time the report was loaded. If you want to see more recent activity, refresh the browser.

Note that Shiny does not distinguish between reactive dependencies that "belong" to one Shiny user session versus another, so the visualization will include all reactive activity that has taken place in the process, not just for a particular application or session.

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As an alternative to pressing Ctrl/Command+F3-for example, if you are using reactives outside of the context of a Shiny application-you can run the showReactLog function, which will generate the reactive log visualization as a static HTML file and launch it in your default browser. In this case, refreshing your browser will not load new activity into the report; you will need to call showReactLog() explicitly.

For security and performance reasons, do not enable shiny.reactlog in production environments. When the option is enabled, it's possible for any user of your app to see at least some of the source code of your reactive expressions and observers.

sidebarLayout

Layout a sidebar and main area

#### **Description**

Create a layout with a sidebar and main area. The sidebar is displayed with a distinct background color and typically contains input controls. The main area occupies 2/3 of the horizontal width and typically contains outputs.

#### Usage

```
sidebarLayout(sidebarPanel, mainPanel, position = c("left", "right"),
  fluid = TRUE)
```

#### Arguments

sidebarPanel The sidebarPanel containing input controls

mainPanel The mainPanel containing outputs

position The position of the sidebar relative to the main area ("left" or "right")

fluid TRUE to use fluid layout; FALSE to use fixed layout.

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```
),

# Show a plot of the generated distribution
mainPanel(
    plotOutput("distPlot")
)
)
```

sidebarPanel

Create a sidebar panel

# **Description**

Create a sidebar panel containing input controls that can in turn be passed to sidebarLayout.

# Usage

```
sidebarPanel(..., width = 4)
```

# **Arguments**

... UI elements to include on the sidebar

width

The width of the sidebar. For fluid layouts this is out of 12 total units; for fixed layouts it is out of whatever the width of the sidebar's parent column is.

#### Value

A sidebar that can be passed to sidebarLayout

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singleton Include content only once	singleton	Include content only once	
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# **Description**

Use singleton to wrap contents (tag, text, HTML, or lists) that should be included in the generated document only once, yet may appear in the document-generating code more than once. Only the first appearance of the content (in document order) will be used.

#### Usage

```
singleton(x, value = TRUE)
is.singleton(x)
```

# **Arguments**

x A tag, text, HTML, or list.
value Whether the object should be a singleton.

sliderInput SliderInput Widget

# Description

Constructs a slider widget to select a numeric value from a range.

# Usage

```
sliderInput(inputId, label, min, max, value, step = NULL, round = FALSE,
  format = NULL, locale = NULL, ticks = TRUE, animate = FALSE,
  width = NULL, sep = ",", pre = NULL, post = NULL, timeFormat = NULL,
  timezone = NULL, dragRange = TRUE)
animationOptions(interval = 1000, loop = FALSE, playButton = NULL,
  pauseButton = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

inputId	The input slot that will be used to access the value.
label	Display label for the control, or NULL for no label.
min	The minimum value (inclusive) that can be selected.
max	The maximum value (inclusive) that can be selected.

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value The initial value of the slider. A numeric vector of length one will create a

regular slider; a numeric vector of length two will create a double-ended range slider. A warning will be issued if the value doesn't fit between min and max.

step Specifies the interval between each selectable value on the slider (if NULL, a

heuristic is used to determine the step size). If the values are dates, step is in

days; if the values are times (POSIXt), step is in seconds.

round TRUE to round all values to the nearest integer; FALSE if no rounding is desired;

or an integer to round to that number of digits (for example, 1 will round to the nearest 10, and -2 will round to the nearest .01). Any rounding will be applied

after snapping to the nearest step.

format Deprecated. locale Deprecated.

ticks FALSE to hide tick marks, TRUE to show them according to some simple heuris-

tics.

animate TRUE to show simple animation controls with default settings; FALSE not to; or a

custom settings list, such as those created using animationOptions.

width The width of the input, e.g. '400px', or '100%'; see validateCssUnit.

sep Separator between thousands places in numbers.

pre A prefix string to put in front of the value.

A suffix string to put after the value.

timeFormat Only used if the values are Date or POSIXt objects. A time format string, to be

passed to the Javascript strftime library. See <a href="https://github.com/samsonjs/strftime">https://github.com/samsonjs/strftime</a> for more details. The allowed format specifications are very similar, but not identical, to those for R's strftime function. For Dates, the default is "%F" (like "2015-07-01"), and for POSIXt, the default is "%F %T" (like

"2015-07-01 15:32:10").

timezone Only used if the values are POSIXt objects. A string specifying the time zone

offset for the displayed times, in the format "+HHMM" or "-HHMM". If NULL (the default), times will be displayed in the browser's time zone. The value "+0000"

will result in UTC time.

dragRange This option is used only if it is a range slider (with two values). If TRUE (the

default), the range can be dragged. In other words, the min and max can be

dragged together. If FALSE, the range cannot be dragged.

interval The interval, in milliseconds, between each animation step.

loop TRUE to automatically restart the animation when it reaches the end.

playButton Specifies the appearance of the play button. Valid values are a one-element

character vector (for a simple text label), an HTML tag or list of tags (using tag

and friends), or raw HTML (using HTML).

pauseButton Similar to playButton, but for the pause button.

#### See Also

#### updateSliderInput

Other input.elements: actionButton, checkboxGroupInput, checkboxInput, dateInput, dateRangeInput, fileInput, numericInput, passwordInput, radioButtons, selectInput, submitButton, textInput

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splitLayout Split layout

# Description

Lays out elements horizontally, dividing the available horizontal space into equal parts (by default).

# Usage

```
splitLayout(..., cellWidths = NULL, cellArgs = list())
```

#### **Arguments**

Unnamed arguments will become child elements of the layout. Named arguments will become HTML attributes on the outermost tag.

Character or numeric vector indicating the widths of the individual cells. Recycling will be used if needed. Character values will be interpreted as CSS lengths (see validateCssUnit), numeric values as pixels.

CellArgs

Any additional attributes that should be used for each cell of the layout.

```
# Equal sizing
splitLayout(
 plotOutput("plot1"),
 plotOutput("plot2")
)
# Custom widths
splitLayout(cellWidths = c("25%", "75%"),
 plotOutput("plot1"),
 plotOutput("plot2")
)
# All cells at 300 pixels wide, with cell padding
# and a border around everything
splitLayout(
 style = "border: 1px solid silver;",
 cellWidths = 300,
 cellArgs = list(style = "padding: 6px"),
 plotOutput("plot1"),
 plotOutput("plot2"),
 plotOutput("plot3")
)
```

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Stop the currently running Shiny app

#### Description

Stops the currently running Shiny app, returning control to the caller of runApp.

# Usage

```
stopApp(returnValue = invisible())
```

#### **Arguments**

returnValue

The value that should be returned from runApp.

submitButton

Create a submit button

#### **Description**

Create a submit button for an input form. Forms that include a submit button do not automatically update their outputs when inputs change, rather they wait until the user explicitly clicks the submit button.

#### Usage

```
submitButton(text = "Apply Changes", icon = NULL, width = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

text	Button caption

icon Optional icon to appear on the button

width The width of the button, e.g. '400px', or '100%'; see validateCssUnit.

#### Value

A submit button that can be added to a UI definition.

#### See Also

Other input.elements: actionButton, checkboxGroupInput, checkboxInput, dateInput, dateRangeInput, fileInput, numericInput, passwordInput, radioButtons, selectInput, sliderInput, textInput

```
submitButton("Update View")
submitButton("Update View", icon("refresh"))
```

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suppressDependencies Suppress web dependencies

# **Description**

This suppresses one or more web dependencies. It is meant to be used when a dependency (like a JavaScript or CSS file) is declared in raw HTML, in an HTML template.

# Usage

```
suppressDependencies(...)
```

# **Arguments**

... Names of the dependencies to suppress. For example, "jquery" or "bootstrap".

#### See Also

htmlTemplate for more information about using HTML templates. htmlDependency

tableOutput

Create a table output element

# **Description**

Render a renderTable or renderDataTable within an application page. renderTable uses a standard HTML table, while renderDataTable uses the DataTables Javascript library to create an interactive table with more features.

# Usage

```
tableOutput(outputId)
dataTableOutput(outputId)
```

# **Arguments**

outputId

output variable to read the table from

# Value

A table output element that can be included in a panel

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# See Also

renderTable, renderDataTable.

# **Examples**

```
## Only run this example in interactive R sessions
if (interactive()) {
  # table example
  shinyApp(
    ui = fluidPage(
      fluidRow(
        column(12,
          tableOutput('table')
      )
    ),
    server = function(input, output) {
      output$table <- renderTable(iris)</pre>
  # DataTables example
  shinyApp(
    ui = fluidPage(
      fluidRow(
        column(12,
          dataTableOutput('table')
        )
      )
    ),
    server = function(input, output) {
      output$table <- renderDataTable(iris)</pre>
    }
 )
}
```

tabPanel

Create a tab panel

# **Description**

Create a tab panel that can be included within a tabsetPanel.

# Usage

```
tabPanel(title, ..., value = title, icon = NULL)
```

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# **Arguments**

title	Display title for tab
• • •	UI elements to include within the tab
value	The value that should be sent when tabsetPanel reports that this tab is selected. If omitted and tabsetPanel has an id, then the title will be used
icon	Optional icon to appear on the tab. This attribute is only valid when using a tabPanel within a navbarPage.

#### Value

A tab that can be passed to tabsetPanel

#### See Also

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# **Examples**

```
# Show a tabset that includes a plot, summary, and
# table view of the generated distribution
mainPanel(
  tabsetPanel(
   tabPanel("Plot", plotOutput("plot")),
  tabPanel("Summary", verbatimTextOutput("summary")),
  tabPanel("Table", tableOutput("table"))
)
```

tabsetPanel

Create a tabset panel

# Description

Create a tabset that contains tabPanel elements. Tabsets are useful for dividing output into multiple independently viewable sections.

# Usage

```
tabsetPanel(..., id = NULL, selected = NULL, type = c("tabs", "pills"),
  position = c("above", "below", "left", "right"))
```

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# **Arguments**

	tabPanel elements to include in the tabset
id	If provided, you can use input\$id in your server logic to determine which of the current tabs is active. The value will correspond to the value argument that is passed to tabPanel.
selected	The value (or, if none was supplied, the title) of the tab that should be selected by default. If NULL, the first tab will be selected.
type	Use "tabs" for the standard look; Use "pills" for a more plain look where tabs are selected using a background fill color.
position	The position of the tabs relative to the content. Valid values are "above", "below", "left", and "right" (defaults to "above"). Note that the position argument is not valid when type is "pill".

#### Value

A tabset that can be passed to mainPanel

#### See Also

```
tabPanel, updateTabsetPanel
```

# **Examples**

```
# Show a tabset that includes a plot, summary, and
# table view of the generated distribution
mainPanel(
  tabsetPanel(
   tabPanel("Plot", plotOutput("plot")),
   tabPanel("Summary", verbatimTextOutput("summary")),
   tabPanel("Table", tableOutput("table"))
)
```

tag

HTML Tag Object

# Description

tag() creates an HTML tag definition. Note that all of the valid HTML5 tags are already defined in the tags environment so these functions should only be used to generate additional tags. tagAppendChild() and tagList() are for supporting package authors who wish to create their own sets of tags; see the contents of bootstrap.R for examples.

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# Usage

```
tagList(...)
tagAppendAttributes(tag, ...)
tagAppendChild(tag, child)
tagAppendChildren(tag, ..., list = NULL)
tagSetChildren(tag, ..., list = NULL)
tag(`_tag_name`, varArgs)
```

# Arguments

_tag_name	HTML tag name
varArgs	List of attributes and children of the element. Named list items become attributes, and unnamed list items become children. Valid children are tags, single-character character vectors (which become text nodes), and raw HTML (see HTML). You can also pass lists that contain tags, text nodes, and HTML.
tag	A tag to append child elements to.
child	A child element to append to a parent tag.
	Unnamed items that comprise this list of tags.
list	An optional list of elements. Can be used with or instead of the items.

#### Value

An HTML tag object that can be rendered as HTML using as.character().

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textInput	Create a text input control

# **Description**

Create an input control for entry of unstructured text values

# Usage

```
textInput(inputId, label, value = "", width = NULL, placeholder = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

inputId The input slot that will be used to access the value.

label Display label for the control, or NULL for no label.

value Initial value.

width The width of the input, e.g. '400px', or '100%'; see validateCssUnit.

placeholder A character string giving the user a hint as to what can be entered into the con-

trol. Internet Explorer 8 and 9 do not support this option.

#### Value

A text input control that can be added to a UI definition.

#### See Also

#### updateTextInput

Other input.elements: actionButton, checkboxGroupInput, checkboxInput, dateInput, dateRangeInput, fileInput, numericInput, passwordInput, radioButtons, selectInput, sliderInput, submitButton

# **Examples**

```
textInput("caption", "Caption:", "Data Summary")
```

# **Description**

Render a reactive output variable as text within an application page. The text will be included within an HTML div tag by default.

#### Usage

```
textOutput(outputId, container = if (inline) span else div, inline = FALSE)
```

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# Arguments

outputId output variable to read the value from

container a function to generate an HTML element to contain the text inline use an inline (span()) or block container (div()) for the output

#### **Details**

Text is HTML-escaped prior to rendering. This element is often used to display renderText output variables.

#### Value

A text output element that can be included in a panel

# **Examples**

```
h3(textOutput("caption"))
```

titlePanel

Create a panel containing an application title.

# **Description**

Create a panel containing an application title.

# Usage

```
titlePanel(title, windowTitle = title)
```

# **Arguments**

title An application title to display

windowTitle The title that should be displayed by the browser window.

#### **Details**

Calling this function has the side effect of including a title tag within the head. You can also specify a page title explicitly using the 'title' parameter of the top-level page function.

```
titlePanel("Hello Shiny!")
```

updateCheckboxGroupInput

Change the value of a checkbox group input on the client

# Description

Change the value of a checkbox group input on the client

#### Usage

```
updateCheckboxGroupInput(session, inputId, label = NULL, choices = NULL,
  selected = NULL, inline = FALSE)
```

# **Arguments**

session	The session object passed to function given to shinyServer.
inputId	The id of the input object.
label	The label to set for the input object.
choices	List of values to show checkboxes for. If elements of the list are named then that name rather than the value is displayed to the user.
selected	The values that should be initially selected, if any.
inline	If TRUE, render the choices inline (i.e. horizontally)

#### **Details**

The input updater functions send a message to the client, telling it to change the settings of an input object. The messages are collected and sent after all the observers (including outputs) have finished running.

The syntax of these functions is similar to the functions that created the inputs in the first place. For example, numericInput() and updateNumericInput() take a similar set of arguments.

Any arguments with NULL values will be ignored; they will not result in any changes to the input object on the client.

For radioButtons(), checkboxGroupInput() and selectInput(), the set of choices can be cleared by using choices=character(0)

# See Also

checkboxGroupInput

#### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {
 observe({
    \# We'll use the input$controller variable multiple times, so save it as x
    # for convenience.
   x <- input$controller
   # Create a list of new options, where the name of the items is something
    \# like 'option label x 1', and the values are 'option-x-1'.
   cb_options <- list()</pre>
   cb_options[[sprintf("option label %d 1", x)]] <- sprintf("option-%d-1", x)</pre>
   cb_options[[sprintf("option label %d 2", x)]] <- sprintf("option-%d-2", x)</pre>
    # Change values for input$inCheckboxGroup
   updateCheckboxGroupInput(session, "inCheckboxGroup", choices = cb_options)
    # Can also set the label and select items
   updateCheckboxGroupInput(session, "inCheckboxGroup2",
      label = paste("checkboxgroup label", x),
      choices = cb_options,
      selected = sprintf("option-%d-2", x)
 })
})
## End(Not run)
```

updateCheckboxInput

Change the value of a checkbox input on the client

#### **Description**

Change the value of a checkbox input on the client

#### Usage

```
updateCheckboxInput(session, inputId, label = NULL, value = NULL)
```

# **Arguments**

session The session object passed to function given to shinyServer.

inputId The id of the input object.

label The label to set for the input object.

value The value to set for the input object.

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# **Details**

The input updater functions send a message to the client, telling it to change the settings of an input object. The messages are collected and sent after all the observers (including outputs) have finished running.

The syntax of these functions is similar to the functions that created the inputs in the first place. For example, numericInput() and updateNumericInput() take a similar set of arguments.

Any arguments with NULL values will be ignored; they will not result in any changes to the input object on the client.

For radioButtons(), checkboxGroupInput() and selectInput(), the set of choices can be cleared by using choices=character(0)

#### See Also

checkboxInput

#### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {
  observe({
    # TRUE if input$controller is even, FALSE otherwise.
    x_even <- input$controller %% 2 == 0
    updateCheckboxInput(session, "inCheckbox", value = x_even)
  })
})
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

updateDateInput

Change the value of a date input on the client

#### **Description**

Change the value of a date input on the client

# Usage

```
updateDateInput(session, inputId, label = NULL, value = NULL, min = NULL,
    max = NULL)
```

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#### **Arguments**

session	The session object passed to function given to shinyServer.
inputId	The id of the input object.
label	The label to set for the input object.
value	The desired date value. Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd format.
min	The minimum allowed date. Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd format.
max	The maximum allowed date. Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd

format.

#### **Details**

The input updater functions send a message to the client, telling it to change the settings of an input object. The messages are collected and sent after all the observers (including outputs) have finished running.

The syntax of these functions is similar to the functions that created the inputs in the first place. For example, numericInput() and updateNumericInput() take a similar set of arguments.

Any arguments with NULL values will be ignored; they will not result in any changes to the input object on the client.

For radioButtons(), checkboxGroupInput() and selectInput(), the set of choices can be cleared by using choices=character(0)

#### See Also

dateInput

```
## Not run:
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {

  observe({
    # We'll use the input$controller variable multiple times, so save it as x
    # for convenience.
    x <- input$controller

    updateDateInput(session, "inDate",
        label = paste("Date label", x),
        value = paste("2013-04-", x, sep=""),
        min = paste("2013-04-", x-1, sep=""),
        max = paste("2013-04-", x+1, sep="")
    )
    })
})

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

updateDateRangeInput Change the start and end values of a date range input on the client

# **Description**

Change the start and end values of a date range input on the client

#### Usage

```
updateDateRangeInput(session, inputId, label = NULL, start = NULL,
end = NULL, min = NULL, max = NULL)
```

# **Arguments**

session	The session object passed to function given to shinyServer.
inputId	The id of the input object.
label	The label to set for the input object.
start	The start date. Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd format.
end	The end date. Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd format.
min	The minimum allowed date. Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd format.
max	The maximum allowed date. Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd format.

# **Details**

The input updater functions send a message to the client, telling it to change the settings of an input object. The messages are collected and sent after all the observers (including outputs) have finished running.

The syntax of these functions is similar to the functions that created the inputs in the first place. For example, numericInput() and updateNumericInput() take a similar set of arguments.

Any arguments with NULL values will be ignored; they will not result in any changes to the input object on the client.

For radioButtons(), checkboxGroupInput() and selectInput(), the set of choices can be cleared by using choices=character(0)

#### See Also

dateRangeInput

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#### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {

  observe({
    # We'll use the input$controller variable multiple times, so save it as x
    # for convenience.
    x <- input$controller

    updateDateRangeInput(session, "inDateRange",
        label = paste("Date range label", x),
        start = paste("2013-01-", x, sep=""))
        end = paste("2013-12-", x, sep=""))
})

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

updateNumericInput

Change the value of a number input on the client

#### Description

Change the value of a number input on the client

# Usage

```
updateNumericInput(session, inputId, label = NULL, value = NULL,
min = NULL, max = NULL, step = NULL)
```

# **Arguments**

The session object passed to function given to shinyServer.

The id of the input object.

The label to set for the input object.

The value to set for the input object.

Minimum value.

Maximum value.

Step Step size.

#### **Details**

The input updater functions send a message to the client, telling it to change the settings of an input object. The messages are collected and sent after all the observers (including outputs) have finished running.

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The syntax of these functions is similar to the functions that created the inputs in the first place. For example, numericInput() and updateNumericInput() take a similar set of arguments.

Any arguments with NULL values will be ignored; they will not result in any changes to the input object on the client.

For radioButtons(), checkboxGroupInput() and selectInput(), the set of choices can be cleared by using choices=character(0)

#### See Also

numericInput

#### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {
  observe({
    # We'll use the input$controller variable multiple times, so save it as x
    # for convenience.
    x <- input$controller

    updateNumericInput(session, "inNumber", value = x)

    updateNumericInput(session, "inNumber2",
        label = paste("Number label ", x),
        value = x, min = x-10, max = x+10, step = 5)
    })
})

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

updateRadioButtons

Change the value of a radio input on the client

# **Description**

Change the value of a radio input on the client

#### **Usage**

```
updateRadioButtons(session, inputId, label = NULL, choices = NULL,
  selected = NULL, inline = FALSE)
```

# Arguments

session The session object passed to function given to shinyServer.

inputId The id of the input object.

label The label to set for the input object.

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choices	List of values to select from (if elements of the list are named then that name rather than the value is displayed to the user)
selected	The initially selected value (if not specified then defaults to the first value)
inline	If TRUE, render the choices inline (i.e. horizontally)

#### **Details**

The input updater functions send a message to the client, telling it to change the settings of an input object. The messages are collected and sent after all the observers (including outputs) have finished running.

The syntax of these functions is similar to the functions that created the inputs in the first place. For example, numericInput() and updateNumericInput() take a similar set of arguments.

Any arguments with NULL values will be ignored; they will not result in any changes to the input object on the client.

For radioButtons(), checkboxGroupInput() and selectInput(), the set of choices can be cleared by using choices=character(0)

#### See Also

radioButtons

```
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {
 observe({
   \# We'll use the input$controller variable multiple times, so save it as x
    # for convenience.
   x <- input$controller
    r_options <- list()
    r_options[[sprintf("option label %d 1", x)]] <- sprintf("option-%d-1", x)
   r_options[[sprintf("option label %d 2", x)]] <- sprintf("option-%d-2", x)</pre>
    # Change values for input$inRadio
   updateRadioButtons(session, "inRadio", choices = r_options)
    # Can also set the label and select an item
   updateRadioButtons(session, "inRadio2",
      label = paste("Radio label", x),
      choices = r_options,
      selected = sprintf("option-%d-2", x)
 })
})
## End(Not run)
```

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updateSelectInput	Change the value of a select input on the client	

# **Description**

Change the value of a select input on the client

# Usage

```
updateSelectInput(session, inputId, label = NULL, choices = NULL,
    selected = NULL)

updateSelectizeInput(session, inputId, label = NULL, choices = NULL,
    selected = NULL, options = list(), server = FALSE)
```

#### **Arguments**

session	The session object passed to function given to shinyServer.
inputId	The id of the input object.
label	The label to set for the input object.
choices	List of values to select from. If elements of the list are named then that name rather than the value is displayed to the user.
selected	The initially selected value (or multiple values if multiple = TRUE). If not specified then defaults to the first value for single-select lists and no values for multiple select lists.
options	A list of options. See the documentation of <b>selectize.js</b> for possible options (character option values inside I() will be treated as literal JavaScript code; see renderDataTable() for details).
server	whether to store choices on the server side, and load the select options dynamically on searching, instead of writing all choices into the page at once (i.e., only use the client-side version of <b>selectize.js</b> )

#### **Details**

The input updater functions send a message to the client, telling it to change the settings of an input object. The messages are collected and sent after all the observers (including outputs) have finished running.

The syntax of these functions is similar to the functions that created the inputs in the first place. For example, numericInput() and updateNumericInput() take a similar set of arguments.

Any arguments with NULL values will be ignored; they will not result in any changes to the input object on the client.

For radioButtons(), checkboxGroupInput() and selectInput(), the set of choices can be cleared by using choices=character( $\emptyset$ )

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#### See Also

```
selectInput
```

#### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {
 observe({
   # We'll use the input$controller variable multiple times, so save it as x
   # for convenience.
   x <- input$controller
   # Create a list of new options, where the name of the items is something
   # like 'option label x 1', and the values are 'option-x-1'.
   s_options <- list()</pre>
    s_options[[sprintf("option label %d 1", x)]] <- sprintf("option-%d-1", x)</pre>
   s_options[[sprintf("option label %d 2", x)]] <- sprintf("option-%d-2", x)</pre>
    # Change values for input$inSelect
   updateSelectInput(session, "inSelect", choices = s_options)
    # Can also set the label and select an item (or more than one if it's a
    # multi-select)
   updateSelectInput(session, "inSelect2",
      label = paste("Select label", x),
      choices = s_options,
      selected = sprintf("option-%d-2", x)
 })
})
## End(Not run)
```

 $update {\tt SliderInput}$ 

Change the value of a slider input on the client

# Description

Change the value of a slider input on the client

# Usage

```
updateSliderInput(session, inputId, label = NULL, value = NULL,
min = NULL, max = NULL, step = NULL)
```

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# Arguments

session	The session object passed to function given to shinyServer.
inputId	The id of the input object.
label	The label to set for the input object.
value	The value to set for the input object.
min	Minimum value.
max	Maximum value.
step	Step size.

#### **Details**

The input updater functions send a message to the client, telling it to change the settings of an input object. The messages are collected and sent after all the observers (including outputs) have finished running.

The syntax of these functions is similar to the functions that created the inputs in the first place. For example, numericInput() and updateNumericInput() take a similar set of arguments.

Any arguments with NULL values will be ignored; they will not result in any changes to the input object on the client.

For radioButtons(), checkboxGroupInput() and selectInput(), the set of choices can be cleared by using choices=character(0)

#### See Also

```
sliderInput
```

```
## Only run this example in interactive R sessions
if (interactive()) {
 shinyApp(
   ui = fluidPage(
      sidebarLayout(
        sidebarPanel(
          p("The first slider controls the second"),
          sliderInput("control", "Controller:", min=0, max=20, value=10,
                       step=1),
          sliderInput("receive", "Receiver:", min=0, max=20, value=10,
                       step=1)
        ),
        mainPanel()
      )
    server = function(input, output, session) {
      observe({
        val <- input$control</pre>
        # Control the value, min, max, and step.
        # Step size is 2 when input value is even; 1 when value is odd.
        updateSliderInput(session, "receive", value = val,
```

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```
min = floor(val/2), max = val+4, step = (val+1)%%2 + 1)
}

}

}

}
```

updateTabsetPanel

Change the selected tab on the client

#### **Description**

Change the selected tab on the client

# Usage

```
updateTabsetPanel(session, inputId, selected = NULL)
updateNavbarPage(session, inputId, selected = NULL)
updateNavlistPanel(session, inputId, selected = NULL)
```

# Arguments

session The session object passed to function given to shinyServer.

inputId The id of the tabsetPanel, navlistPanel, or navbarPage object.

selected The name of the tab to make active.

#### See Also

tabsetPanel, navlistPanel, navbarPage

```
## Not run:
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {

  observe({
    # TRUE if input$controller is even, FALSE otherwise.
    x_even <- input$controller %% 2 == 0

    # Change the selected tab.
    # Note that the tabset container must have been created with an 'id' argument if (x_even) {
        updateTabsetPanel(session, "inTabset", selected = "panel2")
    } else {
        updateTabsetPanel(session, "inTabset", selected = "panel1")
    }
})
})</pre>
```

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

updateTextInput

Change the value of a text input on the client

# Description

Change the value of a text input on the client

#### Usage

```
updateTextInput(session, inputId, label = NULL, value = NULL)
```

# **Arguments**

session The session object passed to function given to shinyServer.

inputId The id of the input object.

label The label to set for the input object.

value The value to set for the input object.

#### **Details**

The input updater functions send a message to the client, telling it to change the settings of an input object. The messages are collected and sent after all the observers (including outputs) have finished running.

The syntax of these functions is similar to the functions that created the inputs in the first place. For example, numericInput() and updateNumericInput() take a similar set of arguments.

Any arguments with NULL values will be ignored; they will not result in any changes to the input object on the client.

For radioButtons(), checkboxGroupInput() and selectInput(), the set of choices can be cleared by using choices=character(0)

# See Also

```
textInput
```

```
## Not run:
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {
   observe({
        # We'll use the input$controller variable multiple times, so save it as x
        # for convenience.
        x <- input$controller</pre>
```

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```
# This will change the value of input$inText, based on x
updateTextInput(session, "inText", value = paste("New text", x))

# Can also set the label, this time for input$inText2
updateTextInput(session, "inText2",
    label = paste("New label", x),
    value = paste("New text", x))
})

## End(Not run)
```

validate

Validate input values and other conditions

#### **Description**

For an output rendering function (e.g. renderPlot()), you may need to check that certain input values are available and valid before you can render the output. validate gives you a convenient mechanism for doing so.

#### Usage

```
validate(..., errorClass = character(0))
need(expr, message = paste(label, "must be provided"), label)
```

# Arguments

•••	A list of tests. Each test should equal NULL for success, FALSE for silent failure, or a string for failure with an error message.
errorClass	A CSS class to apply. The actual CSS string will have shiny-output-error-prepended to this value.
expr	An expression to test. The condition will pass if the expression meets the conditions spelled out in Details.
message	A message to convey to the user if the validation condition is not met. If no message is provided, one will be created using label. To fail with no message, use FALSE for the message.
label	A human-readable name for the field that may be missing. This parameter is not needed if message is provided, but must be provided otherwise.

#### **Details**

The validate function takes any number of (unnamed) arguments, each of which represents a condition to test. If any of the conditions represent failure, then a special type of error is signaled which stops execution. If this error is not handled by application-specific code, it is displayed to the user by Shiny.

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An easy way to provide arguments to validate is to use the need function, which takes an expression and a string; if the expression is considered a failure, then the string will be used as the error message. The need function considers its expression to be a failure if it is any of the following:

- FALSE
- NULL
- ""
- · An empty atomic vector
- An atomic vector that contains only missing values
- A logical vector that contains all FALSE or missing values
- An object of class "try-error"
- A value that represents an unclicked actionButton

If any of these values happen to be valid, you can explicitly turn them to logical values. For example, if you allow NA but not NULL, you can use the condition !is.null(input\$foo), because !is.null(NA) == TRUE.

If you need validation logic that differs significantly from need, you can create other validation test functions. A passing test should return NULL. A failing test should return an error message as a single-element character vector, or if the failure should happen silently, FALSE.

Because validation failure is signaled as an error, you can use validate in reactive expressions, and validation failures will automatically propagate to outputs that use the reactive expression. In other words, if reactive expression a needs input\$x, and two outputs use a (and thus depend indirectly on input\$x), it's not necessary for the outputs to validate input\$x explicitly, as long as a does validate it.

```
# in ui.R
fluidPage(
   checkboxGroupInput('in1', 'Check some letters', choices = head(LETTERS)),
   selectizeInput('in2', 'Select a state', choices = state.name),
   plotOutput('plot')
)

# in server.R
function(input, output) {
   output$plot <- renderPlot({
     validate(
        need(input$in1, 'Check at least one letter!'),
        need(input$in2 != '', 'Please choose a state.')
     )
     plot(1:10, main = paste(c(input$in1, input$in2), collapse = ', '))
}</pre>
```

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validateCssUnit

Validate proper CSS formatting of a unit

#### **Description**

Checks that the argument is valid for use as a CSS unit of length.

# Usage

```
validateCssUnit(x)
```

# **Arguments**

Х

The unit to validate. Will be treated as a number of pixels if a unit is not specified.

#### **Details**

NULL and NA are returned unchanged.

Single element numeric vectors are returned as a character vector with the number plus a suffix of "px".

Single element character vectors must be "auto" or "inherit", or a number. If the number has a suffix, it must be valid: px, %, em, pt, in, cm, mm, ex, or pc. If the number has no suffix, the suffix "px" is appended.

Any other value will cause an error to be thrown.

#### Value

A properly formatted CSS unit of length, if possible. Otherwise, will throw an error.

# **Examples**

```
validateCssUnit("10%")
validateCssUnit(400) #treated as '400px'
```

verbatimTextOutput

Create a verbatim text output element

# **Description**

Render a reactive output variable as verbatim text within an application page. The text will be included within an HTML pre tag.

#### Usage

```
verbatimTextOutput(outputId)
```

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#### **Arguments**

outputId output variable to read the value from

#### Details

Text is HTML-escaped prior to rendering. This element is often used with the renderPrint function to preserve fixed-width formatting of printed objects.

# Value

A verbatim text output element that can be included in a panel

# **Examples**

```
mainPanel(
  h4("Summary"),
  verbatimTextOutput("summary"),
  h4("Observations"),
  tableOutput("view")
)
```

verticalLayout

Lay out UI elements vertically

# Description

Create a container that includes one or more rows of content (each element passed to the container will appear on it's own line in the UI)

# Usage

```
verticalLayout(..., fluid = TRUE)
```

#### **Arguments**

... Elements to include within the container

fluid TRUE to use fluid layout; FALSE to use fixed layout.

# See Also

```
fluidPage, flowLayout
```

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#### **Examples**

```
shinyUI(fluidPage(
  verticalLayout(
    a(href="http://example.com/link1", "Link One"),
    a(href="http://example.com/link2", "Link Two"),
    a(href="http://example.com/link3", "Link Three")
  )
))
```

viewer

Viewer options

# Description

Use these functions to control where the gadget is displayed in RStudio (or other R environments that emulate RStudio's viewer pane/dialog APIs). If viewer APIs are not available in the current R environment, then the gadget will be displayed in the system's default web browser (see browseURL).

# Usage

```
paneViewer(minHeight = NULL)
dialogViewer(dialogName, width = 600, height = 600)
browserViewer(browser = getOption("browser"))
```

# Arguments

minHeight The minimum height (in pixels) desired to show the gadget in the viewer pane. If

a positive number, resize the pane if necessary to show at least that many pixels. If NULL, use the existing viewer pane size. If "maximize", use the maximum

available vertical space.

dialogName The window title to display for the dialog. width, height The desired dialog width/height, in pixels.

browser See browseURL.

#### Value

A function that takes a single url parameter, suitable for passing as the viewer argument of runGadget.

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wellPanel

Create a well panel

#### **Description**

Creates a panel with a slightly inset border and grey background. Equivalent to Bootstrap's well CSS class.

# Usage

```
wellPanel(...)
```

# **Arguments**

.. UI elements to include inside the panel.

#### Value

The newly created panel.

withMathJax

Load the MathJax library and typeset math expressions

# **Description**

This function adds MathJax to the page and typeset the math expressions (if found) in the content . . . . It only needs to be called once in an app unless the content is rendered *after* the page is loaded, e.g. via renderUI, in which case we have to call it explicitly every time we write math expressions to the output.

#### Usage

```
withMathJax(...)
```

# Arguments

... any HTML elements to apply MathJax to

```
withMathJax(helpText("Some math here $$\\alpha+\\beta$$"))
# now we can just write "static" content without withMathJax()
div("more math here $$\\sqrt{2}$$")
```

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# Description

Reports progress to the user during long-running operations.

# Usage

```
withProgress(expr, min = 0, max = 1, value = min + (max - min) * 0.1,
   message = NULL, detail = NULL, session = getDefaultReactiveDomain(),
   env = parent.frame(), quoted = FALSE)

setProgress(value = NULL, message = NULL, detail = NULL,
   session = getDefaultReactiveDomain())

incProgress(amount = 0.1, message = NULL, detail = NULL,
   session = getDefaultReactiveDomain())
```

# Arguments

expr	The work to be done. This expression should contain calls to setProgress.
min	The value that represents the starting point of the progress bar. Must be less tham $\max$ . Default is $0$ .
max	The value that represents the end of the progress bar. Must be greater than $\min$ . Default is 1.
value	Single-element numeric vector; the value at which to set the progress bar, relative to min and max. NULL hides the progress bar, if it is currently visible.
message	A single-element character vector; the message to be displayed to the user, or NULL to hide the current message (if any).
detail	A single-element character vector; the detail message to be displayed to the user, or NULL to hide the current detail message (if any). The detail message will be shown with a de-emphasized appearance relative to message.
session	The Shiny session object, as provided by shinyServer to the server function. The default is to automatically find the session by using the current reactive domain.
env	The environment in which expr should be evaluated.
quoted	Whether expr is a quoted expression (this is not common).
amount	For incProgress, the amount to increment the status bar. Default is 0.1.

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#### **Details**

This package exposes two distinct programming APIs for working with progress. Using withProgress with incProgress or setProgress provide a simple function-based interface, while the Progress reference class provides an object-oriented API.

Use withProgress to wrap the scope of your work; doing so will cause a new progress panel to be created, and it will be displayed the first time incProgress or setProgress are called. When withProgress exits, the corresponding progress panel will be removed.

The incProgress function increments the status bar by a specified amount, whereas the setProgress function sets it to a specific value, and can also set the text displayed.

Generally, withProgress/incProgress/setProgress should be sufficient; the exception is if the work to be done is asynchronous (this is not common) or otherwise cannot be encapsulated by a single scope. In that case, you can use the Progress reference class.

#### See Also

**Progress** 

#### **Examples**

withTags

Evaluate an expression using tags

# **Description**

This function makes it simpler to write HTML-generating code. Instead of needing to specify tags each time a tag function is used, as in tags\$div() and tags\$p(), code inside withTags is evaluated with tags searched first, so you can simply use div() and p().

# Usage

```
withTags(code)
```

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#### **Arguments**

code

A set of tags.

#### **Details**

If your code uses an object which happens to have the same name as an HTML tag function, such as source() or summary(), it will call the tag function. To call the intended (non-tags function), specify the namespace, as in base::source() or base::summary().

```
# Using tags$ each time
tags$div(class = "myclass",
   tags$h3("header"),
   tags$p("text")
)

# Equivalent to above, but using withTags
withTags(
   div(class = "myclass",
      h3("header"),
      p("text")
   )
)
```

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