Package 'standardizeSnapshot'

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Description standardizeSnapshot is a R package to standardize camera trap records files from the Snapshot Safari project. Snapshot Safari data comes in different standards, following the method that was used to classify pictures (Zooniverse, TrapTagger or Digikam). This package allows to standardize all data sources to a unique file format and then cleans the files to homogenize records.

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`clean_species` *Standardize species*

Description

Eliminate species duplicate names (things like `birdofprey` and `birdsofprey`)

Usage

```
clean_species(species)
```

Arguments

`species`	vector of species names

Value

the vector of species names with standardized names, according to the species names that have already been encountered in the past datasets.

Examples

```
species <- c("zebraplains", "zebraburchells", "duiker",
             "duikercommon", "aardvark", "lionfemale")
clean_species(species)
```

`create_logger` *Create logger*

Description

Initializes a logger with a given logfile.

Usage

```
create_logger(
  my_logfile,
  threshold = c("INFO", "DEBUG", "WARNING", "ERROR", "FATAL"),
  console = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

my_logfile	path to the log file (character).
threshold	logging levels to write to the logger (see loglevel documentation in log4r). Defalts to INFO.
console	Write log messages to console?

Value

Returns a logger and creates a logfile at the given path. If the path given does not exist, also creates this path.

Examples

```
logger <- create_logger(tempfile())
```

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digikam *Digikam sample data*

Description

A dataset mimicking typical Digikam data (randomized rows)

Usage

```
digikam
```

Format

A data frame with 100 rows and 22 variables:

X integer Row names (read by R when reading the csv file)

Station character Camera

Species character Species

DateTimeOriginal character Date and time

Date character Date

Time character Time

delta.time.secs integer Time elapsed since this species was last seen at this camera (seconds). Not relevant because rows were permuted.

delta.time.mins double Time elapsed since this species was last seen at this camera (minutes). Not relevant because rows were permuted.

delta.time.hours double Time elapsed since this species was last seen at this camera (hours). Not relevant because rows were permuted.

delta.time.days double Time elapsed since this species was last seen at this camera (days). Not relevant because rows were permuted.

`Directory` character Local directory where the original photo is

`FileName` character Name of the original photo on the local storage

`EXIF.Model` character Exif info

`EXIF.Make` character Exif info

`metadata_Species` character Species (other column)

`metadata_Number` character Species count

`metadata_Behaviour` character Tagged behaviors

`metadata_Sex` character Tagged sex

`n_images` integer Number of pictures associated to this event?

`metadata_young_present` character Tagged youngs (Yes/No)

`metadata_Numberofindividuals` logical Tagged number of individuals on the picture

`HierarchicalSubject` character Summary column for all metadata_...

`get_camnames` *Get camera names*

Description

Subsets the locations IDs from the camera names vector.

Usage

```
get_camnames(cameras, locations, silence_warnings = FALSE, logger = NA)
```

Arguments

`cameras`	a character vector of camera names
`locations`	a character vector of locations (must be the same length as `cameras`)
`silence_warnings`	Should a warning be displayed when `locationID` is `NA`?
`logger`	a `log4r` `logger` object if you want logging (can be created with `create_logger`), else `NA`.

Value

A vector of camera names without the location prefix (if it was present)

Examples

```
get_camnames(c("APN_A01", "MAD_B01"), c("APN", "MAD"))
```

get_csv_files_and_folders *Get csv files and folder*

Description

Get the names of all csv files from the input character vector.

Usage

```
get_csv_files_and_folders(input, except, basepath, logger = NA)
```

Arguments

input	a character vector of valid paths: can be files and/or folders
except	files to ignore (optional): all paths for (a part of) which match the exact expression in except will be ignored.
basepath	the part of the path that should be ignored when copying final files (i.e. absolute path inside one's comupter that should not be copied in final file.)
logger	a log4r logger object if you want logging (can be created with create_logger), else NA.

Details

input can be a vector of files and/or folders. If an element of input is a folder, the function will list all files within input; if the element is a file, the function will only list this file.

Value

A dataframe with columns folders and files, where folders are the paths up to a given file (corresponding to the relative path to the file from basepath), and files are the files paths from folders.

Examples

```
## Not run:
get_csv_files_and_folders(input = c("path/to/datafolder/KGA",
                                    "path/to/datafolder/ATH_Roll1_Snapshot.csv"),
                                    except = "KGA/KGA-KHO_together",
                                    basepath = "path/to/datafolder")

## End(Not run)
```

get_final_filename *Get final filemane*

Description

Return the filename from the file columns.

Usage

```
get_final_filename(df)
```

Arguments

df	The dataframe to be copied. Must have columns locationID, season, roll.

Value

The filename for this file in the format locationID_Sseason_Rroll.csv It there are several values in locationID, season or roll, they are separated by a dash in the filename: locationID1-locationID2...

Examples

```
zooniverse_std <- standardize_snapshot_df(df = zooniverse, standard = standard)
get_final_filename(zooniverse_std)
```

guess_classifier *Guess classifier*

Description

Guesses the classifier used to annotate the data based on the column names given in colnames_df.

Usage

```
guess_classifier(colnames_df, logger = NA)
```

Arguments

colnames_df	A character vector of column names.
logger	a log4r logger object if you want logging (can be created with create_logger), else NA.

Value

The classifier: either zooniverse, digikam or traptagger.

Examples

```
guess_classifier(colnames(zooniverse))
guess_classifier(colnames(traptagger))
guess_classifier(colnames(digikam))
```

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read_snapshot_files *Read Snapshot files*

Description

Reads files from a vector of files and/or folders into a list of dataframes.

Usage

```
read_snapshot_files(input, except, basepath, verbose = TRUE, logger = NA)
```

Arguments

input	a character vector of valid paths: can be files and/or folders
except	files to ignore (optional): all paths for (a part of) which match the exact expression in except will be ignored.
basepath	the part of the path that should be ignored when copying final files (i.e. absolute path inside one's comupter that should not be copied in final file.)
verbose	Should messages be displayed when reading a folder/file?
logger	a log4r logger object if you want logging (can be created with create_logger), else NA.

Details

The files are assumed to be comma or semicolon-separated CSV. If the filename is MAD_S2_full_report_0-50__agreement_corrected_fin.csv, the function only reads the first 26 columns as this file has empty columns.

Value

A named list of dataframes. Each element of the list is a dataframe with the contents of a file read from the files list given in input. The names of the list are the file names from the root of input: If the element from input is a file, it is a filename. If the element from input is a folder, it is the relative path from basepath to the file.

Examples

```
## Not run:
read_snapshot_files("path/to/datafolder/DHP",
                    basepath = "path/to/datafolder",
                    except = "DHP/DHP+OVE_same_file/*")

## End(Not run)
```

standard *Standard column names*

Description

A dataframe listing the standard column names for the different Snapshot data formats.

Usage

```
standard
```

Format

A data frame with 39 rows and 4 variables:

`zooniverse` character Expected columns names for Zooniverse data

`traptagger` character Expected columns names for TrapTagger data

`digikam` character Expected columns names for Digikam data

`new` character Columns names for the output standardized data

standardize_snapshot_df *Standardize dataframe*

Description

Standardizes a dataframe to the Snapshot standard.

Usage

```
standardize_snapshot_df(
  df,
  standard_df,
  locationID_digikam,
  classifier,
  logger = NA,
  verbose = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

df	The dataframe to standardize. It is expected to match the data format for either Zooniverse, TrapTagger or Digikam processed data (i.e. have column names defined in standard_df).
standard_df	The standard dataframe to match column names to the new standard. A dataframe with >= 2 columns, one of which must be named zooniverse, digikam or traptagger and another one must be named new.
locationID_digikam	Optional character locationID to use for Digikam data (will display a warning if not provided for Digikam data.) Indeed, for Digikam data, the locationID cannot be inferred from other columns.
classifier	Optional character for the classifier.
logger	a log4r logger object if you want logging (can be created with create_logger), else NA.
verbose	Should a lot of details be given when executing function?

Details

Dates and times are standardized to YYYY-MM-DD and HH:MM:SS. The columns locationID, cameraID, roll, capture and season (if classifier is zooniverse) are filled with meaningful information. Species names (snapshotName) are standardized to match the existing, known species names. For column locationID:

- The location code DHP is replaced with OVE if the corresponding camera code starts with 'O'.
- The location code KGA is replaced with KHO if the corresponding camera code starts with 'KHO'.

For column cameraID:

- For TrapTagger data: will remove the leading location code part for all data (eg if location is ATH, will change cameras ATH_A01 -> A01). Also, if the location code is KHO, SAM or TSW: will remove the dash in the camera name (e.g KHO_E_A01 -> EA01)
- For Zooniverse data: if the location code is KHO, will replace KHOG with E and KHOL with M in cameras. If the location code is DHP, will remove leading D in cameraID. If the location code is OVE, will remove leading O in cameraID.
- For column eventID: the event ID formatted as season#cam_site#roll#event_no.

Value

The standardized dataframe: it has the same columns as specified in standard_df$new, dates and times are standardized and some columns regarding information on the capture are filled. Species names (snapshotName) and cameraID and locationID are standardized (see details). Columns are in the same order as provided in standard_df$new and the rows are ordered by ascending camera, date and time.

Examples

```
standardize_snapshot_df(zooniverse, standard)
standardize_snapshot_df(traptagger, standard)
standardize_snapshot_df(digikam, standard, locationID_digikam = "MOK")
```

`standardize_snapshot_list` *Standardize a list of dataframes*

Description

Standardizes a list of dataframes to the Snapshot standard.

Usage

```
standardize_snapshot_list(
  df_list,
  standard_df,
  classifier,
  logger = NA,
  verbose = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

`df_list`	a list of dataframes.
`standard_df`	The standard dataframe to match column names to the new standard. A dataframe with >= 2 columns, one of which must be named `zooniverse`, `digikam` or `traptagger` and another one must be named `new`.
`classifier`	Optional character or vector of characters for the classifier.
`logger`	a `log4r` `logger` object if you want logging (can be created with `create_logger`), else `NA`.
`verbose`	Should a lot of details be given when executing function?

Details

Dates and times are standardized to `YYYY-MM-DD` and `HH:MM:SS`. The columns `locationID`, `cameraID`, `roll`, `capture` and `season` (if classifier is `zooniverse`) are filled with meaningful information. Species names (`snapshotName`) are standardized to match the existing, known species names. For column `locationID`:

- The location code `DHP` is replaced with `OVE` if the corresponding camera code starts with 'O'.
- The location code `KGA` is replaced with `KHO` if the corresponding camera code starts with 'KHO'.

For column `cameraID`:

- For TrapTagger data: will remove the leading location code part for all data (eg if `location` is `ATH`, will change `cameras` `ATH_A01` -> `A01`). Also, if the location code is `KHO`, `SAM` or `TSW`: will remove the dash in the camera name (e.g `KHO_E_A01` -> `EA01`)
- For Zooniverse data: if the location code is `KHO`, will replace `KHOG` with `E` and `KHOL` with `M` in `cameras`. If the location code is `DHP`, will remove leading `D` in `cameraID`. If the location code is `OVE`, will remove leading `O` in `cameraID`.
- For column `eventID`: the event ID formatted as season#cam_site#roll#event_no.

Value

The list of standardized dataframes: they the same columns as specified in `standard_df$new`, dates and times are standardized and some columns regarding information on the capture are filled. Species names (`snapshotName`) and `cameraID` and `locationID` are standardized (see details). Columns are in the same order as provided in `standard_df$new` and the rows are ordered by ascending camera, date and time.

Note

If the file name is Marinmane NR _record_table_0min_deltaT_2021-06-10.csv, will apply the location code `MAR`.

Examples

```
df_list <- list(zooniverse, digikam, traptagger)

# Digikam data must be named with at least the locationID code
names(df_list)[2] <- "MOK"
standardize_snapshot_list(df_list, standard)

# The name for Digikam data can also a filename starting with the locationID code
names(df_list)[2] <- "MOK_record_table_0min_deltaT_2021-05-07.csv"
standardize_snapshot_list(df_list, standard)
```

`traptagger` *TrapTagger sample data*

Description

A dataset mimicking typical TrapTagger data (randomized rows)

Usage

```
traptagger
```

Format

A data frame with 100 rows and 9 variables:

`Capture_ID` character ID for the capture composed of locationcapture#roll#Cam.Site

`Cam.Site` character Camera

`id` integer Picture ID

`latitude` double Camera latitude (mock data)

`longitude` double Camera longitude (mock data)

`timestamp` character Date time

`capture_labels` character Species seen on the picture

`capture_sighting_count` integer Species count

`capture_url` character Picture url (mock data)

`write_log_message` *Write log message*

Description

Writes a log message. If a logger is provided, writes to that logger; if it is NA, displays a message.

Usage

```
write_log_message(
  message,
  logger = NA,
  level = c("info", "warn", "error", "debug")
)
```

Arguments

`message`	The message to display/write to the logger
`logger`	Logger to write to (`log4r` object of class `logger`) (defaults to `NA`)
`level`	Logging level: either `info`, `warn`, `debug` or `error`.

Details

- if `logger` is not `NA`, writes a message to the logger file with the specified level.
- else, doesn't do anything.

Value

Will either write the message specified in `message` to the logger or do nothing if logger is `NA`.

Examples

```
logger <- create_logger(tempfile()) # Create a logger
write_log_message("Test", level = "debug", logger = logger)
write_log_message("Test", level = "info", logger = logger)
write_log_message("Test", level = "warn", logger = logger)
write_log_message("Test", level = "error", logger = logger)
```

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write_standardized_df *Write the standardized file*

Description

Writes a file to a given location. If `to` does not exist, it is created, and if `filename` is not provided, a default standardized name is chosen.

Usage

```
write_standardized_df(
  df,
  to,
  filename,
  write = TRUE,
  return_path = ifelse(write, FALSE, TRUE),
  verbose = TRUE,
  logger = NA
)
```

Arguments

`df`	The standardized file
`to`	The target folder to copy data in. If it does not exist, will be created.
`filename`	The name to give to the file.
`write`	if TRUE (default), will write the `df` in the `to` folder, and `df` will be named `filename`.
`return_path`	Should the path be returned?
`verbose`	Should messages be displayed when creating a folder/file?
`logger`	a `log4r` `logger` object if you want logging (can be created with `create_logger`), else `NA`.

Value

Writes the file to the folder `to/filename`. Also returns the path `to/filename` if `return_path == TRUE`.

Examples

```
std_dat <- standardize_snapshot_df(zooniverse, standard)

# Don't write data
write_standardized_df(std_dat,
                  to = "/home/lnicvert/Documents/PhD/Snapshot/data/2_standardized_data",
                      write = FALSE)
# Don't write data and use custom name
write_standardized_df(std_dat,
                  to = "/home/lnicvert/Documents/PhD/Snapshot/data/2_standardized_data",
                      filename = "myname.csv",
                      write = FALSE)
# Write file to temporary location
write_standardized_df(std_dat,
                      to = tempdir())
```

`write_standardized_list` *Write the standardized files*

Description

Writes a list of files to a given location. If `to` does not exist, it is created, and if `filename` is not provided, a default standardized name is chosen.

Usage

```
write_standardized_list(
  df_list,
  filenames,
  to,
  write = TRUE,
  return_path = ifelse(write, FALSE, TRUE),
  verbose = TRUE,
  logger = NA
)
```

Arguments

`df_list`	The standardized files list to write. If the list is named, the subdirectory structure in the names will be used to replicate the subdirectiry structure in the destination.
`filenames`	(Optional) vector of customized file names.
`to`	Destination folder to write to.
`write`	Should the result be written or only the path returned?
`return_path`	Should the path be returned?
`verbose`	Should messages be displayed when creating a folder/file?
`logger`	a `log4r` `logger` object if you want logging (can be created with `create_logger`), else `NA`.

Value

Writes the files `to/filename1`, `to/filename2`... Also returns the paths `to/filename1`, `to/filename2`... if `return_path == TRUE`.

Examples

```
# Example with a subdirectory structure (inferred from the filenames)
df_list <- list(zooniverse, digikam, traptagger)
names(df_list) <- c("APN/APN.csv", "MOK/MOK.csv", "ATH/ATH.csv")
std_list <- standardize_snapshot_list(df_list, standard)

# Don't write data
write_standardized_list(std_list,
                  to = "/home/lnicvert/Documents/PhD/Snapshot/data/2_standardized_data",
                        write = FALSE)
# Don't write data and use custom name
write_standardized_list(std_list,
                  to = "/home/lnicvert/Documents/PhD/Snapshot/data/2_standardized_data",
                        filenames = c("myname1.csv", "myname2.csv", "myname3.csv"),
                        write = FALSE)
# Write files to temporary location
write_standardized_list(std_list, to = tempdir())

# Without a subdirectory structure (and without list names)
df_list <- list(zooniverse, digikam, traptagger)
names(df_list)[2] <- "MOK"
std_list <- standardize_snapshot_list(df_list, standard)

# Write files to temporary location
write_standardized_list(std_list, to = tempdir())
```

`zooniverse` *Zooniverse sample data*

Description

A dataset mimicking typical Zooniverse data (randomized rows)

Usage

```
zooniverse
```

Format

A data frame with 100 rows and 24 variables:

`capture_id` character ID for the capture composed of season#site#roll#capture

`season` character Zooniverse season code

`site` character Camera ID

`roll` integer Roll (index for the camera service)

`capture` integer ID for the capture per camera/season/roll

`capture_date_local` character Date

`capture_time_local` character Time

`zooniverse_url_0` character Url for first photo (mock URL)

`zooniverse_url_1` character Url for second photo (mock URL)

`zooniverse_url_2` character Url for third photo (mock URL)

`subject_id` integer Internal Zooniverse ID for the capture event (mock ID)

`question__species` character Species

`question__count_max` character Maximum count from the volunteers

`question__count_median` character Median count from the volunteers

`question__count_min` character Minimum count from the volunteers

`question__standing` double Proportion of users who declared a standing behavior

`question__resting` double Proportion of users who declared a resting behavior

`question__moving` double Proportion of users who declared a moving behaviour

`question__eating` double Proportion of users who declared a eating behaviour

`question__interacting` double Proportion of users who declared an interacting behaviour

`question__young_present` double Proportion of users who declared young presents

`question__horns_visible` double Proportion of users who declared horns on the picture

`p_users_identified_this_species` double Proportion of users who identified the consensus species

`pielous_evenness_index` double Pielou evenness index