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"""Script to store hotwire data in a more convenient .mat format."""
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from scipy.io import savemat
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ANGLES = ["-5", "00", "05", "20"]
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FOLDER = "Hotwire Measurements"
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FN_PREFIXES = {  
    ANGLES[0]: "hotwire_mes_a_neg_5",  
    ANGLES[1]: "hotwire_mes",  
    ANGLES[2]: "hotwire_mes_a_5",  
    ANGLES[3]: "hotwire_mes_a_20"  
}
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N_DATAPOINTS = {  
    ANGLES[0]: 11,  
    ANGLES[1]: 10,  
    ANGLES[2]: 15,  
    ANGLES[3]: 78,  
}
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USER_PREFIXES = {  
    ANGLES[0]: "a_neg_5_",  
    ANGLES[1]: "a_0_",  
    ANGLES[2]: "a_5_",  
    ANGLES[3]: "a_20_"  
}
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SRC_FNS = {  
    angle: {  
        "dat": [f"./{FOLDER}/a_{angle}/{FN_PREFIXES[angle]}-{i+1}.dat" for i in  
range(N_DATAPOINTS[angle])],  
        "txt": [f"./{FOLDER}/a_{angle}/{FN_PREFIXES[angle]}-{i+1}-1.txt" for i in  
range(N_DATAPOINTS[angle])],  
    }  
    for angle in ANGLES  
}
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KEYS = {  
    "Static Pressure": "P",  
    "Density": "rho",  
    "Fixed Pitot Probe Speed": "v",  
    "AOA": "a",  
    "User comment": "y",  
    "Temperature": "T",  
}
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def main():  
    """Parse .dat and .txt files for each angle and combine relevant info into a .mat file."""  
    for angle in ANGLES:  
        dat_fns = SRC_FNS[angle]["dat"]  
        txt_fns = SRC_FNS[angle]["txt"]  
  
        for i, fn in enumerate(dat_fns):  
            with open(fn, "r") as f:  
                lines = f.readlines()  
                data = {}  
                for line in lines:  
  
                    # Parse data key  
                    split_char = "=" # Most values use '='  
                    if len(line.split(split_char)) == 1:  
                        split_char = ":" # user comment uses ':'  
                    key = line.split(split_char)[0].strip()  
  
                    if key in KEYS.keys():
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        try:
            val = line.split(split_char)[1].replace("degrees (inclinometer)",
            "").strip() # Remove junk
            val = val.split("\t")[0] # Remove tabs if present
        except Exception:
            val = None
        data[KEYS[key]] = comment_to_distance(val, angle) if key == "User
comment" else float(val) # Create dict with symbols

    # Parse txt file with hotwire voltages
    with open(txt_fns[i], "r") as f:
        lines = f.readlines()
        voltages = []
        for line in lines:
            try:
                voltages.append(float(line.split("\t")[1])) # Get voltages
            except Exception:
                continue
    data["V_arr"] = voltages

    dest_fn = f"./{FOLDER}/a_{angle}/data_{i+1}.mat"
    savemat(dest_fn, data)

def comment_to_distance(comment: str, angle: str):
    """Turn the user comment into a numerical distance."""
    val = comment.replace(USER_PREFIXES[angle], "").replace("in", "") # Get just the numbers
    val = val.split("_") # Split fraction into parts

    ret = float(val[0])
    if len(val) == 3: # Do fraction math if needed
        ret += float(val[1]) / float(val[2])

    return ret

if __name__ == "__main__":
    main()

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