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shiny-package

Web Application Framework for R

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

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absolutePanel	Panel with absolute positioning	
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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("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.
draggable	If TRUE, allows the user to move the panel by clicking and dragging.
fixed	Positions the panel relative to the browser window and prevents it from being scrolled with the rest of the page.
cursor	The type of cursor that should appear when the user mouses over the panel. Use "move" for a north-east-south-west icon, "default" for the usual cursor arrow, or "inherit" for the usual cursor behavior (including changing to an I-beam when the cursor is over text). The default is "auto", which is equivalent to ifelse(draggable, "move", "inherit").

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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.

## **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, ...)
actionLink(inputId, label, icon = NULL, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

inputId	Specifies 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.
	Named attributes to be applied to the button or link.

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#### See Also

Other input.elements: animationOptions, sliderInput; checkboxGroupInput; checkboxInput; dateInput; dateRangeInput; fileInput; numericInput; radioButtons; selectInput, selectizeInput; 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'))
```

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 = TRUE, theme = NULL)
basicPage(...)
```

#### **Arguments**

... The contents of the document body.

title The browser window title (defaults to the host URL of the page)

responsive TRUE to use responsive layout (automatically adapt and resize page elements

based on the size of the viewing device)

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
```

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HTML Builder Functions

# Description

Simple functions for constructing HTML documents.

# Usage

tags

p(...)

h1(...)

h2(...)

h3(...)

h4(...)

h5(...)

h6(...)

a(...)

br(...)

div(...)

span(...)

pre(...)

code(...)

img(...)

strong(...)

em(...)

hr(...)

#### **Arguments**

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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().

## **Examples**

checkboxGroupInput

Checkbox Group Input Control

## **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.

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

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## **Arguments**

inputId	Input variable to assign the control's value to.
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label Display label for the control, or NULL.

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)

#### Value

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

#### See Also

```
checkboxInput, updateCheckboxGroupInput
```

Other input.elements: actionButton, actionLink; animationOptions, sliderInput; checkboxInput; dateInput; dateRangeInput; fileInput; numericInput; radioButtons; selectInput, selectizeInput; submitButton; textInput

#### **Examples**

checkboxInput

Checkbox Input Control

## **Description**

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

## Usage

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

#### **Arguments**

inputId Input variable to assign the control's value to.

label Display label for the control. value Initial value (TRUE or FALSE).

## Value

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

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#### See Also

checkboxGroupInput, updateCheckboxInput

Other input.elements: actionButton, actionLink; animationOptions, sliderInput; checkboxGroupInput; dateInput; dateRangeInput; fileInput; numericInput; radioButtons; selectInput, selectizeInput; submitButton; textInput

## **Examples**

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

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

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

#### Value

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

## See Also

fluidRow, fixedRow.

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```
fluidRow(
  column(width = 4,
    "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'",
    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.

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## **Description**

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

# Usage

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

# Arguments

inputId	Input variable to assign the control's value to.
Inputiu	input variable to assign the control s value to.
label	Display label for the control, or NULL.
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.
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".

## **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

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- 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

```
dateRangeInput, updateDateInput
```

Other input.elements: actionButton, actionLink; animationOptions, sliderInput; checkboxGroupInput; checkboxInput; dateRangeInput; fileInput; numericInput; radioButtons; selectInput, selectizeInput; 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.

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

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#### **Arguments**

inputId	Input variable to assign the control's value to.
label	Display label for the control, or NULL.
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.

#### **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, actionLink; animationOptions, sliderInput; checkboxGroupInput; checkboxInput; dateInput; fileInput; numericInput; radioButtons; selectInput, selectizeInput; 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")
```

domains

Reactive domains

## 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.

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

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#### **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.

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

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#### **Examples**

```
## 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>
```

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

fi.	lename <i>A</i>	A string of the f	filename,	including	g extension,	that t	he user'	's web	browser s	houl	d
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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.

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#### **Examples**

```
## 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>
```

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(2), quoted = FALSE,
  caller_offset = 1)
```

#### **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?

caller\_offset If specified, the offset in the callstack of the function to be treated as the caller.

#### **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.

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#### **Examples**

```
# 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
## End(Not run)
# At the R console, you can experiment with the renderer using isolate()
tripleA <- renderTriple({</pre>
 values$A
})
isolate(tripleA())
# "text, text, text"
```

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)
```

# Arguments

inputId Input variable to assign the control's value to.

label Display label for the control.

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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.

#### **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.

## See Also

Other input.elements: actionButton, actionLink; animationOptions, sliderInput; checkboxGroupInput; checkboxInput; dateInput; dateRangeInput; numericInput; radioButtons; selectInput, selectizeInput; submitButton; textInput

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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.

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

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#### **Arguments**

... Elements to include within the container

title The browser window title (defaults to the host URL of the page)

responsive TRUE to use responsive layout (automatically adapt and resize page elements

based on the size of the viewing device)

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

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

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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
```

## **Examples**

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

fluidPage

Create a page with fluid layout

## 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.

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

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## **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	TRUE to use responsive layout (automatically adapt and resize page elements based on the size of the viewing device)
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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```
)
))
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)
```

# 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

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

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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.

## **Examples**

HTML

Mark Characters as HTML

# Description

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

#### Usage

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

## 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.

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## **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)
uiOutput(outputId, inline = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

outputId output variable to read the value from

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

#### **Details**

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

## Value

An HTML output element that can be included in a panel

```
htmlOutput("summary")
```

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# 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")
```

# Arguments

name	Name of icon. Icons are drawn from the Font Awesome library. Note that the "fa-" prefix 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" is only one currently supported)

## Value

An icon element

```
icon("calendar")  # standard icon
icon("calendar", "fa-3x")  # 3x normal size
# 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"))
))
```

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Create a image output element

## **Description**

Render a renderImage within an application page.

## Usage

```
imageOutput(outputId, width = "100%", height = "400px", inline = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

outputId output variable to read the image from

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

number, which will be coerced to a string and have "px" appended.

height Image height

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

#### Value

An image output element that can be included in a panel

## **Examples**

```
# Show an image
mainPanel(
  imageOutput("dataImage")
)
```

include

Include Content From a File

## **Description**

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

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

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## 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.

installExprFunction

Install an expression as a function

#### **Description**

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

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

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#### **Arguments**

expr A quoted or unquoted expression

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.

#### **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.

in	validateLater	Scheduled Invalidation

# Description

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

#### Usage

invalidateLater(millis, session)

#### **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 re-execute) 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.

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#### See Also

reactiveTimer is a slightly less safe alternative.

## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
shinyServer(function(input, output, session) {
 observe({
    # Re-execute this reactive expression after 1000 milliseconds
    invalidateLater(1000, session)
   \mbox{\tt\#} 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$n)))
 \ensuremath{\text{\#}} Generate a new histogram at timed intervals, but not when
 # input$n changes.
 output$plot <- renderPlot({</pre>
    # Re-execute this reactive expression after 2000 milliseconds
   invalidateLater(2000, session)
   hist(isolate(input$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

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The object to test.

#### See Also

reactiveValues.

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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.

#### **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$valueA</pre>
                         # No dependency on input$valueA or input$valueB
   b <- input$valueB</pre>
    c(a=a, b=b)
 })
```

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```
writeToDatabase(data)
})
observe({
  x <- 1
  # x outside of isolate() is affected
  isolate(x <- 2)
  print(x) # 2
  y <- 1
  # 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>
fun <- reactive({ as.character(values$A) })</pre>
isolate(fun())
# "1"
# isolate also works if the reactive expression accesses values from the
# input object, like input$x
```

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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)
```

## Arguments

x	Object to knit_print
	Additional knit_print arguments
inline	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, ...)
```

# 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

is.

# 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())
```

### **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.

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

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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.

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

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navbarPage	Create a page with a top level navigation bar
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# 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, header = NULL, footer = NULL,
  inverse = FALSE, collapsable = FALSE, fluid = TRUE, responsive = TRUE,
  theme = NULL, windowTitle = title)
navbarMenu(title, ..., icon = NULL)
```

# Arguments

title	The title to display in the navbar
• • •	tabPanel elements to include in the page
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.
header	Tag of 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
collapsable	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)
fluid	TRUE to use a fluid layout. FALSE to use a fixed layout.
responsive	TRUE to use responsive layout (automatically adapt and resize page elements based on the size of the viewing device)
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).

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# Value

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

#### See Also

```
tabPanel, tabsetPanel
```

# **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.

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# **Details**

You can include headers within the navlistPanel by including plain text elements in the list; you can include separators by including "——" (any number of dashes works).

# **Examples**

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

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)
```

# **Arguments**

inputId	Input variable to assign the control's value to
label	Display label for the control
value	Initial value
min	Minimum allowed value
max	Maximum allowed value
step	Interval to use when stepping between min and max

# Value

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

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### See Also

```
updateNumericInput
```

Other input.elements: actionButton, actionLink; animationOptions, sliderInput; checkboxGroupInput; checkboxInput; dateInput; dateRangeInput; fileInput; radioButtons; selectInput, selectizeInput; submitButton; textInput

# **Examples**

observe

Create a reactive observer

# **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)
```

# **Arguments**

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. $ \\$

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#### **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).

#### 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.

```
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)</pre>
```

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```
# 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()
```

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.

```
## 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)
```

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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.

```
# 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")
))
```

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parseQueryString

Parse a GET query string from a URL

### **Description**

Returns a named character vector 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(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
shinyServer(function(input, output, clientData) {
 output$queryText <- renderText({</pre>
    query <- parseQueryString(clientData$url_search)</pre>
    # 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)
```

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# Description

Render a renderPlot within an application page.

# Usage

```
plotOutput(outputId, width = "100%", height = "400px", clickId = NULL,
hoverId = NULL, hoverDelay = 300, hoverDelayType = c("debounce",
  "throttle"), inline = FALSE)
```

# Arguments

outputId	output variable to read the plot from
width,height	Plot 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().
clickId	If not NULL, the plot will send coordinates to the server whenever it is clicked. This information will be accessible on the input object using input\$clickId. The value will be a named list or vector with x and y elements indicating the mouse position in user units.
hoverId	If not NULL, the plot will send coordinates to the server whenever the mouse pauses on the plot for more than the number of milliseconds determined by hoverTimeout. This information will be accessible on the input object using input\$clickId. The value will be NULL if the user is not hovering, and a named list or vector with x and y elements indicating the mouse position in user units.
hoverDelay	The delay for hovering, in milliseconds.
hoverDelayType	The type of algorithm for limiting the number of hover events. Use "throttle" to limit the number of hover events to one every hoverDelay milliseconds. Use "debounce" to suspend events while the cursor is moving, and wait until the cursor has been at rest for hoverDelay milliseconds before sending an event.
inline	use an inline (span()) or block container (div()) for the output

# Value

A plot output element that can be included in a panel

# 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.

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### **Examples**

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

plotPNG

Run a plotting function and save the output as a PNG

# **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 Progress

Progress Reporting progress (object-oriented API)	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).
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.

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# See Also

withProgress

# **Examples**

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)
```

# Arguments

inputId	Input variable to assign the control's value to
label	Display label for the control, or NULL
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)

# Value

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

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### See Also

### updateRadioButtons

Other input.elements: actionButton, actionLink; animationOptions, sliderInput; checkboxGroupInput; checkboxInput; dateInput; dateRangeInput; fileInput; numericInput; selectInput, selectizeInput; submitButton; textInput

# 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())
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.

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### **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.

### 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>
```

reactiveFileReader

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, ...)
```

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# **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.

### **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

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```
## 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()
 })
```

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

reactivePlot

Plot output (deprecated)

# Description

See renderPlot.

## 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.

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#### **Details**

reactivePol1 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.

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>
```

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Print output (deprecated)

## Description

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# Usage

```
reactivePrint(func)
```

# Arguments

func A function.

reactiveTable

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.

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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)
```

# 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

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

    # Anything that calls autoInvalidate will automatically invalidate
    # every 2 seconds.
    autoInvalidate <- reactiveTimer(2000, session)

    observe({
        # Invalidate and re-execute this reactive expression every time the
        # timer fires.</pre>
```

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```
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$plot <- renderPlot({
   autoInvalidate()
   hist(isolate(input$n))
   })

})

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

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.

### Usage

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

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## **Arguments**

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

#### See Also

isolate and is.reactivevalues.

# **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
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)
```

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## 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.

# **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 RJSONIO) 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:

 The value of this input as provided by the client, deserialized using RJSO-NIO

2. The shinysession in which the input exists.

3. The name of the input.

force If TRUE, will overwrite any existing handler without warning. If FALSE, will

throw an error if this class already has a handler defined.

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### **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.

#### See Also

removeInputHandler

## **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 RJSONIO serialization will be used.

#### Usage

```
removeInputHandler(type)
```

# **Arguments**

type

The type for which handlers should be removed.

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# Value

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

#### See Also

registerInputHandler

renderDataTable Table output with the JavaScript library DataTables	
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# **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) {}", 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/).
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.

#### References

http://datatables.net

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### **Examples**

```
# pass a callback function to DataTables using I()
renderDataTable(iris,
  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)
```

## **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.

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```
## 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$plot2 <- renderImage({</pre>
    # Read plot2's width and height. These are reactive values, so this
    # expression will re-run whenever these values change.
   width <- clientData$output_plot2_width</pre>
    height <- clientData$output_plot2_height
    # A temp file to save the output.
    outfile <- tempfile(fileext='.png')</pre>
    png(outfile, width=width, height=height)
    hist(rnorm(input$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)
})
```

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

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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.
width,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.
res	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.
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 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.

## See Also

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

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### **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"))
```

## **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.

```
isolate({

# renderPrint captures any print output, converts it to a string, and
# returns it
visFun <- renderPrint({ "foo" })
visFun()
# '[1] "foo"'
invisFun <- renderPrint({ invisible("foo") })</pre>
```

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

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renderTable	Table Output
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# Description

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

# Usage

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

# 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).

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# **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.

```
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()
```

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```
# 'foo'
multiprintFun <- renderText({
    print("foo");
    "bar"
})
multiprintFun()
# 'bar'
nullFun <- renderText({ NULL })
nullFun()
# ''
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 (depre-

cated; 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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## See Also

conditionalPanel

## **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 = 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 <code>.Random.seed</code>.

```
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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runApp	Run Shiny Application	
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# 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 = NULL,
  launch.browser = getOption("shiny.launch.browser", interactive()),
host = getOption("shiny.host", "127.0.0.1"), workerId = "",
  quiet = FALSE, display.mode = c("auto", "normal", "showcase"))
```

## **Arguments**

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appDi	r	The directory of the application. Should contain server.R, plus, either ui.R or a www directory that contains the file index.html. Defaults to the working directory.
port		The TCP port that the application should listen on. Defaults to choosing a random port.
launc	h.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.
worke	erId	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.
displ	ay.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).

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#### **Examples**

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

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

## End(Not run)

# Apps can be run without a server.r and ui.r file
runApp(list(
    ui = bootstrapPage(
        numericInput('n', 'Number of obs', 100),
        plotOutput('plot')
    ),
    server = function(input, output) {
        output$plot <- renderPlot({ hist(runif(input$n)) })
    }
}))</pre>
```

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**

```
# 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")
```

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, ...)
runGist(gist, ...)
runGitHub(repo, username = getOption("github.user"), ref = "master",
    subdir = 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".
	Other arguments to be passed to runApp(), such as port and launch.browser.
gist	The identifier of the gist. For example, if the gist is https://gist.github.com/jcheng5/3239667, then 3239667, '3239667', and 'https://gist.github.com/jcheng5/3239667' are all valid values.
repo	Name of the repository.

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username GitHub username. If repo is of the form "username/repo", username will be

taken from repo.

ref Desired git reference. Could be a commit, tag, or branch name. Defaults to

"master".

## **Examples**

```
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/")

runGist(3239667)
runGist("https://gist.github.com/jcheng5/3239667")
# Old URL format without username
runGist("https://gist.github.com/3239667")

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.

#### **Usage**

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

## **Arguments**

inputId Input variable to assign the control's value to

label Display label for the control, or NULL

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.

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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 <b>selectize.js</b> or not.
width	The width of the input, e.g. '400px', or '100%'; see validateCssUnit.
	Arguments passed to selectInput().
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).

#### **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.

#### 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).

#### See Also

```
updateSelectInput
```

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

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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).

#### 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.

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clientData also contains information about each 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 function that returns TRUE if the client has disconnected.

onEnded(callback)

Synonym for onSessionEnded.

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.

request

An environment that implements the Rook specification for HTTP requests. This is the request that was used to initiate the websocket connection (as opposed 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 RJSONIO-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 JavaScript code to the browser that calls Shiny.addCustomMessageHandler(type,

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

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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.

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.

#### Usage

```
shinyApp(ui = NULL, server = NULL, onStart = NULL, options = list(),
    uiPattern = "/")

shinyAppDir(appDir, options = list())

as.shiny.appobj(x)

## S3 method for class 'shiny.appobj'
as.shiny.appobj(x)

## S3 method for class 'character'
as.shiny.appobj(x)

## S3 method for class 'shiny.appobj'
print(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'shiny.appobj'
as.tags(x, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

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

server A server function

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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 www/index.html)
X	Object to convert to a Shiny app.
	Additional parameters to be passed to print.

#### Value

An object that represents the app. Printing the object will run the app.

# **Examples**

```
shinyApp(
    ui = fluidPage(
        numericInput("n", "n", 1),
        plotOutput("plot")
    ),
    server = function(input, output) {
        output$plot <- renderPlot( plot(head(cars, input$n)) )
    },
    options=list(launch.browser = rstudio::viewer)
)
shinyAppDir(system.file("examples/01_hello", package="shiny"))</pre>
```

shinyDeprecated

Print message for deprecated functions in Shiny

# Description

To disable these messages, use options(shiny.deprecation.messages=FALSE).

# Usage

```
shinyDeprecated(new = NULL, msg = NULL,
  old = as.character(sys.call(sys.parent()))[1L])
```

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## **Arguments**

new	Name of replacement function.
msg	Message to print. If used, this will override the default message.
old	Name of deprecated function.

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.

## 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.

```
## 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$uppercase <- renderText({
    toupper(input$message)
    })
})
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

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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; 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

 $\quad \text{width} \quad$ 

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	

## 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 = "#,##0.#####", locale = "us", ticks = TRUE, animate = FALSE,
  width = NULL)
animationOptions(interval = 1000, loop = FALSE, playButton = NULL,
  pauseButton = NULL)
```

## **Arguments**

inputId	Specifies the input slot that will be used to access the value.	
label	A descriptive label to be displayed with the widget, or NULL.	
min	The minimum value (inclusive) that can be selected.	
max	The maximum value (inclusive) that can be selected.	
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.	

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step	Specifies the interval between each selectable value on the slider (NULL means no restriction).
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	Customize format values in slider labels. See https://code.google.com/p/jquery-numberformatter/ for syntax details.
locale	The locale to be used when applying format. See details.
ticks	FALSE to hide tick marks, TRUE to show them according to some simple heuristics.
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.
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.

# **Details**

Valid values for locale are:

Arab Emirates	"ae"
Australia	"au"
Austria	"at"
Brazil	"br"
Canada	"ca"
China	"cn"
Czech	"cz"
Denmark	"dk"
Egypt	"eg"
Finland	"fi"
France	"fr"
Germany	"de"
Greece	"gr"
Great Britain	"gb"
Hong Kong	"hk"
India	"in"
Israel	"il"
Japan	"jp"
Russia	"ru"
South Korea	"kr"
Spain	"es"
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Sweden	"se"
Switzerland	"ch"
Taiwan	"tw"
Thailand	"th"
United States	"us"
Vietnam	"vn"

#### See Also

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

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")
```

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```
# 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")
)
```

stopApp

Stop the currently running Shiny app

## **Description**

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

## Usage

```
stopApp(returnValue = NULL)
```

## **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)
```

# Arguments

text Button caption

icon Optional icon to appear on the button

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## Value

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

#### See Also

Other input.elements: actionButton, actionLink; animationOptions, sliderInput; checkboxGroupInput; checkboxInput; dateInput; dateRangeInput; fileInput; numericInput; radioButtons; selectInput, selectizeInput; textInput

## **Examples**

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

tableOutput

Create a table output element

# Description

Render a renderTable within an application page.

## 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

```
mainPanel(
  tableOutput("view")
)
```

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tabPanel Create a tab p	anel
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# Description

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

# Usage

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

## 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

```
tabsetPanel
```

```
# 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"))
)
```

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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"))
```

# 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
```

```
# 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"))
)
```

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	HTML Tag

# 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.

## 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 = "")
```

# **Arguments**

inputId Input variable to assign the control's value to

label Display label for the control

value Initial value

## Value

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

#### See Also

```
updateTextInput
```

Other input.elements: actionButton, actionLink; animationOptions, sliderInput; checkboxGroupInput; checkboxInput; dateInput; dateRangeInput; fileInput; numericInput; radioButtons; selectInput, selectizeInput; submitButton

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

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textOutput Crea	e a text output element
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## **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)
```

# 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.

#### **Examples**

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

 $update {\tt CheckboxGroupInput}$ 

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.

#### See Also

checkboxGroupInput

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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
   # 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.

## 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)
```

## **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. format.	Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd
max	The maximum allowed date. format.	Either a Date object, or a string in yyyy-mm-dd

#### **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.

#### See Also

dateInput

# 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

    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.

## See Also

dateRangeInput

```
## 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>
```

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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**

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.

## See Also

```
numericInput
```

```
## 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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```
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)
```

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.
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.

#### See Also

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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
    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)
```

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.

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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 (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.

#### See Also

```
selectInput
```

```
## 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)
   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),
```

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```
choices = s_options,
    selected = sprintf("option-%d-2", x)
)
})
})
## End(Not run)
```

updateSliderInput

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)
```

#### **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.

# See Also

sliderInput

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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
   # Similar to number and text. only label and value can be set for slider
   updateSliderInput(session, "inSlider",
     label = paste("Slider label", x),
     value = x)
    # For sliders that pick out a range, pass in a vector of 2 values.
   updateSliderInput(session, "inSlider2", value = c(x-1, x+1))
   # An NA means to not change that value (the low or high one)
    updateSliderInput(session, "inSlider3", value = c(NA, x+2))
 })
})
## End(Not run)
```

updateTabsetPanel

Change the selected tab on the client

# Description

Change the selected tab on the client

## Usage

```
updateTabsetPanel(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

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#### **Examples**

```
## 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")
    }
})

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

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.

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#### See Also

```
textInput
```

#### **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

# 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)</pre>
```

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.

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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.

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')
)
```

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```
# 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>
```

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**

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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.

```
validateCssUnit("10%")
validateCssUnit(400) #treated as '400px'
```

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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)
```

## **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)
```

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## **Arguments**

... Elements to include within the container

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

#### See Also

```
fluidPage, flowLayout
```

# **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")
  )
))
```

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.

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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

## **Examples**

```
withMathJax(helpText("Some math here $$\\alpha+\\beta$$"))
# now we can just write "static" content withOut withMathJax()
div("more math here $$\\sqrt{2}$$")
```

withProgress

Reporting progress (functional API)

## **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())
```

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## **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.

### **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** 

```
## Not run:
# server.R
shinyServer(function(input, output) {
  output$plot <- renderPlot({
    withProgress(message = 'Calculation in progress',</pre>
```

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```
detail = 'This may take a while...', value = 0, {
    for (i in 1:15) {
        incProgress(1/15)
        Sys.sleep(0.25)
    }
    })
    plot(cars)
})
## End(Not run)
```

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)
```

#### **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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