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# Description

convert the input sfc to a different geometry

# Usage

```
sfc_cast(sfc, to, close = TRUE)
```

# Arguments

sfc	geometry object to convert to a different geometry
	_

to the geometry to convert to.

close logical indicating if polygons should be closed

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#### **Examples**

```
df <- data.frame(</pre>
id1 = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2)
 , id2 = c(1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,1,1,1,1)
 x = c(0,0,1,1,1,1,2,2,3,4,4,3)
y = c(0,1,1,0,1,2,2,1,3,3,4,4)
pt \leftarrow sfc\_point(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "id1")
mpt \leftarrow sfc_multipoint(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", multipoint_id = "id1")
ls <- sfc_linestring(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", linestring_id = "id1")
mls \leftarrow sfc_multilinestring(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", multilinestring_id = "id1")
p <- sfc_polygon(</pre>
  obj = df
  x = x^{\prime\prime}
  , y = "y"
  , polygon_id = "id1"
  , linestring_id = "id2"
  , close = FALSE
mp <- sfc_multipolygon(</pre>
  obj = df
  , x = "x"
  , y = "y"
  , multipolygon_id = "id1"
  , linestring_id = "id2"
  , close = FALSE
)
sfc_cast( pt, "LINESTRING" )
sfc_cast( mpt, "POLYGON" )
sfc_cast( ls, "POINT" )
sfc_cast( mls, "MULTIPOLYGON" )
sfc_cast( p, "POINT" )
sfc_cast( mp, "LINESTRING" )
```

sfc\_linestring

sfc LINESTRING

#### **Description**

constructs sfc of LINESTRING objects

```
sfc_linestring(
  obj = NULL,
  x = NULL,
```

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```
y = NULL,
z = NULL,
m = NULL,
linestring_id = NULL
)
```

#### **Arguments**

```
obj sorted matrix or data.frame
x x geometry column
y y geometry column
z z geometry column
m m geometry column
linestring_id column of ids for linestrings
```

#### Value

sfc object of LINESTRING geometries

#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

```
x \leftarrow matrix(c(1:4), ncol = 2)
sfc_linestring( x )
x \leftarrow data.frame(id = 1:2, x = 1:2, y = 2:1)
sfc_linestring( x )
sfc\_linestring(x, x = "x", y = "y")
sfc\_linestring(x, x = "y", y = "x")
sfc_linestring( x, linestring_id = "id", x = "x", y = "y")
df <- data.frame(</pre>
  id = c(1,1,1,1,2,2,2)
  , x = 1:7
  y = 7:1
  z = 14:8
  m = 8:14
sfc_linestring(df, x = "x", y = "y", linestring_id = "id")
sfc\_linestring(df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z", linestring\_id = "id") sfc\_linestring(df, x = "x", y = "y", m = "m", linestring\_id = "id")
sfc_linestring(df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z", m = "m", linestring_id = "id")
```

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```
sfc_multilinestring sfc MULTILINESTRING
```

## **Description**

constructs an sfc of MULTILINESTRING objects

## Usage

```
sfc_multilinestring(
  obj = NULL,
  x = NULL,
  y = NULL,
  z = NULL,
  m = NULL,
  multilinestring_id = NULL,
  linestring_id = NULL
)
```

## **Arguments**

#### Value

```
sfc object of MULTILINESTRING geometries
```

#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

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### **Examples**

```
m \leftarrow matrix(c(0,0,0,0,1,1), ncol = 3)
sfc_multilinestring( m )
m \leftarrow matrix(c(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,1,1,1,2,2,1,2,3), ncol = 3, byrow = TRUE)
sfc_multilinestring( obj = m )
sfc_multilinestring( obj = m, multilinestring_id = 1 )
sfc_multilinestring( obj = m, linestring_id = 1 )
sfc_multilinestring( obj = m, linestring_id = 1, multilinestring_id = 1 )
sfc_multilinestring(obj = m, x = 2, y = 3)
sfc_multilinestring(obj = m, x = 1, y = 2, z = 3)
sfc_multilinestring( obj = m, x = 2, y = 3, linestring_id = 1, multilinestring_id = 1 )
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 ml_id = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2)
  , l_{id} = c(1,1,1,2,2,3,3,3,1,1,1,2,2)
  x = rnorm(13)
  , y = rnorm(13)
  z = rnorm(13)
  , m = rnorm(13)
sfc_multilinestring(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y")
sfc_{multilinestring}(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z")
sfc_multilinestring( obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z", m = "m")
sfc_{multilinestring}(obj = df, x = 2, y = 3)
sfc_multilinestring(obj = df, x = 2, y = 3, z = 4)
sfc_multilinestring(obj = df, x = 2, y = 3, z = 4, m = 5)
sfc_multilinestring( obj = df, multilinestring_id = "ml_id", linestring_id = "l_id" )
sfc_multilinestring( obj = df, multilinestring_id = 1, linestring_id = 2 )
```

sfc\_multipoint

sfc MULTIPOINT

## **Description**

constructs sfc of MULTIPOINT objects

```
sfc_multipoint(
```

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```
obj,
x = NULL,
y = NULL,
z = NULL,
m = NULL,
multipoint_id = NULL
)
```

## **Arguments**

obj	sorted matrix or data.frame
X	x geometry column
у	y geometry column
z	z geometry column
m	m geometry column
multipoint_id	column of ids for multipoints

#### Value

sfc object of MULTIPOINT geometries

## notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data.frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

```
x <- matrix( c(1:4), ncol = 2 )
sfc_multipoint( x )

x <- data.frame( id = 1:2, x = 1:2, y = 2:1 )
sfc_multipoint( x )
sfc_multipoint( x, x = "x", y = "y" )
sfc_multipoint( x, x = "y", y = "x" )
sfc_multipoint( x, multipoint_id = "id", x = "x", y = "y")</pre>
```

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sfc\_multipolygon

sfc MULTIPOLYGON

## Description

constructs an sfc of MULTIPOLYGON objects

## Usage

```
sfc_multipolygon(
  obj = NULL,
  x = NULL,
  y = NULL,
  z = NULL,
  m = NULL,
  multipolygon_id = NULL,
  polygon_id = NULL,
  linestring_id = NULL,
  close = TRUE
)
```

## **Arguments**

obj	sorted matrix or data.frame
x	x geometry column
у	y geometry column
Z	z geometry column
m	m geometry column
multipolygon_id	
	column of ids for multipolygons
polygon_id	column of ids for polygons
linestring_id	column of ids for lines (within polygons)
close	logical indicating whether polygons should be closed. If TRUE, all polygons will be checked and force closed if possible

## Value

sfc object of MULTIPOLYGON geometries

#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

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```
m \leftarrow matrix(c(0,0,0,0,1,0,0,1,1,0,0,1,0,0,0), ncol = 3, byrow = TRUE)
sfc_multipolygon( m )
df <- data.frame(</pre>
  id = c(1,1,1,1,1)
  x = c(0,0,1,1,0)
 y = c(0,1,1,0,0)
sfc_multipolygon(df, x = "x", y = "y")
df <- data.frame(</pre>
  id = c(1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2)
  x = c(0,0,1,1,0,1,1,2,2,1)
  y = c(0,1,1,0,0,1,2,2,1,1)
sfc_multipolygon( df, multipolygon_id = "id", polygon_id = "id", linestring_id = "id")
df <- data.frame(</pre>
  id1 = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1)
  , id2 = c(1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2)
  x = c(0,0,1,1,0,1,1,2,2,1)
  y = c(0,1,1,0,0,1,2,2,1,1)
sfc_multipolygon( df, multipolygon_id = "id1", polygon_id = "id2")
df <- data.frame(</pre>
  id1 = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2)
  , id2 = c(1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2,1,1,1,1,1,1)
  x = c(0,0,1,1,0,1,1,2,2,1,3,3,4,4,3)
  y = c(0,1,1,0,0,1,2,2,1,1,3,4,4,3,3)
sfc_multipolygon( df, multipolygon_id = "id1", polygon_id = "id2")
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 id1 = c(1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2)
  , id2 = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1)
  x = c(0,0,1,1,0,1,1,2,2,1)
  y = c(0,1,1,0,0,1,2,2,1,1)
sfc_multipolygon( df, multipolygon_id = "id1", polygon_id = "id2" )
sfc_multipolygon( df, polygon_id = "id1", linestring_id = "id2" )
sfc_multipolygon( df, x = "x", y = "y", polygon_id = "id1")
sfc_{multipolygon(df, x = "x", y = "y", polygon_{id} = "id1", linestring_{id} = "id2")
sfc_multipolygon( df, x = "x", y = "y", linestring_id = "id1")
sfc_multipolygon( df, x = "x", y = "y", linestring_id = "id2")
```

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sfc\_point

sfc POINT

## Description

constructs sfc of POINT objects

## Usage

```
sfc_point(obj, x = NULL, y = NULL, z = NULL, m = NULL)
```

## Arguments

obj	sorted vector, matrix or data.frame
x	x geometry column
у	y geometry column
z	z geometry column
m	m geometry column

## Value

sfc object of POINT geometries

#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

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# **Examples**

```
x <- c(1:3)
sfc_point( x )

x <- matrix( c(1:10) , ncol = 2 )
sfc_point( x )

x <- setNames( as.data.frame( x ), c("x","y") )
sfc_point( x )
sfc_point( obj = x, x = "x", y = "y" )
sfc_point( obj = x, x = "y", y = "x" )</pre>
```

sfc\_polygon

sfc POLYGON

## Description

constructs an sfc of POLYGON objects

# Usage

```
sfc_polygon(
  obj = NULL,
  x = NULL,
  y = NULL,
  z = NULL,
  m = NULL,
  polygon_id = NULL,
  linestring_id = NULL,
  close = TRUE
)
```

# Arguments

obj	sorted matrix or data.frame
X	x geometry column
у	y geometry column
z	z geometry column
m	m geometry column
polygon_id	column of ids for polygons
linestring_id	column of ids for lines (within polygons)
close	logical indicating whether polygons should be closed. If TRUE, all polygons will be checked and force closed if possible

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#### Value

sfc object of POLYGON geometries

#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

```
m \leftarrow matrix(c(0,0,0,0,1,1), ncol = 2)
sfc_polygon( m )
m \leftarrow matrix(c(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,1,1,1,2,2,1,2,3,1,3,2), ncol = 3, byrow = TRUE)
sfc_polygon( obj = m )
sfc_polygon( obj = m, polygon_id = 1 )
sfc_polygon( obj = m, linestring_id = 1 )
sfc_polygon( obj = m, linestring_id = 1, polygon_id = 1 )
sfc_polygon(obj = m, x = 2, y = 3)
sfc_polygon(obj = m, x = 1, y = 2, z = 3)
sfc_polygon( obj = m, x = 2, y = 3, linestring_id = 1, polygon_id = 1 )
df <- data.frame(</pre>
  ml_id = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2,2,2)
  , l_id = c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3,1,1,1,2,2,2)
  x = rnorm(15)
  , y = rnorm(15)
  , z = rnorm(15)
  , m = rnorm(15)
sfc_polygon(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y")
sfc_polygon(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z")
sfc_polygon(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z", m = "m")
sfc_polygon(obj = df, x = 2, y = 3)
sfc_polygon(obj = df, x = 2, y = 3, z = 4)
sfc_polygon(obj = df, x = 2, y = 3, z = 4, m = 5)
sfc_polygon( obj = df, polygon_id = "ml_id", linestring_id = "l_id" )
sfc_polygon( obj = df, polygon_id = 1, linestring_id = 2 )
```

sfc\_to\_df

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sfc to df

# Description

Converts an sfc object to a data.frame

## Usage

```
sfc_to_df(sfc)
```

## **Arguments**

sfc

sfc object

## **Examples**

sfg\_linestring

sfg linestring

## Description

```
constructs sfg LINESTRING object
```

```
sfg_linestring(obj, x = NULL, y = NULL, z = NULL, m = NULL)
```

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### **Arguments**

obj	matrix or data.frame
X	x geometry column
у	y geometry column
Z	z geometry column
m	m geometry column

#### Value

sfg object of LINESTRING geometry

## **Examples**

```
sfg_linestring( 1:2 )
sfg_linestring( 1:3 )
sfg_linestring( 1:4 )

sfg_linestring( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 2 ) )
sfg_linestring( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 3 ) )
sfg_linestring( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 4 ) )

sfg_linestring( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 4 ) , x = 3, y = 2, z = 3)

sfg_linestring( data.frame( x = 1:10, y = 11:20 ) )
sfg_linestring( data.frame( x = 1:10, y = 11:20, z = 21:30 ) )
sfg_linestring( data.frame( x = 1:10, y = 11:20, z = 21:30 ) , x = "x", y = "z" )
```

sfg\_multilinestring sfg multilinestring

## **Description**

constructs sfg MULTILINESTRING object

```
sfg_multilinestring(
  obj,
  x = NULL,
  y = NULL,
  z = NULL,
  m = NULL,
  linestring_id = NULL
)
```

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### **Arguments**

obj	matrix or data.frame
x	x geometry column
У	y geometry column
Z	z geometry column
m	m geometry column
linestring_id	column of ids for lines

#### Value

sfg object of MULTILINESTRING geometry

## **Examples**

```
sfg_multilinestring( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 2 ) )
sfg_multilinestring( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 3 ) )
sfg_multilinestring( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 4 ) )

## different lines
m <- cbind( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 2 ), c(rep(1, 6), rep(2, 6) ) )
sfg_multilinestring( obj = m, x = 1, y = 2, linestring_id = 3 )

## just specifying linestring_id will use all others as the geometries
sfg_multilinestring( obj = m, linestring_id = 3 )

df <- data.frame( x = 1:12, y = 1:12, z = 13:24, id = c(rep(1,6), rep(2,6)))
sfg_multilinestring( df, x = "x", y = "y" )
sfg_multilinestring( df, inestring_id = "id" )

sfg_multilinestring( df, linestring_id = "id" )</pre>
```

sfg\_multipoint

sfg multipoint

# Description

```
constructs sfg MULTIPOINT object
```

```
sfg_multipoint(obj, x = NULL, y = NULL, z = NULL, m = NULL)
```

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## Arguments

obj	matrix or data.frame
x	x geometry column
У	y geometry column
z	z geometry column
m	m geometry column

#### Value

sfg object of MULTIPOINT geometry

#### **Examples**

```
sfg_multipoint( 1:2 )
sfg_multipoint( 1:3 )
sfg_multipoint( 1:4 )
sfg_multipoint( matrix( 1:3, ncol = 3 ) )
sfg_multipoint( data.frame( x = 1, y = 2, z = 3 ) )
sfg_multipoint( matrix( 1:4, ncol = 2 ) )
sfg_multipoint( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 2, byrow = TRUE ) )
sfg_multipoint( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 3, byrow = TRUE ) )
sfg_multipoint( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 4, byrow = TRUE ) )
sfg_multipoint( data.frame( x = 1:5, y = 1:5 ) )
## using columns
sfg_multipoint( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 4, byrow = TRUE ), x = 1, y = 2 )
sfg_multipoint( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 4, byrow = TRUE ), x = 1, y = 2, z = 3 )
sfg_multipoint( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 4, byrow = TRUE ), x = 3, y = 4 )
df \leftarrow data.frame(x = 1:5, y = 1:5, z = 11:15, m = 11:15)
sfg_multipoint( df, x = "x", y = "y")
sfg_multipoint( df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z")
sfg_multipoint( df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z", m = "m")
```

sfg\_multipolygon

sfg multipolygon

## **Description**

constructs sfg MULTIPOLYGON object

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## Usage

```
sfg_multipolygon(
  obj,
  x = NULL,
  y = NULL,
  z = NULL,
  m = NULL,
  polygon_id = NULL,
  linestring_id = NULL,
  close = TRUE
)
```

## **Arguments**

obj	matrix or data.frame
Х	x geometry column
У	y geometry column
z	z geometry column
m	m geometry column
polygon_id	column of ids for polygons (within the multipolygon)
linestring_id	column of ids for lines (within polygons)
close	logical indicating whether polygons should be closed. If TRUE, all polygons will be checked and force closed if possible

#### Value

sfg object of MULTIPOLYGON geometry

```
df <- data.frame(
   polygon_id = c(rep(1, 5), rep(2, 10))
   , line_id = c(rep(1, 10), rep(2, 5))
   , x = c(0,0,1,1,0,2,2,5,5,2,3,3,4,4,3)
   , y = c(0,1,1,0,0,2,5,5,2,2,3,4,4,3,3)
   , z = c(1)
   , m = c(1)
)

m <- as.matrix( df )

sfg_multipolygon( df[, c("x","y") ] )

sfg_multipolygon(
   df, x = "x", y = "y", polygon_id = "polygon_id", linestring_id = "line_id"
   )
   sfg_multipolygon(</pre>
```

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```
df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z", polygon_id = "polygon_id", linestring_id = "line_id"
)
sfg_multipolygon(
    df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z", m = "m", polygon_id = "polygon_id", linestring_id = "line_id"
)
sfg_multipolygon(
    m, x = "x", y = "y", polygon_id = "polygon_id", linestring_id = "line_id"
)
sfg_multipolygon(
    m, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z", polygon_id = "polygon_id", linestring_id = "line_id"
)
sfg_multipolygon(
    m, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z", polygon_id = "polygon_id", linestring_id = "line_id"
)
sfg_multipolygon(
    m, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z", m = "m", polygon_id = "polygon_id", linestring_id = "line_id"
)
```

sfg\_point

sfg point

#### **Description**

constructs sfg POINT object

## Usage

```
sfg_point(obj, x = NULL, y = NULL, z = NULL, m = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

obj	matrix or data.frame
х	x geometry column
у	y geometry column
z	z geometry column
m	m geometry column

#### Value

sfg object of POINT geometry

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## **Examples**

```
sfg_point(1:2)
sfg_point( 1:3 )
sfg_point(1:4)
sfg_point( matrix( 1:3, ncol = 3 ) )
sfg_point(data.frame(x = 1, y = 2, z = 3))
sfg_point( data.frame( x = 1, y = 2, z = 3 ), x = "x", y = "y" )
sfg_point( data.frame( x = 1, y = 2, z = 3 ), x = 1, y = 3 )
```

sfg\_polygon

sfg polygon

## Description

constructs sfg POLYGON object

## Usage

```
sfg_polygon(
 obj,
 x = NULL
 y = NULL,
 z = NULL
 m = NULL
 linestring_id = NULL,
 close = TRUE
)
```

## **Arguments**

obj	matrix or data.frame
x	x geometry column
У	y geometry column
Z	z geometry column
m	m geometry column
linestring_id	column of ids for lines (wit

thin polygons)

logical indicating whether polygons should be closed. If TRUE, all polygons will be checked and force closed if possible

## Value

close

```
sfg object of POLYGON geometry
```

sfg\_to\_df

### **Examples**

```
sfg_polygon( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 2 ) )
sfg_polygon( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 3 ) )
sfg_polygon( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 4 ) )

## different lines
m <- cbind( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 2 ), c(rep(1, 6), rep(2, 6) ) )
sfg_polygon( obj = m, x = 1, y = 2, linestring_id = 3 )

## just specifying linestring_id will use all others as the geometries
sfg_polygon( obj = m, linestring_id = 3 )

df <- data.frame( x = 1:12, y = 1:12, z = 13:24, id = c(rep(1,6), rep(2,6)))
sfg_polygon( df, x = "x", y = "y" )
sfg_polygon( df, x = "x", y = "y", linestring_id = "id" )

sfg_polygon( df, linestring_id = "id" )</pre>
```

sfg\_to\_df

sfg to df

#### **Description**

Converts an sfg object to a data.frame

## Usage

```
sfg_to_df(sfg)
```

## Arguments

sfg

sfg object

```
sfg <- sfg_point( obj = c(1,2) )
df <- sfg_to_df( sfg )

m <- cbind( matrix( 1:24, ncol = 2 ), c(rep(1, 6), rep(2, 6) ) )
sfg <- sfg_polygon( obj = m, x = 1, y = 2, linestring_id = 3 )
df <- sfg_to_df( sfg )</pre>
```

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sf\_bbox

sf bbox

## **Description**

Calculates the bounding box of coordinates. This does not read the "bbox" attribute, it re-calculates the bounding box from the geometry coordinates

## Usage

```
sf_box(obj, x = NULL, y = NULL)
```

## Arguments

```
obj matrix, data.frame, sfg, sfc or sf object.
x x geometry column
y y geometry column
```

```
## data.frame
df <- data.frame(</pre>
id1 = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2)
 , id2 = c(1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,1,1,1,1)
 x = c(0,0,1,1,1,1,2,2,3,4,4,3)
 y = c(0,1,1,0,1,2,2,1,3,3,4,4)
sf_bbox( obj = df[, c("x","y")] )
sf_box(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y")
## sfg objects
pt <- sfg_point(obj = df[1, ], x = "x", y = "y", z = "id1")
mpt <- sfg_multipoint(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y")</pre>
ls <- sfg_linestring(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y")
mls <- sfg_multilinestring(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y")</pre>
p \leftarrow sfg_polygon(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y")
mp <- sfg_multipolygon(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", close = FALSE )
sf_bbox( pt )
sf_bbox( mpt )
sf_bbox(ls)
sf_bbox( mls )
sf_bbox(p)
sf_bbox( mp )
## sfc objects
pt <- sfc_point(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "id1")
```

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```
mpt \leftarrow sfc_multipoint(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", multipoint_id = "id1")
ls <- sfc_linestring(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", linestring_id = "id1")</pre>
mls <- sfc_multilinestring(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", multilinestring_id = "id1")</pre>
p <- sfc_polygon(</pre>
 obj = df
  x = x^{\prime\prime}
  , y = "y"
  , polygon_id = "id1"
  , linestring_id = "id2"
  , close = FALSE
mp <- sfc_multipolygon(</pre>
  obj = df
  , x = "x"
  , y = "y"
  , multipolygon_id = "id1"
  , linestring_id = "id2"
  , close = FALSE
  )
sf_bbox( pt )
sf_bbox( mpt )
sf_bbox( ls )
sf_bbox( mls )
sf_bbox( p )
sf_bbox( mp )
## sf objects
pt <- sf_point(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "id1")
mpt <- sf_multipoint(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", multipoint_id = "id1")</pre>
ls <- sf_linestring(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", linestring_id = "id1")</pre>
mls <- sf_multilinestring(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", multilinestring_id = "id1")</pre>
p <- sf_polygon(</pre>
  obj = df
  , x = "x"
  , y = "y"
  , polygon_id = "id1"
  , linestring_id = "id2"
  , close = FALSE
mp <- sf_multipolygon(</pre>
  obj = df
  , x = "x"
  , y = "y"
  , multipolygon_id = "id1"
  , linestring_id = "id2"
  , close = FALSE
sf_bbox( pt )
sf_bbox( mpt )
sf_bbox( ls )
sf_bbox( mls )
```

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```
sf_bbox( p )
sf_bbox( mp )

## you can use it to update a bounding-box if it gets corrupted
attr( mpt, "bbox" ) <- c(1:5)
mpt ## incorrect values
attr( mpt, "bbox" ) <- sf_bbox( mpt )
mpt ## back to correct values</pre>
```

sf\_boxes

sf boxes

# Description

returns the bounding box of each geometry

## Usage

```
sf_boxes(obj)
```

## **Arguments**

obj

sf, sfc or sfg object

```
df <- data.frame(
  id1 = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2)
  , id2 = c(1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,1,1,1,1)
  , x = c(0,0,1,1,1,2,2,3,4,4,3)
  , y = c(0,1,1,0,1,2,2,1,3,3,4,4)
)

sf_line <- sfheaders::sf_linestring(
  obj = df
   , x = "x"
   , y = "y"
   , linestring_id = "id1"
)

sf_boxes( sf_line )</pre>
```

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sf\_cast sf cast

#### **Description**

convert the input sf to a different geometry

# Usage

```
sf_cast(sf, to, close = TRUE, list_columns = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

sf object to convert

to the geometry to convert to.

close logical indicating if polygons should be closed

list\_columns vector of column names or indexes. List columns are columns of data where

there is a value corresponding to each coordinate in the geometry (sfc). List

columns get cast with the geometries.

```
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 id1 = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2)
 , id2 = c(1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,1,1,1,1)
 x = c(0,0,1,1,1,1,2,2,3,4,4,3)
 y = c(0,1,1,0,1,2,2,1,3,3,4,4)
pt <- sf_point(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "id1")
mpt \leftarrow sf_multipoint(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", multipoint_id = "id1")
ls <- sf_linestring(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", linestring_id = "id1")</pre>
mls <- sf_multilinestring(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", multilinestring_id = "id1")
p <- sf_polygon(</pre>
  obj = df
  , \chi = "\chi"
  y = y''
  , polygon_id = "id1"
  , linestring_id = "id2"
  , close = FALSE
mp <- sf_multipolygon(</pre>
  obj = df
  , x = x''
  , y = "y"
  , multipolygon_id = "id1"
  , linestring_id = "id2"
```

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```
, close = FALSE
sf_cast( pt, "LINESTRING" )
sf_cast( mpt, "POLYGON" )
sf_cast( ls, "POINT" )
sf_cast( mls, "MULTIPOLYGON" )
sf_cast( p, "POINT" )
sf_cast( mp, "LINESTRING" )
## List Columns
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 id1 = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2)
 , id2 = c(1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,1,1,1,1)
 , x = c(0,0,1,1,1,1,2,2,3,4,4,3)
 y = c(0,1,1,0,1,2,2,1,3,3,4,4)
## Add a column where each value is an attribute of each coordinate
df$val <- letters[1:nrow(df)]</pre>
## Make a multipolygon, and specify `val` as a list_column
mp <- sf_multipolygon(</pre>
  obj = df
  x = x
  , y = "y"
  , multipolygon_id = "id1"
  , linestring_id = "id2"
  , list_column = "val"
  , keep = TRUE
  , close = FALSE
## The 'val' attributes follow the same structure as the geometry column
## So each 'val' corresponds to a single coordinate in the geometry
str( mp )
## specifying `list_columns = "val"` when casting will retain the association
## between the 'val' attribute and each coordinate.
res <- sf_cast( mp, "LINESTRING", list_columns = "val" )</pre>
## The 'val' attribute still follows the same structure as the geometry column
str( res )
```

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#### **Description**

Constructs of LINESTRING objects, a helper for sf\_linestring() with a simpler syntax.

#### Usage

```
sf_line(obj, keep = FALSE, list_columns = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

obj sorted matrix or data.frame

keep logical indicating if the non-geometry and non-id columns should be kept. if

TRUE you must supply the geometry and id columns, and only the first row of

each geometry is kept. See Keeping Properties.

list\_columns vector of column names to turn into a list.

#### Value

sf object of LINESTRING geometries

### Helpers

These are simpler versions of the main functions sf\_point(), sf\_multipoint(), sf\_linestring(), sf\_multilinestring(), sf\_polygon(), and sf\_multipolygon() for input data frame or matrix that contains columns appropriately of 'x', 'y', 'z', 'm', ' multipolygon\_id', polygon\_id', 'multi-linestring\_id', 'linestring\_id', 'multipoint\_id'.

This puts the onus of the naming and identification of entities onto the input data set, rather than when calling the creator function. This has pros and cons, so is not necessarily always 'simpler'. Please choose the appropriate constructor for the context you have. For examples a data frame from the real world with columns 'lon', 'lat', 'line' will be best used with

```
sf_linestring(df, x = "lon", y = "lat", linestring_id = "line")
```

whereas a heavy user of sfheaders might always create a data frame with 'x', 'y', 'linestring\_id' precisely because they are expecting to call sf\_line(df) and no further work is required. These are very different contexts and both equally valid.

Some columns are mandatory, such as 'x' and 'y' (always), while others depend on the output type where each column for that type is mandatory. The 'z' and/or 'm' values are included for 'XYZ', 'XYM', or 'XYZM' geometry types if and as they are present.

In summary these helpers:

- do not require arguments declaring column names.
- use assumed default column names, with no variation or absence allowed for a given type.
- use z, and/or m if present.
- use close = FALSE and keep = FALSE same as proper constructors.
- unlike sf\_point() sf\_pt() does not accept a flat vector for a single point.
- require a matrix or data frame with complete column names.

None of the helpers allow partial name matching for column names.

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#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

## **Keeping Properties**

Setting keep = TRUE will retain any columns not specified as a coordinate (x, y, z, m) or an id  $(e.g., linestring_id, polygon_id)$  of the input obj.

You can use list\_columns to specify which of the properties will be turned into a list, thus keeping all the values in the column. For columns not specified in list\_columns, only the first row of the column is kept

The sf\_\* functions assume the input obj is a long data.frame / matrix, where any properties are repeated down the table for the same geometry.

## **Examples**

```
x <- cbind(x = 1:2, y = 3:4, linestring_id = 1)
sf_line( x )

x <- data.frame( linestring_id = rep(1:2, each = 2), x = 1:4, y = 4:1 )
(sfx <- sf_line( x ))

## we trivially round-trip with sf_line()
sf_line(sf_to_df(sfx))</pre>
```

sf\_linestring

sf LINESTRING

#### **Description**

constructs sf of LINESTRING objects

```
sf_linestring(
  obj = NULL,
  x = NULL,
  y = NULL,
  z = NULL,
  m = NULL,
  linestring_id = NULL,
  keep = FALSE,
  list_columns = NULL
)
```

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## Arguments

obj	sorted matrix or data.frame
X	x geometry column
У	y geometry column
Z	z geometry column
m	m geometry column
linestring_id	column of ids for linestrings
keep	logical indicating if the non-geometry and non-id columns should be kept. if TRUE you must supply the geometry and id columns, and only the first row of each geometry is kept. See Keeping Properties.
list_columns	vector of column names to turn into a list.

#### Value

sf object of LINESTRING geometries

#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data.frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

#### **Keeping Properties**

Setting keep = TRUE will retain any columns not specified as a coordinate (x, y, z, m) or an id  $(e.g., linestring_id, polygon_id)$  of the input obj.

You can use list\_columns to specify which of the properties will be turned into a list, thus keeping all the values in the column. For columns not specified in list\_columns, only the first row of the column is kept

The sf\_\* functions assume the input obj is a long data.frame / matrix, where any properties are repeated down the table for the same geometry.

```
x <- matrix( c(1:8), ncol = 2 )
sf_linestring( x )

x <- cbind( x, c(1,1,2,2) )
sf_linestring( obj = x, x = 1, y = 2 )
sf_linestring( obj = x, x = 1, y = 2, linestring_id = 3 )

x <- data.frame( line_id = 1:2, x = 1:2, y = 2:1 )
sf_linestring( x )
sf_linestring( x, x = "x", y = "y" )
sf_linestring( x, x = "y", y = "x" )
sf_linestring( x, linestring_id = "line_id", x = "x", y = "y")</pre>
```

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```
## keeping properties
x <- data.frame(
    line_id = c(1,1,2,2)
    , x = 1:4
    , y = 4:1
    , val = letters[1:4]
    , stringsAsFactors = FALSE
)

## first-row of 'val' is kept
sf_linestring( x, x = "x", y = "y", keep = TRUE )
sf_linestring( x, linestring_id = "line_id", x = "x", y = "y", keep = TRUE )

## 'val' column converted to a list
sf_linestring( x, linestring_id = "id", x = "x", y = "y", keep = TRUE, list_columns = "val" )</pre>
```

sf\_mline

Helper for sf MULTILINESTRING

## **Description**

Constructs sf of MULTILINESTRING objects, a helper for sf\_multilinestring() with a simpler syntax.

## Usage

```
sf_mline(obj, keep = FALSE, list_columns = NULL)
```

## **Arguments**

obj sorted matrix or data.frame

keep logical indicating if the non-geometry and non-id columns should be kept. if

TRUE you must supply the geometry and id columns, and only the first row of

each geometry is kept. See Keeping Properties.

list\_columns vector of column names to turn into a list.

## Value

```
sf object of MULTILINESTRING geometries
```

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#### **Helpers**

These are simpler versions of the main functions sf\_point(), sf\_multipoint(), sf\_linestring(), sf\_multilinestring(), sf\_polygon(), and sf\_multipolygon() for input data frame or matrix that contains columns appropriately of 'x', 'y', 'z', 'm', ' multipolygon\_id', polygon\_id', 'multi-linestring id', 'linestring id', 'multipoint id'.

This puts the onus of the naming and identification of entities onto the input data set, rather than when calling the creator function. This has pros and cons, so is not necessarily always 'simpler'. Please choose the appropriate constructor for the context you have. For examples a data frame from the real world with columns 'lon', 'lat', 'line' will be best used with

```
sf_linestring(df, x = "lon", y = "lat", linestring_id = "line")
```

whereas a heavy user of sfheaders might always create a data frame with 'x', 'y', 'linestring\_id' precisely because they are expecting to call sf\_line(df) and no further work is required. These are very different contexts and both equally valid.

Some columns are mandatory, such as 'x' and 'y' (always), while others depend on the output type where each column for that type is mandatory. The 'z' and/or 'm' values are included for 'XYZ', 'XYM', or 'XYZM' geometry types if and as they are present.

In summary these helpers:

- do not require arguments declaring column names.
- use assumed default column names, with no variation or absence allowed for a given type.
- use z, and/or m if present.
- use close = FALSE and keep = FALSE same as proper constructors.
- unlike sf\_point() sf\_pt() does not accept a flat vector for a single point.
- require a matrix or data frame with complete column names.

None of the helpers allow partial name matching for column names.

#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data.frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

## **Keeping Properties**

Setting keep = TRUE will retain any columns not specified as a coordinate (x, y, z, m) or an id (e.g., linestring id, polygon id) of the input obj.

You can use list\_columns to specify which of the properties will be turned into a list, thus keeping all the values in the column. For columns not specified in list\_columns, only the first row of the column is kept

The sf\_\* functions assume the input obj is a long data.frame / matrix, where any properties are repeated down the table for the same geometry.

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#### **Examples**

```
m \leftarrow cbind(x = 0, y = 0, multilinestring_id = c(1, 1, 1), linestring_id = 1)
sf_mline( m )
df <- data.frame(</pre>
  multilinestring_id = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2)
       linestring_id = c(1,1,1,2,2,3,3,3,1,1,1,2,2)
  x = rnorm(13)
  , y = rnorm(13)
  z = rnorm(13)
  , m = rnorm(13)
)
sf_mline(obj = df)
sf_mline(obj = df[-6])
## this gives XYZ, not XYM see #64
(sfx \leftarrow sf_mline(obj = df[-5]))
## we trivially round-trip with sf_mline()
sf_mline(sf_to_df(sfx))
## to round-trip with all fields use `fill`, then `keep`
sf_mline(sf_to_df(sfx, fill = TRUE), keep = TRUE)
```

sf\_mpoly

Helper for sf MULTIPOLYGON

## **Description**

Constructs sf of MULTIPOLYGON objects, a helper for sf\_multipolygon() with a simpler syntax.

## Usage

```
sf_mpoly(obj, close = TRUE, keep = FALSE, list_columns = NULL)
```

# Arguments

obj	sorted matrix or data.frame
close	logical indicating whether polygons should be closed. If TRUE, all polygons will be checked and force closed if possible
keep	logical indicating if the non-geometry and non-id columns should be kept. if TRUE you must supply the geometry and id columns, and only the first row of each geometry is kept. See Keeping Properties.
list_columns	vector of column names to turn into a list.

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#### Value

sf object of MULTIPOLYGON geometries

#### **Helpers**

These are simpler versions of the main functions sf\_point(), sf\_multipoint(), sf\_linestring(), sf\_multilinestring(), sf\_polygon(), and sf\_multipolygon() for input data frame or matrix that contains columns appropriately of 'x', 'y', 'z', 'm', ' multipolygon\_id', polygon\_id', 'multilinestring id', 'linestring id', 'multipoint id'.

This puts the onus of the naming and identification of entities onto the input data set, rather than when calling the creator function. This has pros and cons, so is not necessarily always 'simpler'. Please choose the appropriate constructor for the context you have. For examples a data frame from the real world with columns 'lon', 'lat', 'line' will be best used with

```
sf_linestring(df, x = "lon", y = "lat", linestring_id = "line")
```

whereas a heavy user of sfheaders might always create a data frame with 'x', 'y', 'linestring\_id' precisely because they are expecting to call sf\_line(df) and no further work is required. These are very different contexts and both equally valid.

Some columns are mandatory, such as 'x' and 'y' (always), while others depend on the output type where each column for that type is mandatory. The 'z' and/or 'm' values are included for 'XYZ', 'XYM', or 'XYZM' geometry types if and as they are present.

In summary these helpers:

- do not require arguments declaring column names.
- use assumed default column names, with no variation or absence allowed for a given type.
- use z, and/or m if present.
- use close = FALSE and keep = FALSE same as proper constructors.
- unlike sf\_point() sf\_pt() does not accept a flat vector for a single point.
- require a matrix or data frame with complete column names.

None of the helpers allow partial name matching for column names.

#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data.frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

## **Keeping Properties**

Setting keep = TRUE will retain any columns not specified as a coordinate (x, y, z, m) or an id (e.g., linestring\_id, polygon\_id) of the input obj.

You can use list\_columns to specify which of the properties will be turned into a list, thus keeping all the values in the column. For columns not specified in list\_columns, only the first row of the column is kept

The sf\_\* functions assume the input obj is a long data.frame / matrix, where any properties are repeated down the table for the same geometry.

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### **Examples**

sf\_mpt

Helper for sf MULTIPOINT

## **Description**

Constructs sf of MULTIPOINT objects, a helper for sf\_multipoint() with a simpler syntax.

#### Usage

```
sf_mpt(obj, keep = FALSE, list_columns = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

obj sorted vector, matrix or data.frame

keep logical indicating if the non-geometry and non-id columns should be kept. if

TRUE you must supply the geometry and id columns, and only the first row of

each geometry is kept. See Keeping Properties.

list\_columns vector of column names to turn into a list.

#### Value

```
sf object of MULTIPOINT geometries
```

## Helpers

These are simpler versions of the main functions sf\_point(), sf\_multipoint(), sf\_linestring(), sf\_multilinestring(), sf\_polygon(), and sf\_multipolygon() for input data frame or matrix that contains columns appropriately of 'x', 'y', 'z', 'm', ' multipolygon\_id', polygon\_id', 'multilinestring\_id', 'linestring\_id', 'multipoint\_id'.

This puts the onus of the naming and identification of entities onto the input data set, rather than when calling the creator function. This has pros and cons, so is not necessarily always 'simpler'.

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Please choose the appropriate constructor for the context you have. For examples a data frame from the real world with columns 'lon', 'lat', 'line' will be best used with

```
sf_linestring(df, x = "lon", y = "lat", linestring_id = "line")
```

whereas a heavy user of sfheaders might always create a data frame with 'x', 'y', 'linestring\_id' precisely because they are expecting to call sf\_line(df) and no further work is required. These are very different contexts and both equally valid.

Some columns are mandatory, such as 'x' and 'y' (always), while others depend on the output type where each column for that type is mandatory. The 'z' and/or 'm' values are included for 'XYZ', 'XYM', or 'XYZM' geometry types if and as they are present.

In summary these helpers:

- do not require arguments declaring column names.
- use assumed default column names, with no variation or absence allowed for a given type.
- use z, and/or m if present.
- use close = FALSE and keep = FALSE same as proper constructors.
- unlike sf\_point() sf\_pt() does not accept a flat vector for a single point.
- require a matrix or data frame with complete column names.

None of the helpers allow partial name matching for column names.

#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data.frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

#### **Keeping Properties**

Setting keep = TRUE will retain any columns not specified as a coordinate (x, y, z, m) or an id  $(e.g., linestring_id, polygon_id)$  of the input obj.

You can use list\_columns to specify which of the properties will be turned into a list, thus keeping all the values in the column. For columns not specified in list\_columns, only the first row of the column is kept

The sf\_\* functions assume the input obj is a long data.frame / matrix, where any properties are repeated down the table for the same geometry.

```
x <- cbind(x = 1:2, y = 3:4, multipoint_id = 1, ncol = 2)
sf_mpt( x )

x <- data.frame( id = 1:2, x = 1:2, y = 2:1, multipoint_id = 1)
sf_mpt( x )
sf_mpt( x, keep = TRUE)
x <- data.frame(multipoint_id = 1:2, id = 1:2, x = 1:2, y = 2:1)
(sfx <- sf_mpt(x))</pre>
```

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```
## we trivially round-trip with sf_mpt()
sf_mpt(sf_to_df(sfx))
```

sf\_multilinestring

sf MULTILINESTRING

# Description

constructs an sf of MULTILINESTRING objects

## Usage

```
sf_multilinestring(
  obj = NULL,
  x = NULL,
  y = NULL,
  z = NULL,
  m = NULL,
  multilinestring_id = NULL,
  linestring_id = NULL,
  keep = FALSE,
  list_columns = NULL
)
```

# Arguments

obj	sorted matrix or data.frame
x	x geometry column
У	y geometry column
z	z geometry column
m	m geometry column
multilinestring_id	
	column of ids for multilinestrings
linestring_id	column of ids for linestrings (within multilinestrings)
keep	logical indicating if the non-geometry and non-id columns should be kept. if TRUE you must supply the geometry and id columns, and only the first row of each geometry is kept. See Keeping Properties.
list_columns	vector of column names to turn into a list.

#### Value

```
sf object of MULTILINESTRING geometries
```

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#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

## **Keeping Properties**

Setting keep = TRUE will retain any columns not specified as a coordinate (x, y, z, m) or an id  $(e.g., linestring_id, polygon_id)$  of the input obj.

You can use list\_columns to specify which of the properties will be turned into a list, thus keeping all the values in the column. For columns not specified in list\_columns, only the first row of the column is kept

The sf\_\* functions assume the input obj is a long data.frame / matrix, where any properties are repeated down the table for the same geometry.

```
m \leftarrow matrix(c(0,0,0,0,1,1), ncol = 3)
sf_multilinestring( m )
m \leftarrow matrix(c(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,1,1,1,2,2,1,2,3), ncol = 3, byrow = TRUE)
sf_multilinestring( obj = m )
sf_multilinestring( obj = m, multilinestring_id = 1 )
sf_multilinestring( obj = m, linestring_id = 1 )
sf_multilinestring( obj = m, linestring_id = 1, multilinestring_id = 1 )
sf_{multilinestring}(obj = m, x = 2, y = 3)
sf_{multilinestring}(obj = m, x = 1, y = 2, z = 3)
sf_multilinestring( obj = m, x = 2, y = 3, linestring_id = 1, multilinestring_id = 1)
df <- data.frame(</pre>
  ml_id = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2)
  , l_id = c(1,1,1,2,2,3,3,3,1,1,1,2,2)
  , x = rnorm(13)
  , y = rnorm(13)
  z = rnorm(13)
  , m = rnorm(13)
sf_{multilinestring}(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y")
sf_multilinestring(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z")
sf_multilinestring( obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z", m = "m")
sf_{multilinestring}(obj = df, x = 3, y = 4)
sf_{multilinestring}(obj = df, x = 3, y = 4, z = 5)
sf_{multilinestring}(obj = df, x = 3, y = 4, z = 5, m = 6)
sf_multilinestring( obj = df, multilinestring_id = "ml_id", linestring_id = "l_id" )
```

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```
sf_multilinestring( obj = df, multilinestring_id = 1, linestring_id = 2 )
```

sf\_multipoint

sf MULTIPOINT

# Description

constructs sf of MULTIPOINT objects

# Usage

```
sf_multipoint(
  obj,
  x = NULL,
  y = NULL,
  z = NULL,
  m = NULL,
  multipoint_id = NULL,
  keep = FALSE,
  list_columns = NULL
)
```

## **Arguments**

obj	sorted matrix or data.frame
X	x geometry column
у	y geometry column
Z	z geometry column
m	m geometry column
multipoint_id	column of ids for multipoints
keep	logical indicating if the non-geometry and non-id columns should be kept. if TRUE you must supply the geometry and id columns, and only the first row of each geometry is kept. See Keeping Properties.
list_columns	vector of column names to turn into a list.

#### Value

sf object of MULTIPOINT geometries

#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

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## **Keeping Properties**

Setting keep = TRUE will retain any columns not specified as a coordinate (x, y, z, m) or an id (e.g., linestring\_id, polygon\_id) of the input obj.

You can use list\_columns to specify which of the properties will be turned into a list, thus keeping all the values in the column. For columns not specified in list\_columns, only the first row of the column is kept

The sf\_\* functions assume the input obj is a long data.frame / matrix, where any properties are repeated down the table for the same geometry.

## **Examples**

```
x <- matrix( c(1:4), ncol = 2 )
sf_multipoint( x )

x <- data.frame( id = 1:2, x = 1:2, y = 2:1 )
sf_multipoint( x )
sf_multipoint( x, x = "x", y = "y" )
sf_multipoint( x, x = "y", y = "x" )
sf_multipoint( x, multipoint_id = "id", x = "x", y = "y")</pre>
```

sf\_multipolygon

sf MULTIPOLYGON

# Description

constructs an sf of MULTIPOLYGON objects

#### Usage

```
sf_multipolygon(
  obj = NULL,
  x = NULL,
  y = NULL,
  z = NULL,
  m = NULL,
  multipolygon_id = NULL,
  polygon_id = NULL,
  linestring_id = NULL,
  close = TRUE,
  keep = FALSE,
  list_columns = NULL
)
```

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#### **Arguments**

	obj	sorted matrix or data.frame
	x	x geometry column
	У	y geometry column
	z	z geometry column
	m	m geometry column
multipolygon_id		
		column of ids for multipolygons
	polygon_id	column of ids for polygons
	linestring_id	column of ids for lines (within polygons)
	close	logical indicating whether polygons should be closed. If TRUE, all polygons will be checked and force closed if possible $$
	keep	logical indicating if the non-geometry and non-id columns should be kept. if TRUE you must supply the geometry and id columns, and only the first row of each geometry is kept. See Keeping Properties.
	list_columns	vector of column names to turn into a list.

#### Value

sf object of MULTIPOLYGON geometries

#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

# **Keeping Properties**

Setting keep = TRUE will retain any columns not specified as a coordinate (x, y, z, m) or an id  $(e.g., linestring_id, polygon_id)$  of the input obj.

You can use list\_columns to specify which of the properties will be turned into a list, thus keeping all the values in the column. For columns not specified in list\_columns, only the first row of the column is kept

The sf\_\* functions assume the input obj is a long data.frame / matrix, where any properties are repeated down the table for the same geometry.

## **Examples**

```
m <- matrix(c(0,0,0,0,1,0,0,1,1,0,0,1,0,0,0), ncol = 3, byrow = TRUE )
sf_multipolygon( m )

df <- data.frame(
  id = c(1,1,1,1,1)</pre>
```

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```
x = c(0,0,1,1,0)
 y = c(0,1,1,0,0)
sf_{multipolygon}(df, x = "x", y = "y")
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 id = c(1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2)
 x = c(0,0,1,1,0,1,1,2,2,1)
 y = c(0,1,1,0,0,1,2,2,1,1)
sf_multipolygon( df, multipolygon_id = "id", polygon_id = "id", linestring_id = "id")
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 id1 = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1)
 , id2 = c(1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2)
 x = c(0,0,1,1,0,1,1,2,2,1)
 y = c(0,1,1,0,0,1,2,2,1,1)
sf_multipolygon( df, multipolygon_id = "id1", polygon_id = "id2")
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 id1 = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2)
  , id2 = c(1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2,1,1,1,1,1,1)
 x = c(0,0,1,1,0,1,1,2,2,1,3,3,4,4,3)
 , y = c(0,1,1,0,0,1,2,2,1,1,3,4,4,3,3)
sf_multipolygon( df, multipolygon_id = "id1", polygon_id = "id2")
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 id1 = c(1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2)
 , id2 = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1)
 , x = c(0,0,1,1,0,1,1,2,2,1)
 y = c(0,1,1,0,0,1,2,2,1,1)
sf_multipolygon( df, multipolygon_id = "id1", polygon_id = "id2" )
sf_multipolygon( df, polygon_id = "id1", linestring_id = "id2" )
sf_{multipolygon(df, x = "x", y = "y", polygon_id = "id1")}
sf_{multipolygon}(df, x = "x", y = "y", polygon_id = "id1", linestring_id = "id2")
sf_multipolygon( df, x = "x", y = "y", linestring_id = "id1")
sf_multipolygon( df, x = "x", y = "y", linestring_id = "id2")
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 , id2 = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1)
 x = c(0,0,1,1,0,1,1,2,2,1)
 y = c(0,1,1,0,0,1,2,2,1,1)
```

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```
sf_multipolygon( df, x = "x", y = "y", polygon_id = "id1")
```

sf_point	sf POINT
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#### Description

constructs sf of POINT objects

## Usage

```
sf_point(obj, x = NULL, y = NULL, z = NULL, m = NULL, keep = FALSE)
```

#### **Arguments**

obj	sorted vector, matrix or data.frame
X	x geometry column
У	y geometry column
Z	z geometry column
m	m geometry column
keep	logical indicating if the non-geometry and non-id columns should be kept. if TRUE you must supply the geometry and id columns, and only the first row of each geometry is kept. See Keeping Properties.

#### Value

sf object of POINT geometries

# **Keeping Properties**

Setting keep = TRUE will retain any columns not specified as a coordinate (x, y, z, m) or an id (e.g., linestring\_id, polygon\_id) of the input obj.

You can use list\_columns to specify which of the properties will be turned into a list, thus keeping all the values in the column. For columns not specified in list\_columns, only the first row of the column is kept

The sf\_\* functions assume the input obj is a long data.frame / matrix, where any properties are repeated down the table for the same geometry.

#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

sf\_poly

## **Examples**

```
x <- c(1:3)
sf_point( x )

x <- matrix( c(1:10) , ncol = 2 )
sf_point( x )

x <- setNames( as.data.frame( x ), c("x","y") )
sf_point( x )
sf_point( obj = x, x = "x", y = "y" )
sf_point( obj = x, x = "y", y = "x" )

# keeping properties
x$val <- letters[1:5]
sf_point( x, x = "x", y = "y", keep = TRUE )</pre>
```

sf\_poly

Helper for sf POLYGON

# Description

Constructs sf of POLYGON objects, a helper for sf\_polygon() with a simpler syntax.

## Usage

```
sf_poly(obj, close = TRUE, keep = FALSE, list_columns = NULL)
```

# Arguments

obj	sorted matrix or data.frame
close	logical indicating whether polygons should be closed. If TRUE, all polygons will be checked and force closed if possible
keep	logical indicating if the non-geometry and non-id columns should be kept. if TRUE you must supply the geometry and id columns, and only the first row of each geometry is kept. See Keeping Properties.
list_columns	vector of column names to turn into a list.

#### Value

```
sf object of POLYGON geometries
```

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#### **Helpers**

These are simpler versions of the main functions sf\_point(), sf\_multipoint(), sf\_linestring(), sf\_multilinestring(), sf\_polygon(), and sf\_multipolygon() for input data frame or matrix that contains columns appropriately of 'x', 'y', 'z', 'm', ' multipolygon\_id', polygon\_id', 'multi-linestring id', 'linestring id', 'multipoint id'.

This puts the onus of the naming and identification of entities onto the input data set, rather than when calling the creator function. This has pros and cons, so is not necessarily always 'simpler'. Please choose the appropriate constructor for the context you have. For examples a data frame from the real world with columns 'lon', 'lat', 'line' will be best used with

```
sf_linestring(df, x = "lon", y = "lat", linestring_id = "line")
```

whereas a heavy user of sfheaders might always create a data frame with 'x', 'y', 'linestring\_id' precisely because they are expecting to call sf\_line(df) and no further work is required. These are very different contexts and both equally valid.

Some columns are mandatory, such as 'x' and 'y' (always), while others depend on the output type where each column for that type is mandatory. The 'z' and/or 'm' values are included for 'XYZ', 'XYM', or 'XYZM' geometry types if and as they are present.

In summary these helpers:

- do not require arguments declaring column names.
- use assumed default column names, with no variation or absence allowed for a given type.
- use z, and/or m if present.
- use close = FALSE and keep = FALSE same as proper constructors.
- unlike sf\_point() sf\_pt() does not accept a flat vector for a single point.
- require a matrix or data frame with complete column names.

None of the helpers allow partial name matching for column names.

#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

## **Keeping Properties**

Setting keep = TRUE will retain any columns not specified as a coordinate (x, y, z, m) or an id (e.g., linestring\_id, polygon\_id) of the input obj.

You can use list\_columns to specify which of the properties will be turned into a list, thus keeping all the values in the column. For columns not specified in list\_columns, only the first row of the column is kept

The sf\_\* functions assume the input obj is a long data.frame / matrix, where any properties are repeated down the table for the same geometry.

sf\_polygon

## **Examples**

sf\_polygon

sf POLYGON

## **Description**

constructs an sf of POLYGON objects

## Usage

```
sf_polygon(
  obj = NULL,
  x = NULL,
  y = NULL,
  z = NULL,
  m = NULL,
  polygon_id = NULL,
  linestring_id = NULL,
  close = TRUE,
  keep = FALSE,
  list_columns = NULL
)
```

## **Arguments**

```
obj sorted matrix or data.frame

x x geometry column

y y geometry column

z z geometry column

m m geometry column

polygon_id column of ids for polygons

linestring_id column of ids for lines (within polygons)
```

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close logical indicating whether polygons should be closed. If TRUE, all polygons will be checked and force closed if possible

keep logical indicating if the non-geometry and non-id columns should be kept. if

TRUE you must supply the geometry and id columns, and only the first row of

each geometry is kept. See Keeping Properties.

list\_columns vector of column names to turn into a list.

#### Value

sf object of POLYGON geometries

#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data.frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

#### **Keeping Properties**

Setting keep = TRUE will retain any columns not specified as a coordinate (x, y, z, m) or an id (e.g., linestring\_id, polygon\_id) of the input obj.

You can use list\_columns to specify which of the properties will be turned into a list, thus keeping all the values in the column. For columns not specified in list\_columns, only the first row of the column is kept

The sf\_\* functions assume the input obj is a long data.frame / matrix, where any properties are repeated down the table for the same geometry.

#### **Examples**

```
m \leftarrow matrix(c(0,0,0,0,1,1), ncol = 2)
sf_polygon( m )
m \leftarrow matrix(c(0,0,0,0,0,1,0,1,1,1,2,2,1,2,3,1,3,4), ncol = 3, byrow = TRUE)
sf_polygon( obj = m )
sf_polygon( obj = m, polygon_id = 1 )
sf_polygon( obj = m, linestring_id = 1 )
sf_polygon( obj = m, linestring_id = 1, polygon_id = 1 )
sf_polygon(obj = m, x = 2, y = 3)
sf_polygon(obj = m, x = 1, y = 2, z = 3)
sf_polygon( obj = m, x = 2, y = 3, linestring_id = 1, polygon_id = 1)
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 ml_id = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2,2,2)
  , l_{id} = c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3,1,1,1,2,2,2)
  x = rnorm(15)
  , y = rnorm(15)
  z = rnorm(15)
```

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```
, m = rnorm(15)
sf_polygon(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y")
sf_polygon(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z")
sf_polygon(obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", z = "z", m = "m")
sf_polygon(obj = df, x = 2, y = 3)
sf_polygon(obj = df, x = 2, y = 3, z = 4)
sf_polygon(obj = df, x = 2, y = 3, z = 4, m = 5)
sf_polygon( obj = df, polygon_id = "ml_id", linestring_id = "l_id" )
sf_polygon( obj = df, polygon_id = 1, linestring_id = 2 )
## keeping properties
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 ml_id = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2,2,2)
  , l_id = c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3,1,1,1,2,2,2)
  , x = rnorm(15)
  , y = rnorm(15)
  , z = rnorm(15)
  , m = rnorm(15)
  , val = letters[1:15]
  , stringsAsFactors = FALSE
## using keep = TRUE means the first row of all non-geometries are kept
sf_polygon(
 obj = df
  , polygon_id = "ml_id"
  , linestring_id = "l_id"
  x = x
  , y = "y"
  , keep = TRUE
## use 'list_column' to specify columns where you want to keep all the values
sf_polygon(
  obj = df
  , polygon_id = "ml_id"
  , linestring_id = "l_id"
  , x = "x"
  , y = "y"
  , keep = TRUE
  , list_columns = "val"
```

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#### **Description**

Constructs sf of POINT objects, a helper for sf\_point() with a simpler syntax.

#### Usage

```
sf_pt(obj, keep = FALSE)
```

#### **Arguments**

obj sorted vector, matrix or data.frame

keep logical indicating if the non-geometry and non-id columns should be kept. if

TRUE you must supply the geometry and id columns, and only the first row of

each geometry is kept. See Keeping Properties.

#### Value

sf object of POINT geometries

#### **Helpers**

These are simpler versions of the main functions sf\_point(), sf\_multipoint(), sf\_linestring(), sf\_multilinestring(), sf\_polygon(), and sf\_multipolygon() for input data frame or matrix that contains columns appropriately of 'x', 'y', 'z', 'm', ' multipolygon\_id', polygon\_id', 'multi-linestring\_id', 'linestring\_id', 'multipoint\_id'.

This puts the onus of the naming and identification of entities onto the input data set, rather than when calling the creator function. This has pros and cons, so is not necessarily always 'simpler'. Please choose the appropriate constructor for the context you have. For examples a data frame from the real world with columns 'lon', 'lat', 'line' will be best used with

```
sf_linestring(df, x = "lon", y = "lat", linestring_id = "line")
```

whereas a heavy user of sfheaders might always create a data frame with 'x', 'y', 'linestring\_id' precisely because they are expecting to call sf\_line(df) and no further work is required. These are very different contexts and both equally valid.

Some columns are mandatory, such as 'x' and 'y' (always), while others depend on the output type where each column for that type is mandatory. The 'z' and/or 'm' values are included for 'XYZ', 'XYM', or 'XYZM' geometry types if and as they are present.

In summary these helpers:

- do not require arguments declaring column names.
- use assumed default column names, with no variation or absence allowed for a given type.
- use z, and/or m if present.
- use close = FALSE and keep = FALSE same as proper constructors.
- unlike sf\_point() sf\_pt() does not accept a flat vector for a single point.
- require a matrix or data frame with complete column names.

None of the helpers allow partial name matching for column names.

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#### notes

sfheaders functions do not perform any validity checks on the geometries. Nor do they set Coordinate Reference Systems, EPSG, PROJ4 or precision attributes.

The data frame and matrices you send into the sfheader functions must be ordered.

## **Keeping Properties**

Setting keep = TRUE will retain any columns not specified as a coordinate (x, y, z, m) or an id (e.g., linestring\_id, polygon\_id) of the input obj.

You can use list\_columns to specify which of the properties will be turned into a list, thus keeping all the values in the column. For columns not specified in list\_columns, only the first row of the column is kept

The sf\_\* functions assume the input obj is a long data.frame / matrix, where any properties are repeated down the table for the same geometry.

## **Examples**

```
x <- cbind(x = 1, y= 3)
sf_pt( x )
sf_pt(cbind(x, z = 2))

x <- matrix( c(1:10) , ncol = 2 , dimnames = list(NULL, c("x", "y")))
sf_pt( x )

x <- setNames( as.data.frame( x ), c("x", "y") )
sf_pt( x )

# keeping properties
x$val <- letters[1:5]
(sfx <- sf_pt( x, keep = TRUE ))

## we trivially round-trip with sf_pt()
sf_pt(sf_to_df(sfx, fill = TRUE), keep = TRUE)</pre>
```

sf\_remove\_holes

remove holes

## **Description**

Removes holes from polygons and multipolygons. Points and linestrings are unaffected.

#### Usage

```
sf_remove_holes(obj, close = TRUE)
```

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## **Arguments**

obj sfg, sfc or sf object.

close logical indicating whether polygons should be closed. If TRUE, all polygons will

be checked and force closed if possible

## **Examples**

```
df <- data.frame(
    ml_id = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2,2,2)
    , l_id = c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3,1,1,1,2,2,2)
    , x = rnorm(15)
    , y = rnorm(15)
    , z = rnorm(15)
    , m = rnorm(15)
)

sfg <- sfg_polygon( obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", linestring_id = "ml_id" )
    sfc <- sfc_polygon( obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", polygon_id = "ml_id", linestring_id = "l_id" )
    sf <- sf_polygon( obj = df, x = "x", y = "y", polygon_id = "ml_id", linestring_id = "l_id" )

sf_remove_holes( sfg )
    sf_remove_holes( sfc )
    sf_remove_holes( sf )</pre>
```

sf\_to\_df

sf to df

# Description

Converts an sf object to a data.frame

# Usage

```
sf_to_df(sf, fill = FALSE, unlist = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

sf sf object

fill logical indicating if the resulting data frame should be filled with the data columns

from the sf object. If TRUE, each row of data will be replicated for every coordi-

nate in every geometry.

unlist string vector of columns to unlist. Each list element is equivalent to a row of the

input object, and is expected to be the same length as the number of coordinates

in the geometry.

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## **Examples**

```
df <- data.frame(</pre>
ml_id = c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,2,2,2,2,2,2)
, l_id = c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3,1,1,1,2,2,2)
x = rnorm(15)
, y = rnorm(15)
, z = rnorm(15)
, m = rnorm(15)
sf <- sf_polygon( obj = df, polygon_id = "ml_id", linestring_id = "l_id" )</pre>
df <- sf_to_df( sf )</pre>
## with associated data
sf$val1 <- c("a","b")
sf$val2 <- c(1L, 2L)
df <- sf_to_df( sf, fill = TRUE )</pre>
## Unlisting list columns
df <- data.frame(</pre>
l_{id} = c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3,3)
x = rnorm(10)
, y = rnorm(10)
sf <- sf_linestring( obj = df, linestring_id = "l_id" , x = "x", y = "y")</pre>
## put on a list column
sf$1 <- list( c(1,2,3),c(3,2,1),c(10,11,12,13))
sf_to_df( sf, unlist = "l" )
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