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Useful links:

- https://hms.tidyverse.org/

- https://github.com/tidyverse/hms

- Report bugs at https://github.com/tidyverse/hms/issues

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hms   *A simple class for storing time-of-day values*

Description

The values are stored as a difftime vector with a custom class, and always with "seconds" as unit for robust coercion to numeric. Supports construction from time values, coercion to and from various data types, and formatting. Can be used as a regular column in a data frame.

`hms()` is a high-level constructor that accepts second, minute, hour and day components as numeric vectors.

`new_hms()` is a low-level constructor that only checks that its input has the correct base type, numeric.

`is_hms()` checks if an object is of class hms.

`as_hms()` is a generic that supports conversions beyond casting. The default method forwards to `vec_cast()`.

Usage

```
hms(seconds = NULL, minutes = NULL, hours = NULL, days = NULL)

new_hms(x = numeric())

is_hms(x)

as_hms(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'hms'
as.POSIXct(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'hms'
as.POSIXlt(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'hms'
as.character(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'hms'
format(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'hms'
print(x, ...)
```

Arguments

seconds, minutes, hours, days
                Time since midnight. No bounds checking is performed.

x   An object.

```
...                          additional arguments to be passed to or from methods.
```

Details

For `hms()`, all arguments must have the same length or be `NULL`. Odd combinations (e.g., passing only `seconds` and `hours` but not `minutes`) are rejected.

For arguments of type [POSIXct](#) and [POSIXlt](#), `as_hms()` does not perform timezone conversion. Use [lubridate::with_tz()](#) and [lubridate::force_tz()](#) as necessary.

Examples

```
hms(56, 34, 12)
hms()

new_hms(as.numeric(1:3))
# Supports numeric only!
try(new_hms(1:3))

as_hms(1)
as_hms("12:34:56")
as_hms(Sys.time())
as.POSIXct(hms(1))
data.frame(a = hms(1))
d <- data.frame(hours = 1:3)
d$hours <- hms(hours = d$hours)
d
```

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parse_hms   *Parsing hms values*

Description

These functions convert character vectors to objects of the [hms](#) class. NA values are supported.

`parse_hms()` accepts values of the form `"HH:MM:SS"`, with optional fractional seconds.

`parse_hm()` accepts values of the form `"HH:MM"`.

Usage

```
parse_hms(x)

parse_hm(x)
```

Arguments

```
x                           A character vector
```

Value

An object of class [hms](#).

Examples

```
parse_hms("12:34:56")
parse_hms("12:34:56.789")
parse_hm("12:34")
```

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round_hms   *Round or truncate to a multiple of seconds*

Description

Convenience functions to round or truncate to a multiple of seconds.

Usage

```
round_hms(x, secs = NULL, digits = NULL)

trunc_hms(x, secs = NULL, digits = NULL)
```

Arguments

x	A vector of class hms
secs	Multiple of seconds, a positive numeric. Values less than one are supported
digits	Number of digits, a whole number. Negative numbers are supported.

Value

The input, rounded or truncated to the nearest multiple of secs (or number of digits)

Examples

```
round_hms(as_hms("12:34:56"), 5)
round_hms(as_hms("12:34:56"), 60)
round_hms(as_hms("12:34:56.78"), 0.25)
round_hms(as_hms("12:34:56.78"), digits = 1)
round_hms(as_hms("12:34:56.78"), digits = -2)
trunc_hms(as_hms("12:34:56"), 60)
```

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vec_cast.hms   *Casting*

Description

Double dispatch methods to support `vctrs::vec_cast()`.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'hms'
vec_cast(x, to, ...)
```

Arguments

x	Vectors to cast.
to	Type to cast to. If NULL, x will be returned as is.
...	For `vec_cast_common()`, vectors to cast. For `vec_cast()`, `vec_cast_default()`, and `vec_restore()`, these dots are only for future extensions and should be empty.

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vec_ptype2.hms   *Coercion*

Description

Double dispatch methods to support `vctrs::vec_ptype2()`.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'hms'
vec_ptype2(x, y, ..., x_arg = "", y_arg = "")
```

Arguments

x, y	Vector types.
...	These dots are for future extensions and must be empty.
x_arg, y_arg	Argument names for x and y. These are used in error messages to inform the user about the locations of incompatible types (see `stop_incompatible_type()`).

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