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add_entities	<i>Wrapper for add_entity</i>
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Description

Wrapper for [add_entity](#), can be use to add multiple entities.

Usage

add_entities(rocrate, entity, overwrite = FALSE, quiet = FALSE)

Arguments

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|-----------|--|
| rocrate | RO-Crate object, see rocrate . |
| entity | List with entity objects. |
| overwrite | Boolean flag to indicate if the entity (if found in the given RO-Crate) should be overwritten. |
| quiet | Boolean flag to indicate if status messages should be hidden (default: FALSE). |

Value

Updated RO-Crate with the new entities.

add_entity	<i>Add entity to RO-Crate</i>
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Description

Add entity to RO-Crate

Usage

```
add_entity(rocrate, entity, overwrite = FALSE)
```

Arguments

rocrate	RO-Crate object, see rocrate .
entity	Entity object (list) that contains at least the following components: @id and @type.
overwrite	Boolean flag to indicate if the entity (if found in the given RO-Crate) should be overwritten.

Value

Updated RO-Crate with the new entity.

Examples

```
basic_crate <- rocrateR::rocrate()

# create entity for an organisation
organisation_uol <- rocrateR::entity(
  x = "https://ror.org/04xs57h96",
  type = "Organization",
  name = "University of Liverpool",
  url = "http://www.liv.ac.uk"
)

# create an entity for a person
person_rvd <- rocrateR::entity(
  x = "https://orcid.org/0000-0001-5036-8661",
  type = "Person",
  name = "Roberto Villegas-Diaz",
  affiliation = list(`@id` = organisation_uol$`@id`)
)

basic_crate_v2 <- basic_crate |>
  rocrateR::add_entity(person_rvd) |>
  rocrateR::add_entity_value(id = "./", key = "author", value = list(`@id` = person_rvd$`@id`)) |>
  rocrateR::add_entity(organisation_uol)
```

add_entity_value	<i>Add entity value to RO-Crate</i>
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Description

Add entity value to RO-Crate, under entity with @id = {id}, using the pair {key}-{value} within @graph.

Usage

```
add_entity_value(rocrate, id, key, value, overwrite = TRUE)
```

Arguments

rocrate	RO-Crate object, see rocrate .
id	String with the ID of the RO-Crate entity within @graph.
key	String with the key of the entity with id to be modified.
value	String with the value for key.
overwrite	Boolean flag to indicate if the existing value (if any), should be overwritten (default: TRUE).

Value

RO-Crate object.

Examples

```
basic_crate <- rocrate()

# create entity for an organisation
organisation_uol <- rocrateR::entity(
  x = "https://ror.org/04xs57h96",
  type = "Organization",
  name = "University of Liverpool",
  url = "http://www.liv.ac.uk"
)

# create an entity for a person
person_rvd <- rocrateR::entity(
  x = "https://orcid.org/0000-0001-5036-8661",
  type = "Person",
  name = "Roberto Villegas-Diaz",
  affiliation = list(`@id` = organisation_uol$`@id`)
)

basic_crate_v2 <- basic_crate |>
  rocrateR::add_entity_value(id = "./", key = "author", value = list(`@id` = person_rvd$`@id`))
```

bag_rocrate*Bag the contents of an RO-Crate*

Description

Bag the contents of an RO-Crate using the BagIt file packaging format v1.0. For more details see the definition: [doi:10.17487/RFC8493](https://doi.org/10.17487/RFC8493)

Usage

```
bag_rocrate(x, ...)  
  
## S3 method for class 'character'  
bag_rocrate(x, ..., output = x, force_bag = FALSE)  
  
## S3 method for class 'rocrate'  
bag_rocrate(x, ..., path, output = path, overwrite = FALSE, force_bag = FALSE)
```

Arguments

x	A string to a path containing at the very minimum an RO-Crate metadata descriptor file, ro-crate-metadata.json. Alternatively, an object with the ro-crate class.
...	Additional parameters, see below.
output	String with path where the RO-Crate bag will be stored (default: x - same path as the input value).
force_bag	Boolean flag to indicate whether the force the creation of a 'bag' even if not all the files were successfully bagged (default: FALSE ~ check if all the files were copied successfully).
path	String with path to the root of the RO-Crate.
overwrite	Boolean flag to indicate if the RO-Crate metadata descriptor file should be overwritten if already inside path (default: FALSE).

Value

String with full path to the final RO-Crate bag.

See Also

Other bag_rocrate: [is_rocrate_bag\(\)](#), [unbag_rocrate\(\)](#)

entity	Create a data entity
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Description

Create a data entity

Usage

```
entity(x, ...)
```

Arguments

x	New entity. If a single value (e.g., character, numeric) is given, this is assumed to be the entity's @id, if a list is given, this is assumed to be a complete entity. Other options are objects of type person and organisation (equivalently organization).
...	Optional additional entity values/properties. Used when x is a single value.

Value

List with an entity object.

Examples

```
# create entity for an organisation
organisation_uol <- rocrateR::entity(
  x = "https://ror.org/04xs57h96",
  type = "Organization",
  name = "University of Liverpool",
  url = "http://www.liv.ac.uk"
)

# create an entity for a person
person_rvd <- rocrateR::entity(
  x = "https://orcid.org/0000-0001-5036-8661",
  type = "Person",
  name = "Roberto Villegas-Diaz",
  affiliation = list(`@id` = organisation_uol$`@id`)
)
```

get_entity	<i>Get entity(ies)</i>
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Description

Get entity(ies)

Usage

```
get_entity(rocrate, id = NULL, type = NULL)
```

Arguments

rocrate	RO-Crate object, see rocrate .
id	String with the ID of the RO-Crate entity within @graph (optional if type is provided). Alternatively, an entity object / list with @id and @type.
type	String with the type of the RO-Crate entity(ies) within @graph to retrieve (optional if id is provided).

Value

List with found entity object(s), if any, NULL otherwise.

Examples

```
basic_crate <- rocrateR::rocrate()

# create entity for an organisation
organisation_uol <- rocrateR::entity(
  x = "https://ror.org/04xs57h96",
  type = "Organization",
  name = "University of Liverpool",
  url = "http://www.liv.ac.uk"
)

# create an entity for a person
person_rvd <- rocrateR::entity(
  x = "https://orcid.org/0000-0001-5036-8661",
  type = "Person",
  name = "Roberto Villegas-Diaz",
  affiliation = list(`@id` = organisation_uol$`@id`)
)

basic_crate_person <- basic_crate |>
  rocrateR::add_entity(person_rvd) |>
  rocrateR::add_entity_value(id = "./", key = "author", value = list(`@id` = person_rvd$`@id`)) |>
  rocrateR::add_entity(organisation_uol) |>
  rocrateR::get_entity(person_rvd)
```

```
basic_crate_person[[1]]$name == person_rvd$name
basic_crate_person[[1]]$`@id` == person_rvd$`@id`
```

is_rocrate	<i>Check if object is an RO-Crate</i>
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Description

Check if object is an RO-Crate

Usage

```
is_rocrate(rocrate)
```

Arguments

rocrate RO-Crate object, see [rocrate](#).

Value

Returns invisibly the input RO-Crate object.

Examples

```
basic_crate <- rocrateR::rocrate()

# check if the new crate is valid
basic_crate |>
  rocrateR::is_rocrate()
```

is_rocrate_bag	<i>Check if path points to a valid RO-Crate bag</i>
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Description

Check if path points to a valid RO-Crate bag

Usage

```
is_rocrate_bag(path, algo = "sha512", bagit_version = "1.0")
```

Arguments

path	String with full path to a compressed file contain an RO-Crate bag, see bag_rocrate for details. Alternatively, a path to a directory containing an RO-Crate bag.
algo	String with algorithm used to generate the RO-Crate bag (default: "sha512"). See digest for more details.
bagit_version	String with version of BagIt used to generate the RO-Crate bag (default: "1.0"). See doi:10.17487/RFC8493 for more details.

Value

Returns invisibly the RO-Crate pointed by path.

See Also

Other bag_rocrate: [bag_rocrate\(\)](#), [unbag_rocrate\(\)](#)

print.entity	<i>Print RO-Crate entity</i>
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Description

Print RO-Crate entity, S3 method for class 'entity'.

Usage

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

Arguments

x	RO-Crate entity object, see entity .
...	Optional arguments, not used.

Value

Invisibly the input RO-Crate entity, x.

Examples

```
rocrateR::rocrate() |>
  rocrateR::get_entity("./")
```

print.rocrate	<i>Print RO-Crate</i>
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Description

Print RO-Crate, S3 method for class 'rocrate'. Creates a temporal JSON file, which then is displayed with the [message](#) function.

Usage

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

Arguments

`x` RO-Crate object, see [rocrate](#).
`...` Optional arguments, not used.

Value

Invisibly the input RO-Crate, `x`.

Examples

```
rocrateR::rocrate()
```

read_rocrate	<i>Wrapper for jsonlite::read_json</i>
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Description

Wrapper for [jsonlite::read_json](#). Enforces that the object read is an RO-Crate.

Usage

```
read_rocrate(path, simplifyVector = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

`path` file on disk
`simplifyVector` simplifies nested lists into vectors and data frames. See [fromJSON\(\)](#).
`...` Arguments passed on to [jsonlite::fromJSON](#)
`txt` a JSON string, URL or file
`simplifyDataFrame` coerce JSON arrays containing only records (JSON objects) into a data frame
`simplifyMatrix` coerce JSON arrays containing vectors of equal mode and dimension into matrix or array
`flatten` automatically [flatten\(\)](#) nested data frames into a single non-nested data frame

Value

Invisibly the RO-Crate stored in `path`.

remove_entities	<i>Wrapper for remove_entity</i>
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Description

Wrapper for [remove_entity](#), can be use to remove multiple entities.

Usage

```
remove_entities(rocrate, entity)
```

Arguments

rocrate	RO-Crate object, see rocrate .
entity	Entity object (list) that contains at least the following components: @id and @type. Or, scalar value with entity @id.

Value

Updated RO-Crate.

remove_entity	<i>Remove entity</i>
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Description

Remove entity

Usage

```
remove_entity(rocrate, entity)
```

Arguments

rocrate	RO-Crate object, see rocrate .
entity	Entity object (list) that contains at least the following components: @id and @type. Or, scalar value with entity @id.

Value

Updated RO-Crate object.

Examples

```
basic_crate <- rocrateR::rocrate()

# create entity for an organisation
organisation_uol <- rocrateR::entity(
  x = "https://ror.org/04xs57h96",
  type = "Organization",
  name = "University of Liverpool",
  url = "http://www.liv.ac.uk"
)

# create an entity for a person
person_rvd <- rocrateR::entity(
  x = "https://orcid.org/0000-0001-5036-8661",
  type = "Person",
  name = "Roberto Villegas-Diaz",
  affiliation = list(`@id` = organisation_uol$`@id`)
)

basic_crate_v2 <- basic_crate |>
  rocrateR::add_entity(person_rvd) |>
  rocrateR::add_entity_value(id = "./", key = "author", value = list(`@id` = person_rvd$`@id`)) |>
  rocrateR::add_entity(organisation_uol) |>
  rocrateR::remove_entity(person_rvd)
```

rocrate

Create a new RO-Crate object

Description

Create a new RO-Crate object. This object includes basic skeleton for the RO-Crate metadata descriptor (`ro-crate-metadata.json`) file, as described in the official documentation: <https://w3id.org/ro/crate/1.2/> > **Root Data Entity**.

Usage

```
rocrate(
  ...,
  context = "https://w3id.org/ro/crate/1.2/context",
  conformsTo = gsub("\\context$", "\\1", context),
  datePublished = Sys.Date(),
  description = "",
  license = "http://spdx.org/licenses/CC-BY-4.0",
  name = ""
)
```

Arguments

...	Optional entities to include in the RO-Crate (e.g., author).
context	String with URL to the version of the RO-Crate specification to use. The context brings the defined terms into the metadata document (default: https://w3id.org/ro/crate/1.2/context).
conformsTo	String with URL to the version of the RO-Crate specification which this object conforms to. Conformance declares which RO-Crate conventions of using those terms are being followed (default: URL formed by context/context)
datePublished	String (or Date object) with the date in which the RO-Crate was published (default: current date).
description	String with description for the root entity (default: empty string).
license	String with URL (permalinks are preferred, but not required) to license to be used for the overall RO-Crate. See the following resources for license choices: https://spdx.org/licenses and/or https://github.com/spdx/license-list-data/tree/main/jsonld (default: CC-BY-4.0: Creative Commons Attribution 4.0 International).
name	String with a name/title for the root entity (default: empty string).

Value

RO-Crate object, list with an additional class, rocrate.

Examples

```
rocrateR::rocrate()
```

rocrate_5s

Create a new 5 Safes RO-Crate object

Description

Create a new 5 Safes RO-Crate object. This object includes basic skeleton for the RO-Crate metadata descriptor (ro-crate-metadata.json) file, as described in the official documentation: <https://w3id.org/ro/crate/1.2> > **Root Data Entity**. Additionally, it includes a profile for the 5 Safes RO-Crate: <https://w3id.org/5s-crate/0.4>

Usage

```
rocrate_5s(
  ...,
  context = "https://w3id.org/ro/crate/1.2/context",
  conformsTo = gsub("\\context$", "\\1", context),
  datePublished = Sys.Date(),
  description = "",
  license = "http://spdx.org/licenses/CC-BY-4.0",
  name = "",
  v5scrate = 0.4
)
```

Arguments

...	Optional entities to include in the RO-Crate (e.g., author).
context	String with URL to the version of the RO-Crate specification to use. The context brings the defined terms into the metadata document (default: https://w3id.org/ro/crate/1.2/context).
conformsTo	String with URL to the version of the RO-Crate specification which this object conforms to. Conformance declares which RO-Crate conventions of using those terms are being followed (default: URL formed by context/context)
datePublished	String (or Date object) with the date in which the RO-Crate was published (default: current date).
description	String with description for the root entity (default: empty string).
license	String with URL (permalinks are preferred, but not required) to license to be used for the overall RO-Crate. See the following resources for license choices: https://spdx.org/licenses and/or https://github.com/spdx/license-list-data/tree/main/jsonld (default: CC-BY-4.0: Creative Commons Attribution 4.0 International).
name	String with a name/title for the root entity (default: empty string).
v5scrate	Numeric value with the version of the 5 Safes RO-Crate profile to use.

Value

5 Safes RO-Crate object, list with an additional class, rocrate.

Examples

```
rocrateR::rocrate_5s()
```

unbag_rocrate	<i>'Unbag' (extract) RO-Crate packed with BagIt</i>
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Description

'Unbag' (extract) RO-Crate packed with BagIt

Usage

```
unbag_rocrate(path, output = dirname(path), quiet = FALSE)
```

Arguments

path	String with path to compressed file containing an RO-Crate bag.
output	String with target path where the contents will be extracted (default: <code>dirname(path)</code> - same directory as input path).
quiet	Boolean flag to indicate if messages should be suppressed (default: FALSE - display messages).

Value

String with path to root of the RO-Crate, invisibly.

See Also

Other bag_rocrate: [bag_rocrate\(\)](#), [is_rocrate_bag\(\)](#)

write_rocrate	<i>Wrapper for jsonlite::write_json</i>
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Description

Wrapper for [jsonlite::write_json](#). Enforces that the input object is an RO-Crate.

Usage

```
write_rocrate(x, path, ...)
```

Arguments

x	RO-Crate object, see rocrate .
path	file on disk
...	Arguments passed on to jsonlite::toJSON
dataframe	how to encode data.frame objects: must be one of 'rows', 'columns' or 'values'
matrix	how to encode matrices and higher dimensional arrays: must be one of 'rowmajor' or 'columnmajor'.
Date	how to encode Date objects: must be one of 'ISO8601' or 'epoch'
POSIXt	how to encode POSIXt (datetime) objects: must be one of 'string', 'ISO8601', 'epoch' or 'mongo'
factor	how to encode factor objects: must be one of 'string' or 'integer'
complex	how to encode complex numbers: must be one of 'string' or 'list'
raw	how to encode raw objects: must be one of 'base64', 'hex' or 'mongo'
null	how to encode NULL values within a list: must be one of 'null' or 'list'
na	how to print NA values: must be one of 'null' or 'string'. Defaults are class specific
digits	max number of decimal digits to print for numeric values. Use I() to specify significant digits. Use NA for max precision.
force	unclass/skip objects of classes with no defined JSON mapping

Value

Invisibly the input RO-Crate, x.

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