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Description Classes and methods for spatial
data; the classes document where the spatial location information
resides, for 2D or 3D data. Utility functions are provided, e.g. for
plotting data as maps, spatial selection, as well as methods for
retrieving coordinates, for subsetting, print, summary, etc. From this
version, 'rgdal', 'maptools', and 'rgeos' are no longer used at all,
see <https://r-spatial.org/r/2023/05/15/evolution4.html> for details.

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addAttrToGeom-methods   *constructs SpatialXxxDataFrame from geometry and attributes*

Description

constructs SpatialXxxDataFrame from geometry and attributes

Usage

```
addAttrToGeom(x, y, match.ID, ...)
```

Arguments

x	geometry (locations) of the queries
y	data.frame object with attributes
match.ID	logical; if TRUE, the IDs of the geometry and of the data.frame are matched (possibly swapping records), and an error occurs when some IDs do not match
...	(optional) arguments passed to the constructor functions

Value

an object of class XxxDataFrame, where Xxx is the class of x

Methods

x = "SpatialPoints", y = "data.frame"

x = "SpatialPixels", y = "data.frame"

x = "SpatialGrid", y = "data.frame"

x = "SpatialLines", y = "data.frame"

x = "SpatialPolygons", y = "data.frame"

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See Also

over

| aggregate | *aggregation of spatial objects* |

Description

spatial aggregation of thematic information in spatial objects

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'Spatial'
aggregate(x, by = list(ID = rep(1, length(x))),
FUN, ..., dissolve = TRUE, areaWeighted = FALSE)
```

Arguments

x	object deriving from Spatial, with attributes
by	aggregation predicate; if by is a Spatial object, the geometry by which attributes in x are aggregated; if by is a list, aggregation by attribute(s), see aggregate.data.frame
FUN	aggregation function, e.g. mean; see details
...	arguments passed on to function FUN, unless minDimension is specified, which is passed on to function over
dissolve	logical; should, when aggregating based on attributes, the resulting geometries be dissolved? Note that if x has class SpatialPointsDataFrame, this returns an object of class SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame; deprecated
areaWeighted	logical; should the aggregation of x be weighted by the areas it intersects with each feature of by? See value; deprecated.

Details

For as far as these functions use package rgeos, (lines, polygons, dissolve = TRUE), they are deprecated as rgeos will retire; try using sf::aggregate instead.

FUN should be a function that takes as first argument a vector, and that returns a single number. The canonical examples are mean and sum. Counting features is obtained when summing an attribute variable that has the value 1 everywhere.

Value

The aggregation of attribute values of x either over the geometry of by by using over for spatial matching, or by attribute values, using aggregation function FUN.

If areaWeighted is TRUE, FUN is ignored and the area weighted mean is computed for numerical variables, or if all attributes are factors, the area dominant factor level (area mode) is returned. This computes the intersection of x and by; see examples below. As this uses code from package rgeos, it is deprecated as package rgeos will retire.

If by is missing, aggregates over all features.

Note

uses over to find spatial match if by is a Spatial object

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Examples

```
data("meuse")
coordinates(meuse) <- ~x+y
data("meuse.grid")
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- ~x+y
gridded(meuse.grid) <- TRUE
i = cut(meuse.grid$dist, c(0,.25,.5,.75,1), include.lowest = TRUE)
j = sample(1:2, 3103,replace=TRUE)

x = aggregate(meuse.grid["dist"], list(i=i,j=j), mean, dissolve = FALSE)
spplot(x["j"], col.regions=bpy.colors())
```

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as.SpatialPolygons.GridTopology
                        Make SpatialPolygons object from GridTopology object

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Description

Converts grids of regular rectangles into a SpatialPolygons object, which can be transformed to
a different projection or datum with spTransform in package rgdal. The function is not suitable
for high-resolution grids. The ordering of the grid cells is as in coordinates() of the same object,
and is reported by IDvaluesGridTopology.

Usage

```
as.SpatialPolygons.GridTopology(grd, proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)))
IDvaluesGridTopology(obj)
as.SpatialPolygons.SpatialPixels(obj)
IDvaluesSpatialPixels(obj)
HexPoints2SpatialPolygons(hex, dx)
```

Arguments

grd	GridTopology object
proj4string	object of class CRS-class
obj	SpatialPixels object

hex	SpatialPoints object with points that are generated by hexagonal sampling; see spsample
dx	spacing of two horizontally adjacent points; if missing, this will be computed from the points

Value

as.SpatialPolygons.GridTopology and as.SpatialPolygons.SpatialPixels return a SpatialPolygons object; IDvaluesGridTopology and IDvaluesSpatialPixels return a character vector with the object grid indices.

See Also

GridTopology, SpatialPixels, SpatialPolygons spTransform in package rgdal

Examples

```
library(lattice)
grd <- GridTopology(cellcentre.offset=c(-175,55), cellsize=c(10,10), cells.dim=c(4,4))
SpP_grd <- as.SpatialPolygons.GridTopology(grd)
plot(SpP_grd)
text(coordinates(SpP_grd), sapply(slot(SpP_grd, "polygons"), function(i) slot(i, "ID")), cex=0.5)
trdata <- data.frame(A=rep(c(1,2,3,4), 4), B=rep(c(1,2,3,4), each=4),
 row.names=sapply(slot(SpP_grd, "polygons"), function(i) slot(i, "ID")))
SpPDF <- SpatialPolygonsDataFrame(SpP_grd, trdata)
spplot(SpPDF)

data(meuse.grid)
gridded(meuse.grid)=~x+y
xx = spsample(meuse.grid,  type="hexagonal", cellsize=200)
xxpl = HexPoints2SpatialPolygons(xx)
image(meuse.grid["dist"])
plot(xxpl, add = TRUE)
points(xx, cex = .5)
## Not run:
spplot(aggregate(as(meuse.grid[,1:3], "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame"), xxpl,
 areaWeighted=TRUE), main = "aggregated meuse.grid")

## End(Not run)
```

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as.SpatialPolygons.PolygonsList

Making SpatialPolygons objects

Description

This function is used in making SpatialPolygons objects from other formats.

Usage

```
as.SpatialPolygons.PolygonsList(Srl, proj4string=CRS(as.character(NA)))
```

Arguments

Srl   A list of Polygons objects

proj4string   Object of class "CRS"; holding a valid proj4 string

Value

The functions return a SpatialPolygons object

Author(s)

Roger Bivand

Examples

```
grd <- GridTopology(c(1,1), c(1,1), c(10,10))
polys <- as.SpatialPolygons.GridTopology(grd)
plot(polys)
text(coordinates(polys), labels=sapply(slot(polys, "polygons"), function(i) slot(i, "ID")), cex=0.6)
```

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bbox-methods   *retrieve bbox from spatial data*

Description

retrieves spatial bounding box from spatial data

Usage

```
bbox(obj)
```

Arguments

obj   object deriving from class "Spatial", or one of classes: "Line", "Lines", "Polygon" or "Polygons", or ANY, which requires obj to be an array with at least two columns

Value

two-column matrix; the first column has the minimum, the second the maximum values; rows represent the spatial dimensions

Methods

obj = "Spatial" object deriving from class "Spatial"

obj = "ANY" an array with at least two columns

obj = "Line" object deriving from class "Line"

obj = "Lines" object deriving from class "Lines"

obj = "Polygon" object deriving from class "Polygon"

obj = "Polygons" object deriving from class "Polygons"

Examples

```
# just 9 points on a grid:
x <- c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3)
y <- c(1,2,3,1,2,3,1,2,3)
xy <- cbind(x,y)
S <- SpatialPoints(xy)
bbox(S)

# data.frame
data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- ~x+y
gridded(meuse.grid) <- TRUE
bbox(meuse.grid)
```

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bpy.colors	*blue-pink-yellow color scheme, which also prints well on black/white printers*

Description

Create a vector of 'n' "contiguous" colors.

Usage

```
bpy.colors(n = 100, cutoff.tails = 0.1, alpha = 1.0)
```

Arguments

n	number of colors (>= 1) to be in the palette
cutoff.tails	tail fraction to be cut off on each side. If 0, this palette runs from black to white; by cutting off the tails, it runs from blue to yellow, which looks nicer.
alpha	numeric; alpha transparency, 0 is fully transparent, 1 is opaque.

Value

A character vector, 'cv', of color names. This can be used either to create a user-defined color palette for subsequent graphics by 'palette(cv)', a 'col=' specification in graphics functions or in 'par'.

Note

This color map prints well on black-and-white printers.

Author(s)

unknown; the pallette was posted to gnuplot-info a few decades ago; R implementation Edzer Pebesma, <edzer.pebesma@uni-muenster.de>

See Also

rainbow, cm.colors

Examples

```
bpy.colors(10)
p <- expand.grid(x=1:30,y=1:30)
p$z <- p$x + p$y
coordinates(p) <- c("x", "y")
gridded(p) <- TRUE
image(p, col = bpy.colors(100), asp = 1)
# require(lattice)
# trellis.par.set("regions", list(col=bpy.colors())) # make this default pallette
```

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bubble   *Create a bubble plot of spatial data*

Description

Create a bubble plot of spatial data, with options for bicolour residual plots (xyplot wrapper)

Usage

```
bubble(obj, zcol = 1, ..., fill = TRUE, maxsize = 3, do.sqrt = TRUE, pch,
col = c("#d01c8b", "#4dac26"), key.entries = quantile(data[,zcol]), main,
identify = FALSE, labels = row.names(data.frame(obj)), key.space = "right",
scales = list(draw = FALSE), xlab = NULL, ylab = NULL, panel = panel.bubble,
sp.layout = NULL,
xlim = bbexpand(bbox(obj)[1,], 0.04),
ylim = bbexpand(bbox(obj)[2,], 0.04))
```

Arguments

obj	object of, or extending, class SpatialPointsDataFrame or SpatialGridDataFrame, see coordinates or SpatialPointsDataFrame; the object knows about its spatial coordinates
zcol	z-variable column name, or column number after removing spatial coordinates from x@data: 1 refers to the first non-coordinate column
fill	logical; if TRUE, filled circles are plotted (pch = 16), else open circles (pch = 1); the pch argument overrides this
maxsize	cex value for largest circle
do.sqrt	logical; if TRUE the plotting symbol area (sqrt(diameter)) is proportional to the value of the z-variable; if FALSE, the symbol size (diameter) is proportional to the z-variable
pch	plotting character
col	colours to be used; numeric vector of size two: first value is for negative values, second for positive values. Default colors: 5-class PiYG from colorbrewer.org.
key.entries	the values that will be plotted in the key; by default the five quantiles min, q.25, median q.75, max
main	main plotting title
identify	logical; if true, regular plot is called instead of xyplot, and followed by a call to identify().
labels	labels argument passed to plot if identify is TRUE
...	arguments, passed to xyplot, or plot if identification is required.
key.space	location of the key
scales	scales argument as passed to xyplot
xlab	x-axis label
ylab	y-axis label
panel	panel function used
sp.layout	possible layout items; see spplot
xlim	x axis limit
ylim	y axis limit

Value

returns (or plots) the bubble plot; if identify is TRUE, returns the indexes (row numbers) of identified points.

Author(s)

Edzer Pebesma

See Also

xyplot, mapasp, identify

Examples

```
data(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) <- c("x", "y") # promote to SpatialPointsDataFrame
bubble(meuse, "cadmium", maxsize = 2.5, main = "cadmium concentrations (ppm)",
    key.entries = 2^(-1:4))
bubble(meuse, "zinc", main = "zinc concentrations (ppm)",
    key.entries =  100 * 2^(0:4))
```

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char2dms   *Convert character vector to DMS-class object*

Description

These two helper functions convert character vectors and decimal degree vectors to the DMS-class representation of degrees, minutes, and decimal seconds. "DMS" objects cannot contain NAs.

Usage

```
char2dms(from, chd = "d", chm = "'", chs = "\"")
dd2dms(dd, NS = FALSE)
```

Arguments

from	character vector of degree, minute, decimal second data
chd	degree character terminator
chm	minute character terminator
chs	second character terminator
dd	numeric vector of decimal degrees
NS	logical, TRUE for north/south decimal degrees, FALSE for east/west decimal degrees

Details

In char2dms, the input data vector should use a regular format, such as that used in the PROJ.4 library, with a trailing capital (NSWE) indicating compass direction.

Value

Both functions return a "DMS" object.

Methods

from = "DMS", to = "numeric" coerce a "DMS" object to a "numeric" vector

from = "DMS", to = "character" coerce a "DMS" object to a "character" vector (the as.character.DMS S3 method is also available)

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See Also

[DMS-class](#)

Examples

```
data(state)
str(state.center$y)
stateN <- dd2dms(state.center$y, NS=TRUE)
str(attributes(stateN))
ch.stateN <- as.character(stateN)
str(ch.stateN)
stateNa <- char2dms(ch.stateN)
str(attributes(stateNa))
ch.stateN <- as(stateN, "character")
str(ch.stateN)
stateNa <- char2dms(ch.stateN)
str(attributes(stateNa))
```

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compassRose	*Display a compass rose.*

Description

Displays a basic compass rose, usually to orient a map.

Usage

```
compassRose(x,y,rot=0,cex=1)
```

Arguments

x, y	The position of the center of the compass rose in user units.
rot	Rotation for the compass rose in degrees. See Details.
cex	The character expansion to use in the display.

Details

'compassRose' displays a conventional compass rose at the position requested. The size of the compass rose is determined by the character expansion, as the central "rose" is calculated relative to the character size. Rotation is in degrees counterclockwise.

Value

nil

Author(s)

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coordinates   *set spatial coordinates to create a Spatial object, or retrieve spatial*
                                      coordinates from a Spatial object

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Description

set spatial coordinates to create a Spatial object, or retrieve spatial coordinates from a Spatial object

Usage

```
coordinates(obj, ...)
coordinates(object) <- value
```

Arguments

obj	object deriving from class "Spatial"
object	object of class "data.frame"
value	spatial coordinates; either a matrix, list, or data frame with numeric data, or column names, column number or a reference: a formula (in the form of e.g. ~x+y), column numbers (e.g. c(1,2)) or column names (e.g. c("x","y")) specifying which columns in object are the spatial coordinates. If the coordinates are part of object, giving the reference does not duplicate them, giving their value does duplicate them in the resulting structure.
...	additional arguments that may be used by particular methods

Value

usually an object of class SpatialPointsDataFrame; if the coordinates set cover the full set of variables in object, an object of class SpatialPoints is returned

Examples

```
# data.frame
data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- ~x+y
gridded(meuse.grid) <- TRUE
class(meuse.grid)
bbox(meuse.grid)

data(meuse)
meuse.xy = meuse[c("x", "y")]
coordinates(meuse.xy) <- ~x+y
class(meuse.xy)
```

coordinates-methods   *retrieve (or set) spatial coordinates*

Description

retrieve (or set) spatial coordinates from (for) spatial data

Methods

obj = "list" list with (at least) two numeric components of equal length

obj = "data.frame" data.frame with at least two numeric components

obj = "matrix" numeric matrix with at least two columns

obj = "SpatialPoints" object of, or deriving from, SpatialPoints

obj = "SpatialPointsDataFrame" object of, or deriving from, SpatialPointsDataFrame

obj = "SpatialPolygons" object of, or deriving from, SpatialPolygons

obj = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame" object of, or deriving from, SpatialPolygonsDataFrame

obj = "Line" object of class Line; returned value is matrix

obj = "Lines" object of class Lines; returned value is list of matrices

obj = "SpatialLines" object of, or deriving from, SpatialLines; returned value is list of lists of matrices

obj = "GridTopology" object of, or deriving from, GridTopology

obj = "GridTopology" object of, or deriving from, GridTopology

obj = "SpatialPixels" object of, or deriving from, SpatialPixels

obj = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame" object of, or deriving from, SpatialPixelsDataFrame

obj = "SpatialGrid" object of, or deriving from, SpatialGrid

obj = "SpatialGridDataFrame" object of, or deriving from, SpatialGridDataFrame

Methods for "coordinates<-"

object = "data.frame", value="ANY" promote data.frame to object of class SpatialPointsDataFrame-class, by specifying coordinates; see coordinates

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coordnames-methods   *retrieve or assign coordinate names for classes in sp*

Description

retrieve or assign coordinate names for classes in **sp**

Methods for coordnames

x = "SpatialPoints" retrieves coordinate names

x = "SpatialLines" retrieves coordinate names

x = "Lines" retrieves coordinate names

x = "Line" retrieves coordinate names

x = "SpatialPolygons" retrieves coordinate names

x = "Polygons" retrieves coordinate names

x = "Polygon" retrieves coordinate names

Methods for "coordnames<-"

x = "SpatialPoints", value = "character" replace coordinate names

x = "SpatialLines", value = "character" replace coordinate names

x = "Lines", value = "character" replace coordinate names

x = "Line", value = "character" replace coordinate names

x = "SpatialPolygons", value = "character" replace coordinate names

x = "GridTopology", value = "character" replace coordinate names

x = "SpatialGrid", value = "character" replace coordinate names

x = "SpatialPixels", value = "character" replace coordinate names

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CRS-class   *Class "CRS" of coordinate reference system arguments*

Description

Interface class to the PROJ projection and transformation system. The class is defined as an empty stub accepting value NA in the sp package. The initiation function may call the PROJ library through **sf** to verify the argument set against those known in the library, returning error messages where necessary. If the "CRS" object is instantiated using CRS() with **sf** using PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3, the object may also have a WKT2 (2019) string carried as a comment. The arguments for a Proj.4 string must be entered exactly as in the Proj.4 documentation, in particular there cannot be any white space in +<key>=<value> strings, and successive such strings can only be separated by blanks. Note that only "+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84" is accepted for geographical coordinates, which must be ordered (eastings, northings); the "+ellps=" definition must be given (or expanded internally from a given "+datum=" value) for recent versions of the Proj.4 library, and should be set to an appropriate value.

Usage

```
CRS(projargs, doCheckCRSArgs=TRUE, SRS_string=NULL, get_source_if_boundcrs=TRUE,
 use_cache=TRUE)
identicalCRS(x,y)
```

Arguments

projargs   A character string of projection arguments; the arguments must be entered ex-
                actly as in the PROJ.4 documentation; if the projection is unknown, use as.character(NA),
                it may be missing or an empty string of zero length and will then set to the miss-
                ing value. With **sf** built with PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3, the +init= key
                may only be used with value epsg:<code>. From **sp** version 1.4-4, the string
                associated with the SRS_string argument may be entered as-is and will be set
                as SRS_string if the projargs argument does not begin with a + (suggested by
                Mikko Vihtakari).

doCheckCRSArgs default TRUE

SRS_string   default NULL, only used when **sf** is built with PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3; a
                valid WKT string or SRS definition such as "EPSG:4326" or "ESRI:102761"

get_source_if_boundcrs
                (from **rgdal** 1.5-17, default TRUE) The presence of the +towgs84= key in a
                Proj4 string projargs= argument value may promote the output WKT2 CRS to
                BOUNDCRS for PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3, which is a coordinate operation
                from the input datum to WGS84. This is often unfortunate, so a PROJ function
                is called through **rgdal** to retrieve the underlying source definition.

use_cache   default TRUE, if FALSE ignore cached lookup values

x   object having a [proj4string](#) method, or if y is missing, list with objects that have
                a proj4string method

y   object of class [Spatial](#), or having a [proj4string](#) method

Value

CRS returns on success an object of class [CRS](#). identicalCRS returns a logical, indicating whether
x and y have identical CRS, or if y is missing whether all objects in list x have identical CRS.

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form CRS("projargs"), where "projargs" is a valid string
of PROJ.4 arguments. If the argument is a zero-length string or a character NA, the object records
NA. If the "CRS" object is instantiated using CRS() with **sf** using PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3, the
object may also have a WKT2 (2019) string carried as a comment. The initiation function may call
the PROJ library through **sf** to verify the argument set against those known in the library, returning
error messages where necessary.

Slots

projargs: Object of class "character": projection arguments; the arguments must be entered
        exactly as in the PROJ.4 documentation, in particular there cannot be any white space in
        +<arg>=<value> strings, and successive such strings can only be separated by blanks.

Methods

show `signature(object = "CRS")`: print deprecated Proj.4 projection arguments and WKT2 2019 representation if available

wkt `signature(object = "CRS")`: return WKT comment on object

rebuild_CRS rebuild a CRS object, usually used to add a WKT comment with PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3

Note

Lists of projections may be seen by using the programs installed with the PROJ.4 library, in particular proj and cs2cs; with the latter, -lp lists projections, -le ellipsoids, -lu units, and -ld datum(s) known to the installed software (available in **sf** using `sf_proj_info`). These are added to in successive releases, so tracking the website or compiling and installing the most recent revisions will give the greatest choice. Finding the very important datum transformation parameters to be given with the +towgs84 tag is a further challenge, and is essential when the datums used in data to be used together differ. Tracing projection arguments is easier now than before the mass ownership of GPS receivers raised the issue of matching coordinates from different argument sets (GPS output and paper map, for example). See GridsDatums, `sf_proj_info` for help in finding CRS definitions.

The 4.9.1 release of the PROJ library omitted a small file of defaults, leading to reports of "major axis or radius = 0 or not given" errors. From 0.9-3, rgdal checks for the presence of this file (proj_def.dat), and if not found, and under similar conditions to those used by PROJ.4, adds "+ellps=WGS84" to the input string being checked by checkCRSArgs The "+no_defs" tag ignores the file of defaults, and the default work-around implemented to get around this problem; strings including "init" and "datum" tags also trigger the avoidance of the work-around. Now messages are issued when a candidate CRS is checked; they may be suppressed using suppressMessages.

From release 6 of the PROJ library, when used in building **sf** with GDAL >= 3, the +datum= key in the Proj.4 string CRS representation is deprecated, and the +towgs84= and +nadgrids= keys may be deprecated soon. For this reason, **sp** and **sf** are starting to use WKT2 (2019) string representations. In **sp**, the "CRS" object in itself remains unchanged, but the content of its "projargs" slot may be degraded. To work around the degradation, a comment is added around the "CRS" object containing a WKT2 (2019) string when **sf** is available and built with PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >=3.

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References

https://github.com/OSGeo/PROJ

Examples

```
CRS()
CRS("")
CRS(as.character(NA))
CRS("+proj=longlat +datum=WGS84")
run <- FALSE
run <- require(sf)
```

```
if (run) {
  print((CRS("+proj=longlat +datum=NAD27")))
}
if (run) {
  print((CRS("+init=epsg:4267")))
}
if (run) {
  print((CRS("+init=epsg:26978")))
}
if (run) {
  print((CRS(paste("+proj=sterea +lat_0=52.15616055555555",
 "+lon_0=5.38763888888889 +k=0.999908 +x_0=155000 +y_0=463000 +ellps=bessel",
 " +towgs84=565.237,50.0087,465.658,-0.406857,0.350733,-1.87035,4.0812 +units=m"))))
}
if (run) {
  print((CRS("+init=epsg:28992")))
}
if (run) {
  print((CRS("EPSG:28992")))
}
if (run) {
  print((CRS(SRS_string="EPSG:28992")))
}
if (run) {
  o <- try(CRS(SRS_string="ESRI:102760"))
  if (!inherits(o, "try-error")) print((o))
}
if (run) {
  o <- try(CRS("EPSG:4326"))
  if (!inherits(o, "try-error")) print((o))
}
if (run) {
  o <- try(CRS("ESRI:102760"))
  if (!inherits(o, "try-error")) print((o))
}
if (run) {
o <- new("Spatial")
proj4string(o) <- CRS("+init=epsg:27700")
}
if (run && !is.null(comment(slot(o, "proj4string")))) {
  cat(wkt(o), sep="\n")
  cat(wkt(slot(o, "proj4string")), sep="\n")
}
```

degAxis   *axis with degrees*

Description

draw axes on a plot using degree symbols in numbers

Usage

```
degAxis(side, at, labels, ...)
```

Arguments

side	integer; see axis
at	numeric; if missing, axTicks is called for nice values; see axis
labels	character; if omitted labels are constructed with degree symbols, ending in N/S/E/W; in case of negative degrees, sign is reversed and S or W is added; see axis
...	passed to the actual axis call

Value

axis is plotted on current graph

Note

decimal degrees are used if variation is small, instead of minutes and seconds

Examples

```
xy = cbind(x = 2 * runif(100) - 1, y = 2 * runif(100) - 1)
plot(SpatialPoints(xy, proj4string = CRS("+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84")),xlim=c(-1,1),ylim=c(-1,1))
degAxis(1)
degAxis(2, at = c(-1,-0.5,0,0.5,1))
#
```

---

dimensions-methods   *retrieve spatial dimensions from spatial data*

Description

retrieves spatial dimensions box from spatial data

Usage

```
dimensions(obj)
```

Arguments

obj	object deriving from class "Spatial"

Value

two-column matrix; the first column has the minimum, the second the maximum values; rows represent the spatial dimensions

Methods

obj = "Spatial" object deriving from class "Spatial"

Examples

```
# just 9 points on a grid:
x <- c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3)
y <- c(1,2,3,1,2,3,1,2,3)
xy <- cbind(x,y)
S <- SpatialPoints(xy)
dimensions(S)

# data.frame
data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- ~x+y
gridded(meuse.grid) <- TRUE
dimensions(meuse.grid)
```

---

disaggregate-methods   *disaggregate SpatialLines, SpatialLinesDataFrame, SpatialPolygons, or SpatialPolygonsDataFrame objects*

Description

disaggregate SpatialLines, SpatialLinesDataFrame, SpatialPolygons, or SpatialPolygonsDataFrame objects, using functions from rgeos to handle polygon hole nesting

Usage

```
disaggregate(x, ...)
```

Arguments

x	object of class [SpatialLines](#) or [SpatialPolygons](#)
...	ignored

Value

object of class [SpatialLines](#) or [SpatialPolygons](#), where groups of [Line](#) or [Polygon](#) are disaggregated to one [Line](#) per [Lines](#), or one [Polygon](#) per [Polygons](#), respectively.

Author(s)

Robert Hijmans, Edzer Pebesma

DMS-class   *Class "DMS" for degree, minute, decimal second values*

Description

The class provides a container for coordinates stored as degree, minute, decimal second values.

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form new("DMS", ...), converted from decimal degrees using dd2dms(), or converted from character strings using char2dms().

Slots

WS: Object of class "logical" TRUE if input value negative

deg: Object of class "numeric" degrees

min: Object of class "numeric" minutes

sec: Object of class "numeric" decimal seconds

NS: Object of class "logical" TRUE if input value is a Northing

Methods

coerce signature(from = "DMS", to = "numeric"): convert to decimal degrees

show signature(object = "DMS"): print data values

Author(s)

Roger Bivand <Roger.Bivand@nhh.no>

See Also

[char2dms](#), [dd2dms](#)

Examples

```
data(state)
dd2dms(state.center$x)
dd2dms(state.center$y, NS=TRUE)
as.numeric(dd2dms(state.center$y))
as(dd2dms(state.center$y, NS=TRUE), "numeric")
as.numeric.DMS(dd2dms(state.center$y))
state.center$y
```

---

elide-methods   *Methods for Function elide in Package 'maptools'*

Description

Methods for function `elide` to translate and disguise coordinate placing in the real world.

Usage

```
elide(obj, ...)
```

Arguments

obj   object to be elided

...   other arguments:

         bb if NULL, uses bounding box of object, otherwise the given bounding box

         shift values to shift the coordinates of the input object; this is made ineffective by the scale argument

         reflect reverse coordinate axes

         scale if NULL, coordinates not scaled; if TRUE, the longer dimension is scaled to lie within [0,1] and aspect maintained; if a scalar, the output range of [0,1] is multiplied by scale

         flip translate coordinates on the main diagonal

         rotate default 0, rotate angle degrees clockwise around center

         center default NULL, if not NULL, the rotation center, numeric of length two

         unitsq logical, default FALSE, if TRUE and scale TRUE, impose unit square bounding box (currently only points)

Value

The methods return objects of the input class object with elided coordinates; the coordinate reference system is not set. Note that if the input coordinates or centroids are in the data slot data.frame of the input object, they should be removed before the use of these methods, otherwise they will betray the input positions.

Methods

obj = "SpatialPoints" elides object

obj = "SpatialPointsDataFrame" elides object

obj = "SpatialLines" elides object

obj = "SpatialLinesDataFrame" elides object

obj = "SpatialPolygons" elides object

obj = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame" elides object

Note

Rotation code kindly contributed by Don MacQueen

Examples

```
data(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) <- c("x", "y")
proj4string(meuse) <- CRS("+init=epsg:28992")
data(meuse.riv)
river_polygon <- Polygons(list(Polygon(meuse.riv)), ID="meuse")
rivers <- SpatialPolygons(list(river_polygon))
proj4string(rivers) <- CRS("+init=epsg:28992")
rivers1 <- elide(rivers, reflect=c(TRUE, TRUE), scale=TRUE)
meuse1 <- elide(meuse, bb=bbox(rivers), reflect=c(TRUE, TRUE), scale=TRUE)
opar <- par(mfrow=c(1,2))
plot(rivers, axes=TRUE)
plot(meuse, add=TRUE)
plot(rivers1, axes=TRUE)
plot(meuse1, add=TRUE)
par(opar)
meuse1 <- elide(meuse, shift=c(10000, -10000))
bbox(meuse)
bbox(meuse1)
rivers1 <- elide(rivers, shift=c(10000, -10000))
bbox(rivers)
bbox(rivers1)
meuse1 <- elide(meuse, rotate=-30, center=apply(bbox(meuse), 1, mean))
bbox(meuse)
bbox(meuse1)
plot(meuse1, axes=TRUE)
```

---

flip	*rearrange data in SpatialPointsDataFrame or SpatialGridDataFrame for plotting with spplot (levelplot/xyplot wrapper)*

Description

rearrange SpatialPointsDataFrame for plotting with spplot or levelplot

Usage

```
flipHorizontal(x)
flipVertical(x)
```

Arguments

x   object of class SpatialGridDataFrame

Value

object of class SpatialGridDataFrame, with pixels flipped horizontally or vertically. Note that the spatial structure is destroyed (or at least: drastically changed).

Author(s)

Michael Sumner

Examples

```
data(meuse.grid) # data frame
gridded(meuse.grid) = c("x", "y") # promotes to
fullgrid(meuse.grid) = TRUE
d = meuse.grid["dist"]
image(d, axes=TRUE)
image(flipHorizontal(d), axes=TRUE)
image(flipVertical(d), axes=TRUE)
```

---

geometry-methods	*Methods for retrieving the geometry from a composite (geometry + attributes) object*

Description

geometry retrieves the SpatialXxx object from a SpatialXxxDataFrame object, with Xxx Lines, Points, Polygons, Grid, or Pixels. geometry<- converts a data.frame into a Spatial object.

Usage

```
geometry(obj)
geometry(obj) <- value
```

Arguments

obj	in case of assignment, a data.frame, else an object of class Spatial
value	object of class Spatial

Methods

obj = "Spatial"

obj = "SpatialPointsDataFrame"

obj = "SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame"

obj = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame"

obj = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame"

obj = "SpatialGridDataFrame"

obj = "SpatialLinesDataFrame"

Author(s)

Edzer Pebesma, <edzer.pebesma@uni-muenster.de>

Examples

```
data(meuse)
m = meuse
coordinates(m) = meuse[, c("x", "y")]
pts = geometry(m)
class(pts)
geometry(meuse) = pts
class(meuse)
identical(m, meuse) # TRUE
```

---

gridded-methods   *specify spatial data as being gridded, or find out whether they are*

Description

returns logical (TRUE or FALSE) telling whether the object is gridded or not; in assignment promotes a non-gridded structure to a gridded one, or demotes a gridded structure back to a non-structured one.

Usage

```
gridded(obj)
gridded(obj) <- value
fullgrid(obj)
fullgrid(obj) <- value
gridparameters(obj)
```

Arguments

obj   object deriving from class "Spatial" (for gridded), or object of class [SpatialGridDataFrame-class](link) (for fullgrid and gridparameters)

value   logical replacement values, TRUE or FALSE

Value

if obj derives from class Spatial, gridded(object) will tell whether it is has topology on a regular grid; if assigned TRUE, if the object derives from SpatialPoints and has gridded topology, grid topology will be added to object, and the class of the object will be promoted to [SpatialGrid-class](link) or [SpatialGridDataFrame-class](link)

fullgrid returns a logical, telling whether the grid is full and ordered (i.e., in full matrix form), or whether it is not full or unordered (i.e. a list of points that happen to lie on a grid. If assigned, the way the points are stored may be changed. Changing a set of points to full matrix form and back may change the original order of the points, and will remove duplicate points if they were present.

gridparameters returns, if obj inherits from SpatialGridDataFrame its grid parameters, else it returns numeric(0). The returned value is a data.frame with three columns, named cellcentre.offset ("lower left cell centre coordinates"), cellsize, and cells.dim (cell dimension); the rows correspond to the spatial dimensions.

Methods

obj = "Spatial" object deriving from class "Spatial"

Examples

```
# just 9 points on a grid:
x <- c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3)
y <- c(1,2,3,1,2,3,1,2,3)
xy <- cbind(x,y)
S <- SpatialPoints(xy)
class(S)
plot(S)
gridded(S) <- TRUE
gridded(S)
class(S)
summary(S)
plot(S)
gridded(S) <- FALSE
gridded(S)
class(S)

# data.frame
data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- ~x+y
gridded(meuse.grid) <- TRUE
plot(meuse.grid) # not much good
summary(meuse.grid)
```

---

gridIndex2nb   *create neighbourhood (nb) object from grid geometry*

Description

create neighbourhood (nb) object from grid geometry

Usage

```
gridIndex2nb(obj, maxdist = sqrt(2), fullMat = TRUE, ...)
```

Arguments

obj	object of class SpatialGrid or SpatialPixels
maxdist	maximum distance to be considered (inclusive), expressed in number of grid cell (sqrt(2) results in queen neighbours)
fullMat	use dist to compute distances from grid (row/col) indices; FALSE avoids forming the full distance matrix, at a large performance cost
...	arguments passed on to dist

Value

Object of class nb, which is a list.

The nb object follows the convention of nb objects in package spdep; it is a list with each list element corresponding to a grid cell or pixel; the list element contains the indices of neighbours defined as cells less than maxdist away, measured in cell unit (N/S/E/W neighbour has distance 1).

Note

Unequal grid cell size is ignored; grid cell row/col indices are taken to be the coordinates from which distances are computed.

Author(s)

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See Also

plot.nb in package spdep

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gridlines	*Create N-S and E-W grid lines over a geographic region*

Description

Create N-S and E-W grid lines over a geographic region; create and plot corresponding labels

Usage

```
gridlines(x, easts = pretty(bbox(x)[1,]), norths = pretty(bbox(x)[2,]),
 ndiscr = 100)
gridat(x, easts = pretty(bbox(x)[1,]), norths = pretty(bbox(x)[2,]),
 offset = 0.5, side = "WS")
## S3 method for class 'SpatialLines'
labels(object, labelCRS, side = 1:2, ...)
## S3 method for class 'SpatialPointsDataFrame'
text(x, ...)
```

Arguments

x	object deriving from class [Spatial-class](#)
easts	numeric; east-west values for vertical lines
norths	numeric; north-south values for horizontal lines
ndiscr	integer; number of points used to discretize the line, could be set to 2, unless the grid is (re)projected
offset	offset value to be returned, see [text](#)
object	[SpatialLines-class](#) object, as returned by `gridlines`
labelCRS	the CRS in which the grid lines were drawn and labels should be printed; if missing, the CRS from `object` is taken
side	for `labels`: integer, indicating side(s) at which gridlines labels will be drawn: 1=below (S), 2=left (W), 3=above (N), and 4=right (E); for `gridat`: default "WS", if "EN" labels placed on the top and right borders
...	for `labels`: ignored; for `text`: arguments passed on to [text](#), see below for example use of `adj`

Value

`gridlines` returns an object of class [SpatialLines-class](#), with lines as specified; the return object inherits the projection information of `x`; `gridat` returns a SpatialPointsDataFrame with points at the west and south ends of the grid lines created by `gridlines`, with degree labels.

The `labels` method for SpatialLines objects returns a [SpatialPointsDataFrame-class](#) object with the parameters needed to print labels below and left of the gridlines. The locations for the labels are those of `proj4string(object)` the labels also unless `labelCRS` is given, in which case they are in that CRS. This object is prepared to be plotted with `text`:

The `text` method for SpatialPointsDataFrame puts text labels on its coordinates, and takes care of attributes pos, `labels`, `srt` and `offset`; see [text](#).

Author(s)

Edzer Pebesma, <edzer.pebesma@uni-muenster.de>, using example code of Roger Bivand.

See Also

[spTransform](#)

Examples

```
run <- FALSE
if (requireNamespace("sf", quietly=TRUE)) run <- TRUE

data(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) = ~x+y
plot(meuse)
plot(gridlines(meuse), add = TRUE)
text(labels(gridlines(meuse)))
```

```
title("default gridlines within Meuse bounding box")

if (run) {
proj4string(meuse) <- CRS("+init=epsg:28992")
crs.longlat <- CRS("+init=epsg:4326")
meuse_ll <- spTransform(meuse, crs.longlat)
grd <- gridlines(meuse_ll)
grd_x <- spTransform(grd, CRS("+init=epsg:28992"))

# labels South and West:
plot(meuse)
plot(grd_x, add=TRUE, lty=2)
grdat_ll <- gridat(meuse_ll)
grdat_x <- spTransform(grdat_ll, CRS("+init=epsg:28992"))
text(grdat_x)
}
if (run) {
# labels North and East:
plot(meuse)
plot(grd_x, add=TRUE, lty=2)
grdat_ll <- gridat(meuse_ll, side="EN")
grdat_x <- spTransform(grdat_ll, CRS("+init=epsg:28992"))
text(grdat_x)
}
if (run) {
# now using labels:
plot(meuse)
plot(grd_x, add=TRUE, lty=2)
text(labels(grd_x, crs.longlat))
}
if (run) {
# demonstrate axis labels with angle, both sides:
sp = SpatialPoints(rbind(c(-101,9), c(-101,55), c(-19,9), c(-19,55)), crs.longlat)
laea = CRS("+proj=laea +lat_0=30 +lon_0=-40")
sp.l = spTransform(sp, laea)
plot(sp.l, expandBB = c(0, 0.05, 0, .05))
gl = spTransform(gridlines(sp), laea)
plot(gl, add = TRUE)
text(labels(gl, crs.longlat))
text(labels(gl, crs.longlat, side = 3:4), col = 'red')
title("curved text label demo")
}
if (run) {
# polar:
pts=SpatialPoints(rbind(c(-180,-70),c(0,-70),c(180,-89),c(180,-70)), crs.longlat)
polar = CRS("+init=epsg:3031")
gl = spTransform(gridlines(pts, easts = seq(-180,180,20), ndiscr = 100), polar)
plot(spTransform(pts, polar), expandBB = c(.05,0,.05,0))
lines(gl)
l = labels(gl, crs.longlat, side = 3)
l$pos = NULL # pos is too simple, use adj:
text(l, adj = c(0.5, -0.5))
l = labels(gl, crs.longlat, side = 4)
```

```
l$srt = 0 # otherwise they end up upside-down
text(l)
title("grid line labels on polar projection, epsg 3031")
}
## Not run:
if (require(maps)) demo(polar) # adds the map of the antarctic

## End(Not run)
```

GridsDatums   *Grids and Datums PE&RS listing*

Description

A data.frame of years and months of Grids & Datums column publications by country and country code.

Usage

```
data("GridsDatums")
```

Format

A data frame with 241 observations on the following 4 variables.

country name of PE&RS column

month issue month

year publication year

ISO ISO code for country

Details

The journal *Photogrammetric Engineering & Remote Sensing*, run by the American Society for Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing (ASPRS), began publishing a more-or-less monthly column on the spatial reference systems used in different countries, including their datums. The column first appeared in September 1997, and continued until March 2016; subsequent columns are updated reprints of previous ones. Some also cover other topics, such as world and Martian spatial reference systems. They are written by Clifford J. Mugnier, Louisiana State University, Fellow Emeritus ASPRS. To access the columns, visit https:\/\/www.asprs.org/asprs-publications/grids-and-datums.

Source

https:\/\/www.asprs.org/asprs-publications/grids-and-datums

Examples

```
data(GridsDatums)
GridsDatums[grep("Norway", GridsDatums$country),]
GridsDatums[grep("Google", GridsDatums$country),]
GridsDatums[grep("^Mars$", GridsDatums$country),]
```

GridTopology-class   *Class "GridTopology"*

Description

class for defining a rectangular grid of arbitrary dimension

Objects from the Class

Objects are created by using e.g.

GridTopology(c(0,0), c(1,1), c(5,5))

see [SpatialGrid](#)

Slots

cellcentre.offset: numeric; vector with the smallest centroid coordinates for each dimension; coordinates refer to the cell centre

cellsize: numeric; vector with the cell size in each dimension

cells.dim: integer; vector with number of cells in each dimension

Methods

coordinates signature(x = "SpatialGrid"): calculates coordinates for each point on the grid

summary signature(object = "SpatialGrid"): summarize object

coerce signature(from = "GridTopology", to = "data.frame"): convert to data.frame with columns cellcentre.offset, cellsize and cells.dim

Author(s)

Edzer Pebesma, <edzer.pebesma@uni-muenster.de>

See Also

[SpatialGridDataFrame-class](#), [SpatialGrid-class](#)

Examples

```
x = GridTopology(c(0,0), c(1,1), c(5,5))
class(x)
x
summary(x)
coordinates(x)
y = SpatialGrid(grid = x)
class(y)
y
```

```
image.SpatialGridDataFrame
```

Image or contour method for gridded spatial data; convert to and from image data structure

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Description

Create image for gridded data in SpatialGridDataFrame or SpatialPixelsDataFrame objects.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'SpatialGridDataFrame'
image(x, attr = 1, xcol = 1, ycol = 2,
col = heat.colors(12), red=NULL, green=NULL, blue=NULL,
        axes = FALSE, xlim = NULL,
ylim = NULL, add = FALSE, ..., asp = NA, setParUsrBB=FALSE,
        interpolate = FALSE, angle = 0,
useRasterImage = !(.Platform$GUI[1] == "Rgui" &&
        getIdentification() == "R Console") && missing(breaks), breaks,
zlim = range(as.numeric(x[[attr]])[is.finite(x[[attr]])]))
## S3 method for class 'SpatialPixelsDataFrame'
image(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'SpatialPixels'
image(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'SpatialGridDataFrame'
contour(x, attr = 1, xcol = 1, ycol = 2,
col = 1, add = FALSE, xlim = NULL, ylim = NULL, axes = FALSE,
        ..., setParUsrBB = FALSE)
## S3 method for class 'SpatialPixelsDataFrame'
contour(x, ...)
as.image.SpatialGridDataFrame(x, xcol = 1, ycol = 2, attr = 1)
image2Grid(im, p4 = as.character(NA), digits=10)
```

Arguments

x   object of class [SpatialGridDataFrame](#)

attr	column of attribute variable; this may be the column name in the data.frame of data (as.data.frame(data)), or a column number
xcol	column number of x-coordinate, in the coordinate matrix
ycol	column number of y-coordinate, in the coordinate matrix
col	a vector of colors
red, green, blue	columns names or numbers given instead of the attr argument when the data represent an image encoded in three colour bands on the 0-255 integer scale; all three columns must be given in this case, and the attribute values will be constructed using function rgb
axes	logical; should coordinate axes be drawn?
xlim	x-axis limits
ylim	y-axis limits
zlim	data limits for plotting the (raster, attribute) values
add	logical; if FALSE, the image is added to the plot layout setup by plot(as(x, "Spatial"),axes=axes,xlim=xlim,ylim=ylim,asp=asp) which sets up axes and plotting region; if TRUE, the image is added to the existing plot.
...	arguments passed to [image](), see examples
asp	aspect ratio to be used for plot
setParUsrBB	default FALSE, see [Spatial-class]() for further details
useRasterImage	if TRUE, use [rasterImage]() to render the image if available; for legacy rendering set FALSE; should be FALSE on Windows SDI installations
breaks	class breaks for coloured values
interpolate	default FALSE, a logical vector (or scalar) indicating whether to apply linear interpolation to the image when drawing, see [rasterImage]()
angle	default 0, angle of rotation (in degrees, anti-clockwise from positive x-axis, about the bottom-left corner), see [rasterImage]()
im	list with components named x, y, and z, as used for image
p4	CRS object, proj4 string
digits	default 10, number of significant digits to use for checking equal row/column spacing

Value

as.image.SpatialGridDataFrame returns the list with elements x and y, containing the coordinates of the cell centres of a matrix z, containing the attribute values in matrix form as needed by [image]().

Note

Providing xcol and ycol attributes seems obsolete, and it is for 2D data, but it may provide opportunities for plotting certain slices in 3D data. I haven't given this much thought yet.

[filled.contour]() seems to misinterpret the coordinate values, if we take the image.default manual page as the reference.

Author(s)

Edzer Pebesma

See Also

image.default, SpatialGridDataFrame-class, levelplot in package `lattice`. Function `image.plot` in package `fields` can be used to make a legend for an image, see an example in `https://stat.ethz.ch/pipermail/r-sig-geo/2007-June/002143.html`

Examples

```
data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) = c("x", "y") # promote to SpatialPointsDataFrame
gridded(meuse.grid) = TRUE            # promote to SpatialGridDataFrame
data(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) = c("x", "y")
image(meuse.grid["dist"], main = "Distance to river Meuse")
points(coordinates(meuse), pch = "+")
image(meuse.grid["dist"], main = "Distance to river Meuse",
 useRasterImage=TRUE)
points(coordinates(meuse), pch = "+")

# color scale:
layout(cbind(1,2), c(4,1),1)
image(meuse.grid["dist"])
imageScale(meuse.grid$dist, axis.pos=4, add.axis=FALSE)
axis(4,at=c(0,.2,.4,.8), las=2)

data(Rlogo)
d = dim(Rlogo)
cellsize = abs(c(gt[2],gt[6]))
cells.dim = c(d[1], d[2]) # c(d[2],d[1])
cellcentre.offset = c(x = gt[1] + 0.5 * cellsize[1], y = gt[4] - (d[2] - 0.5) * abs(cellsize[2]))
grid = GridTopology(cellcentre.offset, cellsize, cells.dim)
df = as.vector(Rlogo[,,1])
for (band in 2:d[3]) df = cbind(df, as.vector(Rlogo[,,band]))
df = as.data.frame(df)
names(df) = paste("band", 1:d[3], sep="")
Rlogo <- SpatialGridDataFrame(grid = grid, data = df)
summary(Rlogo)
image(Rlogo, red="band1", green="band2", blue="band3")
image(Rlogo, red="band1", green="band2", blue="band3",
 useRasterImage=FALSE)
is.na(Rlogo$band1) <- Rlogo$band1 == 255
is.na(Rlogo$band2) <- Rlogo$band2 == 255
is.na(Rlogo$band3) <- Rlogo$band3 == 255
Rlogo$i7 <- 7
image(Rlogo, "i7")
image(Rlogo, red="band1", green="band2", blue="band3", add=TRUE)
```

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is.projected   *Sets or retrieves projection attributes on classes extending Spatial-Data*

Description

Sets or retrieves projection attributes on classes extending SpatialData; set or retrieve option value for error or warning on exceedance of geographical coordinate range, set or retrieve option value for exceedance tolerance of geographical coordinate range. Note that only "+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84" is accepted for geographical coordinates, which must be ordered (eastings, northings); the "+ellps=" definition must be given (or expanded internally from a given "+datum=" value) for recent versions of the PROJ library, and should be set to an appropriate value.

From release 6 of the PROJ library, when used in building **rgdal** with GDAL >= 3, the +datum= key in the Proj.4 string CRS representation is deprecated, and the +towgs84= and +nadgrids= keys may be deprecated soon. For this reason, **sp**, **rgdal** and **sf** are starting to use WKT2 (2019) string representations. In **sp**, the "CRS" object in itself remains unchanged, but the content of its "projargs" slot may be degraded. To work around the degradation, a comment is added around the "CRS" object containing a WKT2 (2019) string when **rgdal** is available and built with PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >=3. The wkt() accessor function returns the WKT2 (2019) string comment belonging to the "CRS" object.

Usage

```
is.projected(obj)
proj4string(obj)
proj4string(obj) <- value
wkt(obj)
get_ll_warn()
get_ll_TOL()
get_ReplCRS_warn()
set_ll_warn(value)
set_ll_TOL(value)
set_ReplCRS_warn(value)
```

Arguments

obj   An object of class or extending Spatial-class

value   For proj4string CRS object, containing a valid proj4 string; attempts to assign an object containing "longlat" to data extending beyond longitude [-180, 360] or lattitude [-90, 90] will be stopped. For set_ll_warn a single logical value, if FALSE (default) error on range exceedance, if TRUE, warning. For set_ll_TOL the value of the power of .Machine$double.eps (default 0.25) to use as tolerance in testing range exceedance. set_ReplCRS_warn may be used to turn off warnings issued when changing object CRS with the proj4string replacement method (by setting value=FALSE).

Details

proj4 strings are operative through CRAN package rgdal. For strings defined as "longlat", the minimum longitude should be -180, the maximum longitude 360, the minimum latitude -90, and the maximum latitude 90. Note that the `proj4string` replacement method does not project spatial data - for this use `spTransform` methods in the rgdal package.

Value

`is.projected` returns a logical that may be NA; `proj4string` returns a character vector of length 1.

Author(s)

Edzer Pebesma, <edzer.pebesma@uni-muenster.de>

See Also

[CRS](#)

Examples

```
o <- new("Spatial")
proj4string(o) <- CRS("+init=epsg:27700")
if (!is.null(comment(slot(o, "proj4string")))) {
  cat(strsplit(wkt(o), "\n")[[1]], sep="\n")
  cat(strsplit(wkt(slot(o, "proj4string")), "\n")[[1]], sep="\n")
}
is.projected(CRS("+proj=longlat"))
is.projected(CRS("+proj=geocent"))
is.projected(CRS("+proj=geocent +units=km"))
```

Line   *create objects of class Line or Lines*

Description

create objects of class `Line` or `Lines` from coordinates

Usage

```
Line(coords)
Lines(slinelist, ID)
```

Arguments

coords	2-column numeric matrix with coordinates for a single line
slinelist	list with elements of class [Line-class](#)
ID	a single word unique character identifier, character vector of length one

Value

Line returns an object of class Line-class; Lines returns an object of class Lines-class

See Also

SpatialLines-class

Examples

```
# from the sp vignette:
l1 = cbind(c(1,2,3),c(3,2,2))
l1a = cbind(l1[,1]+.05,l1[,2]+.05)
l2 = cbind(c(1,2,3),c(1,1.5,1))
Sl1 = Line(l1)
Sl1a = Line(l1a)
Sl2 = Line(l2)
S1 = Lines(list(Sl1, Sl1a), ID="a")
S2 = Lines(list(Sl2), ID="b")
```

Line-class   *Class "Line"*

Description

class for line objects

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form new("Line", ...), or (preferred) by calls to the function Line

Slots

coords: Object of class "matrix", containing the line coordinates

Methods

coordinates signature(obj = "Line"): retrieve coordinates from line

lines signature(x = "Line"): add lines to a plot

Author(s)

Roger Bivand, Edzer Pebesma

See Also

Lines-class, SpatialLines-class

Lines-class   *Class "Lines"*

Description

class for sets of line objects

Arguments

SL, Lines   an Lines object

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls to the function [Line](#)

Slots

Lines: Object of class "list", containing elements of class [Line-class](#)

ID: "character" vector of length one, with unique identifier string

Methods

coordinates signature(obj = "Line"): retrieve coordinates from lines; returns list with matrices

lines signature(x = "Line"): add lines to a plot

Author(s)

Roger Bivand, Edzer Pebesma

See Also

[Lines-class](#), [SpatialLines-class](#)

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loadMeuse   *deprecated function to load the Meuse data set*

Description

deprecated function to load the Meuse data set

Usage

```
loadMeuse()
```

Value

none; it prints a warning to run demo(meuse)

See Also

[meuse](), [meuse.grid]()

Examples

```
demo(meuse)
```

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mapasp	*Calculate aspect ratio for plotting geographic maps; create nice degree axis labels*

Description

Calculate aspect ratio for plotting geographic maps; create nice degree axis labels

Usage

```
mapasp(data, xlim, ylim)
degreeLabelsEW(x)
degreeLabelsNS(x)
```

Arguments

data	object of class or extending `Spatial`
xlim	the xlim argument passed (or derived from bounding box)
ylim	the ylim argument passed (or derived from bounding box)
x	numeric; values at which tics and marks will be generated

Value

mapasp is used for the aspect argument in lattice plots and spplot;

let $x = dy/dx$, with dy and dx the y- and x-size of the map.

let $s = 1/\cos((My * pi)/180)$ with My the y coordinate of the middle of the map (the mean of ylim)

for latlong (longlat) data, mapasp returns $s * x$. for other data, mapasp returns "iso".

Note

the values for x are typically obtained from [axTicks]()

See Also

[levelplot]() in package `lattice`

merge   *Merge a Spatial* object having attributes with a data.frame*

Description

Merge a Spatial object having a data.frame (i.e. merging of non-spatial attributes).

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'Spatial,data.frame'
merge(x, y, by = intersect(names(x), names(y)),
 by.x = by, by.y = by, all.x = TRUE, suffixes = c(".x",".y"),
 incomparables = NULL, duplicateGeoms = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

x	object deriving from [Spatial](#)
y	object of class data.frame, or any other class that can be coerced to a data.frame with as.data.frame
by, by.x, by.y	specifications of the common columns. See 'Details' in (base) [merge](#).
all.x	logical; if TRUE, then the returned object will have all rows of x, even those that has no matching row in y. These rows will have NAs in those columns that are usually filled with values from y
suffixes	character(2) specifying the suffixes to be used for making non-by names() unique.
incomparables	values which cannot be matched. See [match](#).
duplicateGeoms	logical; if TRUE geometries in x are duplicated if there are multiple matches between records in x and y
...	arguments to be passed to or from methods.

Value

a Spatial* object

Author(s)

Robert J. Hijmans

See Also

[merge](#)

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meuse   *Meuse river data set*

Description

This data set gives locations and topsoil heavy metal concentrations, along with a number of soil and landscape variables at the observation locations, collected in a flood plain of the river Meuse, near the village of Stein (NL). Heavy metal concentrations are from composite samples of an area of approximately 15 m x 15 m.

Usage

```
data(meuse)
```

Format

This data frame contains the following columns:

x a numeric vector; Easting (m) in Rijksdriehoek (RDH) (Netherlands topographical) map coordinates

y a numeric vector; Northing (m) in RDH coordinates

cadmium topsoil cadmium concentration, mg kg-1 soil ("ppm"); zero cadmium values in the original data set have been shifted to 0.2 (half the lowest non-zero value)

copper topsoil copper concentration, mg kg-1 soil ("ppm")

lead topsoil lead concentration, mg kg-1 soil ("ppm")

zinc topsoil zinc concentration, mg kg-1 soil ("ppm")

elev relative elevation above local river bed, m

dist distance to the Meuse; obtained from the nearest cell in meuse.grid, which in turn was derived by a spread (spatial distance) GIS operation, horizontal precision 20 metres; then normalized to $[0,1]$

om organic matter, kg (100 kg)-1 soil (percent)

ffreq flooding frequency class: 1 = once in two years; 2 = once in ten years; 3 = one in 50 years

soil soil type according to the 1:50 000 soil map of the Netherlands. 1 = Rd10A (Calcareous weakly-developed meadow soils, light sandy clay); 2 = Rd90C/VII (Non-calcareous weakly-developed meadow soils, heavy sandy clay to light clay); 3 = Bkd26/VII (Red Brick soil, fine-sandy, silty light clay)

lime lime class: 0 = absent, 1 = present by field test with 5% HCl

landuse landuse class: Aa Agriculture/unspecified = , Ab = Agr/sugar beetsm, Ag = Agr/small grains, Ah = Agr/??, Am = Agr/maize, B = woods, Bw = trees in pasture, DEN = ??, Fh = tall fruit trees, Fl = low fruit trees; Fw = fruit trees in pasture, Ga = home gardens, SPO = sport field, STA = stable yard, Tv = ?? , W = pasture

dist.m distance to river Meuse in metres, as obtained during the field survey

Note

row.names refer to the original sample number.

Soil units were mapped with a minimum delination width of 150 m, and so somewhat generalize the landscape.

Approximate equivalent World Reference Base 2002 for Soil Resources names are: Rd10A Gleyic Fluvisols; Rd90C Haplic Fluvisols; Bkd26 Haplic Luvisols. Units Rd90C and Bkd26 have winter groundwater > 80cm, summer > 120cm depth.

Author(s)

Field data were collected by Ruud van Rijn and Mathieu Rikken; compiled for R by Edzer Pebesma; description extended by David Rossiter

References

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Examples

```
data(meuse)
summary(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) <- ~x+y
proj4string(meuse) <- CRS("+init=epsg:28992")
```

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meuse.grid	*Prediction Grid for Meuse Data Set*

Description

The meuse.grid data frame has 3103 rows and 7 columns; a grid with 40 m x 40 m spacing that covers the Meuse study area (see meuse)

Usage

```
data(meuse.grid)
```

Format

This data frame contains the following columns:

x a numeric vector; x-coordinate (see meuse)

y a numeric vector; y-coordinate (see meuse)

dist distance to the Meuse river; obtained by a spread (spatial distance) GIS operation, from border of river; normalized to $[0,1]$

ffreq flooding frequency class, for definitions see this item in meuse; it is not known how this map was generated

part.a arbitrary division of the area in two areas, a and b

part.b see part.a

soil soil type, for definitions see this item in meuse; it is questionable whether these data come from a real soil map, they do not match the published 1:50 000 map

Details

x and y are in RD New, the Dutch topographical map coordinate system. Roger Bivand projected this to UTM in the R-Grass interface package.

References

See the meuse documentation

Examples

```
data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) = ~x+y
proj4string(meuse.grid) <- CRS("+init=epsg:28992")
gridded(meuse.grid) = TRUE
spplot(meuse.grid)
```

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meuse.grid_ll   *Prediction Grid for Meuse Data Set, geographical coordinates*

Description

The object contains the meuse.grid data as a SpatialPointsDataFrame after transformation to WGS84 and geographical coordinates.

Usage

```
data(meuse.grid_ll)
```

Format

The format is: Formal class 'SpatialPointsDataFrame' [package "sp"].

Source

See the meuse documentation

Examples

```
data(meuse.grid_ll)
```

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meuse.riv   *River Meuse outline*

Description

The meuse.riv data consists of an outline of the Meuse river in the area a few kilometers around the meuse data set.

The meuse.area polygon has an outline of meuse.grid. See example below how it can be created from meuse.grid.

Usage

```
data(meuse.riv)
data(meuse.area)
```

Format

meuse.riv: two-column data.frame containing 176 coordinates.

meuse.area: two-column matrix with coordinates of outline.

Details

x and y are in RDM, the Dutch topographical map coordinate system. See examples of spTransform for projection parameters.

References

See the meuse documentation

Examples

```
data(meuse.riv)
plot(meuse.riv, type = "l", asp = 1)
data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) = c("x", "y")
gridded(meuse.grid) = TRUE
image(meuse.grid, "dist", add = TRUE)
data(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) = c("x", "y")
meuse.sr = SpatialPolygons(list(Polygons(list(Polygon(meuse.riv)),"meuse.riv")))
spplot(meuse.grid, col.regions=bpy.colors(), main = "meuse.grid",
```

```
  sp.layout=list(
list("sp.polygons", meuse.sr),
list("sp.points", meuse, pch="+", col="black")
  )
)
spplot(meuse, "zinc", col.regions=bpy.colors(),  main = "zinc, ppm",
  cuts = c(100,200,400,700,1200,2000), key.space = "right",
  sp.layout= list("sp.polygons", meuse.sr, fill = "lightblue")
)
```

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over-methods   *consistent spatial overlay for points, grids and polygons*

Description

consistent spatial overlay for points, grids and polygons: at the spatial locations of object x retrieves
the indexes or attributes from spatial object y

Usage

```
over(x, y, returnList = FALSE, fn = NULL, ...)
x %over% y
```

Arguments

x	geometry (locations) of the queries
y	layer from which the geometries or attributes are queried
returnList	logical; see value
fn	(optional) a function; see value
...	arguments passed on to function fn, except for the special argument minDimension: minimal dimension for an intersection to be counted; -1 takes any intersection, and does not order; 0 takes any intersection but will order according to dimensionality of the intersections (if returnList is TRUE, 1 (2) selects intersections with dimension 1, meaning lines (2, meaning areas); see vignette("over") for details

Value

If y is only geometry an object of length length(x). If returnList is FALSE, a vector with
the (first) index of y for each geometry (point, grid cell centre, polygon or lines) matching x. if
returnList is TRUE, a list of length length(x), with list element i the vector of all indices of the
geometries in y that correspond to the i-th geometry in x.

If y has attribute data, attribute data are returned. returnList is FALSE, a data.frame with
number of rows equal to length(x) is returned, if it is TRUE a list with length(x) elements is
returned, with a list element the data.frame elements of all geometries in y that correspond to that
element of x.

Methods

x = "SpatialPoints", y = "SpatialPolygons" returns a numeric vector of length equal to the number of points; the number is the index (number) of the polygon of y in which a point falls; NA denotes the point does not fall in a polygon; if a point falls in multiple polygons, the last polygon is recorded.

x = "SpatialPointsDataFrame", y = "SpatialPolygons" equal to the previous method, except that an argument fn=xxx is allowed, e.g. `fn = mean` which will then report a data.frame with the mean attribute values of the x points falling in each polygon (set) of y

x = "SpatialPoints", y = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame" returns a data.frame of the second argument with row entries corresponding to the first argument

x = "SpatialPolygons", y = "SpatialPoints" returns the polygon index of points in y; if x is a `SpatialPolygonsDataFrame`, a data.frame with rows from x corresponding to points in y is returned.

x = "SpatialGridDataFrame", y = "SpatialPoints" returns object of class SpatialPointsDataFrame with grid attribute values x at spatial point locations y; NA for NA grid cells or points outside grid, and NA values on NA grid cells.

x = "SpatialGrid", y = "SpatialPoints" returns grid values x at spatial point locations y; NA for NA grid cells or points outside the grid

x = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame", y = "SpatialPoints" returns grid values x at spatial point locations y; NA for NA grid cells or points outside the grid

x = "SpatialPixels", y = "SpatialPoints" returns grid values x at spatial point locations y; NA for NA grid cells or points outside the grid

x = "SpatialPoints", y = "SpatialGrid" xx

x = "SpatialPoints", y = "SpatialGridDataFrame" xx

x = "SpatialPoints", y = "SpatialPixels" xx

x = "SpatialPoints", y = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame" xx

x = "SpatialPolygons", y = "SpatialGridDataFrame" xx

Note

`over` can be seen as a left outer join in SQL; the match is a spatial intersection.

points on a polygon boundary and points corresponding to a polygon vertex are considered to be inside the polygon.

These methods assume that pixels and grid cells are never overlapping; for objects of class `SpatialPixels` this is not guaranteed.

Author(s)

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See Also

`vignette("over")` for examples and figures

panel.spplot	*panel and panel utility functions for spplot*

Description

panel functions for spplot functions, and functions that can be useful within these panel functions

Usage

```
spplot.key(sp.layout, rows = 1, cols = 1)
SpatialPolygonsRescale(obj, offset, scale = 1, fill = "black", col = "black",
plot.grid = TRUE, ...)
sp.lines(obj, col = 1, ...)
sp.points(obj, pch = 3, ...)
sp.polygons(obj, col = 1, fill = "transparent", ...)
sp.grid(obj, col = 1, alpha = 1,..., at = pretty(obj[[1]]), col.regions = col)
sp.text(loc, txt, ...)
sp.panel.layout(lst, p.number, ...)
bbexpand(x, fraction)
```

Arguments

sp.layout	list; see spplot for definition
rows	integer; panel row(s) for which the layout should be drawn
cols	integer; panel column(s) for which the layout should be drawn
obj	object of class SpatialPolygons-class for SpatialPolygonsRescale; of class SpatialLines-class, Lines-class or Line-class for sp.lines of a class that has a coordinates-methods for sp.points; of class SpatialPolygons-class for sp.polygons. When obj is character, the actual object is retrieved by get(obj) before its class is evaluated.
offset	offset for shifting a Polygons object
scale	scale for rescaling
fill	fill color
col	line color
plot.grid	logical; plot through grid functions (TRUE), or through traditional graphics functions (FALSE)
pch	plotting character
at	numeric; values at which colour breaks should occur
col.regions	colours to fill the grid cells, defaults to col
loc	numeric vector of two elements
txt	text to be plotted
alpha	alpha (transparency) level

lst	sp.layout argument, see spplot
p.number	panel number; in a panel, panel.number() should be passed to this argument
x	length two numeric vector, containing a range
fraction	fraction to expand the range by
...	arguments passed to the underlying panel, lattice or grid functions

Note

The panel functions of spplot, panel.gridplot for grids, panel.pointsplot for points, or panel.polygonsplot for lines or polygons can be called with arguments (x,y,...). Customizing spplot plots can be done by extending the panel function, or by supplying an sp.layout argument; see the documentation for spplot. Inside these panel functions, sp.panel.layout is called to deal with plotting the items in a sp.layout object.

SpatialPolygonsRescale scales and shifts an object of class SpatialPolygons-class; this is useful e.g. for scale bars, or other layout items.

sp.lines, sp.points, sp.polygons and sp.text plot lines, points, polygons or text in a panel.

spplot.key draws the sp.layout object at given rows/cols.

sp.pagefn can be passed as a page argument, and will call function spplot.key for the last panel drawn on a page.

Author(s)

Edzer Pebesma, <edzer.pebesma@uni-muenster.de>

References

https://edzer.github.io/sp/ has a graph gallery with examples with R code.

See Also

spplot, spplot-methods

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point.in.polygon   *do point(s) fall in a given polygon?*

Description

verifies for one or more points whether they fall in a given polygon

Usage

```
point.in.polygon(point.x, point.y, pol.x, pol.y, mode.checked=FALSE)
```

Arguments

`point.x`	numerical array of x-coordinates of points
`point.y`	numerical array of y-coordinates of points
`pol.x`	numerical array of x-coordinates of polygon
`pol.y`	numerical array of y-coordinates of polygon
`mode.checked`	default FALSE, used internally to save time when all the other argument are known to be of storage mode double

Value

integer array; values are: 0: point is strictly exterior to pol; 1: point is strictly interior to pol; 2: point lies on the relative interior of an edge of pol; 3: point is a vertex of pol.

References

Uses the C function InPoly(). InPoly is Copyright (c) 1998 by Joseph O'Rourke. It may be freely redistributed in its entirety provided that this copyright notice is not removed.

Examples

```
# open polygon:
point.in.polygon(1:10,1:10,c(3,5,5,3),c(3,3,5,5))
# closed polygon:
point.in.polygon(1:10,rep(4,10),c(3,5,5,3,3),c(3,3,5,5,3))
```

Polygon-class   *Class "Polygon"*

Description

class for spatial polygon

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls to the function `Polygon`

Slots

ringDir: Object of class `"integer"`; the ring direction of the ring (polygon) coordinates, holes are expected to be anti-clockwise

labpt: Object of class `"numeric"`; an x, y coordinate pair forming the label point of the polygon

area: Object of class `"numeric"`; the planar area of the polygon, does not respect projection as objects of this class have no projection defined

hole: Object of class `"logical"`; does the polygon seem to be a hole

coords: Object of class `"matrix"`; coordinates of the polygon; first point should equal the last point

Extends

Class ″Line″, directly.

Methods

No methods defined with class "Polygon" in the signature.

Author(s)

Roger Bivand

See Also

[Polygons-class](), [SpatialPolygons-class]()

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polygons	*sets spatial coordinates to create spatial data, or retrieves spatial coordinates*

Description

sets spatial coordinates to create spatial data, or retrieves spatial coordinates

Usage

```
polygons(obj)
polygons(object) <- value
```

Arguments

obj	object of class "SpatialPolygons" or "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame"
object	object of class "data.frame"
value	object of class "SpatialPolygons"

Value

polygons returns the SpatialPolygons of obj; polygons<- promotes a data.frame to a SpatialPolygonsDataFrame object

Examples

```
grd <- GridTopology(c(1,1), c(1,1), c(10,10))
polys <- as.SpatialPolygons.GridTopology(grd)
centroids <- coordinates(polys)
x <- centroids[,1]
y <- centroids[,2]
z <- 1.4 + 0.1*x + 0.2*y + 0.002*x*x
df <- data.frame(x=x, y=y, z=z, row.names=row.names(polys))
polygons(df) <- polys
class(df)
summary(df)
```

Polygons-class   *Class "Polygons"*

Description

Collection of objects of class `"Polygon"`

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls to the function `Polygons`

Slots

Polygons: Object of class `"list"`; list with objects of class [Polygon-class](#)

plotOrder: Object of class `"integer"`; order in which the Polygon objects should be plotted, currently by order of decreasing size

labpt: Object of class `"numeric"`; pair of x, y coordinates giving a label point, the label point of the largest polygon component

ID: Object of class `"character"`; unique identifier string

area: Object of class `"numeric"`; the gross total planar area of the Polygon list but not double-counting holes (changed from 0.9-58 - islands are summed, holes are ignored rather than subtracted); these values are used to make sure that polygons of a smaller area are plotted after polygons of a larger area, does not respect projection as objects of this class have no projection defined

Methods

No methods defined with class "Polygons" in the signature.

Note

By default, single polygons (where Polygons is a list of length one) are not expected to be holes, but in multiple polygons, hole definitions for member polygons can be set. Polygon objects belonging to an Polygons object should either not overlap one-other, or should be fully included (as lakes or islands in lakes). They should not be self-intersecting. Checking of hole FALSE/TRUE status for Polygons objects is now handled by round-trip coercion to sf and back to sp.

Author(s)

Roger Bivand

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polygons-methods *Retrieve polygons from SpatialPolygonsDataFrame object*

Description

Retrieve polygons from SpatialPolygonsDataFrame object

Methods for polygons

obj = "SpatialPolygons" object of, or deriving from, SpatialPolygons

obj = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame" object of, or deriving from, SpatialPolygonsDataFrame

Methods for "polygons<-"

object = "data.frame", value="SpatialPolygons" promote data.frame to object of class [SpatialPolygonsDataFrame-class](), by specifying polygons

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read.asciigrid *read/write to/from (ESRI) asciigrid format*

Description

read/write to/from ESRI asciigrid format

Usage

```
read.asciigrid(fname, as.image = FALSE, plot.image = FALSE, colname = fname,
 proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)))
write.asciigrid(x, fname, attr = 1, na.value = -9999, ...)
```

Arguments

fname	file name
as.image	logical; if FALSE, a list is returned, ready to be shown with the image command; if FALSE an object of class [SpatialGridDataFrame-class]() is returned
plot.image	logical; if TRUE, an image of the map is plotted
colname	alternative name for data column if not file name
proj4string	A CRS object setting the projection arguments of the Spatial Grid returned
x	object of class [SpatialGridDataFrame]()
attr	attribute column; if missing, the first column is taken; a name or a column number may be given
na.value	numeric; value given to missing valued cells in the resulting map
...	arguments passed to [write.table](), which is used to write the numeric data

Value

read.asciigrid returns the grid map read; either as an object of class SpatialGridDataFrame-class
or, if as.image is TRUE, as list with components x, y and z.

Author(s)

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See Also

as.image.SpatialGridDataFrame, image

Examples

```
x <- read.asciigrid(system.file("external/test.ag", package="sp")[1])
class(x)
image(x)
```

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recenter-methods   *Methods for Function recenter in Package 'sp'*

Description

Methods for function recenter in package **sp** to shift or re-center geographical coordinates for
a Pacific view. All longitudes < 0 are added to 360, to avoid for instance parts of Alaska being
represented on the far left and right of a plot because they have values straddling 180 degrees. In
general, using a projected coordinate reference system is to be preferred, but this method permits a
geographical coordinate reference system to be used. This idea was suggested by Greg Snow, and
corresponds to the two world representations in the **maps** package.

Methods

obj = "SpatialPolygons" recenter a SpatialPolygons object

obj = "Polygons" recenter a Polygons object

obj = "Polygon" recenter an Polygon object

obj = "SpatialLines" recenter a SpatialLines object

obj = "Lines" recenter a Lines object

obj = "Line" recenter an Line object

Examples

```
crds <- matrix(c(179, -179, -179, 179, 50, 50, 52, 52), ncol=2)
SL <- SpatialLines(list(Lines(list(Line(crds)), "1")),
 CRS("+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84"))
bbox(SL)
SLr <- recenter(SL)
bbox(SLr)
rcrds <- rbind(crds, crds[1,])
SpP <- SpatialPolygons(list(Polygons(list(Polygon(rcrds)), ID="r1")),
 proj4string=CRS("+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84"))
bbox(SpP)
SpPr <- recenter(SpP)
bbox(SpPr)
opar <- par(mfrow=c(1,2))
plot(SpP)
plot(SpPr)
par(opar)
crds <- matrix(c(-1, 1, 1, -1, 50, 50, 52, 52), ncol=2)
SL <- SpatialLines(list(Lines(list(Line(crds)), "1")),
 CRS("+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84"))
bbox(SL)
SLr <- recenter(SL)
bbox(SLr)
rcrds <- rbind(crds, crds[1,])
SpP <- SpatialPolygons(list(Polygons(list(Polygon(rcrds)), ID="r1")),
 proj4string=CRS("+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84"))
bbox(SpP)
SpPr <- recenter(SpP)
bbox(SpPr)
opar <- par(mfrow=c(1,2))
plot(SpP)
plot(SpPr)
par(opar)
```

Rlogo	*Rlogo jpeg image*

Description

Rlogo jpeg image data as imported by `getRasterData` in the rgdal package

Usage

```
data(Rlogo)
```

Format

The format is: int [1:101, 1:77, 1:3] 255 255 255 255 255 255 255 255 255 255 ...

Examples

```
data(Rlogo)
d = dim(Rlogo)
cellsize = abs(c(gt[2],gt[6]))
cells.dim = c(d[1], d[2]) # c(d[2],d[1])
cellcentre.offset = c(x = gt[1] + 0.5 * cellsize[1], y = gt[4] - (d[2] - 0.5) * abs(cellsize[2]))
grid = GridTopology(cellcentre.offset, cellsize, cells.dim)
df = as.vector(Rlogo[,,1])
for (band in 2:d[3]) df = cbind(df, as.vector(Rlogo[,,band]))
df = as.data.frame(df)
names(df) = paste("band", 1:d[3], sep="")
Rlogo <- SpatialGridDataFrame(grid = grid, data = df)
summary(Rlogo)
spplot(Rlogo, zcol=1:3, names.attr=c("red","green","blue"),
col.regions=grey(0:100/100),
main="example of three-layer (RGB) raster image", as.table=TRUE)
```

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select.spatial   *select points spatially*

Description

select a number of points by digitizing the area they fall in

Usage

```
select.spatial(data, digitize = TRUE, pch = "+", rownames = FALSE)
```

Arguments

data	data object of class, or extending SpatialPoints; this object knows about its x and y coordinate
digitize	logical; if TRUE, points in a digitized polygon are selected; if FALSE, points identified by mouse clicks are selected
pch	plotting character used for points
rownames	logical; if FALSE, row (coordinate) numbers are returned; if TRUE and data contains a data.frame part, row.names for selected points in the data.frame are returned.

Value

if rownames == FALSE, array with either indexes (row numbers) of points inside the digitized polygon; if rownames == TRUE, character array with corresponding row names in the data.frame part

See Also

point.in.polygon, locator, SpatialPoints-class, SpatialPointsDataFrame-class

Examples

```
data(meuse)
## the following command requires user interaction: left mouse
## selects points, right mouse ends digitizing
data(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) = c("x", "y")
# select.spatial(meuse)
```

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sp	*A package providing classes and methods for spatial data: points, lines, polygons and grids*

Description

This package provides S4 classes for importing, manipulating and exporting spatial data in R, and for methods including print/show, plot, subset, [, [[, \$, names, dim, summary, and a number of methods specific to spatial data handling.

Introduction

Several spatial statistical packages have been around for a long while, but no organized set of classes for spatial data has yet been devised. Many of the spatial packages make their own assumptions, or use their own class definitions for spatial data, making it inconvenient to move from one package to another. This package tries to provide a solid set of classes for many different types of spatial data. The idea is that spatial statistical packages will either support these classes (i.e., directly read and write them) or will provide conversion to them, so that we have a base class set with which any package can exchange. This way, many-to-many conversions can be replace with one-to-many conversions, provided either in this package or the spatial packages. Wherever possible conversion (coercion) functions are automatic, or provided by sp.

External packages that depend on sp will provide importing and exporting from and to external GIS formats, e.g. through GDAL, OGR or shapelib.

In addition, this package tries to provide convenient methods to print, summarize and plot such spatial data.

Dimensions

In principal, geographical data are two-dimensional, on a flat surface (a map) or on a sphere (the earth). This package provides space for dealing with higher dimensional data where possible; this is e.g. very simple for points and grids, but hard to do for polygons. Plotting functions are devised primarily for two-dimensional data, or two-dimensional projections of higher dimensional data.

Coordinate reference systems

Central to spatial data is that they have a coordinate reference system, which is coded in object of CRS class. Central to operations on different spatial data sets is that their coordinate reference system is compatible (i.e., identical).

This CRS can be a character string describing a reference system in a way understood by the PROJ.4 projection library, or a (character) missing value. An interface to the PROJ.4 library is available only if the R package rgdal is present.

Class structure

All spatial classes derive from a basic class Spatial, which only provides a bounding box and a CRS. This class has no useful instances, but useful derived classes.

SpatialPoints extends Spatial and has coordinates. The method [coordinates](#) extracts the numeric matrix with coordinates from an object of class SpatialPoints, or from other (possibly derived) classes that have points.

Objects of class SpatialGrid points on a regular grid. Either a full grid is stored or a partial grid (i.e., only the non-missing valued cells); calling [coordinates](#) on them will give the coordinates for the grid cells.

SpatialPoints, SpatialPixels and SpatialGrid can be of arbitrary dimension, although most of the effort is in making them work for two dimensional data.

SpatialLines provides lines, and SpatialPolygons provides polygons, i.e., lines that end where they start and do not intersect with itself. SpatialLines and SpatialPolygons only have two-dimensional data.

SpatialPointsDataFrame extends SpatialPoints with a data slot, having a data.frame with attribute data. Similarly, SpatialPixelsDataFrame, SpatialLinesDataFrame, SpatialPolygonsDataFrame extend the primary spatial information with attribute data.

References

PROJ.4: <https://github.com/OSGeo/PROJ>

GDAL and OGR: <https://gdal.org/>.

Authors

sp is a collaborative effort of Edzer Pebesma, Roger Bivand, Barry Rowlingson and Virgilo G\'omez-Rubio.

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sp-deprecated   *Deprecated functions in sp*

Description

Deprecated functions is sp: getSpP*, getPolygon*, getLines* getSL*

Usage

```
set_evolution_status(value)
get_evolution_status()
```

Arguments

value	evolution status: only 2L to use sf functions in place of rgdal

Note

For `overlay` the new implementation is found in the over method; this works slightly different and more consistent.

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sp2Mondrian	*write map data for Mondrian*

Description

The function outputs a SpatialPolygonsDataFrame object to be used by Mondrian

Usage

```
sp2Mondrian(SP, file, new_format=TRUE)
```

Arguments

SP	a SpatialPolygonsDataFrame object
file	file where output is written
new_format	default TRUE, creates a text data file and a separate map file; the old format put both data sets in a single file - the map file is named by inserting "MAP_" into the file= argument after the rightmost directory separator (if any)

Note

At this release, the function writes out a text file with both data and polygon(s) identified as belonging to each row of data.

Author(s)

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References

<https://www.theusrus.de/Mondrian/>, Ihaka Lecture 1: 28 September 2023, Interactive Graphics and Data Analysis, Antony Unwin <https://www.auckland.ac.nz/en/science/about-the-faculty/department-of-statistics/ihaka-lecture-series.html>

Examples

```
if (require("sf", quietly=TRUE)) {
td <- tempdir()
xx <- as(sf::st_read(system.file("shape/nc.shp", package="sf")[1], quiet=TRUE), "Spatial")
sp2Mondrian(xx, file=file.path(td, "sids1.txt"))
}
```

Spatial-class   *Class "Spatial"*

Description

An abstract class from which useful spatial classes are derived

Usage

```
Spatial(bbox, proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)))
## S3 method for class 'Spatial'
subset(x, subset, select, drop = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

bbox	a bounding box matrix
proj4string	a CRS object
x	object of class Spatial
subset	see subset.data.frame
select	see subset.data.frame
drop	see subset.data.frame
...	passed through

Objects from the Class

are never to be generated; only derived classes can be meaningful

Slots

bbox: Object of class "matrix"; 2-column matrix holding the minimum in first and maximum in second column for the x-coordinate (first row), y-coordinate (second row) and optionally, for points and grids only, further coordinates. The constructed Spatial object will be invalid if any bbox values are NA or infinite. The column names must be c("min", "max")

proj4string: Object of class "CRS". The name of this slot was chosen to reflect the use of Proj.4 strings to represent coordinate reference systems (CRS). The slot name will continue to be used, but as PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3 are taken into use for reading files and for projection and transformation, the Proj.4 string CRS representation is being supplemented by a WKT2 (2019) representation. The reason for the modification is that important keys in the Proj.4 string representation are being deprecated in PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3. Legacy "CRS" objects hold only a valid Proj.4 string, which can be used for unprojecting or reprojecting coordinates; it is initialised to NA. If the "CRS" object is instantiated using CRS() with **rgdal** using PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3, the object may also have a WKT2 (2019) string carried as a comment. Non-NA strings may be checked for validity in the rgdal package, but attempts to assign a string containing "longlat" to data extending beyond longitude [-180, 360] or lattitude [-90, 90] will be stopped or warned, use set_ll_warn to warn rather than stop, and set_ll_TOL to change the default tolerance for the range exceedance tests.

Methods

bbox `signature(obj = "Spatial")`: retrieves the bbox element

dimensions `signature(obj = "Spatial")`: retrieves the number of spatial dimensions spanned

gridded `signature(obj = "Spatial")`: logical, tells whether the data is on a regular spatial grid

plot `signature(x = "Spatial", y = "missing")`: plot method for spatial objects; does nothing but setting up a plotting region choosing a suitable aspect if not given(see below), colouring the plot background using either a bg= argument or par("bg"), and possibly drawing axes.

summary `signature(object = "Spatial")`: summarize object

`$` retrieves attribute column

`$<-` sets or replaces attribute column, or promote a geometry-only object to an object having an attribute

rebuild_CRS rebuild a CRS object, usually used to add a WKT comment with PROJ >= 6 and GDAL >= 3

plot method arguments

The plot method for "Spatial" objects takes the following arguments:

x object of class Spatial

xlim default NULL; the x limits (x1, x2) of the plot

ylim default NULL; the y limits of the plot

asp default NA; the y/x aspect ratio

axes default FALSE; a logical value indicating whether both axes should be drawn

bg default `par("bg")`; colour to be used for the background of the device region

xaxs The style of axis interval calculation to be used for the x-axis

yaxs The style of axis interval calculation to be used for the y-axis

lab A numerical vector of the form `c(x, y, len)` which modifies the default way that axes are annotated

setParUsrBB default FALSE; set the par "usr" bounding box; see below

bgMap object of class ggmap, or returned by function `RgoogleMaps::GetMap`

expandBB numeric; factor to expand the plotting region default: bbox(x) with on each side (1=below, 2=left, 3=above and 4=right); defaults to `c(0,0,0,0)`; setting `xlim` or `ylim` overrides this.

... passed through

Warning

this class is not useful in itself, but all spatial classes in this package derive from it

Note

The default aspect for map plots is 1; if however data are not projected (coordinates are longlat), the aspect is by default set to 1/cos(My * pi)/180) with My the y coordinate of the middle of the map (the mean of ylim, which defaults to the y range of bounding box).

The argument `setParUsrBB` may be used to pass the logical value `TRUE` to functions within `plot.Spatial`. When set to `TRUE`, par("usr") will be overwritten with c(xlim, ylim), which defaults to the bounding box of the spatial object. This is only needed in the particular context of graphic output to a specified device with given width and height, to be matched to the spatial object, when using par("xaxs") and par("yaxs") in addition to par(mar=c(0,0,0,0)).

Author(s)

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See Also

[SpatialPoints-class](), [SpatialGrid-class](), [SpatialPointsDataFrame-class](), [SpatialGridDataFrame-class]()

Examples

```
o <- new("Spatial")
proj4string(o) <- CRS("+init=epsg:27700")
if (!is.null(comment(slot(o, "proj4string")))) {
  cat(strsplit(wkt(o), "\n")[[1]], sep="\n")
  cat(strsplit(wkt(slot(o, "proj4string")), "\n")[[1]], sep="\n")
}
```

SpatialGrid-class   *Class "SpatialGrid"*

Description

class for defining a full, rectangular grid of arbitrary dimension

Objects from the Class

Objects are created by using e.g.

SpatialGrid(grid)

with grid of class [GridTopology-class]()

Slots

grid object of class [GridTopology-class](), defining the grid topology (offset, cellsize, dim)

bbox: Object of class "matrix"; bounding box

proj4string: Object of class "CRS"; projection

Extends

Class ″SpatialPoints″ directly; Class ″Spatial″, by class ″SpatialPoints″.

Methods

coordinates signature(x = ″SpatialGrid″): calculates coordinates for each point on the grid; coordinates are not stored in objects of class SpatialGrid

summary signature(object = ″SpatialGrid″): summarize object

plot signature(x = ″SpatialGrid″): plots cell centers

″[″ signature(x = ″SpatialGrid″): select rows and columns

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See Also

[SpatialGridDataFrame-class](), [SpatialGrid]()

Examples

```
x = GridTopology(c(0,0), c(1,1), c(5,5))
class(x)
x
summary(x)
coordinates(x)
y = SpatialGrid(grid = x)
class(y)
y
```

SpatialGridDataFrame-class

Class "SpatialGridDataFrame"

Description

Class for spatial attributes that have spatial locations on a (full) regular grid.

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form as(x,″SpatialGridDataFrame″), where x is of class [SpatialPixelsDataFrame-class](), or by importing through rgdal. Ordered full grids are stored instead or unordered non-NA cells;

Slots

grid: see [GridTopology-class](); grid parameters

bbox: Object of class ″matrix″; bounding box

proj4string: Object of class ″CRS″; projection

data: Object of class data.frame, containing attribute data

Extends

Class ″SpatialGrid″, directly. Class ″Spatial″, by class ″SpatialGrid″.

Methods

coordinates signature(x = ″SpatialGridDataFrame″): retrieves (and calculates!) coordinates

[signature(x = ″SpatialGridDataFrame″): selects rows, columns, and attributes; returns an object of class SpatialGridDataFrame

as.matrix signature(x = ″SpatialGridDataFrame″): coerce to matrix; increasing col index corresponds to decreasing y coordinate, row index increases with coordinate index

as.array signature(x = ″SpatialGridDataFrame″): coerce to array; increasing array index for the second dimension corresponds to decreasing coordinates, all other coordinate dimensions increase with array index

cbind signature(...): if arguments have identical topology, combine their attribute values

Plot method arguments

The plot methods for "SpatialPixelsDataFrame" or "SpatialGridDataFrame" objects take the following arguments:

x object of class [SpatialPixelsDataFrame]() or [SpatialGridDataFrame]()

... arguments passed on to [image.SpatialGridDataFrame]()

attr integer or character, indicating the attribute variable to be plotted; default 1

col color ramp to be used; default bpy.colors(100) for continuous, or RColorBrewer::brewer.pal(nlevels(x[[1]]), ″Set2″) for factor variables

breaks for continuous attributes: values at which color breaks should take place

zlim for continuous attributes: numeric of length 2, specifying the range of attribute values to be plotted; default to data range range(as.numeric(x[[attr]])[is.finite(x[[attr]])])

axes logical: draw x and y axes? default FALSE

xaxs character, default "i", see [par]()

yaxs character, default equal to xaxs, see [par]()

at numeric or NULL, values at which axis tics and labels should be drawn; default NULL (use [pretty]())

border color, to be used for drawing grid lines; default NA (don't draw grid lines)

axis.pos integer, 1-4; default 4, see [axis]()

add.axis logical: draw axis along scale? default TRUE

what what to draw: ″image″, ″scale″, or ″both″; default "both"

scale.size size for the scale bar; use lcm to specify in absolute size, or a numeric value such as 1/6 to specify relative size; default lcm(2.8)

scale.shrink non-negative numeric indicating the amount to shrink the scale length, default 0

scale.frac for categorical attributes: numeric between 0 and 1, indicating the scale width, default 0.3

scale.n for categorical attributes: integer, indicating how many scale categories should fill a complete width; default 15

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See Also

SpatialGrid-class, which does not contain the attribute data, and SpatialPixelsDataFrame-class which holds possibly incomplete grids

Plotting gridded data with sp: https://r-spatial.org/r/2016/03/08/plotting-spatial-grids.html

Examples

```
data(meuse.grid) # only the non-missing valued cells
coordinates(meuse.grid) = c("x", "y") # promote to SpatialPointsDataFrame
gridded(meuse.grid) <- TRUE # promote to SpatialPixelsDataFrame
x = as(meuse.grid, "SpatialGridDataFrame") # creates the full grid
x[["idist"]] = 1 - x[["dist"]] # assigns new attribute
image(x["idist"]) # note the single [ for attribute selection

# toy example:
df = data.frame(z = c(1:6,NA,8,9),
    xc = c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3),
    yc = c(rep(c(0, 1.5, 3),3)))
coordinates(df) = ~xc+yc
gridded(df) = TRUE
df = as(df, "SpatialGridDataFrame") # to full grid
image(df["z"])
# draw labels to verify:
cc = coordinates(df)
z=df[["z"]]
zc=as.character(z)
zc[is.na(zc)]="NA"
text(cc[,1],cc[,2],zc)

# the following is weird, but illustrates the concept of row/col selection:
fullgrid(meuse.grid) = TRUE
image(meuse.grid)
image(meuse.grid[20:70, 10:70, "dist"], add = TRUE, col = bpy.colors())

# as.matrix, as.array
```

```
sgdim = c(3,4)
SG = SpatialGrid(GridTopology(rep(0,2), rep(10,2), sgdim))
SGDF = SpatialGridDataFrame(SG, data.frame(val = 1:12))
as.array(SGDF)
as.matrix(SGDF)
as(SGDF, "array")
```

SpatialLines   *create objects of class SpatialLines or SpatialLinesDataFrame*

Description

create objects of class `SpatialLines` or `SpatialLinesDataFrame` from lists of `Lines` objects and
data.frames; extract list od Lines from a SpatialLines object

Usage

```
SpatialLines(LinesList, proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)))
SpatialLinesDataFrame(sl, data, match.ID = TRUE)
as.SpatialLines.SLDF(SLDF)
getSpatialLinesMidPoints(SL)
LineLength(cc, longlat = FALSE, sum = TRUE)
LinesLength(Ls, longlat = FALSE)
SpatialLinesLengths(SL, longlat)
```

Arguments

LinesList	list with objects of class [Lines-class](#)
proj4string	Object of class `"CRS"`; holding a valid proj4 string
sl, SL	object of class [SpatialLines-class](#)
data	object of class `data.frame`; the number of rows in data should equal the number of `Lines` elements in `sl`
match.ID	logical: (default TRUE): match SpatialLines member Lines ID slot values with data.frame row names, and re-order the data frame rows if necessary; if character: indicates the column in data with Lines IDs to match
SLDF	SpatialLinesDataFrame object
Ls	Object of class `Lines`
cc	Object of class `Line`, or two-column matrix with points
longlat	if FALSE, Euclidean distance, if TRUE Great Circle distance in kilometers
sum	logical; if TRUE return scalar length of sum of segments in Line, if FALSE return vector with segment lengths

Value

SpatialLines returns object of class SpatialLines; SpatialLinesDataFrame returns object of class SpatialLinesDataFrame getSpatialLinesMidPoints returns an object of class SpatialPoints,each point containing the (weighted) mean of the lines elements; weighted in the sense that mean is called twice.

See Also

[SpatialLines-class](#)

SpatialLines-class   *a class for spatial lines*

Description

a class that holds spatial lines

Objects from the Class

hold a list of Lines objects; each Lines object holds a list of Line (line) objects.

Slots

lines: Object of class "list"; list members are all of class [Lines-class](#)

bbox: Object of class "matrix"; see [Spatial-class](#)

proj4string: Object of class "CRS"; see [CRS-class](#)

Extends

Class "Spatial", directly.

Methods

[signature(obj = "SpatialLines"): select subset of (sets of) lines; NAs are not permitted in the row index

coordinates value is a list of lists with matrices

plot signature(x = "SpatialLines", y = "missing"): plot lines in SpatialLines object

lines signature(x = "SpatialLines"): add lines in SpatialLines object to a plot

rbind signature(object = "SpatialLines"): rbind-like method, see notes

summary signature(object = "SpatialLines"): summarize object

plot method arguments

The plot method for "SpatialLines" objects takes the following arguments:

x object of class SpatialLines

xlim default NULL; the x limits (x1, x2) of the plot

ylim default NULL; the y limits of the plot

col default 1; default plotting color

lwd default 1; line width

lty default 1; line type

add default FALSE; add to existing plot

axes default FALSE; a logical value indicating whether both axes should be drawn

lend default 0; line end style

ljoin default 0; line join style

lmitre default 10; line mitre limit

... passed through

setParUsrBB set the par "usr" bounding box, see note in Spatial-class

Note

rbind calls the function `SpatialLines`, where it is checked that all IDs are unique. If rbinding SpatialLines without unique IDs, it is possible to set the argument makeUniqueIDs = TRUE, although it is preferred to change these explicitly with `spChFIDs`.

Author(s)

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See Also

Line-class, Lines-class

Examples

```
# from the sp vignette:
l1 = cbind(c(1,2,3),c(3,2,2))
rownames(l1) = letters[1:3]
l1a = cbind(l1[,1]+.05,l1[,2]+.05)
rownames(l1a) = letters[1:3]
l2 = cbind(c(1,2,3),c(1,1.5,1))
rownames(l2) = letters[1:3]
Sl1 = Line(l1)
Sl1a = Line(l1a)
Sl2 = Line(l2)
S1 = Lines(list(Sl1, Sl1a), ID="a")
S2 = Lines(list(Sl2), ID="b")
Sl = SpatialLines(list(S1,S2))
summary(Sl)
plot(Sl, col = c("red", "blue"))
```

SpatialLinesDataFrame-class
a class for spatial lines with attributes

Description

this class holds data consisting of (sets of lines), where each set of lines relates to an attribute row in a data.frame

Objects from the Class

can be created by the function [SpatialLinesDataFrame](#)

Slots

data: Object of class [data.frame](#) containing the attribute table

lines: Object of class "list"; see [SpatialLines-class](#)

bbox: Object of class "matrix"; see [Spatial-class](#)

proj4string: Object of class "CRS"; see [CRS-class](#)

Extends

Class "SpatialLines", directly. Class "Spatial", by class "SpatialLines".

Methods

Methods defined with class "SpatialLinesDataFrame" in the signature:

[signature(x = "SpatialLinesDataFrame"): subset rows or columns; in case of row subsetting, the line sets are also subsetted; NAs are not permitted in the row index

coordinates signature(obj = "SpatialLinesDataFrame"): retrieves a list with lists of coordinate matrices

show signature(object = "SpatialLinesDataFrame"): print method

plot signature(x = "SpatialLinesDataFrame"): plot points

lines signature(object = "SpatialLinesDataFrame"): add lines to plot

rbind signature(object = "SpatialLinesDataFrame"): rbind-like method

Note

rbind for SpatialLinesDataFrame is only possible for objects with unique IDs. If you want to rbind objects with duplicated IDs, see[spChFIDs](#).

Author(s)

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See Also

[SpatialLines-class](#)

SpatialMultiPoints	*create objects of class SpatialMultiPoints or SpatialMultiPoints-DataFrame*

Description

create objects of class [SpatialMultiPoints-class](#) or [SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame-class](#) from coordinates, and from coordinates and `data.frames`

Usage

```
SpatialMultiPoints(coords, proj4string=CRS(as.character(NA)), bbox = NULL)
SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame(coords, data,
      proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)), match.ID, bbox = NULL)
```

Arguments

coords	list with in each element a numeric matrix or data.frame with coordinates (each row representing a point); in case of SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame an object of class [SpatialMultiPoints-class](#) is also allowed
proj4string	projection string of class [CRS-class](#)
bbox	bounding box matrix, usually NULL and constructed from the data, but may be passed through for coercion purposes if clearly needed
data	object of class `data.frame`; the number of rows in `data` should equal the number of points in the `coords` object
match.ID	logical or character; if missing, and `coords` and `data` both have row names, and their order does not correspond, matching is done by these row names and a warning is issued; this warning can be suppressed by setting `match.ID` to TRUE. If TRUE AND coords has non-automatic rownames (i.e., coerced to a matrix by as.matrix, dimnames(coords)[[1]] is not NULL), AND data has row.names (i.e. is a data.frame), then the SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame object is formed by matching the row names of both components, leaving the order of the coordinates in tact. Checks are done to see whether both row names are sufficiently unique, and all data are matched. If FALSE, coordinates and data are simply "glued" together, ignoring row names. If character: indicates the column in `data` with coordinates IDs to use for matching records. See examples below.

Value

`SpatialMultiPoints` returns an object of class `SpatialMultiPoints`; `SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame` returns an object of class `SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame`;

See Also

coordinates, SpatialMultiPoints-class, SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame-class

Examples

```
cl1 = cbind(rnorm(3, 10), rnorm(3, 10))
cl2 = cbind(rnorm(5, 10), rnorm(5,  0))
cl3 = cbind(rnorm(7,  0), rnorm(7, 10))

mp = SpatialMultiPoints(list(cl1, cl2, cl3))
mpx = rbind(mp, mp) # rbind method
plot(mp, col = 2, cex = 1, pch = 1:3)
mp
mp[1:2]

print(mp, asWKT=TRUE, digits=3)

mpdf = SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame(list(cl1, cl2, cl3), data.frame(a = 1:3))
mpdf
mpdfx = rbind(mpdf, mpdf) # rbind method

plot(mpdf, col = mpdf$a, cex = 1:3)
as(mpdf, "data.frame")
mpdf[1:2,]
```

```
SpatialMultiPoints-class
```
Class "SpatialMultiPoints"

Description

Class for (irregularly spaced) MultiPoints

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form `SpatialPoints(x)`.

Slots

coords: Object of class `"list"`, containing the coordinates of point sets (each list element is a matrix)

bbox: Object of class `"matrix"`, with bounding box

proj4string: Object of class `"CRS"`, projection string

Extends

Class `"Spatial"`, directly.

Methods

[signature(x = "SpatialMultiPoints"): subsets point sets

coerce signature(from = "SpatialPoints", to = "data.frame"): coerce to data.frame

coordinates signature(obj = "SpatialMultiPoints"): retrieves all the coordinates, as one single matrix

plot signature(x = "SpatialPoints", y = "missing"): plot points

summary signature(object = "SpatialPoints"): summarize object

points signature(x = "SpatialPoints"): add point symbols to plot

show signature(object = "SpatialPoints"): prints coordinates

rbind signature(object = "SpatialPoints"): rbind-like method

plot method arguments

The plot method for "SpatialPoints" objects takes the following arguments:

x object of class SpatialPoints

pch default 3; either an integer specifying a symbol or a single character to be used as the default in plotting points

axes default FALSE; a logical value indicating whether both axes should be drawn

add default FALSE; add to existing plot

xlim default NULL; the x limits (x1, x2) of the plot

ylim default NULL; the y limits of the plot

... passed through

setParUsrBB default FALSE; set the par "usr" bounding box, see note in [Spatial-class](#)

cex default 1; numerical value giving the amount by which plotting text and symbols should be magnified relative to the default

col default 1; default plotting color

lwd default 1; line width

bg default 1; colour to be used for the background of the device region

Author(s)

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See Also

[SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame-class](#) [SpatialPoints-class](#)

Examples

```
cl1 = cbind(rnorm(3, 10), rnorm(3, 10))
cl2 = cbind(rnorm(5, 10), rnorm(5,  0))
cl3 = cbind(rnorm(7,  0), rnorm(7, 10))

mp = SpatialMultiPoints(list(cl1, cl2, cl3))
plot(mp, col = 2, cex = 1, pch = 1:3)
mp
mp[1:2]

print(mp, asWKT=TRUE, digits=3)
```

SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame-class
Class "SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame"

Description

Class for spatial attributes that correspond to point sets

Usage

```
  ## S4 method for signature 'SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame'
x[i, j, ..., drop = TRUE]
  ## S4 method for signature 'SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame,data.frame'
coerce(from, to, strict=TRUE)
  ## S4 method for signature 'SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame'
coordinates(obj)
  ## S4 method for signature 'SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame'
show(object)
  ## S4 method for signature 'SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame'
points(x)
```

Arguments

x, from, obj, object

        SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame object

to   class to which to coerce

strict   see as

i   row indices

j   column indices

drop   see Extract

...   indices passed through

Slots

data: Object of class data.frame containing the attribute data (may or may not contain the coordinates in its columns)

coords: Object of class "list"; the list with coordinates matrices; points are rows in the matrix, the list length equals the number of rows in the data slot

bbox: Object of class "matrix"; bounding box

proj4string: Object of class "CRS"; projection string

Extends

Class "SpatialMultiPoints", directly. Class "Spatial", by class "SpatialMultiPoints".

Author(s)

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See Also

[coordinates](), [SpatialMultiPoints-class]()

Examples

```
# create three sets of points:
cl1 = cbind(rnorm(3, 10), rnorm(3, 10))
cl2 = cbind(rnorm(5, 10), rnorm(5,  0))
cl3 = cbind(rnorm(7,  0), rnorm(7, 10))

mpdf = SpatialMultiPointsDataFrame(list(cl1, cl2, cl3), data.frame(a = 1:3))
mpdf

plot(mpdf, col = mpdf$a, cex = 1:3)
as(mpdf, "data.frame")
mpdf[1:2,]
```

SpatialPixels   *define spatial grid*

Description

defines spatial grid by offset, cell size and dimensions

Usage

```
GridTopology(cellcentre.offset, cellsize, cells.dim)
SpatialPixels(points, tolerance = sqrt(.Machine$double.eps),
proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)), round = NULL, grid = NULL)
SpatialGrid(grid, proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)))
coordinatevalues(obj)
points2grid(points, tolerance = sqrt(.Machine$double.eps), round=NULL)
getGridIndex(cc, grid, all.inside = TRUE)
getGridTopology(obj)
areaSpatialGrid(obj)
```

Arguments

cellcentre.offset

numeric; vector with the smallest centroid coordinates for each dimension; coordinates refer to the cell centre

cellsize   numeric; vector with the cell size in each dimension

cells.dim   integer; vector with number of cells in each dimension

points   coordinates, object of class [SpatialPoints-class](#)

grid   grid topology; object of class [GridTopology-class](#); for calls to SpatialPixels, a value of NULL implies that this will be derived from the point coordinates

tolerance   precision, used to which extent points are exactly on a grid

round   default NULL, otherwise a value passed to as the digits argument to round for setting cell size

proj4string   object of class [CRS-class](#)

obj   object of class or deriving from [SpatialGrid-class](#)

cc   numeric matrix with coordinates

all.inside   logical; if TRUE and cc points fall outside the grid area, an error message is generated; if FALSE, NA values are generated for such points

Value

GridTopology returns a value of class [GridTopology-class](#); SpatialGrid returns an object of class [SpatialGrid-class](#)

coordinatevalues returns a list with the unique x-coordinates, the unique y-coordinate, etc. instead of the [coordinates](#) of all grid cells

SpatialGrid returns an object of class [SpatialGrid-class](#).

points2grid returns the [GridTopology-class](#) from a set of points.

getGridIndex finds the index of a set of point coordinates in a given grid topology, and depending on all.inside setting, generates NA or an error message if points are outside the grid domain.

getGridTopology returns the slot of class [GridTopology-class](#) from obj.

areaSpatialGrid returns the spatial area of (the non-missing valued cells of) the grid. For objects of class [SpatialGridDataFrame-class](#) the area refers to cells where any (one or more) of the attribute columns are non-missing valued.

Note

SpatialGrid stores grid topology and may or may not store the coordinates of the actual points, which may form a subset of the full grid. To find out or change this, see fullgrid.

points2grid tries to figure out the grid topology from points. It succeeds only if points on a grid line have constant y column, and points on a grid column have constant x coordinate, etc. In other cases, use signif on the raw coordinate matrices to make sure this is the case.

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See Also

SpatialGrid-class, SpatialGridDataFrame-class,

Examples

```
x = GridTopology(c(0,0), c(1,1), c(5,4))
class(x)
x
summary(x)
coordinates(x)
coordinates(GridTopology(c(0,0), c(1,1), c(5,4)))
coordinatevalues(x)
data(meuse.grid)
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- c("x", "y")
points2grid(meuse.grid)
data(meuse.grid)
set.seed(1)
meuse.grid$x <- meuse.grid$x + rnorm(length(meuse.grid$x), 0, 0.002)
meuse.grid$y <- meuse.grid$y + rnorm(length(meuse.grid$y), 0, 0.002)
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- c("x", "y")
#EJP
# points2grid(meuse.grid, tolerance=0.76, round=1)
data(meuse.grid)
a <- which(meuse.grid$x == 180140)
b <- which(meuse.grid$x == 180180)
c <- which(meuse.grid$x == 179260)
d <- which(meuse.grid$y == 332460)
e <- which(meuse.grid$y == 332420)
f <- which(meuse.grid$y == 330740)
meuse.grid <- meuse.grid[-c(a, b, c, d, e, f),]
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- c("x", "y")
points2grid(meuse.grid)
data(meuse.grid)
set.seed(1)
meuse.grid$x <- meuse.grid$x + rnorm(length(meuse.grid$x), 0, 0.002)
meuse.grid$y <- meuse.grid$y + rnorm(length(meuse.grid$y), 0, 0.002)
meuse.grid <- meuse.grid[-c(a, b, c, d, e, f),]
coordinates(meuse.grid) <- c("x", "y")
# EJP
```

```
# points2grid(meuse.grid, tolerance=0.69, round=1)
```

SpatialPixels-class   *Class "SpatialPixels"*

Description

class for defining a pixels, forming a possibly incomplete rectangular grid of arbitrary dimension

Objects from the Class

Objects are created by using e.g.

SpatialPixels(points)

with points of class SpatialPoints-class

Slots

grid object of class GridTopology-class, defining the grid topology (offset, cellsize, dim)

grid.index integer; index of points in full grid

coords coordinates of points, or bbox of grid

bbox: Object of class "matrix"; bounding box

proj4string: Object of class "CRS"; projection

Extends

Class "SpatialPoints" directly; Class "Spatial", by class "SpatialPoints".

Methods

coordinates signature(x = "SpatialPixels"): calculates coordinates for each point on the grid; coordinates are not stored in objects of class SpatialGrid

summary signature(object = "SpatialPixels"): summarize object

plot signature(x = "SpatialPixels"): plots cell centers

"[" signature(x = "SpatialPixels"): select pixel cells; the argument drop=FALSE (default) does not recalculate grid topology for the selection, if drop=TRUE the grid topology is recomputed, and might change.

rbind signature(x = "SpatialPixels"): rbind-like method

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See Also

SpatialPixelsDataFrame-class, SpatialGrid-class

Examples

```
data(meuse.grid)
pts = meuse.grid[c("x", "y")]
y = SpatialPixels(SpatialPoints(pts))
class(y)
y
summary(y)
plot(y) # plots grid
plot(y, grid = FALSE) # plots points
```

SpatialPixelsDataFrame

define spatial grid with attribute data

Description

defines spatial grid by offset, cell size and dimensions

Usage

```
SpatialPixelsDataFrame(points, data, tolerance = sqrt(.Machine$double.eps),
proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)), round = NULL, grid = NULL)
SpatialGridDataFrame(grid, data, proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)))
```

Arguments

points	coordinates, either as numeric matrix or as object of class [SpatialPoints-class](#)
grid	grid topology; object of class [GridTopology-class](#); for calls to SpatialPixelsDataFrame a value of NULL implies that this will be derived from the point coordinates
data	data.frame; contains the attribute (actual grid) data
tolerance	precision up to which extent points should be exactly on a grid
round	default NULL, otherwise a value passed to as the digits argument to round for setting cell size
proj4string	object of class [CRS-class](#) in the first form only used when points does not inherit from [Spatial-class](#)

Value

SpatialPixelsDataFrame returns an object of class [SpatialPixelsDataFrame-class](#); SpatialGridDataFrame returns an object of class [SpatialGridDataFrame-class](#).

Note

SpatialPixels stores grid topology and coordinates of the actual points, which may be in the form of a subset (set of pixels) of a full grid. To find out or change this, see [fullgrid](#) and [SpatialGrid-class](#).

Author(s)

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See Also

gridded, gridded<-, SpatialGrid, SpatialGrid-class

Examples

```
data(meuse.grid)
m = SpatialPixelsDataFrame(points = meuse.grid[c("x", "y")], data = meuse.grid)
class(m)
summary(m)
```

```
SpatialPixelsDataFrame-class
```
                    Class "SpatialPixelsDataFrame"

Description

Class for spatial attributes that have spatial locations on a regular grid.

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form as(x,"SpatialPixelsDataFrame"), where x is of class SpatialPointsDataFrame-class, or by importing through rgdal. Ordered full grids are stored instead or unordered non-NA cells;

Slots

bbox: Object of class "matrix"; bounding box

proj4string: Object of class "CRS"; projection

coords: see SpatialPoints; points slot

coords.nrs see SpatialPointsDataFrame

grid: see GridTopology-class; grid parameters

grid.index: integer; index of points in the list to points in the full (ordered) grid. x cycles fastest; all coordinates increase from low to hight except y, which decreases from high to low

data: Object of class data.frame, containing the attribute data

Extends

Class "SpatialPixels", directly. Class "Spatial", by class "SpatialPixels".

Methods

coordinates signature(x = ″SpatialPixelsDataFrame″): retrieves coordinates

[signature(x = ″SpatialPixelsDataFrame″): selects row(s) and/or attribute(s), and returns an
object of class SpatialPixelsDataFrame; rows refer here to the pixel numbers, not grid lines.
For selecting a square block in a grid, coerce to a SpatialGridDataFrame-class first, and use [
on that object

as.matrix signature(x = ″SpatialPixelsDataFrame″): coerce to matrix

rbind signature(x = ″SpatialPixelsDataFrame″): rbind-like method

plot signature(x = ″SpatialPixelsDataFrame″, y = ″missing″): see SpatialGridDataFrame-
class for details

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See Also

SpatialPixels-class, which does not contain the attribute data

Examples

```
data(meuse.grid) # only the non-missing valued cells
coordinates(meuse.grid) = c(″x″, ″y″) # promote to SpatialPointsDataFrame
gridded(meuse.grid) <- TRUE # promote to SpatialPixelsDataFrame
meuse.grid[[″idist″]] = 1 - meuse.grid[[″dist″]] # assigns new attribute
image(meuse.grid[″idist″]) # note the single [

# toy example:
df = data.frame(z = c(1:6,NA,8,9),
    xc = c(1,1,1,2,2,2,3,3,3),
    yc = c(rep(c(0, 1.5, 3),3)))
coordinates(df) = ~xc+yc
gridded(df) = TRUE
image(df[″z″])
# draw labels to verify:
cc = coordinates(df)
z=df[[″z″]]
zc=as.character(z)
zc[is.na(zc)]=″NA″
text(cc[,1],cc[,2],zc)
```

| SpatialPoints | *create objects of class SpatialPoints or SpatialPointsDataFrame* |

Description

create objects of class SpatialPoints-class or SpatialPointsDataFrame-class from coordinates, and from coordinates and `data.frames`

Usage

```
SpatialPoints(coords, proj4string=CRS(as.character(NA)), bbox = NULL)
SpatialPointsDataFrame(coords, data, coords.nrs = numeric(0),
      proj4string = CRS(as.character(NA)), match.ID, bbox = NULL)
```

Arguments

coords	numeric matrix or data.frame with coordinates (each row is a point); in case of SpatialPointsDataFrame an object of class SpatialPoints-class is also allowed
proj4string	projection string of class CRS-class
bbox	bounding box matrix, usually NULL and constructed from the data, but may be passed through for coercion purposes if clearly needed
data	object of class `data.frame`; the number of rows in data should equal the number of points in the `coords` object
coords.nrs	numeric; if present, records the column positions where in data the coordinates were taken from (used by coordinates<-)
match.ID	logical or character; if missing, and coords and data both have row names, and their order does not correspond, matching is done by these row names and a warning is issued; this warning can be suppressed by setting match.ID to TRUE. If TRUE AND coords has non-automatic rownames (i.e., coerced to a matrix by as.matrix, dimnames(coords)[[1]] is not NULL), AND data has row.names (i.e. is a data.frame), then the SpatialPointsDataFrame object is formed by matching the row names of both components, leaving the order of the coordinates in tact. Checks are done to see whether both row names are sufficiently unique, and all data are matched. If FALSE, coordinates and data are simply "glued" together, ignoring row names. If character: indicates the column in data with coordinates IDs to use for matching records. See examples below.

Value

SpatialPoints returns an object of class SpatialPoints; SpatialPointsDataFrame returns an object of class SpatialPointsDataFrame;

See Also

coordinates, SpatialPoints-class, SpatialPointsDataFrame-class

Examples

```
set.seed(1331)
pts = cbind(1:5, 1:5)
dimnames(pts)[[1]] = letters[1:5]
df = data.frame(a = 1:5)
row.names(df) = letters[5:1]

library(sp)
options(warn=1) # show warnings where they occur
SpatialPointsDataFrame(pts, df) # warn
SpatialPointsDataFrame(pts, df, match.ID = TRUE) # don't warn
SpatialPointsDataFrame(pts, df, match.ID = FALSE) # don't warn
df$m = letters[5:1]
SpatialPointsDataFrame(pts, df, match.ID = "m") # don't warn

dimnames(pts)[[1]] = letters[5:1]
SpatialPointsDataFrame(pts, df) # don't warn: ID matching doesn't reorder
```

SpatialPoints-class   *Class "SpatialPoints"*

Description

Class for (irregularly spaced) points

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form SpatialPoints(x).

Slots

coords: Object of class "matrix", containing the coordinates (each row is a point)

bbox: Object of class "matrix", with bounding box

proj4string: Object of class "CRS", projection string

Extends

Class "Spatial", directly.

Methods

[signature(x = "SpatialPoints"): subsets the points; only rows (points) can be subsetted

coerce signature(from = "SpatialPoints", to = "data.frame"): retrieves the data part

coerce signature(from = "SpatialPoints", to = "SpatialPixels"): equivalent to assigning gridded TRUE for a copy of the object

coerce signature(from = "SpatialPointsDataFrame", to = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame"): equivalent to assigning gridded TRUE for a copy of the object

coerce `signature(from = "data.frame", to = "SpatialPoints")`: sets coordinates, which may be in a data frame

coerce `signature(from = "matrix", to = "SpatialPoints")`: set coordinates, which may be in a matrix

coordinates `signature(obj = "SpatialPoints")`: retrieves the coordinates, as matrix

plot `signature(x = "SpatialPoints", y = "missing")`: plot points

summary `signature(object = "SpatialPoints")`: summarize object

points `signature(x = "SpatialPoints")`: add point symbols to plot

show `signature(object = "SpatialPoints")`: prints coordinates

rbind `signature(object = "SpatialPoints")`: rbind-like method

plot method arguments

The plot method for "SpatialPoints" objects takes the following arguments:

x object of class SpatialPoints

pch default 3; either an integer specifying a symbol or a single character to be used as the default in plotting points

axes default FALSE; a logical value indicating whether both axes should be drawn

add default FALSE; add to existing plot

xlim default NULL; the x limits (x1, x2) of the plot

ylim default NULL; the y limits of the plot

... passed through

setParUsrBB default FALSE; set the par "usr" bounding box, see note in Spatial-class

cex default 1; numerical value giving the amount by which plotting text and symbols should be magnified relative to the default

col default 1; default plotting color

lwd default 1; line width

bg default 1; colour to be used for the background of the device region

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See Also

`SpatialPointsDataFrame-class`

Examples

```
x = c(1,2,3,4,5)
y = c(3,2,5,1,4)
S <- SpatialPoints(cbind(x,y))
S <- SpatialPoints(list(x,y))
S <- SpatialPoints(data.frame(x,y))
S
plot(S)
```

```
SpatialPointsDataFrame-class
```
                            Class "SpatialPointsDataFrame"

Description

Class for spatial attributes that have spatial point locations

Usage

```
  ## S4 method for signature 'SpatialPointsDataFrame'
x[i, j, ..., drop = TRUE]
  ## S4 method for signature 'SpatialPointsDataFrame,SpatialPoints'
coerce(from, to, strict=TRUE)
  ## S4 method for signature 'SpatialPointsDataFrame,data.frame'
coerce(from, to, strict=TRUE)
  ## S4 method for signature 'SpatialPointsDataFrame'
coordinates(obj)
  ## S4 method for signature 'SpatialPointsDataFrame'
show(object)
  ## S4 method for signature 'SpatialPointsDataFrame'
points(x)
  ## S3 method for class 'SpatialPointsDataFrame'
rbind(...)
```

Arguments

x, from, obj, object

        SpatialPointsDataFrame object

to   class to which to coerce

strict   see `as`

i   row indices

j   column indices

drop   see `Extract`

...   indices passed through

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form `coordinates(x) = c("x", "y")` . or of the form `coordinates(x) = xy`; see [coordinates](#).

Slots

data: Object of class data.frame containing the attribute data (may or may not contain the coordinates in its columns)

coords: Object of class "matrix"; the coordinates matrix (points are rows in the matrix)

coords.nrs Object of class logical; if TRUE, when the object was created the coordinates were retrieved from the data.frame, and hence stripped from it; after coercion to data.frame, e.g. by as.data.frame(x), coordinates will again be added (as first few columns) to the data.frame

bbox: Object of class "matrix"; bounding box

proj4string: Object of class "CRS"; projection string

Extends

Class "SpatialPoints", directly. Class "Spatial", by class "SpatialPoints".

Author(s)

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See Also

[coordinates](), [SpatialPoints-class]()

Examples

```
data(meuse)
xy = meuse[c("x", "y")] # retrieve coordinates as data.frame
class(meuse)
data(meuse) # reload data.frame
coordinates(meuse) = c("x", "y") # specify column names
class(meuse)
data(meuse) # reload data.frame
coordinates(meuse) = c(1, 2) # specify column names
class(meuse)
data(meuse) # reload data.frame
coordinates(meuse) = ~x+y # formula
class(meuse)
data(meuse) # reload data.frame
coordinates(meuse) = xy   # as data frame
class(meuse)
data(meuse) # reload data.frame
coordinates(meuse) = as.matrix(xy)   # as matrix
meuse$log.zn = log(meuse$zinc)
class(meuse)
dim(meuse)
```

SpatialPolygons	*create objects of class SpatialPolygons or SpatialPolygonsDataFrame*

Description

create objects of class `SpatialPolygons` or `SpatialPolygonsDataFrame` from lists of `Polygons` objects and `data.frames`

Usage

```
Polygon(coords, hole=as.logical(NA))
Polygons(srl, ID)
SpatialPolygons(Srl, pO, proj4string=CRS(as.character(NA)))
SpatialPolygonsDataFrame(Sr, data, match.ID = TRUE)
getSpatialPolygonsLabelPoints(SP)
```

Arguments

coords	2-column numeric matrix with coordinates; first point (row) should equal last coordinates (row); if the hole argument is not given, the status of the polygon as a hole or an island will be taken from the ring direction, with clockwise meaning island, and counter-clockwise meaning hole
hole	logical value for setting polygon as hole or not; if the hole argument is not given, the status of the polygon as a hole or an island will be taken from the ring direction, with clockwise meaning island, and counter-clockwise meaning hole
proj4string	projection string of class [CRS-class](#)
srl	list with [Polygon-class](#) objects
ID	character vector of length one with identifier
Srl	list with objects of class [Polygons-class](#)
pO	integer vector; plotting order; if missing in reverse order of Polygons area
Sr	object of class [SpatialPolygons-class](#)
data	object of class `data.frame`; the number of rows in `data` should equal the number of [Polygons-class](#) objects in Sr
match.ID	logical: (default TRUE): match SpatialPolygons member Polygons ID slot values with data frame row names, and re-order the data frame rows if necessary. If character: indicates the column in `data` with Polygons IDs to match
SP	object of class [SpatialPolygons-class](#)

Details

In `Polygon`, if the hole argument is not given, the status of the polygon as a hole or an island will be taken from the ring direction, with clockwise meaning island, and counter-clockwise meaning hole. In `Polygons`, if all of the member Polygon objects are holes, the largest by area will be converted to island status. Until 2010-04-17, version 0.9-61, the area of this converted object was erroneously left at its hole value of zero. Thanks to Patrick Giraudoux for spotting the bug.

The class definitions used for polygons in **sp** do not accord with those of the simple features specification of the Open Geospatial Consortium. The **rgeos** package, an interface to Geometry Engine – Open Source (GEOS), uses this specification, in which each hole (interior ring) must be associated with its containing exterior ring. In order to avoid introducing incompatible changes into the class definition of Polygons objects, a comment has been added as a single character string to each such object. Here we can trust the data source to assign the hole status correctly, and use round-trip coercion to `sf` to add such comments to each Polygons member of the polygons slot of this SpatialPolygons object. Exterior rings are coded zero, while interior rings are coded with the 1-based index of the exterior ring to which they belong. SpatialPolygons objects created by reading using `sf` have the comments set on input, as OGR also uses SFS.

Refer to Bivand et al. (2013), pages 47-48 and 132-133 for a further discussion.

Value

`Polygon` returns an object of class `Polygon`; `Polygons` returns an object of class `Polygons`; `SpatialPolygons` returns object of class `SpatialPolygons`; `SpatialPolygonsDataFrame` returns object of class `SpatialPolygonsDataFrame` `getSpatialPolygonsLabelPoints` returns an object of class `SpatialPoints` with label points.

References

Roger Bivand, Edzer Pebesma and Virgilio Gomez-Rubio, 2013. Applied spatial data analysis with R, Second edition. Springer, NY. https://asdar-book.org/

See Also

SpatialPolygons-class, SpatialPolygonsDataFrame-class

SpatialPolygons-class   *Class "SpatialPolygons"*

Description

class to hold polygon topology (without attributes)

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls to the function SpatialPolygons

Slots

polygons: Object of class "list"; list elements are all of class [Polygons-class](#)

plotOrder: Object of class "integer"; integer array giving the order in which objects should be plotted

bbox: Object of class "matrix"; see [Spatial-class](#)

proj4string: Object of class "CRS"; see [CRS-class](#)

Extends

Class "Spatial", directly.

Methods

Methods defined with class "SpatialPolygons" in the signature:

[signature(obj = "SpatialPolygons"): select subset of (sets of) polygons; NAs are not permitted in the row index

plot signature(x = "SpatialPolygons", y = "missing"): plot polygons in SpatialPolygons object

summary signature(object = "SpatialPolygons"): summarize object

rbind signature(object = "SpatialPolygons"): rbind-like method

plot method arguments

The plot method for spatial polygons takes the following arguments:

x a SpatialPolygons object

col a vector of colour values

border default par("fg"); the colour to draw the border

add default FALSE; if TRUE, add to existing plot

xlim, ylim default NULL; ranges for the plotted 'x' and 'y' values

xpd default NULL; controls clipping, see [par](#)

density default NULL; the density of shading lines, in lines per inch, see [polygon](#)

angle default 45; the slope of shading lines, given as an angle in degrees (counter-clockwise), see [polygon](#)

pbg default NULL, set to par("bg") by default "transparent"; the colour to paint holes

axes default FALSE; draw axes

lty default par("lty"); border line type

... other arguments passed through

setParUsrBB default FALSE; see [Spatial-class](#) for further details

usePolypath default NULL to set from option value; use [polypath](#) for hole-handling in plot

rule default NULL to set from option value; character value specifying the path fill mode, see [polypath](#)

The options for usePolypath and rule may be retrieved with get_Polypath (default TRUE on package load) and get_PolypathRule (default "winding" on package load), and set with set_Polypath and set_PolypathRule

The class definitions used for polygons in **sp** do not accord with those of the simple features specification of the Open Geospatial Consortium. The **rgeos** package, an interface to Geometry Engine – Open Source (GEOS), uses this specification, in which each hole (interior ring) must be associated with its containing exterior ring. In order to avoid introducing incompatible changes into the class definition of Polygons objects, a comment has been added as a single character string to each such object. Here we can trust the data source to assign the hole status correctly, and use round-trip coercion to sf to add such comments to each Polygons member of the polygons slot of this SpatialPolygons object. Exterior rings are coded zero, while interior rings are coded with the 1-based index of the exterior ring to which they belong. SpatialPolygons objects created by reading using sf or terra have the comments set on input, as OGR also uses SFS.

Refer to Bivand et al. (2013), pages 47-48 and 132-133 for a further discussion.

Note

rbind calls the function [SpatialPolygons](#), where it is checked that all IDs are unique. If rbind-ing SpatialPolygons without unique IDs, it is possible to set the argument makeUniqueIDs = TRUE, although it is preferred to change these explicitly with [spChFIDs](#).

Author(s)

Roger Bivand

References

Roger Bivand, Edzer Pebesma and Virgilio Gomez-Rubio, 2013. Applied spatial data analysis with R, Second edition. Springer, NY. <https://asdar-book.org/>

See Also

[SpatialPolygons](#)

Examples

```
# simple example, from vignette("sp"):
Sr1 = Polygon(cbind(c(2,4,4,1,2),c(2,3,5,4,2)))
Sr2 = Polygon(cbind(c(5,4,2,5),c(2,3,2,2)))
Sr3 = Polygon(cbind(c(4,4,5,10,4),c(5,3,2,5,5)))
Sr4 = Polygon(cbind(c(5,6,6,5,5),c(4,4,3,3,4)), hole = TRUE)

Srs1 = Polygons(list(Sr1), "s1")
Srs2 = Polygons(list(Sr2), "s2")
Srs3 = Polygons(list(Sr3, Sr4), "s3/4")
SpP = SpatialPolygons(list(Srs1,Srs2,Srs3), 1:3)
plot(SpP, col = 1:3, pbg="white")

grd <- GridTopology(c(1,1), c(1,1), c(10,10))
polys <- as(grd, "SpatialPolygons")
```

```
plot(polys)
text(coordinates(polys), labels=row.names(polys))
```

SpatialPolygonsDataFrame-class

Class "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame"

Description

class to hold polygons with attributes

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls to the function SpatialPolygonsDataFrame

Slots

data: Object of class "data.frame"; attribute table

polygons: Object of class "list"; see SpatialPolygons-class

plotOrder: Object of class "integer"; see SpatialPolygons-class

bbox: Object of class "matrix"; see Spatial-class

proj4string: Object of class "CRS"; see CRS-class

Extends

Class "SpatialPolygons", directly. Class "Spatial", by class "SpatialPolygons".

Methods

Methods defined with class "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame" in the signature:

[signature(x = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame"): select subset of (sets of) polygons; NAs are not permitted in the row index

rbind signature(object = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame"): rbind-like method, see notes below

Note

SpatialPolygonsDataFrame with default ID matching checks the data frame row names against the Polygons ID slots. They must then agree with each other, and be unique (no Polygons objects can share IDs); the data frame rows will be re-ordered if needed to match the Polygons IDs..

If you want to rbind objects with duplicated IDs, see[spChFIDs](spChFIDs).

Author(s)

Roger Bivand

See Also

[SpatialPolygons-class](#)

Examples

```
# simple example, from scratch:
Sr1 = Polygon(cbind(c(2,4,4,1,2),c(2,3,5,4,2)))
Sr2 = Polygon(cbind(c(5,4,2,5),c(2,3,2,2)))
Sr3 = Polygon(cbind(c(4,4,5,10,4),c(5,3,2,5,5)))
Sr4 = Polygon(cbind(c(5,6,6,5,5),c(4,4,3,3,4)), hole = TRUE)

Srs1 = Polygons(list(Sr1), "s1")
Srs2 = Polygons(list(Sr2), "s2")
Srs3 = Polygons(list(Sr3, Sr4), "s3/4")
SpP = SpatialPolygons(list(Srs1,Srs2,Srs3), 1:3)
plot(SpP, col = 1:3, pbg="white")

grd <- GridTopology(c(1,1), c(1,1), c(10,10))
polys <- as(grd, "SpatialPolygons")
centroids <- coordinates(polys)
x <- centroids[,1]
y <- centroids[,2]
z <- 1.4 + 0.1*x + 0.2*y + 0.002*x*x
ex_1.7 <- SpatialPolygonsDataFrame(polys,
 data=data.frame(x=x, y=y, z=z, row.names=row.names(polys)))
brks <- quantile(z, seq(0,1,1/7))
cols <- grey((length(brks):2)/length(brks))
dens <- (2:length(brks))*3
plot(ex_1.7, col=cols[findInterval(z, brks, all.inside=TRUE)])
plot(ex_1.7, density=dens[findInterval(z, brks, all.inside=TRUE)])
```

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spChFIDs-methods	*change feature IDs in spatial objects*

Description

When the feature IDs need to be changed in SpatialLines* or SpatialPolygons* objects, these methods may be used. The new IDs should be a character vector of unique IDs of the correct length.

Methods

obj = "SpatialLines", x = "character" replace IDs in a SpatialLines object

obj = "SpatialLinesDataFrame", x = "character" replace IDs in a SpatialLinesDataFrame object

obj = "SpatialPolygons", x = "character" replace IDs in a SpatialPolygons object

obj = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame", x = "character" replace IDs in a SpatialPolygonsDataFrame object

Note

It is usually sensible to keep a copy of the original feature IDs in the object, but this should be done by the user.

Author(s)

Roger Bivand

Examples

```
## Not run:
if(require(sf)) {
xx <- as(st_read(system.file("shape/nc.shp", package="sf")[1]), "Spatial")
row.names(xx) <- as.character(xx$"FIPSNO")
row.names(as(xx, "data.frame"))
xx1 <- spChFIDs(xx, as.character(xx$CNTY_ID))
row.names(as(xx1, "data.frame"))
}
## End(Not run)
```

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spDistsN1   *Euclidean or Great Circle distance between points*

Description

The function returns a vector of distances between a matrix of 2D points, first column longitude, second column latitude, and a single 2D point, using Euclidean or Great Circle distance (WGS84 ellipsoid) methods.

Usage

```
spDistsN1(pts, pt, longlat = FALSE)
spDists(x, y = x, longlat = FALSE, segments = FALSE, diagonal = FALSE)
```

Arguments

pts	A matrix of 2D points, first column x/longitude, second column y/latitude, or a SpatialPoints or SpatialPointsDataFrame object
pt	A single 2D point, first value x/longitude, second value y/latitude, or a SpatialPoints or SpatialPointsDataFrame object with one point only
x	A matrix of n-D points with row denoting points, first column x/longitude, second column y/latitude, or a Spatial object that has a [coordinates](#) method
y	A matrix of n-D points with row denoting points, first column x/longitude, second column y/latitude, or a Spatial object that has a [coordinates](#) method
longlat	logical; if FALSE, Euclidean distance, if TRUE Great Circle (WGS84 ellipsoid) distance; if x is a Spatial object, longlat should not be specified but will be derived from [is.projected](#)(x)

segments	logical; if TRUE, y must be missing; the vector of distances between consecutive points in x is returned.
diagonal	logical; if TRUE, y must be given and have the same number of points as x; the vector with distances between points with identical index is returned.

Value

`spDistsN1` returns a numeric vector of distances in the metric of the points if longlat=FALSE, or in kilometers if longlat=TRUE.

`spDists` returns a full matrix of distances in the metric of the points if longlat=FALSE, or in kilometers if longlat=TRUE; it uses `spDistsN1` in case points are two-dimensional. In case of `spDists(x,x)`, it will compute all n x n distances, not the sufficient n x (n-1).

Note

The function can also be used to find a local kilometer equivalent to a plot scaled in decimal degrees in order to draw a scale bar.

Author(s)

Roger Bivand, Edzer Pebesma

References

http://www.abecedarical.com/javascript/script_greatcircle.html

See Also

is.projected

Examples

```
ll <- matrix(c(5, 6, 60, 60), ncol=2)
km <- spDistsN1(ll, ll[1,], longlat=TRUE)
zapsmall(km)
utm32 <- matrix(c(276.9799, 332.7052, 6658.1572, 6655.2055), ncol=2)
spDistsN1(utm32, utm32[1,])
dg <- spDistsN1(ll, ll[1,])
dg
dg[2]/km[2]
data(meuse)
coordinates(meuse) <- c("x", "y")
res <- spDistsN1(meuse, meuse[1,])
summary(res)

p1 = SpatialPoints(cbind(1:3, 1:3))
spDists(p1)
spDists(p1, p1)
spDists(p1, p1, diagonal = TRUE)
try(spDists(p1, p1, segments = TRUE))
spDists(p1, segments = TRUE)
```

```
p2 = SpatialPoints(cbind(5:2, 2:5))
spDists(p1, p2)
try(spDists(p1, p2, diagonal = TRUE)) # fails
try(spDists(p1, p2, segments = TRUE)) # fails

# longlat points:
proj4string(p1) = "+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84"
proj4string(p2) = "+proj=longlat +ellps=WGS84"
is.projected(p1)
is.projected(p2)
spDists(p1)
spDists(p1, p1)
spDists(p1, p1, diagonal = TRUE)
spDists(p1, p2)
try(spDists(p1, p2, diagonal = TRUE)) # fails
spDists(p1, p2[1:length(p1),], diagonal = TRUE)
spDists(p1, segments = TRUE)
spDists(p1[0],p2[0],diagonal=TRUE)
spDists(p1[0])

p1 = SpatialPoints(cbind(1:3, 1:3, 1:3))
spDists(p1)
spDists(p1, p1)
try(spDists(p1, p1, diagonal = TRUE))
try(spDists(p1, p1, segments = TRUE))
try(spDists(p1, segments = TRUE))
p2 = SpatialPoints(cbind(5:2, 2:5, 3:6))
spDists(p1, p2)
try(spDists(p1, p2, diagonal = TRUE)) # fails
try(spDists(p1, p2, segments = TRUE)) # fails
```

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spplot   *Plot methods for spatial data with attributes*

Description

Lattice (trellis) plot methods for spatial data with attributes

Usage

```
spplot(obj, ...)
spplot.grid(obj, zcol = names(obj), ..., names.attr, scales = list(draw = FALSE),
 xlab = NULL, ylab = NULL, aspect = mapasp(obj,xlim,ylim),
 panel = panel.gridplot, sp.layout = NULL, formula, xlim = bbox(obj)[1, ],
 ylim = bbox(obj)[2, ], checkEmptyRC = TRUE, col.regions = get_col_regions())
spplot.polygons(obj, zcol = names(obj), ..., names.attr, scales = list(draw = FALSE),
 xlab = NULL, ylab = NULL, aspect = mapasp(obj,xlim,ylim),
 panel = panel.polygonsplot, sp.layout = NULL, formula, xlim = bbox(obj)[1, ],
```

```
    ylim = bbox(obj)[2, ], col.regions = get_col_regions())
  spplot.points(obj, zcol = names(obj), ..., names.attr, scales = list(draw = FALSE),
   xlab = NULL, ylab = NULL, aspect = mapasp(obj,xlim,ylim),
   panel = panel.pointsplot, sp.layout = NULL, identify = FALSE, formula,
   xlim = bbexpand(bbox(obj)[1, ], 0.04), ylim = bbexpand(bbox(obj)[2, ], 0.04),
   edge.col = "transparent", colorkey = FALSE, col.regions = get_col_regions())
  mapLegendGrob(obj, widths = unit(1, "cm"), heights = unit(1, "cm"),
  fill = "black", just = "right")
  sp.theme(set = FALSE, regions = list(col = bpy.colors(100)), ...)
  layout.north.arrow(type = 1)
  layout.scale.bar(height = 0.05)
  spplot.locator(n = 512, type = "n", ...)
  set_col_regions(value)
  get_col_regions()
```

Arguments

obj	object of class extending [Spatial-class](#)
zcol	character; attribute name(s) or column number(s) in attribute table
names.attr	names to use in panel, if different from zcol names
scales	scales argument to be passed to Lattice plots; use `list(draw = TRUE)` to draw axes scales; see [xyplot](#) for full options
...	other arguments passed to [levelplot](#) (grids, polygons) or [xyplot](#) (points)
xlab	label for x-axis
ylab	label for y-axis
aspect	aspect ratio for spatial axes; defaults to "iso" (one unit on the x-axis equals one unit on the y-axis) but may be set to more suitable values if the data are e.g. if coordinates are latitude/longitude
panel	depending on the class of obj, [panel.polygonsplot](#) (for polygons or lines), [panel.gridplot](#) (grids) or [panel.pointsplot](#) (points) is used; for further control custom panel functions can be supplied that call one of these panel functions, but do read below how the argument sp.layout may help
sp.layout	NULL or list; see notes below
identify	if not FALSE, identify plotted objects (currently only working for points plots). Labels for identification are the row.names of the attribute table `row.names(as.data.frame(obj))`. If TRUE, identify on panel (1,1); for identifying on panel i,j, pass the value `c(i,j)`
formula	optional; may be useful to plot a transformed value. Defaults to `z~x+y` for single and `z~x+y|name` for multiple attributes; use e.g. `exp(x)~x+y|name` to plot the exponent of the z-variable
xlim	numeric; x-axis limits
ylim	numeric; y-axis limits
edge.col	color of symbol edge
colorkey	if FALSE, use symbol key; if TRUE, use continuous, levelplot-like colorkey; if list, follow syntax of argument colorkey in [levelplot](#) (see below for an example)

`widths`	width of grob
`heights`	heights of grob
`fill`	fill color of grob
`just`	grob placement justification
`set`	logical; if TRUE, trellis.par.set is called, else a list is returned that can be passed to trellis.par.set()
`regions`	color ramp for the theme
`height`	height of scale bar; width is 1.0
`n`	see locator
`type`	see locator
`checkEmptyRC`	logical; if TRUE, a check is done to see if empty rows or columns are present, and need to be taken care of. Setting to FALSE may improve speed.
`col.regions`	vector with fill colours; in case the variable to be plotted is a factor, this vector should have length equal to the number of factor levels
`value`	vector with color values, default for `col.regions`

Value

spplot returns a lattice plot of class "trellis", if you fail to "see" it, explicitly call `print(spplot(...))`. If `identify` is TRUE, the plot is plotted and the return value is a vector with row names of the selected points.

`spplot.locator` returns a matrix with identified point locations; use `trellis.focus` first to focus on a given panel.

`get_col_regions` returns the default value for `col.regions`

Methods

obj = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame" see spplot

obj = "SpatialGridDataFrame" see spplot

obj = "SpatialPolygonsDataFrame" see spplot

obj = "SpatialLinesDataFrame" see spplot

obj = "SpatialPointsDataFrame" see spplot

Note

Missing values in the attributes are (currently) not allowed.

spplot.grid, spplot.polygons and spplot.points are S4 methods for spplot; see spplot-methods.

Useful arguments that can be passed as ... are:

`layout` integer; for the layout of panels (cols,rows)

`pretty` logical; choose colour breaks at pretty numbers?

`at` specify at which values colours change

as.table logical; start drawing panels upper-left instead of lower-left

page to add marks to each plotted page

for useful values see the appropriate documentation of xyplot (in case of points), and levelplot (otherwise).

If obj is of SpatialPointsDataFrame, the following options are useful to pass:

key.space character: "bottom", "right", "left" or "right" to denote key location, or list: see argument key in the help for xyplot what the options are

legendEntries character; array with key legend (text) entries; suitable defaults obtained from data

cuts number of cuts, or, for objects of class SpatialPointsDataFrame only, the actual cuts to use

do.log logical; if TRUE use log-linear scale to divide range in equal cuts, else use a linear scale if cuts is only number of cuts

pch integer; plotting character to use; defaults to 16 if fill is TRUE, else 1

cex numeric; character expansion, proportional to default value of 1

fill logical; use filled circles?

layout.north.arrow and layout.scale.bar can be used to set a north arrow or scale bar.

The sp.layout argument is either a single layout item, or a list with one or more layout items. A layout item is one of

- a list with one or more Spatial* objects, along with style arguments like col, lty, pch, fill etc.
- a list with its first argument the layout function or the name of the layout function to be called: sp.points for SpatialPoints, sp.polygons for SpatialPolygons object, sp.lines for a SpatialLines object, and sp.text for text to place. The second argument contains the object (or text) to be plotted; remaining arguments are passed to the corresponding panel.* functions.

The order of items in sp.layout matters; objects are drawn in the order they appear. With respect to obj, default plot order and precedence of sp.layout items is as follows: for points and lines, sp.layout items are drawn over (after) obj; for grids and polygons, sp.layout items are drawn behind (before) obj. Transparency may further help making multiple things visible. Adding a first argument to a layout item overrides its default plotting order with respect to obj:

Special control elements of sp.layout items:

first logical; should the layout item be drawn before the obj (TRUE), or after (FALSE)? This overrides the default order (points and lines in front, polygons and grids behind).

which integer; controls to which panel a layout item should be added. If which is present in the main, top-level list it applies to all layout items; in sub-lists with layout items it denotes the (set of) panel(s) in which the layout item should be drawn. Without a which item, layout items are drawn in each panel.

sp.theme returns a lattice theme; use, after loading package lattice, the command trellis.par.set(sp.theme()) after a device is opened or changed to make this work. Currently, this only sets the colors to bpy.colors.

If the attributes to be plotted are of type factor, spplot tries to create a legend that reflects this. In this case, the color ramp passed needs to be of the same length as the number of factor levels. The factor levels are derived from the first map; subsequent factors with different factor levels result in an error.

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References

<https://edzer.github.io/sp/>

See Also

xyplot, levelplot, panel.identify to identify objects

Examples

```
library(lattice)
trellis.par.set(sp.theme()) # sets bpy.colors() ramp
demo(meuse, ask = FALSE, echo = FALSE)
l2 = list("SpatialPolygonsRescale", layout.north.arrow(), offset = c(181300,329800),
scale = 400)
l3 = list("SpatialPolygonsRescale", layout.scale.bar(), offset = c(180500,329800),
scale = 500, fill=c("transparent","black"))
l4 = list("sp.text", c(180500,329900), "0")
l5 = list("sp.text", c(181000,329900), "500 m")

spplot(meuse, c("ffreq"), sp.layout=list(l2,l3,l4,l5), col.regions= "black",
pch=c(1,2,3), key.space=list(x=0.1,y=.95,corner=c(0,1)))
spplot(meuse, c("zinc", "lead"), sp.layout=list(l2,l3,l4,l5, which = 2),
key.space=list(x=0.1,y=.95,corner=c(0,1)))
# plotting factors:
meuse$f = factor(sample(letters[6:10], 155, replace=TRUE),levels=letters[1:10])
meuse$g = factor(sample(letters[1:5], 155, replace=TRUE),levels=letters[1:10])
spplot(meuse, c("f","g"), col.regions=bpy.colors(10))

if (require(RColorBrewer)) {
spplot(meuse, c("ffreq"), sp.layout=list(l2,l3,l4,l5),
col.regions=brewer.pal(3, "Set1"))
}

meuse.grid$g = factor(sample(letters[1:5], 3103, replace=TRUE),
levels=letters[1:10])
meuse.grid$f = factor(sample(letters[6:10], 3103, replace=TRUE),
levels=letters[1:10])
spplot(meuse.grid, c("f","g"), col.regions=bpy.colors(10))

# example modifying colorkey for points:
spplot(meuse["dist"], colorkey = list(
right = list( # see ?levelplot in package trellis, argument colorkey:
fun = draw.colorkey,
args = list(
key = list(
at = seq(0, 1, .1), # colour breaks
col = bpy.colors(11), # colours
labels = list(
```

```
at = c(0, .2, .4, .6, .8, 1),
labels = c("0x", "20x", "40x", "60x", "80x", "100x")
)
)
)
)
))
l6 = list(meuse.grid["dist"], col = grey(seq(.5,.9,length.out=10)))
spplot(meuse, c("zinc", "lead"), sp.layout = l6)
spplot(meuse, c("zinc", "lead"),
sp.layout = list(meuse.grid, meuse.riv, col = 'grey'))

#  Custom legend placement, taken from
# http://stackoverflow.com/questions/29344692/custom-placement-of-spplot-legend-in-the-map
s <- spplot(meuse.grid[,'dist'], colorkey = list(space = "left", height = 0.4))

args <- s$legend$left$args$key

## Prepare list of arguments needed by `legend=` argument (as described in ?xyplot)
library(lattice) # draw.colorkey
legendArgs <- list(fun = draw.colorkey,
                   args = list(key = args),
                   corner = c(0.05,.75))

## Call spplot() again, this time passing in to legend the arguments
## needed to print a color key
spplot(meuse.grid[,'dist'], colorkey = FALSE,
       legend = list(inside = legendArgs))
```

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spsample   *sample point locations in (or on) a spatial object*

Description

sample point locations within a square area, a grid, a polygon, or on a spatial line, using regular
or random sampling methods; the methods used assume that the geometry used is not spherical, so
objects should be in planar coordinates

Usage

```
spsample(x, n, type, ...)
makegrid(x, n = 10000, nsig = 2, cellsize, offset = rep(0.5, nrow(bb)),
pretty = TRUE)
```

Arguments

x   Spatial object; spsample(x,...) is a generic method for the existing sample.Xxx
           functions

...   optional arguments, passed to the appropriate sample.Xxx functions; see NOTES
           for nclusters and iter

n	(approximate) sample size
type	character; "random" for completely spatial random; "regular" for regular (systematically aligned) sampling; "stratified" for stratified random (one single random location in each "cell"); "nonaligned" for nonaligned systematic sampling (nx random y coordinates, ny random x coordinates); "hexagonal" for sampling on a hexagonal lattice; "clustered" for clustered sampling; "Fibonacci" for Fibonacci sampling on the sphere (see references).
bb	bounding box of the sampled domain; setting this to a smaller value leads to sub-region sampling
offset	for square cell-based sampling types (regular, stratified, nonaligned, hexagonal): the offset (position) of the regular grid; the default for spsample methods is a random location in the unit cell [0,1] x [0,1], leading to a different grid after each call; if this is set to c(0.5,0.5), the returned grid is not random (but, in Ripley's wording, "centric systematic"). For line objects, a single offset value is taken, where the value varies within the [0, 1] interval, and 0 is the beginning of each Line object, and 1 its end
cellsize	if missing, a cell size is derived from the sample size n; otherwise, this cell size is used for all sampling methods except "random"
nsig	for "pretty" cell size; spsample does not result in pretty grids
pretty	logical; if TRUE, choose pretty (rounded) coordinates

Value

an object of class [SpatialPoints-class](). The number of points is only guaranteed to equal n when sampling is done in a square box, i.e. (sample.Spatial). Otherwise, the obtained number of points will have expected value n.

When x is of a class deriving from [Spatial-class]() for which no [spsample-methods]() exists, sampling is done in the bounding box of the object, using spsample.Spatial. An overlay using [over]() may be necessary to select the features inside the geometry afterwards.

Sampling type "nonaligned" is not implemented for line objects.

Some methods may return NULL if no points could be successfully placed.

makegrid makes a regular grid that covers x; when cellsize is not given it derives one from the number of grid points requested (approximating the number of cells). It tries to choose pretty cell size and grid coordinates.

Methods

x = "Spatial" sample in the bbox of x

x = "Line" sample on a line

x = "Polygon" sample in a Polygon

x = "Polygons" sample in a Polygons object, consisting of possibly multiple Polygon objects (holes must be correctly defined, use checkPolygonsHoles if need be)

x = "SpatialPolygons" sample in an SpatialPolygons object; sampling takes place over all Polygons objects present, use subsetting to vary sampling intensity (density); holes must be correctly defined, use checkPolygonsHoles if need be

x = "SpatialGrid" sample in an SpatialGrid object

x = "SpatialPixels" sample in an SpatialPixels object

Note

If an Polygon-class object has zero area (i.e. is a line), samples on this line element are returned. If the area is very close to zero, the algorithm taken here (generating points in a square area, selecting those inside the polygon) may be very resource intensive. When numbers of points per polygon are small and type="random", the number searched for is inflated to ensure hits, and the points returned sampled among these.

The following two arguments can be further specified:

nclusters Number of clusters (strata) to sample from.

iter(default = 4) number of times to try to place sample points in a polygon before giving up and returning NULL - this may occur when trying to hit a small and awkwardly shaped polygon in a large bounding box with a small number of points

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References

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Fibonacci sampling: Alvaro Gonzalez, 2010. Measurement of Areas on a Sphere Using Fibonacci and Latitude-Longitude Lattices. Mathematical Geosciences 42(1), p. 49-64

See Also

over, point.in.polygon, sample

Examples

```
data(meuse.riv)
meuse.sr = SpatialPolygons(list(Polygons(list(Polygon(meuse.riv)), "x")))

plot(meuse.sr)
points(spsample(meuse.sr, n = 1000, "regular"), pch = 3)

plot(meuse.sr)
points(spsample(meuse.sr, n = 1000, "random"), pch = 3)

plot(meuse.sr)
points(spsample(meuse.sr, n = 1000, "stratified"), pch = 3)

plot(meuse.sr)
points(spsample(meuse.sr, n = 1000, "nonaligned"), pch = 3)

plot(meuse.sr)
points(spsample(meuse.sr@polygons[[1]], n = 100, "stratified"), pch = 3, cex=.5)
```

```
data(meuse.grid)
gridded(meuse.grid) = ~x+y
image(meuse.grid)
points(spsample(meuse.grid,n=1000,type="random"), pch=3, cex=.5)
image(meuse.grid)
points(spsample(meuse.grid,n=1000,type="stratified"), pch=3, cex=.5)
image(meuse.grid)
points(spsample(meuse.grid,n=1000,type="regular"), pch=3, cex=.5)
image(meuse.grid)
points(spsample(meuse.grid,n=1000,type="nonaligned"), pch=3, cex=.5)

fullgrid(meuse.grid) = TRUE
image(meuse.grid)
points(spsample(meuse.grid,n=1000,type="stratified"), pch=3,cex=.5)
```

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spTransform   *spTransform for map projection and datum transformation*

Description

spTransform for map projection and datum transformation

Usage

```
spTransform(x, CRSobj, ...)
```

Arguments

x	object to be transformed
CRSobj	object of class CRS, or of class character in which case it is converted to CRS
...	further arguments (ignored)

Value

object with coordinates transformed to the new coordinate reference system.

Note

Package sf provides the methods doing actual transformation.

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stack	*rearrange data in SpatialPointsDataFrame or SpatialGridDataFrame*
	for plotting with spplot (levelplot/xyplot wrapper)

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Description

rearrange SpatialPointsDataFrame for plotting with spplot or levelplot

Usage

```
spmap.to.lev(data, zcol = 1:n, n = 2, names.attr)
## S3 method for class 'SpatialPointsDataFrame'
stack(x, select, ...)
## S3 method for class 'SpatialGridDataFrame'
stack(x, select, ...)
```

Arguments

data	object of class (or extending) SpatialPointsDataFrame or SpatialGridDataFrame
zcol	z-coordinate column name(s), or a column number (range) (after removing the spatial coordinate columns: 1 refers to the first non-coordinate column, etc.)
names.attr	names of the set of z-columns (these names will appear in the plot); if omitted, column names of zcol
n	number of columns to be stacked
x	same as data
select	same as zcol
...	ignored

Value

spmap.to.lev returns a data frame with the following elements:

x	x-coordinate for each row
y	y-coordinate for each row
z	column vector with each of the elements in columns zcol of data stacked
name	factor; name of each of the stacked z columns

stack is an S3 method: it return a data.frame with a column values that has the stacked coordinates and attributes, and a column ind that indicates the variable stacked; it also replicates the coordinates.

See Also

spplot, levelplot, and stack

Examples

```
library(lattice)
data(meuse.grid) # data frame
coordinates(meuse.grid) = c("x", "y") # promotes to SpatialPointsDataFrame
meuse.grid[["idist"]] = 1 - meuse.grid[["dist"]] # add variable
# the following is made much easier by spplot:
levelplot(z~x+y|name, spmap.to.lev(meuse.grid, z=c("dist","idist"), names.attr =
c("distance", "inverse of distance")), aspect = "iso")
levelplot(values~x+y|ind, as.data.frame(stack(meuse.grid)),aspect = "iso")
gridded(meuse.grid) = TRUE
levelplot(z~x+y|name, spmap.to.lev(meuse.grid, z=c("dist","idist"), names.attr =
c("distance", "inverse of distance")), aspect = "iso")
levelplot(values~x+y|ind, as.data.frame(stack(meuse.grid)), asp = "iso")
```

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surfaceArea   *Compute surface area of a digital elevation model.*

Description

It is often said that if Wales was flattened out it would have an area bigger than England. This function computes the surface area of a grid of heights taking into account the sloping nature of the surface.

Usage

```
surfaceArea(m, ...)
surfaceArea.matrix(m, cellx = 1, celly = 1, byCell = FALSE)
```

Arguments

m	a matrix of height values, or an object of class SpatialPixelsDataFrame or SpatialGridDataFrame.
cellx	the size of the grid cells in the x-direction, in the same units as the height values.
celly	the size of the grid cells in the y-direction, in the same units as the height values.
byCell	return single value or matrix of values
...	ignored

Value

Either a single value of the total area if byCell=FALSE, or a matrix the same shape as m of individual cell surface areas if byCell=TRUE. In this case, the sum of the returned matrix should be the same value as that which is returned if byCell=FALSE.

Missing values (NA) in the input matrix are allowed. They will produce an NA in the output matrix for byCell=TRUE, and contribute zero to the total area. They also have an effect on adjacent cells - see code comments for details.

Methods

obj = "matrix" takes a matrix as input, requires cellx and celly to be set

obj = "SpatialGridDataFrame" takes an object of class [SpatialGridDataFrame](#) as input, and retrieves cellx and celly from this

obj = "SpatialPixelsDataFrame" takes an object of class [SpatialPixelsDataFrame](#) as input, and retrieves cellx and celly from this

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References

Calculating Landscape Surface Area from Digital Elevation Models, Jeff S. Jenness Wildlife Society Bulletin, Vol. 32, No. 3 (Autumn, 2004), pp. 829-839

Examples

```
surfaceArea(volcano)
image(surfaceArea(volcano,byCell=TRUE))

data(meuse.grid)
gridded(meuse.grid) = ~x+y
image(surfaceArea(meuse.grid["dist"], byCell=TRUE))
surfaceArea(meuse.grid["dist"])
```

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zerodist   *find point pairs with equal spatial coordinates*

Description

find point pairs with equal spatial coordinates

Usage

```
zerodist(obj, zero = 0.0, unique.ID = FALSE, memcmp = TRUE)
zerodist2(obj1, obj2, zero = 0.0, memcmp = TRUE)
remove.duplicates(obj, zero = 0.0, remove.second = TRUE, memcmp = TRUE)
```

Arguments

obj	object of, or extending, class [SpatialPoints](#)
obj1	object of, or extending, class [SpatialPoints](#)
obj2	object of, or extending, class [SpatialPoints](#)
zero	distance values less than or equal to this threshold value are considered to have zero distance (default 0.0); units are those of the coordinates for projected data or unknown projection, or km if coordinates are defined to be longitude/latitude

unique.ID	logical; if TRUE, return an ID (integer) for each point that is different only when two points do not share the same location
memcmp	use memcmp to find exactly equal coordinates; see NOTE
remove.second	logical; if TRUE, the second of each pair of duplicate points is removed, if FALSE remove the first

Value

zerodist and zerodist2 return a two-column matrix with in each row pairs of row numbers with identical coordinates; a matrix with zero rows is returned if no such pairs are found. For zerodist, row number pairs refer to row pairs in obj. For zerodist2, row number pairs refer to rows in obj and obj2, respectively. remove.duplicates removes duplicate observations if present, and else returns obj.

Note

When using kriging, duplicate observations sharing identical spatial locations result in singular covariance matrices. This function may help identify and remove spatial duplices. The full matrix with all pair-wise distances is not stored; the double loop is done at the C level.

When unique.ID=TRUE is used, an integer index is returned. sp 1.0-14 returned the highest index, sp 1.0-15 and later return the lowest index.

When zero is 0.0 and memcmp is not FALSE, zerodist uses memcmp to evaluate exact equality of coordinates; there may be cases where this results in a different evaluation compared to doing the double arithmetic of computing distances.

Examples

```
data(meuse)
summary(meuse)
# pick 10 rows
n <- 10
ran10 <- sample(nrow(meuse), size = n, replace = TRUE)
meusedup <- rbind(meuse, meuse[ran10, ])
coordinates(meusedup) <- c("x", "y")
zd <- zerodist(meusedup)
sum(abs(zd[1:n,1] - sort(ran10))) # 0!
# remove the duplicate rows:
meusedup2 <- meusedup[-zd[,2], ]
summary(meusedup2)
meusedup3 <- subset(meusedup, !(1:nrow(meusedup) %in% zd[,2]))
summary(meusedup3)
coordinates(meuse) <- c("x", "y")
zerodist2(meuse, meuse[c(10:33,1,10),])
```

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