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as_tdata	<i>Downgrade teal_data objects in modules for compatibility</i>
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Description

Convert teal_data to tdata in teal modules.

Usage

```
as_tdata(x)
```

Arguments

x	data object, either tdata or teal_data, the latter possibly in a reactive expression
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Details

Recent changes in teal cause modules to fail because modules expect a tdata object to be passed to the data argument but instead they receive a teal_data object, which is additionally wrapped in a reactive expression in the server functions. In order to easily adapt such modules without a proper refactor, use this function to downgrade the data argument.

Value

Object of class tdata.

Examples

```
td <- teal_data()
td <- within(td, iris <- iris) %>% within(mtcars <- mtcars)
td
as_tdata(td)
as_tdata(reactive(td))
```

build_app_title	<i>Build app title with favicon</i>
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Description

A helper function to create the browser title along with a logo.

Usage

```
build_app_title(
  title = "teal app",
  favicon =
    "https://raw.githubusercontent.com/insightseengineering/hex-stickers/main/PNG/nest.png"
)
```

Arguments

title	(character) The browser title for the teal app.
favicon	(character) The path for the icon for the title. The image/icon path can be remote or the static path accessible by shiny, like the www/

Value

A shiny.tag containing the element that adds the title and logo to the shiny app.

example_module	<i>An example teal module</i>
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Description**[Experimental]****Usage**

```
example_module(label = "example teal module", datanames = "all")
```

Arguments

label	(character(1)) Label shown in the navigation item for the module or module group. For modules() defaults to "root". See Details.
datanames	(character) A vector with datanames that are relevant for the item. The filter panel will automatically update the shown filters to include only filters in the listed datasets. NULL will hide the filter panel, and the keyword "all" will show filters of all datasets. datanames also determines a subset of datasets which are appended to the data argument in server function.

Value

A teal module which can be included in the modules argument to `init()`.

Examples

```
app <- init(
  data = teal_data(IRIS = iris, MTCARS = mtcars),
  modules = example_module()
)
if (interactive()) {
  shinyApp(app$ui, app$server)
}
```

get_code_tdata	<i>Wrapper for get_code.tdata</i>
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Description

This wrapper is to be used by downstream packages to extract the code of a tdata object.

Usage

```
get_code_tdata(data)
```

Arguments

data (tdata) object

Value

(character) code used in the tdata object.

get_metadata	<i>Function to get metadata from a tdata object</i>
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Description

Function to get metadata from a tdata object

Usage

```
get_metadata(data, dataname)

## S3 method for class 'tdata'
get_metadata(data, dataname)

## Default S3 method:
get_metadata(data, dataname)
```

Arguments

data (tdata - object) to extract the data from
 dataname (character(1)) the dataset name whose metadata is requested

Value

Either list of metadata or NULL if no metadata.

init	<i>Create the server and UI function for the shiny app</i>
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Description

[Stable]

End-users: This is the most important function for you to start a teal app that is composed of teal modules.

Usage

```
init(
  data,
  modules,
  filter = teal_slices(),
  title = build_app_title(),
  header = tags$p(),
  footer = tags$p(),
  id = character(0)
)
```

Arguments

data	(teal_data or teal_data_module) For constructing the data object, refer to teal_data() and teal_data_module() .
modules	(list or teal_modules or teal_module) nested list of teal_modules or teal_module objects or a single teal_modules or teal_module object. These are the specific output modules which will be displayed in the teal application. See modules() and module() for more details.
filter	(teal_slices) Specifies the initial filter using teal_slices() .
title	(shiny.tag or character(1)) The browser window title. Defaults to a title "teal app" with the icon of NEST. Can be created using the build_app_title() or by passing a valid shiny.tag which is a head tag with title and link tag.
header	(shiny.tag or character(1)) The header of the app.
footer	(shiny.tag or character(1)) The footer of the app.
id	(character) Optional string specifying the shiny module id in cases it is used as a shiny module rather than a standalone shiny app. This is a legacy feature.

Details

When initializing the teal app, if datanames are not set for the teal_data object, defaults from the teal_data environment will be used.

Value

Named list with server and UI functions.

Examples

```
app <- init(
  data = teal_data(
    new_iris = transform(iris, id = seq_len(nrow(iris))),
    new_mtcars = transform(mtcars, id = seq_len(nrow(mtcars))),
    code = "
      new_iris <- transform(iris, id = seq_len(nrow(iris)))
      new_mtcars <- transform(mtcars, id = seq_len(nrow(mtcars)))
    "
  ),
```

```

modules = modules(
  module(
    label = "data source",
    server = function(input, output, session, data) {},
    ui = function(id, ...) div(p("information about data source")),
    datanames = "all"
  ),
  example_module(label = "example teal module"),
  module(
    "Iris Sepal.Length histogram",
    server = function(input, output, session, data) {
      output$hist <- renderPlot(
        hist(data()[["new_iris"]]$Sepal.Length)
      )
    },
    ui = function(id, ...) {
      ns <- NS(id)
      plotOutput(ns("hist"))
    },
    datanames = "new_iris"
  )
),
filter = teal_slices(
  teal_slice(dataname = "new_iris", varname = "Species"),
  teal_slice(dataname = "new_iris", varname = "Sepal.Length"),
  teal_slice(dataname = "new_mtcars", varname = "cyl"),
  exclude_varnames = list(new_iris = c("Sepal.Width", "Petal.Width")),
  module_specific = TRUE,
  mapping = list(
    `example teal module` = "new_iris Species",
    `Iris Sepal.Length histogram` = "new_iris Species",
    global_filters = "new_mtcars cyl"
  )
),
title = "App title",
header = tags$h1("Sample App"),
footer = tags$p("Copyright 2017 - 2023")
)
if (interactive()) {
  shinyApp(app$ui, app$server)
}

```

join_keys.tdata

Extract join_keys from tdata

Description

Extract join_keys from tdata

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'tdata'
join_keys(data, ...)
```

Arguments

data	(tdata) object
...	Additional arguments (not used)

landing_popup_module *Landing popup module*

Description

Creates a landing welcome popup for teal applications.

This module is used to display a popup dialog when the application starts. The dialog blocks access to the application and must be closed with a button before the application can be viewed.

Usage

```
landing_popup_module(
  label = "Landing Popup",
  title = NULL,
  content = NULL,
  buttons = modalButton("Accept")
)
```

Arguments

label	(character(1)) Label of the module.
title	(character(1)) Text to be displayed as popup title.
content	(character(1), shiny.tag or shiny.tag.list) with the content of the popup. Passed to ... of shiny::modalDialog. See examples.
buttons	(shiny.tag or shiny.tag.list) Typically a modalButton or actionButton. See examples.

Value

A teal_module (extended with teal_landing_module class) to be used in teal applications.

Examples

```

app1 <- init(
  data = teal_data(iris = iris),
  modules = modules(
    landing_popup_module(
      content = "A place for the welcome message or a disclaimer statement.",
      buttons = modalButton("Proceed")
    ),
    example_module()
  )
)
if (interactive()) {
  shinyApp(app1$ui, app1$server)
}

app2 <- init(
  data = teal_data(iris = iris),
  modules = modules(
    landing_popup_module(
      title = "Welcome",
      content = tags$b(
        "A place for the welcome message or a disclaimer statement.",
        style = "color: red;"
      ),
    ),
    buttons = tagList(
      modalButton("Proceed"),
      actionButton("read", "Read more",
        onclick = "window.open('http://google.com', '_blank')")
    ),
    actionButton("close", "Reject", onclick = "window.close()")
  )
),
  example_module()
)
)
if (interactive()) {
  shinyApp(app2$ui, app2$server)
}

```

module_teal_with_splash

Add splash screen to teal application

Description

[Stable]

Displays custom splash screen during initial delayed data loading.

Usage

```
ui_teal_with_splash(  
  id,  
  data,  
  title = build_app_title(),  
  header = tags$p(),  
  footer = tags$p()  
)  
  
srv_teal_with_splash(id, data, modules, filter = teal_slices())
```

Arguments

id	(character(1)) module id
data	(teal_data or teal_data_module) For constructing the data object, refer to teal_data() and teal_data_module() .
title	(shiny.tag or character(1)) The browser window title. Defaults to a title "teal app" with the icon of NEST. Can be created using the build_app_title() or by passing a valid shiny.tag which is a head tag with title and link tag.
header	(shiny.tag or character(1)) The header of the app.
footer	(shiny.tag or character(1)) The footer of the app.
modules	(teal_modules) object containing the output modules which will be displayed in the teal application. See modules() and module() for more details.
filter	(teal_slices) Specifies the initial filter using teal_slices() .

Details

This module pauses app initialization pending delayed data loading. This is necessary because the filter panel and modules depend on the data to initialize.

`teal_with_splash` follows the shiny module convention. [init\(\)](#) is a wrapper around this that assumes that teal it is the top-level module and cannot be embedded.

Note: It is no longer recommended to embed teal in shiny apps as a module. but rather use `init` to create a standalone application.

Value

Returns a reactive expression containing a teal_data object when data is loaded or NULL when it is not.

See Also

[init\(\)](#)

Examples

```
teal_modules <- modules(example_module())
# Shiny app with modular integration of teal
ui <- fluidPage(
  ui_teal_with_splash(id = "app1", data = teal_data())
)

server <- function(input, output, session) {
  srv_teal_with_splash(
    id = "app1",
    data = teal_data(iris = iris),
    modules = teal_modules
  )
}

if (interactive()) {
  shinyApp(ui, server)
}
```

reporter_previewer_module

Create a teal module for previewing a report

Description

[Experimental]

This function wraps `teal.reporter::reporter_previewer_ui()` and `teal.reporter::reporter_previewer_srv()` into a `teal_module` to be used in teal applications.

If you are creating a teal application using `init()` then this module will be added to your application automatically if any of your `teal_modules` support report generation.

Usage

```
reporter_previewer_module(label = "Report previewer", server_args = list())
```

Arguments

label	(character(1)) Label shown in the navigation item for the module or module group. For <code>modules()</code> defaults to "root". See Details.
server_args	(named list) Arguments passed to <code>teal.reporter::reporter_previewer_srv()</code> .

Value

`teal_module` (extended with `teal_module_previewer` class) containing the `teal.reporter` previewer functionality.

report_card_template *Template function for TealReportCard creation and customization*

Description

This function generates a report card with a title, an optional description, and the option to append the filter state list.

Usage

```
report_card_template(  
  title,  
  label,  
  description = NULL,  
  with_filter,  
  filter_panel_api  
)
```

Arguments

title	(character(1)) title of the card (unless overwritten by label)
label	(character(1)) label provided by the user when adding the card
description	(character(1)) optional additional description
with_filter	(logical(1)) flag indicating to add filter state
filter_panel_api	(FilterPanelAPI) object with API that allows the generation of the filter state in the report

Value

(TealReportCard) populated with a title, description and filter state.

show_rcode_modal *Show R code modal*

Description

[Stable]

Use the `shiny::showModal()` function to show the R code inside.

Usage

```
show_rcode_modal(title = NULL, rcode, session = getDefaultReactiveDomain())
```

Arguments

title	(character(1)) Title of the modal, displayed in the first comment of the R code.
rcode	(character) vector with R code to show inside the modal.
session	(ShinySession optional) shiny session object, if missing then <code>shiny::getDefaultReactiveDomain()</code> is used.

References

[shiny::showModal\(\)](#)

tdata	<i>Create a tdata object</i>
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Description**[Deprecated]**

Create a new object called tdata which contains data, a reactive list of data.frames (or MultiAssayExperiment), with attributes:

- code (reactive) containing code used to generate the data
- join_keys (join_keys) containing the relationships between the data
- metadata (named list) containing any metadata associated with the data frames

Usage

```
new_tdata(data, code = "", join_keys = NULL, metadata = NULL)
```

Arguments

data	(named list) A list of data.frame or MultiAssayExperiment objects, which optionally can be reactive. Inside this object all of these items will be made reactive.
code	(character or reactive which evaluates to a character) containing the code used to generate the data. This should be reactive if the code is changing during a reactive context (e.g. if filtering changes the code). Inside this object code will be made reactive
join_keys	(teal.data::join_keys) object containing relationships between the datasets.
metadata	(named list) each element contains a list of metadata about the named data.frame. Each element of these list should be atomic and length one.

Value

A tdata object.

See Also

as_tdata

Examples

```
data <- new_tdata(  
  data = list(iris = iris, mtcars = reactive(mtcars), dd = data.frame(x = 1:10)),  
  code = "iris <- iris  
  mtcars <- mtcars  
  dd <- data.frame(x = 1:10)",  
  metadata = list(dd = list(author = "NEST"), iris = list(version = 1))  
)  
  
# Extract a data.frame  
isolate(data[["iris"]])  
  
# Get code  
isolate(get_code_tdata(data))  
  
# Get metadata  
get_metadata(data, "iris")
```

tdata2env

Function to convert a tdata object to an environment

Description

Any reactive expressions inside tdata are evaluated first.

Usage

```
tdata2env(data)
```

Arguments

data (tdata) object

Value

An environment.

Examples

```
data <- new_tdata(
  data = list(iris = iris, mtcars = reactive(mtcars)),
  code = "iris <- iris
        mtcars = mtcars"
)

my_env <- isolate(tdata2env(data))
```

 TealReportCard

 TealReportCard

Description

[Experimental] Child class of [ReportCard](#) that is used for teal specific applications. In addition to the parent methods, it supports rendering teal specific elements such as the source code, the encodings panel content and the filter panel content as part of the meta data.

Super class

[teal.reporter::ReportCard](#) -> TealReportCard

Methods

Public methods:

- [TealReportCard\\$append_src\(\)](#)
- [TealReportCard\\$append_fs\(\)](#)
- [TealReportCard\\$append_encodings\(\)](#)
- [TealReportCard\\$clone\(\)](#)

Method `append_src()`: Appends the source code to the content meta data of this TealReportCard.

Usage:

```
TealReportCard$append_src(src, ...)
```

Arguments:

`src` (character(1)) code as text.

`...` any rmarkdown R chunk parameter and its value. But `eval` parameter is always set to FALSE.

Returns: Object of class TealReportCard, invisibly.

Examples:

```
card <- TealReportCard$new()$append_src(
  "plot(iris)"
)
card$get_content()[[1]]$get_content()
```

Method `append_fs()`: Appends the filter state list to the content and metadata of this `TealReportCard`. If the filter state list has an attribute named `formatted`, it appends it to the card otherwise it uses the default `yaml::as.yaml` to format the list. If the filter state list is empty, nothing is appended to the content.

Usage:

```
TealReportCard$append_fs(fs)
```

Arguments:

`fs` (`teal_slices`) object returned from `teal_slices()` function.

Returns: `self`, invisibly.

Method `append_encodings()`: Appends the encodings list to the content and metadata of this `TealReportCard`.

Usage:

```
TealReportCard$append_encodings(encodings)
```

Arguments:

`encodings` (`list`) list of encodings selections of the teal app.

Returns: `self`, invisibly.

Examples:

```
card <- TealReportCard$new()$append_encodings(list(variable1 = "X"))
card$get_content()[[1]]$get_content()
```

Method `clone()`: The objects of this class are cloneable with this method.

Usage:

```
TealReportCard$clone(deep = FALSE)
```

Arguments:

`deep` Whether to make a deep clone.

Examples

```
## -----
## Method `TealReportCard$append_src`
## -----

card <- TealReportCard$new()$append_src(
  "plot(iris)"
)
card$get_content()[[1]]$get_content()

## -----
## Method `TealReportCard$append_encodings`
## -----

card <- TealReportCard$new()$append_encodings(list(variable1 = "X"))
card$get_content()[[1]]$get_content()
```

teal_data_module	<i>Data module for teal applications</i>
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Description

[Experimental]

Create a teal_data_module object and evaluate code on it with history tracking.

Usage

```
teal_data_module(ui, server)

## S4 method for signature 'teal_data_module,character'
eval_code(object, code)

## S3 method for class 'teal_data_module'
within(data, expr, ...)
```

Arguments

ui	(function(id)) shiny module UI function; must only take id argument
server	(function(id)) shiny module server function; must only take id argument; must return reactive expression containing teal_data object
object	(teal_data_module)
code	(character or language) code to evaluate. If character, comments are retained.
data	(teal_data_module) object
expr	(expression) to evaluate. Must be inline code. See
...	See Details.

Details

teal_data_module creates a shiny module to supply or modify data in a teal application. The module allows for running data pre-processing code (creation *and* some modification) after the app starts. The body of the server function will be run in the app rather than in the global environment. This means it will be run every time the app starts, so use sparingly.

Pass this module instead of a teal_data object in a call to `init()`. Note that the server function must always return a teal_data object wrapped in a reactive expression.

See vignette `vignette("data-as-shiny-module", package = "teal")` for more details.

`eval_code` evaluates given code in the environment of the teal_data object created by the teal_data_module. The code is added to the @code slot of the teal_data.

`within` is a convenience function for evaluating inline code inside the environment of a teal_data_module. It accepts only inline expressions (both simple and compound) and allows for injecting values into `expr` through the `...` argument: as `name:value` pairs are passed to `...`, `name` in `expr` will be replaced with `value`.

Value

`teal_data_module` returns an object of class `teal_data_module`.

`eval_code` returns a `teal_data_module` object with a delayed evaluation of code when the module is run.

`within` returns a `teal_data_module` object with a delayed evaluation of `expr` when the module is run.

See Also

[teal.data::teal_data](#), [teal.code::qenv\(\)](#)

Examples

```
tdm <- teal_data_module(
  ui = function(id) {
    ns <- NS(id)
    actionButton(ns("submit"), label = "Load data")
  },
  server = function(id) {
    moduleServer(id, function(input, output, session) {
      eventReactive(input$submit, {
        data <- within(
          teal_data(),
          {
            dataset1 <- iris
            dataset2 <- mtcars
          }
        )
        datanames(data) <- c("dataset1", "dataset2")

        data
      })
    })
  }
)

eval_code(tdm, "dataset1 <- subset(dataset1, Species == 'virginica')")

within(tdm, dataset1 <- subset(dataset1, Species == "virginica"))

# use additional parameter for expression value substitution.
valid_species <- "versicolor"
within(tdm, dataset1 <- subset(dataset1, Species %in% species), species = valid_species)
```

Description**[Stable]**

Create a nested tab structure to embed modules in a teal application.

Usage

```

module(
  label = "module",
  server = function(id, ...) {
    moduleServer(id, function(input, output, session) {

    })
  },
  ui = function(id, ...) {
    tags$p(paste0("This module has no UI (id: ", id, " )"))
  },
  filters,
  datanames = "all",
  server_args = NULL,
  ui_args = NULL
)

modules(..., label = "root")

## S3 method for class 'teal_module'
format(x, indent = 0, ...)

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

## S3 method for class 'teal_modules'
format(x, indent = 0, ...)

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

```

Arguments

label	(character(1)) Label shown in the navigation item for the module or module group. For <code>modules()</code> defaults to "root". See Details.
server	(function) shiny module with following arguments: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> id - teal will set proper shiny namespace for this module (see <code>shiny::moduleServer()</code>). input, output, session - (optional; not recommended) When provided, then <code>shiny::callModule()</code> will be used to call a module. From shiny 1.5.0, the recommended way is to use <code>shiny::moduleServer()</code> instead which doesn't require these arguments.

- data (optional) When provided, the module will be called with teal_data object (i.e. a list of reactive (filtered) data specified in the filters argument) as the value of this argument.
- datasets (optional) When provided, the module will be called with FilteredData object as the value of this argument. (See teal.slice::FilteredData).
- reporter (optional) When provided, the module will be called with Reporter object as the value of this argument. (See teal.reporter::Reporter).
- filter_panel_api (optional) When provided, the module will be called with FilterPanelAPI object as the value of this argument. (See teal.slice::FilterPanelAPI).
- ... (optional) When provided, server_args elements will be passed to the module named argument or to the ...

ui (function) shiny UI module function with following arguments:

- id - teal will set proper shiny namespace for this module.
- ... (optional) When provided, ui_args elements will be passed to the module named argument or to the ...

filters (character) Deprecated. Use datanames instead.

datanames (character) A vector with datanames that are relevant for the item. The filter panel will automatically update the shown filters to include only filters in the listed datasets. NULL will hide the filter panel, and the keyword "all" will show filters of all datasets. datanames also determines a subset of datasets which are appended to the data argument in server function.

server_args (named list) with additional arguments passed on to the server function.

ui_args (named list) with additional arguments passed on to the UI function.

...

- For modules(): (teal_module or teal_modules) Objects to wrap into a tab.
- For format() and print(): Arguments passed to other methods.

x (teal_module or teal_modules) Object to format/print.

indent (integer(1)) Indention level; each nested element is indented one level more.

Details

module() creates an instance of a teal_module that can be placed in a teal application. modules() shapes the structure of a the application by organizing teal_module within the navigation panel. It wraps teal_module and teal_modules objects in a teal_modules object, which results in a nested structure corresponding to the nested tabs in the final application.

Note that for modules() label comes after ..., so it must be passed as a named argument, otherwise it will be captured by ...

The labels "global_filters" and "Report previewer" are reserved because they are used by the mapping argument of teal_slices() and the report previewer module reporter_previewer_module(), respectively.

Value

module() returns an object of class teal_module.

modules() returns a teal_modules object which contains following fields:

- label: taken from the label argument.
- children: a list containing objects passed in List elements are named after their label attribute converted to a valid shiny id.

Examples

```
library(shiny)

module_1 <- module(
  label = "a module",
  server = function(id, data) {
    moduleServer(
      id,
      module = function(input, output, session) {
        output$data <- renderDataTable(data()[["iris"]])
      }
    )
  },
  ui = function(id) {
    ns <- NS(id)
    tagList(dataTableOutput(ns("data")))
  },
  datanames = "all"
)

module_2 <- module(
  label = "another module",
  server = function(id) {
    moduleServer(
      id,
      module = function(input, output, session) {
        output$text <- renderText("Another Module")
      }
    )
  },
  ui = function(id) {
    ns <- NS(id)
    tagList(textOutput(ns("text")))
  },
  datanames = NULL
)

modules <- modules(
  label = "modules",
  modules(
    label = "nested modules",
    module_1
  ),
  module_2
)

app <- init(
```

```
  data = teal_data(iris = iris),
  modules = modules
)

if (interactive()) {
  shinyApp(app$ui, app$server)
}
```

validate_has_data	<i>Validate that dataset has a minimum number of observations</i>
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Description

[Stable]

Usage

```
validate_has_data(
  x,
  min_nrow = NULL,
  complete = FALSE,
  allow_inf = TRUE,
  msg = NULL
)
```

Arguments

x	(data.frame)
min_nrow	(numeric(1)) Minimum allowed number of rows in x.
complete	(logical(1)) Flag specifying whether to check only complete cases. Defaults to FALSE.
allow_inf	(logical(1)) Flag specifying whether to allow infinite values. Defaults to TRUE.
msg	(character(1)) Additional message to display alongside the default message.

Details

This function is a wrapper for `shiny::validate`.

Examples

```
library(teal)
ui <- fluidPage(
  sliderInput("len", "Max Length of Sepal",
    min = 4.3, max = 7.9, value = 5
  ),
  plotOutput("plot")
)
```

```

)

server <- function(input, output) {
  output$plot <- renderPlot({
    iris_df <- iris[iris$Sepal.Length <= input$len, ]
    validate_has_data(
      iris_df,
      min_nrow = 10,
      complete = FALSE,
      msg = "Please adjust Max Length of Sepal"
    )

    hist(iris_df$Sepal.Length, breaks = 5)
  })
}
if (interactive()) {
  shinyApp(ui, server)
}

```

validate_has_elements *Validates that vector has length greater than 0*

Description

[Stable]

Usage

```
validate_has_elements(x, msg)
```

Arguments

x	vector
msg	message to display

Details

This function is a wrapper for `shiny::validate`.

Examples

```

data <- data.frame(
  id = c(1:10, 11:20, 1:10),
  strata = rep(c("A", "B"), each = 15)
)
ui <- fluidPage(
  selectInput("ref1", "Select strata1 to compare",
    choices = c("A", "B", "C"), selected = "A"

```

```

    ),
    selectInput("ref2", "Select strata2 to compare",
      choices = c("A", "B", "C"), selected = "B"
    ),
    verbatimTextOutput("arm_summary")
  )

server <- function(input, output) {
  output$arm_summary <- renderText({
    sample_1 <- data$id[data$strata == input$ref1]
    sample_2 <- data$id[data$strata == input$ref2]

    validate_has_elements(sample_1, "No subjects in strata1.")
    validate_has_elements(sample_2, "No subjects in strata2.")

    paste0(
      "Number of samples in: strata1=", length(sample_1),
      " comparisons strata2=", length(sample_2)
    )
  })
}
if (interactive()) {
  shinyApp(ui, server)
}

```

validate_has_variable *Validates that dataset contains specific variable*

Description

[Stable]

Usage

```
validate_has_variable(data, varname, msg)
```

Arguments

data	(data.frame)
varname	(character(1)) name of variable to check for in data
msg	(character(1)) message to display if data does not include varname

Details

This function is a wrapper for `shiny::validate`.

Examples

```

data <- data.frame(
  one = rep("a", length.out = 20),
  two = rep(c("a", "b"), length.out = 20)
)
ui <- fluidPage(
  selectInput(
    "var",
    "Select variable",
    choices = c("one", "two", "three", "four"),
    selected = "one"
  ),
  verbatimTextOutput("summary")
)

server <- function(input, output) {
  output$summary <- renderText({
    validate_has_variable(data, input$var)
    paste0("Selected treatment variables: ", paste(input$var, collapse = ", "))
  })
}
if (interactive()) {
  shinyApp(ui, server)
}

```

 validate_in

Validates that vector includes all expected values

Description**[Stable]****Usage**

```
validate_in(x, choices, msg)
```

Arguments

x	Vector of values to test.
choices	Vector to test against.
msg	(character(1)) Error message to display if some elements of x are not elements of choices.

Details

This function is a wrapper for `shiny::validate`.

Examples

```

ui <- fluidPage(
  selectInput(
    "species",
    "Select species",
    choices = c("setosa", "versicolor", "virginica", "unknown species"),
    selected = "setosa",
    multiple = FALSE
  ),
  verbatimTextOutput("summary")
)

server <- function(input, output) {
  output$summary <- renderPrint({
    validate_in(input$species, iris$Species, "Species does not exist.")
    nrow(iris[iris$Species == input$species, ])
  })
}
if (interactive()) {
  shinyApp(ui, server)
}

```

 validate_inputs

Send input validation messages to output

Description

Captures messages from `InputValidator` objects and collates them into one message passed to `validate`.

Usage

```
validate_inputs(..., header = "Some inputs require attention")
```

Arguments

<code>...</code>	either any number of <code>InputValidator</code> objects or an optionally named, possibly nested list of <code>InputValidator</code> objects, see Details
<code>header</code>	(<code>character(1)</code>) generic validation message; set to <code>NULL</code> to omit

Details

`shiny::validate` is used to withhold rendering of an output element until certain conditions are met and to print a validation message in place of the output element. `shinyvalidate::InputValidator` allows to validate input elements and to display specific messages in their respective input widgets. `validate_inputs` provides a hybrid solution. Given an `InputValidator` object, messages corresponding to inputs that fail validation are extracted and placed in one validation message that is passed to a `validate/need` call. This way the input validator messages are repeated in the output.

The ... argument accepts any number of `InputValidator` objects or a nested list of such objects. If validators are passed directly, all their messages are printed together under one (optional) header message specified by `header`. If a list is passed, messages are grouped by validator. The list's names are used as headers for their respective message groups. If neither of the nested list elements is named, a header message is taken from `header`.

Value

Returns `NULL` if the final validation call passes and a `shiny.silent.error` if it fails.

See Also

[shinyvalidate::InputValidator](#), [shiny::validate](#)

Examples

```
library(shiny)
library(shinyvalidate)

ui <- fluidPage(
  selectInput("method", "validation method", c("sequential", "combined", "grouped")),
  sidebarLayout(
    sidebarPanel(
      selectInput("letter", "select a letter:", c(letters[1:3], LETTERS[4:6])),
      selectInput("number", "select a number:", 1:6),
      br(),
      selectInput("color", "select a color:",
        c("black", "indianred2", "springgreen2", "cornflowerblue"),
        multiple = TRUE
      ),
      sliderInput("size", "select point size:",
        min = 0.1, max = 4, value = 0.25
      )
    ),
    mainPanel(plotOutput("plot"))
  )
)

server <- function(input, output) {
  # set up input validation
  iv <- InputValidator$new()
  iv$add_rule("letter", sv_in_set(LETTERS, "choose a capital letter"))
  iv$add_rule("number", function(x) {
    if (as.integer(x) %% 2L == 1L) "choose an even number"
  })
  iv$enable()
  # more input validation
  iv_par <- InputValidator$new()
  iv_par$add_rule("color", sv_required(message = "choose a color"))
  iv_par$add_rule("color", function(x) {
    if (length(x) > 1L) "choose only one color"
  })
}
```

```

iv_par$add_rule(
  "size",
  sv_between(
    left = 0.5, right = 3,
    message_fmt = "choose a value between {left} and {right}"
  )
)
iv_par$enable()

output$plot <- renderPlot({
  # validate output
  switch(input[["method"]],
    "sequential" = {
      validate_inputs(iv)
      validate_inputs(iv_par, header = "Set proper graphical parameters")
    },
    "combined" = validate_inputs(iv, iv_par),
    "grouped" = validate_inputs(list(
      "Some inputs require attention" = iv,
      "Set proper graphical parameters" = iv_par
    ))
  )
})

plot(faithful$eruptions ~ faithful$waiting,
     las = 1, pch = 16,
     col = input[["color"]], cex = input[["size"]])
})
}

if (interactive()) {
  shinyApp(ui, server)
}

```

validate_no_intersection

Validates no intersection between two vectors

Description

[Stable]

Usage

```
validate_no_intersection(x, y, msg)
```

Arguments

x	vector
y	vector
msg	(character(1)) message to display if x and y intersect

Details

This function is a wrapper for `shiny::validate`.

Examples

```
data <- data.frame(
  id = c(1:10, 11:20, 1:10),
  strata = rep(c("A", "B", "C"), each = 10)
)

ui <- fluidPage(
  selectInput("ref1", "Select strata1 to compare",
    choices = c("A", "B", "C"),
    selected = "A"
  ),
  selectInput("ref2", "Select strata2 to compare",
    choices = c("A", "B", "C"),
    selected = "B"
  ),
  verbatimTextOutput("summary")
)

server <- function(input, output) {
  output$summary <- renderText({
    sample_1 <- data$id[data$strata == input$ref1]
    sample_2 <- data$id[data$strata == input$ref2]

    validate_no_intersection(
      sample_1, sample_2,
      "subjects within strata1 and strata2 cannot overlap"
    )
    paste0(
      "Number of subject in: reference treatment=", length(sample_1),
      " comparions treatment=", length(sample_2)
    )
  })
}

if (interactive()) {
  shinyApp(ui, server)
}
```

validate_n_levels	<i>Validate that variables has expected number of levels</i>
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Description**[Stable]****Usage**

```
validate_n_levels(x, min_levels = 1, max_levels = 12, var_name)
```

Arguments

x	variable name. If x is not a factor, the unique values are treated as levels.
min_levels	cutoff for minimum number of levels of x
max_levels	cutoff for maximum number of levels of x
var_name	name of variable being validated for use in validation message

Details

If the number of levels of x is less than min_levels or greater than max_levels the validation will fail. This function is a wrapper for shiny::validate.

Examples

```
data <- data.frame(
  one = rep("a", length.out = 20),
  two = rep(c("a", "b"), length.out = 20),
  three = rep(c("a", "b", "c"), length.out = 20),
  four = rep(c("a", "b", "c", "d"), length.out = 20),
  stringsAsFactors = TRUE
)
ui <- fluidPage(
  selectInput(
    "var",
    "Select variable",
    choices = c("one", "two", "three", "four"),
    selected = "one"
  ),
  verbatimTextOutput("summary")
)
server <- function(input, output) {
  output$summary <- renderText({
    validate_n_levels(data[[input$var]], min_levels = 2, max_levels = 15, var_name = input$var)
    paste0(
      "Levels of selected treatment variable: ",
      paste(levels(data[[input$var]]),
```

```

        collapse = ", "
      )
    )
  })
}
if (interactive()) {
  shinyApp(ui, server)
}

```

validate_one_row_per_id

Validate that dataset has unique rows for key variables

Description

[Stable]

Usage

```
validate_one_row_per_id(x, key = c("USUBJID", "STUDYID"))
```

Arguments

x (data.frame)
key (character) Vector of ID variables from x that identify unique records.

Details

This function is a wrapper for `shiny::validate`.

Examples

```

iris$id <- rep(1:50, times = 3)
ui <- fluidPage(
  selectInput(
    inputId = "species",
    label = "Select species",
    choices = c("setosa", "versicolor", "virginica"),
    selected = "setosa",
    multiple = TRUE
  ),
  plotOutput("plot")
)
server <- function(input, output) {
  output$plot <- renderPlot({
    iris_f <- iris[iris$Species %in% input$species, ]
    validate_one_row_per_id(iris_f, key = c("id"))

    hist(iris_f$Sepal.Length, breaks = 5)
  })
}

```

```
    })  
  }  
  if (interactive()) {  
    shinyApp(ui, server)  
  }  
}
```

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