

# Package ‘hexSticker’

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**Title** Create Hexagon Sticker in R

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**Description** Helper functions for creating reproducible hexagon sticker purely in R.

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geom_hexagon	<i>geom_hexagon</i>
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### Description

geom layer of hexagon

### Usage

```
geom_hexagon(size = 1.2, fill = "#1881C2", color = "#87B13F")
```

### Arguments

size	size of border
fill	color of hexagon
color	color of border

### Value

hexagon layer

### Author(s)

Guangchuang Yu

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geom_pkgname	<i>geom_pkgname</i>
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### Description

add package name to sticker

**Usage**

```
geom_pkgname(  
  package,  
  x = 1,  
  y = 1.4,  
  color = "#FFFFFF",  
  family = "Aller_Rg",  
  fontface = "plain",  
  size = 8,  
  ...  
)
```

**Arguments**

package	package name
x	x position
y	y position
color	color
family	font family
fontface	fontface, e.g. 'plain', 'bold', 'italic'
size	font size
...	addition parameters passed to geom_text()

**Value**

package name layer

**Author(s)**

Guangchuang Yu

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geom\_url

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**Description**

add url at the lower border of the sticker

**Usage**

```
geom_url(  
  url = "www.bioconductor.org",  
  x = 1,  
  y = 0.08,  
  family = "Aller_Rg",  
  size = 1.5,  
  color = "black",  
  angle = 30,  
  hjust = 0,  
  ...  
)
```

**Arguments**

url	url
x	x position of url
y	y position of url
family	font family
size	size of url
color	color of url
angle	angle of url, default is 30
hjust	horizontal adjustment
...	additional parameters to geom_text

**Value**

geom layer

**Author(s)**

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save_sticker	<i>save_sticker</i>
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**Description**

save sticker to file

**Usage**

```
save_sticker(filename, sticker = last_plot(), ...)
```

**Arguments**

filename	file name
sticker	sticker
...	additional parameters for ggsave

**Author(s)**

Guangchuang Yu

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sticker	<i>sticker</i>
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**Description**

create sticker in R

**Usage**

```
sticker(  
  subplot,  
  s_x = 0.8,  
  s_y = 0.75,  
  s_width = 0.4,  
  s_height = 0.5,  
  package,  
  p_x = 1,  
  p_y = 1.4,  
  p_color = "#FFFFFF",  
  p_family = "Aller_Rg",  
  p_fontface = "plain",  
  p_size = 8,  
  h_size = 1.2,  
  h_fill = "#1881C2",  
  h_color = "#87B13F",  
  spotlight = FALSE,  
  l_x = 1,  
  l_y = 0.5,  
  l_width = 3,  
  l_height = 3,  
  l_alpha = 0.4,  
  url = "",  
  u_x = 1,  
  u_y = 0.08,  
  u_color = "black",  
  u_family = "Aller_Rg",  
  u_size = 1.5,
```

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    u_angle = 30,
    white_around_sticker = FALSE,
    ...,
    filename = paste0(package, ".png"),
    asp = 1,
    dpi = 300
)

```

### Arguments

subplot	subplot
s_x	x position for subplot
s_y	y position for subplot
s_width	width for subplot
s_height	height for subplot
package	package name
p_x	x position for package name
p_y	y position for package name
p_color	color for package name
p_family	font family for package name
p_fontface	fontface for package name
p_size	font size for package name
h_size	size for hexagon border
h_fill	color to fill hexagon
h_color	color for hexagon border
spotlight	whether add spotlight
l_x	x position for spotlight
l_y	y position for spotlight
l_width	width for spotlight
l_height	height for spotlight
l_alpha	maximum alpha for spotlight
url	url at lower border
u_x	x position for url
u_y	y position for url
u_color	color for url
u_family	font family for url
u_size	text size for url
u_angle	angle for url
white_around_sticker	default to FALSE. If set to TRUE, it puts white triangles in the corners

...	additional parameter to <code>geom_pkgname</code>
<code>filename</code>	filename to save sticker
<code>asp</code>	aspect ratio, only works if subplot is an image file
<code>dpi</code>	plot resolution

### Details

The extension given in `filename` determines the graphics device that is used to render the sticker, e.g. `filename = 'sticker.png'` creates a png file and `filename = 'sticker.svg'` creates a svg file. For a list of supported graphics devices please see the documentation of [ggplot2::ggsave\(\)](#).

### Value

gg object

### Author(s)

Guangchuang Yu

### Examples

```
library(ggplot2)
p <- ggplot(aes(x = mpg, y = wt), data = mtcars) + geom_point()
p <- p + theme_void() + theme_transparent()
outfile <- tempfile(fileext=".png")
sticker(p, package="hexSticker", filename=outfile)
```

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sticker\_dev

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### Description

open dev for sticker

### Usage

```
sticker_dev()
```

### Value

new dev

### Author(s)

Guangchuang Yu

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theme_sticker	<i>theme_sticker</i>
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**Description**

sticker theme

**Usage**

```
theme_sticker(size = 1.2, ...)
```

**Arguments**

size	size of hexagon border
...	additional parameters passed to theme()

**Value**

theme for sticker

**Author(s)**

Guangchuang Yu



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