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Description systemPipeShiny (SPS) extends the widely used systemPipeR (SPR) workflow environment with a versatile graphical user interface provided by a Shiny App. This allows non-R users, such as experimentalists, to run many systemPipeR's workflow designs, control, and visualization functionalities interactively without requiring knowledge of R. Most importantly, SPS has been designed as a general purpose framework for interacting with other R packages in an intuitive manner. Like most Shiny Apps, SPS can be used on both local computers as well as centralized server-based deployments that can be accessed remotely as a public web service for using SPR's functionalities with community and/or private data. The framework can integrate many core packages from the R/Bioconductor ecosystem. Examples of SPS' current functionalities include: (a) interactive creation of experimental designs and metadata using an easy to use tabular editor or file uploader; (b) visualization of workflow topologies combined with auto-generation of R Markdown preview for interactively designed workflows; (d) access to a wide range of data processing routines; (e) and an extendable set of visualization functionalities. Complex visual results can be managed on a 'Canvas Workbench' allowing users to organize and to compare plots in an efficient manner combined with a session snapshot feature to continue work at a later time. The present suite of preconfigured visualization examples. The modular design of SPR makes it easy to design custom functions without any knowledge of Shiny, as well as extending the environment in the future with contributions from the community.

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canvasBtn

Screenshot a plot or UI to SPS Canvas or download as an image

Description

A upper level function of drawer::toCanvasBtn. You should only use it under SPS projects. For you own apps, still use the drawer::toCanvasBtn.

Usage

```
canvasBtn(dom, id = "", isID = TRUE, class = "text-center", placement = "top")
```

Arguments

dom	a HTML DOM selector, mostly common is to select the element by ID:
	e.g. a plot with ID "plot1", to select, use dom = "plot1" to select the plot if isID = TRUE. If isID = FALSE, use dom = "#plot1"
	Other complex selector is supported. First turn $isID = FALSE$, then try things like dom = ".btn i" selects an icon inside an element with "btn" class. If more than one element is matched, only the first one will be screenshoted.
id	ID of this button, optional.
isID	bool, if the dom argument is selected by ID or other selector
class	string, length 1, other html class add to the button wrapper
placement	where should the tiptool place, top, bottom, left, right.

Value

a button group with several options

```
canvasBtn("#mydiv")
```

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dynamicFile

Dynamically generate Shiny file selection component based on option

Description

Depending on the "mode" in SPS options, this function renders a similar UI components but behaves differently on server.

- 1. local mode will not copy file, directly use a path pointer.
- 2. server mode upload file and store in temp. Expect similar behavior as shiny::fileInput.

Usage

```
dynamicFile(
  id,
  title = "Select your file:",
  label = "Browse",
  icon = NULL,
  style = "",
 multiple = FALSE,
 buttonType = "primary",
 placeholder = "No file selected",
 mode = spsOption("mode")
)
dynamicFileServer(
  input,
  session,
 mode = spsOption("mode"),
  roots = c(root = "default")
)
```

Arguments

id	element ID, Use ns() to wrap the id if you are using within a shiny module, but DO NOT use ns() to wrap the id on server side
title	element title
label	upload button label
icon	button icon, an object create by shiny::icon
style	additional button style, only works for local mode
multiple	bool, are multiple files allowed?
buttonType	string, Bootstrap button markup (color). Default in SPS is 'primary', other valid values include 'info', 'success', 'default', 'warning', 'danger'.
placeholder	string, text to display before the file is uploaded

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mode string, one of "local" or "server"

input shiny server input session shiny server session

roots a named character vector, paths where users can reach on the server, so only

required for "server" mode, default is current directory + all system volumes. You can lock users to a specific path, so they are not allowed to browse parent folders. like only current directory: c(current=getwd()); a temp folder: c(current=tempdir()); unlimited: c(shinyFiles::getVolumes()())

Details

To setup the option:

The local mode uses functions from shinyFiles so it will reach file system on the server end. Although the latest shinyFiles limits users to only specified server end location (folder), there is still some risk. That's why it is named "local", you are encouraged to run the app on your local computer. The advantage of "local" is: for some very large files, it does not upload and store in the temp. Rather, it directly parses the path on the local file system and return the path immediately. It means the file has to exist on the file system that serves the Shiny app. If you deploy the app on places like shinyapps.io, users can only choose files from server.

On the other hand, server mode uses original but enhanced shiny default upload component. Users can upload files from local to server. So users do not have access to server end file system if you deploy it online. However, the limitations are:

- 1. not ideal for large files, default limit is 30MB, and there is no break-point upload.
- 2. If you are running the app on your own computer, local end and server end is the same, which is your computer. Using server mode will make a copy of your existing file to temp location and this is a waste of time and storage.

To set up options:

- 1. Under SPS framework, edit options in global.R.
- 2. Outside SPS framework with your own Shiny app, use spsUtil::spsOption() function, like spsUtil::spsOption("mode", "server") or spsUtil::spsOption("mode", "local") to set up mode.

If you are not sure what mode you are on, use spsUtil::spsOption('mode') to check.

Value

a Shiny upload component on UI

For the server end it returns a **reactive** object which is a dataframe, need to extract the value inside reactive expression, observe, or inside isolate. See examples

```
# Simple example
if(interactive()){
    spsOption("mode", value = "server") # Change the value to 'local' to see difference
```

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```
ui <- fluidPage(
        dynamicFile(id = "server_file", label = "server"),
        verbatimTextOutput("server_out")
    )
    server <- function(input,output,session){</pre>
        file_server <- dynamicFileServer(input, session, id = "server_file")</pre>
        output$server_out <- renderPrint({</pre>
            file_server() # remember to use `()` for reactive value
        })
    }
    shinyApp(ui = ui, server = server)
# To demostrate different modes in the same app, we can set options before the function.
# This is NOT recommended, you should stick with only one mode for the entire app.
if(interactive()){
    spsOption("mode", "local")
    local_ui <- dynamicFile("local_file", "local")</pre>
    spsOption("mode", "server")
    server_ui <- dynamicFile("server_file", "server")</pre>
    ui <- fluidPage(</pre>
        column(
            6,
            local_ui,
            verbatimTextOutput("local_out")
        ),
        column(
            6,
            server_ui,
            verbatimTextOutput("server_out")
        )
    )
    server <- function(input,output,session){</pre>
        spsOption("mode", "local")
        file_local <- dynamicFileServer(input,session, id = "local_file")</pre>
        output$local_out <- renderPrint({</pre>
            file_local() # remember to use `()` for reactive value
        spsOption("mode", "server")
        file_server <- dynamicFileServer(input,session, id = "server_file")</pre>
        output$server_out <- renderPrint({</pre>
            file_server()
        })
    shinyApp(ui = ui, server = server)
}
```

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Description

A fast way in SPS to generate a gallery to display plot tab screenshots

Usage

```
genGallery(
  tab_ids = NULL,
  Id = NULL,
  title = "Gallery",
  type = NULL,
  title_color = "#0275d8",
  image_frame_size = 3,
  app_path = NULL
)
```

Arguments

```
tab_ids a vector of tab IDs

Id element ID

title gallery title

type If this value is not NULL, filter by tab type, and tab_ids will be ignored. One of c("core", "wf", "data", "vs"). use spsTabInfo() to see tab information

title_color title color, common colors or hex code image_frame_size integer, 1-12

app_path app path, default current working directory
```

Details

require a SPS project and the config/tabs.csv file. If you want to use gallery outside a SPS project, use spsComps::gallery

Value

gallery div

```
if(interactive()){
    spsInit()
    ui <- fluidPage(
        genGallery(c("plot_example1")),
        genGallery(type = "plot")
    )
    server <- function(input, output, session) {
    }
    shinyApp(ui, server)
}</pre>
```

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Generate a table that lists tabs by rows

Description

A fast way in SPS to generate a table that lists some SPS tabs

Usage

```
genHrefTable(
  rows,
  Id = NULL,
  title = "A Table to list tabs",
  text_color = "#0275d8",
  app_path = NULL,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

rows a named list of character vector, the item names in the list will be the row names

and each item should be a vector of tab IDs. Or you can use one of 'core', 'wf', 'vs', 'data', 'plot' to specify a tab type, so it will find all tabs matching that type.

See tab_info.csv under config directory for type info.

Id element ID title table title

text_color text color for table

app_path app path, default is current working directory

... any additional arguments to the html element, like class, style...

Details

For rows, there are some specially reserved characters for type and sub-types, one of c('core', 'wf', 'vs', 'data', 'plot'). If indicated, it will return a list of tabs matching the indicated tabs instead of searching individual tab names. See examples.

This function requires a SPS project and the config/tabs.csv file. If you want to use hrefTable outside a SPS project, or want to create some links pointing to outside web resources, use spsComps::hrefTable

Value

HTML elements

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Examples

loadDF

Load tabular files as tibbles to server

Description

load a file to server end. It's designed to be used with a input file source switch button. It uses vroom::vroom to load the file. In SPS, this function is usually combined as downstream of dynamicFileServer() function on on the server side to read the file into R. This loading function only works for parsing tabular data, use vroom::vroom() internally.

If no user data is uploaded, it will return the example dataset that is prepared by the developer. If the developer does not provide the dataset either, it will return a 8-row empty tibble.

Usage

```
loadDF(
  choice,
  data_init = NULL,
  upload_path = NULL,
  eg_path = NULL,
  comment = "#",
  delim = "\t",
  col_types = vroom::cols(),
  ...
)
```

Arguments

```
choice where this file comes from, one of 'upload' or example 'eg'?

data_init a tibble to return if upload_path or eg_path is not provided. Return a 8x8 empty tibble if not provided
```

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upload_path	when choice is "upload", where to load the file, will return data_init if this param is not provided
eg_path	when choice is "eg", where to load the file, will return ${\tt data_init}$ if this param is not provided
comment	comment characters to parse the datafile, see help file of vroom::vroom
delim	delimiter characters to parse the data file, see help file of vroom::vroom
col_types	columns specifications, see help file of vroom::vroom
	other params for vroom, see help file of vroom::vroom

Details

This is function is wrapped by the shinyCatch() function, so it will show loading information both on console and on UI. This function prevents loading file errors to crash the Shiny app, so any kind of file upload will not crash the app. To show message on UI, spsDepend("toastr") must be used in Shiny UI function, see examples.

Value

returns a tibble and NULL if parsing fails

```
if(interactive()){
 # change value to 'local' to see the difference
 spsOption("mode", value = "server")
 ui <- fluidPage(</pre>
    spsDepend("toastr"),
    radioButtons(
      "data_source", "Choose your data file source:",
      c("Upload" = "upload", "Example" = "eg"),
      selected = "eg"
    ),
    dynamicFile("data_path", label = "input file"),
    dataTableOutput("df")
 )
 server <- function(input, output, session) {</pre>
    tmp_file <- tempfile(fileext = ".csv")</pre>
    write.csv(iris, file = tmp_file)
    upload_path <- dynamicFileServer(input, session, "data_path")</pre>
    data_df <- reactive({</pre>
      loadDF(choice = input$data_source,
             upload_path = upload_path()$datapath,
             delim = ",", eg_path = tmp_file)
    })
    output$df <- renderDataTable(data_df())</pre>
 shinyApp(ui, server)
}
```

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Description

Remove a tab R file and remove from the tabs.csv config file

Usage

```
removeSpsTab(
  tab_id = "none",
  force = FALSE,
  app_path = getwd(),
  multiple = FALSE,
  verbose = spsOption("verbose"),
  colorful = spsOption("use_crayon")
)
```

Arguments

tab_id	tab ID, string, length 1, supports regular expressions, so be careful. If more than one tabs are matched, stop by default
force	bool, whether to ask for confirmation
app_path	app directory
multiple	bool, if matched more than one tab, turn this to \textit{TRUE} can remove more than one tab at a time. Be careful.
verbose	bool, follows project setting, but can be overwrite. TRUE will give you more information
colorful	bool, whether the message will be colorful?

Value

remove the tab file and register info in tabs.csv

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SystemPipeShiny app main function

sps

Description

SystemPipeShiny app main function

Usage

```
sps(
  tabs = "",
  server_expr = NULL,
  login_message = shiny::h3("User login"),
  app_path = getwd()
)
```

Arguments

tabs	custom visualization tab IDs that you want to display, in a character vector. Use spsTabInfo() to see what tab IDs you can load
server_expr	additional top level sever expression you want to run. This will run after the default server expressions. It means you can have access to internal server expression objects, like the <pre>shiny::reactiveValues()</pre> object shared. You can also overwrite other values. Read "shared object" in manual.
login_message	a shiny tag that will be displayed on the top of login panel, default is a H3 title with text "User login", shiny::h3("User login"). If you need more information, you can do something like div(h3("Login"), p("Some more message)).
app_path	SPS project path

Details

You must set the project root as working directory for this function to find required files.

About this function:

Usually you call this function inside the *global.R* file when SPS initialization is done. This function does not contain too many options. Most choices are controlled by SPS options which are also listed in *global.R* (some lines before calling this function in that file).

Value

a list contains the UI and server

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Examples

```
if(interactive()){
    spsInit()
    sps_app <- sps(
        tabs = "",
        server_expr = {
            msg("Hello World", "GREETING", "green")
        }
    )
}</pre>
```

spsAccount

SPS account management functions

Description

Initiate this container at global level. Methods in this class can help admins to manage accounts in a SPS project.

It uses a SQLite database, by default is created inside config directory on SPS initialization.

You can use it to add/remove users, change user roles, change password, match/verify account, password, role.

A default user account "user", with password "user", and a default admin account "admin" with password "admin" are create for you.

For app deployment, PLEASE create your own accounts and DELETE the default ones.

Super classes

```
systemPipeShiny::spsDb -> systemPipeShiny::spsEncryption -> spsaccount
```

Methods

Public methods:

- spsAccount\$new()
- spsAccount\$accList()
- spsAccount\$accAdd()
- spsAccount\$accRemove()
- spsAccount\$accPassChange()
- spsAccount\$accRoleChange()
- spsAccount\$accMatch()
- spsAccount\$clone()

Method new(): initialize a new SPS account container

```
Usage:
spsAccount$new()
```

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```
Method accList(): list all accounts of the app. Returns a dataframe
 spsAccount$accList(include_pass = FALSE, db_name = "config/sps.db")
 Arguments:
 include_pass bool, include password hash column?
 db_name SPS database path
Method accAdd(): add an account to use the app
 Usage:
 spsAccount$accAdd(acc_name, acc_pass, role = "user", db_name = "config/sps.db")
 Arguments:
 acc_name string, account name
 acc_pass string, account password
 role string, what kind role is this user, one of "user", "admin"
 db_name SPS database path
Method accRemove(): remove an account
 Usage:
 spsAccount$accRemove(acc_name, db_name = "config/sps.db")
 Arguments:
 acc_name string, account name
 db_name SPS database path
Method accPassChange(): change password of an account
 Usage:
 spsAccount$accPassChange(acc_name, acc_pass, db_name = "config/sps.db")
 Arguments:
 acc_name string, account name
 acc_pass string, account new password
 db_name SPS database path
Method accRoleChange(): change the role of an account
 Usage:
 spsAccount$accRoleChange(acc_name, role, db_name = "config/sps.db")
 Arguments:
 acc_name string, account name
 role string, one of "user" or "admin"
 db_name SPS database path
Method accMatch(): Try to see if the account name exists and has the right password and role
```

Method accMatch(): Try to see if the account name exists and has the right password and role type, useful for login authentification.

Usage:

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```
spsAccount$accMatch(
   acc_name,
   acc_pass,
   role = "user",
   match_role = FALSE,
    db_name = "config/sps.db"
 )
 Arguments:
 acc_name string, account name
 acc_pass string, account new password
 role string, one of "user" or "admin"
 match_role bool, also verify the account role type?
 db_name SPS database path
Method clone(): The objects of this class are cloneable with this method.
 Usage:
 spsAccount$clone(deep = FALSE)
 Arguments:
 deep Whether to make a deep clone.
```

```
dir.create("config", showWarnings = FALSE)
spsOption("verbose", TRUE)
spsOption("use_crayon", TRUE)
# create a new container
db <- spsAccount$new()</pre>
db$createDb()
# list all accounts
db$accList()
# add a new user
db$accAdd('user2', '!admin12345')
# list all accounts include password hash
db$accList(include_pass = TRUE)
# change password of an account
db$accPassChange("user2", "$aaaaaaa")
# check if pass changed
db$accList(include_pass = TRUE)
# change the role of from user to admin
db$accRoleChange("user2", "admin")
# check role change
db$accList()
# remove a user
db$accRemove("user2")
# check accounts again
db$accList()
# check if username and password matches
db$accMatch(acc_name = "user", acc_pass = "user")
# wrong pass
```

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```
db$accMatch("user", "user123")
# also check if the user has the right role
db$accMatch("user", "user", role = "user", match_role = TRUE)
db$accMatch("user", "user", role = "admin", match_role = TRUE)
```

spsCoreTabReplace

Overwrite a default SPS tab

Description

If you want to load your custom content on any of the default tabs in a SPS project, you can overwrite the tab with your own UI and server function. First, use this function to create a template for the tab you want to replace and then fill your own content.

Usage

```
spsCoreTabReplace(
  replace_tab,
  app_path = getwd(),
  open_file = TRUE,
  overwrite = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

```
one of "welcome", "module_main", "vs_main", "canvas", "about", for the welcome tab, module home tab, custom tab home tab, Canvas tab, about tab respectively.

app_path string, where is SPS project root path

open_file bool, open the newly created template if you are in Rstudio?

overwrite bool, if the template exists, overwrite it with a new, empty one?
```

Value

a template file

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spsDb

SPS database functions

Description

Initiate this container at global level. Methods in this class can help admin to manage general information of SPS. For now it stores some meta data, the encryption key pairs and the account info. You can use this database to store other useful things, like user password hash, IP, browsing info...

A SQLite database by default is created inside config directory. If not, you can use createDb method to create one. On initiation, this class checks if the default db is there and gives warnings if not.

One instance of this class is created by the spsAccount super class in *global.R*, normal users don't need to change anything.

Methods

Public methods:

```
• spsDb$new()
```

```
• spsDb$createDb()
```

- spsDb\$queryValue()
- spsDb\$queryValueDp()
- spsDb\$queryUpdate()
- spsDb\$queryDel()
- spsDb\$queryInsert()
- spsDb\$clone()

spsDb\$new()

```
Method new(): initialize a new class object Usage:
```

```
Method createDb(): Create a SPS database
```

```
Usage:
spsDb$createDb(db_name = "config/sps.db")
Arguments:
db_name database path, you need to manually create parent directory if not exists
```

```
Method queryValue(): Query database
```

```
Usage:
spsDb$queryValue(table, SELECT = "*", WHERE = "1", db_name = "config/sps.db")
Arguments:
table table name
```

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```
SELECT SQL select grammar
 WHERE SQL where grammar
 db_name database path
 Returns: query result, usually a dataframe
Method queryValueDp(): Query database with dplyr grammar
Only supports simple selections, like comparison, %in%, between(), is.na(), etc. Advanced se-
lections like wildcard, using outside dplyr functions like [stringr::str_detect()], [base::grepl()]
are not supported.
 Usage:
 spsDb$queryValueDp(
    table,
   dp_expr = "select(., everything())",
    db_name = "config/sps.db"
 Arguments:
 table table name
 dp_expr dplyr chained expression, must use '.' in first component of the chain expression
 db_name database path
 Returns: query result, usually a tibble
Method queryUpdate(): update(modify) the value in db
 spsDb$queryUpdate(table, value, col, WHERE = "1", db_name = "config/sps.db")
 Arguments:
 table table name
 value new value
 col which column
 WHERE SQL where statement, conditions to select rows
 db_name database path
Method queryDel(): delete value in db
 Usage:
 spsDb$queryDel(table, WHERE = "1", db_name = "config/sps.db")
 Arguments:
 table table name
 WHERE SQL where statement, conditions to select rows
 db_name database path
Method queryInsert(): Insert value to db
 spsDb$queryInsert(table, value, db_name = "config/sps.db")
 Arguments:
```

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```
table table name value new values for the entire row, collect all values from all columns in a vector. db_name database path
```

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

```
Usage:
spsDb$clone(deep = FALSE)
Arguments:
deep Whether to make a deep clone.
```

Examples

```
dir.create("config", showWarnings = FALSE)
mydb <- spsDb$new()</pre>
mydb$createDb()
mydb$queryValue("sps_meta")
mydb$queryInsert("sps_meta", value = "'new1', '1'")
mydb$queryValue("sps_meta")
mydb$queryInsert("sps_meta", value = c("'new2'", "'2'"))
mydb$queryValue("sps_meta")
mydb$queryUpdate("sps_meta", value = '234',
                 col = "value", WHERE = "info = 'new1'")
mydb$queryValue("sps_meta")
## Not run:
   library(dplyr)
   mydb$queryValueDp(
        "sps_meta",
        dp_expr="filter(., info %in% c('new1', 'new2') %>% select(2)")
## End(Not run)
mydb$queryDel("sps_meta", WHERE = "value = '234'")
```

 ${\sf spsEncryption}$

SPS encryption functions

Description

Methods in this class can help admin to encrypt files been output from sps. For now it is only used to encypt and decrypt snapshots. This class requires the SPS database. This class inherits all functions from the spsDb class, so there is no need to initiate the spsDb container.

This class is required to run a SPS app. This class needs to be initialized global level. This has already been written in *global.R* for you.

Super class

```
systemPipeShiny::spsDb -> spsEncryption
```

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Methods

```
Public methods:
```

Usage:

```
• spsEncryption$new()
  • spsEncryption$keyChange()
  • spsEncryption$keyGet()
  • spsEncryption$encrypt()
  • spsEncryption$decrypt()
  • spsEncryption$clone()
Method new(): initialize a new class container
 spsEncryption$new()
Method keyChange(): Change encryption key of a SPS project
 Usage:
 spsEncryption$keyChange(confirm = FALSE, db_name = "config/sps.db")
 Arguments:
 confirm, bool, confirm that you understand the consequence
 db_name database path
Method keyGet(): Get encryption key from db of a SPS project
 spsEncryption$keyGet(db_name = "config/sps.db")
 Arguments:
 db_name database path
Method encrypt(): Encrypt raw data or a file with key from a SPS project
 Usage:
 spsEncryption$encrypt(
   data,
   out_path = NULL,
   overwrite = FALSE,
   db_name = "config/sps.db"
 Arguments:
 data raw vector or a file path
 out_path if provided, encrypted data will be write to a file
 overwrite if out_path file exists, overwrite?
 db_name database path
Method decrypt(): Decrypt raw data or a file with key from a SPS project
```

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```
spsEncryption$decrypt(
    data,
   out_path = NULL,
   overwrite = FALSE,
    db_name = "config/sps.db"
 )
 Arguments:
 data raw vector or a file path
 out_path if provided, encrypted data will be write to a file
 overwrite if out_path file exists, overwrite?
 db_name database path
Method clone(): The objects of this class are cloneable with this method.
 Usage:
 spsEncryption$clone(deep = FALSE)
 Arguments:
 deep Whether to make a deep clone.
```

Examples

```
dir.create("config", showWarnings = FALSE)
spsOption('verbose', TRUE)
my_ecpt <- spsEncryption$new()</pre>
my_ecpt$createDb()
# Read carefully before change the key
my_ecpt$keyChange()
# confirm
my_ecpt$keyChange(confirm = TRUE)
# imagine a file has one line "test"
writeLines(text = "test", con = "test.txt")
# encrypt the file
my_ecpt$encrypt("test.txt", "test.bin", overwrite = TRUE)
# decrypt the file
my_ecpt$decrypt("test.bin", "test_decpt.txt", overwrite = TRUE)
# check the decrypted file content
readLines('test_decpt.txt')
```

spsEzUI

Easy and simple UI and server for a SPS custom tab

Description

SPS custom tab simple UI and server , spsEzUI must use together with the spsEzServer function. The easiest way to use is to use spsNewTab function to create both.

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Usage

```
spsEzUI(
  desc = "",
  tab_title = "Tab Title",
  plot_title = "My Plot",
  plot_control = shiny::tagList()
)

spsEzServer(
  plot_code,
  example_data_path = system.file(package = "systemPipeShiny", "app", "data", "iris.csv"),
  other_server_code = ""
)
```

Arguments

```
character string, length 1 in markdown format. Tab description and instructions.
desc
                   You can make type it in multiple lines but in only one string (one pair of quotes).
                  e.g.
                   # some desc
                  ## second line,
                   - bullet 1
                  - bullet 2
tab_title
                  string, tab title
plot_title
                  string, plot title
                  some Shiny components (UI) to control the plot, like plot title, x,y labels, color,
plot_control
                  font size, etc. Group all components in a shiny tagList.
                   some R code to make the plot.
plot_code
example_data_path
                  example dataset path, this dataset will be loaded on app start to display
other_server_code
                  optional, other server R code to run for this tab
```

Value

spsEzUI returns a shiny module UI function, spsEzServer returns the server function

See Also

```
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```

```
# use `spsInit()` to create an SPS project and use `spsNewTab("Your_tabID", template = "easy")`
# to create a new tab file. The specified use of these two functions is in that file.
```

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spsInit	Create a SystemPipeShiny project	
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Description

To run a SPS app, you need to first create a SPS project, a directory contains the required files.

Usage

```
spsInit(
  app_path = getwd(),
  project_name = glue::glue("SPS_{format(Sys.time(), '%Y%m%d')}"),
  database_name = "sps.db",
  overwrite = FALSE,
  change_wd = TRUE,
  verbose = FALSE,
  open_files = TRUE,
  colorful = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

app_path	path, a directory where do you want to create this project, must exist.
<pre>project_name</pre>	Your project name, default is SPS_ + time
database_name	deprecated in current version. project database name, recommend to use the default name: "sps.db". It is used to store app meta information.
overwrite	bool, overwrite the app_path if there is a folder that has the same name as project_name?
change_wd	bool, when creation is done, change working directory into the project?
verbose	bool, do you want additional message?
open_files	bool, If change_wd == TRUE and you are also in Rstudio, it will open up $global.R$ for you
colorful	bool, should message from this function be colorful?

Details

Make sure you have write permission to app_path.

The database in not used in current version.

Value

creates the project folder

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Examples

```
if(interactive()){
    spsInit(change_wd = FALSE)
}
```

spsNewTab

Create a new SPS tab

Description

create custom tabs in newer (> 1.1) version of SPS. The old creation functions will be deprecated by next Bioconductor major release.

Usage

```
spsNewTab(
  tab_id = "vs_mytab",
  tab_displayname = "My custom plotting tab",
  img = "",
  app_path = getwd(),
  out_folder_path = file.path(app_path, "R"),
  author = "",
  template = c("simple", "full"),
  preview = FALSE,
  reformat = FALSE,
  open_file = TRUE,
  verbose = spsOption("verbose"),
  colorful = spsOption("use_crayon")
)
```

Arguments

tab_id

character string, length 1, must be unique. Use spsTabInfo(app_path = "YOUR_APP_PATH") to see current tab IDs.

tab_displayname

character string, length 1, the name to be displayed on side navigation bar list and tab title

img

realtive path, an image representation of the new plot. It can be a internet link or a local link which uses the *www* folder as the root. e.g. drop your image *plot.png* inside *www/plot_list*, then the link here is "plot_list/plot.png". You will see these images on "Custom Tabs" main page. If no provided, a warning will be given on app start and an empty image will show up on "Custom Tabs".

app_path string, app directory, default is current directory
out_folder_path

string, which directory to write the new tab file, default is the *R* folder in the SPS project. If you write the file other than *R*, this file will not be automatically loaded by SPS or Shiny. You must source it manually.

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author	character string, or a vector of strings. authors of the tab
template	one of "simple" or "full", default "simple". "simple" gives a tab file with minimum Shiny code, you can only focus on you R plotting code. "full" gives the full tab code, so you can modify everything on the tab.
preview	bool, <i>TRUE</i> will print the new tab code to console and will not write the file and will not register the tab
reformat	bool, whether to use styler::style_file reformat the code
open_file	bool, if Rstudio is detected, open the new tab file?
verbose	bool, default follows the project verbosity level. <i>TRUE</i> will give you more information on progress and debugging
colorful	bool, whether the message will be colorful or not

Details

- template "simple": hides the UI and server code and use spsEzUI and spsEzServer instead.
- template "full": full tab code. You need to know some Shiny development knowledge.

Value

returns a new tab file

Examples

```
spsInit(change_wd = FALSE, overwrite = TRUE)
spsNewTab("vs_newtab_ez", app_path = glue::glue("SPS_{format(Sys.time(), '%Y%m%d')}"))
spsNewTab("vs_newtab_full", template = "full",
app_path = glue::glue("SPS_{format(Sys.time(), '%Y%m%d')}"))
spsNewTab("vs_newtab_pre", preview = TRUE,
app_path = glue::glue("SPS_{format(Sys.time(), '%Y%m%d')}"))
```

spsOptDefaults

Print SPS options

Description

Make sure you have created the app directory and it has *config/config.yaml* file.

spsOptDefaults prints out all default and other avaliable values for each option. spsOptions print all current set option values.

Note: the spsUtil::spsOption is used to get or set a **single** option value. spsOptions is used to print **all** current option values. If you need to set all values at once, use the *global.R* file under SPS project root.

Usage

```
spsOptDefaults(app_path = getwd())
spsOptions(app_path = getwd(), show_legend = TRUE)
```

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Arguments

```
app_path path, where is the app directory show_legend bool, show the color legend?
```

Value

cat to console SPS option values

Examples

spsTabInfo

View SPS project 'config/tabs.csv' information

Description

View SPS project 'config/tabs.csv' information

Usage

```
spsTabInfo(return_type = "print", n_print = 40, app_path = getwd())
```

Arguments

```
return_type one of 'print', 'data', 'colnames', or a specified column name
```

n_print how many lines of tab info you want to print out

app_path SPS project root

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Details

• 'print' will print out the entire *tabs.csv*, you can specify n_print for how many lines you want to print;

- 'data' will return the tab info tibble
- 'colnames' will return all column names of tab info file
- A column name will extract the specified column out and return as a vector

Value

return depends on return_type

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