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datExportData

*Spatial - Exports a data frame object.*


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**Description**

Exports a data frame object to a specified output.

**Usage**

```
datExportData(  
  dfobj,  
  create_dsn = FALSE,  
  index.unique = NULL,  
  index = NULL,  
  savedata_opts = savedata_options(),  
  dbconn = NULL,  
  dbconnopen = FALSE  
)
```

**Arguments**

dfobj	Data.frame class R object. Data frame object to export.
create_dsn	Boolean.
index.unique	String. Name of variable(s) in dfobj to make unique index.
index	String. Name of variable(s) in dfobj to make (non-unique) index. dbconnopen Logical. If TRUE, keep database connection open.
savedata_opts	List. See help(savedata_options()) for a list of options.
dbconn	Open database connection.
dbconnopen	Logical. If TRUE, keep database connection open.

**Details**

Wrapper for sf::st\_write function.

**Value**

An sf spatial object is written to the out\_dsn.

**Note**

If out\_fmt='shp':

The ESRI shapefile driver truncates variable names to 10 characters or less. Variable names are changed before export using an internal function (trunc10shp). Name changes are output to the outfolder, 'outshpnm'\_newnames.csv.

If sf object has more than 1 record, it cannot be exported to a shapefile.

**Author(s)**

Tracey S. Frescino

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DBtestPostgreSQL      *Database - Test a SQLite database table.*

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**Description**

Checks a SQLite database.

**Usage**

```
DBtestPostgreSQL(dbname, dbconnopen = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

dbname                  String. Name of PostgreSQL database.  
dbconnopen              Logical. If TRUE, the dbconn connection is not closed.

**Value**

An S4 object that inherits from DBIConnection via the DBI package. For more information, see 'help(DBI::dbConnect)'.

**Author(s)**

Tracey S. Frescino

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DBtestSQLite              *Database - Checks access to a SQLite database.*

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**Description**

Checks a SQLite database.

**Usage**

```
DBtestSQLite(  
  SQLitefn = NULL,  
  gpkg = FALSE,  
  dbconnopen = FALSE,  
  outfolder = NULL,  
  showlist = TRUE,  
  returnpath = TRUE,  
  createnew = TRUE,  
  stopifnull = FALSE,  
  overwrite = TRUE  
)
```

**Arguments**

SQLitefn	String. Name of SQLite database (*.sqlite).
gpkg	Logical. If TRUE, Sqlite geopackage database.
dbconnopen	Logical. If TRUE, the dbconn connection is not closed.
outfolder	String. Optional. Name of output folder. If NULL, export to working directory.
showlist	Logical. If TRUE, shows list of tables in database.
returnpath	Logical. If TRUE, returns full path to SQLite file name. If FALSE, returns SQLitefn.
createnew	If TRUE, creates new SQLite database.
stopifnull	Logical. If TRUE, stops if SQLite database doesn't exist.
overwrite	Logical. If TRUE, overwrites data.

**Value**

Character string containing the path to the SQLite database of interest.

**Author(s)**

Tracey S. Frescino

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eval_options	<i>List of population tables.</i>
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**Description**

Returns a list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for data evaluation (FIA or custom) extraction to be supplied to \*DB functions.

**Usage**

```
eval_options(
  Cur = FALSE,
  Endyr = NULL,
  Endyr.filter = NULL,
  All = FALSE,
  Type = "VOL",
  evalid = NULL,
  invyrs = NULL,
  measyrs = NULL,
  varCur = "INVYR",
  evalType = NULL,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

Cur	Logical. If eval='FIA': extract plots with most current evaluation. If eval='custom': extract the most current sampled plots in the database.
Endyr	Integer (YYYY). If eval='FIA', defines end year for extracting one or more FIA evaluation. If eval='custom', defines end year for extracting the most current sampled plots until.
Endyr.filter	Filter. If endyr != NULL, a filter to identify when to use measEndyr, such as areas or plots identified as being disturbed in a particular year. In this example, plots sampled after the disturbance will be excluded.
All	Logical. If eval='FIA': includes all evaluations in database (annual inventory only). If eval='custom': includes all years in database (annual inventory only).
Type	String vector. Evaluation types ('ALL', 'CURR', 'VOL', 'P2VEG', 'DWM', 'INV', 'CHNG', 'GRM', 'REGEN'). If eval='FIA', Type is equivalent to plots for FIA Evaluations where 'ALL' includes nonsampled plots; 'CURR' and 'VOL' include plots used for area or tree estimates, respectively; Type = 'GRM' includes plots used for growth, removals, mortality; and Type = 'CHNG' includes plots used for change estimates (See FIA database manual for region availability and/or differences ( <a href="https://www.fia.fs.usda.gov/library/database-documentation/index.php">https://www.fia.fs.usda.gov/library/database-documentation/index.php</a> ) If eval='custom', the associated tables are extracted for each Type. Multiple Types are accepted.
evalid	Integer. Only eval='FIA': extract data for a specific evaluation period. See notes for more information about FIA Evaluations.
invyrs	Integer vector. eval='custom': defines specific inventory years of data (e.g., 2010:2015). See FIA manual for definition of INVYR.
measyrs	Integer vector. eval='custom': defines specific measurement years of data (e.g., 2010:2015).
varCur	String. Name of variable to use for most current plot ('MEASYEAR', 'INVYR').
evalType	Deprecated. Use Type instead.
...	For extensibility.

**Details**

If no parameters, an empty list is returned.

**Value**

A list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for strata.

**Author(s)**

Tracey S. Frescino

**Examples**

```
eval_options(invyrs = 2015:2018)
```

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GDT_NAMES	<i>Reference tables - gdal data types.</i>
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**Description**

Table with gdal data type names.

**Format**

A vector of 12 data type values.

**Source**

gdal values.

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kindcd3old	<i>Reference table - List of RMRS plots that have fallen out of inventory because they were not found or they were in the wrong place.</i>
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**Description**

Table with variable codes (VALUE) and descriptions (MEANING).

**Format**

A dataframe

**Source**

```
FIA query. SELECT bp.STATECD, bp.COUNTYCD, bp.PLOT_FIADB NEW_PLOT, bp.START_DATE
NEW_START_DATE, bp_old.COUNTYCD OLD_COUNTYCD, bp_old.PLOT_FIADB OLD_PLOT,
bp_old.END_DATE OLD_END_DATE, p.CN FROM fs_nims_rmrs.NIMS_BASE_PLOT bp JOIN
fs_nims_rmrs.NIMS_BASE_PLOT bp_old on (bp.PREV_NBP_CN=bp_old.CN) JOIN fs_nims_rmrs.NIMS_PLOT_RMRS
p on(p.NBP_CN=bp_old.CN) WHERE p.KINDCD = 1 ORDER BY bp.STATECD, bp.COUNTYCD,
bp_old.PLOT_FIADB"
```

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multest\_options      *Multest output options.*

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### Description

Returns a list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for outputting multest with custom aesthetics.

### Usage

```
multest_options(
  multest_fmt = "csv",
  multest_outfolder = NULL,
  multest_dsn = NULL,
  multest_layer = NULL,
  multest.append = FALSE,
  multest.AOIonly = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

### Arguments

`multest_fmt`      String. Format for multest output tables ('csv', 'sqlite', 'gpkg').

`multest_outfolder`  
                  String. Outfolder for multest. If NULL, same as outfolder.

`multest_dsn`      String. Name of database if `multest_fmt = c('sqlite', 'gpkg')`.

`multest_layer`    String. Name of database layer if `multest_fmt = c('sqlite', 'gpkg')`.

`multest.append`   Logical. If TRUE, appends multest dataframe to output.

`multest.AOIonly`  
                  Logical. If TRUE, appends multest dataframe (AOI=1) to output.

...                For extensibility.

### Details

If no parameters, an empty list is returned.

### Value

A list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for outputting multest.

### Author(s)

Grayson W. White



**Examples**

```
multest_options(multest.append = TRUE)
```

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Rcpp\_CmbTable-class    *Class "Rcpp\_CmbTable"*

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**Description**

C++ program to combine raster files.

**Extends**

Class "[C++Object](#)", directly.

All reference classes extend and inherit methods from "[envRefClass](#)".

**Author(s)**

Chris Toney

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Rcpp\_RunningStats-class  
*Class "Rcpp\_RunningStats"*

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**Description**

C++ program to calculate mean and variance on a data stream.

**Extends**

Class "[C++Object](#)", directly.

All reference classes extend and inherit methods from "[envRefClass](#)".

**Author(s)**

Chris Toney

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ref_codes	<i>Reference tables - Code definitions.</i>
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**Description**

Table with variable codes (VALUE) and descriptions (MEANING).

**Format**

A dataframe with 7 columns, VARIABLE, VALUE, MEANING, COLORHEX, GROUP, GROUPNM, GROUPHEX.

**Source**

FIA look-up tables.

**References**

O'Connell, B.M.; LaPoint, E.B.; Turner, J.A.; Ridley, T.; Boyer, D.; Wilson, A.M.; Waddell, K.L.; Christensen, G.; Conkling, B.L. 2012. The Forest Inventory and Analysis Database: Database Description and Users Manual Version 5.1.2 for Phase 2. U.S. Department of Agriculture. ([http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB\\_user manual\\_5-1-2\\_p2\\_07\\_2012.pdf](http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB_user_manual_5-1-2_p2_07_2012.pdf))

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ref_cond	<i>Reference table - Metadata for cond default variables output from DBgetPlots()</i>
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**Description**

Data frame with variable names and descriptions

**Format**

A data frame with 61 rows and 3 columns VARIABLE - Variable in cond data frame DESCRIPTION - Description of variable in cond data frame TABLE - Table in database where variable originates or if derived

**Source**

FIA look-up table

**References**

O'Connell, B.M.; LaPoint, E.B.; Turner, J.A.; Ridley, T.; Boyer, D.; Wilson, A.M.; Waddell, K.L.; Christensen, G.; Conkling, B.L. 2012. The Forest Inventory and Analysis Database: Database Description and Users Manual Version 5.1.2 for Phase 2. U.S. Department of Agriculture. ([http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB\\_user manual\\_5-1-2\\_p2\\_07\\_2012.pdf](http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB_user_manual_5-1-2_p2_07_2012.pdf))

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ref_conversion	<i>Reference table - for conversion factors.</i>
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**Description**

Table with conversion factors from English to metric units.

**Format**

A dataframe with 6 columns: TYPE, ENGLISH, ENGLISH\_ABBR, METRIC, METRIC\_ABBR, CONVERSION.

**Source**

Conversion table.

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ref_diacl2in	<i>Reference table - diameter 2-inch class codes (DIA).</i>
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**Description**

Table with min (MIN), max (MAX), and 2-inch class diameter codes (MEANING).

**Format**

A dataframe with 3 columns, MIN, MAX, and MEANING.

**Source**

Imported from comma-delimited file.

**References**

O'Connell, B.M.; LaPoint, E.B.; Turner, J.A.; Ridley, T.; Boyer, D.; Wilson, A.M.; Waddell, K.L.; Christensen, G.; Conkling, B.L. 2012. The Forest Inventory and Analysis Database: Database Description and Users Manual Version 5.1.2 for Phase 2. U.S. Department of Agriculture. ([http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB\\_user\\_manual\\_5-1-2\\_p2\\_07\\_2012.pdf](http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB_user_manual_5-1-2_p2_07_2012.pdf))

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ref_domain	<i>Reference table - for generating tables.</i>
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**Description**

Table with row/column domain (VARNM) and their pretty names for table output (TABLENM).

**Format**

A dataframe with 2 columns, VARNM and TABLENM.

**Source**

FIA look-up table.

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ref_estvar	<i>Reference table - for generating estimates</i>
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**Description**

Data frame with variable names and descriptions

**Format**

A data frame to use a reference for estimation variables and filters.

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ref_evaltyp	<i>Reference table - for generating tables.</i>
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**Description**

Table with row/column domain (VARNM) and their pretty names for table output (TABLENM).

**Format**

A dataframe with 3 columns, EVAL\_TYP\_CD, EVAL\_TYP, DESCRIPTION.

**Source**

FIA look-up table.

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ref_plt	<i>Reference table - Metadata for plt default variables output from DBgetPlots()</i>
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**Description**

Data frame with variable names and descriptions.

**Format**

A data frame with 43 rows and 3 columns  
 VARIABLE - Variable in plt data frame  
 DESCRIPTION - Description of variable in plt data frame  
 TABLE - Table in database where variable originates or if derived

**Source**

FIA look-up table

**References**

O'Connell, B.M.; LaPoint, E.B.; Turner, J.A.; Ridley, T.; Boyer, D.; Wilson, A.M.; Waddell, K.L.; Christensen, G.; Conkling, B.L. 2012. The Forest Inventory and Analysis Database: Database Description and Users Manual Version 5.1.2 for Phase 2. U.S. Department of Agriculture. ([http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB\\_user\\_manual\\_5-1-2\\_p2\\_07\\_2012.pdf](http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB_user_manual_5-1-2_p2_07_2012.pdf))

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ref_popType	<i>Reference table - popType codes.</i>
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**Description**

Table with population type (popType) and associated evaluation code (EVAL\_TYP\_CD).

**Format**

A dataframe with 2 columns, VARNM and TITLE.

**Source**

Comma-delimited file.

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ref_shp	<i>Reference table - Metadata for shp_* default variables output from DBgetPlots()</i>
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**Description**

Data frame with variable names and descriptions

**Format**

A dataframe with 63 rows and 4 columns  
 VARIABLE - Variable in plt data frame  
 DESCRIPTION - Description of variable in plt data frame  
 TABLE - Table in database where variable originates or if derived  
 SHPEXPORT - Name of variable for exported shapefile (<= 10 characters)

**Source**

FIA look-up table

**References**

O'Connell, B.M.; LaPoint, E.B.; Turner, J.A.; Ridley, T.; Boyer, D.; Wilson, A.M.; Waddell, K.L.; Christensen, G.; Conkling, B.L. 2012. The Forest Inventory and Analysis Database: Database Description and Users Manual Version 5.1.2 for Phase 2. U.S. Department of Agriculture. ([http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB\\_user\\_manual\\_5-1-2\\_p2\\_07\\_2012.pdf](http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB_user_manual_5-1-2_p2_07_2012.pdf))

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ref_species	<i>Reference table - Code definitions.</i>
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**Description**

Table with species information downloaded from datamart FIADB\_REFERENCES, subset from REF\_SPECIES TABLE.

**Format**

A dataframe with 14 columns: SPCD, COMMON\_NAME, GENUS, SPECIES, SPECIES\_SYMBOL, E\_SPGRCD, W\_SPGRCD, C\_SPGRCD, P\_SPGRCD, MAJOR\_SPGRCD, JENKINS\_TOTAL\_B1, JENKINS\_TOTAL\_B2, DRYWT\_TO\_GREENWT\_CONERSION, SCIENTIFIC\_NAME (GENUS + SPECIES).

**Source**

Imported from comma-delimited file.

## References

O'Connell, B.M.; LaPoint, E.B.; Turner, J.A.; Ridley, T.; Boyer, D.; Wilson, A.M.; Waddell, K.L.; Christensen, G.; Conkling, B.L. 2012. The Forest Inventory and Analysis Database: Database Description and Users Manual Version 5.1.2 for Phase 2. U.S. Department of Agriculture. ([http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB\\_user\\_manual\\_5-1-2\\_p2\\_07\\_2012.pdf](http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB_user_manual_5-1-2_p2_07_2012.pdf))

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ref_statecd	<i>Reference table - state codes (STATECD).</i>
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## Description

Table with state codes (VALUE), name (MEANING), abbreviation (ABBR), and UNIT.

## Format

A dataframe with 4 columns, VALUE, MEANING, ABBR, UNIT.

## Source

Imported from comma-delimited file.

## References

O'Connell, B.M.; LaPoint, E.B.; Turner, J.A.; Ridley, T.; Boyer, D.; Wilson, A.M.; Waddell, K.L.; Christensen, G.; Conkling, B.L. 2012. The Forest Inventory and Analysis Database: Database Description and Users Manual Version 5.1.2 for Phase 2. U.S. Department of Agriculture. ([http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB\\_user\\_manual\\_5-1-2\\_p2\\_07\\_2012.pdf](http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB_user_manual_5-1-2_p2_07_2012.pdf))

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ref_titles	<i>Reference table - Variable titles.</i>
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## Description

Table with variable name (VARNM) and associated title (TITLE).

## Format

A dataframe with 2 columns, VARNM and TITLE.

## Source

Comma-delimited file.

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ref_tree	<i>Reference table - Metadata for tree default variables output from DBgetPlots()</i>
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### Description

Data frame with variable names and descriptions

### Format

A data frame with 72 rows and 3 columns  
 VARIABLE - Variable in tree data frame  
 DESCRIPTION - Description of variable in tree data frame  
 TABLE - Table in database where variable originates

### Source

FIA look-up table

### References

O'Connell, B.M.; LaPoint, E.B.; Turner, J.A.; Ridley, T.; Boyer, D.; Wilson, A.M.; Waddell, K.L.; Christensen, G.; Conkling, B.L. 2012. The Forest Inventory and Analysis Database: Database Description and Users Manual Version 5.1.2 for Phase 2. U.S. Department of Agriculture. ([http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB\\_user\\_manual\\_5-1-2\\_p2\\_07\\_2012.pdf](http://fia.fs.fed.us/library/database-documentation/current/ver5-2012/FIADB_user_manual_5-1-2_p2_07_2012.pdf))

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ref_units	<i>Reference table - for variable units.</i>
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### Description

Table with units for TREE variables. The WOODLAND column was added to identify which variables include woodland species. The kg2tons column was added to identify which variables are commonly converted from kilograms to tons in estimation process.

### Format

A dataframe with 4 columns: VARIABLE, UNITS, METRICUNITS, WOODLAND, kg2tons.

### Source

Units table.



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savedata\_options      *Data saving options.*

---

### Description

Returns a list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for saving data.

### Usage

```
savedata_options(
  outfolder = NULL,
  out_fmt = "csv",
  outsp_fmt = "shp",
  outobj_fmt = "rds",
  out_dsn = NULL,
  out_layer = "outdat",
  outfn.pre = NULL,
  outfn.date = FALSE,
  addtitle = TRUE,
  raw_fmt = "csv",
  raw_dsn = NULL,
  overwrite_dsn = FALSE,
  overwrite_layer = TRUE,
  append_layer = FALSE,
  add_layer = TRUE,
  layer.pre = NULL,
  ...
)
```

### Arguments

outfolder	String. The outfolder to write files to. If NULL, files are written to working directory, or if gui=TRUE, a window to browse.
out_fmt	String. Format for output tables ('csv', 'sqlite', 'gpkg', 'gdb').
outsp_fmt	String. Format for output spatial ('shp', 'sqlite', 'gpkg', 'gdb').
outobj_fmt	String. Format for output spatial ('rda', 'rds', 'llo').
out_dsn	String. Data source name for output. If extension is not included, out_fmt is used. Use full path if outfolder=NULL.
out_layer	outlayer.
outfn.pre	String. If savedata=TRUE, prefix for output files. If rawdata=TRUE, prefix for rawdata files (if raw_fmt = 'csv') or raw_dsn (if raw_fmt != 'csv').
outfn.date	Logical. If TRUE, add current date to out_dsn.
addtitle	Logical. If TRUE and savedata=TRUE, adds title to outfile.
raw_fmt	String. Format for output rawdata tables ('sqlite', 'gpkg', 'csv', 'gdb').

raw_dsn	String. Data source name for rawdata output. If extension is not included, out_fmt is used. Use full path if outfolder=NULL.
overwrite_dsn	Logical. If TRUE, overwrites raw_dsn, if exists.
overwrite_layer	Logical. If TRUE, overwrites the output. If rawdata=TRUE, overwrites out_layer in rawdata folder (if raw_fmt = 'csv') or out_layers in raw_dsn (if raw_fmt != 'csv').
append_layer	Logical. If TRUE, and appends data to existing *.csv files (if *_fmt = 'csv') or *_dsn layers (if *_fmt != 'csv').
add_layer	Logical. If TRUE, adds layer to an existing out_dsn (if out_fmt != c('csv','shp')).
layer.pre	Layer prefix.
...	For extensibility.

**Details**

If no parameters, an empty list is returned.

**Value**

A list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for saving data.

**Author(s)**

Grayson W. White

**Examples**

```
savedata_options(outfolder = "path", overwrite_dsn = FALSE)
```

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spMakeSpatial\_options *Make SpatialPoints options*

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**Description**

Returns a list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for making SpatialPoints.

**Usage**

```
spMakeSpatial_options(  
  xvar = NULL,  
  yvar = NULL,  
  xy.crs = 4269,  
  prj = NULL,  
  datum = NULL,
```

```

    zone = NULL,
    zoneS = FALSE,
    aea.param = "USGS",
    ...
)

```

### Arguments

xvar	String. Name of variable in xyplt defining x coordinate.
yvar	String. Name of variable in xyplt defining y coordinate.
xy.crs	PROJ.4 String or CRS object or Integer EPSG code defining Coordinate Reference System. (e.g., EPSG:4269-Geodetic coordinate system for North America, NAD83).
prj	String. Projection, or coordinate system of the X/Y coordinates ("longlat", "utm", "aea"). If other, include PROJ.4 string in prj4str.
datum	String. Datum of projection ("WGS84", "NAD83", "NAD27").
zone	Integer. If prj="utm", the UTM zone.
zoneS	Logical. If prj="utm", if the UTM zone is in the Southern hemisphere.
aea.param	String. If prj="aea", the associated lat/lon parameters (USGS: " +lat_1=29.5 +lat_2=45.5 +lat_0=23 +lon_0=-96 +x_0=0 +y_0=0"). If other, include PROJ.4 string in prj4str.
...	For extensibility.

### Details

If no parameters, an empty list is returned.

### Value

A list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for strata.

### Author(s)

Grayson W. White

### Examples

```
spMakeSpatial_options()
```

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strata\_options      *Strata options.*

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### Description

Returns a list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for strata.

### Usage

```
strata_options(
  getwt = FALSE,
  getwtvar = "P1POINTCNT",
  strwtvar = "strwt",
  stratcombine = TRUE,
  minplotnum.strat = 2,
  pivot = FALSE,
  nonresp = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

### Arguments

getwt	Logical. If TRUE, calculates strata weights from stratlut getwtvar. If FALSE, strwtvar variable must be in stratlut.
getwtvar	String. If getwt=TRUE, name of variable in stratlut to calculate weights (Default = 'P1POINTCNT').
strwtvar	String. If getwt=FALSE, name of variable in stratlut with calculated weights (Default = 'strwt').
stratcombine	Logical. If TRUE, and strata=TRUE, automatically combines strata categories if less than minplotnum.strat plots in any one stratum. See notes for more info.
minplotnum.strat	Integer. Minimum number of plots for a stratum within an estimation unit.
pivot	Logical. If TRUE, pivot stratlut.
nonresp	Deprecated.
...	For extensibility.

### Details

If no parameters, an empty list is returned.

### Value

A list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for strata.

**Author(s)**

Grayson W. White

**Examples**

```
strata_options(getwt = FALSE)
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stunitco	<i>SpatialPolygonsDataFrame with FIA state, unit, county codes and names</i>
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**Description**

Polygon feature class with state and county boundaries defined by Census Bureau, including Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) codes. The FIA Survey Unit code and name attributes (UNITCD, UNITNM) were appended to dataset, with joining columns of STATECD and COUNTYCD.

**Format**

A SpatialPolygonsDataFrame with 3233 features and 8 attributes RS - FIA Research Station name RSCD - FIA Research Station code STATECD - FIPS state code STATENM - FIPS state name STATEAB - FIPS state abbreviation UNITCD - FIA survey unit code UNITNM - FIA survey unit name COUNTYCD - FIPS county code COUNTYNM - FIPS county name

**Details**

Derived from cb\_2018\_us\_county\_5m. STATEFP was converted to numeric and named STATECD COUNTYFP was converted to numeric and named COUNTYCD Lookup table for FIA Research Station (REF\_RESEARCH\_STATION) was downloaded from FIA DataMart on 20191105 (FIADB\_1.6.1.00) and joined by STATECD. A lookup table for UNITCD was created from plot data using unique STATECD, COUNTYCD, UNITCD and joined to table.

Converted to simple feature

Transformed CRS from longlat(EPSC:4269) to Albers (EPSC:5070)

Saved to R object, with compression='xz'

**Source**

Downloaded from the United States Census Bureau on 2019 November 3, format Esri Shapefile (<https://www.census.gov/geographies/mapping-files/time-series/geo/carto-boundary-file.html>) Projection: Geographic (GCS\_North\_American\_1983) EPSG: 4269

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table_options	<i>Table aesthetics and output options.</i>
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### Description

Returns a list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for outputting tables with custom aesthetics.

### Usage

```
table_options(
  row.FIAname = FALSE,
  col.FIAname = FALSE,
  row.orderby = NULL,
  col.orderby = NULL,
  row.add0 = FALSE,
  col.add0 = FALSE,
  rowlut = NULL,
  collut = NULL,
  rawonly = FALSE,
  raw.keep0 = FALSE,
  rowgrp = FALSE,
  rowgrpm = NULL,
  rowgrpord = NULL,
  totals = TRUE,
  allin1 = FALSE,
  metric = FALSE,
  estround = 1,
  pseround = 2,
  estnull = "--",
  psenull = "--",
  divideby = NULL,
  ...
)
```

### Arguments

row.FIAname	Logical. If TRUE, retrieves default FIA reference names for rowvar located in ref_codes data frame. Names are only available for certain variables (Check <code>sort(unique(ref_codes\$VARIABLE))</code> for available names. If row.FIAname = TRUE and rowvar is in ref_codes, the rowvar name is used for the output table, and the rowvar code is used to sort.
col.FIAname	Logical. If TRUE, retrieves default FIA reference names for colvar located in ref_codes data frame. Names are only available for certain variables. Check: <code>sort(unique(ref_codes\$VARIABLE))</code> for available names. If col.FIAname = TRUE and rowvar is in ref_codes, the colvar name is used for the output table, and the colvar code is used to sort.

row.orderby	String. Optional. Name of variable to sort table rows. Both the rowvar and row.orderby variables must be included in the same input data.frame. if NULL, and row.FIAname=FALSE or rowvar is not in ref_codes, the rows are ordered by rowvar.
col.orderby	String. Optional. Name of variable to sort table columns. Both the colvar and col.orderby variables must be included in the same input data.frame. if NULL, and col.FIAname=FALSE or colvar is not in ref_codes, the columns are ordered by colvar.
row.add0	Logical. If TRUE, include rows with 0 values to the output table.
col.add0	Logical. If TRUE, include columns with 0 values to the output table.
rowlut	Data frame. A lookup table with variable codes and code names to include as rows of output table (See notes for more information and format).
collut	Data frame. A lookup table with variable codes and code names to include as columns of output table (See notes for more information and format).
rawonly	Logical. If TRUE, only rawdata are output. If dataset includes many estimation units, and only raw data tables are desired, it is more efficient to output raw data only.
raw.keep0	Logical. If TRUE, keep 0 values in raw data tables.
rowgrp	Logical. If TRUE, appends row groups to first column of table. Only available if group category exists in ref_codes table or defined in rowgrpnm (e.g., FORTYPGRPCD, OWNGRPCD).
rowgrpnm	String. Name of variable for grouping rowvar. Variable must be included in same input table as rowvar.
rowgrpord	String. Name of variable to sort row group variable. Variable must be included in same input table as rowgrpnm.
totals	Logical. If TRUE, returns total estimate (mean * AREAUSED).
allin1	Logical. If TRUE, both estimates and percent sample error are output in one table as: estimates (percent sample error).
metric	Logical. If TRUE, output if returned in metric units.
estround	Integer. Number of decimal places for estimates.
pseround	Integer. Number of decimal places for percent sampling error.
estnull	Number or character. The number or symbol to use to indicate 'not sampled' for estimate.
psenull	Number or character. The number or symbol to use to indicate 'not sampled' for percent standard error.
divideby	String. Conversion number for output ('hundred', 'thousand', 'million').
...	For extensibility.

### Details

If no parameters, an empty list is returned.

**Value**

A list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for outputting tables with custom aesthetics.

**Author(s)**

Grayson W. White

**Examples**

```
table_options(row.FIAname = TRUE, col.FIAname = TRUE)
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title_options	<i>Title output options.</i>
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**Description**

Returns a list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for outputting title with custom aesthetics.

**Usage**

```
title_options(
  title.main = NULL,
  title.ref = NULL,
  title.rowvar = NULL,
  title.colvar = NULL,
  title.unitvar = NULL,
  title.estvar = NULL,
  title.estvarn = NULL,
  title.filter = NULL,
  title.units = "acres",
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

title.main	String. TITLE, if savedata=TRUE and/or returntitle=TRUE: the complete title used for table. If title.main=NULL, the title.* parameters are used to generate title string. Note: if title.ref is not NULL, it is added to title.main.
title.ref	String. TITLE, if savedata=TRUE and/or returntitle=TRUE: the ending text of the table title (e.g., Nevada, 2004-2005). If NULL, = "".
title.rowvar	String. TITLE, if savedata=TRUE and/or returntitle=TRUE: pretty name for the row domain variable. If NULL, = rowvar.
title.colvar	String. TITLE, if savedata=TRUE and/or returntitle=TRUE: pretty name for the column domain variable. If NULL, = colvar.



title.unitvar	String. TITLE, if savedata=TRUE and/or returntitle=TRUE: pretty name for the estimation unit variable. If NULL, = unitvar.
title.estvar	String. TITLE: if savedata=TRUE and/or returntitle=TRUE: pretty name for the estimate variable. If NULL, title.estvar = estvar.name.
title.estvarn	String. TITLE: if savedata=TRUE and/or returntitle=TRUE: pretty name for the estimate variable. If NULL, title.estvar = estvar.name.
title.filter	String. TITLE, if savedata=TRUE and/or returntitle=TRUE: pretty name for filter(s). If title.filter=NULL, a default is generated from cfilter. If title.filter="", no title.filter is used.
title.units	String.
...	For extensibility.

**Details**

If no parameters, an empty list is returned.

**Value**

A list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for outputting titles with custom aesthetics.

**Author(s)**

Grayson W. White

**Examples**

```
title_options(title.main = "My fancy title", title.estvar = "Estimate title")
```

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unit_options	<i>Unit options.</i>
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**Description**

Returns a list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for unit.

**Usage**

```
unit_options(
  unitvar2 = NULL,
  areaunits = "acres",
  minplotnum.unit = 10,
  unit.action = "keep",
  npixelvar = "npixels",
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

unitvar2	String. Name of a second level estimation unit variable in unitarea and cond or pltassgn with assignment for each plot (e.g., 'STATECD').
areaunits	String. Units of areavar in unitarea ('acres', 'hectares').
minplotnum.unit	Integer. Minimum number of plots for estimation unit.
unit.action	String. What to do if number of plots in an estimation unit is less than minplotnum.unit ('keep', 'remove' 'combine'). If unit.action='keep', estimation units with less than minplotnum.unit will be kept in output tables; if unit.action='remove', the estimation units with less than minplotnum.unit will be removed from the output tables; and if unit.action='combine', combines estimation unit to the following estimation unit, ordered in stratalut or unitzonal.
npixelvar	String. Name of variable in unitlut defining number of pixels by estimation unit.
...	For extendibility.

**Details**

If no parameters, an empty list is returned.

**Value**

A list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for strata.

**Author(s)**

Grayson W. White

**Examples**

```
unit_options()
```

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xy\_options

*List of population tables.*

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**Description**

Returns a list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for data xyuation (FIA or custom) extraction to be supplied to \*DB functions.

**Usage**

```
xy_options(  
  xy.uniqueid = "CN",  
  xvar = "LON",  
  yvar = "LAT",  
  xy.crs = 4269,  
  xyjoinid = NULL,  
  ...  
)
```

**Arguments**

xy.uniqueid	String. Unique identifier of xy.
xvar	String. Name of variable in xy defining x coordinate.
yvar	String. Name of variable in xy defining y coordinate.
xy.crs	PROJ.4 String or CRS object or Integer EPSG code defining Coordinate Reference System.
xyjoinid	String. Name of variable in xy to join to plot data. If NULL, xyjoinid = xy.uniqueid.
...	For extensibility.

**Details**

If no parameters, an empty list is returned.

**Value**

A list of user-supplied parameters and parameter values for strata.

**Author(s)**

Tracey S. Frescino

**Examples**

```
xy_options(xvar="LON", yvar="LAT")
```

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