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cluster_stops	<i>Cluster nearby stops within a group</i>
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Description

Finds clusters of stops for each unique value in `group_col` (e.g. `stop_name`). Can be used to find different groups of stops that share the same name but are located more than `max_dist` apart. `gtfs_stops` is assigned a new column (named `cluster_colname`) which contains the `group_col` value and the cluster number.

Usage

```
cluster_stops(  
  gtfs_stops,  
  max_dist = 300,  
  group_col = "stop_name",  
  cluster_colname = "stop_name_cluster"  
)
```

Arguments

<code>gtfs_stops</code>	Stops table of a <code>gtfs</code> object. It is also possible to pass a <code>tidygtfs</code> object to enable piping.
<code>max_dist</code>	Only stop groups that have a maximum distance among them above this threshold (in meters) are clustered.
<code>group_col</code>	Clusters for are calculated for each set of stops with the same value in this column (default: <code>stop_name</code>)
<code>cluster_colname</code>	Name of the new column name. Can be the same as <code>group_col</code> to overwrite.

Details

`stats::kmeans()` is used for clustering.

Value

Returns a stops table with an added cluster column. If `gtfs_stops` is a `tidygtfs` object, a modified `tidygtfs` object is return

Examples

```
library(dplyr)  
nyc_path <- system.file("extdata", "google_transit_nyc_subway.zip", package = "tidytransit")  
nyc <- read_gtfs(nyc_path)  
nyc <- cluster_stops(nyc)
```

```

# There are 6 stops with the name "86 St" that are far apart
stops_86_St = nyc$stops %>%
  filter(stop_name == "86 St")

table(stops_86_St$stop_name_cluster)
#> 86 St [1] 86 St [2] 86 St [3] 86 St [4] 86 St [5] 86 St [6]
#>      3      3      3      3      3      3

stops_86_St %>% select(stop_id, stop_name, parent_station, stop_name_cluster) %>% head()
#> # A tibble: 6 × 4
#>   stop_id stop_name parent_station stop_name_cluster
#>   <chr>   <chr>     <chr>         <chr>
#> 1 121     86 St      ""            86 St [3]
#> 2 121N    86 St      "121"         86 St [3]
#> 3 121S    86 St      "121"         86 St [3]
#> 4 626     86 St      ""            86 St [4]
#> 5 626N    86 St      "626"         86 St [4]
#> 6 626S    86 St      "626"         86 St [4]

library(ggplot2)
ggplot(stops_86_St) +
  geom_point(aes(stop_lon, stop_lat, color = stop_name_cluster))

```

convert_times_to_hms *Convert time columns to hms::hms in feed*

Description

Overwrites character columns in stop_times (arrival_time, departure_time) and frequencies (start_time, end_time) with times converted with `hms::hms()`.

Usage

```
convert_times_to_hms(gtfs_obj)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)

Value

gtfs_obj with hms times columns for stop_times and frequencies

empty_strings_to_na *Convert empty strings ("" to NA values in all gtfs tables*

Description

Convert empty strings ("" to NA values in all gtfs tables

Usage

```
empty_strings_to_na(gtfs_obj)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)

Value

a gtfs_obj where all empty strings in tables have been replaced with NA

See Also

[na_to_empty_strings\(\)](#)

feed_contains *Returns TRUE if the given gtfs_obj contains the table. Used to check for tidytransit's calculated tables in sublist (gtfs_obj\$.)*

Description

Returns TRUE if the given gtfs_obj contains the table. Used to check for tidytransit's calculated tables in sublist (gtfs_obj\$.)

Usage

```
feed_contains(gtfs_obj, table_name)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)
table_name name of the table to look for, as string

`filter_feed_by_area` *Filter a gtfs feed so that it only contains trips that pass a given area*

Description

Only stop_times, stops, routes, services (in calendar and calendar_dates), shapes, frequencies and transfers belonging to one of those trips are kept.

Usage

```
filter_feed_by_area(gtfs_obj, area)
```

Arguments

<code>gtfs_obj</code>	gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)
<code>area</code>	all trips passing through this area are kept. Either a bounding box (numeric vector with xmin, ymin, xmax, ymax) or a sf object.

Value

tidygtfs object with filtered tables

See Also

[filter_feed_by_stops](#), [filter_feed_by_trips](#), [filter_feed_by_date](#)

`filter_feed_by_date` *Filter a gtfs feed so that it only contains trips running on a given date*

Description

Only stop_times, stops, routes, services (in calendar and calendar_dates), shapes, frequencies and transfers belonging to one of those trips are kept.

Usage

```
filter_feed_by_date(  
  gtfs_obj,  
  extract_date,  
  min_departure_time,  
  max_arrival_time  
)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj	gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)
extract_date	date to extract trips from this day (Date or "YYYY-MM-DD" string)
min_departure_time	(optional) The earliest departure time. Can be given as "HH:MM:SS", hms object or numeric value in seconds.
max_arrival_time	(optional) The latest arrival time. Can be given as "HH:MM:SS", hms object or numeric value in seconds.

Value

tidygtfs object with filtered tables

See Also

[filter_stop_times](#), [filter_feed_by_trips](#), [filter_feed_by_trips](#), [filter_feed_by_date](#)

`filter_feed_by_stops` *Filter a gtfs feed so that it only contains trips that pass the given stops*

Description

Only stop_times, stops, routes, services (in calendar and calendar_dates), shapes, frequencies and transfers belonging to one of those trips are kept.

Usage

```
filter_feed_by_stops(gtfs_obj, stop_ids = NULL, stop_names = NULL)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj	gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)
stop_ids	vector with stop_ids. You can either provide stop_ids or stop_names
stop_names	vector with stop_names (will be converted to stop_ids)

Value

tidygtfs object with filtered tables

Note

The returned gtfs_obj likely contains more than just the stops given (i.e. all stops that belong to a trip passing the initial stop).

See Also

[filter_feed_by_trips](#), [filter_feed_by_trips](#), [filter_feed_by_date](#)

`filter_feed_by_trips` *Filter a gtfs feed so that it only contains a given set of trips*

Description

Only stop_times, stops, routes, services (in calendar and calendar_dates), shapes, frequencies and transfers belonging to one of those trips are kept.

Usage

```
filter_feed_by_trips(gtfs_obj, trip_ids)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj	gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)
trip_ids	vector with trip_ids

Value

tidygtfs object with filtered tables

See Also

[filter_feed_by_stops](#), [filter_feed_by_area](#), [filter_feed_by_date](#)

`filter_stops` *Get a set of stops for a given set of service ids and route ids*

Description

Get a set of stops for a given set of service ids and route ids

Usage

```
filter_stops(gtfs_obj, service_ids, route_ids)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj	gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)
service_ids	the service for which to get stops
route_ids	the route_ids for which to get stops

Value

stops table for a given service or route

Examples

```
library(dplyr)
local_gtfs_path <- system.file("extdata", "google_transit_nyc_subway.zip", package = "tidytransit")
nyc <- read_gtfs(local_gtfs_path)
select_service_id <- filter(nyc$calendar, monday==1) %>% pull(service_id)
select_route_id <- sample_n(nyc$routes, 1) %>% pull(route_id)
filtered_stops_df <- filter_stops(nyc, select_service_id, select_route_id)
```

filter_stop_times	<i>Filter a stop_times table for a given date and timespan.</i>
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Description

Filter a stop_times table for a given date and timespan.

Usage

```
filter_stop_times(gtfs_obj, extract_date, min_departure_time, max_arrival_time)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj	gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)
extract_date	date to extract trips from this day (Date or "YYYY-MM-DD" string)
min_departure_time	(optional) The earliest departure time. Can be given as "HH:MM:SS", hms object or numeric value in seconds.
max_arrival_time	(optional) The latest arrival time. Can be given as "HH:MM:SS", hms object or numeric value in seconds.

Value

Filtered stop_times data.table for [travel_times\(\)](#) and [raptor\(\)](#).

Examples

```
feed_path <- system.file("extdata", "sample-feed-fixed.zip", package = "tidytransit")
g <- read_gtfs(feed_path)

# filter the sample feed
stop_times <- filter_stop_times(g, "2007-01-06", "06:00:00", "08:00:00")
```

get_route_frequency *Get Route Frequency*

Description

Calculate the number of departures and mean headways for routes within a given timespan and for given service_ids.

Usage

```
get_route_frequency(  
  gtfs_obj,  
  start_time = "06:00:00",  
  end_time = "22:00:00",  
  service_ids = NULL  
)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj	gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)
start_time	analysis start time, can be given as "HH:MM:SS", hms object or numeric value in seconds.
end_time	analysis period end time, can be given as "HH:MM:SS", hms object or numeric value in seconds.
service_ids	A set of service_ids from the calendar dataframe identifying a particular service id. If not provided, the service_id with the most departures is used.

Value

a dataframe of routes with variables or headway/frequency in seconds for a route within a given time frame

Note

Some GTFS feeds contain a frequency data frame already. Consider using this instead, as it will be more accurate than what tidytransit calculates.

Examples

```
data(gtfs_duke)  
routes_frequency <- get_route_frequency(gtfs_duke)  
x <- order(routes_frequency$median_headways)  
head(routes_frequency[x,])
```

get_route_geometry *Get all trip shapes for a given route and service*

Description

Get all trip shapes for a given route and service

Usage

```
get_route_geometry(gtfs_sf_obj, route_ids = NULL, service_ids = NULL)
```

Arguments

gtfs_sf_obj	tidytransit gtfs object with sf data frames
route_ids	routes to extract
service_ids	service_ids to extract

Value

an sf dataframe for gtfs routes with a row/linestring for each trip

Examples

```
data(gtfs_duke)
gtfs_duke_sf <- gtfs_as_sf(gtfs_duke)
routes_sf <- get_route_geometry(gtfs_duke_sf)
plot(routes_sf[c(1,1350),])
```

get_stop_frequency *Get Stop Frequency*

Description

Calculate the number of departures and mean headways for all stops within a given timespan and for given service_ids.

Usage

```
get_stop_frequency(
  gtfs_obj,
  start_time = "06:00:00",
  end_time = "22:00:00",
  service_ids = NULL,
  by_route = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj	gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)
start_time	analysis start time, can be given as "HH:MM:SS", hms object or numeric value in seconds.
end_time	analysis period end time, can be given as "HH:MM:SS", hms object or numeric value in seconds.
service_ids	A set of service_ids from the calendar dataframe identifying a particular service id. If not provided, the service_id with the most departures is used.
by_route	Default TRUE, if FALSE then calculate headway for any line coming through the stop in the same direction on the same schedule.

Value

dataframe of stops with the number of departures and the headway (departures divided by timespan) in seconds as columns

Note

Some GTFS feeds contain a frequency data frame already. Consider using this instead, as it will be more accurate than what tidytransit calculates.

Examples

```
data(gtfs_duke)
stop_frequency <- get_stop_frequency(gtfs_duke)
x <- order(stop_frequency$mean_headway)
head(stop_frequency[x,])
```

get_trip_geometry *Get all trip shapes for given trip ids*

Description

Get all trip shapes for given trip ids

Usage

```
get_trip_geometry(gtfs_sf_obj, trip_ids)
```

Arguments

gtfs_sf_obj	tidytransit gtfs object with sf data frames
trip_ids	trip_ids to extract shapes

Value

an sf dataframe for gtfs routes with a row/linestring for each trip

Examples

```
data(gtfs_duke)
gtfs_duke <- gtfs_as_sf(gtfs_duke)
trips_sf <- get_trip_geometry(gtfs_duke, c("t_726295_b_19493_tn_41", "t_726295_b_19493_tn_40"))
plot(trips_sf[1,])
```

gtfs_as_sf

Convert stops and shapes to Simple Features

Description

Stops are converted to POINT sf data frames. Shapes are converted to a LINESTRING data frame. Note that this function replaces stops and shapes tables in gtfs_obj.

Usage

```
gtfs_as_sf(gtfs_obj, skip_shapes = FALSE, crs = NULL, quiet = TRUE)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj	gtfs feed (tidygtfs object, created by read_gtfs())
skip_shapes	if TRUE, shapes are not converted. Default FALSE.
crs	optional coordinate reference system (used by <code>sf::st_transform</code>) to transform lon/lat coordinates of stops and shapes
quiet	boolean whether to print status messages

Value

tidygtfs object with stops and shapes as sf dataframes

See Also

[sf_as_tbl](#), [stops_as_sf](#), [shapes_as_sf](#)

`gtfs_duke`*Example GTFS data*

Description

Data obtained from <https://data.trilliumtransit.com/gtfs/duke-nc-us/duke-nc-us.zip>.

Usage`gtfs_duke`**Format**

An object of class `tidygtfs` (inherits from `gtfs`) of length 25.

See Also`read_gtfs`

`gtfs_transform`*Transform or convert coordinates of a gtfs feed*

Description

Transform or convert coordinates of a gtfs feed

Usage`gtfs_transform(gtfs_obj, crs)`**Arguments**`gtfs_obj` gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)`crs` target coordinate reference system, used by `sf::st_transform`**Value**

tidygtfs object with transformed stops and shapes sf dataframes

na_to_empty_strings *Convert NA values to empty strings ("")*

Description

Convert NA values to empty strings ("")

Usage

```
na_to_empty_strings(gtfs_obj)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)

Value

a gtfs_obj where all NA strings in tables have been replaced with ""

See Also

[empty_strings_to_na\(\)](#)

plot.tidygtfs *Plot GTFS stops and trips*

Description

Plot GTFS stops and trips

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'tidygtfs'  
plot(x, ...)
```

Arguments

x a gtfs_obj as read by read_gtfs()
... further specifications

Value

plot

Examples

```
local_gtfs_path <- system.file("extdata",
                               "google_transit_nyc_subway.zip",
                               package = "tidytransit")
nyc <- read_gtfs(local_gtfs_path)
plot(nyc)
```

print.tidygtfs	<i>Print a GTFS object</i>
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Description

Prints a GTFS object suppressing the class attribute.

Usage

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

Arguments

x	A GTFS object.
...	Optional arguments ultimately passed to format.

Value

The GTFS object that was printed, invisibly

Examples

```
## Not run:
path = system.file("extdata",
                   "google_transit_nyc_subway.zip",
                   package = "tidytransit")

g = read_gtfs(path)
print(g)

## End(Not run)
```

raptor

Calculate travel times from one stop to all reachable stops

Description

raptor finds the minimal travel time, earliest or latest arrival time for all stops in `stop_times` with journeys departing from `stop_ids` within `time_range`.

Usage

```
raptor(
  stop_times,
  transfers,
  stop_ids,
  arrival = FALSE,
  time_range = 3600,
  max_transfers = NULL,
  keep = "all"
)
```

Arguments

<code>stop_times</code>	A (prepared) <code>stop_times</code> table from a gtfs feed. Prepared means that all stop time rows before the desired journey departure time should be removed. The table should also only include departures happening on one day. Use filter_stop_times() for easier preparation.
<code>transfers</code>	Transfers table from a gtfs feed. In general no preparation is needed.
<code>stop_ids</code>	Character vector with <code>stop_ids</code> from where journeys should start (or end)
<code>arrival</code>	If FALSE (default), all journeys <i>start</i> from <code>stop_ids</code> . If TRUE, all journeys <i>end</i> at <code>stop_ids</code> .
<code>time_range</code>	Departure or arrival time range in seconds. All departures from the first departure of <code>stop_times</code> (not necessarily from <code>stop_id</code> in <code>stop_ids</code>) within <code>time_range</code> are considered. If <code>arrival</code> is TRUE, all arrivals within <code>time_range</code> before the latest arrival time of <code>stop_times</code> are considered.
<code>max_transfers</code>	Maximum number of transfers allowed, no limit (NULL) as default.
<code>keep</code>	One of c("all", "shortest", "earliest", "latest"). By default, all journeys arriving at a stop are returned. With <code>shortest</code> the journey with shortest travel time is returned. With <code>earliest</code> the journey arriving at a stop the earliest is returned, <code>latest</code> works accordingly.

Details

With a modified [Round-Based Public Transit Routing Algorithm](#) (RAPTOR) using `data.table`, earliest arrival times for all stops are calculated. If two journeys arrive at the same time, the one with the later departure time and thus shorter travel time is kept. By default, all journeys departing within

time_range that arrive at a stop are returned in a table. If you want all journeys *arriving* at stop_ids within the specified time range, set arrival to TRUE.

Journeys are defined by a "from" and "to" stop_id, a departure, arrival and travel time. Note that the exact journeys (with each intermediate stop and route ids for example) is *not* returned.

For most cases, stop_times needs to be filtered, as it should only contain trips happening on a single day and departures later than a given journey start time, see [filter_stop_times\(\)](#). The algorithm scans all trips until it exceeds max_transfers or all trips in stop_times have been visited.

Value

A data.table with journeys (departure, arrival and travel time) to/from all stop_ids reachable by stop_ids.

See Also

[travel_times\(\)](#) for an easier access to travel time calculations via stop_names.

Examples

```
nyc_path <- system.file("extdata", "google_transit_nyc_subway.zip", package = "tidytransit")
nyc <- read_gtfs(nyc_path)

# you can use initial walk times to different stops in walking distance (arbitrary example values)
stop_ids_harlem_st <- c("301", "301N", "301S")
stop_ids_155_st <- c("A11", "A11N", "A11S", "D12", "D12N", "D12S")
walk_times <- data.frame(stop_id = c(stop_ids_harlem_st, stop_ids_155_st),
                          walk_time = c(rep(600, 3), rep(410, 6)), stringsAsFactors = FALSE)

# Use journeys departing after 7 AM with arrival time before 11 AM on 26th of June
stop_times <- filter_stop_times(nyc, "2018-06-26", 7*3600, 9*3600)

# calculate all journeys departing from Harlem St or 155 St between 7:00 and 7:30
rptr <- raptor(stop_times, nyc$transfers, walk_times$stop_id, time_range = 1800,
              keep = "all")

# add walk times to travel times
rptr <- merge(rptr, walk_times, by.x = "from_stop_id", by.y = "stop_id")
rptr$travel_time_incl_walk <- rptr$travel_time + rptr$walk_time

# get minimal travel times (with walk times) for all stop_ids
library(data.table)
shortest_travel_times <- setDT(rptr)[order(travel_time_incl_walk)][, .SD[1], by = "to_stop_id"]
hist(shortest_travel_times$travel_time, breaks = 360)
```

read_gtfs	<i>Read and validate GTFS files</i>
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Description

Reads GTFS text files from either a local .zip file or an URL and validates them against GTFS specifications.

Usage

```
read_gtfs(path, files = NULL, quiet = TRUE)
```

Arguments

path	The path to a GTFS .zip file.
files	A character vector containing the text files to be read from the GTFS (without the .txt extension). If NULL (the default) all existing files are read.
quiet	Whether to hide log messages and progress bars (defaults to TRUE).

Value

A tidygtfs object: a list of tibbles in which each entry represents a GTFS text file. Additional tables are stored in the . sublist.

See Also

[validate_gtfs](#)

Examples

```
local_gtfs_path <- system.file("extdata", "google_transit_nyc_subway.zip", package = "tidytransit")
gtfs <- read_gtfs(local_gtfs_path)
summary(gtfs)

gtfs <- read_gtfs(local_gtfs_path, files = c("trips", "stop_times"))
names(gtfs)
```

route_type_names	<i>Dataframe of route type id's and the names of the types (e.g. "Bus")</i>
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Description

Extended GTFS Route Types: <https://developers.google.com/transit/gtfs/reference/extended-route-types>

Usage

```
route_type_names
```

Format

A data frame with 136 rows and 2 variables:

route_type the id of route type

route_type_name name of the gtfs route type

Source

<https://gist.github.com/derhuerst/b0243339e22c310bee2386388151e11e>

set_servicepattern	<i>Calculate servicepattern ids for a gtfs feed</i>
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Description

Each trip has a defined number of dates it runs on. This set of dates is called a service pattern in tidytransit. Trips with the same servicepattern id run on the same dates. In general, service_id can work this way but it is not enforced by the GTFS standard.

Usage

```
set_servicepattern(
  gtfs_obj,
  id_prefix = "s_",
  hash_algo = "md5",
  hash_length = 7
)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj	gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)
id_prefix	all servicepattern id will start with this string
hash_algo	hashing algorithm used by digest
hash_length	length the hash should be cut to with substr(). Use -1 if the full hash should be used

Value

modified gtfs_obj with added servicepattern list and a table linking trips and pattern (trip_servicepatterns)

sf_as_tbl	<i>Convert stops and shapes from sf objects to tibbles</i>
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Description

Coordinates are transformed to lon/lat

Usage

```
sf_as_tbl(gtfs_obj)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj	gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)
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Value

tidygtfs object with stops and shapes converted to tibbles

See Also

[gtfs_as_sf](#)

sf_lines_to_df	<i>Adds the coordinates of an sf LINESTRING object as columns and rows</i>
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Description

Adds the coordinates of an sf LINESTRING object as columns and rows

Usage

```
sf_lines_to_df(
  lines_sf,
  coord_colnames = c("shape_pt_lon", "shape_pt_lat"),
  remove_geometry = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

lines_sf	sf object
coord_colnames	names of the new columns (existing columns are overwritten)
remove_geometry	remove sf geometry column?

sf_points_to_df	<i>Adds the coordinates of an sf POINT object as columns</i>
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Description

Adds the coordinates of an sf POINT object as columns

Usage

```
sf_points_to_df(
  pts_sf,
  coord_colnames = c("stop_lon", "stop_lat"),
  remove_geometry = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

pts_sf	sf object
coord_colnames	names of the new columns (existing columns are overwritten)
remove_geometry	remove sf geometry column?

shapes_as_sf	<i>Convert shapes into Simple Features Linestrings</i>
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Description

Convert shapes into Simple Features Linestrings

Usage

```
shapes_as_sf(gtfs_shapes, crs = NULL)
```

Arguments

gtfs_shapes	a gtfs\$shapes dataframe
crs	optional coordinate reference system (used by sf::st_transform) to transform lon/lat coordinates

Value

an sf dataframe for gtfs shapes

See Also

[gtfs_as_sf](#)

stops_as_sf	<i>Convert stops into Simple Features Points</i>
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Description

Convert stops into Simple Features Points

Usage

```
stops_as_sf(stops, crs = NULL)
```

Arguments

stops	a gtfs\$stops dataframe
crs	optional coordinate reference system (used by sf::st_transform) to transform lon/lat coordinates

Value

an sf dataframe for gtfs routes with a point column

See Also

[codegtfs_as_sf](#)

Examples

```
data(gtfs_duke)
some_stops <- gtfs_duke$stops[sample(nrow(gtfs_duke$stops), 40),]
some_stops_sf <- stops_as_sf(some_stops)
plot(some_stops_sf)
```

stop_distances	<i>Calculate distances between a given set of stops</i>
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Description

Calculate distances between a given set of stops

Usage

```
stop_distances(gtfs_stops)
```

Arguments

gtfs_stops gtfs stops table either as data frame (with at least stop_id, stop_lon and stop_lat columns) or as sf object.

Value

Returns a data.frame with each row containing a pair of stop_ids (columns from_stop_id and to_stop_id) and the distance between them (in meters)

Note

The resulting data.frame has $nrow(gtfs_stops)^2$ rows, distances calculations among all stops for large feeds should be avoided

Examples

```
library(dplyr)

nyc_path <- system.file("extdata", "google_transit_nyc_subway.zip", package = "tidytransit")
nyc <- read_gtfs(nyc_path)

nyc$stops %>%
  filter(stop_name == "Borough Hall") %>%
  stop_distances() %>%
  arrange(desc(distance))

#> # A tibble: 36 × 3
```



```

#>   from_stop_id to_stop_id distance
#>   <chr>        <chr>        <dbl>
#> 1 423          232          91.5
#> 2 423N         232          91.5
#> 3 423S         232          91.5
#> 4 423          232N         91.5
#> 5 423N         232N         91.5
#> 6 423S         232N         91.5
#> 7 423          232S         91.5
#> 8 423N         232S         91.5
#> 9 423S         232S         91.5
#> 10 232         423          91.5
#> # ... with 26 more rows

```

stop_group_distances *Calculates distances among stop within the same group column*

Description

By default calculates distances among stop_ids with the same stop_name.

Usage

```
stop_group_distances(gtfs_stops, by = "stop_name")
```

Arguments

gtfs_stops gtfs stops table either as data frame (with at least stop_id, stop_lon and stop_lat columns) or as sf object.

by group column, default: stop_name

Value

data.frame with one row per group containing a distance matrix (distances), number of stop ids within that group (n_stop_ids) and distance summary values (dist_mean, dist_median and dist_max).

Examples

```

library(dplyr)

nyc_path <- system.file("extdata", "google_transit_nyc_subway.zip", package = "tidytransit")
nyc <- read_gtfs(nyc_path)

stop_group_distances(nyc$stops)
#> # A tibble: 380 × 6
#>   stop_name  distances      n_stop_ids dist_mean dist_median dist_max
#>   <chr>      <list>          <dbl>     <dbl>     <dbl>     <dbl>
#> 1 86 St     <dbl [18 × 18]>      18      5395.     5395.    21811.

```

```

#> 2 79 St      <dbl [6 × 6]>      6  19053.  19053.  19053.
#> 3 Prospect Av <dbl [6 × 6]>      6  18804.  18804.  18804.
#> 4 77 St      <dbl [6 × 6]>      6  16947.  16947.  16947.
#> 5 59 St      <dbl [6 × 6]>      6  14130.  14130.  14130.
#> 6 50 St      <dbl [9 × 9]>      9   7097.   7097.  14068.
#> 7 36 St      <dbl [6 × 6]>      6  12496.  12496.  12496.
#> 8 8 Av       <dbl [6 × 6]>      6  11682.  11682.  11682.
#> 9 7 Av       <dbl [9 × 9]>      9   5479.   5479.  10753.
#> 10 111 St    <dbl [9 × 9]>      9   3877.   3877.   7753.
#> # ... with 370 more rows

```

summary.tidygtfs *GTFS feed summary*

Description

GTFS feed summary

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'tidygtfs'
summary(object, ...)
```

Arguments

object a gtfs_obj as read by [read_gtfs\(\)](#)
 ... further specifications

Value

the tidygtfs object, invisibly

travel_times *Calculate shortest travel times from a stop to all reachable stops*

Description

Function to calculate the shortest travel times from a stop (given by stop_name) to all other stop_names of a feed. filtered_stop_times needs to be created before with [filter_stop_times\(\)](#) or [filter_feed_by_date\(\)](#).

Usage

```
travel_times(
  filtered_stop_times,
  stop_name,
  time_range = 3600,
  arrival = FALSE,
  max_transfers = NULL,
  max_departure_time = NULL,
  return_coords = FALSE,
  return_DT = FALSE,
  stop_dist_check = 300
)
```

Arguments

filtered_stop_times	stop_times data.table (with transfers and stops tables as attributes) created with filter_stop_times() where the departure or arrival time has been set. Alternatively, a filtered feed created by filter_feed_by_date() can be used.
stop_name	Stop name for which travel times should be calculated. A vector with multiple names is accepted.
time_range	All departures within this range in seconds after the first departure of filtered_stop_times are considered for journeys. If arrival is TRUE, all journeys arriving within time range before the latest arrival of filtered_stop_times are considered.
arrival	If FALSE (default), all journeys <i>start</i> from stop_name. If TRUE, all journeys <i>end</i> at stop_name.
max_transfers	The maximum number of transfers
max_departure_time	Either set this parameter or time_range. Only departures before max_departure_time are used. Accepts "HH:MM:SS" or seconds as a numerical value. Unused if arrival is TRUE.
return_coords	Returns stop coordinates as columns. Default is FALSE.
return_DT	travel_times() returns a data.table if TRUE. Default is FALSE which returns a tibble/tbl_df.
stop_dist_check	stop_names are not structured identifiers like stop_ids or parent_stations, so it's possible that stops with the same name are far apart. travel_times() errors if the distance among stop_ids with the same name is above this threshold (in meters). Use FALSE to turn check off. However, it is recommended to either use raptor() or fix the feed (see cluster_stops()).

Details

This function allows easier access to [raptor\(\)](#) by using stop names instead of ids and returning shortest travel times by default.

Note however that `stop_name` might not be a suitable identifier for a feed. It is possible that multiple stops have the same name while not being related or geographically close to each other. `stop_group_distances()` and `cluster_stops()` can help identify and fix issues with `stop_names`.

Value

A table with travel times to/from all stops reachable by `stop_name` and their corresponding journey departure and arrival times.

Examples

```
nyc_path <- system.file("extdata", "google_transit_nyc_subway.zip", package = "tidytransit")
nyc <- read_gtfs(nyc_path)

# stop_names in this feed are not restricted to an area, create clusters of stops to fix
nyc <- cluster_stops(nyc, group_col = "stop_name", cluster_colname = "stop_name")

# Use journeys departing after 7 AM with arrival time before 9 AM on 26th June
stop_times <- filter_stop_times(nyc, "2018-06-26", 7*3600, 9*3600)

tts <- travel_times(stop_times, "34 St - Herald Sq", return_coords = TRUE)
library(dplyr)
tts <- tts %>% filter(travel_time <= 3600)

# travel time to Queensboro Plaza is 810 seconds, 13:30 minutes
tts %>% filter(to_stop_name == "Queensboro Plaza") %>% pull(travel_time) %>% hms::hms()

# plot a simple map showing travel times to all reachable stops
# this can be expanded to isochron maps
library(ggplot2)
ggplot(tts) + geom_point(aes(x=to_stop_lon, y=to_stop_lat, color = travel_time))
```

validate_gtfs

Validate GTFS file

Description

Validates the GTFS object against GTFS specifications and raises warnings if required files/fields are not found. This function is called in `read_gtfs`.

Usage

```
validate_gtfs(gtfs_obj, files = NULL, quiet = TRUE, warnings = TRUE)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj	gtfs feed (tidygtfs object, created by <code>read_gtfs()</code>)
files	A character vector containing the text files to be validated against the GTFS specification (without the <code>.txt</code> extension). If NULL (the default) the provided GTFS is validated against all possible GTFS text files.
quiet	Whether to hide log messages (defaults to TRUE).
warnings	Whether to display warning messages (defaults to TRUE).

Value

A tidygtfs with a `validation_result` attribute. This attribute is a tibble containing the validation summary of all possible fields from the specified files.

Details

GTFS object's files and fields are validated against the GTFS specifications as documented in [Google's Static GTFS Reference](#):

- GTFS feeds are considered valid if they include all required files and fields. If a required file/field is missing the function (optionally) raises a warning.
- Optional files/fields are listed in the reference above but are not required, thus no warning is raised if they are missing.
- Extra files/fields are those who are not listed in the reference above (either because they refer to a specific GTFS extension or due to any other reason).

Note that some files (`calendar.txt`, `calendar_dates.txt` and `feed_info.txt`) are conditionally required. This means that:

- `calendar.txt` is initially set as a required file. If it's not present, however, it becomes optional and `calendar_dates.txt` (originally set as optional) becomes required.
- `feed_info.txt` is initially set as an optional file. If `translations.txt` is present, however, it becomes required.

Examples

```
local_gtfs_path <- system.file("extdata", "google_transit_nyc_subway.zip", package = "tidytransit")
gtfs <- read_gtfs(local_gtfs_path)
attr(gtfs, "validation_result")

gtfs$shapes <- NULL
validation_result <- validate_gtfs(gtfs)

# should raise a warning
gtfs$stop_times <- NULL
validation_result <- validate_gtfs(gtfs)
```

write_gtfs	<i>Write a tidygtfs object to a zip file</i>
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Description

Write a tidygtfs object to a zip file

Usage

```
write_gtfs(gtfs_obj, zipfile, compression_level = 9, as_dir = FALSE)
```

Arguments

gtfs_obj	gtfs feed (tidygtfs object)
zipfile	path to the zip file the feed should be written to
compression_level	a number between 1 and 9.9, passed to zip::zip
as_dir	if TRUE, the feed is not zipped and zipfile is used as a directory path. Files within the directory will be overwritten.

Value

Invisibly returns gtfs_obj

Note

Auxilliary tidytransit tables (e.g. dates_services) are not exported.

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