

# Package ‘anyLib’

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**Title** Install and Load Any Package from CRAN, Bioconductor or Github

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anyLib

*Install and load any library*


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## Description

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## Usage

```
anyLib(pkg, force = FALSE, autoUpdate = TRUE, lib = .libPaths()[1],
       loadLib = .libPaths(), source = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

<code>pkg</code>	The package name or the list containing the packages names.
<code>force</code>	To force reinstallation of packages.
<code>autoUpdate</code>	To select whether Bioconductor packages auto update or not.
<code>lib</code>	Where to install the packages
<code>loadLib</code>	From where the packages are loaded
<code>source</code>	The package to install is a local source file, on the user disk.

## Details

The source option can be a single TRUE or FALSE, or a vector of TRUE and FALSE corresponding to the vector/list of packages. E.g. if `source == c(TRUE, FALSE)`, the first package will be considered as a source file. The file has to be a tar.gz source file, not a binary.

## Value

A named vector of booleans showing if the package is loaded properly

## Examples

```
# Install and load 1 package from a local source file, which name is in an object:
lib <- normalizePath(tempdir(), "/")
listOfPackages <- system.file("dummyPackage_0.1.0.tar.gz", package="anyLib")
anyLib(listOfPackages, force = TRUE, autoUpdate = FALSE, lib = lib,
       loadLib = lib, source = TRUE)
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