

Package ‘makeunique’

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Title Make Character Strings Unique

Version 1.0.0

Description Make all elements of a character vector unique.

Differs from 'make.unique' by starting at 1 and allowing users to customise suffix format.

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Make Values Unique

Description

Append numbers to duplicate values to ensure all are unique

Usage

```
make_unique(  
  x,  
  sep = " ",  
  wrap_in_brackets = TRUE,  
  warn_about_type_conversion = TRUE  
)
```

Arguments

x	vector to de-duplicate
sep	string separating (string)
wrap_in_brackets	should the number indicating order of duplicated elements be wrapped in round brackets? (flag)
warn_about_type_conversion	should the function warn user if input type is converted to 'character' in output (flag)

Details

Differs from 'make.unique' in base R by starting suffixes at 1 and allowing users to customize suffix format.

Value

x but duplicated values are de-duplicated by adding a number corresponding to the order in which duplicates appear

Examples

```
make_unique(c('bob', 'billy', 'bob', 'bob'))
```

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