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as.character.file	<i>Convert file connections to strings</i>
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Description

as.character method for file connections.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'file'
as.character(x, ...)
```

Arguments

x	A file connection.
...	Not currently used.

Value

A string containing the target location of the file connection.

See Also

[file](#), [summary.connection](#), [as.character](#)

Examples

```
rprofile <- file.path(R.home("etc"), "Rprofile.site")
fcon <- file(rprofile)
assertive.base::assert_all_are_true(identical(as.character(fcon), rprofile))
close(fcon)
```

assert_all_are_dirs *Is the path a directory? Checks to see if the input path is a directory.*

Description

Is the path a directory? Checks to see if the input path is a directory.

Usage

```
assert_all_are_dirs(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))
```

```
assert_any_are_dirs(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))
```

```
is_dir(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
```

Arguments

x	File paths.
severity	How severe should the consequences of the assertion be? Either "stop", "warning", "message", or "none".
.xname	Not intended to be used directly.

Value

is_dir returns TRUE if and only if the input path is a directory that exists, as determined by file.info.

Examples

```
assert_all_are_dirs(R.home())
```

assert_all_are_empty_files
Is a file too big or small?

Description

Checks to see if a file is within a given size range.

Usage

```

assert_all_are_empty_files(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
  "stop"))

assert_any_are_empty_files(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
  "stop"))

assert_all_are_non_empty_files(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
  "stop"))

assert_any_are_non_empty_files(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
  "stop"))

assert_all_file_sizes_are_in_range(x, lower = 0, upper = Inf,
  lower_is_strict = FALSE, upper_is_strict = FALSE, na_ignore = FALSE,
  severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

assert_any_file_sizes_are_in_range(x, lower = 0, upper = Inf,
  lower_is_strict = FALSE, upper_is_strict = FALSE,
  severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

is_empty_file(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))

is_non_empty_file(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))

is_file_size_in_range(x, lower = 0, upper = Inf, lower_is_strict = FALSE,
  upper_is_strict = FALSE, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))

```

Arguments

x	Input to check.
severity	How severe should the consequences of the assertion be? Either "stop", "warning", "message", or "none".
lower	Smallest file size allowed, in bytes.
upper	Largest file size allowed, in bytes.
lower_is_strict	If TRUE, the lower bound is open (strict) otherwise it is closed.
upper_is_strict	If TRUE, the upper bound is open (strict) otherwise it is closed.
na_ignore	A logical value. If FALSE, NA values cause an error; otherwise they do not. Like na.rm in many stats package functions, except that the position of the failing values does not change.
.xname	Not intended to be used directly.

Value

is_empty_file wraps file.info, returning TRUE when the input is a file that exists with size zero. assert_*_are_empty_files return nothing but throws an error if is_empty_file returns FALSE.

See Also

[file.info](#).

Examples

```
tf <- tempfile()
file.create(tf)
is_empty_file(tf)
cat("some stuff", file = tf)
is_non_empty_file(tf)
assertive.base::dont_stop(assert_all_file_sizes_are_in_range(tf, lower = 100))
unlink(tf)
```

assert_all_are_executable_files

Is the file accessible?

Description

Checks to see if the input files can be executed/read/written to.

Usage

```
assert_all_are_executable_files(x, warn_about_windows = TRUE,
  severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

assert_any_are_executable_files(x, warn_about_windows = TRUE,
  severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

assert_all_are_readable_files(x, warn_about_windows = TRUE,
  severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

assert_any_are_readable_files(x, warn_about_windows = TRUE,
  severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

assert_all_are_writable_files(x, warn_about_windows = TRUE,
  severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

assert_any_are_writable_files(x, warn_about_windows = TRUE,
  severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

is_executable_file(x, warn_about_windows = TRUE,
```

```

    .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))

is_ex_file(x)

is_readable_file(x, warn_about_windows = TRUE,
  .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))

is_writable_file(x, warn_about_windows = TRUE,
  .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))

```

Arguments

x	Input to check.
warn_about_windows	Logical. If TRUE, then calling the function under Windows will throw a warning about the problems with file.access .
severity	How severe should the consequences of the assertion be? Either "stop", "warning", "message", or "none".
.xname	Not intended to be used directly.

Value

is_executable_file wraps file.access, showing the names of the inputs in the answer. assert_is_executable_file returns nothing but throws an error if is_executable_file returns FALSE.

See Also

[file.access](#).

Examples

```

files <- dir()
is_readable_file(files)
is_writable_file(files, warn_about_windows = FALSE)
is_executable_file(files, warn_about_windows = FALSE)

```

assert_all_are_existing_files

Does the file exist?

Description

Checks to see if the input files exist.

Usage

```
assert_all_are_existing_files(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
  "stop"))

assert_any_are_existing_files(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
  "stop"))

is_existing_file(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
```

Arguments

x	Input to check.
severity	How severe should the consequences of the assertion be? Either "stop", "warning", "message", or "none".
.xname	Not intended to be used directly.

Value

is_existing_file wraps file.exists, showing the names of the inputs in the answer. assert_*_are_existing_files return nothing but throws an error if is_existing_file returns FALSE.

Note

Trailing slashes are removed from paths to avoid a lot of false negatives by the underlying function file.exists.

See Also

[file.exists](#).

Examples

```
assert_all_are_existing_files(dir())
# These examples should fail.
assertive.base::dont_stop(
  assert_all_are_existing_files("not an existing file (probably)")
)
```

assert_all_are_libraries

Is the directory a known R library?

Description

Checks to see if the input directories are known R libraries.

Usage

```

assert_all_are_libraries(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
  "stop"))

assert_any_are_libraries(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
  "stop"))

is_library(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))

```

Arguments

x	Directory paths
severity	How severe should the consequences of the assertion be? Either "stop", "warning", "message", or "none".
.xname	Not intended to be used directly.

Value

is_library returns TRUE if and only if the input paths are known R package libraries. That is, they must be paths returned by .libPaths.

Note

Input paths are converted to character, and then normalized using normalizePaths.

Examples

```
is_library(c(.libPaths(), R.home()))
```

```

assert_is_bzfile_connection
  Is the input a connection?

```

Description

Various checks to see if the input is a (particular type of/open/incomplete) connection.

Usage

```

assert_is_bzfile_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
  "stop"))

assert_is_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

assert_is_fifo_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
  "stop"))

```



```
assert_is_file_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
"stop"))

assert_is_gzfile_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
"stop"))

assert_is_incomplete_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
"stop"))

assert_is_open_connection(x, rw = "",
severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

assert_is_pipe_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
"stop"))

assert_is_readable_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
"stop"))

assert_is_socket_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
"stop"))

assert_is_stderr(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

assert_is_stdin(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

assert_is_stdout(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

assert_is_terminal_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
"stop"))

assert_is_text_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
"stop"))

assert_is_unz_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
"stop"))

assert_is_url_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
"stop"))

assert_is_writable_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
"stop"))

assert_is_xzfile_connection(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
"stop"))

is_bzfile_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))

is_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
```

```
is_fifo_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_file_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_gzfile_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_incomplete_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_open_connection(x, rw = "", .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_pipe_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_readable_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_socket_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_stderr(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_stdin(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_stdout(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_terminal_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_text_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_unz_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_url_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_writable_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
is_xzfile_connection(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
```

Arguments

x	Input to check.
severity	How severe should the consequences of the assertion be? Either "stop", "warning", "message", or "none".
rw	Read-write status of connection. Passed to isOpen.
.xname	Not intended to be used directly.

Value

is_connection checks for objects of class "connection". is_open_connection and is_incomplete_connection wrap isOpen and isIncomplete respectively, providing more information on failure. is_readable_connection and is_writable_connection tell you whether the connection is readable from or writable to.

is_bzfile_connection, is_fifo_connection, is_file_connection, is_pipe_connection, is_socket_connection, is_stderr, is_stdin, is_stdout, is_text_connection, is_unz_connection, is_url_connection and is_xzfile_connection give more specific tests on the type of connection. The assert_* functions return nothing but throw an error if the corresponding is_* function returns FALSE.

Note

is_incomplete_connection will return false for closed connections, regardless of whether or not the connection ends with a newline character. (isIncomplete throws an error for closed connections.)

See Also

[isOpen](#).

Examples

```
assert_is_terminal_connection(stdin())
assert_is_readable_connection(stdin())
assert_is_open_connection(stdin())
assert_is_stdin(stdin())
# Next line is usually true but, e.g., devtools::run_examples overrides it
assertive.base::dont_stop(assert_is_terminal_connection(stdout()))
assert_is_writable_connection(stdout())
assert_is_open_connection(stdout())
assert_is_stdout(stdout())
assert_is_terminal_connection(stderr())
assert_is_writable_connection(stderr())
assert_is_open_connection(stderr())
assert_is_stderr(stderr())
tcon <- textConnection("txt", "w", local = TRUE)
assert_is_text_connection(tcon)
assert_is_open_connection(tcon)
cat("this has no final newline character", file = tcon)
assert_is_incomplete_connection(tcon)
close(tcon)
# These examples should fail.
assertive.base::dont_stop({
  assert_is_connection("not a connection")
  assert_is_readable_connection(stdout())
  assert_is_writable_connection(stdin())
})
## Not run:
fcon <- file()
close(fcon)
assert_is_open_connection(fcon)

## End(Not run)
```

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