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tinysnapshot-package Snapshots for Unit Tests using the 'tinytest' Framework

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expect_equivalent_images
```

Test if two image files are equivalent

## **Description**

Test if two image files are equivalent

# Usage

```
expect_equivalent_images(
    current,
    target,
    tol = getOption("tinysnapshot_tol", default = 0),
    metric = getOption("tinysnapshot_metric", default = "AE"),
    fuzz = getOption("tinysnapshot_fuzz", default = 0),
    style = getOption("tinysnapshot_plot_diff_style", default = c("old", "new", "diff")),
```

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review = getOption("tinysnapshot_plot_review", default = TRUE),
diffpath = NULL
)
```

# Arguments

| current  | path to an image file   |
|----------|---|
| target   | path to an image file   |
| tol      | distance estimates larger than this threshold will trigger a test failure. Scale depends on the metric argument. With the default metric="AE" (absolute error), the tolerance corresponds roughly to the number of pixels of difference between the plot and the reference image. |
| metric   | string with a metric from magick::metric_types() such as "AE" or "phash".   |
| fuzz     | relative color distance between 0 and 100 to be considered similar.   |
| style    | A character vector to control the panels of the diff image saved to file. The order and number of entries controls the side-by-side panels. Allowable values are: "old", "new", "diff".   |
| review   | logical. TRUE if a a diff plot should be saved to file for review when the expectation fails.   |
| diffpath | path where to save an image which shows the differences between current and target. NULL means that the diff image is not saved.  |

# Value

A tinytest object. A tinytest object is a logical with attributes holding information about the test that was run

expect\_snapshot\_plot Test if the new plot matches a target (snapshot) plot

# Description

This expectation can be used with tinytest to check if the new plot matches a target plot.

When the expectation is checked for the first time, the expectation fails and a reference plot is saved to the inst/tinytest/\_tinysnapshot folder.

When the expectation fails, the reference plot, the new plot, and a diff are saved to the inst/tinytest/label folder. Call the review() function to compare.

To update a snapshot, delete the reference file from the \_tinysnapshot folder and run the test suite again.

See the package README file or website for detailed examples.

## Usage

```
expect_snapshot_plot(
   current,
   label,
   width = getOption("tinysnapshot_width", default = NULL),
   height = getOption("tinysnapshot_height", default = NULL),
   tol = getOption("tinysnapshot_tol", default = 0),
   metric = getOption("tinysnapshot_metric", default = "AE"),
   fuzz = getOption("tinysnapshot_fuzz", default = 0),
   device = getOption("tinysnapshot_device", default = "svg"),
   device_args = getOption("tinysnapshot_device_args", default = list()),
   style = getOption("tinysnapshot_plot_diff_style", default = c("old", "new", "diff")),
   review = getOption("tinysnapshot_plot_review", default = TRUE),
   os = getOption("tinysnapshot_os", default = Sys.info()["sysname"])
)
```

## Arguments

| current     | an object of class ggplot or a function which returns a base R plot.  |
|-------------|---|
| label       | a string to identify the snapshot (alpha-numeric, hyphens, or underscores). Each plot in the test suite must have a unique label.   |
| width       | of the snapshot. PNG default: 480 pixels. SVG default: 7 inches.  |
| height      | of the snapshot. PNG default: 480 pixels. SVG default: 7 inches.  |
| tol         | distance estimates larger than this threshold will trigger a test failure. Scale depends on the metric argument. With the default metric="AE" (absolute error), the tolerance corresponds roughly to the number of pixels of difference between the plot and the reference image. |
| metric      | string with a metric from magick::metric_types() such as "AE" or "phash".   |
| fuzz        | relative color distance between 0 and 100 to be considered similar.   |
| device      | "svg", "png", "ragg" or "svglite"   |
| device_args | list of arguments to pass to the device call (e.g., user_fonts for svglite device).   |
| style       | A character vector to control the panels of the diff image saved to file. The order and number of entries controls the side-by-side panels. Allowable values are: "old", "new", "diff".   |
| review      | logical. TRUE if a a diff plot should be saved to file for review when the expectation fails.   |
| os          | character vector of operating systems on which the test should be run (e.g., "Windows", "Linux", "Darwin"). Tests are skipped when no element of the vector matches the output of: Sys.info()["sysname"]  |

## Value

A tinytest object. A tinytest object is a logical with attributes holding information about the test that was run

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expect\_snapshot\_print Test if printed output matches a target printout

# Description

This expectation can be used with tinytest to check if the new plot matches a target plot.

When the expectation is checked for the first time, the expectation fails and a reference text file is saved to the inst/tinytest/\_tinysnapshot folder.

To update a snapshot, delete the reference file from the \_tinysnapshot folder and run the test suite again.

See the package README file or website for detailed examples.

# Usage

```
expect_snapshot_print(
   current,
   label,
   mode = getOption("tinysnapshot_mode", default = "unified"),
   format = getOption("tinysnapshot_format", default = "ansi256"),
   ignore_white_space = getOption("tinysnapshot_ignore_white_space", default = FALSE),
   fn_current = getOption("tinysnapshot_fn_current", default = identity),
   fn_target = getOption("tinysnapshot_fn_target", default = identity),
   ...
)
```

# **Arguments**

| current            | an object which returns text to the console when calling print(x)'  |  |
|--------------------|---|--|
| label              | a string to identify the snapshot (alpha-numeric, hyphens, or underscores). Each plot in the test suite must have a unique label. |  |
| mode               | "unified", "sidebyside", "context", or "auto". See ?diffobj::diffPrint  |  |
| format             | "raw", "ansi8", "ansi256", "html", or "auto". See ?diffobj::diffPrint   |  |
| ignore_white_space |   |  |
|                    | TRUE to ignore horizontal white space and empty lines.  |  |
| fn_current         | A function to apply to the current output before comparison.  |  |
| fn_target          | A function to apply to the target output before comparison.   |  |
|                    | Additional arguments are passed to diffobj::diffPrint()   |  |

# Value

A tinytest object. A tinytest object is a logical with attributes holding information about the test that was run

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