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analyze_internal_dependencies_multi

Analyze internal dependencies in R source files

Description

Parses multiple R files to identify function definitions and their internal dependencies. Creates a comprehensive map of which functions call which other functions within the analyzed codebase.

Usage

```
analyze_internal_dependencies_multi(file_paths)
```

Arguments

`file_paths` Character vector of R file paths to analyze.

Details

This function uses `codetools::findGlobals()` to detect function calls within function bodies. Only functions defined within the analyzed files are tracked. External package functions and base R functions are not included in the dependency map.

Value

A list with the following components:

dependency_map Named list mapping function names to character vectors of their dependencies

env Environment containing all parsed functions

all_code_lines Character vector of all code lines from all files

function_file_map Named list mapping function names to their source file paths

duplicates List of functions defined in multiple files with their source locations

Examples

```
# Create temporary R files for demonstration
temp_file1 <- tempfile(fileext = ".R")
temp_file2 <- tempfile(fileext = ".R")

# Write sample R code to temporary files
writeLines(c(
  "add_numbers <- function(a, b) {"
```

```
    " a + b",
    "}",
    "",
    "calculate_sum <- function(x) {",
    "  add_numbers(x, 10)",
    "}"
  ), temp_file1)

writeLines(c(
  "multiply <- function(a, b) {",
  "  a * b",
  "}",
  "",
  "process_data <- function(x) {",
  "  result <- add_numbers(x, 5)",
  "  multiply(result, 2)",
  "}"
), temp_file2)

# Analyze the files
dep_info <- analyze_internal_dependencies_multi(c(temp_file1, temp_file2))

# View the dependency map
print(dep_info$dependency_map)

# Check for duplicate function definitions
if (length(dep_info$duplicates) > 0) {
  message("Warning: Functions defined in multiple files:")
  print(dep_info$duplicates)
}

# Clean up
unlink(c(temp_file1, temp_file2))
```

get_all_expressions *Get all parsed expressions from an R file*

Description

Reads an R source file and parses it into a list of expressions. This is a utility function primarily used internally by [analyze_internal_dependencies_multi](#).

Usage

```
get_all_expressions(file_path)
```

Arguments

file_path Character string. Path to an R file to parse.

Value

A list of parsed expressions, or NULL if parsing fails.

Examples

```
# Create a temporary R file
temp_file <- tempfile(fileext = ".R")
writeLines(c(
  "my_function <- function(x) { x + 1 }",
  "another_function <- function(y) { y * 2 }"
), temp_file)

# Parse the file
exprs <- get_all_expressions(temp_file)
if (!is.null(exprs)) {
  print(length(exprs))
}

# Clean up
unlink(temp_file)
```

get_r_files

Get all R files from a directory

Description

Recursively or non-recursively searches a directory for R source files matching a specified pattern. Returns full paths suitable for use with [analyze_internal_dependencies_multi](#).

Usage

```
get_r_files(directory, recursive = FALSE, pattern = "\\\\.R$")
```

Arguments

directory	Character string. Path to directory containing R files.
recursive	Logical. If TRUE, search subdirectories recursively. Default is FALSE.
pattern	Character string. Regular expression pattern for filenames. Default is "\\\\.R\$" (files ending in .R, case insensitive).

Value

Character vector of full paths to R files found in the directory. Returns an empty vector with a warning if no files are found.

Examples

```
# Create a temporary directory with R files
temp_dir <- tempfile()
dir.create(temp_dir)

# Create some R files
writeLines("f1 <- function(x) { x + 1 }", file.path(temp_dir, "file1.R"))
writeLines("f2 <- function(y) { y * 2 }", file.path(temp_dir, "file2.R"))

# Get all R files in the directory
files <- get_r_files(temp_dir)
print(files)

# Create subdirectory
subdir <- file.path(temp_dir, "subdir")
dir.create(subdir)
writeLines("f3 <- function(z) { z - 1 }", file.path(subdir, "file3.R"))

# Search recursively
files_recursive <- get_r_files(temp_dir, recursive = TRUE)
print(files_recursive)

# Clean up
unlink(temp_dir, recursive = TRUE)
```

plot_dependency_graph *Analyze and plot R code dependencies in one step*

Description

Convenience function that analyzes R files and directly returns the interactive dependency graph without exposing intermediate analysis results. Automatically detects whether paths are files or directories.

Usage

```
plot_dependency_graph(
  file_paths,
  include_disconnected = TRUE,
  recursive = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

file_paths Character vector of R file paths, directory paths, or a mix. The function automatically detects files vs directories.

include_disconnected Logical. If FALSE, exclude isolated nodes (functions with no dependencies) from the graph. Default is TRUE.

`recursive` Logical. If directories are encountered, search subdirectories recursively. Default is FALSE.

Details

This is a convenience wrapper around `analyze_internal_dependencies_multi` and `plot_interactive_dependency_graph`. It automatically:

- Detects whether each path is a file or directory
- Collects all R files from directories
- Analyzes function dependencies
- Creates an interactive visualization

Value

A `visNetwork` HTML widget displaying the interactive dependency graph. The graph can be saved using `htmlwidgets::saveWidget()`.

Examples

```
# Create temporary directory and files
temp_dir <- tempfile()
dir.create(temp_dir)

# Create sample R files
writeLines(c(
  "add <- function(a, b) { a + b }",
  "calc <- function(x) { add(x, 10) }"
), file.path(temp_dir, "math.R"))

writeLines(c(
  "process <- function(data) { add(data, 5) }"
), file.path(temp_dir, "process.R"))

# Analyze and plot - single file
graph <- plot_dependency_graph(file.path(temp_dir, "math.R"))

# Analyze directory
graph <- plot_dependency_graph(temp_dir)

# Exclude disconnected nodes
graph <- plot_dependency_graph(temp_dir, include_disconnected = FALSE)

# Clean up
unlink(temp_dir, recursive = TRUE)
```

`plot_interactive_dependency_graph`*Plot an interactive dependency graph*

Description

Creates an interactive network visualization of function dependencies using `visNetwork`. Nodes represent functions and edges represent function calls. The graph uses hierarchical layout with color-coding based on distance from the most-connected function.

Usage

```
plot_interactive_dependency_graph(dep_info, include_disconnected = TRUE)
```

Arguments

<code>dep_info</code>	List. Output from <code>analyze_internal_dependencies_multi</code> containing dependency information and function metadata.
<code>include_disconnected</code>	Logical. If FALSE, excludes nodes that are not connected to the center node (most-connected function). Default is TRUE.

Details

The visualization includes:

- **Node colors:** Functions are color-coded by their distance (number of hops) from the most-connected function
- **Node shapes:** Boxes for defined functions, ellipses for undefined/external functions
- **Tooltips:** Hover over nodes to see function arguments, return values, source file, and documentation
- **Interactive controls:** Zoom, pan, drag nodes, and navigation buttons

The center node (most-connected function) is fixed at position (0,0) and rendered in dark red. Other nodes are positioned using a force-directed layout.

Value

A `visNetwork` HTML widget displaying the interactive dependency graph. The widget can be displayed in RStudio Viewer, web browser, or saved to HTML using `htmlwidgets::saveWidget()`.

Examples

```
# Create temporary R files with sample code
temp_file <- tempfile(fileext = ".R")
writeLines(c(
  "helper_function <- function(x) { x * 2 }",
  "main_function <- function(a) { helper_function(a) + 1 }",
  "another_function <- function(b) { main_function(b) }"
), temp_file)

# Analyze the file
dep_info <- analyze_internal_dependencies_multi(temp_file)

# Create interactive graph
graph <- plot_interactive_dependency_graph(dep_info)

# Show only connected components
graph <- plot_interactive_dependency_graph(dep_info,
                                           include_disconnected = FALSE)

# Clean up
unlink(temp_file)
```

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