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`appender_async` *Delays executing the actual appender function to the future in a background process to avoid blocking the main R session*

Description

Delays executing the actual appender function to the future in a background process to avoid blocking the main R session

Usage

```
appender_async(
  appender,
  batch = 1,
  namespace = "async_logger",
  init = function() log_info("Background process started")
)
```

Arguments

`appender`	a `log_appender()` function with a `generator` attribute (TODO note not required, all fn will be passed if not)
`batch`	number of records to process from the queue at once
`namespace`	`logger` namespace to use for logging messages on starting up the background process
`init`	optional function to run in the background process that is useful to set up the environment required for logging, eg if the `appender` function requires some extra packages to be loaded or some environment variables to be set etc

Value

function taking `lines` argument

Note

This functionality depends on the **txtq** and **callr** packages. The R session's temp folder is used for staging files (message queue and other forms of communication between the parent and child processes).

See Also

Other log_appenders: appender_console(), appender_file(), appender_kinesis(), appender_pushbullet(), appender_slack(), appender_stdout(), appender_syslog(), appender_tee(), appender_telegram()

Examples

```
## Not run:
appender_file_slow <- function(file) {
  force(file)
  function(lines) {
    Sys.sleep(1)
    cat(lines, sep = "\n", file = file, append = TRUE)
  }
}

## log what's happening in the background
log_threshold(TRACE, namespace = "async_logger")
log_appender(appender_console, namespace = "async_logger")

## start async appender
t <- tempfile()
log_info("Logging in the background to {t}")
my_appender <- appender_async(appender_file_slow(file = t))

## use async appender
log_appender(my_appender)
log_info("Was this slow?")
system.time(for (i in 1:25) log_info(i))

readLines(t)
Sys.sleep(10)
readLines(t)

## check on the async appender (debugging, you will probably never need this)
attr(my_appender, "async_writer_queue")$count()
attr(my_appender, "async_writer_queue")$log()

attr(my_appender, "async_writer_process")$get_pid()
attr(my_appender, "async_writer_process")$get_state()
attr(my_appender, "async_writer_process")$poll_process(1)
attr(my_appender, "async_writer_process")$read()

attr(my_appender, "async_writer_process")$is_alive()
attr(my_appender, "async_writer_process")$read_error()

## End(Not run)
```

appender_console *Append log record to stderr*

Description

Append log record to stderr

Usage

```
appender_console(lines)

appender_stderr(lines)
```

Arguments

lines	character vector

See Also

Other log_appenders: appender_async(), appender_file(), appender_kinesis(), appender_pushbullet(), appender_slack(), appender_stdout(), appender_syslog(), appender_tee(), appender_telegram()

appender_file *Append log messages to a file*

Description

Log messages are written to a file with basic log rotation: when max number of lines or bytes is defined to be other than Inf, then the log file is renamed with a .1 suffix and a new log file is created. The renaming happens recursively (eg logfile.1 renamed to logfile.2) until the specified max_files, then the oldest file (logfile.{max_files-1}) is deleted.

Usage

```
appender_file(
  file,
  append = TRUE,
  max_lines = Inf,
  max_bytes = Inf,
  max_files = 1L
)
```

Arguments

file	path
append	boolean passed to cat defining if the file should be overwritten with the most recent log message instead of appending
max_lines	numeric specifying the maximum number of lines allowed in a file before rotating
max_bytes	numeric specifying the maximum number of bytes allowed in a file before rotating
max_files	integer specifying the maximum number of files to be used in rotation

Value

function taking lines argument

See Also

Other log_appenders: appender_async(), appender_console(), appender_kinesis(), appender_pushbullet(), appender_slack(), appender_stdout(), appender_syslog(), appender_tee(), appender_telegram()

Examples

```
## ------------------------------------------------------------------------
## simple example logging to a file
t <- tempfile()
log_appender(appender_file(t))
for (i in 1:25) log_info(i)
readLines(t)

## ------------------------------------------------------------------------
## more complex example of logging to file
## rotated after every 3rd line up to max 5 files

## create a folder storing the log files
t <- tempfile()
dir.create(t)
f <- file.path(t, "log")

## define the file logger with log rotation enabled
log_appender(appender_file(f, max_lines = 3, max_files = 5L))

## enable internal logging to see what's actually happening in the logrotate steps
log_threshold(TRACE, namespace = ".logger")
## log 25 messages
for (i in 1:25) log_info(i)

## see what was logged
lapply(list.files(t, full.names = TRUE), function(t) {
  cat("\n##", t, "\n")
  cat(readLines(t), sep = "\n")
})
```

appender_kinesis *Send log messages to a Amazon Kinesis stream*

Description

Send log messages to a Amazon Kinesis stream

Usage

```
appender_kinesis(stream)
```

Arguments

stream	name of the Kinesis stream

Value

function taking lines and optional partition_key argument

Note

This functionality depends on the **botor** package.

See Also

Other log_appenders: appender_async(), appender_console(), appender_file(), appender_pushbullet(), appender_slack(), appender_stdout(), appender_syslog(), appender_tee(), appender_telegram()

appender_pushbullet *Send log messages to Pushbullet*

Description

Send log messages to Pushbullet

Usage

```
appender_pushbullet(...)
```

Arguments

...	parameters passed to pbPost, such as recipients or apikey, although it's probably much better to set all these in the ~/.rpushbullet.json as per package docs at http://dirk.eddelbuettel.com/code/rpushbullet.html

Note

This functionality depends on the **RPushbullet** package.

See Also

Other log_appenders: appender_async(), appender_console(), appender_file(), appender_kinesis(), appender_slack(), appender_stdout(), appender_syslog(), appender_tee(), appender_telegram()

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appender_slack *Send log messages to a Slack channel*

Description

Send log messages to a Slack channel

Usage

```
appender_slack(
  channel = Sys.getenv("SLACK_CHANNEL"),
  username = Sys.getenv("SLACK_USERNAME"),
  icon_emoji = Sys.getenv("SLACK_ICON_EMOJI"),
  api_token = Sys.getenv("SLACK_API_TOKEN"),
  preformatted = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

channel	Slack channel name with a hashtag prefix for public channel and no prefix for private channels
username	Slack (bot) username
icon_emoji	optional override for the bot icon
api_token	Slack API token
preformatted	use code tags around the message?

Value

function taking lines argument

Note

This functionality depends on the **slackr** package.

See Also

Other log_appenders: appender_async(), appender_console(), appender_file(), appender_kinesis(), appender_pushbullet(), appender_stdout(), appender_syslog(), appender_tee(), appender_telegram()

appender_stdout *Append log record to stdout*

Description

Append log record to stdout

Usage

```
appender_stdout(lines)
```

Arguments

lines	character vector

See Also

Other log_appenders: appender_async(), appender_console(), appender_file(), appender_kinesis(), appender_pushbullet(), appender_slack(), appender_syslog(), appender_tee(), appender_telegram()

appender_syslog *Send log messages to the POSIX system log*

Description

Send log messages to the POSIX system log

Usage

```
appender_syslog(identifier, ...)
```

Arguments

identifier	A string identifying the process.
...	Further arguments passed on to rsyslog::open_syslog().

Value

function taking lines argument

Note

This functionality depends on the **rsyslog** package.

See Also

Other log_appenders: appender_async(), appender_console(), appender_file(), appender_kinesis(), appender_pushbullet(), appender_slack(), appender_stdout(), appender_tee(), appender_telegram()

Examples

```
## Not run:
if (requireNamespace("rsyslog", quietly = TRUE)) {
  log_appender(appender_syslog("test"))
  log_info("Test message.")
}

## End(Not run)
```

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appender_syslognet *Send log messages to a network syslog server*

Description

Send log messages to a network syslog server

Usage

```
appender_syslognet(identifier, server, port = 601L)
```

Arguments

identifier	program/function identification (string).
server	machine where syslog daemon runs (string).
port	port where syslog daemon listens (integer).

Value

A function taking a lines argument.

Note

This functionality depends on the **syslognet** package.

Examples

```
## Not run:
if (requireNamespace("syslognet", quietly = TRUE)) {
  log_appender(appender_syslognet("test_app", "remoteserver"))
  log_info("Test message.")
}

## End(Not run)
```

appender_tee *Append log messages to a file and stdout as well*

Description

This appends log messages to both console and a file. The same rotation options are available as in `appender_file()`.

Usage

```
appender_tee(
  file,
  append = TRUE,
  max_lines = Inf,
  max_bytes = Inf,
  max_files = 1L
)
```

Arguments

`file`	path
`append`	boolean passed to `cat` defining if the file should be overwritten with the most recent log message instead of appending
`max_lines`	numeric specifying the maximum number of lines allowed in a file before rotating
`max_bytes`	numeric specifying the maximum number of bytes allowed in a file before rotating
`max_files`	integer specifying the maximum number of files to be used in rotation

Value

function taking `lines` argument

See Also

Other `log_appenders`: `appender_async()`, `appender_console()`, `appender_file()`, `appender_kinesis()`, `appender_pushbullet()`, `appender_slack()`, `appender_stdout()`, `appender_syslog()`, `appender_telegram()`

appender_telegram *Send log messages to a Telegram chat*

Description

Send log messages to a Telegram chat

Usage

```
appender_telegram(
  chat_id = Sys.getenv("TELEGRAM_CHAT_ID"),
  bot_token = Sys.getenv("TELEGRAM_BOT_TOKEN"),
  parse_mode = NULL
)
```

Arguments

chat_id	Unique identifier for the target chat or username of the target channel (in the format @channelusername)
bot_token	Telegram Authorization token
parse_mode	Message parse mode. Allowed values: Markdown or HTML

Value

function taking `lines` argument

Note

This functionality depends on the **telegram** package.

See Also

Other log_appenders: appender_async(), appender_console(), appender_file(), appender_kinesis(), appender_pushbullet(), appender_slack(), appender_stdout(), appender_syslog(), appender_tee()

appender_void *Dummy appender not delivering the log record to anywhere*

Description

Dummy appender not delivering the log record to anywhere

Usage

```
appender_void(lines)
```

Arguments

lines	character vector

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as.loglevel *Convert R object into a logger log-level*

Description

Convert R object into a logger log-level

Usage

```
as.loglevel(x)
```

Arguments

x	string or integer

Value

pander log-level, e.g. `INFO`

Examples

```
as.loglevel(INFO)
as.loglevel(400L)
as.loglevel(400)
```

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colorize_by_log_level *Color string by the related log level*

Description

Color log messages according to their severity with either a rainbow or grayscale color scheme. The greyscale theme assumes a dark background on the terminal.

Usage

```
colorize_by_log_level(msg, level)

grayscale_by_log_level(msg, level)
```

Arguments

msg	String to color.
level	see log_levels()

Value

A string with ANSI escape codes.

Examples

```
cat(colorize_by_log_level("foobar", FATAL), "\n")
cat(colorize_by_log_level("foobar", ERROR), "\n")
cat(colorize_by_log_level("foobar", WARN), "\n")
cat(colorize_by_log_level("foobar", SUCCESS), "\n")
cat(colorize_by_log_level("foobar", INFO), "\n")
cat(colorize_by_log_level("foobar", DEBUG), "\n")
cat(colorize_by_log_level("foobar", TRACE), "\n")

cat(grayscale_by_log_level("foobar", FATAL), "\n")
cat(grayscale_by_log_level("foobar", ERROR), "\n")
cat(grayscale_by_log_level("foobar", WARN), "\n")
cat(grayscale_by_log_level("foobar", SUCCESS), "\n")
cat(grayscale_by_log_level("foobar", INFO), "\n")
cat(grayscale_by_log_level("foobar", DEBUG), "\n")
cat(grayscale_by_log_level("foobar", TRACE), "\n")
```

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delete_logger_index *Delete an index from a logger namespace*

Description

Delete an index from a logger namespace

Usage

```
delete_logger_index(namespace = "global", index)
```

Arguments

namespace	logger namespace
index	index of the logger within the namespace

deparse_to_one_line *Deparse and join all lines into a single line*

Description

Calling deparse and joining all the returned lines into a single line, separated by whitespace, and then cleaning up all the duplicated whitespace (except for excessive whitespace in strings between single or double quotes).

Usage

```
deparse_to_one_line(x)
```

Arguments

x	object to deparse

Value

string

fail_on_missing_package *Check if R package can be loaded and fails loudly otherwise*

Description

Check if R package can be loaded and fails loudly otherwise

Usage

```
fail_on_missing_package(pkg, min_version)
```

Arguments

pkg	string
min_version	optional minimum version needed

Examples

```
f <- function() fail_on_missing_package("foobar")
try(f())
g <- function() fail_on_missing_package("stats")
g()
```

`formatter_glue` *Apply* `glue` *to convert R objects into a character vector*

Description

Apply `glue` to convert R objects into a character vector

Usage

```
formatter_glue(
  ...,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

`...`	passed to `glue` for the text interpolation
`.logcall`	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
`.topcall`	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
`.topenv`	original frame of the `.topcall` calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the `namespace` as well via `logger:::top_env_name`

Value

character vector

Note

Although this is the default log message formatter function, but when **glue** is not installed, `formatter_sprintf()` will be used as a fallback.

See Also

Other `log_formatters`: `formatter_glue_or_sprintf()`, `formatter_glue_safe()`, `formatter_json()`, `formatter_logging()`, `formatter_pander()`, `formatter_paste()`, `formatter_sprintf()`

`formatter_glue_or_sprintf` *Apply* `glue` *and* `sprintf`

Description

The best of both words: using both formatter functions in your log messages, which can be useful eg if you are migrating from `sprintf` formatted log messages to `glue` or similar.

Usage

```
formatter_glue_or_sprintf(
  msg,
  ...,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

`msg`	passed to `sprintf` as `fmt` or handled as part of `...` in `glue`
`...`	passed to `glue` for the text interpolation
`.logcall`	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
`.topcall`	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
`.topenv`	original frame of the `.topcall` calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the `namespace` as well via `logger:::top_env_name`

Details

Note that this function tries to be smart when passing arguments to `glue` and `sprintf`, but might fail with some edge cases, and returns an unformatted string.

Value

character vector

See Also

Other `log_formatters`: `formatter_glue()`, `formatter_glue_safe()`, `formatter_json()`, `formatter_logging()`, `formatter_pander()`, `formatter_paste()`, `formatter_sprintf()`

Examples

```
formatter_glue_or_sprintf("{a} + {b} = %s", a = 2, b = 3, 5)
formatter_glue_or_sprintf("{pi} * {2} = %s", pi * 2)
formatter_glue_or_sprintf("{pi} * {2} = {pi*2}")

formatter_glue_or_sprintf("Hi ", "{c('foo', 'bar')}, did you know that 2*4={2*4}")
formatter_glue_or_sprintf("Hi {c('foo', 'bar')}, did you know that 2*4={2*4}")
formatter_glue_or_sprintf("Hi {c('foo', 'bar')}, did you know that 2*4=%s", 2 * 4)
formatter_glue_or_sprintf("Hi %s, did you know that 2*4={2*4}", c("foo", "bar"))
formatter_glue_or_sprintf("Hi %s, did you know that 2*4=%s", c("foo", "bar"), 2 * 4)
```

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formatter_glue_safe *Apply* glue_safe *to convert R objects into a character vector*

Description

Apply glue_safe to convert R objects into a character vector

Usage

```
formatter_glue_safe(
  ...,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

...	passed to glue_safe for the text interpolation
.logcall	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
.topcall	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
.topenv	original frame of the .topcall calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the namespace as well via logger:::top_env_name

Value

character vector

See Also

Other log_formatters: formatter_glue(), formatter_glue_or_sprintf(), formatter_json(), formatter_logging(), formatter_pander(), formatter_paste(), formatter_sprintf()

formatter_json *Transforms all passed R objects into a JSON list*

Description

Transforms all passed R objects into a JSON list

Usage

```
formatter_json(
  ...,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

`...`	passed to `toJSON` wrapped into a `list`
`.logcall`	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
`.topcall`	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
`.topenv`	original frame of the `.topcall` calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the `namespace` as well via `logger:::top_env_name`

Value

character vector

Note

This functionality depends on the **jsonlite** package.

See Also

Other `log_formatters`: `formatter_glue()`, `formatter_glue_or_sprintf()`, `formatter_glue_safe()`, `formatter_logging()`, `formatter_pander()`, `formatter_paste()`, `formatter_sprintf()`

Examples

```
log_formatter(formatter_json)
log_layout(layout_json_parser())
log_info(everything = 42)
log_info(mtcars = mtcars, species = iris$Species)
```

formatter_logging *Mimic the default formatter used in the* **logging** *package*

Description

The **logging** package uses a formatter that behaves differently when the input is a string or other R object. If the first argument is a string, then `sprintf()` is being called – otherwise it does something like `log_eval()` and logs the R expression(s) and the result(s) as well.

Usage

```
formatter_logging(
  ...,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

`...`	string and further params passed to `sprintf` or R expressions to be evaluated
`.logcall`	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
`.topcall`	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
`.topenv`	original frame of the `.topcall` calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the `namespace` as well via `logger:::top_env_name`

Value

character vector

See Also

Other `log_formatters`: `formatter_glue()`, `formatter_glue_or_sprintf()`, `formatter_glue_safe()`, `formatter_json()`, `formatter_pander()`, `formatter_paste()`, `formatter_sprintf()`

Examples

```
log_formatter(formatter_logging)
log_info("42")
log_info(42)
log_info(4 + 2)
log_info("foo %s", "bar")
log_info("vector %s", 1:3)
log_info(12, 1 + 1, 2 * 2)
```

`formatter_pander` *Formats R objects with pander*

Description

Formats R objects with pander

Usage

```
formatter_pander(
  x,
  ...,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

`x`	object to be logged
`...`	optional parameters passed to `pander`
`.logcall`	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
`.topcall`	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
`.topenv`	original frame of the `.topcall` calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the `namespace` as well via `logger:::top_env_name`

Value

character vector

Note

This functionality depends on the **pander** package.

See Also

Other `log_formatters`: `formatter_glue()`, `formatter_glue_or_sprintf()`, `formatter_glue_safe()`, `formatter_json()`, `formatter_logging()`, `formatter_paste()`, `formatter_sprintf()`

Examples

```
log_formatter(formatter_pander)
log_info("42")
log_info(42)
log_info(4 + 2)
log_info(head(iris))
log_info(head(iris), style = "simple")
log_info(lm(hp ~ wt, mtcars))
```

`formatter_paste` *Concatenate R objects into a character vector via* `paste`

Description

Concatenate R objects into a character vector via `paste`

Usage

```
formatter_paste(
  ...,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

`...`	passed to `paste`
`.logcall`	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
`.topcall`	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
`.topenv`	original frame of the `.topcall` calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the `namespace` as well via `logger:::top_env_name`

Value

character vector

See Also

Other `log_formatters`: `formatter_glue()`, `formatter_glue_or_sprintf()`, `formatter_glue_safe()`, `formatter_json()`, `formatter_logging()`, `formatter_pander()`, `formatter_sprintf()`

`formatter_sprintf` *Apply* `sprintf` *to convert R objects into a character vector*

Description

Apply `sprintf` to convert R objects into a character vector

Usage

```
formatter_sprintf(
  fmt,
  ...,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

`fmt`	passed to `sprintf`
`...`	passed to `sprintf`
`.logcall`	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
`.topcall`	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
`.topenv`	original frame of the `.topcall` calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the `namespace` as well via `logger:::top_env_name`

Value

character vector

See Also

Other `log_formatters`: `formatter_glue()`, `formatter_glue_or_sprintf()`, `formatter_glue_safe()`, `formatter_json()`, `formatter_logging()`, `formatter_pander()`, `formatter_paste()`

`get_logger_meta_variables` *Collect useful information about the logging environment to be used in log messages*

Description

Available variables to be used in the log formatter functions, eg in `layout_glue_generator()`:

Usage

```
get_logger_meta_variables(
  log_level = NULL,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

`log_level`	log level as per `log_levels()`
`namespace`	string referring to the `logger` environment / config to be used to override the target of the message record to be used instead of the default namespace, which is defined by the R package name from which the logger was called, and falls back to a common, global namespace.
`.logcall`	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
`.topcall`	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
`.topenv`	original frame of the `.topcall` calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the `namespace` as well via `logger:::top_env_name`

Details

- `levelr`: log level as an R object, eg `INFO()`
- `level`: log level as a string, eg `INFO()`
- `time`: current time as `POSIXct`
- `node`: name by which the machine is known on the network as reported by `Sys.info`
- `arch`: machine type, typically the CPU architecture
- `os_name`: Operating System's name
- `os_release`: Operating System's release
- `os_version`: Operating System's version

- `user`: name of the real user id as reported by `Sys.info`
- `pid`: the process identification number of the R session
- `node`: name by which the machine is known on the network as reported by `Sys.info`
- `r_version`: R's major and minor version as a string
- `ns`: namespace usually defaults to `global` or the name of the holding R package of the calling the logging function
- `ns_pkg_version`: the version of `ns` when it's a package
- `ans`: same as `ns` if there's a defined `logger()` for the namespace, otherwise a fallback namespace (eg usually `global`)
- `topenv`: the name of the top environment from which the parent call was called (eg R package name or `GlobalEnv`)
- `call`: parent call (if any) calling the logging function
- `fn`: function's (if any) name calling the logging function

Value

list

See Also

`layout_glue_generator()`

Other `log_layouts`: `layout_blank()`, `layout_glue()`, `layout_glue_colors()`, `layout_glue_generator()`, `layout_json()`, `layout_json_parser()`, `layout_logging()`, `layout_simple()`

`layout_blank` *Format a log record by including the raw message without anything added or modified*

Description

Format a log record by including the raw message without anything added or modified

Usage

```
layout_blank(
  level,
  msg,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

level	log level, see log_levels() for more details
msg	string message
namespace	string referring to the logger environment / config to be used to override the target of the message record to be used instead of the default namespace, which is defined by the R package name from which the logger was called, and falls back to a common, global namespace.
.logcall	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
.topcall	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
.topenv	original frame of the .topcall calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the namespace as well via logger:::top_env_name

Value

character vector

See Also

Other log_layouts: get_logger_meta_variables(), layout_glue(), layout_glue_colors(), layout_glue_generator(), layout_json(), layout_json_parser(), layout_logging(), layout_simple()

---

layout_glue *Format a log message with* glue

Description

By default, this layout includes the log level of the log record as per log_levels(), the current timestamp and the actual log message – that you can override via calling layout_glue_generator() directly. For colorized output, see layout_glue_colors().

Usage

```
layout_glue(
  level,
  msg,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

level	log level, see log_levels() for more details
msg	string message
namespace	string referring to the logger environment / config to be used to override the target of the message record to be used instead of the default namespace, which is defined by the R package name from which the logger was called, and falls back to a common, global namespace.
.logcall	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
.topcall	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
.topenv	original frame of the .topcall calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the namespace as well via logger:::top_env_name

Value

character vector

See Also

Other log_layouts: get_logger_meta_variables(), layout_blank(), layout_glue_colors(), layout_glue_generator(), layout_json(), layout_json_parser(), layout_logging(), layout_simple()

---

layout_glue_colors *Format a log message with* glue *and ANSI escape codes to add colors*

Description

Colour log levels based on their severity. Log levels are coloured with colorize_by_log_level() and the messages are coloured with grayscale_by_log_level().

Usage

```
layout_glue_colors(
  level,
  msg,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

level	log level, see log_levels() for more details
msg	string message
namespace	string referring to the logger environment / config to be used to override the target of the message record to be used instead of the default namespace, which is defined by the R package name from which the logger was called, and falls back to a common, global namespace.
.logcall	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
.topcall	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
.topenv	original frame of the .topcall calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the namespace as well via logger:::top_env_name

Value

character vector

Note

This functionality depends on the **crayon** package.

See Also

Other log_layouts: get_logger_meta_variables(), layout_blank(), layout_glue(), layout_glue_generator(), layout_json(), layout_json_parser(), layout_logging(), layout_simple()

Examples

```
log_layout(layout_glue_colors)
log_threshold(TRACE)
log_info("Starting the script...")
log_debug("This is the second line")
log_trace("That is being placed right after the first one.")
log_warn("Some errors might come!")
log_error("This is a problem")
log_debug("Getting an error is usually bad")
log_error("This is another problem")
log_fatal("The last problem.")
```

layout_glue_generator *Generate log layout function using common variables available via glue syntax*

Description

`format` is passed to `glue` with access to the below variables:

- msg: the actual log message
- further variables set by `get_logger_meta_variables()`

Usage

```
layout_glue_generator(
  format = "{level} [{format(time, \"%Y-%m-%d %H:%M:%S\")}] {msg}"
)
```

Arguments

`format`	`glue`-flavored layout of the message using the above variables

Value

function taking `level` and `msg` arguments - keeping the original call creating the generator in the `generator` attribute that is returned when calling `log_layout()` for the currently used layout

See Also

See example calls from `layout_glue()` and `layout_glue_colors()`.

Other `log_layouts`: `get_logger_meta_variables()`, `layout_blank()`, `layout_glue()`, `layout_glue_colors()`, `layout_json()`, `layout_json_parser()`, `layout_logging()`, `layout_simple()`

Examples

```
example_layout <- layout_glue_generator(
  format = "{node}/{pid}/{ns}/{ans}/{topenv}/{fn} {time} {level}: {msg}"
)
example_layout(INFO, "try {runif(1)}")

log_layout(example_layout)
log_info("try {runif(1)}")
```

layout_json *Generate log layout function rendering JSON*

Description

Generate log layout function rendering JSON

Usage

```
layout_json(fields = default_fields())
```

Arguments

fields	character vector of field names to be included in the JSON

Value

character vector

Note

This functionality depends on the **jsonlite** package.

See Also

Other log_layouts: get_logger_meta_variables(), layout_blank(), layout_glue(), layout_glue_colors(), layout_glue_generator(), layout_json_parser(), layout_logging(), layout_simple()

Examples

```
log_layout(layout_json())
log_info(42)
log_info("ok {1:3} + {1:3} = {2*(1:3)}")
```

layout_json_parser *Generate log layout function rendering JSON after merging meta fields with parsed list from JSON message*

Description

Generate log layout function rendering JSON after merging meta fields with parsed list from JSON message

Usage

```
layout_json_parser(fields = default_fields())
```

Arguments

fields	character vector of field names to be included in the JSON

Note

This functionality depends on the **jsonlite** package.

See Also

Other log_layouts: get_logger_meta_variables(), layout_blank(), layout_glue(), layout_glue_colors(), layout_glue_generator(), layout_json(), layout_logging(), layout_simple()

Examples

```
log_formatter(formatter_json)
log_info(everything = 42)

log_layout(layout_json_parser())
log_info(everything = 42)

log_layout(layout_json_parser(fields = c("time", "node")))
log_info(cars = row.names(mtcars), species = unique(iris$Species))
```

---

layout_logging *Format a log record as the logging package does by default*

Description

Format a log record as the logging package does by default

Usage

```
layout_logging(
  level,
  msg,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

level	log level, see log_levels() for more details
msg	string message

namespace	string referring to the logger environment / config to be used to override the target of the message record to be used instead of the default namespace, which is defined by the R package name from which the logger was called, and falls back to a common, global namespace.
.logcall	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
.topcall	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
.topenv	original frame of the .topcall calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the namespace as well via logger:::top_env_name

Value

character vector

See Also

Other log_layouts: get_logger_meta_variables(), layout_blank(), layout_glue(), layout_glue_colors(), layout_glue_generator(), layout_json(), layout_json_parser(), layout_simple()

Examples

```
log_layout(layout_logging)
log_info(42)
log_info(42, namespace = "everything")

## Not run:
devtools::load_all(system.file("demo-packages/logger-tester-package", package = "logger"))
logger_tester_function(INFO, 42)

## End(Not run)
```

---

layout_simple *Format a log record by concatenating the log level, timestamp and message*

Description

Format a log record by concatenating the log level, timestamp and message

Usage

```
layout_simple(
  level,
  msg,
  namespace = NA_character_,
```

```
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

level	log level, see log_levels() for more details
msg	string message
namespace	string referring to the logger environment / config to be used to override the target of the message record to be used instead of the default namespace, which is defined by the R package name from which the logger was called, and falls back to a common, global namespace.
.logcall	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
.topcall	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
.topenv	original frame of the .topcall calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the namespace as well via logger:::top_env_name

Value

character vector

See Also

Other log_layouts: get_logger_meta_variables(), layout_blank(), layout_glue(), layout_glue_colors(), layout_glue_generator(), layout_json(), layout_json_parser(), layout_logging()

---

layout_syslognet *Format a log record for syslognet*

Description

Format a log record for syslognet. This function converts the logger log level to a log severity level according to RFC 5424 "The Syslog Protocol".

Usage

```
layout_syslognet(
  level,
  msg,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

level	log level, see log_levels() for more details
msg	string message
namespace	string referring to the logger environment / config to be used to override the target of the message record to be used instead of the default namespace, which is defined by the R package name from which the logger was called, and falls back to a common, global namespace.
.logcall	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
.topcall	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
.topenv	original frame of the .topcall calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the namespace as well via logger:::top_env_name

Value

A character vector with a severity attribute.

---

logger *Generate logging utility*

Description

A logger consists of a log level threshold, a log message formatter function, a log record layout formatting function and the appender function deciding on the destination of the log record. For more details, see the package README.md.

Usage

```
logger(threshold, formatter, layout, appender)
```

Arguments

threshold	omit log messages below this log_levels()
formatter	function pre-processing the message of the log record when it's not wrapped in a skip_formatter() call
layout	function rendering the layout of the actual log record
appender	function writing the log record

Details

By default, a general logger definition is created when loading the `logger` package, that uses

- `INFO()` (or as per the `LOGGER_LOG_LEVEL` environment variable override) as the log level threshold
- `layout_simple()` as the layout function showing the log level, timestamp and log message
- `formatter_glue()` (or `formatter_sprintf()` if **glue** is not installed) as the default formatter function transforming the R objects to be logged to a character vector
- `appender_console()` as the default log record destination

Value

A function taking the log `level` to compare with the set threshold, all the `...` arguments passed to the formatter function, besides the standard `namespace`, `.logcall`, `.topcall` and `.topenv` arguments (see `log_level()` for more details). The function invisibly returns a list including the original `level`, `namespace`, all `...` transformed to a list as `params`, the log `message` (after calling the `formatter` function) and the log `record` (after calling the `layout` function), and a list of `handlers` with the `formatter`, `layout` and `appender` functions.

Note

It's quite unlikely that you need to call this function directly, but instead set the logger parameters and functions at `log_threshold()`, `log_formatter()`, `log_layout()` and `log_appender()` and then call `log_levels()` and its derivatives, such as `log_info()` directly.

References

For more details, see the Anatomy of a Log Request vignette at https://daroczig.github.io/logger/articles/anatomy.html.

Examples

```
## Not run:
do.call(logger, logger:::namespaces$global[[1]])(INFO, 42)
do.call(logger, logger:::namespaces$global[[1]])(INFO, "{pi}")
x <- 42
do.call(logger, logger:::namespaces$global[[1]])(INFO, "{x}^2 = {x^2}")

## End(Not run)
```

---

log_appender *Get or set log record appender function*

Description

Get or set log record appender function

Usage

```
log_appender(appender = NULL, namespace = "global", index = 1)
```

Arguments

appender	function delivering a log record to the destination, eg appender_console(), appender_file() or appender_tee(), default NULL
namespace	logger namespace
index	index of the logger within the namespace

See Also

Other log configutation functions: log_formatter(), log_layout(), log_threshold()

Examples

```
## change appender to "tee" that writes to the console and a file as well
t <- tempfile()
log_appender(appender_tee(t))
log_info(42)
log_info(43)
log_info(44)
readLines(t)

## poor man's tee by stacking loggers in the namespace
t <- tempfile()
log_appender(appender_stdout)
log_appender(appender_file(t), index = 2)
log_info(42)
readLines(t)
```

---

log_errors *Injects a logger call to standard errors*

Description

This function uses trace to add a log_error function call when stop is called to log the error messages with the logger layout and appender.

Usage

```
log_errors(muffle = getOption("logger_muffle_errors", FALSE))
```

Arguments

muffle	if TRUE, the error is not thrown after being logged

Examples

```
## Not run:
log_errors()
stop("foobar")

## End(Not run)
```

`log_eval` *Evaluate an expression and log results*

Description

Evaluate an expression and log results

Usage

```
log_eval(expr, level = TRACE, multiline = FALSE)
```

Arguments

`expr`	R expression to be evaluated while logging the expression itself along with the result
`level`	`log_levels()`
`multiline`	setting to `FALSE` will print both the expression (enforced to be on one line by removing line-breaks if any) and its result on a single line separated by `=>`, while setting to `TRUE` will log the expression and the result in separate sections reserving line-breaks and rendering the printed results

Examples

```
log_eval(pi * 2, level = INFO)

## lowering the log level threshold so that we don't have to set a higher level in log_eval
log_threshold(TRACE)
log_eval(x <- 4)
log_eval(sqrt(x))

## log_eval can be called in-line as well as returning the return value of the expression
x <- log_eval(mean(runif(1e3)))
x

## https://twitter.com/krlmlr/status/1067864829547999232
f <- sqrt
g <- mean
x <- 1:31
log_eval(f(g(x)), level = INFO)
log_eval(y <- f(g(x)), level = INFO)
```

```
## returning a function
log_eval(f <- sqrt)
log_eval(f)

## evaluating something returning a wall of "text"
log_eval(f <- log_eval)
log_eval(f <- log_eval, multiline = TRUE)

## doing something computationally intensive
log_eval(system.time(for (i in 1:100) mad(runif(1000))), multiline = TRUE)
```

`log_failure` *Logs the error message to console before failing*

Description

Logs the error message to console before failing

Usage

```
log_failure(expression)
```

Arguments

`expression`	call

Examples

```
log_failure("foobar")
try(log_failure(foobar))
```

`log_formatter` *Get or set log message formatter*

Description

Get or set log message formatter

Usage

```
log_formatter(formatter = NULL, namespace = "global", index = 1)
```

Arguments

formatter	function defining how R objects are converted into a single string, eg formatter_paste(), formatter_sprintf(), formatter_glue(), formatter_glue_or_sprintf(), formatter_logging(), default NULL
namespace	logger namespace
index	index of the logger within the namespace

See Also

Other log configutation functions: log_appender(), log_layout(), log_threshold()

---

log_indices *Returns number of currently active indices*

Description

Returns number of currently active indices

Usage

```
log_indices(namespace = "global")
```

Arguments

namespace	override the default / auto-picked namespace with a custom string

Value

number of indices

---

log_layout *Get or set log record layout*

Description

Get or set log record layout

Usage

```
log_layout(layout = NULL, namespace = "global", index = 1)
```

Arguments

layout	function defining the structure of a log record, eg layout_simple(), layout_glue() or layout_glue_colors(), layout_json(), or generator functions such as layout_glue_generator(), default NULL
namespace	logger namespace
index	index of the logger within the namespace

See Also

Other log configutation functions: log_appender(), log_formatter(), log_threshold()

Examples

```
log_layout(layout_json())
log_info(42)
```

---

log_level *Log a message with given log level*

Description

Log a message with given log level

Usage

```
log_level(
  level,
  ...,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)

log_fatal(
  ...,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)

log_error(
  ...,
  namespace = NA_character_,
```

```
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)

log_warn(
  ...,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)

log_success(
  ...,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)

log_info(
  ...,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)

log_debug(
  ...,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)

log_trace(
  ...,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

`level`	log level, see `log_levels()` for more details

`...`	R objects that can be converted to a character vector via the active message formatter function
`namespace`	string referring to the `logger` environment / config to be used to override the target of the message record to be used instead of the default namespace, which is defined by the R package name from which the logger was called, and falls back to a common, global namespace.
`.logcall`	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
`.topcall`	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
`.topenv`	original frame of the `.topcall` calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the `namespace` as well via `logger:::top_env_name`

Value

Invisible `list` of `logger` objects. See `logger()` for more details on the format.

Examples

```
log_level(INFO, "hi there")
log_info("hi there")

## output omitted
log_debug("hi there")

## lower threshold and retry
log_threshold(TRACE)
log_debug("hi there")

## multiple lines
log_info("ok {1:3} + {1:3} = {2*(1:3)}")

## use json layout
log_layout(layout_json(c("time", "level")))
log_info("ok {1:3} + {1:3} = {2*(1:3)}")
```

---

log_levels *Log levels*

Description

The standard Apache logj4 log levels plus a custom level for `SUCCESS`. For the full list of these log levels and suggested usage, check the below Details.

Usage

```
OFF

FATAL

ERROR

WARN

SUCCESS

INFO

DEBUG

TRACE
```

Details

List of supported log levels:

- `OFF` No events will be logged
- `FATAL` Severe error that will prevent the application from continuing
- `ERROR` An error in the application, possibly recoverable
- `WARN` An event that might possible lead to an error
- `SUCCESS` An explicit success event above the INFO level that you want to log
- `INFO` An event for informational purposes
- `DEBUG` A general debugging event
- `TRACE` A fine-grained debug message, typically capturing the flow through the application.

References

https://logging.apache.org/log4j/2.x/javadoc/log4j-api/org/apache/logging/log4j/Level.html, https://logging.apache.org/log4j/2.x/manual/customloglevels.html

---

log_messages *Injects a logger call to standard messages*

Description

This function uses `trace` to add a `log_info` function call when `message` is called to log the informative messages with the `logger` layout and appender.

Usage

```
log_messages()
```

Examples

```
## Not run:
log_messages()
message("hi there")

## End(Not run)
```

`log_namespaces` *Looks up logger namespaces*

Description

Looks up logger namespaces

Usage

```
log_namespaces()
```

Value

character vector of namespace names

`log_separator` *Logs a long line to stand out from the console*

Description

Logs a long line to stand out from the console

Usage

```
log_separator(
  level = INFO,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  separator = "=",
  width = 80,
  .logcall = sys.call(),
  .topcall = sys.call(-1),
  .topenv = parent.frame()
)
```

Arguments

level	log level, see log_levels() for more details
namespace	string referring to the logger environment / config to be used to override the target of the message record to be used instead of the default namespace, which is defined by the R package name from which the logger was called, and falls back to a common, global namespace.
separator	character to be used as a separator
width	max width of message – longer text will be wrapped into multiple lines
.logcall	the logging call being evaluated (useful in formatters and layouts when you want to have access to the raw, unevaluated R expression)
.topcall	R expression from which the logging function was called (useful in formatters and layouts to extract the calling function's name or arguments)
.topenv	original frame of the .topcall calling function where the formatter function will be evaluated and that is used to look up the namespace as well via logger:::top_env_name

See Also

log_with_separator()

Examples

```
log_separator()
log_separator(ERROR, separator = "!", width = 60)
log_separator(ERROR, separator = "!", width = 100)
logger <- layout_glue_generator(format = "{node}/{pid}/{namespace}/{fn} {time} {level}: {msg}")
log_layout(logger)
log_separator(ERROR, separator = "!", width = 100)
log_layout(layout_blank)
log_separator(ERROR, separator = "!", width = 80)
```

---

log_shiny_input_changes

Auto logging input changes in Shiny app

Description

This is to be called in the server section of the Shiny app.

Usage

```
log_shiny_input_changes(
  input,
  level = INFO,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  excluded_inputs = character()
)
```

Arguments

input	passed from Shiny's server
level	log level
namespace	the name of the namespace
excluded_inputs	character vector of input names to exclude from logging

Examples

```
## Not run:
library(shiny)

ui <- bootstrapPage(
  numericInput("mean", "mean", 0),
  numericInput("sd", "sd", 1),
  textInput("title", "title", "title"),
  textInput("foo", "This is not used at all, still gets logged", "foo"),
  passwordInput("password", "Password not to be logged", "secret"),
  plotOutput("plot")
)

server <- function(input, output) {
  logger::log_shiny_input_changes(input, excluded_inputs = "password")

  output$plot <- renderPlot({
    hist(rnorm(1e3, input$mean, input$sd), main = input$title)
  })
}

shinyApp(ui = ui, server = server)

## End(Not run)
```

---

log_threshold *Get or set log level threshold*

Description

Get or set log level threshold

Usage

```
log_threshold(level = NULL, namespace = "global", index = 1)
```

Arguments

level	see log_levels()
namespace	logger namespace
index	index of the logger within the namespace

Value

currently set log level threshold

See Also

Other log configutation functions: log_appender(), log_formatter(), log_layout()

Examples

```
## check the currently set log level threshold
log_threshold()

## change the log level threshold to WARN
log_threshold(WARN)
log_info(1)
log_warn(2)

## add another logger with a lower log level threshold and check the number of logged messages
log_threshold(INFO, index = 2)
log_info(1)
log_warn(2)

## set the log level threshold in all namespaces to ERROR
log_threshold(ERROR, namespace = log_namespaces())
```

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log_tictoc *Tic-toc logging*

Description

Tic-toc logging

Usage

```
log_tictoc(..., level = INFO, namespace = NA_character_)
```

Arguments

...	passed to log_level
level	see log_levels()
namespace	x

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Examples

```
log_tictoc("warming up")
Sys.sleep(0.1)
log_tictoc("running")
Sys.sleep(0.1)
log_tictoc("running")
Sys.sleep(runif(1))
log_tictoc("and running")
```

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log_warnings *Injects a logger call to standard warnings*

Description

This function uses `trace` to add a `log_warn` function call when `warning` is called to log the warning messages with the `logger` layout and appender.

Usage

```
log_warnings(muffle = getOption("logger_muffle_warnings", FALSE))
```

Arguments

`muffle`	if TRUE, the warning is not shown after being logged

Examples

```
## Not run:
log_warnings()
for (i in 1:5) {
  Sys.sleep(runif(1))
  warning(i)
}

## End(Not run)
```

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log_with_separator *Logs a message in a very visible way*

Description

Logs a message in a very visible way

Usage

```
log_with_separator(
  ...,
  level = INFO,
  namespace = NA_character_,
  separator = "=",
  width = 80
)
```

Arguments

...	R objects that can be converted to a character vector via the active message formatter function
level	log level, see log_levels() for more details
namespace	string referring to the logger environment / config to be used to override the target of the message record to be used instead of the default namespace, which is defined by the R package name from which the logger was called, and falls back to a common, global namespace.
separator	character to be used as a separator
width	max width of message – longer text will be wrapped into multiple lines

See Also

log_separator()

Examples

```
log_with_separator("An important message")
log_with_separator("Some critical KPI down!!!", separator = "$")
log_with_separator("This message is worth a {1e3} words")
log_with_separator(paste(
  "A very important message with a bunch of extra words that will",
  "eventually wrap into a multi-line message for our quite nice demo :wow:"
))
log_with_separator(
  paste(
    "A very important message with a bunch of extra words that will",
    "eventually wrap into a multi-line message for our quite nice demo :wow:"
  ),
  width = 60
)
log_with_separator("Boo!", level = FATAL)
log_layout(layout_blank)
log_with_separator("Boo!", level = FATAL)
logger <- layout_glue_generator(format = "{node}/{pid}/{namespace}/{fn} {time} {level}: {msg}")
log_layout(logger)
log_with_separator("Boo!", level = FATAL, width = 120)
```

skip_formatter *Skip the formatter function*

Description

Adds the `skip_formatter` attribute to an object so that logger will skip calling the formatter function(s). This is useful if you want to preprocess the log message with a custom function instead of the active formatter function(s). Note that the `message` should be a string, and `skip_formatter` should be the only input for the logging function to make this work.

Usage

```
skip_formatter(message, ...)
```

Arguments

`message`	character vector directly passed to the appender function in `logger()`
`...`	should be never set

Value

character vector with `skip_formatter` attribute set to `TRUE`

with_log_threshold *Evaluate R expression with a temporarily updated log level threshold*

Description

Evaluate R expression with a temporarily updated log level threshold

Usage

```
with_log_threshold(
  expression,
  threshold = ERROR,
  namespace = "global",
  index = 1
)
```

Arguments

`expression`	R command
`threshold`	`log_levels()`
`namespace`	logger namespace
`index`	index of the logger within the namespace

Examples

```
log_threshold(TRACE)
log_trace("Logging everything!")
x <- with_log_threshold(
  {
    log_info("Now we are temporarily suppressing eg INFO messages")
    log_warn("WARN")
    log_debug("Debug messages are suppressed as well")
    log_error("ERROR")
    invisible(42)
  },
  threshold = WARN
)
x
log_trace("DONE")
```

`%except%` *Try to evaluate an expressions and evaluate another expression on exception*

Description

Try to evaluate an expressions and evaluate another expression on exception

Usage

```
try %except% except
```

Arguments

`try`	R expression
`except`	fallback R expression to be evaluated if `try` fails

Note

Suppress log messages in the `except` namespace if you don't want to throw a `WARN` log message on the exception branch.

Examples

```
everything %except% 42
everything <- "640kb"
everything %except% 42

FunDoesNotExist(1:10) %except% sum(1:10) / length(1:10)
FunDoesNotExist(1:10) %except% (sum(1:10) / length(1:10))
FunDoesNotExist(1:10) %except% MEAN(1:10) %except% mean(1:10)
FunDoesNotExist(1:10) %except% (MEAN(1:10) %except% mean(1:10))
```

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