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as_geos_geometry.sfc *Create GEOS Geometry Vectors*

Description

Create GEOS Geometry Vectors

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sfc'
as_geos_geometry(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'sf'
as_geos_geometry(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'wk_wkb'
as_geos_geometry(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'wk_wkt'
as_geos_geometry(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'wk_xy'
as_geos_geometry(x, ...)
```

```

## S3 method for class 'wk_xyz'
as_geos_geometry(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'wk_rct'
as_geos_geometry(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'wk_crc'
as_geos_geometry(x, ...)

as_geos_geometry(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'geos_geometry'
as_geos_geometry(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'character'
as_geos_geometry(x, ..., crs = NULL)

## S3 method for class 'blob'
as_geos_geometry(x, ..., crs = NULL)

## S3 method for class 'WKB'
as_geos_geometry(x, ..., crs = NULL)

geos_geometry(crs = wk::wk_crs_inherit())

```

Arguments

x	An object to be coerced to a geometry vector
...	Unused
crs	An object that can be interpreted as a CRS

Value

A geos geometry vector

Examples

```
as_geos_geometry("LINESTRING (0 1, 3 9)")
```

geos_area

Extract information from a GEOS geometry

Description

Note that [geos_x\(\)](#), [geos_y\(\)](#), and [geos_z\(\)](#) do not handle empty points (use [geos_write_xy\(\)](#) if you need to handle this case). Similarly, the min/max functions will error on empty geometries.

Usage

geos_area(geom)
geos_length(geom)
geos_x(geom)
geos_y(geom)
geos_z(geom)
geos_xmin(geom)
geos_ymin(geom)
geos_xmax(geom)
geos_ymax(geom)
geos_minimum_clearance(geom)
geos_is_empty(geom)
geos_is_simple(geom)
geos_is_ring(geom)
geos_has_z(geom)
geos_is_closed(geom)
geos_type_id(geom)
geos_type(geom)
geos_precision(geom)
geos_srid(geom)
geos_num_coordinates(geom)
geos_num_geometries(geom)
geos_num_interior_rings(geom)
geos_num_rings(geom)
geos_dimension(geom)

```
geos_coordinate_dimension(geom)
```

```
geos_is_clockwise(geom)
```

Arguments

geom A [GEOS geometry vector](#)

Value

A vector of length geom

Examples

```
geos_area("POLYGON ((0 0, 10 0, 10 10, 0 10, 0 0))")
geos_length("POLYGON ((0 0, 10 0, 10 10, 0 10, 0 0))")
geos_x("POINT Z (1 2 3)")
geos_y("POINT Z (1 2 3)")
geos_z("POINT Z (1 2 3)")
geos_xmin("LINESTRING (0 1, 2 3)")
geos_ymin("LINESTRING (0 1, 2 3)")
geos_xmax("LINESTRING (0 1, 2 3)")
geos_ymax("LINESTRING (0 1, 2 3)")
geos_minimum_clearance("POLYGON ((0 0, 10 0, 10 10, 3 5, 0 10, 0 0))")

geos_is_empty(c("POINT EMPTY", "POINT (0 1)"))
geos_is_simple(c("LINESTRING (0 0, 1 1)", "LINESTRING (0 0, 1 1, 1 0, 0 1)"))
geos_is_ring(
  c(
    "LINESTRING (0 0, 1 0, 1 1, 0 1, 0 0)",
    "LINESTRING (0 0, 1 0, 1 1, 0 1)"
  )
)
geos_is_closed(
  c(
    "LINESTRING (0 0, 1 0, 1 1, 0 1, 0 0)",
    "LINESTRING (0 0, 1 0, 1 1, 0 1)"
  )
)
geos_has_z(c("POINT Z (1 2 3)", "POINT (1 2)"))

geos_type_id(c("POINT (0 0)", "LINESTRING (0 0, 1 1)"))
geos_srid(wk::as_wkb(c("SRID=1234;POINT (0 0)", "POINT (0 0)")))
geos_num_coordinates(c("POINT (0 0)", "MULTIPOINT (0 0, 1 1)"))
geos_num_geometries(c("POINT (0 0)", "MULTIPOINT (0 0, 1 1)"))
geos_num_interior_rings("POLYGON ((0 0, 1 0, 1 1, 0 1, 0 0))")
geos_dimension(c("POINT (0 0)", "LINESTRING (0 0, 1 1)"))
geos_coordinate_dimension(c("POINT (0 0)", "POINT Z (0 0 1)"))
```

 geos_buffer

Buffer a geometry

Description

- `geos_buffer()` returns a polygon or multipolygon geometry.
- `geos_offset_curve()` returns a linestring offset to the left by distance.

Usage

```
geos_buffer(geom, distance, params = geos_buffer_params())
```

```
geos_offset_curve(geom, distance, params = geos_buffer_params())
```

```
geos_buffer_params(
  quad_segs = 30,
  end_cap_style = c("round", "flat", "square"),
  join_style = c("round", "mitre", "bevel"),
  mitre_limit = 1,
  single_sided = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

<code>geom</code>	A GEOS geometry vector
<code>distance</code>	The buffer distance. Can be negative to buffer or offset on the righthand side of the geometry.
<code>params</code>	A geos_buffer_params()
<code>quad_segs</code>	The number of segments per quadrant. A higher number here will increase the apparent resolution of the resulting polygon.
<code>end_cap_style</code>	One of "round", "flat", or "square".
<code>join_style</code>	One of "round", "mitre", or "bevel".
<code>mitre_limit</code>	If <code>join_style</code> is "mitre", the relative extent (from zero to one) of the join.
<code>single_sided</code>	Use TRUE to buffer on only the right side of the geometry. This does not apply to geos_offset_curve() , which is always one-sided.

Value

A [GEOS geometry vector](#) along the recycled length of `geom` and `distance`.

Examples

```
geos_buffer("POINT (0 0)", 1)
geos_offset_curve("LINESTRING (0 0, 0 10, 10 0)", 1)
```

geos_centroid	<i>Geometry transformers</i>
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Description

Geometry transformers

Usage

geos_centroid(geom)

geos_boundary(geom)

geos_minimum_width(geom)

geos_minimum_clearance_line(geom)

geos_minimum_rotated_rectangle(geom)

geos_unary_union(geom)

geos_unary_union_prec(geom, grid_size)

geos_coverage_union(geom)

geos_point_on_surface(geom)

geos_node(geom)

geos_make_valid(geom)

geos_unique_points(geom)

geos_reverse(geom)

geos_merge_lines(geom)

geos_build_area(geom)

geos_envelope(geom)

geos_envelope_rct(geom)

geos_convex_hull(geom)

geos_point_start(geom)

```

geos_point_end(geom)

geos_clone(geom)

geos_set_srid(geom, srid)

geos_point_n(geom, index)

geos_simplify(geom, tolerance)

geos_simplify_preserve_topology(geom, tolerance)

geos_set_precision(
  geom,
  grid_size,
  preserve_topology = TRUE,
  keep_collapsed = FALSE
)

geos_normalize(geom)

geos_clip_by_rect(geom, rect)

```

Arguments

geom	A GEOS geometry vector
grid_size	For <code>_prec()</code> variants, the grid size such that all vertices of the resulting geometry will lie on the grid.
srid	An integer spatial reference identifier.
index	The index of the point or geometry to extract.
tolerance	A minimum distance to use for simplification. Use a higher value for more simplification.
preserve_topology	Should topology internal to each feature be preserved?
keep_collapsed	Should items that become EMPTY due to rounding be kept in the output?
rect	A <code>list()</code> representing rectangles in the form <code>list(xmin,ymin,xmax,ymax)</code> . List items with length 1 will be recycled to the length of the longest item.

Value

A [GEOS geometry vector](#) of length geom

Examples

```

geos_centroid(c("POINT (0 1)", "LINESTRING (0 0, 1 1)"))
geos_boundary(c("POLYGON ((0 0, 1 0, 0 1, 0 0))", "LINESTRING (0 0, 1 1)"))
geos_minimum_width("POLYGON ((0 0, 1 0, 0 1, 0 0))")

```



```

geos_minimum_clearance_line("POLYGON ((0 0, 10 0, 10 10, 3 5, 0 10, 0 0))")
geos_minimum_rotated_rectangle("POLYGON ((0 0, 1 0, 0.5 0.5, 0 0))")
geos_minimum_bounding_circle("LINESTRING (-1 -1, 1 1)")
geos_unary_union("MULTIPOINT (0 1, 0 1)")
geos_point_on_surface("LINESTRING (0 1, 0.2 3, 10 10)")
geos_node("POLYGON ((0 0, 1 0, 0 1, 0 0))")
geos_make_valid("POLYGON ((0 0, 1 1, 1 0, 0 1, 0 0))")
geos_unique_points("POLYGON ((0 0, 1 0, 0 1, 0 0))")
geos_reverse("LINESTRING (0 0, 1 1)")
geos_merge_lines(
  "MULTILINESTRING ((0 0, 0.5 0.5, 2 2), (0.5 0.5, 2 2))"
)
geos_build_area("LINESTRING (0 0, 1 0, 0 1, 0 0)")
geos_envelope("LINESTRING (0 0, 1 2)")
geos_convex_hull("MULTIPOINT (0 0, 1 0, 0 2, 0 0)")
geos_point_start("LINESTRING (0 0, 1 1)")
geos_point_end("LINESTRING (0 0, 1 1)")

geos_simplify("LINESTRING (0 0, 0 1, 0 2)", 0.1)
geos_simplify_preserve_topology("LINESTRING (0 0, 0 1, 0 2)", 0.1)

```

geos_delaunay_triangles

Delaunay triangulations and Voronoi diagrams

Description

These functions return one triangulation/diagram per feature as a multi geometry. These functions are not vectorized along their parameters.

Usage

```

geos_delaunay_triangles(geom, tolerance = 0)

geos_delaunay_edges(geom, tolerance = 0)

geos_voronoi_polygons(geom, env = NULL, tolerance = 0)

geos_voronoi_edges(geom, env = NULL, tolerance = 0)

```

Arguments

geom	A GEOS geometry vector whose nodes will be used as input.
tolerance	A snapping tolerance or 0 to disable snapping
env	A boundary for the diagram, or NULL to construct one based on the input

Value

A GEOS geometry vector of length geom

Examples

```
geos_delaunay_triangles("MULTIPOINT (0 0, 1 0, 0 1)")
geos_delaunay_edges("MULTIPOINT (0 0, 1 0, 0 1)")

geos_voronoi_polygons("MULTIPOINT (0 0, 1 0, 0 1)")
geos_voronoi_edges("MULTIPOINT (0 0, 1 0, 0 1)")
```

geos_disjoint

Binary predicates

Description

Binary predicates

Usage

```
geos_disjoint(geom1, geom2)
geos_touches(geom1, geom2)
geos_intersects(geom1, geom2)
geos_crosses(geom1, geom2)
geos_within(geom1, geom2)
geos_contains(geom1, geom2)
geos_overlaps(geom1, geom2)
geos_equals(geom1, geom2)
geos_equals_exact(geom1, geom2, tolerance = .Machine$double.eps^2)
geos_covers(geom1, geom2)
geos_covered_by(geom1, geom2)
geos_prepared_disjoint(geom1, geom2)
geos_prepared_touches(geom1, geom2)
```

```
geos_prepared_intersects(geom1, geom2)
geos_prepared_crosses(geom1, geom2)
geos_prepared_within(geom1, geom2)
geos_prepared_contains(geom1, geom2)
geos_prepared_contains_properly(geom1, geom2)
geos_prepared_overlaps(geom1, geom2)
geos_prepared_covers(geom1, geom2)
geos_prepared_covered_by(geom1, geom2)
```

Arguments

geom1 [GEOS geometry vectors](#), recycled to a common length.
geom2 [GEOS geometry vectors](#), recycled to a common length.
tolerance The maximum separation of vertices that should be considered equal.

Value

A logical vector along the recycled length of geom1 and geom2

geos_disjoint_matrix *Matrix predicates*

Description

Matrix predicates

Usage

```
geos_disjoint_matrix(geom, tree)
geos_touches_matrix(geom, tree)
geos_intersects_matrix(geom, tree)
geos_crosses_matrix(geom, tree)
geos_within_matrix(geom, tree)
geos_contains_matrix(geom, tree)
```

```
geos_contains_properly_matrix(geom, tree)
geos_overlaps_matrix(geom, tree)
geos_equals_matrix(geom, tree)
geos_equals_exact_matrix(geom, tree, tolerance = .Machine$double.eps^2)
geos_covers_matrix(geom, tree)
geos_covered_by_matrix(geom, tree)
geos_disjoint_any(geom, tree)
geos_touches_any(geom, tree)
geos_intersects_any(geom, tree)
geos_crosses_any(geom, tree)
geos_within_any(geom, tree)
geos_contains_any(geom, tree)
geos_contains_properly_any(geom, tree)
geos_overlaps_any(geom, tree)
geos_equals_any(geom, tree)
geos_equals_exact_any(geom, tree, tolerance = .Machine$double.eps^2)
geos_covers_any(geom, tree)
geos_covered_by_any(geom, tree)
```

Arguments

<code>geom</code>	A GEOS geometry vector
<code>tree</code>	A geos_strtree()
<code>tolerance</code>	The maximum separation of vertices that should be considered equal.

Value

A `list()` of integer vectors containing the indices of `tree` for which the predicate would return TRUE.

geos_distance	<i>Distance calculations</i>
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Description

Distance calculations

Usage

```
geos_distance(geom1, geom2)
geos_prepared_distance(geom1, geom2)
geos_distance_indexed(geom1, geom2)
geos_distance_hausdorff(geom1, geom2, densify = NULL)
geos_distance_frechet(geom1, geom2, densify = NULL)
```

Arguments

geom1, geom2	GEOS geometry vectors , recycled to a common length.
densify	A fraction between 0 and 1 denoting the degree to which edges should be subdivided (smaller value means more subdivisions). Use NULL to calculate the distance as-is.

Value

A numeric vector along the recycled length of geom1 and geom2

geos_empty	<i>Create empty geometries</i>
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Description

Create empty geometries

Usage

```
geos_empty(type_id = "geometrycollection", crs = wk::wk_crs_inherit())
as_geos_type_id(type_id)

## Default S3 method:
as_geos_type_id(type_id)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'character'
as_geos_type_id(type_id)

## S3 method for class 'numeric'
as_geos_type_id(type_id)
```

Arguments

`type_id` The numeric type identifier for which an empty should be returned, an object from which one can be extracted using `as_geos_type_id()` (default to calling `geos_type_id()`). This is most usefully a character vector with the geometry type (e.g., point, linestring, polygon).

`crs` An object that can be interpreted as a CRS

Value

A [GEOS geometry vector](#).

Examples

```
geos_empty(c("point", "linestring", "polygon"))
geos_empty(1:7)
geos_empty(geos_read_wkt(c("POINT (0 1)", "LINESTRING (0 0, 1 1)")))
```

<code>geos_geometry_n</code>	<i>Access child geometries</i>
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Description

Access child geometries

Usage

```
geos_geometry_n(geom, n)

geos_ring_n(geom, n)
```

Arguments

`geom` A [GEOS geometry vector](#)

`n` The (one-based) index of the child geometry

Value

A [GEOS geometry vector](#) along the recycled length of `geom` and `i`.

Examples

```

multipoint <- "MULTIPOINT (0 0, 1 1, 2 2)"
geos_geometry_n(multipoint, seq_len(geos_num_geometries(multipoint)))

poly <- "POLYGON ((0 0, 0 1, 1 0, 0 0), (0.1 0.1, 0.1 0.2, 0.2 0.1, 0.1 0.1))"
geos_ring_n(poly, seq_len(geos_num_rings(poly)))

```

geos_intersection *Binary geometry operators*

Description

- `geos_intersection()` returns the set of points common to both x and y.
- `geos_difference()` returns the set of points from x that are not contained by y.
- `geos_sym_difference()` returns the set of points that are *not* common to x and y.
- `geos_union()` returns the set of points contained by either x or y.
- `geos_shared_paths()` returns a GEOMETRYCOLLECTION containing two MULTILINESTRINGS: the first containing paths in the same direction, the second containing common paths in the opposite direction.
- `geos_snap()` snaps the vertices of x within tolerance of y to y.

Usage

```

geos_intersection(geom1, geom2)

geos_difference(geom1, geom2)

geos_sym_difference(geom1, geom2)

geos_union(geom1, geom2)

geos_intersection_prec(geom1, geom2, grid_size)

geos_difference_prec(geom1, geom2, grid_size)

geos_sym_difference_prec(geom1, geom2, grid_size)

geos_union_prec(geom1, geom2, grid_size)

geos_shared_paths(geom1, geom2)

geos_snap(geom1, geom2, tolerance = .Machine$double.eps^2)

geos_clearance_line_between(geom1, geom2, prepare = FALSE)

```

Arguments

geom1	GEOS geometry vectors, recycled to a common length.
geom2	GEOS geometry vectors, recycled to a common length.
grid_size	For <code>_prec()</code> variants, the grid size such that all vertices of the resulting geometry will lie on the grid.
tolerance	The maximum separation of vertices that should be considered equal.
prepare	Use prepared geometries to calculate clearance line

Value

A [GEOS geometry vector](#) along the recycled length of geom1 and geom2.

Examples

```
poly1 <- "POLYGON ((0 0, 0 10, 10 10, 10 0, 0 0))"
poly2 <- "POLYGON ((5 5, 5 15, 15 15, 15 5, 5 5))"

geos_intersection(poly1, poly2)
geos_difference(poly1, poly2)
geos_sym_difference(poly1, poly2)
geos_union(poly1, poly2)

line <- "LINESTRING (11 0, 11 10)"
geos_snap(poly1, line, tolerance = 2)

geos_shared_paths("LINESTRING (0 0, 1 1, 2 2)", "LINESTRING (3 3, 2 2, 1 1)")
```

geos_is_valid	<i>Geometry validity</i>
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Description

- `geos_is_valid()` returns a logical vector denoting if each feature is a valid geometry.
- `geos_is_valid_detail()` returns a data frame with columns `is_valid` (logical), `reason` (character), and `location` ([geos_geometry](#)).

Usage

```
geos_is_valid(geom)

geos_is_valid_detail(geom, allow_self_touching_ring_forming_hole = FALSE)
```

Arguments

geom	A GEOS geometry vector
allow_self_touching_ring_forming_hole	It's all in the name

Examples

```

geos_is_valid(
  c(
    "POLYGON ((0 0, 1 0, 1 1, 0 1, 0 0))",
    "POLYGON ((0 0, 1 1, 1 0, 0 1, 0 0))"
  )
)

geos_is_valid_detail(
  c(
    "POLYGON ((0 0, 1 0, 1 1, 0 1, 0 0))",
    "POLYGON ((0 0, 1 1, 1 0, 0 1, 0 0))"
  )
)

```

geos_largest_empty_circle_spec
Circular approximations

Description

Circular approximations

Usage

```

geos_largest_empty_circle_spec(geom, boundary, tolerance)
geos_largest_empty_crc(geom, boundary, tolerance)
geos_minimum_bounding_circle(geom)
geos_minimum_bounding_crc(geom)
geos_maximum_inscribed_circle_spec(geom, tolerance)
geos_maximum_inscribed_crc(geom, tolerance)

```

Arguments

geom	A GEOS geometry vector
boundary	An outer boundary for the largest empty circle algorithm.
tolerance	Threshold for considering circles to be touching a boundary.

geos_make_point *Create geometries from vectors of coordinates*

Description

Create geometries from vectors of coordinates

Usage

```
geos_make_point(x, y, z = NA_real_, crs = NULL)

geos_make_linestring(x, y, z = NA_real_, feature_id = 1L, crs = NULL)

geos_make_polygon(
  x,
  y,
  z = NA_real_,
  feature_id = 1L,
  ring_id = 1L,
  crs = NULL
)

geos_make_collection(geom, type_id = "geometrycollection", feature_id = 1L)
```

Arguments

x	Vectors of coordinate values
y	Vectors of coordinate values
z	Vectors of coordinate values
crs	An object that can be interpreted as a CRS
feature_id	Vectors for which a change in sequential values indicates a new feature or ring. Use factor() to convert from a character vector.
ring_id	Vectors for which a change in sequential values indicates a new feature or ring. Use factor() to convert from a character vector.
geom	A GEOS geometry vector
type_id	The numeric type identifier for which an empty should be returned, an object from which one can be extracted using as_geos_type_id() (default to calling geos_type_id()). This is most usefully a character vector with the geometry type (e.g., point, linestring, polygon).

Value

A [GEOS geometry vector](#)

Examples

```
geos_make_point(1:3, 1:3)
geos_make_linestring(1:3, 1:3)
geos_make_polygon(c(0, 1, 0), c(0, 0, 1))
geos_make_collection("POINT (1 1)")
```

geos_nearest	<i>Find the closest feature</i>
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Description

Finds the closest item index in tree to geom, vectorized along geom.

Usage

```
geos_nearest(geom, tree)
geos_nearest_indexed(geom, tree)
geos_nearest_hausdorff(geom, tree, densify = NULL)
geos_nearest_frechet(geom, tree, densify = NULL)
```

Arguments

geom	A GEOS geometry vector
tree	A geos_strtree()
densify	A fraction between 0 and 1 denoting the degree to which edges should be subdivided (smaller value means more subdivisions). Use NULL to calculate the distance as-is.

Value

An integer vector of length geom containing the index of tree that is closest to each feature in geom.

geos_polygonize *Create polygons from noded edges*

Description

Create polygons from noded edges

Usage

```
geos_polygonize(collection)
```

```
geos_polygonize_valid(collection)
```

```
geos_polygonize_cut_edges(collection)
```

```
geos_polygonize_full(collection)
```

Arguments

collection A GEOMETRYCOLLECTION or MULTILINESTRING of edges that meet at their endpoints.

Value

A GEOMETRYCOLLECTION of polygons

Examples

```
geos_polygonize("MULTILINESTRING ((0 0, 0 1), (0 1, 1 0), (1 0, 0 0))")
geos_polygonize_valid("MULTILINESTRING ((0 0, 0 1), (0 1, 1 0), (1 0, 0 0))")
geos_polygonize_cut_edges("MULTILINESTRING ((0 0, 0 1), (0 1, 1 0), (1 0, 0 0))")
```

geos_project *Linear referencing*

Description

- `geos_project()` and `geos_project_normalized()` return the distance of point `geom2` projected on `geom1` from the origin of `geom1`, which must be a lineal geometry.
- `geos_interpolate()` performs an inverse operation, returning the point along `geom` representing the given distance from the origin along the geometry.
- `_normalized()` variants use a distance normalized to the `geos_length()` of the geometry.

Usage

```

geos_project(geom1, geom2)

geos_project_normalized(geom1, geom2)

geos_interpolate(geom, distance)

geos_interpolate_normalized(geom, distance_normalized)

```

Arguments

geom1	GEOS geometry vectors , recycled to a common length.
geom2	GEOS geometry vectors , recycled to a common length.
geom	A GEOS geometry vector
distance	Distance along the linestring to interpolate
distance_normalized	Distance along the linestring to interpolate relative to the length of the linestring.

Examples

```

geos_interpolate("LINESTRING (0 0, 1 1)", 1)
geos_interpolate_normalized("LINESTRING (0 0, 1 1)", 1)

geos_project("LINESTRING (0 0, 10 10)", "POINT (5 5)")
geos_project_normalized("LINESTRING (0 0, 10 10)", "POINT (5 5)")

```

geos_read_wkt	<i>Read and write well-known text</i>
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Description

Read and write well-known text

Usage

```

geos_read_wkt(wkt, crs = NULL)

geos_write_wkt(geom, include_z = TRUE, precision = 16, trim = TRUE)

geos_read_wkb(wkb, crs = NULL)

geos_write_wkb(geom, include_z = TRUE, include_srid = FALSE, endian = 1)

geos_read_hex(hex, crs = NULL)

```

```
geos_write_hex(geom, include_z = TRUE, include_srid = FALSE, endian = 1)
```

```
geos_read_xy(point)
```

```
geos_write_xy(geom)
```

Arguments

wkt	a character() vector of well-known text
crs	An object that can be interpreted as a CRS
geom	A GEOS geometry vector
include_z, include_srid	Include the values of the Z and M coordinates and/or SRID in the output? Use FALSE to omit, TRUE to include, or NA to include only if present. Note that using TRUE may result in an error if there is no value present in the original.
precision	The number of significant digits to include in WKT output.
trim	Trim unnecessary zeroes in the output?
wkb	A list() of raw() vectors (or NULL representing an NA value).
endian	0 for big endian or 1 for little endian.
hex	A hexadecimal representation of well-known binary
point	A list() representing points in the form list(x,y).

Examples

```
geos_read_wkt("POINT (30 10)")
geos_write_wkt(geos_read_wkt("POINT (30 10)"))
```

geos_relate *Dimensionally extended 9 intersection model*

Description

See the [Wikipedia entry on DE-9IM](#) for how to interpret pattern, match, and the result of [geos_relate\(\)](#) and/or [geos_relate_pattern_create\(\)](#).

Usage

```
geos_relate(geom1, geom2, boundary_node_rule = "mod2")
```

```
geos_relate_pattern(geom1, geom2, pattern, boundary_node_rule = "mod2")
```

```
geos_relate_pattern_match(match, pattern)
```

```
geos_relate_pattern_create(
```

```

II = "*",
IB = "*",
IE = "*",
BI = "*",
BB = "*",
BE = "*",
EI = "*",
EB = "*",
EE = "*"
)

```

Arguments

geom1 [GEOS geometry vectors](#), recycled to a common length.

geom2 [GEOS geometry vectors](#), recycled to a common length.

boundary_node_rule One of "mod2", "endpoint", "multivalent_endpoint", or "monovalent_endpoint".

pattern, match A character vector representing the match

II, IB, IE, BI, BB, BE, EI, EB, EE One of "0", "1", "2", "T", "F", or "*" describing the dimension of the intersection between the interior (I), boundary (B), and exterior (E).

Examples

```

geos_relate_pattern_match("FF*FF1***", c(NA, "FF*FF****", "FF*FF***F"))
geos_relate("POINT (0 0)", "POINT (0 0)")
geos_relate_pattern("POINT (0 0)", "POINT (0 0)", "T*****")
geos_relate_pattern_create(II = "T")

```

geos_segment_intersection

Segment operations

Description

Segment operations

Usage

```

geos_segment_intersection(a, b)

geos_orientation_index(a, point)

```

Arguments

a, b A list() representing segments in the form list(x0,y0,x1,y1). List items with length 1 will be recycled to the length of the longest item.

point A list() representing points in the form list(x,y).

Value

geos_segment_intersection() returns a list(x,y); geos_orientation_index() returns -1, 0 or 1, depending if the point lies to the right of (-1), is colinear with (0) or lies to the left of (1) the segment (as judged from the start of the segment looking towards the end).

Examples

```
geos_segment_intersection(
  list(0, 0, 10, 10),
  list(10, 0, 0, 10)
)

geos_orientation_index(
  list(0, 0, 10, 10),
  list(15, c(12, 15, 17))
)
```

 geos_strtree

Create a GEOS STRTree

Description

Create a GEOS STRTree

Usage

```
geos_strtree(geom, node_capacity = 10L)

geos_strtree_query(tree, geom)

geos_strtree_data(tree)

as_geos_strtree(x, ...)

## Default S3 method:
as_geos_strtree(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'geos_strtree'
as_geos_strtree(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'geos_geometry'
as_geos_strtree(x, ...)
```


Arguments

geom	A GEOS geometry vector
node_capacity	The maximum number of child nodes that a node may have. The minimum recommended capacity value is 4. If unsure, use a default node capacity of 10.
tree	A geos_strtree()
x	An object to convert to a geos_strtree()
...	Unused

Value

A `geos_str_tree` object

geos_unnest	<i>Unnest nested geometries</i>
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Description

Unnest nested geometries

Usage

```
geos_unnest(geom, keep_empty = FALSE, keep_multi = TRUE, max_depth = 1)
```

Arguments

geom	A GEOS geometry vector
keep_empty	If TRUE, a GEOMETRYCOLLECTION EMPTY is left as-is rather than collapsing to length 0.
keep_multi	If TRUE, MULTI* geometries are not expanded to sub-features.
max_depth	The maximum recursive GEOMETRYCOLLECTION depth to unnest.

Value

A [GEOS geometry vector](#) with a length greater than or equal to `geom` with an attribute "lengths" that can be used to map elements of the result to the original item.

Examples

```
geos_unnest("GEOMETRYCOLLECTION (POINT (1 2), POINT (3 4))")
```

geos_version *GEOS version information*

Description

GEOS version information

Usage

```
geos_version(runtime = TRUE)
```

Arguments

runtime Use FALSE to return the build-time GEOS version, which may be different than the runtime version if a different version of the [libgeos package](#) was used to build this package.

Examples

```
geos_version()
geos_version(runtime = FALSE)

# check for a minimum version of GEOS
geos_version() >= "3.8.1"
```

plot.geos_geometry *Plot GEOS geometries*

Description

Plot GEOS geometries

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'geos_geometry'
plot(
  x,
  ...,
  asp = 1,
  bbox = NULL,
  xlab = "",
  ylab = "",
  rule = "evenodd",
  add = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	A GEOS geometry vector
<code>...</code>	Passed to plotting functions for features: graphics::points() for point and multipoint geometries, graphics::lines() for linestring and multilinestring geometries, and graphics::polypath() for polygon and multipolygon geometries.
<code>asp</code>	Passed to graphics::plot()
<code>bbox</code>	The limits of the plot in the form returned by wkt_ranges() .
<code>xlab</code>	Passed to graphics::plot()
<code>ylab</code>	Passed to graphics::plot()
<code>rule</code>	The rule to use for filling polygons (see graphics::polypath())
<code>add</code>	Should a new plot be created, or should <code>x</code> be added to the existing plot?

Value

The input, invisibly

Examples

```
if (requireNamespace("wkutils")) {
  plot(as_geos_geometry("LINESTRING (0 0, 1 1)"))
  plot(as_geos_geometry("POINT (0.5 0.4)"), add = TRUE)
}
```

vctrs-methods

Vctrs methods

Description

Vctrs methods

Usage

```
vec_cast.geos_geometry(x, to, ...)
```

```
vec_ptype2.geos_geometry(x, y, ...)
```

Arguments

`x`, `y`, `to`, `...` See [vctrs::vec_cast\(\)](#) and [vctrs::vec_ptype2\(\)](#).

Description

Compatibility with the wk package

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'geos_geometry'  
wk_handle(handleable, handler, ...)  
  
geos_geometry_writer()  
  
## S3 method for class 'geos_geometry'  
wk_writer(handleable, ...)
```

Arguments

handleable	A geometry vector (e.g., <code>wkb()</code> , <code>wkt()</code> , <code>xy()</code> , <code>rct()</code> , or <code>sf::st_sfc()</code>) for which <code>wk_handle()</code> is defined.
handler	A <code>wk_handler</code> object.
...	Passed to the <code>wk_handle()</code> method.

Value

The result of the handler

Examples

```
library(wk)  
wk_handle(as_geos_geometry("POINT (1 2)"), wk::wkt_writer())
```

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