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Dynamic branching over VDAT files

#### Description

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## Usage

```
tar_vdat_read(
  name,
  vdat_dirs,
  csv_outdir,
  batch_size = 10,
  batches = NULL,
  format = c("file", "file_fast", "url", "aws_file"),
  repository = targets::tar_option_get("repository"),
  iteration = targets::tar_option_get("iteration"),
  error = targets::tar_option_get("error"),
 memory = targets::tar_option_get("memory"),
  garbage_collection = targets::tar_option_get("garbage_collection"),
  priority = targets::tar_option_get("priority"),
  resources = targets::tar_option_get("resources"),
  cue = targets::tar_option_get("cue")
)
```

#### **Arguments**

name

Symbol, name of the target. A target name must be a valid name for a symbol in R, and it must not start with a dot. Subsequent targets can refer to this name symbolically to induce a dependency relationship: e.g. tar\_target(downstream\_target, f(upstream\_target)) is a target named downstream\_target which depends on a target upstream\_target and a function f(). In addition, a target's name determines its random number generator seed. In this way, each target runs with a reproducible seed so someone else running the same pipeline should get the same results, and no two targets in the same pipeline share the same seed. (Even dynamic branches have different names and thus different seeds.) You can recover the seed of a completed target with tar\_meta(your\_target, seed) and run tar\_seed\_set() on the result to locally recreate the target's initial RNG state.

vdat\_dirs

Nonempty character vector of known existing directories of VDAT files to track

for changes.

csv\_outdir

file path to the output directory

batch\_size

Positive integer of length 1, number of files to partition into a batch. The default is ten files per batch.

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batches

Positive integer of length 1, number of batches to partition the files. The default is one file per batch (maximum number of batches) which is simplest to handle but could cause a lot of overhead and consume a lot of computing resources. Consider reducing the number of batches below the number of files for heavy workloads.

format

Character, either "file", "file\_fast", or "url". See the format argument of targets::tar\_target() for details.

repository

Character of length 1, remote repository for target storage. Choices:

- "local": file system of the local machine.
- "aws": Amazon Web Services (AWS) S3 bucket. Can be configured with a non-AWS S3 bucket using the endpoint argument of tar\_resources\_aws(), but versioning capabilities may be lost in doing so. See the cloud storage section of https://books.ropensci.org/targets/data.html for details for instructions.
- "gcp": Google Cloud Platform storage bucket. See the cloud storage section of https://books.ropensci.org/targets/data.html for details for instructions

Note: if repository is not "local" and format is "file" then the target should create a single output file. That output file is uploaded to the cloud and tracked for changes where it exists in the cloud. The local file is deleted after the target runs.

iteration

Character, iteration method. Must be a method supported by the iteration argument of targets::tar\_target(). The iteration method for the upstream target is always "list" in order to support batching.

error

Character of length 1, what to do if the target stops and throws an error. Options:

- "stop": the whole pipeline stops and throws an error.
- "continue": the whole pipeline keeps going.
- "abridge": any currently running targets keep running, but no new targets launch after that. (Visit <a href="https://books.ropensci.org/targets/debugging.html">https://books.ropensci.org/targets/debugging.html</a> to learn how to debug targets using saved workspaces.)
- "null": The errored target continues and returns NULL. The data hash is deliberately wrong so the target is not up to date for the next run of the pipeline.

memory

Character of length 1, memory strategy. If "persistent", the target stays in memory until the end of the pipeline (unless storage is "worker", in which case targets unloads the value from memory right after storing it in order to avoid sending copious data over a network). If "transient", the target gets unloaded after every new target completes. Either way, the target gets automatically loaded into memory whenever another target needs the value. For cloud-based dynamic files (e.g. format = "file" with repository = "aws"), this memory strategy applies to the temporary local copy of the file: "persistent" means it remains until the end of the pipeline and is then deleted, and "transient" means it gets deleted as soon as possible. The former conserves bandwidth, and the latter conserves local storage.

garbage\_collection

Logical, whether to run base::gc() just before the target runs.

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priority Numeric of length 1 between 0 and 1. Controls which targets get deployed first

when multiple competing targets are ready simultaneously. Targets with priorities closer to 1 get dispatched earlier (and polled earlier in tar\_make\_future()).

resources Object returned by tar\_resources() with optional settings for high-performance

computing functionality, alternative data storage formats, and other optional ca-

pabilities of targets. See tar\_resources() for details.

cue An optional object from tar\_cue() to customize the rules that decide whether

the target is up to date. Only applies to the downstream target. The upstream

target always runs.

#### **Examples**

# example code

tar\_vue\_csvs

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Nonempty character vector of known existing directories of CSV files to track for changes.

pattern

a regular expression to search for the applicable CSV files. Defaults to "^[VH]R.\*\\.csv\$".

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#### **Examples**

```
targets::tar_dir({
 ## Download example data
 download.file(
    file.path('https://raw.githubusercontent.com/ocean-tracking-network/glatos',
              'main/inst/extdata/VR2W_109924_20110718_1.csv'),
    'VR2W_109924_20110718_1.csv'
 )
 for(i in 2:12){
    file.copy(
      'VR2W_109924_20110718_1.csv',
      paste0('VR2W_109924_20110718_', i, '.csv')
   )
 }
 ## Run workflow
 targets::tar_script({
   list(
      telemetar::tar_vue_csvs(
        my_detections,
        getwd()
   )
 })
 targets::tar_make(callr_function = NULL)
})
```

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