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assert_all_are_existing
Does the variable exist?

Description

Checks to see if the input variables exist.

Usage

```
assert_all_are_existing(x, envir = parent.frame(), inherits = TRUE,
  severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))
```

```
assert_any_are_existing(x, envir = parent.frame(), inherits = TRUE,
  severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))
```

```
is_existing(x, envir = parent.frame(), inherits = TRUE,
  .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
```

Arguments

x	Input to check.
envir	Passed to exists.
inherits	Passed to exists.
severity	How severe should the consequences of the assertion be? Either "stop", "warning", "message", or "none".
.xname	Not intended to be used directly.

Value

is_existing is a vectorized wrapper to exists, providing more information on failure (and with a simplified interface). The assert_* functions return nothing but throw an error if is_existing returns FALSE.

See Also

[exists](#).

Examples

```
e <- new.env()
e$x <- 1
e$y <- 2
assert_all_are_existing(c("x", "y"), envir = e)
#These examples should fail.
assertive.base::dont_stop(assert_all_are_existing(c("x", "z"), envir = e))
```

```
assert_all_are_valid_variable_names
```

Is the string a valid variable name?

Description

Checks strings to see if they are valid variable names.

Usage

```
assert_all_are_valid_variable_names(x, allow_reserved = TRUE,
  allow_duplicates, na_ignore = FALSE,
  severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

assert_any_are_valid_variable_names(x, allow_reserved = TRUE,
  allow_duplicates, na_ignore = FALSE,
  severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

is_valid_variable_name(x, allow_reserved = TRUE, allow_duplicates)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	Input to check.
<code>allow_reserved</code>	If TRUE then "...", "..1", "..2", etc. are considered valid.
<code>allow_duplicates</code>	Deprecated and ignored.
<code>na_ignore</code>	A logical value. If FALSE, NA values cause an error; otherwise they do not. Like <code>na.rm</code> in many stats package functions, except that the position of the failing values does not change.
<code>severity</code>	How severe should the consequences of the assertion be? Either "stop", "warning", "message", or "none".

Value

The `assert_*` functions return nothing but throw an error if the corresponding `is_*` function returns `FALSE`.

References

<http://4dpiecharts.com/2011/07/04/testing-for-valid-variable-names/>

See Also

[make.names.](#)

Examples

```
make_random_string <- function(n)
{
  paste0(sample(letters, n, replace = TRUE), collapse = "")
}
long <- c(make_random_string(10000), make_random_string(10001))
x <- c("x", "y_y0.Y", ".", "x y", "...", "..1", long)
unnamed(is_valid_variable_name(x))
unnamed(is_valid_variable_name(x, allow_reserved = FALSE))
#These examples should fail.
assertive.base::dont_stop(
  assert_all_are_valid_variable_names(c("...", "..1"), allow_reserved = FALSE)
)
```

assert_has_arg

Does the current call have an argument?

Description

Checks to see if the current call has an argument with the name given in the input.

Usage

```
assert_has_arg(x, fn = sys.function(sys.parent()),
  severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))
```

```
has_arg(x, fn = sys.function(sys.parent()))
```

```
has_arg_(x, fn = sys.function(sys.parent()))
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	Argument to check.
<code>fn</code>	Function to find the argument in.
<code>severity</code>	How severe should the consequences of the assertion be? Either "stop", "warning", "message", or "none".

Value

has_arg reimplements [hasArg](#), letting you choose the function to search in, and providing more information on failure.

Note

has_arg is for interactive use and takes an unquoted argument name; has_arg_ is for programmatic use and takes a string naming a argument.

See Also

[hasArg](#).

Examples

```
has_arg(x, mean.default)
has_arg(y, mean.default)
f <- function(...) has_arg(z)
f(z = 123)
f(123)
```

assert_is_binding_locked

Is the binding of a variable locked?

Description

Check to see if the binding of a variable is locked (that is, it has been made read-only).

Usage

```
assert_is_binding_locked(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity",
"stop"))
```

```
is_binding_locked(x, env = if (is_scalar(e <- find(.xname))) as.environment(e)
else parent.frame(), .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
```

Arguments

x	Input to check. (Unlike <code>bindingIsLocked</code> , you can pass the variable itself, rather than a string naming that variable.)
severity	How severe should the consequences of the assertion be? Either "stop", "warning", "message", or "none".
env	Environment to check where binding had been locked.
.xname	Not intended to be used directly.

Value

TRUE or FALSE, depending upon whether or not the binding is locked in the specified environment. `assert_is_binding_locked` returns nothing but throws an error if the corresponding `is_*` function returns FALSE.

Note

The environment is guessed as follows: The name of `x` is determined via `get_name_in_parent`. Then `find` is called,

See Also

[bindingIsLocked](#), which this wraps, [find](#) for how the environment is guessed. If this returns a single environment, that is used. Otherwise the parent environment is used (as determined with `parent.frame`).

Examples

```
is_binding_locked(a_non_existent_variable)
e <- new.env()
e$x <- 1:10
is_binding_locked(x, e)
lockBinding("x", e)
is_binding_locked(x, e)
unlockBinding("x", e)
is_binding_locked(x, e)
```

`assert_is_debugged` *Is the input function being debugged?*

Description

Checks to see if the input DLL (a.k.a. shared object) is loaded.

Usage

```
assert_is_debugged(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

is_debugged(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	Input to check.
<code>severity</code>	How severe should the consequences of the assertion be? Either "stop", "warning", "message", or "none".
<code>.xname</code>	Not intended to be used directly.

Value

is_debugged wraps [isdebugged](#), providing more information on failure. assert_is_debugged returns nothing but throws an error if is_debugged returns FALSE.

See Also

[isdebugged](#).

assert_is_if_condition

Is suitable to be used as an if condition

Description

Is suitable to be used as an if condition

Usage

```
assert_is_if_condition(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))
```

```
is_if_condition(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
```

Arguments

x	Input to check.
severity	How severe should the consequences of the assertion be? Either "stop", "warning", "message", or "none".
.xname	Not intended to be used directly.

Value

is_if_condition returns TRUE if the input is scalar TRUE or FALSE.

Note

if will try to do the right thing if you pass it a number or a string, but this function assumes you want to do the right thing and pass either TRUE or FALSE, maybe with some attributes.

Examples

```
is_if_condition(TRUE)
is_if_condition(FALSE)
is_if_condition(NA)
is_if_condition(c(TRUE, FALSE))
is_if_condition("the truth")
# You can pass a number as a logical condition, but you shouldn't,
# so the next line returns FALSE.
is_if_condition(1)
assertive.base::dont_stop(assert_is_if_condition(raw(1)))
```

assert_is_loaded *Is the input a symbol in a loaded DLL?*

Description

Checks to see if the input DLL (a.k.a. shared object) is loaded.

Usage

```
assert_is_loaded(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

is_loaded(x, PACKAGE = "", type = c("", "C", "Fortran", "Call", "External"),
  .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
```

Arguments

x	A string naming the symbol in a DLL to check.
severity	How severe should the consequences of the assertion be? Either "stop", "warning", "message", or "none".
PACKAGE	A string naming an R package to restrict the search to, or "" to check all packages. Passed to is.loaded.
type	A string naming the type of external code call to restrict the search to, or "" to check all type. Passed to is.loaded.
.xname	Not intended to be used directly.

Value

is_loaded wraps [is.loaded](#), providing more information on failure. assert_is_loaded returns nothing but throws an error if is_loaded returns FALSE.

See Also

[is.loaded](#).

assert_is_valid_r_code
Is the input valid R code?

Description

Check to see if the input is a valid (parseable) R code.

Usage

```
assert_is_valid_r_code(x, severity = getOption("assertive.severity", "stop"))

is_valid_r_code(x, .xname = get_name_in_parent(x))
```

Arguments

x	Input to check.
severity	How severe should the consequences of the assertion be? Either "stop", "warning", "message", or "none".
.xname	Not intended to be used directly.

Value

TRUE if the input string is valid R code.

See Also

[parse](#)

Examples

```
is_valid_r_code("x <- 1 + sqrt(pi)")
is_valid_r_code("x <- ")
is_valid_r_code("<- 1 + sqrt(pi)")
```

is_error_free	<i>Does the code run without throwing an error?</i>
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Description

Call the code inside a try block and report if an error was thrown.

Usage

```
is_error_free(x)
```

Arguments

x	Code to check.
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Value

TRUE if the code runs without throwing an error. The result of running the code is contained in an attribute named "result".

Note

Note that this has the side effect of running the code contained in x.

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