# Package: compareDF (via r-universe)

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Description Compares two dataframes which have the same column structure to show the rows that have changed. Also gives a git style diff format to quickly see what has changed in addition to summary statistics.			
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compare\_df

Compare Two dataframes

# Description

Do a git style comparison between two data frames of similar columnar structure

#### Usage

```
compare_df(
   df_new,
   df_old,
   group_col,
   exclude = NULL,
   tolerance = 0,
   tolerance_type = "ratio",
   stop_on_error = TRUE,
   keep_unchanged_rows = FALSE,
   keep_unchanged_cols = TRUE,
   change_markers = c("+", "-", "="),
   round_output_to = 3
)
```

#### **Arguments**

df_new	The data frame for which any changes will be shown as an addition (green)	
df_old	The data frame for which any changes will be shown as a removal (red)	
group_col	A character vector of a string of character vector showing the columns by which to group_by.	
exclude	The columns which should be excluded from the comparison	
tolerance	The amount in fraction to which changes are ignored while showing the visual representation. By default, the value is 0 and any change in the value of variables is shown off. Doesn't apply to categorical variables.	
tolerance_type	Defaults to 'ratio'. The type of comparison for numeric values, can be 'ratio' or 'difference'	
stop_on_error	Whether to stop on acceptable errors on not	
keep_unchanged_rows		
	whether to preserve unchanged values or not. Defaults to FALSE	

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keep_unchanged_cols
```

whether to preserve unchanged values or not. Defaults to TRUE

change\_markers what the different change\_type nomenclature should be eg: c("new", "old", "unchanged").

round\_output\_to

Number of digits to round the output to. Defaults to 3.

create\_output\_table

Create human readable output from the comparison df output

#### **Description**

Currently 'html' and 'xlsx' are supported

#### Usage

```
create_output_table(
  comparison_output,
  output_type = "html",
  file_name = NULL,
  limit = 100,
  color_scheme = c(addition = "#52854C", removal = "#FC4E07", unchanged_cell =
    "#999999", unchanged_row = "#293352"),
  headers = NULL,
  change_col_name = "chng_type",
  group_col_name = "grp"
)
```

#### **Arguments**

comparison\_output

Output from the comparison Table functions

output\_type Type of comparison output. Defaults to 'html'

file\_name Where to write the output to. Default to NULL which output to the Rstudio

viewer (not supported for 'xlsx')

limit maximum number of rows to show in the diff. >1000 not recommended for

**HTML** 

color\_scheme What color scheme to use for the output. Should be a vector/list with named\_elements.

Default - c("addition" = "green", "removal" = "red", "unchanged\_cell"

= "gray", "unchanged\_row" = "deepskyblue")

headers A character vector of column names to be used in the table. Defaults to colnames.

change\_col\_name

Name of the change column to use in the table. Defaults to chng\_type.

group\_col\_name Name of the group column to be used in the table (if there are multiple grouping

vars). Defaults to grp.

results\_2010

create\_wide\_output

Convert to wide format

# Description

Easier to compare side-by-side

#### Usage

```
create_wide_output(comparison_output, suffix = c("_new", "_old"))
```

# Arguments

comparison\_output

Output from the comparison Table functions

suffix

Nomenclature for the new and old dataframe

results\_2010

Data set created set to show off the package capabilities - Results of students for 2010

#### Description

A manually created dataset showing the hypothetical scores of two divisions of students

- Division The division to which the student belongs
- Student Name of the Student
- Maths, Physics, Chemistry, Art Scores of the student across different subjects
- Discipline, PE Grades of the students across different subjects

#### Usage

results\_2010

#### **Format**

A data frame 12 rows and 8 columns

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results_2011	Data set created set to show off the package capabilities - Results of students for 2011

# Description

A manually created dataset showing the hypothetical scores of two divisions of students

- Division The division to which the student belongs
- Student Name of the Student
- Maths, Physics, Chemistry, Art Scores of the student across different subjects
- Discipline, PE Grades of the students across different subjects

# Usage

results\_2011

#### **Format**

A data frame 13 rows and 8 columns

view\_html

View Comparison output HTML

#### **Description**

Some versions of Rstudio doesn't automatically show the html pane for the html output. This is a workaround

#### Usage

```
view_html(comparison_output)
```

# **Arguments**

comparison\_output

output from the comparisonDF compare function

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