

# Package ‘plyinteractions’

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plyinteractions-package

*plyinteractions: Extending tidyomics verbs to genomic interactions*

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## Description

plyinteractions verbs treat GInteractions objects as tabular data using dplyr-like verbs. The functions and methods in plyinteractions provide a grammatical approach to manipulate GInteractions, to facilitate their integration in genomic analysis workflows.

plyinteractions is a dplyr-like API to the GInteractions infrastructure in Bioconductor.

## Details

plyinteractions provides a consistent interface for importing and wrangling genomic interactions from a variety of sources. The package defines a grammar of genomic interactions manipulation through a set of verbs. These verbs can be used to construct human-readable analysis pipelines based on GInteractions.

- Group genomic interactions with `group_by`;
- Summarize grouped genomic interactions with `summarize`;
- Tally/count grouped genomic interactions with `tally` and `count`;
- Modify genomic interactions with `mutate`;
- Subset genomic interactions with `filter` using `<data-masking>` and logical expressions;
- Pick out any columns from the associated metadata with `select` using `<tidy-select> arguments`;
- Subset using indices with `slice`;
- Order genomic interactions with `arrange` using categorical/numerical variables.

For more details on the features of plyinteractions, read the vignette: `browseVignettes(package = "plyinteractions")`

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**See Also**

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add_pairdist	<i>Appends distance between interaction anchors</i>
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**Description**

Appends distance between interaction anchors, using `InteractionSet::pairedist`

**Usage**

```
add_pairdist(x, type = "mid", colname = "pairedist")
```

**Arguments**

x	The query <code>GInteractions</code>
type	A character string specifying the type of distance to compute. Can take values of "mid", "gap", "span", "diag" or "intra".
colname	name of column to hold pair distance values

**Value**

The `GInteractions` with an additional column containing the distance between each pair of anchors.

**Examples**

```
gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 100 200 chr1 5000 5100 bedpe_example1 30 + -
chr1 1000 5000 chr2 3000 3800 bedpe_example2 100 + -",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2", "name", "score", "strand1", "strand2")
) |> as_ginteractions()

add_pairdist(gi)
```

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anchors1	<i>Enhanced GInteractions getters</i>
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**Description**

Enhanced GInteractions getters

**Usage**

anchors1(x)

anchors2(x)

seqnames1(x)

seqnames2(x)

start1(x)

start2(x)

end1(x)

end2(x)

width1(x)

width2(x)

strand1(x)

strand2(x)

ranges1(x)

ranges2(x)

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'  
x$name
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'  
anchors1(x)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'  
anchors2(x)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'
```

```
seqnames1(x)

## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'
seqnames2(x)

## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'
start1(x)

## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'
start2(x)

## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'
end1(x)

## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'
end2(x)

## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'
width1(x)

## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'
width2(x)

## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'
strand1(x)

## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'
strand2(x)

## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'
ranges1(x)

## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'
ranges2(x)
```

### Arguments

x	a GInteractions object
name	The pattern or name of a column stored in the GInteractions metadata (mcols).

### Value

One of the core GInteractions fields (e.g. seqnames1, start1, ...) or one of the metadata columns when using \$. Note that auto-completion works with \$.

### Examples

```
gi <- data.frame(
  seqnames1 = 'chr1', start1 = 1, end1 = 10,
```

```

    seqnames2 = 'chr1', start2 = 2, end2 = 20
) |> as_ginteractions() |> mutate(type = 'cis')
anchors1(gi)
anchors2(gi)
seqnames1(gi)
seqnames2(gi)
start1(gi)
start2(gi)
end1(gi)
end2(gi)
width1(gi)
width2(gi)
ranges1(gi)
ranges2(gi)
strand1(gi)
strand2(gi)
gi$type

```

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 annotate

*Annotate both anchors of a GInteractions*


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### Description

For each interaction in a `GInteractions` object, `annotate` returns the pairs of annotations from the `GRanges` object it overlaps with.

### Usage

```
annotate(x, y, by)
```

```
annotate_directed(x, y, by)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,GRanges,character'
annotate(x, y, by)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,GRanges,character'
annotate_directed(x, y, by)
```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	a <code>GInteractions</code> object
<code>y</code>	a <code>GRanges</code> object to extract annotations from
<code>by</code>	Column name from <code>y</code> to use to extract annotations

### Value

a `GInteractions` object with two extra metadata columns named `.1` and `.2`.

## Examples

```
#####
# 1. Basic example
#####

gi <- read.table(text = "
  chr1 11 20 - chr1 21 30 +
  chr1 21 30 + chr2 51 60 +",
  col.names = c(
    "seqnames1", "start1", "end1", "strand1",
    "seqnames2", "start2", "end2", "strand2"
  )
) |> as_ginteractions()

gr <- GenomicRanges::GRanges(c("chr1:20-30:+", "chr2:55-65:+")) |>
  mutate(id = 1:2)

annotate(gi, gr, by = 'id')

annotate_directed(gi, gr, by = 'id')

#####
# 2. Match loops with tiled genomic bins
#####

data(GM12878_HiCCUPS)
loops <- GM12878_HiCCUPS |>
  pin_by('first') |>
  anchor_center() |>
  mutate(width1 = 500) |>
  pin_by('second') |>
  anchor_center() |>
  mutate(width2 = 500)

genomic_bins <- GenomeInfoDb::getChromInfoFromUCSC(
  'hg19', assembled.molecules.only = TRUE, as.Seqinfo = TRUE
) |>
  GenomicRanges::tileGenome(tilewidth = 10000) |>
  unlist() |>
  mutate(binID = seq_len(plyranges::n()))

annotate(loops, genomic_bins, by = 'binID') |>
  select(starts_with('binID'))

#####
# 3. Annotate interactions by a set of regulatory elements
#####

data(ce10_ARCC)
data(ce10_REs)
annotate(ce10_ARCC, ce10_REs, by = 'annot') |>
  count(annot.1, annot.2) |>
```

```
as.data.frame() |>
  arrange(desc(n))
```

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as_ginteractions	<i>Construct a GInteractions object from a tibble, DataFrame or data.frame</i>
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### Description

The `as_ginteractions` function looks for column names in `.data` called `seqnames{1,2}`, `start{1,2}`, `end{1,2}`, and `strand{1,2}` in order to construct a `GInteractions` object. By default other columns in `.data` are placed into the `mcols` (metadata columns) slot of the returned object.

### Usage

```
as_ginteractions(
  .data,
  ...,
  keep.extra.columns = TRUE,
  starts.in.df.are.0based = FALSE
)
```

### Arguments

<code>.data</code>	A <code>data.frame()</code> , <code>S4Vectors::DataFrame()</code> or <code>tibble()</code> to construct a <code>GInteractions</code> object from.
<code>...</code>	Optional named arguments specifying which the columns in <code>.data</code> contain the core components a <code>GInteractions</code> object.
<code>keep.extra.columns</code>	TRUE or FALSE (the default). If TRUE, the columns in <code>df</code> that are not used to form the genomic ranges of the returned <code>GRanges</code> object are then returned as metadata columns on the object. Otherwise, they are ignored.
<code>starts.in.df.are.0based</code>	TRUE or FALSE (the default). If TRUE, then the start positions of the genomic ranges in <code>df</code> are considered to be 0-based and are converted to 1-based in the returned <code>GRanges</code> object.

### Value

a `GInteractions` object.

### See Also

[InteractionSet::GInteractions\(\)](#)

## Examples

```
#####
# 1. GInteractions from bedpe files imported into a data.frame
#####

bedpe <- read.table(text = "
chr1 100 200 chr1 5000 5100 bedpe_example1 30 + -
chr1 1000 5000 chr1 3000 3800 bedpe_example2 100 + -",
col.names = c(
  "chrom1", "start1", "end1",
  "chrom2", "start2", "end2", "name", "score", "strand1", "strand2"))
bedpe |>
  as_ginteractions(seqnames1 = chrom1, seqnames2 = chrom2)

#####
# 2. GInteractions from standard pairs files imported into a data.frame
#####

# Note how the pairs are 0-based and no "end" field is provided
# (the standard pairs file format does not have "end" fields)
# We can provide width1 and width2 to fix this problem.

pairs <- read.table(text = "
pair1 chr1 10000 chr1 20000 + +
pair2 chr1 50000 chr1 70000 + +
pair3 chr1 60000 chr2 10000 + +
pair4 chr1 30000 chr3 40000 + -",
col.names = c(
  "pairID", "chr1", "pos1", "chr2", "pos2", "strand1", "strand2")
)
pairs |>
  as_ginteractions(
    seqnames1 = chr1, start1 = pos1, width1 = 1000,
    seqnames2 = chr2, start2 = pos2, width2 = 1000,
    starts.in.df.are.0based = TRUE
  )

#####
# 3. GInteractions from data.frame with extra fields
#####

df <- read.table(text = "
chr1 100 200 chr1 5000 5100
chr1 1000 5000 chr1 3000 3800",
col.names = c("chr1", "start1", "end1", "chr2", "start2", "end2"))
df |>
  as_ginteractions(seqnames1 = chr1, seqnames2 = chr2)

df <- read.table(text = "
chr1 100 200 chr1 5000 5100
chr1 1000 5000 chr1 3000 3800",
col.names = c("chr1", "start1", "end1", "chr2", "start2", "end2"))
```

```

df |>
  as_ginteractions(
    seqnames1 = chr1, seqnames2 = chr2, strand1 = '+', strand2 = '-'
  )

data.frame(type = "cis", count = 3) |>
  as_ginteractions(
    seqnames1 = 'chr1', start1 = 1, end1 = 10,
    seqnames2 = 'chr1', start2 = 40, end2 = 50
  )

#####
# 4. GInteractions from a real like pairs files
#####

pairsf <- system.file('extdata', 'pairs.gz', package = 'plyinteractions')
pairs <- read.table(pairsf, comment.char = '#', header = FALSE)
head(pairs)
pairs |>
  as_ginteractions(
    seqnames1 = V2, start1 = V3, width1 = 1, strand1 = V6,
    seqnames2 = V4, start2 = V5, width2 = 1, strand2 = V7,
    starts.in.df.are.0based = TRUE
  )

```

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delegating-ginteractions-methods

*Methods for DelegatingGInteractions objects*


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## Description

Methods for DelegatingGInteractions objects

## Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'
anchors1(x)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'
ranges1(x)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'
seqnames1(x)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'
start1(x)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'
end1(x)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'  
width1(x)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'  
strand1(x)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'  
anchors2(x)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'  
ranges2(x)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'  
seqnames2(x)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'  
start2(x)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'  
end2(x)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'  
width2(x)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'  
strand2(x)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'  
anchors(x)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'  
regions(x)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'  
seqinfo(x)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'  
mcols(x)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'DelegatingGInteractions'  
show(object)
```

**Value**

One of the core GInteractions fields (e.g. seqnames1, start1, ...)

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dplyr-arrange	<i>Arrange a GInteractions by a column</i>
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**Description**

Arrange a GInteractions by a column

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
arrange(.data, ...)
```

**Arguments**

.data	a GInteractions object
...	Variables, or functions of variables. Use <code>dplyr::desc()</code> to sort a variable in descending order.

**Value**

a GInteractions object.

**Examples**

```
gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 1 10 chr1 1 10
chr1 2 10 chr2 1 10
chr3 3 10 chr3 1 10
chr4 4 10 chr4 1 10
chr5 5 10 chr5 1 10",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2")
) |>
  as_ginteractions() |>
  mutate(cis = seqnames1 == seqnames2, score = runif(5)*100, gc = runif(5))
gi

#####
# 1. Arrange GInteractions by a numerical column
#####

gi |> arrange(gc)

#####
# 2. Arrange GInteractions by a logical column
#####

gi |> arrange(cis)
```

```
#####
# 3. Arrange GInteractions by a factor
#####

gi |>
  mutate(rep = factor(c("rep1", "rep2", "rep1", "rep2", "rep1"))) |>
  arrange(rep)

#####
# 4. Combine sorting variables
#####

gi |>
  mutate(rep = factor(c("rep1", "rep2", "rep1", "rep2", "rep1"))) |>
  arrange(dplyr::desc(rep), score)
```

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dplyr-count

*Count or tally GInteractions per group*


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## Description

Count or tally GInteractions per group

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'GroupedGInteractions'
tally(x, wt = NULL, sort = FALSE, name = NULL)

## S3 method for class 'GroupedGInteractions'
count(x, ..., wt = NULL, sort = FALSE, name = NULL)

## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
count(x, ..., wt = NULL, sort = FALSE, name = NULL)
```

## Arguments

x	A grouped GInteractions object
wt	<data-masking> Frequency weights. Can be NULL or a variable: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If NULL (the default), counts the number of rows in each group.</li> <li>• If a variable, computes sum(wt) for each group.</li> </ul>
sort	If TRUE, will show the largest groups at the top.
name	The name of the new column in the output.
...	<data-masking> Variables to group by.

**Value**

a `S4Vectors::DataFrame()` object, with an added column with the count/tally per group.

**Examples**

```
gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 11 20 chr1 21 30 + +
chr1 11 20 chr1 51 55 + +
chr1 11 30 chr1 51 55 - -
chr1 11 30 chr2 51 60 - -",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2", "strand1", "strand2")
) |>
  as_ginteractions() |>
  mutate(score = runif(4), type = c('cis', 'cis', 'cis', 'trans'))

#####
# 1. Tally groups
#####

gi

gi |> group_by(strand1) |> tally()

gi |> group_by(type) |> tally()

gi |> group_by(type) |> tally(wt = score)

#####
# 2. Count per groups
#####

gi |> count(type)

gi |> group_by(type) |> count(strand1)

gi |> group_by(type, strand1) |> count(wt = score)
```

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dplyr-filter

*Subset a GInteractions with tidyverse-like filter*


---

**Description**

Subset a GInteractions with tidyverse-like filter

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
filter(.data, ...)
```

**Arguments**

`.data` a `GInteractions` object

`...` Expressions that return a logical value, and are defined in terms of the variables in `.data`. If multiple expressions are included, they are combined with the `&` operator. Only rows for which all conditions evaluate to `TRUE` are kept.

**Value**

a `GInteractions` object.

**Examples**

```
gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 1 10 chr1 1 10
chr1 2 10 chr2 1 10
chr3 3 10 chr3 1 10
chr4 4 10 chr4 1 10
chr5 5 10 chr5 1 10",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2")
) |>
  as_ginteractions() |>
  mutate(cis = seqnames1 == seqnames2, score = runif(5)*100, gc = runif(5))
gi

#####
# 1. Filter metadata columns from GInteractions by condition
#####

gi |> filter(gc > 0.1)
gi |> filter(gc > 0.1, score > 50)
gi |> filter(cis)

#####
# 2. On-the-fly calculations
#####

gi
gi |> filter(start1 >= start2 + 3)
gi |> filter(score * gc > score * 0.5)
```

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dplyr-group\_by

*Group GInteractions by columns*


---

**Description**

Group `GInteractions` by columns

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
group_by(.data, ..., .add = FALSE)

## S3 method for class 'DelegatingGInteractions'
group_by(.data, ..., .add = FALSE)

## S3 method for class 'GroupedGInteractions'
ungroup(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

.data, x	a (Grouped)GInteractions object
...	Column(s) to group by.
.add	When FALSE, the default, group_by() will override existing groups. To add to the existing groups, use .add = TRUE.

**Value**

a GroupedGInteractions object. When a (Anchored)PinnedGInteractions object is grouped, both anchoring and pinning are dropped.

**Examples**

```
gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 11 20 chr1 21 30
chr1 11 20 chr1 51 55
chr1 11 30 chr1 51 55
chr1 11 30 chr2 51 60",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2")
) |>
  as_ginteractions() |>
  mutate(type = c('cis', 'cis', 'cis', 'trans'), score = runif(4))

#####
# 1. Group by core column
#####

gi |> group_by(end1)

gi |> group_by(end1, end2) |> group_data()

#####
# 2. Group by metadata column
#####

gi |> group_by(type) |> group_data()
```

```
#####
# 3. Combine core and metadata column grouping
#####

gi |> group_by(end1, type)
gi |> group_by(end1, type) |> group_data()

#####
# 4. Create a new column and group by this new variable
#####

gi |> group_by(class = c(1, 2, 1, 2))

#####
# 5. Replace or add groups to a GroupedGInteractions
#####

ggi <- gi |> group_by(class = c(1, 2, 1, 2))
ggi |> group_data()
ggi |> group_by(type) |> group_data()
ggi |> group_by(type, .add = TRUE) |> group_data()

#####
# 6. Ungroup GInteractions
#####

ggi <- gi |> group_by(type, class = c(1, 2, 1, 2))
ggi
ungroup(ggi, type)
ungroup(ggi, class)
```

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dplyr-mutate

*Mutate columns from a GInteractions object*


---

## Description

Mutate columns from a GInteractions object

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
mutate(.data, ...)
```

## Arguments

<code>.data</code>	a GInteractions object
<code>...</code>	Optional named arguments specifying which the columns in <code>.data</code> to create/modify.

**Value**

a GInteractions object.

**Examples**

```

gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 10 20 chr1 50 51
chr1 10 50 chr2 30 40",
col.names = c("chr1", "start1", "end1", "chr2", "start2", "end2")) |>
  as_ginteractions(seqnames1 = chr1, seqnames2 = chr2)

#####
# 1. Add metadata columns to a GInteractions object
#####

gi |>
  mutate(type = c('cis', 'trans'), score = runif(2)) |>
  mutate(type2 = type)

#####
# 2. More complex, nested or inplace changes
#####

gi |>
  mutate(type = c('cis', 'trans'), score = runif(2)) |>
  mutate(type2 = type) |>
  mutate(count = c(1, 2), score = count * 2, new_col = paste0(type2, score))

#####
# 3. Core GInteractions columns can also be modified
#####

gi |>
  mutate(start1 = 1, end1 = 10, width2 = 30, strand2 = c('-', '+'))

# Note how the core columns are modified sequentially

gi |>
  mutate(start1 = 1, end1 = 10)

gi |>
  mutate(start1 = 1, end1 = 10, width1 = 50)

#####
# 4. Evaluating core GInteractions columns
#####

gi |>
  mutate(
    score = runif(2),
    cis = seqnames1 == seqnames2,
    distance = ifelse(cis, start2 - end1, NA)
  )

```

)

---

`dplyr-rename`*Rename columns from a GInteractions with tidyverse-like rename*

---

**Description**

Rename columns from a GInteractions with tidyverse-like rename

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
rename(.data, ...)
```

**Arguments**

```
.data      a GInteractions object
...        Use new_name = old_name to rename selected variables.
```

**Value**

a GInteractions object.

**Examples**

```
gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 10 20 chr1 50 51
chr1 10 50 chr2 30 40",
col.names = c("chr1", "start1", "end1", "chr2", "start2", "end2")) |>
  as_ginteractions(seqnames1 = chr1, seqnames2 = chr2) |>
  mutate(type = c('cis', 'trans'), score = runif(2))

#####
# 1. Rename metadata columns to a GInteractions object
#####

gi |> rename(interaction_type = type, GC = score)
```

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dplyr-select	<i>Select columns within GInteractions metadata columns</i>
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**Description**

Select columns within GInteractions metadata columns

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
select(.data, ..., .drop_ranges = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

.data	a GInteractions object
...	Integer indicating rows to keep.
.drop_ranges	if TRUE, returns a DataFrame object. In this case, it enables selection of any column including core GInteractions columns.

**Value**

a GInteractions object.

**Examples**

```
gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 1 10 chr1 1 10
chr2 1 10 chr2 1 10
chr3 1 10 chr3 1 10
chr4 1 10 chr4 1 10
chr5 1 10 chr5 1 10",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2")
) |>
  as_ginteractions() |>
  mutate(score = runif(5)*100, cis = TRUE, gc = runif(5))

#####
# 1. Select metadata columns from GInteractions by index
#####

gi |> select(2, 1)
gi |> select(-3)

#####
# 2. Select metadata columns from GInteractions by name
#####
```

```

gi |> select(gc, score)

#####
# 3. Select metadata columns from GInteractions with <tidy-select>
#####

gi |> select(contains('s'))
gi |> select(matches('^s'))

#####
# 4. Select core and metadata columns with .drop_ranges = TRUE
#####

gi |> select(matches('^s'), .drop_ranges = TRUE)

```

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dplyr-slice

*Slice a GInteractions rows by their index*


---

## Description

Slice a GInteractions rows by their index

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
slice(.data, ...)
```

## Arguments

.data            a GInteractions object  
...               Integer indicating rows to keep.

## Value

a GInteractions object.

## Examples

```

gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 1 10 chr1 1 10
chr2 1 10 chr2 1 10
chr3 1 10 chr3 1 10
chr4 1 10 chr4 1 10
chr5 1 10 chr5 1 10",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2")
) |>

```

```

as_ginteractions()

#####
# 1. Slice a GInteractions
#####

gi |> slice(1, 2, 3)
gi |> slice(-3)
gi |> slice(1:2, 5:4)

```

---

dplyr-summarize

*Summarize GInteractions per group*


---

## Description

Summarize GInteractions per group

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'GroupedGInteractions'
summarise(.data, ...)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'GroupedGInteractions'
summarize(.data, ...)
```

## Arguments

.data	a (grouped) GInteractions object
...	Name-value pairs of summary functions. The name will be the name of the variable in the result.

## Value

a `S4Vectors::DataFrame()` object:

- The rows come from the underlying `group_keys()`.
- The columns are a combination of the grouping keys and the summary expressions that you provide.
- GInteractions class is **not** preserved, as a call to `summarize` fundamentally creates a new data frame

## Examples

```

gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 11 20 chr1 21 30 + +
chr1 11 20 chr1 51 55 + +
chr1 11 30 chr1 51 55 - -
chr1 11 30 chr2 51 60 - -",

```

```

col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2", "strand1", "strand2")
) |>
  as_ginteractions() |>
  mutate(score = runif(4), type = c('cis', 'cis', 'cis', 'trans'))

#####
# 1. Summarize a single column
#####

gi

gi |> group_by(type) |> summarize(m = mean(score))

gi |> group_by(strand1) |> summarize(m = mean(score))

df <- gi |>
  group_by(strand1) |>
  summarize(m = mean(score), n = table(seqnames2))
df

df$n

#####
# 2. Summarize by multiple columns
#####

gi |>
  group_by(strand1, seqnames2) |>
  summarise(m = mean(score), n = table(type))

```

---

ginteractions-anchor *Manage GInteractions anchors with plyranges*

---

## Description

Manage GInteractions anchors with plyranges

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions'
anchor(x)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions'
unanchor(x)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
anchor_start(x)
```

```

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
anchor_end(x)

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
anchor_center(x)

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
anchor_3p(x)

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
anchor_5p(x)

## S3 method for class 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions'
anchor_start(x)

## S3 method for class 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions'
anchor_end(x)

## S3 method for class 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions'
anchor_center(x)

## S3 method for class 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions'
anchor_3p(x)

## S3 method for class 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions'
anchor_5p(x)

```

## Arguments

x                    A PinnedGInteractions object

## Value

- anchor\_\* functions return an AnchoredPinnedGInteractions object.
- anchor returns a character string indicating where the pinned anchors are anchored at.
- unanchor removes the anchoring for a AnchoredPinnedGInteractions object.

## Examples

```

gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 11 20 chr1 21 30 + +
chr1 11 20 chr1 51 55 + +
chr1 11 30 chr1 51 55 - -
chr1 11 30 chr2 51 60 - -",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2", "strand1", "strand2")
) |>
  as_ginteractions() |>

```

```

mutate(score = runif(4), type = c('cis', 'cis', 'cis', 'trans'))

gi

#####
# 1. Anchoring pinned genomic interactions with plyranges
#####

gi |> pin_by("second") |> anchor_end()

gi |> pin_by("first") |> anchor_start()

gi |>
  pin_by("first") |> anchor_center() |> stretch(4) |>
  pin_by("second") |> anchor_3p() |> stretch(-2)

```

---

ginteractions-count-overlaps

*Count overlaps between a query GInteractions and a GRanges*

---

## Description

Count overlaps between a query GInteractions and a GRanges

## Usage

```

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
count_overlaps(x, y, maxgap = -1L, minoverlap = 0L)

## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
count_overlaps(x, y, maxgap = -1L, minoverlap = 0L)

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
count_overlaps_directed(x, y, maxgap = -1L, minoverlap = 0L)

## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
count_overlaps_directed(x, y, maxgap = -1L, minoverlap = 0L)

```

## Arguments

x                    A (Pinned)GInteractions object  
y                    A GRanges object  
maxgap, minoverlap  
See [?countOverlaps](#) in the **GenomicRanges** package for a description of these arguments

## Value

An integer vector of same length as x.

### Pinned GInteractions

When using `count_overlaps()` with a `PinnedGInteractions` object, only the pinned anchors are used to check for overlap with `y`. This is equivalent to specifying `use.region="both"` in `InteractionSet::findOverlaps()`.

### Examples

```
gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 11 20 - chr1 21 30 +
chr1 11 20 - chr1 51 55 +
chr1 21 30 - chr1 51 55 +
chr1 21 30 - chr2 51 60 +",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1", "strand1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2", "strand2"
)
) |> as_ginteractions() |> mutate(id = 1:4, type = 'gi')

gr <- GenomicRanges::GRanges(
  c("chr1:20-30:+", "chr2:55-65:-")
) |> mutate(id = 1:2, type = 'gr')

gi

gr

#####
# 1. Count overlaps between GInteractions and a subject GRanges
#####

count_overlaps(gi, gr)

count_overlaps_directed(gi, gr)

#####
# 2. Count overlaps between PinnedGInteractions and a subject GRanges
#####

gi |> pin_by("first") |> count_overlaps(gr)

gi |> pin_by("second") |> count_overlaps(gr)

gi |> pin_by("first") |> count_overlaps_directed(gr)

gi |> pin_by("second") |> count_overlaps_directed(gr)
```

**Description**

`write_*` functions are provided to export a `GInteractions` object into these two file formats. See 4DN documentation ([https://github.com/4dn-dcic/pairix/blob/master/pairs\\_format\\_specification.md](https://github.com/4dn-dcic/pairix/blob/master/pairs_format_specification.md)) and UCSC documentation (<https://bedtools.readthedocs.io/en/latest/content/general-usage.html#bedpe-format>) for more details.

**Usage**

```
write_bedpe(x, file, scores = NULL)
```

```
write_pairs(x, file, seqlengths = Seqinfo::seqlengths(x))
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	a <code>GInteractions</code> object.
<code>file</code>	path to a <code>.bedpe</code> or <code>.pairs</code> file to save the genomic interactions.
<code>scores</code>	Name of column to extract scores from.
<code>seqlengths</code>	Named vector indicating the chromosome sizes.

**Value**

TRUE

**Examples**

```
gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 100 200 chr1 5000 5100 bedpe_example1 30 + -
chr1 1000 5000 chr1 3000 3800 bedpe_example2 100 + -",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2", "name", "score", "strand1", "strand2")
) |> as_ginteractions()

write_bedpe(gi, 'gi.bedpe')
write_pairs(gi, 'gi.pairs')
```

---

ginteractions-filter-overlaps

*Filter GInteractions overlapping with a GRanges*

---

**Description**

Filter `GInteractions` overlapping with a `GRanges`

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
filter_by_overlaps(x, y, maxgap = -1L, minoverlap = 0L)

## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
filter_by_overlaps(x, y, maxgap = -1L, minoverlap = 0L)

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
filter_by_non_overlaps(x, y, maxgap = -1L, minoverlap = 0L)

## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
filter_by_non_overlaps(x, y, maxgap = -1L, minoverlap = 0L)
```

**Arguments**

x                   A (Pinned)GInteractions object  
y                    A GRanges object  
maxgap, minoverlap    See [?countOverlaps](#) in the **GenomicRanges** package for a description of these arguments

**Value**

An integer vector of same length as x.

**Pinned GInteractions**

When using `filter_by_overlaps()` with a `PinnedGInteractions` object, only the pinned anchors are used to check for overlap with `y`. This is equivalent to specifying `use.region="both"` in `InteractionSet::findOverlaps()`.

**Examples**

```
gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 11 20 - chr1 21 30 +
chr1 11 20 - chr1 51 55 +
chr1 21 30 - chr1 51 55 +
chr1 21 30 - chr2 51 60 +",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1", "strand1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2", "strand2")
) |> as_ginteractions() |> mutate(id = 1:4, type = 'gi')

gr <- GenomicRanges::GRanges(
  c("chr1:20-30:+", "chr2:55-65:-")
) |> mutate(id = 1:2, type = 'gr')

gi

gr
```

```
#####
# 1. Filter GInteractions overlapping with a subject GRanges
#####

filter_by_overlaps(gi, gr)

filter_by_non_overlaps(gi, gr)

#####
# 2. Filter PinnedGInteractions overlapping with a subject GRanges
#####

gi |> pin_by("first") |> filter_by_overlaps(gr)

gi |> pin_by("first") |> filter_by_non_overlaps(gr)

gi |> pin_by("second") |> filter_by_overlaps(gr)

gi |> pin_by("second") |> filter_by_non_overlaps(gr)
```

---

ginteractions-find-overlaps

*Find overlaps between a query GInteractions and a GRanges*

---

## Description

Find overlaps between a query GInteractions and a GRanges

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
find_overlaps(x, y, maxgap = -1L, minoverlap = 0L, suffix = c(".x", ".y"))

## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
find_overlaps(x, y, maxgap = -1L, minoverlap = 0L, suffix = c(".x", ".y"))

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
find_overlaps_directed(
  x,
  y,
  maxgap = -1L,
  minoverlap = 0L,
  suffix = c(".x", ".y")
)

## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
find_overlaps_directed(
```

```

x,
y,
maxgap = -1L,
minoverlap = 0L,
suffix = c(".x", ".y")
)

```

### Arguments

x	A (Pinned)GInteractions object
y	A GRanges object
maxgap, minoverlap	See <a href="#">?findOverlaps</a> in the <b>GenomicRanges</b> package for a description of these arguments
suffix	Suffix to add to metadata columns (character vector of length 2, default to c(".x", ".y")).

### Value

a GInteractions object with rows corresponding to the GInteractions in x that overlap y.

### Rationale

find\_overlaps() will search for any overlap between GInteractions in x and GRanges in y. It will return a GInteractions object of length equal to the number of times x overlaps y. This GInteractions will have additional metadata columns corresponding to the metadata from y. find\_overlaps\_directed() takes the strandness of each object into account.

### Pinned GInteractions

When using find\_overlaps() with a PinnedGInteractions object, only the pinned anchors are used to check for overlap with y. This is equivalent to specifying use.region="both" in InteractionSet::findOverlaps().

### Examples

```

gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 11 20 - chr1 21 30 +
chr1 11 20 - chr1 51 55 +
chr1 21 30 - chr1 51 55 +
chr1 21 30 - chr2 51 60 +",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1", "strand1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2", "strand2"
)
) |> as_ginteractions() |> mutate(id = 1:4, type = 'gi')

gr <- GenomicRanges::GRanges(
  c("chr1:20-30:+", "chr2:55-65:-")
) |> mutate(id = 1:2, type = 'gr')

```

```

gi
gr

#####
# 1. Find overlaps between GInteractions and a subject GRanges
#####

find_overlaps(gi, gr)

find_overlaps_directed(gi, gr)

#####
# 2. Find overlaps between PinnedGInteractions and a subject GRanges
#####

gi |> pin_by("first") |> find_overlaps(gr)

gi |> pin_by("second") |> find_overlaps(gr)

gi |> pin_by("first") |> find_overlaps_directed(gr)

gi |> pin_by("second") |> find_overlaps_directed(gr)

```

---

ginteractions-join-overlap-left

*Join overlaps between a query GInteractions and a GRanges*

---

## Description

Join overlaps between a query GInteractions and a GRanges

## Usage

```

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
join_overlap_left(x, y, maxgap = -1L, minoverlap = 0L, suffix = c(".x", ".y"))

## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
join_overlap_left(x, y, maxgap = -1L, minoverlap = 0L, suffix = c(".x", ".y"))

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
join_overlap_left_directed(
  x,
  y,
  maxgap = -1L,
  minoverlap = 0L,
  suffix = c(".x", ".y")
)

```

```
## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
join_overlap_left_directed(
  x,
  y,
  maxgap = -1L,
  minoverlap = 0L,
  suffix = c(".x", ".y")
)
```

### Arguments

x	A (Pinned)GInteractions object
y	A GRanges object
maxgap, minoverlap	See <a href="#">?countOverlaps</a> in the <b>GenomicRanges</b> package for a description of these arguments
suffix	Suffix to add to metadata columns (character vector of length 2, default to c(".x", ".y")).

### Value

An integer vector of same length as x.

### Examples

```
gi <- read.table(text = "
  chr1 11 20 - chr1 21 30 +
  chr1 11 20 - chr1 51 55 +
  chr1 21 30 - chr1 51 55 +
  chr1 21 30 - chr2 51 60 +",
  col.names = c(
    "seqnames1", "start1", "end1", "strand1",
    "seqnames2", "start2", "end2", "strand2")
) |> as_ginteractions() |> mutate(id = 1:4, type = 'gi')

gr <- GenomicRanges::GRanges(
  c("chr1:20-30:+", "chr2:55-65:-")
) |> mutate(id = 1:2, type = 'gr')

gi

gr

#####
# 1. Join overlaps between GInteractions and a subject GRanges
#####

join_overlap_left(gi, gr)
```

```

join_overlap_left_directed(gi, gr)

#####
# 2. Join overlaps between PinnedGInteractions and a subject GRanges
#####

gi |> pin_by("first") |> join_overlap_left(gr)

gi |> pin_by("first") |> join_overlap_left_directed(gr)

gi |> pin_by("second") |> join_overlap_left(gr)

gi |> pin_by("second") |> join_overlap_left_directed(gr)

```

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group-group_data	<i>GInteractions</i> grouping metadata
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## Description

GInteractions grouping metadata

## Usage

```

## S3 method for class 'GroupedGInteractions'
group_data(.data)

## S3 method for class 'GroupedGInteractions'
group_keys(.tbl, ...)

## S3 method for class 'GroupedGInteractions'
group_indices(.data, ...)

## S3 method for class 'GInteractions'
group_vars(x)

## S3 method for class 'GroupedGInteractions'
group_vars(x)

## S3 method for class 'GroupedGInteractions'
groups(x)

## S3 method for class 'GroupedGInteractions'
group_size(x)

## S3 method for class 'GroupedGInteractions'
n_groups(x)

```

**Arguments**

.data, .tbl, x    a GInteractions object  
 ...               Ignored.

**Value**

a GInteractions object.

**Examples**

```
gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 11 20 chr1 21 30
chr1 11 20 chr1 51 55
chr1 11 30 chr1 51 55
chr1 11 30 chr2 51 60",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2")
) |>
as_ginteractions() |>
mutate(type = c('cis', 'cis', 'cis', 'trans'), score = runif(4))

ggi <- gi |> group_by(end1)
ggi
group_data(ggi)
group_keys(ggi)
group_rows(ggi)
group_indices(ggi)
group_vars(ggi)
groups(ggi)
group_size(ggi)
n_groups(ggi)
```

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pair\_granges

*Pairwise combination of a GRanges object*

---

**Description**

Create a GInteractions object from a GRanges object, containing all possible entry pairs

**Usage**

```
pair_granges(x)
```

**Arguments**

x                    A GRanges object

**Value**

A GInteractions object

**Examples**

```
gr <- read.table(text = "
chr1 100 200
chr1 5000 5100
chr1 1000 5000
chr2 3000 3800",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames", "start", "end"
)) |> plyranges::as_granges()

pair_granges(gr)
```

---

pin

*Pin GInteractions by anchors set (anchors1 or anchors2).*

---

**Description**

Pin GInteractions by anchors set (anchors1 or anchors2).

**Usage**

```
pin(x, anchors)

pin_by(x, anchors)

pinned_anchors(x)

unpin(x)

## S4 method for signature 'GroupedGInteractions,character'
pin(x, anchors)

## S4 method for signature 'GroupedGInteractions,numeric'
pin(x, anchors)

## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,character'
pin(x, anchors)

## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,numeric'
pin(x, anchors)

## S4 method for signature 'PinnedGInteractions,missing'
pin(x, anchors)
```

```

## S4 method for signature 'PinnedGInteractions,character'
pin(x, anchors)

## S4 method for signature 'PinnedGInteractions,numeric'
pin(x, anchors)

## S4 method for signature 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions,character'
pin(x, anchors)

## S4 method for signature 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions,numeric'
pin(x, anchors)

pin_first(x)

pin_second(x)

pin_anchors1(x)

pin_anchors2(x)

## S4 method for signature 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions'
unpin(x)

## S4 method for signature 'PinnedGInteractions'
unpin(x)

## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions'
unpin(x)

## S4 method for signature 'PinnedGInteractions'
pinned_anchors(x)

## S4 method for signature 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions'
pinned_anchors(x)

```

### Arguments

x	a GInteractions object
anchors	anchors to pin on ("first" or "second")

### Value

- pin\_\* functions return a PinnedGInteractions object.
- pin returns a numerical value indicating which set of anchors is pinned.
- unpin removes the pinning of a PinnedGInteractions object.
- pinned\_anchors returns an (Anchored)GenomicRanges object corresponding to the pinned anchors of a PinnedGInteractions object.

**Examples**

```

gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 11 20 chr1 21 30
chr1 11 20 chr1 51 55
chr1 11 30 chr1 51 55
chr1 11 30 chr2 51 60",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2")
) |>
  as_ginteractions() |>
  mutate(type = c('cis', 'cis', 'cis', 'trans'), score = runif(4))

#####
# 1. Pin by first anchors
#####

gi |> pin_by("first")

gi |> pin_first()

gi |> pin_anchors1()

#####
# 2. Pin by second anchors
#####

gi |> pin_by("second")

gi |> pin_second()

gi |> pin_anchors2()

#####
# 3. Unpin
#####

gi |> pin("second") |> unpin()

```

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plyinteractions-data *Data files provided in the plyinteractions package*

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**Description**

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### Usage

```
data(GM12878_HiCCUPS)
```

```
data(GM12878_HiCCUPS)
```

```
data(GM12878_HiCCUPS)
```

### Format

A GInteractions object

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### Source

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/geo/query/acc.cgi?acc=GSE63525>

<https://genome.cshlp.org/content/early/2021/12/21/gr.275669.121>

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plyinteractions-flank *Generate flanking regions from pinned anchors of a GInteractions object*

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### Description

Generate flanking regions from pinned anchors of a GInteractions object

### Usage

```
flank_downstream(x, width)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'Ranges'
```

```
flank_downstream(x, width)
```

```

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
flank_downstream(x, width)

flank_left(x, width)

## S3 method for class 'Ranges'
flank_left(x, width)

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
flank_left(x, width)

flank_upstream(x, width)

## S3 method for class 'Ranges'
flank_upstream(x, width)

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
flank_upstream(x, width)

flank_right(x, width)

## S3 method for class 'Ranges'
flank_right(x, width)

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
flank_right(x, width)

```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	a <code>PinnedGInteractions</code> object
<code>width</code>	The width of the flanking region relative to the ranges in <code>x</code> . Either an integer vector of length 1 or an integer vector the same length as <code>x</code> . The width can be negative in which case the flanking region is reversed.

### Value

A `PinnedGInteractions` object

### Examples

```

gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 11 20 chr1 21 30 + +
chr1 11 20 chr1 51 55 + +
chr1 11 30 chr1 51 55 - -
chr1 11 30 chr2 51 60 - -",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2", "strand1", "strand2")
) |>
as_ginteractions() |>

```

```

mutate(score = runif(4), type = c('cis', 'cis', 'cis', 'trans'))

#####
# 1. Simple flanking
#####

gi

gi |> pin_by("first") |> flank_left(-2)

gi |> pin_by("second") |> flank_downstream(4)

#####
# 2. Chained flanking of each set of anchors
#####

gi |>
  pin_by("first") |> flank_left(2) |>
  pin_by("second") |> flank_right(2)

```

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plyinteractions-shift *Shift pinned anchors of a GInteractions object with plyinteractions*

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## Description

Shift pinned anchors of a GInteractions object with plyinteractions

## Usage

```

shift_downstream(x, shift)

## S3 method for class 'Ranges'
shift_downstream(x, shift)

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
shift_downstream(x, shift)

shift_upstream(x, shift)

## S3 method for class 'Ranges'
shift_upstream(x, shift)

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
shift_upstream(x, shift)

shift_right(x, shift)

## S3 method for class 'Ranges'

```

```

shift_right(x, shift)

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
shift_right(x, shift)

shift_left(x, shift)

## S3 method for class 'Ranges'
shift_left(x, shift)

## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
shift_left(x, shift)

```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	a <code>PinnedGInteractions</code> object
<code>shift</code>	The amount to move the genomic interval in the <code>Ranges</code> object by. Either a non-negative integer vector of length 1 or an integer vector the same length as <code>x</code> .

### Value

A `PinnedGInteractions` object

### Examples

```

gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 11 20 chr1 21 30 + +
chr1 11 20 chr1 51 55 + +
chr1 11 30 chr1 51 55 - -
chr1 11 30 chr2 51 60 - -",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2", "strand1", "strand2")
) |>
as_ginteractions() |>
mutate(score = runif(4), type = c('cis', 'cis', 'cis', 'trans'))

#####
# 1. Simple shifting
#####

gi

gi |> pin_by("first") |> shift_left(15)

gi |> pin_by("second") |> shift_downstream(10)

#####
# 2. Chained shifting of each set of anchors
#####

```

```
gi |>
  pin_by("first") |> shift_downstream(20) |>
  pin_by("second") |> shift_upstream(20)
```

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plyranges-stretch      *Stretch pinned anchors of a GInteractions object with plyranges*

---

## Description

Stretch pinned anchors of a GInteractions object with plyranges

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions'
stretch(x, extend)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'PinnedGInteractions'
stretch(x, extend)
```

## Arguments

**x**                      a PinnedGInteractions object

**extend**                The amount to alter the width of a Ranges object by. Either an integer vector of length 1 or an integer vector the same length as x.

## Value

A PinnedGInteractions object

## Examples

```
gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 11 20 chr1 21 30 + +
chr1 11 20 chr1 51 55 + +
chr1 11 30 chr1 51 55 - -
chr1 11 30 chr2 51 60 - -",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2", "strand1", "strand2")
) |>
  as_ginteractions() |>
  mutate(score = runif(4), type = c('cis', 'cis', 'cis', 'trans'))

#####
# 1. Simple stretching
#####

gi
```

```

gi |> pin_by("first") |> anchor_start() |> stretch(15)

gi |> pin_by("second") |> anchor_center() |> stretch(10)

gi |> pin_by("second") |> anchor_3p() |> stretch(20)

#####
# 2. Chained stretching of each set of anchors
#####

gi |>
  pin_by("first") |> anchor_start() |> stretch(20) |>
  pin_by("second") |> stretch(20)

```

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replace\_anchors

*Replace anchors of a GInteractions*


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## Description

Replace anchors of a GInteractions

## Usage

```
replace_anchors(x, id, value)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,character,GenomicRanges'
replace_anchors(x, id, value)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,numeric,GenomicRanges'
replace_anchors(x, id, value)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'PinnedGInteractions,missing,GenomicRanges'
replace_anchors(x, id, value)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions,missing,GRanges'
replace_anchors(x, id, value)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions,numeric,GRanges'
replace_anchors(x, id, value)
```

## Arguments

x	a (Pinned)GInteractions object
id	Which anchors to replace ("first" or "second"). Ignored if the GInteractions is already pinned to a specific set of anchors.
value	A GRanges object vector the same length as x.

**Value**

a (Pinned)GInteractions object.

**Examples**

```

gi <- read.table(text = "
chr1 11 20 chr1 21 30
chr1 11 20 chr1 51 55
chr1 11 30 chr1 51 55
chr1 11 30 chr2 51 60",
col.names = c(
  "seqnames1", "start1", "end1",
  "seqnames2", "start2", "end2")
) |>
as_ginteractions() |>
mutate(type = c('cis', 'cis', 'cis', 'trans'), score = runif(4))

#####
# 1. Replace anchors of a GInteractions object
#####

gi |> replace_anchors(2, value = anchors1(gi))

gi |> replace_anchors(1, value = anchors2(gi))

gi |> replace_anchors(1, value = GenomicRanges::GRanges(c(
  "chr1:1-2", "chr1:2-3", "chr1:3-4", "chr1:4-5"
)))

#####
# 2. Replace anchors of a pinned GInteractions object
#####

gi |> pin_by(1) |> replace_anchors(value = anchors1(gi))

gi |> replace_anchors(1, value = anchors2(gi))

gi |>
  pin_by(1) |>
  replace_anchors(value = GenomicRanges::GRanges(c(
    "chr1:1-2", "chr1:2-3", "chr1:3-4", "chr1:4-5"
  ))) |>
  pin_by(2) |>
  replace_anchors(value = GenomicRanges::GRanges(c(
    "chr2:1-2", "chr2:2-3", "chr2:3-4", "chr2:4-5"
  )))

```

**Description**

Internal GInteractions setters

**Usage**

```
set_seqnames1(x, value)
```

```
set_seqnames2(x, value)
```

```
set_start1(x, value)
```

```
set_start2(x, value)
```

```
set_end1(x, value)
```

```
set_end2(x, value)
```

```
set_width1(x, value)
```

```
set_width2(x, value)
```

```
set_strand1(x, value)
```

```
set_strand2(x, value)
```

```
## S4 replacement method for signature 'GInteractions'  
first(x) <- value
```

```
## S4 replacement method for signature 'GInteractions'  
second(x) <- value
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,factor'  
set_seqnames1(x, value)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,factor'  
set_seqnames2(x, value)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,numeric'  
set_start1(x, value)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,numeric'  
set_start2(x, value)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,numeric'  
set_end1(x, value)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,numeric'  
set_end2(x, value)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,numeric'  
set_width1(x, value)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,numeric'  
set_width2(x, value)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions,numeric'  
set_width1(x, value)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'AnchoredPinnedGInteractions,numeric'  
set_width2(x, value)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,character'  
set_strand1(x, value)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'GInteractions,character'  
set_strand2(x, value)
```

### Arguments

x                    a GInteractions object  
value                a value passed to the corresponding field

### Value

A modified GInteractions

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show-GInteractions     *show method for GInteractions objects*

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### Description

show method for GInteractions objects

### Arguments

object                a (Anchored/Pinned/Grouped)GInteractions object

### Value

Prints a message to the console describing the contents of a GInteractions' object.

**Examples**

```
pairsf <- system.file('extdata', 'pairs.gz', package = 'plyinteractions')
pairs <- read.table(pairsf, comment.char = '#', header = FALSE)
pairs |>
  as_ginteractions(
    seqnames1 = V2, start1 = V3, width1 = 1, strand1 = V6,
    seqnames2 = V4, start2 = V5, width2 = 1, strand2 = V7,
    starts.in.df.are.0based = TRUE
  )
```

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