

# Package ‘err’

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**Title** Customizable Object Sensitive Messages

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**Description** Messages should provide users with readable information about R objects without flooding their console.  
'cc()' concatenates vector and data frame values into a grammatically correct string using commas, an ellipsis and conjunction.  
'cn()' allows the user to define a string which varies based on a count.  
'co()' combines the two to produce a customizable object aware string.  
The package further facilitates this process by providing five 'sprintf'-like types such as '%n' for the length of an object and '%o' for its name as well as wrappers for pasting objects and issuing errors, warnings and messages.

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<b>cc</b>	<i>Concatenation with Commas</i>
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## Description

Concatenates object values into a string with each value separated by a comma and possibly the last value separated by a conjunction.

## Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
cc(object, conjunction = NULL, bracket = "",
ellipsis = 10, oxford = FALSE, ...)

## S3 method for class 'character'
cc(object, conjunction = NULL, bracket = "'",
ellipsis = 10, oxford = FALSE, ...)

## S3 method for class 'factor'
cc(object, conjunction = NULL, bracket = "'",
ellipsis = 10, oxford = FALSE, ...)

## S3 method for class 'data.frame'
cc(object, conjunction = NULL, ellipsis = 10,
oxford = FALSE, ...)
```

## Arguments

object	The object with values to concatenate.
conjunction	A string of the conjunction to separate the last value by or NULL.
bracket	A string to bracket the values by.
ellipsis	A count of the total number of values required to use an ellipsis.
oxford	A flag indicating whether to use the Oxford comma (if conjunction).
...	Unused

## See Also

[co](#)

## Examples

```
cc(c(1,1,1:2))
cc(100:1)
cc(1:100, "and")
cc(100:1, "or", bracket = "|", ellipsis = 5, oxford = TRUE)
cc(mtcars)
```

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cn	<i>Customizable Number Aware String</i>
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## Description

Customizable Number Aware String

## Usage

```
cn(n, one = "there %r %n value%s", some = one, none = some,
    lots = some, nlots = 10)
```

## Arguments

n	A count of the number.
one	The string to return if n = 1
some	The string to return if n is in 2, 3, ..., nlot - 1
none	The string to return if n = 0
lots	The string to return if n >= nlot
nlot	A count of the number of values to consider to be lots

## Value

A string of the updated message.

## sprintf-like types

The following sprintf-like types can be used in the custom messages:

- n the length of the object
- s 's' if n != 1 otherwise "

## See Also

[cc](#) and [co](#)

## Examples

```
cn(0)
cn(1)
cn(4)
```

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co*Customizable Object Aware String*

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## Description

Produces a fully customizable object aware string with consecutive values separated by columns.

## Usage

```
## Default S3 method:
co(object, one = "%o has %n value%s: %c",
  some = one, none = gsub(": ", "", some), lots = some, nlots = 10,
  conjunction = NULL, bracket = "", ellipsis = nlots,
  oxford = FALSE, object_name = substitute(object), ...)

## S3 method for class 'character'
co(object, one = "%o has %n value%s: %c",
  some = one, none = gsub(": ", "", some), lots = some, nlots = 10,
  conjunction = NULL, bracket = "'", ellipsis = nlots,
  oxford = FALSE, object_name = substitute(object), ...)

## S3 method for class 'factor'
co(object, one = "%o has %n value%s: %c",
  some = one, none = gsub(": ", "", some), lots = some, nlots = 10,
  conjunction = NULL, bracket = "'", ellipsis = nlots,
  oxford = FALSE, object_name = substitute(object), ...)

## S3 method for class 'data.frame'
co(object, one = "%o has %n column%s\n%c",
  some = one, none = none, lots = some, nlots = 10,
  conjunction = NULL, ellipsis = nlots, oxford = FALSE,
  object_name = substitute(object), ...)
```

## Arguments

object	The object of length n
one	The string to return if n = 1
some	The string to return if n is in 2, 3, ..., nlots - 1
none	The string to return if n = 0
lots	The string to return if n >= nlots
nlots	A count of the number of values to consider to be lots
conjunction	A string of the conjunction to separate the last value by or NULL.
bracket	A string to bracket the values by.
ellipsis	A count of the total number of values required to use an ellipsis.

oxford	A flag indicating whether to use the Oxford comma (if conjunction).
object_name	A string of the object name.
...	Unused.

### sprintf-like types

The following sprintf-like types can be used in the custom messages:

- c the object as a comma separated list (produced by a [cc](#) function)
- n the length of the object
- o the name of the object
- s 's' if n != 1 otherwise "
- r 'are' if n != 1 otherwise 'is'

### See Also

[cc](#)

### Examples

```
co(character())
x <- "fox"
co(x)
co(c(1,2,5))
co(1:10)
co(datasets::mtcars)
```

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err

*Error*

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### Description

Stops execution and throws an error without the call as part of the error message.

### Usage

```
err(...)
```

### Arguments

...	zero or more objects which can be coerced to character
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### See Also

[stop](#), [wrn](#), [msg](#) and [co](#)

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**err\_wrappers**

*Wrappers with Conjunction and " Brackets.*

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**Description**

Wrappers with Conjunction and " Brackets.

**Usage**

```
cc_and(object)
cc_or(object)

co_and(object, one = "%o has %n value%s: %c",
        object_name = substitute(object))

co_or(object, one = "%o has %n value%s: %c",
        object_name = substitute(object))
```

**Arguments**

object	The object with values to concatenate.
one	The string to return if n = 1
object_name	A string of the object name.

**Functions**

- cc\_and: Concatenation with Commas and And Conjunction
- cc\_or: Concatenation with Commas and Or Conjunction
- co\_and: Customizable Object Aware String and And Conjunction
- co\_or: Customizable Object Aware String and Or Conjunction

**See Also**

[cc](#) and [co](#)

**Examples**

```
cc_and(1:100)
cc_or(100:1)
co_and(1:100)
co_or(100:1)
```

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msg	<i>Message</i>
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## Description

Generates a diagnostic message.

## Usage

```
msg(...)
```

## Arguments

...	zero or more objects which can be coerced to character
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## See Also

[message](#), [err](#), [wrn](#) and [co](#)

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p	<i>Paste</i>
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## Description

Wrappers on [paste](#) and [paste0](#) to increase the readability of code.

## Usage

```
p(..., sep = " ", collapse = NULL)
```

```
p0(..., collapse = NULL)
```

## Arguments

...	one or more R objects, to be converted to character vectors.
sep	a character string to separate the terms. Not <a href="#">NA_character_</a> .
collapse	an optional character string to separate the results. Not <a href="#">NA_character_</a> .

## Value

A string of the pasted values.

## Functions

- p0: Paste0

**Examples**

```
p("The", "red")
p0("ard", "vark")
```

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*wrn**Warning*

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**Description**

Immediately outputs an warning without the call as part of the error message that as far as possible is a single line.

**Usage**

```
wrn(...)
```

**Arguments**

...	zero or more objects which can be coerced to character
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**See Also**

[warning](#), [err](#), [msg](#) and [co](#)

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