

# Package ‘findR’

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**Type** Package

**Title** Find Code Snippets, R Scripts, R Markdown, PDF and Text Files  
with Pattern Matching

**Version** 0.2.1

**Description** Scans all directories and subdirectories of a path for code snippets, R scripts,  
R Markdown, PDF or text files containing a specific pat-  
tern. Files found can be copied to a new folder.

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`findPDF`*Find PDF files by content with pattern matching*

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**Description**

`findPDF` scans all directories and subdirectories of a given path for PDF files (.pdf) containing a specific pattern. Hits can be copied to a new folder.

**Usage**

```
findPDF(path = ".", pattern = "Hello World", case.sensitive = TRUE,  
        show.results = TRUE, copy = FALSE, folder = "findPDF",  
        overwrite = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>path</code>	a character vector, path to be scanned. The default corresponds to the working directory, <code>getwd()</code> .
<code>pattern</code>	a pattern (regular expression) to search for.
<code>case.sensitive</code>	a logical value. If TRUE, pattern-matching is case-sensitive.
<code>show.results</code>	a logical value. If TRUE, results are printed after completion.
<code>copy</code>	a logical value. If TRUE, all matching PDF files are copied to folder.
<code>folder</code>	a character vector, path or name of new folder to copy matching PDF files to.
<code>overwrite</code>	a logical value. If TRUE, existing destination files are overwritten.

**Examples**

```
# Find all PDF files in the package folder that contain the name Hanna  
findPDF(path = system.file(package = "findR"), pattern = "Hanna")  
  
# Save results in a data frame and show hits  
dt <- findPDF(path = system.file(package = "findR"), pattern = "Hanna", show.results = TRUE)  
dt
```

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`findRmd`*Find R Markdown files by content with pattern matching*

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**Description**

`findRmd` scans all directories and subdirectories of a given path for R Markdown files (.Rmd) containing a specific pattern. Hits can be copied to a new folder.

**Usage**

```
findRmd(path = ".", pattern = "Hello World", case.sensitive = TRUE,  
        show.results = TRUE, copy = FALSE, folder = "findRmd",  
        overwrite = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

path	a character vector, path to be scanned. The default corresponds to the working directory, <code>getwd()</code> .
pattern	a pattern (regular expression) to search for.
case.sensitive	a logical value. If TRUE, pattern-matching is case-sensitive.
show.results	a logical value. If TRUE, results are printed after completion.
copy	a logical value. If TRUE, all matching R Markdown files are copied to folder.
folder	a character vector, path or name of new folder to copy matching R Markdown files to.
overwrite	a logical value. If TRUE, existing destination files are overwritten.

**Examples**

```
# Find all R Markdown files in the package folder that contain a ggplot bar chart  
findRmd(path = system.file(package = "findR"), pattern = "geom_bar")  
  
# Save results in a data frame and show hits  
dt <- findRmd(path = system.file(package = "findR"), pattern = "geom_bar", show.results = TRUE)  
dt
```

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findRscript

*Find R scripts by content with pattern matching*

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**Description**

findRscript scans all directories and subdirectories of a given path for R scripts (.R) containing a specific pattern. Hits can be copied to a new folder.

**Usage**

```
findRscript(pattern = "Hello World", path = ".", case.sensitive = TRUE,  
            comments = TRUE, show.results = TRUE, copy = FALSE,  
            folder = "findRscript", overwrite = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

pattern	a pattern (regular expression) to search for.
path	a character vector, path to be scanned. The default corresponds to the working directory, getwd().
case.sensitive	a logical value. If TRUE, pattern-matching is case-sensitive.
comments	a logical value. If TRUE, comments (lines starting with #) are included in the pattern-matching procedure.
show.results	a logical value. If TRUE, results are printed after completion.
copy	a logical value. If TRUE, all matching R scripts are copied to folder.
folder	a character vector, path or name of new folder to copy matching R scripts to.
overwrite	a logical value. If TRUE, existing destination files are overwritten.

**Examples**

```
# Find all Rscripts in the package folder that use the circlize package
findRscript(path = system.file(package = "findR"), pattern = "circlize")

# Save results in a data frame and show hits
dt <- findRscript(path = system.file(package = "findR"), pattern = "circlize", show.results = TRUE)
dt
```

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findtxt

*Find text files by content with pattern matching*


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**Description**

findtxt scans all directories and subdirectories of a given path for text files (.txt) containing a specific pattern. Hits can be copied to a new folder.

**Usage**

```
findtxt(pattern = "Hello World", path = ".", case.sensitive = TRUE,
        show.results = TRUE, copy = FALSE, folder = "findtxt",
        overwrite = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

pattern	a pattern (regular expression) to search for.
path	a character vector, path to be scanned. The default corresponds to the working directory, getwd().
case.sensitive	a logical value. If TRUE, pattern-matching is case-sensitive.
show.results	a logical value. If TRUE, results are printed after completion.
copy	a logical value. If TRUE, all matching text files are copied to folder.
folder	a character vector, path or name of new folder to copy matching text files to.
overwrite	a logical value. If TRUE, existing destination files are overwritten.

**Examples**

```
# Find all text files in the package folder that contain the name Einstein
findtxt(path = system.file(package = "findR"), pattern = "Einstein")

# Save results in a data frame and show hits
dt <- findtxt(path = system.file(package = "findR"), pattern = "Einstein", show.results = TRUE)
dt
```

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reminder

*Find reminders on how to use a specific R function*

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**Description**

reminder scans all directories and subdirectories of a given path for files (.R, .Rmd, .txt) containing a specific R function and prints the corresponding lines of code.

**Usage**

```
reminder(func = "library", path = ".", before = 0, after = 0,
         stepwise = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

func	a function to search for.
path	a character vector, path to be scanned. The default corresponds to the working directory, getwd().
before	integer. The number of lines to print before the function.
after	integer. The number of lines to print after the function.
stepwise	a logical value. If TRUE, examples are shown one by one using prompt.

**Examples**

```
# Find reminder on how to use the function chordDiagram
reminder(func = "chordDiagram", path = system.file(package = "findR"), stepwise = FALSE)
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