

# Package ‘qspray’

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**Details**

This section should provide a more detailed overview of how to use the package, including the most important functions.

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**References**

This optional section can contain literature or other references for background information.

**See Also**

Optional links to other man pages

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
## Optional simple examples of the most important functions
## These can be in \dontrun{} and \donttest{} blocks.

## End(Not run)
```

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as.function.qspray      *Multivariate polynomial as function*

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## Description

Coerces a qspray polynomial into a function.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'qspray'  
as.function(x, ...)
```

## Arguments

x	object of class qspray
...	ignored

## Value

A function having the same variables as the polynomial. It returns a string.

## Examples

```
library(qspray)  
P <- (qclone(1) + "1/2"*qclone(2))^2 + 5  
f <- as.function(P)  
f(2, "3/7")  
f("x", "y")  
# the evaluation is performed by (R)yacas and complex numbers are  
# allowed; the imaginary unit is denoted by 'I'  
f("2 + 2*I", "1/4")
```

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as.qspray      *Coercion to a 'qspray' object*

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## Description

Coercion to a 'qspray' object

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'character'
as.qspray(x)

## S4 method for signature 'qspray'
as.qspray(x)

## S4 method for signature 'numeric'
as.qspray(x)

## S4 method for signature 'bigz'
as.qspray(x)

## S4 method for signature 'bigq'
as.qspray(x)
```

**Arguments**

- x** a qspray object or an object yielding a quoted integer or a quoted fraction after an application of `as.character`

**Value**

A qspray object.

**Examples**

```
as.qspray(2)
as.qspray("1/3")
```

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**detQ**

*Determinant of a rational matrix*

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**Description**

Determinant of a square matrix with rational entries.

**Usage**

`detQ(M)`

**Arguments**

- M** a square matrix such that each entry of `as.character(M)` is a quoted integer or a quoted fraction

**Value**

A quoted rational number representing the determinant.

**Examples**

```
library(qspray)
M <- cbind(c("1/2", "3"), c("5/3", "-2/7"))
detQ(M)
```

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ESFpoly

*Elementary symmetric function*

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**Description**

Returns an elementary symmetric function as a polynomial.

**Usage**

```
ESFpoly(m, lambda)
```

**Arguments**

m	integer, the number of variables
lambda	an integer partition, given as a vector of decreasing positive integers

**Value**

A qspray object.

**Examples**

```
library(qspray)
ESFpoly(3, c(3, 1))
```

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evalQspray

*Evaluate a 'qspray' object*

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**Description**

Evaluation of the multivariate polynomial represented by a qspray object.

**Usage**

```
evalQspray(qspray, values_re, values_im = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>qspray</code>	a <code>qspray</code> object
<code>values_re</code>	vector of the real parts of the values; each element of <code>as.character(values_re)</code> must be quoted integer or a quoted fraction
<code>values_im</code>	vector of the imaginary parts of the values; each element of <code>as.character(values_im)</code> must be quoted integer or a quoted fraction

**Value**

A `bigq` number if `values_im=NULL`, a pair of `bigq` numbers otherwise: the real part and the imaginary part of the result.

**Examples**

```
x <- qlone(1); y <- qlone(2)
P <- 2*x + "1/2"*y
evalQspray(P, c("2", "5/2", "99999")) # "99999" will be ignored
```

**integratePolynomialOnSimplex**

*Integral of a multivariate polynomial over a simplex*

**Description**

Returns the exact value of the integral of a multivariate polynomial with rational coefficients over a simplex whose vertices have rational coordinates.

**Usage**

```
integratePolynomialOnSimplex(P, S)
```

**Arguments**

<code>P</code>	a <code>qspray</code> object
<code>S</code>	the simplex, a $(n+1) \times n$ matrix such that each entry of the matrix <code>as.character(S)</code> is a quoted integer or a quoted fraction

**Value**

A `bigq` number, the exact value of the integral.

**Examples**

```
library(qspray)
x <- qlone(1); y <- qlone(2)
P <- x/2 + x*y
S <- rbind(c("0", "0"), c("1", "0"), c("1", "1")) # a triangle
integratePolynomialOnSimplex(P, S)
```

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MSFpoly	<i>Monomial symmetric function</i>
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**Description**

Returns a monomial symmetric function as a polynomial.

**Usage**

```
MSFpoly(m, lambda)
```

**Arguments**

- |        |   |
|--------|---|
| m      | integer, the number of variables  |
| lambda | an integer partition, given as a vector of decreasing positive integers |

**Value**

A qspray object.

**Examples**

```
library(qspray)
MSFpoly(3, c(3, 1))
```

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prettyQspray	<i>Pretty polynomial</i>
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**Description**

Pretty form of a qspray polynomial.

**Usage**

```
prettyQspray(qspray, vars = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

- |        |  |
|--------|--|
| qspray | a qspray object                          |
| vars   | variable names; NULL for "x1", "x2", ... |

**Value**

A character string.

## Examples

```
library(qspray)
P <- (qlone(1) + "1/2"*qlone(2))^2 + 5
prettyP <- prettyQspray(P, vars = c("x", "y"))
prettyP
Ryacas::yac_str(sprintf("PrettyForm(%s)", prettyP))
Ryacas::yac_str(sprintf("TeForm(%s)", prettyP))
```

**qlone**

*Polynomial variable*

## Description

Create a polynomial variable.

## Usage

`qlone(n)`

## Arguments

<b>n</b>	nonnegative integer, the index of the variable
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## Value

A qspray object.

## Examples

`qlone(2)`

**qspray-unary**

*Unary operators for qspray objects*

## Description

Unary operators for qspray objects.

## Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'qspray,missing'
e1 + e2

## S4 method for signature 'qspray,missing'
e1 - e2
```

**Arguments**

- |    |                        |
|----|------------------------|
| e1 | object of class qspray |
| e2 | nothing                |

**Value**

A qspray object.

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qsprayMaker	<i>Make a 'qspray' object</i>
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**Description**

Make a qspray object from a list of exponents and a vector of coefficients.

**Usage**

```
qsprayMaker(powers, coeffs, string = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

- |        |   |
|--------|---|
| powers | list of positive integer vectors  |
| coeffs | a vector such that each element of as.character(coeffs) is a quoted integer or a quoted fraction; it must have the same length as the powers list |
| string | if not NULL, this argument takes precedence over powers and vertices; it must be a string representing a multivariate polynomial; see the example |

**Value**

A qspray object.

**Examples**

```
powers <- list(c(1, 1), c(0, 2))
coeffs <- c("1/2", "4")
qsprayMaker(powers, coeffs)
qsprayMaker(string = "1/2 x^(1, 1) + 4 x^(0, 2)")
```

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