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DESI and MALDI examples including pig fetus,
cardinal painting, and human RCC.

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CardinalWorkflows-package

Datasets and workflows for the Cardinal mass spectrometry imaging package

Description

Datasets and workflows for Cardinal: MS imaging data examples including cardinal painting, pig fetus, and human RCC.

Usage

```
# Load and return an example MSI dataset
exampleMSIData(name = c("cardinal", "pig206", "rcc"))
```

Arguments

name The name of the dataset.

Details

CardinalWorkflows provides datasets and example workflows of mass spectrometry imaging experiments using the Cardinal package for MS imaging analysis.

To view the example workflows, use `browseVignettes("CardinalWorkflows")`.

Value

The dataset as an `MSImagingExperiment`.

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See Also

[cardinal](#), [pig206](#), [rcc](#)

cardinal-data

Cardinal Painting

Description

DESI-imaging mass spectra collected from the oil painting of a cardinal. Should be loaded with `exampleMSIData()`.

Source

Aston Labs (Livia S. Eberlin, Christina Ferreira, and R. Graham Cooks).

Examples

```
cardinal <- exampleMSIData("cardinal")
cardinal
```

pig206-data

Cross-Section of a Whole Pig Fetus

Description

DESI-imaging mass spectra collected from the cross-section of a whole pig fetus. Should be loaded with `exampleMSIData()`.

Source

Aston Labs (Livia S. Eberlin, Christina Ferreira, and R. Graham Cooks).

Examples

```
pig206 <- exampleMSIData("pig206")
pig206
```

rcc-data

Human Renal Cell Carcinoma

Description

Eight matched pairs of human renal cell carcinoma (RCC) labeled as cancer or normal.

Data are DESI-imaging mass spectra with each matched pair as a separate sample on a separate slide.

Should be loaded with `exampleMSIData()`.

Source

Aston Labs (Livia S. Eberlin and R. Graham Cooks).

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Examples

```
rcc <- exampleMSIData("rcc")
rcc
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