

# Package ‘cascadeSelect’

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**Title** A Cascade Select Input for 'Shiny'

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**Description** Provides a cascade select widget for usage in 'Shiny' applications. This is useful for selection of hierarchical choices (e.g. continent, country, city). It is taken from the 'JavaScript' library 'PrimeReact'.

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**cascadeSelectInput**      *Cascade select input*

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## Description

Create a cascade select input for Shiny.

## Usage

```
cascadeSelectInput(
  inputId,
  choices,
  selected = NULL,
  placeholder = "Select",
  optionLabel,
  optionGroupLabel,
  optionGroupChildren,
  theme = "bootstrap4-dark-purple"
)
```

## Arguments

|                                  |                                                                                                                                                                     |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <code>inputId</code>             | the id that will be used to get the selected value in Shiny                                                                                                         |
| <code>choices</code>             | a hierarchical list (see the example); each item is given by a list with <i>must</i> contain an <code>icon</code> field created with the <code>Icon</code> function |
| <code>selected</code>            | the selected value; <code>NULL</code> for none                                                                                                                      |
| <code>placeholder</code>         | placeholder appearing when no selected value                                                                                                                        |
| <code>optionLabel</code>         | the label of the options to be selected                                                                                                                             |
| <code>optionGroupLabel</code>    | the label of the groups of options; there can be several groups and they must have the same label                                                                   |
| <code>optionGroupChildren</code> | a list of the names of the groups of options                                                                                                                        |
| <code>theme</code>               | the CSS theme; see <code>data(themes)</code> for the list of available themes                                                                                       |

## Value

A `shiny.tag.list` object to be included in a Shiny UI.

## Examples

```
library(shiny)
library(cascadeSelect)

## | the hierarchical list of choices
folders <- list(
```

```
list( # first folder
    name = "bootstrap", icon = Icon("bi bi-bootstrap", color = "purple"),
    subfolders = list(
        list( # subfolder of the first folder
            name = "css", icon = Icon("bi bi-folder-fill", color = "orange"),
            files = list(
                list(
                    fname = "bootstrap-theme.css", size = "25 KB",
                    icon = Icon("bi bi-filetype-css", color = "steelblue")
                ),
                list(
                    fname = "bootstrap.css", size = "142 KB",
                    icon = Icon("bi bi-filetype-css", color = "steelblue")
                )
            )
        ),
        list( # subfolder of the first folder
            name = "js", icon = Icon("bi bi-folder-fill", color = "orange"),
            files = list(
                list(
                    fname = "bootstrap.js", size = "74 KB",
                    icon = Icon("bi bi-filetype-js", color = "yellow")
                ),
                list(
                    fname = "npm.js", size = "484 B",
                    icon = Icon("bi bi-filetype-js", color = "yellow")
                )
            )
        )
    )
),
list( # second folder
    name = "datatables", icon = Icon("bi bi-table", color = "purple"),
    subfolders = list(
        list( # subfolder of the second folder
            name = "css", icon = Icon("bi bi-folder-fill", color = "orange"),
            files = list(
                list(
                    fname = "dataTables.bootstrap.css", size = "7.5 KB",
                    icon = Icon("bi bi-filetype-css", color = "steelblue")
                ),
                list(
                    fname = "dataTables.extra.css", size = "1.2 KB",
                    icon = Icon("bi bi-filetype-css", color = "steelblue")
                )
            )
        ),
        list( # subfolder of the second folder
            name = "js", icon = Icon("bi bi-folder-fill", color = "orange"),
            files = list(
                list(
                    fname = "dataTables.bootstrap.js", size = "4.2 KB",
                    icon = Icon("bi bi-filetype-js", color = "yellow")
                )
            )
        )
    )
)
```

```

),
list(
  fname = "jquerydataTable.min.js", size = "77.1 KB",
  icon = Icon("bi bi-filetype-js", color = "yellow")
)
)
)
)
)
)
)

## | the Shiny app
ui <- fluidPage(
  titlePanel("Cascade Select"),
  fluidRow(
    column(
      6,
      cascadeSelectInput(
        "cascade",
        choices = folders,
        placeholder = "Select a file",
        optionLabel = "fname",
        optionGroupLabel = "name",
        optionGroupChildren = list("subfolders", "files"),
        theme = "bootstrap4-dark-purple"
      ),
      br(),br(),
      uiOutput("textOutput")
    )
  )
)

server <- function(input, output, session) {
  output[["textOutput"]] <- renderUI({
    choice <- req(input[["cascade"]])
    tagList(
      tags$h4("You selected the file: ", sQuote(choice[["fname"]]), "."),
      tags$h4("Its size is: " , choice[["size"]], ".")
    )
  })
}

if(interactive()) {
  shinyApp(ui, server)
}

# other example, with different group depths ###
library(shiny)
library(cascadeSelect)

folderHaskell <- list(
  list( # first folder

```

```
name = "findPatternInFiles",
icon = Icon("bi bi-folder-fill", color = "orange"),
sub = list(
  list( # subfolder of the first folder
    name = "src", icon = Icon("bi bi-folder-fill", color = "orange"),
    subsub = list(
      list( # file
        fname = "GetAhaHTML.hs", icon = Icon("oi oi-haskell")
      ),
      list( # file
        fname = "GetGrepResults.hs", icon = Icon("oi oi-haskell")
      )
    )
  ),
  list( # subfolder of the first folder
    name = "src-exe", icon = Icon("bi bi-folder-fill", color = "orange"),
    subsub = list(
      list( # file
        fname = "Main.hs", icon = Icon("oi oi-haskell")
      )
    )
  ),
  list( # file in the first folder
    fname = "findPatternInFiles.cabal", icon = Icon("oi oi-cabal")
  ),
  list( # file in the first folder
    fname = "LICENSE", icon = Icon("oi oi-license")
  ),
  list( # file in the first folder
    fname = "README.md", icon = Icon("oi oi-markdown")
  ),
  list( # file in the first folder
    fname = "Setup.hs", icon = Icon("oi oi-haskell")
  ),
  list( # file in the first folder
    fname = "stack.yaml", icon = Icon("oi oi-yaml")
  ),
  list( # file in the first folder
    fname = ".gitignore", icon = Icon("bi bi-git")
  )
)
)
)
)

ui <- fluidPage(
  titlePanel("My Haskell project"),
  fluidRow(
    column(
      6,
      cascadeSelectInput(
        "cascade",
        choices = folderHaskell,
        placeholder = "Select a file",
        
```

```

optionLabel = "fname",
optionGroupLabel = "name",
optionGroupChildren = list("sub", "subsub"),
theme = "luna-amber"
),
br(),br(),
textOutput("textOutput")
)
)
)

server <- function(input, output, session) {
  output[["textOutput"]] <- renderText({
    choice <- input[["cascade"]]
    sprintf(
      "You selected the file: %s.", dQuote(choice[["fname"]]))
  )
})
}

if(interactive()) {
  shinyApp(ui, server)
}

```

**Icon***Create an icon***Description**

Create an icon with a given color and a given size.

**Usage**

```
Icon(icon = "pi pi-circle-fill", color = "red", size = "1.5rem", scale = 1)
```

**Arguments**

|              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|--------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>icon</b>  | the name (actually the class name) of the icon; <b>PrimeIcons</b> are available, for example "pi pi-youtube" (see <a href="#">PrimeIcons</a> ), <b>fontawesome</b> icons are available, for example "fa fa-paper-plane", and <b>Bootstrap icons</b> are available, for example "bi bi-apple" (see <a href="#">Bootstrap icons</a> ) |
| <b>color</b> | a CSS color, e.g. "crimson" or a hex code like "#ffaa07"                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>size</b>  | size of the icon, a css measurement (e.g. 1rem, 11px); for the oi family of icons (see <a href="#">oiIcons</a> ), do not change the default size and use the <b>scale</b> argument instead                                                                                                                                          |
| <b>scale</b> | a positive number, the scale for an oi icon (see <a href="#">oiIcons</a> ); you must use this argument to control its size, not the <b>size</b> argument                                                                                                                                                                            |

**Value**

A list to be included in the fields icon of the choices list of [cascadeSelectInput](#).

**Note**

The color argument has no effect on the oi icons.

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**oiIcons***The "oi" icons*

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**Description**

The oi icons are some SVG icons. This function lists them. They are intended to be used in the [Icon](#) function.

**Usage**

```
oiIcons()
```

**Value**

A data frame.

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**pi\_icons***The prime icons*

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**Description**

The names of the icons available in the [PrimeIcons](#) library.

**Usage**

```
pi_icons
```

**Format**

A vector with 260 elements. Each element is the name of an icon. In order to use it in the [Icon](#) function, you have to prefix it with pi pi- (for example "pi pi-youtube"). See [PrimeIcons](#) for the list of all icons.

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themes

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*The CSS themes*

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## Description

The names of the CSS themes available in the **PrimeReact** library.

## Usage

themes

## Format

A vector with 34 elements. Each element is the name of a theme, to be used as the `theme` argument of the [cascadeSelectInput](#) function.

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