

# Package: starc (via r-universe)

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 compute\_spatial\_window

*Compute spatial window for location*


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**Description**

Converts lon/lat + buffer to:

- UTM CRS (appropriate zone)
- Projected extent (xmin, xmax, ymin, ymax)
- Lonlat extent (lonmin, lonmax, latmin, latmax)

**Usage**

```
compute_spatial_window(locations)
```

**Arguments**

locations      Data frame with lon, lat, radiusx, radiusy

**Value**

Data frame with added spatial fields

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consolidate\_assets\_parquet

*Consolidate all Parquet files with deduplication*


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**Description**

Consolidate all Parquet files with deduplication

**Usage**

```
consolidate_assets_parquet(
  parquet_dir = "_targets/assets_parquet",
  parquet_files = NULL,
  dedup_keys = c("SITE_ID", "datetime")
)
```

**Arguments**

parquet\_dir      Directory containing Parquet files

parquet\_files    Character vector of Parquet file paths (from targets)

dedup\_keys      Character vector of columns to deduplicate on

**Value**

Tibble with consolidated, deduplicated assets

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`define_test_location` *Define test location (Noville Peninsula)*

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**Description**

Define test location (Noville Peninsula)

**Usage**

```
define_test_location()
```

**Value**

Data frame with single location

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`get_assets_from_urls` *Get assets from pre-built query URLs*

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**Description**

This was born as hrefs from scene

**Usage**

```
get_assets_from_urls(query_urls)
```

**Arguments**

`query_urls` Query URL(s) from `sds::stacit()`

**Value**

Tibble with asset URLs and metadata

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`get_assets_single`      *Internal: Fetch single STAC query with pagination*

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**Description**

This was born as hrefs0 from scene

**Usage**

```
get_assets_single(query_url)
```

**Arguments**

`query_url`      STAC query URL

**Value**

Tibble with assets + metadata

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`mk_utm_centre`      *Determine UTM point from lon/lat*

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**Description**

Determine UTM point from lon/lat

**Usage**

```
mk_utm_centre(lon, lat)
```

**Arguments**

`lon`              Longitude

`lat`              Latitude

**Value**

dataframe with columns x, y in UTM

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mk_utm_crs	<i>Determine UTM CRS from lon/lat</i>
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**Description**

Determine UTM CRS from lon/lat

**Usage**

```
mk_utm_crs(lon, lat)
```

**Arguments**

lon	Longitude
lat	Latitude

**Value**

EPSG code as string

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prepare_query	<i>Prepare STAC query</i>
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**Description**

Prepare STAC query  
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**Usage**

```
prepare_query(spatial_window, start_date, end_date, collections, provider)
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```

**Arguments**

spatial_window	Spatial window with bbox
start_date	Start date
end_date	End date

**Value**

Query specification  
Query specification

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process\_feature      *Internal: Extract assets and metadata from single feature*

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**Description**

Internal: Extract assets and metadata from single feature

**Usage**

```
process_feature(feature)
```

**Arguments**

feature      Single STAC feature (one row from features data frame)

**Value**

Named list with assets + metadata

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sanitize\_location      *Sanitize location name for filesystem*

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**Description**

Sanitize location name for filesystem

**Usage**

```
sanitize_location(location)
```

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write\_assets\_to\_parquet  
*Write assets table to Parquet file (parallel-safe)*

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**Description**

Write assets table to Parquet file (parallel-safe)

**Usage**

```
write_assets_to_parquet(
  assets_table,
  output_dir = "_targets/assets_parquet",
  collection = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

assets_table	Tibble with assets for ONE location (from get_assets) Should have: SITE_ID, location_id, solarday, scene_id, datetime, cloud_cover, red, green, blue, nir, scl, etc.
output_dir	Directory to write Parquet files
collection	Optional collection name for subfolder

**Value**

Character. Path to written Parquet file

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write\_consolidated\_assets

*Write consolidated assets to single Parquet file*

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**Description**

Write consolidated assets to single Parquet file

**Usage**

```
write_consolidated_assets(  
  assets_consolidated,  
  output_path = "_targets/assets_consolidated.parquet"  
)
```

**Arguments**

assets_consolidated	Consolidated assets tibble
output_path	Path to write final Parquet file

**Value**

Character. Path to written file

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