

# Package ‘VennItem’

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**Title** Generate Venn Diagrams with Items Listed in the Sections

**Version** 1.1.0

**Description** Generate Venn diagrams from two or three sets, displaying the overlapping items as lists in the appropriate sections. The lists can be split into columns or shortened for large sets and the plot is generated using 'ggplot2' allowing further customisations.

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**Imports** ggplot2, ggforce, stringr, scales

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**vennItem***Create Venn Diagram with Items*

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## Description

Draws a 2- or 3-set Venn diagram with items listed in regions.

## Usage

```
vennItem(
  sets,
  ncol_items = 1,
  max_items_per_region = Inf,
  fill_alpha = 0.25,
  outline_size = 0.8,
  palette = NULL,
  text_size = 3.5,
  font_family = "mono",
  title = NULL,
  legend = "none",
  sort_items = TRUE,
  show_set_labels = TRUE,
  set_label_size = text_size * 1.5,
  set_label_family = font_family,
  set_label_nudge = 0.25,
  set_label_angles = NULL
)
```

## Arguments

<code>sets</code>	Named list of character vectors.
<code>ncol_items</code>	Number of columns for items drawn within each section.
<code>max_items_per_region</code>	Show top n items only. Set to 0 for classic set size Venn.
<code>fill_alpha</code>	Fill opacity.
<code>outline_size</code>	Circle stroke size.
<code>palette</code>	Vector of custom fill colours.
<code>text_size</code>	Size of item text.
<code>font_family</code>	Font of item text, monospace recommended.
<code>title</code>	Plot title.
<code>legend</code>	Show fill legend.
<code>sort_items</code>	Sort items alphabetically within sections.
<code>show_set_labels</code>	Label circles with set names.

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set_label_size  Size of set names.  
set_label_family  
                Font of set names.  
set_label_nudge  
                Distance of set names from circle.  
set_label_angles  
                Angle of set name from center of plot.
```

**Value**

A ggplot object.

**Examples**

```
sets <- list(A = c("apple", "banana"), B = c("banana", "kiwi"),  
C = c("banana", "kiwi", "apple", "pear"))  
vennItem(sets)  
big_sets <- list(A = c("apple", "banana", "durian", "lychee",  
"grapes", "pear", "melon"),  
B = c("banana", "kiwi", "satsuma", "orange", "lemon", "lime"),  
C = c("banana", "kiwi", "apple", "pear", "coconut"))  
vennItem(big_sets, ncol_items = 2)
```

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