# Package: dracor (via r-universe)

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<b>Description</b> Decodes meshes and point cloud data encoded by the Draco mesh compression library from Google. Note that this is only designed for basic decoding and not intended as a full scale wrapping of the Draco library.	
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Decode Draco encoded raw bytes containing mesh or point cloud data

### Description

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#### Usage

```
draco_decode(data, mesh3d = TRUE, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

data
raw bytes containing Draco data e.g. as read by readBin OR a character vector containing a URL or a path to a file on disk.

mesh3d
Whether to return rgl::mesh3d object (when TRUE, the default) or something as close as possible to what is provided by the Draco library (when FALSE).

Additional arguments passed to download.file when data is a URL (e.g. quiet=TRUE)

or method)

#### **Details**

Note that the Draco library returns 0-based indices for the faces whereas R in general and rgl::mesh3d in particular expect 1-based indices. When mesh3d=FALSE, the result will have 0-based indices as returned by the Draco library.

If data is an http/https URL it will be downloaded to a temporary location on disk (using download.file). If data is a character vector that does not look like a URL then it is assumed to refer to a file on disk (which will be read with readBin.

#### Value

a rgl::mesh3d object or a list containing elements points and (for meshes). faces.

## **Examples**

```
# fetch test data
# originally downloaded from:
carurl='https://github.com/google/draco/blob/master/testdata/car.drc?raw=true'
## Not run:
car.m=draco_decode(carurl)

## End(Not run)
# use cached version in package for example
car.m=draco_decode(system.file('draco/car.drc', package = 'dracor'))
str(car.m)

## show the result
if(requireNamespace("rgl", quietly=TRUE)) {
```

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```
rgl::shade3d(car.m, col='red')
## demonstrate conversion of raw form to rgl::mesh3d object
car.raw=draco_decode(carurl, mesh3d=FALSE)
str(car.raw)
car.m2 = rgl::tmesh3d(
  vertices = car.raw$points,
  indices = car.raw$faces + 1,
  homogeneous = FALSE)
}
```

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