

hackeRnews CHEAT SHEET

An R wrapper for the official Hacker News API



Profile

get_updates()

Hacker News updated profiles

get_user_by_username(username)

Get Hacker News user

username
Username of the user,
that should be retrieved.

Latest stories

get_latest_ask_stories(max_items)

Hacker News latest ask stories

get_latest_ask_stories_ids()

Hacker News latest ask stories ids

get_latest_job_stories(max_items)

Hacker News latest job stories

get_latest_job_stories_ids()

Hacker News latest job stories ids

get_latest_show_stories(max_items)

Hacker News latest show stories

get_latest_show_stories_ids()

Hacker News latest show stories ids

Best stories

get_best_stories(max_items)

Hacker News best stories

get_best_stories_ids()

Hacker News best stories ids

Top stories

get_top_stories(max_items)

Hacker News top stories

get_top_stories_ids()

Hacker News top stories ids

New stories

get_new_stories(max_items)

Hacker News newest stories

get_new_stories_ids()

Hacker News best stories ids

Items

get_item_by_id(id)

Get Hacker News by Id

id
Id of the item,
that should be retrieved.

get_items_by_ids(ids)

Get Hacker News by ids

ids
List of ids

get_max_item_id()

Hacker News item largest id

get_comments(item)

Hacker News nested comments

item
Item whose children (comments)
will be retrieved

max_items
Maximum number of items to retrieve.
If max_items = null, returns all available.