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# Class Documentation

## com.vertica.sdk.BaseDataOID Enum Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.BaseDataOID:

com.vertica.sdk.BaseDataOID
+ BinaryOID + BoolOID + CharOID + DateOID + Float8OID + Int8OID + IntervalOID + IntervalYMOID + LongVarbinaryOID + LongVarcharOID and 13 more...
+ BaseDataOID() + getLong() + getBaseDataOID()

### Public Member Functions

- **BaseDataOID** (long oid)
- long **getLong** ()

### Static Public Member Functions

- static [BaseDataOID](#) **getBaseDataOID** (long oid)

## Public Attributes

- **BinaryOID** =(117)
- **BoolOID** =(5)
- **CharOID** =(8)
- **DateOID** =(10)
- **Float8OID** =(7)
- **Int8OID** =(6)
- **IntervalOID** =(14)
- **IntervalYMOID** =(114)
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- **LongVarcharOID** =(115)
- **NumericOID** =(16)
- **RecordOID** =(3)
- **RLETuple** =(18)
- **TimeOID** =(11)
- **TimestampOID** =(12)
- **TimestampTzOID** =(13)
- **TimeTzOID** =(15)
- **UnknownOID** =(4)
- **VarbinaryOID** =(17)
- **VarcharOID** =(9)
- **VPosOID** =(2)
- **VTuple** =(1)
- **VUnspecOID** =(0)

## com.vertica.sdk.Basics Class Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.Basics:

com.vertica.sdk.Basics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>+ DataAreaHeaderLen</li> <li>+ DateDifferenceMilliseconds</li> <li>+ maxTimestampPrecision</li> <li>+ StringValueHeaderLen</li> <li>+ StringValueLenOffset</li> <li>+ StringValueLocOffset</li> <li>+ TimestampDifferenceMicroseconds</li> <li>+ TimestampInfiniteNeg</li> <li>+ TimestampInfinitePos</li> <li>+ vbool_false</li> <li>+ vbool_null</li> <li>+ vbool_true</li> <li>+ vfloat_null_long_bits</li> <li>+ vint_null</li> <li>~ NUMERIC_DSCALE_MASK</li> </ul>
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### Static Public Member Functions

- static int [getNumericPrecision](#) (int typmod)  
*Get Numeric precision from typmod.*
- static int [getNumericScale](#) (int typmod)  
*Get Numeric scale from typmod.*
- static int [getNumericWordCount](#) (int precision)  
*Get Numeric word count from precision.*
- static boolean [isSimilarNumericTypmod](#) (int a, int b)  
*Return true if these have the same EE representation.*
- static long [JavaSQLDateToVerticaDate](#) (java.sql.Date d)



- static long **JavaSQLTimestampToVerticaTimestamp** (java.sql.Timestamp ts)
- static java.sql.Date **VerticaDateToJavaSQLDate** (long num\_days)
- static java.sql.Timestamp **VerticaTimestampToJavaSQLTimestamp** (long vts)

### Static Public Attributes

- static final int **DataAreaHeaderLen** = 16
- static final long **DateDifferenceMilliseconds** = java.sql.Timestamp.valueOf("2000-01-01 00:00:00").getTime()
- static final int **maxTimestampPrecision** = 6
- static final int **StringValueHeaderLen** = 8
- static final int **StringValueLenOffset** = 0
- static final int **StringValueLocOffset** = 4
- static final long **TimestampDifferenceMicroseconds** = 1000 \* java.sql.Timestamp.valueOf("2000-01-01 00:00:00.000000000").getTime()
- static final long **TimestampInfiniteNeg** = -0x7fffffffffffffffL
- static final long **TimestampInfinitePos** = 0x7fffffffffffffffL
- static final byte **vbool\_false** = 0
- static final byte **vbool\_null** = 2
- static final byte **vbool\_true** = 1
- static final long **vfloat\_null\_long\_bits** = 0x7ffffffffffffeL
- static final long **vint\_null** = 0x8000000000000000L

### Member Function Documentation

static java.sql.Date com.vertica.sdk.Basics.VerticaDateToJavaSQLDate ( long *num\_days* ) [static]

#### Parameters

<i>num_days</i>	number of days since 2000-01-01
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static java.sql.Timestamp com.vertica.sdk.Basics.VerticaTimestampToJavaSQLTimestamp ( long *vts* ) [static]

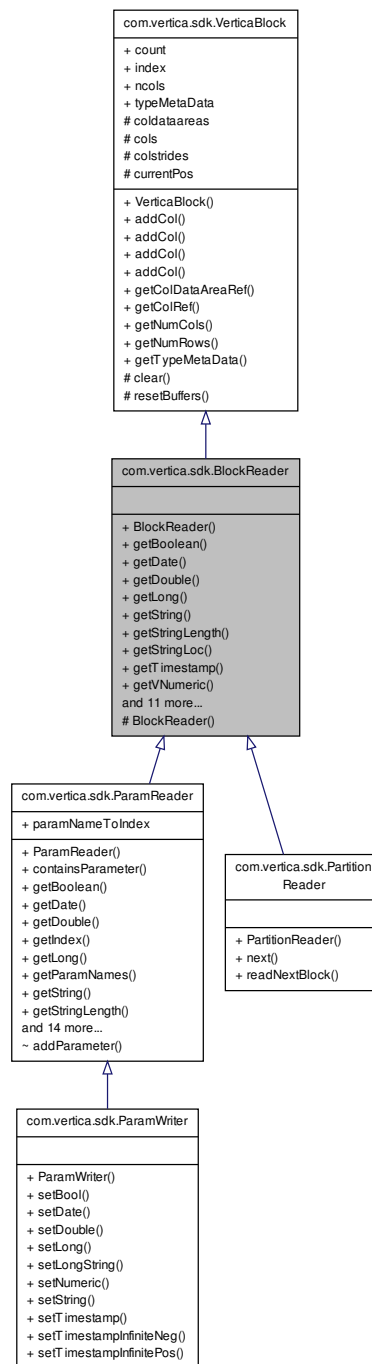
#### Parameters

<i>vts</i>	number of microseconds since 2000-01-01 00:00:00 GMT
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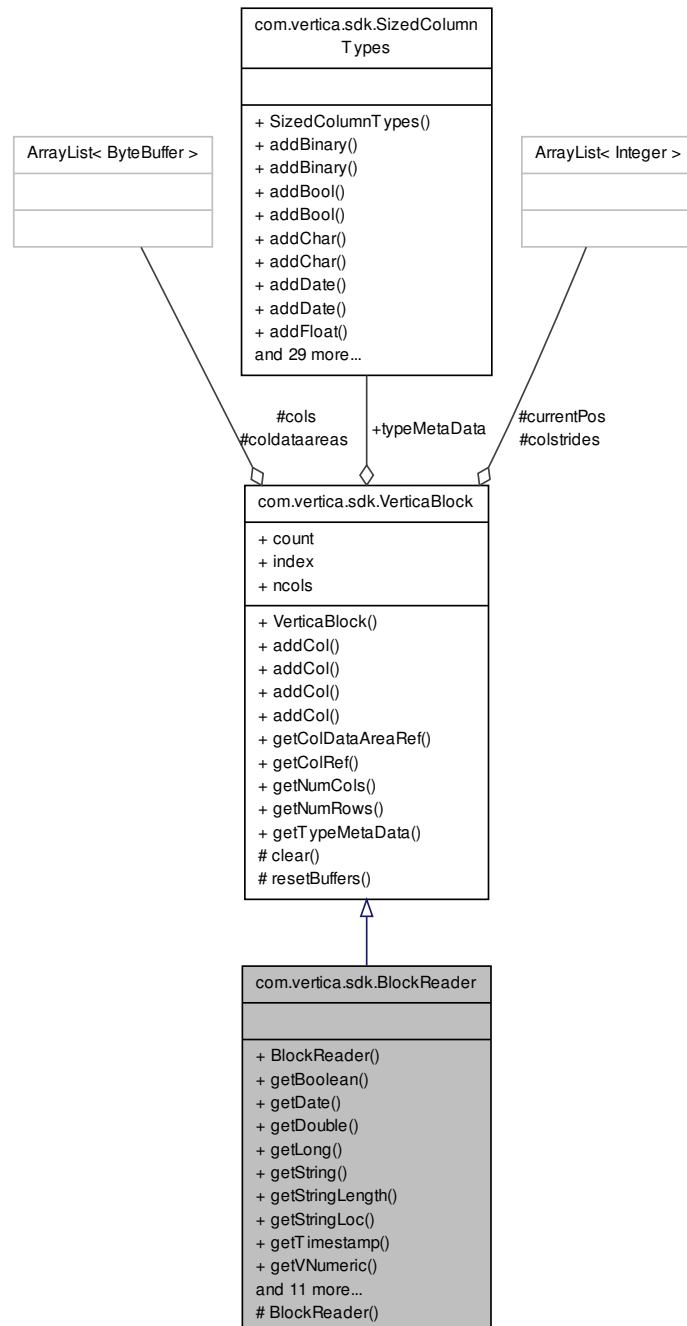
## com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader Class Reference

Iterator interface for reading rows in a Vertica block.

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader:



## Public Member Functions

- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt, String colName)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt, String colName)
- boolean `getBoolean` (int idx)

- *Get a BOOLEAN value from the input row.*
- ByteBuffer [getColDataAreaRef](#) (int idx)
- ByteBuffer [getColRef](#) (int idx)
- java.sql.Date [getDate](#) (int idx)
- *Get a DATE value from the input row.*
- double [getDouble](#) (int idx)
- *Get a DOUBLE value from the input row.*
- long [getLong](#) (int idx)
- *Get a LONG INTEGER value from the input row.*
- int [getNumCols](#) ()
- int [getNumRows](#) ()
- String [getString](#) (int idx)
- *Get a reference to an VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY value from the input row.*
- int [getStringLength](#) (int idx)
- *Get length of the String from the input row.*
- int [getStringLoc](#) (int idx)
- *Get 'location' of the String from the input row.*
- java.sql.Timestamp [getTimestamp](#) (int idx)
- *Get a TIMESTAMP value from the input row.*
- [SizedColumnTypes](#) [getTypeMetaData](#) ()
- [VNumeric](#) [getVNumeric](#) (int idx)
- *Get a reference to a VNumeric value from the input row.*
- [VString](#) [getVString](#) (int idx)
- *Get a reference from the input row to an VString value, which represents a SQL VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY value.*
- boolean [isBooleanNull](#) (int idx)
- *Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in BOOLEAN type.*
- boolean [isDateNull](#) (int idx)
- *Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in DATE type.*
- boolean [isDoubleNull](#) (int idx)
- *Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in DOUBLE type.*
- boolean [isLongNull](#) (int idx)
- *Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in LONG INTERGER type.*
- boolean [isStringNull](#) (int idx)
- *Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in SQL VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY type.*
- boolean [isTimestampInfinite](#) (int idx)
- *Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents 'infinity'.*
- boolean [isTimestampInfiniteNeg](#) (int idx)
- *Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents '-infinity'.*
- boolean [isTimestampInfinitePos](#) (int idx)
- *Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents '+infinity'.*
- boolean [isTimestampNull](#) (int idx)
- *Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in TIMESTAMP type.*
- boolean [next](#) () throws [UdfException](#), [DestroyInvocation](#)

## Public Attributes

- int **count**
- int **index**
- int **ncols**
- [SizedColumnTypes](#) **typeMetaData**

## Protected Member Functions

- **BlockReader** (int \_ncols, int \_rowcount)
- void **clear** ()
- void **resetBuffers** ()

## Protected Attributes

- ArrayList< ByteBuffer > **coldataareas**
- ArrayList< ByteBuffer > **cols**
- ArrayList< Integer > **colstrides**
- ArrayList< Integer > **currentPos**

## Detailed Description

Iterator interface for reading rows in a Vertica block.

This class provides the input to the [ScalarFunction.processBlock\(\)](#) function. You extract values from the input row using data type specific functions to extract each column value. You can also determine the number of columns and their data types, if your processBlock function does not have hard-coded input expectations.

## Member Function Documentation

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, VerticaType dt, String colName )`  
[inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol()`.

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, VerticaType dt )` [inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, VerticaType dt )` [inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

**Parameters**

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

**void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer *arg*, ByteBuffer *da*, int *colstride*, VerticaType *dt*, String *colName* )**  
 [inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

**Parameters**

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getBoolean ( int *idx* )**

Get a BOOLEAN value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a BOOLEAN.

**ByteBuffer com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColDataAreaRef ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Get the ByteBuffer that stores out of line string data (Data Area) for the *idx*'th argument

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	
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**Returns**

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString().

**ByteBuffer com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColRef ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

**Returns**

a ByteBuffer to the *idx*'th argument, containing data for the column

Example:

```
* ByteBuffer a = arg_reader.getColPtr(0);
*
```

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.copyFromInput()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getBoolean()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDouble()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getLong()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLength()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLoc()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVNumeric()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.getVStringWriter()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isBooleanNull()`, `com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setBool()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBoolean()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBooleanNull()`, `com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setDouble()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDouble()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDoubleNull()`, `com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.setLong()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setLongNull()`, `com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setLongString()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setNumeric()`, `com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setNumeric()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setString()`, `com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setString()`, and `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setStringNull()`.

**java.sql.Date com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDate ( int *idx* )**

Get a DATE value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a DATE; null if the column is NULL.

**double com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDouble ( int *idx* )**

Get a DOUBLE value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a DOUBLE.

**long com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getLong ( int *idx* )**

Get a LONG INTEGER value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a LONG INTEGER.

Example:

```
* long a = arg_reader.getLong(0);
*
```

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDate()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDoubleNull()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isLongNull()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfiniteNeg()`, and `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinitePos()`.

`int com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumCols ( ) [inherited]`

#### Returns

the number of arguments held by this reader.

`int com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumRows ( ) [inherited]`

#### Returns

the number of rows held by this block.

`String com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getString ( int idx )`

Get a reference to an VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY value from the input row.

#### Parameters

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

#### Returns

a reference to the *idx*'th argument, cast as an String.

`int com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLength ( int idx )`

Get length of the String from the input row.

#### Parameters

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

#### Returns

The length of the String in specified column.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString()`, and `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isStringNull()`.

`int com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLoc ( int idx )`

Get 'location' of the String from the input row.

#### Parameters

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

#### Returns

The location of the String in specified column. If zero, data is inlined immediately after the header, otherwise data is at offset *loc* within the data area.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString()`.

`java.sql.Timestamp com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp ( int idx )`

Get a TIMESTAMP value from the input row.



**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a `TIMESTAMP`; null if the column is `NULL` or represents 'infinity'.

**SizedColumnTypes** `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getTypeMetaData ( )` [inherited]

**Returns**

information about the types and numbers of arguments

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.ParamReader.getType()`.

**VNumeric** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVNumeric ( int idx )`

Get a reference to a [VNumeric](#) value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

**Returns**

A reference to the retrieved value cast as a `Numeric`.

**VString** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString ( int idx )`

Get a reference from the input row to an [VString](#) value, which represents a SQL `VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY` value.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

**Returns**

a reference to the *idx*'th argument, cast as an [VString](#).

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getString()`.

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isBooleanNull ( int idx )`

Check whether a value from the input row is `NULL` in `BOOLEAN` type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is `NULL`, false otherwise.

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDateNull ( int idx )`

Check whether a value from the input row is `NULL` in `DATE` type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDate().

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDoubleNull ( int *idx* )**

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in DOUBLE type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isLongNull ( int *idx* )**

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in LONG INTERGER type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDateNull(), and com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampNull().

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isStringNull ( int *idx* )**

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in SQL VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getString().

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinite ( int *idx* )**

Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents 'infinity'.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

**Returns**

true if the TIMESTAMP value is '+infinity' or '-infinity', false otherwise.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp()`.

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfiniteNeg ( int idx )`

Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents '-infinity'.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

**Returns**

true if the TIMESTAMP value is '-infinity', false otherwise.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinite()`.

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinitePos ( int idx )`

Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents '+infinity'.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

**Returns**

true if the TIMESTAMP value is '+infinity', false otherwise.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinite()`.

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampNull ( int idx )`

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in TIMESTAMP type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
------------	---

**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp()`.

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.next ( )` throws **UdfException**, **DestroyInvocation**

Advance to the next record.

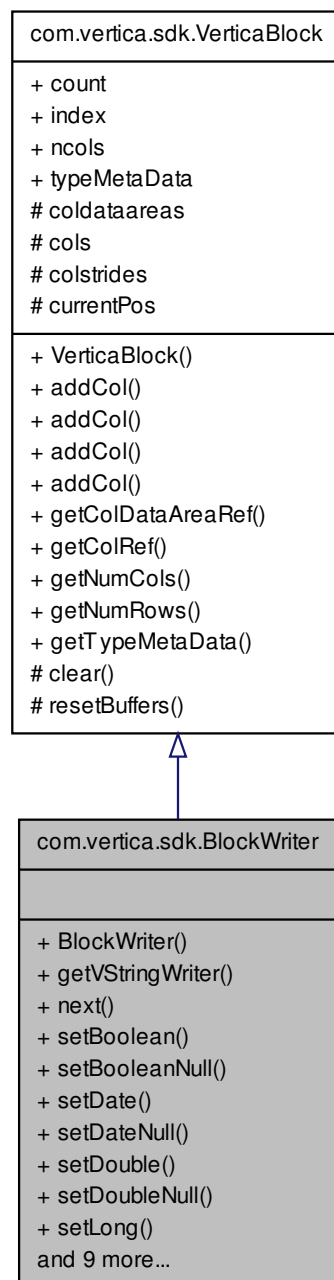
**Returns**

true if there are more rows to read, false otherwise.

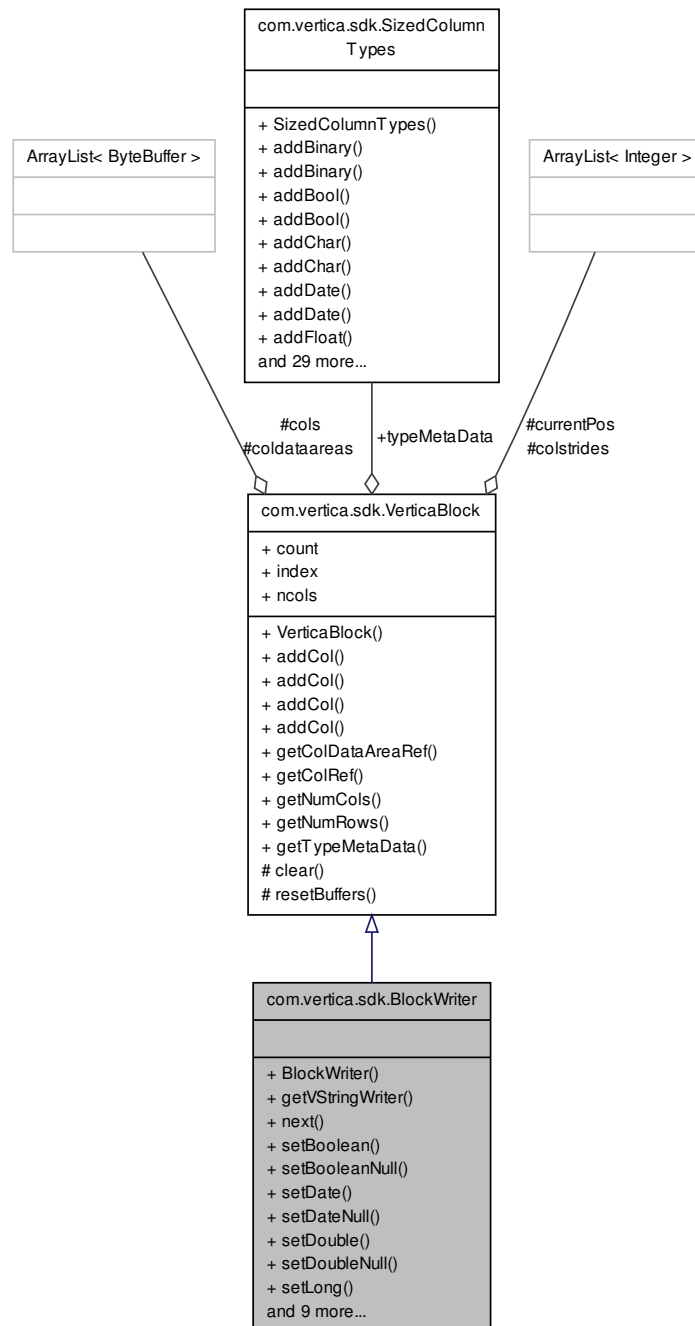
## com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter Class Reference

Iterator interface for writing rows to a Vertica block.

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter:



## Public Member Functions

- **BlockWriter** (int rowcount, [VerticaType](#) returnType)
- void [addCol](#) (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt, String colName)
- void [addCol](#) (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt)
- void [addCol](#) (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt)
- void [addCol](#) (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt, String colName)

- ByteBuffer [getColDataAreaRef](#) (int idx)
- ByteBuffer [getColRef](#) (int idx)
- int [getNumCols](#) ()
- int [getNumRows](#) ()
- [SizedColumnTypes](#) [getTypeMetaData](#) ()
- [VString](#) [getVStringWriter](#) ()  
*Allocates a new [VString](#) object to use as output.*
- void [next](#) ()  
*Complete writing this row of output and move to the next row.*
- void [setBoolean](#) (boolean r)  
*Adds a BOOLEAN value to the output row.*
- void [setBooleanNull](#) ()  
*Adds NULL as a BOOLEAN value to the output row.*
- void [setDate](#) (java.sql.Date r)  
*Adds a DATE value to the output row.*
- void [setDateNull](#) ()  
*Adds NULL as a DATE value to the output row.*
- void [setDouble](#) (double r)  
*Adds a DOUBLE value to the output row.*
- void [setDoubleNull](#) ()  
*Adds NULL as a DOUBLE value to the output row.*
- void [setLong](#) (long r)  
*Adds a LONG INTEGER value to the output row.*
- void [setLongNull](#) ()  
*Adds NULL as a LONG INTEGER value to the output row.*
- void [setNumeric](#) (BigDecimal bd)  
*Allocate a new [VNumeric](#) object to use as output.*
- void [setNumericNull](#) ()
- void [setString](#) (String r)  
*Adds a String value to the output row.*
- void [setStringNull](#) ()  
*Adds NULL as a String value to the output row.*
- void [setTimestamp](#) (java.sql.Timestamp r)  
*Adds a TIMESTAMP value to the output row.*
- void [setTimestampInfiniteNeg](#) ()  
*Adds a '-infinity' TIMESTAMP value to the output row.*
- void [setTimestampInfinitePos](#) ()  
*Adds a '+infinity' TIMESTAMP value to the output row.*
- void [setTimestampNull](#) ()  
*Adds NULL as a TIMESTAMP value to the output row.*

## Public Attributes

- int **count**
- int **index**
- int **ncols**
- [SizedColumnTypes](#) **typeMetaData**

## Protected Member Functions

- void **clear** ()
- void **resetBuffers** ()

## Protected Attributes

- `ArrayList< ByteBuffer > coldataareas`
- `ArrayList< ByteBuffer > cols`
- `ArrayList< Integer > colstrides`
- `ArrayList< Integer > currentPos`

## Detailed Description

Iterator interface for writing rows to a Vertica block.

This class provides the output rows that [ScalarFunction.processBlock\(\)](#) writes to.

## Member Function Documentation

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, VerticaType dt, String colName )`  
[[inherited](#)]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol()`.

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, VerticaType dt )` [[inherited](#)]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, VerticaType dt )` [[inherited](#)]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, VerticaType dt, String colName )`  
[[inherited](#)]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

**Parameters**

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

**ByteBuffer** com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColDataAreaRef ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

Get the ByteBuffer that stores out of line string data (Data Area) for the idx'th argument

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	
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**Returns**

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString().

**ByteBuffer** com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColRef ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

**Returns**

a ByteBuffer to the idx'th argument, containing data for the column

**Example:**

```
* ByteBuffer a = arg_reader.getColPtr(0);
*
```

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.copyFromInput(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getBoolean(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getLong(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLength(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLoc(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.getVStringWriter(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isBooleanNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setBool(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBoolean(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBooleanNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDoubleNull(), com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.setLong(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setLongNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setLongString(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setString(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setString(), and com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setStringNull().

**int** com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumCols ( ) [inherited]

**Returns**

the number of arguments held by this reader.

**int** com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumRows ( ) [inherited]

**Returns**

the number of rows held by this block.



**SizedColumnTypes** `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getTypeMetaData ( )` [inherited]

**Returns**

information about the types and numbers of arguments

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.ParamReader.getType()`.

**VString** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.getVStringWriter ( )`

Allocates a new [VString](#) object to use as output.

**Returns**

A new [VString](#) object to hold output. This object automatically added to the output row.

`void com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.next ( )`

Complete writing this row of output and move to the next row.

`void com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBoolean ( boolean r )`

Adds a BOOLEAN value to the output row.

**Parameters**

<i>r</i>	The BOOLEAN value to insert into the output row.
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`void com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDate ( java.sql.Date r )`

Adds a DATE value to the output row.

**Parameters**

<i>r</i>	The DATE value to insert into the output row.
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`void com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDouble ( double r )`

Adds a DOUBLE value to the output row.

**Parameters**

<i>r</i>	The DOUBLE value to insert into the output row.
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`void com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setLong ( long r )`

Adds a LONG INTEGER value to the output row.

Setter methods

**Parameters**

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<i>r</i>	The LONG INTEGER value to insert into the output row.
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Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDate()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setTimestamp()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setTimestampInfiniteNeg()`, and `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setTimestampInfinitePos()`.

`void com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setNumeric ( BigDecimal bd )`

Allocate a new [VNumeric](#) object to use as output.

#### Returns

A new [VNumeric](#) object to hold output. This object automatically added to the output row.

`void com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setString ( String r )`

Adds a String value to the output row.

#### Parameters

<i>r</i>	The String value to insert into the output row.
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`void com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setTimestamp ( java.sql.Timestamp r )`

Adds a TIMESTAMP value to the output row.

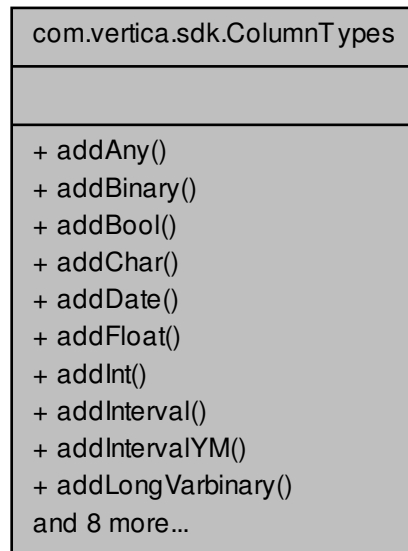
#### Parameters

<i>r</i>	The TIMESTAMP value to insert into the output row.
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## com.vertica.sdk.ColumnTypes Class Reference

Represents (unsized) types of the columns used as input/output of a User Defined Function/Transform Function.

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.ColumnTypes:



## Public Member Functions

- void [addAny](#) ()  
*Indicates that function can take any number and type of arguments.*
- void [addBinary](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type BINARY.*
- void [addBool](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type BOOLEAN.*
- void [addChar](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type CHAR.*
- void [addDate](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type DATE.*
- void [addFloat](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type FLOAT.*
- void [addInt](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type INTEGER.*
- void [addInterval](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type INTERVAL/INTERVAL DAY TO SECOND.*
- void [addIntervalYM](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type INTERVAL YEAR TO MONTH.*
- void [addLongVarbinary](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type LONGVARBINARY.*
- void [addLongVarchar](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type LONGVARCHAR.*
- void [addNumeric](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type NUMERIC.*

- void [addTime](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type TIME.*
- void [addTimestamp](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type TIMESTAMP.*
- void [addTimestampTz](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type TIMESTAMP WITH TIMEZONE.*
- void [addTimeTz](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type TIME WITH TIMEZONE.*
- void [addVarbinary](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type VARBINARY.*
- void [addVarchar](#) ()  
*Adds a column of type VARCHAR.*

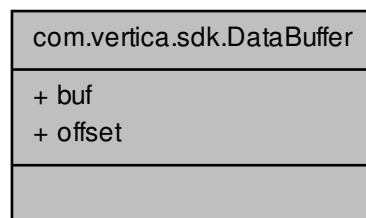
## Detailed Description

Represents (unsized) types of the columns used as input/output of a User Defined Function/Transform Function.

This class is used only for generating the function or transform function prototype, where the sizes and/or precisions of the data types are not known.

## com.vertica.sdk.DataBuffer Class Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.DataBuffer:



## Public Attributes

- byte[] [buf](#)  
*buffer*
- int [offset](#)  
*Size of the buffer in bytes.*

## Detailed Description

### [DataBuffer](#)

A contiguous in-memory buffer

## Member Data Documentation

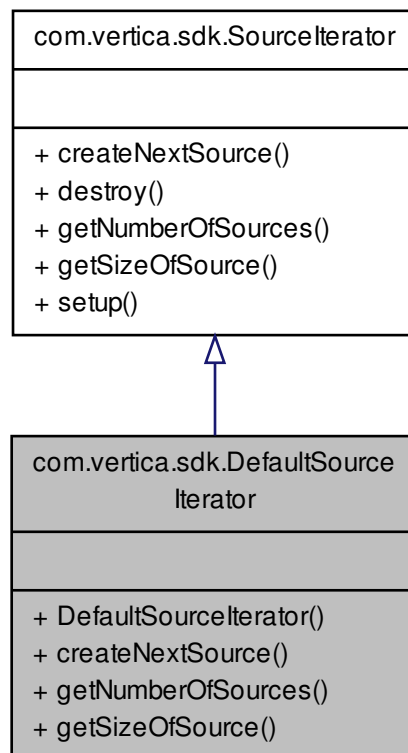
`int com.vertica.sdk.DataBuffer.offset`

Size of the buffer in bytes.

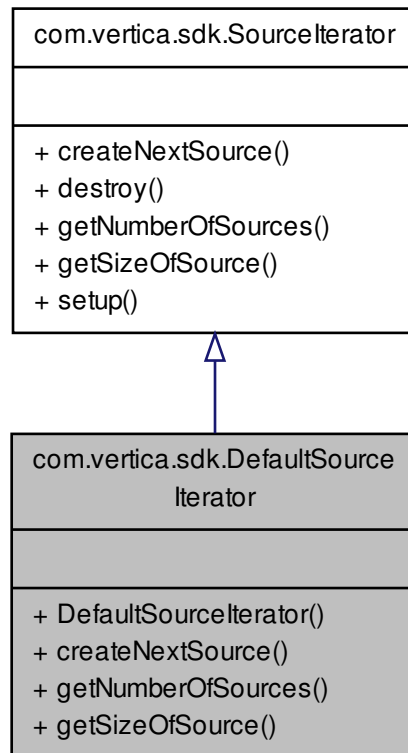
Number of bytes that have been processed by the UDL

## `com.vertica.sdk.DefaultSourceIterator` Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for `com.vertica.sdk.DefaultSourceIterator`:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.DefaultSourceIterator:



## Public Member Functions

- **DefaultSourceIterator** (ArrayList< [UDSource](#) > sources)
- **UnsignedUDSource createNextSource** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface)  
*Create the next [UDSource](#) to process.*
- void **destroy** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [NodeSpecifyingPlanContext](#) planCtxt) throws UdfException  
*Tear down this [SourceIterator](#).*
- int **getNumberOfSources** ()
- Integer **getSizeOfSource** (int sourceNum)
- void **setup** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [NodeSpecifyingPlanContext](#) planCtxt) throws UdfException  
*Set up this [SourceIterator](#).*

## Member Function Documentation

**UnsignedUDSource** com.vertica.sdk.DefaultSourceIterator.createNextSource ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface* )  
[virtual]

Create the next [UDSource](#) to process.

Should return NULL if no further sources are available for processing.

Note that the previous Source may still be open and in use on a different thread when this function is called.

**Returns**

a new Source instance corresponding to a new input stream

**Exceptions**

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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Implements [com.vertica.sdk.SourceIterator](#).

```
void com.vertica.sdk.SourceIterator.destroy ( ServerInterface srvInterface, NodeSpecifyingPlanContext planCtxt )  
throws UdfException [inherited]
```

Tear down this [SourceIterator](#).

Should perform clean-up

**Exceptions**

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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```
int com.vertica.sdk.DefaultSourceIterator.getNumberOfSources ( ) [virtual]
```

**Returns**

the total number of Sources that this factory will produce

**Exceptions**

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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Implements [com.vertica.sdk.SourceIterator](#).

```
void com.vertica.sdk.SourceIterator.setup ( ServerInterface srvInterface, NodeSpecifyingPlanContext planCtxt ) throws  
UdfException [inherited]
```

Set up this [SourceIterator](#).

Should perform setup that should not take place in the constructor due to the exception-handling semantics of constructors

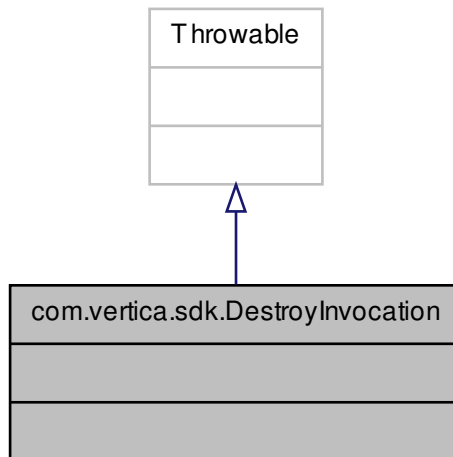
**Exceptions**

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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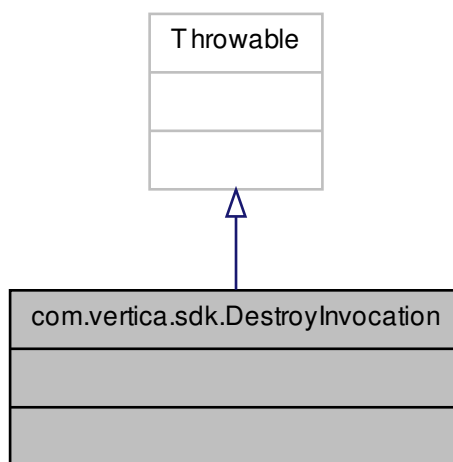
## com.vertica.sdk.DestroyInvocation Class Reference

Used to support canceling UDX and invoking the UDX's destroy call back function. This exception is thrown when Vertica needs to cancel the running UDX to jump out of current control flow.

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.DestroyInvocation:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.DestroyInvocation:



## Detailed Description

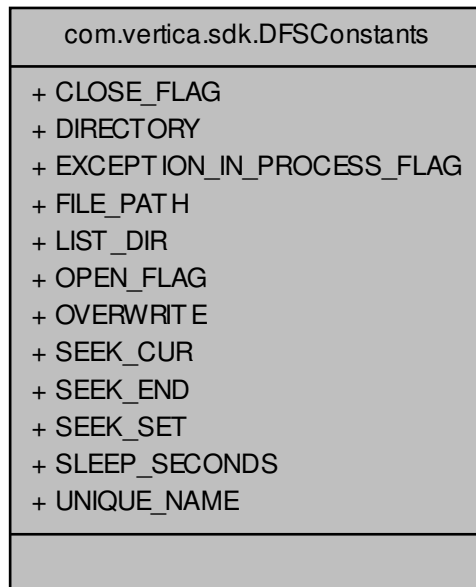
Used to support canceling UDx and invoking the UDx's destroy call back function. This exception is thrown when Vertica needs to cancel the running UDx to jump out of current control flow.

For UDx to work properly, please do not catch and handle this exception



## com.vertica.sdk.DFSConstants Class Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.DFSConstants:

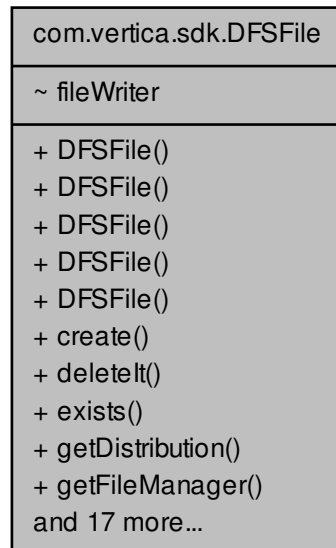


### Static Public Attributes

- static final String **CLOSE\_FLAG** = "isCloseInProcess"
- static final String **DIRECTORY** = "is\_directory"
- static final String **EXCEPTION\_IN\_PROCESS\_FLAG** = "isThrowErrorInProcess"
- static final String **FILE\_PATH** = "file\_path"
- static final String **LIST\_DIR** = "is\_list\_dir"
- static final String **OPEN\_FLAG** = "isBeforeProcess"
- static final String **OVERWRITE** = "is\_overwrite"
- static final int **SEEK\_CUR** = 1
- static final int **SEEK\_END** = 2
- static final int **SEEK\_SET** = 0
- static final String **SLEEP\_SECONDS** = "sleep\_seconds"
- static final String **UNIQUE\_NAME** = "is\_unique\_name"

## com.vertica.sdk.DFSFile Class Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.DFSFile:



### Classes

- enum [DFSDistribution](#)
- enum [DFSScope](#)

### Public Member Functions

- [DFSFile](#) ()
- **DFSFile** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface)
- **DFSFile** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, String fName) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- **DFSFile** (String fName, [FileManager](#) fmgr) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- **DFSFile** (String fName, [FileManager](#) fmgr, boolean is\_dir, boolean is\_file, boolean exists, long fSize) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- void **create** ([DFSScope](#) dfsScope, [DFSDistribution](#) dfsDistrib) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- int **deleteIt** (boolean isRecursively) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- boolean **exists** () throws UdfException
- [DFSDistribution](#) **getDistribution** ()
- [FileManager](#) **getFileManager** ()
- long **getFileWriter** ()
- String **getName** ()
- [DFSScope](#) **getScope** ()
- [ServerInterface](#) **getServerInterface** ()
- long **getSize** ()
- [DFSFileStatus](#) **getStatus** ()
- boolean **isDir** ()

- boolean **isFile** ()
- List< [DFSFile](#) > **listFiles** () throws [UdfException](#), [DestroyInvocation](#)
- void **setDir** (boolean thisIsaDirectory)
- void **setDistribution** ([DFSDistribution](#) dfsDist)
- void **setFile** (boolean thisIsaFile)
- void **setFileManager** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface)
- void **setName** (String fName) throws [UdfException](#), [DestroyInvocation](#)
- void **setScope** ([DFSScope](#) dfsScope)
- void **setSize** (long fSize)
- void **setStatus** ([DFSFileStatus](#) dfsStatus)

## Detailed Description

The main class used by users to initiate DFS operations

## Constructor & Destructor Documentation

`com.vertica.sdk.DFSFile.DFSFile ( )`

[DFSFile](#) INITIATION IS ONLY AVAILABLE DURING THE PLANNING/SETUP AND FINALIZE/DESTROY PHASES OF A PLAN. NOT AVAILABLE DURING EXECUTION/PROCESSING.

## Member Function Documentation

`int com.vertica.sdk.DFSFile.deleteIt ( boolean isRecursively )` throws [UdfException](#), [DestroyInvocation](#)

Deletes a DFS file.

### Returns

0 is successful, throw exceptions if there are errors.

`List<DFSFile> com.vertica.sdk.DFSFile.listFiles ( )` throws [UdfException](#), [DestroyInvocation](#)

Lists files under the path specified by 'fileName'

### Returns

a list of [DFSFile](#) found under the path.

`void com.vertica.sdk.DFSFile.setName ( String fName )` throws [UdfException](#), [DestroyInvocation](#)

Renames file identified by 'srcFilePath' to 'destFilePath' returns 0, throws exceptions if there are errors public int rename(String newName) throws [UdfException](#) { validateFileOrThrow(); return fileManager.rename(fileName, newName); }

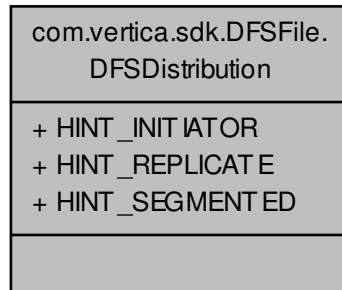
Copy a file/directory from 'srcFilePath' to 'destFilePath'. returns 0, throws exceptions if there are errors. public int copy([DFSFile](#) dfsFile, boolean isRecursively) throws [UdfException](#) { validateFileOrThrow(); return fileManager.copy(fileName, dfsFile.getName(), isRecursively); }

}

Make a directory, identified by 'dirPath' returns 0, throws exceptions if there are errors. public int makeDir() throws [UdfException](#) { validateFileOrThrow(); return fileManager.makeDir(fileName); }

## com.vertica.sdk.DFSFile.DFSDistribution Enum Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.DFSFile.DFSDistribution:



### Public Attributes

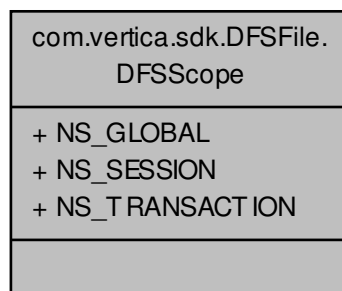
- **HINT\_INITIATOR**
- **HINT\_REPLICATE**
- **HINT\_SEGMENTED**

### Detailed Description

Defines how a file is replicated across nodes in the cluster. Used at the file creation time.

## com.vertica.sdk.DFSFile.DFSScope Enum Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.DFSFile.DFSScope:



## Public Attributes

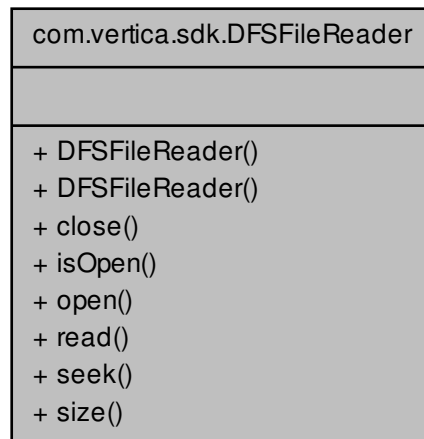
- **NS\_GLOBAL**
- **NS\_SESSION**
- **NS\_TRANSACTION**

## Detailed Description

Defines the scope for the file. Used at the file creation time.

## com.vertica.sdk.DFSFileReader Class Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.DFSFileReader:



## Public Member Functions

- **DFSFileReader** ([DFSFile](#) dfsFile)
- void [close](#) () throws `UdfException`, `DestroyInvocation`
- boolean **isOpen** ()
- void **open** () throws `UdfException`, `DestroyInvocation`
- int [read](#) (ByteBuffer buffer, int size) throws `UdfException`, `DestroyInvocation`
- long [seek](#) (long offset, int origin) throws `UdfException`, `DestroyInvocation`
- long **size** ()

## Member Function Documentation

void `com.vertica.sdk.DFSFileReader.close` ( ) throws `UdfException`, `DestroyInvocation`

Closes the file opened for reading

**int com.vertica.sdk.DFSFileReader.read ( ByteBuffer *buffer*, int *size* ) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation**

Reads 'size' of bytes into buffer pointed by 'ptr' from the file opened for reading.

**Returns**

number of bytes read, 0 if no bytes were read, indicates the EOF. throws exceptions if there are errors.

**long com.vertica.sdk.DFSFileReader.seek ( long *offset*, int *origin* ) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation**

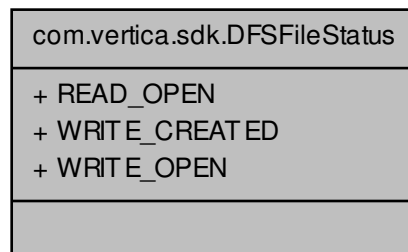
Reposition the read file offset.

**Returns**

the new file offset.

## com.vertica.sdk.DFSFileStatus Enum Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.DFSFileStatus:



### Public Attributes

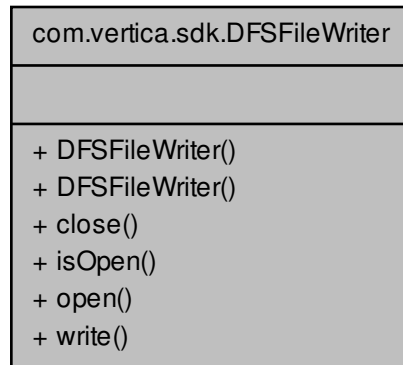
- **READ\_OPEN**
- **WRITE\_CREATED**
- **WRITE\_OPEN**

### Detailed Description

Internal [DFSFile](#) status to indicate its state

## com.vertica.sdk.DFSFileWriter Class Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.DFSFileWriter:



### Public Member Functions

- **DFSFileWriter** ([DFSFile](#) dfsFile)
- void [close](#) () throws `UdfException`, `DestroyInvocation`
- boolean **isOpen** ()
- void [open](#) () throws `UdfException`, `DestroyInvocation`
- int [write](#) (ByteBuffer buffer) throws `UdfException`, `DestroyInvocation`

### Member Function Documentation

void com.vertica.sdk.DFSFileWriter.close ( ) throws **UdfException**, **DestroyInvocation**

Closes the file opened for writing.

void com.vertica.sdk.DFSFileWriter.open ( ) throws **UdfException**, **DestroyInvocation**

Opens a file for writing.

int com.vertica.sdk.DFSFileWriter.write ( ByteBuffer *buffer* ) throws **UdfException**, **DestroyInvocation**

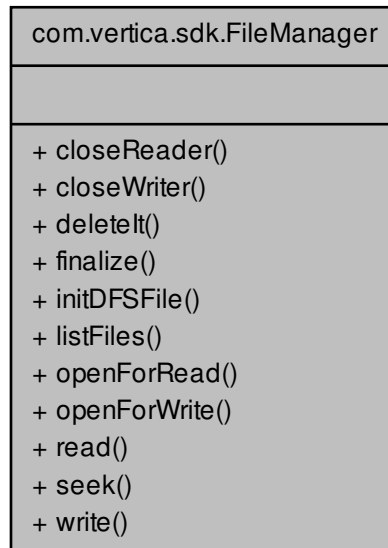
Writes bytes into the file from the ByteBuffer pointed by 'buffer'. Bytes are retrieved from the buffer starting from the current position till it's limit. Current position will be advanced depending on how many bytes are written.

#### Returns

number of bytes written, could be 0.

## com.vertica.sdk.FileManager Class Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.FileManager:



### Public Member Functions

- abstract void [closeReader](#) (long readerID) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- abstract void [closeWriter](#) (long writerID) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- abstract int [deleteIt](#) (String fileName, boolean isRecursively) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- abstract void [finalize](#) ()
- abstract boolean [initDFSFile](#) ([DFSFile](#) file) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- abstract List< [DFSFile](#) > [listFiles](#) (String fileName) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- abstract long [openForRead](#) (String fileName) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- abstract long [openForWrite](#) (String fileName, DFSFile.DFSScope dfsScope, DFSFile.DFSDistribution dfsDistrib) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- abstract int [read](#) (long readerID, ByteBuffer buffer, int size) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- abstract long [seek](#) (long readerID, long offset, int origin) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- abstract int [write](#) (long writerID, ByteBuffer buffer) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation

### Detailed Description

File Manager is a session level co-ordinator, which will be used by [DFSFile](#), [DFSFileReader](#) and [DFSFileWriter](#) to interact with Catalog and Storage system of Vertica.

### Member Function Documentation



**abstract void com.vertica.sdk.FileManager.closeReader ( long readerID ) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation**  
[pure virtual]

Closes the file opened for reading, identified by 'readerID'

**abstract void com.vertica.sdk.FileManager.closeWriter ( long writerID ) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation**  
[pure virtual]

Closes the file opened for writing, identified by 'writerID'

**abstract int com.vertica.sdk.FileManager.deleteIt ( String fileName, boolean isRecursively ) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation** [pure virtual]

Deletes a [DFSFile](#), identified by full path 'fileName'.

#### Returns

0 if successful, throw exceptions if there are errors

**abstract void com.vertica.sdk.FileManager.finalize ( )** [pure virtual]

Renames file identified by 'srcFilePath' to 'destFilePath' returns 0, throws exceptions if there are errors. public abstract int rename(String srcFilePath, String destFilePath);

Copy a file/directory from 'srcFilePath' to 'destFilePath'. returns 0, throws exceptions if there are errors. public abstract int copy(String srcFilePath, String destFilePath, boolean isRecursively);

Make a directory, identified by 'dirPath' returns 0, throws exceptions if there are errors public abstract int makeDir(-String dirPath); Finalizes a plan/query/statement. Should only invoke on the initiator node of a query. Complete file replication and commit metadata into the catalog. returns nothing, throws exceptions if there are errors.

**abstract boolean com.vertica.sdk.FileManager.initDFSFile ( DFSFile file ) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation**  
[pure virtual]

Initialize a [DFSFile](#) upon constructing. returns true if file exists in the DFS, false otherwise, throws exceptions if there are errors.

**abstract List<DFSFile> com.vertica.sdk.FileManager.listFiles ( String fileName ) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation** [pure virtual]

Lists file under the path specified by 'fileName'

#### Returns

a list of [DFSFile](#) found under the path.

**abstract long com.vertica.sdk.FileManager.openForRead ( String fileName ) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation**  
[pure virtual]

Opens a file for reading

#### Returns

A unique identifier for the file opened. Return value is less than 0 if there are errors

**abstract long com.vertica.sdk.FileManager.openForWrite ( String *fileName*, DFSFile.DFSScope *dfsScope*, DFSFile.DFSDistribution *dfsDistrib* ) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation** [pure virtual]

Opens a file for writing

**Returns**

A unique identifier for the file opened. Return value is less than 0 if there are errors

**abstract int com.vertica.sdk.FileManager.read ( long *readerID*, ByteBuffer *buffer*, int *size* ) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation** [pure virtual]

Reads 'size' of bytes into buffer from the file identified by 'readerID'.

**Returns**

number of bytes read, 0 if no bytes were read, indicates the EOF. throws exceptions if there are errors

**abstract long com.vertica.sdk.FileManager.seek ( long *readerID*, long *offset*, int *origin* ) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation** [pure virtual]

Reposition the read file offset

**Returns**

the new file offset.

**abstract int com.vertica.sdk.FileManager.write ( long *writerID*, ByteBuffer *buffer* ) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation** [pure virtual]

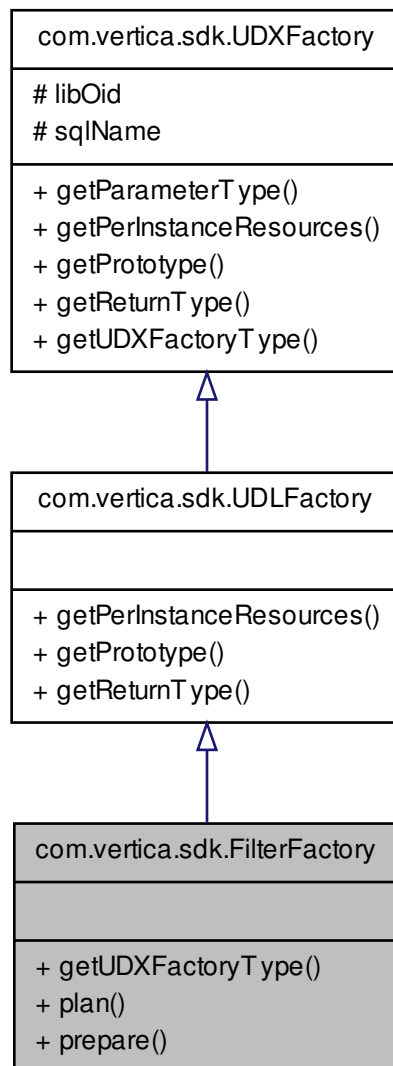
Writes bytes into the file identified by 'writerID' from the buffer. Bytes are retrieved from buffer starting from the current position till its limit. Current position will be advanced depending on how many bytes are written.

**Returns**

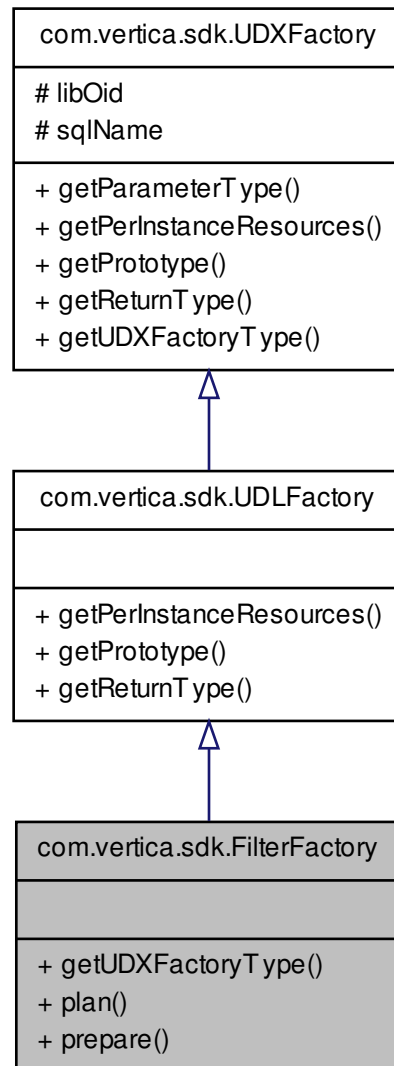
number of bytes written, less than 0 if there are any errors.

**com.vertica.sdk.FilterFactory Class Reference**

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.FilterFactory:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.FilterFactory:



## Public Member Functions

- void `getParameterType` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `SizedColumnTypes` parameterTypes)
- void `getPerInstanceResources` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `VResources` res)
- void `getPrototype` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `ColumnTypes` argTypes, `ColumnTypes` returnType)
- void `getReturnType` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `SizedColumnTypes` argTypes, `SizedColumnTypes` returnType)
- `UDXType` `getUDXFactoryType` ()
- void `plan` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `PlanContext` planCtxt) throws `UdfException`
- abstract `UDFilter` `prepare` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `PlanContext` planCtxt) throws `UdfException`

## Protected Attributes

- long **libOid**
- String **sqlName**

## Detailed Description

Construct a single Filter.

Note that FilterFactories are singletons. Subclasses should be stateless, with no fields containing data, just methods. [plan\(\)](#) and [prepare\(\)](#) methods must never modify any global variables or state; they may only modify the variables that they are given as arguments.

## Member Function Documentation

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getParameterType ( *ServerInterface srvInterface*, *SizedColumnTypes parameterTypes* )**  
[inherited]

Function to tell Vertica the name and types of parameters that this function uses. Vertica will use this to warn function callers that certain parameters they provide are not affecting anything, or that certain parameters that are not being set are reverting to default values.

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory.getPrototype ( *ServerInterface srvInterface*, *ColumnTypes argTypes*, *ColumnTypes returnType* )** [virtual],[inherited]

Provides the argument and return types of the UDL. UDLs take no input tuples; as such, their prototype is empty.

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory.getReturnType ( *ServerInterface srvInterface*, *SizedColumnTypes argTypes*, *SizedColumnTypes returnType* )** [virtual],[inherited]

Not used in this form

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

**UDXType com.vertica.sdk.FilterFactory.getUDXFactoryType ( )** [virtual]

### Returns

the type of UDX Object instance this factory returns.

### Note

User subclasses should use the appropriate subclass of [UDXFactory](#) and not override this method on their own.

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

**void com.vertica.sdk.FilterFactory.plan ( *ServerInterface srvInterface*, *PlanContext planCtxt* )** throws **UdfException**

Execute any planning logic required at query plan time. This method is run once per query, during query initialization. Its job is to perform parameter validation, and to modify the set of nodes that the COPY statement will run on (through *srvInterface*).

[plan\(\)](#) runs exactly once per query, on the initiator node. If it throws an exception, the query will not proceed; it will be aborted prior to distributing the query to the other nodes and running [prepare\(\)](#).

**Parameters**

<i>srvInterface</i>	Interface to server operations and functionality, including (not-per-column) parameter lookup
<i>planCtxt</i>	Context for storing and retrieving arbitrary data, for use just by this instance of this query. The same context is shared with <a href="#">plan()</a> .

**Exceptions**

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**abstract UDFilter** com.vertica.sdk.FilterFactory.prepare ( **ServerInterface** *srvInterface*, **PlanContext** *planCtxt* ) throws **UdfException** [pure virtual]

Initialize a [UDFilter](#). This function will be called on each node, prior to the Load operator starting to execute.

**Parameters**

<i>srvInterface</i>	Interface to server operations and functionality, including (not-per-column) parameter lookup
<i>planCtxt</i>	Context for storing and retrieving arbitrary data, for use just by this instance of this query. The same context is shared with <a href="#">plan()</a> .

**Returns**

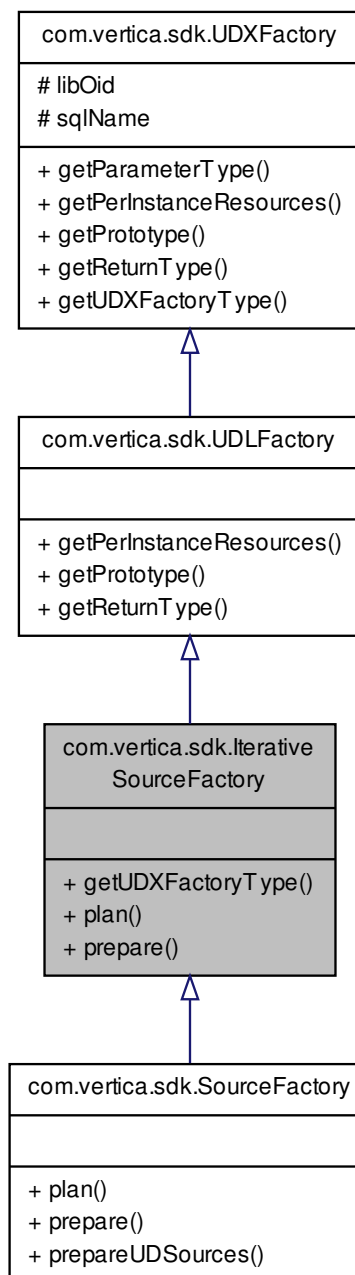
[UDFilter](#) instance to use for this query

**Exceptions**

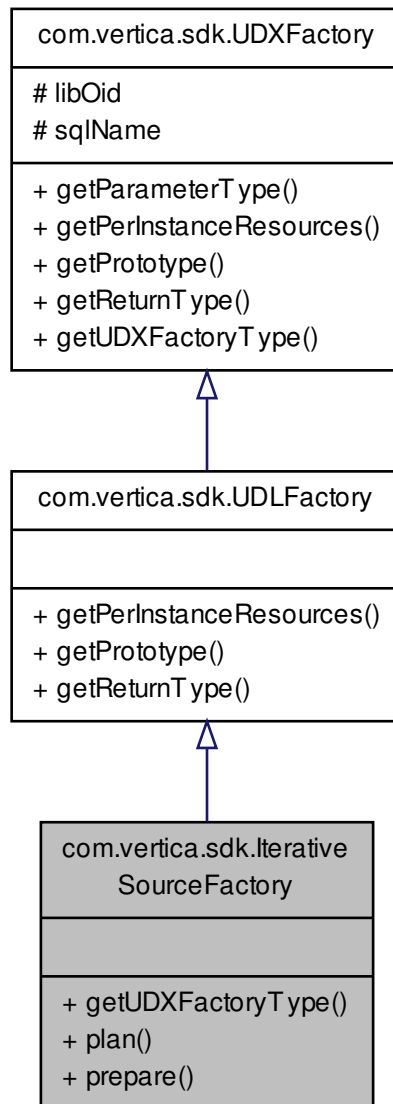
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## com.vertica.sdk.IterativeSourceFactory Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.IterativeSourceFactory:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.IterativeSourceFactory:



## Public Member Functions

- void `getParameterType` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `SizedColumnTypes` parameterTypes)
- void `getPerInstanceResources` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `VResources` res)
- void `getPrototype` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `ColumnTypes` argTypes, `ColumnTypes` returnType)
- void `getReturnType` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `SizedColumnTypes` argTypes, `SizedColumnTypes` returnType)
- `UDXType` `getUDXFactoryType` ()
- void `plan` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `NodeSpecifyingPlanContext` planCtx) throws `UdfException`
- abstract `SourceIterator` `prepare` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `NodeSpecifyingPlanContext` planCtx) throws `UdfException`



## Protected Attributes

- long **libOid**
- String **sqlName**

## Detailed Description

High-level initialization required by a [UDSource](#).

Performs initial validation and planning of the query, before it is distributed over the network. Also instantiates objects to perform further initialization on each node, once the query has been distributed.

Note that SourceFactories are singletons. Subclasses should be stateless, with no fields containing data, just methods. [plan\(\)](#) and [prepare\(\)](#) methods must never modify any global variables or state; they may only modify the variables that they are given as arguments. (If global state must be modified, use [SourceIterator](#).)

## Member Function Documentation

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getParameterType ( *ServerInterface srvInterface*, *SizedColumnTypes parameterTypes* )**  
[inherited]

Function to tell Vertica the name and types of parameters that this function uses. Vertica will use this to warn function callers that certain parameters they provide are not affecting anything, or that certain parameters that are not being set are reverting to default values.

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory.getPrototype ( *ServerInterface srvInterface*, *ColumnTypes argTypes*, *ColumnTypes returnType* )** [virtual],[inherited]

Provides the argument and return types of the UDL. UDL's take no input tuples; as such, their prototype is empty.

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory.getReturnType ( *ServerInterface srvInterface*, *SizedColumnTypes argTypes*, *SizedColumnTypes returnType* )** [virtual],[inherited]

Not used in this form

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

**UDXType com.vertica.sdk.IterativeSourceFactory.getUDXFactoryType ( )** [virtual]

### Returns

the type of UDX Object instance this factory returns.

### Note

User subclasses should use the appropriate subclass of [UDXFactory](#) and not override this method on their own.

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

**void** com.vertica.sdk.IterativeSourceFactory.plan ( **ServerInterface** *srvInterface*, **NodeSpecifyingPlanContext** *planCtxt* )  
throws **UdfException**

Execute any planning logic required at query plan time. This method is run once per query, during query initialization. Its job is to perform parameter validation, and to modify the set of nodes that the COPY statement will run on.

[plan\(\)](#) runs exactly once per query, on the initiator node. If it throws an exception, the query will not proceed; it will be aborted prior to distributing the query to the other nodes and running [prepare\(\)](#).

#### Exceptions

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**abstract SourceIterator** com.vertica.sdk.IterativeSourceFactory.prepare ( **ServerInterface** *srvInterface*, **NodeSpecifyingPlanContext** *planCtxt* ) throws **UdfException** [pure virtual]

Prepare this [SourceFactory](#) to start creating sources. This function will be called on each node, prior to the Load operator starting to execute and prior to any other virtual functions on this class being called.

If necessary, it is safe for this method to store any of the argument references as local fields on this instance. All will persist for the duration of the query.

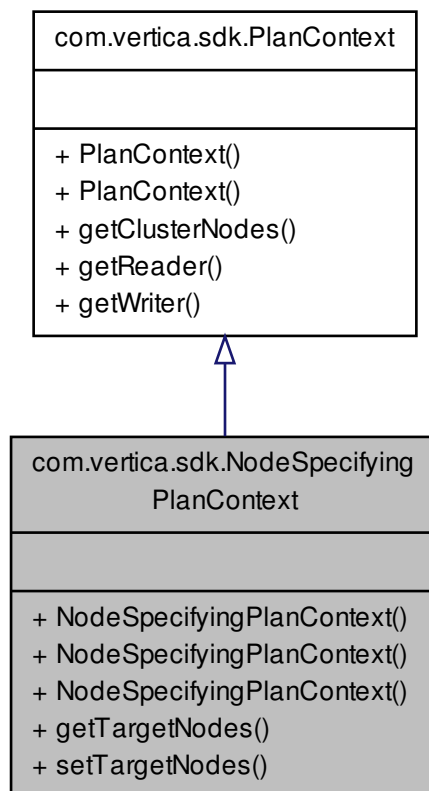
#### Exceptions

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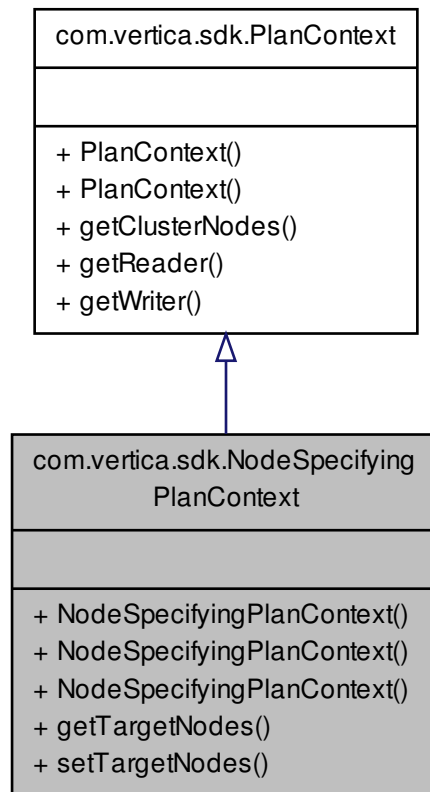
Implemented in [com.vertica.sdk.SourceFactory](#).

## com.vertica.sdk.NodeSpecifyingPlanContext Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.NodeSpecifyingPlanContext:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.NodeSpecifyingPlanContext:



## Public Member Functions

- **NodeSpecifyingPlanContext** ([ParamWriter](#) writer, `ArrayList< String >` clusterNodes, `ArrayList< String >` targetNodes)
- **NodeSpecifyingPlanContext** ([ParamWriter](#) writer, `ArrayList< String >` clusterNodes)
- **NodeSpecifyingPlanContext** ([ParamWriter](#) writer)
- `ArrayList< String >` [getClusterNodes](#) ()
- [ParamReader](#) [getReader](#) ()
- `ArrayList< String >` [getTargetNodes](#) ()
- [ParamWriter](#) [getWriter](#) ()
- void [setTargetNodes](#) (`ArrayList< String >` nodes) throws `UdfException`

## Detailed Description

Interface that allows storage of query-plan state, when different parts of query planning take place on different computers. For example, if some work is done on the query initiator node and some is done on each node executing the query.

In addition to the functionality provided by [PlanContext](#), [NodeSpecifyingPlanContext](#) allows you to specify which nodes the query should run on.

## Member Function Documentation

**ArrayList<String> com.vertica.sdk.PlanContext.getClusterNodes ( )** [inherited]

Get a list of all of the nodes in the current cluster, by node name

**ParamReader com.vertica.sdk.PlanContext.getReader ( )** [inherited]

Get a read-only instance of the current context

**ArrayList<String> com.vertica.sdk.NodeSpecifyingPlanContext.getTargetNodes ( )**

Return the set of nodes that this query is currently set to run on

**ParamWriter com.vertica.sdk.PlanContext.getWriter ( )** [inherited]

Get the current context for writing

**void com.vertica.sdk.NodeSpecifyingPlanContext.setTargetNodes ( ArrayList<String> nodes ) throws UdfException**

Change the set of nodes that the query is intended to run on. Throws if any of the specified node names is not actually the name of any node in the cluster.

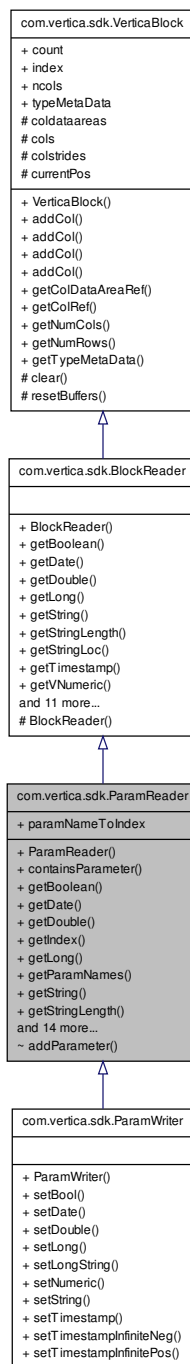
### Exceptions

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## com.vertica.sdk.ParamReader Class Reference

A wrapper around Parameters that have a name->value correspondence.

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.ParamReader:



Collaboration diagram for `com.vertica.sdk.ParamReader`:



## Public Member Functions

- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, `VerticaType` dt, String colName)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, `VerticaType` dt)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, `VerticaType` dt)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, `VerticaType` dt, String colName)
- boolean `containsParameter` (String paramName)

- Function to see if the [ParamReader](#) has a value for the parameter.
- boolean [getBoolean](#) (int idx)  
Get a **BOOLEAN** value from the input row.
  - boolean [getBoolean](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - ByteBuffer [getColDataAreaRef](#) (int idx)
  - ByteBuffer [getColRef](#) (int idx)
  - java.sql.Date [getDate](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - java.sql.Date [getDate](#) (int idx)  
Get a **DATE** value from the input row.
  - double [getDouble](#) (int idx)  
Get a **DOUBLE** value from the input row.
  - double [getDouble](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - int [getIndex](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - long [getLong](#) (int idx)  
Get a **LONG INTEGER** value from the input row.
  - long [getLong](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - int [getNumCols](#) ()
  - int [getNumRows](#) ()
  - ArrayList< String > [getParamNames](#) ()  
Return all names of parameters stored in this [ParamReader](#).
  - String [getString](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - String [getString](#) (int idx)  
Get a reference to an **VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY** value from the input row.
  - int [getStringLength](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - int [getStringLength](#) (int idx)  
Get length of the String from the input row.
  - int [getStringLoc](#) (int idx)  
Get 'location' of the String from the input row.
  - java.sql.Timestamp [getTimestamp](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - java.sql.Timestamp [getTimestamp](#) (int idx)  
Get a **TIMESTAMP** value from the input row.
  - [VerticaType](#) [getType](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException  
Return the type of the given parameter.
  - [SizedColumnTypes](#) [getTypeMetaData](#) ()
  - [VNumeric](#) [getVNumeric](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - [VNumeric](#) [getVNumeric](#) (int idx)  
Get a reference to a **VNumeric** value from the input row.
  - [VString](#) [getVString](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - [VString](#) [getVString](#) (int idx)  
Get a reference from the input row to an **VString** value, which represents a SQL **VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY** value.
  - boolean [isBooleanNull](#) (int idx)  
Check whether a value from the input row is **NULL** in **BOOLEAN** type.
  - boolean [isBooleanNull](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - boolean [isDateNull](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - boolean [isDateNull](#) (int idx)  
Check whether a value from the input row is **NULL** in **DATE** type.
  - boolean [isDoubleNull](#) (int idx)  
Check whether a value from the input row is **NULL** in **DOUBLE** type.
  - boolean [isDoubleNull](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - boolean [isEmpty](#) ()  
Returns true if there are no parameters.



- boolean **isLongNull** (int idx)  
*Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in LONG INTERGER type.*
- boolean **isLongNull** (String paramName) throws UdfException
- boolean **isStringNull** (String paramName) throws UdfException
- boolean **isStringNull** (int idx)  
*Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in SQL VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY type.*
- boolean **isTimestampInfinite** (String paramName) throws UdfException
- boolean **isTimestampInfinite** (int idx)  
*Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents 'infinity'.*
- boolean **isTimestampInfiniteNeg** (String paramName) throws UdfException
- boolean **isTimestampInfiniteNeg** (int idx)  
*Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents '-infinity'.*
- boolean **isTimestampInfinitePos** (String paramName) throws UdfException
- boolean **isTimestampInfinitePos** (int idx)  
*Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents '+infinity'.*
- boolean **isTimestampNull** (String paramName) throws UdfException
- boolean **isTimestampNull** (int idx)  
*Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in TIMESTAMP type.*
- boolean **next** () throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation

## Public Attributes

- int **count**
- int **index**
- int **ncols**
- HashMap< String, Integer > **paramNameToIndex**
- **SizedColumnTypes** **typeMetaData**

## Protected Member Functions

- void **clear** ()
- void **resetBuffers** ()

## Protected Attributes

- ArrayList< ByteBuffer > **coldataareas**
- ArrayList< ByteBuffer > **cols**
- ArrayList< Integer > **colstrides**
- ArrayList< Integer > **currentPos**

## Detailed Description

A wrapper around Parameters that have a name->value correspondence.

## Member Function Documentation

**void** **com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol** ( ByteBuffer *arg*, int *colstride*, VerticaType *dt*, String *colName* )  
[inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

**Parameters**

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol().

**void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer *arg*, int *colstride*, VerticaType *dt* )** [inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

**Parameters**

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

**void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer *arg*, ByteBuffer *da*, int *colstride*, VerticaType *dt* )** [inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

**Parameters**

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

**void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer *arg*, ByteBuffer *da*, int *colstride*, VerticaType *dt*, String *colName* )**  
[inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

**Parameters**

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getBoolean ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Get a BOOLEAN value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a BOOLEAN.

**ByteBuffer** `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColDataAreaRef ( int idx )` [inherited]

Get the ByteBuffer that stores out of line string data (Data Area) for the *idx*'th argument

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	
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**Returns**

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString().

**ByteBuffer** com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColRef ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

**Returns**

a ByteBuffer to the idx'th argument, containing data for the column

Example:

```
* ByteBuffer a = arg_reader.getColPtr(0);
*
```

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.copyFromInput(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getBoolean(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getLong(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLength(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLoc(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.getVStringWriter(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isBooleanNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setBool(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBoolean(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBooleanNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDoubleNull(), com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.setLong(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setLongNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setLongString(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setString(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setString(), and com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setStringNull().

**java.sql.Date** com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDate ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

Get a DATE value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The value of the idx'th argument, cast as a DATE; null if the column is NULL.

**double** com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDouble ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

Get a DOUBLE value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The value of the idx'th argument, cast as a DOUBLE.

**long** com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getLong ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

Get a LONG INTEGER value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a LONG INTEGER.

**Example:**

```
* long a = arg_reader.getLong(0);  
*
```

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDate()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDoubleNull()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isLongNull()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfiniteNeg()`, and `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinitePos()`.

`int com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumCols ( )` [inherited]

**Returns**

the number of arguments held by this reader.

`int com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumRows ( )` [inherited]

**Returns**

the number of rows held by this block.

`String com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getString ( int idx )` [inherited]

Get a reference to an VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

a reference to the *idx*'th argument, cast as an String.

`int com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLength ( int idx )` [inherited]

Get length of the String from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The length of the String in specified column.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString()`, and `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isStringNull()`.

`int com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLoc ( int idx )` [inherited]

Get 'location' of the String from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The location of the String in specified column. If zero, data is inlined immediately after the header, otherwise data is at offset loc within the data area.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString().

**java.sql.Timestamp** com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

Get a **TIMESTAMP** value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a **TIMESTAMP**; null if the column is **NULL** or represents 'infinity'.

**VerticaType** com.vertica.sdk.ParamReader.getType ( String *paramName* ) throws **UdfException**

Return the type of the given parameter.

**Exceptions**

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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**SizedColumnTypes** com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getTypeMetaData ( ) [inherited]

**Returns**

information about the types and numbers of arguments

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.ParamReader.getType().

**VNumeric** com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVNumeric ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

Get a reference to a **VNumeric** value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

A reference to the retrieved value cast as a **Numeric**.

**VString** com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

Get a reference from the input row to an **VString** value, which represents a SQL **VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY** value.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

a reference to the *idx*'th argument, cast as an [VString](#).

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getString()`.

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isBooleanNull ( int idx )` [inherited]

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in BOOLEAN type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDateNull ( int idx )` [inherited]

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in DATE type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDate()`.

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDoubleNull ( int idx )` [inherited]

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in DOUBLE type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isLongNull ( int idx )` [inherited]

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in LONG INTERGER type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDateNull(), and com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampNull().

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isStringNull ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in SQL VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getString().

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinite ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents 'infinity'.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the TIMESTAMP value is '+infinity' or '-infinity', false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp().

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfiniteNeg ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents '-infinity'.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the TIMESTAMP value is '-infinity', false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinite().

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinitePos ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents '+infinity'.



**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the TIMESTAMP value is '+infinity', false otherwise.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinite()`.

**`boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampNull ( int idx )`** *[inherited]*

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in TIMESTAMP type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp()`.

**`boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.next ( )`** throws **`UdfException`**, **`DestroyInvocation`** *[inherited]*

Advance to the next record.

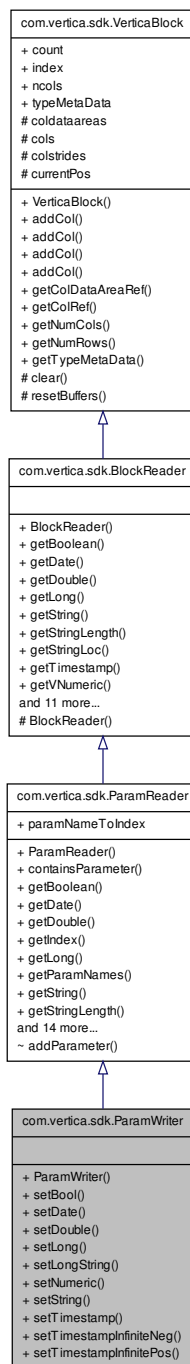
**Returns**

true if there are more rows to read, false otherwise.

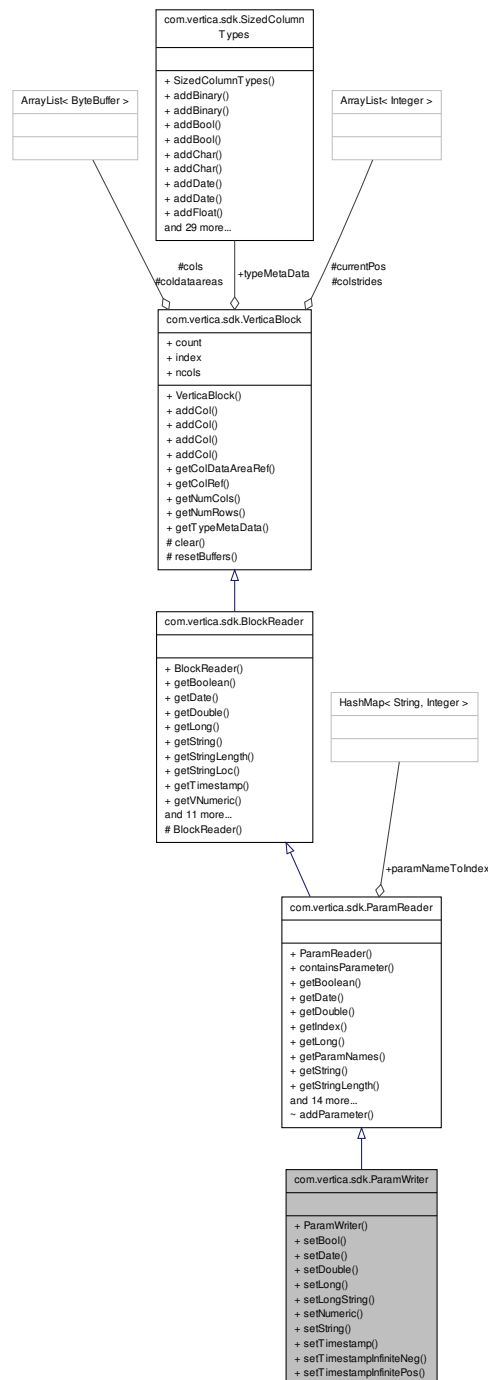
## **com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter Class Reference**

Iterator interface for writing parameters to a Vertica block.

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter:



## Public Member Functions

- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, `VerticaType` dt, String colName)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, `VerticaType` dt)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, `VerticaType` dt)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, `VerticaType` dt, String colName)
- boolean `containsParameter` (String paramName)

- Function to see if the [ParamReader](#) has a value for the parameter.

  - boolean [getBoolean](#) (int idx)

Get a **BOOLEAN** value from the input row.

  - boolean **getBoolean** (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - ByteBuffer [getColDataAreaRef](#) (int idx)
  - ByteBuffer [getColRef](#) (int idx)
  - java.sql.Date **getDate** (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - java.sql.Date [getDate](#) (int idx)

Get a **DATE** value from the input row.

  - double [getDouble](#) (int idx)

Get a **DOUBLE** value from the input row.

  - double **getDouble** (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - int **getIndex** (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - long [getLong](#) (int idx)

Get a **LONG INTEGER** value from the input row.

  - long **getLong** (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - int [getNumCols](#) ()
  - int [getNumRows](#) ()
  - ArrayList< String > [getParamNames](#) ()

Return all names of parameters stored in this [ParamReader](#).

  - String **getString** (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - String [getString](#) (int idx)

Get a reference to an **VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY** value from the input row.

  - int **getStringLength** (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - int [getStringLength](#) (int idx)

Get length of the String from the input row.

  - int [getStringLoc](#) (int idx)

Get 'location' of the String from the input row.

  - java.sql.Timestamp **getTimestamp** (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - java.sql.Timestamp [getTimestamp](#) (int idx)

Get a **TIMESTAMP** value from the input row.

  - [VerticaType](#) [getType](#) (String paramName) throws UdfException

Return the type of the given parameter.

  - [SizedColumnTypes](#) [getTypeMetaData](#) ()
  - [VNumeric](#) **getVNumeric** (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - [VNumeric](#) [getVNumeric](#) (int idx)

Get a reference to a **VNumeric** value from the input row.

  - [VString](#) **getVString** (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - [VString](#) [getVString](#) (int idx)

Get a reference from the input row to an **VString** value, which represents a SQL **VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY** value.

  - boolean [isBooleanNull](#) (int idx)

Check whether a value from the input row is **NULL** in **BOOLEAN** type.

  - boolean **isBooleanNull** (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - boolean **isDateNull** (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - boolean [isDateNull](#) (int idx)

Check whether a value from the input row is **NULL** in **DATE** type.

  - boolean [isDoubleNull](#) (int idx)

Check whether a value from the input row is **NULL** in **DOUBLE** type.

  - boolean **isDoubleNull** (String paramName) throws UdfException
  - boolean [isEmpty](#) ()

Returns true if there are no parameters.

- boolean **isLongNull** (int idx)

*Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in LONG INTERGER type.*

- boolean **isLongNull** (String paramName) throws UdfException
- boolean **isStringNull** (String paramName) throws UdfException
- boolean **isStringNull** (int idx)

*Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in SQL VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY type.*

- boolean **isTimestampInfinite** (String paramName) throws UdfException
- boolean **isTimestampInfinite** (int idx)

*Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents 'infinity'.*

- boolean **isTimestampInfiniteNeg** (String paramName) throws UdfException
- boolean **isTimestampInfiniteNeg** (int idx)

*Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents '-infinity'.*

- boolean **isTimestampInfinitePos** (String paramName) throws UdfException
- boolean **isTimestampInfinitePos** (int idx)

*Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents '+infinity'.*

- boolean **isTimestampNull** (String paramName) throws UdfException
- boolean **isTimestampNull** (int idx)

*Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in TIMESTAMP type.*

- boolean **next** () throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- void **setBool** (String fieldName, boolean r) throws UdfException

*Adds a BOOLEAN value to the output row.*

- void **setDate** (String fieldName, java.sql.Date r) throws UdfException

*Adds a DATE value to the output row.*

- void **setDouble** (String fieldName, double r) throws UdfException

*Adds a FLOAT value to the output row.*

- void **setLong** (String fieldName, Long r) throws UdfException

*Adds a LONG INTEGER value to the output row.*

- void **setLongString** (String fieldName, String r) throws UdfException

*Adds a Long String value to the output row.*

- void **setNumeric** (String fieldName, BigDecimal bd)

*Allocate a new VNumeric object to use as output.*

- void **setString** (String fieldName, String r) throws UdfException

*Adds a String value to the output row.*

- void **setTimestamp** (String fieldName, java.sql.Timestamp r) throws UdfException

*Adds a TIMESTAMP value to the output row.*

- void **setTimestampInfiniteNeg** (String fieldName) throws UdfException
- void **setTimestampInfinitePos** (String fieldName) throws UdfException

## Public Attributes

- int **count**
- int **index**
- int **ncols**
- HashMap< String, Integer > **paramNameToIndex**
- SizedColumnTypes **typeMetaData**

## Protected Member Functions

- void **clear** ()
- void **resetBuffers** ()

## Protected Attributes

- `ArrayList< ByteBuffer > coldataareas`
- `ArrayList< ByteBuffer > cols`
- `ArrayList< Integer > colstrides`
- `ArrayList< Integer > currentPos`

## Detailed Description

Iterator interface for writing parameters to a Vertica block.

## Member Function Documentation

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, VerticaType dt, String colName )`  
 [inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol()`.

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, VerticaType dt )` [inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, VerticaType dt )` [inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, VerticaType dt, String colName )`  
 [inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

**Parameters**

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getBoolean ( int idx )` *[inherited]*

Get a BOOLEAN value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a BOOLEAN.

**ByteBuffer** `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColDataAreaRef ( int idx )` *[inherited]*

Get the ByteBuffer that stores out of line string data (Data Area) for the *idx*'th argument

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	
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**Returns**

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString()`.

**ByteBuffer** `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColRef ( int idx )` *[inherited]*

**Returns**

a ByteBuffer to the *idx*'th argument, containing data for the column

**Example:**

```
* ByteBuffer a = arg_reader.getColPtr(0);  
*
```

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.copyFromInput()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getBoolean()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDouble()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getLong()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLength()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLoc()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVNumeric()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.getVStringWriter()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isBooleanNull()`, `com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setBool()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBoolean()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBooleanNull()`, `com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setDouble()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDouble()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDoubleNull()`, `com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.setLong()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setLongNull()`, `com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setLongString()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setNumeric()`, `com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setNumeric()`, `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setString()`, `com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setString()`, and `com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setStringNull()`.

**java.sql.Date** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDate ( int idx )` *[inherited]*

Get a DATE value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a DATE; null if the column is NULL.

**double com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDouble ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Get a DOUBLE value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a DOUBLE.

**long com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getLong ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Get a LONG INTEGER value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a LONG INTEGER.

**Example:**

```
* long a = arg_reader.getLong(0);
*
```

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDate(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDoubleNull(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isLongNull(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfiniteNeg(), and com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinitePos().

**int com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumCols ( )** [inherited]

**Returns**

the number of arguments held by this reader.

**int com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumRows ( )** [inherited]

**Returns**

the number of rows held by this block.

**String com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getString ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Get a reference to an VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY value from the input row.



**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

a reference to the *idx*'th argument, cast as an String.

**int** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLength ( int idx )` *[inherited]*

Get length of the String from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The length of the String in specified column.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString()`, and `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isStringNull()`.

**int** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLoc ( int idx )` *[inherited]*

Get 'location' of the String from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The location of the String in specified column. If zero, data is inlined immediately after the header, otherwise data is at offset *loc* within the data area.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString()`.

**java.sql.Timestamp** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp ( int idx )` *[inherited]*

Get a **TIMESTAMP** value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a **TIMESTAMP**; null if the column is **NULL** or represents 'infinity'.

**VerticaType** `com.vertica.sdk.ParamReader.getType ( String paramName )` throws **UdfException** *[inherited]*

Return the type of the given parameter.

**Exceptions**

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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**SizedColumnTypes** com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getTypeMetaData ( ) [inherited]

**Returns**

information about the types and numbers of arguments

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.ParamReader.getType().

**VNumeric** com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVNumeric ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

Get a reference to a [VNumeric](#) value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

A reference to the retrieved value cast as a Numeric.

**VString** com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

Get a reference from the input row to an [VString](#) value, which represents a SQL VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY value.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

a reference to the *idx*'th argument, cast as an [VString](#).

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getString().

**boolean** com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isBooleanNull ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in BOOLEAN type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

**boolean** com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDateNull ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in DATE type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDate()`.

**`boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDoubleNull ( int idx )`** *[inherited]*

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in DOUBLE type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

**`boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isLongNull ( int idx )`** *[inherited]*

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in LONG INTERGER type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDateNull()`, and `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampNull()`.

**`boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isStringNull ( int idx )`** *[inherited]*

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in SQL VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getString()`.

**`boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinite ( int idx )`** *[inherited]*

Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents 'infinity'.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the TIMESTAMP value is '+infinity' or '-infinity', false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp().

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfiniteNeg ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents '-infinity'.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the TIMESTAMP value is '-infinity', false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinite().

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinitePos ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents '+infinity'.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the TIMESTAMP value is '+infinity', false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinite().

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampNull ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in TIMESTAMP type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp().

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.next ( )** throws **UdfException**, **DestroyInvocation** [inherited]

Advance to the next record.

**Returns**

true if there are more rows to read, false otherwise.

**void com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setBool ( String *fieldName*, boolean *r* ) throws UdfException**

Adds a BOOLEAN value to the output row.

**Parameters**

<i>r</i>	The BOOLEAN value to insert into the output row.
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**void com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setDate ( String *fieldName*, java.sql.Date *r* ) throws UdfException**

Adds a DATE value to the output row.

**Parameters**

<i>r</i>	The DATE value to insert into the output row.
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**void com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setDouble ( String *fieldName*, double *r* ) throws UdfException**

Adds a FLOAT value to the output row.

**Parameters**

<i>r</i>	The FLOAT value to insert into the output row.
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**void com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setLong ( String *fieldName*, Long *r* ) throws UdfException**

Adds a LONG INTEGER value to the output row.

**Setter methods****Parameters**

<i>r</i>	The LONG INTEGER value to insert into the output row.
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Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setDate(), and com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setTimestamp().

**void com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setLongString ( String *fieldName*, String *r* ) throws UdfException**

Adds a Long String value to the output row.

**Parameters**

<i>r</i>	The Long String value to insert into the output row.
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**void com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setNumeric ( String *fieldName*, BigDecimal *bd* )**

Allocate a new [VNumeric](#) object to use as output.

**Returns**

A new [VNumeric](#) object to hold output. This object automatically added to the output row.

**void com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setString ( String *fieldName*, String *r* ) throws UdfException**

Adds a String value to the output row.

**Parameters**

<i>r</i>	The String value to insert into the output row.
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**void com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setTimestamp ( String *fieldName*, java.sql.Timestamp *r* ) throws UdfException**

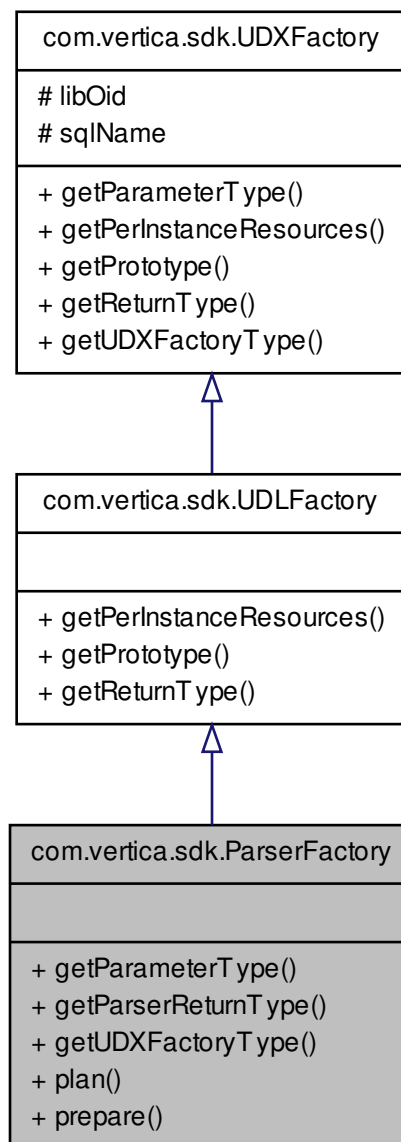
Adds a TIMESTAMP value to the output row.

**Parameters**

<i>r</i>	The TIMESTAMP value to insert into the output row.
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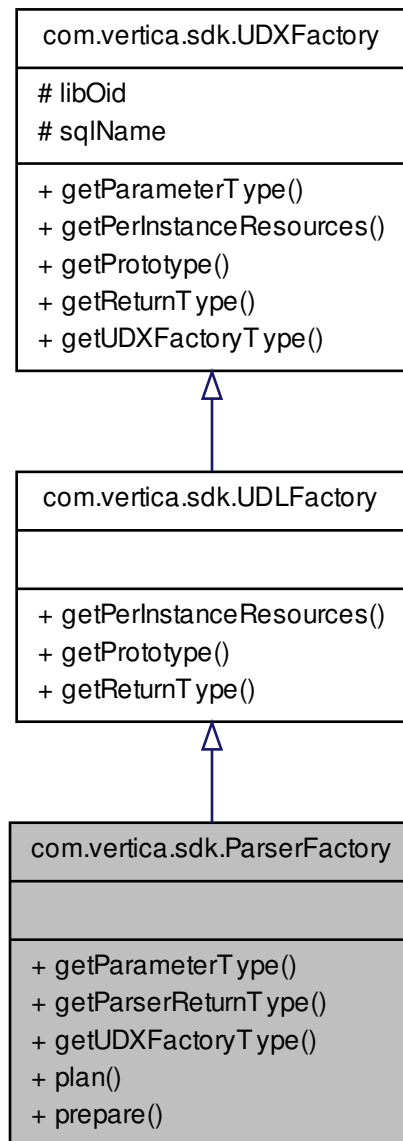
## com.vertica.sdk.ParserFactory Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.ParserFactory:





Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.ParserFactory:



## Public Member Functions

- void [getParameterType](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) parameterTypes)
- void [getParserReturnType](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [PerColumnParamReader](#) perColumnParamReader, [PlanContext](#) planCtxt, [SizedColumnTypes](#) argTypes, [SizedColumnTypes](#) returnType) throws [UdfException](#)
- void **[getPerInstanceResources](#)** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [VResources](#) res)
- void [getPrototype](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [ColumnTypes](#) argTypes, [ColumnTypes](#) returnType)
- void [getReturnType](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) argTypes, [SizedColumnTypes](#) returnType)
- [UDXType](#) [getUDXFactoryType](#) ()

- void **plan** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [PerColumnParamReader](#) perColumnParamReader, [PlanContext](#) planCtxt) throws UdfException
- abstract [UDParser](#) **prepare** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [PerColumnParamReader](#) perColumnParamReader, [PlanContext](#) planCtxt, [SizedColumnTypes](#) returnType) throws UdfException

## Protected Attributes

- long **libOid**
- String **sqlName**

## Detailed Description

Construct a single Parser.

Note that ParserFactories are singletons. Subclasses should be stateless, with no fields containing data, just methods. [plan\(\)](#) and [prepare\(\)](#) methods must never modify any global variables or state; they may only modify the variables that they are given as arguments.

## Member Function Documentation

void com.vertica.sdk.ParserFactory.getParameterType ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *parameterTypes* )

Inherited from the parent "UDXFactory" class in VerticaUDx.h

void com.vertica.sdk.ParserFactory.getParserReturnType ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [PerColumnParamReader](#) *perColumnParamReader*, [PlanContext](#) *planCtxt*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *argTypes*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *returnType* ) throws **UdfException**

Function to tell Vertica what the return types (and length/precision if necessary) of this UDX are. Called, possibly multiple times, on each node executing the query.

The default provided implementation configures Vertica to use the same output column types as the destination table. This requires that the [UDParser](#) validate the expected output column types and emit appropriate tuples. Note that the default provided implementation of this function should be sufficient for most Parsers, so this method should not be overridden by most Parser implementations. If a COPY statement has a return type that doesn't match the destination table, Vertica will emit an appropriate error. Users can use COPY expressions to perform typecasting and conversion if necessary.

For CHAR/VARCHAR types, specify the max length,

For Time/Timestamp types (with or without time zone), specify the precision, -1 means unspecified/don't care

For all other types, no length/precision specification needed

### Parameters

<i>srvInterface</i>	Interface to server operations and functionality, including (not-per-column) parameter lookup
<i>perColumn-ParamReader</i>	Per-column parameters passed into the query
<i>planCtxt</i>	Context for storing and retrieving arbitrary data, for use just by this instance of this query. The same context is shared with <a href="#">plan()</a> .
<i>argTypes</i>	Provides the data types of arguments that this UDT was called with. This may be used to modify the return types accordingly.

<i>returnType</i>	User code must fill in the names and data types returned by the UDT.
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**Exceptions**

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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**void com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory.getPrototype ( *ServerInterface* *srvInterface*, *ColumnTypes* *argTypes*, *ColumnTypes* *returnType* )** [virtual],[inherited]

Provides the argument and return types of the UDL. UDLs take no input tuples; as such, their prototype is empty.

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory.getReturnType ( *ServerInterface* *srvInterface*, *SizedColumnTypes* *argTypes*, *SizedColumnTypes* *returnType* )** [virtual],[inherited]

Not used in this form

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

**UDXType com.vertica.sdk.ParserFactory.getUDXFactoryType ( )** [virtual]

**Returns**

the type of UDX Object instance this factory returns.

**Note**

User subclasses should use the appropriate subclass of [UDXFactory](#) and not override this method on their own.

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

**void com.vertica.sdk.ParserFactory.plan ( *ServerInterface* *srvInterface*, *PerColumnParamReader* *perColumnParamReader*, *PlanContext* *planCtxt* )** throws **UdfException**

Execute any planning logic required at query plan time. This method is run once per query, during query initialization. Its job is to perform parameter validation, and to modify the set of nodes that the COPY statement will run on (through *srvInterface*).

[plan\(\)](#) runs exactly once per query, on the initiator node. If it throws an exception, the query will not proceed; it will be aborted prior to distributing the query to the other nodes and running [prepare\(\)](#).

**Parameters**

<i>srvInterface</i>	Interface to server operations and functionality, including (not-per-column) parameter lookup
<i>perColumn-ParamReader</i>	Per-column parameters passed into the query
<i>planCtxt</i>	Context for storing and retrieving arbitrary data, for use just by this instance of this query. The same context is shared with <a href="#">plan()</a> .

**Exceptions**

<a href="#">UdfException</a>
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```
abstract UDFParser com.vertica.sdk.ParserFactory.prepare ( ServerInterface srvInterface, PerColumnParamReader
perColumnParamReader, PlanContext planCtxt, SizedColumnTypes returnType ) throws UdfException [pure
virtual]
```

Instantiate a [UDParser](#) instance. This function will be called on each node, prior to the Load operator starting to execute.

#### Parameters

<i>srvInterface</i>	Interface to server operations and functionality, including (not-per-column) parameter lookup
<i>perColumn-ParamReader</i>	Per-column parameters passed into the query
<i>planCtxt</i>	Context for storing and retrieving arbitrary data, for use just by this instance of this query. The same context is shared with <a href="#">plan()</a> .
<i>returnType</i>	The data types of the columns that this Parser must produce

#### Returns

The [UDParser](#) instance to be used by this query

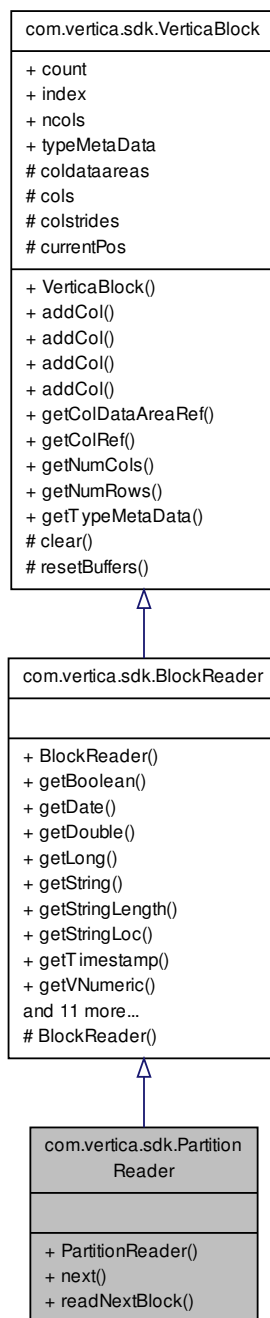
#### Exceptions

<a href="#">UdfException</a>
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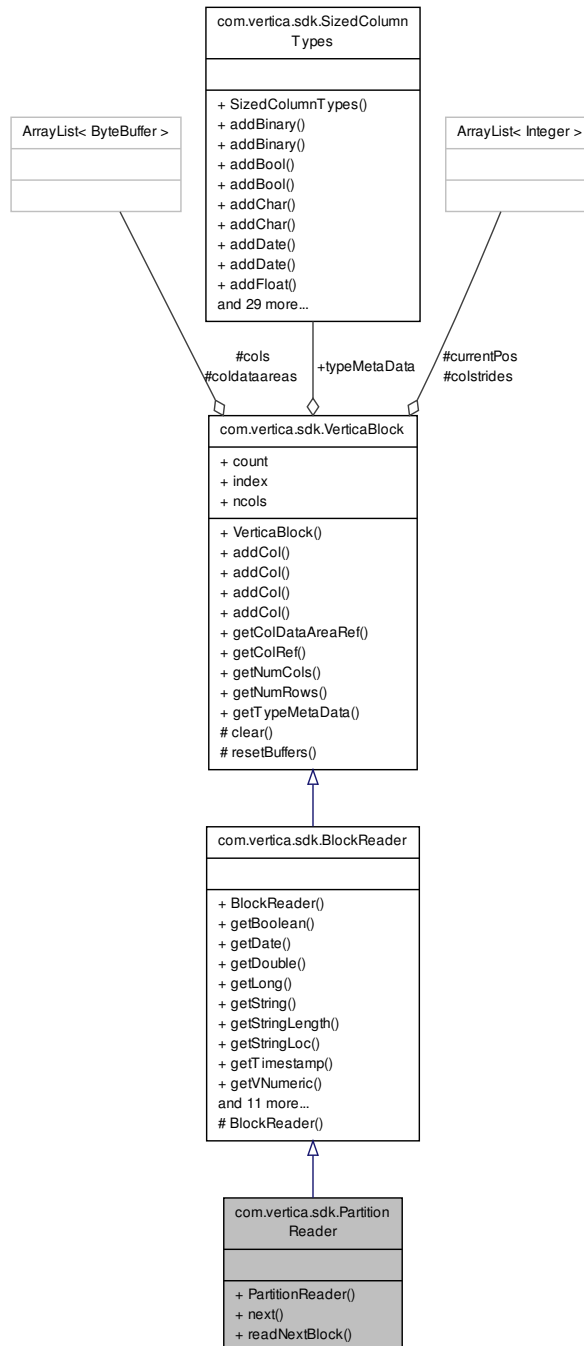
## com.vertica.sdk.PartitionReader Class Reference

[PartitionReader](#) provides an iterator-based read interface over all input data in a single partition. Automatically fetches data a block-at-a-time, as needed.

Inheritance diagram for `com.vertica.sdk.PartitionReader`:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.PartitionReader:



## Public Member Functions

- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, `VerticaType` dt, String colName)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, `VerticaType` dt)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, `VerticaType` dt)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, `VerticaType` dt, String colName)
- boolean `getBoolean` (int idx)

Get a *BOOLEAN* value from the input row.

- ByteBuffer [getColDataAreaRef](#) (int idx)
- ByteBuffer [getColRef](#) (int idx)
- java.sql.Date [getDate](#) (int idx)

Get a *DATE* value from the input row.

- double [getDouble](#) (int idx)

Get a *DOUBLE* value from the input row.

- long [getLong](#) (int idx)

Get a *LONG INTEGER* value from the input row.

- int [getNumCols](#) ()
- int [getNumRows](#) ()
- String [getString](#) (int idx)

Get a reference to an *VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY* value from the input row.

- int [getStringLength](#) (int idx)

Get length of the *String* from the input row.

- int [getStringLoc](#) (int idx)

Get 'location' of the *String* from the input row.

- java.sql.Timestamp [getTimestamp](#) (int idx)

Get a *TIMESTAMP* value from the input row.

- [SizedColumnTypes](#) [getTypeMetaData](#) ()
- [VNumeric](#) [getVNumeric](#) (int idx)

Get a reference to a *VNumeric* value from the input row.

- [VString](#) [getVString](#) (int idx)

Get a reference from the input row to an *VString* value, which represents a SQL *VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY* value.

- boolean [isBooleanNull](#) (int idx)

Check whether a value from the input row is *NULL* in *BOOLEAN* type.

- boolean [isDateNull](#) (int idx)

Check whether a value from the input row is *NULL* in *DATE* type.

- boolean [isDoubleNull](#) (int idx)

Check whether a value from the input row is *NULL* in *DOUBLE* type.

- boolean [isLongNull](#) (int idx)

Check whether a value from the input row is *NULL* in *LONG INTERGER* type.

- boolean [isStringNull](#) (int idx)

Check whether a value from the input row is *NULL* in SQL *VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY* type.

- boolean [isTimestampInfinite](#) (int idx)

Check whether a *TIMESTAMP* value from the input row represents 'infinity'.

- boolean [isTimestampInfiniteNeg](#) (int idx)

Check whether a *TIMESTAMP* value from the input row represents '-infinity'.

- boolean [isTimestampInfinitePos](#) (int idx)

Check whether a *TIMESTAMP* value from the input row represents '+infinity'.

- boolean [isTimestampNull](#) (int idx)

Check whether a value from the input row is *NULL* in *TIMESTAMP* type.

- boolean [next](#) () throws *UdfException*, *DestroyInvocation*
- abstract boolean [readNextBlock](#) () throws *UdfException*, *DestroyInvocation*

## Public Attributes

- int **count**
- int **index**
- int **ncols**
- [SizedColumnTypes](#) **typeMetaData**

## Protected Member Functions

- void **clear** ()
- void **resetBuffers** ()

## Protected Attributes

- ArrayList< ByteBuffer > **coldataareas**
- ArrayList< ByteBuffer > **cols**
- ArrayList< Integer > **colstrides**
- ArrayList< Integer > **currentPos**

## Detailed Description

[PartitionReader](#) provides an iterator-based read interface over all input data in a single partition. Automatically fetches data a block-at-a-time, as needed.

## Member Function Documentation

**void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer *arg*, int *colstride*, VerticaType *dt*, String *colName* )**  
[*inherited*]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol().

**void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer *arg*, int *colstride*, VerticaType *dt* )** [*inherited*]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

**void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer *arg*, ByteBuffer *da*, int *colstride*, VerticaType *dt* )** [*inherited*]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.



<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

**void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer *arg*, ByteBuffer *da*, int *colstride*, VerticaType *dt*, String *colName* )**  
[inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

**Parameters**

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getBoolean ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Get a BOOLEAN value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a BOOLEAN.

**ByteBuffer com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColDataAreaRef ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Get the ByteBuffer that stores out of line string data (Data Area) for the *idx*'th argument

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	
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**Returns**

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString().

**ByteBuffer com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColRef ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

**Returns**

a ByteBuffer to the *idx*'th argument, containing data for the column

Example:

```
* ByteBuffer a = arg_reader.getColPtr(0);  
*
```

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.copyFromInput(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getBoolean(), com.-  
vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getLong(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.-  
getStringLength(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLoc(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVNumeric(),

com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.getVStringWriter(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isBooleanNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setBool(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBoolean(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBooleanNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDoubleNull(), com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.setLong(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setLongNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setLongString(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setString(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setString(), and com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setStringNull().

**java.sql.Date com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDate ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Get a DATE value from the input row.

#### Parameters

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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#### Returns

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a DATE; null if the column is NULL.

**double com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDouble ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Get a DOUBLE value from the input row.

#### Parameters

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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#### Returns

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a DOUBLE.

**long com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getLong ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Get a LONG INTEGER value from the input row.

#### Parameters

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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#### Returns

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a LONG INTEGER.

#### Example:

```
* long a = arg_reader.getLong(0);
*
```

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDate(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDoubleNull(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isLongNull(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfiniteNeg(), and com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinitePos().

**int com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumCols ( )** [inherited]

#### Returns

the number of arguments held by this reader.

`int com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumRows ( ) [inherited]`

**Returns**

the number of rows held by this block.

`String com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getString ( int idx ) [inherited]`

Get a reference to an VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

a reference to the *idx*'th argument, cast as an String.

`int com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLength ( int idx ) [inherited]`

Get length of the String from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The length of the String in specified column.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString()`, and `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isStringNull()`.

`int com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLoc ( int idx ) [inherited]`

Get 'location' of the String from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The location of the String in specified column. If zero, data is inlined immediately after the header, otherwise data is at offset *loc* within the data area.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString()`.

`java.sql.Timestamp com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp ( int idx ) [inherited]`

Get a TIMESTAMP value from the input row.

**Parameters**

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<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

The value of the *idx*'th argument, cast as a `TIMESTAMP`; null if the column is `NULL` or represents 'infinity'.

**SizedColumnTypes** `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getTypeMetaData ( )` [inherited]

**Returns**

information about the types and numbers of arguments

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.ParamReader.getType()`.

**VNumeric** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVNumeric ( int idx )` [inherited]

Get a reference to a [VNumeric](#) value from the input row.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

A reference to the retrieved value cast as a `Numeric`.

**VString** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString ( int idx )` [inherited]

Get a reference from the input row to an [VString](#) value, which represents a SQL `VARCHAR`/`CHAR`/`VARBINARY`/`BINARY` value.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

a reference to the *idx*'th argument, cast as an [VString](#).

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getString()`.

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isBooleanNull ( int idx )` [inherited]

Check whether a value from the input row is `NULL` in `BOOLEAN` type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is `NULL`, false otherwise.

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDateNull ( int idx )` [inherited]

Check whether a value from the input row is `NULL` in `DATE` type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDate()`.

**`boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDoubleNull ( int idx )`** *[inherited]*

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in DOUBLE type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

**`boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isLongNull ( int idx )`** *[inherited]*

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in LONG INTERGER type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isDateNull()`, and `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampNull()`.

**`boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isStringNull ( int idx )`** *[inherited]*

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in SQL VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getString()`.

**`boolean com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinite ( int idx )`** *[inherited]*

Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents 'infinity'.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the TIMESTAMP value is '+infinity' or '-infinity', false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp().

**boolean** com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfiniteNeg ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents '-infinity'.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the TIMESTAMP value is '-infinity', false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinite().

**boolean** com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinitePos ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

Check whether a TIMESTAMP value from the input row represents '+infinity'.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the TIMESTAMP value is '+infinity', false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampInfinite().

**boolean** com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isTimestampNull ( int *idx* ) [inherited]

Check whether a value from the input row is NULL in TIMESTAMP type.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The column number to retrieve from the input row.
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**Returns**

true if the value is NULL, false otherwise.

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getTimestamp().

**abstract boolean** com.vertica.sdk.PartitionReader.readNextBlock ( ) throws **UdfException**, **DestroyInvocation** [pure virtual]

Reads in the next block of data and positions cursor at the beginning.

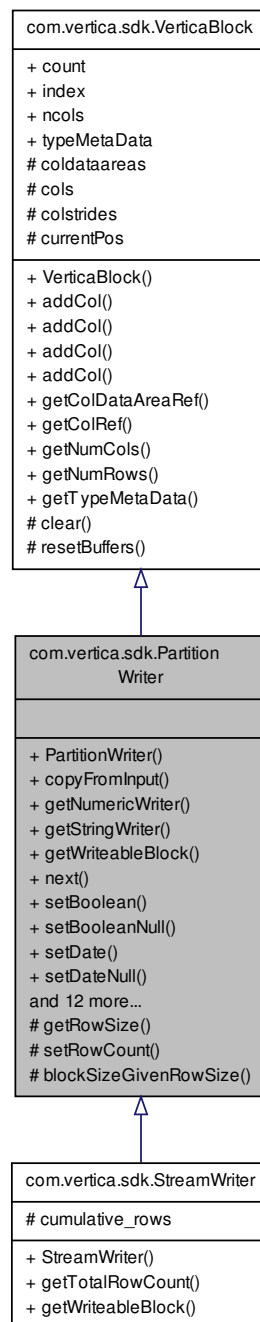
**Returns**

false if there's no more input data

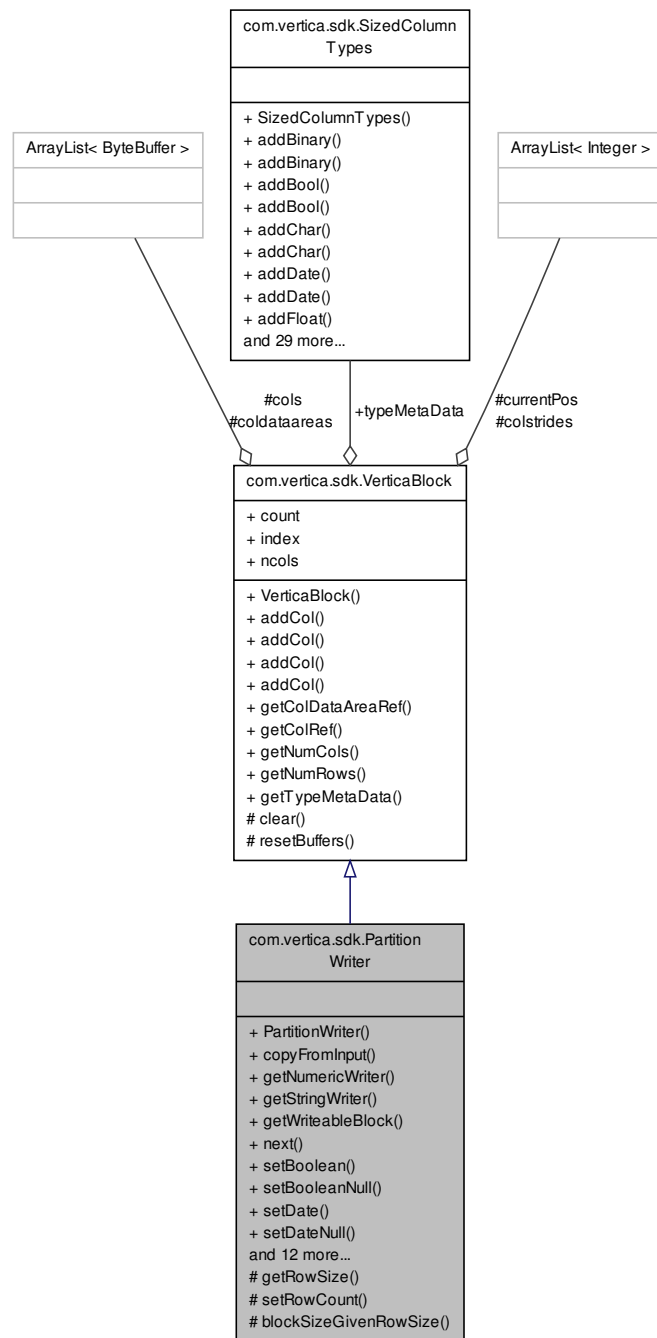
## com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter Class Reference

[PartitionWriter](#) provides an iterator-based write interface over output data for a single partition. Automatically makes space a block-at-a-time, as needed.

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter:



## Public Member Functions

- **PartitionWriter** (int nargs)
- void **addCol** (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt, String colName)
- void **addCol** (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt)
- void **addCol** (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt)
- void **addCol** (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt, String colName)



- void `copyFromInput` (int dstIdx, [PartitionReader](#) input\_reader, int srcIdx) throws `UdfException`
- `ByteBuffer` `getColDataAreaRef` (int idx)
- `ByteBuffer` `getColRef` (int idx)
- int `getNumCols` ()
- [VNumeric](#) `getNumericWriter` (int idx)
- int `getNumRows` ()
- [VString](#) `getStringWriter` (int idx)
- [SizedColumnTypes](#) `getTypeMetaData` ()
- abstract boolean `getWriteableBlock` () throws `UdfException`, `DestroyInvocation`
- boolean `next` () throws `UdfException`, `DestroyInvocation`
- void `setBoolean` (int idx, boolean r)
- void `setBooleanNull` (int idx)
- void `setDate` (int idx, java.sql.Date r)
- void `setDateNull` (int idx)
- void `setDouble` (int idx, double r)
- void `setDoubleNull` (int idx)
- void `setLong` (int idx, long r)
- void `setLongNull` (int idx)
- void `setNumeric` (int idx, BigDecimal bd)
- void `setNumericNull` (int idx)
- void `setString` (int idx, String r)
- void `setStringNull` (int idx)
- void `setTimestamp` (int idx, java.sql.Timestamp r)
- void `setTimestampInfiniteNeg` (int idx)
- void `setTimestampInfinitePos` (int idx)
- void `setTimestampNull` (int idx)

### Public Attributes

- int `count`
- int `index`
- int `ncols`
- [SizedColumnTypes](#) `typeMetaData`

### Protected Member Functions

- void `clear` ()
- int `getRowSize` ([SizedColumnTypes](#) types)
- void `resetBuffers` ()
- void `setRowCount` ([SizedColumnTypes](#) types)

### Static Protected Member Functions

- static int `blockSizeGivenRowSize` (int row\_size)

### Protected Attributes

- `ArrayList< ByteBuffer >` `coldataareas`
- `ArrayList< ByteBuffer >` `cols`
- `ArrayList< Integer >` `colstrides`
- `ArrayList< Integer >` `currentPos`

## Detailed Description

[PartitionWriter](#) provides an iterator-based write interface over output data for a single partition. Automatically makes space a block-at-a-time, as needed.

## Member Function Documentation

**void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer *arg*, int *colstride*, VerticaType *dt*, String *colName* )**  
[inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol().

**void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer *arg*, int *colstride*, VerticaType *dt* )** [inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

**void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer *arg*, ByteBuffer *da*, int *colstride*, VerticaType *dt* )** [inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

**void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer *arg*, ByteBuffer *da*, int *colstride*, VerticaType *dt*, String *colName* )**  
[inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.

<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

**void com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.copyFromInput ( int *dstIdx*, PartitionReader *input\_reader*, int *srcIdx* ) throws UdfException**

Copies a column from the input reader to the output writer. The data types and sizes of the source and destination columns must match exactly.

#### Parameters

<i>dstIdx</i>	The destination column index (in the output writer)
<i>input_reader</i>	The input reader from which to copy a column
<i>srcIdx</i>	The source column index (in the input reader)

**ByteBuffer com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColDataAreaRef ( int *idx* )** *[inherited]*

Get the ByteBuffer that stores out of line string data (Data Area) for the *idx*'th argument

#### Parameters

<i>idx</i>	
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#### Returns

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString().

**ByteBuffer com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColRef ( int *idx* )** *[inherited]*

#### Returns

a ByteBuffer to the *idx*'th argument, containing data for the column

#### Example:

```
* ByteBuffer a = arg_reader.getColPtr(0);
*
```

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.copyFromInput(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getBoolean(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getLong(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLength(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLoc(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.getVStringWriter(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isBooleanNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setBool(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBoolean(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBooleanNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDoubleNull(), com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.setLong(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setLongNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setLongString(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setString(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setString(), and com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setStringNull().

**int com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumCols ( )** *[inherited]*

#### Returns

the number of arguments held by this reader.

`int com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumRows ( ) [inherited]`

#### Returns

the number of rows held by this block.

`SizedColumnTypes com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getTypeMetaData ( ) [inherited]`

#### Returns

information about the types and numbers of arguments

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.ParamReader.getType()`.

`abstract boolean com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.getWriteableBlock ( ) throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation  
[pure virtual]`

Gets a writeable block of data and positions cursor at the beginning.

Implemented in [com.vertica.sdk.StreamWriter](#).

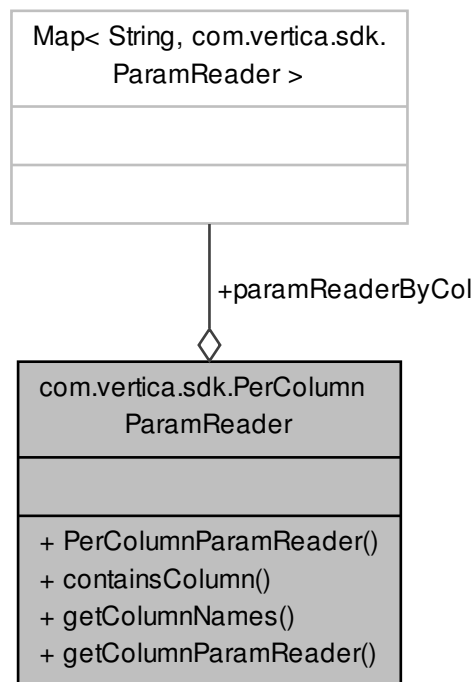
`void com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.setLong ( int idx, long r )`

Setter methods

## com.vertica.sdk.PerColumnParamReader Class Reference

: A wrapper around a map from column to [ParamReader](#).

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.PerColumnParamReader:



## Public Member Functions

- boolean `containsColumn` (String columnName)  
*Returns true if a [ParamReader](#) exists for the given column.*
- Collection< String > `getColumnNames` ()  
*Gets the names of all columns with column specific arguments.*
- [ParamReader](#) `getColumnParamReader` (String column)  
*Gets the parameters of the given column.*

## Public Attributes

- Map< String, [ParamReader](#) > `paramReaderByCol`

## Detailed Description

: A wrapper around a map from column to [ParamReader](#).

## Member Function Documentation

Collection<String> com.vertica.sdk.PerColumnParamReader.getColumnNames ( )

Gets the names of all columns with column specific arguments.

**Returns**

a vector of column names

**ParamReader** com.vertica.sdk.PerColumnParamReader.getColumnParamReader ( String *column* )

Gets the parameters of the given column.

**Parameters**

<i>the</i>	name of the column of interest
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**Returns**

the parameters of the given column

## com.vertica.sdk.PGUDxShared Class Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.PGUDxShared:

com.vertica.sdk.PGUDxShared
+ NUMERIC_MAX_PRECISION + VARHDRSZ
+ PRECISIONFROMTYPMOD() + SCALEFROMTYPMOD() + TYPMODFROMPRECScale()

**Static Public Member Functions**

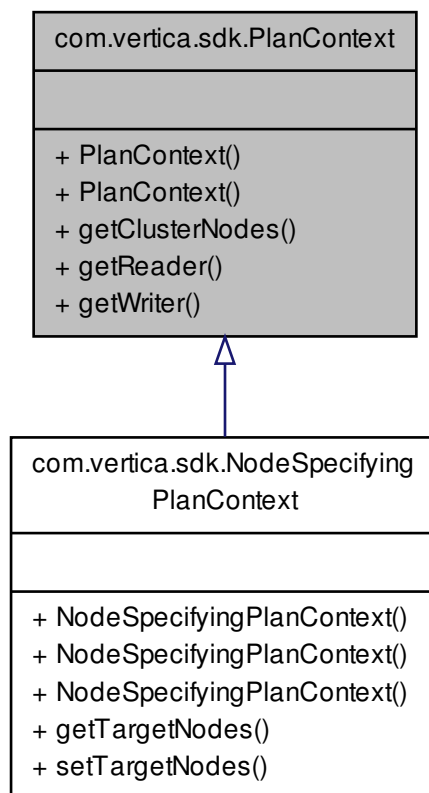
- static long **PRECISIONFROMTYPMOD** (long t)
- static long **SCALEFROMTYPMOD** (long t)
- static long **TYPMODFROMPRECScale** (long p, long s)

**Static Public Attributes**

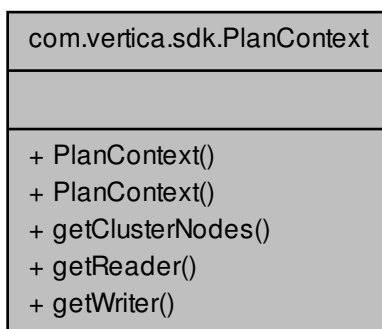
- static final int **NUMERIC\_MAX\_PRECISION** = 1024
- static final int **VARHDRSZ** = 4

## com.vertica.sdk.PlanContext Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.PlanContext:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.PlanContext:



## Public Member Functions

- **PlanContext** ([ParamWriter](#) writer, ArrayList< String > clusterNodes)
- **PlanContext** ([ParamWriter](#) writer)
- ArrayList< String > [getClusterNodes](#) ()
- [ParamReader](#) [getReader](#) ()
- [ParamWriter](#) [getWriter](#) ()

## Detailed Description

Interface that allows storage of query-plan state, when different parts of query planning take place on different computers. For example, if some work is done on the query initiator node and some is done on each node executing the query.

## Member Function Documentation

**ArrayList<String> com.vertica.sdk.PlanContext.getClusterNodes ( )**

Get a list of all of the nodes in the current cluster, by node name

**ParamReader com.vertica.sdk.PlanContext.getReader ( )**

Get a read-only instance of the current context

**ParamWriter com.vertica.sdk.PlanContext.getWriter ( )**

Get the current context for writing



## com.vertica.sdk.RejectedRecord Class Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.RejectedRecord:

com.vertica.sdk.RejectedRecord
+ data + length + reason + terminator
+ RejectedRecord() + RejectedRecord() + RejectedRecord() + RejectedRecord() + RejectedRecord()

### Public Member Functions

- **RejectedRecord** (String reason, char[] data, int length, String terminator)
- **RejectedRecord** (String reason, char[] data, int length)
- **RejectedRecord** (String reason, char[] data)
- **RejectedRecord** (String reason)

### Public Attributes

- char[] **data**
- int **length**
- String **reason**
- String **terminator**

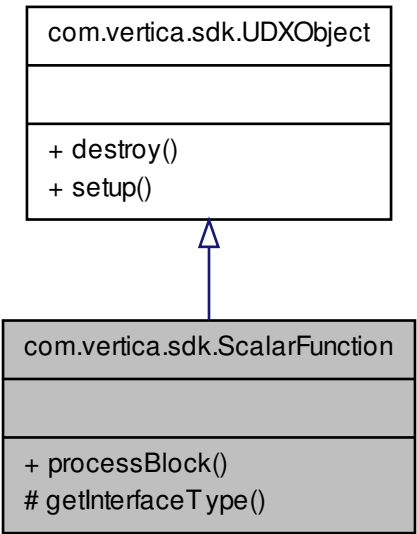
### Detailed Description

Information about a rejected record.

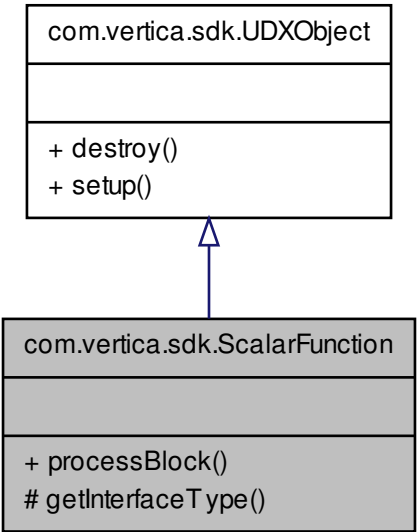
## com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunction Class Reference

Interface for User Defined Scalar Function, the actual code to process a block of data.

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunction:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunction:



Classes

- enum [InterfaceType](#)

## Public Member Functions

- void [destroy](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) argTypes)
- abstract void [processBlock](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [BlockReader](#) arg\_reader, [BlockWriter](#) res\_writer) throws [UdfException](#), [DestroyInvocation](#)
- void [setup](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) argTypes)

## Protected Member Functions

- [InterfaceType](#) [getInterfaceType](#) ()

## Detailed Description

Interface for User Defined Scalar Function, the actual code to process a block of data.

## Member Function Documentation

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDXObject.destroy ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *argTypes* )**  
[inherited]

Perform per instance destruction. This function may throw errors

**abstract void com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunction.processBlock ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [BlockReader](#) *arg\_reader*, [BlockWriter](#) *res\_writer* ) throws [UdfException](#), [DestroyInvocation](#)** [pure virtual]

Invoke a user defined function on a set of rows. As the name suggests, a batch of rows are passed in for every invocation to amortize performance.

### Parameters

<i>srvInterface</i>	a <a href="#">ServerInterface</a> object used to communicate with Vertica
<i>arg_reader</i>	input rows
<i>res_writer</i>	output location

### Note

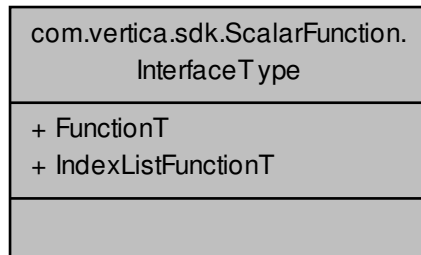
- This methods may be invoked by different threads at different times, and by a different thread than the constructor.
- The order in which the function sees rows is not guaranteed.
- To report error to Vertica, throw a [UdfException](#) object

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDXObject.setup ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *argTypes* )**  
[inherited]

Perform per instance initialization. This function may throw errors.

## com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunction.InterfaceType Enum Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunction.InterfaceType:

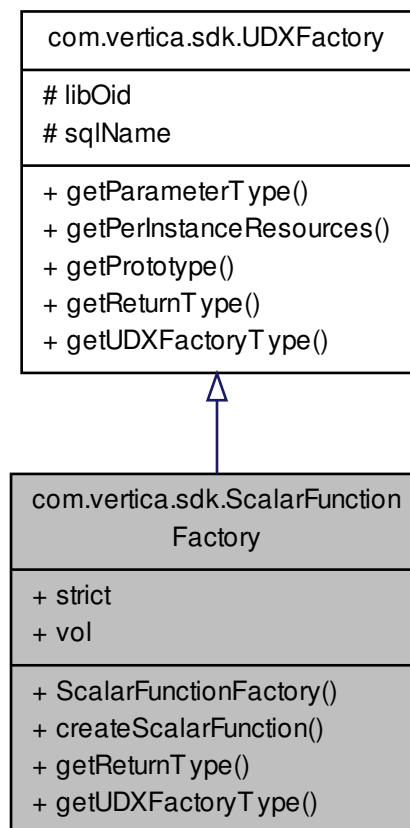


### Public Attributes

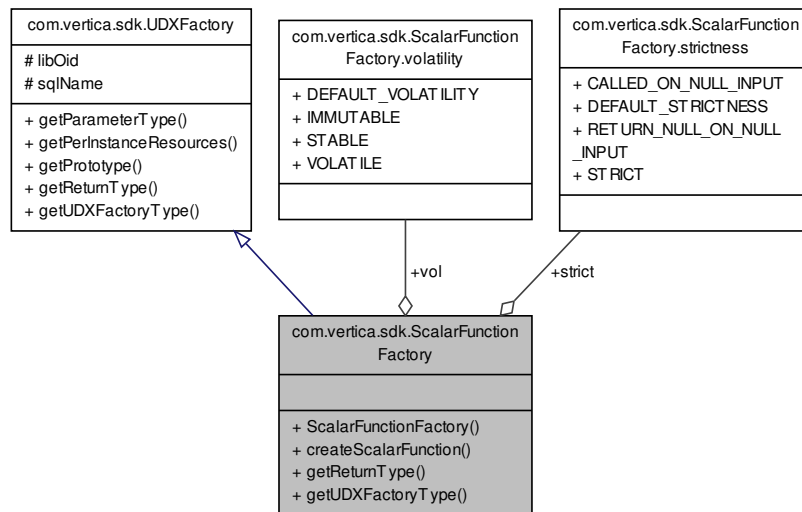
- **FunctionT**
- **IndexListFunctionT**

## com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory:



## Classes

- enum [strictness](#)
- enum [volatility](#)

## Public Member Functions

- abstract [ScalarFunction](#) [createScalarFunction](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface)
- void [getParameterType](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) parameterTypes)
- void [getPerInstanceResources](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [VResources](#) res)
- abstract void [getPrototype](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [ColumnTypes](#) argTypes, [ColumnTypes](#) returnType)
- void [getReturnType](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) argTypes, [SizedColumnTypes](#) returnType) throws [UdfException](#)
- [UDXType](#) [getUDXFactoryType](#) ()

## Public Attributes

- [strictness](#) **strict**
- [volatility](#) **vol**

## Protected Attributes

- long **libOid**
- String **sqlName**

## Member Function Documentation

```

abstract ScalarFunction com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory.createScalarFunction ( ServerInterface srvInterface )
[pure virtual]
  
```

**Returns**

an [ScalarFunction](#) object which implements the UDX API described by this metadata.

**Parameters**

<i>srvInterface</i>	a <a href="#">ServerInterface</a> object used to communicate with Vertica
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**Note**

More than one object may be instantiated per query.

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getParameterType ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *parameterTypes* )**  
[inherited]

Function to tell Vertica the name and types of parameters that this function uses. Vertica will use this to warn function callers that certain parameters they provide are not affecting anything, or that certain parameters that are not being set are reverting to default values.

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getPerInstanceResources ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [VResources](#) *res* )**  
[inherited]

Set the resource required for each instance of the UDX Object subclass

**Parameters**

<i>srvInterface</i>	a <a href="#">ServerInterface</a> object used to communicate with Vertica
<i>res</i>	a <a href="#">VResources</a> object used to tell Vertica what resources are needed by the UDX

**abstract void com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getPrototype ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [ColumnTypes](#) *argTypes*, [ColumnTypes](#) *returnType* )** [pure virtual],[inherited]

Provides the argument and return types of the UDX

Implemented in [com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory](#).

Referenced by [com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory.getReturnType\(\)](#).

**void com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory.getReturnType ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *argTypes*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *returnType* ) throws [UdfException](#)** [virtual]

For scalar functions, this function needs to be overridden only if the return type needs length/precision specification.

**Parameters**

<i>srvInterface</i>	a <a href="#">ServerInterface</a> object used to communicate with Vertica
<i>argTypes</i>	The data type of the return value defined by processBlock()
<i>returnType</i>	The size of the data returned by processBlock()

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

**UDXType com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory.getUDXFactoryType ( )** [virtual]

**Returns**

the object type internally used by Vertica

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

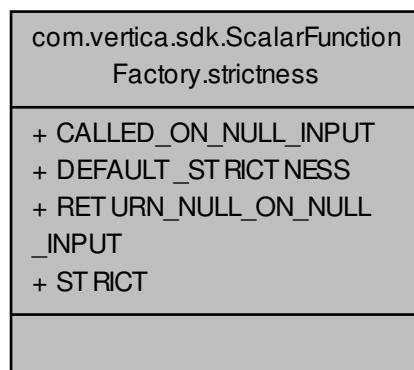
## Member Data Documentation

**volatility** com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory.vol

Strictness and Volatility settings that the UDSF programmer can set Defaults are VOLATILE and CALLED\_ON\_NULL\_INPUT

## com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory.strictness Enum Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory.strictness:



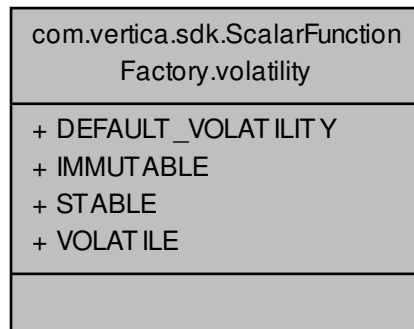
## Public Attributes

- **CALLED\_ON\_NULL\_INPUT**
- **DEFAULT\_STRICTNESS**
- **RETURN\_NULL\_ON\_NULL\_INPUT**
- **STRICT**



## com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory.volatility Enum Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory.volatility:



### Public Attributes

- **DEFAULT\_VOLATILITY**
- **IMMUTABLE**
- **STABLE**
- **VOLATILE**

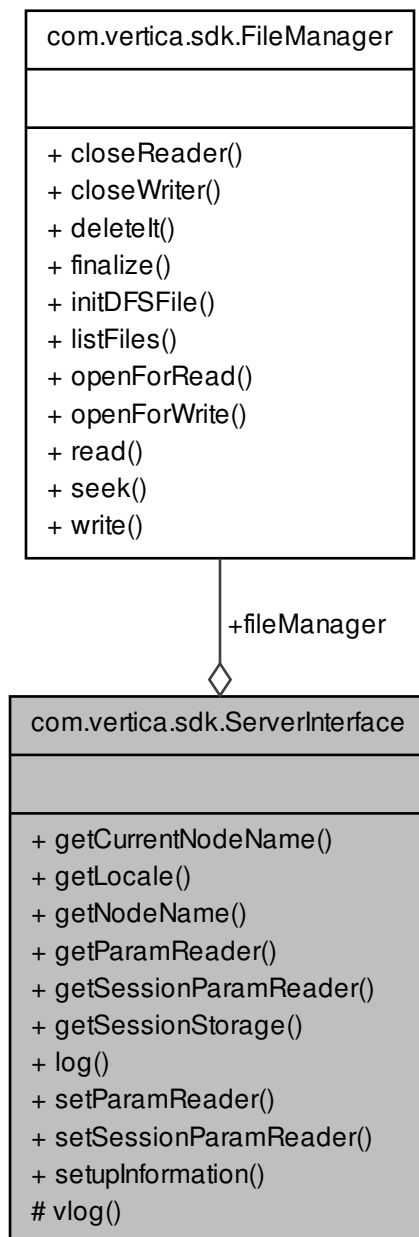
### Detailed Description

Enums to allow programmatic specification of volatility and strictness

## com.vertica.sdk.ServerInterface Class Reference

Interface that UDX writers can use to interact with the Vertica Server.

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.ServerInterface:



## Public Member Functions

- String **getCurrentNodeName** ()
- String [getLocale](#) ()
- String [getNodeName](#) ()
- [ParamReader](#) [getParamReader](#) ()
- [ParamReader](#) [getSessionParamReader](#) ()
- Map< String, Object > **getSessionStorage** ()

- void [log](#) (String format, Object...args)
- void [setParamReader](#) ([ParamReader](#) paramReader)
- void [setSessionParamReader](#) ([ParamReader](#) sessionParamReader)
- void **setupInformation** (String sqlName, [ParamReader](#) paramReader, [ParamReader](#) sessionParamReader, String locale, String nodeName, [FileManager](#) fileManager)

## Public Attributes

- [FileManager](#) fileManager

## Protected Member Functions

- abstract void [vlog](#) (String logEntry)

## Detailed Description

Interface that UDX writers can use to interact with the Vertica Server.

## Member Function Documentation

String com.vertica.sdk.ServerInterface.getLocale ( )

### Returns

the locale of the current session.

String com.vertica.sdk.ServerInterface.getNodeName ( )

### Returns

the node name of the current session.

[ParamReader](#) com.vertica.sdk.ServerInterface.getParamReader ( )

Returns the [ParamReader](#) that allows accessing parameter values using their names

[ParamReader](#) com.vertica.sdk.ServerInterface.getSessionParamReader ( )

Returns the SessionParamReader that allows accessing session parameter values using their names

void com.vertica.sdk.ServerInterface.log ( String *format*, Object... *args* )

Write a message to the vertica.log system log. The message will contain the SQL name of the user defined function or transform being called

### Parameters

<i>format</i>	a printf style format string specifying the log message format.
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**void com.vertica.sdk.ServerInterface.setParamReader ( ParamReader paramReader )**

Set the paramReader of this [ServerInterface](#) when delayed creation is required Used by the code when delayed creation of the parameters is needed Users should not call this function

**void com.vertica.sdk.ServerInterface.setSessionParamReader ( ParamReader sessionParamReader )**

Set the sessionParamReader of this [ServerInterface](#)

**abstract void com.vertica.sdk.ServerInterface.vlog ( String logEntry )** [protected],[pure virtual]

Callback for logging, implemented by the server

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.ServerInterface.log().

## Member Data Documentation

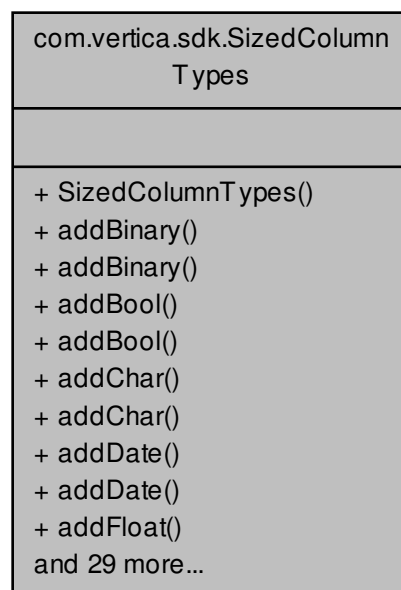
**FileManager** com.vertica.sdk.ServerInterface.fileManager

File manager of the session context

## com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes Class Reference

Represents types and information to determine the size of the columns as input/output of a User Defined Function/- Transform.

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes:



## Classes

- class **PartitionOrderColumnInfo**

*Represents the partition by and order by column information for each phase in a multi-phase transform function.*

## Public Member Functions

- void [addBinary](#) (int len, String fieldName)  
*Adds a column of type BINARY.*
- void **addBinary** (int len)
- void [addBool](#) (String fieldName)  
*Adds a column of type BOOLEAN.*
- void **addBool** ()
- void [addChar](#) (int len, String fieldName)  
*Adds a column of type CHAR.*
- void **addChar** (int len)
- void [addDate](#) (String fieldName)  
*Adds a column of type DATE.*
- void **addDate** ()
- void [addFloat](#) (String fieldName)  
*Adds a column of type FLOAT.*
- void **addFloat** ()
- void [addInt](#) (String fieldName)  
*Adds a column of type INTEGER.*
- void **addInt** ()
- void [addLongVarbinary](#) (int len, String fieldName)  
*Adds a column of type LONGVARBINARY.*
- void **addLongVarbinary** (int len)
- void [addLongVarchar](#) (int len, String fieldName)  
*Adds a column of type LONGVARCHAR.*
- void **addLongVarchar** (int len)
- void [addNumeric](#) (int precision, int scale, String fieldName)  
*Adds a column of type NUMERIC.*
- void **addNumeric** (int precision, int scale)
- void [addTime](#) (int precision, String fieldName)  
*Adds a column of type TIME.*
- void **addTime** (int precision)
- void [addTimestamp](#) (String fieldName)  
*Adds a column of type TIMESTAMP.*
- void **addTimestamp** ()
- void [addTimeTz](#) (int precision, String fieldName)  
*Adds a column of type TIME WITH TIMEZONE.*
- void **addTimeTz** (int precision)
- void [addVarbinary](#) (int len, String fieldName)  
*Adds a column of type VARBINARY.*
- void **addVarbinary** (int len)
- void [addVarchar](#) (int len, String fieldName)  
*Adds a column of type VARCHAR.*
- void **addVarchar** (int len)
- void [getArgumentColumns](#) (ArrayList< Integer > cols)  
*Retrieves indexes of argument columns. Indexes in cols can be used in conjunction with other functions, e.g. getColumnType(size\_t) and getColumnName(size\_t).*

- int [getColumnCount](#) ()  
*Returns the number of columns.*
- String [getColumnName](#) (int idx)  
*Returns the name of the column at the specified index.*
- [VerticaType](#) [getColumnType](#) (int idx)  
*Returns the type of the column at the specified index.*
- int [getLastOrderColumnIdx](#) ()  
*Gets the last ORDER BY column index.*
- int [getLastPartitionColumnIdx](#) ()  
*Gets the last PARTITION BY column index.*
- boolean [isOrderByColumn](#) (int idx)  
*Indicates whether the column at the specified index is an ORDER BY column.*
- boolean [isPartitionByColumn](#) (int idx)  
*Indicates whether the column at the specified index is a PARTITION BY column.*
- void [setPartitionOrderColumnIdx](#) (int partition\_idx, int order\_idx)  
*Sets the PARTITION BY and ORDER BY column indexes.*
- void [setPartitionOrderColumnIdx](#) ([SizedColumnTypes](#) other)  
*Sets the PARTITION BY and ORDER BY column indexes from another [SizedColumnTypes](#) object.*

## Detailed Description

Represents types and information to determine the size of the columns as input/output of a User Defined Function/-Transform.

This class is used to exchange size and precision information between Vertica and the user defined function/transform function. Vertica provides the user code with size/precision information about the particular data types that it has been called with, and expects the user code to provide size/precision information about what it will return.

## Member Function Documentation

**void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.addBinary ( int len, String fieldName )**

Adds a column of type BINARY.

Parameters

<i>len</i>	The length of the binary string.
<i>fieldName</i>	The name for the output column.

**void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.addBool ( String fieldName )**

Adds a column of type BOOLEAN.

Parameters

<i>fieldName</i>	The name for the output column.
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**void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.addChar ( int len, String fieldName )**

Adds a column of type CHAR.

**Parameters**

<i>len</i>	The length of the string.
<i>fieldName</i>	The name for the output column.

`void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.addDate ( String fieldName )`

Adds a column of type DATE.

**Parameters**

<i>fieldName</i>	The name for the output column.
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`void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.addFloat ( String fieldName )`

Adds a column of type FLOAT.

**Parameters**

<i>fieldName</i>	The name for the output column.
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`void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.addInt ( String fieldName )`

Adds a column of type INTEGER.

**Parameters**

<i>fieldName</i>	The name for the output column.
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`void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.addLongVarbinary ( int len, String fieldName )`

Adds a column of type LONGVARBINARY.

**Parameters**

<i>len</i>	The length of the binary string.
<i>fieldName</i>	The name for the output column.

`void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.addLongVarchar ( int len, String fieldName )`

Adds a column of type LONGVARCHAR.

**Parameters**

<i>len</i>	The length of the string.
<i>fieldName</i>	The name for the output column.

`void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.addNumeric ( int precision, int scale, String fieldName )`

Adds a column of type NUMERIC.

**Parameters**

<i>precision</i>	The precision for the numeric value.
<i>scale</i>	The scale for the numeric value.
<i>fieldName</i>	The name for the output column.

`void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.addTime ( int precision, String fieldName )`

Adds a column of type TIME.

**Parameters**

<i>precision</i>	The precision for the time.
<i>fieldName</i>	The name for the output column.

`void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.addTimestamp ( String fieldName )`

Adds a column of type TIMESTAMP.

**Parameters**

<i>fieldName</i>	The name for the output column.
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`void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.addTimeTz ( int precision, String fieldName )`

Adds a column of type TIME WITH TIMEZONE.

**Parameters**

<i>precision</i>	The precision for the time.
<i>fieldName</i>	The name for the output column.

`void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.addVarbinary ( int len, String fieldName )`

Adds a column of type VARBINARY.

**Parameters**

<i>len</i>	The length of the binary string.
<i>fieldName</i>	The name for the output column.

`void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.addVarchar ( int len, String fieldName )`

Adds a column of type VARCHAR.

**Parameters**

<i>len</i>	The length of the string.
<i>fieldName</i>	The name for the output column.

`void com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.getArgumentColumns ( ArrayList< Integer > cols )`

Retrieves indexes of argument columns. Indexes in *cols* can be used in conjunction with other functions, e.g. `getColumnType(size_t)` and `getColumnName(size_t)`.



**Parameters**

<i>cols</i>	A vector to store the retrieved column indexes.
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**String** `com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.getColumnName ( int idx )`

Returns the name of the column at the specified index.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The index of the column
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**VerticaType** `com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.getColumnType ( int idx )`

Returns the type of the column at the specified index.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The index of the column
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**Returns**

a [VerticaType](#) object describing the column's data type.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVNumeric()`.

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.isOrderByColumn ( int idx )`

Indicates whether the column at the specified index is an ORDER BY column.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The index of the column
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**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.isPartitionByColumn ( int idx )`

Indicates whether the column at the specified index is a PARTITION BY column.

**Parameters**

<i>idx</i>	The index of the column
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**void** `com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.setPartitionOrderColumnIdx ( int partition_idx, int order_idx )`

Sets the PARTITION BY and ORDER BY column indexes.

**Parameters**

<i>partition_idx</i>	Index of the last partition-by column
<i>order_idx</i>	Index of the last order-by column

**void** `com.vertica.sdk.SizedColumnTypes.setPartitionOrderColumnIdx ( SizedColumnTypes other )`

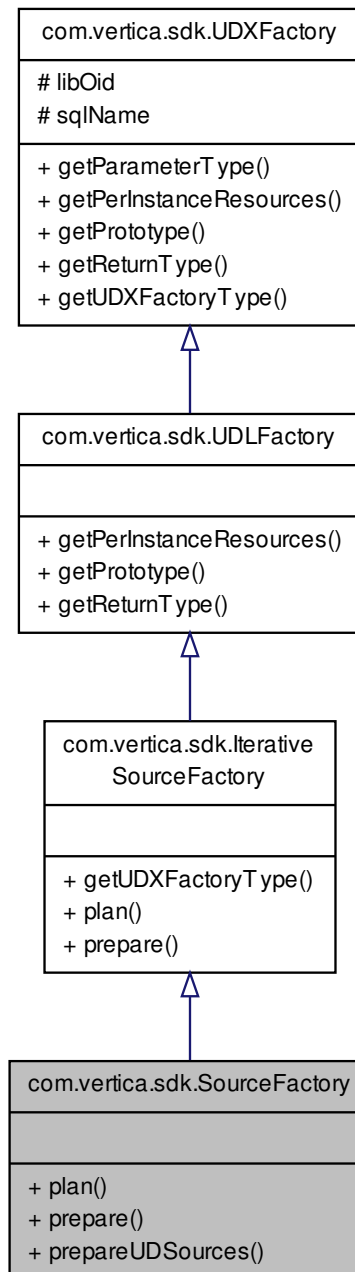
Sets the PARTITION BY and ORDER BY column indexes from another [SizedColumnTypes](#) object.

## Parameters

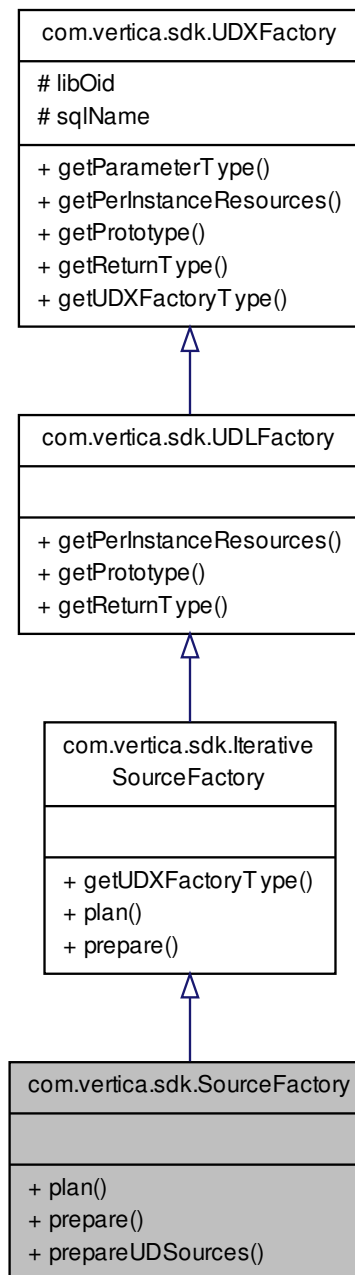
<i>other</i>	The <a href="#">SizedColumnTypes</a> object to set the indexes from
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## com.vertica.sdk.SourceFactory Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.SourceFactory:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.SourceFactory:



## Public Member Functions

- void [getParameterType](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) parameterTypes)
- void **getPerInstanceResources** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [VResources](#) res)
- void [getPrototype](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [ColumnTypes](#) argTypes, [ColumnTypes](#) returnType)
- void [getReturnType](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) argTypes, [SizedColumnTypes](#) returnType)
- [UDXType](#) [getUDXFactoryType](#) ()

- void [plan](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [NodeSpecifyingPlanContext](#) planCtxt) throws [UdfException](#)
- [SourceIterator](#) [prepare](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [NodeSpecifyingPlanContext](#) planCtxt) throws [UdfException](#)
- abstract [ArrayList](#)< [UDSource](#) > [prepareUDSources](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [NodeSpecifyingPlanContext](#) planCtxt) throws [UdfException](#)

## Protected Attributes

- long **libOid**
- String **sqlName**

## Detailed Description

A [SourceFactory](#) whose [prepare\(\)](#) method constructs UDSources directly.

When implementing the factories for a [UDSource](#), you have two options:

- Implement both an [IterativeSourceFactory](#) and a [SourceIterator](#)
- Implement just a [SourceFactory](#) (and no custom [SourceIterator](#))

## Member Function Documentation

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getParameterType ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *parameterTypes* )**  
[[inherited](#)]

Function to tell Vertica the name and types of parameters that this function uses. Vertica will use this to warn function callers that certain parameters they provide are not affecting anything, or that certain parameters that are not being set are reverting to default values.

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory.getPrototype ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [ColumnTypes](#) *argTypes*, [ColumnTypes](#) *returnType* )** [[virtual](#)],[[inherited](#)]

Provides the argument and return types of the UDL. UDL's take no input tuples; as such, their prototype is empty.

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory.getReturnType ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *argTypes*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *returnType* )** [[virtual](#)],[[inherited](#)]

Not used in this form

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

**UDXType com.vertica.sdk.IterativeSourceFactory.getUDXFactoryType ( )** [[virtual](#)],[[inherited](#)]

### Returns

the type of UDX Object instance this factory returns.

### Note

User subclasses should use the appropriate subclass of [UDXFactory](#) and not override this method on their own.

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

**void com.vertica.sdk.SourceFactory.plan ( *ServerInterface* *srvInterface*, *NodeSpecifyingPlanContext* *planCtxt* ) throws *UdfException***

Execute any planning logic required at query plan time. This method is run once per query, during query initialization. Its job is to perform parameter validation, and to modify the set of nodes that the COPY statement will run on.

[plan\(\)](#) runs exactly once per query, on the initiator node. If it throws an exception, the query will not proceed; it will be aborted prior to distributing the query to the other nodes and running [prepare\(\)](#).

#### Parameters

<i>srvInterface</i>	Interface to server operations and functionality, including (not-per-column) parameter lookup
<i>planCtxt</i>	Context for storing and retrieving arbitrary data, for use just by this instance of this query. The same context is shared with <a href="#">plan()</a> . Also provides functionality for specifying which nodes this query will run on.

#### Exceptions

<a href="#">UdfException</a>
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**SourceIterator com.vertica.sdk.SourceFactory.prepare ( *ServerInterface* *srvInterface*, *NodeSpecifyingPlanContext* *planCtxt* ) throws *UdfException* [virtual]**

#### INTERNAL

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.IterativeSourceFactory](#).

**abstract ArrayList<UDSource> com.vertica.sdk.SourceFactory.prepareUDSources ( *ServerInterface* *srvInterface*, *NodeSpecifyingPlanContext* *planCtxt* ) throws *UdfException* [pure virtual]**

Create UDSources. This function will be called on each node, prior to the Load operator starting to execute and prior to any other virtual functions on this class being called.

If necessary, it is safe for this method to store any of the argument references as local fields on this instance. All will persist for the duration of the query.

Unlike the standard [SourceFactory](#), this method directly instantiates all of its UDSources, and returns a vector of them. This requires that all UDSources be resident in memory for the duration of the query, which is fine in the common case but which may not be acceptable for some resource-intensive UDSources.

#### Parameters

<i>srvInterface</i>	Interface to server operations and functionality, including (not-per-column) parameter lookup
<i>planCtxt</i>	Context for storing and retrieving arbitrary data, for use just by this instance of this query. The same context is shared with <a href="#">plan()</a> . Also provides functionality for determining which nodes this query is running on.

#### Returns

A vector of UDSources to use for this query. Sources will be loaded in a pooled manner, several at a time.

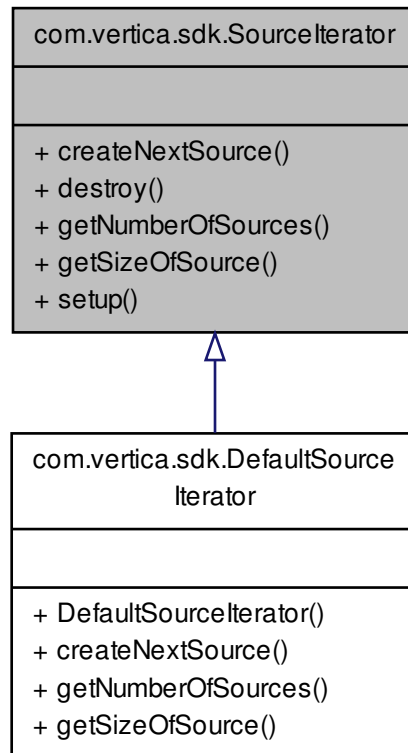
#### Exceptions

<a href="#">UdfException</a>
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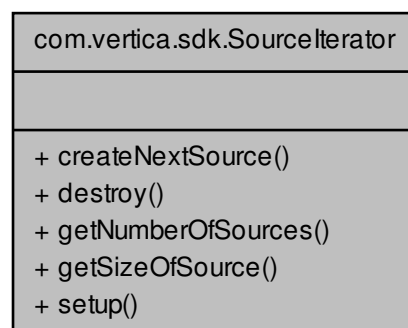
Referenced by [com.vertica.sdk.SourceFactory.prepare\(\)](#).

## com.vertica.sdk.SourceIterator Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.SourceIterator:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.SourceIterator:



## Public Member Functions

- abstract [UnsignedUDSource](#) [createNextSource](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface) throws [UdfException](#)  
*Create the next [UDSource](#) to process.*
- void [destroy](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [NodeSpecifyingPlanContext](#) planCtxt) throws [UdfException](#)  
*Tear down this [SourceIterator](#).*
- abstract int [getNumberOfSources](#) () throws [UdfException](#)
- Integer [getNumberOfSources](#) (int sourceNum) throws [UdfException](#)
- void [setup](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [NodeSpecifyingPlanContext](#) planCtxt) throws [UdfException](#)  
*Set up this [SourceIterator](#).*

## Detailed Description

Construct a set of Sources. [createNextSource\(\)](#) will be called repeatedly until it returns NULL. Each resulting Source will be read to completion, and the contained data passed to the Filter and Parser.

## Member Function Documentation

**abstract [UnsignedUDSource](#) [com.vertica.sdk.SourceIterator.createNextSource](#) ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface* ) throws [UdfException](#) [pure virtual]**

Create the next [UDSource](#) to process.

Should return NULL if no further sources are available for processing.

Note that the previous Source may still be open and in use on a different thread when this function is called.

### Returns

a new Source instance corresponding to a new input stream

### Exceptions

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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Implemented in [com.vertica.sdk.DefaultSourceIterator](#).

**void [com.vertica.sdk.SourceIterator.destroy](#) ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [NodeSpecifyingPlanContext](#) *planCtxt* ) throws [UdfException](#)**

Tear down this [SourceIterator](#).

Should perform clean-up

### Exceptions

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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**abstract int [com.vertica.sdk.SourceIterator.getNumberOfSources](#) ( ) throws [UdfException](#) [pure virtual]**

### Returns

the total number of Sources that this factory will produce

**Exceptions**

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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Implemented in [com.vertica.sdk.DefaultSourceIterator](#).

Integer [com.vertica.sdk.SourceIterator.getSizeOfSource](#) ( int *sourceNum* ) throws **UdfException**

**Returns**

the raw-data size of the sourceNum'th source that will be produced by [createNextSource\(\)](#). Should return `vint_null` if the size is unknown.

This value is used as a hint, and is used by the "load\_streams" table to display load progress. If incorrect or not set, "load\_streams" may contain incorrect or unhelpful information.

**Exceptions**

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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void [com.vertica.sdk.SourceIterator.setup](#) ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [NodeSpecifyingPlanContext](#) *planCtxt* ) throws **UdfException**

Set up this [SourceIterator](#).

Should perform setup that should not take place in the constructor due to the exception-handling semantics of constructors

**Exceptions**

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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**com.vertica.sdk.State Class Reference**

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.State:

**Classes**

- enum [InputState](#)
- enum [StreamState](#)



## com.vertica.sdk.State.InputState Enum Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.State.InputState:

com.vertica.sdk.State.Input State
+ END_OF_CHUNK + END_OF_FILE + OK
+ getCode()

### Public Member Functions

- int **getCode** ()

### Public Attributes

- **END\_OF\_CHUNK** =(2)
- **END\_OF\_FILE** =(1)
- **OK** =(0)

### Detailed Description

#### [InputState](#)

Applies only to input streams; namely, [UDFilter](#) and [UDParser](#).

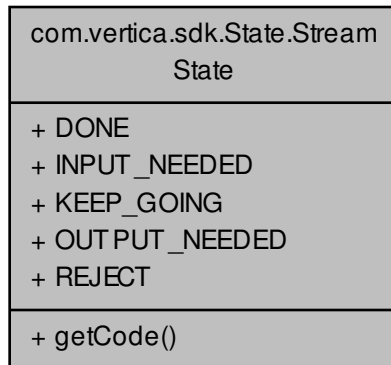
OK Currently at the start of or in the middle of a stream.

END\_OF\_FILE Reached the end of the input stream. No further data is available. Returning a [StreamState](#) of INPUT\_NEEDED at this point is invalid, as there is no more input.

END\_OF\_CHUNK Reached the end of an input chunk. Applies only to a parser and only when fed by a Chunker, it means the current data block ends on a record boundary. In this state a parser should consume all data in the block before returning from process.

## com.vertica.sdk.State.StreamState Enum Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.State.StreamState:



### Public Member Functions

- int **getCode** ()

### Public Attributes

- **DONE** =(2)
- **INPUT\_NEEDED** =(0)
- **KEEP\_GOING** =(4)
- **OUTPUT\_NEEDED** =(1)
- **REJECT** =(3)

### Detailed Description

#### StreamState

Indicates the state of a stream after process() has handled some input and some output data.

The different enum values have the following meanings:

**INPUT\_NEEDED** Indicates that a stream is unable to continue without being given more input. It may not have consumed all of its available input yet. It does not need to have consumed every byte of input. Not valid for output-only streams, ie., UDSources.

**OUTPUT\_NEEDED** Indicates that a stream is unable to write more output without being given a new or larger output buffer. Basically that it has "filled" the buffer as much as it is reasonably able to (which may be every byte full, some bytes full, even completely empty – in which case Vertica assumes that the UDL needs a larger buffer). Not valid for input-only streams, ie., UDParsers.

**DONE** The stream has completed; it will not be writing any more output nor consuming any more input.

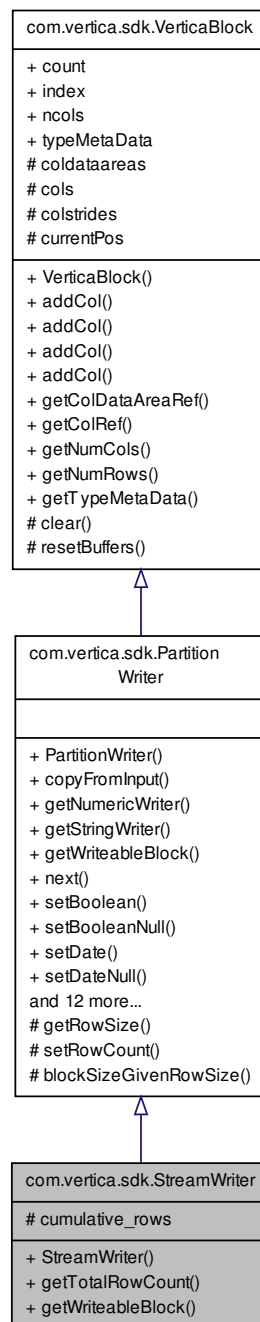
**REJECT** Only valid for UDParsers. Indicates that the Parser has consumed exactly one row, and that that row is invalid and should be processed as a rejected row.

**KEEP\_GOING** Not commonly used. The stream has neither filled all of its output buffer nor consumed all of its input buffer, but would like to yield to the server. Typically it has neither consumed data nor produced data. This state should be used instead of a "wait" loop; a stream that is waiting for some external operation to complete should periodically return **KEEP\_GOING** rather than simply blocking forever.

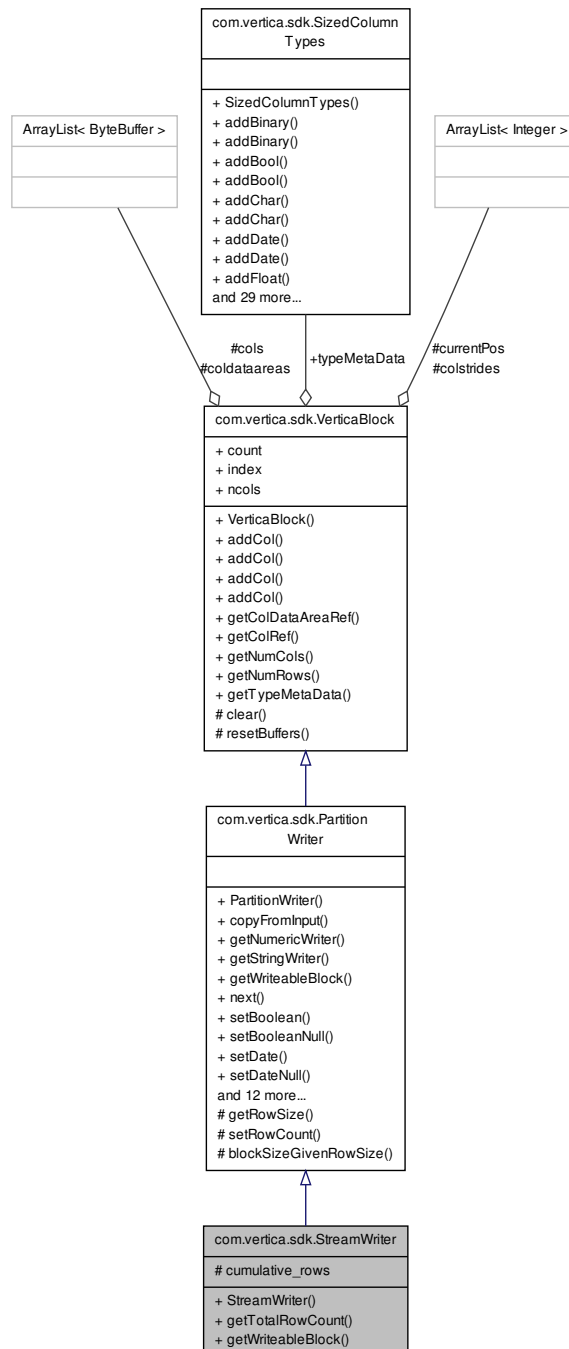
See the [UDSource](#), [UDFilter](#), and [UDParser](#) classes for how these streams are used.

## com.vertica.sdk.StreamWriter Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.StreamWriter:



Collaboration diagram for `com.vertica.sdk.StreamWriter`:



## Public Member Functions

- **`StreamWriter`** (int nargs)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt, String colName)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt)
- void `addCol` (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt, String colName)

- void **copyFromInput** (int dstIdx, [PartitionReader](#) input\_reader, int srcIdx) throws UdfException
- ByteBuffer **getColDataAreaRef** (int idx)
- ByteBuffer **getColRef** (int idx)
- int **getNumCols** ()
- [VNumeric](#) **getNumericWriter** (int idx)
- int **getNumRows** ()
- [VString](#) **getStringWriter** (int idx)
- long **getTotalRowCount** ()
- [SizedColumnTypes](#) **getTypeMetaData** ()
- abstract boolean **getWriteableBlock** () throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- boolean **next** () throws UdfException, DestroyInvocation
- void **setBoolean** (int idx, boolean r)
- void **setBooleanNull** (int idx)
- void **setDate** (int idx, java.sql.Date r)
- void **setDateNull** (int idx)
- void **setDouble** (int idx, double r)
- void **setDoubleNull** (int idx)
- void **setLong** (int idx, long r)
- void **setLongNull** (int idx)
- void **setNumeric** (int idx, BigDecimal bd)
- void **setNumericNull** (int idx)
- void **setString** (int idx, String r)
- void **setStringNull** (int idx)
- void **setTimestamp** (int idx, java.sql.Timestamp r)
- void **setTimestampInfiniteNeg** (int idx)
- void **setTimestampInfinitePos** (int idx)
- void **setTimestampNull** (int idx)

## Public Attributes

- int **count**
- int **index**
- int **ncols**
- [SizedColumnTypes](#) **typeMetaData**

## Protected Member Functions

- void **clear** ()
- int **getRowSize** ([SizedColumnTypes](#) types)
- void **resetBuffers** ()
- void **setRowCount** ([SizedColumnTypes](#) types)

## Static Protected Member Functions

- static int **blockSizeGivenRowSize** (int row\_size)

## Protected Attributes

- ArrayList< ByteBuffer > **coldataareas**
- ArrayList< ByteBuffer > **cols**
- ArrayList< Integer > **colstrides**
- long **cumulative\_rows**
- ArrayList< Integer > **currentPos**

## Detailed Description

[StreamWriter](#) provides an iterator-based write interface over output data for a stream of blocks. Automatically makes space a block-at-a-time, as needed.

## Member Function Documentation

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, VerticaType dt, String colName )`  
[inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol()`.

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, VerticaType dt )` [inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, VerticaType dt )` [inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, VerticaType dt, String colName )`  
[inherited]

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.

<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

**void com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.copyFromInput ( int *dstIdx*, PartitionReader *input\_reader*, int *srcIdx* ) throws UdfException** [inherited]

Copies a column from the input reader to the output writer. The data types and sizes of the source and destination columns must match exactly.

#### Parameters

<i>dstIdx</i>	The destination column index (in the output writer)
<i>input_reader</i>	The input reader from which to copy a column
<i>srcIdx</i>	The source column index (in the input reader)

**ByteBuffer com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColDataAreaRef ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

Get the ByteBuffer that stores out of line string data (Data Area) for the *idx*'th argument

#### Parameters

<i>idx</i>	
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#### Returns

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString().

**ByteBuffer com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColRef ( int *idx* )** [inherited]

#### Returns

a ByteBuffer to the *idx*'th argument, containing data for the column

#### Example:

```
* ByteBuffer a = arg_reader.getColPtr(0);
*
```

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.copyFromInput(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getBoolean(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getLong(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLength(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLoc(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.getVStringWriter(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isBooleanNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setBool(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBoolean(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBooleanNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDoubleNull(), com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.setLong(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setLongNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setLongString(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setString(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setString(), and com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setStringNull().

**int com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumCols ( )** [inherited]

#### Returns

the number of arguments held by this reader.



`int com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumRows ( )` [inherited]

#### Returns

the number of rows held by this block.

**SizedColumnTypes** `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getTypeMetaData ( )` [inherited]

#### Returns

information about the types and numbers of arguments

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.ParamReader.getType()`.

**abstract boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.StreamWriter.getWriteableBlock ( )` throws **UdfException, DestroyInvocation** [pure virtual]

Gets a writeable block of data and positions cursor at the beginning.

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter](#).

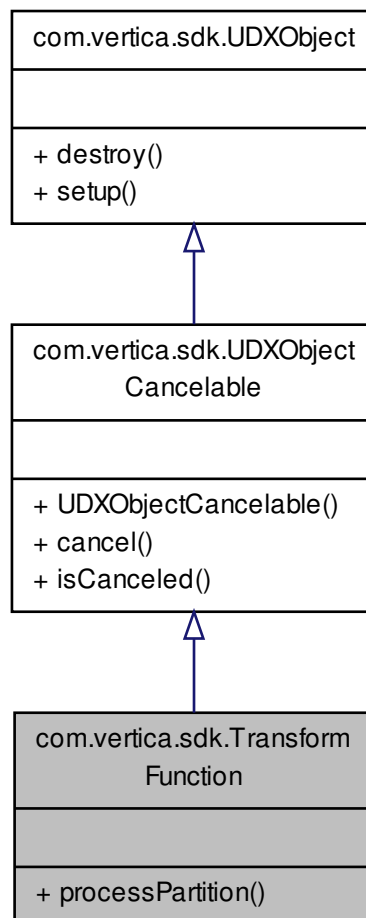
`void com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.setLong ( int idx, long r )` [inherited]

Setter methods

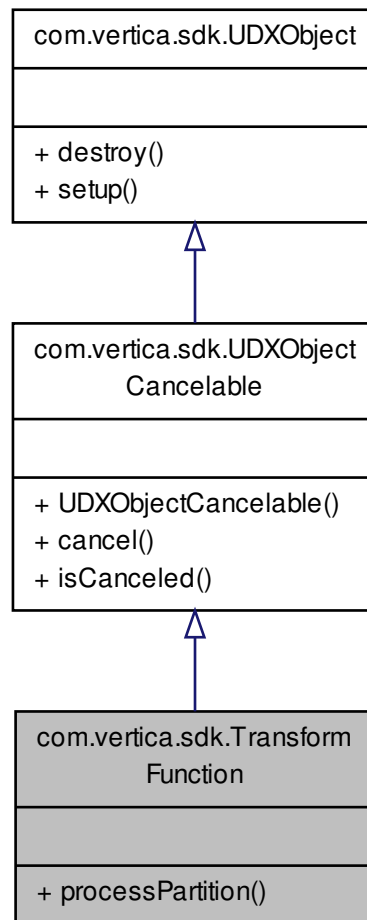
## **com.vertica.sdk.TransformFunction Class Reference**

Interface for User Defined Transform, the actual code to process a partition of data coming in as a stream.

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.TransformFunction:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.TransformFunction:



## Public Member Functions

- void [cancel](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface)
- void [destroy](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) argTypes)
- boolean [isCanceled](#) ()
- abstract void [processPartition](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [PartitionReader](#) input\_reader, [PartitionWriter](#) input\_writer) throws `UdfException`, `DestroyInvocation`
- void [setup](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) argTypes)

## Detailed Description

Interface for User Defined Transform, the actual code to process a partition of data coming in as a stream.

## Member Function Documentation

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDXObjectCancelable.cancel ( *ServerInterface srvInterface* )** [inherited]

This function is invoked from a different thread when the execution is canceled This baseclass cancel should be called in any override.

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDXObject.destroy ( *ServerInterface srvInterface*, *SizedColumnTypes argTypes* )**  
[inherited]

Perform per instance destruction. This function may throw errors

**boolean com.vertica.sdk.UDXObjectCancelable.isCanceled ( )** [inherited]

Returns true if execution was canceled.

**abstract void com.vertica.sdk.TransformFunction.processPartition ( *ServerInterface srvInterface*, *PartitionReader input\_reader*, *PartitionWriter input\_writer* )** throws *UdfException*, *DestroyInvocation* [pure virtual]

Invoke a user defined transform on a set of rows. As the name suggests, a batch of rows are passed in for every invocation to amortize performance.

#### Parameters

<i>srvInterface</i>	a <a href="#">ServerInterface</a> object used to communicate with Vertica
<i>input_reader</i>	input rows
<i>output_writer</i>	output location

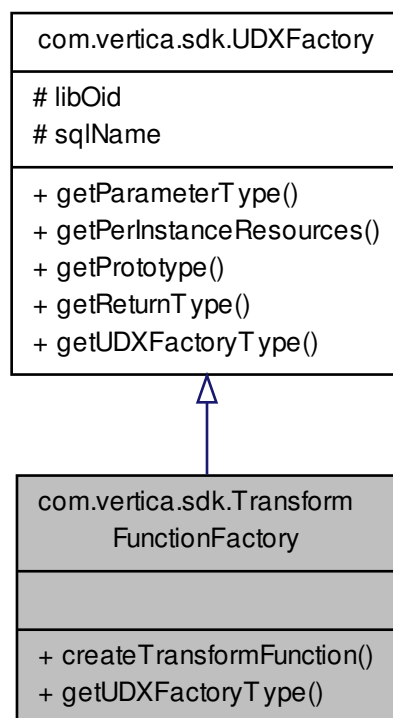
**void com.vertica.sdk.UDXObject.setup ( *ServerInterface srvInterface*, *SizedColumnTypes argTypes* )**  
[inherited]

Perform per instance initialization. This function may throw errors.

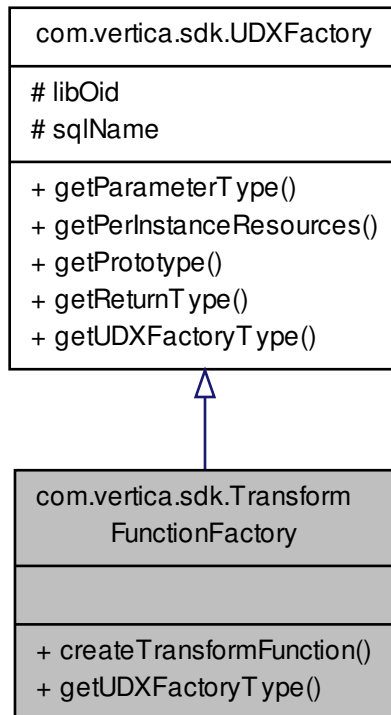
## com.vertica.sdk.TransformFunctionFactory Class Reference

Interface to provide User Defined Transform compile time information.

Inheritance diagram for `com.vertica.sdk.TransformFunctionFactory`:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.TransformFunctionFactory:



## Public Member Functions

- abstract `TransformFunction` `createTransformFunction` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface)
- void `getParameterType` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `SizedColumnTypes` parameterTypes)
- void `getPerInstanceResources` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `VResources` res)
- abstract void `getPrototype` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `ColumnTypes` argTypes, `ColumnTypes` returnType)
- abstract void `getReturnType` (`ServerInterface` srvInterface, `SizedColumnTypes` argTypes, `SizedColumnTypes` returnType) throws `UdfException`
- `UDXType` `getUDXFactoryType` ()

## Protected Attributes

- long `libOid`
- String `sqlName`

## Detailed Description

Interface to provide User Defined Transform compile time information.

## Member Function Documentation

**abstract TransformFunction** **com.vertica.sdk.TransformFunctionFactory.createTransformFunction** ( **ServerInterface** *srvInterface* ) [pure virtual]

Called when Vertica needs a new [TransformFunction](#) object to process a UDTF function call.

#### Returns

an [TransformFunction](#) object which implements the UDX API described by this metadata.

#### Parameters

<i>srvInterface</i>	a <a href="#">ServerInterface</a> object used to communicate with Vertica
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#### Note

More than one object may be instantiated per query.

**void** **com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getParameterType** ( **ServerInterface** *srvInterface*, **SizedColumnTypes** *parameterTypes* )  
[inherited]

Function to tell Vertica the name and types of parameters that this function uses. Vertica will use this to warn function callers that certain parameters they provide are not affecting anything, or that certain parameters that are not being set are reverting to default values.

**void** **com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getPerInstanceResources** ( **ServerInterface** *srvInterface*, **VResources** *res* )  
[inherited]

Set the resource required for each instance of the UDX Object subclass

#### Parameters

<i>srvInterface</i>	a <a href="#">ServerInterface</a> object used to communicate with Vertica
<i>res</i>	a <a href="#">VResources</a> object used to tell Vertica what resources are needed by the UDX

**abstract void** **com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getPrototype** ( **ServerInterface** *srvInterface*, **ColumnTypes** *argTypes*, **ColumnTypes** *returnType* ) [pure virtual],[inherited]

Provides the argument and return types of the UDX

Implemented in [com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory](#).

Referenced by [com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory.getReturnType\(\)](#).

**abstract void** **com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getReturnType** ( **ServerInterface** *srvInterface*, **SizedColumnTypes** *argTypes*, **SizedColumnTypes** *returnType* ) throws **UdfException** [pure virtual],[inherited]

Function to tell Vertica what the return types (and length/precision if necessary) of this UDX are.

For CHAR/VARCHAR types, specify the max length,

For NUMERIC types, specify the precision and scale.

For Time types (with or without time zone), specify the precision, -1 means unspecified/don't care

For IntervalYM/IntervalDS types, specify the precision and range

For all other types, no length/precision specification needed

**Parameters**

<i>argTypes</i>	Provides the data types of arguments that this UDT was called with. This may be used to modify the return types accordingly.
<i>returnType</i>	User code must fill in the names and data types returned by the UDT.

Implemented in [com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory](#), and [com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory](#).

**UDXType** [com.vertica.sdk.TransformFunctionFactory.getUDXFactoryType](#) ( ) [virtual]

**Returns**

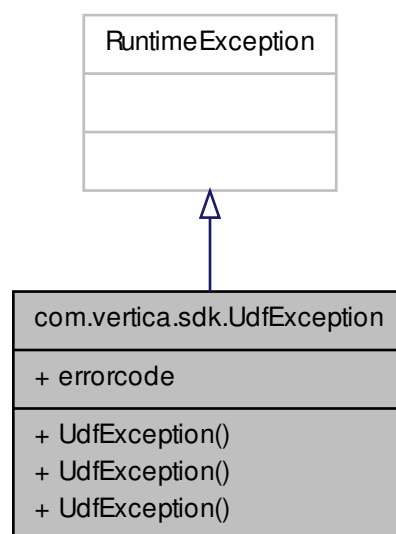
the object type internally used by Vertica

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

## com.vertica.sdk.UdfException Class Reference

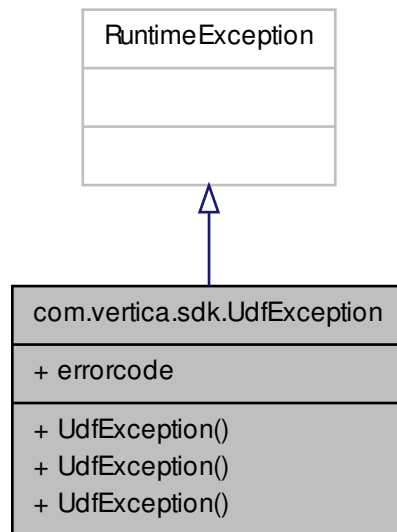
Contains error information, UDx code can throw object of this class to Vertica to indicate an error.

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UdfException:





Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UdfException:



### Public Member Functions

- [UdfException](#) (int *errorcode*, Throwable *causedBy*)
- [UdfException](#) (int *errorcode*, String *message*, Throwable *causedBy*)
- [UdfException](#) (int *errorcode*, String *message*)

### Public Attributes

- int **errorcode**

### Detailed Description

Contains error information, UDX code can throw object of this class to Vertica to indicate an error.

### Constructor & Destructor Documentation

`com.vertica.sdk.UdfException.UdfException ( int errorcode, Throwable causedBy )`

Constructor

Parameters

<i>errorcode</i>	a numeric id that UDX can use to indicate the error.
<i>causedBy</i>	an uncaught Throwable that caused the UDF to fail

`com.vertica.sdk.UdfException.UdfException ( int errorCode, String message, Throwable causedBy )`

Constructor

**Parameters**

<i>errorcode</i>	a numeric id that UDx can use to indicate the error.
<i>message</i>	a human readable error message
<i>causedBy</i>	an uncaught Throwable that caused the UDF to fail

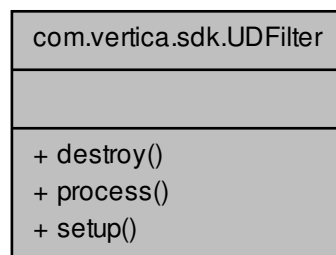
`com.vertica.sdk.UdfException.UdfException ( int errorcode, String message )`

**Constructor****Parameters**

<i>errorcode</i>	a numeric id that UDx can use to indicate the error.
<i>message</i>	a human readable error message.

## com.vertica.sdk.UDFilter Class Reference

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UDFilter:

**Public Member Functions**

- void [destroy](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface) throws UdfException
- abstract [StreamState](#) [process](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [DataBuffer](#) input, [InputState](#) input\_state, [DataBuffer](#) output) throws UdfException
- void [setup](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface) throws UdfException

**Detailed Description****UDFilter**

Responsible for reading raw input data from a file and preparing it to be processed by a parser. This preparation may involve decompression, re-encoding, or any other sort of binary manipulation.

**Member Function Documentation**

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDFilter.destroy ( *ServerInterface srvInterface* ) throws *UdfException***

#### UDFilter::destroy()

Will be invoked during query execution, after the last time that [process\(\)](#) is called on this [UDFilter](#) instance for a particular input file.

May optionally be overridden to perform tear-down/destruction.

See [UDFilter::setup\(\)](#) for a note about the restartability of UDFilters.

#### Exceptions

<a href="#">UdfException</a>
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**abstract *StreamState* com.vertica.sdk.UDFilter.process ( *ServerInterface srvInterface*, *DataBuffer input*, *InputState input\_state*, *DataBuffer output* ) throws *UdfException* [pure virtual]**

#### UDFilter::process()

Will be invoked repeatedly during query execution, until it returns DONE or until the query is canceled by the user.

On each invocation, [process\(\)](#) is handed some input data and a buffer to write output data into. It is expected to read and process some amount of the input data, write some amount of output data, and return a value that informs Vertica what needs to happen next.

[process\(\)](#) must set `input.offset` to the number of bytes that were successfully read from the `input` buffer, and that will not need to be re-consumed by a subsequent invocation of [process\(\)](#). This may not be larger than `input.size`. (`input.size` is the size of the buffer.) If it is set to 0, this indicates that [process\(\)](#) cannot process any part of an input buffer of this size, and requires more data per invocation. (For example, a block-based decompression algorithm might return 0 if the input buffer does not contain a complete block.)

Note that `input` may contain null bytes, if the source file contains null bytes. Note also that `input` is NOT automatically null-terminated.

If `input_state == END_OF_FILE`, then the last byte in `input` is the last byte in the input stream. Returning `INPUT_NEEDED` will not result in any new input appearing. [process\(\)](#) should return DONE in this case as soon as this operator has finished producing all output that it is going to produce.

[process\(\)](#) must set `output.offset` to the number of bytes that were written to the `output` buffer. This may not be larger than `output.size`. If it is set to 0, this indicates that [process\(\)](#) requires a larger output buffer.

Note that, unless `OUTPUT_NEEDED` is returned, `output` will be UNMODIFIED the next time [process\(\)](#) is called. This means that pointers into the buffer will continue to be valid. It also means that `output.offset` may be set. So, in general, [process\(\)](#) code should assume that buffers start at `output.buf[output.offset]`. The same goes for `input` and `INPUT_NEEDED`. Note also that, as a performance optimization, upstream operators may start processing emitted data (data between `output.buf[0]` and `output.buf[output.offset]`) before `OUTPUT_NEEDED` is returned. For this reason, `output.offset` must be strictly increasing.

[process\(\)](#) must not block indefinitely. If it cannot proceed for an extended period of time, it should return `KEEP_GOING`. It will be called again shortly. Failure to do this will, among other things, prevent the query from being canceled by the user.

#### Returns

`OUTPUT_NEEDED` if this [UDFilter](#) has more data to produce; `INPUT_NEEDED` if it needs more data to continue working; `DONE` if has no more data to produce.

Note that it is UNSAFE to maintain pointers or references to any of these arguments (or any other argument passed by reference into any other function in this API) beyond the scope of the function call in question. For example, do not store a reference to the server interface or the input block on an instance variable. Vertica may free and replace these objects.

## Exceptions

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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`void com.vertica.sdk.UDFilter.setup ( ServerInterface srvInterface ) throws UdfException`

**UDFilter::setup()**

Will be invoked during query execution, prior to the first time that [process\(\)](#) is called on this [UDFilter](#) instance for a particular input file.

May optionally be overridden to perform setup/initialization.

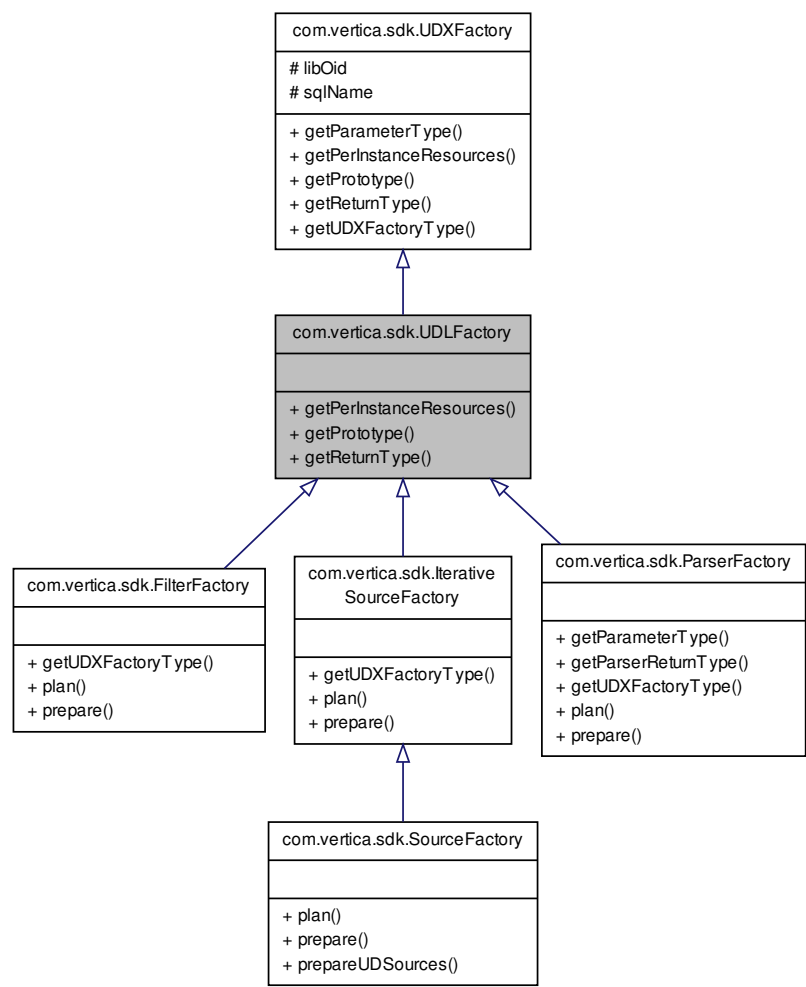
Note that UDFilters MUST BE RESTARTABLE! If loading large numbers of files, a given [UDFilter](#) may be re-used for multiple files. Vertica follows the worker-pool design pattern: At the start of COPY execution, several Parsers and several Filters are instantiated per node, by calling the corresponding `prepare()` method multiple times. Each Filter/Parser pair is then internally assigned to an initial Source ([UDSource](#) or internal). At that point, [setup\(\)](#) is called; then [process\(\)](#) is called until it is finished; then [destroy\(\)](#) is called. If there are still sources in the pool waiting to be processed, then the UDFilter/UDSource pair will be given a second Source; [setup\(\)](#) will be called a second time, then [process\(\)](#) until it is finished, then [destroy\(\)](#). This repeats until all sources have been read.

## Exceptions

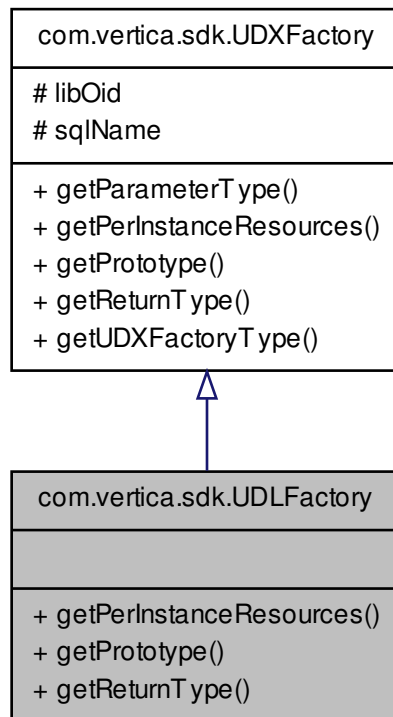
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com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory:



## Public Member Functions

- void `getParameterType` (`ServerInterface` *srvInterface*, `SizedColumnTypes` *parameterTypes*)
- void **`getPerInstanceResources`** (`ServerInterface` *srvInterface*, `VResources` *res*)
- void `getPrototype` (`ServerInterface` *srvInterface*, `ColumnTypes` *argTypes*, `ColumnTypes` *returnType*)
- void `getReturnType` (`ServerInterface` *srvInterface*, `SizedColumnTypes` *argTypes*, `SizedColumnTypes` *returnType*)
- abstract `UDXType` `getUDXFactoryType` ()

## Protected Attributes

- long **`libOid`**
- String **`sqlName`**

## Member Function Documentation

`void com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getParameterType ( ServerInterface srvInterface, SizedColumnTypes parameterTypes )`  
 [inherited]

Function to tell Vertica the name and types of parameters that this function uses. Vertica will use this to warn function callers that certain parameters they provide are not affecting anything, or that certain parameters that are not being set are reverting to default values.

```
void com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory.getPrototype ( ServerInterface srvInterface, ColumnTypes argTypes, ColumnTypes returnType ) [virtual]
```

Provides the argument and return types of the UDL. UDL's take no input tuples; as such, their prototype is empty.

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

```
void com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory.getReturnType ( ServerInterface srvInterface, SizedColumnTypes argTypes, SizedColumnTypes returnType ) [virtual]
```

Not used in this form

Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory](#).

```
abstract UDXType com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getUDXFactoryType ( ) [pure virtual],[inherited]
```

#### Returns

the type of UDX Object instance this factory returns.

#### Note

User subclasses should use the appropriate subclass of [UDXFactory](#) and not override this method on their own.

Implemented in [com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory](#), [com.vertica.sdk.TransformFunctionFactory](#), [com.vertica.sdk.IterativeSourceFactory](#), [com.vertica.sdk.FilterFactory](#), and [com.vertica.sdk.ParserFactory](#).



```

classDiagram
    class com_verica_sdk_SizedColumnTypes {
        +SizedColumnTypes()
        +addBinary()
        +addBinary()
        +addBool()
        +addBool()
        +addChar()
        +addChar()
        +addDate()
        +addDate()
        +addFloat()
        +addFloat()
        +and 29 more...
    }
    class com_verica_sdk_VericaBlock {
        +count
        +index
        +ncols
        +VericaBlock()
        +addCol()
        +addCol()
        +addCol()
        +addCol()
        +getColDataAreaRef()
        +getColRef()
        +getNumCols()
        +getNumRows()
        +getTypeMetaData()
        +clear()
        +resetBuffers()
    }
    class com_verica_sdk_PartitionWriter {
        +PartitionWriter()
        +copyFromInput()
        +getNumericWriter()
        +getStringWriter()
        +getWritableBlock()
        +next()
        +setBoolean()
        +setBooleanNull()
        +setDate()
        +setDateNull()
        +and 12 more...
        +getRowCount()
        +setRowCount()
        +blockSizeGivenRowSize()
    }
    class com_verica_sdk_StreamWriter {
        +cumulative_rows
        +StreamWriter()
        +getTotalRowCount()
        +getWritableBlock()
    }
    class com_verica_sdk_UDParser {
        +recordsAcceptedInBatch
        +seen_eob
        +UDParser()
        +destroy()
        +getRecordsAcceptedInBatch()
        +getRejectedRecord()
        +getSeenEOB()
        +getStreamWriter()
        +incrRecordsAcceptedInBatch()
        +process()
        +setRecordsAcceptedInBatch()
        +setSeenEOB()
        +setStreamWriter()
        +setup()
    }
    com_verica_sdk_SizedColumnTypes --> com_verica_sdk_VericaBlock : #cols #coldataareas
    com_verica_sdk_SizedColumnTypes --> com_verica_sdk_VericaBlock : +typeMetaData
    com_verica_sdk_VericaBlock --> com_verica_sdk_PartitionWriter
    com_verica_sdk_PartitionWriter --> com_verica_sdk_StreamWriter
    com_verica_sdk_StreamWriter --> com_verica_sdk_UDParser : #writer
    
```

- void **destroy** (ServerInterface srvInterface, SizedColumnTypes returnType) throws UdfException
- int **getRecordsAcceptedInBatch** ()
- RejectedRecord **getRejectedRecord** () throws UdfException

- boolean **getSeenEOB** ()
- [StreamWriter](#) **getStreamWriter** ()
- void **incrRecordsAcceptedInBatch** ()
- abstract [StreamState](#) **process** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [DataBuffer](#) input, [InputState](#) input\_state) throws [UdfException](#), [DestroyInvocation](#)
- void **setRecordsAcceptedInBatch** (int i)
- void **setSeenEOB** (Boolean b)
- void **setStreamWriter** ([StreamWriter](#) writer)
- void **setup** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) returnType) throws [UdfException](#)

## Protected Attributes

- int **recordsAcceptedInBatch**
- boolean **seen\_eob**
- [StreamWriter](#) **writer**

## Detailed Description

### [UDParser](#)

Responsible for parsing an input stream into Vertica tuples, rows to be inserted into a table.

## Member Function Documentation

void com.vertica.sdk.UDParser.destroy ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *returnType* ) throws [UdfException](#)

### [UDParser::destroy\(\)](#)

Will be invoked during query execution, after the last time that [process\(\)](#) is called on this [UDParser](#) instance for a particular input file.

May optionally be overridden to perform tear-down/destruction.

See [UDParser::setup\(\)](#) for a note about the restartability of UDParser.

#### Exceptions

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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**RejectedRecord** com.vertica.sdk.UDParser.getRejectedRecord ( ) throws [UdfException](#)

Returns information about the rejected record

#### Exceptions

<a href="#">UdfException</a>	
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abstract [StreamState](#) com.vertica.sdk.UDParser.process ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [DataBuffer](#) *input*, [InputState](#) *input\_state* ) throws [UdfException](#), [DestroyInvocation](#) [pure virtual]

### [UDParser::prepareToCooperate\(\)](#)

Notification to this parser that it should prepare to share parsing input with another. This can only happen when a parser has an associated chunker. Default implementation does nothing. [UDParser::isReadyToCooperate\(\)](#)

Called after `UDParser::prepareToCooperate()`, returns false if this parser is not yet ready to cooperate. Once this method returns true the parser can begin to cooperate. Default implementation returns true, override if some preparation is required before the parser can cooperate (e.g. a certain # of rows must be skipped). [UDParser::process\(\)](#)

Will be invoked repeatedly during query execution, until it returns DONE or until the query is canceled by the user.

On each invocation, [process\(\)](#) will be given an input buffer. It should read data from that buffer, converting it to fields and tuples and writing those tuples via `writer`. Once it has consumed as much as it reasonably can (for example, once it has consumed the last complete row in the input buffer), it should return `INPUT_NEEDED` to indicate that more data is needed, or `DONE` to indicate that it has completed parsing this input stream and will not be reading more bytes from it.

If `input_state == END_OF_FILE`, then the last byte in `input` is the last byte in the input stream. Returning `INPUT_NEEDED` will not result in any new input appearing. [process\(\)](#) should return `DONE` in this case as soon as this operator has finished producing all output that it is going to produce.

Note that `input` may contain null bytes, if the source file contains null bytes. Note also that `input` is NOT automatically null-terminated.

[process\(\)](#) must not block indefinitely. If it cannot proceed for an extended period of time, it should return `KEEP_GOING`. It will be called again shortly. Failure to do this will, among other things, prevent the query from being canceled by the user.

Note that, unless `INPUT_NEEDED` is returned, `input` will be UNMODIFIED the next time [process\(\)](#) is called. This means that pointers into the buffer will continue to be valid. It also means that `input.offset` may be set. So, in general, [process\(\)](#) code should assume that buffers start at `input.buf[input.offset]`.

#### Row Rejection

[process\(\)](#) can "reject" a row, causing it to be logged by Vertica's rejected-rows mechanism. Rejected rows should not be emitted as tuples. A rejected row must start at the first byte of `input` (meaning all previous input must have been consumed by a previous call to [process\(\)](#)). To reject a row, set `input.offset` to the size of the row, and return `REJECT`.

#### Returns

`INPUT_NEEDED` if this [UDParser](#) has more data to produce; `DONE` if has no more data to produce; `REJECT` to reject a row

Note that it is UNSAFE to maintain pointers or references to any of these arguments (or any other argument passed by reference into any other function in this API) beyond the scope of the function call in question. For example, do not store a reference to the server interface or the input block on an instance variable. Vertica may free and replace these objects.

#### Exceptions

<a href="#">UdfException</a>
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`void com.vertica.sdk.UDParser.setup ( ServerInterface srvInterface, SizedColumnTypes returnType ) throws UdfException`

#### [UDParser::setup\(\)](#)

Will be invoked during query execution, prior to the first time that [process\(\)](#) is called on this [UDParser](#) instance for a particular input source.

May optionally be overridden to perform setup/initialization.

Note that UDParasers MUST BE RESTARTABLE! If loading large numbers of files, a given UDParasers may be re-used for multiple files. Vertica follows the worker-pool design pattern: At the start of COPY execution, several Parsers and several Filters are instantiated per node, by calling the corresponding `prepare()` method multiple times. Each Filter/Parser pair is then internally assigned to an initial Source ([UDSource](#) or internal). At that point, [setup\(\)](#) is called; then [process\(\)](#) is called until it is finished; then [destroy\(\)](#) is called. If there are still sources in the pool waiting

to be processed, then the UDFilter/UDSource pair will be given a second Source; `setup()` will be called a second time, then `process()` until it is finished, then `destroy()`. This repeats until all sources have been read.

## Exceptions

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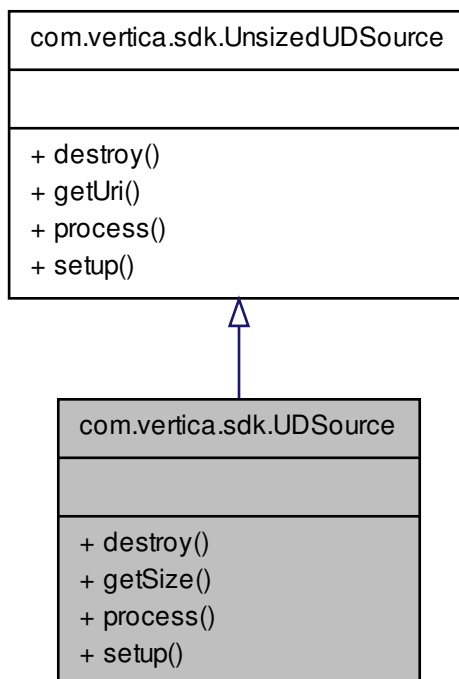
## Member Data Documentation

**StreamWriter** `com.vertica.sdk.UDParser.writer` [protected]

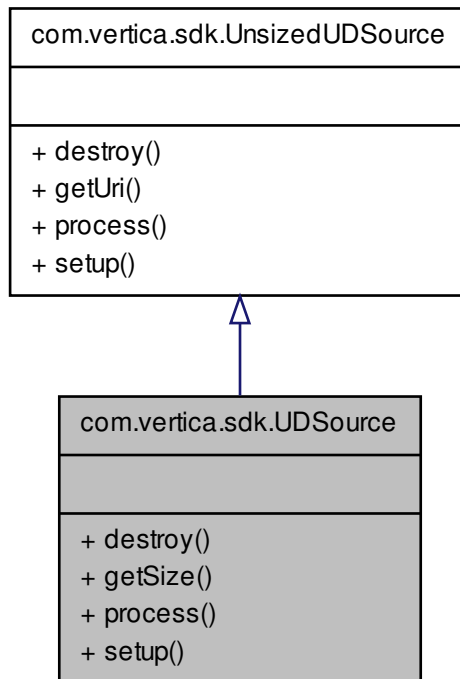
Writer to write parsed tuples to. Has the same API as [PartitionWriter](#), from the UDT framework.

**com.vertica.sdk.UDSource Class Reference**

Inheritance diagram for `com.vertica.sdk.UDSource`:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UDSource:



## Public Member Functions

- void [destroy](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface) throws UdfException
- Integer [getSize](#) ()
- String [getUri](#) ()
- abstract [StreamState process](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [DataBuffer](#) output) throws UdfException
- void [setup](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface) throws UdfException

## Detailed Description

### UDSource

Responsible for acquiring data from an external source (such as a file, a URL, etc) and producing that data in a streaming manner.

## Member Function Documentation

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDSource.destroy ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface* ) throws UdfException**

### [UDSource::destroy\(\)](#)

Will be invoked during query execution, after the last time that [process\(\)](#) is called on this [UDSource](#) instance.

May optionally be overridden to perform tear-down/destruction.

## Exceptions

<a href="#">UdfException</a>
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Integer `com.vertica.sdk.UDSource.getSize ( )`

[UDSource::getSize\(\)](#)

Returns the estimated number of bytes that [process\(\)](#) will return.

This value is treated as advisory only. It is used to indicate the file size in the LOAD\_STREAMS table.

IMPORTANT: [getSize\(\)](#) can be called at any time, even before [setup\(\)](#) is called! (Though not before or during the constructor.)

In the case of Sources whose factories can potentially produce many [UDSource](#) instances, [getSize\(\)](#) should avoid acquiring resources that last for the life of the object. Doing otherwise can defeat Vertica's attempts to limit the maximum number of Sources that are consuming system resources at any given time. For example, if it opens a file handle and leaves that file handle open for use by [process\(\)](#), and if a large number of UDSources are loaded in a single statement, the query may exceed the operating system limit on file handles and crash, even though Vertica only operates on a small number of files at once. This doesn't apply to singleton Sources, Sources whose factory will only ever produce one [UDSource](#) instance.

String `com.vertica.sdk.UnsizedUDSource.getUri ( )` [inherited]

[UnsizedUDSource::getUri\(\)](#)

Return the URI of the current source of data.

This function will be invoked during execution to fill in monitoring information.

abstract StreamState `com.vertica.sdk.UDSource.process ( ServerInterface srvInterface, DataBuffer output ) throws UdfException` [pure virtual]

[UDSource::process\(\)](#)

Will be invoked repeatedly during query execution, until it returns DONE or until the query is canceled by the user.

On each invocation, [process\(\)](#) should acquire more data and write that data to the buffer specified by `output`.

[process\(\)](#) must set `output.offset` to the number of bytes that were written to the `output` buffer. It is common, though not necessary, for this to be the same as `output.size`. `output.offset` is initially uninitialized. If it is set to 0, this indicates that the `output` buffer is too small for [process\(\)](#) to be able to write a unit of input to it.

Note that, unless OUTPUT\_NEEDED is returned, `output` will be UNMODIFIED the next time [process\(\)](#) is called. This means that pointers into the buffer will continue to be valid. It also means that `output.offset` may be set. So, in general, [process\(\)](#) code should assume that buffers start at `output.buf[output.offset]`. Note also that, as a performance optimization, upstream operators may start processing emitted data (data between `output.buf[0]` and `output.buf[output.offset]`) before OUTPUT\_NEEDED is returned. For this reason, `output.offset` must be strictly increasing.

[process\(\)](#) must not block indefinitely. If it cannot proceed for an extended period of time, it should return KEEP\_GOING. It will be called again shortly. Failure to do this will, among other things, prevent the query from being canceled by the user.

## Returns

OUTPUT\_NEEDED if this [UDSource](#) has more data to produce; DONE if has no more data to produce.

Note that it is UNSAFE to maintain pointers or references to any of these arguments (or any other argument passed by reference into any other function in this API) beyond the scope of the function call in question. For example, do

not store a reference to the server interface or the input block on an instance variable. Vertica may free and replace these objects.



## Exceptions

<a href="#">UdfException</a>
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Implements [com.vertica.sdk.UnsizedUDSource](#).

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDSource.setup ( *ServerInterface srvInterface* ) throws UdfException**

[UDSource::setup\(\)](#)

Will be invoked during query execution, prior to the first time that [process\(\)](#) is called on this [UDSource](#) instance.

May optionally be overridden to perform setup/initialization.

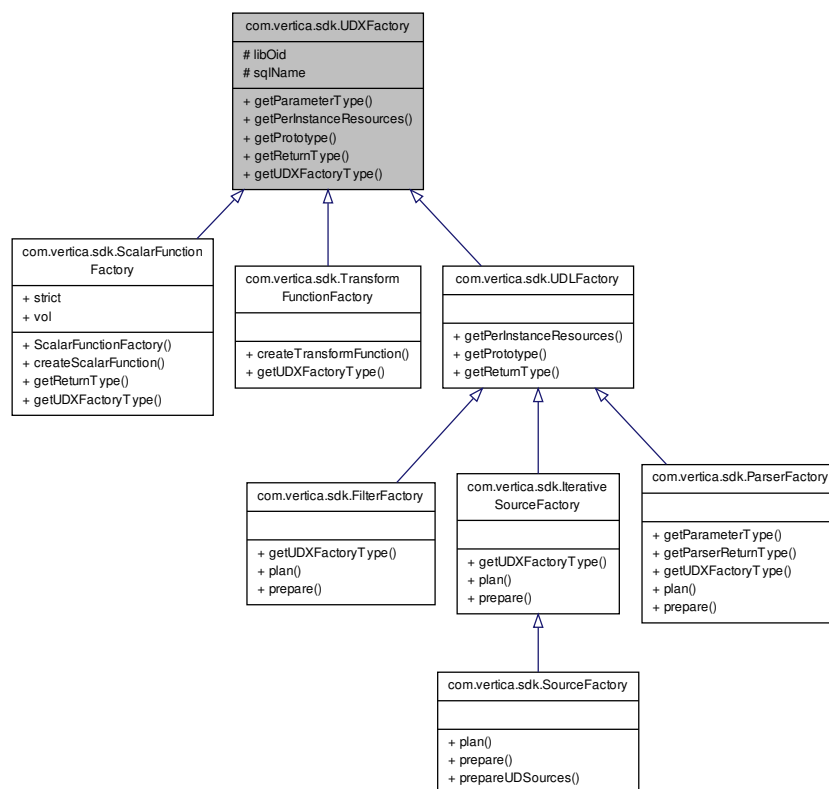
## Exceptions

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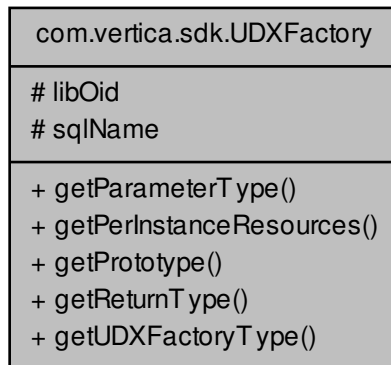
**com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory Class Reference**

MetaData interface for Vertica User Defined extensions.

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory:



## Classes

- enum [UDXType](#)

## Public Member Functions

- void [getParameterType](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) parameterTypes)
- void [getPerInstanceResources](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [VResources](#) res)
- abstract void [getPrototype](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [ColumnTypes](#) argTypes, [ColumnTypes](#) returnType)
- abstract void [getReturnType](#) ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) argTypes, [SizedColumnTypes](#) returnType) throws [UdfException](#)
- abstract [UDXType](#) [getUDXFactoryType](#) ()

## Protected Attributes

- long **libOid**
- String **sqlName**

## Detailed Description

MetaData interface for Vertica User Defined extensions.

## Member Function Documentation

**void com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getParameterType ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *parameterTypes* )**

Function to tell Vertica the name and types of parameters that this function uses. Vertica will use this to warn function callers that certain parameters they provide are not affecting anything, or that certain parameters that are not being set are reverting to default values.

`void com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getPerInstanceResources ( ServerInterface srvInterface, VResources res )`

Set the resource required for each instance of the UDX Object subclass

**Parameters**

<i>srvInterface</i>	a <a href="#">ServerInterface</a> object used to communicate with Vertica
<i>res</i>	a <a href="#">VResources</a> object used to tell Vertica what resources are needed by the UDX

**abstract void com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getPrototype ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [ColumnTypes](#) *argTypes*, [ColumnTypes](#) *returnType* )** [pure virtual]

Provides the argument and return types of the UDX

Implemented in [com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory](#).

Referenced by [com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory.getReturnType\(\)](#).

**abstract void com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getReturnType ( [ServerInterface](#) *srvInterface*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *argTypes*, [SizedColumnTypes](#) *returnType* )** throws [UdfException](#) [pure virtual]

Function to tell Vertica what the return types (and length/precision if necessary) of this UDX are.

For CHAR/VARCHAR types, specify the max length,

For NUMERIC types, specify the precision and scale.

For Time types (with or without time zone), specify the precision, -1 means unspecified/don't care

For IntervalYM/IntervalDS types, specify the precision and range

For all other types, no length/precision specification needed

**Parameters**

<i>argTypes</i>	Provides the data types of arguments that this UDT was called with. This may be used to modify the return types accordingly.
<i>returnType</i>	User code must fill in the names and data types returned by the UDT.

Implemented in [com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory](#), and [com.vertica.sdk.UDLFactory](#).

**abstract [UDXType](#) com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.getUDXFactoryType ( )** [pure virtual]

**Returns**

the type of UDX Object instance this factory returns.

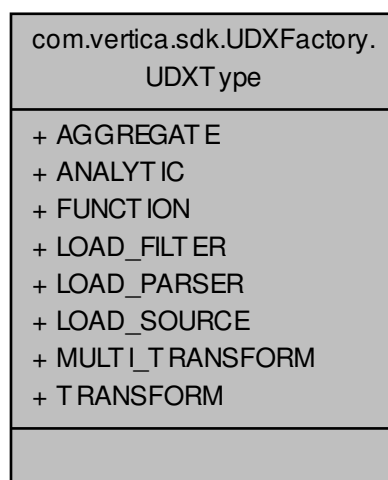
**Note**

User subclasses should use the appropriate subclass of [UDXFactory](#) and not override this method on their own.

Implemented in [com.vertica.sdk.ScalarFunctionFactory](#), [com.vertica.sdk.TransformFunctionFactory](#), [com.vertica.sdk.IterativeSourceFactory](#), [com.vertica.sdk.FilterFactory](#), and [com.vertica.sdk.ParserFactory](#).

**com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.UDXType Enum Reference**

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UDXFactory.UDXType:

**Public Attributes**

- **AGGREGATE**
- **ANALYTIC**
- **FUNCTION**
- **LOAD\_FILTER**
- **LOAD\_PARSER**
- **LOAD\_SOURCE**
- **MULTI\_TRANSFORM**
- **TRANSFORM**

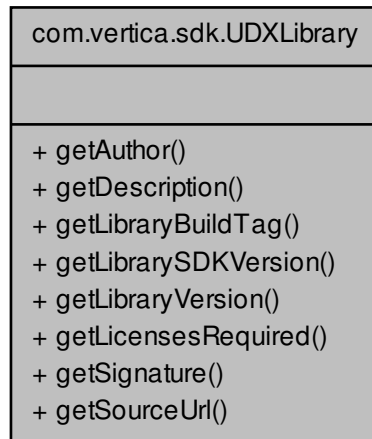
**Detailed Description**

The type of UDX instance this factory produces

**com.vertica.sdk.UDXLibrary Class Reference**

MetaData interface for Vertica User Defined extension libraries.

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UDXLibrary:



## Public Member Functions

- String **getAuthor** ()
- String **getDescription** ()
- String **getLibraryBuildTag** ()
- String **getLibrarySDKVersion** ()
- String **getLibraryVersion** ()
- String **getLicensesRequired** ()
- String **getSignature** ()
- String **getSourceUrl** ()

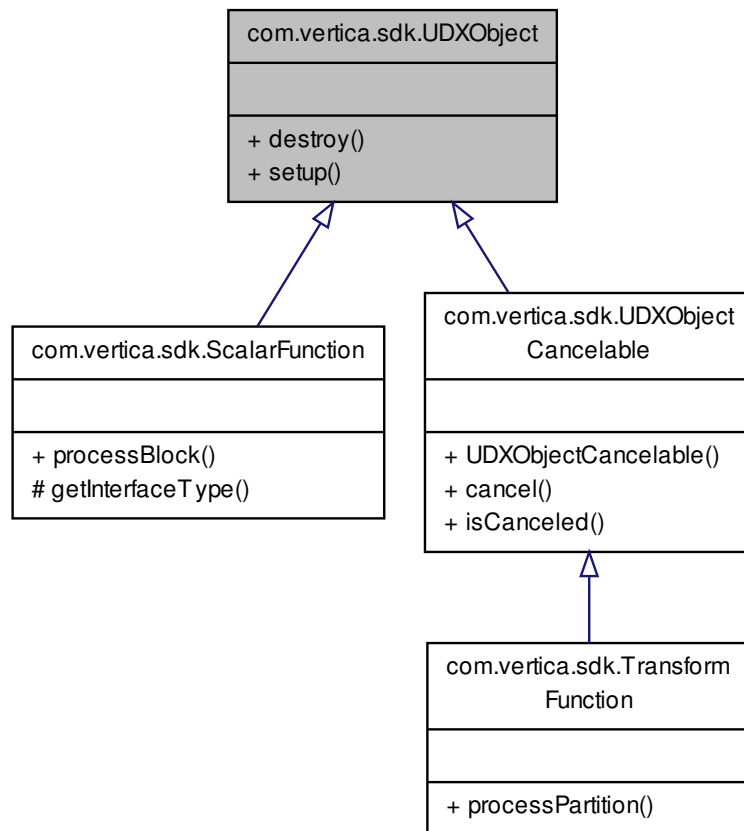
## Detailed Description

MetaData interface for Vertica User Defined extension libraries.

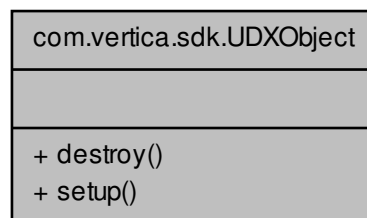
## com.vertica.sdk.UDXObject Class Reference

Base class for Vertica User Defined extensions, the object themselves.

Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UDXObject:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UDXObject:



## Public Member Functions

- void `destroy` ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) argTypes)
- void `setup` ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [SizedColumnTypes](#) argTypes)

## Detailed Description

Base class for Vertica User Defined extensions, the object themselves.

## Member Function Documentation

`void com.vertica.sdk.UDXObject.destroy ( ServerInterface srvInterface, SizedColumnTypes argTypes )`

Perform per instance destruction. This function may throw errors

`void com.vertica.sdk.UDXObject.setup ( ServerInterface srvInterface, SizedColumnTypes argTypes )`

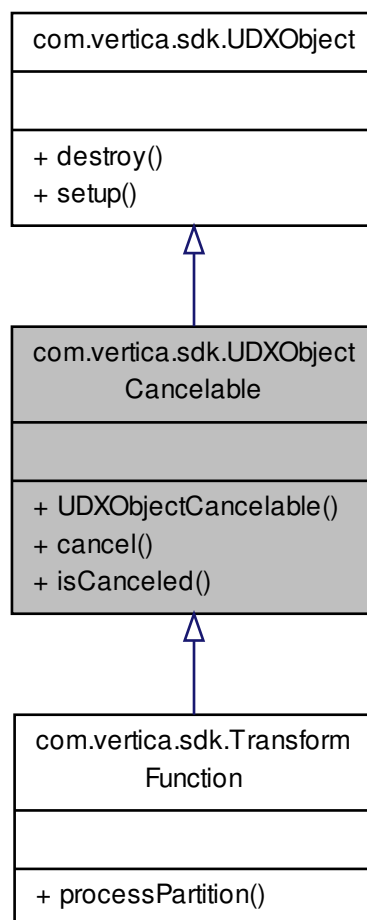
Perform per instance initialization. This function may throw errors.

## com.vertica.sdk.UDXObjectCancelable Class Reference

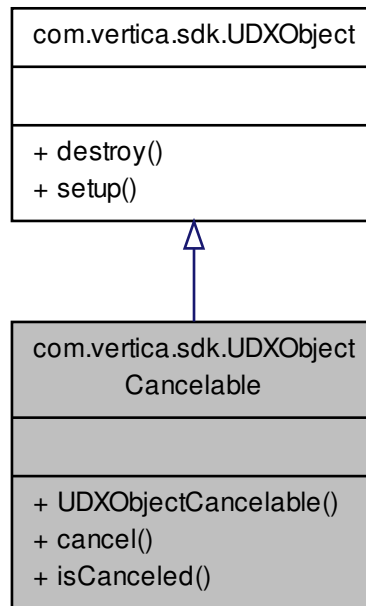
Base class for CANCELABLE Vertica User Defined extensions.



Inheritance diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UDXObjectCancelable:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UDXObjectCancelable:



## Public Member Functions

- void `cancel` (`ServerInterface` `srvInterface`)
- void `destroy` (`ServerInterface` `srvInterface`, `SizedColumnTypes` `argTypes`)
- boolean `isCanceled` ()
- void `setup` (`ServerInterface` `srvInterface`, `SizedColumnTypes` `argTypes`)

## Detailed Description

Base class for CANCELABLE Vertica User Defined extensions.

## Member Function Documentation

`void com.vertica.sdk.UDXObjectCancelable.cancel ( ServerInterface srvInterface )`

This function is invoked from a different thread when the execution is canceled This baseclass cancel should be called in any override.

`void com.vertica.sdk.UDXObject.destroy ( ServerInterface srvInterface, SizedColumnTypes argTypes )`  
`[inherited]`

Perform per instance destruction. This function may throw errors

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.UDXObjectCancelable.isCanceled ( )`

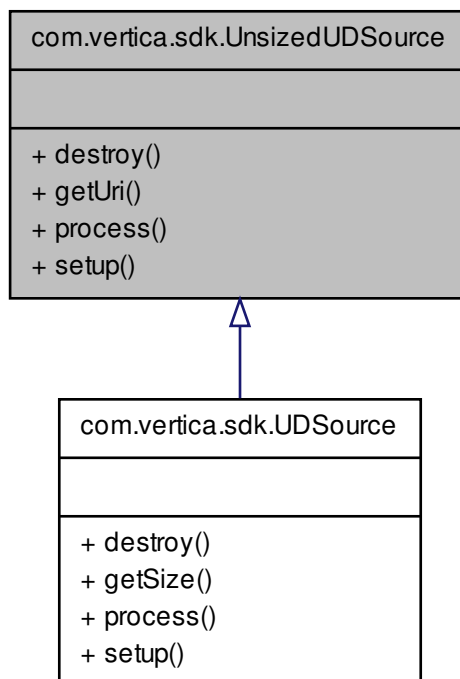
Returns true if execution was canceled.

**void** `com.vertica.sdk.UDXObject.setup ( ServerInterface srvInterface, SizedColumnTypes argTypes )`  
[inherited]

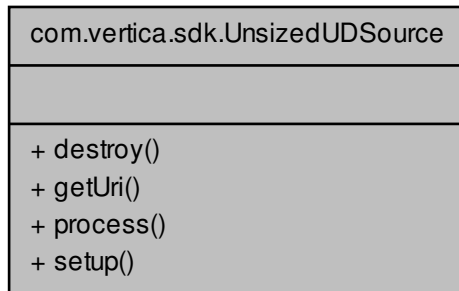
Perform per instance initialization. This function may throw errors.

## **com.vertica.sdk.UnsizedUDSource Class Reference**

Inheritance diagram for `com.vertica.sdk.UnsizedUDSource`:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.UnsizedUDSource:



## Public Member Functions

- void **destroy** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface) throws UdfException
- String [getUri](#) ()
- abstract [StreamState](#) **process** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface, [DataBuffer](#) output) throws UdfException
- void **setup** ([ServerInterface](#) srvInterface) throws UdfException

## Detailed Description

### [UnsizedUDSource](#)

Base class for [UDSource](#). Used with [IterativeSourceFactory](#) if computing the size of a source up front would be prohibitively expensive, or if the number of distinct sources would be prohibitively large to use the standard API.

Not intended or optimized for typical applications.

## Member Function Documentation

String com.vertica.sdk.UnsizedUDSource.getUri ( )

### [UnsizedUDSource::getUri\(\)](#)

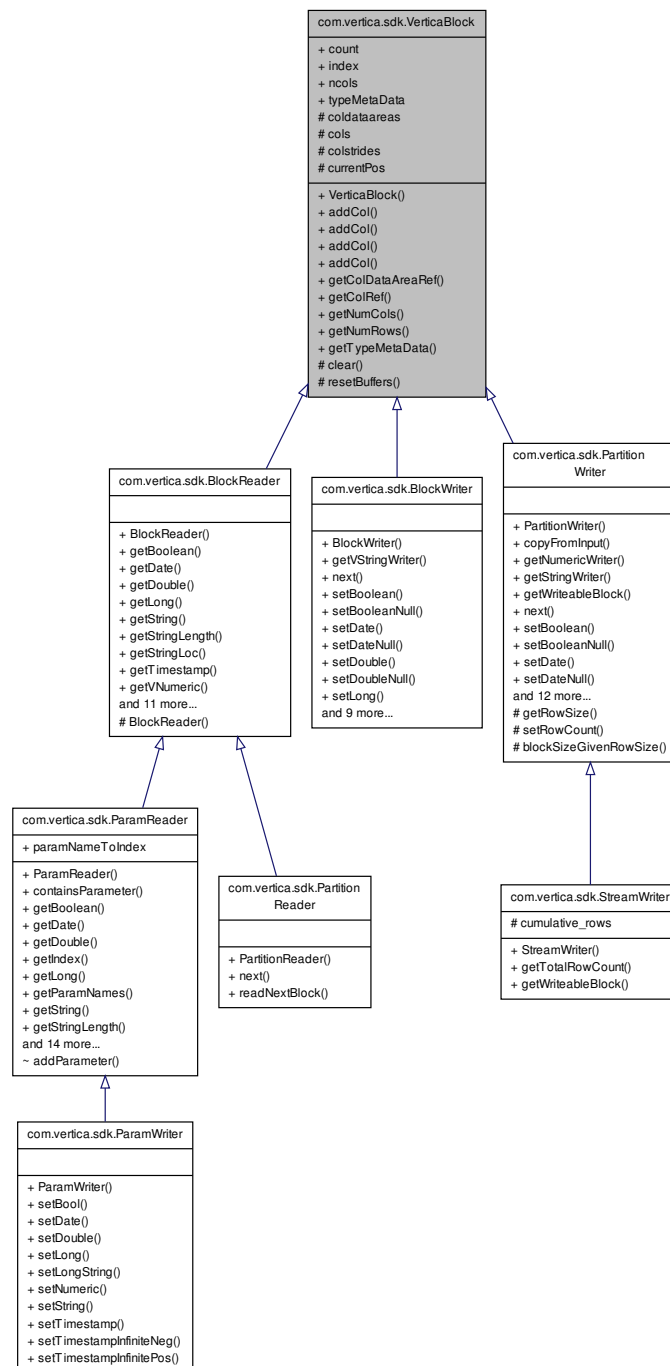
Return the URI of the current source of data.

This function will be invoked during execution to fill in monitoring information.

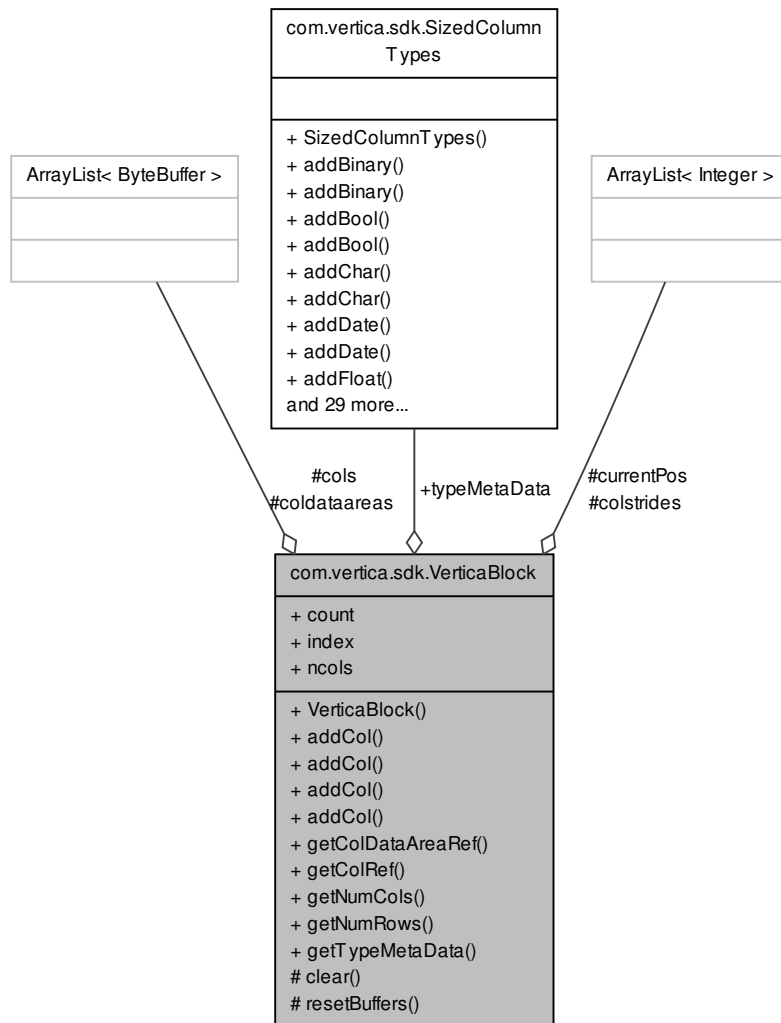
## com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock Class Reference

: Represents an in-memory block of tuples

Inheritance diagram for `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock`:



Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock:



## Public Member Functions

- **VerticaBlock** (int \_ncols, int \_rowcount)
- void **addCol** (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt, String colName)
- void **addCol** (ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt)
- void **addCol** (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt)
- void **addCol** (ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, [VerticaType](#) dt, String colName)
- ByteBuffer **getColDataAreaRef** (int idx)
- ByteBuffer **getColRef** (int idx)
- int **getNumCols** ()
- int **getNumRows** ()
- [SizedColumnTypes](#) **getTypeMetaData** ()

## Public Attributes

- int **count**

- int **index**
- int **ncols**
- [SizedColumnTypes](#) **typeMetaData**

### Protected Member Functions

- void **clear** ()
- void **resetBuffers** ()

### Protected Attributes

- ArrayList< ByteBuffer > **coldataareas**
- ArrayList< ByteBuffer > **cols**
- ArrayList< Integer > **colstrides**
- ArrayList< Integer > **currentPos**

### Detailed Description

: Represents an in-memory block of tuples

### Member Function Documentation

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, VerticaType dt, String colName )`

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

#### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol()`.

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, int colstride, VerticaType dt )`

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

#### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

`void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer arg, ByteBuffer da, int colstride, VerticaType dt )`

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

#### Parameters

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<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.

**void com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.addCol ( ByteBuffer *arg*, ByteBuffer *da*, int *colstride*, VerticaType *dt*, String *colName* )**

Add the location for reading a particular argument.

#### Parameters

<i>arg</i>	The base location to find data.
<i>da</i>	The location to find out of band string data.
<i>colstride</i>	The stride between data instances.
<i>dt</i>	The type of input.
<i>colName</i>	Name of the column

**ByteBuffer com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColDataAreaRef ( int *idx* )**

Get the ByteBuffer that stores out of line string data (Data Area) for the *idx*'th argument

#### Parameters

<i>idx</i>	
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#### Returns

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString().

**ByteBuffer com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getColRef ( int *idx* )**

#### Returns

a ByteBuffer to the *idx*'th argument, containing data for the column

Example:

```
* ByteBuffer a = arg_reader.getColPtr(0);
*
```

Referenced by com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.copyFromInput(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getBoolean(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getLong(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLength(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getStringLoc(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.getVString(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.getVStringWriter(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockReader.isBooleanNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setBool(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBoolean(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setBooleanNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDouble(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setDoubleNull(), com.vertica.sdk.PartitionWriter.setLong(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setLongNull(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setLongString(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setNumeric(), com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setString(), com.vertica.sdk.ParamWriter.setString(), and com.vertica.sdk.BlockWriter.setStringNull().

**int com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumCols ( )**



**Returns**

the number of arguments held by this reader.

`int com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getNumRows ( )`

**Returns**

the number of rows held by this block.

**SizedColumnTypes** `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaBlock.getTypeMetaData ( )`

**Returns**

information about the types and numbers of arguments

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.ParamReader.getType()`.

## **com.vertica.sdk.VerticaType Class Reference**

Represents types of data that are passed into and returned back from user's code.

Collaboration diagram for `com.vertica.sdk.VerticaType`:

com.vertica.sdk.VerticaType
<div>+ getIntervalPrecision() + getIntervalRange() + getMaxSize() + getNumericFractional() + getNumericIntegral() + getNumericLength() + getNumericPrecision() + getNumericScale() + getNumericWordCount() + getStringLength() and 19 more...</div>

### **Public Member Functions**

- `int getIntervalPrecision ( )`  
*For INTERVAL data types, returns the precision.*
- `int getIntervalRange ( )`

- For INTERVAL data types, returns the range.

  - int [getMaxSize](#) ()

Returns the maximum size, in bytes, of a data element of this type.
- int [getNumericFractional](#) ()
- int [getNumericIntegral](#) ()
- int [getNumericLength](#) ()
- For NUMERIC data types, returns the number of bytes required to store an element. Calling this with a non-numeric data type can cause a crash.
- int [getNumericPrecision](#) ()
- int [getNumericScale](#) ()
- int [getNumericWordCount](#) ()
- int [getStringLength](#) ()
- For VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY data types, returns the length of the string.
- int [getTimestampPrecision](#) ()
- For TIMESTAMP data types, returns the precision.
- boolean [isBinary](#) ()
- Returns true if this type is BINARY, false otherwise.
- boolean [isBool](#) ()
- Returns true if this type is BOOLEAN, false otherwise.
- boolean [isChar](#) ()
- Returns true if this type is CHAR, false otherwise.
- boolean [isDate](#) ()
- Returns true if this type is DATE, false otherwise.
- boolean [isFloat](#) ()
- Returns true if this type is FLOAT, false otherwise.
- boolean [isInt](#) ()
- Returns true if this type is INTEGER, false otherwise.
- boolean [isLongVarbinary](#) ()
- Returns true if this type is LONGVARBINARY, false otherwise.
- boolean [isLongVarchar](#) ()
- Returns true if this type is LONGVARCHAR, false otherwise.
- boolean [isNumeric](#) ()
- Returns true if this type is NUMERIC, false otherwise.
- boolean [isStringType](#) ()
- Return true for VARCHAR/CHAR/VARBINARY/BINARY data types.
- boolean [isTimestamp](#) ()
- Returns true if this type is TIMESTAMP, false otherwise.
- boolean [isVarbinary](#) ()
- Returns true if this type is VARBINARY, false otherwise.
- boolean [isVarchar](#) ()
- Returns true if this type is VARCHAR, false otherwise.
- void [setIntervalPrecision](#) (int precision)
- For INTERVAL data types, sets the precision.
- void [setIntervalRange](#) (int range)
- For INTERVAL data types, sets the range.
- void [setNumericPrecision](#) (int precision)
- For NUMERIC data types, sets the precision.
- void [setNumericScale](#) (int scale)
- For NUMERIC data types, sets the scale.
- void [setTimestampPrecision](#) (int precision)
- For TIMESTAMP data types, sets the precision.

## Detailed Description

Represents types of data that are passed into and returned back from user's code.

## com.vertica.sdk.VNumeric Class Reference

Representation of NUMERIC, fixed point data types in Vertica.

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.VNumeric:

com.vertica.sdk.VNumeric
<div>+ VNumeric() + VNumeric() + VNumeric() + accumulate() + add() + compare() + compareUnsigned() + copy() + div() + equal() and 13 more...</div>

## Public Member Functions

- **VNumeric** (ByteBuffer buff, int data\_offset, int max\_data\_len, int typmod)
- **VNumeric** (BigDecimal words, int precision, int scale)
- **VNumeric** (BigDecimal words, int t)
- void **accumulate** (VNumeric from)
- void **add** (VNumeric a, VNumeric b)
- int **compare** (VNumeric from)
- int **compareUnsigned** (VNumeric from)
- void **copy** (VNumeric from)
- void **div** (VNumeric a, VNumeric b)
- boolean **equal** (VNumeric from)
- void **incr** ()
- void **invertSign** ()
- boolean **isNeg** ()
- boolean **isNull** ()
- boolean **isZero** ()
- void **mul** (VNumeric a, VNumeric b)
- void **setNull** ()

- void **setZero** ()
- void **shiftLeft** (int bitsToShift)
- void **shiftRight** (int bitsToShift)
- void **sub** (VNumeric a, VNumeric b)
- void **toString** (ByteBuffer outBuf, int olen)
- String **toString** ()

### Detailed Description

Representation of NUMERIC, fixed point data types in Vertica.

## com.vertica.sdk.VResources Class Reference

Representation of the resources user code can ask Vertica for.

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.VResources:

com.vertica.sdk.VResources
+ nFileHandles + scratchMemory
+ VResources()

### Public Attributes

- int [nFileHandles](#)
- long [scratchMemory](#)

### Detailed Description

Representation of the resources user code can ask Vertica for.

### Member Data Documentation

int [com.vertica.sdk.VResources.nFileHandles](#)

Number of file handles / sockets required

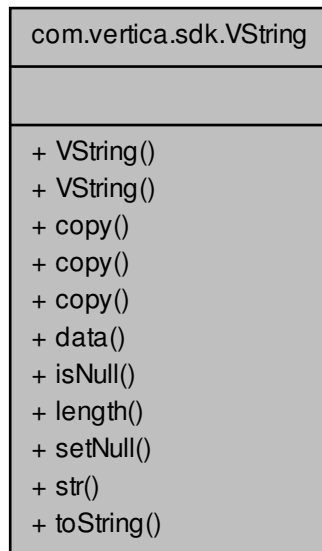
long [com.vertica.sdk.VResources.scratchMemory](#)

Amount of RAM in bytes used by User defined function

## com.vertica.sdk.VString Class Reference

Representation of a String in Vertica. All character data is internally encoded as UTF-8 characters and is not NULL terminated.

Collaboration diagram for com.vertica.sdk.VString:



### Public Member Functions

- **VString** (ByteBuffer buf, int offset, int total\_max\_len)  
*Construct a **VString** object.*
- **VString** (ByteBuffer hbuf, ByteBuffer dbuf, int hoffset, int doffset, int max\_dlen)  
*Construct an out of line **VString** object.*
- void **copy** (byte[] from)  
*Copy character data from byte array to the **VString**'s internal buffer.*
- void **copy** (String from)  
*Copy character data from String.*
- void **copy** (**VString** from)  
*Copy data from another **VString**.*
- ByteBuffer **data** ()  
*Provides a read-only ByteBuffer to this **VString**'s internal data.*
- boolean **isNull** ()  
*Indicates if this **VString** contains the SQL NULL value.*
- int **length** ()  
*Returns the length of this **VString**.*
- void **setNull** ()  
*Sets this **VString** to the SQL NULL value.*
- String **str** ()  
*Provides a copy of this **VString**'s data as a Java String.*
- String **toString** ()

## Detailed Description

Representation of a String in Vertica. All character data is internally encoded as UTF-8 characters and is not NULL terminated.

## Constructor & Destructor Documentation

`com.vertica.sdk.VString.VString ( ByteBuffer buf, int offset, int total_max_len )`

Construct a [VString](#) object.

### Parameters

<i>buf</i>	the ByteBuffer providing the space to back the <a href="#">VString</a>
<i>offset</i>	offset of the beginning of <a href="#">VString</a> into the ByteBuffer
<i>total_max_len</i>	the maximum length of the string structure including the header

`com.vertica.sdk.VString.VString ( ByteBuffer hbuf, ByteBuffer dbuf, int hoffset, int doffset, int max_dlen )`

Construct an out of line [VString](#) object.

### Parameters

<i>hbuf</i>	the ByteBuffer with the <a href="#">VString</a> header
<i>dbuf</i>	the ByteBuffer with the actual data
<i>hoffset</i>	of the beginning of <a href="#">VString</a> header in hbuf
<i>doffset</i>	offset of the actual string data
<i>max_dlen</i>	maximum length of the string structure <i>not</i> including the header

## Member Function Documentation

`void com.vertica.sdk.VString.copy ( byte[] from )`

Copy character data from byte array to the [VString](#)'s internal buffer.

### Parameters

<i>from</i>	array of bytes input data
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`void com.vertica.sdk.VString.copy ( String from )`

Copy character data from String.

### Parameters

<i>from</i>	Java String object as character input data
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`void com.vertica.sdk.VString.copy ( VString from )`

Copy data from another [VString](#).

**Parameters**

<i>from</i>	The source <a href="#">VString</a>
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**ByteBuffer** `com.vertica.sdk.VString.data ( )`

Provides a read-only ByteBuffer to this [VString](#)'s internal data.

**Returns**

the read only character data for this string in a ByteBuffer

**Note**

The returned string is **not** null terminated

**boolean** `com.vertica.sdk.VString.isNull ( )`

Indicates if this [VString](#) contains the SQL NULL value.

**Returns**

true if this string contains the SQL NULL value, false otherwise

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.VString.str()`.

**int** `com.vertica.sdk.VString.length ( )`

Returns the length of this [VString](#).

**Returns**

the length of the string, in bytes. Does not include any extra space for null characters.

Referenced by `com.vertica.sdk.VString.isNull()`, and `com.vertica.sdk.VString.str()`.

**String** `com.vertica.sdk.VString.str ( )`

Provides a copy of this [VString](#)'s data as a Java String.

**Returns**

a Java String copy of the data in this [VString](#)

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