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Description Provides functions to retrieve data and metadata from providers that disseminate data by means of SDMX web services. SDMX (Statistical Data and Metadata eXchange) is a standard that has been developed with the aim of simplifying the exchange of statistical information. More about the SDMX standard and the SDMX Web Services can be found at: https://sdmx.org .							
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Description

This package provides functions to extract timeseries data and structural metadata from an SDMX Provider (e.g. ECB,OECD, EUROSTAT) via SDMX Web Service

Details

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The SDMX Connectors framework (of which RJSDMX is part) aims to offer data users the means for efficiently interacting with SDMX Web Service providers from within the most popular statistical tools. The source code of the SDMX Connectors project can be found at:

```
https://github.com/amattioc/SDMX
```

Information about the R Connector can be found in the dedicated wiki page:

```
https://github.com/amattioc/SDMX/wiki/RJSDMX:-Connector-for-R
```

In particular, all information related to configuration (network, tracing, security) can be found at:

```
https://github.com/amattioc/SDMX/wiki/Configuration
```

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See Also

getProviders, getTimeSeries, sdmxHelp

```
## Not run:
my_ts = getTimeSeries('ECB','EXR.M.USD.EUR.SP00.A')
## End(Not run)
```

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provider		
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Description

Configure a new data provider (only SDMX 2.1 REST providers are supported). This function can be used to configure a new (SDMX 2.1 compliant, REST based) data provider.

Usage

```
addProvider(name, endpoint, needsCredentials = FALSE, needsURLEncoding = FALSE,
    supportsCompression = TRUE, description = "", sdmxVersion = "V2",
    supportsAvailability = F)
```

Arguments

```
the name of the provider
name
endpoint
                  the URL where the provider resides
needsCredentials
                  set this to TRUE if the user needs to authenticate to query the provider
needsURLEncoding
                  set this to TRUE if the provider does not handle character '+' in URLs
supportsCompression
                  set this to TRUE if the provider is able to handle compression
description
                  a brief text description of the provider
supportsAvailability
                  set this to TRUE if the provider is able to handle availability queries
sdmxVersion
                  what sdmx version this provider supports
```

```
## Not run:
addProvider('test', 'http://sdw-wsrest.ecb.europa.eu/service', FALSE)
getProviders()
## End(Not run)
```

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getCodes

get dsd codes for dataflow

Description

Extract the codes of a dimension. This function is used to retrieve the list of codes available for the input dimension and flow.

Usage

```
getCodes(provider, flow, dimension)
```

Arguments

flow the identifier of the dataflow dimension the identifier of the dimension provider the name of the provider

Details

```
getCodes(provider, dataflow, dimension)
```

Examples

```
## Not run:
codes=getCodes('ECB', 'EXR', 'FREQ')
## End(Not run)
```

getDimensions

get dsd dimensions for dataflow

Description

Extract the dimensions of a DataFlow. This function is used to retrieve the list of dimensions of the input dataflow

Usage

```
getDimensions(provider, dataflow)
```

Arguments

dataflow the identifier of the dataflow provider the name of the provider

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Details

```
getDimensions(provider, dataflow)
```

Examples

```
## Not run:
dims = getDimensions('ECB','EXR')
## End(Not run)
```

 ${\tt getDSDIdentifier}$

get DSD Identifier for dataflow

Description

Extract the dsd identifier of a DataFlow. This function is used to retrieve the name of the keyfamily of the input dataflow.

Usage

```
getDSDIdentifier(provider, dataflow)
```

Arguments

provider the name of the provider dataflow the identifier of the dataflow

Details

```
getDSDIdentifier(provider, dataflow)
```

```
## Not run:
id = getDSDIdentifier('ECB','EXR')
## End(Not run)
```

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getFlows

get provider flow list

Description

Extract the list of DataFlows of a provider. This function is used to query the list of dataflows of the provider. A matching pattern can be provided, if needed.

Usage

```
getFlows(provider, pattern = "")
```

Arguments

pattern

the pattern to match against the dataflow id or description. If a pattern is not

provided, all dataflows are returned.

provider the name of the provider

Details

```
getFlows(provider, pattern)
```

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Examples

```
## Not run:
## get all flows from ECB
flows = getFlows('ECB')
## get all flows that contain the 'EXR
flows = getFlows('ECB','*EXR*')
## End(Not run)
```

getProviders

get available providers

Description

Extract the list of available Data Providers. This function is used to query the list of data providers.

Usage

```
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```

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Details

```
getProviders()
```

Examples

```
## Not run:
getProviders()
## End(Not run)
```

getTimeSeries

get time series

Description

Extract a list of time series. This function is used to extract a list of time series identified by the parameters provided in input.

```
getTimeSeries(provider, id, start, end)
```

Usage

```
getTimeSeries(provider, id, start='', end='')
```

Arguments

provider the name of the provider
id identifier of the time series
end the end time - optional
start the start time - optional

```
## Not run:
# SDMX V2
## get single time series:
my_ts=getTimeSeries('ECB',id='EXR.A.USD.EUR.SP00.A')
## get monthly and annual frequency:
my_ts=getTimeSeries('ECB',id='EXR.A+M.USD.EUR.SP00.A')
## get all available frequencies:
my_ts=getTimeSeries('ECB',id='EXR..USD.EUR.SP00.A')
## End(Not run)
```

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getTimeSeries2

get time series (SDMX v3)

Description

Extract a list of time series . This function is used to extract a list of time series identified by the parameters provided in input.

Usage

```
getTimeSeries2(
  provider,
  dataflow,
  key = "",
  filter = "",
  start = "",
  end = "",
  attributes = "all",
  measures = "all"
)
```

Arguments

provider the name of the provider dataflow dataflow of the time series key timeseries key - optional

filter optional filter to be applied - optional

start the start time - optional end the end time - optional

attributes the comma separated list of attributes to be returned - optional, default='all',

'none' for no attributes

measures the comma separated list of measures to be returned - optional, default='all',

'none' for no measures

```
## Not run:
# SDMX V3

## get single time series:
my_ts=getTimeSeries2('ECB', dataflow='EXR', key='A.USD.EUR.SP00.A')
## get all available frequencies:
my_ts=getTimeSeries2('ECB', dataflow='EXR', key='.USD.EUR.SP00.A')
#or
```

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```
#' ## get single time series: EXR.A.USD.EUR.SP00.A
my_ts=getTimeSeries2('ECB', dataflow='EXR',
filter='c[FREQ]=A&c[CURRENCY]=USD&c[CURRENCY_DENOM]=EUR&c[EXR_TYPE]=SP00&c[EXR_SUFFIX]=A')
## get monthly and annual frequency:
my_ts=getTimeSeries2('ECB', dataflow='EXR',
filter='c[FREQ]=A,M&c[CURRENCY]=USD&c[CURRENCY_DENOM]=EUR&c[EXR_TYPE]=SP00&c[EXR_SUFFIX]=A')
## get all available frequencies:
my_ts=getTimeSeries2('ECB', dataflow='EXR',
filter='c[CURRENCY]=USD&c[CURRENCY_DENOM]=EUR&c[EXR_TYPE]=SP00&c[EXR_SUFFIX]=A')
## End(Not run)

getTimeSeriesRevisions

get data revisions
```

Description

Extract time series starting from a specific update time and with history of revisions. This function works as getTimeSeriesTable but the query can be narrowed to getting only observations that were updated after a specific point in time, and eventually it returns the revision history of the matching time series.

The result is packed into a data.frame

Usage

```
getTimeSeriesRevisions(provider, id, start = "", end = "",
    updatedAfter = "", includeHistory = TRUE)
```

Arguments

id	identifier of the time series
provider	the name of the provider
end	the end time - optional
start	the start time - optional
updatedAfter	the updatedAfter time - optional. It has to be in the form: 'YYYY-MM-DD'
includeHistory	boolean parameter - optional. If TRUE the full list of revisions will be returned

Details

getTimeSeriesRevisions(provider, id, start, end, updatedAfter, includeHistory)

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Examples

getTimeSeriesTable

get time series and return a data.frame

Description

Extract a list of time series identified by the parameters provided in input, and return a data.frame as result.

```
getTimeSeriesTable(provider, id, start, end, gregorianTime)
```

Usage

```
getTimeSeriesTable(provider, id, start='', end='', gregorianTime=F)
```

Arguments

id identifier of the time series
provider the name of the provider
end the end time - optional
start the start time - optional

gregorianTime set to true to have all daily dates - optional

```
## Not run:
    # SDMX V2
## get single time series:
my_ts=getTimeSeriesTable('ECB',id='EXR.A.USD.EUR.SP00.A')
## get monthly and annual frequency:
my_ts=getTimeSeriesTable('ECB',id='EXR.A+M.USD.EUR.SP00.A')
## get all available frequencies:
my_ts=getTimeSeriesTable('ECB',id='EXR..USD.EUR.SP00.A')
## End(Not run)
```

getTimeSeriesTable2

```
getTimeSeriesTable2 get time series and return a data.frame (SDMX v3)
```

Description

Extract a list of time series identified by the parameters provided in input, and return a data.frame as result.

Usage

```
getTimeSeriesTable2(
  provider,
  dataflow,
  key = "",
  filter = "",
  start = "",
  end = "",
  attributes = "all",
  measures = "all",
  updatedAfter = .jnull(),
  includeHistory = FALSE,
  gregorianTime = F
)
```

the name of the provider

Arguments

provider

•	•
dataflow	dataflow of the time series
key	timeseries key
filter	optional filter to be applied
start	the start time - optional
end	the end time - optional
attributes	the comma separated list of attributes to be returned - optional, default='all', 'none' for no attributes
measures	the comma separated list of measures to be returned - optional, default='all', 'none' for no measures $$
updatedAfter	return only changes after this date - optional
includeHistory	include history of revisions - optional, default=false
gregorianTime	set to true to have all daily dates - optional

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Examples

```
## Not run:
# SDMX V3
## get single time series:
my_ts=getTimeSeriesTable('ECB', dataflow='EXR', key='A.USD.EUR.SP00.A')
## get monthly and annual frequency:
\verb|my_ts=getTimeSeriesTable('ECB', dataflow='EXR', key='A+M.USD.EUR.SP00.A')| \\
## get all available frequencies:
my_ts=getTimeSeriesTable('ECB', dataflow='EXR', key='.USD.EUR.SP00.A')
#or
## get single time series: EXR.A.USD.EUR.SP00.A
my_ts=getTimeSeriesTable('ECB', dataflow='EXR',
filter='c[FREQ]=A&c[CURRENCY]=USD&c[CURRENCY_DENOM]=EUR&c[EXR_TYPE]=SP00&c[EXR_SUFFIX]=A')
## get monthly and annual frequency:
my_ts=getTimeSeriesTable('ECB', dataflow='EXR',
filter='c[FREQ]=A,M&c[CURRENCY]=USD&c[CURRENCY_DENOM]=EUR&c[EXR_TYPE]=SP00&c[EXR_SUFFIX]=A')
## get all available frequencies:
my_ts=getTimeSeriesTable('ECB', dataflow='EXR',
filter='c[CURRENCY]=USD&c[CURRENCY_DENOM]=EUR&c[EXR_TYPE]=SP00&c[EXR_SUFFIX]=A')
## End(Not run)
```

sdmxdf

convert time series to data.frame

Description

This function is used to transform the output of the getSDMX (or getTimeseries) functions from a list of time series to a data.frame. The metadata can be requested by explicitly passing the appropriate parameters.

Usage

```
sdmxdf(tslist, meta = FALSE, id = TRUE)
```

Arguments

tslist	the list of time series to be converted
meta	set this to TRUE if you want metadata to be included (default: FALSE, as this may increase the size of the result quite a bit)
id	set this to FALSE if you do not want the time series id to be included (default: TRUE)

Details

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Examples

```
## Not run:
a=getSDMX('ECB', 'EXR.A|Q|M|D.USD.EUR.SP00.A')
ddf = sdmxdf(a)
ddf = sdmxdf(a, meta=TRUE)
## End(Not run)
```

sdmxHelp

open helper

Description

Open a helper graphical application. This function opens a small sdmx metadata browser that can be helpful when building queries.

Usage

```
sdmxHelp(internalJVM = T)
```

Arguments

internalJVM

TRUE (default) if the GUI has to live in the R JVM. Set this to FALSE in MAC, to avoid issue #41

Details

```
sdmxHelp()
```

```
## Not run:
#opens the helper in the R JVM
sdmxHelp()
#opens the helper in an external JVM
sdmxHelp(FALSE)
## End(Not run)
```

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setProviderCredentials

set Credentials for authenticating providers

Description

Sets the credentials for providers that need authentication

Usage

```
setProviderCredentials(provider, user=.jnull(), pw=.jnull())
```

Arguments

provider the name of the provider

user the username pw the password

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