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Utilities for calculating seismic quality assurance metrics

# Description

This package provides S4 classes and functions for calculating metrics from seismological data available from EarthScope (https:/www.earthscope.org) (formerly IRIS) or data centers offering FDSN web services. This package is part of the MUSTANG project.

#### Introduction

The **IRISMustangMetrics** package depends upon the **IRISSeismic** package which defines new S4 classes and methods for manipulating seismic data. Please see the "seismic-intro" vignette for introductory examples on using **IRISSeismic**.

In 2023, IRIS (Incorporated Research Institutions for Seismology) and UNAVCO merged to form EarthScope Consortium. IRIS (now EarthScope) webservices are unchanged but can now be accessed at https://service.earthscope.org as well as https://service.iris.edu.

### History

#### version 2.4.7

• (updated references from IRIS to EarthScope)

#### version 2.4.6

- (updated email addresses)
- (ISPAQUtils, add psd\_corrected metric name to allow the ISPAQ tool to return uncorrected psds)

### version 2.4.5

- (typo fix for email address and updated link in documentation)
- (updated error handling code to meet CRAN requirements)

# version 2.4.4

• (additional error handling for sample\_rate\_resp)

#### version 2.4.3

- (improved error handling for functions that call IRIS web services)
- (additional error handling for sample\_rate\_resp)

# version 2.4.2

• minor modification to ISPAQUtils.R for sample\_rate\_resp, sample\_rate\_channel

### version 2.4.1

- fix for max\_range where trace length not evenly divided by window length
- max\_range now rounds window\*samplerate and increment\*samplerate to integer values
- corrects typo error in ISPAQUtils.R

# version 2.4.0

• adds new metrics sample\_rate\_resp, sample\_rate\_channel, max\_range

#### version 2.3.0

· modifies PSD metrics for edge case involving metadata and trace start times

 adds noCorrection option to PSDMetric, if noCorrection=TRUE it only returns uncorrected PSDs and not corrected PSD or PSD-derived metrics; default noCorrection=FALSE

#### version 2.2.0

- removes dead\_channel\_exp, metric has been retired
- renames pdf\_aggregator in ISPAQUtils.R to pdf

#### version 2.1.3

- fixed bug related to getGeneralValueMetrics,getMustangMetrics error handling
- added pdf\_aggregator to ISPAQUtils.R, for multi-day pdf plotting within ISPAQ

#### version 2.1.2

- version 2.1.1 unintentionally removed the pct\_above\_nhnm metric. This version restores it.
- made sample rate sanity rate check consistent between correlationMetric and crossCorrelationMetric

#### version 2.1.1

• fixed bug in PSDMetrics that affected dead\_channel\_gsn results

#### version 2.1.0

- transfer\_function requires sample rates to be within a factor of 10 to avoid decimation effects on amplitude
- transfer\_function uses 7 order Chebyshev filter in the decimate function, to correct 1% error occurring with default 8 order Chebyshev
- fixed bug in transfer\_function trace start and end time comparisons
- transfer\_function when determining if sample rate < 1, round to 5 digits first
- getGeneralValueMetrics added metric\_error, ts\_channel\_continuity, ts\_channel\_up\_time, ts\_gap\_length, ts\_gap\_length\_total, ts\_max\_gap, ts\_max\_gap\_total, ts\_num\_gaps, ts\_num\_gaps\_total, ts\_percent\_availability, ts\_percent\_availability metrics
- aliased the getGeneralValueMetrics function to getMustangMetrics
- dailyDCOffsetMetric now returns error when result is NaN or NA

#### version 2.0.9

- removed dependency on pracma package
- removed channel restrictions for pct\_above\_nhnm,pct\_below\_nlm
- cross correlation sampling rates of < 1 will round to 2 digits
- getGeneralValueMetrics better handles case of no targets found
- improved error handling in spikesMetric.R

# version 2.0.8

• minor bug fix to ISPAQUtils.R, spikes=numSpikes

# version 2.0.7

- fixed bug in getGeneralValueMetrics that didn't return measurements if there was more than one for any day
- crossCorrelationMetric filter now defaults to a butterworth 2 pole 0.1Hz (10 second) low pass filter

version 2.0.6

• fixed bug related to NA -> NULL replacement in Class-Metric

version 2.0.5

· fixed dplyr version dependencies

version 2.0.4

- adds additional sanity check to getGeneralValueMetrics()
- createBssUrl() adds "&nodata=404" to url

version 2.0.2

• updates to ISPAQUtils.R

version 2.0.1

· removed dependency on tidyr package

version 2.0.0 – General Value Metrics

- GeneralValueMetric class introduced, SingleValueMetric class deprecated. All metrics that previously returned SingleValueMetric now return GeneralValueMetric
- getGeneralValueMetrics() function added. Retreives metrics measurements from BSS database
- crossCorrelationMetric() does not return timing\_drift. The metric proved unreliable
- users can now supply instrument response information in the form of frequency, amplitude, phase to the function PSDMetric, in place of the getEvalresp webservice call

version 1.3.1 - PSDs

• getPsdMetrics reworked

version 1.3.0 – latency

- getLatencyValuesXML() removed from package.
- documentation improvements.
- additional error checking for getSingleValueMetrics().

version 1.2.7 – PSDs

• PSDMetrics() metrics percent\_above\_nhnm and percent\_below\_nlnm limited to frequencies less than nyquist/1.5.

version 1.2.6 - PSDs

- Depends on **IRISSeismic** (>= 1.3.0).
- dead\_channel\_exp and dead\_channel\_lin metrics will only return values for station channel codes matching "BHIHH".

version 1.2.5 – ISPAQUtils

• ISPAQUtils.R contains functions for use with the ISPAQ standalone metrics system.

version 1.2.4 – package version dependencies

• Depends on **IRISSeismic** (>= 1.2.3). Imports **seismicRoll** (>=1.1.2).

version 1.2.2 - correlationMetric tweak

• correlationMetric() allows trace sample lengths to differ by 2 samples without stopping.

version 1.2.1 – PSDs

- Better fix to very low powers issue in PSDMetrics() dead\_channel\_gsn metric.
- PSDMetrics() shifts PDF bin centers by 0.5 dB.

version 1.2.0 - PSDs

- PSDMetric() returns corrected PSD and PDF dataframes in addition to uncorrected PSDs and PSD derived metrics.
- Depends on R (>= 3.2.0) and **IRISSeismic** (>=1.1.7).
- Imports tidyr, dplyr.

version 1.1.3 – bug fix, import version increased

- Fixes typo in SNRMetric() function windowSecs argument default value.
- Imports **seismicRoll** (>=1.1.1)

version 1.1.2 – modifications

- Improves error handling messages.
- dailyDCOffsetMetric() removes unused selectivity argument and adds argument controlling output type.
- Fixes bug in dailyDCOffsetMetrics() related to outlier removal and vector length.
- Fixes bug in PSDMetrics() dead\_channel\_gsn metric related to very low power values.
- PSDMetrics() only returns metrics that generate numeric values.

version 1.1.1 – bug fix

• crossCorrelationMetric() exits if either input trace is flatlined (all values equal).

version 1.1.0 – updates package dependencies

• Depends on **IRISSeismic** (>= 1.1.0).

version 1.0.8 – new metric and bug fix

· Improves error handling messages.

- Adds new dead\_channel\_gsn metric to PSDMetric() function output.
- Fixes bug in STALTAMetric() involving required trace length.

version 1.0.7 – bug fix

• Fixes issue with spikesMetric() passing argument values to findOutliers.

version 1.0.6 - function argument changes

- Changes spikesMetric() default argument values thresholdMin=10,selectivity=NA,fixedThreshold=TRUE.
- transferFunctionMetric() now requires input of evalresp fap spectra, new arguments evalresp1 and evalresp2.
- Additional sanity checks for transferFunctionMetric() and PSDMetric().
- Depends on **IRISSeismic** (>= 1.0.10). Imports **seismicRoll** (>=1.1.0). Imports **stats**.

version 1.0.5 – new PSD metric

- Changes URL syntax for MUSTANG web services to use "format=..." instead of "output=...".
- Adds new sample\_unique metric to PSDMetric() output.

version 1.0.3 – new functionality and bug fixes

- Adds new metricList2DF() function.
- Adds new dead\_channel\_lin metric to PSDMetric() output.
- Fixes typo in Class-Metric.R value string format.

version 1.0.0 – First Public Release

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# References

EarthScope web services: https://service.earthscope.org

```
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient", debug=TRUE)

# Get the seismic data
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2010-02-27 06:45:00",tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2010-02-27 07:45:00",tz="GMT")
result <- try(st <- getDataselect(iris,"IU","ANMO","00","BHZ",starttime,endtime))
if (class(result) == "try-error" ) {
   print(geterrmessage())
} else {
    # Apply a metric and show the results
    metricList <- basicStatsMetric(st)
    dummy <- lapply(metricList, show)
}</pre>
```

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basicStatsMetric	Min, median, mean, rms variance, max, and number of unique values of a signal

# **Description**

The basicStatsMetric() function calculates the min, median, mean, max, rmsVariance and number of unique values for the input seismic signal.

# Usage

```
basicStatsMetric(st)
```

# **Arguments**

st

a Stream object containing a seismic signal

# **Details**

This metric applies the min, median, mean and max methods of Stream objects to the st parameter to calculate the following metrics:

- sample\_min
- sample\_median
- sample\_mean
- sample\_max
- sample\_rms

It also calculates length(unique(stmerged@traces[[1]]@data)), where stmerged is the st parameter after mergeTraces is applied to it, for the following metric:

• sample\_unique

Any error messages generated in the process will pass through untrapped.

# Value

A list of SingleValueMetric objects is returned.

# Note

See the seismic package for documentation on Stream objects and the getDataselect method.

# Author(s)

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# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

# Get the waveform
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-24", tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-25", tz="GMT")
st <- getDataselect(iris,"AK","PIN","","BHZ",starttime,endtime, inclusiveEnd=FALSE)

# Calculate some metrics and show the results
metricList <- basicStatsMetric(st)
dummy <- lapply(metricList, show)

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

convertBssErrors

Generate Human Readable MUSTANG Errors

# **Description**

The MUSTANG database is in charge of storing the results of metrics calculations and is accessed through a webservice API. The convertBssErrors function extracts pertinent error information from the HTML returned by MUSTANG on error conditions.

# Usage

```
convertBssErrors(err_msg)
```

# **Arguments**

err\_msg

error text received from the MUSTANG

#### Value

A text string with the root cause extracted from the MUSTANG HTML Java error dump.

#### Author(s)

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#### See Also

SingleValueMetric-class, metricList2Xml, getMetricsXml, getBssMetricList,

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correlationMetric

Correlation between channels

# Description

The correlationMetric() function calculates the correlation between two streams of seismic data.

# Usage

```
correlationMetric(st1, st2)
```

# **Arguments**

st1	a Stream object containing a seismic signal
st2	a Stream object containing a seismic signal

#### **Details**

The correlation returned is a value in the range [0-1]. This 'pearson r' correlation is a measure of the strength and direction of the linear relationship between two variables that is defined as the (sample) covariance of the variables divided by the product of their (sample) standard deviations.

Missing values are handled by casewise deletion with the following R code:

```
cor(x,y,use="na.or.complete")
```

# Value

A list with a single SingleValueMetric object is returned. The metric name is cross\_talk.

### Note

Seismic streams passed to correlationMetric must have the same network and station, must cover the same time range and must have the same sampling rate.

The metricList generated for this two-channel metric will have a SNCL code of the form: N.S.L1:L2.C1:C2.Q.

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```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

# Get seismic traces
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2013-03-01", tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2013-03-02",tz="GMT")</pre>
```

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```
stZ <- getDataselect(iris,"IU","ANMO","00","BHZ",starttime,endtime,inclusiveEnd=FALSE)
st1 <- getDataselect(iris,"IU","ANMO","00","BH1",starttime,endtime,inclusiveEnd=FALSE)
st2 <- getDataselect(iris,"IU","ANMO","00","BH2",starttime,endtime,inclusiveEnd=FALSE)

# Calculate correlationMetric
correlationMetric(stZ,st1)[[1]]
correlationMetric(stZ,st2)[[1]]
## End(Not run)</pre>
## End(Not run)
```

createBssUrl

Create URL to retrieve measurements from the MUSTANG BSS

# **Description**

The createBssUrl method of the IrisClient returns a URL that can be used to make a request of the MUSTANG BSS (Backend Storage System).

# Usage

# Arguments

obj	IrisClient object
network	character string with the two letter seismic network code
station	character string with the station code
location	character string with the location code
channel	character string with the three letter channel code
starttime	POSIXct class specifying the starttime (GMT)
endtime	POSIXct class specifying the endtime (GMT)
metricName	character string containing one or more comma separated metric names
•••	optional arguments constraint a character string containing value constraints url optional url of the BSS measurements service

### **Details**

A blank location code should be specified as location="--"; Using location="" will return all location codes.

The default MUSTANG measurement service when url is not specified is:

https://service.earthscope.org/mustang/measurements/1/query?

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# Value

A character string containing a BSS request URL

# Author(s)

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### See Also

```
getSingleValueMetrics
```

# **Examples**

crossCorrelationMetric

Correlation between channels

# Description

The crossCorrelationMetric() function calculates the maximum absolute correlation (polarity\_check) and lag at maximum correlation (timing\_drift) associated with two streams of seismic data.

# Usage

```
crossCorrelationMetric(st1, st2, maxLagSecs=10, filter)
```

# Arguments

```
a Stream object containing a seismic signal
a Stream object containing a seismic signal
maxLagSecs maximum number of seconds of lag to use
```

filter a **signal** package filter to be applied before cross-correlating, optional

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#### **Details**

Details of the algorithm are as follows:

- · Both signals are demeaned and detrended
- If one signal has a higher sampling rate, it is decimated to the lower sampling rate using an IIR filter if it is a multiple of the lower sample rate. See (signal::decimate).
- Both signals are filtered, by default with a Butterworth 2-pole low pass filter with a 0.1 Hz (10 second) corner frequency. See (signal::filter).
- Signals are cross-correlated using the stats::ccf() function.

The maximum absolute correlation is saved as polarity\_check while the lag at peak correlation is saved as timing\_drift.

**Note:** For cross-correlation, seismic signals must not have any gaps – they must be contained in a single Trace object.

#### Value

A list with one GeneralValueMetric object is returned. The metric names is polarity\_check.

#### Note

The metricList generated for this two-channel metric will have an additional snc12 attribute identifying the SNCL in st2.

# Author(s)

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```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

# Get the same signal, shifted by 3 seconds
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2013-11-12 07:09:45",tz="GMT")
endtime <- starttime + 600
st1 <- getSNCL(iris, "NM.SLM.00.BHZ",starttime,endtime)
st2 <- getSNCL(iris, "NM.SLM.00.BHZ",starttime+3,endtime+3)

# Cross-correlate
crossCorrelationMetric(st1,st2)

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

dailyDCOffsetMetric

dailyDCOffsetMetric DC Offset Detection

### **Description**

The dailyDCOffsetMetric() function identifies days with a jump in the signal mean.

# Usage

# **Arguments**

df a dataframe containing sample\_mean values obtained with getSingleValueMet-

rics()

offsetDays number of days used in calculating weighting factors

outlierWindow window size passed to findOutliers() function in the **seismicRoll** package

outlierThreshold

outputType

detection threshold passed to findOutliers() function in the **seismicRoll** package if 1, return last day of valid values (index=length(index)-floor(outlierWindow/2));

if 0, return all valid values (indices= max(offsetDays, floor(outlierWindow/2):

length(index)-floor(outlierWindow/2))

### **Details**

This algorithm calculates lagged differences of the daily mean timeseries over a window of offsetDays days. Shifts in the mean that are persistent and larger than the typical standard deviation of daily means will generate higher metric values.

Details of the algorithm are as follows

```
# data0 = download requested daily means (in the 'df' dataframe), must be greater than max(offsetDays,ou
# data1 = remove outliers using MAD outlier detection with the 'outlier' arguments specified
# data2 = replace outliers with rolling median values using a default 7 day window, remove last floor(out
# weights = calculate absolute lagged differences with 1-N day lags, default N=5
# metric0 = multiply the lagged differences together and take the N'th root
# stddev0 = calculate the rolling standard deviation of data2 with a N-day window
# METRIC = divide metric0 by the median value of stddev0
```

#### Value

A list is returned with a SingleValueMetric object for the last day-floor(outlierWindow/2) (default 3rd from last day) in the incoming dataframe if outputType=1 (one list element), otherwise the first+offsetDays to last day-floor(outlierWindow/2) (multiple list elements, one per day) if outputType=0.

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# Note

Prefer 60+ days of sample\_mean values to get a good estimate of the long term sample\_mean standard deviation. After initial testing on stations in the IU network, a metric value > 10 appears to be indicative of a DC offset shift (this may vary across stations or networks and larger values may be preferred as indications of a potential station issue).

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#### See Also

getSingleValueMetrics

DCOffsetTimesMetric DC Offset Detection

# **Description**

The DCOffsetTimesMetric() function returns times where a shift in the signal mean is detected.

# Usage

DCOffsetTimesMetric(st, windowSecs, incrementSecs, threshold)

# **Arguments**

st a Stream object containing a seismic signal

windowSecs chunk size (secs) used in DCOffset calculations (default=1800)

increment Secs increment (secs) for starttime of sequential chunks (default=windowSecs/2)

threshold threshold used in the detection metric (default=0.9)

#### **Details**

Conceptually, this algorithm asserts: If the difference in means between sequential chunks of seismic signal is greater than the typical std dev of a chunk then this marks a DC offset shift.

Details of the algorithm are as follows

```
# Merge all traces in the time period, filling gaps with missing values
# Break up the signal into windowSecs chunks spaced incrementSecs apart
# For each chunk calculate:
# signal mean, signal standard deviation
# Resulting mean and std dev arrays are of length 47 for 24 hours of signal
# Metric = abs(lagged difference of chunk means) / mean(chunk std devs)
# DC offset = times when Metric > threshold
```

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#### Value

A list with a single MultipleTimeValueMetric object is returned.

#### Note

The denominator of this metric was tested with both mean(chunk std devs) and with median(chunk std devs) to identify a "typical" value for the chunk standard deviation. It was found that using median resulted false offset detects whenever there was a large seismic signal in an otherwise lonoise signal.

# Author(s)

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# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

# Get a signal with a DC offset problem
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2012-10-26",tz="GMT")
endtime <- starttime + 2*24*3600
st <- getDataselect(iris,"IU","TARA","00","BHZ",starttime,endtime)

# Calculate the metric
metricList <- DCOffsetTimesMetric(st)

# Extract values from the first element of the list
offsetTimes <- metricList[[1]]@values

# Plot the signal and mark locations where a DC offset was detected
plot(st)
abline(v=offsetTimes,col='red')

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

gapsMetric

Gaps and overlaps in a signal

# **Description**

The gapsMetric() function calculates metrics associated with gaps and overlaps in a seismic signal, *i.e.* when st consists of more than one Trace.

# Usage

```
gapsMetric(st)
```

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# **Arguments**

st

a Stream object containing a seismic signal

# **Details**

This function uses the output of the getGaps method of Stream objects to calculate the following metrics:

```
num_gaps: number of gaps found in st
max_gap: legnth of maximum gap (sec) found in st
num_overlaps: number of overlaps found in st
max_overlap: legnth of maximum overlap (sec) found in st
percent_availability: percentage of total requested time for which a signal is available
```

The requestedStarttime and requestedEndtime slots for the Stream are used to determine gaps before the start of the first or after the end of the last Trace in the Stream.

# Value

A list of SingleValueMetric objects is returned.

# Note

See the seismic package for documentation on Stream objects and the getDataselect method.

# Author(s)

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```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

# Get the waveform
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-24", tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-25", tz="GMT")
st <- getDataselect(iris, "AK", "PIN", "", "BHZ", starttime, endtime)

# Calculate the gaps metrics and show the results
metricList <- gapsMetric(st)
dummy <- lapply(metricList, show)

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

GeneralValueMetric-class

GeneralValueMetric-class

Class "GeneralValueMetric"

# **Description**

A container for metrics consisting of a vector of numeric values. This information is used to create XML that is then submitted to the MUSTANG Backend Storage System (BSS).

# **Objects from the Class**

Objects can be created by calls of the form:

new("GeneralValueMetric", snclq, starttime, endtime, metricName, elementNames, elementValues,
valueStrings, quality\_flag, quality\_flagString)

Lists of GeneralValueMetric objects are returned by various metrics functions in this package.

#### **Slots**

### Methods

**show** signature(object = "GeneralValueMetric"): Prettyprints the information in the GeneralValueMetric

# Note

The starttime and endtime slots are typically associated with the *user requested* times which may not match up with the starttime associated with the first Trace and the endtime associated with last Trace in the Stream object being analyzed. This ensures that metrics results for a single time period but covering many stations or channels will have the same date range and improves performance of the BSS which expects XML of the following form:

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The quality\_flag is an optional value available for storing information related to the processing of a particular metric. Its meaning will vary from metric to metric.

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getBssMetricList Retrieve measurements XML from the MUSTANG BSS and convert them to a metricList

# Description

The getBssMetricList method makes a request of the MUSTANG BSS (Backend Storage System) and returns a list of  $\_$ Metric objects.

# Usage

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# **Arguments**

obj	an IrisClient object
network	a character string with the two letter seismic network code
station	a character string with the station code
location	a character string with the location code
channel	a character string with the three letter channel code
starttime	a POSIXct class specifying the starttime (GMT)
endtime	a POSIXct class specifying the endtime (GMT)
metricName	a character string identifying the name of the metric stored in the BSS
url	optional url of the BSS measurements service

# **Details**

This method calls on getMetricsXml to communicate with the BSS and obtain an XML reponse. This response is then processed and used to create \_Metric objects which are returned as a metricList.

Error returns from the BSS will stop evaluation and throw an error message.

# Value

A list of \_Metric objects is returned.

# Author(s)

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#### See Also

```
getMetricsXml
```

# **Examples**

getGeneralValueMetrics

Retrieve measurements from the MUSTANG BSS

# **Description**

The getGeneralValueMetrics method of the IrisClient makes a request of the MUSTANG database and returns a dataframe containing metrics measurements.

#### Usage

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#### **Arguments**

obj	an IrisClient object
network	a character string with the two letter seismic network code
station	a character string with the station code
location	a character string with the location code, can be "" for wildcard all
channel	a character string with the three letter channel code, can be "" for wildcard all
starttime	a POSIXct class specifying the starttime (GMT)
endtime	a POSIXct class specifying the endtime (GMT)
metricName	a character string containing one or more comma separated metric names

optional arguments constraint a character string containing value constraints url optional url of the MUSTANG measurements service

#### **Details**

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A blank location code should be specified as location="--"; Using location="" will return all location codes.

The default MUSTANG measurement service when url is not specified is:

https://service.earthscope.org/mustang/measurements/1/query?

Data returned from MUSTANG are converted into an R dataframe.

The optional constraint parameter is used to add constraints to the query as defined in the MUSTANG measurements web service documentation. Any string passed in with the constraint parameter will be appended to the request url following an ampersand.

Error returns from the BSS will stop evaluation and generate an error message.

# Value

A dataframe with the following columns:

```
~metricName~, value, additional values, snclq, starttime, endtime, loadtime
```

The loadtime column contains the time at which this record was loaded into the database.

The dataframe rows will be sorted by metricName and increasing starttime.

#### Author(s)

```
Jonathan Callahan <jonathan.s.callahan@gmail.com>
```

#### See Also

```
createBssUrl, getPsdMetrics
```

# **Examples**

getMetricFunctionMetadata

Return JSON Metadata for Metric Functions

# **Description**

Returns a JSON formatted string with metric function metadata. This string is needed by the python-based ISPAQ command-line utility developed by EarthScope.

# Usage

```
getMetricFunctionMetadata()
```

# Value

JSON formatted string containing metric function metadata.

# Author(s)

Jonathan Callahan <jonathan@mazamascience.com>

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getMetricsXml	Retrieve measurements XML from the MUSTANG BSS	
getMetricsXml	Retrieve measurements XML from the MUSTANG BSS	

# **Description**

The getMetricsXml method makes a request of the MUSTANG BSS (Backend Storage System) and returns a character string with the response XML.

# Usage

# **Arguments**

obj	an IrisClient object
network	a character string with the two letter seismic network code
station	a character string with the station code
location	a character string with the location code
channel	a character string with the three letter channel code
starttime	a POSIXct class specifying the starttime (GMT)
endtime	a POSIXct class specifying the endtime (GMT)
metricName	a character string identifying the name of the metric stored in the BSS
url	optional url of the BSS measurements service

# **Details**

The default BSS measurement service when url is not specified is:

https://service.earthscope.org/mustang/measurements/1/query?

This method returns raw XML which is not that useful by itself. Users should instead use the getBssMetricList method which calls this function and returns a list \_Metric objects.

Error returns from the BSS will stop evaluation and throw an error message.

# Value

A character string with the XML response from the BSS is returned.

# Author(s)

Jonathan Callahan <jonathan@mazamascience.com>

# See Also

```
getBssMetricList
```

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# **Examples**

getMustangMetrics

Retrieve measurements from the MUSTANG BSS

# **Description**

The getMustangMetrics method of the IrisClient makes a request of the MUSTANG database and returns a dataframe containing metrics measurements. This function is an alias of the getGeneralValueMetrics function.

# Usage

# **Arguments**

obj	an IrisClient object
network	a character string with the two letter seismic network code
station	a character string with the station code
location	a character string with the location code, can be "" for wildcard all
channel	a character string with the three letter channel code, can be "" for wildcard all
starttime	a POSIXct class specifying the starttime (GMT)
endtime	a POSIXct class specifying the endtime (GMT)
metricName	a character string containing one or more comma separated metric names
•••	optional arguments constraint a character string containing value constraints url optional url of the MUSTANG measurements service

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#### **Details**

A blank location code should be specified as location="--"; Using location="" will return all location codes.

The default MUSTANG measurement service when url is not specified is:

https://service.earthscope.org/mustang/measurements/1/query?

Data returned from MUSTANG are converted into an R dataframe.

The optional constraint parameter is used to add constraints to the query as defined in the MUS-TANG measurements web service documentation. Any string passed in with the constraint parameter will be appended to the request url following an ampersand.

Error returns from the BSS will stop evaluation and generate an error message.

# Value

A dataframe with the following columns:

```
~metricName~, value, additional values, snclq, starttime, endtime, loadtime
```

The loadtime column contains the time at which this record was loaded into the database.

The dataframe rows will be sorted by metricName and increasing starttime.

#### Note

The database was originally populated with a version of this package that always assigned quality to be 'B'. Later versions obtained the quality from the miniSEED packet (typically 'M'). Because of this it is possible to have duplicate entries that only differ in the Q part of their snclq. To avoid double counting, when the webservice return contains two records whose only difference is the quality code portion of the of the snclq, only the record with the later loaddate will be used in the dataframe.

# Author(s)

```
Jonathan Callahan < jonathan.s.callahan@gmail.com>
```

#### See Also

```
createBssUrl, getPsdMetrics
```

```
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices (including the BSS)
iris <- new("IrisClient", debug=TRUE)

starttime <- as.POSIXct("2016-08-01", tz="GMT")
endtime <- starttime + 30*24*3600
metricName <- "orientation_check"

# Get the measurement dataframe
juneStats <- tryCatch(getMustangMetrics(iris,"IU","ANMO","","BH[12Z]",starttime,endtime,metricName),</pre>
```

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```
error=function(e) {message(e)})
```

juneStats

getPsdMetrics	Retrieve measurements from the MUSTANG BSS
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# **Description**

The getPsdMetrics method of the IrisClient makes a request of the MUSTANG BSS (Backend Storage System) and returns a dataframe containing instrument corrected Power Spectral Density (PSD) measurements.

# Usage

```
getPsdMetrics(obj, network, station, location, channel, starttime, endtime, url)
```

# **Arguments**

obj	an IrisClient object
network	a character string with the two letter seismic network code
station	a character string with the station code
location	a character string with the location code
channel	a character string with the three letter channel code
starttime	a POSIXct class specifying the starttime (GMT)
endtime	a POSIXct class specifying the endtime (GMT)
url	optional url of the BSS measurements service

# **Details**

The default BSS measurement service when url is not specified is:

https://service.earthscope.org/mustang/noise-psd/1/query?

Data returned from the BSS are converted into an R dataframe.

Error returns from the BSS will stop evaluation and generate an error message.

# Value

```
A dataframe with the following columns:
```

```
target, starttime, endtime, frequency, power
```

# Author(s)

Jonathan Callahan <jonathan@mazamascience.com>

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# See Also

```
getBssMetricList
```

# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices (including the BSS)
iris <- new("IrisClient", debug=TRUE)

starttime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-24", tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-25", tz="GMT")

# Get the measurement XML
psdDF <- getPsdMetrics(iris,"AK","PIN","","BHZ", starttime,endtime)
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

getSingleValueMetrics Retrieve measurements from the MUSTANG BSS

# **Description**

The getSingleValueMetrics method of the IrisClient makes a request of the MUSTANG database and returns a dataframe containing metrics that are stored as single values, e.g. sample\_max, sample\_min, etc..

# Usage

# **Arguments**

obj	an IrisClient object
network	a character string with the two letter seismic network code
station	a character string with the station code
location	a character string with the location code
channel	a character string with the three letter channel code
starttime	a POSIXct class specifying the starttime (GMT)
endtime	a POSIXct class specifying the endtime (GMT)
metricName	a character string containing one or more comma separated metric names
constraint	a character string containing value constraints
url	optional url of the MUSTANG measurements service

#### **Details**

A blank location code should be specified as location="--"; Using location="" will return all location codes.

The default MUSTANG measurement service when url is not specified is:

https://service.earthscope.org/mustang/measurements/1/query?

Data returned from MUSTANG are converted into an R dataframe.

The optional constraint parameter is used to add constraints to the query as defined in the MUS-TANG measurements web service documentation. Any string passed in with the constraint parameter will be appended to the request url following an ampersand.

Error returns from the BSS will stop evaluation and generate an error message.

Most MUSTANG metrics are single valued and can be retrieved with getSingleValueMetrics(). Examples of multi-valued metrics that cannot be returned with this function include "asl\_coherence", "orientation check", and "transfer function".

getMustangMetrics() is a similar function that will return values for all metrics, not just single valued ones. It is the preferred method of retrieving MUSTANG metric values.

#### Value

A dataframe with the following columns:

```
~metricName~, value, snclq, starttime, endtime, loadtime
```

The loadtime column contains the time at which this record was loaded into the database.

The dataframe rows will be sorted by increasing starttime.

The structure of this dataframe is appropriate for use with the **ggplot2** plotting package.

# Note

The database was originally populated with a version of this package that always assigned quality to be 'B'. Later versions obtained the quality from the miniSEED packet (typically 'M'). Because of this it is possible to have duplicate entries that only differ in the Q part of their snclq. To avoid double counting, when the webservice return contains two records whose only difference is the quality code portion of the of the snclq, only the record with the later loaddate will be used in the dataframe.

# Author(s)

Jonathan Callahan < jonathan@mazamascience.com>

#### See Also

```
createBssUrl, getPsdMetrics
```

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# **Examples**

 ${\tt maxRangeMetric}$ 

Maximum daily sample range calculated over a rolling window

# Description

This metric calculates the difference between the largest and smallest sample value in a 5-minute rolling window and returns the largest value encountered within a 24-hour timespan.

# Usage

# **Arguments**

st a Stream object containing a seismic signal

window number of seconds over which to evaluate the minimum and maximum sample

values

increment number of seconds to advance the window for each max\_range calculation

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# **Details**

For a time series passed as a Stream object, this function calculates differences between largest and smallest amplitudes in a series of (default) 300-second windows, incrementing the window by (default) 150 seconds for each difference calculated. It reports the largest difference as the **max\_range**.

# Value

The function returns a list:

• m1 = list of max\_range metric objects

# Author(s)

Gillian Sharer <gillian.sharer@earthscope.org>

#### See Also

SingleValueMetric

# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

starttime <- as.POSIXct("2019-08-01",tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2019-08-02",tz="GMT")

# Get the waveform
st <- getDataselect(iris,"IU","ANMO","00","BHZ",starttime,endtime)

# Calculate the max_range metric
tempList <- maxRangeMetric(st)

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

metricList2DF

Convert a MetricList into a Tidy Dataframe

# **Description**

The metricList2DF function converts a list of SingleValueMetrics into a "tidy" dataframe with one value per row..

# Usage

```
metricList2DF(metricList)
```

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# Arguments

```
metricList a list of SingleValueMetric objects
```

#### **Details**

Metrics functions return lists of SingleValueMetric objects. A long metricList may be built up by appending the results of different metrics functions or the same metrics function operating on different seismic signals. A metricList generated by any of the MUSTANG Rscripts can be stored as an .RData file and reloaded for examination.

A metricList may contain values for many different metrics. This function creates a single "tidy" dataframe with the following columns: metricName, value, snclq, starttime, endtime, qualityFlag.

# Value

A dataframe with one row per metric measurement.

# Author(s)

Jonathan Callahan <jonathan@mazamascience.com>

#### See Also

```
SingleValueMetric-class, metricList2Xml
```

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
client <- new("IrisClient")</pre>
# Get the waveforms
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-24", tz="GMT")</pre>
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-25", tz="GMT")</pre>
st1 <- getDataselect(client, "AK", "PIN", "", "BHE", starttime, endtime)</pre>
st2 <- getDataselect(client, "AK", "PIN", "", "BHN", starttime, endtime)
st3 <- getDataselect(client,"AK","PIN","","BHZ",starttime,endtime)</pre>
# Calculate metrics and append them to the metricList
metricList <- stateOfHealthMetric(st1)</pre>
metricList <- append(metricList, basicStatsMetric(st1))</pre>
metricList <- append(metricList, basicStatsMetric(st2))</pre>
metricList <- append(metricList, basicStatsMetric(st3))</pre>
# Create dataframe
metricDF <- metricList2DF(metricList)</pre>
head(metricDF)
## End(Not run)
```

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metricList2DFList

Conver a metricList into a list of dataframes

# **Description**

The metricList2DFList function converts a list of SingleValueMetrics into a list of dataframes, one per named metric.

# Usage

```
metricList2DFList(metricList)
```

# **Arguments**

metricList

a list of SingleValueMetric objects

# **Details**

Metrics functions return lists of SingleValueMetric objects. A long metricList may be built up by appending the results of different metrics functions or the same metrics function operating on different seismic signals. A metricList generated by any of the MUSTANG Rscripts can be stored as an .RData file and reloaded for examination.

A metricList may contain values for many different metrics. This function creates a separate dataframe for each metricName found in the metricList. As each dataframe is created, values associated with that metric are stored in a column named after the metric. Individual dataframes are stored in the returned list with their own name: metricName\_DF.

#### Value

A character string with BSS formatted XML is returned.

# Note

metricList2DFList is deprecated. Please use metricList2DF.

# Author(s)

Jonathan Callahan < jonathan@mazamascience.com>

#### See Also

SingleValueMetric-class, metricList2DF, metricList2Xml

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metricList2Xml

Create XML for the BSS

### **Description**

The metricList2Xml function converts a list of SingleValueMetrics or GeneralValueMetric into an XML structure appropriate for submitting to the MUSTANG Backend Storage System (BSS).

#### Usage

```
metricList2Xml(metricList)
```

# **Arguments**

metricList

a list of SingleValueMetric or GeneralValueMetric objects.

# **Details**

Metrics functions return lists of SingleValueMetric or GeneralValueMetric objects. A long metricList may be built up by appending the results of different metrics functions or the same metrics function operating on different seismic signals. The list may only contain a single class (SingleValueMetric cannot be mixed with GeneralValueMetric objects). These metrics can be submitted to the BSS in a standardized XML format. (see SingleValueMetric-class)

# Value

A character string with BSS formatted XML is returned.

# Author(s)

Jonathan Callahan < jonathan@mazamascience.com>

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

# Get the waveform
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-24", tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-25", tz="GMT")
st <- getDataselect(iris, "AK", "PIN", "", "BHZ", starttime, endtime)

# Apply a metric and show the results
metricList <- stateOfHealthMetric(st)
metricList <- append(metricList, basicStatsMetric(st))
bssXml <- metricList2Xml(metricList)

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

MultipleTimeValueMetric-class

Class "MultipleTimeValueMetric"

### Description

A container for metrics consisting of a vector of POSIXct datetimes. This information is used to create XML that is then submitted to the MUSTANG Backend Storage System (BSS).

# **Objects from the Class**

Objects can be created by calls of the form:

new("MultipleTimeValueMetric", snclq, starttime, endtime, metricName, values)

Lists of MultipleTimeValueMetric objects are returned by various metrics functions in this package.

#### Slots

```
snclq: Object of class "character": SNCLQ identifier.
metricName: Object of class "character": Name of the metric.
elementName: Object of class "character": Name of the datetime element (default="t").
starttime: Object of class "POSIXct": Start time.
endtime: Object of class "POSIXct": End time.
values: Object of class "POSIXct": Datetime values.
valueStrings: Object of class "character": String representations of the datetime values.
quality_flag: Object of class "numeric": Quality flag.
quality_flagString: Object of class "character": String representation of quality flag.
```

#### Methods

show signature(object = "MultipleTimeValueMetric"): Prettyprints the information in the
 MultipleTimeValueMetric

# Note

The starttime and endtime slots are typically associated with the *user requested* times which may not match up with the starttime associated with the first Trace and the endtime associated with last Trace in the Stream object being analyzed. This ensures that metrics results for a single time period but covering many stations or channels will have the same date range and improves performance of the BSS which expects XML of the following form:

The quality\_flag is an optional value available for storing information related to the processing of a particular metric. Its meaning will vary from metric to metric.

#### Author(s)

Jonathan Callahan <jonathan@mazamascience.com>

# See Also

upDownTimesMetric

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")</pre>
# Get the waveform
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-24", tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-25", tz="GMT")</pre>
st <- getDataselect(iris,"AK","PIN","","BHZ",starttime,endtime)</pre>
# Make sure we're working with a single snclq
unique_ids <- uniqueIds(st)</pre>
if (length(unique_ids) > 1) {
 stop(paste("meanMetric: Stream has",unique_ids,"unique identifiers"))
}
snclq <- unique_ids[1]</pre>
# get the upDownTimes with a minimum signal length and minimum gap (secs)
upDownTimes <- getUpDownTimes(st, min_signal=30, min_gap=60)</pre>
# Create and return a MultipleTimeValue metric from the upDownTimes
m <- new("MultipleTimeValueMetric", snclq=snclq,</pre>
         starttime=starttime, endtime=endtime,
         metricName="up_down_times", values=upDownTimes)
# Show the results
show(m)
## End(Not run)
```

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PSDMetric Power Spectral Density of a signal
--

# Description

The PSDMetric() function performs spectral analysis on a seismic signal and returns 'PSD' metrics with discretized spectral components as well as other metrics based on PSDs.

# Usage

# **Arguments**

st	a Stream object containing a seismic signal
linLoPeriod	low end of the period band use for calculating the linear dead channel metric
linHiPeriod	high end of the period band use for calculating the linear dead channel metric
evalresp	dataframe of freq, amp, phase information matching output of ${\tt getEvalresp},$ optional
noCorrection	boolean (default=FALSE), TRUE=only generate list of PSDs uncorrected for instrument response; FALSE=generate list of uncorrected PSDs, list of corrected PSDs, dataframe of PDF values,and PSD-derived metrics

#### **Details**

This function calculates average power spectra for a seismic signal as described in the McNamara paper. See the McNamaraPSD method of Stream objects in the **IRISSeismic** package for details.

If optional evalresp dataframe is not supplied, the code will call getEvalresp to obtain response information from webservices.

Uncorrected spectral density values are returned in spectrumMetricList in units of dB.

*Instrument response corrected* spectral density values are returned in correctedPsdDF in units of dB.

Probability Density Function (PDF) histogram values are returned in pdfDF.

Other metrics calculated from the PSDs are returned in svMetricList. These metrics are:

pct\_above\_nhnm - "percent above New High Noise Model" Percentage of PSD values that are above the New High Noise Model for their frequency. Only frequencies less than the sample\_rate/3 are considered to avoid instrument response effects as you approach the nyquist frequency. This value is calculated over the entire time period.

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pct\_below\_nlnm - "percent below New Low Noise Model" Percentage of PSD values that are below the New Low Noise Model for their frequency. Only frequencies less than the sample\_rate/3 are considered to avoid instrument response effects as you approach the nyquist frequency. This value is calculated over the entire time period.

dead\_channel\_lin - "dead channel metric - linear fit" A "dead channel" metric is calculated from the mean of all the PSDs generated. (Typically 47 for a 24 hour period.) Values of the PSD mean line over the band (linLoPeriod:linHiPeriod) are fit to a line. The dead\_channel\_lin metric is the standard deviation of the fit residuals. Lower numbers indicate a better fit and a higher likelihood that the mean PSD is linear – an indication of a "dead channel".

Note: The dead channel exp metric has been removed.

#### Value

A list of lists is returned containing:

- spectrumMetricList = list of SpectrumMetric objects
- correctedPsdDF = dataframe of starttime, endtime, frequency (Hz), power (dB) values
- pdfDF = dataframe of frequency (Hz), power (dB), hits (count) values
- svMetricList = list of SingleValueMetric objects:
  - pct\_above\_nhnm
  - pct\_below\_nlnm
  - dead\_channel\_lin

#### Author(s)

Jonathan Callahan < jonathan@mazamascience.com>

#### References

Seismic Noise Analysis System Using Power Spectral Density Probability Density Functions (McNamara and Boaz 2005)

Observations and Modeling of Seismic Background Noise (Peterson 1993).

#### See Also

SpectrumMetric SingleValueMetric

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

# NOTE: The following trace has 1.728 million points.
# NOTE: Downloading and calculating PSD may take a few seconds.
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2010-02-27",tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2010-02-28",tz="GMT")</pre>
```

```
# Get the waveform
st <- getDataselect(iris,"IU","ANMO","00","BHZ",starttime,endtime)
# Calculate the PSD metric and show the SingleValueMetric results
listOfLists <- PSDMetric(st)
svMetricList <- listOfLists[['svMetricList']]
dummy <- lapply(svMetricList, show)
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

sampleRateChannelMetric

Sample rate consistency between miniSEED and metadata

## **Description**

The sampleRateChannelMetric() function compares the miniSEED sample rate with the sample rate stored in the metadata channel.

## Usage

# **Arguments**

st a Stream object containing a seismic signal

channel\_pct percentage by which the miniSEED and channel sample rates must agree to be

considered a match

chan\_rate metadata channel sample rate from miniSEED blockette 52, stationXML, or

other metadata representation < Channel: Sample Rate > element, optional

# Details

This function retrieves the sample rate of the first trace from a Stream object and compares it to the metadata channel sample rate passed as chan\_rate to see whether both sample rates agree within channel\_pct percent. If chan\_rate is not provided, the code will retrieve a sample rate from EarthScope web services.

The sampleRateChannelMetric function calculates and returns the following metrics:

## sample\_rate\_chan - "agreement between daily miniSEED and metadata channel sample rates"

A boolean measurement that returns 0 if miniSEED and Channel sample rates agree within 1%, or 1 if they disagree.

## Value

A list of lists is returned containing:

```
• m1 = list of sample_rate_channel metric objects
```

## Author(s)

```
Mary Templeton <mary.templeton@earthscope.org>
```

#### See Also

SingleValueMetric

## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

starttime <- as.POSIXct("2019-08-01",tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2019-08-02",tz="GMT")

# Get channel-level metadata, sample rate and normalizaton frequency
meta <- IRISSeismic::getChannel(iris, "IU","ANMO","00","BHZ",starttime,endtime)
chan_rate <- meta$samplerate

# Get the waveform
st <- IRISSeismic::getDataselect(iris,"IU","ANMO","00","BHZ",starttime,endtime)

# Calculate the sample rate metrics
list1 <- sampleRateChannelMetric(st,channel_pct=1,chan_rate)

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

sampleRateRespMetric Sample rate consistency between miniSEED and metadata

## **Description**

The sampleRateRespMetric() function compares the miniSEED sample rate with the sample rate derived from the high-frequency corner of the channel's amplitude response.

## Usage

#### **Arguments**

st	a Stream object containing a seismic signal
resp_pct	percentage by which the miniSEED and response-derived sample rates must agree to be considered a match
norm_freq	the normalization frequency at which the stationXML InstrumentSensitivity or dataless Stage 0 Sensitivity is valid, optional
evalresp	dataframe of freq, amp, phase information matching output of getEvalresp, optional

#### **Details**

Next the function retrieves the instrument response that corresponds with the start of the miniSEED time series, from frequencies one decade below the norm\_freq through one decade above the miniSEED sampling frequency. The difference of the amplitude values,normalized for frequency spacing, are then scanned to find the first steep rolloff. The frequency associated with the maximum difference in the rolloff is stored as the empirical Nyquist frequency and multiplied by two to give the empirical response-derived sample rate. The function then compares this sample rate with the miniSEED sample rate to see whether both rates agree within resp\_pct percent. The default percentage of 15 there is significant variations across instruments. If norm\_freq or evalresp values are not provided, the code will retrieve values from EarthScope web services.

The sampleRateMetric function calculates and returns the following metrics:

# sample\_rate\_resp - "agreement between daily miniSEED and response-derived sample rates"

A boolean measurement that returns 0 if miniSEED and Response-derived sample rates agree within 15%, or 1 if they disagree. Response-derived sample rates assume that the high-frequency amplitude rolloff is ~85% of the Nyquist frequency.

# Value

A list of lists is returned containing:

• m1 = list of sample\_rate\_resp metric objects

#### Author(s)

Mary Templeton <mary.templeton@earthscope.org>

# See Also

```
SingleValueMetric
```

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

starttime <- as.POSIXct("2019-08-01",tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2019-08-02",tz="GMT")</pre>
```

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```
# Get channel-level metadata, sample rate and normalizaton frequency
meta <- IRISSeismic::getChannel(iris, "IU","ANMO","00","BHZ",starttime,endtime)
norm_freq <- meta$scalefreq

# Get the waveform
st <- IRISSeismic::getDataselect(iris,"IU","ANMO","00","BHZ",starttime,endtime)

# Calculate the sample rate metrics
list1 <- sampleRateRespMetric(st,resp_pct=15,norm_freq)

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

saveMetricList

Save a MetricList as RData or XML

# Description

The saveMetricList() function allows metrcis to be saved as either .RData files or as XML. The XML format is the same as that used by the EarthScope MUSTANG database for metric submission.

## Usage

```
saveMetricList(metricList, id=Sys.getpid(), rdata=FALSE)
```

## **Arguments**

metricList list of SingleValueMetric objects

id ID to be used when generating output files

rdata optional flag to save the incoming metricList as a .RData file

#### **Details**

The saveMetricList function saves a list of SingleValueMetrics as a .RData binary file or converts the list into the XML format expected by the MUSTANG database submission process. This XML format is human readable and can be used to spot check results of metrics calculations.

## Value

The automatically generated filename is returned invisibly.

#### Author(s)

Jonathan Callahan <jonathan@mazamascience.com>

## See Also

SingleValueMetric-class, metricList2Xml, getMetricsXml, getBssMetricList,

## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

# Get the waveform
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-24", tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-25", tz="GMT")
st <- getDataselect(iris,"AK","PIN","","BHZ",starttime,endtime)

# Apply a metric and show the results
metricList <- stateOfHealthMetric(st)
metricList <- append(metricList, basicStatsMetric(st))
saveMetricList(metricList,id='AK.PIN..BHZ')

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

SingleValueMetric-class

Class "SingleValueMetric"

# **Description**

A container for metrics results and associated metadata. This information is used to create XML that is then submitted to the MUSTANG Backend Storage System (BSS). This has been superceded by GeneralValueMetric and is deprecated.

## **Objects from the Class**

```
Objects can be created by calls of the form:

new("SingleValueMetric", snclq, starttime, endtime, metricName, value)

Lists of SingleValueMetric objects are returned by various metrics functions in this package.
```

#### **Slots**

```
snclq: Object of class "character": SNCLQ identifier.
metricName: Object of class "character": Name of the metric.
starttime: Object of class "POSIXct": Start time.
endtime: Object of class "POSIXct": End time.
valueName: Object of class "character": Name of the XML value identifier (default="value").
value: Object of class "numeric": Metric value.
valueString: Object of class "character": String representation of the metric value.
quality_flag: Object of class "numeric": Quality flag.
quality_flagString: Object of class "character": String representation of quality flag.
attributeName: Object of class "character": Name of one or more optional attributes.
attributeValueString: Object of class "character": String representation of one or more attribute values.
```

#### Methods

show signature(object = "SingleValueMetric"): Prettyprints the information in the SingleValueMetric

#### Note

The starttime and endtime slots are typically associated with the *user requested* times which may not match up with the starttime associated with the first Trace and the endtime associated with last Trace in the Stream object being analyzed. This ensures that metrics results for a single time period but covering many stations or channels will have the same date range and improves performance of the BSS which expects XML of the following form:

The quality\_flag is an optional value available for storing information related to the processing of a particular metric. Its meaning will vary from metric to metric.

For an EarthScope specific example, the station\_completeness metric obtains a list of available channels for a station from the availability web service and compares this list with the list of percent\_availability metrics for this station stored in the MUSTANG BSS. In the case of the station\_completeness metric, the quality\_flag is set to the number of channels that should be available but for whom no percent\_availability measure is obtained form the BSS.

The attributeName and attributeValueString slots can be used to store additional attributes associated with a metric values. For example, the max\_stalta value for a seismic trace can be calculated and a metric can be created that contains this value and another attribute with a string representation of the time at which this maximum occurred.

## Author(s)

Jonathan Callahan <jonathan@mazamascience.com>

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")</pre>
```

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```
# Get the waveform
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-24", tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-25", tz="GMT")
st <- getDataselect(iris,"AK","PIN","","BHZ",starttime,endtime)
# Apply a metric and show the results
metricList <- basicStatsMetric(st)
show(metricList[[1]])
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

SNRMetric

Signal to Noise Ratio

# Description

The SNRMetric() function calculates the Signal-to-Noise Ratio of a seismic trace by one of several named algorithms.

#### Usage

```
SNRMetric(st, algorithm, windowSecs)
```

# **Arguments**

st a Stream object containing a seismic signal

algorithm a named algorithm to use for calculating SNR (default="splitWindow") windowSecs width (seconds) of the full window used in SNR calculations (default=60)

#### **Details**

Seismic signals in the Stream must be without gaps, i.e. contained within a single Trace.

```
algorithm="splitWindow"
```

This algorithm uses the midpoint of the seismic signal as the border between noise to the left of the midpoint and signal to the right. The value for signal-to-noise is just the rmsVariance calculated for windowSecs/2 seconds of data to the right of the midpoint divided by the rmsVariance for windowSecs/2 seconds of data to the left of the midpoint.

No other algorithms have been vetted at this point.

## Value

A list with a single SingleValueMetric object is returned.

# Author(s)

Jonathan Callahan <jonathan@mazamascience.com>

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## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

# Get an hour long waveform centered on a big quake
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2010-02-27 06:16:15",tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2010-02-27 07:16:15",tz="GMT")
st <- getDataselect(iris,"IU","ANMO","00","BHZ",starttime,endtime)
tr <- st@traces[[1]]

# Calculate the SNR metric and show the results
metricList <- SNRMetric(st)
dummy <- lapply(metricList, show)

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

SpectrumMetric-class

Class "SpectrumMetric"

## Description

A container for metrics consisting of discrete spectra. This information is used to create XML that is then submitted to the MUSTANG Backend Storage System (BSS).

#### **Objects from the Class**

```
Objects can be created by calls of the form:
new("SpectrumMetric", snclq, starttime, endtime, metricName, freqs, amps, phases)
```

#### Slots

```
snclq: Object of class "character": SNCLQ identifier.

metricName: Object of class "character": Name of the metric.

elementName: Object of class "character": Name of the datetime element (default="t").

starttime: Object of class "POSIXct": Start time.

endtime: Object of class "POSIXct": End time.

freqs: Object of class "numeric": Frequency values.

freqStrings: Object of class "character": String representations of the frequency values.

amps: Object of class "numeric": Amplitude values.

ampStrings: Object of class "character": String representations of the amplitude values.

phases: Object of class "numeric": Phase values.

phaseStrings: Object of class "character": String representations of the phase values.

quality_flag: Object of class "numeric": Quality flag.

quality_flagString: Object of class "character": String representation of quality flag.
```

## Methods

**show** signature(object = "SpectrumMetric"): Prettyprints the information in the SpectrumMetric

#### Note

The quality\_flag is an optional value available for storing information related to the processing of a particular metric. Its meaning will vary from metric to metric.

## Author(s)

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spectrumMetric2Xml

Convert a SpectrumMetric into XML for the BSS

# **Description**

The spectrumMetric2Xml function converts a SpectrumMetric into an XML structure appropriate for submitting to the MUSTANG Backend Storage System (BSS).

## Usage

```
spectrumMetric2Xml(metricList)
```

#### **Arguments**

```
metricList a list of SpectrumMetric objects
```

#### Value

A character string with BSS formatted XML is returned.

## Author(s)

Jonathan Callahan <jonathan@mazamascience.com>

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

# NOTE: The following trace has 1.728 million points.
# NOTE: Downloading and calculating PSD may take a while.
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2010-02-27",tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2010-02-28",tz="GMT")

# Get the waveform
st <- getDataselect(iris,"IU","ANMO","00","BHZ",starttime,endtime)</pre>
```

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```
# Make sure we're working with a single snclq
unique_ids <- uniqueIds(st)</pre>
if (length(unique_ids) > 1) {
  stop(paste("PSDMetric: Stream has",unique_ids,"unique identifiers"))
}
snclq <- unique_ids[1]</pre>
# Calculate and plot the Power Spectral Density
psdList <- psdList(st)</pre>
# Create a Spectrum metric list
spectrumMetricList <- list()</pre>
index <- 1
for (psd in psdList) {
  spectrumMetricList[[index]] <- new("SpectrumMetric", snclq=snclq,</pre>
                                        starttime=psd$starttime, endtime=psd$endtime,
                                        metricName="psd", freqs=psd$freq,
                                        amps=psd$spec, phases=psd$freq*0)
  index <- index + 1
}
# Show the XML version of the metric
bssXml <- spectrumMetric2Xml(spectrumMetricList)</pre>
cat(bssXml)
## End(Not run)
```

spikesMetric

Find spikes using a rolling Hampel filter

## **Description**

The spikesMetric() function determines the number of spikes in a seismic Stream.

## Usage

```
spikesMetric(st, windowSize=41, thresholdMin=10, selectivity=NA, fixedThreshold=TRUE)
```

# Arguments

st	a Stream object containing a seismic signal
windowSize	The window size to roll over (default=41)
thresholdMin	Initial value for outlier detection (default=10.0)
selectivity	Numeric factor [0-1] used in determining outliers, or NA if fixedThreshold=TRUE (default=NA)
fixedThreshold	TRUE or FALSE, set the threshold=thresholdMin and ignore selectivity (default=TRUE)

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#### **Details**

This function uses the output of the findOutliers() function in the **seismicRoll** package to calculate the number of 'spikes' containing outliers.

The thresholdMin level is similar to a sigma value for normally distributed data. Hampel filter values above 6.0 indicate a data value that is extremely unlikely to be part of a normal distribution (~ 1/500 million) and therefore very likely to be an outlier. By choosing a relatively large value for thresholdMin we make it less likely that we will generate false positives. False positives can include high frequency environmental noise.

The selectivity is a value between 0 and 1 and is used to generate an appropriate threshold for outlier detection based on the statistics of the incoming data. A lower value for selectivity will result in more outliers while a value closer to 1.0 will result in fewer. The code ignores selectivity if fixedThreshold=TRUE.

The fixedThreshold is a logical TRUE or FALSE. If TRUE, then the threshold is set to thresholdMin. If FALSE, then the threshold is set to maximum value of the roll\_hample() function output multiplied by the selectivity.

The total count of spikes reflects the number of outlier data points that are separated by at least one non-outlier data point. Each individual spike may contain more than one data point.

#### Value

A list of SingleValueMetric objects is returned.

#### Note

The thresholdMin parameter is sensitive to the data sampling rate. The default value of 10 seems to work well with sampling rates of 10 Hz or higher ('B..' or 'H..' channels). For 'L..' channels with a sampling rate of 1 Hz thresholdMin=12.0 or larger may be more appropriate.

More testing of spiky signals at different resolutions is needed.

See the **seismicRoll** package for documentation on the findOutliers() function.

# Author(s)

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```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

# Get the waveform
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2013-01-03 15:00:00", tz="GMT")
endtime <- starttime + 3600 * 3
st <- getDataselect(iris,"IU","RAO","10","BHZ",starttime,endtime)

# Calculate the gaps metrics and show the results
metricList <- spikesMetric(st)
dummy <- show(metricList)</pre>
```

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```
## End(Not run)
```

STALTAMetric Maximum STA/LTA of a signal

## **Description**

The STALTAMetric() function calculates the maximum of STA/LTA over the incoming seismic signal.

# Usage

```
STALTAMetric(st, staSecs, ltaSecs, increment, algorithm)
```

# **Arguments**

st	a Stream object containing a seismic signal
staSecs	length of the short term averaging window in seconds (default=3)
ltaSecs	length of the long term averaging window in seconds (default=30)
algorithm	algorithm to be used (default="classic_LR")
increment	increment used when sliding the averaging windows to the next location (default=1)

## **Details**

Currently supported algorithms include:

- "classic\_RR"
- "classic\_LR"
- "EarleAndShearer\_envelope"

This metric applies the STALTA method of Trace objects to every Trace in st with the following parameter settings:

- demean=TRUE
- detrend=TRUE
- taper=0.0

The final metric value is the maximum STALTA value found in any Trace in this Stream. Further details are given in the documentation for STALTA.Trace().

# Value

A list with a single SingleValueMetric object is returned. The metric name is max\_stalta.

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#### Note

The STALTA method of Trace objects returns a numeric vector of STA/LTA values that has the same length as the signal data. This is a moderately time consuming operation. By comparison, finding the maximum value of this vector of STA/LTA values is very fast.

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#### References

```
First break picking (Wikipedia)
```

Automatic time-picking of first arrivals on large seismic datasets (Wong 2014)

Automatic first-breaks picking: New strategies and algorithms (Sabbione and Velis 2010))

## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

# Get the waveform
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2012-02-12",tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2012-02-13",tz="GMT")
st <- getDataselect(iris,"AK","GHO","","BHN",starttime,endtime)

# Calculate the STA/LTA metric and show the results
metricList <- STALTAMetric(st)
dummy <- lapply(metricList, show)

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

stateOfHealthMetric

State of Health metrics

## **Description**

The stateOfHealthMetric function extracts accumulated miniSEED quality flags and a measure of timing quality associated with the incoming seismic signal.

## Usage

```
stateOfHealthMetric(st)
```

## **Arguments**

st

a Stream object containing a seismic signal

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#### **Details**

The miniSEED flags and timing\_qual values are described in the SEED manual (https://www.fdsn.org/seed\_manual\_V2.4.pdf).

Each Stream object contains "accumulators" with counts of the number of times each bit flag was set during the parsing of a miniSEED file. Metrics are reported for a subset of these flags as show in the code snippet below:

```
# act_flags
calibration_signal <- st@act_flags[1]</pre>
timing_correction <- st@act_flags[2]</pre>
event_begin <- st@act_flags[3]</pre>
event_end <- st@act_flags[4]</pre>
event_in_progress <- st@act_flags[7]</pre>
# io_flags
clock_locked <- st@io_flags[6]</pre>
# dq_flags
amplifier_saturation <- st@dq_flags[1]</pre>
digitizer_clipping <- st@dq_flags[2]</pre>
spikes <- st@dq_flags[3]</pre>
glitches <- st@dq_flags[4]</pre>
missing_padded_data <- st@dq_flags[5]</pre>
telemetry_sync_error <- st@dq_flags[6]</pre>
digital_filter_charging <- st@dq_flags[7]</pre>
```

An additional "timing quality" metric gives the average value for the timing\_qual value associated with each block of miniSEED data.

#### Value

A list of SingleValueMetric objects is returned.

# Author(s)

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```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

# Get the waveform
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-24", tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-25", tz="GMT")
st <- getDataselect(iris,"AK","PIN","","BHZ",starttime,endtime)
# Generate State of Health metrics and show the results</pre>
```

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```
metricList <- stateOfHealthMetric(st)
dummy <- lapply(metricList, show)
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

timesMetric2Xml

Create XML for the BSS

# **Description**

The timesMetric2Xml function converts a MultipleTimeValueMetric into an XML structure appropriate for submitting to the MUSTANG Backend Storage System (BSS).

#### Usage

```
timesMetric2Xml(metric)
```

#### **Arguments**

metric

a MultipleTimeValueMetric object

#### Value

A character string with BSS formatted XML is returned.

## Author(s)

Jonathan Callahan < jonathan@mazamascience.com>

```
# Not run.
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

# Get the waveform
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-24", tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-25", tz="GMT")
st <- getDataselect(iris,"AK","PIN","","BHZ",starttime,endtime)

# Make sure we're working with a single snclq
unique_ids <- uniqueIds(st)
if (length(unique_ids) > 1) {
    stop(paste("meanMetric: Stream has",unique_ids,"unique identifiers"))
} snclq <- unique_ids[1]

# get the upDownTimes with a minimum signal length and minimum gap (secs)
upDownTimes <- getUpDownTimes(st, min_signal=30, min_gap=60)</pre>
```

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Cross-spectral comparison

## Description

The transferFunctionMetric() function calculates metrics that assess the relationship between two SNCLs with the same network, station and channel but separate locations. When seismometers are working properly, the transfer function amplitude and phase will match similar values calculated from the instrument responses.

This function calculates the transfer function from data in the incoming streams. Response information is then obtained from the evalresp web service.

# Usage

```
transferFunctionMetric(st1, st2, evalresp1, evalresp2)
```

#### Arguments

st1	a Stream object containing a seismic signal
st2	a Stream object containing a seismic signal
evalresp1	a data frame containing an amplitude and phase spectrum
evalresp2	a data frame containing an amplitude and phase spectrum

## **Details**

Details of the algorithm are as follows

```
# compute complex cross-spectrum of traces x and y ==> Pxx, Pxy, Pyy
# calculate transfer function values:
# Txy(f) = Pxy(f) / Pxx(f)
# dataGain <- Mod(Txy)
# dataPhase <- Arg(Txy)
#
# calculate avgDataGain and avgDataPhase values for periods of 5-7s
#
# calculate the corresponding response amplitude ratio and phase difference:</pre>
```

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```
# request responses for x and y
# respGain = respGainy(f) / respGainx(f)
# respPhase = respPhasey(f) - respPhasex(f)
#
# calculate avgRespGain and avgRespPhase values for periods of 5-7s
#
# calculate metrics:
# gain_ratio = avgDataGain / avgRespGain
# hase_diff = avgDataPhase - avgRespPhase
# ms_coherence = |Pxy|^2 / (Pxx*Pyy)
```

#### Value

A list with a single SingleValueMetric object is returned. The metric name is transfer\_function and it has three attributes:

- gain\_ratio reasonableness of cross-spectral amplitude between st1 and st2
- phase\_diff reasonableness of cross-spectral phase between st1 and st2
- ms\_coherence mean square coherence between st1 and st2

These values can be interpreted as follows:

Whenever ms\_coherence ~= 1.0, properly functioning seismometers should have:

```
gain_raio ~= 1.0phase_diff < 10.0 (degrees)</li>
```

# Note

Seismic streams passed to transferFunctionMetric() must have the same network, station and channel and must cover the same time range. The two channels should also have values of azimuth and dip within five degrees of each other. If sampling rates differ and one is a multiple of the other, the stream with the higher sampling rate will be decimated to match the lower sampling rate.

The metricList generated for these two-channel metrics will have a SNCL code of the form: N.S.L1:L2.C.Q.

# Author(s)

```
## Not run:
# Create a new IrisClient
iris <- new("IrisClient", debug=TRUE)

# Get seismic data
starttime <- as.POSIXct("2011-05-01 12:00:00", tz="GMT")
endtime <- starttime + 3600

st1 <- getDataselect(iris, "CI", "PASC", "00", "BHZ", starttime, endtime, inclusiveEnd=FALSE)</pre>
```

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```
st2 <- getDataselect(iris,"CI","PASC","10","BHZ",starttime,endtime,inclusiveEnd=FALSE)
evalresp1 <- IRISSeismic::transferFunctionSpectra(st1,40)
evalresp2 <- IRISSeismic::transferFunctionSpectra(st2,40)

# Calculate metrics
metricList <- transferFunctionMetric(st1,st2,evalresp1,evalresp2)
print(metricList)

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

upDownTimesMetric

Up/down times for a channel

# Description

The upDownTimesMetric() function determines the times at which data collection starts and stops within a seismic Stream.

## Usage

```
upDownTimesMetric(st, min_signal, min_gap)
```

## **Arguments**

st a Stream object containing a seismic signal

min\_signal minimum duration of a Trace in seconds (default=30)

min\_gap minimum gap in seconds (default=60)

#### **Details**

This function uses the output of the getUpDownTimes method of Stream objects.

#### Value

A list with a single MultipleTimeValueMetric object is returned.

# Note

See the seismic package for documentation on Stream objects and the getDataselect method.

#### Author(s)

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upDownTimesMetric

```
## Not run:
# Open a connection to EarthScope webservices
iris <- new("IrisClient")

starttime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-24", tz="GMT")
endtime <- as.POSIXct("2012-01-25", tz="GMT")

# Get the waveform
st <- getDataselect(iris,"AK","PIN","","BHZ",starttime,endtime)

# Create the upDownTimesMetric, ignoring Traces < 3 minutes and gaps of < 5 minutes
metricList <- upDownTimesMetric(st, min_signal=180, min_gap=300)

## End(Not run)</pre>
```

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