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as\_category

Validate and coerce any object as a categorical variable.

# Description

[Experimental] Converts a vector object to a categorical object, typically a column in a data frame. The categories come from non-missing values present in the object and are added to an associated data dictionary (when present).

# Usage

as\_category(x)

# Arguments

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A vector object to be coerced to categorical.

# Value

A vector with class haven\_labelled.

# See Also

haven::labelled()

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## **Examples**

```
{
library(dplyr)
mtcars <- tibble(mtcars)
as_category(mtcars[['cyl']])
head(mtcars %>% mutate(cyl = as_category(cyl)))
}
```

as\_dataset

Validate and coerce any object as a dataset

# Description

Checks if an object is a valid dataset and returns it with the appropriate madshapR::class attribute. This function mainly helps validate inputs within other functions of the package but could be used separately to check if a dataset is valid.

# Usage

```
as_dataset(object, col_id = NULL)
```

## **Arguments**

object A potential dataset object to be coerced.

col\_id An optional character string specifying the name(s) or position(s) of the col-

umn(s) used as identifiers.

# **Details**

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

#### Value

A data frame with madshapR::class 'dataset'.

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# **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(dplyr)

###### Example 1: A dataset can have an id column specified as an attribute.
dataset <- as_dataset(madshapR_DEMO$dataset_MELBOURNE, col_id = "id")
glimpse(dataset)

###### Example 2: Any data frame can be a dataset by definition.
glimpse(as_dataset(iris, col_id = "Species"))
}</pre>
```

as\_data\_dict

Validate and coerce any object as a data dictionary

## **Description**

Checks if an object is a valid data dictionary and returns it with the appropriate madshapR::class attribute. This function mainly helps validate inputs within other functions of the package but could be used to check if an object is valid for use in a function.

## Usage

```
as_data_dict(object)
```

## **Arguments**

object

A potential data dictionary object to be coerced.

#### **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A list of data frame(s) with madshapR::class 'data\_dict'.

## See Also

For a better assessment, please use data\_dict\_evaluate().

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## **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_PARIS
as_data_dict(data_dict)
}</pre>
```

as\_data\_dict\_mlstr

Validate and coerce any object as an Opal data dictionary format

# **Description**

Validates the input object as a valid data dictionary compliant with formats used in Maelstrom Research ecosystem, including Opal, and returns it with the appropriate madshapR::class attribute. This function mainly helps validate input within other functions of the package but could be used to check if an object is valid for use in a function.

## Usage

```
as_data_dict_mlstr(object, as_data_dict = FALSE, name_standard = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

object A potential valid data dictionary to be coerced.

as\_data\_dict Whether the input data dictionary should not be coerced with specific format

restrictions for compatibility with other Maelstrom Research software. FALSE

by default.

name\_standard Whether the input data dictionary has variable names compatible with Mael-

strom Research ecosystem, including Opal)or not. FALSE by default.

#### **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

The object may be specifically formatted to be compatible with additional Maelstrom Research software, in particular Opal environments.

## Value

A list of data frame(s) with madshapR::class 'data\_dict\_mlstr'.

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## See Also

For a better assessment, please use data\_dict\_evaluate().

## **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_MELBOURNE
as_data_dict_mlstr(madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_MELBOURNE)
}</pre>
```

as\_data\_dict\_shape

Validate and coerce any object as a workable data dictionary structure

# Description

Validates the input object as a workable data dictionary structure and returns it with the appropriate madshapR::class attribute. This function mainly helps validate input within other functions of the package but could be used to check if a data dictionary is valid for use in a function.

## Usage

```
as_data_dict_shape(object)
```

## **Arguments**

object

A potential valid data dictionary to be coerced.

## **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A list of data frame(s) with madshapR::class 'data\_dict\_shape'.

## See Also

For a better assessment, please use data\_dict\_evaluate().

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## **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_PARIS
as_data_dict_shape(data_dict)
}</pre>
```

as\_dossier

Validate and coerce any object as a dossier (list of dataset(s))

# **Description**

Checks if an object is a valid dossier (list of datasets) and returns it with the appropriate madshapR::class attribute. This function mainly helps validate inputs within other functions of the package but could be used to check if a dossier is valid.

## Usage

```
as_dossier(object)
```

# **Arguments**

object

A potential dossier object to be coerced.

#### **Details**

A dossier is a named list containing at least one data frame or more, each of them being datasets. The name of each tibble will be use as the reference name of the dataset.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

## Value

A list of data frame(s) with madshapR::class 'dossier'.

#### See Also

For a better assessment, please use dataset\_evaluate().

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## **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(dplyr)
library(stringr)

###### Example 1: a dataset list is a dossier by definition.
dossier <-
    as_dossier(madshapR_DEMO[str_detect(names(madshapR_DEMO),"dataset_TOKYO")])

glimpse(dossier)

###### Example 2: any list of data frame can be a dossier by
# definition.
glimpse(as_dossier(list(dataset_1 = iris, dataset_2 = mtcars)))
}</pre>
```

as\_taxonomy

Validate and coerce any object as a taxonomy

# Description

Confirms that the input object is a valid taxonomy and returns it as a taxonomy with the appropriate madshapR::class attribute. This function mainly helps validate input within other functions of the package but could be used to check if a taxonomy is valid.

# Usage

```
as_taxonomy(object)
```

## **Arguments**

object

A potential taxonomy to be coerced.

#### **Details**

A taxonomy is a classification schema that can be defined for variable attributes. A taxonomy is usually extracted from an Opal environment, and a taxonomy object is a data frame that must contain at least the columns taxonomy, vocabulary, and terms. Additional details about Opal taxonomies are available online.

#### Value

A list of data frame(s) with madshapR::class 'taxonomy'.

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## See Also

#### Opal documentation

## **Examples**

```
###### Example
as_taxonomy(madshapR_DEMO$taxonomy_PARIS)
```

as\_valueType

Validate and coerce any object according to a given valueType

# **Description**

Attributes a valueType to an object, that can be a vector, or in a data frame using dplyr::mutate.

# Usage

```
as_valueType(x, valueType = "text")
```

## Arguments

x Object to be coerced. Can be a vector.

valueType A character string of the valueType used to coerce x.

#### **Details**

The valueType is a declared property of a variable that is required in certain functions to determine handling of the variables. Specifically, valueType refers to the OBiBa data type of a variable. The valueType is specified in a data dictionary in a column 'valueType' and can be associated with variables as attributes. Acceptable valueTypes include 'text', 'integer', 'decimal', 'boolean', datetime', 'date'. The full list of OBiBa valueType possibilities and their correspondence with R data types are available using valueType\_list. The valueType can be used to coerce the variable to the corresponding data type.

#### Value

The object coerced accordingly to the input valueType.

## See Also

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## **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

dataset <- madshapR_DEMO$dataset_TOKYO
as_valueType(head(dataset$dob),'date')

# as_valueType is compatible with tidyverse philosophy
library(dplyr)
mtcars %>% mutate(cyl = as_valueType(cyl,'integer')) %>% head()
}
```

bookdown\_open

Objects exported from other packages

# Description

These objects are imported from other packages. Follow the links below to see their documentation.

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bookdown\_render

Objects exported from other packages

# **Description**

These objects are imported from other packages. Follow the links below to see their documentation.

fabR bookdown\_render

bookdown\_template

Objects exported from other packages

# **Description**

These objects are imported from other packages. Follow the links below to see their documentation.

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```
check_dataset_categories
```

Assess a data dictionary and associated dataset for category differences

# **Description**

Generates a data frame report of any categorical value options (the combination of 'variable' and 'name' in 'Categories') in a data dictionary that are not in the associated dataset and any categorical variable values in a dataset that are not declared in the associated data dictionary. This report can be used to help assess data structure, presence of fields, coherence across elements, and taxonomy or data dictionary formats.

# Usage

```
check_dataset_categories(
  dataset,
  data_dict = silently_run(data_dict_extract(dataset))
)
```

## **Arguments**

dataset A dataset object.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata to be evaluated.

#### Details

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

## Value

A data frame providing categorical values which differ between dataset and their data dictionary.

## **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(tidyr)

data_dict <-
    madshapR_DEMO$`data_dict_TOKYO - errors with data` %>%
    data_dict_filter('name == "prg_ever"')

dataset <- madshapR_DEMO$`dataset_TOKYO - errors with data`['prg_ever']

check_dataset_categories(dataset, data_dict)
}</pre>
```

check\_dataset\_valueType

Assess a data dictionary and associated dataset for valueType differences

# **Description**

Generates a data frame report of any incompatibility between variable values in a dataset and the declared valueType in the associated data dictionary. This report can be used to help assess data structure, presence of fields, coherence across elements, and taxonomy or data dictionary formats.

# Usage

```
check_dataset_valueType(dataset, data_dict = NULL, valueType_guess = FALSE)
```

# **Arguments**

dataset A dataset object.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata to be evaluated.

valueType\_guess

Whether the output should include a more accurate valueType that could be applied to the dataset. FALSE by default.

#### **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

The valueType is a declared property of a variable that is required in certain functions to determine handling of the variables. Specifically, valueType refers to the OBiBa data type of a variable. The valueType is specified in a data dictionary in a column 'valueType' and can be associated with variables as attributes. Acceptable valueTypes include 'text', 'integer', 'decimal', 'boolean', datetime', 'date'. The full list of OBiBa valueType possibilities and their correspondence with R data types are available using valueType\_list. The valueType can be used to coerce the variable to the corresponding data type.

#### Value

A data frame providing values which valueType differs between dataset and their data dictionary.

## **Examples**

```
{
check_dataset_valueType(mtcars[2], valueType_guess = TRUE)
}
```

check\_dataset\_variables

Assess a data dictionary and associated dataset for undeclared variables

## **Description**

Generates a data frame report of any variable that is present in a dataset but not in the associated data dictionary or present in a data dictionary but not in the associated dataset. This report can be used to help assess data structure, presence of fields, coherence across elements, and taxonomy or data dictionary formats.

## Usage

```
check_dataset_variables(dataset, data_dict = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

dataset A dataset object.

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

#### Value

A data frame providing undeclared variables across a data dictionary.

## **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

dataset <- madshapR_DEMO$`dataset_TOKYO - errors with data`
data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$`data_dict_TOKYO - errors`
check_dataset_variables(dataset,data_dict)
}</pre>
```

check\_data\_dict\_categories

Assess a data dictionary for potential issues in categories

## **Description**

Generates a data frame report of any categorical variable name present in the 'Categories' element but not present in 'Variables'. The data frame also reports any non-unique combinations of 'variable' and 'name' in the 'Categories' element. This report can be used to help assess data structure, presence of fields, coherence across elements, and taxonomy or data dictionary formats.

# Usage

```
check_data_dict_categories(data_dict)
```

# **Arguments**

data\_dict

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A data frame providing categorical variables that has issues within a data dictionary.

# **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$`data_dict_TOKYO - errors`
check_data_dict_categories(data_dict)
}</pre>
```

```
check_data_dict_missing_categories
```

Assess categorical variables for non-Boolean values in 'missing' column

# Description

Generates a data frame report of any categorical variables with non-Boolean (or compatible with boolean) values in the 'missing' column of the 'Categories' element. This report can be used to help assess data structure, presence of fields, coherence across elements, and taxonomy or data dictionary formats.

## Usage

```
check_data_dict_missing_categories(data_dict)
```

## **Arguments**

data\_dict

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A data frame providing categorical values which 'missing' column is not a boolean.

## **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$`data_dict_TOKYO - errors`
check_data_dict_missing_categories(data_dict)
}</pre>
```

check\_data\_dict\_valueType

Assess a data dictionary for non-valid valueType values

# **Description**

Generates a data frame report of any variable with a valueType that is not in the list of allowed valueType values. This function also assesses if the valueType is compatible with any associated categorical values declared. This report can be used to help assess data structure, presence of fields, coherence across elements, and taxonomy or data dictionary formats.

# Usage

```
check_data_dict_valueType(data_dict)
```

## **Arguments**

data\_dict

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

The valueType is a declared property of a variable that is required in certain functions to determine handling of the variables. Specifically, valueType refers to the OBiBa data type of a variable. The valueType is specified in a data dictionary in a column 'valueType' and can be associated with variables as attributes. Acceptable valueTypes include 'text', 'integer', 'decimal', 'boolean', datetime', 'date'. The full list of OBiBa valueType possibilities and their correspondence with R data types are available using valueType\_list. The valueType can be used to coerce the variable to the corresponding data type.

## Value

A data frame providing non-standard valueType declared in a data dictionary.

## **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$`data_dict_TOKYO - errors`
check_data_dict_valueType(data_dict)
}</pre>
```

check\_data\_dict\_variables

Assess a data dictionary for potential issues in variables

## **Description**

Generates a data frame report of any non-unique variable names in the 'Variables' element. This report can be used to help assess data structure, presence of fields, coherence across elements, and taxonomy or data dictionary formats.

#### **Usage**

```
check_data_dict_variables(data_dict)
```

# **Arguments**

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#### **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A data frame providing non unique variables across a data dictionary.

## **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$`data_dict_TOKYO - errors`
check_data_dict_variables(data_dict)
}</pre>
```

## **Description**

Generates a data frame report of any variable names that are not compatible in Maelstrom Research ecosystem, including Opal. This report can be used to help assess data structure, presence of fields, coherence across elements, and taxonomy or data dictionary formats.

## Usage

```
check_name_standards(var_names)
```

## **Arguments**

var\_names A character vector of names.

#### **Details**

The object may be specifically formatted to be compatible with additional Maelstrom Research software, in particular Opal environments.

## Value

A data frame providing non-standard names across a vector.

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# **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
check_name_standards(c("coucou", "cou cou", "$coucou",NA))
check_name_standards(
  madshapR_DEMO$`data_dict_TOKYO - errors`$Variables$name)
}
```

col\_id

Return the id column names(s) of a dataset

# **Description**

Return the id column names(s) of a dataset if any. If not, the function returns a NULL object.

# Usage

```
col_id(dataset)
```

## **Arguments**

dataset

A data frame object.

#### **Details**

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

# Value

Name(s) of identifier column(s). NULL if not.

## **Examples**

```
{
col_id(iris)

library(fabR)
iris <- add_index(iris)
iris <- as_dataset(iris, col_id = 'index')
col_id(iris)</pre>
```

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}

dataset\_cat\_as\_labels Apply data dictionary category labels to the associated dataset variables

## Description

Applies category labels declared in a data dictionary to the associated columns (variables) in the dataset.

## Usage

```
dataset_cat_as_labels(dataset, data_dict = NULL, col_names = names(dataset))
```

# **Arguments**

dataset A dataset object.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the input dataset. Automatically generated if not provided.

col\_names A character string specifying the name(s) of the column(s) which refer to existing column(s) in the dataset. The column(s) can be named or indicated by position.

#### **Details**

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A data frame identifying a dataset.

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## **Examples**

```
{
dataset = madshapR_DEMO$dataset_PARIS
data_dict = as_data_dict_mlstr(madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_PARIS)
dataset_cat_as_labels(dataset, data_dict, col_names = 'SEX')
}
```

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Generate an assessment report for a dataset

## **Description**

Assesses the content and structure of a dataset object and generates reports of the results. This function can be used to evaluate data structure, presence of specific fields, coherence across elements, and data dictionary formats.

# Usage

```
dataset_evaluate(
  dataset,
  data_dict = NULL,
  valueType_guess = FALSE,
  as_data_dict_mlstr = TRUE,
  taxonomy = NULL,
  dataset_name = .dataset_name,
  .dataset_name = NULL
)
```

## Arguments

dataset A dataset object.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the input dataset. Automatically

generated if not provided.

valueType\_guess

Whether the output should include a more accurate valueType that could be

applied to the dataset. FALSE by default.

as\_data\_dict\_mlstr

Whether the input data dictionary should be coerced with specific format re-

strictions for compatibility with other Maelstrom Research software. TRUE by

default.

taxonomy An optional data frame identifying a variable classification schema.

dataset\_name A character string specifying the name of the dataset (used internally in the

function dossier\_evaluate()).

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#### **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name. The function truncates each cell to a maximum of 10000 characters, to be readable and compatible with Excel.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

A taxonomy is a classification schema that can be defined for variable attributes. A taxonomy is usually extracted from an Opal environment, and a taxonomy object is a data frame that must contain at least the columns taxonomy, vocabulary, and terms. Additional details about Opal taxonomies are available online.

The object may be specifically formatted to be compatible with additional Maelstrom Research software, in particular Opal environments.

#### Value

A list of data frames containing assessment reports.

#### See Also

```
dossier_evaluate()
```

## **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(dplyr)

###### Example : Any data frame can be summarized
dataset <- as_dataset(
  madshapR_DEMO$`dataset_TOKYO - errors with data`,
  col_id = 'part_id') %>% slice(0)

glimpse(dataset_evaluate(dataset,as_data_dict_mlstr = FALSE))
}
```

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dataset\_preprocess

Generate an evaluation of all variable values in a dataset

## **Description**

Analyses the content of a dataset and its data dictionary (if any), identifies variable(s) data type and values accordingly and preprocess the variables. The elements of the data frame generated are evaluation of valid/non valid/missing values (based on the data dictionary information if provided). This function can be used to personalize report parameters and is internally used in the function dataset\_summarize().

Generates a data frame that evaluates and aggregates all columns in a dataset with (if any) its data dictionary. The data dictionary (if present) separates observations between open values, missing values, categorical values, and categorical missing values (which corresponds to the 'missing' column in the 'Categories' sheet). This internal function is mainly used inside summary functions.

# Usage

```
dataset_preprocess(dataset, data_dict = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

dataset A dataset object.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the input dataset. Automatically

generated if not provided.

# **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

#### Value

A data frame providing summary elements of a dataset, including its values and data dictionary elements.

#### See Also

```
summary_variables()
```

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## **Examples**

```
{
###### Example : Any data frame can be a dataset by definition.
head(dataset_preprocess(dataset = iris))
}
```

dataset\_summarize

Generate an assessment report and summary of a dataset

# **Description**

Assesses and summarizes the content and structure of a dataset and generates reports of the results. This function can be used to evaluate data structure, presence of specific fields, coherence across elements, and data dictionary formats, and to summarize additional information about variable distributions and descriptive statistics.

# Usage

```
dataset_summarize(
  dataset,
  data_dict = data_dict_extract(dataset),
  group_by = NULL,
  taxonomy = NULL,
  dataset_name = .dataset_name,
  valueType_guess = FALSE,
  .dataset_name = NULL
)
```

## Arguments

dataset A dataset object.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the input dataset. Automatically

generated if not provided.

group\_by A character string identifying the column in the dataset to use as a grouping

variable. Elements will be grouped by this column.

taxonomy An optional data frame identifying a variable classification schema.

dataset\_name A character string specifying the name of the dataset (internally used in the

function dossier\_evaluate()).

valueType\_guess

Whether the output should include a more accurate valueType that could be

applied to the dataset. FALSE by default.

.dataset\_name [Deprecated]

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#### **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name. The function truncates each cell to a maximum of 10000 characters, to be readable and compatible with Excel.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

A taxonomy is a classification schema that can be defined for variable attributes. A taxonomy is usually extracted from an Opal environment, and a taxonomy object is a data frame that must contain at least the columns taxonomy, vocabulary, and terms. Additional details about Opal taxonomies are available online.

The valueType is a declared property of a variable that is required in certain functions to determine handling of the variables. Specifically, valueType refers to the OBiBa data type of a variable. The valueType is specified in a data dictionary in a column 'valueType' and can be associated with variables as attributes. Acceptable valueTypes include 'text', 'integer', 'decimal', 'boolean', datetime', 'date'. The full list of OBiBa valueType possibilities and their correspondence with R data types are available using valueType\_list. The valueType can be used to coerce the variable to the corresponding data type.

#### Value

A list of data frames containing assessment reports and summaries.

#### See Also

```
dossier_evaluate()
```

# **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(dplyr)

#' ###### Example : Any data frame can be summarized
dataset <- iris['Sepal.Width']
glimpse(dataset_summarize(dataset))
}</pre>
```

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dataset\_visualize

Generate a web-based visual report for a dataset

# **Description**

Generates a visual report of a dataset in an HTML bookdown document, with summary figures and statistics for each variable. The report outputs can be grouped by a categorical variable.

# Usage

```
dataset_visualize(
  dataset = tibble(id = as.character()),
  bookdown_path,
  data_dict = data_dict_extract(dataset),
  group_by = NULL,
  valueType_guess = FALSE,
  taxonomy = NULL,
  dataset_name = .dataset_name,
  dataset_summary = .summary_var,
  .summary_var = NULL,
  .dataset_name = NULL
```

#### **Arguments**

dataset A dataset object.

bookdown\_path A character string identifying the folder path where the bookdown report files

will be saved.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the input dataset. Automatically

generated if not provided.

group\_by A character string identifying the column in the dataset to use as a grouping

variable. Elements will be grouped by this column.

valueType\_guess

Whether the output should include a more accurate valueType that could be

applied to the dataset. FALSE by default.

taxonomy An optional data frame identifying a variable classification schema.

dataset\_name A character string specifying the name of the dataset (used internally in the

function dossier\_evaluate()).

dataset\_summary

A list which identifies an existing summary produced by dataset\_summarize()

of the dataset. Using this parameter can save time in generating the visual report.

.summary\_var [Deprecated]

.dataset\_name [Deprecated]

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#### **Details**

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

The valueType is a declared property of a variable that is required in certain functions to determine handling of the variables. Specifically, valueType refers to the OBiBa data type of a variable. The valueType is specified in a data dictionary in a column 'valueType' and can be associated with variables as attributes. Acceptable valueTypes include 'text', 'integer', 'decimal', 'boolean', datetime', 'date'. The full list of OBiBa valueType possibilities and their correspondence with R data types are available using valueType\_list. The valueType can be used to coerce the variable to the corresponding data type.

A taxonomy is a classification schema that can be defined for variable attributes. A taxonomy is usually extracted from an Opal environment, and a taxonomy object is a data frame that must contain at least the columns taxonomy, vocabulary, and terms. Additional details about Opal taxonomies are available online.

# Value

A folder containing files for the bookdown site. To open the bookdown site in a browser, open 'docs/index.html', or use bookdown\_open() with the folder path.

#### See Also

```
bookdown_open() as_category()
```

#### **Examples**

```
{
# You can use our demonstration files to run examples
library(fs)
library(dplyr)

dataset <- madshapR_DEMO$dataset_TOKYO['height'] %>% slice(0)
dataset_summary <- madshapR_DEMO$`dataset_summary`

if(dir_exists(tempdir())) dir_delete(tempdir())
bookdown_path <- tempdir()

dataset_visualize(</pre>
```

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```
dataset,
dataset_summary = dataset_summary,
bookdown_path = bookdown_path)

# To open the file in browser, open 'bookdown_path/docs/index.html'.
# Or use bookdown_open(bookdown_path) function.
}
```

dataset\_zap\_data\_dict Remove labels (attributes) from a data frame, leaving its unlabelled columns

# **Description**

Removes any attributes attached to a data frame. Any value in columns will be preserved. Any 'Date' (typeof) column will be recast as character to preserve information.

## Usage

```
dataset_zap_data_dict(dataset)
```

# Arguments

dataset

A dataset object.

#### **Details**

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

#### Value

A data frame identifying a dataset.

## See Also

```
haven::zap_labels().
```

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## **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

dataset <- madshapR_DEMO$dataset_TOKYO

data_dict <- as_data_dict_mlstr(madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_TOKYO)

dataset <- data_dict_apply(dataset,data_dict)

head(dataset_zap_data_dict(dataset))
}</pre>
```

data\_dict\_apply

Apply a data dictionary to a dataset

# Description

Applies a data dictionary to a dataset, creating a labelled dataset with variable attributes. Any previous attributes will be preserved. For variables that are factors, variables will be transformed into haven-labelled variables.

## Usage

```
data_dict_apply(dataset, data_dict = NULL)
```

## **Arguments**

dataset A dataset object.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the input dataset. Automatically

generated if not provided.

#### **Details**

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

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## Value

A labelled data frame with metadata as attributes, specified for each variable from the input data dictionary.

#### See Also

```
attributes(), haven::labelled()
```

# **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

dataset <- madshapR_DEMO$dataset_MELBOURNE

data_dict <- as_data_dict_mlstr(madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_MELBOURNE)
head(data_dict_apply(dataset, data_dict))
}</pre>
```

data\_dict\_collapse

Transform multi-row category column(s) to single rows and join to "Variables"

# **Description**

Collapses a data dictionary element (the parameter 'from'), into column(s) in another element (the parameter 'to') If the element 'to' exists, and contains any column 'xx' or 'yy', these columns will be added to the element 'from' under the names 'to:xx' and 'to:yy'. (unique names will be generated if necessary). Each element of these column will gather all information to process the reverse operation. Separator of each element is the following structure: 'name = xx1; name = xx2'. This function is mainly used to collapse the 'Categories' element into columns in 'Variables'. This function is the reversed operation of data\_dict\_expand()

# Usage

```
data_dict_collapse(
  data_dict,
  from = "Categories",
  to = "Variables",
  name_prefix = "Categories::"
)
```

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## Arguments

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata to be transformed.

from A symbol identifying the name of the element (data frame) to take column(s)

from. Default is 'Categories'.

to A symbol identifying the name of the element (data frame) to create column(s)

to. Default is 'Variables'.

name\_prefix A character string of the prefix of columns of interest. This prefix will be used to

select columns, and to rename them in the 'to' element. Default is 'Categories::'.

## **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A list of data frame(s) identifying a data dictionary.

#### See Also

```
data_dict_expand()
```

## **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_MELBOURNE
data_dict_collapse(data_dict)
}</pre>
```

data\_dict\_evaluate

Generate an assessment report for a data dictionary

# **Description**

Assesses the content and structure of a data dictionary and generates reports of the results. The report can be used to help assess data dictionary structure, presence of fields, coherence across elements, and taxonomy or data dictionary formats.

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## Usage

```
data_dict_evaluate(data_dict, taxonomy = NULL, as_data_dict_mlstr = TRUE)
```

## **Arguments**

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata to be evaluated.

taxonomy An optional data frame identifying a variable classification schema.

as\_data\_dict\_mlstr

Whether the input data dictionary should be coerced with specific format restrictions for compatibility with other Maelstrom Research software. TRUE by default.

#### **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name. The function truncates each cell to a maximum of 10000 characters, to be readable and compatible with Excel.

A taxonomy is a classification schema that can be defined for variable attributes. A taxonomy is usually extracted from an Opal environment, and a taxonomy object is a data frame that must contain at least the columns taxonomy, vocabulary, and terms. Additional details about Opal taxonomies are available online.

The object may be specifically formatted to be compatible with additional Maelstrom Research software, in particular Opal environments.

#### Value

A list of data frames containing assessment reports.

# **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(dplyr)

data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$`data_dict_TOKYO - errors`
glimpse(data_dict_evaluate(data_dict))
}</pre>
```

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data_dict_expand	Transform single-row category information to multiple rows as element

# **Description**

Expands data dictionary column(s) in a element (the parameter 'from'), into another element (the parameter 'to'). If the element from contains any column starting with 'prefix', (xx,yy), these columns will be added as 'xx' and 'yy' in the element identified by to. This data frame will be created if necessary, and columns will be added, from left to right. (unique names will be generated if necessary). Separator of each element is the following structure: 'name = xx1; name = xx2'. This function is mainly used to expand the column(s) 'Categories::xx' in "Variables" to "Categories" element with column(s) xx. This function is the reversed operation of data\_dict\_collapse()

## Usage

```
data_dict_expand(
  data_dict,
  from = "Variables",
  name_prefix = "Categories::",
  to = "Categories"
)
```

## **Arguments**

data_dict	A list of data frame(s) representing metadata to be transformed.
from	A symbol identifying the name of the element (data frame) to take $column(s)$ from. Default is 'Variables'.
name_prefix	Character string of the prefix of columns of interest. This prefix will be used to select columns, and to rename them in the 'to' element. Default is 'Categories::'.
to	A symbol identifying the name of the element (data frame) to create column(s) to. Default is 'Categories'.

#### Details

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A list of data frame(s) identifying a data dictionary.

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#### See Also

```
data_dict_collapse()
```

# **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$`data_dict_PARIS - collapsed`
data_dict_expand(data_dict)
}</pre>
```

data\_dict\_extract

Generate a data dictionary from a dataset

## **Description**

Generates a data dictionary from a dataset. If the dataset variables have no associated metadata, a minimum data dictionary is created by using variable attributes.

## Usage

```
data_dict_extract(dataset, as_data_dict_mlstr = TRUE)
```

# **Arguments**

```
dataset A dataset object. as_data_dict_mlstr
```

Whether the input data dictionary should be coerced with specific format restrictions for compatibility with other Maelstrom Research software. TRUE by default.

#### **Details**

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame

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'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

The object may be specifically formatted to be compatible with additional Maelstrom Research software, in particular Opal environments.

#### Value

A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the dataset variables.

# Examples

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
###### Example 2: extract data dictionary from any dataset (the
# data dictionary will be created upon attributes of the dataset. Factors
# will be considered as categorical variables)
data_dict_extract(iris)
}
```

data\_dict\_filter

Subset data dictionary by row values

# **Description**

Subsets either or both the 'Variables' and 'Categories' elements of a data dictionary. Rows are conserved if their values satisfy the condition. This is a wrapper function analogous to dplyr::filter().

## Usage

```
data_dict_filter(
  data_dict,
  filter_var = NULL,
  filter_cat = NULL,
  filter_all = NULL
)
```

## **Arguments**

data_dict	A list of data frame(s) representing metadata to be filtered.
filter_var	Expressions that are defined in the element 'Variables' in the data dictionary.
filter_cat	Expressions that are defined in the element 'Categories' in the data dictionary.
filter_all	Expressions that are defined both in the 'Categories' and 'Variables' in the data dictionary.

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#### **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A list of data frame(s) identifying a workable data dictionary structure.

#### See Also

```
dplyr::filter()
```

# **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
# Create a list of data dictionaries where the column 'table' is added to
# refer to the associated dataset. The object created is not a
# data dictionary per say, but can be used as a structure which can be
# shaped into a data dictionary.
library(dplyr)
data_dict_list <- list(</pre>
 data_dict_1 <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_TOKYO ,</pre>
 data_dict_2 <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_MELBOURNE)</pre>
names(data_dict_list) = c("dataset_TOKYO", "dataset_MELBOURNE")
data_dict_nest <- data_dict_list_nest(data_dict_list, name_group = 'table')</pre>
###### Example 1 search and filter through a column in 'Variables' element
data_dict_filter(data_dict_nest,filter_var = "valueType == 'text'")
##### Example 2 search and filter through a column in 'Categories' element
data_dict_filter(data_dict_nest,filter_cat = "missing == TRUE")
###### Example 3 search and filter through* a column in 'Variables' element.
# The column must exist in both 'Variables' and 'Categories' and have the
# same meaning
data_dict_filter(data_dict_nest,filter_all = "table == 'dataset_TOKYO'")
}
```

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data\_dict\_group\_by

Group listed data dictionaries by specified column names

# **Description**

Groups the data dictionary element(s) by the groups defined by the query. This function groups both the 'Variables' and 'Categories' elements (if the group exists under the same definition in in both). This function is analogous to running dplyr::group\_by(). Each element is named using the group values. data\_dict\_ungroup() reverses the effect.

# Usage

```
data_dict_group_by(data_dict, col)
```

## **Arguments**

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata to be transformed.

col variable to group by.

## **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A list of data frame(s) identifying a workable data dictionary structure.

#### See Also

```
dplyr::group_by(), data_dict_ungroup()
```

# **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
# Create a list of data dictionaries where the column 'table' is added to
# refer to the associated dataset. The object created is not a
# data dictionary per say, but can be used as a structure which can be
# shaped into a data dictionary.

data_dict_list <- list(
  data_dict_1 <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_TOKYO ,</pre>
```

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```
data_dict_2 <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_MELBOURNE)
names(data_dict_list) = c("dataset_TOKYO","dataset_MELBOURNE")

data_dict_nest <- data_dict_list_nest(data_dict_list, name_group = 'table')

data_dict_group_by(data_dict_nest, col = "table")
}</pre>
```

data\_dict\_group\_split Split grouped data dictionaries into a named list

# **Description**

Divides data dictionary element(s) into the groups defined by the query. This function divides both the 'Variables' and 'Categories' elements (if the group exists under the same definition in in both) into a list of data dictionaries, each with the rows of the associated group and all the original columns, including grouping variables. This function is analogous to running dplyr::group\_by() and dplyr::group\_split(). Each element is named using the group values. data\_dict\_list\_nest() reverses the effect.

#### Usage

```
data_dict_group_split(data_dict, ...)
```

## **Arguments**

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata to be transformed.

Column in the data dictionary to split it by. If not provided, the splitting will be done on the grouping element of a grouped data dictionary.

# **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A list of data frame(s) identifying a list of workable data dictionary structure.

# See Also

```
dplyr::group_by(), dplyr::group_split(), data_dict_group_by(), data_dict_list_nest()
```

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# **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(dplyr)
# Create a list of data dictionaries where the column 'table' is added to
# refer to the associated dataset. The object created is not a
# data dictionary per say, but can be used as a structure which can be
# shaped into a data dictionary.
data_dict_list <- list(</pre>
  data_dict_1 <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_TOKYO ,</pre>
  data_dict_2 <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_MELBOURNE)</pre>
names(data_dict_list) = c("dataset_TOKYO", "dataset_MELBOURNE")
data_dict_nest <-
  data_dict_list_nest(data_dict_list, name_group = 'table') %>%
  data_dict_group_by(col = "table")
glimpse(data_dict_group_split(data_dict_nest,col = "table"))
}
```

## **Description**

Binds a list of data dictionaries into one data dictionary. This is a wrapper function analogous to dplyr::bind\_rows().

#### Usage

```
data_dict_list_nest(data_dict_list, name_group = NULL)
```

# **Arguments**

data\_dict\_list A list of data frame(s) representing metadata to be transformed.

name\_group A character string of one column in the dataset that can be taken as a grouping column.

# **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must

contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A list of data frame(s) identifying a workable data dictionary structure.

#### See Also

```
dplyr::bind_rows()
```

# Examples

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(dplyr)

# Create a list of data dictionaries where the column 'table' is added to
# refer to the associated dataset. The object created is not a
# data dictionary per say, but can be used as a structure which can be
# shaped into a data dictionary.

data_dict_list <- list(
    data_dict_1 <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_TOKYO ,
    data_dict_2 <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_MELBOURNE)

names(data_dict_list) = c("dataset_TOKYO", "dataset_MELBOURNE")

glimpse(data_dict_list_nest(data_dict_list, name_group = 'table'))
}</pre>
```

data\_dict\_match\_dataset

Inner join between a dataset and its associated data dictionary

# Description

Performs an inner join between a dataset and its associated data dictionary, keeping only variables present in both. This function returns the matched dataset rows, the matched data dictionary rows, or both, in a list.

## Usage

```
data_dict_match_dataset(
  dataset,
  data_dict,
```

```
data_dict_apply = FALSE,
  output = c("dataset", "data_dict")
)
```

## Arguments

dataset A dataset object.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the input dataset.

data\_dict\_apply

Whether data dictionary(ies) should be applied to associated dataset(s), creating labelled dataset(s) with variable attributes. Any previous attributes will be

preserved. FALSE by default.

output A vector of character string which indicates if the function returns a dataset

('dataset'), data dictionary ('data\_dict') of both. Default is c('dataset', 'data\_dict').

## **Details**

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

## Value

Either a data frame, identifying the dataset, or a list of data frame(s) identifying a data dictionary. Returns both in a list by default.

# **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(dplyr)

dataset <- madshapR_DEMO$dataset_MELBOURNE %>% select(-1)
data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_MELBOURNE
head(data_dict_match_dataset(dataset, data_dict, out = 'dataset'))
glimpse(data_dict_match_dataset(dataset, data_dict, out = 'data_dict'))
}</pre>
```

```
data_dict_pivot_longer
```

Transform column(s) of a data dictionary from wide format to long format

# **Description**

Transforms column(s) of a data dictionary from wide format to long format. If a taxonomy is provided, the corresponding columns in the data dictionary will be converted to a standardized format with fewer columns. This operation is equivalent to performing a tidyr::pivot\_longer() on these columns following the taxonomy structure provided. Variable names in the data dictionary must be unique.

# Usage

```
data_dict_pivot_longer(data_dict, taxonomy = NULL)
```

# **Arguments**

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata to be transformed.

taxonomy An optional data frame identifying a variable classification schema.

# **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A taxonomy is a classification schema that can be defined for variable attributes. A taxonomy is usually extracted from an Opal environment, and a taxonomy object is a data frame that must contain at least the columns taxonomy, vocabulary, and terms. Additional details about Opal taxonomies are available online.

# Value

A list of data frame(s) identifying a data dictionary.

#### See Also

```
tidyr::pivot_longer(), as_data_dict()
```

# **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$`data_dict_PARIS - collapsed`
taxonomy <- madshapR_DEMO$taxonomy_PARIS
data_dict_pivot_longer(data_dict,taxonomy)
}</pre>
```

 ${\tt data\_dict\_pivot\_wider}$  Transform  ${\it column}(s)$  of a data dictionary from long format to wide format

# Description

Transforms column(s) of a data dictionary from long format to wide format. If a taxonomy is provided, the corresponding columns in the data dictionary will be converted to a format with the taxonomy expanded. This operation is equivalent to performing a tidyr::pivot\_wider() on these columns following the taxonomy structure provided. Variable names in the data dictionary must be unique.

## Usage

```
data_dict_pivot_wider(data_dict, taxonomy = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata to be transformed.

taxonomy An optional data frame identifying a variable classification schema.

## **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A taxonomy is a classification schema that can be defined for variable attributes. A taxonomy is usually extracted from an Opal environment, and a taxonomy object is a data frame that must contain at least the columns taxonomy, vocabulary, and terms. Additional details about Opal taxonomies are available online.

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#### Value

A list of data frame(s) identifying a data dictionary.

#### See Also

```
tidyr::pivot_wider(), as_data_dict()
```

## **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$`data_dict_PARIS - collapsed`
taxonomy <- madshapR_DEMO$taxonomy_PARIS
data_dict_pivot_wider(data_dict, taxonomy)
}</pre>
```

data\_dict\_ungroup

Ungroup data dictionary

# **Description**

Ungroups the data dictionary element(s). This function ungroups both the 'Variables' and 'Categories' elements (if both are grouped data frames). This function is analogous to running dplyr::ungroup(). data\_dict\_group\_by() allows to group a data dictionary and this function reverses the effect.

# Usage

```
data_dict_ungroup(data_dict)
```

# **Arguments**

data\_dict

A list of data frame(s) representing metadata to be transformed.

# **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

# Value

A list of data frame(s) identifying a workable data dictionary structure.

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## See Also

```
dplyr::ungroup() data_dict_group_by()
```

## **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
# Create a list of data dictionaries where the column 'table' is added to
# refer to the associated dataset. The object created is not a
# data dictionary per say, but can be used as a structure which can be
# shaped into a data dictionary.
library(dplyr)
data_dict_list <- list(</pre>
 data_dict_1 <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_TOKYO ,</pre>
 data_dict_2 <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_MELBOURNE)</pre>
names(data_dict_list) = c("dataset_TOKYO","dataset_MELBOURNE")
data_dict_nest <-
 data_dict_list_nest(data_dict_list, name_group = 'table') %>%
 data_dict_group_by(col = "table")
data_dict_ungroup(data_dict_nest)
}
```

data\_extract

Create an empty dataset from a data dictionary

# **Description**

Creates an empty dataset using information contained in a data dictionary. The column names are taken from 'name' in the 'Variables' element of the data dictionary. If a 'valueType' or alternatively 'typeof' column is provided, the class of each column is set accordingly (default is text).

## Usage

```
data_extract(data_dict, data_dict_apply = FALSE)
```

# **Arguments**

```
\mbox{data\_dict} \qquad A \mbox{ list of data frame}(s) \mbox{ representing metadata}. \\ \mbox{data\_dict\_apply}
```

Whether data dictionary(ies) should be applied to associated dataset(s), creating labelled dataset(s) with variable attributes. Any previous attributes will be preserved. FALSE by default.

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#### **Details**

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A data frame identifying the dataset created from the variable names list in 'Variables' element of the data dictionary.

# **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_MELBOURNE
data_extract(data_dict)
}</pre>
```

dossier\_create

Generate a dossier from a list of one or more datasets

# **Description**

Generates a dossier object (list of one or more datasets).

#### Usage

```
dossier_create(dataset_list, data_dict_apply = FALSE)
```

# **Arguments**

```
dataset_list A list of data frame, each of them being dataset object. data_dict_apply
```

Whether data dictionary(ies) should be applied to associated dataset(s), creating labelled dataset(s) with variable attributes. Any previous attributes will be preserved. FALSE by default.

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#### **Details**

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

#### Value

A list of data frame(s), containing input dataset(s).

# **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(dplyr)

###### Example 1: datasets can be gathered into a dossier which is a list.
dossier <- dossier_create(
  dataset_list = list(
    dataset_MELBOURNE = madshapR_DEMO$dataset_MELBOURNE,
    dataset_PARIS = madshapR_DEMO$dataset_PARIS ))

glimpse(dossier)

###### Example 2: Any data frame can be gathered into a dossier
glimpse(dossier_create(list(iris, mtcars)))
}</pre>
```

dossier\_evaluate

Generate an assessment report of a dossier

# **Description**

Assesses the content and structure of a dossier object (list of datasets) and generates reports of the results. This function can be used to evaluate data structure, presence of specific fields, coherence across elements, and data dictionary formats.

## Usage

```
dossier_evaluate(dossier, taxonomy = NULL, as_data_dict_mlstr = TRUE)
```

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# **Arguments**

dossier List of data frame, each of them being datasets.

taxonomy An optional data frame identifying a variable classification schema.

as\_data\_dict\_mlstr

Whether the input data dictionary should be coerced with specific format restrictions for compatibility with other Maelstrom Research software. TRUE by default.

#### **Details**

A dossier is a named list containing at least one data frame or more, each of them being datasets. The name of each data frame will be use as the reference name of the dataset.

A taxonomy is a classification schema that can be defined for variable attributes. A taxonomy is usually extracted from an Opal environment, and a taxonomy object is a data frame that must contain at least the columns taxonomy, vocabulary, and terms. Additional details about Opal taxonomies are available online.

The object may be specifically formatted to be compatible with additional Maelstrom Research software, in particular Opal environments.

#### Value

A list of data frames containing assessment reports.

## **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(dplyr)

###### Example : a dataset list is a dossier by definition.

dataset <- as_dataset(
    madshapR_DEMO$`dataset_TOKYO - errors with data`,
    col_id = 'part_id') %>% slice(0)

dossier <- as_dossier(list(dataset = dataset))

glimpse(dossier_evaluate(dossier,as_data_dict_mlstr = FALSE))
}</pre>
```

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Generate an assessment report and summary of a dossier

#### **Description**

Assesses and summarizes the content and structure of a dossier (list of datasets) and generates reports of the results. This function can be used to evaluate data structure, presence of specific fields, coherence across elements, and data dictionary formats, and to summarize additional information about variable distributions and descriptive statistics.

# Usage

```
dossier_summarize(
  dossier,
  group_by = NULL,
  taxonomy = NULL,
  valueType_guess = FALSE
)
```

# **Arguments**

dossier List of data frame(s), each of them being datasets.

group\_by A character string identifying the column in the dataset to use as a grouping

variable. Elements will be grouped by this column.

taxonomy An optional data frame identifying a variable classification schema.

valueType\_guess

Whether the output should include a more accurate valueType that could be

applied to the dataset. FALSE by default.

#### **Details**

A dossier is a named list containing at least one data frame or more, each of them being datasets. The name of each data frame will be use as the reference name of the dataset.

A taxonomy is a classification schema that can be defined for variable attributes. A taxonomy is usually extracted from an Opal environment, and a taxonomy object is a data frame that must contain at least the columns taxonomy, vocabulary, and terms. Additional details about Opal taxonomies are available online.

The valueType is a declared property of a variable that is required in certain functions to determine handling of the variables. Specifically, valueType refers to the OBiBa data type of a variable. The valueType is specified in a data dictionary in a column 'valueType' and can be associated with variables as attributes. Acceptable valueTypes include 'text', 'integer', 'decimal', 'boolean', datetime', 'date'. The full list of OBiBa valueType possibilities and their correspondence with R data types are available using valueType\_list. The valueType can be used to coerce the variable to the corresponding data type.

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# Value

A list of data frames containing overall assessment reports and summaries grouped by dataset.

# **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(dplyr)
###### Example 1: Combine functions and summarize datasets.
dossier <- list(iris = tibble())

dossier_summary <- dossier_summarize(dossier)
glimpse(dossier_summary)
}</pre>
```

drop\_category

Validate and coerce any object as a non-categorical variable.

# Description

**[Experimental]** Converts a vector object to a non-categorical object, typically a column in a data frame. The categories come from non-missing values present in the object and are suppressed from an associated data dictionary (when present).

# Usage

```
drop_category(x)
```

# **Arguments**

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object to be coerced.

# Value

A R object.

## **Examples**

```
{
head(iris[['Species']])
head(drop_category(iris[['Species']]))
}
```

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Test if an object is a valid dataset

# **Description**

Tests if the input object is a valid dataset. This function mainly helps validate input within other functions of the package but could be used to check if a dataset is valid.

**[Experimental]** Test if vector object is a categorical variable, typically a column in a data frame. This function mainly helps validate input within other functions of the package.

# Usage

```
is_category(x, threshold = NULL)
```

# **Arguments**

x object to be coerced.

threshold Optional. The function returns TRUE if the number of unique values in the input

vector is lower.

## Value

A logical.

# **Examples**

```
{
library(dplyr)
iris %>% summarise(across(everything(), is_category))
is_category(iris[['Species']])
}
```

is\_dataset

Test if an object is a valid dataset

## **Description**

Tests if the input object is a valid dataset. This function mainly helps validate input within other functions of the package but could be used to check if a dataset is valid.

# Usage

```
is_dataset(object)
```

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# **Arguments**

object

A potential dataset to be evaluated.

#### **Details**

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

#### Value

A logical.

## See Also

For a better assessment, please use dataset\_evaluate().

# **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
# any data frame can be a dataset by definition.
is_dataset(madshapR_DEMO$dataset_MELBOURNE)
is_dataset(iris)
is_dataset(AirPassengers)
}
```

is\_data\_dict

Test if an object is a valid data dictionary

# **Description**

Tests if the input object is a valid data dictionary. This function mainly helps validate input within other functions of the package but could be used to check if an object is valid for use in a function.

## Usage

```
is_data_dict(object)
```

# **Arguments**

object

A potential data dictionary to be evaluated.

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# **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A logical.

## See Also

For a better assessment, please use data\_dict\_evaluate().

# **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_MELBOURNE
is_data_dict(data_dict)
is_data_dict(iris)
}</pre>
```

is\_data\_dict\_mlstr

Test if an object is a valid Maelstrom data dictionary

# **Description**

Tests if the input object is a valid data dictionary compliant with formats used in Maelstrom Research ecosystem, including Opal. This function mainly helps validate input within other functions of the package but could be used to check if an object is valid for use in a function.

# Usage

```
is_data_dict_mlstr(object)
```

# **Arguments**

object

A potential Maelstrom formatted data dictionary to be evaluated.

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#### **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A logical.

## See Also

For a better assessment, please use data\_dict\_evaluate().

# **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_MELBOURNE
is_data_dict_mlstr(data_dict)
is_data_dict_mlstr(iris)
}</pre>
```

is\_data\_dict\_shape

Test if an object is a workable data dictionary structure

# **Description**

Tests if the input object has adequate structure to work with functions involving data dictionary shaping. This function mainly helps validate input within other functions of the package but could be used to check if an object is valid for use in a function.

# Usage

```
is_data_dict_shape(object)
```

# **Arguments**

object

A potential data dictionary structure to be evaluated.

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## **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

#### Value

A logical.

#### See Also

For a better assessment, please use data\_dict\_evaluate().

# **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

data_dict <- madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_MELBOURNE
is_data_dict_shape(data_dict)
is_data_dict_shape(iris)
}</pre>
```

is\_dossier

*Test if an object is a valid dossier (list of dataset(s))* 

# **Description**

Tests if the input object is a valid dossier. This function mainly helps validate input within other functions of the package but could be used to check if a dossier is valid.

# Usage

```
is_dossier(object)
```

# Arguments

object

A potential dossier to be evaluated.

## **Details**

A dossier is a named list containing at least one data frame or more, each of them being datasets. The name of each tibble will be use as the reference name of the dataset.

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# Value

A logical.

# **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
# Any list of data frame can be a dossier by definition.
library(stringr)

is_dossier(madshapR_DEMO[str_detect(names(madshapR_DEMO),"dataset")])
is_dossier(list(dataset_1 = iris, dataset_2 = mtcars))
is_dossier(iris)
}
```

is\_taxonomy

Test if an object is a valid taxonomy

# **Description**

Confirms whether the input object is a valid taxonomy. This function mainly helps validate input within other functions of the package but could be used to check if a taxonomy is valid.

# Usage

```
is_taxonomy(object)
```

# Arguments

object

A potential taxonomy to be evaluated.

#### **Details**

A taxonomy is a classification schema that can be defined for variable attributes. A taxonomy is usually extracted from an Opal environment, and a taxonomy object is a data frame that must contain at least the columns taxonomy, vocabulary, and terms. Additional details about Opal taxonomies are available online.

#### Value

A logical.

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# **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
is_taxonomy(madshapR_DEMO$taxonomy_PARIS)
}
```

is\_valueType

Test if a character object is one of the valid valueType values

# Description

Confirms whether the input object is a valid valueType. This function mainly helps validate input within other functions of the package but could be used to check if a valueType is valid.

# Usage

```
is_valueType(object)
```

# **Arguments**

object

A potential valueType name to be evaluated.

#### **Details**

The valueType is a declared property of a variable that is required in certain functions to determine handling of the variables. Specifically, valueType refers to the OBiBa data type of a variable. The valueType is specified in a data dictionary in a column 'valueType' and can be associated with variables as attributes. Acceptable valueTypes include 'text', 'integer', 'decimal', 'boolean', datetime', 'date'. The full list of OBiBa valueType possibilities and their correspondence with R data types are available using valueType\_list. The valueType can be used to coerce the variable to the corresponding data type.

#### Value

A logical.

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## **Examples**

```
{
is_valueType('integer')
is_valueType('integre')
}
```

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Built-in material allowing the user to test the package with demo data

# **Description**

Demo datasets and data dictionaries, and taxonomy, to provide illustrative examples of objects used by madshapR.

## Usage

madshapR\_DEMO

#### **Format**

list:

A list with 12 elements (data frames and lists) providing example objects for testing the package:

data\_dict\_MELBOURNE Example Data dictionary for Melbourne dataset

data\_dict\_PARIS Example Data dictionary for Paris dataset

data\_dict\_PARIS - collapsed Example Data dictionary for Paris with collapsed categories

data dict TOKYO Example Data dictionary for Tokyo dataset

data\_dict\_TOKYO - errors Data dictionary for Tokyo dataset with errors

data\_dict\_TOKYO - errors with data Example Data Dictionary for Tokyo dataset with errors
with Tokyo dataset

dataset\_MELBOURNE Example Dataset for MELBOURNE dataset

dataset\_PARIS Example Dataset for PARIS dataset

dataset TOKYO Example Dataset for TOKYO dataset

dataset\_TOKYO - errors with data Example dataset of Tokyo with errors with Tokyo data dictionary

taxonomy\_PARIS Example Taxonomy for Paris dataset

dataset\_summary Example of dataset summary ...

# **Examples**

```
{
  print(madshapR_DEMO$dataset_TOKYO)
}
```

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Call to online documentation

# Description

Direct call to the online documentation for the package, which includes a description of the latest version of the package, vignettes, user guides, and a reference list of functions and help pages.

# Usage

```
madshapR_website()
```

# Value

Nothing to be returned. The function opens a web page.

# Examples

```
{
madshapR_website()
}
```

summary\_variables

Provide descriptive statistics for variables in a dataset

# Description

Summarizes (in a data frame) the columns in a dataset and its data dictionary (if any). The summary provides information about quality, type, composition, and descriptive statistics of variables. Statistics are generated by valueType.

# Usage

```
summary_variables(
  dataset_preprocess = .dataset_preprocess,
  dataset = NULL,
  data_dict = NULL,
  .dataset_preprocess = NULL
)
```

#### **Arguments**

```
dataset_preprocess
```

A data frame which provides summary of the variables (used for internal processes and programming).

dataset A dataset object.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the input dataset. Automatically

generated if not provided.

.dataset\_preprocess

[Deprecated]

#### **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

## Value

A data frame providing statistical description of variables present in a dataset.

## **Examples**

```
{
library(dplyr)
###### Example : Any data frame can be a dataset by definition.
dataset_preprocess <- dataset_preprocess(dataset = iris)
glimpse(summary_variables(dataset_preprocess = dataset_preprocess))
}</pre>
```

summary\_variables\_categorical

Provide descriptive statistics for variables of categorical in a dataset

# **Description**

Summarizes (in a data frame) the columns of type 'categorical' in a dataset and its data dictionary (if any). The summary provides information about quality, type, composition, and descriptive statistics of variables. Statistics are generated by valueType.

# Usage

```
summary_variables_categorical(
  dataset_preprocess = .dataset_preprocess,
  dataset = NULL,
  data_dict = NULL,
  .dataset_preprocess = NULL
)
```

## **Arguments**

dataset\_preprocess

A data frame which provides summary of the variables (for internal processes

and programming).

dataset A dataset object.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the input dataset. Automatically

generated if not provided.

.dataset\_preprocess

[Deprecated]

# Details

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

The valueType is a declared property of a variable that is required in certain functions to determine handling of the variables. Specifically, valueType refers to the OBiBa data type of a variable. The valueType is specified in a data dictionary in a column 'valueType' and can be associated with variables as attributes. Acceptable valueTypes include 'text', 'integer', 'decimal', 'boolean', datetime', 'date'. The full list of OBiBa valueType possibilities and their correspondence with R data types are available using valueType\_list. The valueType can be used to coerce the variable to the corresponding data type.

## Value

A data frame providing statistical description of 'categorical' variables present in a dataset.

# **Examples**

```
{
library(dplyr)

###### Example : Any data frame can be a dataset by definition.
dataset_preprocess <- dataset_preprocess(dataset = iris['Species'])
glimpse(summary_variables_categorical(dataset_preprocess = dataset_preprocess))
}</pre>
```

summary\_variables\_date

Provide descriptive statistics for variables of type 'date' in a dataset

# **Description**

Summarizes (in a data frame) the columns of type 'date' in a dataset and its data dictionary (if any). The summary provides information about quality, type, composition, and descriptive statistics of variables. Statistics are generated by valueType.

## Usage

```
summary_variables_date(
  dataset_preprocess = .dataset_preprocess,
  dataset = NULL,
  data_dict = NULL,
  .dataset_preprocess = NULL
)
```

# **Arguments**

dataset\_preprocess

A data frame which provides summary of the variables (for internal processes and programming).

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dataset A dataset object.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the input dataset. Automatically

generated if not provided.

 $.dataset\_preprocess$ 

[Deprecated]

#### **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

#### Value

A data frame providing statistical description of 'date' variables present in a dataset.

# **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(dplyr)
library(fabR)

dataset <-
    madshapR_DEMO$dataset_TOKYO %>%
    mutate(dob = as_any_date(dob)) %>%
    select(dob) %>%
    head()

dataset_preprocess <- dataset_preprocess(dataset = dataset)
summary_variables_date(dataset_preprocess = dataset_preprocess)
}</pre>
```

summary\_variables\_datetime

Provide descriptive statistics for variables of type 'datetime' in a dataset

## **Description**

Summarizes (in a data frame) the columns of type 'datetime' in a dataset and its data dictionary (if any). The summary provides information about quality, type, composition, and descriptive statistics of variables. Statistics are generated by valueType.

#### Usage

```
summary_variables_datetime(
  dataset_preprocess = .dataset_preprocess,
  dataset = NULL,
  data_dict = NULL,
  .dataset_preprocess = NULL
)
```

# **Arguments**

dataset\_preprocess

A data frame which provides summary of the variables (for internal processes

and programming).

dataset A dataset object.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the input dataset. Automatically

generated if not provided.

.dataset\_preprocess

[Deprecated]

## **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

# Value

A data frame providing statistical description of 'datetime' variables present in a dataset.

## **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(dplyr)
library(lubridate)
library(fabR)

dataset_preprocess <-
   madshapR_DEMO$dataset_TOKYO %>%
   mutate(dob = as_datetime(as_any_date(dob))) %>%
```

```
select(dob) %>%
head() %>%
dataset_preprocess
glimpse(summary_variables_datetime(dataset_preprocess = dataset_preprocess))
}
```

summary\_variables\_numeric

Provide descriptive statistics for variables of type 'numeric' in a dataset

# **Description**

Summarizes (in a data frame) the columns of type 'numeric' in a dataset and its data dictionary (if any). The summary provides information about quality, type, composition, and descriptive statistics of variables. Statistics are generated by valueType.

# Usage

```
summary_variables_numeric(
  dataset_preprocess = .dataset_preprocess,
  dataset = NULL,
  data_dict = NULL,
  .dataset_preprocess = NULL
)
```

## **Arguments**

dataset\_preprocess

A data frame which provides summary of the variables (for internal processes

and programming).

dataset A dataset object.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the input dataset. Automatically

generated if not provided.

.dataset\_preprocess

[Deprecated]

### **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

#### Value

A data frame providing statistical description of 'numerical' variables present in a dataset.

# **Examples**

```
{
library(dplyr)
###### Example : Any data frame can be a dataset by definition.
dataset_preprocess <- dataset_preprocess(dataset = iris)
glimpse(summary_variables_numeric(dataset_preprocess = dataset_preprocess))
}</pre>
```

summary\_variables\_text

Provide descriptive statistics for variables of type 'text' in a dataset

# Description

Summarizes (in a data frame) the columns of type 'text' in a dataset and its data dictionary (if any). The summary provides information about quality, type, composition, and descriptive statistics of variables. Statistics are generated by valueType.

#### Usage

```
summary_variables_text(
  dataset_preprocess = .dataset_preprocess,
  dataset = NULL,
  data_dict = NULL,
  .dataset_preprocess = NULL
)
```

## **Arguments**

dataset\_preprocess

A data frame which provides summary of the variables (for internal processes and programming).

dataset A dataset object.

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```
data_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the input dataset. Automatically generated if not provided.

.dataset_preprocess
```

[Deprecated]

#### **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

#### Value

A data frame providing statistical description of 'text' variables present in a dataset.

# **Examples**

```
{
###### Example : Any data frame can be a dataset by definition.
library(dplyr)

dataset_preprocess <- dataset_preprocess(dataset = starwars['homeworld'])
glimpse(summary_variables_text(dataset_preprocess = dataset_preprocess))
}</pre>
```

valueType\_adjust

Attribute the valueType from a data dictionary to a dataset, or vice versa

# **Description**

Takes the valueType of the input (from) and attributes it to the output (to). The parameters 'from' and 'to' can be either a dataset or a data dictionary. Depending on the input provided, the valueType replaced is either in the 'valueType' column of a data dictionary or cast to a column in a dataset. If 'to' is not provided, the function calls valueType\_self\_adjust() instead. The possible values returned are 'date', 'boolean', 'integer', 'decimal', and text'.

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#### Usage

```
valueType_adjust(from, to = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

from Object to be adjusted. Can be either a dataset or a data dictionary.

to Object to be adjusted. Can be either a dataset or a data dictionary. NULL by

default.

#### **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

The valueType is a declared property of a variable that is required in certain functions to determine handling of the variables. Specifically, valueType refers to the OBiBa data type of a variable. The valueType is specified in a data dictionary in a column 'valueType' and can be associated with variables as attributes. Acceptable valueTypes include 'text', 'integer', 'decimal', 'boolean', datetime', 'date'. The full list of OBiBa valueType possibilities and their correspondence with R data types are available using valueType\_list. The valueType can be used to coerce the variable to the corresponding data type.

#### Value

Either a data frame, identifying the dataset, or a list of data frame(s) identifying a data dictionary, depending which is 'to'.

## See Also

```
valueType_self_adjust()
```

# **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
library(dplyr)

dataset <- madshapR_DEMO$dataset_TOKYO[c(1:4),'prg_ever']
data_dict <-
    madshapR_DEMO$data_dict_TOKYO %>%
```

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```
data_dict_filter(filter_var = 'name == "prg_ever"') %>%
as_data_dict_mlstr()
head(valueType_adjust(from = data_dict,to = dataset))
}
```

valueType\_guess

Guess the first possible valueType of an object (Can be a vector)

# Description

Provides the first possible valueType of a variable. The function tries to assign the valueType of the object first to 'boolean', then 'integer', then 'decimal', then 'date'. If all others fail, the default valueType is 'text'.

# Usage

```
valueType_guess(x)
```

#### **Arguments**

Χ

Object. Can be a vector.

#### Details

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

The valueType is a declared property of a variable that is required in certain functions to determine handling of the variables. Specifically, valueType refers to the OBiBa data type of a variable. The valueType is specified in a data dictionary in a column 'valueType' and can be associated with variables as attributes. Acceptable valueTypes include 'text', 'integer', 'decimal', 'boolean', datetime', 'date'. The full list of OBiBa valueType possibilities and their correspondence with R data types are available using valueType\_list. The valueType can be used to coerce the variable to the corresponding data type.

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# Value

A character string which is the first possible valueType of the input object.

## See Also

Opal documentation

# **Examples**

```
{
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package
dataset <- madshapR_DEMO$dataset_TOKYO
valueType_guess(dataset$dob)
valueType_guess(mtcars$cyl)
}</pre>
```

valueType\_list

Built-in data frame of allowed valueType values

## **Description**

Provides a built-in data frame showing the list of allowed Opal valueType values and their corresponding R data types. This data frame is mainly used for internal processes and programming.

# Usage

```
valueType_list
```

## **Format**

```
data.frame:
A data frame with 12 rows and 7 columns:

valueType data type as described in Opal
typeof data type provided by base::typeof
class data class provided by base::class
call function to transpose object according base::do.call function
toValueType ensemble data type as described in Opal
toTypeof ensemble data type provided by base::typeof
genericType ensemble data type which valueType belongs ...
```

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#### **Details**

The valueType is a declared property of a variable that is required in certain functions to determine handling of the variables. Specifically, valueType refers to the OBiBa data type of a variable. The valueType is specified in a data dictionary in a column 'valueType' and can be associated with variables as attributes. Acceptable valueTypes include 'text', 'integer', 'decimal', 'boolean', datetime', 'date'. The full list of OBiBa valueType possibilities and their correspondence with R data types are available using valueType\_list. The valueType can be used to coerce the variable to the corresponding data type.

#### See Also

Opal documentation

# **Examples**

```
{
print(valueType_list)
}
```

valueType\_of

Return the valueType of an object

# Description

Determines the valueType of an object based on typeof() and class(). The possible values returned are 'date', 'boolean', 'integer', 'decimal', and 'text'.

# Usage

```
valueType_of(x)
```

## **Arguments**

Χ

Object. Can be a vector.

#### **Details**

The valueType is a declared property of a variable that is required in certain functions to determine handling of the variables. Specifically, valueType refers to the OBiBa data type of a variable. The valueType is specified in a data dictionary in a column 'valueType' and can be associated with variables as attributes. Acceptable valueTypes include 'text', 'integer', 'decimal', 'boolean', datetime', 'date'. The full list of OBiBa valueType possibilities and their correspondence with R data types are available using valueType\_list. The valueType can be used to coerce the variable to the corresponding data type.

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#### Value

A character string which is the valueType of the input object.

#### See Also

```
typeof(), class() Opal documentation
```

# **Examples**

```
# use madshapR_DEMO provided by the package

dataset <- madshapR_DEMO$dataset_MELBOURNE
valueType_of(dataset$Gender)
valueType_of(iris$Sepal.Length)
}</pre>
```

valueType\_self\_adjust Guess and attribute the valueType of a data dictionary or dataset variable

# **Description**

Determines the valueType of an object based on base::typeof() and base::class(). The possible values returned are 'date', 'boolean', 'integer', 'decimal', and 'text'.

## Usage

```
valueType_self_adjust(...)
```

#### **Arguments**

... Object that can be either a dataset or a data dictionary.

# **Details**

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing

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can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

The valueType is a declared property of a variable that is required in certain functions to determine handling of the variables. Specifically, valueType refers to the OBiBa data type of a variable. The valueType is specified in a data dictionary in a column 'valueType' and can be associated with variables as attributes. Acceptable valueTypes include 'text', 'integer', 'decimal', 'boolean', datetime', 'date'. The full list of OBiBa valueType possibilities and their correspondence with R data types are available using valueType\_list. The valueType can be used to coerce the variable to the corresponding data type.

#### Value

Either a data frame, identifying the dataset, or a list of data frame(s) identifying a data dictionary, depending which the input refers to.

#### See Also

```
valueType_adjust()

Examples

{
    ###### Example : The valueType of a dataset can be adjusted. each column is
    # evaluated as whole, and the best valueType match found is applied. If
    # there is no better match found, the column is left as it is.
    head(valueType_self_adjust(mtcars['cyl']))
}
```

variable\_visualize

Generate a list of charts, figures and summary tables of a variable

#### **Description**

Analyses the content of a variable and its data dictionary (if any), identifies its data type and values accordingly and generates figures and summaries (datatable format). The figures and tables are representations of data distribution, statistics and valid/non valid/missing values (based on the data dictionary information if provided and the data type of the variable). This function can be used to personalize report parameters and is internally used in the function dataset\_visualize(). Up to seven objects are generated which include: One datatable of the key elements of the data dictionary, one datatable summarizing statistics (such as mean, quartile, most seen value, most recent date, ... , depending on the data type of the variable), two graphs showing the distribution of the variable, One bar chart for categorical values (if any), One bar chart for missing values (if any), One pie chart for the proportion of valid and missing values (if any). The variable can be grouped using group\_by parameter, which is a (categorical) column in the dataset. The user may need to use as\_category()

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in this context. To fasten the process (and allow recycling object in a workflow) the user can feed the function with a variable\_summary, which is the output of the function dataset\_summarize() of the column(s) col and group\_by. The summary must have the same parameters to operate.

# Usage

```
variable_visualize(
  dataset = tibble(id = as.character()),
  col,
  data_dict = NULL,
  group_by = NULL,
  valueType_guess = FALSE,
  variable_summary = .summary_var,
  .summary_var = NULL
)
```

# **Arguments**

dataset A dataset object.

col A character string specifying the name of the column.

data\_dict A list of data frame(s) representing metadata of the input dataset. Automatically

generated if not provided.

group\_by A character string identifying the column in the dataset to use as a grouping

variable. Elements will be grouped by this column.

valueType\_guess

Whether the output should include a more accurate valueType that could be

applied to the dataset. FALSE by default.

variable\_summary

A summary list which is the summary of the variables.

.summary\_var [Deprecated]

# **Details**

A dataset is a data table containing variables. A dataset object is a data frame and can be associated with a data dictionary. If no data dictionary is provided with a dataset, a minimum workable data dictionary will be generated as needed within relevant functions. Identifier variable(s) for indexing can be specified by the user. The id values must be non-missing and will be used in functions that require it. If no identifier variable is specified, indexing is handled automatically by the function.

A data dictionary contains the list of variables in a dataset and metadata about the variables and can be associated with a dataset. A data dictionary object is a list of data frame(s) named 'Variables' (required) and 'Categories' (if any). To be usable in any function, the data frame 'Variables' must contain at least the name column, with all unique and non-missing entries, and the data frame 'Categories' must contain at least the variable and name columns, with unique combination of variable and name.

The valueType is a declared property of a variable that is required in certain functions to determine handling of the variables. Specifically, valueType refers to the OBiBa data type of a variable. The valueType is specified in a data dictionary in a column 'valueType' and can be associated

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with variables as attributes. Acceptable valueTypes include 'text', 'integer', 'decimal', 'boolean', datetime', 'date'. The full list of OBiBa valueType possibilities and their correspondence with R data types are available using valueType\_list. The valueType can be used to coerce the variable to the corresponding data type.

## Value

A list of up to seven elements (charts and figures and datatables) which can be used to summarize visualize data.

## See Also

```
DT::datatable(), ggplot2::ggplot() dataset_summarize(), dataset_visualize()
```

# **Examples**

}

```
library(dplyr)
library(fs)

dataset <- madshapR_DEMO$dataset_TOKYO

variable_summary <- madshapR_DEMO$`dataset_summary`

variable_visualize(
   dataset, col = 'height',
   variable_summary = variable_summary,valueType_guess = TRUE)

variable_visualize(
   dataset, col = 'height',
   variable_summary = variable_summary,valueType_guess = TRUE)</pre>
```

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