

Package ‘WikidataQueryServiceR’

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<<https://query.wikidata.org/>>.

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readr (>= 1.3.1), rex (>= 1.2.0)

Suggests testthat (>= 2.3.0), lintr (>= 2.0.1)

URL <https://github.com/bearloga/WikidataQueryServiceR>

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`get_example`*Get an example SPARQL query from Wikidata*

Description

Gets the specified example(s) from [SPARQL query service examples page](#) using [Wikidata's MediaWiki API](#).

Usage

```
get_example(example_name)
```

Arguments

`example_name` the names of the examples as they appear on [this page](#)

Details

If you are planning on extracting multiple examples, please provide all the names as a single vector for efficiency.

Value

The SPARQL query as a character vector.

See Also

[query_wikidata](#)

Examples

```
## Not run:
sparql_query <- extract_example(c("Cats", "Horses"))
query_wikidata(sparql_query)
# returns a named list with two data frames
# one called "Cats" and one called "Horses"

sparql_query <- extract_example("Largest cities with female mayor")
cat(sparql_query)
query_wikidata(sparql_query)

## End(Not run)
```

query_wikidata	<i>Send one or more SPARQL queries to WDQS</i>
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Description

Makes a POST request to Wikidata Query Service SPARQL endpoint.

Usage

```
query_wikidata(sparql_query, format = c("simple", "smart"))
```

Arguments

sparql_query	SPARQL query (can be a vector of queries)
format	"simple" uses CSV and returns pure character data frame, while "smart" fetches JSON-formatted data and returns a data frame with datetime columns converted to POSIXct

Value

A tibble data frame

Query limits

There is a hard query deadline configured which is set to 60 seconds. There are also following limits:

- One client (user agent + IP) is allowed 60 seconds of processing time each 60 seconds
- One client is allowed 30 error queries per minute See [query limits section](#) in the WDQS user manual for more information.

See Also

[get_example](#)

Examples

```
sparql_query <- "SELECT
  ?softwareVersion ?publicationDate
WHERE {
  BIND(wd:Q206904 AS ?R)
  ?R p:P348 [
    ps:P348 ?softwareVersion;
    pq:P577 ?publicationDate
  ] .
}"
query_wikidata(sparql_query)
```

```
## Not run:  
query_wikidata(sparql_query, format = "smart")  
  
## End(Not run)
```

WDQSR-deprecated

Deprecated functions

Description

Why did I have to go and make things so deprecated?

Usage

```
scrape_example(example_name, ...)
```

Arguments

example_name the names of the examples as they appear on [this page](#)
... ignored (kept for backwards-compatibility)

Functions

- scrape_example: use [get_example](#) instead which employs [WikipediR::page_content](#)

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