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assets_functions	<i>Assets functions</i>
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## Description

These functions provide support to work with `doc_items` and `doc_item` item objects.

- `assets_download()`: Downloads the assets provided by the STAC API.
- `assets_url()`: **[Experimental]** Returns a character vector with each asset href. For the URL, you can add the GDAL library drivers for the following schemes: HTTP/HTTPS files, S3 (AWS S3) and GS (Google Cloud Storage).
- `assets_select()`: **[Experimental]** Selects the assets of each item by its name (`asset_names` parameter), by expressions (`... parameter`), or by a selection function (`select_fn` parameter). Note: This function can produce items with empty assets. In this case, users can use the `items_compact()` function to remove items with no assets.
- `assets_rename()`: **[Experimental]** Rename each asset using a named list or a function.

**Usage**

```
assets_download(  
  items,  
  asset_names = NULL,  
  output_dir = getwd(),  
  overwrite = FALSE,  
  ...,  
  use_gdal = FALSE,  
  download_fn = NULL  
)  
  
## S3 method for class 'doc_item'  
assets_download(  
  items,  
  asset_names = NULL,  
  output_dir = getwd(),  
  overwrite = FALSE,  
  ...,  
  use_gdal = FALSE,  
  create_json = FALSE,  
  download_fn = NULL  
)  
  
## S3 method for class 'doc_items'  
assets_download(  
  items,  
  asset_names = NULL,  
  output_dir = getwd(),  
  overwrite = FALSE,  
  ...,  
  use_gdal = FALSE,  
  download_fn = NULL,  
  create_json = TRUE,  
  items_max = Inf,  
  progress = TRUE  
)  
  
## Default S3 method:  
assets_download(  
  items,  
  asset_names = NULL,  
  output_dir = getwd(),  
  overwrite = FALSE,  
  ...,  
  use_gdal = FALSE,  
  create_json = FALSE,  
  download_fn = NULL  
)
```

```
assets_url(items, asset_names = NULL, append_gdalvsi = FALSE)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
assets_url(items, asset_names = NULL, append_gdalvsi = FALSE)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
assets_url(items, asset_names = NULL, append_gdalvsi = FALSE)

## Default S3 method:
assets_url(items, asset_names = NULL, append_gdalvsi = FALSE)

assets_select(items, ..., asset_names = NULL, select_fn = NULL)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
assets_select(items, ..., asset_names = NULL, select_fn = NULL)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
assets_select(items, ..., asset_names = NULL, select_fn = NULL)

## Default S3 method:
assets_select(items, ..., asset_names = NULL, select_fn = NULL)

assets_rename(items, mapper = NULL, ...)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
assets_rename(items, mapper = NULL, ...)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
assets_rename(items, mapper = NULL, ...)

## Default S3 method:
assets_rename(items, mapper = NULL, ...)

has_assets(items)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
has_assets(items)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
has_assets(items)

## Default S3 method:
has_assets(items)

asset_key()

asset_eo_bands(field)
```

```
asset_raster_bands(field)
```

### Arguments

items	a doc_item or doc_items object representing the result of /stac/search, /collections/{collectionId} or /collections/{collectionId}/items/{itemId} endpoints.
asset_names	a character vector with the names of the assets to be selected.
output_dir	a character directory in which the assets will be saved. Default is the working directory (getwd())
overwrite	a logical if TRUE will replace the existing file, if FALSE, a warning message is shown.
...	additional arguments. See details.
use_gdal	a logical indicating if the file should be downloaded by GDAL instead http package.
download_fn	a function to handle download of assets for each item to be downloaded. Using this function, you can change the hrefs for each asset, as well as the way download is done.
create_json	a logical indicating if a JSON file with item metadata (doc_item or doc_items) must be created in the output directory.
items_max	a numeric corresponding to how many items will be downloaded.
progress	a logical indicating if a progress bar must be shown or not. Defaults to TRUE.
append_gdalvsi	a logical value. If true, gdal drivers are included in the URL of each asset. The following schemes are supported: HTTP/HTTPS files, S3 (AWS S3) and GS (Google Cloud Storage).
select_fn	a function to select assets an item (doc_item or doc_items). This function receives as parameter the asset element and, optionally, the asset name. Asset elements contain metadata describing spatial-temporal objects. Users can provide a function to select assets based on this metadata by returning a logical value where TRUE selects the asset, and FALSE discards it.
mapper	either a named list or a function to rename assets of an item (doc_item or doc_items). In the case of a named list, use <old name> = <new name> to rename the assets. The function can be used to rename the assets by returning a character string using the metadata contained in the asset object.
field	a character with the name of the asset field to return.

### Details

Ellipsis argument (...) appears in different assets functions and has distinct purposes:

- `assets_download()`: ellipsis is used to pass additional `httr` options to [GET](#) or [POST](#) methods, such as [add\\_headers](#) or [set\\_cookies](#).
- `assets_select()`: ellipsis is used to pass expressions that will be evaluated against each asset metadata. Expressions must be evaluated as a logical value where TRUE selects the asset and FALSE discards it. Multiple expressions are combine with AND operator. Expressions can use

asset helper functions (i.e. `asset_key()`, `asset_eo_bands()`, and `asset_raster_bands()`). Multiple expressions are combined with AND operator. `assets_select()` uses non-standard evaluation to evaluate its expressions. That means users must escape any variable or call to be able to use them in the expressions. The escape is done by using double-curly-braces, i.e., `{{variable}}`.

**WARNING:** Errors in the evaluation of expressions are considered as FALSE.

- `assets_rename()`: ellipsis is used to pass named parameters to be processed in the same way as the named list in mapper argument.

## Value

- `assets_download()`: returns the same input object item (`doc_item` or `doc_items`) where href properties point to the download assets.
- `assets_url()`: returns a character vector with all assets href of an item (`doc_item` or `doc_items`).
- `assets_select()`: returns the same input object item (`doc_item` or `doc_items`) with the selected assets.
- `assets_rename()`: returns the same input object item (`doc_items` or `doc_item`) with the assets renamed.

## See Also

[stac\\_search\(\)](#), [items\(\)](#), [get\\_request\(\)](#)

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# assets_download function
stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  stac_search(collections = "CB4-16D-2",
             datetime = "2019-06-01/2019-08-01") %>%
  stac_search() %>%
  get_request() %>%
  assets_download(asset_names = "thumbnail", output_dir = tempdir())

## End(Not run)

## Not run:
# assets_url function
stac_item <- stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  stac_search(collections = "CB4-16D-2", limit = 100,
             datetime = "2017-08-01/2018-03-01",
             bbox = c(-48.206, -14.195, -45.067, -12.272)) %>%
  get_request() %>% items_fetch(progress = FALSE)

stac_item %>% assets_url()

## End(Not run)

## Not run:
```

```

# assets_select function
stac_item <- stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  stac_search(collections = "CB4-16D-2", limit = 100,
             datetime = "2017-08-01/2018-03-01",
             bbox = c(-48.206,-14.195,-45.067,-12.272)) %>%
  get_request() %>% items_fetch(progress = FALSE)

stac_item %>% assets_select(asset_names = "NDVI")

## End(Not run)

## Not run:
items <- stac("https://planetarycomputer.microsoft.com/api/stac/v1") %>%
  stac_search(collections = c("landsat-8-c2-l2", "sentinel-2-l2a"),
             bbox = c(xmin = -64.85976089, ymin = -10.49199395,
                    xmax = -64.79272527, ymax = -10.44736091),
             datetime = "2019-01-01/2019-06-28",
             limit = 50) %>%
  post_request()

# Selects assets by name
items <- assets_select(items,
                      asset_names = c("B02", "B03", "SR_B1", "SR_B2"))

# Renames the landsat assets
items <- assets_rename(items,
                      SR_B1 = "blue",
                      SR_B2 = "green",
                      B02 = "blue",
                      B03 = "green")

# Get the assets url's
assets_url(items)

## End(Not run)

```

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collections

*Endpoint functions*

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## Description

The collections function implements the WFS3 /collections and /collections/{collectionId} endpoints.

Each endpoint retrieves specific STAC objects:

- /collections: Returns a list of STAC Collections published in the STAC service
- /collections/{collectionId}: Returns a single STAC Collection object

## Usage

```
collections(q, collection_id = NULL, limit = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>q</code>	a <code>rstac_query</code> object expressing a STAC query criteria.
<code>collection_id</code>	a character collection id to be retrieved.
<code>limit</code>	an integer defining the maximum number of results to return. If not informed, it defaults to the service implementation.

**Value**

A `rstac_query` object with the subclass `collections` for `/collections/` endpoint, or a `collection_id` subclass for `/collections/{collection_id}` endpoint, containing all search field parameters to be provided to STAC API web service.

**See Also**

[get\\_request\(\)](#), [post\\_request\(\)](#), [items\(\)](#)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  collections() %>%
  get_request()

stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  collections(collection_id = "CB4-16D-2") %>%
  get_request()

## End(Not run)
```

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collections\_functions *Collections functions*

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**Description**

These functions provide support to work with `doc_collectionsobjects`.

- `collections_length()`: **[Experimental]** shows how many items there are in the `doc_items` object.
- `collections_matched()`: **[Experimental]** shows how many items matched the search criteria.
- `collections_fetch()`: **[Experimental]** request all STAC Items through pagination.
- `collections_next()`: **[Experimental]** fetches a new page from STAC service.

## Usage

```
collections_next(collections, ...)  
  
collections_matched(collections, matched_field)  
  
collections_length(collections)  
  
collections_fetch(collections, ..., progress = TRUE, matched_field = NULL)
```

## Arguments

`collections` a `doc_collections` object.  
`...` additional arguments. See details.  
`matched_field` a character vector with the path where is the number of collections returned.  
`progress` a logical indicating if a progress bar must be shown or not. Defaults to `TRUE`.

## Details

Ellipsis argument (`...`) appears in different items functions and has distinct purposes:

- `collections_fetch()` and `collections_next()`: ellipsis is used to pass additional http options to [GET](#) method, such as [add\\_headers](#) or [set\\_cookies](#).

## Value

- `collections_length()`: an integer value.
- `collections_matched()`: returns an integer value if the STAC web server does support this extension. Otherwise returns `NULL`.
- `collections_fetch()`: a `doc_items` with all matched items.
- `collections_next()`: fetches a new page from STAC service.

## Examples

```
## Not run:  
# doc_items object  
stac("https://cmr.earthdata.nasa.gov/stac/LPCLLOUD") |>  
  collections() |>  
  get_request() |>  
  collections_fetch()  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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conformance	<i>doc_conformance endpoint</i>
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### Description

The conformance endpoint provides the capabilities of the service. This endpoint is accessible from the provider's catalog (/conformance).

### Usage

```
conformance(q)
```

### Arguments

q                    a `rstac_query` object expressing a STAC query criteria.

### Value

A `rstac_query` object with the subclass `conformance` for /conformance endpoint.

### See Also

[get\\_request\(\)](#), [stac\(\)](#), [collections\(\)](#)

### Examples

```
## Not run:
stac("https://planetarycomputer.microsoft.com/api/stac/v1") %>%
  conformance() %>% get_request()

## End(Not run)
```

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cql2_helpers	<i>CQL2 helper function</i>
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### Description

These are helper functions to easy construction CQL2 expressions. These functions are not meant to be used in expressions and they must be escaped using `{{` to be evaluated before request.

**Usage**

```

cql2_bbox_as_geojson(bbox)

cql2_date(x)

cql2_timestamp(x)

cql2_interval(start = "..", end = "..")

```

**Arguments**

```

bbox          a numeric containing a bbox with c(xmin, ymin, xmax, ymax).
x, start, end a character string containing valid date or timestamp.

```

**Details**

- `cql2_bbox_as_geojson()`: used to convert bounding box (bbox) to a GeoJSON object to be used as argument of CQL2 spatial operators.
- `cql2_date()`, `cql2_timestamp()`, and `cql2_interval()`: create temporal literal values to be passed into CQL2 expressions.

**Value**

- `cql2_bbox_as_geojson()`: GeoJSON object.
- `cql2_date()`, `cql2_timestamp()`, and `cql2_interval()`: internal rstack expressions representing temporal values.

**Examples**

```

## Not run:
bbox <- c(-122.2751, 47.5469, -121.9613, 47.7458)

cql2_json(
  collection == "landsat-c2-l2" &&
  t_intersects(datetime, {{
    cql2_interval("2020-12-01", "2020-12-31")
  }}) &&
  s_intersects(geometry, {{
    cql2_bbox_as_geojson(bbox)
  }})
)

## End(Not run)

```

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 ext\_filter

*Filter extension*


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### Description

**[Experimental]** `ext_filter()` implements Common Query Language (CQL2) filter extension on `rstac`. This extension expands the filter capabilities providing a query language to construct more complex expressions. CQL2 is an OGC standard and defines how filters can be constructed. It supports predicates for standard data types like strings, numbers, and boolean as well as for spatial geometries (point, lines, polygons) and temporal data (instants and intervals).

**[Experimental]** `cql2_json()` and `cql2_text()` are helper functions that can be used to show how expressions are converted into CQL2 standard, either JSON or TEXT formats.

`rstac` translates R expressions to CQL2, allowing users to express their filter criteria using R language. For more details on how to create CQL2 expressions in `rstac`. See the details section.

### Usage

```
ext_filter(q, expr, lang = NULL, crs = NULL)
```

```
cql2_json(expr)
```

```
cql2_text(expr)
```

### Arguments

<code>q</code>	a <code>rstac_query</code> object expressing a STAC query criteria.
<code>expr</code>	a valid R expression to be translated to CQL2 (see details).
<code>lang</code>	a character value indicating which CQL2 representation to be used. It can be either "cql2-text" (for plain text) or "cql2-json" (for JSON format). If NULL (default), "cql2-text" is used for HTTP GET requests and "cql2-json" for POST requests.
<code>crs</code>	an optional character value informing the coordinate reference system used by geometry objects. If NULL (default), STAC services assume "WGS 84".

### Details

To allow users to express filter criteria in R language, `rstac` takes advantage of the abstract syntax tree (AST) to translate R expressions to CQL2 expressions. The following topics describe the correspondences between `rstac` expressions and CQL2 operators.

#### Non-standard evaluation:

- `ext_filter()` uses non-standard evaluation to evaluate its expressions. That means users must escape any variable or call to be able to use them in the expressions. The escape is done by using double-curly-braces, i.e., `{{variable}}`.

#### Standard comparison operators:

- ==, >=, <=, >, <, and != operators correspond to =, >=, <=, >, <, and <> in CQL2, respectively.
- function is\_null(a) and !is\_null(a) corresponds to a IS NULL and a IS NOT NULL CQL2 operators, respectively.

#### Advanced comparison operators:

- a %like% b corresponds to CQL2 a LIKE b, a and b strings values.
- between(a, b, c) corresponds to CQL2 a BETWEEN b AND c, where b and c integer values.
- a %in% b corresponds to CQL2 a IN (b), where b should be a list of values of the same type as a.

#### Spatial operators:

- functions s\_intersects(a, b), s\_touches(a, b), s\_within(a, b), s\_overlaps(a, b), s\_crosses(a, b), and s\_contains(a, b) corresponds to CQL2 S\_INTERSECTS(a, b), S\_TOUCHES(a, b), S\_WITHIN(a, b), S\_OVERLAPS(a, b), S\_CROSSES(a, b), and S\_CONTAINS(a, b) operators, respectively. Here, a and b should be geometry objects. rstac accepts sf, sfc, sfg, list (representing GeoJSON objects), or character (representing either GeoJSON or WKT).
- **NOTE:** All of the above spatial object types, except for the character, representing a WKT, may lose precision due to numeric truncation when R converts numbers to JSON text. WKT strings are sent "as is" to the service. Therefore, the only way for users to retain precision on spatial objects is to represent them as a WKT string. However, user can control numeric precision using the options(stac\_digits = ...). The default value is 15 digits.

#### Temporal operators:

- functions date(a), timestamp(a), and interval(a, b) corresponds to CQL2 DATE(a), TIMESTAMP(a), and INTERVAL(a, b) operators, respectively. These functions create literal temporal values. The first two define an instant type, and the third an interval type.
- functions t\_after(a, b), t\_before(a, b), t\_contains(a, b), t\_disjoint(a, b), t\_during(a, b), t\_equals(a, b), t\_finishedby(a, b), t\_finishes(a, b), t\_intersects(a, b), t\_meets(a, b), t\_meet(a, b), t\_metby(a, b), t\_overlappedby(a, b), t\_overlaps(a, b), t\_startedby(a, b), and t\_starts(a, b) corresponds to CQL2 T\_AFTER(a, b), T\_BEFORE(a, b), T\_CONTAINS(a, b), T\_DISJOINT(a, b), T\_DURING(a, b), T\_EQUALS(a, b), T\_FINISHEDBY(a, b), T\_FINISHES(a, b), T\_INTERSECTS(a, b), T\_MEETS(a, b), T\_MEET(a, b), T\_METBY(a, b), T\_OVERLAPPEDBY(a, b), T\_OVERLAPS(a, b), T\_STARTEDBY(a, b), and T\_STARTS(a, b) operators, respectively. Here, a and b are temporal values (instant or interval, depending on function).

#### Array Operators:

- R unnamed lists (or vectors of size > 1) are translated to arrays by rstac. list() and c() functions always create array values in CQL2 context, no matter the number of its arguments.
- functions a\_equals(a, b), a\_contains(a, b), a\_containedby(a, b), and a\_overlaps(a, b) corresponds to CQL2 A\_EQUALS(a, b), A\_CONTAINS(a, b), A\_CONTAINEDBY(a, b), and A\_OVERLAPS(a, b) operators, respectively. Here, a and b should be arrays.

#### Value

A rstac\_query object with the subclass ext\_filter containing all request parameters to be passed to get\_request() or post\_request() function.

**Note**

The specification states that double-quoted identifiers should be interpreted as properties. However, the R language does not distinguish double quote from single quote strings. The right way to represent double quoted properties in R is to use the escape character (`\`), for example `"date"`.

**See Also**

[ext\\_query\(\)](#), [stac\\_search\(\)](#), [post\\_request\(\)](#), [before\\_request\(\)](#), [after\\_response\(\)](#), [content\\_response\(\)](#)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Standard comparison operators in rstac:
# Creating a stac search query
req <- stac("https://planetarycomputer.microsoft.com/api/stac/v1") %>%
  stac_search(limit = 5)

# Equal operator '=' with collection property
req %>% ext_filter(collection == "sentinel-2-l2a") %>% post_request()

# Not equal operator '!=' with collection property
req %>% ext_filter(collection != "sentinel-2-l2a") %>% post_request()

# Less than or equal operator '<=' with datetime property
req %>% ext_filter(datetime <= "1986-01-01") %>% post_request()

# Greater than or equal '>=' with AND operator
req %>% ext_filter(collection == "sentinel-2-l2a" &&
  `s2:vegetation_percentage` >= 50 &&
  `eo:cloud_cover` <= 10) %>% post_request()

# Advanced comparison operators
# 'LIKE' operator
req %>% ext_filter(collection %like% "modis%") %>% post_request()

# 'IN' operator
req %>% ext_filter(
  collection %in% c("landsat-c2-l2", "sentinel-2-l2a") &&
  datetime > "2019-01-01" &&
  datetime < "2019-06-01") %>%
  post_request()

# Spatial operator
# Lets create a polygon with list
polygon <- list(
  type = "Polygon",
  coordinates = list(
    matrix(c(-62.34499836, -8.57414572,
            -62.18858174, -8.57414572,
            -62.18858174, -8.15351185,
            -62.34499836, -8.15351185,
            -62.34499836, -8.57414572),
          ncol = 2, byrow = TRUE)
```

```

)
)
# 'S_INTERSECTS' spatial operator with polygon and geometry property
req %>% ext_filter(collection == "sentinel-2-l2a" &&
                    s_intersects(geometry, {{polygon}})) %>% post_request()

# 'S_CONTAINS' spatial operator with point and geometry property
point <- list(type = "Point", coordinates = c(-62.45792211, -8.61158488))
req %>% ext_filter(collection == "landsat-c2-l2" &&
                    s_contains(geometry, {{point}})) %>% post_request()

# 'S_CROSSES' spatial operator with linestring and geometry property
linestring <- list(
  type = "LineString",
  coordinates = matrix(
    c(-62.55735320, -8.43329465, -62.21791603, -8.36815014),
    ncol = 2, byrow = TRUE
  )
)
req %>% ext_filter(collection == "landsat-c2-l2" &&
                    s_crosses(geometry, {{linestring}})) %>% post_request()

# Temporal operator
# 'T_INTERSECTS' temporal operator with datetime property
req %>% ext_filter(
  collection == "landsat-c2-l2" &&
  t_intersects(datetime, interval("1985-07-16T05:32:00Z",
                                  "1985-07-24T16:50:35Z"))) %>%
  post_request()

# 'T_DURING' temporal operator with datetime property
req %>%
  ext_filter(collection == "landsat-c2-l2" &&
             t_during(datetime,
                      interval("2022-07-16T05:32:00Z", ".."))) %>%
  post_request()

# 'T_BEFORE' temporal operator with datetime property
req %>%
  ext_filter(collection == "landsat-c2-l2" &&
             t_before(datetime, timestamp("2022-07-16T05:32:00Z"))) %>%
  post_request()

# 'T_AFTER' temporal operator with datetime property
req %>%
  ext_filter(collection == "landsat-c2-l2" &&
             t_after(datetime, timestamp("2022-07-16T05:32:00Z"))) %>%
  post_request()

# Shows how CQL2 expression (TEXT format)
cql2_text(collection == "landsat-c2-l2" &&
           s_crosses(geometry, {{linestring}}))

```

```
# Shows how CQL2 expression (JSON format)
cql2_json(collection == "landsat-c2-l2" &&
          t_after(datetime, timestamp("2022-07-16T05:32:00Z")))

## End(Not run)
```

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 ext\_query

*Query extension*


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## Description

The `ext_query()` is the *exported function* of the STAC API query extension. It can be used after a call to `stac_search()` function. It allows that additional fields and operators other than those defined in `stac_search()` function be used to make a complex filter.

The function accepts multiple filter criteria. Each filter entry is an expression formed by `<field> <operator> <value>`, where `<field>` refers to a valid item property. Supported `<fields>` depends on STAC API service implementation. The users must rely on the service providers' documentation to know which properties can be used by this extension.

The `ext_query()` function allows the following `<operators>`

- `==` corresponds to `'eq'`
- `!=` corresponds to `'neq'`
- `<` corresponds to `'lt'`
- `<=` corresponds to `'lte'`
- `>` corresponds to `'gt'`
- `>=` corresponds to `'gte'`
- `\%startsWith\%` corresponds to `'startsWith'` and implements a string prefix search operator.
- `\%endsWith\%` corresponds to `'endsWith'` and implements a string suffix search operator.
- `\%contains\%` corresponds to `'contains'` and implements a string infix search operator.
- `\%in\%` corresponds to `'in'` and implements a vector search operator.

Besides this function, the following S3 generic methods were implemented to get things done for this extension:

- The `before_request()` for subclass `ext_query`
- The `after_response()` for subclass `ext_query`

See source file `ext_query.R` for an example of how to implement new extensions.

## Usage

```
ext_query(q, ...)
```

**Arguments**

q a `rstac_query` object expressing a STAC query criteria.  
 ... entries with format `<field> <operator> <value>`.

**Value**

A `rstac_query` object with the subclass `ext_query` containing all request parameters to be passed to `post_request()` function.

**See Also**

[ext\\_filter\(\)](#), [stac\\_search\(\)](#), [post\\_request\(\)](#), [before\\_request\(\)](#), [after\\_response\(\)](#), [content\\_response\(\)](#)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  stac_search(collections = "CB4-16D-2") %>%
  ext_query("bdc:tile" %in% "007004") %>%
  post_request()

## End(Not run)
```

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get\_request

*STAC API request functions*


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**Description**

The `get_request` is function that makes HTTP GET requests to STAC web services, retrieves, and parse the data.

The `post_request` is function that makes HTTP POST requests to STAC web services, retrieves, and parse the data.

**Usage**

```
get_request(q, ...)
```

```
post_request(q, ..., encode = c("json", "multipart", "form"))
```

**Arguments**

q a `rstac_query` object expressing a STAC query criteria.  
 ... config parameters to be passed to [GET](#) or [POST](#) methods, such as [add\\_headers](#) or [set\\_cookies](#).  
 encode a character informing the request body Content-Type. Accepted types are 'json' ('application/json'), 'form' ('application/x-www-form-urlencoded'), and 'multipart' ('multipart/form-data'). Defaults to 'json'.

**Value**

Either a `doc_catalog`, `doc_collection`, `doc_collections`, `doc_items` or `doc_item` object depending on the subclass and search fields parameters of `q` argument.

**See Also**

[stac\(\)](#) [stac\\_search\(\)](#) [collections\(\)](#) [items\(\)](#)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  get_request()

stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  stac_search(collections = "CB4-16D-2") %>%
  post_request()

## End(Not run)
```

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items

*Endpoint functions*

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**Description**

The `items` function implements WFS3 `/collections/{collectionId}/items`, and `/collections/{collectionId}/items/{featureId}` endpoints.

Each endpoint retrieves specific STAC objects:

- `/collections/{collectionId}/items`: Returns a STAC Items collection (GeoJSON)
- `/collections/{collectionId}/items/{itemId}`: Returns a STAC Item (GeoJSON Feature)

The endpoint `/collections/{collectionId}/items` accepts the same filters parameters of [stac\\_search\(\)](#) function.

**Usage**

```
items(q, feature_id = NULL, datetime = NULL, bbox = NULL, limit = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

`q` a `rstac_query` object expressing a STAC query criteria.

`feature_id` a character with item id to be fetched. Only works if the `collection_id` is informed. This is equivalent to the endpoint `/collections/{collectionId}/items/{featureId}`.

datetime	<p>a character with a date-time or an interval. Date and time strings needs to conform to RFC 3339. Intervals are expressed by separating two date-time strings by '/' character. Open intervals are expressed by using '..' in place of date-time.</p> <p>Examples:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A date-time: "2018-02-12T23:20:50Z"</li> <li>• A closed interval: "2018-02-12T00:00:00Z/2018-03-18T12:31:12Z"</li> <li>• Open intervals: "2018-02-12T00:00:00Z/.." or "../2018-03-18T12:31:12Z"</li> </ul> <p>Only features that have a datetime property that intersects the interval or date-time informed in datetime are selected.</p>
bbox	<p>a numeric vector with only features that have a geometry that intersects the bounding box are selected. The bounding box is provided as four or six numbers, depending on whether the coordinate reference system includes a vertical axis (elevation or depth):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lower left corner, coordinate axis 1</li> <li>• Lower left corner, coordinate axis 2</li> <li>• Lower left corner, coordinate axis 3 (optional)</li> <li>• Upper right corner, coordinate axis 1</li> <li>• Upper right corner, coordinate axis 2</li> <li>• Upper right corner, coordinate axis 3 (optional)</li> </ul> <p>The coordinate reference system of the values is WGS84 longitude/latitude (<a href="http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/OGC/1.3/CRS84">http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/OGC/1.3/CRS84</a>). The values are, in most cases, the sequence of minimum longitude, minimum latitude, maximum longitude, and maximum latitude. However, in cases where the box spans the antimeridian, the first value (west-most box edge) is larger than the third value (east-most box edge).</p>
limit	<p>an integer defining the maximum number of results to return. If not informed, it defaults to the service implementation.</p>

## Value

A `rstac_query` object with the subclass `items` for `/collections/{collection_id}/items` endpoint, or a `item_id` subclass for `/collections/{collection_id}/items/{feature_id}` endpoint, containing all search field parameters to be provided to STAC API web service.

## See Also

[get\\_request\(\)](#), [post\\_request\(\)](#), [collections\(\)](#)

## Examples

```
## Not run:
stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  collections("CB4-16D-2") %>%
  items(bbox = c(-47.02148, -17.35063, -42.53906, -12.98314)) %>%
  get_request()
```

```

stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  collections("CB4-16D-2") %>%
  items("CB4-16D_V2_000002_20230509") %>%
  get_request()

## End(Not run)

```

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items\_functions

*Items functions*


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## Description

These functions provide support to work with `doc_items` and `doc_item` objects.

- `items_length()`: shows how many items there are in the `doc_items` object.
- `items_matched()`: shows how many items matched the search criteria. It supports `search:metadata` (v0.8.0), `context` (v0.9.0), and `numberMatched` (OGC WFS3 core spec).
- `items_fetch()`: request all STAC Items through pagination.
- `items_next()`: fetches a new page from STAC service.
- `items_datetime()`: retrieves the `datetime` field in `properties` from `doc_items` and `doc_item` objects.
- `items_bbox()`: retrieves the `bbox` field of a `doc_items` or a `doc_item` object.
- `item_assets()`: returns the assets name from `doc_items` and `doc_item` objects.
- `items_filter()`: selects only items that match some criteria (see details section).
- `items_reap()`: traverses all items in a `doc_items` object and extracts values based on the specified field path. It is useful for retrieving nested elements from STAC items.
- `items_fields()`: lists field names inside an item.
- `items_sign()`: allow access assets by preparing its url.
- `items_as_sf()`: **[Experimental]** convert items to `sf` object.
- `items_as_sfc()`: **[Experimental]** convert items to `sfc` object.
- `items_intersects()`: **[Experimental]** indicates which items intersects a given geometry.
- `items_properties()`: lists properties names inside an item.

## Usage

```

items_length(items)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_length(items)

items_matched(items, matched_field = NULL)

```

```
## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_matched(items, matched_field = NULL)

items_fetch(items, ...)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_fetch(items, ..., progress = TRUE, matched_field = NULL)

items_next(items, ...)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_next(items, ...)

items_datetime(items)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
items_datetime(items)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_datetime(items)

items_bbox(items)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
items_bbox(items)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_bbox(items)

items_assets(items)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
items_assets(items)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_assets(items)

## Default S3 method:
items_assets(items)

items_filter(items, ..., filter_fn = NULL)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_filter(items, ..., filter_fn = NULL)

items_compact(items)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_compact(items)

items_reap(items, field, pick_fn = identity)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
items_reap(items, field, pick_fn = identity)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_reap(items, field, pick_fn = identity)

## Default S3 method:
items_reap(items, field, pick_fn = identity)

items_fields(items, field = NULL)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
items_fields(items, field = NULL)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_fields(items, field = NULL)

items_sign(items, sign_fn)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
items_sign(items, sign_fn)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_sign(items, sign_fn)

## Default S3 method:
items_sign(items, sign_fn)

items_as_sf(items, ..., crs = 4326)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
items_as_sf(items, ..., crs = 4326)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_as_sf(items, ..., crs = 4326)

items_as_sfc(items, crs = 4326)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
items_as_sfc(items, crs = 4326)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_as_sfc(items, crs = 4326)
```

```

items_as_tibble(items)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
items_as_tibble(items)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_as_tibble(items)

items_intersects(items, geom, ..., crs = 4326)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
items_intersects(items, geom, ..., crs = 4326)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_intersects(items, geom, ..., crs = 4326)

items_properties(items)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
items_properties(items)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_properties(items)

items_select(items, selection)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
items_select(items, selection)

```

## Arguments

<code>items</code>	a <code>doc_items</code> object.
<code>matched_field</code>	a character vector with the path where the number of items returned in the named list is located starting from the initial node of the list. For example, if the information is in a position <code>items\$meta\$found</code> of the object, it must be passed as the following parameter <code>c("meta", "found")</code> .
<code>...</code>	additional arguments. See details.
<code>progress</code>	a logical indicating if a progress bar must be shown or not. Defaults to <code>TRUE</code> .
<code>filter_fn</code>	a function that receives an item that should evaluate a logical value.
<code>field</code>	A character vector specifying the path to the field from which to extract sub-field values. For example, <code>c("assets", "*")</code> will traverse all assets from each item.
<code>pick_fn</code>	a function used to pick elements from items addressed by <code>field</code> parameter.
<code>sign_fn</code>	a function that receives an item as a parameter and returns an item signed.
<code>crs</code>	a character representing the geometry projection.

geom            a sf or sfc object.  
 selection      an integer vector containing the indices of the items to select.

## Details

Ellipsis argument (...) appears in different items functions and has distinct purposes:

- `items_matched()` and `items_assets()`: ellipsis is not used.
- `items_fetch()` and `items_next()`: ellipsis is used to pass additional `httr` options to [GET](#) or [POST](#) methods, such as [add\\_headers](#) or [set\\_cookies](#).
- `items_filter()`: ellipsis is used to pass logical expressions to be evaluated against a `doc_item` field as filter criteria. Expressions must be evaluated as a logical value where `TRUE` selects the item and `FALSE` discards it. Multiple expressions are combine with `AND` operator. `items_filter()` uses non-standard evaluation to evaluate its expressions. That means users must escape any variable or call to be able to use them in the expressions. The escape is done by using double-curlly-braces, i.e., `{{variable}}`.

**WARNING:** the evaluation of filter expressions changed in `rstac` 0.9.2. Older versions of `rstac` used `properties` field to evaluate filter expressions. Below, there is an example of how to write expressions in new `rstac` version:

```
# expression in older version
items_filter(stac_obj, `eo:cloud_cover` < 10)
# now expressions must refer to properties explicitly
items_filter(stac_obj, properties$`eo:cloud_cover` < 10)
items_filter(stac_obj, properties[["eo:cloud_cover"]] < 10)
```

- `items_sign()`: in the near future, ellipsis will be used to append key-value pairs to the url query string of an asset.

`items_sign()` has `sign_fn` parameter that must be a function that receives as argument an item and returns a signed item. `rstac` provides `sign_bdc()` and `sign_planetary_computer()` functions to access Brazil Data Cube products and Microsoft Planetary Computer catalogs, respectively.

## Value

- `items_length()`: an integer value.
- `items_matched()`: returns an integer value if the STAC web server does support this extension. Otherwise returns `NULL`.
- `items_fetch()`: a `doc_items` with all matched items.
- `items_next()`: fetches a new page from STAC service.
- `items_datetime()`: a list of all items' datetime.
- `items_bbox()`: returns a list with all items' bounding boxes.
- `item_assets()`: returns a character value with all assets names of all items.
- `items_filter()`: a `doc_items` object.
- `items_reap()`: a vector if the supplied field is atomic, otherwise or a list.
- `items_fields()`: a character vector.

- `items_sign()`: a `doc_items` object with signed assets url.
- `items_as_sf()`: a `sf` object.
- `items_as_sfc()`: a `sfc` object.
- `items_as_tibble()`: a `tibble` object.
- `items_intersects()`: a logical vector.
- `items_properties()`: returns a character value with all properties of all items.
- `items_select()`: select features from an items object.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
x <- stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac") %>%
  stac_search(collections = "CB4-16D-2") %>%
  stac_search(datetime = "2020-01-01/2021-01-01", limit = 500) %>%
  get_request()

x %>% items_length()
x %>% items_matched()
x %>% items_datetime()
x %>% items_bbox()
x %>% items_fetch()

## End(Not run)

## Not run:
# Defining BDC token
Sys.setenv("BDC_ACCESS_KEY" = "token-123")

# doc_item object
stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  stac_search(collections = "CB4-16D-2", limit = 100,
             datetime = "2017-08-01/2018-03-01",
             bbox = c(-48.206, -14.195, -45.067, -12.272)) %>%
  get_request() %>% items_sign(sign_fn = sign_bdc())

## End(Not run)

## Not run:
# doc_items object
stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  stac_search(collections = "CB4-16D-2", limit = 100,
             datetime = "2017-08-01/2018-03-01",
             bbox = c(-48.206, -14.195, -45.067, -12.272)) %>%
  get_request() %>%
  items_filter(properties$`eo:cloud_cover` < 10)

# Example with AWS STAC
stac("https://earth-search.aws.element84.com/v0") %>%
  stac_search(collections = "sentinel-s2-l2a-cogs",
```

```

        bbox = c(-48.206, -14.195, -45.067, -12.272),
        datetime = "2018-06-01/2018-06-30",
        limit = 500) %>%
post_request() %>%
items_filter(filter_fn = function(x) {x$properties$`eo:cloud_cover` < 10})

## End(Not run)

## Not run:
# doc_items object
stac_item <- stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
stac_search(collections = "CB4-16D-2", limit = 100,
           datetime = "2017-08-01/2018-03-01",
           bbox = c(-48.206, -14.195, -45.067, -12.272)) %>%
get_request() %>%
items_fetch(progress = FALSE)

stac_item %>% items_reap(c("properties", "datetime"))

# Extract all asset URLs from each item
stac_item %>% items_reap(c("assets", "*"), \(\x) x$href)

stac_item %>% items_as_sf()

stac_item %>% items_as_tibble()

stac_item %>% items_select(c(1, 4, 10, 20))

## End(Not run)

```

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items\_sign\_bdc

*Signature in hrefs provided by the STAC from the Brazil Data Cube project.*


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## Description

These functions provide support to access assets from Brazil Data Cube.

- `items_sign_bdc()`: **[Experimental]** A simplified function to sign assets' URL from Brazil Data Cube to be able to access the data.
- `sign_bdc()`: Creates a signing function to be used by `items_sign()`. This function sign all the assets' URL.

To sign the hrefs with your token you need to store it in an environment variable in `BDC_ACCESS_KEY` or use `access_token` parameter.

**Usage**

```
items_sign_bdc(items, access_token = NULL, ...)
```

```
sign_bdc(access_token = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

`items` a `doc_item` or `doc_items` object representing the result of `/stac/search`, `/collections/{collectionId}` or `/collections/{collectionId}/items/{itemId}` endpoints.

`access_token` a character with the access token parameter to access Brazil Data Cube assets.

`...` additional parameters can be supplied to the GET function of the `httr` package.

**Value**

a function that signs each item assets.

- `items_sign_bdc()`: items with signed assets URLs.
- `sign_bdc()`: a function to be passed to `items_sign()`.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
# doc_items object
stac_obj <- stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  stac_search(collections = "CB4-16D-2",
             datetime = "2019-06-01/2019-08-01") %>%
  stac_search() %>%
  get_request()

# the new way to authenticate:
stac_obj <- stac_obj %>%
  items_sign_bdc("<your-access-token>")

# this is the old way of authentication (still works):
# stac_obj %>%
#   items_sign(sign_fn = sign_bdc(access_token = "<your-access-token>"))

## End(Not run)
```

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```
items_sign_planetary_computer
```

*Signs URL to access assets from Microsoft's Planetary Computer.*

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## Description

These functions provide support to access assets from Planetary Computer.

- `items_sign_planetary_computer()`: **[Experimental]** A simplified function to sign assets' URL from Microsoft Planetary Computer to be able to access the data.
- `sign_planetary_computer()`: Creates a signing function to be used by `items_sign()`. This function sign all the assets' URL.

## Usage

```
items_sign_planetary_computer(items, subscription_key = NULL, ...)
```

```
sign_planetary_computer(..., headers = NULL, token_url = NULL)
```

## Arguments

<code>items</code>	a <code>doc_item</code> or <code>doc_items</code> object representing the result of <code>/stac/search</code> , <code>/collections/{collectionId}</code> or <code>/collections/{collectionId}/items/{itemId}</code> endpoints.
<code>subscription_key</code>	the subscription-key to access restricted assets in Microsoft Planetary Computer. You can keep this parameter empty for non-protected assets.
<code>...</code>	additional parameters can be supplied to the GET function of the <code>httr</code> package.
<code>headers</code>	a named character vector with headers key-value content.
<code>token_url</code>	a character with the URL that generates the tokens in the Microsoft service. By default is used: "https://planetarycomputer.microsoft.com/api/sas/v1/token"

## Value

- `items_sign_planetary_computer()`: items with signed assets URLs.
- `sign_planetary_computer()`: a function to be passed to `items_sign()`.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# doc_items object
stac_obj <- stac("https://planetarycomputer.microsoft.com/api/stac/v1/") %>%
  stac_search(collections = "sentinel-2-l2a",
             bbox = c(-47.02148, -17.35063, -42.53906, -12.98314)) %>%
  get_request()

# the new way to authenticate:
stac_obj <- stac_obj %>%
  items_sign_planetary_computer()

# this is the old way of authentication (still works):
# stac_obj <- stac_obj %>%
#   items_sign(sign_fn = sign_planetary_computer())

# example of access to collections that require authentication
```

```
stac_obj <- stac("https://planetarycomputer.microsoft.com/api/stac/v1") %>%
  stac_search(collections = c("sentinel-1-rtc"),
             bbox = c(-64.8597, -10.4919, -64.79272527, -10.4473),
             datetime = "2019-01-01/2019-01-28") %>%
  post_request()

# the new way to authenticate:
# stac_obj <- stac_obj %>%
#   items_sign_planetary_computer("<subscription-key>")

# this is the old way of authentication (still works):
# stac_obj <- stac_obj %>%
#   items_sign(
#     sign_fn = sign_planetary_computer(
#       headers = c("Ocp-Apim-Subscription-Key" = <your-mpc-token>)
#     )
#   )

## End(Not run)
```

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preview\_plot

*Plot preview images*

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## Description

This is a helper function to plot preview assets (e.g. quicklook, thumbnail, rendered\_preview). Currently, only png and jpeg formats are supported.

## Usage

```
preview_plot(url)
```

## Arguments

url                    image URL to be plotted.

## Value

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 print

*Printing functions*


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## Description

The print function covers all objects in the rstac package:

- `stac()`: returns a `doc_catalog` document from `/stac` (v0.8.0) or `/` (v0.9.0 or v1.0.0) endpoint.
- `stac_search()`: returns a `doc_items` document from `/stac/search` (v0.8.0) or `/search` (v0.9.0 or v1.0.0) endpoint containing all Items that match the provided search predicates.
- `collections()`: implements the `/collections` and `/collections/{collectionId}` endpoints. The former returns a `doc_collections` document that lists all collections published by the server, and the later returns a single `doc_collection` document that describes a unique collection.
- `items()`: retrieves a `doc_items` document from `/collections/{collectionId}/items` endpoint and a `doc_item` document from `/collections/{collectionId}/items/{itemId}` endpoints.

The rstac package objects visualization is based on markdown, a lightweight markup language. You can paste the output into any markdown editor for a better visualization.

Call `print()` function to print the rstac's objects. You can determine how many items will be printed using `n` parameter.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'rstac_query'
print(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'doc_catalog'
print(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'doc_collections'
print(x, n = 10, ...)

## S3 method for class 'doc_collection'
print(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'doc_items'
print(x, n = 10, ..., tail = FALSE)

## S3 method for class 'doc_item'
print(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'doc_queryables'
print(x, n = 10, ...)
```

```
## S3 method for class 'doc_conformance'
print(x, n = 10, ...)

## S3 method for class 'doc_link'
print(x, ...)

## S3 method for class 'doc_links'
print(x, n = 10, ...)
```

### Arguments

x	either a <code>rstac_query</code> object expressing a STAC query criteria or any <code>rstac_doc</code> .
...	other parameters passed in the functions.
n	number of entries to print. Each object has its own rule of truncation: the <code>doc_collection</code> objects will print 10 links by default. If the object has less than 20 collections, all collections will be shown. In <code>doc_items</code> , 10 features will be printed by default. To show all entries, use <code>n = Inf</code> .
tail	A logical value indicating if last features in <code>doc_items</code> object must be show.

### See Also

[stac\(\)](#) [stac\\_search\(\)](#) [collections\(\)](#) [items\(\)](#)

### Examples

```
## Not run:
# doc_items object
stac_item_collection <-
  stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  stac_search(collections = "CB4-16D-2",
             bbox = c(-47.02148, -17.35063, -42.53906, -12.98314),
             limit = 15) %>%
  get_request()

print(stac_item_collection, n = 10)

# doc_collections object
stac_collection <-
  stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  collections() %>%
  get_request()

print(stac_collection, n = 5)

# rstac_query object
obj_rstac <- stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/")

print(obj_rstac)

## End(Not run)
```

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queryables

*Endpoint functions*

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### Description

The queryables endpoint allows the user to discover which properties can be used in the filter extension. This endpoint can be accessed from the catalog (`/queryables`) or from a collection (`/collections/{collection_id}/queryables`).

### Usage

```
queryables(q)
```

### Arguments

`q` a `rstac_query` object expressing a STAC query criteria.

### Value

A `rstac_query` object with the subclass `queryables` for `/queryables` endpoint.

### See Also

[ext\\_filter\(\)](#), [conformance\(\)](#), [collections\(\)](#)

### Examples

```
## Not run:
# Catalog's queryables
stac("https://planetarycomputer.microsoft.com/api/stac/v1") %>%
  queryables() %>% get_request()

# Collection's queryables
stac("https://planetarycomputer.microsoft.com/api/stac/v1") %>%
  collections(collection_id = "sentinel-2-l2a") %>%
  queryables() %>%
  get_request()

## End(Not run)
```

## Description

Provides functions to access, search and download spacetime earth observation data via SpatioTemporal Asset Catalog (STAC). This package supports the version 1.0.0 (and older) of the STAC specification (<https://github.com/radiantearth/stac-spec>). For further details see Simoes et al. (2021) [doi:10.1109/IGARSS47720.2021.9553518](https://doi.org/10.1109/IGARSS47720.2021.9553518).

## The rstac functions

The rstac package provides two categories of functions: API endpoints and data access and organization.

### STAC API endpoints functions

- `stac()`: implements STAC `/stac` endpoint for version 0.8.1 or below, and `/` for versions 0.9.0 or higher.
- `conformance()`: implements `/conformance` endpoint.
- `collections()`: implements `/collections` and `/collections/{collectionId}` endpoints.
- `items()`: implements `/collections/{collectionId}/items` and `/collections/{collectionId}/items/{featureId}` endpoints.
- `queryables()`: implements `/queryables` and `/collections/{collectionId}/queryables` endpoints.
- `stac_search()`: implements STAC `/stac/search` endpoint for version 0.8.1 or below, and `/search` endpoint for versions 0.9.0 or higher.
- `ext_filter()`: implements `/filter` CQL2 endpoint.

### Data access and organization functions

- `get_request()`: makes HTTP GET requests to STAC web service.
- `post_request()`: makes HTTP POST requests to STAC web service.
- `items_matched()`: returns how many items matched the search criteria.
- `items_fetch()`: fetches all matched items from service.
- `items_filter()`: selects items according to some criteria.
- `items_as_sf()`: converts items to a sf object.
- `items_fields()`: help explore fields inside items.
- `items_compact()`: removes all items with empty assets.
- `items_reap()`: extracts contents from items.
- `items_length()`: informs how many items are fetched locally.
- `items_sign()`: appends tokens to assets' URL and turn them accessible.

- `assets_select()`: select assets in items.
- `assets_rename()`: rename assets in items.
- `assets_url()`: extract all URL to assets in items.
- `assets_download()`: download assets in batch.

### Data types

The package implements the following S3 classes: `doc_items`, `doc_item`, `doc_catalog`, `doc_collections` and `doc_collection`. These classes are regular lists representing the corresponding JSON STAC objects.

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### See Also

Useful links:

- <https://brazil-data-cube.github.io/rstac/>
- Report bugs at <https://github.com/brazil-data-cube/rstac/issues>

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stac

*Endpoint functions*

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### Description

The `stac` function implements `/stac` API endpoint ( $\geq 0.8.0$ ), and `/` for versions 0.9.0 or higher. It prepares search field parameters to be provided to a STAC API web service. This endpoint should return a STAC Catalog document containing all published data catalogs.

### Usage

```
stac(base_url, force_version = NULL)
```

### Arguments

<code>base_url</code>	a character informing the base URL of a STAC web service.
<code>force_version</code>	a character providing the version of the STAC used. If not provided, the <code>rstac</code> package will make requests to try to find the version of STAC used. It is highly recommended that you inform the STAC version you are using.

**Value**

A `rstac_query` object with the subclass `stac` containing all request parameters to be provided to API service.

**See Also**

[stac\\_search\(\)](#), [collections\(\)](#), [items\(\)](#), [get\\_request\(\)](#), [post\\_request\(\)](#)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  get_request()

## End(Not run)
```

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stac\_functions

*Utility functions*

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**Description**

These function retrieves information about either `rstac` queries (`rstac_query` objects) or `rstac` documents (`rstac_doc` objects).

**Usage**

```
stac_version(x, ...)
```

```
stac_type(x)
```

**Arguments**

`x` either a `rstac_query` object expressing a STAC query criteria or any `rstac_doc`.  
`...` config parameters to be passed to [GET](#) method, such as [add\\_headers](#) or [set\\_cookies](#).

**Value**

The `stac_version()` function returns a character STAC API version.

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stac\_search

*Endpoint functions*


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## Description

(This document is based on STAC specification documentation <https://github.com/radiantearth/stac-spec/> and reproduces some of its parts)

The `stac_search` function implements `/stac/search` API endpoint (v0.8.1) and `/search` (v0.9.0 or v1.0.0). It prepares query parameters used in the search API request, a `stac` object with all filter parameters to be provided to `get_request` or `post_request` functions. The GeoJSON content returned by these requests is a `doc_items` object, a regular R list representing a STAC Item Collection document.

## Usage

```
stac_search(
  q,
  collections = NULL,
  ids = NULL,
  bbox = NULL,
  datetime = NULL,
  intersects = NULL,
  limit = NULL
)
```

## Arguments

<code>q</code>	a <code>rstac_query</code> object expressing a STAC query criteria.
<code>collections</code>	a character vector of collection IDs to include in the search for items. Only items in one of the provided collections will be searched.
<code>ids</code>	a character vector with item IDs. All other filters parameters that further restrict the number of search results are ignored.
<code>bbox</code>	a numeric vector with only features that have a geometry that intersects the bounding box are selected. The bounding box is provided as four or six numbers, depending on whether the coordinate reference system includes a vertical axis (elevation or depth): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lower left corner, coordinate axis 1</li> <li>• Lower left corner, coordinate axis 2</li> <li>• Lower left corner, coordinate axis 3 (optional)</li> <li>• Upper right corner, coordinate axis 1</li> <li>• Upper right corner, coordinate axis 2</li> <li>• Upper right corner, coordinate axis 3 (optional)</li> </ul>

The coordinate reference system of the values is WGS84 longitude/latitude (<http://www.opengis.net/def/crs/OGC/1.3/CRS84>). The values are, in most cases, the sequence of minimum longitude, minimum latitude, maximum longitude, and maximum latitude. However, in cases where the box spans the antimeridian, the first value (west-most box edge) is larger than the third value (east-most box edge).

datetime	<p>a character with a date-time or an interval. Date and time strings needs to conform to RFC 3339. Intervals are expressed by separating two date-time strings by '/' character. Open intervals are expressed by using '..' in place of date-time.</p> <p>Examples:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A date-time: "2018-02-12T23:20:50Z"</li> <li>• A closed interval: "2018-02-12T00:00:00Z/2018-03-18T12:31:12Z"</li> <li>• Open intervals: "2018-02-12T00:00:00Z/.." or "../2018-03-18T12:31:12Z"</li> </ul> <p>Only features that have a datetime property that intersects the interval or date-time informed in datetime are selected.</p>
intersects	<p>a list expressing GeoJSON geometries objects as specified in RFC 7946. Only returns items that intersect with the provided geometry. To turn a GeoJSON into a list the package jsonlite can be used.</p>
limit	<p>an integer defining the maximum number of results to return. If not informed, it defaults to the service implementation.</p>

### Value

A `rstac_query` object with the subclass `search` containing all search field parameters to be provided to STAC API web service.

### See Also

[stac\(\)](#), [ext\\_query\(\)](#), [get\\_request\(\)](#), [post\\_request\(\)](#)

### Examples

```
## Not run:
# GET request
stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  stac_search(collections = "CB4-16D-2", limit = 10,
             datetime = "2017-08-01/2018-03-01") %>%
  get_request()

# POST request
stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac/") %>%
  stac_search(collections = "CB4-16D-2",
             bbox = c(-47.02148, -17.35063, -42.53906, -12.98314)) %>%
  post_request()

## End(Not run)
```

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static\_functions      *Static functions*

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## Description

These functions provide support to work with static catalogs.

- `stac_read()`: open a STAC document from an URL.
- `read_items()`: opens (statically) all items referred in links key entry of a given collection document (`doc_collection`).
- `links()`: extracts and filters the links of any STAC document.
- `link_open()`: opens (statically) the document referenced by the link. This function can resolve any relative URL.

## Usage

```
read_stac(url, ...)
```

```
read_items(collection, ..., limit = 100, page = 1, progress = TRUE)
```

```
read_collections(catalog, ..., limit = 100, page = 1, progress = TRUE)
```

```
links(x, ...)
```

```
link_open(link, base_url = NULL)
```

## Arguments

<code>url</code>	a character value with the URL to a valid STAC document.
<code>...</code>	additional arguments. See details.
<code>collection</code>	a <code>doc_collection</code> object to fetch all <code>rel=="item"</code> links.
<code>limit</code>	an integer with defining the page size of items to fetch.
<code>page</code>	an integer with the page number to fetch the items.
<code>progress</code>	a logical indicating if a progress bar must be shown or not. Defaults to TRUE.
<code>catalog</code>	a <code>doc_catalog</code> object to fetch all <code>rel=="child"</code> links.
<code>x</code>	any <code>rstac</code> document with 'links' key entry.
<code>link</code>	a <code>doc_link</code> object, usually an element of links key entry.
<code>base_url</code>	a character with the base URL to resolve relative links. If NULL (default) <code>rstac</code> will try resolve relative links using internal metadata.

## Details

Ellipsis argument (...) may appears in different items functions and has distinct purposes:

- `stac_read()`: ellipsis is used to pass any additional parameters to `read_json` function.
- `links()`: ellipsis is used to pass logical expressions to be evaluated against a `doc_link` item as a filter criteria. See examples.

## Value

- `links()`: a `doc_links` object containing a list of link entries.
- `link_open()`: a recognizable `rstac` document.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
x <- stac("https://brazildatacube.dpi.inpe.br/stac") %>%
  collections("CB4-16D-2") %>%
  get_request()

link <- links(x, rel == "items")
link_open(link[[1]])

## End(Not run)

## Not run:
wv_url <- paste0(
  "https://s3.eu-central-1.wasabisys.com",
  "/stac/openlandmap/wv_mcd19a2v061.seasconv/collection.json"
)
wv <- read_stac(wv_url)
stac_type(wv) # Collection

# reads the second page of 5 links
wv_items <- read_items(wv, limit = 5, page = 2)

# lists all links of the collection document that are not items
links(wv, rel != "item")

# lists all links of the items document
links(wv_items)

## End(Not run)
```

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