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*binding\_lapply*      *binding\_lapply*

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**Description**

`binding_lapply`

**Usage**

`binding_lapply(x, characteristics)`

**Arguments**

`x`                Element to bind

`characteristics`

Characteristics to filter for

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check_function_input    check_function_input
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## Description

`check_function_input`

## Usage

```
check_function_input(  
    code = NULL,  
    term = NULL,  
    sortcriterion = NULL,  
    category = NULL,  
    detailed = NULL,  
    type = NULL,  
    date = NULL,  
    similarity = NULL,  
    error.ignore = NULL,  
    ordering = NULL,  
    database = NULL,  
    area = NULL,  
    caller = NULL,  
    verbose = NULL,  
    raw = NULL  
)
```

## Arguments

code	Parameter to be checked
term	Parameter to be checked
sortcriterion	Parameter to be checked
category	Parameter to be checked
detailed	Parameter to be checked
type	Parameter to be checked
date	Parameter to be checked
similarity	Parameter to be checked
error.ignore	Parameter to be checked
ordering	Parameter to be checked
database	Parameter to be checked
area	Parameter to be checked
caller	Parameter to be checked
verbose	Parameter to be checked
raw	Parameter to be checked

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<code>check_results</code>	<i>check_results</i>
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### Description

`check_results`

### Usage

`check_results(input)`

### Arguments

<code>input</code>	Input to test result structure
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<code>evas_list</code>	<i>List of EVAS Codes</i>
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### Description

List of EVAS Codes

### Usage

`evas_list`

### Format

`evas_list:`

A data frame with 1132 rows and 3 columns:

**EVAS** EVAS code

**Beschreibung** Details on the EVAS code

**Titel** Alternative desription of EVAS code contents

### Source

<https://www.destatis.de/DE/Methoden/Revisionen/Glossar/EVAS.html>

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`find_token`*find\_token*

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**Description**`find_token`**Usage**`find_token(input, error.input, text, sub_category)`**Arguments**

<code>input</code>	Input to test result structure
<code>error.input</code>	error.ignore TRUE or FALSE
<code>text</code>	verbose TRUE or FALSE
<code>sub_category</code>	sub_category character string

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`forming_evas`*forming\_evas*

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**Description**`forming_evas`**Usage**`forming_evas(list_of)`**Arguments**

<code>list_of</code>	List of EVAS to iterate over
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```
gen_alternative_terms  gen_alternative_terms
```

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## Description

Function to find search terms that are similar or related to one another in spelling and also represented in the GENESIS, Zensus 2022 or regionalstatistik.de databases. Important note: The API call is searching for terms with the same characters. To be useful in searching for related terms it is highly recommended to work with "\*" placeholders (see examples). The placeholder can be placed before and/or after the search term.

## Usage

```
gen_alternative_terms(
  term = NULL,
  similarity = TRUE,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  verbose = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

term	Character string. Maximum length of 15 characters. Term or word for which you are searching for alternative or related terms. Use of '*' as a placeholder is possible to generate broader search areas.
similarity	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should be sorted based on a Levenshtein edit distance based on the adist() function. Default is 'TRUE'.
database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
verbose	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see vignette("additional_parameter").

## Value

A list with all recollected elements from the respective database. Attributes are added to the data.frame, describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Find terms at GENESIS that are the same (in spelling) to search term "bus"
# and sort them by Levenshtein edit distance
```

```

object <- gen_alternative_terms(term = "bus", similarity = TRUE, database = "genesis")

# Find terms at GENESIS that are related (in spelling) to search term "bus"
object <- gen_alternative_terms(term = "bus*", similarity = TRUE, database = "genesis")

# Find terms at Zensus 2022 that are related (in spelling) to search term "wohn"
object <- gen_alternative_terms(term = "wohn*", similarity = TRUE, database = "zensus")

## End(Not run)

```

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gen\_auth\_ask

*gen\_auth\_ask***Description**

gen\_auth\_ask

**Usage**

gen\_auth\_ask(credential\_type)

**Arguments**

credential\_type

Character string. Type of credential to ask for

**Value**

The user response

gen\_auth\_get

*gen\_auth\_get***Description**

Function to retrieve the credentials stored via gen\_auth\_save()

**Usage**

gen\_auth\_get(database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"))

**Arguments**

database

Character string. The database to get the credentials for ('all', 'genesis', 'zensus' and 'regio').

**Value**

Credentials for the database(s) chosen by the user

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
gen_auth_get("all")  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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gen\_auth\_path

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*gen\_auth\_path*

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**Description**

gen\_auth\_path

**Usage**

```
gen_auth_path(...)
```

**Arguments**

...                   Optional arguments for file.path()

**Value**

A file path for the storage of config files

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gen\_auth\_save

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*gen\_auth\_save*

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**Description**

Save credentials of the different databases for further convenient use

**Usage**

```
gen_auth_save(database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"))
```

**Arguments**

database	Character string. The database to store credentials for ('all', 'genesis', 'zensus' or 'regio').
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## Details

Username and password are encrypted and saved as RDS in the package config directory. A random string is generated and stored in the session environment variable GENESIS\_KEY. This string is used as the key to encrypt and decrypt the entered credentials. To avoid having to save authentication in future sessions, GENESIS\_KEY can be added to .Renviron. The usethis package includes a helper function for editing .Renviron files from an R session with [usethis::edit\\_r\\_environ\(\)](#).

## Value

Path to the RDS file in which credentials are saved, invisibly.

## Examples

```
## Not run:  
gen_auth_save("zensus")  
  
## End(Not run)
```

*gen\_catalogue*

*gen\_catalogue*

## Description

Function to search for tables, statistics, and cubes from GENESIS, Zensus 2022 or regionalstatistik.de. Additionally, it structures the output based on the internal tree structure based on the EVAS-numbers. Time-series are represented as cubes with a specified time span. Important note: To be useful in searching for objects it is highly recommended to work with "\*" placeholders (see examples). The placeholder can be placed before and/or after the search term.

## Usage

```
gen_catalogue(  
  code = NULL,  
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),  
  category = c("tables", "statistics", "cubes"),  
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),  
  detailed = FALSE,  
  sortcriterion = c("code", "content"),  
  error.ignore = FALSE,  
  verbose = TRUE,  
  ...  
)
```

## Arguments

code	String with a maximum length of 15 characters for a database object (GENESIS and regionalstatistik.de) and 15 characters for a Census 2022 object. Only one code per iteration. "*" notations are possible.
database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Census 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
category	Character string. Specify specific GENESIS/regionalstatistik.de object types ('tables', 'statistics' and 'cubes') and specific Census 2022 object types ('tables' and 'statistics'). All types that are specific for one database can be used together. Default option is to use all types that are possible for the specific database.
area	Character string. Indicator from which area of the database the results are called. In general, 'all' is the appropriate solution. Default option is 'all'. Not used for 'statistics'.
detailed	Boolean. Indicator if the function should return the detailed output of the iteration including all object-related information or only a shortened output including only code and object title. Default option is 'FALSE'.
sortcriterion	Character string. Indicator if the output should be sorted by 'code' or 'content'. This is a parameter of the API call itself. The default is 'code'.
error.ignore	Boolean. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'FALSE'.
verbose	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see vignette("additional_parameter").

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Based on the 'detailed' parameter it contains more or less information, but always includes the code of the object, the title, and the type of the object. This is done to facilitate further processing with the data. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Scroll through objects under the topic "12*"
# which is "Bevoelkerung" in GENESIS from all categories and
# with a detailed output
object <- gen_catalogue(code = "12*", detailed = TRUE)

# Search tables under the topic "12*" which is "Bevölkerung"
# without a detailed output
object <- gen_catalogue(code = "12*", category = "tables")

## End(Not run)
```

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`gen_cube`*gen\_cube*

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## Description

Download a cube with data from GENESIS or regionalstatistik.de database

## Usage

```
gen_cube(name, ...)
```

## Arguments

<code>name</code>	Character string for a cube object (only GENESIS and regionalstatistik.de)
<code>...</code>	Further (optional) parameters passed on to the API call:
<code>area</code>	Character string. The area in which the table is stored. Possible values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• "public": cube in the public catalogue</li> <li>• "user": cube in the user's account</li> <li>• "all": both of the above</li> </ul>
<code>values</code>	Boolean. Should values be included?
<code>metadata</code>	Boolean. Should metadata be included?
<code>additionals</code>	Boolean. Should additional metadata be included?
<code>contents</code>	Character string. Names of required statistical specifications
<code>startyear</code> , <code>endyear</code>	Four-digit integers. Only retrieve data between these years.
<code>timeslices</code>	Integer. Number of timeslices (cumulative to startyear or endyear)
<code>regionalvariable</code>	Character string. Code of the regional variable whose value is specified in <code>regionalkey</code> to filter the results.
<code>regionalkey</code>	Character string. One or more regional keys. Multiple values can be supplied as a character vector or as a single string, with the regional keys separated by commas. Use of wildcard (*) allowed.
<code>classifyingvariable1</code> , <code>classifyingvariable2</code> , <code>classifyingvariable3</code>	Character string. Code of the subject classification (SK-Merkmal) to which the selection by means of the corresponding <code>classifyingkey</code> parameter is to be applied.
<code>classifyingkey1</code> , <code>classifyingkey2</code> , <code>classifyingkey3</code>	Character string. One or more values of a subject classification (e.g. "WZ93012"). Applied to the corresponding <code>classifyingvariable</code> parameter. Multiple keys can be supplied as a character vector or as a single string, with the keys separated by commas. Use of wildcard (*) allowed.
<code>stand</code>	Character string, format: "DD.MM.YYYY". Only retrieve data updated after this date.
<code>language</code>	Character string. Search terms, returned messages and data descriptions in German ("de") or English ("en")?

## Value

A **tibble**. Non-data contents of the data cube object are saved in the `metadata` attribute of the data frame.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
gen_cube("47414BJ002")

## End(Not run)
```

<code>gen_download_job</code>	<code>gen_download_job</code>
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## Description

`gen_download_job`

## Usage

```
gen_download_job(
  name,
  database = c("genesis", "regio"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  compress = FALSE,
  language = Sys.getenv("GENESIS_LANG"),
  all_character = TRUE
)
```

## Arguments

<code>name</code>	Character string. The job code retrieved by using <code>gen_list_jobs()</code> .
<code>database</code>	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Only one database can be addressed per function call. Default option is 'genesis'.
<code>area</code>	Character string. Indicator from which area of the database the results are called. In general, 'all' is the appropriate solution. Default option is 'all'.
<code>compress</code>	Boolean. Should empty rows and columns be discarded? Default is FALSE.
<code>language</code>	Character string. Defines if the decimal mark and grouping mark of integers should be represented based on the European (e.g.: '100,5', '200.000,5') or American ('100.5', '200,000.5') system. Defaults to <code>Sys.getenv("GENESIS_LANG")</code> .
<code>all_character</code>	Boolean. Should all variables be imported as 'character' variables? Avoids fuzzy data type conversions if there are leading zeros or other special characters. Defaults to TRUE.

**Value**

Returns a data.frame with the table content

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
gen_download_job("21311-00-01-1_123456789", "regio")

## End(Not run)
```

gen\_find

*General Search for Objects Through GENESIS***Description**

Function to search through the databases GENESIS, Zensus 2022 and regionalstatistik.de. It is similar in usage as the search function on the GENESIS main page (<https://www-genesis.destatis.de/genesis/online>). In the search query, "UND" (German word for 'and', also written "und" or "&") as well as "ODER" (German word for 'or', also written "oder" or "l") can be included and logically combined. Furthermore, wildcards are possible by including "\*". If more than one word is included in the term string, 'and' is used automatically to combine the different words. Important note: Time-series are treated as cubes in GENESIS and regionalstatistik.de, they are not longer distinguished. If you want to find a specific object with a clear code with this find function, you need to specify the object type or search for all object types.

**Usage**

```
gen_find(
  term = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  category = c("all", "tables", "statistics", "variables", "cubes"),
  detailed = FALSE,
  ordering = TRUE,
  error.ignore = TRUE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>term</code>	A character string with no maximum character length, but a word limit of five words.
<code>database</code>	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.

category	Character string. Specify specific GENESIS/regionalstatistik.de object types ('tables', 'statistics' and 'cubes') and specific Zensus 2022 object types ('tables' and 'statistics'). All types that are specific for one database can be used together. Default option is to use all types that are possible for the specific database.
detailed	Boolean. Indicator if the function should return the detailed output of the iteration including all object-related information or only a shortened output including only code and object title. Default option is 'FALSE'.
ordering	A logical. Indicator if the function should return the output of the iteration ordered first based on the fact if the searched term is appearing in the title of the object and secondly on an estimator of the number of variables in this object. Default option is 'TRUE'.
error.ignore	Boolean. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'TRUE'.
verbose	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see vignette("additional_parameter").

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Based on the 'detailed' parameter it contains more or less information, but always includes the code of the object, the title, and the type of the object. This is done to facilitate further processing with the data. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Find objects related to "bus" in GENESIS
object <- gen_find(term = "bus")

# Find tables related to "bus" in GENESIS and return a unordered detailed output
object <- gen_find(term = "bus", detailed = TRUE, ordering = FALSE)

# Find tables related to "Autos" or "Corona" in GENESIS and return a unordered detailed output
object <- gen_find(term = "autos ODER corona", detailed = TRUE, ordering = FALSE)

#' # Find tables related to "Autos" and "Corona" in GENESIS and return a unordered detailed output
object <- gen_find(term = "autos UND corona", detailed = TRUE, ordering = FALSE)

## End(Not run)
```

`gen_list_jobs`      *gen\_list\_jobs*

## Description

Function to list all current jobs connected to the given user in the GENESIS or regionalstatistik.de database. Important note: For this function it is also possible to use `searchcriterion` parameter and `selection` parameter, making it possible to filter the job list based on 'type', 'time', 'status' or 'code'. For more details see `vignette("additional_parameter")`.

## Usage

```
gen_list_jobs(
  database = c("genesis", "regio"),
  sortcriterion = c("type", "time", "status", "code"),
  flat = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

<code>database</code>	Character string. Indicator if 'genesis' or 'regionalstatistik.de' database is called. Default option is 'genesis'.
<code>sortcriterion</code>	Character string. Indicator if the output should be sorted by 'type', 'time', 'status' or 'code'. This is a parameter of the API call itself. The default is 'type'.
<code>flat</code>	Boolean. Should the function return a list with jobs and metadata ('FALSE') or just a flat data.frame ('TRUE')? Defaults to FALSE.
<code>...</code>	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see <code>vignette("additional_parameter")</code> .

## Value

A list or data.frame (see parameter 'flat') of all current jobs of the user.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
gen_list_jobs("regio", flat = TRUE)

## End(Not run)
```

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gen_logincheck	<i>gen_logincheck</i>
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## Description

Function to check if a login is possible for a certain database.

## Usage

```
gen_logincheck(database, verbose = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Only one database can be addressed per function call. Default option is 'genesis'.
verbose	Boolean. In case of success, should a message be printed? Defaults to FALSE.

## Value

Leads to an informative error message if the login check failed and returns FALSE invisibly. Invisibly returns TRUE otherwise.

## Examples

```
## Not run:  
gen_logincheck("zensus")  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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gen_metadata	<i>Search for Meta-Information for All Types of Objects</i>
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## Description

Function to search for meta-information for all types of objects.

Search For Meta-Information For All Types Of Objects

**Usage**

```
gen_metadata(
  code = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  category = c("cube", "statistic", "table", "variable", "value"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  error.ignore = FALSE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  raw = FALSE,
  ...
)

gen_metadata(
  code = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  category = c("cube", "statistic", "table", "variable", "value"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  error.ignore = FALSE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  raw = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

code	String with a maximum length of 15 characters for a database object (GENESIS, regionalstatistik.de, Zensus 2022). Only one code per iteration.
database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
category	Character string. Specifying the specific object type of the object that you want meta data for. No default option - you need to specify the object type. Hint: The functions in 'restatis' often return information on object 'Type'.
area	Character string. Indicator from which area of the database the results are called. In general, 'all' is the appropriate solution. Default option is 'all'. Not used for 'statistics'.
error.ignore	Boolean. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'FALSE'.
verbose	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
raw	Boolean. Should a non-parsed API response be returned? Default option is 'FALSE'.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see vignette("additional_parameter").

### Value

A list with all recalled elements from GENESIS. Attributes are added to the dataframe describing the search configuration for the returned output.

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

### Examples

```
## Not run:
# Find meta-information of the table with the code "11111"
object <- gen_metadata(code = "11111", category = "Table")

## End(Not run)

## Not run:
# Find meta-information of the table with the code "11111"
object <- gen_metadata(code = "11111", category = "table")

## End(Not run)
```

gen\_metadata\_cube

*Search for Meta-Information for a Cube*

### Description

Function to search for meta-information for a specific cube.

Function to search for meta information for a specific cube. Usable only for GENESIS and region-alstatistik.de.

### Usage

```
gen_metadata_cube(
  code = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "regio"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  error.ignore = FALSE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  raw = FALSE,
  ...
)

gen_metadata_cube(
  code = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "regio"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  error.ignore = FALSE,
```

```

verbose = TRUE,
raw = FALSE,
...
)

```

## Arguments

code	A character string with a maximum length of 15 characters. Code from a GENESIS or regionalstatistik.de object. Only one code per iteration.
database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
area	Character string. Indicator from which area of the database the results are called. In general, 'all' is the appropriate solution. Default option is 'all'. Not used for 'statistics'.
error.ignore	Boolean. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'FALSE'.
verbose	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
raw	Boolean. Should a non-parsed API response be returned? Default option is 'FALSE'.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see vignette("additional_parameter").

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from GENESIS. Attributes are added to the dataframe describing the search configuration for the returned output.

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```

## Not run:
# Find meta-information of the cube with the code "11111KE001"
object <- gen_metadata_cube(code = "11111KE001")

## End(Not run)

## Not run:
# Find meta-information of the cube with the code "11111KE001"
object <- gen_metadata_cube(code = "11111KE001")

## End(Not run)

```

---

```
gen_metadata_statistic
    gen_metadata_statistic
```

---

## Description

Function to search for meta information for a specific statistic.

## Usage

```
gen_metadata_statistic(
  code = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  error.ignore = FALSE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  raw = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

code	A character string with a maximum length of 15 characters. Code from a GENESIS, Zensus 2022 or regionalstatistik.de object. Only one code per iteration.
database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
area	Character string. Indicator from which area of the database the results are called. In general, 'all' is the appropriate solution. Default option is 'all'. Not used for 'statistics'.
error.ignore	Boolean. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'FALSE'.
verbose	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
raw	Boolean. Should a non-parsed API response be returned? Default option is 'FALSE'.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see vignette("additional_parameter").

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Find meta-information of the statistic with the code "12411"
object <- gen_metadata_stats(code = "12411")

## End(Not run)
```

**gen\_metadata\_stats**     *Search for Meta-Information for a Statistic*

## Description

Function to search for meta-information for a specific statistic.

## Usage

```
gen_metadata_stats(code = NULL, error.ignore = FALSE, ...)
```

## Arguments

- |              |                                                                                                                                                        |
|--------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| code         | a string with a maximum length of 15 characters. Code from a GENESIS-Object. Only one code per iteration.                                              |
| error.ignore | a logical. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. |
| ...          | Additional parameter of the GENESIS API call. These parameters are only affecting the GENESIS API call itself, no further processing.                  |

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from GENESIS. Attributes are added to the dataframe describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Find meta-information of the statistic with the code "12411"
object <- gen_metadata_stats(code = "12411")

## End(Not run)
```

---

gen\_metadata\_tab      *Search for Meta-Information for a Table*

---

## Description

Function to search for meta-information for a specific table.

## Usage

```
gen_metadata_tab(code = NULL, error.ignore = FALSE, ...)
```

## Arguments

code	a string with a maximum length of 15 characters. Code from a GENESIS-Object. Only one code per iteration.
error.ignore	a logical. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response.
...	Additional parameter of the GENESIS API call. These parameters are only affecting the GENESIS API call itself, no further processing.

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from GENESIS. Attributes are added to the dataframe describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:  
# Find meta-information of the table with the code "11111"  
object <- gen_metadata_tab(code = "11111")  
  
## End(Not run)
```

---

gen\_metadata\_table      *gen\_metadata\_table*

---

## Description

Function to search for meta information for a specific table.

## Usage

```
gen_metadata_table(
  code = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  error.ignore = FALSE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  raw = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

code	A character string with a maximum length of 15 characters. Code from a GENESIS, Zensus 2022 or regionalstatistik.de object. Only one code per iteration.
database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
area	Character string. Indicator from which area of the database the results are called. In general, 'all' is the appropriate solution. Default option is 'all'. Not used for 'statistics'.
error.ignore	Boolean. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'FALSE'.
verbose	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
raw	Boolean. Should a non-parsed API response be returned? Default option is 'FALSE'.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see vignette("additional_parameter").

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Find meta-information of the table with the code "11111"
object <- gen_metadata_tab(code = "11111")

## End(Not run)
```

---

gen\_metadata\_val      *Search for Meta-Information for a Value*

---

## Description

Function to search for meta-information for a specific value.

## Usage

```
gen_metadata_val(code = NULL, error.ignore = FALSE, ...)
```

## Arguments

code	a string with a maximum length of 15 characters. Code from a GENESIS-Object. Only one code per iteration.
error.ignore	a logical. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response.
...	Additional parameter of the GENESIS API call. These parameters are only affecting the GENESIS API call itself, no further processing.

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from GENESIS. Attributes are added to the dataframe describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:  
# Find meta-information of the value with the code "LEDIG"  
object <- gen_metadata_val(code = "LEDIG")  
  
## End(Not run)
```

---

gen\_metadata\_value      *gen\_metadata\_value*

---

## Description

Function to search for meta information for a specific value.

## Usage

```
gen_metadata_value(
  code = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  error.ignore = FALSE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  raw = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

code	A character string with a maximum length of 15 characters. Code from a GENESIS, Zensus 2022 or regionalstatistik.de object. Only one code per iteration.
database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
area	Character string. Indicator from which area of the database the results are called. In general, 'all' is the appropriate solution. Default option is 'all'. Not used for 'statistics'.
error.ignore	Boolean. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'FALSE'.
verbose	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
raw	Boolean. Should a non-parsed API response be returned? Default option is 'FALSE'.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see vignette("additional_parameter").

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Find meta-information of the value with the code "LEDIG"
object <- gen_metadata_val(code = "LEDIG")

## End(Not run)
```

---

gen\_metadata\_var      *Search for Meta-Information for a Variable*

---

## Description

Function to search for meta-information for a specific variable.

## Usage

```
gen_metadata_var(code = NULL, error.ignore = FALSE, ...)
```

## Arguments

code	a string with a maximum length of 15 characters. Code from a GENESIS-Object. Only one code per iteration. "*" -Notation is possible.
error.ignore	a logical. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response.
...	Additional parameter of the GENESIS API call. These parameters are only affecting the GENESIS API call itself, no further processing.

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from GENESIS. Attributes are added to the dataframe describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:  
# Find meta-information of the variable with the code "FAMSTD"  
object <- gen_metadata_var(code = "FAMSTD")  
  
## End(Not run)
```

---

gen\_metadata\_variable    *gen\_metadata\_variable*

---

## Description

Function to search for meta information for a specific variable.

## Usage

```
gen_metadata_variable(
  code = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  error.ignore = FALSE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  raw = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

code	A character string with a maximum length of 15 characters. Code from a GENESIS, Zensus 2022 or regionalstatistik.de object. Only one code per iteration.
database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
area	Character string. Indicator from which area of the database the results are called. In general, 'all' is the appropriate solution. Default option is 'all'. Not used for 'statistics'.
error.ignore	Boolean. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'FALSE'.
verbose	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
raw	Boolean. Should a non-parsed API response be returned? Default option is 'FALSE'.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see vignette("additional_parameter").

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Find meta-information of the variable with the code "FAMSTD"
object <- gen_metadata_var(code = "FAMSTD")

## End(Not run)
```

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<code>gen_modified_data</code>	<i>gen_modified_data</i>
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## Description

Function to check for updates, changes, or new objects based on a specific date.

## Usage

```
gen_modified_data(
  code = "",
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  type = c("all", "tables", "statistics", "statisticsUpdates"),
  date = c("now", "week_before", "month_before", "year_before"),
  verbose = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

code	A character string with a maximum length of 15 characters. Code from a GENESIS, Zensus 2022 or regionalstatistik.de object. Only one code per iteration.
database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
type	Character string. Specific GENESIS and regionalstatistik.de object types: 'tables', 'statistics', and 'statisticsUpdates'. Specific Zensus 2022 object types: 'tables' and 'statistics'. All types that are specific for one database can be used together through 'all', which is the default.
date	Character string. Specific date that is used as the last update or upload time to include an object in return. Default option is 'now', which uses the current date of your system. Alternative options are 'week_before', using the current date of your system minus 7 days, 'month_before', using the current date of your system minus 4 weeks, and 'year_before', using the current date of your system minus 52 weeks. Additionally, it is possible to fill in a specific date of format 'DD.MM.YYYY'.
verbose	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see <code>vignette("additional_parameter")</code> .

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Always includes the code of the object, the title, and the type of the object. This is done to facilitate further processing with the data. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Find objects which were modified last_week
object <- gen_modified_data(date = "week_before")

# Find tables that were new from 31.03.2020
object <- gen_modified_data(type = "tables", date = "31.03.2020")

# Find objects related to the topic "Bevölkerung" (Code: '12*') which were new today
object <- gen_modified_data(code = "12*")

## End(Not run)
```

*gen\_objects2stat*      *gen\_objects2stat*

## Description

Function to find objects related to a statistic

## Usage

```
gen_objects2stat(
  code = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  category = c("tables", "variables", "cubes"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  detailed = FALSE,
  sortcriterion = c("code", "content"),
  error.ignore = FALSE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

code	Character string with a maximum length of 6 characters (15 characters if 'cubes' are not used as a category). Code from a GENESIS, Zensus 2022 or regionalstatistik.de object. Only one code per iteration.
database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
category	Character string. Specify specific GENESIS/regionalstatistik.de object types ('tables', 'statistics' and 'cubes') and specific Zensus 2022 object types ('tables' and 'statistics'). All types that are specific for one database can be used together. Default option is to use all types that are possible for the specific database.

<code>area</code>	Character string. Indicator from which area of the database the results are called. In general, 'all' is the appropriate solution. Default option is 'all'. Not used for 'statistics'.
<code>detailed</code>	Boolean. Indicator if the function should return the detailed output of the iteration including all object-related information or only a shortened output including only code and object title. Default option is 'FALSE'.
<code>sortcriterion</code>	Character string. Indicator if the output should be sorted by 'code' or 'content'. This is a parameter of the API call itself. The default is 'code'.
<code>error.ignore</code>	Boolean. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'FALSE'.
<code>verbose</code>	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
<code>...</code>	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see <code>vignette("additional_parameter")</code> .

### Value

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Based on the 'detailed' parameter it contains more or less information, but always includes the code of the object, the title, and the type of the object. This is done to facilitate further processing with the data. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

### Examples

```
## Not run:
# Find cubes from the statistic with the code "21111" with a detailed return
object <- gen_objects2stat(code = "21111", category = "cubes", detailed = T)

# Find all object types from the statistic with the code "12411"
object <- gen_objects2stat(code = "12411")
# Default of detailed-parameter is FALSE, and default of the
# category-parameter is to include all object types.

## End(Not run)
```

---

### Description

Function to find objects related to a variable

## Usage

```
gen_objects2var(
  code = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  category = c("tables", "statistics", "cubes"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  detailed = FALSE,
  sortcriterion = c("code", "content"),
  error.ignore = FALSE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

code	Character string with a maximum length of 15 characters. Code from a GENESIS, Zensus 2022 or regionalstatistik.de object. Only one code per iteration.
database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
category	Character string. Specify specific GENESIS/regionalstatistik.de object types ('tables', 'statistics' and 'cubes') and specific Zensus 2022 object types ('tables' and 'statistics'). All types that are specific for one database can be used together. Default option is to use all types that are possible for the specific database.
area	Character string. Indicator from which area of the database the results are called. In general, 'all' is the appropriate solution. Default option is 'all'. Not used for 'statistics'.
detailed	Boolean. Indicator if the function should return the detailed output of the iteration including all object-related information or only a shortened output including only code and object title. Default option is 'FALSE'.
sortcriterion	Character string. Indicator if the output should be sorted by 'code' or 'content'. This is a parameter of the API call itself. The default is 'code'.
error.ignore	Boolean. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'FALSE'.
verbose	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see vignette("additional_parameter").

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Based on the 'detailed' parameter it contains more or less information, but always includes the code of the object, the title, and the type of the object. This is done to facilitate further processing with the data. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Find Tables for Variable "Kreise" and return detailed output
object <- gen_objects2var(code = "Kreise", category = "tables", detailed = T)

# Find everything for Variable "GES"
object <- gen_objects2var(code = "GES")
# Default of detailed-parameter is FALSE, and default of the
# category-parameter is to include all object types.

## End(Not run)
```

gen\_search\_vars      *gen\_search\_vars*

## Description

Function to search for specific variables

## Usage

```
gen_search_vars(
  code = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  sortcriterion = c("code", "content"),
  error.ignore = FALSE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

<code>code</code>	Character string with a maximum length of 6 characters. Code from a GENESIS, Zensus 2022 or regionalstatistik.de object. Only one code per iteration.
<code>database</code>	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
<code>area</code>	Character string. Indicator from which area of the database the results are called. In general, 'all' is the appropriate solution. Default option is 'all'. Not used for 'statistics'.
<code>sortcriterion</code>	Character string. Indicator if the output should be sorted by 'code' or 'content'. This is a parameter of the API call itself. The default is 'code'.
<code>error.ignore</code>	Boolean. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'FALSE'.

verbose	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see <code>vignette("additional_parameter")</code> .

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Always includes the code of the object, the title, and the type of the object. This is done to facilitate further processing with the data. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Find a specific variable "GES" in Genesis
object <- gen_search_vars("GES")

## End(Not run)
```

## Description

Function to list all currently used special signs (e.g., 0, \*, X, (), p, ...) and their meaning in GENESIS, Zensus 2022 and/or regionalstatistik.de.

## Usage

```
gen_signs(database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"), ...)
```

## Arguments

database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see <code>vignette("additional_parameter")</code> .

## Value

A list of all current used special signs.

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`gen_table`*gen\_table*

## Description

Download a table with data from GENESIS, Zensus 2022 or regionalstatistik.de databases

## Usage

```
gen_table(name, ...)
```

## Arguments

<code>name</code>	Character string. Name/code of the table. Use of wildcards (*) is possible.
<code>...</code>	Optional parameters passed on to the Genesis API call:
<code>area</code>	Character string. The area in which the table is stored. Possible values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• "public": table in the public catalogue</li><li>• "user": table in the user's account</li><li>• "all": both of the above</li></ul>
<code>compress</code>	Boolean. Should empty rows and columns be discarded?
<code>transpose</code>	Boolean. Reshape the table between "wide" and "long" format.
<code>startyear</code> , <code>endyear</code>	Four-digit integers. Only retrieve data between these years.
<code>regionalvariable</code>	Character string. Code of the regional variable whose value is specified in <code>regionalkey</code> to filter the results.
<code>regionalkey</code>	Character string. One or more regional keys. Multiple values can be supplied as a character vector or as a single string, with the regional keys separated by commas. Use of wildcard (*) allowed.
<code>classifyingvariable1</code> , <code>classifyingvariable2</code> , <code>classifyingvariable3</code>	Character string. Code of the subject classification (SK-Merkmal) to which the selection by means of the corresponding <code>classifyingkey</code> parameter is to be applied.
<code>classifyingkey1</code> , <code>classifyingkey2</code> , <code>classifyingkey3</code>	Character string. One or more values of a subject classification (e.g. "WZ93012"). Applied to the corresponding <code>classifyingvariable</code> parameter. Multiple keys can be supplied as a character vector or as a single string, with the keys separated by commas. Use of wildcard (*) allowed.
<code>stand</code>	Character string, format: "DD.MM.YYYY". Only retrieve data updated after this date.
<code>language</code>	Search terms, returned messages and data descriptions in German ("de") or English ("en")?
<code>job</code>	Boolean. Indicate as to whether a job should be created (not available with the 'Zensus' database).)
<code>all_character</code>	Boolean. Should all variables be imported as 'character' variables? Avoids fuzzy data type conversions if there are leading zeros or other special characters. Defaults to TRUE.

**Value**

A [tibble](#).

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
gen_table("21311-0001")

## End(Not run)
```

gen_update_evas	<i>gen_update_evas</i>
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**Description**

Function to web scrape the EVAS numbers from the EVAS website and save them as a .rda file.  
Takes no parameters.

**Usage**

```
gen_update_evas()
```

**Value**

An updated .rda file containing the latest EVAS numbers

gen_val2var	<i>gen_val2var</i>
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**Description**

Function to extract the possible values from a variable. Values for continuous variables are not extractable, which is why the function returns a warning message in this case.

**Usage**

```
gen_val2var(
  code = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  sortcriterion = c("code", "content"),
  error.ignore = TRUE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

code	Character string with a maximum length of 15 characters. Code from a GENESIS, Zensus 2022 or regionalstatistik.de object. Only one code per iteration.
database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
area	Character string. Indicator from which area of the database the results are called. In general, 'all' is the appropriate solution. Default option is 'all'. Not used for 'statistics'.
sortcriterion	Character string. Indicator if the output should be sorted by 'code' or 'content'. This is a parameter of the API call itself. The default is 'code'.
error.ignore	Boolean. Indicator for values if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'TRUE', this prevents the function to stop even if a variable has no further explanation (often the case for numerical variables).
verbose	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see <code>vignette("additional_parameter")</code> .

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Always includes the code of the object, the title, and the type of the object. This is done to facilitate further processing with the data. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Find the values of the variable "DLAND"
object <- gen_val2var(code = "DLAND")

## End(Not run)
```

## Description

Get values from variables from a statistic. Values for continuous variables cannot be extracted, so the function returns a warning message.

## Usage

```
gen_val2var2stat(
  code = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  detailed = FALSE,
  sortcriterion = c("code", "content"),
  error.ignore.var = FALSE,
  error.ignore.val = TRUE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

code	Character string with a maximum length of 15 characters. Code from a GENESIS, Zensus 2022 or regionalstatistik.de object. Only one code per iteration.
database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
area	Character string. Indicator from which area of the database the results are called. In general, 'all' is the appropriate solution. Default option is 'all'. Not used for 'statistics'.
detailed	Boolean. Indicator if the function should return the detailed output of the iteration including all object-related information or only a shortened output including only code and object title. Default option is 'FALSE'.
sortcriterion	Character string. Indicator if the output should be sorted by 'code' or 'content'. This is a parameter of the API call itself. The default is 'code'.
error.ignore.var	Boolean. Indicator for variables if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'FALSE'.
error.ignore.val	Boolean. Indicator for values if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'TRUE', this prevents the function to stop even if a variable has no further explanation (often the case for numerical variables).
verbose	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
...	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see vignette("additional_parameter").

## Value

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Based on the 'detailed' parameter it contains more or less information, but always includes the code of the object, the title, and the type of the object.

This is done to facilitate further processing with the data. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Find the values of variables in a specific statistic with
# the code "21111" and a detailed description of the variables
object <- gen_val2var2stat(code = "21111", detailed = TRUE)

## End(Not run)
```

gen\_var2stat

*gen\_var2stat*

## Description

Function to generate variables from statistics

## Usage

```
gen_var2stat(
  code = NULL,
  database = c("all", "genesis", "zensus", "regio"),
  area = c("all", "public", "user"),
  detailed = FALSE,
  sortcriterion = c("code", "content"),
  error.ignore = FALSE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

code	Character string with a maximum length of 15 characters. Code from a GENESIS, Zensus 2022 or regionalstatistik.de object. Only one code per iteration.
database	Character string. Indicator if the GENESIS ('genesis'), Zensus 2022 ('zensus') or regionalstatistik.de ('regio') database is called. Default option is 'all'.
area	Character string. Indicator from which area of the database the results are called. In general, 'all' is the appropriate solution. Default option is 'all'. Not used for 'statistics'.
detailed	Boolean. Indicator if the function should return the detailed output of the iteration including all object-related information or only a shortened output including only code and object title. Default option is 'FALSE'.
sortcriterion	Character string. Indicator if the output should be sorted by 'code' or 'content'. This is a parameter of the API call itself. The default is 'code'.

<code>error.ignore</code>	Boolean. Indicator if the function should stop if an error occurs or no object for the request is found or if it should produce a token as response. Default option is 'FALSE'.
<code>verbose</code>	Boolean. Indicator if the output of the function should include detailed messages and warnings. Default option is 'TRUE'. Set the parameter to 'FALSE' to suppress additional messages and warnings.
<code>...</code>	Additional parameters for the API call. These parameters are only affecting the call itself, no further processing. For more details see <code>vignette("additional_parameter")</code> .

**Value**

A list with all recalled elements from the API. Based on the 'detailed' parameter it contains more or less information, but always includes the code of the object, the title, and the type of the object. This is done to facilitate further processing with the data. Attributes are added to the data.frame describing the search configuration for the returned output.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Find the variables of the statistic with the code "12411"
# with a detailed output
object <- gen_var2stat(code = "12411", detailed = T)

## End(Not run)
```

**Description**

`ggsub`

**Usage**

`ggsub(x)`

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	Element to subset with \$Content
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```
insert_and_save_credentials  
    insert_and_save_credentials
```

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**Description**

```
insert_and_save_credentials
```

**Usage**

```
insert_and_save_credentials(database)
```

**Arguments**

database	The database to specify credentials for
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```
is_cube_metadata_header  
    is_cube_metadata_header
```

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**Description**

```
is_cube_metadata_header
```

**Usage**

```
is_cube_metadata_header(lines)
```

**Arguments**

lines	Lines to check for header
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```
logincheck_http_error logincheck_http_error
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**Description**

```
logincheck_http_error
```

**Usage**

```
logincheck_http_error(database, verbose)
```

**Arguments**

database	The user input to 'gen_logincheck'
verbose	Boolean. Should the function message in case of success?

**Value**

Informative error/warning messages + invisibly TRUE/FALSE

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**logincheck\_stop\_or\_warn**

*logincheck\_stop\_or\_warn*

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**Description**

`logincheck_stop_or_warn`

**Usage**

`logincheck_stop_or_warn(response, error, verbose, database)`

**Arguments**

response	A HTTP response object
error	Boolean. Should the function warn or throw an error?
verbose	Boolean. Should the function message in case of success?
database	The database that the check should be run for

**Value**

In case of failure warns or errors. Invisibly returns TRUE (success) or FALSE (failure)

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**param\_check\_regionalkey**

*param\_check\_regionalkey*

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**Description**

`param_check_regionalkey`

**Usage**

`param_check_regionalkey(regionalkey)`

**Arguments**

regionalkey	Regional key
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param_check_year	<i>param_check_year</i>
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**Description**

param\_check\_year

**Usage**

param\_check\_year(year)

**Arguments**

year	Year as parameter value
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param_collapse_vec	<i>param_collapse_vec</i>
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**Description**

param\_collapse\_vec

**Usage**

param\_collapse\_vec(vec)

**Arguments**

vec	Vector to be collapsed
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read_cube	<i>read_cube</i>
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**Description**

read\_cube

**Usage**

read\_cube(resp)

**Arguments**

resp	API response object resulting from a call to 'data/cubefile'
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`read_cube_block`      *read\_cube\_block*

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**Description**

`read_cube_block`

**Usage**

`read_cube_block(lines)`

**Arguments**

`lines`      Lines to read as header

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`read_cube_data_lines`    *read\_cube\_data\_lines*

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**Description**

`read_cube_data_lines`

**Usage**

`read_cube_data_lines(lines, col_names)`

**Arguments**

`lines`      Lines to read data from  
`col_names`      Specify column names

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`read_cube_metadata_header`  
                        *read\_cube\_metadata\_header*

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**Description**

`read_cube_metadata_header`

**Usage**

`read_cube_metadata_header(line, rename_dups = TRUE)`

**Arguments**

`line`      Line to read  
`rename_dups`      Rename duplicates?

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```
rename_cube_data_columns
    rename_cube_data_columns
```

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**Description**

```
rename_cube_data_columns
```

**Usage**

```
rename_cube_data_columns(cube)
```

**Arguments**

cube	A cube object to rename the columns in
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```
resp_check_data      resp_check_data
```

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**Description**

```
resp_check_data
```

**Usage**

```
resp_check_data(resp)
```

**Arguments**

resp	Response object
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```
return_table_object   return_table_object
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**Description**

```
return_table_object
```

**Usage**

```
return_table_object(response, response_type, language, all_character)
```

**Arguments**

response	Response object
response_type	Response type
language	Language locale
all_character	Read all variables as character?

`rev_database_function` *rev\_database\_function*

**Description**

`rev_database_function`

**Usage**

`rev_database_function(input)`

**Arguments**

input	Input to test for database name
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`spezifisch_create` *spezifisch\_create*

**Description**

`spezifisch_create`

**Usage**

`spezifisch_create(x)`

**Arguments**

x	Element to extract \$Spezifisch from
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`split_cube`*split\_cube*

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**Description**`split_cube`**Usage**`split_cube(lines)`**Arguments**`lines` Lines to split a cube

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`test_database_function`*test\_database\_function*

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**Description**`test_database_function`**Usage**`test_database_function(input, error.input, text)`**Arguments**`input` Input to test for database name`error.input` Indicator error.ignore`text` Indicator verbose

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test_if_error	<i>test_if_error</i>
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**Description**

test\_if\_error

**Usage**

`test_if_error(input, para, verbose = NULL)`

**Arguments**

input	Response object
para	Parameter TRUE/FALSE
verbose	Verbose TRUE/FALSE

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test_if_error_find	<i>test_if_error_find</i>
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**Description**

test\_if\_error\_find

**Usage**

`test_if_error_find(input, para, verbose = NULL)`

**Arguments**

input	Response object
para	Parameter TRUE/FALSE
verbose	Verbose TRUE/FALSE

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*test\_if\_error\_light      test\_if\_error\_light*

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**Description**

*test\_if\_error\_light*

**Usage**

`test_if_error_light(input, verbose = NULL)`

**Arguments**

input	Response object
verbose	Verbose TRUE/FALSE

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*test\_if\_error\_variables*

*test\_if\_error\_variables*

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**Description**

*test\_if\_error\_variables*

**Usage**

`test_if_error_variables(input, para)`

**Arguments**

input	Response object
para	Parameter TRUE/FALSE

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*test\_if\_json*

*test\_if\_json*

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**Description**

*test\_if\_json*

**Usage**

`test_if_json(input)`

**Arguments**

input	Response object
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<code>test_if_okay</code>	<i>test_if_okay</i>
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**Description**

`test_if_okay`

**Usage**

`test_if_okay(input)`

**Arguments**

<code>input</code>	Response object
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<code>test_if_process_further</code>	<i>test_if_process_further</i>
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**Description**

`test_if_process_further`

**Usage**

`test_if_process_further(input, para, verbose = NULL)`

**Arguments**

<code>input</code>	Response object
<code>para</code>	Parameter TRUE/FALSE
<code>verbose</code>	Verbose TRUE/FALSE

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<code>titel_search</code>	<i>titel_search</i>
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**Description**

`titel_search`

**Usage**

`titel_search(x, term, text)`

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	Element to extract \$Content from
<code>term</code>	Search term
<code>text</code>	Indicator verbose

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