

# Package: istacbaser (via r-universe)

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**Type** Package

**Title** Programmatic Access to Data from the ISTAC API

**Description** Functions for searching and downloading data and statistics from the ISTAC API  
(<<http://www.gobiernodecanarias.org/istac/>>).

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cache	<i>Cached information from the ISTAC API</i>
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## Description

This data is a cached result of the accesibles tables using the ISTAC API. By default functions `istacbase` and `istacbase_search` use this data for the cache parameter.

## Usage

```
cache
```

## Format

A data frame with 5257 rows and 11 variables:

- tema** Main topic
- subtemaI** Subtopic
- subtemaII** third level of the topic
- datos\_publicadosI** fourth level of the topic
- datos\_publicadosII** fifth level of the topic
- apijson** url of the table
- lista\_tablas** tables list
- titulo** title
- origen** source
- encuesta** Survey title
- ID** Identifier ...

## Details

This data was updated on November 18, 2017

codes2labes	<i>Format data of <code>istacbase_get</code> return from codes to labels</i>
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## Description

change the data of dataframe returned by `istacbase_get` from the code given by th ISTAC API to the labels gived them.

## Usage

```
codes2labes(datos_lista, df)
```

**Arguments**

<code>datos_lista</code>	a list given by <code>istacbase_get</code>
<code>df</code>	a data frame with data in Code format.

**Value**

a data frame with the column names changed accordingly

`istacbase`*Download data from the ISTACBASE API***Description**

This function downloads the requested information using the ISTACBASE API.

**Usage**

```
istacbase(istacbase_table, islas = "all", label = TRUE,
          POSIXct = FALSE, startdate, enddate, freq, mrv, cache)
```

**Arguments**

<code>istacbase_table</code>	Character string with the ID of the table requested. This ID corresponds to the ID column from <code>cache</code> .
<code>islas</code>	Character vector of islands name requested. Default value is special code of all. Valid values for islands are: El Hierro, La Palma, La Gomera, Tenerife, Gran Canaria, Fuerteventura and Lanzarote.
<code>label</code>	if FALSE, the data frame returned has the codes used in ISTACBASE API, if TRUE, the data frame returned has the labels used in ISTACBASE API. Default value is FALSE.
<code>POSIXct</code>	if TRUE, additonal columns fecha and periodicidad are added. fecha converts the default date into a <code>POSIXct</code> . periodicidad denotes the time resolution that the date represents. Useful for freq filter, If FALSE, these fields are not added.
<code>startdate</code>	Numeric. Must be in %Y form (i.e. four digit year).
<code>enddate</code>	Numeric. Must be in %Y form (i.e. four digit year).
<code>freq</code>	Character String. For fetching yearly ("anual"), biannual ("semestral"), quaterly ("trimestral"), monthly("mensual"), bi-weekly("quincenal"), weekly("semanal") values. Currently works along with <code>mrv</code> .
<code>mrv</code>	Numeric. The number of Most Recent Values to return. A replacement of <code>startdate</code> and <code>enddate</code> , this number represents the number of observations you which to return starting from the most recent date of collection.
<code>cache</code>	Data frame with tables from ISTACBASE API.

**Value**

Data frame with all available requested data.

**Note**

The POSIXct parameter requires the use of [lubridate](#) (>= 1.5.0). All dates are rounded down to the floor. For example a value for the year 2016 would have a POSIXct date of 2016-01-01. If this package is not available and the POSIXct parameter is set to TRUE, the parameter is ignored and a warning is produced.

`startdate`, `enddate`, `freq`, `mrv` with `POSIXct=FALSE` are ignored when `POSIXct` is set to `FALSE`. and a warning is produced.

**Examples**

```
# Percentiles de renta disponible (aÃ±o anterior al de la entrevista) por hogar en Canarias y aÃ±os.
istacbase("soc.cal.enc.res.3637")

# query using startdate and enddate
# Percentiles de renta disponible (aÃ±o anterior al de la entrevista) por hogar en Canarias y aÃ±os.
istacbase("soc.cal.enc.res.3637", POSIXct = TRUE, startdate = 2010, enddate = 2015)

# query using \code{islas} filter
# PoblaciÃ³n segÃºn sexos y edades aÃ±o a aÃ±o. Islas de Canarias y aÃ±os.
istacbase("dem.pob.exp.res.35", islas = "Fuerteventura")

# if you want the most recent values
istacbase("dem.pob.exp.res.35", POSIXct = TRUE, mrv = 4)
```

**istacbaseperiodos2POSIXct**

*Add a POSIXct dates to a ISTACBASE API return*

**Description**

Add a POSIXct date column as well as a column with the appropriate granularity to a ISTACBASE API return

**Usage**

```
istacbaseperiodos2POSIXct(df, date_col)
```

**Arguments**

<code>df</code>	data frame returned from API call
<code>date_col</code>	name of the current date field

**Value**

If the package `lubridate` ( $\geq 1.5.0$ ) is available the original data frame with two new columns, `fecha` and `periodicidad` is returned. If the above package is not available, the original data frame is returned unaltered with an additional warning message.

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<code>istacbase_get</code>	<i>Call the ISTACBASE API and return a formatted data frame</i>
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**Description**

This function calls the ISTACBASE API, capture the data in json format and return a list with data in json format and a formatted data frame.

**Usage**

```
istacbase_get(indicador)
```

**Arguments**

`indicador` A character string. The ID code of the requested table. Normally gived by the [istacbase\\_search](#) function.

**Details**

```
# To be used inside of istacbase
```

**Value**

A list with data in json format and a formatted data frame.

**Examples**

```
# Percentiles de renta disponible (año anterior al de la entrevista) por hogar en Canarias y años.  
istacbase_get("soc.cal.enc.res.3637")
```

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<code>istacbase_search</code>	<i>Search information about data available through ISTACBASE API</i>
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## Description

This funcion allows finds those tables that match the search term and returns a data frame with results

## Usage

```
istacbase_search(pattern, fields = "titulo", extra = TRUE,
                 exact = FALSE, cache)
```

## Arguments

<code>pattern</code>	Character string or regular expression to be matched.
<code>fields</code>	Character vector of column name through which to search.
<code>extra</code>	if FALSE, only the namecode and title are returned, if TRUE, all columns of the cache are returned.
<code>exact</code>	Search for the exact pattern.
<code>cache</code>	Data frame with metadata about API and ISTAC information.

## Value

Data frame with metadata that match the search term.

## Examples

```
istacbase_search(pattern = "superficie")
istacbase_search(pattern = "superficie", extra = TRUE)

istacbase_search(pattern = "medio ambiente", fields = "tema")
istacbase_search(pattern = "medio ambiente", fields = "tema", extra = TRUE)

# with regular expression operators
# 'islot' OR 'roque'
istacbase_search(pattern = "islot|roque")
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