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mapping-and-querying   *Mapping identifiers with the UniProt API*

Description

These functions are the main workhorses for mapping identifiers from one database to another. They make use of the latest UniProt API (seen at https://www.uniprot.org/help/api).

Usage

```
mapUniProt(
    from = "UniProtKB_AC-ID",
    to = "UniRef90",
    columns = character(0L),
    query,
    verbose = FALSE,
    debug = FALSE,
    paginate = TRUE,
    pageSize = 500L
)
queryUniProt(
    query = character(0L),
    fields = c("accession", "id"),
    collapse = " OR ",
    n = Inf,
    pageSize = 25L
)
allToKeys(fromName = "UniProtKB_AC-ID")
allFromKeys()
returnFields()
```

Arguments

from	character(1) The identifier type to map from, by default "UniProtKB_AC-ID", short for UniProt accession identifiers. See a list of all 'from' type identifiers with allFromKeys.
to	character(1) The target mapping identifier, by default "UniRef90". It can be any one of those returned by allToKeys from the appropriate fromName argument.

columns, fields	character() Additional information to be retreived from UniProt service. See a full list of possible input return fields at https://www.uniprot.org/help/return_fields. Example fields include, "accession", "id", "gene_names", "xref_pdb", "xref_hgnc", "sequence", etc.
query	character() or named list() Typically, a string that would indicate the target accession identifiers but can also be a named list based on the available query fields. See https://www.uniprot.org/help/query-fields for a list of query fields. The typical query might only include a character vector of UniProt accession identifiers, e.g., c("A0A0C5B5G6", "A0A1B0GTW7", "A0JNW5", "A0JP26", "A0PK11", "A1A4S6")
collapse	character(1) A string indicating either " OR " or " AND " for combining query clauses.
n	numeric(1) Maximum number of rows to return
fromName	character(1) A from key to use as the basis of mapping to other keys, by default, "UniProtKB_AC-ID".
verbose	logical(1) Whether the operations should provide verbose updates (default FALSE).
debug	logical(1) Whether to display the URL API endpoints, for advanced debugging (default FALSE)
paginate	logical(1) Whether to use the pagination API (i.e., "results" vs "stream") in the request responses. For performance, it is set to TRUE by default.
pageSize	integer(1) number of records per page. It corresponds to the size parameter in the API request.

Details

Note that mapUniProt is used internally by the select method but made available for API queries with finer control. Provide values from the name column in returnFields as the columns input in either mapUniProt or select method.

When using from='Gene_Name', you may restrict the search results to a specific organism by including e.g., taxId=9606 in the query as a named list element. See examples below.

Value

- mapUniProtA data.frame of returned results

- allToKeysA sorted character vector of possible "To" keytypes based on the given "From" type

- allFromKeysA sorted character vector of possible "From" keytypes

- returnFieldsA data.frame of entries for the columns input in mapUniprot; see 'name' column

Author(s)

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Examples

```
mapUniProt(
    from="UniProtKB_AC-ID",
    to='RefSeq_Protein',
    query=c('P13368','Q9UM73','P97793','Q17192')
)

mapUniProt(
    from='GeneID', to='UniProtKB', query=c('1','2','3','9','10')
)

mapUniProt(
    from = "UniProtKB_AC-ID",
    to = "UniProtKB",
    columns = c("accession", "id"),
    query = list(organism_id = 10090, ids = c('Q7TPG8', 'P63318'))
)

## restrict 'from = Gene_Name' result to taxId 9606
mapUniProt(
    from = "Gene_Name",
    to = "UniProtKB-Swiss-Prot",
    columns = c("accession", "id"),
    query = list(taxId = 9606, ids = 'TP53')
)

mapUniProt(
    from = "UniProtKB_AC-ID", to = "UniProtKB",
    query = c("P31946", "P62258"),
    columns = c("accession", "id", "xref_pdb", "xref_hgnc", "sequence")
)

queryUniProt(
    query = c("accession:A5YMT3", "organism_id:9606"),
    fields = c("accession", "id", "reviewed"),
    collapse = " AND "
)

allToKeys(fromName = "UniRef100")

head(allFromKeys())

head(returnFields())
```

UniProt.ws-objects   *UniProt.ws objects and their related methods and functions*

Description

UniProt.ws is the base class for interacting with the Uniprot web services from Bioconductor.

In much the same way as an `AnnotationDb` object allows acces to select for many other annotation packages, `UniProt.ws` is meant to allow usage of `select` methods and other supporting methods to enable the easy extraction of data from the Uniprot web services.

`select`, `columns` and `keys` are used together to extract data via an `UniProt.ws` object.

`columns` shows which kinds of data can be returned for the `UniProt.ws` object.

`keytypes` allows the user to discover which keytypes can be passed in to `select` or `keys` via the `keytype` argument.

`keys` returns keys for the database contained in the `UniProt.ws` object . By default it will return the primary keys for the database, which are UniProtKB keys, but if used with the `keytype` argument, it will return the keys from that keytype.

`select` will retrieve the data as a data.frame based on parameters for selected `keys` and `columns` and `keytype` arguments.

The `UniProt.ws` will be loaded whenever you load the `UniProt.ws` package. This object will be set up to retrieve information from Homo sapiens by default, but this value can be changed to any of the species supported by Uniprot. The `species` and `taxId` methods allow users to see what species is currently being accessed, and `taxId<-` allows them to change this value.

`species` shows the genus and species label currently attached to the `UniProt.ws` objects database.

`taxId` shows the NCBI taxonomy ID currently attached to the `AnnotationDb` objects database. Using the equivalently names replace method (`taxId<-`) allows the user to change the taxon ID, and the species represented along with it.

`availableUniprotSpecies` is a helper function to list out the available Species along with their official taxonomy IDs that are available by Uniprot. Because there are so many species represented at UniProt, there is also a pattern argument that can be used to restrict the range of things returned to be only those whose species names match the searth term. Please remember when using this argument that the Genus is always capitalized and the species never is.

`lookupUniprotSpeciesFromTaxId` is another helper that will look up the species of any tax ID that is supported by Uniprot.

Usage

```
columns(x)
keytypes(x)
select(x, keys, columns, keytype, ...)
species(object)
taxId(x)

availableUniprotSpecies(pattern)
lookupUniprotSpeciesFromTaxId(taxId)
UniProt.ws(taxId, ...)
```

Arguments

x	the `UniProt.ws` object.
object	the `UniProt.ws` object.

keys	the keys to select records for from the database. All possible keys are returned by using the keys method.
columns	the columns or kinds of things that can be retrieved from the database. As with keys, all possible columns are returned by using the columns method.
keytype	the keytype that matches the keys used. For the select methods, this is used to indicate the kind of ID being used with the keys argument. For the keys method this is used to indicate which kind of keys are desired from keys
pattern	A string passed in to limit the results
taxId	a taxonomy id
...	other arguments

Value

keys,columns,keytypes, species and lookupUniprotSpeciesFromTaxId each return a character vector of possible values.

taxId returns a numeric value that corresponds to the taxonomy ID.

select and availableUniprotSpecies each return a data.frame.

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See Also

select

Examples

```
## Make a UniProt.ws object
up <- UniProt.ws(taxId=9606)

## look at the object
up

## get the current species
species(up)

## look up available species with their tax ids
availableUniprotSpecies("musculus")

## get the current taxId
taxId(up)

## look up the species that goes with a tax id
lookupUniprotSpeciesFromTaxId(9606)

## set the taxId to something else
taxId(up) <- 10090
up
```

```
## list the possible key types
head(keytypes(up))

## list of possible columns
head(columns(up))

## list all possible keys of type entrez gene ID
egs <- keys(up, "GeneID")

## use select to extract some data
res <- select(
    x = up,
    keys = c("22627","22629"),
    columns = c("xref_pdb","xref_hgnc","sequence"),
    keytype = "GeneID"
)
res

univals <- c("A0A0C5B5G6", "A0A1B0GTW7", "A0JNW5", "A0JP26", "A0PK11")
res <- select(
    x = up,
    keys = univals,
    to = "Ensembl"
)
res
```

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utilities   *Utility functions*

Description

UniProt uses custom coding of organism names from which protein sequences they store. These taxon names are used also in the protein names (not in the UniProt IDs!). These functions help to translate those names to standard scientific (Latin) taxon names and other useful identifiers.

- taxname2species(): converts UniProt taxonomy names to scientific species names

- taxname2taxid(): converts UniProt taxonomy names to NCBI Taxonomy IDs

- taxname2domain(): converts UniProt taxonomy names to the following taxonomical domains: 'A' for archaea (=archaebacteria)\ 'B' for bacteria (=prokaryota or eubacteria)\ 'E' for eukaryota (=eukarya)\ 'V' for viruses and phages (=viridae)\ 'O' for others (such as artificial sequences)\

- updatespecfile(): The updatespecfile helper function attempts to download the current version of the controlled vocabulary of species table from UniProt controlled vocabulary of species. If it fails to download, an archived version of the table in (in extdata/) will be used.

Usage

```
taxname2species(taxname, specfile)
taxname2taxid(taxname, specfile)
taxname2domain(taxname, specfile)
```

Arguments

taxname   Character string up to 6 uppercase characters, like HUMAN, MOUSE, or AERPX.
               Also works for a vector of such taxon names.

specfile   An optional local file where speclist.RData is saved from UniProt.org. When
               specfile is missing, a cached file from the extdata/ package directory is used.

Value

Function `taxname2species` returns a character vector of scientific taxon names matching to the
UniProt taxon names supplied as `taxname`.

Function `taxname2taxid` returns a numeric vector of Taxonomy IDs matching to the UniProt taxon
names supplied as `taxname`.

Function `taxname2domain` returns a character vector of one letter domain symbols matching to the
UniProt taxon names supplied as `taxname`.

Function `updatespecfile` is deprecated and no longer required as the specfile is self updating
based on `BiocFileCache`'s `bfcneedsupdate` when necessary.

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See Also

[UniProt controlled vocabulary of species](#), which defines the taxon names.

Examples

```
taxname2species("PIG")
taxname2species(c("PIG","HUMAN","TRIHA"))

taxname2taxid("PIG")
taxname2taxid(c("PIG","HUMAN","TRIHA"))

taxname2domain("PIG")
taxname2domain(c("PIG","HUMAN","TRIHA"))
```

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