

# Package 'sasr'

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**Description** Provides a 'SAS' interface, through 'SASPy'(<<https://sassoftware.github.io/saspy/>>) and 'reticulate'(<<https://rstudio.github.io/reticulate/>>). This package helps you create 'SAS' sessions, execute 'SAS' code in remote 'SAS' servers, retrieve execution results and log, and exchange datasets between 'SAS' and 'R'. It also helps you to install 'SASPy' and create a configuration file for the connection. Please review the 'SASPy' license file as instructed so that you comply with its separate and independent license.

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sasr-package

sasr *Package*

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## Description

sasr provides interface to SAS through saspy and reticulate in R.

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## See Also

Useful links:

- <https://github.com/insightengineering/sasr/>
- <https://insightengineering.github.io/sasr/latest-tag/>
- Report bugs at <https://github.com/insightengineering/sasr/issues>

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df2sd	<i>Transfer data.frame to SAS</i>
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**Description**

**[Experimental]** Transfer data.frame object from R environment to SAS.

**Usage**

```
df2sd(df, table = "_df", libref = "", ..., sas_session = get_sas_session())
```

**Arguments**

df	(data.frame) data frame to be transferred.
table	(character) table name in SAS.
libref	(character) library name in SAS.
...	additional arguments for saspy.sasbase.SASsession.df2sd
sas_session	(saspy.sasbase.SASsession) SAS session.

**Value**

"saspy.sasdata.SASdata" object.

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get_sas_cfg	<i>Obtain the SAS Configuration File</i>
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**Description**

**[Experimental]** Obtain the file path of the SAS configuration file.

**Usage**

```
get_sas_cfg()
```

**Details**

Obtain the default sas configuration file. By default, it will search the sascfg\_personal.py file under current directory. If it does not exist, it will search this file under home directory. If this file does not exist, NULL will be returned.

**Value**

The file path of default SAS configuration file, or NULL if not found.

`get_sas_session`*Get the Last or Default SAS Session*

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**Description**

**[Experimental]** Obtain the last session or default session.

**Usage**

```
get_sas_session()
```

**Details**

this function is designed to facilitate the R users programming practice of function oriented programming instead of object oriented programmings.

**Value**

A new SAS session if there are no previous SAS session, or the last SAS session created.

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`install_saspy`*Install saspy Module*

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**Description**

**[Experimental]** Install saspy module in reticulate.

**Usage**

```
install_saspy(method = "auto", conda = "auto")
```

**Arguments**

<code>method</code>	(character) method to install saspy.
<code>conda</code>	(character) path to conda executable.

**Value**

No return value.

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run_sas	<i>Run SAS code with SAS Session</i>
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**Description**

**[Experimental]** Run SAS code with a SAS session.

**Usage**

```
run_sas(sas_code, results = c("TEXT", "HTML"), sas_session = get_sas_session())
```

**Arguments**

sas_code	(character) sas code to be executed.
results	(character) sas code execution results type.
sas_session	(saspy.sasbase.SASsession) SAS session.

**Details**

run\_sas will run sas code through SAS session. The results is a named list of LST and LOG. The result part will be stored in LST, and log will be stored in LOG. If results argument is "TEXT", then results are in text format; if results argument is "HTML", then results are in html format.

**Value**

Named list with following elements:

- LOG: string of SAS execution log.
- LST: string of SAS execution result, in html or txt format.

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sascfg	<i>Create SAS Session Configuration File</i>
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**Description**

**[Experimental]** Create SAS session configuration file based on argument.

**Usage**

```
sascfg(  
  name = "default",  
  host,  
  saspath,  
  ssh = system("which ssh", intern = TRUE),  
  encoding = "latin1",  
  options = list("-fullstimer"),  
  ...,  
  sascfg = "sascfg_personal.py"  
)
```

**Arguments**

name	(character) name of the configuration.
host	(character) host name of remote server.
saspath	(character) SAS executable path on remote server.
ssh	(character) executable path of ssh.
encoding	(character) encoding of the SAS session.
options	(list) additional list of arguments to pass to ssh command.
...	additional arguments.
sascfg	(character) target file of configuration.

**Details**

host and saspath are required to connect to remote SAS server. Other arguments can follow default. If transferring datasets is needed and the client (running sasr) is not reachable from the server, then tunnelling is required. Use `tunnel =` , `rtunnel =` to specify tunnels and reverse tunnels. The values should be length 1 integer.

**Value**

No return value.

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sas_engine	<i>SAS engine function</i>
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**Description**

SAS engine function

**Usage**

```
sas_engine(options)
```

**Arguments**

options      See knitr documentation on engines.

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sas_session	<i>Create SAS Session Based on Configuration File</i>
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**Description**

**[Experimental]** Create a SAS session.

**Usage**

```
sas_session(sascfg = get_sas_cfg(), ...)
```

**Arguments**

sascfg      (string)  
            SAS session configuration.

...          additional arguments passed to `saspy.SASsession()`. Can override the configuration file.

**Value**

SAS session.

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`sas_session_ssh`      *Create SAS Session Based on Configuration File*

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**Description****[Deprecated]****Usage**

```
sas_session_ssh(sascfg = get_sas_cfg(), ...)
```

**Arguments**

<code>sascfg</code>	(string) SAS session configuration.
<code>...</code>	additional arguments passed to <code>saspy.SASsession()</code> . Can override the configuration file.

**Value**

SAS session.

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`sd2df`      *Transfer SAS Data to R*

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**Description****[Experimental]** Transfer the table in SAS session to R.**Usage**

```
sd2df(table, libref = "", ..., sas_session = get_sas_session())
```

**Arguments**

<code>table</code>	(character) table name in SAS.
<code>libref</code>	(character) library name in SAS.
<code>...</code>	additional arguments for <code>saspy.sasbase.SASsession.sd2df</code>
<code>sas_session</code>	( <code>saspy.sasbase.SASsession</code> ) SAS session.

**Value**

data.frame object.



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