

Package: dcmodifydt (via r-universe)

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Title Modification Rules on 'data.table'

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Description Apply 'dcmodify' rules on a 'data.table', code generated
is optimized for changing a data.table in place / by reference.

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`dump_dt`*Dump data.table modification script***Description**

Dump data.table modification script

Usage

```
dump_dt(x, name = "dat", file = stdout())
```

Arguments

- | | |
|-------------------|---|
| <code>x</code> | <code>dcmModifier::modifier()</code> object with the modification rules |
| <code>name</code> | character name of data.table to be used. |
| <code>file</code> | where should the generated file be written? |

Examples

```
library(dcmModifier)

m <- modifier( if (age > 130) age = 130
                , income[age < 12] <- 0
            )
dump_dt(m, "my_data")
```

`modify,data.table,modifier-method`*Modify records in a data.table***Description**

Modify records in a data.table using modification rules specified in a modifier object.

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'data.table,modifier'
modify(dat, x, copy = NULL, sequential = TRUE, ...)
```

Arguments

- | | |
|-------------------------|--|
| <code>dat</code> | <code>data.table()</code> object |
| <code>x</code> | <code>dcmModifier::modifier</code> object. |
| <code>copy</code> | if TRUE modify copy of table. |
| <code>sequential</code> | if TRUE (default), steps will be executed in sequence, so order matters. |
| <code>...</code> | unused |

Details

This is a more efficient implementation then coercing the data.table to a data.frame and use that implementation.

See Also

Other modify: [setmodify\(\)](#)

Examples

```
library(data.table)

m <- modifier( if (age > 130) age = 130
               , income[age < 12] <- 0
               )

dat <- fread(text =
"age, income
140, 300
11, 2000
25, 3000"
)

# modify a copy of the data
dat_m <- modify(dat, m, copy = TRUE)
print(dat_m)

# the data it self
setmodify(dat, m)
print(dat)
```

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| setmodify | <i>modifies data.table in place</i> |
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Description

modifies data.table in place, alias for `modify` with `copy=TRUE` and `sequential=TRUE`. It follows the naming convention in `data.table` to prefix methods that change objects (byreference) with `set`.

Usage

```
setmodify(dat, x, ...)
```

Arguments

| | |
|-----|--|
| dat | data.table() object |
| x | <code>dcmModify::modifier</code> object. |
| ... | not used |

See Also

Other modify: [modify](#), [data.table](#), [modifier-method](#)

Examples

```
library(data.table)

m <- modifier( if (age > 130) age = 130
                , income[age < 12] <- 0
            )

dat <- fread(text =
"age, income
140, 300
11, 2000
25, 3000"
)

# modify a copy of the data
dat_m <- modify(dat, m, copy = TRUE)
print(dat_m)

# the data it self
setmodify(dat, m)
print(dat)
```

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