

# Package ‘GalaxyR’

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On 'Galaxy' platforms like 'Galaxy Europe' <<https://usegalaxy.eu>>, many tools and workflows can run directly on a high-performance computer. 'GalaxyR' connects R with 'Galaxy' platforms API <<https://usegalaxy.eu/api/docs>> and allows credential management, uploading data, invoking workflows or tools, checking their status, and downloading results.

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galaxy	<i>Create a Galaxy session object</i>
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## Description

Constructor for a Galaxy S4 object used for pipe-based workflows. The returned object carries identifiers such as `history_id`, `input_dataset_id` and `invocation_id` through subsequent calls.

## Usage

```
galaxy(history_name = "R API request", galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu")
```

## Arguments

<code>history_name</code>	Character. Default name to give to a new history, stored in the object and used by <code>galaxy_initialize()</code> if you don't override it.
<code>galaxy_url</code>	Character. Base URL of the Galaxy instance. If the environment variable <code>GALAXY_URL</code> is set, it takes precedence.

## Value

A Galaxy object in state "new".

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Galaxy-class	<i>Galaxy session object</i>
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**Description**

An S4 class used to carry state across a pipe-based workflow against a Galaxy instance.

**Slots**

history\_name Default name to give to a new history.  
 history\_id Encoded ID of the history on the server.  
 input\_dataset\_id Encoded ID of the last uploaded input dataset.  
 inputs A list of tool/workflow inputs to be applied on the next call.  
 invocation\_id Encoded ID of the last workflow invocation.  
 output\_dataset\_ids Character vector of encoded output dataset IDs.  
 state One of "new", "pending", "success" or "error".  
 galaxy\_url Base URL of the Galaxy instance.

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galaxy_delete_dataset	<i>Delete a Galaxy dataset by ID</i>
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**Description**

Delete a dataset (HDA) from a Galaxy instance using the Galaxy API.

**Usage**

```
galaxy_delete_dataset(
  dataset_id,
  purge = TRUE,
  verbose = FALSE,
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu"
)
```

**Arguments**

dataset_id	Character. The Galaxy dataset ID to delete.
purge	Logical. If TRUE the API call will include <code>purge=true</code> to permanently remove the dataset and free space. If FALSE the dataset may be only soft-deleted depending on Galaxy configuration. Default: TRUE.
verbose	Logical. If TRUE a message with the HTTP status code will be printed. Default: TRUE.
galaxy_url	Character. Base URL of the Galaxy instance (for example "https://usegalaxy.eu"). If the environment variable GALAXY_URL is set, it takes precedence.

## Details

This function performs an HTTP DELETE against the Galaxy `/api/datasets/id` endpoint. By default it requests a purge (permanent removal) by adding `?purge=true`. The Galaxy API key is read from the environment variable `GALAXY_API_KEY`.

- Make sure `Sys.getenv("GALAXY_API_KEY")` is set to a valid API key..
- Use caution when running with `purge = TRUE` as this permanently removes data.

## Value

A named list with elements:

**success** Logical. TRUE for 2xx responses, otherwise FALSE.

**status** Integer. HTTP status code returned by the API.

**content** Character. The raw response body (text).

## Examples

```
input_file <- tempfile(fileext = ".txt")
test_text <- "This is an example \nfile."
writeLines(test_text, input_file)
history_id <- galaxy_initialize("test upload")
dataset_id <- galaxy_upload_https(input_file, history_id)

galaxy_delete_dataset(dataset_id)
```

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galaxy\_delete\_datasets

*Delete multiple Galaxy datasets by ID*

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## Description

Convenience wrapper that deletes a vector of dataset IDs using `galaxy_delete_dataset`. Requests are paced with a small sleep between calls to avoid overwhelming the server.

## Usage

```
galaxy_delete_datasets(  
  output_ids,  
  purge = TRUE,  
  sleep = 0.2,  
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu"  
)
```

**Arguments**

output_ids	Character vector of dataset IDs to delete.
purge	Logical. Passed to galaxy_delete_dataset. Default: TRUE.
sleep	Numeric. Seconds to wait between API calls. Default: 0.2.
galaxy_url	Character. Base URL of the Galaxy instance (for example "https://usegalaxy.eu"). If the environment variable GALAXY_URL is set, it takes precedence.

**Value**

A named list where each element is the return value from galaxy\_delete\_dataset for the corresponding dataset ID.

**Examples**

```
input_file <- tempfile(fileext = ".txt")
input_file2 <- tempfile(fileext = ".txt")
test_text <- "This is an example \nfile."
writeLines(test_text, input_file)
writeLines(test_text, input_file2)
history_id <- galaxy_initialize("test upload")
dataset_id <- galaxy_upload_https(input_file, history_id)
dataset_id2 <- galaxy_upload_https(input_file2, history_id)

galaxy_delete_datasets(list(output_ids = c(dataset_id, dataset_id2)))
```

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galaxy\_download\_result

*Generic for downloading files from a history*

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**Description**

galaxy\_download\_result() is an S4 generic. With x as a character vector of HDA output IDs, all corresponding datasets are downloaded into out\_dir using their Galaxy names; duplicate names are disambiguated by appending <i> before the extension. Existing files are not overwritten if overwrite = FALSE, and a warning is issued when a name is adjusted. With x as a Galaxy object its output\_dataset\_ids and galaxy\_url are used; the object is returned invisibly after performing the downloads.

**Usage**

```
galaxy_download_result(
  x,
  out_dir = ".",
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",
  overwrite = FALSE
)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'character'
galaxy_download_result(
  x,
  out_dir = ".",
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",
  overwrite = FALSE
)

## S4 method for signature 'Galaxy'
galaxy_download_result(x, out_dir = ".", overwrite = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

x	A vector of HDA output IDs (character), or a Galaxy object.
out_dir	Directory in which to save the downloaded files.
galaxy_url	Base URL of the Galaxy instance, used by the character method.
overwrite	Logical; if FALSE (default), do not overwrite existing files but choose unique names instead.

### Value

For the character method, a list of `httr` responses; for the Galaxy method, the (unchanged) Galaxy object invisibly.

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galaxy\_download\_rocrate

*Generic for downloading a history as an RO-Crate*

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### Description

`galaxy_download_rocrate()` is an S4 generic. With `x` as a history ID (character) it requests an export in RO-Crate format, polls until ready, and downloads the archive to `dest_file`. With `x` as a Galaxy object, its `history_id` and `galaxy_url` are used and the object is returned invisibly after performing the download.

### Usage

```
galaxy_download_rocrate(
  x,
  dest_file = tempfile(fileext = ".zip"),
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",
  format = "rocrate.zip",
  poll_interval = 5,
  timeout = 600
)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'character'
galaxy_download_rocrate(
  x,
  dest_file = tempfile(fileext = ".zip"),
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",
  format = "rocrate.zip",
  poll_interval = 30,
  timeout = 600
)

## S4 method for signature 'Galaxy'
galaxy_download_rocrate(
  x,
  dest_file = tempfile(fileext = ".zip"),
  format = format,
  poll_interval = 5,
  timeout = 600
)
```

### Arguments

x	A history ID (character), or a Galaxy object.
dest_file	Path to save the downloaded RO-Crate (defaults to a temporary .zip file).
galaxy_url	Base URL of the Galaxy instance, used by the character method. If GALAXY_URL is set it takes precedence.
format	Format for the history export. Possible formats depend on the Galaxy server. Typical inputs are 'tgz', 'tar', 'tar.gz', 'bag.zip', 'bag.tar', 'bag.tgz', 'rocrate.zip' or 'bco.json'. Defaults to 'rocrate.zip'.
poll_interval	Seconds between status checks.
timeout	Maximum time to wait in seconds before giving up.

### Value

For the character method, the path to the downloaded file. For the Galaxy method, the (unchanged) Galaxy object invisibly.

### Examples

```
hid <- "0123456789abcdef"
crate <- galaxy_download_rocrate(hid, dest_file = "history_rocrate.zip")
g <- galaxy()
g <- galaxy_initialize(g)
g <- galaxy_download_rocrate(g, dest_file = "history_rocrate.zip")
```

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galaxy\_get\_file\_info *Get information for one or more Galaxy datasets*

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### Description

Retrieves metadata for one or more Galaxy history datasets (HDAs), including name, size, type, state, and deletion status.

### Usage

```
galaxy_get_file_info(file_ids, galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu")
```

### Arguments

file_ids	Character vector of Galaxy dataset IDs.
galaxy_url	Character. Base URL of the Galaxy instance (for example "https://usegalaxy.eu"). If the environment variable GALAXY_URL is set, it takes precedence.

### Details

This function queries the `/api/datasets/{id}` endpoint for each provided dataset ID. If a dataset cannot be retrieved, its fields are returned as NA.

### Value

A data.frame with one row per dataset and the columns: id, name, size\_bytes, human\_size, file\_type, state, deleted.

### Examples

```
tmp_dir <- tempdir()
f_name <- "iris.csv"
f_path <- paste(tmp_dir, f_name, sep = "\\")
write.csv(datasets::iris, f_path, row.names = FALSE)

history_id <- galaxy_initialize("IRIS")
file_id <- galaxy_upload_https(f_path, history_id)
galaxy_get_file_info(file_id)
```



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galaxy_get_tool	<i>Retrieve detailed metadata for a Galaxy tool</i>
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**Description**

Retrieve detailed metadata for a Galaxy tool

**Usage**

```
galaxy_get_tool(  
  tool_id,  
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",  
  tool_version = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

tool_id	Character. The Galaxy tool identifier (for example "toolshed.g2.bx.psu.edu/repos/devteam/fastqc").
galaxy_url	Character. Base URL of the Galaxy instance (for example "https://usegalaxy.eu"). If the environment variable GALAXY_URL is set, it takes precedence.
tool_version	Optional character string to request a specific version. If NULL, Galaxy will return the default/latest version metadata.

**Value**

A list containing the tool metadata as returned by the Galaxy API (inputs, outputs, help text, etc.).

**Examples**

```
tool_id <- galaxy_get_tool_id("FastQC")[1]  
fastqc_tool <- galaxy_get_tool(tool_id)  
fastqc_tool$description
```

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galaxy_get_tool_id	<i>Retrieve Galaxy tool IDs by name</i>
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**Description**

Retrieve Galaxy tool IDs by name

**Usage**

```
galaxy_get_tool_id(  
  name,  
  tools = NULL,  
  ignore_case = TRUE,  
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",  
  panel_id = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

name	Character string to search for in tool names.
tools	Optional list as returned by <code>galaxy_list_tools</code> . If NULL, the function will fetch tools on the fly by calling <code>galaxy_list_tools</code> .
ignore_case	Logical. Whether matching should ignore case. Default: TRUE.
galaxy_url	Character. Base URL of the Galaxy instance (for example "https://usegalaxy.eu"). If the environment variable GALAXY_URL is set, it takes precedence.
panel_id	Optional character. Passed through to <code>galaxy_list_tools</code> when tools is NULL so you can restrict the search to a panel/section.

**Value**

Character vector of matching tool IDs in decreasing order (usually highest version first). Returns character( $\emptyset$ ) if no tools match.

**Examples**

```
# Fetch the full tool list once, then lookup  
tools <- galaxy_list_tools()  
galaxy_get_tool_id("FastQC", tools = tools)  
  
# Or let the helper fetch on demand  
galaxy_get_tool_id("FastQC")  
  
# Exact, case-sensitive match inside a specific panel  
galaxy_get_tool_id("Concatenate datasets",  
  ignore_case = FALSE, panel_id = "Text Manipulation")
```

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galaxy\_get\_workflow    *Receive workflow metadata from the API*

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**Description**

Receive workflow metadata from the API

**Usage**

```
galaxy_get_workflow(workflow_id, galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu")
```

**Arguments**

workflow_id	Character. Galaxy workflow ID.
galaxy_url	Character. Base URL of the Galaxy instance (for example "https://usegalaxy.eu"). If the environment variable GALAXY_URL is set, it takes precedence.

**Value**

a structured list with all metadata

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
galaxy_get_workflow("f2db41e1fa331b3e")  
  
## End(Not run)
```

---

galaxy\_get\_workflow\_inputs

*Retrieve input definitions for a Galaxy workflow*

---

**Description**

Retrieves and summarizes the input steps required by a Galaxy workflow.

**Usage**

```
galaxy_get_workflow_inputs(workflow_id, galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu")
```

**Arguments**

workflow_id	Character. Galaxy workflow ID.
galaxy_url	Character. Base URL of the Galaxy instance (for example "https://usegalaxy.eu"). If the environment variable GALAXY_URL is set, it takes precedence.

**Details**

This function queries `/api/workflows/{workflow_id}` and extracts workflow input steps (data and parameter inputs). The returned `step_id` values must be used as names in the `inputs` argument of `galaxy_start_workflow`.

**Value**

A data.frame with one row per workflow input and the columns: step\_id, name, type, optional, default.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
galaxy_get_workflow_inputs("f2db41e1fa331b3e")

## End(Not run)
```

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galaxy_has_key	<i>Check whether a Galaxy API key is available</i>
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**Description**

Check whether the environment variable GALAXY\_API\_KEY is set and non-empty.

**Usage**

```
galaxy_has_key()
```

**Value**

Logical. TRUE if an API key is available, otherwise FALSE.

**Examples**

```
galaxy_has_key() # returns true if api key is set
```

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galaxy_history_size	<i>Galaxy history size Get the disk usage / size of a Galaxy history</i>
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**Description**

The function first tries to read a size/disk\_usage field from the history summary endpoint. If that is not present it fetches the history contents and sums dataset sizes (robust to a few different field names used by different Galaxy versions). Results are returned as a data.frame with bytes and a human-readable size.

**Usage**

```
galaxy_history_size(
  history_id,
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",
  include_deleted = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

`history_id` Galaxy history id (required)

`galaxy_url` Character. Base URL of the Galaxy instance (for example "https://usegalaxy.eu"). If the environment variable GALAXY\_URL is set, it takes precedence.

`include_deleted` Logical; whether to include deleted datasets when summing (default FALSE)

**Value**

data.frame with columns `history_id`, `bytes`, `human_size`

**Examples**

```
histories <- galaxy_list_histories()
if(nrow(histories > 0)){
  galaxy_history_size(histories$history_id[1])
} else {
  message("No histories found for current user.")
}
```

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`galaxy_initialize`      *Create a new Galaxy history*

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**Description**

`galaxy_initialize()` is an S4 generic. With no `x` supplied it creates a new history on the given Galaxy instance and returns its encoded ID. When called with a Galaxy object it uses the object's `history_name` and `galaxy_url`, creates the history, and updates the object with the new `history_id` and state "pending".

**Usage**

```
galaxy_initialize(
  x,
  name = "R API request",
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu"
)
```

```
## S4 method for signature 'missing'
galaxy_initialize(name, galaxy_url)

## S4 method for signature 'Galaxy'
galaxy_initialize(x)
```

### Arguments

x	A Galaxy object, or missing to use the default method.
name	Name of the history to create. Ignored when x is a Galaxy, in which case x@history_name is used.
galaxy_url	Base URL of the Galaxy instance. Ignored when x is a Galaxy, in which case x@galaxy_url is used.

### Details

A valid Galaxy API key is required and must be available via the GALAXY\_API\_KEY environment variable.

### Value

For the default method (x missing), a character scalar history ID. For the Galaxy method, the modified Galaxy object.

### Examples

```
history_id <- galaxy_initialize("My history name")
g <- galaxy(history_name = "My history name")
g <- galaxy_initialize(g)
```

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galaxy\_list\_histories *List Galaxy histories (name and history id)*

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### Description

List Galaxy histories (name and history id)

### Usage

```
galaxy_list_histories(galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu")
```

### Arguments

galaxy_url	Character. Base URL of the Galaxy instance (for example "https://usegalaxy.eu"). If the environment variable GALAXY_URL is set, it takes precedence.
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**Value**

data.frame with columns: name, history\_id

**Examples**

```
histories <- galaxy_list_histories()
```

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```
galaxy_list_invocations
```

*List workflow invocations for a given workflow*

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**Description**

List workflow invocations for a given workflow

**Usage**

```
galaxy_list_invocations(workflow_id, galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu")
```

**Arguments**

workflow_id	The Galaxy workflow id to list invocations for
galaxy_url	Character. Base URL of the Galaxy instance (for example "https://usegalaxy.eu"). If the environment variable GALAXY_URL is set, it takes precedence.

**Value**

data.frame with columns: invocation\_id, workflow\_id, history\_id, state, create\_time, update\_time

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```
galaxy_list_tools
```

*List tools installed on a Galaxy instance*

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**Description**

List tools installed on a Galaxy instance

**Usage**

```
galaxy_list_tools(  
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",  
  in_panel = FALSE,  
  panel_id = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

galaxy_url	Character. Base URL of the Galaxy instance (for example "https://usegalaxy.eu"). If the environment variable GALAXY_URL is set, it takes precedence.
in_panel	Logical. If TRUE, return the tool panel structure (sections/categories). If FALSE, return the flat list of all tools as supplied by Galaxy. Default: FALSE.
panel_id	Optional character. When supplied, only tools from the matching panel (section/category) are returned. The value is matched against both the panel id and name. Supplying panel_id automatically requests the panelized structure, regardless of the value of in_panel.

### Value

A list corresponding to the parsed JSON returned by Galaxy. If panel\_id is provided, a list of tool entries belonging to the requested panel is returned (each entry is the raw tool metadata as provided by Galaxy).

### Examples

```
# All tools (flat list)
tools_list <- galaxy_list_tools()
length(tools_list)

# Panel structure
panel_list <- galaxy_list_tools(in_panel = TRUE)
length(panel_list)

# Tools from a specific panel (match by id or name)
tools_list <- galaxy_list_tools(panel_id = "Get Data")
length(tools_list)
```

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galaxy\_list\_workflows *List workflows available to the user*

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### Description

Retrieves workflows accessible to the authenticated user from a Galaxy instance. Optionally includes public (published) workflows if supported by the Galaxy server.

### Usage

```
galaxy_list_workflows(
  include_public = FALSE,
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu"
)
```



## Arguments

- `include_public` Logical. If TRUE, attempt to also include published public workflows. Default: FALSE.
- `galaxy_url` Character. Base URL of the Galaxy instance (for example "https://usegalaxy.eu"). If the environment variable GALAXY\_URL is set, it takes precedence.

## Details

By default, only workflows owned by or shared with the current user are returned. When `include_public = TRUE`, the function will attempt to request published workflows as well. Availability of public workflows depends on the Galaxy instance and version.

## Value

A data.frame with one row per workflow and columns including: id, name, published, owner.

## Examples

```
workflows <- galaxy_list_workflows(TRUE)
head(workflows)
```

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galaxy\_poll\_tool      *Generic for galaxy\_poll\_tool*

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## Description

Generic for galaxy\_poll\_tool  
Wait for a Galaxy job to complete  
S4 method to poll the status of a tool invocation

## Usage

```
galaxy_poll_tool(  
  x,  
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",  
  poll_interval = 3,  
  timeout = 600  
)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'character'  
galaxy_poll_tool(  
  x,  
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",  
  poll_interval = 3,  
  timeout = 600
```

```
)

## S4 method for signature 'Galaxy'
galaxy_poll_tool(x, poll_interval = 3, timeout = 600)
```

### Arguments

x	A job ID (character) or a Galaxy object.
galaxy_url	Base URL of the Galaxy instance, used by the character method.
poll_interval	Seconds between status checks.
timeout	Maximum time to wait in seconds.

### Value

For the character method, the final job object; for the Galaxy method, the modified Galaxy object.

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galaxy\_poll\_workflow *Generic for polling workflows*

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### Description

galaxy\_poll\_workflow() is an S4 generic. With x as a character vector it is treated as a workflow invocation ID; the invocation is polled until it completes and a list of output dataset IDs is returned. With x as a Galaxy object, the invocation\_id and galaxy\_url are taken from the object, and the object is updated with the resulting output\_dataset\_ids and state.

### Usage

```
galaxy_poll_workflow(
  x,
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",
  poll_interval = 30,
  ...
)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
galaxy_poll_workflow(
  x,
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",
  poll_interval = 30,
  ...
)

## S4 method for signature 'Galaxy'
galaxy_poll_workflow(
  x,
```

```

    galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",
    poll_interval = 30,
    ...
)

```

### Arguments

x	A workflow invocation ID (character) or a Galaxy object.
galaxy_url	Base URL of the Galaxy instance, used by the character method. If GALAXY_URL is set it takes precedence.
poll_interval	Time in seconds between polling attempts.
...	not in use

### Value

For the character method, a list with elements success and output\_ids. For the Galaxy method, the modified Galaxy object.

### Examples

```

invocation_id <- "abc123"
galaxy_poll_workflow(invocation_id)

```

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galaxy_run_tool	<i>Generic run tool</i>
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### Description

galaxy\_run\_tool() is an S4 generic. With x as a character vector it is treated as a history ID; the specified tool is invoked in that history and the job ID is returned. With x as a Galaxy object, the history ID and URL are taken from the object and the object is updated with the job ID.

### Usage

```

galaxy_run_tool(
  x,
  tool_id,
  inputs = NULL,
  dataset_id = NULL,
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu"
)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
galaxy_run_tool(
  x,
  tool_id,

```

```

    inputs = NULL,
    dataset_id = NULL,
    galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu"
  )

  ## S4 method for signature 'Galaxy'
  galaxy_run_tool(x, tool_id, inputs = NULL, dataset_id = NULL)

```

**Arguments**

x	A history ID (character) or a Galaxy object.
tool_id	Tool identifier to execute.
inputs	Named list of tool inputs.
dataset_id	ID of the input dataset (HDA).
galaxy_url	Base URL of the Galaxy instance, used by the character method.

**Value**

For the character method, a job ID; for the Galaxy method, the modified Galaxy object.

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galaxy\_set\_credentials

*Set Galaxy connection parameters for the current R session*

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**Description**

Set Galaxy connection parameters for the current R session

**Usage**

```

galaxy_set_credentials(
  api_key = NULL,
  username = NULL,
  password = NULL,
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",
  overwrite = TRUE
)

```

**Arguments**

api_key	Character. Galaxy API key.
username	Character. Galaxy username (only required for FTP uploads).
password	Character. Galaxy password (only required for FTP uploads).
galaxy_url	Character. Base URL of the Galaxy instance (e.g. "https://usegalaxy.eu"). If set all galaxy_url arguments of functions will be ignored.
overwrite	Logical. Whether to overwrite existing environment variables. Default: TRUE.

## Details

This helper is intended for interactive sessions. It sets the following environment variables using `Sys.setenv()`:

- GALAXY\_API\_KEY
- GALAXY\_URL
- GALAXY\_USERNAME
- GALAXY\_PASSWORD

Only arguments that are provided (non-NULL) are set.

## Value

Invisibly returns a named list of values that were set.

## Examples

```
# This requires valid credentials to your galaxy instance
## Not run:
galaxy_set_credentials(
  api_key = "your-secret-key",
  username = "your-username",
  password = "your-password",
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu"
)

## End(Not run)
```

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galaxy\_start\_workflow *Generic start workflow*

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## Description

`galaxy_start_workflow()` is an S4 generic. With `x` as a character vector it is treated as a history ID: the given workflow is invoked in that history and the invocation ID is returned. With `x` as a Galaxy object, the history ID and URL are taken from the object; the workflow is started and the object is updated with the resulting `invocation_id`.

## Usage

```
galaxy_start_workflow(
  x,
  workflow_id,
  inputs = NULL,
  dataset_id = NULL,
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu"
```

```

)

## S4 method for signature 'character'
galaxy_start_workflow(
  x,
  workflow_id,
  inputs = NULL,
  dataset_id = NULL,
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu"
)

## S4 method for signature 'Galaxy'
galaxy_start_workflow(x, workflow_id, inputs = NULL, dataset_id = NULL)

```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	A Galaxy object, or a history ID (character) to use the default method.
<code>workflow_id</code>	Character. Galaxy workflow ID.
<code>inputs</code>	Named list. Optional workflow input mapping; keys are workflow input step IDs, values are lists describing datasets/parameters.
<code>dataset_id</code>	Character. ID of the input dataset (HDA). Ignored if <code>inputs</code> is supplied. When <code>x</code> is a Galaxy and <code>dataset_id</code> is missing, <code>x@input_dataset_id</code> is used.
<code>galaxy_url</code>	Base URL of the Galaxy instance, used by the character method. If <code>GALAXY_URL</code> is set it takes precedence.

### Value

For the character method, a character scalar invocation ID. For the Galaxy method, the modified Galaxy object.

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<code>galaxy_upload_ftp</code>	<i>Generic upload ftp</i>
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### Description

`galaxy_upload_ftp()` is an S4 generic. With no `x` supplied it uploads a local file via FTP and registers it in the specified history, returning the encoded dataset ID. When called with a Galaxy object it uses the object's `history_id` and `galaxy_url` and updates the object with the new `input_dataset_id`.

### Usage

```

galaxy_upload_ftp(
  x,
  input_file,
  galaxy_ftp = "ftp.usegalaxy.eu",
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",

```

```

    ...
  )

  ## S4 method for signature 'character'
  galaxy_upload_ftp(
    x,
    input_file,
    galaxy_ftp = "ftp.usegalaxy.eu",
    galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",
    ...
  )

  ## S4 method for signature 'Galaxy'
  galaxy_upload_ftp(
    x,
    input_file,
    galaxy_ftp = "ftp.usegalaxy.eu",
    galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",
    ...
  )

```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	A Galaxy object, or a <code>history_id</code> to use the default method.
<code>input_file</code>	Path to the local file to upload.
<code>galaxy_ftp</code>	FTP server address of the Galaxy instance.
<code>galaxy_url</code>	Base URL of the Galaxy instance, used by the default method. If <code>GALAXY_URL</code> is set it takes precedence.
<code>...</code>	not in use

### Details

A valid API key (`GALAXY_API_KEY`) and FTP credentials (`GALAXY_USERNAME`, `GALAXY_PASSWORD`) must be available in the environment.

### Value

For the default method, a character scalar dataset ID. For the Galaxy method, the modified Galaxy object.

### Examples

```

galaxy_ftp <- "ftp.usegalaxy.eu"
input_file <- tempfile(fileext = ".txt")
writeLines("Example", input_file)
hid <- galaxy_initialize("test upload")
did <- galaxy_upload_ftp(input_file, hid, galaxy_ftp)
g <- galaxy()
g <- galaxy_initialize(g)

```

```
g <- galaxy_upload_ftp(g, input_file, galaxy_ftp = galaxy_ftp)
```

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galaxy\_upload\_https    *Generic upload file with https*

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### Description

galaxy\_upload\_https() is an S4 generic. With no x supplied it uploads a local file via HTTPS to the specified history and returns the encoded dataset ID. When called with a Galaxy object it uses the object's history\_id and galaxy\_url, uploads the file, and updates the object with the new input\_dataset\_id.

### Usage

```
galaxy_upload_https(  
  x,  
  input_file,  
  wait = FALSE,  
  wait_timeout = 600,  
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",  
  file_type = "auto",  
  dbkey = "?",  
  ...  
)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'character'  
galaxy_upload_https(  
  x,  
  input_file,  
  wait = FALSE,  
  wait_timeout = 600,  
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",  
  file_type = "auto",  
  dbkey = "?",  
  ...  
)  
  
## S4 method for signature 'Galaxy'  
galaxy_upload_https(  
  x,  
  input_file,  
  wait = FALSE,  
  wait_timeout = 600,  
  galaxy_url = "https://usegalaxy.eu",  
  file_type = "auto",  
  dbkey = "?",
```



```
    ...
  )
```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	A Galaxy object, or a <code>history_id</code> to use the default method.
<code>input_file</code>	Path to the local file to upload.
<code>wait</code>	Logical. Whether to wait for Galaxy to finish processing.
<code>wait_timeout</code>	Time in seconds until <code>wait</code> times out with an error.
<code>galaxy_url</code>	Base URL of the Galaxy instance, used by the default method. If <code>GALAXY_URL</code> is set it takes precedence.
<code>file_type</code>	Galaxy datatype identifier (e.g. "auto", "fastq", "bam").
<code>dbkey</code>	Reference genome identifier (e.g. "?" or "hg38").
<code>...</code>	not in use

### Details

This uses Galaxy's built-in `upload1` tool and performs a multipart form POST. Large files may still require FTP depending on server configuration. A valid API key (`GALAXY_API_KEY`) must be available in the environment.

### Value

For the default method, a character scalar dataset ID. For the Galaxy method, the modified Galaxy object.

### Examples

```
hid <- galaxy_initialize("test upload")
test_file <- tempfile(fileext = ".txt")
writeLines("This is an example test file.", test_file)
file_id <- galaxy_upload_https(hid, test_file)
g <- galaxy()
g <- galaxy_initialize(g)
g <- galaxy_upload_https(g, test_file)
```

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