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adapt_timeseries	<i>Adapt time-series dataframe to timezone, date range and fill gaps</i>
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## Description

This function adapts the date range of a time series by reusing historical patterns based on the same weekday occurrence within the year and decimal hour of the day. It also can fill gaps in the data based on past data, so it is recommended to use it for time series with weekly or yearly patterns (so for example energy demand but not solar generation). It can also adapt the timezone of the time series, for example if the data was stored in UTC but corresponds to a different timezone.

## Usage

```
adapt_timeseries(dtf, start_date, end_date, tzone = NULL, fill_gaps = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

dtf	data.frame or tibble, first column of name datetime being of class datetime and rest of columns being numeric
start_date	Date, start date of the output datetime sequence
end_date	Date, end date of the output datetime sequence (included)
tzone	character, desired time-zone of the datetime sequence. If NULL, the timezone of dtf\$datetime is kept.
fill_gaps	boolean, whether to fill gaps based on same weekday and hour from past data (See fill_from_past function).

**Value**

tibble

**Examples**

```
# Example data set
print(dtf)

# Original date range
range(dtf$datetime)

dtf2 <- adapt_timeseries(
  dtf,
  start_date = as.Date("2021-01-01"),
  end_date = as.Date("2021-01-31"),
  tzone = "America/New_York",
  fill_gaps = FALSE
)

# New date range
range(dtf2$datetime)
```

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add_extra_days	<i>Add an extra day at the beginning and the end of datetime sequence using the last and first day of the data</i>
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**Description**

Add an extra day at the beginning and the end of datetime sequence using the last and first day of the data

**Usage**

```
add_extra_days(dtf)
```

**Arguments**

dtf                    data.frame or tibble, first column of name datetime being of class datetime and rest of columns being numeric

**Value**

tibble

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aggregate\_timeseries    *Aggregate multiple timeseries columns to a single one*

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**Description**

The first column datetime will be kept.

**Usage**

```
aggregate_timeseries(dtf, varname, omit = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

dtf                    data.frame or tibble, first column of name datetime being of class datetime and rest of columns being numeric

varname                character, name of the aggregation column

omit                    character, name of columns to not aggregate

**Value**

tibble

**Examples**

```
building_flows <- data.frame(  
  datetime = as.POSIXct("2024-01-01 00:00:00", tz = "UTC") + 0:3 * 3600,  
  building1 = c(2.1, 2.5, 2.3, 2.0),  
  building2 = c(1.0, 1.1, 0.9, 1.2)  
)  
aggregate_timeseries(building_flows, varname = "total_building")
```

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`change_timeseries_resolution`*Change time resolution of a time-series data frame*

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**Description**

Change time resolution of a time-series data frame

**Usage**

```
change_timeseries_resolution(dtf, resolution, method)
```

**Arguments**

<code>dtf</code>	data.frame or tibble, first column of name <code>datetime</code> being of class <code>datetime</code> and rest of columns being numeric
<code>resolution</code>	integer, desired interval of minutes between two consecutive datetime values
<code>method</code>	character, being <code>interpolate</code> , <code>repeat</code> or <code>divide</code> if the resolution has to be increased, or <code>average</code> , <code>first</code> or <code>sum</code> if the resolution has to be decreased. See Examples for more information.

**Value**

tibble

**Examples**

```
fifteen_min <- data.frame(  
  datetime = as.POSIXct("2024-01-01 00:00:00", tz = "UTC") + 0:7 * 900,  
  load = c(10, 12, 14, 16, 14, 12, 10, 8)  
)  
change_timeseries_resolution(  
  fifteen_min,  
  resolution = 60,  
  method = "average"  
)
```

change\_timeseries\_tzone

*Adapt the timezone of a time series dataframe*

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### Description

The timezone of the datetime column is changed while keeping the same date time sequence. This is useful when the time series data is known to be in a different timezone. If you just want the same time series in a different timezone, use `lubridate::force_tz` function instead.

### Usage

```
change_timeseries_tzone(dtf, tzone = "Europe/Amsterdam")
```

### Arguments

dtf	data.frame or tibble, first column of name datetime being of class datetime and rest of columns being numeric
tzone	character, desired time-zone of the datetime sequence

### Value

tibble

### Examples

```
# Example data set
get_timeseries_tzone(dtf)
range(dtf$datetime)

# Change timezone
new_dtf <- change_timeseries_tzone(dtf, tzone = "Europe/Paris")
get_timeseries_tzone(new_dtf)
range(new_dtf$datetime)
```

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convert\_time\_num\_to\_period

*Convert numeric time value to a datetime period (hour-based)*

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### Description

Convert numeric time value to a datetime period (hour-based)

### Usage

```
convert_time_num_to_period(time_num)
```

**Arguments**

time\_num          Numeric time value (hour-based)

**Value**

lubridate::period vector with hours and minutes corresponding to the numeric input.

**Examples**

```
convert_time_num_to_period(1.5)
convert_time_num_to_period(c(0.25, 2))
```

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*date\_to\_timestamp*          *Convert date or datetime value to timestamp number*

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**Description**

Convert date or datetime value to timestamp number

**Usage**

```
date_to_timestamp(date, tzzone = "Europe/Paris", milliseconds = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

date                  date or datetime value  
tzzone                character, time-zone of the current time  
milliseconds        logical, whether the timestamp is in milliseconds or seconds

**Value**

numeric

**Examples**

```
date_to_timestamp(as.Date("2024-01-01"))
date_to_timestamp(as.POSIXct("2024-01-01 08:00:00", tz = "UTC"), milliseconds = FALSE)
```

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fill_down_until	<i>Fill down tibble columns until a maximum number of time slots</i>
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**Description**

Fill down tibble columns until a maximum number of time slots

**Usage**

```
fill_down_until(dtf, varnames, max_timeslots = 1)
```

**Arguments**

dtf	data.frame or tibble, first column of name <code>datetime</code> being of class <code>datetime</code> and rest of columns being numeric
varnames	character or vector of characters, column names with NA values
max_timeslots	integer, maximum number of time slots to fill

**Value**

tibble

**Examples**

```
down_data <- data.frame(  
  datetime = as.POSIXct("2024-01-01 00:00:00", tz = "UTC") + 0:5 * 3600,  
  temperature = c(15, 15, NA, NA, NA, 16)  
)  
fill_down_until(down_data, "temperature", max_timeslots = 2)
```

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fill_from_past	<i>Fill from past values</i>
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**Description**

If back index ( NA index - back) is lower than zero then the it is filled with the first value of the data frame. If the value in the back index is also NA, it iterates backwards until finding a non-NA value.

**Usage**

```
fill_from_past(dtf, varnames, back = 24)
```

**Arguments**

dtf	data.frame or tibble, first column of name datetime being of class datetime and rest of columns being numeric
varnames	character or vector of characters, column names with NA values
back	integer, number of indices (rows) to go back and get the filling value

**Value**

tibble or data.frame

**Examples**

```
past_data <- data.frame(
  datetime = as.POSIXct("2024-01-01 00:00:00", tz = "UTC") + 0:3 * 3600,
  consumption = c(1.2, NA, NA, 2.5)
)
fill_from_past(past_data, "consumption", back = 1)
```

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fill_na	<i>Fill gaps with a specific value</i>
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**Description**

This is useful when the gaps in a numeric timeseries can be filled with the same number (e.g. zero)

**Usage**

```
fill_na(dtf, varnames, with = 0)
```

**Arguments**

dtf	data.frame or tibble, first column of name datetime being of class datetime and rest of columns being numeric
varnames	character or vector of characters, column names with NA values
with	numeric, value to fill NA values

**Value**

tibble or data.frame

**Examples**

```
past_data <- data.frame(
  datetime = as.POSIXct("2024-01-01 00:00:00", tz = "UTC") + 0:3 * 3600,
  consumption = c(1.2, NA, NA, 2.5)
)
fill_na(past_data, "consumption", with = 0)
```

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format\_datetime\_axis *Format datetime axis*

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### Description

Format datetime axis

### Usage

```
format_datetime_axis(format_list, locale = "nl-NL")
```

### Arguments

format\_list (named list) ORDER matters key and type of output as value  
 locale (str) locale to use in settings for example nl-NL (default)

### Details

The format\_list entries map to the JavaScript toLocaleString options:

Option	Value	Description	Example (nl-NL)
year	"numeric"	Full year	"2023"
year	"2-digit"	Last two digits of the year	"23"
month	"numeric"	Month as a number	"1"
month	"2-digit"	Month as a two-digit number	"01"
month	"long"	Full month name	"januari"
month	"short"	Abbreviated month name	"jan."
day	"numeric"	Day of the month	"5"
day	"2-digit"	Day with leading zero	"05"
weekday	"long"	Full weekday name	"vrijdag"
weekday	"short"	Abbreviated weekday name	"vr."
weekday	"narrow"	Single-letter weekday	"V"
hour	"numeric"	Hour (24-hour format by default)	"14"
hour	"2-digit"	Two-digit hour	"14"
minute	"numeric"	Minute	"30"
minute	"2-digit"	Two-digit minute	"30"
second	"numeric"	Second	"15"
second	"2-digit"	Two-digit second	"15"

### Value

js code as a string to change datetime axis

JS function to pass to dyAxis function

**Examples**

```
## Not run:

dyplot <- plot_ts(dtf)
xaxis_format <- format_date_axis(
  list(day = "2-digit", month = "short"),
  locale = "nl_NL"
)
dyplot |>
  dyAxis("x", axisLabelFormatter = JS(xaxis_format))

## End(Not run)
```

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get_datetime_seq	<i>Date time sequence with time zone and resolution</i>
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**Description**

Date time sequence with time zone and resolution

**Usage**

```
get_datetime_seq(start_date, end_date, tzone, resolution)
```

**Arguments**

start_date	Date, start date of the output datetime sequence
end_date	Date, end date of the output datetime sequence (included)
tzone	character, desired time-zone of the datetime sequence
resolution	integer, interval of minutes between two consecutive datetime values

**Value**

vector of datetime values

**Examples**

```
get_datetime_seq(
  start_date = as.Date("2024-01-01"),
  end_date = as.Date("2024-01-03"),
  tzone = "UTC",
  resolution = 120
)
```

---

get\_time\_resolution     *Return the time resolution of a datetime sequence*

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**Description**

Return the time resolution of a datetime sequence

**Usage**

```
get_time_resolution(dttm_seq, units = "mins")
```

**Arguments**

dttm_seq	datetime sequence
units	character being one of "auto", "secs", "mins", "hours", "days" and "weeks"

**Value**

numeric

**Examples**

```
seq_15m <- as.POSIXct(  
  c("2024-01-01 00:00:00", "2024-01-01 00:15:00", "2024-01-01 00:30:00"),  
  tz = "UTC"  
)  
get_time_resolution(seq_15m, units = "mins")
```

---

get\_timeseries\_resolution

*Return the time resolution of a time series dataframe*

---

**Description**

Return the time resolution of a time series dataframe

**Usage**

```
get_timeseries_resolution(dtf, units = "mins")
```

**Arguments**

dtf	data.frame or tibble, first column of name datetime being of class datetime and rest of columns being numeric
units	character being one of "auto", "secs", "mins", "hours", "days" and "weeks"

**Value**

numeric

**Examples**

```
get_timeseries_resolution(dtf, units = "mins")
```

---

`get_timeseries_tzone` *Get the time zone of a time series dataframe*

---

**Description**

Get the time zone of a time series dataframe

**Usage**

```
get_timeseries_tzone(dtf)
```

**Arguments**

`dtf` data.frame or tibble, first column of name `datetime` being of class `datetime` and rest of columns being numeric

**Value**

character

**Examples**

```
get_timeseries_tzone(dtf)
```

---

`get_week_from_datetime` *Week date from datetime value*

---

**Description**

Week date from datetime value

**Usage**

```
get_week_from_datetime(dttm)
```

**Arguments**

dtm                    datetime vector

**Value**

date vector

**Examples**

```
dtm <- as.POSIXct(  
  c("2024-01-01 08:00:00", "2024-01-02 09:00:00", "2024-01-08 10:00:00"),  
  tz = "UTC"  
)  
get_week_from_datetime(dtm)
```

---

get\_week\_total

*Summarise dataframe with weekly total column values*

---

**Description**

Converts the numeric columns of a time-series data frame to total values per week (sum). Note that if the input values are in power units (e.g., kW), the output values will be in energy units (e.g., kWh).

**Usage**

```
get_week_total(dtf)
```

**Arguments**

dtf                    data.frame or tibble, first column of name datetime being of class datetime and rest of columns being numeric

**Value**

tibble

**Examples**

```
get_week_total(dtf[1:100, ])
```

---

`get_yearly_datetime_seq`*Yearly date time sequence with time zone and resolution*

---

**Description**

Yearly date time sequence with time zone and resolution

**Usage**

```
get_yearly_datetime_seq(year, tzone, resolution)
```

**Arguments**

<code>year</code>	integer, year of the datetime sequence
<code>tzone</code>	character, desired time-zone of the datetime sequence
<code>resolution</code>	integer, interval of minutes between two consecutive datetime values

**Value**

vector of datetime values

**Examples**

```
get_yearly_datetime_seq(  
  year = 2024,  
  tzone = "UTC",  
  resolution = 60  
)
```

---

`has_timeseries_gaps` *Check whether a time series dataframe has gaps*

---

**Description**

Note that `timefully` considers a full datetime sequence when days are complete.

**Usage**

```
has_timeseries_gaps(dtf)
```

**Arguments**

<code>dtf</code>	data.frame or tibble, first column of name <code>datetime</code> being of class <code>datetime</code> and rest of columns being numeric
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**Value**

logical, TRUE when there are missing time slots

**Examples**

```
has_timeseries_gaps(dtf)

dtf_gaps <- dtf[c(1:3, 7:10), ]
has_timeseries_gaps(dtf_gaps)
```

---

pad\_timeseries

*Pad a time series to a complete datetime sequence*

---

**Description**

Expands dtf onto the complete datetime sequence that spans the same date range at the same resolution, inserting the missing time slots as rows with NA values. Note that timefully considers a full datetime sequence when days are complete.

**Usage**

```
pad_timeseries(dtf, verbose = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

dtf	data.frame or tibble, first column of name datetime being of class datetime and rest of columns being numeric
verbose	logical, when TRUE (default) report the number of rows added and the dates with gaps

**Value**

tibble

**Examples**

```
# Sample just some hours
dtf_gaps <- dtf[c(1:3, 7:10), ]

# Note that the full day is provided
pad_timeseries(
  dtf_gaps
)
```

plot\_ts

*Interactive plot for time-series tibbles***Description**

First column of the df tibble must be a datetime or date variable. The rest of columns must be numeric of the same units. This functions makes use of dygraphs package to generate an HTML dygraphs plot.

**Usage**

```
plot_ts(
  df,
  title = NULL,
  xlab = NULL,
  ylab = NULL,
  legend_show = "auto",
  legend_width = 250,
  group = NULL,
  width = NULL,
  height = NULL,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

df	data.frame or tibble, first column of name <code>datetime</code> being of class <code>datetime</code> and rest of columns being numeric
title	character, title of the plot (accepts HTML code)
xlab	character, X axis label (accepts HTML code)
ylab	character, Y axis label (accepts HTML code)
legend_show	character, when to display the legend. Specify "always" to always show the legend. Specify "onmouseover" to only display it when a user mouses over the chart. Specify "follow" to have the legend show as overlay to the chart which follows the mouse. The default behavior is "auto", which results in "always" when more than one series is plotted and "onmouseover" when only a single series is plotted.
legend_width	integer, width (in pixels) of the div which shows the legend.
group	character, dygraphs group to associate this plot with. The x-axis zoom level of dygraphs plots within a group is automatically synchronized.
width	Width in pixels (optional, defaults to automatic sizing)
height	Height in pixels (optional, defaults to automatic sizing)
...	extra arguments to pass to <code>dygraphs::dyOptions</code> function.

**Value**

dygraph

**Examples**

```
plot_ts(dtf, ylab = "kW", legend_show = "onmouseover")
```

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tic	<i>Time difference start function</i>
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---

**Description**

Use this function together with `toc()` to control time spent by functions

**Usage**

```
tic()
```

**Value**

numeric

---

time_gaps	<i>Find the missing time slots in a datetime sequence</i>
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---

**Description**

Builds the complete datetime sequence that would span the same date range (full days) at the same resolution as `dtm_seq` and returns the datetime values that are missing from it. Note that `timefully` considers a full datetime sequence when days are complete.

**Usage**

```
time_gaps(dtm_seq)
```

**Arguments**

```
dtm_seq      datetime sequence
```

**Value**

vector of datetime values missing from `dtm_seq`

**Examples**

```
seq_15m <- get_datetime_seq(  
  start_date = as.Date("2024-01-01"),  
  end_date = as.Date("2024-01-01"),  
  tzone = "UTC",  
  resolution = 15  
)  
  
# Drop a couple of slots to create gaps  
time_gaps(seq_15m[-c(5, 6)])
```

---

to\_hhmm

*Convert a number of minutes in string format "HH:MM"*

---

**Description**

Convert a number of minutes in string format "HH:MM"

**Usage**

```
to_hhmm(mins)
```

**Arguments**

mins            integer, number of minutes (from 0 to 1439)

**Value**

character

**Examples**

```
to_hhmm(75)
```

---

toc

*Time difference end function*

---

**Description**

Use this function together with tic() to control time spent by functions

**Usage**

```
toc(units = "secs", digits = 2)
```

**Arguments**

units character, one of "auto", "secs", "mins", "hours", "days" and "weeks"  
digits integer, number of decimals

**Value**

numeric

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