

JSDataSource

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Supported Clients

SmartClient WebClient NGClient

Methods Summary

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| QBSelect | createSelect() | Create a query builder for a data source. |
| QBSelect | createSelect(tableAlias) | Create a query builder for a data source with given table alias. |
| Array | getColumnNames() | Get the column names of a datasource. |
| String | getDataSource() | Get the datasource string. |
| JSFoundSet | getFoundSet() | Returns a foundset object for a specified datasource or server and tablename. |
| JSFoundSet | getFoundSet(name) | An existing foundset under that name will be returned, or created if there is a definition (there is a form with a named foundset property with that name). |
| JSRecord | getRecord(pk) | Get a single record from a datasource. |
| JSTable | getTable() | Get the table of a datasource. |
| JSFoundSet | loadRecords(dataSet) | get a new foundset containing records based on a dataset of pks. |
| JSFoundSet | loadRecords(qbSelect) | get a new foundset containing records based on a QBSelect query. |
| JSFoundSet | loadRecords(query) | get a new foundset containing records based on an SQL query string. |
| JSFoundSet | loadRecords(query, args) | get a new foundset containing records based on an SQL query string with parameters. |

Methods Details

createSelect()

Create a query builder for a data source.

Returns

[QBSelect](#) query builder

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Sample

```
var q = datasources.db.example_data.book_nodes.createSelect()
q.result.addPk()
q.where.add(q.columns.label_text.not.isin(null))
datasources.db.example_data.book_nodes.getFoundSet().loadRecords(q)
```

createSelect(tableAlias)

Create a query builder for a data source with given table alias.

The alias can be used inside custom queries to bind to the outer table.

Parameters

[String](#) tableAlias the table alias to use

Returns

[QBSelect](#) query builder

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Sample

```
var q = datasources.db.example_data.book_nodes.createSelect('b')
q.result.addPk()
q.where.add(q.columns.label_text.isin('select comment_text from book_text t where t.note_text = ? and t.node_id
= b.node_id', ['test']))
datasources.db.example_data.book_nodes.getFoundSet().loadRecords(q)
```

getColumnNames()

Get the column names of a datasource.

Returns

[Array](#) [String\[\]](#) column names

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Sample**getDataSource()**

Get the datasource string.

Returns**String** String datasource**Supported Clients**

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Sample

```
datasources.db.example_data.orders.getDataSource() // returns 'db:/example_data/orders'
```

getFoundSet()

Returns a foundset object for a specified datasource or server and tablename.

It is important to note that this is a FACTORY method, it constantly creates new foundsets.

Returns**JSFoundSet** A new JSFoundset for the datasource.**Supported Clients**

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Sample

```
var fs = datasources.db.example_data.orders.getFoundSet()
var ridx = fs.newRecord()
var record = fs.getRecord(ridx)
record.emp_name = 'John'
databaseManager.saveData()
```

getFoundSet(name)

An existing foundset under that name will be returned, or created if there is a definition (there is a form with a named foundset property with that name).

If named foundset datasource does not match current datasource will not be returned (will return null instead).

Parameters**String** name The named foundset to get for this datasource.**Returns****JSFoundSet** An existing named foundset for the datasource.**Supported Clients**

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Sample

```
var fs = datasources.db.example_data.orders.getFoundSet('myname')
var ridx = fs.newRecord()
var record = fs.getRecord(ridx)
record.emp_name = 'John'
databaseManager.saveData()
```

getRecord(pk)

Get a single record from a datasource.

For the sake of performance, if more records are needed, don't call this method in a loop but try using other methods instead.

Parameters**Object** pk The primary key of the record to be retrieved. Can be an array, in case of a composite pk.**Returns****JSRecord** a record

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Sample

```
var detailsRecord = datasources.db.example_data.order_details.getRecord([10248, 11])
var orderRecord = datasources.db.example_data.orders.getRecord(10248)
var customerRecord = datasources.db.example_data.customers.getRecord('ANATR')
```

getTable()

Get the table of a datasource.

Returns[JSTable](#) JSTable table**Supported Clients**

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Sample**loadRecords(dataSet)**

get a new foundset containing records based on a dataset of pks.

Parameters[JSDataSet](#) dataSet;**Returns**[JSFoundSet](#) a new JSFoundset**Supported Clients**

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Sample

```
var fs = datasources.db.example_data.customers.loadRecords(pkDataSet)
```

loadRecords(qbSelect)

get a new foundset containing records based on a QBSelect query.

Parameters[QBSelect](#) qbSelect a query builder object**Returns**[JSFoundSet](#) a new JSFoundset**Supported Clients**

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Sample

```
var qb = datasources.db.example_data.orders.createSelect();
qb.result.add(qb.columns.orderid);
var fs = datasources.db.example_data.orders.loadRecords(qb);
```

loadRecords(query)

get a new foundset containing records based on an SQL query string.

Parameters[String](#) query an SQL query**Returns**[JSFoundSet](#) a new JSFoundset**Supported Clients**

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Sample

```
var query = "SELECT * FROM public.orders WHERE customerid = 'ROMEY' ORDER BY orderid ASC";
var fs = datasources.db.example_data.orders.loadRecords(query);
```

loadRecords(query, args)

get a new foundset containing records based on an SQL query string with parameters.

Parameters

String query an SQL query string with parameter placeholders
Array args an array of arguments for the query string

Returns

JSFoundSet a new JSFoundset

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Sample

```
var query = "SELECT * FROM public.orders WHERE customerid = ? OR customerid = ? order by orderid asc";
var args = ['ROMEY', 'BERGS'];
var fs = datasources.db.example_data.orders.loadRecords(query, args);
```