

SportsTV Schedule TV & Stream Coverage of Sport Events SportsTV API Reference

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History

Version	Description
1.4	Unifed team id introduced. Team IDs are unique by the group. This means that team with same name may appear twice if exists in two different groups eg. Premier League, UEFA Qualifications. If this doesn't suite you, use unified team ID instead which is same regardless group. Please note unified that IDs are not interchangeble, use one or the other.
1.5	Added new method tvs that returns list of all chanells grouped by countries.

Introduction

General Info

SportsTV API is RESTful API that can be used to get information about available TV and Stream coverage of the large number of sport events (See <u>Appendix B</u> for list of available sports). All messages are in JSON format.

Client will be provided with IP address or URL of SportsTV API, username and password. All calls to our API would be in the following form:

https://provided_url/?method=method

Body of all requests are in JSON format and must include provided username and password

```
{
  "username": string,
  "password": string,
  ...
}
```

All response must include success and message and error_code in case of a failure

```
{
  "success": true,
  "message": "OK",
  ...
}

{
  "success": false,
  "message": "Unauthorized user",
  "error_code": 1
}
```

See Appendix A for the list of all error codes.

Dates, Times and timestamps

All dates are in YYYY-MM-DD format.

All times are in HH:MM:SS format.

DateTimesar inUTC format (for example 2015-01-01T20:30:00Z)

Timestamps are Unx timestamp.

Reference

Resource: sport

This resource describes sport and has following structure:

```
"code": string,
"display": string
```

Property name	Value	Description
code	String	Sport code that is used as parameter for methods that may require sport as a parameter. (FOOTBALL, BASKETBALL,)
display	String	Pretty formated sport name for display purposes (Football, Basketball,) See <u>Appendix B</u> for complete list of available sports.

Example

```
"code": "ICE HOCKEY",
"display": "Ice Hockey"
```

Usage

Method: Available sports (availableSports)

Resource:country

This resource describes country and has following structure:

```
"id": number,
"name": string,
"codeA": string, null
"codeB": string, null
"codeC": string null
```

Property name	Value	Description
id	Number	Unique id of the country. This property can be used in all
		API calls that requires country id as a parameters.
name	String	Country name
codeA	String	2 letter code of the country. May be null
codeB	String	2 letter code of the country. May be null
codeC	String	3 digit code of the country. May be null

Example

```
{
  "id": 14,
  "name": " Australia",
  "codeA": "AU",
  "codeB": "AUS",
  "codeC": "036"
}
```

Usage

Method: Available Countries (availableCountries)

Resource:coverage

This resource describes coverage of the event, and has following structure:

```
{
  "id": number,
  "name": string,
  "type": string,
  "countryId": number,
  "country": string,
  "moreTVInfo": string
```

Property name	Value	Description
id	Number	Unique id of the tv station or streaming channel.
name	String	Name of the tv station or streaming channel.
type	String	Type of the tv station or streaming channel: Satellite, Cable, Stream, IPTV, DTTV
countryld	Number	The Country id of the tv station. See Resource:country for more details.
country	String	The country name of the tv station.
moreTVInfo	String	Additional info about coverage: simulcast, all day long, only 1st half, only 2nd half, live+15min, geo restriction, only in Russia, not before,

```
"id": 178,
"name": "RTS 1",
"type": "Satelite",
"countryId": 24,
"country": "Serbia"
"moreTVInfo": "only 2nd half"
```

Usage

Method:events

Resource:event

This resource describes event and its coverage and has following structure:

```
"id": number,
"change": String, optional,
"kickoffTime": string,
"sportCode": string,
"sport": string,
"group": string,
"competition": string,
"eventDetail": string,
"moreInfo": string, null
"venueCity": string, optional
"homeId": number, optional
"unifiedHomeId": number, optional
"homeName": string, optional
"awayId": number, optional
"unifiedAwayId": number, optional
"awayName": string, optional,
"coverage": [Resource:coverage]
```

Property name	Value	Description
id	Number	Unique id of the event.
change	String	Optional. This property is available with incremental update (timestamp property provided in Method:events). It may have values: create, update, delete. Create means that event is created since given timestamp, update means that event is updated and delete means event is removed.
kickoffTime	String	Kickoff time of the event.
sportCode	String	Sport code. See <u>Resource:sport</u> for more details.
sport	String	Sport name.
group	String	Group name
competition	String	Competition name
eventDetail	String	Additional detail about event, for example: Qualification, Play Offs - 2nd leg (first leg result: 2:3)
moreInfo	String	May be null. More info about the event, for example: Referees: T. Stieler, J. Seidel, C. Gittelmann
venueCity	String	Optional: Location of the event, for example: Stadium Rajko Mitic, Belgrade May be ommited if not known at the time.

coverage	Array of <u>Resource:coverage</u>	List of coverage for the event
unifiedAwayId	Number	Optional: Unified id of away team. Unique id of away team regardless group.
awayld	Number	Optional: Unique if of away team by the group. May be ommited if the away team is not known at the time, or when away team is not applicable, for example in Formula 1. Note that same team in different groups have different awayld. If this doesn't suite you, use unifiedAwayld instead.
homeName	String	Optional. Note that homeld, unifiedHomeld and homeName are present or omited together.
unifiedHomeId	Number	Optional: Unified id of home team. Uniqe id of home team regardless group.
homeId	Number	Optional: Unique id of home team by the group. May be ommited if the home team is not known at the time, or when home team is not applicable, for example in Formula 1. Note that same team in different groups have different homeld. If this doesn't suite you, use unifiedHomeld instead.

```
"kickoffTime": "2017-03-15T20:30:00Z",
  "sportCode": "BASKETBALL"
  "sport": "Basketball",
  "group": "Europe",
  "competition": "ULEB Euroleague",
  "eventDetail": "Play Offs, quarter final - 4th leg (home team leads series
2:1)",
  "moreInfo": "Referees:D. Hierrezuelo, B. Ryzhyk, O. Latisevs",
"venueCity": "Kombank Arena, Belgrade",
  "homeId": 1024,
  "homeName": "Crvena zvezda"
  "awayId": 23301,
  "awayName": "CSKA",
  "coverage":[
      "id": 14,
      "name": "SportKlub 1 Serbia",
      "type": "Satellite",
      "countryId": 24,
      "country": "Serbia",
    },
      "id": 15,
      "name": " Laola.tv",
      "type": "Stream",
```

Usage

Method:events

Resource: tv (NEW)

This resource describes tv station and has following structure:

```
"country id": number,
"country": string,
"tv_id": number,
"type": string
```

Property name	Value	Description
country_id	Number	Unique id of the country.
country	String	Country name
tv_id	Number	Unique id of the tv station
type	String	TV station type

Example

```
"country_id": 236,
"country": "USA",
"tv_id": 1323,
"name": "GOL TV",
"type": "Satelite"
```

Usage

Method:tvs

Method: Available sports (available Sports)

This method returns all available sport regardless of events availability on tv coverage in the moment of the request.

Method	HTTP request	Descrption
availableSports	POST	Gets all available sports

HTTP Request

https://provided_url/?method=availableSports

Request Body Structure

```
{
  "username": string,
  "password": string
}
```

Property name	Value	Description
useraneme	String	Provided username
password	String	Provided password

Example

```
{
  "username": "demo",
  "password": "password"
```

Response Structure

```
{
  "success": boolean,
  "message": string,
  "sports": [Resource:sport]
```

Property name	Value	Description
success	Boolean	API call returned with a success
message	String	"OK" or error message
sports	Array of Resource:sport	Array of available sports.

Example

Property **code** can be used in all subsequent API calls that may require sportCode parameter.

Method: Available Countries (available Countries)

This method returns all available countries regardless of events availability on tv coverage in the moment of the request.

Method	HTTP request	Description
availableCountries	POST	Gets all available countries

HTTP Request

https://provided_url/?method=availableCountries

Request Body Structure

```
{
  "username": string,
  "password": string
}
```

Property name	Value	Description
useraneme	String	Provided username
password	String	Provided password

```
{
  "username": "demo",
  "password": "password"
}
```

Response Structure

```
"success": boolean,
"message": string,
"countries": [Resource:country]
```

Property name	Value	Description
success	Boolean	API call returned with a success
message	String	"OK" or error message
sports	Array of	Array of available countries.
	Resource:country	

```
"success": true,
"message": "OK",
"countries": [
        "id": 14,
       "name": "Australia",
"codeA": "AU",
"codeB": "AUS",
"codeC": "036"
    },
       "id: 15,
"name": "Austria",
"codeA": "AT",
"codeB": "AUT",
       "codeC": "040"
    } ,
]
```

Method:events

This method returns all available future sports event tv and stream coverage.

Method	HTTP request	Description
events	POST	Gets all available events and its coverage

HTTP Request

https://provided_url/?method=events

Request Body Structure

```
"username": string,
"password": string,
"sportCode": string, optional
"countryId": number, optional
"date": string, optional
"timestamp": string, optional
```

Property name	Value	Description
useraneme	String	Provided username
password	String	Provided password
sportCode	String	Optional. One of the sport codes returnd by availableSports method.
countryld	Number	Optional. One of the country ids returned by availableCountries method. Please note that response will have all tv station listed regardless the country, but one of them must be from given country.
date	String	Optional. For one day only on given date.
timestamp	String	Optional. Unix timestamp. If provided, method will return all changes in coverages since given timestamp. This property is used to implement incremental update that reducec network traffic. If omited, method will return all covereges. Note: Keep in mind that other filter may apply based on other properties.

```
"username": "demo",
"password": "password",
"sportCode": "FOOTBALL",
"countryId": 14
```

Response Structure

```
{
  "success": boolean,
  "message": string,
  "timestamp": string,
  "events": [Resource:event]
}
```

Property name	Value	Description
success	Boolean	API call returned with a success
message	String	"OK" or error message
timestamp	String	Unix timestamp of the response. This propertie can
		be used in subsequent calls to method:events in
		order to implement incremental update.
events	Array of	Array of events and its coverage.
	Resource:event	

```
"success": true,
"message": "OK",
"timestamp": "1420070400",
"events": [
    "id": 2,
    "change": "create",
    "kickoffTime": "2017-09-20T20:00:00Z",
    "sportCode": "FOOTBALL"
    "sport": "Football",
    "group": "France",
    "competition": "Ligue 1",
    "eventDetail": "Round 6",
    "moreInfo": "Refeeres: J. Hamel, T. Philippe, Y.Boutry", "venueCity": "Stade Louis II, Monaco",
    "homeId": 1026,
    "homeName": "Monaco"
    "awayId": 23305,
    "awayName": "Strasbourg",
    "coverage":[
        "id": 19,
        "name": "beIN Sport 1",
        "type": "Satellite",
        "countryId": 26,
        "country": "France",
        "moreTVInfo": "simulcast"
      },
        "id": 11,
        "name": "SportKlub 4 Slovenia",
        "type": "cable",
        "countryId": 10,
```

```
"country": "Slovenia"
        "moreTVInfo": "live +15min"
    ]
  },
    "id": 3,
    "change": "create",
    "kickoffTime": "2017-06-11T11:30:00Z",
    "sportCode": "TENNIS"
    "sport": "Tennis",
    "group": "ATP/WTA",
    "competition": "Wimbledon",
    "eventDetail": "Day 1",
    "moreInfo": "Court: Grass",
    "coverage":[
      {
        "id": 55,
        "name": "TSN 2 ",
        "type": "IPTV",
        "countryId": 34,
        "country": "Canada",
        "moreTVInfo": "all day long"
      },
        "id": 12,
        "name": "Prime Tel",
        "type": " DTTV ",
        "countryId": 20,
        "country": "Cyprus",
    ]
  }
]
```

Method: tvs (new)

This method returns list of tv station

Method	HTTP request	Description
tvs	POST	Gets all tv stations

HTTP Request

https://provided_url/?method=tvs

Request Body Structure

```
{
  "username": string,
  "password": string,
  "countryId": number, optional
```

Property name	Value	Description
useraneme	String	Provided username
password	String	Provided password
countryld	Number	Optional. One of the country ids returned by availableCountries method. Please note that response will have all tv station listed regardless the country, but one of them must be from given country.

Example

```
"username": "demo",
  "password": "password",
  "countryId": 14
```

Response Structure

```
{
   "success": boolean,
   "message": string,
   "tvs": [Resource:tv]
```

Property name	Value	Description
success	Boolean	API call returned with a success
message	String	"OK" or error message
tvs	Array of Resource:tv	Array of events and its coverage.

```
"success": true,
    "message": "OK",
    "tvs": [{
       "country_id": 236,
"country": "USA",
"tv_id": 1323,
"name": "GOL TV",
        "type": "Satelite"
       "country_id": 236,
"country": "USA",
"tv_id": 1324,
"name": "AFN Sports 1",
"type": "Satelite"
}
```

Appendix A: Error codes

Error code	Message	Description
1	Unauthorized user	Provided username and password are not in the system.
2	Subscription expired	User is known by its username and password, but subscription has been expired.
3	Forbidden access	API has been referenced from unknown IP address
10	Missing parameters	API call without minimum required parameters
100	Unknown or missing method	API call without method name or with unknown method name.
500	System error	Unexpected error

Appendix B: Available sports

- Football
- Basketball
- Tennis
- Ice hockey
- Handball
- Volleyball
- American football
- Rugby union
- Waterpolo
- Motorsport