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st_viewvars() — Variables and observations of view

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st_viewvars(V) returns the indices of the Stata variables corresponding to the columns of V.

st_viewobs(V) returns the Stata observation numbers corresponding to the rows of V. Returned is either a 1 \times 2 row vector recording the observation range or an $N \times 1$ column vector recording the individual observation numbers.

Syntax

```
real rowvector st_viewvars(matrix V)
real vector st_viewobs(matrix V)
```

where V is required to be a view.

Remarks and examples

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The results returned by these two functions are suitable for inclusion as arguments in subsequent calls to st_view() and st_sview(); see [M-5] st_view().

Conformability

```
St\_viewvars(V):
V: N \times k
result: 1 \times k

St\_viewobs(V):
V: N \times k
result: 1 \times 2 \text{ or } N \times 1
```

Diagnostics

 $st_viewvars(V)$ and $st_viewobs(V)$ abort with error if V is not a view.

Also see

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[M-5] st_view() — Make matrix that is a view onto current Stata dataset
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[M-4] Stata — Stata interface functions
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