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create_ensembl_query_func
Create a function to query genes

Description

Create a function that will query genes from a GenomicRanges object with ensembl gene annotations and return a data frame with gene information for a selected region.

Usage

```
create_ensembl_query_func(ensembl, full_genes_only = TRUE)
```

Arguments

ensembl Ensembl gene annotations as a GenomicRanges object.
full_genes_only If TRUE, filter by type=="gene"

Details

Note that this function assumes that the database has start and end fields that are in basepairs, but the selection uses positions in Mbp, and the output data frame should have start and stop columns in Mbp.

Value

Function with three arguments, chr, start, and end, which returns a data frame with the genes overlapping that region, with start and end being in Mbp. The output should contain at least the columns Name, chr, start, and stop, the latter two being positions in Mbp.

Examples

```
# small version of ensembl data
ensembl <- readRDS(system.file("extdata", "ensembl_small.rds", package="qtl2bioc"))

# create query function, pulling only full genes
query_ensembl <- create_ensembl_query_func(ensembl)

# genes on chr 2 overlapping (96.5 - 97.0)
genes <- query_ensembl("2", 96.5, 97.0)
```

grab_ensembl	<i>Grab ensembl gene annotations</i>
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Description

Grab ensembl gene annotations from the Bioconductor AnnotationHub.

Usage

```
grab_ensembl(organism = "mus musculus", set = "AH51040")
```

Arguments

organism	Character string with name of organism
set	Character string with name of dataset

Value

A GenomicRanges object with the gene annotation information.

Examples

```
## Not run:  
ensembl <- grab_ensembl()  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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