

# Development

fSeries includes a number of development options to add to or enhance fSeries functionality.

**fData Data Plugins** gather data for a plugin type data group. There are some rules on how to code a data gathering plugin in order for fSeries to make use of it.

Plugin helper classes provide a simple programming interface for [data gathering plugins](#) and DSD extension plugins.

The **DSD Builder** is a collection of classes that can be used to build your own DSD management system safely without detailed knowledge of the internal structures.

**fData Plugin Controls** may be created to manage a data group set up within fData. There are some rules on how to code a plugin control in order for fSeries to make use of it.

The **Data Group Editor Class** is used within fData plugin controls to provide access to options and settings within fData itself and to give fData access to information within the control such as errors and warnings.

**Role Services Classes** provide a programming interface to the fSeries web service for different fSeries roles in fSeries (i.e. Admin, DSD, Designer and User).