



**Full credit is given to the above companies including the Operating System (OS) that this PDF file was generated!**

***Rocky Enterprise Linux 9.2 Manual Pages on command 'Crypt::AuthEnc::OCB.3pm'***

***\$ man Crypt::AuthEnc::OCB.3pm***

Crypt::AuthEnc::OCB(3pm)    User Contributed Perl Documentation    Crypt::AuthEnc::OCB(3pm)

**NAME**

Crypt::AuthEnc::OCB - Authenticated encryption in OCBv3 mode

**SYNOPSIS**

```
### OO interface

use Crypt::AuthEnc::OCB;

# encrypt and authenticate

my $ae = Crypt::AuthEnc::OCB->new("AES", $key, $nonce, $tag_len);
$ae->adata_add('additional_authenticated_data1');
$ae->adata_add('additional_authenticated_data2');
my $ct = $ae->encrypt_add('data1');
$ct .= $ae->encrypt_add('data2');
$ct .= $ae->encrypt_add('data3');
$ct .= $ae->encrypt_last('rest of data');
my $tag = $ae->encrypt_done();

# decrypt and verify

my $ae = Crypt::AuthEnc::OCB->new("AES", $key, $nonce, $tag_len);
$ae->adata_add('additional_authenticated_data1');
$ae->adata_add('additional_authenticated_data2');
```

```

my $pt = $ae->decrypt_add('ciphertext1');
$pt .= $ae->decrypt_add('ciphertext2');
$pt .= $ae->decrypt_add('ciphertext3');
$pt .= $ae->decrypt_last('rest of data');
my $tag = $ae->decrypt_done();
die "decrypt failed" unless $tag eq $expected_tag;

#or

my $result = $ae->decrypt_done($expected_tag); # 0 or 1

### functional interface
use Crypt::AuthEnc::OCB qw(ocb_encrypt_authenticate ocb_decrypt_verify);

my ($ciphertext, $tag) = ocb_encrypt_authenticate('AES', $key, $nonce, $adata, $tag_len, $plaintext);
my $plaintext = ocb_decrypt_verify('AES', $key, $nonce, $adata, $ciphertext, $tag);

```

## DESCRIPTION

This module implements OCB v3 according to <<https://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc7253>>

## EXPORT

Nothing is exported by default.

You can export selected functions:

```
use Crypt::AuthEnc::OCB qw(ocb_encrypt_authenticate ocb_decrypt_verify);
```

## FUNCTIONS

`ocb_encrypt_authenticate`

```
my ($ciphertext, $tag) = ocb_encrypt_authenticate($cipher, $key, $nonce, $adata, $tag_len, $plaintext);
```

# \$cipher .. 'AES' or name of any other cipher with 16-byte block len

# \$key ..... AES key of proper length (128/192/256bits)

# \$nonce ... unique nonce/salt (no need to keep it secret)

```
# $adata ... additional authenticated data
```

```
# $tag_len . required length of output tag
```

```
ocb_decrypt_verify
```

```
my $plaintext = ocb_decrypt_verify($cipher, $key, $nonce, $adata, $ciphertext, $tag);
```

```
# on error returns undef
```

## METHODS

```
new
```

```
my $ae = Crypt::AuthEnc::OCB->new($cipher, $key, $nonce, $tag_len);
```

```
# $cipher .. 'AES' or name of any other cipher with 16-byte block len
```

```
# $key ..... AES key of proper length (128/192/256bits)
```

```
# $nonce ... unique nonce/salt (no need to keep it secret)
```

```
# $tag_len . required length of output tag
```

```
adata_add
```

```
$ae->adata_add($adata);           #can be called multiple times
```

```
encrypt_add
```

```
$ciphertext = $ae->encrypt_add($data);    # can be called multiple times
```

```
#BEWARE: size of $data has to be multiple of blocklen (16 for AES)
```

```
encrypt_last
```

```
$ciphertext = $ae->encrypt_last($data);
```

```
encrypt_done
```

```
$tag = $ae->encrypt_done();           # returns $tag value
```

```
decrypt_add
```

```
$plaintext = $ae->decrypt_add($ciphertext); # can be called multiple times
```

#BEWARE: size of \$ciphertext has to be multiple of blocklen (16 for AES)

decrypt\_last

```
$plaintext = $ae->decrypt_last($data);
```

decrypt\_done

```
my $tag = $ae->decrypt_done;      # returns $tag value
```

```
#or
```

```
my $result = $ae->decrypt_done($tag); # returns 1 (success) or 0 (failure)
```

clone

```
my $ae_new = $ae->clone;
```

SEE ALSO

? CryptX, Crypt::AuthEnc::CCM, Crypt::AuthEnc::GCM, Crypt::AuthEnc::EAX

? <[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/OCB\\_mode](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/OCB_mode)>

? <<https://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc7253>>

perl v5.34.0

2022-02-06

Crypt::AuthEnc::OCB(3pm)