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## **Red Hat Enterprise Linux Release 9.2 Manual Pages on 'BN\_BLINDING\_get\_flags.3ossl' command**

**\$ man BN\_BLINDING\_get\_flags.3ossl**

BN\_BLINDING\_NEW(3ossl)      OpenSSL      BN\_BLINDING\_NEW(3ossl)

### NAME

BN\_BLINDING\_new, BN\_BLINDING\_free, BN\_BLINDING\_update,  
BN\_BLINDING\_convert, BN\_BLINDING\_invert, BN\_BLINDING\_convert\_ex,  
BN\_BLINDING\_invert\_ex, BN\_BLINDING\_is\_current\_thread,  
BN\_BLINDING\_set\_current\_thread, BN\_BLINDING\_lock, BN\_BLINDING\_unlock,  
BN\_BLINDING\_get\_flags, BN\_BLINDING\_set\_flags, BN\_BLINDING\_create\_param  
- blinding related BIGNUM functions

### SYNOPSIS

```
#include <openssl/bn.h>
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BN_BLINDING *BN_BLINDING_new(const BIGNUM *A, const BIGNUM *Ai,  
                              BIGNUM *mod);  
  
void BN_BLINDING_free(BN_BLINDING *b);  
  
int BN_BLINDING_update(BN_BLINDING *b, BN_CTX *ctx);  
  
int BN_BLINDING_convert(BIGNUM *n, BN_BLINDING *b, BN_CTX *ctx);  
  
int BN_BLINDING_invert(BIGNUM *n, BN_BLINDING *b, BN_CTX *ctx);  
  
int BN_BLINDING_convert_ex(BIGNUM *n, BIGNUM *r, BN_BLINDING *b,  
                            BN_CTX *ctx);  
  
int BN_BLINDING_invert_ex(BIGNUM *n, const BIGNUM *r, BN_BLINDING *b,  
                          BN_CTX *ctx);
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int BN_BLINDING_is_current_thread(BN_BLINDING *b);
void BN_BLINDING_set_current_thread(BN_BLINDING *b);
int BN_BLINDING_lock(BN_BLINDING *b);
int BN_BLINDING_unlock(BN_BLINDING *b);
unsigned long BN_BLINDING_get_flags(const BN_BLINDING *b);
void BN_BLINDING_set_flags(BN_BLINDING *b, unsigned long flags);
BN_BLINDING *BN_BLINDING_create_param(BN_BLINDING *b,
                                     const BIGNUM *e, BIGNUM *m, BN_CTX *ctx,
                                     int (*bn_mod_exp)(BIGNUM *r,
                                                         const BIGNUM *a,
                                                         const BIGNUM *p,
                                                         const BIGNUM *m,
                                                         BN_CTX *ctx,
                                                         BN_MONT_CTX *m_ctx),
                                     BN_MONT_CTX *m_ctx);

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## DESCRIPTION

BN\_BLINDING\_new() allocates a new BN\_BLINDING structure and copies the A and Ai values into the newly created BN\_BLINDING object.

BN\_BLINDING\_free() frees the BN\_BLINDING structure. If b is NULL, nothing is done.

BN\_BLINDING\_update() updates the BN\_BLINDING parameters by squaring the A and Ai or, after specific number of uses and if the necessary parameters are set, by re-creating the blinding parameters.

BN\_BLINDING\_convert\_ex() multiplies n with the blinding factor A. If r is not NULL a copy the inverse blinding factor Ai will be returned in r (this is useful if a RSA object is shared among several threads).

BN\_BLINDING\_invert\_ex() multiplies n with the inverse blinding factor Ai. If r is not NULL it will be used as the inverse blinding.

BN\_BLINDING\_convert() and BN\_BLINDING\_invert() are wrapper functions for BN\_BLINDING\_convert\_ex() and BN\_BLINDING\_invert\_ex() with r set to NULL.

BN\_BLINDING\_is\_current\_thread() returns whether the BN\_BLINDING structure is owned by the current thread. This is to help users provide proper locking if needed for multi-threaded use.

BN\_BLINDING\_set\_current\_thread() sets the current thread as the owner of the BN\_BLINDING structure.

BN\_BLINDING\_lock() locks the BN\_BLINDING structure.

BN\_BLINDING\_unlock() unlocks the BN\_BLINDING structure.

BN\_BLINDING\_get\_flags() returns the BN\_BLINDING flags. Currently there are two supported flags: BN\_BLINDING\_NO\_UPDATE and BN\_BLINDING\_NO\_RECREATE. BN\_BLINDING\_NO\_UPDATE inhibits the automatic update of the BN\_BLINDING parameters after each use and BN\_BLINDING\_NO\_RECREATE inhibits the automatic re-creation of the BN\_BLINDING parameters after a fixed number of uses (currently 32). In newly allocated BN\_BLINDING objects no flags are set.

BN\_BLINDING\_set\_flags() sets the BN\_BLINDING parameters flags.

BN\_BLINDING\_create\_param() creates new BN\_BLINDING parameters using the exponent e and the modulus m. bn\_mod\_exp and m\_ctx can be used to pass special functions for exponentiation (normally BN\_mod\_exp\_mont() and BN\_MONT\_CTX).

## RETURN VALUES

BN\_BLINDING\_new() returns the newly allocated BN\_BLINDING structure or NULL in case of an error.

BN\_BLINDING\_update(), BN\_BLINDING\_convert(), BN\_BLINDING\_invert(), BN\_BLINDING\_convert\_ex() and BN\_BLINDING\_invert\_ex() return 1 on success and 0 if an error occurred.

BN\_BLINDING\_is\_current\_thread() returns 1 if the current thread owns the BN\_BLINDING object, 0 otherwise.

BN\_BLINDING\_set\_current\_thread() doesn't return anything.

BN\_BLINDING\_lock(), BN\_BLINDING\_unlock() return 1 if the operation succeeded or 0 on error.

BN\_BLINDING\_get\_flags() returns the currently set BN\_BLINDING flags (a unsigned long value).

BN\_BLINDING\_create\_param() returns the newly created BN\_BLINDING parameters or NULL on error.

## HISTORY

BN\_BLINDING\_thread\_id() was first introduced in OpenSSL 1.0.0, and it deprecates BN\_BLINDING\_set\_thread\_id() and BN\_BLINDING\_get\_thread\_id().

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