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## **Red Hat Enterprise Linux Release 9.2 Manual Pages on 'DSA\_SIG\_free.3ossl' command**

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### NAME

DSA\_SIG\_get0, DSA\_SIG\_set0, DSA\_SIG\_new, DSA\_SIG\_free - allocate and free DSA signature objects

### SYNOPSIS

```
#include <openssl/dsa.h>

DSA_SIG *DSA_SIG_new(void);

void DSA_SIG_free(DSA_SIG *a);

void DSA_SIG_get0(const DSA_SIG *sig, const BIGNUM **pr, const BIGNUM **ps);

int DSA_SIG_set0(DSA_SIG *sig, BIGNUM *r, BIGNUM *s);
```

### DESCRIPTION

DSA\_SIG\_new() allocates an empty DSA\_SIG structure.

DSA\_SIG\_free() frees the DSA\_SIG structure and its components. The values are erased before the memory is returned to the system.

DSA\_SIG\_get0() returns internal pointers to the r and s values contained in sig.

The r and s values can be set by calling DSA\_SIG\_set0() and passing the new values for r and s as parameters to the function. Calling this function transfers the memory management of the values to the DSA\_SIG object, and therefore the values that have been passed in should not be freed directly after this function has been called.

### RETURN VALUES

If the allocation fails, DSA\_SIG\_new() returns NULL and sets an error

code that can be obtained by `ERR_get_error(3)`. Otherwise it returns a pointer to the newly allocated structure.

`DSA_SIG_free()` returns no value.

`DSA_SIG_set0()` returns 1 on success or 0 on failure.

#### SEE ALSO

`EVP_PKEY_new(3)`, `EVP_PKEY_free(3)`, `EVP_PKEY_get_bn_param(3)`,  
`ERR_get_error(3)`

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