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## **Red Hat Enterprise Linux Release 9.2 Manual Pages on 'EVP\_KDF-TLS1\_PRF.7ossl' command**

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### NAME

EVP\_KDF-TLS1\_PRF - The TLS1 PRF EVP\_KDF implementation

### DESCRIPTION

Support for computing the TLS1 PRF through the EVP\_KDF API.

The EVP\_KDF-TLS1\_PRF algorithm implements the PRF used by TLS versions up to and including TLS 1.2.

### Identity

"TLS1-PRF" is the name for this implementation; it can be used with the EVP\_KDF\_fetch() function.

### Supported parameters

The supported parameters are:

"properties" (OSSL\_KDF\_PARAM\_PROPERTIES) <UTF8 string>

"digest" (OSSL\_KDF\_PARAM\_DIGEST) <UTF8 string>

These parameters work as described in "PARAMETERS" in EVP\_KDF(3).

The OSSL\_KDF\_PARAM\_DIGEST parameter is used to set the message

digest associated with the TLS PRF. `EVP_md5_sha1()` is treated as a special case which uses the PRF algorithm using both MD5 and SHA1 as used in TLS 1.0 and 1.1.

"secret" (OSL\_KDF\_PARAM\_SECRET) <octet string>

This parameter sets the secret value of the TLS PRF. Any existing secret value is replaced.

"seed" (OSL\_KDF\_PARAM\_SEED) <octet string>

This parameter sets the context seed. The length of the context seed cannot exceed 1024 bytes; this should be more than enough for any normal use of the TLS PRF.

## NOTES

A context for the TLS PRF can be obtained by calling:

```
EVP_KDF *kdf = EVP_KDF_fetch(NULL, "TLS1-PRF", NULL);  
EVP_KDF_CTX *kctx = EVP_KDF_CTX_new(kdf);
```

The digest, secret value and seed must be set before a key is derived otherwise an error will occur.

The output length of the PRF is specified by the `keylen` parameter to the `EVP_KDF_derive()` function.

## EXAMPLES

This example derives 10 bytes using SHA-256 with the secret key "secret" and seed value "seed":

```
EVP_KDF *kdf;  
EVP_KDF_CTX *kctx;  
unsigned char out[10];  
OSL_PARAM params[4], *p = params;
```

```
kdf = EVP_KDF_fetch(NULL, "TLS1-PRF", NULL);
kctx = EVP_KDF_CTX_new(kdf);
EVP_KDF_free(kdf);

*p++ = OSSL_PARAM_construct_utf8_string(OSSL_KDF_PARAM_DIGEST,
                                         SN_sha256, strlen(SN_sha256));
*p++ = OSSL_PARAM_construct_octet_string(OSSL_KDF_PARAM_SECRET,
                                         "secret", (size_t)6);
*p++ = OSSL_PARAM_construct_octet_string(OSSL_KDF_PARAM_SEED,
                                         "seed", (size_t)4);
*p = OSSL_PARAM_construct_end();
if (EVP_KDF_derive(kctx, out, sizeof(out), params) <= 0) {
    error("EVP_KDF_derive");
}
EVP_KDF_CTX_free(kctx);
```

#### CONFORMING TO

RFC 2246, RFC 5246 and NIST SP 800-135 r1

#### SEE ALSO

EVP\_KDF(3), EVP\_KDF\_CTX\_new(3), EVP\_KDF\_CTX\_free(3),  
EVP\_KDF\_CTX\_set\_params(3), EVP\_KDF\_derive(3), "PARAMETERS" in  
EVP\_KDF(3)

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