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## **Red Hat Enterprise Linux Release 9.2 Manual Pages on 'PKCS8\_set0\_pbe.3ossl' command**

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PKCS8\_ENCRYPT(3ossl)            OpenSSL            PKCS8\_ENCRYPT(3ossl)

### NAME

PKCS8\_decrypt, PKCS8\_decrypt\_ex, PKCS8\_encrypt, PKCS8\_encrypt\_ex,  
PKCS8\_set0\_pbe, PKCS8\_set0\_pbe\_ex - PKCS8 encrypt/decrypt functions

### SYNOPSIS

```
#include <openssl/x509.h>
```

```
PKCS8_PRIV_KEY_INFO *PKCS8_decrypt(const X509_SIG *p8, const char *pass,  
                                  int passlen);
```

```
PKCS8_PRIV_KEY_INFO *PKCS8_decrypt_ex(const X509_SIG *p8, const char *pass,  
                                  int passlen, OSSL_LIB_CTX *ctx,  
                                  const char *propq);
```

```
X509_SIG *PKCS8_encrypt(int pbe_nid, const EVP_CIPHER *cipher,  
                          const char *pass, int passlen, unsigned char *salt,  
                          int saltlen, int iter, PKCS8_PRIV_KEY_INFO *p8);
```

```
X509_SIG *PKCS8_encrypt_ex(int pbe_nid, const EVP_CIPHER *cipher,  
                          const char *pass, int passlen, unsigned char *salt,  
                          int saltlen, int iter, PKCS8_PRIV_KEY_INFO *p8,  
                          OSSL_LIB_CTX *ctx, const char *propq);
```

```
X509_SIG *PKCS8_set0_pbe(const char *pass, int passlen,  
                          PKCS8_PRIV_KEY_INFO *p8inf, X509_ALGOR *pbe);
```

```
X509_SIG *PKCS8_set0_pbe_ex(const char *pass, int passlen,  
                             PKCS8_PRIV_KEY_INFO *p8inf, X509_ALGOR *pbe,  
                             OSSL_LIB_CTX *ctx);
```

## DESCRIPTION

PKCS8\_encrypt() and PKCS8\_encrypt\_ex() perform encryption of an object p8 using the password pass of length passlen, salt salt of length saltlen and iteration count iter. The resulting X509\_SIG contains the encoded algorithm parameters and encrypted key.

PKCS8\_decrypt() and PKCS8\_decrypt\_ex() perform decryption of an X509\_SIG in p8 using the password pass of length passlen along with algorithm parameters obtained from the p8.

PKCS8\_set0\_pbe() and PKCS8\_set0\_pbe\_ex() perform encryption of the p8inf using the password pass of length passlen and parameters pbe.

Functions ending in \_ex() allow for a library context ctx and property query propq to be used to select algorithm implementations.

## RETURN VALUES

PKCS8\_encrypt(), PKCS8\_encrypt\_ex(), PKCS8\_set0\_pbe() and PKCS8\_set0\_pbe\_ex() return an encrypted key in a X509\_SIG structure or NULL if an error occurs.

PKCS8\_decrypt() and PKCS8\_decrypt\_ex() return a PKCS8\_PRIV\_KEY\_INFO or NULL if an error occurs.

## CONFORMING TO

IETF RFC 7292 (<<https://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc7292>>)

## SEE ALSO

crypto(7)

## HISTORY

PKCS8\_decrypt\_ex(), PKCS8\_encrypt\_ex() and PKCS8\_set0\_pbe\_ex() were added in OpenSSL 3.0.

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