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EVP_CIPHER_CTX_GET_ORIGINAL_IV(3ossl)OpenSEVP_CIPHER_CTX_GET_ORIGINAL_IV(3ossl)

NAME

***EVP_CIPHER_CTX_get_original_iv, EVP_CIPHER_CTX_get_updated_iv,
EVP_CIPHER_CTX_iv, EVP_CIPHER_CTX_original_iv,
EVP_CIPHER_CTX_iv_noconst - Routines to inspect EVP_CIPHER_CTX IV data***

SYNOPSIS

#include <openssl/evp.h>

int EVP_CIPHER_CTX_get_original_iv(EVP_CIPHER_CTX *ctx, void *buf, size_t len);

int EVP_CIPHER_CTX_get_updated_iv(EVP_CIPHER_CTX *ctx, void *buf, size_t len);

The following functions have been deprecated since OpenSSL 3.0, and can be hidden entirely by defining OPENSSL_API_COMPAT with a suitable version value, see openssl_user_macros(7):

const unsigned char *EVP_CIPHER_CTX_iv(const EVP_CIPHER_CTX *ctx);

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const unsigned char *EVP_CIPHER_CTX_original_iv(const EVP_CIPHER_CTX *ctx);  
unsigned char *EVP_CIPHER_CTX_iv_noconst(EVP_CIPHER_CTX *ctx);
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DESCRIPTION

`EVP_CIPHER_CTX_get_original_iv()` and `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_get_updated_iv()` copy initialization vector (IV) information from the `EVP_CIPHER_CTX` into the caller-supplied buffer. `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_get_iv_length(3)` can be used to determine an appropriate buffer size, and if the supplied buffer is too small, an error will be returned (and no data copied). `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_get_original_iv()` accesses the ("original") IV that was supplied when the `EVP_CIPHER_CTX` was initialized, and `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_get_updated_iv()` accesses the current "IV state" of the cipher, which is updated during cipher operation for certain cipher modes (e.g., CBC and OFB).

The functions `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_iv()`, `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_original_iv()`, and `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_iv_noconst()` are deprecated functions that provide similar (at a conceptual level) functionality. `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_iv()` returns a pointer to the beginning of the "IV state" as maintained internally in the `EVP_CIPHER_CTX`; `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_original_iv()` returns a pointer to the beginning of the ("original") IV, as maintained by the `EVP_CIPHER_CTX`, that was provided when the `EVP_CIPHER_CTX` was initialized; and `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_get_iv_noconst()` is the same as `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_iv()` but has a different return type for the pointer.

RETURN VALUES

`EVP_CIPHER_CTX_get_original_iv()` and `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_get_updated_iv()` return 1 on success and 0 on failure.

The functions `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_iv()`, `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_original_iv()`, and `EVP_CIPHER_CTX_iv_noconst()` return a pointer to an IV as an array of bytes on success, and NULL on failure.

HISTORY

EVP_CIPHER_CTX_get_original_iv() and EVP_CIPHER_CTX_get_updated_iv() were added in OpenSSL 3.0.0.

EVP_CIPHER_CTX_iv(), EVP_CIPHER_CTX_original_iv(), and EVP_CIPHER_CTX_iv_noconst() were added in OpenSSL 1.1.0, and were deprecated in OpenSSL 3.0.0.

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