

NAME

EVP_md5, EVP_md5_sha1 - MD5 For EVP

SYNOPSIS

```
#include <openssl/evp.h>
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```
const EVP_MD *EVP_md5(void);  
const EVP_MD *EVP_md5_sha1(void);
```

DESCRIPTION

MD5 is a cryptographic hash function standardized in RFC 1321 and designed by Ronald Rivest.

The CMU Software Engineering Institute considers MD5 unsuitable for further use since its security has been severely compromised.

EVP_md5()

The MD5 algorithm which produces a 128-bit output from a given input.

EVP_md5_sha1()

A hash algorithm of SSL v3 that combines MD5 with SHA-1 as described in RFC 6101.

WARNING: this algorithm is not intended for non-SSL usage.

NOTES

Developers should be aware of the negative performance implications of calling these functions multiple times and should consider using **EVP_MD_fetch(3)** instead. See "Performance" in **crypto(7)** for further information.

RETURN VALUES

These functions return a **EVP_MD** structure that contains the implementation of the message digest. See **EVP_MD_meth_new(3)** for details of the **EVP_MD** structure.

CONFORMING TO

IETF RFC 1321.

SEE ALSO

evp(7), **EVP_DigestInit(3)**

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