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## NAME

RSA\_sign ASN1 OCTET STRING, RSA\_verify ASN1 OCTET STRING - RSA signatures

## SYNOPSIS

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

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)**:

```
int RSA_sign ASN1 OCTET STRING(int dummy, unsigned char *m,  
                                unsigned int m_len, unsigned char *sigret,  
                                unsigned int *siglen, RSA *rsa);
```

```
int RSA_verify ASN1 OCTET STRING(int dummy, unsigned char *m,  
                                 unsigned int m_len, unsigned char *sigbuf,  
                                 unsigned int siglen, RSA *rsa);
```

## DESCRIPTION

All of the functions described on this page are deprecated. Applications should instead use EVP PKEY APIs.

**RSA\_sign ASN1 OCTET STRING()** signs the octet string **m** of size **m\_len** using the private key **rsa** represented in DER using PKCS #1 padding. It stores the signature in **sigret** and the signature size in **siglen**. **sigret** must point to **RSA\_size(rsa)** bytes of memory.

**dummy** is ignored.

The random number generator must be seeded when calling **RSA\_sign ASN1 OCTET STRING()**. If the automatic seeding or reseeding of the OpenSSL CSPRNG fails due to external circumstances (see **RAND(7)**), the operation will fail.

**RSA\_verify ASN1 OCTET STRING()** verifies that the signature **sigbuf** of size **siglen** is the DER representation of a given octet string **m** of size **m\_len**. **dummy** is ignored. **rsa** is the signer's public key.

## RETURN VALUES

**RSA\_sign ASN1 OCTET STRING()** returns 1 on success, 0 otherwise.

**RSA\_verify ASN1 OCTET STRING()** returns 1 on successful verification, 0 otherwise.

The error codes can be obtained by **ERR\_get\_error(3)**.

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## BUGS

These functions serve no recognizable purpose.

## SEE ALSO

**ERR\_get\_error(3), RAND\_bytes(3), RSA\_sign(3), RSA\_verify(3), RAND(7)**

## HISTORY

All of these functions were deprecated in OpenSSL 3.0.

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