

NAME

curl_version - returns the libcurl version string

SYNOPSIS

```
#include <curl/curl.h>
```

```
char *curl_version();
```

DESCRIPTION

Returns a human readable string with the version number of libcurl and some of its important components (like OpenSSL version).

We recommend using *curl_version_info(3)* instead!

EXAMPLE

```
int main(void)
{
    printf("libcurl version %s\n", curl_version());
}
```

AVAILABILITY

Always

RETURN VALUE

A pointer to a null-terminated string. The string resides in a statically allocated buffer and must not be freed by the caller.

SEE ALSO

curl_version_info(3)