#### **NAME**

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gnutls_pkcs12_simple_parse - API function
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### **SYNOPSIS**

#include <gnutls/pkcs12.h>

int gnutls\_pkcs12\_simple\_parse(gnutls\_pkcs12\_t p12, const char \* password, gnutls\_x509\_privkey\_t \* key, gnutls\_x509\_crt\_t \*\* chain, unsigned int \* chain\_len, gnutls\_x509\_crt\_t \*\* extra\_certs, unsigned int \* extra\_certs\_len, gnutls\_x509\_crl\_t \* crl, unsigned int flags);

## **ARGUMENTS**

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gnutls_pkcs12_t p12
              A pkcs12 type
const char * password
              optional password used to decrypt the structure, bags and keys.
gnutls_x509_privkey_t * key
              a structure to store the parsed private key.
gnutls x509 crt t ** chain
              the corresponding to key certificate chain (may be NULL)
unsigned int * chain_len
              will be updated with the number of additional (may be NULL)
gnutls_x509_crt_t ** extra_certs
              optional pointer to receive an array of additional certificates found in the PKCS12
              structure (may be NULL).
unsigned int * extra_certs_len
              will be updated with the number of additional certs (may be NULL).
gnutls x509 crl t * crl
              an optional structure to store the parsed CRL (may be NULL).
unsigned int flags
              should be zero or one of GNUTLS_PKCS12_SP_*
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### DESCRIPTION

This function parses a PKCS12 structure in *pkcs12* and extracts the private key, the corresponding certificate chain, any additional certificates and a CRL. The structures in *key*, *chain crl*, and *extra certs* must not be initialized.

The *extra\_certs* and *extra\_certs\_len* parameters are optional and both may be set to **NULL**. If either is non-**NULL**, then both must be set. The value for *extra\_certs* is allocated using **gnutls\_malloc()**.

Encrypted PKCS12 bags and PKCS8 private keys are supported, but only with password based security and the same password for all operations.

Note that a PKCS12 structure may contain many keys and/or certificates, and there is no way to identify which key/certificate pair you want. For this reason this function is useful for PKCS12 files that contain only one key/certificate pair and/or one CRL.

If the provided structure has encrypted fields but no password is provided then this function returns **GNUTLS E DECRYPTION FAILED**.

Note that normally the chain constructed does not include self signed certificates, to comply with TLS' requirements. If, however, the flag **GNUTLS\_PKCS12\_SP\_INCLUDE\_SELF\_SIGNED** is specified then self signed certificates will be included in the chain.

Prior to using this function the PKCS 12 structure integrity must be verified using gnutls\_pkcs12\_verify\_mac().

## **RETURNS**

On success, **GNUTLS\_E\_SUCCESS** (0) is returned, otherwise a negative error value.

## **SINCE**

3.1.0

## **REPORTING BUGS**

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