

**NAME**

**zip\_file\_extra\_field\_get**, **zip\_file\_extra\_field\_get\_by\_id** - get extra field for file in zip

**LIBRARY**

libzip (-lzip)

**SYNOPSIS**

```
#include <zip.h>
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const zip_uint8_t *
zip_file_extra_field_get(zip_t *archive, zip_uint64_t index, zip_uint16_t extra_field_index,
zip_uint16_t *idp, zip_uint16_t *lenp, zip_flags_t flags);

const zip_uint8_t *
zip_file_extra_field_get_by_id(zip_t *archive, zip_uint64_t index, zip_uint16_t extra_field_id,
zip_uint16_t extra_field_index, zip_uint16_t *lenp, zip_flags_t flags);
```

**DESCRIPTION**

The **zip\_file\_extra\_field\_get()** function returns the extra field with index *extra\_field\_index* for the file at position *index* in the zip archive. This pointer should not be modified or free(3)'d, and becomes invalid when *archive* is closed. If *idp* is not NULL, the integer to which it points will be set to the ID (two-byte signature) of the selected extra field. If *lenp* is not NULL, the integer to which it points will be set to the length of the extra field. Generally speaking, *lenp* and *idp* should be passed since only the extra field data is returned (i.e., neither the ID nor the length, if the *idp* and *lenp* arguments are not provided).

The following *flags* are supported:

ZIP_FL_CENTRAL	Return extra fields from the archive's central directory.
ZIP_FL_LOCAL	Return extra fields from the local file headers.
ZIP_FL_UNCHANGED	Return the original unchanged extra fields, ignoring any changes made.

The **zip\_file\_extra\_field\_get\_by\_id()** function returns the extra field with ID (two-byte signature) *extra\_field\_id* and index *extra\_field\_index* (in other words, the *extra\_field\_index*'th extra field with ID *extra\_field\_id*) The other arguments are the same as for **zip\_file\_extra\_field\_get()**.

**RETURN VALUES**

Upon successful completion, a pointer to an extra field is returned, or NULL if there is no extra field

with that *extra\_field\_index* for the file with index *index*. In case of an error, NULL is returned and the error code in *archive* is set to indicate the error.

## ERRORS

**zip\_file\_extra\_field\_get()** and **zip\_file\_extra\_field\_get\_by\_id()** fail if:

[ZIP\_ER\_NOENT] *index* is not a valid file index in *archive*, or *extra\_field\_index* is not a valid extra file index (for ID *extra\_field\_id*).

## SEE ALSO

[libzip\(3\)](#), [zip\\_file\\_extra\\_field\\_delete\(3\)](#), [zip\\_file\\_extra\\_field\\_set\(3\)](#), [zip\\_file\\_extra\\_fields\\_count\(3\)](#)

## HISTORY

**zip\_file\_extra\_field\_get()** and **zip\_file\_extra\_field\_get\_by\_id()** were added in libzip 0.11.

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## CAVEATS

Please note that the extra field IDs 0x0001 (ZIP64 extension), 0x6375 (Infozip UTF-8 comment), and 0x7075 (Infozip UTF-8 file name) can not be read using **zip\_file\_extra\_field\_get()** since they are used by [libzip\(3\)](#) internally.