

UNIX-Type APIs (V5R2)

Secure Sockets APIs

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Secure sockets APIs

Secure sockets consists of the following APIs:

- [OS/400 Global Secure Toolkit \(GSKit\) APIs](#)
- [OS/400 SSL_ APIs](#)


The OS/400 Global Secure Toolkit (GSKit) and OS/400 SSL_ application programming interfaces (APIs) are a set of functions that, when used with the OS/400 sockets APIs, are designed to enable and facilitate secure communications between processes on a network. The GSK Secure Toolkit (GSKit) APIs are the preferred set of APIs to be used to securely enable an application using Secure Sockets Layer/Transport Layer Security (SSL/TLS). The SSL_ APIs also can be used to enable an application to use the SSL/TLS Protocol.

SSL provides communications privacy over an open communications network (that is, the Internet). The protocol allows client/server applications to communicate to prevent eavesdropping, tampering, and message forgery. The SSL protocol connection security has three basic properties:

- The connection is private. Encryption using secret keys is used to encrypt and decrypt the data. The secret keys are generated on a per SSL session basis using an SSL handshake protocol. An SSL handshake is a series of protocol packets sent in a particular sequence, which use asymmetric cryptography to establish an SSL session. Symmetric cryptography is used for application data encryption and decryption.
- The peer's identity can be authenticated using asymmetric, or public key cryptography.
- The connection is reliable. Message transport includes a message integrity check using a keyed Message Authentication Code (MAC). Secure hash functions are used for MAC computations.

When creating ILE programs or service programs that use the OS/400 GSKit or SSL_ APIs, you do not need to explicitly bind to the secure sockets service program QSYS/QSOSSLR because it is part of the system binding directory.

The GSKit and SSL_ API documentation describes the GSKit and SSL_ APIs only. This documentation does not include any information about how to configure or obtain any of the cryptographic objects, such as a key ring file or certificate, that are required to fully enable an application for SSL. Some cryptographic objects, such as certificate store files, are required parameters for GSKit and SSL_ APIs. Information on how to configure the cryptographic objects required for the OS/400 secure socket APIs, or how to configure a secure web server, which also uses the secure socket APIs, can be found using the following references:

- [HTTP Server: Documentation](#) 
- [Secure Sockets Layer \(SSL\)](#) under the Security topic. [Plan for enabling SSL](#) discusses what you must install and configure before using secure sockets.
- [Cryptographic Hardware](#) topic.

For background information on GSKit and SSL_ APIs, see:

- [Secure Sockets](#) in the Sockets programming topic.
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OS/400 Global Secure Toolkit (GSKit) APIs

OS/400 GSKit APIs, when used in addition to the existing OS/400 Sockets APIs, provide the functions required for applications to establish secure communications. An application using GSKit for secure communications basically is a client/server application written using sockets.

The Global Secure Toolkit (GSKit) APIs are:

- [gsk_attribute_get_buffer\(\)](#) (Get character information about a secure session or an SSL environment) is used to obtain specific character string information about a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_get_cert_info\(\)](#) (Get information about a local or partner certificate) is used to obtain specific information about either the server or client certificate for a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_get_enum\(\)](#) (Get enumerated information for a secure session or an SSL environment) is used to obtain values for specific enumerated data for a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value\(\)](#) (Get numeric information about a secure session or an SSL environment) is used to obtain specific numeric information about a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_set_buffer\(\)](#) (Set character information for a secure session or an SSL environment) is used to set a specified buffer attribute to a value inside the specified secure session or SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_set_enum\(\)](#) (Set enumerated information for a secure session or an SSL environment) is used to set a specified enumerated type attribute to an enumerated value in the secure session or SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_set_numeric_value\(\)](#) (Set numeric information for a secure session or an SSL environment) is used to set specific numeric information for a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_environment_close\(\)](#) (Close an SSL environment) is used to close the SSL environment and release all storage associated with the environment.
- [gsk_environment_init\(\)](#) (Initialize an SSL environment) is used to initialize the SSL environment after any required attributes are set.
- [gsk_environment_open\(\)](#) (Get a handle for an SSL environment) is used to get storage for the SSL environment.
- [gsk_secure_soc_close\(\)](#) (Close a secure session) is used to close a secure session and free all the associated resources for that secure session.
- [gsk_secure_soc_init\(\)](#) (Negotiate a secure session) is used to negotiate a secure session, using the attributes set for the SSL environment and the secure session.
- [gsk_secure_soc_misc\(\)](#) (Perform miscellaneous functions for a secure session) is used to perform miscellaneous functions for a secure session.
- [gsk_secure_soc_open\(\)](#) (Get a handle for a secure session) is used to get storage for a secure session, set default values for attributes, and return a handle that must be saved and used on secure session-related function calls.
- [gsk_secure_soc_read\(\)](#) (Receive data on a secure session) is used by a program to receive data from a secure session.
- [gsk_secure_soc_startInit\(\)](#) (Start asynchronous operation to negotiate a secure session) initiates

an asynchronous negotiation of a secure session, using the attributes set for the SSL environment and the secure session.❧

- [gsk_secure_soc_startRecv\(\)](#) (Start asynchronous receive operation on a secure session) is used to initiate an asynchronous receive operation on a secure session.
- [gsk_secure_soc_startSend\(\)](#) (Start asynchronous send operation on a secure session) is used to initiate an asynchronous send operation on a secure session.
- [gsk_secure_soc_write\(\)](#) (Send data on a secure session) is used by a program to write data on a secure session.
- [gsk_strerror\(\)](#) (Retrieve GSKit runtime error message) is used to retrieve an error message and associated text string that describes a return value that was returned from calling a GSKit API.

Note: These functions use header (include) files from the library QSYSINC, which is optionally installable. Make sure QSYSINC is installed on your system before using any of the functions. See [Header Files for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for the file and member name of each header file.

See the following examples in the Socket programming topic for more information:

- [Example: GSKit secure server with asynchronous data receive](#)
- [Example: GSKit secure server with asynchronous handshake](#)
- [Example: Establish a secure client with GSKit APIs](#)

gsk_attribute_get_buffer()--Get character information about a secure session or an SSL environment

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_attribute_get_buffer(gsk_handle my_gsk_handle,
                            GSK_BUF_ID bufID,
                            const char **buffer,
                            int *bufSize);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_attribute_get_buffer()** function is used to obtain specific character string information about a secure session or an SSL environment. It can be used to obtain values such as certificate store file, certificate store password, application ID, and ciphers.

Parameters

my_gsk_handle (Input)

Indicates one of the following handles:

- The handle for the secure session (*my_session_handle*)
- The handle for the SSL environment (*my_env_handle*)

bufID (Input)

The following values can be used to retrieve information about the secure session or the SSL environment that is either defaulted or explicitly set:

- **GSK_KEYRING_FILE (201)** - *buffer* points to the name of the certificate store file being used for the SSL environment.
- **GSK_KEYRING_PW (202)** - *buffer* points to the password for the certificate store file being used for the SSL environment.
- **GSK_KEYRING_LABEL (203)** - *buffer* points to the certificate label associated with the certificate in the certificate store identified by **GSK_KEYRING_FILE** to be used for the secure session or SSL environment.

- **GSK_OS400_APPLICATION_ID (6999)** - *buffer* points to the application identifier being used for the SSL environment.
- **GSK_V2_CIPHER_SPECS (205)** - *buffer* points to the list of available SSL Version 2 ciphers to be used for the secure session or the SSL environment. See the usage notes in [gsk_attribute_set_buffer\(\)](#) API for the format of the ciphers.
- **GSK_V3_CIPHER_SPECS (206)** - *buffer* points to the list of available SSL Version 3 or TLS Version 1 ciphers to be used for the secure session or the SSL environment. See the usage notes in [gsk_attribute_set_buffer\(\)](#) API for the format of the ciphers.
- **GSK_CONNECT_SEC_TYPE (208)** - *buffer* points to a string containing "SSLV2," "SSLV3," or "TLSV1," depending on what was actually negotiated for use by the secure session.
- **GSK_CONNECT_CIPHER_SPEC (207)** - *buffer* points to a one- or two-character string describing the cipher specification negotiated for use by the secure session. See the usage notes in [gsk_attribute_set_buffer\(\)](#) API for the format of the ciphers.

buffer (Output)

The address of the location to place the pointer that will point to the buffer containing the requested information. The storage for this information was allocated by the system from user heap storage and will be freed by the `gsk_secure_soc_close()` API or the `gsk_environment_close()` API.

The data in the buffer is assumed to be represented in the CCSID (coded character set identifier) currently in effect for the job. If the CCSID of the job is 65535, this buffer is assumed to be represented in the default CCSID of the job.

bufSize (Output)

The address of the location to store the length of the requested information pointed to by *buffer*.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

gsk_attribute_get_buffer()

returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

`gsk_attribute_get_buffer()` was successful.

[GSK_ATTRIBUTE_INVALID_ID]

The specified *bufID* was not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The specified handle was not valid.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

The *buffer* or *bufSize* pointer is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_UNSUPPORTED]

The *bufID* currently is not supported.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing. Check the *errno* value.

Error Conditions

When the `gsk_attribute_get_buffer()` API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EINTR] Interrupted function call.
[EDEADLK] Resource deadlock avoided.
[ETERM] Operation terminated.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, look in [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

Usage Notes

1. The following *GSK_BUF_ID* values may be retrieved from the SSL environment after `gsk_environment_open()`.

- **GSK_KEYRING_FILE**
- **GSK_KEYRING_PW**
- **GSK_KEYRING_LABEL**
- **GSK_OS400_APPLICATION_ID**
- **GSK_V2_CIPHER_SPECS**
- **GSK_V3_CIPHER_SPECS**

2. The following *GSK_BUF_ID* values may be retrieved from the secure session after `gsk_secure_soc_open()`.

- **GSK_KEYRING_LABEL**
- **GSK_V2_CIPHER_SPECS**
- **GSK_V3_CIPHER_SPECS**
- **GSK_CONNECT_SEC_TYPE**
- **GSK_CONNECT_CIPHER_SPEC**

3. The following *GSK_BUF_ID* values are defaulted after `gsk_secure_soc_open()` and will be set for the secure session after `gsk_secure_soc_init()` or `gsk_secure_soc_misc()`.
 - `GSK_CONNECT_SEC_TYPE`
 - `GSK_CONNECT_CIPHER_SPEC`
4. You can reference the *buffer* pointer as long as the handle for the secure session or the SSL environment is still open.

Related Information

- [gsk_attribute_set_buffer\(\)](#)--Set character information for a secure session or an SSL environment
- [gsk_attribute_get_enum\(\)](#)--Get enumerated information about a secure session or a SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value\(\)](#)--Get numeric information about a secure session or a SSL environment
- [gsk_attribute_get_cert_info\(\)](#)--Get information about a local or partner certificate
- [gsk_environment_close\(\)](#)--Close the SSL environment
- [gsk_environment_init\(\)](#)--Initialize an SSL environment
- [gsk_environment_open\(\)](#)--Get a handle for an SSL environment
- [gsk_secure_soc_close\(\)](#)--Close a secure session
- [gsk_secure_soc_init\(\)](#)--Negotiate a secure session
- [gsk_secure_soc_misc\(\)](#)--Perform miscellaneous functions for a secure session
- [gsk_secure_soc_open\(\)](#)--Get a handle for a secure session
- [gsk_strerror\(\)](#)--Retrieve GSK runtime error message

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gsk_attribute_get_cert_info()--Get information about a local or partner certificate

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_attribute_get_cert_info(gsk_handle my_gsk_handle,
                               GSK_CERT_ID certID,
                               const gsk_cert_data_elem **certDataElem,
                               int *certDataElemCount);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_attribute_get_cert_info()** function is used to obtain specific information about either the server or client certificate for a secure session or an SSL environment.

Parameters

my_gsk_handle (Input)

Indicates one of the following handles:

- The handle for the secure session. (*my_session_handle*)
- The handle for the SSL environment. (*my_env_handle*)

certID (Input)

Indicates one of the following:

- **GSK_LOCAL_CERT_INFO (701)** - Retrieve certificate data information for the local certificate that may be sent to the remote connection. This can be retrieved using the SSL environment handle or the secure session handle.
- **GSK_PARTNER_CERT_INFO (700)** - Retrieve certificate data information for the partner certificate that may have been received during the SSL handshake. This can only be retrieved using the secure session handle.

certDataElem (Output)

The address of a pointer to the certificate information returned from this function call. On output, *certDataElem* will contain the pointer to the information. The storage for this information was allocated by the system from user heap storage and will be freed by the **gsk_secure_soc_close()** API or the **gsk_environment_close()** API.

certDataElemCount (Output)

A pointer to an integer that will contain the number of certificate data elements returned from this function call.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

gsk_attribute_get_cert_info() returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

gsk_attribute_get_cert_info() was successful.

[GSK_ATTRIBUTE_INVALID_ID]

The specified *certID* was not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The handle passed in to this function was not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_STATE]

One of the following occurred:

- A SSL environment handle was specified with a *certID* of GSK_LOCAL_CERT_INFO before a **gsk_environment_init()** has been issued.
- A secure session handle was specified before a **gsk_secure_soc_init()** has been issued.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

The *certDataElem* or *certDataElemCount* pointer is not valid.

[GSK_INSUFFICIENT_STORAGE]

Not able to allocate storage for the requested operation.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing, check the *errno* value.

Error Conditions

When the **gsk_attribute_get_cert_info()** API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EINTR]

Interrupted function call.

[EDEADLK]

Resource deadlock avoided.

[ETERM]

Operation terminated.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, look in [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

Usage Notes

1. After `gsk_attribute_get_cert_info()` returns with a GSK_OK return value, *certDataElem* points to an array of structures of type *gsk_cert_data_elem*. The following structure is the *gsk_cert_data_elem* structure:

```
typedef struct gsk_cert_data_elem_t
{
    GSK_CERT_DATA_ID cert_data_id;
    char *cert_data_p;
    int cert_data_l;
} gsk_cert_data_elem;
```

Each element consists of the following fields:

- *cert_data_id* is the identifier for each element of the certificate. The following are the valid identifiers:
 - CERT_BODY_DER (600)
 - CERT_BODY_BASE64 (601)
 - CERT_SERIAL_NUMBER (602)
 - CERT_COMMON_NAME (610)
 - CERT_LOCALITY (611)
 - CERT_STATE_OR_PROVINCE (612)
 - CERT_COUNTRY (613)
 - CERT_ORG (614)
 - CERT_ORG_UNIT (615)
 - CERT_DN_PRINTABLE (616)
 - CERT_DN_DER (617)
 - CERT_POSTAL_CODE (618)
 - CERT_EMAIL (619)
 - CERT_ISSUER_COMMON_NAME (650)
 - CERT_ISSUER_LOCALITY (651)
 - CERT_ISSUER_STATE_OR_PROVINCE (652)
 - CERT_ISSUER_COUNTRY (653)
 - CERT_ISSUER_ORG (654)
 - CERT_ISSUER_ORG_UNIT (655)
 - CERT_ISSUER_DN_PRINTABLE (656)
 - CERT_ISSUER_DN_DER (657)
 - CERT_ISSUER_POSTAL_CODE (658)

- CERT_ISSUER_EMAIL (659)
 - *cert_data_p* points to the specific certificate data.
 - *cert_data_l* contains the length of the data element.
- 2. Many fields are character strings and are terminated with a trailing null. The length does not include the null.
- 3. Other fields (CERT_BODY_DER, CERT_DN_DER, and so on) may have imbedded nulls and therefore must use the integer length for processing.
- 4. Not all certificates contain all fields, so the number of fields returned depends on the certificate being processed. This open-ended approach means new fields can be added from time to time without disrupting existing usage.
- 5. All certificate data is returned in ASCII CCSID 850.
- 6. You can reference the *certDataElem* pointers as long as the handle for the secure session or SSL environment is open.

Related Information

- [gsk_attribute_get_buffer\(\)](#)--Get character information about a secure session or a SSL environment
- [gsk_attribute_get_enum\(\)](#)--Get enumerated information about a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value\(\)](#)--Get numeric information about a secure session or an SSL environment
- [gsk_environment_close\(\)](#)--Close the SSL environment
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gsk_attribute_get_enum()--Get enumerated information about a secure session or an SSL environment>

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_attribute_get_enum(gsk_handle my_gsk_handle,
                          GSK_ENUM_ID enumID,
                          GSK_ENUM_VALUE *enumValue);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLSR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_attribute_get_enum()** function is used to obtain values for specific enumerated data for a secure session or an SSL environment.

Parameters

my_gsk_handle (Input)

Indicates one of the following handles:

- The handle for the secure session. (*my_session_handle*)
- The handle for the SSL environment. (*my_env_handle*)

enumID (Input)

The following values can be used to retrieve information about the secure session or SSL environment that is either defaulted or explicitly set:

- **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV2 (403)** - Whether the SSL Version 2 protocol is enabled or disabled for this secure session or SSL environment. The *enumValue* returned will be one of the following values:
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV2_ON (510)** - SSL Version 2 ciphers are enabled.
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV2_OFF (511)** - SSL Version 2 ciphers are disabled.
- **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV3 (404)** - Whether the SSL Version 3 protocol is enabled or disabled for this secure session or SSL environment. The *enumValue* returned will be one of the following values:
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV3_ON (512)** - SSL Version 3 ciphers are enabled.

- **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV3_OFF (513)** - SSL Version 3 ciphers are disabled.
- **GSK_PROTOCOL_TLSV1 (407)** - Whether the TLS Version 1 protocol is enabled or disabled for this secure session or SSL environment. The *enumValue* returned will be one of the following values:
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_TLSV1_ON (518)** - TLS Version 1 ciphers are enabled.
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_TLSV1_OFF (519)** - TLS Version 1 ciphers are disabled.
- **GSK_SESSION_TYPE (402)** - Type of handshake to be used for this secure session or SSL environment. *enumValue* returned will be one of the following values:
 - **GSK_CLIENT_SESSION (507)** - Secure sessions act as clients.
 - **GSK_SERVER_SESSION (508)** - Secure sessions act as a server with no client authentication. The client certificate is not requested.
 - **GSK_SERVER_SESSION_WITH_CL_AUTH (509)** - Secure sessions act as a server that requests the client to send a certificate. The value for **GSK_CLIENT_AUTH_TYPE** will determine what happens if the client certificate is not valid or not provided.
- **GSK_CLIENT_AUTH_TYPE (401)** - Type of client authentication to use for this session. *enumValue* must specify one of the following:

- **GSK_CLIENT_AUTH_FULL (503)** - All received certificates are validated. If a certificate that is not valid is received, the secure session does not start, and an error code is returned from **gsk_secure_soc_init()**.

If no certificate is sent by the client, the start of the secure session is successful. Applications can detect this situation by checking the **GSK_CERTIFICATE_VALIDATION_CODE** *enumId* via **gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value()**. A *numValue* of **GSK_ERROR_NO_CERTIFICATE** will indicate no certificate was sent by client. In this case, the application is responsible for the authentication of the client.

- **GSK_CLIENT_AUTH_PASSTHRU (505)** - All received certificates are validated. If validation is successful or validation fails because the certificate is self-signed, expired, or does not have a trusted root, the secure session will start. For the other validation failure cases the secure session does not start, and an error code is returned from **gsk_secure_soc_init()**. Applications can detect the situation where the secure session started but validation failed by checking the **GSK_CERTIFICATE_VALIDATION_CODE** *enumId* via **gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value()**. The *numValue* will indicate the certificate validation return code for client's certificate. In this situation, the application is responsible for the authentication of the client.

If no certificate is sent by the client, the start of the secure session is successful. Applications can detect this situation by checking the **GSK_CERTIFICATE_VALIDATION_CODE** *enumId* as well. A *numValue* of **GSK_ERROR_NO_CERTIFICATE** will indicate no certificate was sent by client. In this case, the application is also responsible for the authentication of the client.

- **GSK_OS400_CLIENT_AUTH_REQUIRED (6995)** - All received certificates are validated. If a certificate that is not valid is received, the secure session does

not start, and an error code is returned from `gsk_secure_soc_init()`. If no certificate is sent by the client, the secure session does not start, and an error code of `GSK_ERROR_NO_CERTIFICATE` is returned from `gsk_secure_soc_init()`.

- **GSK_PROTOCOL_USED (405)** - Which protocol was used for this secure session. The *enumValue* returned will be one of the following values:
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_USED_SSLV2 (514)** - The protocol used for this secure session is SSL Version 2.
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_USED_SSLV3 (515)** - The protocol used for this secure session is SSL Version 3.
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_USED_TLSV1 (520)** - The protocol used for this secure session is TLS Version 1.
- **GSK_SID_FIRST (406)** - Whether a full handshake or abbreviated handshake occurred for this secure session. The *enumValue* returned will be one of the following values:
 - **GSK_SID_IS_FIRST (516)** - A full handshake occurred for this secure session.
 - **GSK_SID_NOT_FIRST (517)** - An abbreviated handshake occurred for this secure session.

enumValue (Output)

Specifies a pointer to an integer in which to place the value of the requested information.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

`gsk_attribute_get_enum()` returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

`gsk_attribute_get_enum()` was successful.

[GSK_ATTRIBUTE_INVALID_ID]

The specified *enumID* was not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The specified handle was not valid.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

The *enumValue* pointer is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_UNSUPPORTED]

The *enumID* is currently not supported.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing, check the *errno* value.

Error Conditions

When the **gsk_attribute_get_enum()** API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EINTR]

Interrupted function call.

[EDEADLK]

Resource deadlock avoided.

[ETERM]

Operation terminated.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, look in [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

Usage Notes

1. The following *GSK_ENUM_ID* values may be retrieved from the SSL environment after **gsk_environment_open()**.
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV2**
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV3**
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_TLSV1**
 - **GSK_SESSION_TYPE**
 - **GSK_CLIENT_AUTH_TYPE**
2. The following *GSK_ENUM_ID* values may be retrieved from the secure session after **gsk_secure_soc_open()**.
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV2**
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV3**
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_TLSV1**
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_USED**
 - **GSK_SESSION_TYPE**
 - **GSK_CLIENT_AUTH_TYPE**
 - **GSK_SID_FIRST**
3. The following *GSK_ENUM_ID* values are defaulted after **gsk_secure_soc_open()** and will be set for the secure session after **gsk_secure_soc_init()** or **gsk_secure_soc_misc()**.
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_USED**

- `GSK_SID_FIRST`

Related Information

- [`gsk_attribute_get_buffer\(\)`--Get character information about a secure session or an SSL environment](#)
- [`gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value\(\)`--Get numeric information about a secure session or an SSL environment](#)
- [`gsk_attribute_get_cert_info\(\)`--Get information about a local or partner certificate](#)
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gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value()--Get numeric information about a secure session or an SSL environment

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value(gsk_handle my_gsk_handle,
                                   GSK_NUM_ID numID,
                                   int *numValue);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value()** function is used to obtain specific numeric information about a secure session or an SSL environment.

Parameters

my_gsk_handle (Input)

Indicates one of the following handles:

- The handle for the secure session. (*my_session_handle*)
- The handle for the SSL environment. (*my_env_handle*)

numID (Input)

The following values can be used to retrieve information about the secure session or the SSL environment that is either defaulted or explicitly set:

- **GSK_FD (300)** - *numValue* is a socket descriptor to be used for this secure session.
- **GSK_V2_SESSION_TIMEOUT (301)** - SSL Version 2 session time-out for the environment. *numValue* must be in the range 0-100 seconds.
- **GSK_V3_SESSION_TIMEOUT (302)** - SSL Version 3 and TLS version 1 session time-out for the environment. *numValue* must be in the range 0-86400 seconds.
- **GSK_CERTIFICATE_VALIDATION_CODE (6996)** - The certificate validation return code for the local or peer certificate.

- **GSK_HANDSHAKE_TIMEOUT (6998)** - SSL handshake time-out for the secure session or the SSL environment.

numValue (Output)

A pointer to an integer containing the value of the requested information.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value() returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value() was successful.

[GSK_ATTRIBUTE_INVALID_ID]

The specified *numID* was not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The handle specified was not valid.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

The *numValue* pointer is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_UNSUPPORTED]

The *numID* is currently not supported.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing, check the *errno* value.

Error Conditions

When the **gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value()** API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EINTR]

Interrupted function call.

[EDEADLK]

Resource deadlock avoided.

[ETERM]

Operation terminated.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, look in [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

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Usage Notes

1. The following *GSK_NUM_ID* values may be retrieved from the SSL environment after **`gsk_environment_open()`**:
 - **`GSK_V2_SESSION_TIMEOUT`**
 - **`GSK_V3_SESSION_TIMEOUT`**
 - **`GSK_HANDSHAKE_TIMEOUT`**
2. The following *GSK_NUM_ID* value may be retrieved from the SSL environment after **`gsk_environment_init()`**.
 - **`GSK_CERTIFICATE_VALIDATION_CODE`** - Will return the certificate validation return code for the local certificate.
3. The following *GSK_NUM_ID* value may be retrieved from each individual secure session after **`gsk_secure_soc_init()`**.
 - **`GSK_CERTIFICATE_VALIDATION_CODE`** - Will return the certificate validation return code for the peer's certificate.
4. The following *GSK_NUM_ID* values may be retrieved from each individual secure session after **`gsk_secure_soc_open()`**.
 - **`GSK_FD`**
 - **`GSK_HANDSHAKE_TIMEOUT`**
5. The following *GSK_NUM_ID* values are currently not supported in the OS/400 implementation:
 - **`GSK_V2_SIDCACHE_SIZE`**
 - **`GSK_V3_SIDCACHE_SIZE`**
 - **`GSK_LDAP_SERVER_PORT`**

Related Information

- [gsk_attribute_get_buffer\(\)](#)--Get character information about a secure session or an SSL environment
- [gsk_attribute_get_enum\(\)](#)--Get enumerated information about a secure session or an SSL environment.

- [gsk_attribute_get_cert_info\(\)](#)--Get information about a local or partner certificate
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gsk_attribute_set_buffer()--Set character information for a secure session or an SSL environment

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_attribute_set_buffer(gsk_handle my_gsk_handle,
                             GSK_BUF_ID bufID,
                             const char *buffer,
                             int bufSize);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLSR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_attribute_set_buffer()** function is used to set a specified buffer attribute to a value inside the specified secure session or SSL environment.

Parameters

my_gsk_handle (Input)

Indicates one of the following handles:

- The handle for the secure session. (*my_session_handle*)
- The handle for the SSL environment. (*my_env_handle*)

bufID (Input)

Indicates one of the following operations:

- **GSK_KEYRING_FILE (201)** - *buffer* points to the name of the certificate store file to be used for the secure session or SSL environment. Authority to the certificate store file will be checked on the **gsk_environment_init()** API or the **gsk_secure_soc_init()** API.
- **GSK_KEYRING_PW (202)** - *buffer* points to the password for the certificate store file to be used for the secure session or SSL environment.
- **GSK_KEYRING_LABEL (203)** - *buffer* points to the certificate label associated with the certificate in the certificate store to be used for the secure session or SSL environment.
- **GSK_OS400_APPLICATION_ID (6999)** - *buffer* points to the application identifier to be

used for the SSL environment.

- **GSK_V2_CIPHER_SPECS (205)** - *buffer* points to the list of SSL Version 2 ciphers to be used for the secure session or the SSL environment.
- **GSK_V3_CIPHER_SPECS (206)** - *buffer* points to the list of SSL Version 3/TLS Version 1 ciphers to be used for the secure session or the SSL environment.

buffer (Input)

A pointer to the information to be used for the secure session or the SSL environment.

The data in the buffer is assumed to be represented in the CCSID (coded character set identifier) currently in effect for the job. If the CCSID of the job is 65535, this buffer is assumed to be represented in the default CCSID of the job.

bufSize (Input)

The length of the *buffer* information. If *bufSize* is specified as 0, the length of *bufSize* will be calculated.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

gsk_attribute_set_buffer() returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

gsk_attribute_set_buffer() was successful.

[GSK_ATTRIBUTE_INVALID_ID]

The *bufID* value is not a valid identifier.

[GSK_ATTRIBUTE_INVALID_LENGTH]

The *bufSize* specified or the length of *buffer* is not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

my_gsk_handle is not a valid handle that was received from issuing **gsk_environment_open()** or **gsk_secure_soc_open()**.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

The *buffer* pointer is not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_STATE]

One of the following occurred:

- *bufID* cannot be set for a SSL environment after a **gsk_environment_init()** has been

issued.

- *bufID* cannot be set for a secure session after a **gsk_secure_soc_init()** has been issued.

[GSK_ERROR_UNSUPPORTED]

The *bufID* value is currently not supported.

[GSK_INSUFFICIENT_STORAGE]

Not able to allocate storage for the requested operation.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing, check the *errno* value.

Error Conditions

When the **gsk_attribute_set_buffer()** API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EINTR]

Interrupted function call.

[EDEADLK]

Resource deadlock avoided.

[ETERM]

Operation terminated.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, look in [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

Usage Notes

1. The following *GSK_BUF_ID* values may be set in the SSL environment after **gsk_environment_open()** and before **gsk_environment_init()**. They are used as defaults for subsequent secure sessions:
 - **GSK_KEYRING_FILE**
 - **GSK_KEYRING_PW**
 - **GSK_KEYRING_LABEL**
 - **GSK_OS400_APPLICATION_ID**
 - **GSK_V2_CIPHER_SPECS**
 - **GSK_V3_CIPHER_SPECS**
2. The following *GSK_BUF_ID* values may be set for each individual secure session after **gsk_secure_soc_open()** and before **gsk_secure_soc_init()**. These values will override values set in the SSL environment:

- **GSK_KEYRING_LABEL**
- **GSK_V2_CIPHER_SPECS**
- **GSK_V3_CIPHER_SPECS**

3. The following *GSK_V3_CIPHER_SPECS* values are the SSL Version 3 ciphers and the TLS Version 1 ciphers supported:

```

01 = NULL MD5
02 = NULL SHA
03 = RC4 MD5 EXPORT
04 = RC4 MD5 US
05 = RC4 SHA US
06 = RC2 MD5 EXPORT
09 = DES SHA EXPORT
0A = Triple DES SHA US
2F = AES SHA US
NULL = Default cipher specs are used (may change in future)
      For AC3 = '04050A090306'
      For AC2 = '090306'

```

4. The following *GSK_V2_CIPHER_SPECS* values are the SSL Version 2 ciphers supported:

```

1 = RC4 US
2 = RC4 EXPORT
3 = RC2 US
4 = RC2 EXPORT
6 = DES 56-bit
7 = Triple DES US
NULL = Default cipher specs are used (may change in future)
      For AC3 = '136724'
      For AC2 = '624'

```

5. The following *GSK_BUF_ID* values currently are not supported in the OS/400 implementation:

- **GSK_KEYRING_STASH_FILE**
- **GSK_LDAP_SERVER**
- **GSK_LDAP_USER**
- **GSK_LDAP_USER_PW**

6. The following are the possible scenerios for the use of **GSK_KEYRING_LABEL**:

- **GSK_KEYRING_LABEL** can be set after **gsk_environment_open()** and before **gsk_environment_init()** to indicate which certificate in the **GSK_KEYRING_FILE** to use for the secure environment.
- **GSK_KEYRING_LABEL** can be set after **gsk_secure_soc_open()** and before **gsk_secure_soc_init()** to indicate which certificate in the **GSK_KEYRING_FILE** to use for the secure session.
- If **GSK_KEYRING_LABEL** is not set, the default certificate label in the

GSK_KEYRING_FILE is used for the SSL environment.

7. If **GSK_OS400_APPLICATION_ID** is set, the **GSK_KEYRING_FILE**, the **GSK_KEYRING_LABEL**, and the **GSK_KEYRING_PASSWORD** values are ignored.

Related Information

- [gsk_attribute_get_buffer\(\)](#)--Get character information about a secure session or an SSL environment
- [gsk_attribute_set_enum\(\)](#)--Set enumerated information for a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_set_numeric_value\(\)](#)--Set numeric information for a secure session or an SSL environment
- [gsk_environment_init\(\)](#)--Initialize an SSL environment
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gsk_attribute_set_enum()--Set enumerated information for a secure session or an SSL environment

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_attribute_set_enum(gsk_handle my_gsk_handle,
                          GSK_ENUM_ID enumID,
                          GSK_ENUM_VALUE enumValue);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_attribute_set_enum()** function is used to set a specified enumerated type attribute to an enumerated value in the secure session or SSL environment.

Parameters

my_gsk_handle (Input)

Indicates one of the following handles:

- The handle for the secure session. (*my_session_handle*)
- The handle for the SSL environment. (*my_env_handle*)

enumID (Input)

Indicates one of the following operations:

- **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV2 (403)** - Enables or disables the SSL Version 2 protocol. *enumValue* must specify one of the following:
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV2_ON (510)** - Enable SSL Version 2 ciphers.
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV2_OFF (511)** - Disable SSL Version 2 ciphers.
- **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV3 (404)** - Enables or disables the SSL Version 3 protocol. *enumValue* must specify one of the following:
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV3_ON (512)** - Enable SSL Version 3 ciphers.
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV3_OFF (513)** - Disable SSL Version 3 ciphers.

- **GSK_PROTOCOL_TLSV1 (407)** - Enables or disables the TLS Version 1 protocol. *enumValue* must specify one of the following:
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_TLSV1_ON (518)** - Enable TLS Version 1 ciphers.
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_TLSV1_OFF (519)** - Disable TLS Version 1 ciphers.

- **GSK_SESSION_TYPE (402)** - Type of handshake to be used for this secure session or SSL environment. *enumValue* must specify one of the following operations:
 - **GSK_CLIENT_SESSION (507)** - Secure sessions act as clients.
 - **GSK_SERVER_SESSION (508)** - Secure sessions act as a server with no client authentication. The client is not asked for a certificate.
 - **GSK_SERVER_SESSION_WITH_CL_AUTH (509)** - Secure sessions act as a server that requests the client to send a certificate. The value for **GSK_CLIENT_AUTH_TYPE** will determine what happens if the client certificate is not valid or not provided.

- **GSK_CLIENT_AUTH_TYPE (401)** - Type of client authentication to use for this session. *enumValue* must specify one of the following:
 - **GSK_CLIENT_AUTH_FULL (503)** - All received certificates are validated. If an invalid certificate is received, the secure session does not start, and an error code is returned from **gsk_secure_soc_init()**.

If no certificate is sent by the client, the start of the secure session is successful. Applications can detect this situation by checking the **GSK_CERTIFICATE_VALIDATION_CODE** *enumId* through **gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value()**. A *numValue* of **GSK_ERROR_NO_CERTIFICATE** will indicate no certificate was sent by client. In this case, the application is responsible for the authentication of the client.
 - **GSK_CLIENT_AUTH_PASSTHRU (505)** - All received certificates are validated. If validation is successful or validation fails because the certificate is self-signed, expired, or does not have a trusted root, the secure session will start. For the other validation failure cases the secure session does not start, and an error code is returned from **gsk_secure_soc_init()**. Applications can detect the situation where the secure session started but validation failed by checking the **GSK_CERTIFICATE_VALIDATION_CODE** *enumId* via **gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value()**. The *numValue* will indicate the certificate validation return code for client's certificate. In this situation, the application is responsible for the authentication of the client.

If no certificate is sent by the client, the start of the secure session is successful. Applications can detect this situation by checking the **GSK_CERTIFICATE_VALIDATION_CODE** *enumId* as well. A *numValue* of **GSK_ERROR_NO_CERTIFICATE** will indicate no certificate was sent by client. In this case, the application is also responsible for the authentication of the client.
 - **GSK_OS400_CLIENT_AUTH_REQUIRED (6995)** - All received certificates are validated. If a certificate that is not valid is received, the secure session does not start, and an error code is returned from **gsk_secure_soc_init()**. If no certificate is sent by the client, the secure session does not start, and an error code of **GSK_ERROR_NO_CERTIFICATE** is returned from **gsk_secure_soc_init()**.

enumValue (Input)

An enumerated type appropriate to the *enumID*.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

gsk_attribute_set_enum() returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

gsk_attribute_set_enum() was successful.

[GSK_ATTRIBUTE_INVALID_ENUMERATION]

The enumeration specified for the *enumValue* was not valid.

[GSK_ATTRIBUTE_INVALID_ID]

The *enumID* specified was not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_STATE]

One of the following occurred:

- The *enumID* cannot be set after a **gsk_environment_init()** has been issued.
- The *enumID* cannot be set after a **gsk_secure_soc_init()** has been issued.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The handle specified was not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_UNSUPPORTED]

The *enumID* is currently not supported.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing, check the *errno* value.

Error Conditions

When the **gsk_attribute_set_enum()** API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EINTR]

Interrupted function call.

[EDEADLK]

Resource deadlock avoided.

[ETERM]

Operation terminated.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, look in [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

Usage Notes

1. The following *GSK_ENUM_ID* values may be set in the SSL environment after **`gsk_environment_open()`** and before **`gsk_environment_init()`**. They are used as defaults for subsequent secure sessions:
 - **`GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV2`**
 - **`GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV3`**
 - **`GSK_PROTOCOL_TLSV1`**
 - **`GSK_SESSION_TYPE`**
 - **`GSK_CLIENT_AUTH_TYPE`**
2. The following *GSK_ENUM_ID* values may be set for each individual secure session after **`gsk_secure_soc_open()`** and before **`gsk_secure_soc_init()`**. These values will override values set in the SSL environment:
 - **`GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV2`**
 - **`GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV3`**
 - **`GSK_PROTOCOL_TLSV1`**
 - **`GSK_SESSION_TYPE`**
 - **`GSK_CLIENT_AUTH_TYPE`**

Related Information

- [gsk_attribute_get_enum\(\)](#)--Get enumerated information about a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_set_buffer\(\)](#)--Set character string information for a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_set_numeric_value\(\)](#)--Set numeric information for a secure session or an SSL environment
- [gsk_environment_init\(\)](#)--Initialize an SSL environment
- [gsk_environment_open\(\)](#)--Get a handle for an SSL environment

- [gsk_secure_soc_init\(\)](#)--Negotiate a secure session
- [gsk_secure_soc_misc\(\)](#)--Perform miscellaneous functions for a secure session
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gsk_attribute_set_numeric_value()--Set numeric information for a secure session or an SSL environment

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_attribute_set_numeric_value(gsk_handle my_gsk_handle,
                                   GSK_NUM_ID numID,
                                   int numValue);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_attribute_set_numeric_value()** function is used to set specific numeric information for a secure session or an SSL environment.

Parameters

my_gsk_handle (Input)

One of the following handles:

- The handle for the secure session. (*my_session_handle*)
- The handle for the SSL environment. (*my_env_handle*)

numID (Input)

One of the following operations:

- **GSK_FD (300)** - *numValue* is a socket descriptor to be used for this secure session.
- **GSK_V2_SESSION_TIMEOUT (301)** - *numValue* is the SSL Version 2 session time-out for the SSL environment. *numValue* must be in the range 0-100 seconds.
- **GSK_V3_SESSION_TIMEOUT (302)** - *numValue* is the SSL Version 3 and TLS Version 1 session time-out for the SSL environment. *numValue* must be in the range 0-86400 seconds (24 hours).
- **GSK_HANDSHAKE_TIMEOUT (6998)** - *numValue* is the SSL handshake time-out for the secure session or the SSL environment. *numValue* must be in seconds. A *numValue* of 0 is the default which means to wait forever.

numValue (Input)

An integer value to be updated for the specified *numID*.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

gsk_attribute_set_numeric_value() returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

gsk_attribute_set_numeric_value() was successful.

[GSK_INVALID_STATE]

One of the following occurred:

- *numID* cannot be set in the SSL environment after a **gsk_environment_init()** has been issued.
- *numID* cannot be set for a secure session after a **gsk_secure_soc_init()** has been issued.

[GSK_ATTRIBUTE_INVALID_ID]

The *numID* specified was not valid.

[GSK_ATTRIBUTE_INVALID_NUMERIC_VALUE]

The *numValue* specified was not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

A handle was specified that was not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_UNSUPPORTED]

The *numID* is currently not supported.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing, check the *errno* value.

Error Conditions

When the **gsk_attribute_set_numeric_value()** API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EINTR]

Interrupted function call.

[EDEADLK]

Resource deadlock avoided.

[ETERM]

Operation terminated.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, look in [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

Usage Notes

1. The following *GSK_NUM_ID* values may be set in the SSL environment after **gsk_environment_open()** and before **gsk_environment_init()**. They are used as defaults for subsequent secure sessions:
 - **GSK_V2_SESSION_TIMEOUT**
 - **GSK_V3_SESSION_TIMEOUT**
 - **GSK_HANDSHAKE_TIMEOUT**
2. The following *GSK_NUM_ID* values may be set for each individual secure session after **gsk_secure_soc_open()** and before **gsk_secure_soc_init()**. These values will override values set in the SSL environment:
 - **GSK_FD**
 - **GSK_HANDSHAKE_TIMEOUT**
3. The following *GSK_NUM_ID* values are currently not supported in the OS/400 implementation:
 - **GSK_V2_SIDCACHE_SIZE**
 - **GSK_V3_SIDCACHE_SIZE**
 - **GSK_LDAP_SERVER_PORT**
4. The **GSK_FD** value is a socket descriptor that must have an address family of *AF_INET* or *AF_INET6* and a socket type of *SOCK_STREAM*.

Related Information

- [gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value\(\)](#)--Get numeric information about a secure session or an SSL environment
- [gsk_attribute_set_buffer\(\)](#)--Set character string information for a secure session or an SSL environment.

- [gsk_attribute_set_enum\(\)](#)--Set enumerated information for a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_environment_init\(\)](#)--Initialize an SSL environment
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gsk_environment_close()--Close an SSL environment

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_environment_close(gsk_handle *my_env_handle);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_environment_close()** function is used to close the SSL environment and release all storage associated with the environment.

Parameters

my_env_handle (Input)

A pointer to the handle for the SSL environment to be closed.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

gsk_environment_close() returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

gsk_environment_close() was successful.

[GSK_CLOSE_FAILED]

An error occurred during close processing.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The handle specified was not valid.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

my_env_handle pointer is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing, check the *errno* value.

Error Conditions

When the **gsk_environment_close()** API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EINTR]

Interrupted function call.

[EDEADLK]

Resource deadlock avoided.

[ETERM]

Operation terminated.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, look in [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Usage Notes

1. You should close all secure sessions using the SSL environment prior to doing the **gsk_environment_close()**.
2. If **gsk_environment_close()** is issued prior to all secure sessions being closed, the active secure sessions will continue to work. The resources for the SSL environment will not be freed up until after the last secure session closes. No new secure sessions will be allowed to start using the closed SSL environment.

Related Information

- [gsk_environment_init\(\)](#)--Initialize an SSL environment
- [gsk_environment_open\(\)](#)--Get a handle for an SSL environment
- [gsk_secure_soc_close\(\)](#)--Close a secure session
- [gsk_secure_soc_init\(\)](#)--Negotiate a secure session
- [gsk_secure_soc_open\(\)](#)--Get a handle for a secure session
- [gsk_strerror\(\)](#)--Retrieve GSK runtime error message

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gsk_environment_init()--Initialize an SSL environment

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_environment_init(gsk_handle my_env_handle);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_environment_init()** function is used to initialize the SSL environment after any required attributes are set. The certificate store file is opened and other operations such as accessing information in the registration facility are performed to set up this environment. After this function call is issued, SSL is ready to process secure session requests.

Parameters

my_env_handle (Input)

The handle identifying the SSL environment that will be initialized.

Authorities

Authorization of *R (allow access to the object) to the certificate store file and its associated files is required. Authorization of *X (allow use of the object) to each directory of the path name of the certificate store file and its associated files is required.

Return Value

gsk_environment_init() returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

gsk_environment_init() was successful.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The handle specified was not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_STATE]

A `gsk_environment_init()` has already been issued with this handle.

[GSK_KEYRING_OPEN_ERROR]

Certificate store file could not be opened.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_NO_ACCESS]

No permission to access the certificate store file.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_V3_CIPHER]

An SSLV3 or TLSV1 cipher suite was specified that is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_V2_CIPHER]

An SSLV2 cipher suite was specified that is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_CERTIFICATE]

The certificate is bad.

[GSK_ERROR_NO_PRIVATE_KEY]

There is no private key associated with the certificate.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_PASSWORD_EXPIRED]

The validity time period of the certificate store file password has expired.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_KEYFILE_LABEL]

The specified certificate store's certificate label is not valid or does not exist.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_KEYFILE_PASSWORD]

The specified certificate store password is not valid.

[GSK_NO_KEYFILE_PASSWORD]

No certificate store password was specified.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_NOT_REGISTERED]

The application identifier has not been registered.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

my_env_handle pointer is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_KEY_LEN_FOR_EXPORT]

The certificate was created with a key length that cannot be exported.

[GSK_INSUFFICIENT_STORAGE]

Not able to allocate storage for the requested operation.

[GSK_INTERNAL_ERROR]

An unexpected error occurred during SSL processing.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing, check *errno* value.

Error Conditions

When the **gsk_environment_init()** API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EINTR]

Interrupted function call.

[EDEADLK]

Resource deadlock avoided.

[ETERM]

Operation terminated.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, look in [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Usage Notes

1. If **gsk_environment_init()** fails, **gsk_environment_close()** must be issued to clean up resources.
2. Multiple SSL environment handles may be opened in a process with different attributes set for each SSL environment.
3. The status of the local certificate can be determined by checking the **GSK_CERTIFICATE_VALIDATION_CODE** *enumId* using **gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value()**. The *numValue* will indicate the certificate validation return code for the certificate used on this **gsk_environment_init()**.

Related Information

- [gsk_attribute_set_buffer\(\)](#)--Set character information for a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_set_enum\(\)](#)--Set enumerated information for a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_set_numeric_value\(\)](#)--Set numeric information for a secure session or an SSL environment
- [gsk_environment_close\(\)](#)--Close the SSL environment
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gsk_environment_open()--Get a handle for an SSL environment

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_environment_open(gsk_handle *my_env_handle);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_environment_open()** function is used to get storage for the SSL environment. This function call must be issued before any other gsk function calls are issued. This call returns an SSL environment handle that must be saved and used on subsequent gsk calls.

Parameters

my_env_handle (Output)

A pointer to the SSL environment handle to be used for subsequent gsk function calls.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

gsk_environment_open() returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

gsk_environment_open() was successful.

[GSK_API_NOT_AVAILABLE]

One of the following software products is not installed:

1. Digital Certificate Manager (DCM), 57xx-SS1 - OS400 Option 34
2. Cryptographic Access Provider, 57xx-ACy

(where xx is equal to the current OS/400 product ID and y is equal to one of the current available level of Cryptographic Access Provider licensed program products.)

[GSK_INSUFFICIENT_STORAGE]

Not able to allocate storage for the requested operation.

[GSK_INTERNAL_ERROR]

An internal error occurred during system processing.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

The **my_env_handle** pointer is not valid.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Usage Notes

1. After **gsk_environment_open()** returns with a **GSK_OK** return value, attributes for the SSL environment have been set and can be retrieved using any of the **get** function calls. The following is a list of the defaulted values:
 - **GSK_V2_SESSION_TIMEOUT** set to 100 seconds.
 - **GSK_V3_SESSION_TIMEOUT** set to 86400 seconds (24 hours).
 - **GSK_HANDSHAKE_TIMEOUT** set to 0 (wait forever).
 - **GSK_SESSION_TYPE** set to *GSK_CLIENT_SESSION*.
 - **GSK_KEYRING_LABEL** set to use the default certificate from the certificate store file.
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_TLSV1** set to *GSK_PROTOCOL_TLSV1_ON*.
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV3** set to *GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV3_ON*.
 - **GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV2** set to *GSK_PROTOCOL_SSLV2_ON*.
 - **GSK_V2_CIPHER_SPECS** set to the default SSL Version 2 cipher suite list based on the product installed.
 - **GSK_V3_CIPHER_SPECS** set to the default SSL Version 3 cipher suite list based on the product installed.
2. The default cipher suite list associated with the installed Cryptographic Access Provider, 57xx-AC3 (US) product in preference order is as follows:
 - **GSK_V3_CIPHER_SPECS** set to SSL Version 3 or TLS Version 1 default "2F04050A090306."

- **GSK_V2_CIPHER_SPECS** set to "137624."

See the usage notes in [gsk_attribute_set_buffer\(\)](#) API for the format of the ciphers.

3. The default cipher suite list associated with the installed Cryptographic Access Provider, 57xx-AC2 (International) product in preference order is as follows:
 - **GSK_V3_CIPHER_SPECS** set to SSL Version 3 or TLS Version 1 default "090306."
 - **GSK_V2_CIPHER_SPECS** set to "624."

See the usage notes in [gsk_attribute_set_buffer\(\)](#) API for the format of the ciphers.

Related Information

- [gsk_attribute_set_buffer\(\)](#)--Set character information for an secure session or a SSL environment
- [gsk_attribute_set_enum\(\)](#)--Set enumerated information for a secure session or an SSL environment
- [gsk_attribute_set_numeric_value\(\)](#)--Set numeric information for a secure session or an SSL environment
- [gsk_environment_close\(\)](#)--Close the SSL environment
- [gsk_environment_init\(\)](#)--Initialize an SSL environment
- [gsk_strerror\(\)](#)--Retrieve GSK runtime error message

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gsk_secure_soc_close()--Close a secure session

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_secure_soc_close(gsk_handle *my_session_handle);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_secure_soc_close()** function is used to close a secure session and free all the associated resources for that secure session.

Parameters

my_session_handle (Input)

A pointer to the handle for the secure session to be closed. This handle originated from a call to **gsk_secure_soc_open()**.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

gsk_secure_soc_close() returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

gsk_secure_soc_close() was successful.

[GSK_CLOSE_FAILED]

An error occurred during close processing.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The handle specified was not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing, check the *errno* value.

Error Conditions

When the `gsk_secure_soc_close()` API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EINTR]

Interrupted function call.

[EDEADLK]

Resource deadlock avoided.

[ETERM]

Operation terminated.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, look in [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Usage Notes

1. You must do a `gsk_secure_soc_close()` if a prior `gsk_secure_soc_open()` was successful.

Related Information

- [gsk_secure_soc_init\(\)--Negotiate a secure session](#)
- [gsk_secure_soc_misc\(\)--Perform miscellaneous functions for a secure session](#)
- [gsk_secure_soc_open\(\)--Get a handle for a secure session](#)
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gsk_secure_soc_init()--Negotiate a secure session

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_secure_soc_init(gsk_handle my_session_handle);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_secure_soc_init()** function is used to negotiate a secure session, using the attributes set for the SSL environment and the secure session. This API does the SSL handshake to the remote peer; upon successful completion, you have a secure session established.

Parameters

my_session_handle (Input)

The handle for this secure session that was obtained through the **gsk_secure_soc_open()** API call.

Authorities

Authorization of *R (allow access to the object) to the certificate store file and its associated files is required. Authorization of *X (allow use of the object) to each directory of the path name of the certificate store file and its associated files is required.

Return Value

gsk_secure_soc_init() returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

gsk_secure_soc_init() was successful.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The handle specified was not valid.

[GSK_KEYRING_OPEN_ERROR]

Certificate store file could not be opened.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_KEYFILE_LABEL]

The specified certificate store label is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_V3_CIPHER]

An SSLV3 or TLSV1 cipher suite was specified that is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_V2_CIPHER]

An SSLV2 cipher suite was specified that is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_NO_CIPHERS]

No ciphers available or no ciphers were specified.

[GSK_ERROR_NO_CERTIFICATE]

No certificate is available for SSL processing.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_CERTIFICATE]

The certificate is bad.

[SSL_ERROR_NOT_TRUSTED_ROOT]

The certificate is not signed by a trusted certificate authority.

[GSK_KEYFILE_CERT_EXPIRED]

The validity time period of the certificate has expired.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_MESSAGE]

A badly formatted message was received.

[GSK_ERROR_UNSUPPORTED]

Operation is not supported by SSL.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_PEER]

The peer system is not recognized.

[GSK_ERROR_CLOSED]

The SSL session ended.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_NO_INITIALIZE]

A successful **gsk_environment_init()** was not previously called with this handle.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_TIMED_OUT]

The value specified for the handshake timeout expired before the handshake completed.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_NOT_TCP]

The *socket descriptor* type is not SOCK_STREAM or the address family is not AF_INET or AF_INET6.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_ALREADY_SECURE]

The *socket descriptor* is already in use by another secure session.

[GSK_INSUFFICIENT_STORAGE]

Unable to allocate storage for the requested operation.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

The *my_session_handle* pointer is not valid.

[GSK_INTERNAL_ERROR]

An unexpected error occurred during SSL processing.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing, check *errno* value.

Error Conditions

When the `gsk_secure_soc_init()` API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EIO]

Input/output error.

[EINTR]

Interrupted function call.

[EDEADLK]

Resource deadlock avoided.

[ETERM]

Operation terminated.



[EUNATCH]

The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.

Any *errno* that can be returned by `send()` or `recv()` can be returned by this API. See [Sockets APIs](#) for a description of the *errno* values they return.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, see [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.



Usage Notes

1. The `gsk_secure_soc_init()` function is valid only on sockets that have an address family of `AF_INET`  or `AF_INET6`  and a socket type of `SOCK_STREAM`.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Related Information

- [gsk_attribute_set_buffer\(\)](#)--Set character information for a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_set_enum\(\)](#)--Set enumerated information for a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_set_numeric_value\(\)](#)--Set numeric information for a secure session or an SSL environment
- [gsk_secure_soc_close\(\)](#)--Close a secure session
- [gsk_secure_soc_misc\(\)](#)--Perform miscellaneous functions for a secure session
- [gsk_secure_soc_open\(\)](#)--Get a handle for a secure session
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gsk_secure_soc_misc()--Perform miscellaneous functions for a secure session

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_secure_soc_misc(gsk_handle my_session_handle,
                       GSK_MISC_ID miscID);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_secure_soc_misc()** function is used to perform miscellaneous functions for a secure session.

Parameters

my_session_handle (Input)

The handle for the secure session obtained from **gsk_secure_soc_open()** and after performing a **gsk_secure_soc_init()**.

miscID (Input)

One of the following operations:

- **GSK_RESET_CIPHER (100)** - Performs another SSL handshake for the SSL session identified by the *my_session_handle* parameter. If an SSL session's cache entry is still valid and both end points of the SSL session allow using a cache entry, an abbreviated SSL handshake may be performed. If the SSL cache entry for this session has expired or if the SSL session's cache entry has been reset with the **GSK_RESET_SESSION** function, or if one end point of the SSL session does not allow using the SSL session cache entry, then a full SSL handshake will be performed.
- **GSK_RESET_SESSION (101)** - Removes this set of SSL session attributes from the SSL session cache. Any new SSL session handshake requests to the peer end point will not use this set of attributes. In most cases, as result of this operation, a full SSL handshake will be performed for the next SSL handshake request between both end points.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

`gsk_secure_soc_misc()` returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

`gsk_secure_soc_misc()` was successful.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The handle specified was not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_STATE]

A `gsk_secure_soc_init()` has not been issued with this handle.

[GSK_ERROR_NOT_SSLV3]

SSLV3 or TLSV1 is required for this function.

[GSK_MISC_INVALID_ID]

The value specified for *miscID* is not valid.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

The *my_session_handle* pointer is not valid.

[GSK_INTERNAL_ERROR]

An unexpected error occurred during SSL processing.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing; check the **errno** value.

[GSK_KEYRING_OPEN_ERROR]

Certificate store file could not be opened.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_KEYFILE_LABEL]

The specified certificate store label is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_V3_CIPHER]

An SSLV3 or TLSV1 cipher suite was specified that is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_V2_CIPHER]

An SSLV2 cipher suite was specified that is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_NO_CIPHERS]

No ciphers available or no ciphers were specified.

[GSK_ERROR_NO_CERTIFICATE]

No certificate is available for SSL processing.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_CERTIFICATE]

The certificate is bad.

[SSL_ERROR_NOT_TRUSTED_ROOT]

The certificate is not signed by a trusted certificate authority.

[GSK_KEYFILE_CERT_EXPIRED]

The validity time period of the certificate has expired.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_MESSAGE]

A badly formatted message was received.

[GSK_ERROR_UNSUPPORTED]

Operation is not supported by SSL.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_PEER]

The peer system is not recognized.

[GSK_ERROR_CLOSED]

The SSL session ended.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_NO_INITIALIZE]

A successful **gsk_environment_init()** was not previously called with this handle.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_TIMED_OUT]

The value specified for the handshake timeout expired before the handshake completed.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_NOT_TCP]

The *socket descriptor* type is not SOCK_STREAM or the address family is not AF_INET or AF_INET6.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_ALREADY_SECURE]

The *socket descriptor* is already in use by another secure session.

[GSK_INSUFFICIENT_STORAGE]

Unable to allocate storage for the requested operation.

Error Conditions

When the `gsk_secure_soc_misc()` API fails with return code `[GSK_ERROR_IO]`, *errno* can be set to:

`[EINTR]`

Interrupted function call.

`[EDEADLK]`

Resource deadlock avoided.

`[ETERM]`

Operation terminated.

`[EIO]`

Input/output error.

`[EUNATCH]`

The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.

Usage Notes

1. An SSL session's attributes that are negotiated as part of an SSL handshake may be cached by each end point involved in the SSL session and then reused as part of an abbreviated SSL handshake when allowed by both end points.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Related Information

- [gsk_secure_soc_close\(\)--Close a secure session](#)
- [gsk_secure_soc_init\(\)--Negotiate a secure session](#)
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gsk_secure_soc_open()--Get a handle for a secure session

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_secure_soc_open(gsk_handle my_env_handle,
                       gsk_handle *my_session_handle);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLSR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_secure_soc_open()** function is used to get storage for a secure session, set default values for attributes, and return a handle that must be saved and used on secure session-related function calls.

Parameters

my_env_handle (Input)

The handle for the SSL environment obtained from **gsk_environment_open()**.

my_session_handle (Output)

Pointer to the secure session handle.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

gsk_secure_soc_open() returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

gsk_secure_soc_open() was successful.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The environment handle specified was not valid.

[GSK_INSUFFICIENT_STORAGE]

Not able to allocate storage for the requested operation.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

The *my_env_handle* pointer is not valid.

[GSK_INTERNAL_ERROR]

An internal error occurred during system processing.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing, check the *errno* value.

Error Conditions

When the **gsk_secure_soc_open()** API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EINTR]

Interrupted function call.

[EDEADLK]

Resource deadlock avoided.

[ETERM]

Operation terminated.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, see [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

Usage Notes

1. After **gsk_secure_soc_open()** returns with a GSK_OK return value, attributes from the SSL environment will be used as the defaults for the subsequent **gsk_secure_soc_init()**. The defaults can be changed using the **gsk_attribute_set_buffer()**, **gsk_attribute_set_enum()**, or **gsk_attribute_set_numeric_value()** APIs after calling **gsk_secure_soc_open()** and before calling **gsk_secure_soc_init()**.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Related Information

- [gsk_attribute_set_buffer\(\)](#)--Set character string information for a secure session or a SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_set_enum\(\)](#)--Set enumerated information for a secure session or a SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_set_numeric_value\(\)](#)--Set numeric information for a secure session or a SSL environment
- [gsk_environment_open\(\)](#)--Get a handle for a SSL environment
- [gsk_secure_soc_close\(\)](#)--Close a secure session
- [gsk_secure_soc_init\(\)](#)--Negotiate a secure session
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gsk_secure_soc_read()--Receive data on a secure session

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_secure_soc_read(gsk_handle my_session_handle,
                       char *readBuffer,
                       int readBufSize,
                       int *amtRead);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_secure_soc_read()** function is used by a program to receive data from a secure session.

Parameters

my_session_handle (Input)

The handle, returned from **gsk_secure_soc_open()** and used on the **gsk_secure_soc_init()** API call that initialized the secure session over which data is to be read.

readBuffer (Output)

The pointer to the user-supplied buffer in which the data is to be stored.

readBufSize (Input)

The number of bytes to be read.

amtRead (Output)

The number of bytes that were read as a result of this API call.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

`gsk_secure_soc_read()` returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

`gsk_secure_soc_read()` was successful.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The handle specified was not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_STATE]

The handle is not in the correct state for this operation.

[GSK_INVALID_BUFFER_SIZE]

The *readBufSize* is less than 1.

[GSK_WOULD_BLOCK]

Operation would have caused the process to be suspended.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_MESSAGE]

SSL received a badly formatted message.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_MAC]

A bad message authentication code was received.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_CLOSED]

The secure session was closed by another thread before the read completed.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

The *readBuffer* or *amtRead* pointer is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_SOCKET_CLOSED]

A `close()` was done on the socket descriptor for this secure session.

[GSK_INTERNAL_ERROR]

An unexpected error occurred during SSL processing.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing; check the **errno** value.

Error Conditions

When the `gsk_secure_soc_read()` API fails with return code `[GSK_ERROR_IO]`, *errno* can be set to:
`[ECONNRESET]`

A connection with a remote socket was reset by that socket.

`[EIO]`

Input/output error.

`[ENOTCONN]`

Requested operation requires a connection.

`[EUNATCH]`

The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.

Any *errno* that can be returned by `recv()` can be returned by this API. See [Sockets APIs](#) for a description of the *errno* values it can return.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, see [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

Usage Notes

1. The maximum length of data typically returned will not exceed 16 KB. This is because SSL is a record level protocol and the largest record allowed is 32 KB minus the necessary SSL record headers.
2. It is strongly suggested that you do not mix the `gsk_secure_soc_read()` API with any of the sockets read functions. SSL and socket reads and writes can be mixed, but they must be performed in matched sets. If a client application writes 100 bytes of data using one or more of the socket `send()` calls, then the server application must read exactly 100 bytes of data using one or more of the socket `recv()` calls. This is also true for `gsk_secure_soc_read()` API.
3. Since SSL is a record-oriented protocol, SSL must receive an entire record before it can be decrypted and any data returned to the application. Thus, a `select()` may indicate that data is available to be read, but a subsequent `gsk_secure_soc_read()` may hang waiting for the remainder of the SSL record to be received when using blocking I/O.
4. A `FIONREAD` `ioctl()` cannot be used to determine the amount of data available for reading by using `gsk_secure_soc_read()`.
5. SSL will ignore the out-of-band (OOB) data indicator. OOB will not affect the SSL application. OOB will just be data to the SSL protocol.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Related Information

- [gsk_secure_soc_close\(\)--Close a secure session](#)
- [gsk_secure_soc_init\(\)--Negotiate a a secure session](#)
- [gsk_secure_soc_misc\(\)--Perform miscellaneous functions for a secure session](#)
- [gsk_secure_soc_open\(\)--Get a handle for a secure session](#)
- [gsk_secure_soc_write\(\)--Send data on a secure session](#)
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»gsk_secure_soc_startInit()--Start asynchronous operation to negotiate a secure session

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>
#include <qsoasync.h>

int gsk_secure_soc_startInit(gsk_handle my_session_handle,
                             int IOCompletionPort,
                             Qso_OverlappedIO_t * communicationsArea)
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_secure_soc_startInit()** function is used to initiate an asynchronous negotiation of a secure session, using the attributes set for the SSL environment and the secure session. This API starts the SSL handshake to the remote peer and upon successful completion of **QsoWaitForIOCompletion()** a secure session is established.

Parameters

my_session_handle (Input)

The handle returned from **gsk_secure_soc_open()** that will be used to negotiate the secure session.

int IOCompletionPort (Input)

The I/O completion port that should be posted when the operation completes.

Qso_OverlappedIO_t * communicationsArea (Input/Output)

A pointer to a structure that contains the following information:

descriptorHandle

(Input) - The descriptor handle is application specific and is never used by the system. This field is intended to make it easier for the application to keep track of information regarding a given socket connection.

buffer

Not used.

bufferLength

Not used.

postFlag

Not used.

postFlagResult

Not used.

fillBuffer

Not used.

returnValue

(Output) - When the negotiate operation completes asynchronously, this field contains indication of success or failure.

errnoValue

(Output) - When the negotiate operation completes asynchronously and returnValue is GSK_ERROR_IO, this field will contain an errno further defining the failure.

operationCompleted

(Output) - If the operation is posted to the I/O completion port, this field is updated to indicate that the operation was a GSKSECURESOCSTARTINIT.

secureDataTransferSize

Not used.

bytesAvailable

Not used.

operationWaitTime

Not used.

postedDescriptor

Not used - Must be set to zero.

reserved1

(Output) - Must be set to hexadecimal zeroes.

reserved2

(Input) - Must be set to hexadecimal zeroes.

Authorities

Authorization of *R (allow access to the object) to the certificate store file and its associated files is required. Authorization of *X (allow use of the object) to each directory of the path name of the certificate store file and its associated files is required.

Return Values

gsk_secure_soc_startInit() returns an integer. Possible values are:

- GSK_OS400_ASYNCHRONOUS_SOC_INIT - The function has been started. When the function completes, the Qso_OverlappedIO_t communications structure will be updated with the results and the I/O completion port will be posted.
- If the function fails, possible values are:

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The handle specified was not valid.

[GSK_OS400_ERROR_NO_INITIALIZE]

A successful **gsk_environment_init()** was not previously called with this handle.

[GSK_OS400_ERROR_NOT_TCP]

The *socket descriptor* type is not SOCK_STREAM or the address family is not AF_INET or AF_INET6.

[GSK_OS400_ERROR_ALREADY_SECURE]

The *socket descriptor* is already in use by another secure session.

[GSK_OS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

The *my_session_handle* pointer is not valid.

[GSK_INTERNAL_ERROR]

An unexpected error occurred during SSL processing.

[GSK_OS400_ERROR_INVALID_OVERLAPPEDIO_T]

The Qso_OverLappedIO_t specified was not valid.

[GSK_OS400_ERROR_INVALID_IOCOMPLETIONPORT]

The I/O completion port specified was not valid.

[GSK_OS400_ERROR_BAD_SOCKET_DESCRIPTOR]

The socket descriptor specified within the gsk_handle was not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing; check the **errno** value.

Error Conditions

When **gsk_secure_soc_startInit()** API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EIO]

Input/output error.

[EUNATCH]

The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, see [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Usage Notes

1. The **gsk_secure_soc_startInit()** function is valid only on sockets that have an address family of AF_INET or AF_INET6 and a socket type of SOCK_STREAM.
2. The current implementation of the SSL Protocol does not allow **gsk_secure_soc_startInit()** to complete synchronously. Use **gsk_secure_soc_init()** if the synchronous behaviour is needed.

Related Information

- [gsk_secure_soc_close\(\)--Close a Secure Session](#)
- [gsk_secure_soc_init\(\)--Negotiate a secure session](#)
- [gsk_secure_soc_misc\(\)--Perform miscellaneous functions for a secure session](#)
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gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()--Start asynchronous receive operation on a secure session

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>
#include <qsoasync.h>

int gsk_secure_soc_startRecv (gsk_handle my_session_handle,
                             int IOCompletionPort,
                             Qso_OverlappedIO_t * communicationsArea)
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()** function is used to initiate an asynchronous receive operation on a secure session. The supplied receive buffer cannot be reused by the calling application until the receive is complete or the I/O completion port specified on the **gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()** has been destroyed. This API supports sockets with an address family of AF_INET or AF_INET6 and type SOCK_STREAM only.

Parameters

my_session_handle (Input)

The handle, returned from **gsk_secure_soc_open()** and used on the **gsk_secure_soc_init()** API call that initialized the secure session over which data is to be read.

int IOCompletionPort (Input)

The I/O completion port that should be posted when the operation completes.

Qso_OverlappedIO_t * communicationsArea (Input/Output)

A pointer to a structure that contains the following information:

descriptorHandle

(Input) - The descriptor handle is application specific and is never used by the system. This field is intended to make it easier for the application to keep track of information regarding a given socket connection.

buffer

(Input) - A pointer to a buffer into which data should be read.

bufferLength

(Input) - The length of the buffer into which data should be read. Also represents the amount of data requested.

postFlag

(Input) - The postFlag indicates if this operation should be posted to the I/O completion port even if it completes immediately.

- A 0 value indicates that if the operation is already complete upon return to the application,

then do not post to the I/O completion port.

- A 1 value indicates that even if the operation completes immediately upon return to the application, the result should still be posted to the I/O completion port.

postFlagResult

(Output) - This field is valid if `gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()` returns with 1 and `postFlag` was set to 1. In this scenario, `postFlagResult` set to 1 denotes the operation completed and been posted to the I/O completion port specified. A value of 0 denotes the operation could not be completed immediately, but will be handled asynchronously.

fillBuffer

(Input) - The `fillBuffer` flag indicates when this operation should complete. If the `fillBuffer` flag is 0, then the operation will complete as soon as any data is available to be received. If the `fillBuffer` flag is non-zero, this operation will not complete until enough data has been received to fill the buffer, an end-of-file condition occurs on the socket, or an error occurs on a socket.

returnValue

(Output) - IF `gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()` completes synchronously (function return value equals `GSK_OK`), then this field is set to `GSK_OK` and field `secureDataTransferSize` indicates number of bytes received.

errnoValue

(Output) - When the operation has completed asynchronously and `returnValue` is `GSK_ERROR_IO`, this field will contain an `errno` further defining the failure.

operationCompleted

(Output) - If the operation is posted to the I/O completion port, this field is updated to indicate that the operation was a `GSKSECURESOCSTARTRECV`.

secureDataTransferSize

(Output) - Number of bytes received when `gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()` completes synchronously (return value equals `GSK_OK`).



bytesAvailable

Not used.

operationWaitTime

(Input) - A `timeval` structure which specifies the maximum time allowed for this operation to complete asynchronously.

```
struct timeval {
    long tv_sec; /* second */
    long tv_usec; /* microseconds */
};
```

If this timer expires, the operation will be posted to the I/O completion port with `errnoValue` set to `EAGAIN`.

If this field is set to zero, the operation's asynchronous completion will not be timed.

If `socketDescriptor` is closed before the operation completes or times out, the operation will be posted to the I/O completion port with `errnoValue` set to `ECLOSED`.

The minimum `operationWaitTime` is 1 second. The microseconds field (`tv_usec`) in the `timeval` is not used and must be set to zero.

postedDescriptor

Not used - Must be set to zero.



reserved1

(Output) - Must be set to hexadecimal zeroes.

reserved2

(Input) - Must be set to hexadecimal zeroes.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Values

`gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()` returns an integer. Possible values are:

- **GSK_OK** - The function has completed synchronously. The `Qso_OverlappedIO_t` communications structure has been updated but nothing has nor will be posted to the I/O completion port for this operation. Inspect field `secureDataTransferSize` in the `Qso_OverlappedIO_t` communications structure to determine the number of bytes received.
- **GSK_AS400_ASYNCHRONOUS_RECV** - The function has been started. When the function completes [»](#) (or times out if `operationWaitTime` was specified), [«](#) the `Qso_OverlappedIO_t` communications structure will be updated with the results and the I/O completion port will be posted.
- If the function fails, possible values are:

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The handle specified was not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_STATE]

The handle is not in the correct state for this operation.

[GSK_INVALID_BUFFER_SIZE]

The `bufferLength` field located in the `Qso_OverLappedIO_t` communications area is less than 1.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_MESSAGE]

SSL received a badly formatted message.

[GSK_ERROR_BAD_MAC]

A bad message authentication code was received.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

The buffer pointer located in `Qso_OverLappedIO_t` communications area is not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_SOCKET_CLOSED]

A `close()` was done on the socket descriptor for this secure session.

[GSK_INTERNAL_ERROR]

An unexpected error occurred during SSL processing.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_OVERLAPPEDIO_T]

The `Qso_OverLappedIO_t` specified was not valid.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_IOCOMPLETIONPORT]

The I/O completion port specified was not valid.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_BAD_SOCKET_DESCRIPTOR]

The socket descriptor specified within the `gsk_handle` was not valid.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing; check the **errno** value.

Error Conditions

When **gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()** API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:
[ECONNRESET]

A connection with a remote socket was reset by that socket.



[EINVAL]

The field `operationWaitTime.tv_sec` was negative or `operationWaitTime.tv_usec` was not zero or `postedDescriptor` was not zero.



[EIO]

Input/output error.

[ENOTCONN]

Requested operation requires a connection.

[EUNATCH]

The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, see [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Usage Notes

1. A buffer that is given to **gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()** must not be used by the application again until either it is returned by `QsoWaitForIOCompletion()` or is reclaimed by issuing a `close()` on the socket descriptor or issuing a `QsoDestroyIOCompletionPort()` on the I/O completion port. If a buffer is given to **gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()** to be filled, and it is later detected during **gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()** processing that the buffer has been freed, it may produce an unrecoverable condition on the socket for which the **gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()** was issued. If this occurs, an `ECONNABORTED` error value will be returned.
2. It is not recommended to intermix **gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()** and blocking I/O (ie, `recv()` or `gsk_secure_soc_read()`) on the same socket. If this condition occurs, then pending asynchronous `recv` I/O will be serviced first before the blocking I/O.
3. The maximum length of data typically returned will not exceed 16 KB. This is due to the fact that SSL is a record level protocol and the largest record allowed is 32 KB minus the necessary SSL record headers.
4. Socket option `SO_RCVLOWAT` is not supported by this API. Semantics similar to `SO_RCVLOWAT` can be

obtained using the fillBuffer field in the Qso_OverLappedIO_t structure.

5. [»](#) Socket option SO_RCVTIMEO is not supported by this API. Semantics similar to SO_RCVTIMEO can be obtained using the operationWaitTime field in the Qso_OverLappedIO_t structure.

[«](#)

6. It is strongly suggested that you do not mix the `gsk_secure_soc_read()` nor `gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()` APIs with any of the sockets read functions. However, SSL and socket reads and writes can be mixed, but they must be performed in matched sets. If a client application writes 100 bytes of data using one or more of the socket send() calls, then the server application must read exactly 100 bytes of data using one or more of the socket recv() calls. This is also true for `gsk_secure_soc_read()` and `gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()` APIs.
7. A FIONREAD ioctl() cannot be used to determine the amount of data available for reading by using `gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()`.
8. SSL will ignore the out of band (OOB) data indicator. OOB will not affect the SSL application. OOB will only be data to the SSL protocol.

Related Information

- [gsk_secure_soc_close\(\)--Close a Secure Session](#)
- [gsk_secure_soc_init\(\)--Negotiate a secure session](#)
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gsk_secure_soc_startSend()--Start asynchronous send operation on a secure session

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>
#include <qsoasync.h>

int gsk_secure_soc_startSend (gsk_handle my_session_handle,
                             int IOCompletionPort,
                             Qso_OverlappedIO_t * communicationsArea)
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_secure_soc_startSend()** function is used to initiate an asynchronous send operation on a secure session. The supplied send buffer cannot be reused by the calling application until the send is complete or the I/O completion port specified on the **gsk_secure_soc_startSend()** has been destroyed. This API supports sockets with an address family of AF_INET or AF_INET6 and type SOCK_STREAM only.

Parameters

my_session_handle (Input)

The handle, returned from **gsk_secure_soc_open()** and used on the **gsk_secure_soc_init()** API call that initialized the secure session over which data is to be written.

int IOCompletionPort (Input)

The I/O completion port that should be posted when the operation completes.

Qso_OverlappedIO_t * communicationsArea (Input/Output)

A pointer to a structure that contains the following information:

descriptorHandle

(Input) - The descriptor handle is application-specific and is never used by the system. This field is intended to make it easier for the application to keep track of information regarding a given socket connection.

buffer

(Input) - A pointer to a buffer of data that should be sent over the socket.

bufferLength

(Input) - The length of the data to be sent.

postFlag

(Input) - The postFlag indicates if this operation should be posted to the I/O completion port even if it completes immediately.

- A value of 0 indicates that if the operation is already complete upon return to the application, then do not post to the I/O completion port.
- A value of 1 indicates that even if the operation completes immediately upon return to the application, the result should still be posted to the I/O completion port.

postFlagResult

(Output) - This field is valid if `gsk_secure_soc_startSend()` returns with 1 and postFlag was set to 1. In this scenario, postFlagResult set to 1 denotes the operation completed and been posted to the I/O completion port specified. A value of 0 denotes the operation could not be completed immediately, but will be handled asynchronously.

fillBuffer

(Input) - Only used on `gsk_secure_soc_startRecv()` or `QsoStartRecv()`. Ignored on `gsk_secure_soc_startSend()`.

returnValue

(Output) - If `gsk_secure_soc_startSend()` completes synchronously (return value equals GSK_OK), then this field is set to GSK_OK and field `secureDataTransferSize` indicates number of bytes sent.

errnoValue

(Output) - When the operation has completed asynchronously and returnValue is GSK_ERROR_IO, this field will contain an errno further defining the failure.

operationCompleted

(Output) - If the operation is posted to the I/O completion port, this field is updated to indicate that the operation was a GSKSECURESOCSTARTSEND.

secureDataTransferSize

(Output) - Number of bytes sent when `gsk_secure_soc_startSend()` completes synchronously (function return value equals GSK_OK).



bytesAvailable

Not used.

operationWaitTime

(Input) - A timeval structure which specifies the maximum time allowed for this operation to complete asynchronously.

```
struct timeval {
    long   tv_sec;    /* second          */
    long   tv_usec;  /* microseconds   */
};
```

If this timer expires, the operation will be posted to the I/O completion port with *errnoValue* set

to EAGAIN.

If this field is set to zero, the operation's asynchronous completion will not be timed.

If `socketDescriptor` is closed before the operation completes or times out, the operation will be posted to the I/O completion port with *errnoValue* set to ECLOSED.

The minimum `operationWaitTime` is 1 second. The microseconds field (`tv_usec`) in the `timeval` is not used and must be set to zero.

postedDescriptor

Not used - Must be set to zero.



reserved1

(Input) - Must be set to hex zeroes.

reserved2



(Input) - Must be set to hex zeroes.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Values

`gsk_secure_soc_startSend()` returns an integer. Possible values are:

- GSK_OK- The function has completed synchronously. The `Qso_OverlappedIO_t` communications structure has been updated but nothing has nor will be posted to the I/O completion port for this operation. Inspect field `secureDataTransferSize` in the `Qso_OverlappedIO_t` communications structure to determine the number of bytes sent.
- GSK_AS400_ASYNCHRONOUS_SEND - The function has been started. When the function completes  (or times out if `operationWaitTime` was specified),  the `Qso_OverlappedIO_t` communications structure will be updated with the results and the I/O completion port will be posted.
- If the function fails, possible values are:

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The handle specified was not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_STATE]

The handle is not in the correct state for this operation.

[GSK_INVALID_BUFFER_SIZE]

The `bufferLength` field located in the `Qso_OverLappedIO_t` communications area is less than 1.

[GSK_ERROR_SOCKET_CLOSED]

A **close()** was done on the socket descriptor for this secure session.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

The buffer pointer located in Qso_OverlappedIO_t communications area is not valid.

[GSK_INTERNAL_ERROR]

An unexpected error occurred during SSL processing.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_OVERLAPPEDIO_T]

The Qso_OverLappedIO_t specified was not valid.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_IOCTLCOMPLETIONPORT]

The I/O completion port specified was not valid.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_BAD_SOCKET_DESCRIPTOR]

The socket descriptor specified within the gsk_handle was not valid.

GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing; check the **errno** value.

Error Conditions

When **gsk_secure_soc_startSend()** API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:



[EINVAL]

The field operationWaitTime.tv_sec was negative or operationWaitTime.tv_usec was not zero or postedDescriptor was not zero.



[EIO]

Input/output error.

[ENOTCONN]

Requested operation requires a connection.

[ENOTSOCK]

The specified descriptor does not reference a socket.

[EPIPE]

Broken pipe.

[EUNATCH]

The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.

If an *errno* is returned that is not in this list, see [Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for a description of the *errno*.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Usage Notes

1. Since **gsk_secure_soc_startSend()** is asynchronous, care should be used to control how many of these functions are outstanding. When a TCP socket becomes flow control blocked such that the **gsk_secure_soc_startSend()** is not able to pass the data to the TCP socket immediately, the return value will be `GSK_AS400_ASYNCHRONOUS_SEND`. Applications that send large amounts of data should have the `postFlag` set to 0. This allows the application to use a return value of `GSK_AS400_ASYNCHRONOUS_SEND` as an indication that the socket has become flow control blocked. The application should then wait for the outstanding operation to complete before issuing another **gsk_secure_soc_startSend()**. This will ensure that the application does not exhaust system buffer resources.
2. A buffer that is given to **gsk_secure_soc_startSend()** must not be used by the application again until either it is returned by `QsoWaitForIOCompletion()` or is reclaimed by issuing a `close()` on the socket descriptor or issuing a `QsoDestroyIOCompletionPort()` on the I/O completion port. If a buffer is given to **gsk_secure_soc_startSend()** to be sent, and it is later detected during **gsk_secure_soc_startSend()** processing that the buffer has been freed, it may produce an unrecoverable condition on the socket for which the **gsk_secure_soc_startSend()** was issued. If this occurs, an `ECONNABORTED` error value will be returned.
3. There is no maximum length of data that can be written.
4. It is not recommended to intermix **gsk_secure_soc_startSend()** and blocking I/O (ie, `send()` or `gsk_secure_soc_send()`) on the same socket. If one does, then pending asynchronous send I/O will be serviced before blocking I/O once data can be sent.
5. It is strongly suggested that you do not mix the **gsk_secure_soc_write()** nor **gsk_secure_soc_startSend()** APIs with any of the sockets write functions. However, SSL and socket reads and writes can be mixed, but they must be performed in matched sets. If a client application writes 100 bytes of data using one or more of the socket `send()` calls, then the server application must read exactly 100 bytes of data using one or more of the socket `recv()` calls. This is also true for **gsk_secure_soc_write()** and **gsk_secure_soc_startSend()** APIs.
6. ➤ Socket option `SO_SNDTIMEO` is not supported by this API. Semantics similar to `SO_SNDTIMEO` can be obtained using the `operationWaitTime` field in the `Qso_OverLappedIO_t` structure.



Related Information

- [gsk_secure_soc_init\(\)](#)--Negotiate a secure session
- [gsk_secure_soc_misc\(\)](#)--Perform miscellaneous functions for a secure session
- [gsk_secure_soc_open\(\)](#)--Get a handle for a secure session
- [gsk_secure_soc_read\(\)](#)--Receive data on a secure session
- [»](#)
- [gsk_secure_soc_startInit\(\)](#)--Start asynchronous operation to negotiate a secure session
- [«](#)
- [gsk_secure_soc_startRecv\(\)](#)--Start Asynchronous Receive Operation on a Secure Session
- [QsoPostIOCompletionPort\(\)](#)--Post Request on I/O Completion Port
- [QsoCreateIOCompletionPort\(\)](#)--Create I/O Completion Port
- [QsoDestroyIOCompletionPort\(\)](#)--Destroy I/O Completion Port
- [QsoStartRecv](#)--Start Asynchronous Recv Operation
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- [QsoWaitForIOCompletion\(\)](#)--Wait for I/O Completion Operation
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gsk_secure_soc_write()--Send data on a secure session

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

int gsk_secure_soc_write(gsk_handle my_session_handle,
                        char *writeBuffer,
                        int writeBufSize,
                        int *amtWritten);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_secure_soc_write()** function is used by a program to write data on a secure session.

Parameters

my_session_handle (Input)

The handle, returned from **gsk_secure_soc_open()** and used on the **gsk_secure_soc_init()** API call that initialized the secure session over which data is to be written.

writeBuffer (Input)

The pointer to the user-supplied buffer from which the data is to be written.

writeBufSize (Input)

The number of bytes to be written.

amtWritten (Output)

The number of bytes written as a result of this API call.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

`gsk_secure_soc_write()` returns an integer. Possible values are:

[GSK_OK]

`gsk_secure_soc_write()` was successful.

[GSK_INVALID_HANDLE]

The handle specified was not valid.

[GSK_INVALID_STATE]

The handle is not in the correct state for this operation.

[GSK_INVALID_BUFFER_SIZE]

The *readBufSize* is less than 1.

[GSK_WOULD_BLOCK]

Operation would have caused the process to be suspended.

[GSK_ERROR_SOCKET_CLOSED]

A `close()` was done on the socket descriptor for this secure session.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_CLOSED]

The secure session was closed by another thread before the write completed.

[GSK_AS400_ERROR_INVALID_POINTER]

The *writeBuffer* or *amtWritten* pointer is not valid.

[GSK_INTERNAL_ERROR]

An unexpected error occurred during SSL processing.

[GSK_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing; check the **errno** value.

Error Conditions

When the `gsk_secure_soc_write()` API fails with return code [GSK_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EIO]

Input/output error.

[ENOTCONN]

Requested operation requires a connection.

[ENOTSOCK]

The specified descriptor does not reference a socket.

[EPIPE]

Broken pipe.

[EUNATCH]

The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.

Any *errno* that can be returned by **send()** can be returned by this API. See [Sockets APIs](#) for a description of the *errno* values it can return.

Usage Notes

1. There is no maximum length of the data that can be written.
2. It is strongly suggested that you do not mix the **gsk_secure_soc_write()** API with any of the sockets write functions. SSL and socket reads and writes can be mixed, but they must be performed in matched sets. If a client application writes 100 bytes of data using one or more of the socket **send()** calls, then the server application must read exactly 100 bytes of data using one or more of the socket **recv()** calls. This is also true for **gsk_secure_soc_write()** API.
3. The *amtWritten* value is set to zero when return value is not GSK_OK.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Related Information

- [gsk_secure_soc_init\(\)--Negotiate a secure session](#)
- [gsk_secure_soc_misc\(\)--Perform miscellaneous functions for a secure session](#)
- [gsk_secure_soc_open\(\)--Get a handle for a secure session](#)
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gsk_strerror()--Retrieve GSKit runtime error message

Syntax

```
#include <gskssl.h>

const char *gsk_strerror(int gsk_return_value);
```

Service Program Name: QSYS/QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The **gsk_strerror()** function is used to retrieve an error message and associated text string that describes a return value that was returned from calling a GSKit API.

Parameters

gsk_return_value (Input)

The return value received from a GSKit API.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

gsk_strerror() returns a pointer to the return value text.

Usage Notes

1. **gsk_strerror()** returns a pointer to the string. The null-terminated string is stored in the CCSID of the job.
2. If a *gsk_return_value* is specified for which there is no corresponding description, an Unknown Error string is returned.

Related Information

- [gsk_attribute_get_buffer\(\)](#)--Get character information about a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_get_cert_info\(\)](#)--Get information about a local or partner certificate.
- [gsk_attribute_get_enum\(\)](#)--Get enumerated information about a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_get_numeric_value\(\)](#)--Get numeric information about a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_set_buffer\(\)](#)--Set character information for a secure session or an SSL environment.
- [gsk_attribute_set_enum\(\)](#)--Set enumerated information for a secure session or an SSL environment.
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- [gsk_secure_soc_close\(\)](#)--Close a secure session
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- [gsk_secure_soc_misc\(\)](#)--Perform miscellaneous functions for a secure session
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Example

The following example shows how `gsk_strerror()` is used:

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
```

```
#include <gskssl.h>

void main()
{
    int rc = GSK_OK;
    gsk_handle env_handle = NULL;

    rc = gsk_environment_open(&env_handle);
    if (rc != GSK_OK)
    {
        printf("gsk_environment_open() failed with rc = %d %s\n",
            rc, gsk_strerror(rc));
        break;
    }

    ...
}
```

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OS/400 Secure Sockets Layer (SSL_) APIs

OS/400 SSL_ APIs, when used in addition to the existing OS/400 Sockets APIs, provide the functions required for applications to establish secure communications. An application using SSL for secure communications is basically a client/server application written using sockets.

The SSL_ APIs are:

- [QlgSSL_Init\(\)](#) (Initialize the current job for SSL (using NLS-enabled path name)) is used to establish the SSL security information to be used for all SSL sessions for the current job.
- [SSL_Create\(\)](#) (Enable SSL support for the specified socket descriptor) is used by a program to enable SSL support for the specified socket descriptor.
- [SSL_Destroy\(\)](#) (End SSL support for the specified SSL session) is used by a program to end SSL support for the specified SSL session.
- [SSL_Handshake\(\)](#) (Initiate the SSL handshake protocol) is used by a program to initiate the SSL handshake protocol. Both the client and the server program must call the SSL_Handshake verb in order to initiate the handshake processing.
- [SSL_Init\(\)](#) (Initialize the current job for SSL) is used to establish the SSL security information to be used for all SSL sessions for the current job.
- [SSL_Init_Application\(\)](#) (Establish the SSL security information) is used to establish the SSL security information to be used for all SSL sessions for the current job based on the specified application identifier.
- [SSL_Perror\(\)](#) (Print SSL error message) prints an error message to stderr.
- [SSL_Read\(\)](#) (Receive data from an SSL-enabled socket descriptor) is used by a program to receive data from an SSL-enabled socket descriptor.
- [SSL_Sterror\(\)](#) (Retrieve SSL runtime error message) is used to retrieve an error message and associated text string which describes an SSL return value.
- [SSL_Write\(\)](#) (Write data to an SSL-enabled socket descriptor) is used by a program to write data to an SSL-enabled socket descriptor.

Note: These functions use header (include) files from the library QSYSINC, which is optionally installable. Make sure QSYSINC is installed on your system before using any of the functions. See [Header Files for UNIX-Type Functions](#) for the file and member name of each header file.

See the following examples for more information:

- [Example: Establish secure server with SSL APIs](#)
- [Example: Establish secure client with SSL APIs](#)

QlgSSL_Init()--Initialize the Current Job for SSL (using NLS-enabled path name)

Syntax

```
#include <ssl.h>

int QlgSSL_Init(QlgSSLInit* init)
```

Service Program Name: *SRVPGM

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The *QlgSSL_Init()* function is used to establish the SSL security information to be used for all SSL sessions for the current job. The *QlgSSL_Init()* API establishes a certificate and private key for use by the handshake protocol processing when acting as a server. The *QlgSSL_Init()* API establishes a certificate for use by the handshake protocol processing when acting as a client that is connected to a server performing client authentication.

Parameters

QlgSSLInit *init (input)

The pointer to a *QlgSSLInit* structure. *QlgSSLInit* is a typedef for a buffer of type struct *QlgSSLInitStr*. In *<ssl.h>*, struct *QlgSSLInitStr* is defined as the following:

```
struct QlgSSLInitStr {                                /* QlgSSLInitStr          */
    Qlg_Path_Name* keyringFileName;                  /* Key ring file name    */
    char*          keyringPassword;                  /* Key ring file password */
    unsigned short int* cipherSuiteList;            /* List of cipher suites  */
    unsigned int   cipherSuiteListLen;              /* number of entries in   */
                                                         the cipher suites list */
};
```

The fields within the *QlgSSLInit* structure as pointed to by *init* are defined as follows:

Qlg_Path_Name_T *keyringFileName (input)

A pointer to a structure defining the path to the key ring file. This structure defines the coded character set identifier (CCSID) and the path to the key ring file to be used for this job's SSL processing. The path must be a fully qualified integrated file system file name.

char *keyringPassword (input)

A pointer to the password for the key ring file named in the *keyringFileName* field.

If this parameter's value is equal to NULL, then the *QlgSSL_Init()* support will attempt to extract a password from a key-ring password file.

This parameter is assumed to be represented in the same CCSID (coded character set identifier) as the *keyringFileName*.

unsigned short int* *cipherSuiteList* (input)

A pointer to the cipher specification list to be used during the SSL handshake protocol for this job. This list is a string of concatenated cipher specification values. A cipher specification value is an unsigned short integer. Any value provided will override any values provided by a previous *QlgSSL_Init()* API or the system default cipher specification list if the previous *QlgSSL_Init()* API did not provide a cipher specification list. A value of NULL for this parameter indicates one of the following:

- Use the cipher specification list provided by a previous *QlgSSL_Init()* API
- Use the system default cipher specification list if a previous *QlgSSL_Init()* API was not done

The caller specifies the preferred order of the cipher specifications. The cipher specification values are defined in *ssl.h* as the following:

SSL_RSA_WITH_NULL_MD5	0x0001
SSL_RSA_WITH_NULL_SHA	0x0002
SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC4_40_MD5	0x0003
SSL_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_MD5	0x0004
SSL_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_SHA	0x0005
SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC2_CBC_40_MD5	0x0006
SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_DES40_CBC_SHA	0x0008
SSL_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_SHA	0x0009
SSL_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_SHA	0x000A
SSL_RSA_WITH_RC2_CBC_128_MD5	0xFF01
SSL_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_MD5	0xFF02
SSL_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_MD5	0xFF03

Notes:

1. The *SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_DES40_CBC_SHA* cipher is not supported by OS/400.
2. The list of cipher specifications will be different between the Cryptographic Access Provider 40-Bit (5769AC1), Cryptographic Access Provider 56-Bit (5769AC2), Cryptographic Access Provider 128-Bit (5769AC3) licensed products. If one of the cryptographic products is installed and an application attempts to use a cipher specification that is not allowed only for that cryptographic product, they will receive an *EINVAL* *errno*.
3. The default cipher suite list for the Internet Connection Secure Server (US) 5769AC3 product in preference order is as follows:

```
SSL_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_SHA
SSL_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_MD5
SSL_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_SHA
SSL_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_MD5
SSL_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_SHA
SSL_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_MD5
SSL_RSA_WITH_RC2_CBC_128_MD5
SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC4_40_MD5
SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC2_CBC_40_MD5
```

4. The default cipher suite list for the Internet Connection Secure Server (US) 5769AC2 product in preference order is as follows:

```
SSL_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_SHA
SSL_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_MD5
SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC4_40_MD5
```

SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC2_CBC_40_MD5

5. The default cipher suite list for the Internet Connection Secure Server (International) 5769AC1 product in preference order is as follows:

SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC4_40_MD5

SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC2_CBC_40_MD5

unsigned int *cipherSuiteListLen* (input)

The number of cipher suite entries specified in the list pointed to by the *cipherSuiteList* parameter.

Authorities

Authorization of *R (allow access to the object) to the key ring file and its associated files is required.

Return Value

The *QlgSSL_Init()* API returns an integer. Possible values are:

[0]

Successful return

[SSL_ERROR_BAD_CIPHER_SUITE]

A cipher suite that is not valid was specified.

[SSL_ERROR_IO]

An error occurred in SSL processing; check the *errno* value.

[SSL_ERROR_KEYPASSWORD_EXPIRED]

The specified key ring password has expired.

[SSL_ERROR_NO_KEYRING]

No key ring file was specified.

[SSL_ERROR_SSL_NOT_AVAILABLE]

SSL is not available for use.

[SSL_ERROR_UNKNOWN]

An unknown or unexpected error occurred during SSL processing.

Error Conditions

When the *QlgSSL_Init()* API fails with return code [SSL_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EINVAL]

Parameter not valid.

This error code indicates that the *Qlg_Path_Name_T* structure was not valid:

- The path type was less than 0 or greater than 3.
- A reserved field was not initialized to zeros.

[ECONVERT]

Conversion error.

This error code indicates one of the following:

- The CCSID specified in the *keyringFileName* cannot be converted to the current default CCSID for integrated file system path names.
- There was an incomplete character or shift state sequence at the end of the *keyringFileName* path or *keyringPassword*.

[EACCES]

Permission denied.

This error code indicates one of the following:

- The *keyringFileName* field contains a file name to which the user is not authorized.
- The *keyringPassword* value is not valid for the specified *keyringFileName*.

[EBADF]

Descriptor not valid.

This error code indicates one of the following:

- The *keyringFileName* value does not specify a valid key ring file name.

[EFAULT]

Bad address.

The system detected an address that was not valid while attempting to access the *init* parameter or one of the address fields in the *init* parameter.

[EUNATCH]

The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.

[EUNKNOWN]

Unknown system state.

Error Messages

CPE3418 E

Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.

CPF9872 E

Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.

CPFA081 E

Unable to set return value or error code.

Usage Notes

1. A successful *SSL_Init()*, *QlgSSL_Init (using NLS-enabled path name)*, or *SSL_Init_Application()* API must be used to enable a job for SSL processing before attempting to use any other SSL API.
2. If multiple *SSL_Init_Application()*, *QlgSSL_Init (using NLS-enabled path name)*, or *SSL_Init()* APIs are performed in a job, then only the values associated with the last *SSL_Init_Application()*, *QlgSSL_Init (using NLS-enabled path name)*, or *SSL_Init()* performed are used.

3. If the *keyringPassword* parameter pointer value is equal to NULL, then *QlgSSL_Init* will attempt to extract the password value from the key-ring password file associated with the *keyringFileName* parameter's value. The existence of the associated key-ring password file is based on a configuration selection made during the creation of the key ring file.

Related Information

- [SSL_Create\(\)](#)--Enable SSL Support for the Specified Socket Descriptor
- [SSL_Destroy\(\)](#)--End SSL Support for the Specified SSL Session
- [SSL_Handshake\(\)](#)--Initiate the SSL Handshake Protocol
- [SSL_Init\(\)](#)--Initialize the Current Job for SSL
- [SSL_Init_Application\(\)](#)--Initialize the Current Job for SSL Processing Based on the Application Identifier
- [SSL_Read\(\)](#)--Receive Data from an SSL-Enabled SocketDescriptor
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SSL_Create()--Enable SSL Support for the Specified Socket Descriptor

Syntax

```
#include <ssl.h>

SSLHandle* SSL_Create(int socket_descriptor,
                     int flags)
```

Service Program Name: QSOSSLSR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The *SSL_Create()* function is used by a program to enable SSL support for the specified socket descriptor.

Parameters

int *socket_descriptor* (input)

The descriptor of the socket to be used for the SSL session. The socket descriptor must have been created (using the `socket()` API) with a type of `SOCK_STREAM` and an address family of `AF_INET` or `AF_INET6`.

int *flags* (input)

A flag value that controls the use of SSL for the session. The *flags* value is either zero, or is obtained by the ORing of the following constant:

SSL_ENCRYPT (`1 << 0`)

Encrypt the connection.

SSL_DONT_ENCRYPT (`0`)

Do not encrypt the connection.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

The `SSL_Create()` API returns a pointer to an *SSLHandle*. A value of `NULL` is returned when `SSL_Create()` fails. An *SSLHandle* is a typedef for a buffer of type struct *SSLHandleStr*. In `<ssl.h>`, struct *SSLHandleStr* is defined as the following:

```
struct SSLHandleStr {
    int          fd;                /* Socket descriptor          */
    int          createFlags;       /* SSL_Create flags value    */
    unsigned     protocol;         /* SSL protocol version      */
    unsigned     timeout;          /* Timeout value in seconds  */
    unsigned char cipherKind[3];   /* Current 2.0 cipher suite*/
    unsigned short int cipherSuite; /* Current 3.0 cipher suite  */
    unsigned short int* cipherSuiteList; /* List of cipher suites */
    unsigned int cipherSuiteListLen; /* Number of entries in
                                     the cipher suites list */
    unsigned char* peerCert;       /* Peer certificate          */
    unsigned     peerCertLen;     /* Peer certificate length   */
    int          peerCertValidateRc; /* Return code from
                                     validation of certificate */
    int          (*exitPgm)(struct SSLHandleStr* sslh); /* Authentication exit
                                                             program called when a
                                                             certificate is received
                                                             during SSL handshake */
};
```

Note: A full explanation of each of the members of the above structure are defined in the `SSL_Handshake()` API description.

The *SSLHandle* structure returned will be initialized to hexadecimal zeros with the exception of the `fd` field, which will be initialized to the `socket_descriptor` input parameter and the `createFlags` field, which will be initialized to the `flags` input parameter.

Error Conditions

When the `SSL_Create()` API fails, `errno` can be set to:

`[EALREADY]` Operation already in progress.

`[EBADF]` Descriptor not valid.

`[EFAULT]` Bad address.

`[EINVAL]` Parameter not valid.

This error code indicates one of the following:

- The `socket_descriptor` type is not `SOCK_STREAM` or address family is not `AF_INET` or `AF_INET6`.
- One of the parameters passed is not valid or is `NULL`.

`[EIO]` Input/output error.

`[ENOBUFS]` There is not enough buffer space for the requested operation.

- [ENOTSOCK]* The specified descriptor does not reference a socket.
- [EPIPE]* Broken pipe.
- [EUNATCH]* The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.
- [EUNKNOWN]* Unknown system state.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Usage Notes

1. The *SSL_Create()* function is only valid on sockets that have an address family of `AF_INET` or `AF_INET6` and a socket type of `SOCK_STREAM`. If the descriptor pointed to by the *socket_descriptor* parameter does not have the correct address family and socket type, `[SSL_ERROR_IO]` is returned and the *errno* value is set to `EINVAL`.
2. If the *flags* parameter specifies a value that does not include the `SSL_ENCRYPT` flag, then the SSL protocol will not be used for the connection. Not using the SSL protocol has the following effects:
 - The *SSL_Handshake()* API will simply return successful without performing any function.
 - The *SSL_Read()* API will simply call the sockets *read()* API with the same set of input parameters.
 - The *SSL_Write()* API will simply call the sockets *write()* API with the same set of input parameters.
3. Any use of *givedescriptor()* and *takedescriptor()* APIs must be performed prior to issuing an *SSL_Create()*.

Related Information

- [SSL_Destroy\(\)--End SSL Support for the Specified SSL Session](#)
- [SSL_Handshake\(\)--Initiate the SSL Handshake Protocol](#)
- [SSL_Init\(\)--Initialize the Current Job for SSL](#)
- [SSL_Read\(\)--Receive Data from an SSL-Enabled Socket Descriptor](#)
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Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

The `SSL_Destroy()` API returns an integer. Possible values are:

- `[0]` Successful return
- `[SSL_ERROR_IO]` An error occurred in SSL processing; check the `errno` value.

Error Conditions

When the `SSL_Destroy()` API fails with return code `[SSL_ERROR_IO]`, `errno` can be set to:

- `[EBADF]` Descriptor not valid.
- `[EFAULT]` Bad address.
The system detected an address that was not valid while attempting to access the *handle* parameter or a field within the structure pointed to by the *handle* parameter.
- `[EIO]` Input/output error.
- `[EINVAL]` Parameter not valid. This error code indicates one of the following:
 - The *socket_descriptor* type is not `SOCK_STREAM` or address family is not `AF_INET` or `AF_INET6`.
 - One of the parameters passed is not valid or is `NULL`.
- `[ENOTCONN]` Requested operation requires a connection.
This error code indicates that the *socket_descriptor* has not had SSL support enabled. This usually means that an `SSL_Create()` has not been completed for this *socket_descriptor*.
- `[ENOTSOCK]` The specified descriptor does not reference a socket.
- `[EPIPE]` Broken pipe.
- `[ETIMEDOUT]` A remote host did not respond within the timeout period.
This error code indicates that the `SSL_Destroy()` was unable to successfully complete the removal of SSL support on this *socket_descriptor*.
- `[EUNATCH]` The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.
- `[EUNKNOWN]` Unknown system state.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Usage Notes

1. All storage referenced from any field within the structure pointed to by the *handle* parameter and the storage pointed to by the *handle* parameter itself will be freed upon a successful return.
2. Unpredictable results will occur if you attempt to use an *SSL_Destroy()* while sending or receiving data on the peer system.
3. If an *SSL_Destroy()* is not done, then the storage referenced by the *handle* parameter will not be freed until the job ends.

Note: A job end might cause a Licensed Internal Code log entry or error log entry if the *handle* parameter storage is not freed before the job ended.

4. If an *SSL_Destroy()* is not done, the storage referenced by the *handle* parameter will not be freed. This will result in a memory leak. A **memory leak** is the loss of a piece of system memory because it is not allocated to any process on the system.

Related Information

- [SSL_Create\(\)--Enable SSL Support for the Specified Socket Descriptor](#)
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SSL_Handshake()--Initiate the SSL Handshake Protocol

Syntax

```
#include <ssl.h>

int SSL_Handshake(SSLHandle* handle,
                 int how)
```

Service Program Name: QSOSSLSR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The *SSL_Handshake()* function is used by a program to initiate the SSL handshake protocol. Both the client and the server program must call the *SSL_Handshake* verb in order to initiate the handshake processing.

Parameters

SSLHandle* *handle* (input/output)

The pointer to an *SSLHandle* for an SSL session. An *SSLHandle* is a typedef for a buffer of type struct *SSLHandleStr*. In *<ssl.h>*, struct *SSLHandleStr* is defined as the following:

```
struct SSLHandleStr {
    /*
     * int fd; /* Socket descriptor
     * int createFlags; /* SSL_Create flags value
     * unsigned protocol; /* SSL protocol version
     * unsigned timeout; /* Timeout value in seconds
     * unsigned char cipherKind[3]; /* Current 2.0 cipher suite
     * unsigned short int cipherSuite; /* Current 3.0 cipher suite
     * unsigned short int* cipherSuiteList; /* List of cipher suites
     * unsigned int cipherSuiteListLen; /* Number of entries in
     * the cipher suites list
     * unsigned char* peerCert; /* Peer certificate
     * unsigned peerCertLen; /* Peer certificate length
     * int peerCertValidateRc; /* Return code from
     * validation of certificate
     * int (*exitPgm)(struct SSLHandleStr* sslh);
     * Authentication exit
     * program called when a
     * certificate is received
```



```

*/
};

```

The fields within the *SSLHandle* structure as pointed to by *handle* are defined as follows:

int <i>fd</i> (input)	The socket descriptor of the connection for which the SSL handshake protocol is to be performed. This field was initialized by a prior <i>SSL_Create()</i> API.										
int <i>createFlags</i> (input)	Whether or not the SSL protocol is to be used. If the field specifies a value that does not include the <i>SSL_ENCRYPT</i> flag, then this function will return success without performing the SSL handshake protocol. This field was initialized by a prior <i>SSL_Create()</i> API.										
unsigned int <i>protocol</i> (input/output)	The type of SSL handshake protocol to be performed. The protocol(s) that are acceptable as the handshake protocol for this job. The following values may be specified for protocol and are defined in <i>ssl.h</i> . <table> <tr> <td><i>SSL_VERSION_CURRENT</i></td> <td>0 (TLS with SSL Version 3.0 and SSL Version 2.0 compatibility)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><i>SSL_VERSION_2</i></td> <td>2 (SSL Version 2.0 only)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><i>SSL_VERSION_3</i></td> <td>3 (SSL Version 3.0 only)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><i>TLS_VERSION_1</i></td> <td>4 (TLS Version 1 only)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><i>TLSV1_SSLV3</i></td> <td>5 (TLS Version 1 with SSL Version 3.0 compatibility)</td> </tr> </table> <p>Upon return, this field will be set to reflect the protocol version actually negotiated. If the <i>createFlags</i> field specifies a value that does not include the <i>SSL_ENCRYPT</i> flag, then this field will be unchanged from its input value.</p>	<i>SSL_VERSION_CURRENT</i>	0 (TLS with SSL Version 3.0 and SSL Version 2.0 compatibility)	<i>SSL_VERSION_2</i>	2 (SSL Version 2.0 only)	<i>SSL_VERSION_3</i>	3 (SSL Version 3.0 only)	<i>TLS_VERSION_1</i>	4 (TLS Version 1 only)	<i>TLSV1_SSLV3</i>	5 (TLS Version 1 with SSL Version 3.0 compatibility)
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<i>TLS_VERSION_1</i>	4 (TLS Version 1 only)										
<i>TLSV1_SSLV3</i>	5 (TLS Version 1 with SSL Version 3.0 compatibility)										
unsigned <i>timeout</i> (input)	The approximate number of seconds to wait for the SSL handshake protocol to complete. A value of 0 indicates to wait forever for the handshake to complete.										
unsigned char <i>cipherKind</i> [3] (output)	The cipher kind (which is the SSL Version 2.0 cipher suite) negotiated by the handshake.										
unsigned short int <i>cipherSuite</i> (output)	The cipher suite type negotiated by the handshake.										
unsigned short int* <i>cipherSuiteList</i> (input)	A pointer to a cipher specification list that is to be used during the handshake negotiation for this SSL session. This list is a string of concatenated cipher specification values. Each cipher specification is an unsigned short integer value. Any value provided will override, for this SSL session, the default cipher specification list provided by a previous <i>SSL_Init()</i> API or <i>SSL_Init_Application()</i> API . The valid cipher suites allowed are defined in <i>ssl.h</i> . A value of NULL indicates one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Use the cipher specification list provided by a previous <i>SSL_Init()</i> API or <i>SSL_Init_Application()</i> API ● Use the system default cipher specification list if the previous <i>SSL_Init()</i> API or <i>SSL_Init_Application()</i> API did not provide a cipher specification list 										
unsigned int <i>cipherSuiteListLen</i> (input)	The number of cipher suite entries specified in the list pointed to by the <i>cipherSuiteList</i> field.										

unsigned char* *peerCert* (output) The pointer to the certificate received from the peer system. For a client, this is a pointer to the server's certificate. For a server with client authentication enabled, this is a pointer to the client's certificate. For a server without client authentication this pointer value remains unchanged.

unsigned *peerCertLen* (output) The length of the certificate pointed to by the *peerCert* field.

int (**exitPgm*)(SSLHandle* sslh) (input) A pointer to a user supplied function that is called whenever a certificate is received during handshake processing. The *exitPgm* will be passed the pointer to the *handle*, which could include the peer's certificate. The *exitPgm* returns a nonzero value if the peer's certificate is accepted. The return of a zero value by the *exitPgm* will cause the handshake processing to fail. Users of this function do not need to provide an exit program. The pointer should be a NULL value if there is not a user-supplied exit program. The exit program should be written in a threadsafe manner.

int *how* (input) The type of SSL handshake to be performed:

- 0 Perform the handshake as a client.
- 1 Perform the handshake as a server.
- 2 Perform the handshake as a server with client authentication.
- 3 Perform the handshake as a server with optional client authentication.

Authorities

Authorization of *R (allow access to the object) to the key ring file and its associated files is required.

Return Value

The *SSL_Handshake()* API returns an integer. Possible values are:

Value	Description
[0]	Successful return
[SSL_ERROR_BAD_CERTIFICATE]	The certificate is bad.
[SSL_ERROR_BAD_CERT_SIG]	The certificate's signature is not valid.
[SSL_ERROR_BAD_CERTIFICATE]	The certificate is bad.
[SSL_ERROR_BAD_CIPHER_SUITE]	A cipher suite that is not valid was specified.
[SSL_ERROR_BAD_MAC]	A bad message authentication code was received.
[SSL_ERROR_BAD_MALLOC]	Unable to allocate storage required for SSL processing.
[SSL_ERROR_BAD_MESSAGE]	SSL received a badly formatted message.
[SSL_ERROR_BAD_PEER]	The peer system is not recognized.
[SSL_ERROR_BAD_STATE]	SSL detected a bad state in the SSL session.

[SSL_ERROR_CERTIFICATE_REJECTED]	The certificate is not valid or was rejected by the exit program.
[SSL_ERROR_CERT_EXPIRED]	The validity time period of the certificate is expired.
[SSL_ERROR_CLOSED]	The SSL session ended.
[SSL_ERROR_IO]	An error occurred in SSL processing; check the <i>errno</i> value.
[SSL_ERROR_NO_CERTIFICATE]	No certificate is available for SSL processing.
[SSL_ERROR_NO_CIPHERS]	No ciphers available or specified.
[SSL_ERROR_NO_INIT]	SSL_Init() was not previously called for this job.
[SSL_ERROR_NOT_TRUSTED_ROOT]	The certificate is not signed by a trusted certificate authority.
[SSL_ERROR_PERMISSION_DENIED]	Permission was denied to access object.
[SSL_ERROR_SELF_SIGNED]	The certificate is self-signed.
[SSL_ERROR_SSL_NOT_AVAILABLE]	SSL is not available for use.
[SSL_ERROR_UNKNOWN]	An unknown or unexpected error occurred during SSL processing.
[SSL_ERROR_UNSUPPORTED_CERTIFICATE_TYPE]	OS/400 does not support the certificate's type.
[SSL_ERROR_UNSUPPORTED_CERTIFICATE_TYPE]	OS/400 does not support the certificate's type.

Error Conditions

When the *SSL_Handshake()* API fails with a return code of [SSL_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EACCES] Permission denied.

[EBADF] Descriptor not valid.

[EBUSY] Resource busy.

[EDEADLK] Resource deadlock avoided.

[EFAULT] Bad address.

The system detected an address that was not valid while attempting to access the *handle* parameter or one of the address fields in the *handle* parameter.

[EINTR] Interrupted function call.

<i>[EINVAL]</i>	Parameter not valid. This error code indicates one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The <i>socket_descriptor</i> type is not SOCK_STREAM or address family is not AF_INET or AF_INET6. ● One of the parameters passed is not valid or is NULL. ● The <i>protocol</i> field contains a value that is not valid.
<i>[EALREADY]</i>	Operation already in progress. An <i>SSL_Handshake()</i> API has already been previously successfully completed.
<i>[EIO]</i>	Input/output error.
<i>[ENOBUFS]</i>	There is not enough buffer space for the requested operation.
<i>[ENOTCONN]</i>	Requested operation requires a connection. This error code indicates one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The <i>socket_descriptor</i> is not for a socket that is in a connected state. ● The <i>socket_descriptor</i> has not had SSL support enabled.
<i>[ENOTSOCK]</i>	The specified descriptor does not reference a socket.
<i>[EPIPE]</i>	Broken pipe.
<i>[ETIMEDOUT]</i>	A remote host did not respond within the timeout period.
<i>[EUNATCH]</i>	The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.
<i>[EUNKNOWN]</i>	Unknown system state.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Usage Notes

1. The `SSL_Handshake()` function is only valid on sockets that have an address family of `AF_INET` or `AF_INET6` and a socket type of `SOCK_STREAM`. If the descriptor pointed to by the `handle` structure parameter does not have the correct address family and socket type, `[SSL_ERROR_IO]` is returned and the `errno` value is set to `EINVAL`.
2. The `SSL_Handshake()` function can be called only one time per SSL session. If a secondary call of `SSL_Handshake()` occurs within the same established SSL session, then it will fail and the `errno` will be set to `[EINVAL]`.
3. A successful `SSL_Init()` or `SSL_Init_Application()` API and a successful `SSL_Create()` API must be called prior to an `SSL_Handshake()` API. The `SSL_Init()` API or `SSL_Init_Application()` API is used to establish a certificate and private key for either of the following:
 - A successful handshake as a server
 - A successful handshake as a client when connected to a server performing client authentication
4. The `SSL_Create()` API is used to enable SSL support for the specified socket descriptor.

Related Information

- [SSL_Create\(\)--Enable SSL Support for the Specified Socket Descriptor](#)
- [SSL_Destroy\(\)--End SSL Support for the Specified SSL Session](#)
- [SSL_Init\(\)--Initialize the Current Job for SSL](#)
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SSL_Init()--Initialize the Current Job for SSL

Syntax

```
#include <ssl.h>

int SSL_Init(SSLInit* init)
```

Service Program Name: QSOSSLSR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The *SSL_Init()* function is used to establish the SSL security information to be used for all SSL sessions for the current job. The *SSL_Init()* API establishes the certificate and the associated public and private key information for use by the SSL handshake protocol processing when acting as a server or when acting as a client. The certificate and key information is needed by an application that is acting as a client in the situations where the client is connecting to a server which has enabled and requires client authentication.

Parameters

SSLInit * *init* (input)

The pointer to an *SSLInit* structure. *SSLInit* is a typedef for a buffer of type struct *SSLInitStr*. In *<ssl.h>*, struct *SSLInitStr* is defined as the following:

```
struct SSLInitStr {
    char*          keyringFileName; /* Key ring file name */
    char*          keyringPassword; /* Key ring file password */
    unsigned short int* cipherSuiteList; /* List of cipher suites */
    unsigned int   cipherSuiteListLen; /* number of entries in
                                        the cipher suites list */
};
```

The fields within the *SSLInit* structure as pointed to by *init* are defined as follows:

char **keyringFileName* (input)

A pointer to a null-terminated character string, identifying the path to the key database file to be used for this job's SSL processing. The path must be a fully qualified integrated file system file name.

This parameter is assumed to be represented in the CCSID (coded character set identifier) currently in effect for the job. If the CCSID of the job is 65535, this parameter is assumed to be represented in the default CCSID of the job.

» See [QlgSSL_Init\(\)--Initialize the Current Job for SSL \(using NLS-enabled path name\)](#) for a description of supplying the *keyringFileName* in any CCSID.◀

char **keyringPassword* (input)

A pointer to a null-terminated character string, identifying the password for the key database file named in the

keyringFileName field.

If this parameter's value is equal to NULL, then the *SSL_Init()* support will attempt to extract the key database password that has been securely stored on the system.

This parameter is assumed to be represented in the CCSID (coded character set identifier) currently in effect for the job. If the CCSID of the job is 65535, this parameter is assumed to be represented in the default CCSID of the job.

unsigned short int* *cipherSuiteList* (input)

A pointer to the cipher specification list to be used during the SSL handshake protocol for this job. This list is a string of concatenated cipher specification values. A cipher specification value is an unsigned short integer. Any value provided will override any values provided by a previous *SSL_Init()* API or *SSL_Init_Application()* API or the system default cipher specification list if the previous *SSL_Init()* API or *SSL_Init_Application()* API did not provide a cipher specification list. A value of NULL for this parameter indicates one of the following:

- Use the cipher specification list provided by a previous *SSL_Init()* API or *SSL_Init_Application()* API
- Use the system default cipher specification list if a previous *SSL_Init()* API or *SSL_Init_Application()* API was not done

The caller specifies the preferred order of the cipher specifications. The cipher specification values, shown here not in preferred or strength order, are defined in *ssl.h* as the following:

TLS_RSA_WITH_NULL_MD5	0x0001
TLS_RSA_WITH_NULL_SHA	0x0002
TLS_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC4_40_MD5	0x0003
TLS_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_MD5	0x0004
TLS_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_SHA	0x0005
TLS_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC2_CBC_40_MD5	0x0006
TLS_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_SHA	0x0009
TLS_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_SHA	0x000A
TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA	0x002F
TLS_RSA_WITH_RC2_CBC_128_MD5	0xFF01
TLS_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_MD5	0xFF02
TLS_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_MD5	0xFF03

Notes:

1. The *SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_DES40_CBC_SHA* cipher is not supported by OS/400.
2. The list of cipher specifications will be different between the Cryptographic Access Provider 56-Bit (5722AC2), Cryptographic Access Provider 128-Bit (5722AC3) licensed products. If one of the cryptographic products is installed and an application attempts to use a cipher specification that is not allowed only for that cryptographic product, they will receive an EINVAL errno.
3. The default cipher suite list for the Internet Connection Secure Server (US) 5722AC3 product in preference order is as follows:

```
TLS_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_MD5
TLS_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_SHA
TLS_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_SHA
TLS_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_SHA
TLS_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC4_40_MD5
TLS_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC2_CBC_40_MD5
```

4. The default cipher suite list for the Internet Connection Secure Server (US) 5722AC2 product in

preference order is as follows:

```
TLS_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_SHA
TLS_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC4_40_MD5
TLS_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC2_CBC_40_MD5
```

unsigned int *cipherSuiteListLen* (input)

The number of cipher suite entries specified in the list pointed to by the *cipherSuiteList* parameter.

Authorities

Authorization of *R (allow access to the object) to the key database file and its associated files is required.

Return Value

The *SSL_Init()* API returns an integer. Possible values are:

Value	Description
[0]	Successful return
[SSL_ERROR_BAD_CIPHER_SUITE]	A cipher suite that is not valid was specified.
[SSL_ERROR_IO]	An error occurred in SSL processing; check the <i>errno</i> value.
[SSL_ERROR_KEYPASSWORD_EXPIRED]	The specified key ring password has expired.
[SSL_ERROR_NO_KEYRING]	No key ring file was specified.
[SSL_ERROR_SSL_NOT_AVAILABLE]	SSL is not available for use.
[SSL_ERROR_UNKNOWN]	An unknown or unexpected error occurred during SSL processing.

Error Conditions

When the *SSL_Init()* API fails with return code [SSL_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EINVAL] Parameter not valid.

[EACCES] Permission denied.

This error code indicates one of the following:

- The *keyringFileName* field contains a file name to which the user is not authorized.
- The *keyringPassword* value is not valid for the specified *keyringFileName*.

[EBADF] Descriptor not valid.

This error code indicates one of the following:

- The *keyringFileName* value does not specify a valid key ring file name.

- [EFAULT] Bad address.
- The system detected an address that was not valid while attempting to access the *init* parameter or one of the address fields in the *init* parameter.
- [EUNATCH] The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.
- [EUNKNOWN] Unknown system state.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Usage Notes

- A successful *SSL_Init()*, *QlgSSL_Init (using NLS-enabled path name)*, or an *SSL_Init_Application()* API must be used to enable a job for SSL processing before attempting to use any other SSL API.
- If multiple *SSL_Init_Application ()*, *QlgSSL_Init*, or *SSL_Init()* APIs are performed in a job, then only the values associated with the last *SSL_Init_Application()*, *QlgSSL_Init*, or *SSL_Init()* performed are used.⏪
- If the *keyringPassword* parameter pointer value is equal to NULL, then *SSL_Init()* will attempt to extract the password value as stored on the system with the *keyringFileName* parameter's value. The existence of the securely stored key database password is based on a configuration selection made during the creation of the key database file.

Related Information

- [QlgSSL_Init\(\)--Initialize the Current Job for SSL \(using NLS-enabled path name\)](#)⏪
- [SSL_Create\(\)--Enable SSL Support for the Specified Socket Descriptor](#)
- [SSL_Destroy\(\)--End SSL Support for the Specified SSL Session](#)
- [SSL_Handshake\(\)--Initiate the SSL Handshake Protocol](#)
- ➤ [SSL_Init_Application\(\)--Initialize the Current Job for SSL Processing Based on the Application Identifier](#)⏪
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SSL_Init_Application()--Initialize the Current Job for SSL Processing Based on the Application Identifier

Syntax

```
#include <ssl.h>

int SSL_Init_Application(SSLInitApp*
    init_app)
```

Service Program Name: QSOSSLSR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The *SSL_Init_Application()* function is used to establish the SSL security information to be used for all SSL sessions for the current job based on the specified application identifier. The *SSL_Init_Application()* API uses the application identifier to determine and then establish the certificate and the associated public and private key information for use by the SSL handshake protocol processing when acting as a server or when acting as a client. The certificate and key information is needed by an application that is acting as a client in the situations where the client is connecting to a server which has enabled and requires client authentication.

Parameters

SSLInitApp * *init_app* (input)

The pointer to an *SSLInitApp* value. *SSLInitApp* is a typedef for a buffer of type struct *SSLInitAppStr*. In *<ssl.h>*, struct *SSLInitAppStr* is defined as the following:

```
struct SSLInitAppStr {                /* SSLInitAppStr                */
    char*        applicationID;        /* application id value        */
    unsigned int applicationIDLen;     /* length of application id    */
    char*        localCertificate;    /* local certificate           */
    unsigned int localCertificateLen; /* ength of local certificate  */
    unsigned short int* cipherSuiteList; /* List of cipher suites      */
    unsigned int cipherSuiteListLen;  /* number of entries in       */
                                     /* the cipher suites list     */
    >> unsigned int    sessionType;     /* the type of application as  */
                                     /* registered                  */
    unsigned int reserved1;           /* reserved - must be 0       */
    unsigned int protocol;           /* SSL protocol version       */
    unsigned int timeout;            /* cache timeout (seconds)    */
    char reserved[12];               /* reserved - must be NULL (0s)*/
    <<
};
```

The fields within the *SSLInitApp* structure as pointed to by *init_app* are defined as follows:

char **applicationID* (input)

A pointer to a null terminated character string identifying the application identifier value that was used to register

the application using the Register Application for Certificate Use, (OPM, QSYRGAP; ILE, QsyRegisterAppForCertUse) API. See the Register Application for Certificate Use API for information on the format and values allowed for the application identifier.

char **applicationIDLen* (input)

The number of characters in the application identifier string as specified by the *applicationID* parameter.

char **localCertificate* (input)

On input, the *localCertificate* pointer must be set to point to storage that has been allocated by the calling application that will be used on output to contain the application's registered local certificate. If a certificate is not to be returned then set this pointer's value to NULL and the *localCertificateLen* value to zero (0). The storage should be large enough to accommodate the size of the certificate. Most certificates are less than 2K in length. On output, the *localCertificate* pointer will not be changed, though the storage it points to will contain the registered application's certificate. The certificate will be the one registered for that application by the Register Application for Certificate Use (OPM, QSYRGAP; ILE, QsyRegisterAppForCertUse) API. See the Register Application for Certificate Use API for information on the format and values allowed for the application identifier.

unsigned int *localCertificateLen* (input)

On input, this value must equal the number of characters available in the storage pointed to by the *localCertificate* pointer. Set this value to 0 if you do not want a certificate returned by this API. On output, this value is equal to the length of the certificate. If the certificate will not fit into the storage provided, then this value will be set to the length required to contain the certificate.

➤ unsigned short int* *cipherSuiteList* (input)

A pointer to the cipher specification list to be used during the SSL handshake protocol for this job. This list is a string of concatenated cipher specification values. A cipher specification value is an unsigned short integer. Any value provided will override any values provided by a previous *SSL_Init_Application()* API or *SSL_Init()* API or the system default cipher specification list if the previous *SSL_Init_Application()* API or *SSL_Init()* API did not provide a cipher specification list. A value of NULL for this parameter indicates one of the following:

- Use the cipher specification list provided by a previous *SSL_Init_Application()* API or *SSL_Init()* API
- Use the system default cipher specification list if a previous *SSL_Init_Application()* API or *SSL_Init()* API was not done

The caller specifies the preferred order of the cipher specifications. The cipher specification values, shown here not in preferred or strength order, are defined in *ssl.h* as the following:

TLS_RSA_WITH_NULL_MD5	0x0001
TLS_RSA_WITH_NULL_SHA	0x0002
TLS_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC4_40_MD5	0x0003
TLS_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_MD5	0x0004
TLS_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_SHA	0x0005
TLS_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC2_CBC_40_MD5	0x0006
TLS_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_SHA	0x0009
TLS_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_SHA	0x000A
TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA	0x002F
TLS_RSA_WITH_RC2_CBC_128_MD5	0xFF01
TLS_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_MD5	0xFF02
TLS_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_MD5	0xFF03

Notes:

1. The SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_DES40_CBC_SHA cipher is not supported by OS/400.
2. The list of cipher specifications will be different between the Cryptographic Access Provider 56-Bit (5722AC2), Cryptographic Access Provider 128-Bit (5722AC3) licensed products. If one of the cryptographic products is installed and an application attempts to use a cipher specification that is not allowed only for that cryptographic product, they will receive an EINVAL *errno*.
3. The default cipher suite list for the Internet Connection Secure Server (US) 5722AC3 product in preference order is as follows:

```
SSL_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_MD5
SSL_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_SHA
SSL_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_SHA
SSL_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_SHA
SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC4_40_MD5
SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC2_CBC_40_MD5
```

4. The default cipher suite list for the Internet Connection Secure Server (US) 5722AC2 product in preference order is as follows:

```
SSL_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_SHA
SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC4_40_MD5
SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC2_CBC_40_MD5
```



unsigned int *cipherSuiteListLen* (input)

The number of cipher suite entries specified in the list pointed to by the *cipherSuiteList* parameter.

» unsigned int *sessionType* (output)

The type registered for the application. The following values are returned in *sessionType* and are defined in ssl.h.

SSL_REGISTERED_AS_CLIENT	0
SSL_REGISTERED_AS_SERVER	1
SSL_REGISTERED_AS_SERVER_WITH_CLIENT_AUTH	2
SSL_REGISTERED_AS_SERVER_WITH_OPTIONAL_CLIENT_AUTH	3
SSL_REGISTERED_AS_NOT_SPECIFIED	99

unsigned int *reserved1* (input)

This reserved field must be set to 0.

unsigned int *protocol* (input)

The protocol(s) that are acceptable as the handshake protocol for this job. The following values may be specified for *protocol* and are defined in ssl.h.

SSL_VERSION_CURRENT	0	(TLS with SSL Version 3.0 and SSL Version 2.0 compatibility)
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```

SSL_VERSION_2      2  (SSL Version 2.0 only)
SSL_VERSION_3      3  (SSL Version 3.0 only)
TLS_VERSION_1      4  (TLS Version 1 only)
TLSV1_SSLV3        5  (TLS Version 1 with SSL
                        Version 3.0 compatibility)

```

unsigned int *timeout* (input)

The time period (in seconds) for which TLS Version 1.0 and SSL Version 3.0 session parameters are cached for use with abbreviated SSL handshakes. The valid range for *timeout* is from 1 to 86,400 seconds (24 hours). Not specifying a value (0) will default to the maximum timeout, and specifying a value of 0xffffffff will disable caching. The following values are defined in ssl.h.

```

SSL_TIMEOUT_DEFAULT 0          (Use default timeout, 24 hours)
SSL_TIMEOUT_MAX     86400      (Use maximum timeout, 24 hours)
SSL_TIMEOUT_DISABLE 0xffffffff (Disable caching of session parameters
                                for abbreviated handshakes)

```

char *reserved[12]* (input)

This reserved field must be set to NULL (0s).⏪

Authorities

Authorization of *R (allow access to the object) to the key database file and its associated files is required. The certificate is stored in a key database file.

Return Value

The *SSL_Init_Application()* API returns an integer. Possible values are:

Value	Description
[0]	Successful return
[SSL_ERROR_BAD_CIPHER_SUITE]	A cipher suite that is not valid was specified.
[SSL_ERROR_CERT_EXPIRED]	The validity time period of the certificate is expired.
[SSL_ERROR_KEYPASSWORD_EXPIRED]	The specified key ring password has expired.
[SSL_ERROR_NOT_REGISTERED]	The application identifier is not registered with the certificate registry facility.
[SSL_ERROR_NOT_TRUSTED_ROOT]	The certificate is not signed by a trusted certificate authority.
[SSL_ERROR_NO_CERTIFICATE]	No certificate is available for SSL processing.
[SSL_ERROR_IO]	An error occurred in SSL processing; check the <i>errno</i> value.
[SSL_ERROR_SSL_NOT_AVAILABLE]	SSL is not available for use.
[SSL_ERROR_UNKNOWN]	An unknown or unexpected error occurred during SSL processing.

Error Conditions

When the *SSL_Init_Application()* API fails with return code [SSL_ERROR_IO], *errno* can be set to:

[EINVAL] Parameter not valid.

[EACCES] Permission denied.

This error code indicates one of the following:

- The *applicationID* field contains a registered application identifier to which the user is not authorized.
- The user profile, which the application is operating under, is not authorized to the key database file or its associated files.

[EFAULT] Bad address.

The system detected an address that was not valid while attempting to access the *init_app* parameter or one of the address fields in the *init_app* parameter.

[EUNATCH] The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.

[EUNKNOWN] Unknown system state.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
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CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
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CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
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CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.
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Usage Notes

1. Before the *SSL_Init_Application()* API can be used, the user must have registered the application using the Register Application for Certificate Use (OPM, QSYRGAP; ILE, QsyRegisterAppForCertUse) API. The Register Application For Certificate Use API registers an application with the registry facility, allowing an application to be associated with a specific certificate. The Register Application for Certificate Use is described in the System Programming Interface Reference. If the applicaiton is not registered with the registry facility, then an error of SSL_ERROR_NOT_REGISTERED will be returned by *SSL_Init_Application()*.
2. A successful *SSL_Init()*, *SSL_Init (using NLS-enabled path name)*, or an *SSL_Init_Application()* API must be used to enable a job for SSL processing before attempting to use any other SSL API.
3. If multiple *SSL_Init_Application()*, *SSL_Init (using NLS-enabled path name)*, or multiple *SSL_Init()* APIs are performed in a job, then only the values associated with the last *SSL_Init_Application()*, *SSL_Init (using NLS-enabled path name)*, or *SSL_Init()* performed are used.

4. If the `SSL_Init_Application()` API or `SSL_Init()` API are both performed in the same job, then only the values associated with the last API performed are used.
5. The reserved fields in the `SSLInitApp` structure must be set to NULLs (0s) before using this API.

Related Information

- [»QlgSSL_Init\(\)--Initialize the Current Job for SSL \(using NLS-enabled path name\)](#) 
- [SSL_Create\(\)--Enable SSL Support for the Specified Socket Descriptor](#)
- [SSL_Destroy\(\)--End SSL Support for the Specified SSL Session](#)
- [SSL_Init\(\)--Initialize the Current Job for SSL](#)
- [SSL_Handshake\(\)--Initiate the SSL Handshake Protocol](#)
- [SSL_Read\(\)--Receive Data from an SSL-Enabled Socket Descriptor](#)
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SSL_Perror()--Print SSL Error Message

Syntax

```
#include <ssl.h>

void SSL_Perror(int sslreturnvalue,
                const char* string);
```

Service Program Name: QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The *SSL_Perror()* function prints an error message to stderr. If *string* is not NULL and does not point to a null character, the string pointed to by *string* is printed to the standard error stream. If a *string* is printed, it is followed by a colon and a space. Regardless of if *string* was printed or not, the message associated with the *sslreturnvalue* is printed followed by a new-line character. Also, the message associated with the thread's *errno* is printed followed by a new-line character.

Parameters

int *sslreturnvalue* (Input)

The Return Value received from a SSL API.

char* *string* (Input)

The string to be printed prior to the message associated with the *sslreturnvalue*. If no preceding message is desired, NULL must be entered.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

There is no return value.

Error Conditions

This API calls the Retrieve SSL Runtime Error Message (*SSL_Sterror*) API in order to perform its task. It inherits all error conditions from this function. If the *sslreturnvalue* is unrecognized or if unable to retrieve the message corresponding to *sslreturnvalue*, then an **Unknown error** message will be printed following the *string*. Also, the message associated with the value found in the thread's *errno* is printed. **Note:** the value of *errno* may be updated by *SSL_Perror()* in some error conditions.

Error Messages

See Error Conditions.

Related Information

- [SSL_Strerror\(\)--Retrieve SSL Runtime Error Message](#)
- [SSL_Create\(\)--Enable SSL Support for the Specified Socket Descriptor](#)
- [SSL_Destroy\(\)--End SSL Support for the Specified SSL Session](#)
- [SSL_Handshake\(\)--Initiate the SSL Handshake Protocol](#)
- [SSL_Init\(\)--Initialize the Current Job for SSL](#)
- [SSL_Init_Application\(\)--Initialize the Current Job for SSL Processing Based on the Application Identifier](#)
- [SSL_Read\(\)--Receive Data from an SSL-Enabled Socket Descriptor](#)
- [SSL_Write\(\)--Write Data to an SSL-Enabled Socket Descriptor](#)

Example

The following example shows how **SSL_Perror()** is used:

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <sys/socket.h>
#include <ssl.h>
#include <netinet/in.h>
#include <arpa/inet.h>
#include <errno.h>

/* bufferLen is 250 bytes */
#define bufferLen 250

void main()
{
    int bufferLen, on = 1, rc = 0, sd, sd2, addrlen = 0;
    char buffer[bufferLen];

    SSLInit sslinit;
    SSLHandle* sslh;

    struct sockaddr_in addr;

    unsigned short int cipher[3] = {
        SSL_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_MD5,
        SSL_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_SHA,
        SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC4_40_MD5
    };

    /******
    /* memset sslinit structure to hex zeros and */
    /* fill in values for the sslinit structure */
```

```
/******  
memset((char *)&SSL_Init, 0x00, sizeof(sslinit));  
sslinit.keyringFileName = "/keyringfile.kyr";  
sslinit.keyringPassword = NULL;  
sslinit.cipherSuiteList = &cipher[0];  
sslinit.cipherSuiteListLen = 3;  
  
/******  
/* initialize SSL security call SSL_Init */  
/******  
if ((rc = SSL_Init(&sslinit)) != 0)  
{  
    SSL_Perror(rc, "Could not initialize SSL");  
}  
  
...  
}
```

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SSL_Read()--Receive Data from an SSL-Enabled Socket Descriptor

Syntax

```
#include <ssl.h>

int SSL_Read(SSLHandle *handle,
             void *buffer,
             int buffer_length)
```

Service Program Name: QSOSSLSR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The *SSL_Read()* function is used by a program to receive data from an SSL-enabled socket descriptor.

Parameters

SSLHandle* *handle* (input)

The pointer to an *SSLHandle* for an SSL session. An *SSLHandle* is a typedef for a buffer of type struct *SSLHandleStr*. In *<ssl.h>*, struct *SSLHandleStr* is defined as the following:

```
struct SSLHandleStr {
    int          fd;
    int          createFlags;
    unsigned     protocol;
    unsigned     timeout;
    unsigned char cipherKind[3];
    unsigned short int cipherSuite;
    unsigned short int* cipherSuiteList;
    unsigned int  cipherSuiteListLen;
    unsigned char* peerCert;
    unsigned     peerCertLen;
    int          peerCertValidateRc;
    int          (*exitPgm)(struct SSLHandleStr* sslh);
};
/* SSLHandleStr */
/* Socket descriptor */
/* SSL_Create flags value */
/* SSL protocol version */
/* Timeout value in seconds */
/* Current 2.0 cipher suite*/
/* Current 3.0 cipher suite */
/* List of cipher suites */
/* Number of entries in the cipher suites list */
/* Peer certificate */
/* Peer certificate length */
/* Return code from validation of certificate */
/* Authentication exit program called when a certificate is received during SSL handshake */
```

void **buffer* (input)

A pointer to the user-supplied buffer in which the data that is received on the SSL session is to be stored.

int *buffer_length* (input)

The length of the *buffer*.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

The *SSL_Read()* API returns an integer. Possible values are:

Value	Description
[<i>n</i>]	Successful, where n is the number of bytes read.
[<i>SSL_ERROR_BAD_MESSAGE</i>]	SSL received a badly formatted message.
[<i>SSL_ERROR_BAD_MAC</i>]	A bad message authentication code was received.
[<i>SSL_ERROR_BAD_MALLOC</i>]	Unable to allocate storage required for SSL processing.
[<i>SSL_ERROR_BAD_STATE</i>]	SSL detected a bad state in the SSL session.
[<i>SSL_ERROR_CLOSED</i>]	The SSL session ended.
[<i>SSL_ERROR_IO</i>]	An error occurred in SSL processing; check the <i>errno</i> value.
[<i>SSL_ERROR_PERMISSION_DENIED</i>]	Permission was denied to access object.
[<i>SSL_ERROR_UNKNOWN</i>]	An unknown or unexpected error occurred during SSL processing.
[<i>SSL_ERROR_UNSUPPORTED_CERTIFICATE_TYPE</i>]	OS/400 does not support the certificate's type.

Error Conditions

When the *SSL_Read()* API fails with return code [*SSL_ERROR_IO*], *errno* can be set to:

[*EBADF*] Descriptor not valid.

[*ECONNRESET*] A connection with a remote socket was reset by that socket.

[*EFAULT*] Bad address.

One of the following conditions occurred:

- The system detected an address that was not valid while attempting to access the *buffer* parameter.
- The system detected an address that was not valid while attempting to access the *handle* parameter or one of the address fields in the *handle* parameter.

<code>[EINVAL]</code>	Parameter not valid. This error code indicates one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The <code>socket_descriptor</code> type is not <code>SOCK_STREAM</code> or address family is not <code>AF_INET</code> or <code>AF_INET6</code>. • One of the parameters passed is not valid or is <code>NULL</code>. • The <code>buffer_length</code> parameter specifies a negative value.
<code>[EIO]</code>	Input/output error.
<code>[ENOTCONN]</code>	Requested operation requires a connection. This error code indicates one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The <code>socket_descriptor</code> is not for a socket that is in a connected state. • The <code>socket_descriptor</code> has not had SSL support enabled. This usually means that an <code>SSL_Create()</code> has not been completed for this <code>socket_descriptor</code>.
<code>[ENOTSOCK]</code>	The specified descriptor does not reference a socket.
<code>[ETIMEDOUT]</code>	A remote host did not respond within the timeout period.
<code>[EUNATCH]</code>	The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.
<code>[EUNKNOWN]</code>	Unknown system state.
<code>[EWOULDBLOCK]</code>	Operation would have caused the thread to be suspended.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Usage Notes

1. The `SSL_Read()` function is only valid on sockets that have an address family of `AF_INET` or `AF_INET6` and a socket type of `SOCK_STREAM`. If the descriptor pointed to by the `handle` structure parameter does not have the correct address family and socket type, `[SSL_ERROR_IO]` is returned and the `errno` value is set to `EINVAL`.
2. The maximum length of data returned will not exceed 32 KB. This is due to the fact that SSL is a record level protocol and the largest record allowed is 32 KB minus the necessary SSL record headers.
3. If the `createFlags` field in the `SSLHandle` specifies a value that does not include the `SSL_ENCRYPT` flag, this function will simply call the `sockets_read()` function.

4. Unpredictable results will occur when attempting to mix invocations to `SSL_Read()` and any of the sockets read functions (`recv()`, `read()`, `readv()`, and so forth). It is strongly suggested that you do not mix the `SSL_Read()` API with any of the sockets read functions.
5. Since SSL is a record-oriented protocol, SSL must receive an entire record before it can be decrypted and any data returned to the application. Thus, a `select()` may indicate that data is available to be read, but a subsequent `SSL_Read()` may hang waiting for the remainder of the SSL record to be received when using blocking I/O.
6. A `FIONREAD ioctl()` cannot be used to determine the amount of data available for reading by using `SSL_Read()`.
7. SSL will ignore the out of band (OOB) data indicator. OOB will not affect the SSL application. OOB will just be data to the SSL protocol.
8. For an SSL enabled socket, which must use a connection-oriented transport service (that is, TCP), a returned value of zero indicates one of the following:
 - The partner program has issued a `close()` for the socket.
 - The partner program has issued a `shutdown()` to disable writing to the socket.
 - The connection is broken and the error was returned on a previously issued socket function.
 - A `shutdown()` to disable reading was previously done on the socket.
9. If an `SSL_Read()` is run on a socket that is set to non-blocking mode, and there is no data waiting to be read on the SSL enabled socket, the return value will be equal to -10 and the `errno` will be set to `EWOULDBLOCK`.

Related Information

- [SSL_Create\(\)--Enable SSL Support for the Specified Socket Descriptor](#)
- [SSL_Destroy\(\)--End SSL Support for the Specified SSL Session](#)
- [SSL_Handshake\(\)--Initiate the SSL Handshake Protocol](#)
- [SSL_Init\(\)--Initialize the Current Job for SSL](#)
- [SSL_Write\(\)--Write Data to an SSL-Enabled Socket Descriptor](#)

API introduced: V4R3

SSL_Strerror()--Retrieve SSL Runtime Error Message

Syntax

```
#include <ssl.h>

char* SSL_Strerror(int sslreturnvalue,
                  SSLErrorMsg* serrmsgp);
```

Service Program Name: QSOSSLR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The *SSL_Strerror()* function is used to retrieve an error message and associated text string which describes an SSL return value.

Parameters

int *sslreturnvalue* (Input)

The Return Value received from a SSL API.

SSLErrorMsg* *serrmsgp* (Input)

The pointer to a *SSLErrorMsg* structure. If no *SSLErrorMsg* is provided, NULL must be entered. *SSLErrorMsg* is a typedef for a buffer of type struct *SSLErrorMsgStr*. In *<ssl.h>*, struct *SSLErrorMsg* is defined as the following:

```
struct SSLErrorMsgStr { /* SSLErrorMsgStr          */
    char messageID[7]; /* Message identifier      */
    char messageFile[20]; /* Qualified message file name */
};
```

The fields within the *SSLErrorMsg* structure as pointed to by *serrmsgp* are defined as follows:

char *messageID*[7] (output)

The message identifier which defines the message associated with the input *sslreturnvalue*.

char *messageFile*[20] (output)

The fully qualified message file name where the message associated with the *messageID* is stored. The first 10 characters specify the file name, and the second 10 characters specify the library.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

The `SSL_Strerror()` API returns a pointer to the string. The null-terminated string is stored in the CCSID of the job. If the `serrmsgp` is provided, the `SSLErrorMsg` struct will be updated to reflect the message information corresponding to the string returned.

Error Conditions

If the `sslreturnvalue` is unrecognized, then an **Unknown error** message will be stored at the location pointed to by the return value. Other error conditions will be handled as described under Error Messages.

Error Messages

This API calls the Retrieve Message (QMHRVTM) API in order to perform its task. It inherits all error conditions from this function. If errors are encountered while using the Retrieve Message API, they will be reflected in the `SSLErrorMsg` fields (if provided) and any associated message replacement text will be stored at the location pointed to by the return value.

Related Information

- [SSL_Perror\(\)--Print SSL Error Message](#)
- [SSL_Create\(\)--Enable SSL Support for the Specified Socket Descriptor](#)
- [SSL_Destroy\(\)--End SSL Support for the Specified SSL Session](#)
- [SSL_Handshake\(\)--Initiate the SSL Handshake Protocol](#)
- [SSL_Init\(\)--Initialize the Current Job for SSL](#)
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Example

The following example shows how `SSL_Strerror()` is used:

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <sys/socket.h>
#include <ssl.h>
#include <netinet/in.h>
#include <arpa/inet.h>
#include <errno.h>

/* bufferLen is 250 bytes */
```

```

#define bufferLen 250

void main()
{
    int bufferLen, on = 1, rc = 0, sd, sd2, addrlen = 0;
    char buffer[bufferLen];

    SSLInit sslinit;
    SSLHandle* sslh;

    struct sockaddr_in addr;

    unsigned short int cipher[3] = {
        SSL_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_MD5,
        SSL_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_SHA,
        SSL_RSA_EXPORT_WITH_RC4_40_MD5
    };

    /******
    /* memset sslinit structure to hex zeros and      */
    /* fill in values for the sslinit structure      */
    /******
    memset((char *)&SSL_Init, 0x00, sizeof(sslinit));
    sslinit.keyringFileName = "/keyringfile.kyr";
    sslinit.keyringPassword = NULL;
    sslinit.cipherSuiteList = &cipher[0];
    sslinit.cipherSuiteListLen = 3;

    /******
    /* initialize SSL security call SSL_Init          */
    /******
    if ((rc = SSL_Init(&sslinit)) != 0)
    {
        printf("SSL_Init() failed with rc = %d %s \n"
            "and errno = %d %s \n",rc,SSL_strerror(rc, NULL),
            errno,strerror(errno));
    }

    ...
}

```

API introduced: V5R1

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SSL_Write()--Write Data to an SSL-Enabled Socket Descriptor

Syntax

```
#include <ssl.h>

int SSL_Write(SSLHandle *handle,
              void *buffer,
              int buffer_length)
```

Service Program Name: QSOSSLSR

Default Public Authority: *USE

Threadsafe: Yes

The `SSL_Write()` function is used by a program to write data to an SSL-enabled socket descriptor.

Parameters

SSLHandle* *handle* (input)

The pointer to an *SSLHandle* for an SSL session. An *SSLHandle* is a typedef for a buffer of type struct *SSLHandleStr*. In `<ssl.h>`, struct *SSLHandleStr* is defined as the following:

```
struct SSLHandleStr {
    int          fd; /* Socket descriptor */
    int          createFlags; /* SSL_Create flags value */
    unsigned    protocol; /* SSL protocol version */
    unsigned    timeout; /* Timeout value in seconds */
    unsigned char cipherKind[3]; /* Current 2.0 cipher suite*/
    unsigned short int cipherSuite; /* Current 3.0 cipher suite */
    unsigned short int* cipherSuiteList; /* List of cipher suites */
    unsigned int cipherSuiteListLen; /* Number of entries in
    the cipher suites list */
    unsigned char* peerCert; /* Peer certificate */
    unsigned peerCertLen; /* Peer certificate length */
    int peerCertValidateRc; /* Return code from
    validation of certificate */
    int (*exitPgm)(struct SSLHandleStr* ssl); /* Authentication exit
    program called when a
    certificate is received
    during SSL handshake */
};
```

void **buffer* (input)

A pointer to the user-supplied buffer in which the data to be written is stored.

int *buffer_length* (input)

The length of the *buffer*.

Authorities

No authorization is required.

Return Value

SSL_Write() returns an integer. Possible values are:

Value	Description
[<i>n</i>]	Successful, where <i>n</i> is the number of bytes written.
[<i>SSL_ERROR_BAD_STATE</i>]	SSL detected a bad state in the SSL session.
[<i>SSL_ERROR_CLOSED</i>]	The SSL session ended.
[<i>SSL_ERROR_IO</i>]	An error occurred in SSL processing; check the <i>errno</i> value.
[<i>SSL_ERROR_UNKNOWN</i>]	An unknown or unexpected error occurred during SSL processing.

Error Conditions

When the *SSL_Write()* API fails with return code [*SSL_ERROR_IO*], *errno* can be set to to one of the following:

[*EBADF*] Descriptor not valid.

[*EFAULT*] Bad address.

One of the following conditions occurred:

- The system detected an address that was not valid while attempting to access the *buffer* parameter.
- The system detected an address that was not valid while attempting to access the *handle* parameter or one of the address fields in the *handle* parameter.

[*EINTR*] Interrupted function call.

[*EINVAL*] Parameter not valid.

This error code indicates one of the following:

- The *socket_descriptor* type is not `SOCK_STREAM` or address family is not `AF_INET` or `AF_INET6`.
- One of the parameters passed is not valid or is `NULL`.
- The *buffer_length* parameter specifies a negative value.

[*EIO*] Input/output error.

<code>[ENOBUFS]</code>	There is not enough buffer space for the requested operation.
<code>[ENOTCONN]</code>	Requested operation requires a connection. This error code indicates one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The <i>socket_descriptor</i> is not for a socket that is in a connected state. • The <i>socket_descriptor</i> has not had SSL support enabled. This usually means that an <i>SSL_Create()</i> has not been completed for this <i>socket_descriptor</i>.
<code>[ENOTSOCK]</code>	The specified descriptor does not reference a socket.
<code>[EPIPE]</code>	Broken pipe.
<code>[ETIMEDOUT]</code>	A remote host did not respond within the timeout period.
<code>[EUNATCH]</code>	The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.
<code>[EUNKNOWN]</code>	Unknown system state.
<code>[EWOULDBLOCK]</code>	Operation would have caused the thread to be suspended.

Error Messages

Message ID	Error Message Text
CPE3418 E	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
CPF9872 E	Program or service program &1 in library &2 ended. Reason code &3.
CPFA081 E	Unable to set return value or error code.

Usage Notes

1. The *SSL_Write()* function is only valid on sockets that have an address family of `AF_INET` or `AF_INET6` and a socket type of `SOCK_STREAM`. If the descriptor pointed to by the *handle* structure parameter does not have the correct address family and socket type, `[SSL_ERROR_IO]` is returned and the *errno* value is set to `EINVAL`.
2. There is no maximum length of the data that can be written. However, SSL will segment the data into multiple SSL record buffers if it will not fit in one SSL record buffer. The maximum SSL record size is 32 KB minus the necessary SSL record headers.
3. If the *createFlags* field in the *SSLHandle* specifies a value that does not include the `SSL_ENCRYPT` flag, then this function will simply call the sockets *write()* function.

4. Unpredictable results will occur when attempting to mix calls to *SSL_Write()* and any of the sockets write functions (*send()*, *write()*, *writenv()*, and so forth). It is strongly suggested that you do not mix the *SSL_Write()* API with any of the sockets write functions.

Related Information

- [SSL_Create\(\)--Enable SSL Support for the Specified Socket Descriptor](#)
- [SSL_Destroy\(\)--End SSL Support for the Specified SSL Session](#)
- [SSL_Handshake\(\)--Initiate the SSL Handshake Protocol](#)
- [SSL_Init\(\)--Initialize the Current Job for SSL](#)
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Header Files for UNIX-Type Functions

Programs using the UNIX-type functions must include one or more header files that contain information needed by the functions, such as:

- Macro definitions
- Data type definitions
- Structure definitions
- Function prototypes

The header files are provided in the QSYSINC library, which is optionally installable. Make sure QSYSINC is on your system before compiling programs that use these header files. For information on installing the QSYSINC library, see [Data structures and the QSYSINC Library](#).

The table below shows the file and member name in the QSYSINC library for each header file used by the UNIX-type APIs in this publication.

Name of Header File	Name of File in QSYSINC	Name of Member
arpa/inet.h	ARPA	INET
arpa/nameser.h	ARPA	NAMESER
bse.h	H	BSE
bsedos.h	H	BSEDOS
bseerr.h	H	BSEERR
dirent.h	H	DIRENT
errno.h	H	ERRNO
fcntl.h	H	FCNTL
grp.h	H	GRP
»inttypes.h	H	INTTYPES«
limits.h	H	LIMITS
»mman.h	H	MMAN«
netdb.h	H	NETDB
»netinet/icmp6.h	NETINET	ICMP6«
net/if.h	NET	IF
netinet/in.h	NETINET	IN
netinet/ip_icmp.h	NETINET	IP_ICMP
netinet/ip.h	NETINET	IP
»netinet/ip6.h	NETINET	IP6«
netinet/tcp.h	NETINET	TCP
netinet/udp.h	NETINET	UDP
netns/idp.h	NETNS	IDP
netns/ipx.h	NETNS	IPX
netns/ns.h	NETNS	NS
netns/sp.h	NETNS	SP
net/route.h	NET	ROUTE
nettel/tel.h	NETTEL	TEL

os2.h	H	OS2
os2def.h	H	OS2DEF
pwd.h	H	PWD
Qlg.h	H	QLG
qp0lflop.h	H	QP0LFLOP
»qp0ljrnl.h	H	QP0LJRNL«
»qp0lrord.h	H	QP0LRORD«
Qp0lstdi.h	H	QP0LSTDI
qp0wpid.h	H	QP0WPID
qp0zdipc.h	H	QP0ZDIPC
qp0zipc.h	H	QP0ZIPC
qp0zolip.h	H	QP0ZOLIP
qp0zolsm.h	H	QP0ZOLSM
qp0zripc.h	H	QP0ZRIPC
qp0ztrc.h	H	QP0ZTRC
qp0ztrml.h	H	QP0ZTRML
qp0z1170.h	H	QP0Z1170
»qsoasync.h	H	QSOASYNC«
qtnxaapi.h	H	QTNXAAPI
qtnxadtp.h	H	QTNXADTP
qtomeapi.h	H	QTOMEAPI
qtossapi.h	H	QTOSSAPI
resolv.h	H	RESOLVE
semaphore.h	H	SEMAPHORE
signal.h	H	SIGNAL
spawn.h	H	SPAWN
ssl.h	H	SSL
sys/errno.h	H	ERRNO
sys/ioctl.h	SYS	IOCTL
sys/ipc.h	SYS	IPC
sys/layout.h	H	LAYOUT
sys/limits.h	H	LIMITS
sys/msg.h	SYS	MSG
sys/param.h	SYS	PARAM
»sys/resource.h	SYS	RESOURCE«
sys/sem.h	SYS	SEM
sys/setjmp.h	SYS	SETJMP
sys/shm.h	SYS	SHM
sys/signal.h	SYS	SIGNAL
sys/socket.h	SYS	SOCKET
sys/stat.h	SYS	STAT
sys/statvfs.h	SYS	STATVFS

sys/time.h	SYS	TIME
sys/types.h	SYS	TYPES
sys/uio.h	SYS	UIO
sys/un.h	SYS	UN
sys/wait.h	SYS	WAIT
» ulimit.h	H	ULIMIT «
unistd.h	H	UNISTD
utime.h	H	UTIME

You can display a header file in QSYSINC by using one of the following methods:

- Using your editor. For example, to display the **unistd.h** header file using the Source Entry Utility editor, enter the following command:

```
STRSEU SRCFILE(QSYSINC/H) SRCMBR(UNISTD) OPTION(5)
```

- Using the Display Physical File Member command. For example, to display the **sys/stat.h** header file, enter the following command:

```
DSPPFM FILE(QSYSINC/SYS) MBR(STAT)
```

You can print a header file in QSYSINC by using one of the following methods:

- Using your editor. For example, to print the **unistd.h** header file using the Source Entry Utility editor, enter the following command:

```
STRSEU SRCFILE(QSYSINC/H) SRCMBR(UNISTD) OPTION(6)
```

- Using the Copy File command. For example, to print the **sys/stat.h** header file, enter the following command:

```
CPYF FROMFILE(QSYSINC/SYS) TOFILE(*PRINT) FROMMBR(STAT)
```

Symbolic links to these header files are also provided in directory /QIBM/include.

Errno Values for UNIX-Type Functions

Programs using the UNIX-type functions may receive error information as *errno* values. The possible values returned are listed here in ascending *errno* value sequence.

Name	Value	Text
EDOM	3001	A domain error occurred in a math function.
ERANGE	3002	A range error occurred.
ETRUNC	3003	Data was truncated on an input, output, or update operation.
ENOTOPEN	3004	File is not open.
ENOTREAD	3005	File is not opened for read operations.
EIO	3006	Input/output error.
ENODEV	3007	No such device.
ERECIO	3008	Cannot get single character for files opened for record I/O.
ENOTWRITE	3009	File is not opened for write operations.
ESTDIN	3010	The stdin stream cannot be opened.
ESTDOUT	3011	The stdout stream cannot be opened.
ESTDERR	3012	The stderr stream cannot be opened.
EBADSEEK	3013	The positioning parameter in fseek is not correct.
EBADNAME	3014	The object name specified is not correct.
EBADMODE	3015	The type variable specified on the open function is not correct.
EBADPOS	3017	The position specifier is not correct.
ENOPOS	3018	There is no record at the specified position.
ENUMMBRS	3019	Attempted to use ftell on multiple members.
ENUMRECS	3020	The current record position is too long for ftell.
EINVAL	3021	The value specified for the argument is not correct.
EBADFUNC	3022	Function parameter in the signal function is not set.
ENOENT	3025	No such path or directory.
ENOREC	3026	Record is not found.
EPERM	3027	The operation is not permitted.
EBADDATA	3028	Message data is not valid.
EBUSY	3029	Resource busy.
EBADOPT	3040	Option specified is not valid.
ENOTUPD	3041	File is not opened for update operations.
ENOTDLT	3042	File is not opened for delete operations.

EPAD	3043	The number of characters written is shorter than the expected record length.
EBADKEYLN	3044	A length that was not valid was specified for the key.
EPUTANDGET	3080	A read operation should not immediately follow a write operation.
EGETANDPUT	3081	A write operation should not immediately follow a read operation.
EIOERROR	3101	A nonrecoverable I/O error occurred.
EIORECERR	3102	A recoverable I/O error occurred.
EACCES	3401	Permission denied.
ENOTDIR	3403	Not a directory.
ENOSPC	3404	No space is available.
EXDEV	3405	Improper link.
EAGAIN	3406	Operation would have caused the process to be suspended.
EWOULDBLOCK	3406	Operation would have caused the process to be suspended.
EINTR	3407	Interrupted function call.
EFAULT	3408	The address used for an argument was not correct.
ETIME	3409	Operation timed out.
ENXIO	3415	No such device or address.
EAPAR	3418	Possible APAR condition or hardware failure.
ERECURSE	3419	Recursive attempt rejected.
EADDRINUSE	3420	Address already in use.
EADDRNOTAVAIL	3421	Address is not available.
EAFNOSUPPORT	3422	The type of socket is not supported in this protocol family.
EALREADY	3423	Operation is already in progress.
ECONNABORTED	3424	Connection ended abnormally.
ECONNREFUSED	3425	A remote host refused an attempted connect operation.
ECONNRESET	3426	A connection with a remote socket was reset by that socket.
EDESTADDRREQ	3427	Operation requires destination address.
EHOSTDOWN	3428	A remote host is not available.
EHOSTUNREACH	3429	A route to the remote host is not available.
EINPROGRESS	3430	Operation in progress.
EISCONN	3431	A connection has already been established.
EMSGSIZE	3432	Message size is out of range.
ENETDOWN	3433	The network currently is not available.
ENETRESET	3434	A socket is connected to a host that is no longer available.

ENETUNREACH	3435	Cannot reach the destination network.
ENOBUFS	3436	There is not enough buffer space for the requested operation.
ENOPROTOPT	3437	The protocol does not support the specified option.
ENOTCONN	3438	Requested operation requires a connection.
ENOTSOCK	3439	The specified descriptor does not reference a socket.
ENOTSUP	3440	Operation is not supported.
EOPNOTSUPP	3440	Operation is not supported.
EPFNOSUPPORT	3441	The socket protocol family is not supported.
EPROTONOSUPPORT	3442	No protocol of the specified type and domain exists.
EPROTOTYPE	3443	The socket type or protocols are not compatible.
ERCVDERR	3444	An error indication was sent by the peer program.
ESHUTDOWN	3445	Cannot send data after a shutdown.
ESOCKTNOSUPPORT	3446	The specified socket type is not supported.
ETIMEDOUT	3447	A remote host did not respond within the timeout period.
EUNATCH	3448	The protocol required to support the specified address family is not available at this time.
EBADF	3450	Descriptor is not valid.
EMFILE	3452	Too many open files for this process.
ENFILE	3453	Too many open files in the system.
EPIPE	3455	Broken pipe.
ECANCEL	3456	Operation cancelled.
EEXIST	3457	File exists.
EDEADLK	3459	Resource deadlock avoided.
ENOMEM	3460	Storage allocation request failed.
EOWNERTERM	3462	The synchronization object no longer exists because the owner is no longer running.
EDESTROYED	3463	The synchronization object was destroyed, or the object no longer exists.
ETERM	3464	Operation was terminated.
ENOENT1	3465	No such file or directory.
ENOEQFLOG	3466	Object is already linked to a dead directory.
EEMPTYDIR	3467	Directory is empty.
EMLINK	3468	Maximum link count for a file was exceeded.

ESPIPE	3469	Seek request is not supported for object.
ENOSYS	3470	Function not implemented.
EISDIR	3471	Specified target is a directory.
EROFS	3472	Read-only file system.
EUNKNOWN	3474	Unknown system state.
EITERBAD	3475	Iterator is not valid.
EITERSTE	3476	Iterator is in wrong state for operation.
EHRICLSBAD	3477	HRI class is not valid.
EHRICLBAD	3478	HRI subclass is not valid.
EHRITYPBAD	3479	HRI type is not valid.
ENOTAPPL	3480	Data requested is not applicable.
EHRIREQTYP	3481	HRI request type is not valid.
EHRINAMEBAD	3482	HRI resource name is not valid.
EDAMAGE	3484	A damaged object was encountered.
ELOOP	3485	A loop exists in the symbolic links.
ENAMETOOLONG	3486	A path name is too long.
ENOLCK	3487	No locks are available.
ENOTEMPTY	3488	Directory is not empty.
ENOSYSRSC	3489	System resources are not available.
ECONVERT	3490	Conversion error.
E2BIG	3491	Argument list is too long.
EILSEQ	3492	Conversion stopped due to input character that does not belong to the input codeset.
ETYPE	3493	Object type mismatch.
EBADDIR	3494	Attempted to reference a directory that was not found or was destroyed.
EBADOBJ	3495	Attempted to reference an object that was not found, was destroyed, or was damaged.
EIDXINVAL	3496	Data space index used as a directory is not valid.
ESOFTDAMAGE	3497	Object has soft damage.
ENOTENROLL	3498	User is not enrolled in system distribution directory.
EOffline	3499	Object is suspended.
EROOBJ	3500	Object is a read-only object.
EEAHDDSI	3501	Hard damage on extended attribute data space index.
EEASDDSI	3502	Soft damage on extended attribute data space index.
EEAHDDS	3503	Hard damage on extended attribute data space.
EEASDDS	3504	Soft damage on extended attribute data space.
EEADUPRC	3505	Duplicate extended attribute record.

ELOCKED	3506	Area being read from or written to is locked.
EFBIG	3507	Object too large.
EIDRM	3509	The semaphore, shared memory, or message queue identifier is removed from the system.
ENOMSG	3510	The queue does not contain a message of the desired type and (msgflg logically ANDed with IPC_NOWAIT).
EFILECVT	3511	File ID conversion of a directory failed.
EBADFID	3512	A file ID could not be assigned when linking an object to a directory.
ESTALE	3513	File handle was rejected by server.
ESRCH	3515	No such process.
ENOTSIGINIT	3516	Process is not enabled for signals.
ECHILD	3517	No child process.
EBADH	3520	Handle is not valid.
ETOOMANYREFS	3523	The operation would have exceeded the maximum number of references allowed for a descriptor.
ENOTSAFE	3524	Function is not allowed.
E_OVERFLOW	3525	Object is too large to process.
EJRNDDAMAGE	3526	Journal is damaged.
EJRNINACTIVE	3527	Journal is inactive.
EJRNRCVSPC	3528	Journal space or system storage error.
EJRNRMNT	3529	Journal is remote.
ENEWJRNRCV	3530	New journal receiver is needed.
ENEWJRN	3531	New journal is needed.
EJOURNALED	3532	Object already journaled.
EJRNENTTOOLONG	3533	Entry is too large to send.
EDATALINK	3534	Object is a datalink object.
ENOTAVAIL	3535	IASP is not available.
ENOTTY	3536	I/O control operation is not appropriate.
EFBIG2	3540	Attempt to write or truncate file past its sort file size limit.
ETXTBSY	3543	Text file busy.
EASPGRPNOTSET	3544	ASP group not set for thread.
ERESTART	3545	A system call was interrupted and may be restarted.