

# globus gsi proxy ssl Reference Manual

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## 1 Globus GSI Proxy SSL API

The `globus_gsi_proxy_ssl` library provides the ability to create a `PROXYCERTINFO` extension for inclusion in an X509 certificate. The current specification for the extension is described in the Internet Draft Document: `draft-ietf-pkix-proxy-08.txt`

The library conforms to the ASN1 implementation in the `OPENSSL` library (0.9.6, formerly `SSLeay`), and provides an interface to convert from a DER encoded `PROXYCERTINFO` to its internal structure and vice-versa.

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### 4.1 ProxyCertInfo

#### Data Structures

- struct [PROXYCERTINFO\\_st](#)

## ASN1\_METHOD

- ASN1\_METHOD \* PROXYCERTINFO\_asn1\_meth ()

## New

- PROXYCERTINFO \* PROXYCERTINFO\_new ()

## Free.

- void PROXYCERTINFO\_free (PROXYCERTINFO \*cert\_info)

## Duplicate

- PROXYCERTINFO \* PROXYCERTINFO\_dup (PROXYCERTINFO \*cert\_info)

## Compare

- int PROXYCERTINFO\_cmp (const PROXYCERTINFO \*a, const PROXYCERTINFO \*b)

## Print to a BIO stream

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## Print To Stream

- int PROXYCERTINFO\_print\_fp (FILE \*fp, PROXYCERTINFO \*cert\_info)

## Set the Policy Field

- int PROXYCERTINFO\_set\_policy (PROXYCERTINFO \*cert\_info, PROXYPOLICY \*policy)

## Get the Policy Field

- PROXYPOLICY \* PROXYCERTINFO\_get\_policy (PROXYCERTINFO \*cert\_info)

## Set the Path Length Field

- int PROXYCERTINFO\_set\_path\_length (PROXYCERTINFO \*cert\_info, long path\_length)

## Get Path Length Field

- long PROXYCERTINFO\_get\_path\_length (PROXYCERTINFO \*cert\_info)

## Convert PROXYCERTINFO to DER encoded form

- int i2d\_PROXYCERTINFO (PROXYCERTINFO \*cert\_info, unsigned char \*\*pp)

### Convert a PROXYCERTINFO to internal form

- **PROXYCERTINFO \* d2i\_PROXYCERTINFO** (**PROXYCERTINFO** \*\*cert\_info, unsigned char \*\*pp, long length)

### Convert old PROXYCERTINFO to DER encoded form

- int **i2d\_PROXYCERTINFO\_OLD** (**PROXYCERTINFO** \*cert\_info, unsigned char \*\*pp)

### Convert a old PROXYCERTINFO to internal form

- **PROXYCERTINFO \* d2i\_PROXYCERTINFO\_OLD** (**PROXYCERTINFO** \*\*cert\_info, unsigned char \*\*pp, long length)

## 4.1.1 Detailed Description

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The [proxycertinfo.h](#) file defines a method of maintaining information about proxy certificates.

## 4.1.2 Function Documentation

### 4.1.2.1 ASN1\_METHOD\* PROXYCERTINFO\_asn1\_meth ()

Define the functions required for manipulating a PROXYCERTINFO and its ASN1 form.

Creates an ASN1\_METHOD structure, which contains pointers to routines that convert any PROXYCERTINFO structure to its associated ASN1 DER encoded form and vice-versa.

### Returns:

the ASN1\_METHOD object

### 4.1.2.2 PROXYCERTINFO\* PROXYCERTINFO\_new ()

Create a new PROXYCERTINFO.

Allocates and initializes a new PROXYCERTINFO structure.

### Returns:

pointer to the new PROXYCERTINFO

### 4.1.2.3 void PROXYCERTINFO\_free (PROXYCERTINFO \* cert\_info)

Free a PROXYCERTINFO.

### Parameters:

*cert\_info* pointer to the PROXYCERTINFO structure to be freed.

#### 4.1.2.4 **PROXYCERTINFO\*** PROXYCERTINFO\_dup (**PROXYCERTINFO** \* *cert\_info*)

Makes a copy of a PROXYCERTINFO.

Makes a copy of a PROXYCERTINFO structure

##### Parameters:

*cert\_info* the PROXYCERTINFO structure to copy

##### Returns:

the copied PROXYCERTINFO structure

#### 4.1.2.5 **int** PROXYCERTINFO\_cmp (const **PROXYCERTINFO** \* *a*, const **PROXYCERTINFO** \* *b*)

Compares two PROXYCERTINFO structures

##### Parameters:

*a* pointer to the first PROXYCERTINFO structure

*b* pointer to the second PROXYCERTINFO structure

##### Returns:

an integer - the result of the comparison. The comparison compares each of the fields, so if any of those fields are not equal then a nonzero value is returned. Equality is indicated by returning a 0.

#### 4.1.2.6 **int** PROXYCERTINFO\_print (BIO \* *bp*, **PROXYCERTINFO** \* *cert\_info*)

print the PROXYCERTINFO structure to stdout

##### Parameters:

*bp* the BIO to print to

*cert\_info* the PROXYCERTINFO to print

##### Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error

#### 4.1.2.7 **int** PROXYCERTINFO\_print\_fp (FILE \* *fp*, **PROXYCERTINFO** \* *cert\_info*)

print the PROXYCERTINFO structure to the specified file stream

##### Parameters:

*fp* the file stream (FILE \*) to print to

*cert\_info* the PROXYCERTINFO structure to print

##### Returns:

the number of characters printed

#### 4.1.2.8 int PROXYCERTINFO\_set\_policy (PROXYCERTINFO \* cert\_info, PROXYPOLICY \* policy)

Sets the policy on the PROXYCERTINFO. Since this is an optional field in the ASN1 encoding, this variable can be set to NULL through this function - which means that when the PROXYCERTINFO is encoded the policy won't be included.

##### Parameters:

*cert\_info* the PROXYCERTINFO object to set the policy of

*policy* the PROXYPOLICY to set it to

##### Returns:

1 if success, 0 if error

#### 4.1.2.9 PROXYPOLICY\* PROXYCERTINFO\_get\_policy (PROXYCERTINFO \* cert\_info)

Gets the policy on the PROXYCERTINFO

##### Parameters:

*cert\_info* the PROXYCERTINFO to get the policy of

##### Returns:

the PROXYPOLICY of the PROXYCERTINFO

#### 4.1.2.10 int PROXYCERTINFO\_set\_path\_length (PROXYCERTINFO \* cert\_info, long path\_length)

Sets the path length of the PROXYCERTINFO. The path length specifies the maximum depth of the path of the Proxy Certificates that can be signed by an End Entity Certificate (EEC) or Proxy Certificate.

Since this is an optional field in its ASN1 coded representation, it can be set to NULL through this function - which means that it won't be included in the encoding.

##### Parameters:

*cert\_info* the PROXYCERTINFO to set the path length of

*path\_length* the path length to set it to if -1 is passed in, the path length gets unset, which configures the PROXYCERTINFO to not include the path length in the DER encoding

##### Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error

#### 4.1.2.11 long PROXYCERTINFO\_get\_path\_length (PROXYCERTINFO \* cert\_info)

Gets the path length of the PROXYCERTINFO.

##### See also:

[PROXYCERTINFO\\_set\\_path\\_length](#)

##### Parameters:

*cert\_info* the PROXYCERTINFO to get the path length from

##### Returns:

the path length of the PROXYCERTINFO, or -1 if not set

#### 4.1.2.12 int i2d\_PROXYCERTINFO ([PROXYCERTINFO](#) \* *cert\_info*, unsigned char \*\* *pp*)

Converts the PROXYCERTINFO structure from internal format to a DER encoded ASN.1 string

##### Parameters:

*cert\_info* the PROXYCERTINFO structure to convert  
*pp* the resulting DER encoded string

##### Returns:

the length of the DER encoded string

#### 4.1.2.13 [PROXYCERTINFO](#)\* d2i\_PROXYCERTINFO ([PROXYCERTINFO](#) \*\* *cert\_info*, unsigned char \*\* *pp*, long *length*)

Convert from a DER encoded ASN.1 string of a PROXYCERTINFO to its internal structure

##### Parameters:

*cert\_info* the resulting PROXYCERTINFO in internal form  
*pp* the DER encoded ASN.1 string containing the PROXYCERTINFO  
*length* the length of the buffer

##### Returns:

the resulting PROXYCERTINFO in internal form

#### 4.1.2.14 int i2d\_PROXYCERTINFO\_OLD ([PROXYCERTINFO](#) \* *cert\_info*, unsigned char \*\* *pp*)

Converts the old PROXYCERTINFO structure from internal format to a DER encoded ASN.1 string

##### Parameters:

*cert\_info* the old PROXYCERTINFO structure to convert  
*pp* the resulting DER encoded string

##### Returns:

the length of the DER encoded string

#### 4.1.2.15 [PROXYCERTINFO](#)\* d2i\_PROXYCERTINFO\_OLD ([PROXYCERTINFO](#) \*\* *cert\_info*, unsigned char \*\* *pp*, long *length*)

Convert from a DER encoded ASN.1 string of a old PROXYCERTINFO to its internal structure

##### Parameters:

*cert\_info* the resulting old PROXYCERTINFO in internal form  
*pp* the DER encoded ASN.1 string containing the old PROXYCERTINFO  
*length* the length of the buffer

##### Returns:

the resulting old PROXYCERTINFO in internal form

## 4.2 ProxyPolicy

### Data Structures

- struct [PROXYPOLICY\\_st](#)

### Get a method for ASN1 conversion

- ASN1\_METHOD \* [PROXYPOLICY\\_asn1\\_meth](#) ()

### New

- [PROXYPOLICY](#) \* [PROXYPOLICY\\_new](#) ()

### Free

- void [PROXYPOLICY\\_free](#) ([PROXYPOLICY](#) \*policy)

### Duplicate

- [PROXYPOLICY](#) \* [PROXYPOLICY\\_dup](#) ([PROXYPOLICY](#) \*policy)

### Compare

- int [PROXYPOLICY\\_cmp](#) (const [PROXYPOLICY](#) \*a, const [PROXYPOLICY](#) \*b)

### Print to a BIO stream

- int [PROXYPOLICY\\_print](#) (BIO \*bp, [PROXYPOLICY](#) \*policy)

### Print to a File Stream

- int [PROXYPOLICY\\_print\\_fp](#) (FILE \*fp, [PROXYPOLICY](#) \*policy)

### Set the Policy Language Field

- int [PROXYPOLICY\\_set\\_policy\\_language](#) ([PROXYPOLICY](#) \*policy, ASN1\_OBJECT \*policy\_language)

### Get the Policy Language Field

- ASN1\_OBJECT \* [PROXYPOLICY\\_get\\_policy\\_language](#) ([PROXYPOLICY](#) \*policy)

### Set the Policy Field

- int [PROXYPOLICY\\_set\\_policy](#) ([PROXYPOLICY](#) \*proxypolicy, unsigned char \*policy, int length)

### Get the Policy Field

- unsigned char \* [PROXYPOLICY\\_get\\_policy](#) ([PROXYPOLICY](#) \*policy, int \*length)

### Convert from Internal to DER encoded form

- int [i2d\\_PROXYPOLICY](#) ([PROXYPOLICY](#) \*a, unsigned char \*\*pp)



## Convert from DER encoded form to Internal

- `PROXYPOLICY * d2i_PROXYPOLICY (PROXYPOLICY **a, unsigned char **pp, long length)`

### 4.2.1 Detailed Description

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The proxypolicy set of data structures and functions provides an interface to generating a PROXYPOLICY structure which is maintained as a field in the PROXYCERTINFO structure, and ultimately gets written to a DER encoded string.

**See also:**

Further Information about proxy policies is available in the [X.509 Proxy Certificate Profile](#) document.

### 4.2.2 Function Documentation

#### 4.2.2.1 `ASN1_METHOD* PROXYPOLICY_asn1_meth ()`

Creates an ASN1\_METHOD structure, which contains pointers to routines that convert any PROXYPOLICY structure to its associated ASN1 DER encoded form and vice-versa.

**Returns:**

the ASN1\_METHOD object

#### 4.2.2.2 `PROXYPOLICY* PROXYPOLICY_new ()`

Allocates and initializes a new PROXYPOLICY structure.

**Returns:**

pointer to the new PROXYPOLICY

#### 4.2.2.3 `void PROXYPOLICY_free (PROXYPOLICY *policy)`

Frees a PROXYPOLICY

**Parameters:**

*policy* the proxy policy to free

#### 4.2.2.4 `PROXYPOLICY* PROXYPOLICY_dup (PROXYPOLICY *policy)`

Makes a copy of the proxypolicy - this function allocates space for a new PROXYPOLICY, so the returned PROXYPOLICY must be freed when its no longer needed

**Parameters:**

*policy* the proxy policy to copy

**Returns:**

the new PROXYPOLICY

#### 4.2.2.5 int PROXYPOLICY\_cmp (const PROXYPOLICY \* *a*, const PROXYPOLICY \* *b*)

Compares two PROXYPOLICY structs for equality This function first compares the policy language numeric id's, if they're equal, it then compares the two policies.

##### Returns:

0 if equal, nonzero if not

#### 4.2.2.6 int PROXYPOLICY\_print (BIO \* *bp*, PROXYPOLICY \* *policy*)

Prints the PROXYPOLICY struct using the BIO stream

##### Parameters:

*bp* the BIO stream to print to

*policy* the PROXYPOLICY to print

##### Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error

#### 4.2.2.7 int PROXYPOLICY\_print\_fp (FILE \* *fp*, PROXYPOLICY \* *policy*)

Prints the PROXYPOLICY to the file stream FILE\*

##### Parameters:

*fp* the FILE\* stream to print to

*policy* the PROXYPOLICY to print

##### Returns:

number of bytes printed, -2 or -1 on error

#### 4.2.2.8 int PROXYPOLICY\_set\_policy\_language (PROXYPOLICY \* *policy*, ASN1\_OBJECT \* *policy\_language*)

Sets the policy language of the PROXYPOLICY

##### Parameters:

*policy* the PROXYPOLICY to set the policy language of

*policy\_language* the policy language to set it to

##### Returns:

1 on success, 0 on error

#### 4.2.2.9 ASN1\_OBJECT\* PROXYPOLICY\_get\_policy\_language (PROXYPOLICY \* *policy*)

Gets the policy language of the PROXYPOLICY

##### Parameters:

*policy* the proxy policy to get the policy language of

##### Returns:

the policy language as an ASN1\_OBJECT

**4.2.2.10** `int PROXYPOLICY_set_policy (PROXYPOLICY * proxypolicy, unsigned char * policy, int length)`

Sets the policy of the PROXYPOLICY

**Parameters:**

*proxypolicy* the proxy policy to set the policy of

*policy* the policy to set it to

*length* the length of the policy

**Returns:**

1 on success, 0 on error

**4.2.2.11** `unsigned char* PROXYPOLICY_get_policy (PROXYPOLICY * policy, int * length)`

Gets the policy of a PROXYPOLICY

**Parameters:**

*policy* the PROXYPOLICY to get the policy of

*length* the length of the returned policy - this value gets set by this function

**Returns:**

the policy

**4.2.2.12** `int i2d_PROXYPOLICY (PROXYPOLICY * a, unsigned char ** pp)`

Converts a PROXYPOLICY from its internal structure to a DER encoded form

**Parameters:**

*a* the PROXYPOLICY to convert

*pp* the buffer to put the DER encoding in

**Returns:**

the length of the DER encoding in bytes

**4.2.2.13** `PROXYPOLICY* d2i_PROXYPOLICY (PROXYPOLICY ** a, unsigned char ** pp, long length)`

Converts the PROXYPOLICY from its DER encoded form to an internal PROXYPOLICY structure

**Parameters:**

*a* the PROXYPOLICY struct to set

*pp* the DER encoding to get the PROXYPOLICY from

*length* the length of the DER encoding

**Returns:**

the resulting PROXYPOLICY in its internal structure form - this variable has been allocated using `_new` routines, so it needs to be freed once its no longer used

## 5 globus gsi proxy ssl Data Structure Documentation

### 5.1 PROXYCERTINFO\_st Struct Reference

#### 5.1.1 Detailed Description

This typedef maintains information about a proxy certificate.

**Note:**

NOTE: The API provides functions to manipulate the fields of a PROXYCERTINFO. Accessing the fields directly is not a good idea.

**Parameters:**

*path\_length* an optional field in the ANS.1 DER encoding, it specifies the maximum depth of the path of Proxy Certificates that can be signed by this End Entity Certificate or Proxy Certificate.

*policy* a non-optional field in the ANS.1 DER encoding, specifies policies on the use of this certificate.

### 5.2 PROXYPOLICY\_st Struct Reference

#### 5.2.1 Detailed Description

**Note:**

NOTE: The API provides functions to manipulate the fields of a PROXYPOLICY. Accessing the fields directly will not work.

This typedef maintains information about the policies that have been placed on a proxy certificate

**Parameters:**

*policy\_language* defines which policy language is to be used to define the policies

*policy* the policy that determines the policies on a certificate

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