

**NAME**

CURLOPT\_RANDOM\_FILE – specify a source for random data

**SYNOPSIS**

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

```
CURLcode curl_easy_setopt(CURL *handle, CURLOPT_RANDOM_FILE, char *path);
```

**DESCRIPTION**

Pass a char \* to a zero terminated file name. The file will be used to read from to seed the random engine for SSL and more.

**DEFAULT**

NULL, not used

**PROTOCOLS**

All

**EXAMPLE**

TODO

**AVAILABILITY**

Always

**RETURN VALUE**

Returns CURLE\_OK on success or CURLE\_OUT\_OF\_MEMORY if there was insufficient heap space.

**SEE ALSO**

CURLOPT\_EGDSOCKET(3),