

NAME

RAND_cleanup - erase the PRNG state

SYNOPSIS

```
#include <openssl/rand.h>

#if OPENSSSL_API_COMPAT < 0x10100000L
void RAND_cleanup(void)
#endif
```

DESCRIPTION

Prior to OpenSSL 1.1.0 *RAND_cleanup()* erases the memory used by the PRNG. This function is deprecated and as of version 1.1.0 does nothing. No explicit initialisation or de-initialisation is necessary. See [OPENSSL_init_crypto\(3\)](#).

RETURN VALUE

RAND_cleanup() returns no value.

SEE ALSO

[rand\(3\)](#)

HISTORY

RAND_cleanup() was deprecated in OpenSSL 1.1.0.

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