

**NAME**

sasl\_checkapop - Cyrus SASL documentation

**SYNOPSIS**

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

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                  const char *challenge,  
                  unsigned challen,  
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**DESCRIPTION**

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**sasl\_checkapop** will check an APOP challenge/response. APOP is an optional POP3 (*RFC 1939*) authentication command which uses a shared secret (password). The password is stored in the SASL secrets database. For information on the SASL shared secrets database see the System Administrators Guide.

If called with a NULL challenge, `sasl_checkapop()` will check to see if the APOP mechanism is enabled.

**RETURN VALUE**

`sasl_checkapop` returns an integer which corresponds to one of the following codes. **SASL\_OK** indicates that the authentication is complete. All other return codes indicate errors and should either be handled or the authentication session should be quit. See `sasl_errors(3)` for meanings of return codes.

**CONFORMING TO**

*RFC 4422, RFC 1939*

**SEE ALSO**

sasl(3), sasl\_errors(3)

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