## libdwarf

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- B) Are the titles on the Modules page meaningful to you?

Anything else you find misleading or confusing? Thanks in advance for any suggestions.

### 1.2 Introduction

This document describes an interface to *libdwarf*, a library of functions to provide access to DWARF debugging information records, DWARF line number information, DWARF address range and global names information, weak names information, DWARF frame description information, DWARF static function names, DWARF static variables, and DWARF type information. In addition the library provides access to several object sections (created by compiler writers and for debuggers) related to debugging but not mentioned in any DWARF standard.

The document has long mentioned the "Unix International Programming Languages Special Interest Group" (PL ← SIG), under whose auspices the DWARF committee was formed around 1991. "Unix International" was disbanded in the 1990s and no longer exists.

The DWARF committee published DWARF2 July 27, 1993.

In the mid 1990s this document and the library it describes (which the committee never endorsed, having decided not to endorse or approve any particular library interface) was made available on the internet by Silicon Graphics, Inc.

In 2005 the DWARF committee began an affiliation with FreeStandards.org. In 2007 FreeStandards.org merged with The Linux Foundation. The DWARF committee dropped its affiliation with FreeStandards.org in 2007 and established the dwarfstd.org website. See "http://www.dwarfstd.org" for current information on standardization activities and a copy of the standard.

## 1.3 Thread Safety

Libdwarf can safely open multiple Dwarf\_Debug pointers simultaneously but all such Dwarf\_Debug pointers must be opened within the same thread. And all *libdwarf* calls must be made from within that single (same) thread.

## 1.4 Error Handling in libdwarf

Essentially every *libdwarf* call could involve dealing with an error (possibly data corruption in the object file). Here we explain the two main approaches the library provides (though we think only one of them is truly appropriate except in toy programs).

**A)The suggested approach** is to define a Dwarf\_Error.

```
Dwarf_Error error = 0;
```

Then, in every call where there is a Dwarf\_Error argument pass its address int res = dwarf\_tag(die,DW\_TAG\_compile\_unit,&error);

```
The possible return values to res are, in general: _{\text{DW\_DLV\_OK}}
```

```
DW_DLV_OK
DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY
DW_DLV_ERROR
```

If DW\_DLV\_ERROR is returned then error is set (by the library) to a pointer to important details about the error. If DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY or DW\_DLV\_OK is returned the error argument is ignored by the library.

Some functions cannot possibly return some of these three values. As defined later for each function.

```
B) An alternative (not recommended) approach is to pass NULL to the error argument. int res = dwarf_tag(die,DW_TAG_compile_unit,NULL);
```

If your initialization provided an 'errhand' function pointer argument (see below) the library will call errhand if an error is encountered. (Your errhand function could simply exit if you so choose.)

The the library will then return DW\_DLV\_ERROR, though you will have no way to identify what the error was. Could be a malloc fail or data corruption or an invalid argument to the call, or something else.

That is the whole picture. The library never calls exit() under any circumstances.

### 1.4.1 Error Handling at initialization

### Each initialization call (for example)

```
dwarf_init_path(args...)
```

has two arguments that appear nowhere else in the library.

```
Dwarf_Handler dw_errhand
Dwarf_Ptr dw_errarg
```

If you use the suggested A) approach just pass NULL to both those arguments.

Note that dw\_errarg is a pointer so one could create a struct with data of interest and use that pointer as the dw\_\circ
errarg. Or one could put an integer in there or simply NULL, it just depends what you want to do in the Dwarf\_Handler
function you write.

```
If you wish to provide a dw_errhand, define a function (this first example is not a good choice)
```

```
(unsigned long)dwarf_errno(error),
     dwarf_errmsg(error));
exit(1)
}
```

and pass bad\_dw\_errhandler (as a function pointer, no parentheses The Dwarf\_Ptr argument is the value you passed in as dw\_errarg, and can be anything. By doing an exit() you guarantee that your application abruptly stops. This is only acceptable to toy or practice programs.

### A better dw errhand function is

```
void my_dw_errhandler(Dwarf_Error error,Dwarf_Ptr ptr)
{
    /* Clearly one could write to a log file or do
        whatever the application finds useful. */
    printf("ERROR on %lx due to error 0x%lx %s\n",
            (unsigned long)ptr,
            (unsigned long)dwarf_errno(error),
            dwarf_errmsg(error));
}
```

because it returns. The DW\_DLV\_ERROR code is returned from *libdwarf* and your code can do what it likes with the error situation.

```
Dwarf_Ptr x = address of some struct I want in the errhandler;
res = dwarf_init_path(...,my_dw_errhandler,x,...);
if (res == ...)
```

If you do not wish to provide a dw errhand, just pass both arguments as NULL.

### 1.4.2 Error Handling Everywhere

So let us examine a case where anything could happen. And here we are taking the recommeded method of using a non-null dwarf\_Error\*:

```
int func(Dwarf_Dbg dbg,Dwarf_Die die, Dwarf_Error* error) {
   Dwarf_Die newdie = 0;
   res = dwarf_siblingof_b(die,&newdie,error);
   if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
      return res;
   }
   /* Do something with newdie. */
   dwarf_dealloc_die(newdie);
   newdie = 0;
}
```

If res == DW\_DLV\_OK, then newdie is a DIE pointer and when appropriate we should do dwarf\_dealloc\_die(newdie)

If res == DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY, then newdie is not set and there is no error. In this case it means die was the last of a siblinglist. The exact meaning of course depends on the call.

If res == DW\_DLV\_ERROR then something really bad happened. The only way to know what is to examine the \*error as in

```
int ev = dwarf_errno(*error);
or
char * msg = dwarf_errmsg(*error);
or both and report that somehow.
```

If it's a decently large program then you want to free any local memory and return res. If a small and unimportant program print something and exit.

If you want to discard the error report then

```
dwarf_dealloc_error(dbg,*error);
*error = 0;
return DW_DLV_OK;
/* or DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY */
```

That's all there is to it.

## 1.5 Line Table Registers

Line Table Registers

Please refer to the DWARF5 Standard for details. The line table registers are named in Section 6.2.2 State Machine Registers and are not much changed from DWARF2.

Certain functions on Dwarf\_Line data return values for these 'registers' as these are the data available for debuggers and other tools to relate code addresses to source file locations.

address
op\_index
file
line
column
is\_stmt
basic\_block
end\_sequence
prologue\_end
epilogue\_begin
isa
discriminator

## 1.6 Reading Special Sections Independently

DWARF defines (in each version of DWARF) sections which have a somewhat special character.

These are referenced from compilation units and other places and the Standard does not forbid blocks of random bytes at the start or end or between the areas referenced from elsewhere.

Sometimes compilers (or linkers) leave trash behind as a result of optimizations. If there is a lot of space wasted that way it is quality of implementation issue. But usually the wasted space, if any, is small.

Compiler writers or others may be interested in looking at these sections independently so *libdwarf* provides functions that allow reading the sections without reference to what references them.

Abbreviations can be read independently

Strings can be read independently

String Offsets can be read independently

Those functions allow starting at byte 0 of the section and provide a length so you can calculate the next section offset to call or refer to.

Usually that works fine. But if there is some random data somewhere outside of referenced areas the reader function may fail, returning DW\_DLV\_ERROR. Such an error is neither a compiler bug nor a *libdwarf* bug.

## 1.7 Special Frame Registers

In dealing with .debug\_frame or .eh\_frame there are a few related values that must be set unless one has relatively few registers in the target ABI (anything under 188 registers, see <a href="dwarf.h">dwarf.h</a> DW\_FRAME\_LAST\_REG\_NUM for this default).

The requirements stem from the design of the section. See the DWARF5 Standard for details.

Keep in mind that register values correspond to columns in the theoretical fully complete table of a row per pc and a column per register.

There is no time or space penalty in setting Undefined\_Value, Same\_Value, and CFA\_Column much larger than the Table Size.

Here are the five values.

**Table\_Size:** This sets the number of columns in the theoretical table. It starts at DW\_FRAME\_LAST\_REG\_NUM which defaults to 188. This is the only value you might need to change, given the defaults of the others are set reasonably large by default.

**Undefined\_Value:** A register number that means the register value is undefined. For example due to a call clobbering the register. DW\_FRAME\_UNDEFINED\_VAL defaults to 12288. There no such column in the table.

**Same\_Value:** A register number that means the register value is the same as the value at the call. Nothing can have clobbered it. DW\_FRAME\_SAME\_VAL defaults to 12289. There no such column in the table.

**Initial\_Value:** The value must be either DW\_FRAME\_UNDEFINED\_VAL or DW\_FRAME\_SAME\_VAL to represent how most registers are to be thought of at a function call. This is a property of the ABI and instruction set. Specific frame instructions in the CIE or FDE will override this for registers not matching this value.

**CFA\_Column:** A number for the CFA. Defined so we can use a register number to refer to it. DW\_FRAME\_CFA COL defaults to 12290. There no such column in the table. See libdwarf.h struct member rt3\_cfa\_rule or function dwarf\_get\_fde\_info\_for\_cfa\_reg3\_b .

A set of functions allow these to be changed at runtime. The set should be called (if needed) immediately after initializing a Dwarf\_Debug and before any other calls on that Dwarf\_Debug. If just one value (for example, Table—Size) needs altering, then just call that single function.

For the library accessing frame data to work properly there are certain invariants that must be true once the set of functions have been called.

### REQUIRED:

```
Table_Size > the number of registers in the ABI.
Undefined_Value != Same_Value
CFA_Column != Undefined_value
CFA_Column != Same_value
Initial_Value == Same_Value ||
    (Initial_Value == Undefined_value)
Undefined_Value > Table_Size
Same_Value > Table_Size
CFA_Column > Table_Size
```

### 1.8 .debug pubnames etc DWARF2-DWARF4

Each section consists of a header for a specific compilation unit (CU) followed by an a set of tuples, each tuple consisting of an offset of a compilation unit followed by a null-terminated namestring. The tuple set is ended by a 0,0 pair. Then followed with the data for the next CU and so on.

The function set provided for each such section allows one to print all the section data as it literally appears in the section (with headers and tuples) or to treat it as a single array with CU data columns.

### Each has a set of 6 functions.

```
Section typename Standard main function
debug_pubnames Dwarf_Global DWARF2-DWARF4 dwarf_get_globals
debug_pubtypes Dwarf_Type DWARF3,DWARF4 dwarf_get_pubtypes
```

The following four were defined in SGI/IRIX compilers in the 1990s but never part of the DWARF standard.

### It not likely you will encounter these.

```
    .debug_funcs
    Dwarf_Func
    None
    dwarf_get_funcs

    .debug_typenames
    Dwarf_Type
    None
    dwarf_get_types

    .debug_vars
    Dwarf_Var
    None
    dwarf_get_vars

    .debug_weaks
    Dwarf_Weak
    None
    dwarf_get_weaks
```

## 1.9 Reading DWARF with no object file present

This most commonly happens with just-in-time compilation, and someone working on the code wants do debug this on-the-fly code in a situation where nothing can be written to disc, but DWARF can be constructed in memory.

For a simple example of this

See also

Jitreader Demonstrating DWARF without a file.

But the libdwarf feature can be used in a wide variety of ways.

For example, the DWARF data could be kept in simple files of bytes on the internet. Or on the local net. Or if files can be written locally each section could be kept in a simple stream of bytes in the local file system.

Another example is a non-standard file system, or file format, with the intent of obfuscating the file or the DWARF.

For this to work the code generator must generate standard DWARF.

Overall the idea is a simple one: You write a small handful of functions and supply function pointers and code implementing the functions. These are part of your application or library, not part of *libdwarf*.

You set up a little bit of data with that code (all described below) and then you have essentially written the dwarf — \_init\_path equivalent and you can access compilation units, line tables etc and the standard *libdwarf* function calls simply work.

Data you need to create involves these types. What follows describes how to fill them in and how to make them work for you.

```
(*om_get_section_info) (void* obj,
        Dwarf_Half section_index,
        Dwarf_Obj_Access_Section_a* return_section,
        int* error);
    Dwarf Small
                     (*om_get_byte_order)(void* obj);
    Dwarf Small
                    (*om get length size)(void* obi);
    Dwarf_Small
                    (*om_get_pointer_size)(void* obj);
    Dwarf_Unsigned (*om_get_filesize) (void* obj);
    Dwarf_Unsigned (*om_get_section_count)(void* obj);
                     (*om load section) (void* obj,
        Dwarf_Half section_index,
        Dwarf_Small** return_data, int* error);
                     (*om_relocate_a_section) (void* obj,
    int
        Dwarf_Half section_index,
        Dwarf_Debug dbg,
        int* error);
typedef struct Dwarf_Obj_Access_Section_a_s
    Dwarf_Obj_Access_Section_a
struct Dwarf_Obj_Access_Section_a_s {
    const char*
                  as name;
    Dwarf_Unsigned as_type;
    Dwarf_Unsigned as_flags;
    Dwarf Addr
                  as addr;
    Dwarf_Unsigned as_offset;
    Dwarf_Unsigned as_size;
    Dwarf_Unsigned as_link;
    Dwarf_Unsigned as_info;
    Dwarf_Unsigned as_addralign;
    Dwarf_Unsigned as_entrysize;
};
```

**Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Section\_a:** Your implementation of a **om\_get\_section\_info** must simply fill in a few fields (leaving most zero) for *libdwarf*. The fields here are standard Elf, but for most you can just use the value zero. We assume here you will not be doing relocations at runtime.

**as\_name:** Here you set a section name via the pointer. The section names must be names as defined in the DWARF standard, so if such do not appear in your data you have to create the strings yourself.

as\_type: Just fill in zero.

as\_flags: Just fill in zero.

as addr: Fill in the address, in local memory, where the bytes of the section are.

as\_offset: Just fill in zero.

as\_size: Fill in the size, in bytes, of the section you are telling libdwarf about.

as\_link: Just fill in zero.

as info: Just fill in zero.

as addralign:Just fill in zero.

as entrysize: Just fill in one.

Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Methods\_a\_s: The functions we need to access object data from libdwarf are declared here.

In these function pointer declarations 'void \*obj' is intended to be a pointer (the object field in Dwarf\_Obj\_Access — Interface\_s) that hides the library-specific and object-specific data that makes it possible to handle multiple object formats and multiple libraries. It's not required that one handles multiple such in a single *libdwarf* archive/shared-library (but not ruled out either). See dwarf\_elf\_object\_access\_internals\_t and dwarf\_elf\_access.c for an example.

Usually the struct **Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Methods\_a\_s** is statically defined and the function pointers are set at compile time.

The om\_get\_filesize member is new September 4, 2021. Its position is NOT at the end of the list. The member names all now have om\_prefix.

### 1.10 Section Groups. Debug Fission. COMDAT groups

A typical executable or shared object is unlikely to have any section groups, and in that case what follows is irrelevant and unimportant.

COMDAT groups enable compilers and linkers to work together to eliminate blocks of duplicate DWARF and duplicate CODE.

Debug Fission allows compilers and linkers to separate large amounts of DWARF from the executable, shrinking disk space needed in the executable while allowing full debugging (which also applies to shared objects).

See the DWARF5 Standard, Section E.1 Using Compilation Units page 364.

To name such groups (defined later here) we add the following defines to libdwarf.h (the standard does not specify how to do any of this).

```
/* These support opening DWARF5 split dwarf objects and
   Elf SHT_GROUP blocks of DWARF sections. */
#define DW_GROUPNUMBER_ANY 0
#define DW_GROUPNUMBER_BASE 1
#define DW_GROUPNUMBER_DWO 2
```

The DW\_GROUPNUMBER\_ are used in *libdwarf* functions dwarf\_init\_path(), dwarf\_init\_path\_dl() and dwarf\_init\_b(). In all those cases unless you know there is any complexity in your object file, pass in DW\_
GROUPNUMBER ANY.

To see section groups usage, see the example source:

#### See also

A simple report on section groups. Examing Section Group data

The function interface declarations:

### See also

```
dwarf_sec_group_sizes
dwarf_sec_group_map
```

If an object file has multiple groups *libdwarf* will not reveal contents of the other groups. One must pass in another groupnumber to dwarf\_init\_path, meaning init a new Dwarf\_Debug, to get *libdwarf* to access that group.

When opening a Dwarf Debug the following applies:

If DW\_GROUPNUMBER\_ANY is passed in *libdwarf* will choose either of DW\_GROUPNUMBER\_BASE(1) or DW ← \_GROUPNUMBER\_DWO (2) depending on the object content. If both groups one and two are in the object *libdwarf* will chose DW\_GROUPNUMBER\_BASE.

If DW\_GROUPNUMBER\_BASE is passed in *libdwarf* will choose it if non-split DWARF is in the object, else the init call will return DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

If DW\_GROUPNUMBER\_DWO is passed in *libdwarf* will choose it if .dwo sections are in the object, else the init will call return DW DLV NO ENTRY.

If a groupnumber greater than two is passed in *libdwarf* simply accepts it, whether any sections corresponding to that groupnumber exist or not.

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For information on groups "dwarfdump -i" on an object file will show all section group information **unless** the object file is a simple standard object with no .dwo sections and no COMDAT groups (in which case the output will be silent on groups). Look for **Section Groups data** in the dwarfdump output. The groups information will be appearing very early in the dwarfdump output.

Sections that are part of an Elf COMDAT GROUP are asigned a group number > 2. There can be many such COMDAT groups in an object file (but none in an executable or shared object). Each such COMDAT group will have a small set of sections in it and each section in such a group will be assigned the same group number by *libdwarf*.

Sections that are in a .dwp .dwo object file are assigned to DW\_GROUPNUMBER\_DWO,

Sections not part of a .dwp package file or a.dwo section, or a COMDAT group are assigned DW\_GROUPNUMB  $\leftarrow$  ER BASE.

At least one compiler relies on relocations to identify COMDAT groups, but the compiler authors do not publicly document how this works so we ignore such (these COMDAT groups will result in libdwarf returning DW\_DLV\_E← RROR).

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Popular compilers and tools are using such sections. There is no detailed documentation that we can find (so far) on how the COMDAT section groups are used, so *libdwarf* is based on observations of what compilers generate.

## 1.11 Recent Changes

We list these with newest first. **Changes 0.4.0 to 0.4.1** libdwarf adds dwarf\_suppress\_debuglink\_crc() so that library callers can suppress crc calculations. (useful to save the time of crc when building and testing the same thing(s) over and over; it just loses a little checking.)

dwarfdump adds –show-args, an option to print its arguments and version. Without that new option the version and arguments are not shown. The output of -v (–version) is a little more complete.

dwarfdump adds –suppress-debuglink-crc, an option to avoid crc calculations when rebuilding and rerunning tests depending on GNU .note.gnu.buildid or .gnu\_debuglink sections. The help text and the dwarfdump.1 man page are more specific documenting –suppress-debuglink-crc and –no-follow-debuglink

### Changes 0.3.4 to 0.4.0

Removed the unused Dwarf\_Error argument from dwarf\_return\_empty\_pubnames() as the function can only return DW\_DLV\_OK. dwarf\_xu\_header\_free() renamed to dwarf\_dealloc\_xu\_header(). dwarf\_gdbindex\_free() renamed to dwarf\_dealloc\_gdbindex(). dwarf\_loc\_head\_c\_dealloc\_renamed to dwarf\_dealloc\_loc\_head\_c().

dwarf\_get\_location\_op\_value\_d() renamed to dwarf\_get\_location\_op\_value\_c(), and 3 pointless arguments removed. The dwarf\_get\_location\_op\_value\_d version and the three arguments were added for DWARF5 in libdwarf-20210528 but the change was a mistake. Now reverted to the previous version.

The .debug\_names section interfaces have changed. Added dwarf\_dnames\_offsets() to provide details of facts useful in problems reading the section. dwarf\_dnames\_name() now does work and the interface was changed to make it easier to use.

### Changes 0.3.3 to 0.3.4

Replaced the groff -mm based libdwarf.pdf with a libdwarf.pdf generated by doxygen and latex.

Added support for the meson build system.

Updated an include in libdwarfp source files. Improved doxygen documentation of *libdwarf*. Now 'make check -j8' and the like works correctly. Fixed a bug where reading a PE (Windows) object could fail for certain section virtual size values. Added initializers to two uninitialized local variables in dwarfdump source so a compiler warning cannot not kill a —enable-wall build.

Added src/bin/dwarfexample/showsectiongroups.c so it is easy to see what groups are present in an object without all the other dwarfdump output.

### Changes 20210528 to 0.3.3 (28 January 2022)

There were major revisions in going from date versioning to Semantic Versioning. Many functions were deleted and various functions changed their list of arguments. Many many filenames changed. Include lists were simplified. Far too much changed to list here.

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## 2.1 Reading DWARF not in an object file

If the DWARF you work with is in standard object files (Elf, PE, MacOS) then you can ignore this section entirely. All that this section describes is used, but it's already done for you in functions in the library:

### See also

```
dwarf_init_path dwarf_init_path_dl
dwarf_init_b and
dwarf_finish .
```

This section describes how to use calls

### See also

```
dwarf_object_init_b
dwarf_object_finish .
```

These functions are useful if someone is doing just-in-time compilation, and someone working on the code wants to debug this on-the-fly code in a situation where nothing can be written to disc, but DWARF can be constructed in memory.

For a simple example of this with DWARF in local arrays

See also

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Data you need to create involves the following types. What follows describes how to fill them in and how to make them work for you.

```
typedef struct Dwarf_Obj_Access_Interface_a_s
     Dwarf_Obj_Access_Interface_a;
struct Dwarf_Obj_Access_Interface_a_s {
                                                   *ai_object;
     const Dwarf_Obj_Access_Methods_a *ai_methods;
typedef struct Dwarf_Obj_Access_Methods_a_s
     Dwarf_Obj_Access_Methods_a
struct Dwarf_Obj_Access_Methods_a_s {
              (*om_get_section_info)(void* obj,
          Dwarf_Half
                                                section_index,
          Dwarf_Obj_Access_Section_a* return_section,
          int
                                               * error);
                       (*om_get_byte_order) (void* obj);
     Dwarf_Small
     Dwarf_Small (*om_get_Dyte_Order, (void* obj),

Dwarf_Small (*om_get_length_size) (void* obj);

Dwarf_Unsigned (*om_get_pointer_size) (void* obj);

Dwarf_Unsigned (*om_get_section_count) (void* obj);

'com_get_section_count) (void* obj);
          ...__goc_section_count) (void* (*om_load_section) (void* obj, Dwarf_Half section indov
          Dwarf_Small** return_data,
                         * error);
                            (*om_relocate_a_section) (void* obj,
          Dwarf_Half section_index,
          Dwarf_Debug dbg,
                          *error);
typedef struct Dwarf_Obj_Access_Section_a_s
     Dwarf_Obj_Access_Section_a
struct Dwarf_Obj_Access_Section_a_s {
     const char*
                         as_name;
     Dwarf_Unsigned as_type;
     Dwarf_Unsigned as_flags;
     Dwarf_Addr
                         as_addr;
     Dwarf_Unsigned as_offset;
     Dwarf_Unsigned as_size;
     Dwarf_Unsigned as_link;
     Dwarf_Unsigned as_info;
     Dwarf Unsigned as addralign:
     Dwarf_Unsigned as_entrysize;
};
```

### 2.1.1 Describing the Interface

struct struct Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Interface\_a\_s

Your code must create and fill in this struct's two pointer members. Libdwarf needs these to access your DWARF data. You pass a pointer to this filled-in struct to **dwarf\_object\_init\_b**. When it is time to conclude all access to the created Dwarf\_Debug call **dwarf\_object\_finish**. Any allocations you made in setting these things up you must then free after calling **dwarf\_object\_finish**.

### ai object

Allocate a local struct (libdwarf will not touch this struct and will not know anything of its contents). You will need one of these for each Dwarf\_Debug you open. Put a pointer to this into ai\_object. Then fill in all the data you need to access information you will pass back via the ai\_methods functions. In the description of the methods functions described later here, this pointer is named **obj** .

#### ai methods

Usually you allocate a static structure and fill it in with function pointers (to functions you write). Then put a pointer to the static structure into this field.

### 2.1.2 Describing A Section

### Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Section\_a:

The set of fields here is a set that is sufficient to describe a single object section to libdwarf. Your implementation of a **om\_get\_section\_info** must simply fill in a few fields (leaving most zero) for libdwarf for the section indexed. The fields here are standard Elf, and for most you can just fill in the value zero. For section index zero as\_name should be set to an empty string (see below about section index numbers).

**as\_name:** Here you set a section name via the pointer. The section names must be names as defined in the DWARF standard, so if such do not appear in your data you have to create the strings yourself.

as type: Just fill in zero.

as\_flags: Just fill in zero.

**as\_addr:** Fill in the address, in local memory, where the bytes of the section are.

as\_offset: Just fill in zero.

as\_size: Fill in the size, in bytes, of the section you are telling libdwarf about.

as link: Just fill in zero.

as info: Just fill in zero.

as addralign:Just fill in zero.

as\_entrysize: Just fill in one.

### 2.1.3 Function Pointers

### struct Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Methods\_a\_s:

The functions libdwarf needs to access object data are declared here. Usually the struct is statically defined and the function pointers are set at compile time. You must implement these functions based on your knowledge of how the actual data is represented and where to get it.

Each has a first-parameter of **obj** which is a struct you define to hold data you need to implement this set of functions. You refer to it When libdwarf calls your set of functions (these described now) it passes the ai\_object pointer you provided to these functions as **obj** parameter.

This is the final part of your work for libdwarf. In the source file with your code you will be allocating data, making a provision for an array (real or conceptual) for per-section data, and returning values libdwarf needs. Note that the section array should include an index zero with all zero field values. That means interesting fields start with index one. This special case of index zero Elf is required and matches the standard Elf object format.

Notice that the **error** argument, where applicable, is an int\*. Error codes passed back are DW\_DLE codes and **dwarf\_errmsg\_by\_number** may be used (by your code) to get the standard error string for that error.

### om\_get\_section\_info

```
Get address, size, and name info about a section.
Parameters
               Your data
obi
section_index - Zero-based index.
return_section - Pointer to a structure in which
   section info will be placed. Caller must
   provide a valid pointer to a structure area.
   The structure's contents will be overwritten
   code may be stored.
Return
DW_DLV_OK
             - Everything ok.
DW_DLV_ERROR
              - Error occurred. Use 'error' to determine the
   libdwarf defined error.
DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY - No such section.
```

### om\_get\_byte\_order

### This retrieves data you put into your ai object struct that you filled out.

```
Get from your @b ai_object whether the object file represented by this interface is big-endian (DW_END_big) or little endian (DW_END_little).

Parameters
obj - Your data
Return
Endianness of object, DW_END_big or DW_END_little.
```

### om\_get\_length\_size

### This retrieves data you put into your ai\_object struct that you filled out.

```
Get the size of a length field in the underlying object file. libdwarf currently supports * 4 and 8 byte sizes, but may support larger in the future. Perhaps the return type should be an enumeration? Parameters obj - Your data Return Size of length. Cannot fail.
```

### om\_get\_pointer\_size

### This retrieves data you put into your ai object struct that you filled out.

```
Get the size of a pointer field in the underlying object file. libdwarf currently supports 4 and 8 byte sizes. Perhaps the return type should be an enumeration? Return Size of pointer. Cannot fail. */
```

### om\_get\_filesize

This retrieves data you put into your ai\_object struct that you filled out.

```
Parameters
obj - Your data
Return
Must return a value at least as large as any section libdwarf
might read. Returns a value that is a sanity check on
offsets libdwarf reads for this DWARF set. It need not be
a tight bound.
```

### om get section count

This retrieves data you put into your ai object struct that you filled out.

```
Get the number of sections in the object file, including the index zero section with no content.

Parameters
obj - Your data
Return

Number of sections.
```

### om load section

This retrieves data you put into your ai\_object struct that you filled out.

Get a pointer to an array of bytes that are the section content.

```
Get a pointer to an array of bytes that
represent the section.
Parameters
               - Your data
obj
section_index - Zero-based section index.
return_data - Place the address of this section
    content into *return_data .
               - Pointer to an integer for returning
    libdwarf-defined error numbers.
Return
DW_DLV_OK
                 - No error.
                 - Error. Use 'error' to indicate
DW_DLV_ERROR
    a libdwarf-defined error number.
{\tt DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY} - No such section.
```

### om\_relocate\_a\_section

```
Leave this pointer NULL.
If relocations are required it is probably simpler
for you do to them yourself n your
implementation of @b om_load_section .
Any relocations this function pointer
is to use must be in standard Elf
relocation (32 or 64 bit) form and must be in an appropriately named Elf relocation section.
Parameters
obj - Your data
section_index - Zero-based index of the
    section to be relocated.
error - Pointer to an integer for returning libdwarf-defined
    error numbers.
Return
DW_DLV_OK - No error.
DW_DLV_ERROR - Error. Use 'error' to indicate
    a libdwarf-defined
error number.
DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY - No such section.
```

# dwarf.h

dwarf.h contains all the identifiers such as DW\_TAG\_compile\_unit etc from the various versions of the DWARF Standard beginning with DWARF2 and containing all later Dwarf Standard identifiers.

In addition, it contains all user-defined identifiers that we have been able to find.

All identifiers here are C defines with the prefix "DW\_" .

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# libdwarf.h

libdwarf.h contains all the type declarations and function function declarations needed to use the library. It is essential that coders include dwarf.h before including libdwarf.h.

All identifiers here in the public namespace begin with DW\_ or Dwarf\_ or dwarf\_ . All function argument names declared here begin with  $dw_{-}$ .

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# checkexamples.c

checkexamples.c contains what user code should be, hence the code typed here is PUBLIC DOMAIN.

It need not be compiled routinely nor should it ever be executed.

To verify syntatic correctness compile with

cc -c -Wall -O0 -Wpointer-arith \ -Wdeclaration-after-statement \ -Wextra -Wcomment -Wformat -Wpedantic - Wuninitialized \ -Wno-long-long -Wshadow -Wbad-function-cast \ -Wmissing-parameter-type -Wnested-externs \ -I../src/lib/libdwarf checkexamples.c

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# **Chapter 9**

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# **Typedefs**

- typedef unsigned long long Dwarf\_Unsigned
- typedef signed long long Dwarf\_Signed
- typedef unsigned long long Dwarf\_Off
- typedef unsigned long long Dwarf\_Addr
- typedef int Dwarf\_Bool
- typedef unsigned short Dwarf\_Half
- typedef unsigned char Dwarf\_Small
- typedef void \* Dwarf\_Ptr

# 9.1.1 Detailed Description

# 9.1.2 Typedef Documentation

# 9.1.2.1 Dwarf\_Unsigned

Dwarf\_Unsigned

The basic unsigned data type. Intended to be an unsigned 64bit value.

### 9.1.2.2 Dwarf\_Signed

Dwarf\_Signed

The basic signed data type. Intended to be a signed 64bit value.

#### 9.1.2.3 Dwarf\_Off

Dwarf\_Off

Used for offsets. It should be same size as Dwarf\_Unsigned.

#### 9.1.2.4 Dwarf\_Addr

Dwarf\_Addr

Used when a data item is a an address represented in DWARF. 64 bits. Must be as large as the largest object address size.

#### 9.1.2.5 Dwarf\_Bool

Dwarf\_Bool

A TRUE(non-zero)/FALSE(zero) data item.

# 9.1.2.6 Dwarf\_Half

Dwarf\_Half

Many libdwarf values (attribute codes, for example) are defined by the standard to be 16 bits, and this datatype reflects that (the type must be at least 16 bits wide).

### 9.1.2.7 Dwarf\_Small

Dwarf\_Small

Used for small unsigned integers and used as Dwarf\_Small\* for pointers and it supports pointer addition and subtraction conveniently.

# 9.1.2.8 Dwarf\_Ptr

Dwarf\_Ptr

A generic pointer type. It uses void \* so it cannot be added-to or subtracted-from.

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#### 9.2 Enumerators

#### **Enumerations**

- enum Dwarf Form Class {

DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_UNKNOWN = 0, DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_ADDRESS = 1, DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_BLOCK = 2, DW FORM CLASS CONSTANT =3,

 $\label{eq:dw_form_class_exprloc} \begin{picture}(20,0) \put(0,0){\line(0,0){100}} \put(0,0){\line($ 

DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_MACPTR = 8, DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_RANGELISTPTR =9, DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_RE ← FERENCE =10, DW FORM CLASS STRING = 11,

DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_FRAMEPTR = 12, DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_MACROPTR = 13, DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_A ← DDRPTR = 14, DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_LOCLIST = 15,

DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_LOCLISTSPTR =16, DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_RNGLIST =17, DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_RN  $\leftarrow$  GLISTSPTR =18, DW FORM CLASS STROFFSETSPTR =19}

# 9.2.1 Detailed Description

### 9.2.2 Enumeration Type Documentation

#### 9.2.2.1 Dwarf\_Ranges\_Entry\_Type

```
enum Dwarf_Ranges_Entry_Type
```

The dwr\_addr1/addr2 data is either an offset (DW\_RANGES\_ENTRY) or an address (dwr\_addr2 in DW\_RANGE 
S\_ADDRESS\_SELECTION) or both are zero (DW\_RANGES\_END). For DWARF5 each table starts with a header followed by range list entries defined as here. Dwarf\_Ranges∗ apply to DWARF2,3, and 4. Not to DWARF5 (the data is different and in a new DWARF5 section).

#### 9.2.2.2 Dwarf\_Form\_Class

```
enum Dwarf_Form_Class
```

The dwarf specification separates FORMs into different classes. To do the separation properly requires 4 pieces of data as of DWARF4 (thus the function arguments listed here). The DWARF4 specification class definition suffices to describe all DWARF versions. See section 7.5.4, Attribute Encodings. A return of DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_UNKNOWN means we could not properly figure out what form-class it is.

DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_FRAMEPTR is MIPS/IRIX only, and refers to the DW\_AT\_MIPS\_fde attribute (a reference to the .debug\_frame section).

DWARF5: DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_LOCLISTSPTR is like DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_LOCLIST except that LOCLISTSPTR is aways a section offset, never an index, and LOCLISTSPTR is only referenced by DW\_AT\_loclists\_base. Note DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_LOCLISTSPTR spelling to distinguish from DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_LOCLISTPTR.

DWARF5: DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_RNGLISTSPTR is like DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_RNGLIST except that RNGLISTSPTR is aways a section offset, never an index. DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_RNGLISTSPTR is only referenced by DW\_AT\_
rnglists base.

# 9.3 Defined and Opaque Structs Group

#### **Data Structures**

- struct Dwarf Form Data16 s
- struct Dwarf Sig8 s
- · struct Dwarf Block s
- · struct Dwarf Printf Callback Info s
- struct Dwarf\_Cmdline\_Options\_s
- struct Dwarf\_Ranges\_s
- struct Dwarf\_Regtable\_Entry3\_s
- struct Dwarf Regtable3 s
- struct Dwarf Macro Details s
- struct Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Section\_a\_s
- struct Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Methods\_a\_s
- struct Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Interface\_a\_s
- struct Dwarf\_Debug\_Fission\_Per\_CU\_s

#### **Typedefs**

- typedef struct Dwarf Form Data16 s Dwarf Form Data16
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Sig8\_s Dwarf\_Sig8
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Block\_s Dwarf\_Block
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Locdesc\_c\_s \* Dwarf\_Locdesc\_c
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Loc\_Head\_c \* Dwarf\_Loc\_Head\_c
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Gnu\_Index\_Head\_s \* Dwarf\_Gnu\_Index\_Head
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Dsc\_Head\_s \* Dwarf\_Dsc\_Head
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Frame\_Instr\_Head\_s \* Dwarf\_Frame\_Instr\_Head
- typedef void(\* dwarf\_printf\_callback\_function\_type) (void \*, const char \*)
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Cmdline\_Options\_s Dwarf\_Cmdline\_Options
- typedef struct Dwarf Str Offsets Table s \* Dwarf Str Offsets Table
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Ranges\_s Dwarf\_Ranges
- typedef struct Dwarf Regtable Entry3 s Dwarf Regtable Entry3
- typedef struct Dwarf Regtable3 s Dwarf Regtable3
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Error\_s \* Dwarf\_Error
- typedef struct Dwarf Debug s \* Dwarf Debug
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Die\_s \* Dwarf\_Die
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Line\_s \* Dwarf\_Line
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Global\_s \* Dwarf\_Global
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Type\_s \* Dwarf\_Type
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Func\_s \* Dwarf\_Func
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Var\_s \* Dwarf\_Var
- typeder struct Dwarf\_Weak\_s \* Dwarf\_Weak
- typedef struct Dwarf Attribute s \* Dwarf Attribute
- typedef struct Dwarf Abbrev s \* Dwarf Abbrev
- typedef struct Dwarf Fde s \* Dwarf Fde
- typedef struct Dwarf Cie s \* Dwarf Cie
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Arange\_s \* Dwarf\_Arange
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Gdbindex\_s \* Dwarf\_Gdbindex
- typedef struct Dwarf Xu Index Header s \* Dwarf Xu Index Header
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Line\_Context\_s \* Dwarf\_Line\_Context
- typedef struct Dwarf Macro Context s \* Dwarf Macro Context
- $\bullet \ \ typedef \ struct \ Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head\_s * Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head\\$

- typedef void(\* Dwarf\_Handler) (Dwarf\_Error dw\_error, Dwarf\_Ptr dw\_errarg)
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Rnglists\_Head\_s \* Dwarf\_Rnglists\_Head
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Macro\_Details\_s Dwarf\_Macro\_Details
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Debug\_Fission\_Per\_CU\_s Dwarf\_Debug\_Fission\_Per\_CU
- typedef struct Dwarf Obj Access Interface a s Dwarf Obj Access Interface a
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Methods\_a\_s Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Methods\_a
- typedef struct Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Section\_a\_s Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Section\_a

# 9.3.1 Detailed Description

# 9.3.2 Typedef Documentation

#### 9.3.2.1 Dwarf\_Form\_Data16

Dwarf\_Form\_Data16

a container for a DW\_FORM\_data16 data item. We have no integer types suitable so this special struct is used instead. It is up to consumers/producers to deal with the contents.

#### 9.3.2.2 Dwarf\_Sig8

Dwarf\_Sig8

Used for signatures where ever they appear. It is not a string, it is 8 bytes of a signature one would use to find a type unit.

See also

dwarf formsig8

#### 9.3.2.3 Dwarf\_Block

Dwarf\_Block

Used to hold uninterpreted blocks of data. bl\_data refers to on an uninterpreted block of data Used with certain location information functions, a frame expression function, expanded frame instructions, and DW\_FORM\_block functions.

See also

dwarf\_formblock
Documenting Form\_Block

#### 9.3.2.4 Dwarf\_Locdesc\_c

Dwarf\_Locdesc\_c

Provides access to Dwarf\_Locdesc\_c, a single location description

# 9.3.2.5 Dwarf\_Loc\_Head\_c

Dwarf\_Loc\_Head\_c

provides access to any sort of location description for DWARF2,3,4, or 5.

#### 9.3.2.6 Dwarf\_Dsc\_Head

Dwarf\_Dsc\_Head

Access to DW\_AT\_discr\_list array of discriminant values.

#### 9.3.2.7 Dwarf Frame Instr Head

Dwarf\_Frame\_Instr\_Head

The basis for access to DWARF frame instructions (FDE or CIE) in full detail.

#### 9.3.2.8 dwarf printf callback function type

dwarf\_printf\_callback\_function\_type

Used as a function pointer to a user-written callback function.

#### 9.3.2.9 Dwarf\_Cmdline\_Options

Dwarf\_Cmdline\_Options

check\_verbose\_mode defaults to FALSE. If a libdwarf-calling program sets this TRUE it means some errors in Line Table headers get a much more detailed description of the error which is reported the caller via printf⇔ \_callback() function (the caller can do something with the message). Or the libdwarf calling code can call dwarf\_record\_cmdline\_options() to set the new value.

#### 9.3.2.10 Dwarf Str Offsets Table

Dwarf\_Str\_Offsets\_Table

Provides an access to the .debug\_str\_offsets section independently of other DWARF sections. Mainly of use in examining the .debug\_str\_offsets section content for problems.

#### 9.3.2.11 Dwarf\_Ranges

#### Dwarf\_Ranges

Details of of non-contiguous address ranges of DIEs for DWARF2, DWARF3, and DWARF4. Sufficient for older dwarf

#### 9.3.2.12 Dwarf Regtable Entry3

#### Dwarf\_Regtable\_Entry3

For each index i (naming a hardware register with dwarf number i) the following is true and defines the value of that register:

```
If dw_regnum is Register DW_FRAME_UNDEFINED_VAL
              it is not DWARF register number but
             a place holder indicating the register
             has no defined value.
 If dw_regnum is Register DW_FRAME_SAME_VAL
             it is not DWARF register number but
             a place holder indicating the register has the same
             value in the previous frame.
             DW_FRAME_UNDEFINED_VAL, DW_FRAME_SAME_VAL and
             DW_FRAME_CFA_COL are only present at libdwarf runtime.
             Never on disk.
             DW_FRAME_* Values present on disk are in dwarf.h
             Because DW_FRAME_SAME_VAL and DW_FRAME_UNDEFINED_VAL
             and DW_FRAME_CFA_COL are definable at runtime
             consider the names symbolic in this comment,
             not absolute.
Otherwise: the register number is a DWARF register number
              (see ABI documents for how this translates to hardware/
              software register numbers in the machine hardware)
             and the following applies:
 In a cfa-defining entry (rt3_cfa_rule) the regnum is the
CFA 'register number'. Which is some 'normal' register,
not DW_FRAME_CFA_COL, nor DW_FRAME_SAME_VAL, nor
DW_FRAME_UNDEFINED_VAL.
If dw_value_type == DW_EXPR_OFFSET (the only
possible case for dwarf2):
             If dw_offset_relevant is non-zero, then
                          the value is stored at at the address
                           CFA+N where N is a signed offset.
                           dw_regnum is the cfa register rule which means
                          one ignores dw_regnum and uses the CFA appropriately.
                          So dw_offset is a signed value, really,
                           and must be printed/evaluated as such.
                          Rule: Offset(N)
             If dw\_offset\_relevant is zero, then the
                           value of the register
                           is the value of (DWARF) register number dw_regnum.
                           Rule: register(R)
 If dw_value_type == DW_EXPR_VAL_OFFSET
             the % \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right)
             N is a signed offset.
             dw\_regnum is the cfa register rule which means
             one ignores dw_regnum and uses the CFA appropriately.
             Rule: val_offset(N)
 If dw_value_type == DW_EXPR_EXPRESSION
             The value of the register is the value at the address
             computed by evaluating the DWARF expression {\tt E.}
             Rule: expression(E)
             The expression E byte stream is pointed to by
```

```
block.bl_data.
  The expression length in bytes is given by
  block.bl_len.

If dw_value_type == DW_EXPR_VAL_EXPRESSION
  The value of the register is the value
  computed by evaluating the DWARF expression E.
  Rule: val_expression(E)
  The expression E byte stream is pointed to
  by block.bl_data.
  The expression length in bytes is given by
  block.bl_len.

Other values of dw_value_type are an error.
```

#### 9.3.2.13 Dwarf\_Regtable3

Dwarf\_Regtable3

This structs provides a way for applications to select the number of frame registers and to select names for them.

rt3\_rules and rt3\_reg\_table\_size must be filled in before calling libdwarf. Filled in with a pointer to an array (pointer and array set up by the calling application) of rt3\_reg\_table\_size <a href="Dwarf\_Regtable\_Entry3">Dwarf\_Regtable\_Entry3</a>\_s structs. libdwarf does not allocate or deallocate space for the rules, you must do so. libdwarf will initialize the contents rules array, you do not need to do so (though if you choose to initialize the array somehow that is ok: libdwarf will overwrite your initializations with its own).

#### 9.3.2.14 Dwarf\_Error

Dwarf\_Error

&error is used in most calls to return error details when the call returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR.

#### 9.3.2.15 Dwarf\_Debug

Dwarf\_Debug

An open Dwarf Debug points to data that libdwarf maintains to support libdwarf calls.

#### 9.3.2.16 Dwarf\_Die

Dwarf\_Die

Used to reference a DWARF Debugging Information Entry.

# 9.3.2.17 Dwarf\_Line

Dwarf\_Line

Used to reference a line reference from the .debug\_line section.

#### 9.3.2.18 Dwarf\_Global

Dwarf\_Global

Used to reference a reference to an entry in the .debug\_pubnames section.

# 9.3.2.19 Dwarf\_Type

Dwarf\_Type

Used to reference a reference to an entry in the .debug\_pubtypes section (as well as the SGI-only extension .debug\_types).

# 9.3.2.20 Dwarf\_Attribute

Dwarf\_Attribute

Used to reference a Dwarf\_Die attribute

#### 9.3.2.21 Dwarf\_Abbrev

Dwarf\_Abbrev

Used to reference a Dwarf\_Abbrev, though usually such are handled transparently in the library

# 9.3.2.22 **Dwarf\_Fde**

Dwarf\_Fde

Used to reference .debug\_frame or .eh\_frame FDE.

#### 9.3.2.23 Dwarf\_Cie

Dwarf\_Cie

Used to reference .debug\_frame or .eh\_frame CIE.

#### 9.3.2.24 Dwarf\_Arange

Dwarf\_Arange

Used to reference a code address range in a section such as .debug\_info.

#### 9.3.2.25 Dwarf\_Gdbindex

Dwarf\_Gdbindex

Used to reference .gdb\_index section data which is a fast-access section by and for gdb.

#### 9.3.2.26 Dwarf\_Xu\_Index\_Header

Dwarf\_Xu\_Index\_Header

Used to reference .debug\_cu\_index or .debug\_tu\_index sections in a split-dwarf package file.

#### 9.3.2.27 Dwarf\_Line\_Context

Dwarf\_Line\_Context

Used as the general reference line data (.debug\_line).

#### 9.3.2.28 Dwarf\_Macro\_Context

Dwarf\_Macro\_Context

Used as the general reference to DWARF5 .debug\_macro data.

#### 9.3.2.29 Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head

Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head

Used as the general reference to the DWARF5 .debug\_names section.

#### 9.3.2.30 Dwarf Handler

Dwarf\_Handler

Used in rare cases (mainly tiny programs) with dwarf\_init\_path() etc initialization calls.

#### 9.3.2.31 Dwarf\_Rnglists\_Head

typedef struct Dwarf\_Rnglists\_Head\_s \* Dwarf\_Rnglists\_Head

Used for access to a set of DWARF5 debug\_rnglists entries.

#### 9.3.2.32 Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Interface\_a

Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Interface\_a

Used for access to and settint up special data allowing access to DWARF even with no object files present

#### 9.3.2.33 Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Methods\_a

Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Methods\_a

Used for access to and settint up special data allowing access to DWARF even with no object files present

### 9.3.2.34 Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Section\_a

Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Section\_a

Used for access to and settint up special data allowing access to DWARF even with no object files present

# 9.4 Default frame #define values

#### **Macros**

- #define DW DLX NO EH OFFSET (-1LL)
- #define **DW\_DLX\_NO\_EH\_OFFSET** (-1LL)
- #define DW\_DLX\_EH\_OFFSET\_UNAVAILABLE (-2LL)
- #define DW\_DLX\_EH\_OFFSET\_UNAVAILABLE (-2LL)
- #define DW\_CIE\_AUGMENTER\_STRING\_V0 "z"
- #define DW\_CIE\_AUGMENTER\_STRING\_V0 "z"
- #define **DW\_REG\_TABLE\_SIZE** DW\_FRAME\_LAST\_REG\_NUM
- #define **DW\_FRAME\_REG\_INITIAL\_VALUE** DW\_FRAME\_SAME\_VAL
- #define DW\_EXPR\_OFFSET 0 /\* offset is from CFA reg \*/
- #define **DW\_EXPR\_VAL\_OFFSET** 1
- #define DW EXPR EXPRESSION 2
- #define DW\_EXPR\_VAL\_EXPRESSION 3

# 9.4.1 Detailed Description

# 9.5 DW DLA #define values

These identify the various allocate/dealloc types. The allocation happens within libdwarf, and the deallocation is usually done by user code.

#### **Macros**

```
#define DW_DLA_STRING 0x01 /* char* */

    #define DW DLA LOC 0x02 /* Dwarf Loc */

    #define DW_DLA_LOCDESC 0x03 /* Dwarf_Locdesc */

    #define DW DLA ELLIST 0x04 /* Dwarf Ellist (not used)*/

• #define DW DLA BOUNDS 0x05 /* Dwarf Bounds (not used) */

    #define DW DLA BLOCK 0x06 /* Dwarf Block */

    #define DW DLA DEBUG 0x07 /* Dwarf Debug */

    #define DW_DLA_DIE 0x08 /* Dwarf_Die */

    #define DW_DLA_LINE 0x09 /* Dwarf_Line */

    #define DW_DLA_ATTR 0x0a /* Dwarf_Attribute */

    #define DW DLA TYPE 0x0b /* Dwarf Type (not used) */

• #define DW_DLA_SUBSCR 0x0c /* Dwarf_Subscr (not used) */

    #define DW DLA GLOBAL 0x0d /* Dwarf Global */

    #define DW_DLA_ERROR 0x0e /* Dwarf_Error */

    #define DW_DLA_LIST 0x0f /* a list */

    #define DW_DLA_LINEBUF 0x10 /* Dwarf Line* (not used) */

    #define DW_DLA_ARANGE 0x11 /* Dwarf_Arange */

    #define DW_DLA_ABBREV 0x12 /* Dwarf Abbrev */

• #define DW_DLA_FRAME_INSTR_HEAD 0x13 /* Dwarf_Frame_Instr_Head */

    #define DW_DLA_CIE 0x14 /* Dwarf Cie */

#define DW_DLA_FDE 0x15 /* Dwarf_Fde */

    #define DW_DLA_LOC_BLOCK 0x16 /* Dwarf Loc */

    #define DW DLA FRAME OP 0x17 /* Dwarf Frame Op (not used) */

    #define DW DLA FUNC 0x18 /* Dwarf Func */

    #define DW_DLA_TYPENAME 0x19 /* Dwarf Type */

    #define DW DLA VAR 0x1a /* Dwarf Var */

    #define DW DLA WEAK 0x1b /* Dwarf Weak */

    #define DW_DLA_ADDR 0x1c /* Dwarf Addr sized entries */

    #define DW_DLA_RANGES 0x1d /* Dwarf Ranges */

    #define DW_DLA_GNU_INDEX_HEAD_0x35

    #define DW_DLA_RNGLISTS_HEAD 0x36 /* .debug_rnglists DW5 */

    #define DW_DLA_GDBINDEX 0x37 /* Dwarf_Gdbindex */

    #define DW DLA XU INDEX 0x38 /* Dwarf Xu Index Header */

• #define DW DLA LOC BLOCK C 0x39 /* Dwarf Loc c*/

    #define DW DLA LOCDESC C 0x3a /* Dwarf Locdesc c */

    #define DW DLA LOC HEAD C 0x3b /* Dwarf Loc Head c */

    #define DW_DLA_MACRO_CONTEXT 0x3c /* Dwarf Macro_Context */

    #define DW_DLA_DSC_HEAD 0x3e /* Dwarf_Dsc_Head */

    #define DW_DLA_DNAMES_HEAD 0x3f /* Dwarf_Dnames_Head */
```

#### 9.5.1 Detailed Description

#define DW DLA STR OFFSETS 0x40

These identify the various allocate/dealloc types. The allocation happens within libdwarf, and the deallocation is usually done by user code.

# 9.6 DW\_DLE #define Error Numbers

These identify the various error codes that have been used. Not all of them are still use. We do not recycle obsolete codes into new uses. The codes 1 through 22 are historic and it is unlikely they are used anywhere in the library.

#### **Macros**

- #define DW\_DLE\_NE 0 /\* no error \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_VMM 1 /\* dwarf format/library version mismatch \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_MAP 2 /\* memory map failure \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_LEE 3 /\* libelf error \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_NDS 4 /\* no debug section \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_NLS 5 /\* no line section \*/
- #define DW DLE ID 6 /\* invalid descriptor for guery \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_IOF 7 /\* I/O failure \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_MAF 8 /\* memory allocation failure \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_IA 9 /\* invalid argument \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_MDE 10 /\* mangled debugging entry \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_MLE 11 /\* mangled line number entry \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_FNO 12 /\* file not open \*/
- #define DW DLE FNR 13 /\* file not a regular file \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_FWA 14 /\* file open with wrong access \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_NOB 15 /\* not an object file \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_MOF 16 /\* mangled object file header \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_EOLL 17 /\* end of location list entries \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_NOLL 18 /\* no location list section \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_BADOFF 19 /\* Invalid offset \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_EOS 20 /\* end of section \*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_ATRUNC 21 /\* abbreviations section appears truncated\*/
- #define DW\_DLE\_BADBITC 22 /\* Address size passed to dwarf bad,\*/
- #define DW DLE DBG ALLOC 23
- #define DW DLE FSTAT ERROR 24
- #define DW DLE FSTAT MODE ERROR 25
- #define DW DLE INIT ACCESS WRONG 26
- #define DW DLE ELF BEGIN ERROR 27
- #define DW\_DLE\_ELF\_GETEHDR\_ERROR 28
- #define DW\_DLE\_ELF\_GETSHDR\_ERROR 29
- #define DW\_DLE\_ELF\_STRPTR\_ERROR 30
- #define DW DLE DEBUG INFO DUPLICATE 31
- #define DW DLE DEBUG INFO NULL 32
- #define DW DLE DEBUG ABBREV DUPLICATE 33
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_ABBREV\_NULL 34
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_ARANGES\_DUPLICATE 35
- #define DW DLE DEBUG ARANGES NULL 36
- #define DW DLE DEBUG LINE DUPLICATE 37
- #define DW DLE DEBUG LINE NULL 38
- #define DW DLE DEBUG LOC DUPLICATE 39
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_LOC\_NULL 40
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_MACINFO\_DUPLICATE 41
- #define DW DLE DEBUG MACINFO NULL 42
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_PUBNAMES\_DUPLICATE 43
- #define DW DLE DEBUG PUBNAMES NULL 44
- #define DW DLE DEBUG STR DUPLICATE 45

- #define DW DLE DEBUG STR NULL 46
- #define DW\_DLE\_CU\_LENGTH\_ERROR 47
- #define DW\_DLE\_VERSION\_STAMP\_ERROR 48
- #define DW DLE ABBREV OFFSET ERROR 49
- #define DW\_DLE\_ADDRESS\_SIZE\_ERROR 50
- #define DW DLE DEBUG INFO PTR NULL 51
- #define DW DLE DIE NULL 52
- #define DW\_DLE\_STRING\_OFFSET\_BAD 53
- #define DW DLE DEBUG LINE LENGTH BAD 54
- #define DW DLE LINE PROLOG LENGTH BAD 55
- #define DW DLE LINE NUM OPERANDS BAD 56
- #define DW DLE LINE SET ADDR ERROR 57
- #define DW DLE LINE EXT OPCODE BAD 58
- #define DW DLE DWARF LINE NULL 59
- #define DW\_DLE\_INCL\_DIR\_NUM\_BAD 60
- #define DW DLE LINE FILE NUM BAD 61
- #define DW DLE ALLOC FAIL 62
- #define DW DLE NO CALLBACK FUNC 63
- #define DW DLE SECT ALLOC 64
- #define DW DLE FILE ENTRY ALLOC 65
- #define DW\_DLE\_LINE\_ALLOC 66
- #define DW DLE FPGM ALLOC 67
- #define DW DLE INCDIR ALLOC 68
- #define DW DLE STRING ALLOC 69
- #define DW DLE CHUNK ALLOC 70
- #define DW\_DLE\_BYTEOFF\_ERR 71
- #define DW DLE CIE ALLOC 72
- #define DW DLE FDE ALLOC 73
- #define DW DLE REGNO OVFL 74
- #define DW DLE CIE OFFS ALLOC 75
- #define DW\_DLE\_WRONG\_ADDRESS 76
- #define DW DLE EXTRA NEIGHBORS 77
- #define DW\_DLE\_WRONG\_TAG 78
- #define DW\_DLE\_DIE\_ALLOC 79
- #define **DW\_DLE\_PARENT\_EXISTS** 80
- #define DW\_DLE\_DBG\_NULL 81
- #define DW DLE DEBUGLINE ERROR 82
- #define DW DLE DEBUGFRAME ERROR 83
- #define DW DLE DEBUGINFO ERROR 84
- #define DW DLE ATTR ALLOC 85
- #define DW DLE ABBREV ALLOC 86
- #define DW DLE OFFSET UFLW 87
- #define DW\_DLE\_ELF\_SECT\_ERR 88
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_FRAME\_LENGTH\_BAD 89
- #define DW\_DLE\_FRAME\_VERSION\_BAD 90
- #define DW DLE CIE RET ADDR REG ERROR 91
- #define DW DLE FDE NULL 92
- #define DW DLE FDE DBG NULL 93
- #define DW\_DLE\_CIE\_NULL 94
- #define DW\_DLE\_CIE\_DBG\_NULL 95
- #define DW DLE FRAME TABLE COL BAD 96
- #define DW\_DLE\_PC\_NOT\_IN\_FDE\_RANGE 97
- #define DW DLE CIE INSTR EXEC ERROR 98
- #define DW DLE FRAME INSTR EXEC ERROR 99
- #define DW DLE FDE PTR NULL 100

- #define DW DLE RET OP LIST NULL 101
- #define DW\_DLE\_LINE\_CONTEXT\_NULL 102
- #define DW\_DLE\_DBG\_NO\_CU\_CONTEXT 103
- #define DW DLE DIE NO CU CONTEXT 104
- #define DW\_DLE\_FIRST\_DIE\_NOT\_CU 105
- #define DW DLE NEXT DIE PTR NULL 106
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_FRAME\_DUPLICATE 107
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_FRAME\_NULL 108
- #define DW\_DLE\_ABBREV\_DECODE\_ERROR 109
- #define DW DLE DWARF ABBREV NULL 110
- #define DW DLE ATTR NULL 111
- #define DW\_DLE\_DIE\_BAD 112
- #define DW DLE DIE ABBREV BAD 113
- #define DW DLE ATTR FORM BAD 114
- #define DW\_DLE\_ATTR\_NO\_CU\_CONTEXT 115
- #define DW DLE ATTR FORM SIZE BAD 116
- #define DW DLE ATTR DBG NULL 117
- #define DW\_DLE\_BAD\_REF\_FORM 118
- #define DW DLE ATTR FORM OFFSET BAD 119
- #define DW DLE LINE OFFSET BAD 120
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_STR\_OFFSET\_BAD 121
- #define DW DLE STRING PTR NULL 122
- #define DW DLE PUBNAMES VERSION ERROR 123
- #define DW DLE PUBNAMES LENGTH BAD 124
- #define DW DLE GLOBAL NULL 125
- #define DW\_DLE\_GLOBAL\_CONTEXT\_NULL 126
- #define DW DLE DIR INDEX BAD 127
- #define DW DLE LOC EXPR BAD 128
- #define DW DLE DIE LOC EXPR BAD 129
- #define DW DLE ADDR ALLOC 130
- #define DW DLE OFFSET\_BAD 131
- #define DW DLE MAKE CU CONTEXT FAIL 132
- #define DW\_DLE\_REL\_ALLOC 133
- #define DW\_DLE\_ARANGE\_OFFSET\_BAD 134
- #define DW\_DLE\_SEGMENT\_SIZE\_BAD 135
- #define DW\_DLE\_ARANGE\_LENGTH\_BAD 136
- #define DW\_DLE\_ARANGE\_DECODE\_ERROR 137
- #define DW\_DLE\_ARANGES\_NULL 138
- #define DW DLE ARANGE NULL 139
- #define DW DLE NO FILE NAME 140
- #define DW DLE NO COMP DIR 141
- #define DW\_DLE\_CU\_ADDRESS\_SIZE\_BAD 142
- #define DW\_DLE\_INPUT\_ATTR\_BAD 143
- #define DW\_DLE\_EXPR\_NULL 144
- #define DW\_DLE\_BAD\_EXPR\_OPCODE 145
- #define DW DLE EXPR LENGTH BAD 146
- #define DW\_DLE\_MULTIPLE\_RELOC\_IN\_EXPR 147
- #define DW DLE ELF GETIDENT ERROR 148
- #define DW\_DLE\_NO\_AT\_MIPS\_FDE 149
- #define DW\_DLE\_NO\_CIE\_FOR\_FDE 150
- #define DW DLE DIE ABBREV LIST NULL 151
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_FUNCNAMES\_DUPLICATE 152
- #define DW DLE DEBUG FUNCNAMES NULL 153
- #define DW DLE DEBUG FUNCNAMES VERSION ERROR 154
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_FUNCNAMES\_LENGTH\_BAD 155

- #define DW DLE FUNC NULL 156
- #define DW\_DLE\_FUNC\_CONTEXT\_NULL 157
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_TYPENAMES\_DUPLICATE 158
- #define DW DLE DEBUG TYPENAMES NULL 159
- #define DW DLE DEBUG TYPENAMES VERSION ERROR 160
- #define DW DLE DEBUG TYPENAMES LENGTH BAD 161
- #define DW DLE TYPE NULL 162
- #define DW\_DLE\_TYPE\_CONTEXT\_NULL 163
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_VARNAMES\_DUPLICATE 164
- #define DW DLE DEBUG VARNAMES NULL 165
- #define DW DLE DEBUG VARNAMES VERSION ERROR 166
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_VARNAMES\_LENGTH\_BAD 167
- #define DW DLE VAR NULL 168
- #define DW DLE VAR CONTEXT NULL 169
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_WEAKNAMES\_DUPLICATE 170
- #define DW DLE DEBUG WEAKNAMES NULL 171
- #define DW DLE DEBUG WEAKNAMES VERSION ERROR 172
- #define DW DLE DEBUG WEAKNAMES LENGTH BAD 173
- #define DW DLE WEAK NULL 174
- #define DW DLE WEAK CONTEXT NULL 175
- #define DW DLE LOCDESC COUNT WRONG 176
- #define DW DLE MACINFO STRING NULL 177
- #define DW DLE MACINFO STRING EMPTY 178
- #define DW DLE MACINFO INTERNAL ERROR SPACE 179
- #define DW DLE MACINFO MALLOC FAIL 180
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUGMACINFO\_ERROR 181
- #define DW DLE DEBUG MACRO LENGTH BAD 182
- #define DW DLE DEBUG MACRO MAX BAD 183
- #define DW DLE DEBUG MACRO INTERNAL ERR 184
- #define DW DLE DEBUG MACRO MALLOC SPACE 185
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_MACRO\_INCONSISTENT 186
- #define DW\_DLE\_DF\_NO\_CIE\_AUGMENTATION 187
- #define DW\_DLE\_DF\_REG\_NUM\_TOO\_HIGH 188
   #define DW DLE DF MAKE INSTR NO INIT 189
- #define DW DLE DF NEW LOC LESS OLD LOC 190
- #define DW DLE DF POP EMPTY STACK 191
- #define DW DLE DF ALLOC FAIL 192
- #define DW DLE DF FRAME DECODING ERROR 193
- #define DW DLE DEBUG LOC SECTION SHORT 194
- #define DW DLE FRAME AUGMENTATION UNKNOWN 195
- #define DW DLE PUBTYPE CONTEXT 196 /\* Unused. \*/
- #define DW DLE DEBUG PUBTYPES LENGTH BAD 197
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_PUBTYPES\_VERSION\_ERROR 198
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_PUBTYPES\_DUPLICATE 199
- #define **DW\_DLE\_FRAME\_CIE\_DECODE\_ERROR** 200
- #define DW DLE FRAME REGISTER UNREPRESENTABLE 201
- #define DW DLE FRAME REGISTER COUNT MISMATCH 202
- #define DW DLE LINK LOOP 203
- #define DW\_DLE\_STRP\_OFFSET\_BAD 204
- #define DW DLE DEBUG RANGES DUPLICATE 205
- · #define DW DLE DEBUG RANGES OFFSET BAD 206
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_RANGES\_MISSING\_END 207
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_RANGES\_OUT\_OF\_MEM 208
- #define DW DLE DEBUG SYMTAB ERR 209
- #define DW DLE DEBUG STRTAB ERR 210

- #define DW DLE RELOC MISMATCH INDEX 211
- #define DW\_DLE\_RELOC\_MISMATCH\_RELOC\_INDEX 212
- #define DW\_DLE\_RELOC\_MISMATCH\_STRTAB\_INDEX 213
- #define DW DLE RELOC SECTION MISMATCH 214
- #define DW DLE RELOC SECTION MISSING INDEX 215
- #define DW DLE RELOC SECTION LENGTH ODD 216
- #define DW DLE RELOC SECTION PTR NULL 217
- #define DW\_DLE\_RELOC\_SECTION\_MALLOC\_FAIL 218
- #define DW DLE NO ELF64 SUPPORT 219
- #define DW DLE MISSING ELF64 SUPPORT 220
- #define DW DLE ORPHAN FDE 221
- #define DW\_DLE\_DUPLICATE\_INST\_BLOCK 222
- #define DW DLE BAD REF SIG8 FORM 223
- #define DW DLE ATTR EXPRLOC FORM BAD 224
- #define DW\_DLE\_FORM\_SEC\_OFFSET\_LENGTH\_BAD 225
- #define DW DLE NOT REF FORM 226
- #define DW DLE DEBUG FRAME LENGTH NOT MULTIPLE 227
- #define DW DLE REF SIG8 NOT HANDLED 228
- #define DW DLE DEBUG FRAME POSSIBLE ADDRESS BOTCH 229
- #define DW DLE LOC BAD TERMINATION 230
- #define DW DLE SYMTAB SECTION LENGTH ODD 231
- #define DW DLE RELOC SECTION SYMBOL INDEX BAD 232
- #define DW DLE RELOC SECTION RELOC TARGET SIZE UNKNOWN 233
- #define DW DLE SYMTAB SECTION ENTRYSIZE ZERO 234
- #define DW DLE LINE NUMBER HEADER ERROR 235
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_TYPES\_NULL 236
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_TYPES\_DUPLICATE 237
- #define DW DLE DEBUG TYPES ONLY DWARF4 238
- #define DW DLE DEBUG TYPEOFFSET BAD 239
- #define DW DLE GNU OPCODE ERROR 240
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUGPUBTYPES\_ERROR 241
- #define DW DLE AT FIXUP NULL 242
- #define DW\_DLE\_AT\_FIXUP\_DUP 243
- #define DW\_DLE\_BAD\_ABINAME 244
- #define DW\_DLE\_TOO\_MANY\_DEBUG 245
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_STR\_OFFSETS\_DUPLICATE 246
- #define DW\_DLE\_SECTION\_DUPLICATION 247
- #define DW DLE SECTION ERROR 248
- #define DW DLE DEBUG ADDR DUPLICATE 249
- #define DW DLE DEBUG CU UNAVAILABLE FOR FORM 250
- #define DW DLE DEBUG FORM HANDLING INCOMPLETE 251
- #define DW DLE NEXT DIE PAST END 252
- #define DW\_DLE\_NEXT\_DIE\_WRONG\_FORM 253
- #define DW\_DLE\_NEXT\_DIE\_NO\_ABBREV\_LIST 254
- #define DW\_DLE\_NESTED\_FORM\_INDIRECT\_ERROR 255
- #define DW DLE CU DIE NO ABBREV LIST 256
- #define DW DLE MISSING NEEDED DEBUG ADDR SECTION 257
- #define DW DLE ATTR FORM NOT ADDR INDEX 258
- #define DW DLE ATTR FORM NOT STR INDEX 259
- #define DW\_DLE\_DUPLICATE\_GDB\_INDEX 260
- #define DW DLE ERRONEOUS GDB INDEX SECTION 261
- #define DW DLE GDB INDEX COUNT ERROR 262
- #define DW DLE GDB INDEX COUNT ADDR ERROR 263
- #define DW DLE GDB INDEX INDEX ERROR 264
- #define DW\_DLE\_GDB\_INDEX\_CUVEC\_ERROR 265

- #define DW DLE DUPLICATE CU INDEX 266
- #define DW DLE DUPLICATE TU INDEX 267
- #define DW\_DLE\_XU\_TYPE\_ARG\_ERROR 268
- #define DW DLE XU IMPOSSIBLE ERROR 269
- #define DW DLE XU NAME COL ERROR 270
- #define DW DLE XU HASH ROW ERROR 271
- #define DW DLE XU HASH INDEX ERROR 272
- #define DW\_DLE\_FAILSAFE\_ERRVAL 273
- #define DW DLE ARANGE ERROR 274
- #define DW\_DLE\_PUBNAMES\_ERROR 275
- #define DW DLE FUNCNAMES ERROR 276
- #define DW DLE TYPENAMES ERROR 277
- #define DW DLE VARNAMES ERROR 278
- #define DW DLE WEAKNAMES ERROR 279
- #define **DW\_DLE\_RELOCS\_ERROR** 280
- #define DW DLE ATTR OUTSIDE SECTION 281
- #define DW DLE FISSION INDEX WRONG 282
- #define DW DLE FISSION VERSION ERROR 283
- #define DW DLE NEXT DIE LOW ERROR 284
- #define DW DLE CU UT TYPE ERROR 285
- #define DW DLE NO SUCH SIGNATURE FOUND 286
- #define DW DLE SIGNATURE SECTION NUMBER WRONG 287
- #define DW DLE ATTR FORM NOT DATA8 288
- #define DW DLE SIG TYPE WRONG STRING 289
- #define DW DLE MISSING REQUIRED TU OFFSET HASH 290
- #define DW\_DLE\_MISSING\_REQUIRED\_CU\_OFFSET\_HASH 291
- #define DW DLE DWP MISSING DWO ID 292
- #define DW DLE DWP SIBLING ERROR 293
- #define DW DLE DEBUG FISSION INCOMPLETE 294
- #define DW DLE FISSION SECNUM ERR 295
- #define DW DLE DEBUG MACRO DUPLICATE 296
- #define DW DLE DEBUG NAMES DUPLICATE 297
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_LINE\_STR\_DUPLICATE 298
- #define DW\_DLE\_DEBUG\_SUP\_DUPLICATE 299
- #define DW\_DLE\_NO\_SIGNATURE\_TO\_LOOKUP 300
- #define DW\_DLE\_NO\_TIED\_ADDR\_AVAILABLE 301
- #define DW\_DLE\_NO\_TIED\_SIG\_AVAILABLE 302
- #define DW\_DLE\_STRING\_NOT\_TERMINATED 303
- #define DW DLE BAD LINE TABLE OPERATION 304
- #define DW DLE LINE CONTEXT BOTCH 305
- #define DW DLE LINE CONTEXT INDEX WRONG 306
- #define DW DLE NO TIED STRING AVAILABLE 307
- #define DW\_DLE\_NO\_TIED\_FILE\_AVAILABLE 308
- #define DW\_DLE\_CU\_TYPE\_MISSING 309
- #define DW DLE LLE CODE UNKNOWN 310
- #define DW DLE LOCLIST INTERFACE ERROR 311
- #define DW DLE LOCLIST INDEX ERROR 312
- #define DW DLE INTERFACE NOT SUPPORTED 313
- #define DW DLE ZDEBUG REQUIRES ZLIB 314
- #define DW\_DLE\_ZDEBUG\_INPUT\_FORMAT\_ODD 315
- #define DW\_DLE\_ZLIB\_BUF\_ERROR 316
- #define DW DLE ZLIB DATA ERROR 317
- #define DW DLE MACRO OFFSET BAD 318
- #define DW DLE MACRO OPCODE BAD 319
- #define DW DLE MACRO OPCODE FORM BAD 320

- #define DW DLE UNKNOWN FORM 321
- #define DW DLE BAD MACRO HEADER POINTER 322
- #define DW DLE BAD MACRO INDEX 323
- #define DW DLE MACRO OP UNHANDLED 324
- #define DW DLE MACRO PAST END 325
- #define DW DLE LINE STRP OFFSET BAD 326
- #define DW DLE STRING FORM IMPROPER 327
- #define DW\_DLE\_ELF\_FLAGS\_NOT\_AVAILABLE 328
- #define DW DLE LEB IMPROPER 329
- #define DW DLE DEBUG LINE RANGE ZERO 330
- #define DW DLE READ LITTLEENDIAN ERROR 331
- #define DW\_DLE\_READ\_BIGENDIAN\_ERROR 332
- #define DW DLE RELOC INVALID 333
- #define DW DLE INFO HEADER ERROR 334
- #define DW\_DLE\_ARANGES\_HEADER\_ERROR 335
- #define DW DLE LINE OFFSET WRONG FORM 336
- #define DW DLE FORM BLOCK LENGTH ERROR 337
- #define DW DLE ZLIB SECTION SHORT 338
- #define DW DLE CIE INSTR PTR ERROR 339
- #define DW DLE FDE INSTR PTR ERROR 340
- #define DW DLE FISSION ADDITION ERROR 341
- #define DW DLE HEADER LEN BIGGER THAN SECSIZE 342
- #define DW DLE LOCEXPR OFF SECTION END 343
- #define DW DLE POINTER SECTION UNKNOWN 344
- #define DW\_DLE\_ERRONEOUS\_XU\_INDEX\_SECTION 345
- #define DW\_DLE\_DIRECTORY\_FORMAT\_COUNT\_VS\_DIRECTORIES\_MISMATCH 346
- #define DW DLE COMPRESSED EMPTY SECTION 347
- #define DW DLE SIZE WRAPAROUND 348
- #define DW DLE ILLOGICAL TSEARCH 349
- #define DW DLE BAD STRING FORM 350
- #define DW DLE DEBUGSTR ERROR 351
- #define DW DLE DEBUGSTR UNEXPECTED REL 352
- #define DW\_DLE\_DISCR\_ARRAY\_ERROR 353
- #define DW\_DLE\_LEB\_OUT\_ERROR 354
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- #define DW DLE DWARF INIT DBG NULL 465
- #define DW\_DLE\_ELF\_RELOC\_SECTION\_ERROR 466
- #define DW\_DLE\_USER\_DECLARED\_ERROR 467
- #define DW DLE RNGLISTS ERROR 468
- #define DW DLE LOCLISTS ERROR 469
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- #define DW DLE GDBINDEX STRING ERROR 471
- #define DW DLE GNU PUBNAMES ERROR 472
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- #define DW\_DLE\_SYMBOL\_SECTION\_SIZE\_ERROR 490
- #define DW\_DLE\_PE\_SECTION\_SIZE\_ERROR 491
- #define DW\_DLE\_LAST 491
- #define DW\_DLE\_LO\_USER 0x10000

# 9.6.1 Detailed Description

These identify the various error codes that have been used. Not all of them are still use. We do not recycle obsolete codes into new uses. The codes 1 through 22 are historic and it is unlikely they are used anywhere in the library.

#### 9.6.2 Macro Definition Documentation

# 9.6.2.1 DW\_DLE\_LAST

#define DW\_DLE\_LAST 491

Note

DW DLE LAST MUST EQUAL LAST ERROR NUMBER

#### 9.7 Libdwarf Initialization Functions

Opening and closing libdwarf on object files.

#### **Functions**

int dwarf\_init\_path (const char \*dw\_path, char \*dw\_true\_path\_out\_buffer, unsigned int dw\_true\_path\_
 bufferlen, unsigned int dw\_groupnumber, Dwarf\_Handler dw\_errhand, Dwarf\_Ptr dw\_errarg, Dwarf\_Debug
 \*dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Initialization based on path, the most common initialization.

int dwarf\_init\_path\_dl (const char \*dw\_path, char \*dw\_true\_path\_out\_buffer, unsigned int dw\_true\_path
 \_bufferlen, unsigned int dw\_groupnumber, Dwarf\_Handler dw\_errhand, Dwarf\_Ptr dw\_errarg, Dwarf\_Debug
 \*dw\_dbg, char \*\*dw\_dl\_path\_array, unsigned int dw\_dl\_path\_array\_size, unsigned char \*dw\_dl\_path\_
 source, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Initialization following GNU debuglink section data.

• int dwarf\_init\_b (int dw\_fd, unsigned int dw\_groupnumber, Dwarf\_Handler dw\_errhand, Dwarf\_Ptr dw\_errarg, Dwarf Debug \*dw dbg, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Initialization based on Unix/Linux (etc) path This version allows specifying any number of debuglink global paths to search on for debuglink targets.

int dwarf finish (Dwarf Debug dw dbg)

Close the initialized dw dbg and free all data libdwarf has for this dw dbg.

• int dwarf\_object\_init\_b (Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Interface\_a \*dw\_obj, Dwarf\_Handler dw\_errhand, Dwarf\_Ptr dw\_errarg, unsigned int dw\_groupnumber, Dwarf\_Debug \*dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Used to access DWARF information in memory or in an object format unknown to libdwarf.

• int dwarf object finish (Dwarf Debug dw dbg)

Used to close the object\_init dw\_dbg.

- int dwarf\_set\_tied\_dbg (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_basedbg, Dwarf\_Debug dw\_tied\_dbg, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
   Use with split dwarf.
- int dwarf\_get\_tied\_dbg (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Debug \*dw\_tieddbg\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
   Use with split dwarf.

#### 9.7.1 Detailed Description

Opening and closing libdwarf on object files.

### 9.7.2 Initialization And Finish Operations

#### 9.7.3 Function Documentation

#### 9.7.3.1 dwarf\_init\_path()

Initialization based on path, the most common initialization.

#### **Parameters**

dw_path	Pass in the path to the object file to open.
dw_true_path_out_buffer	Pass in NULL or the name of a string buffer (The buffer should be initialized with an initial NUL byte) The returned string will be null-terminated. The path actually used is copied to true_path_out. If true_path_buffer len is zero or true_path_out_buffer is zero then the Special MacOS processing will not occur, nor will the GNU_debuglink processing occur. In case GNU debuglink data was followed or MacOS dSYM applies the true_path_out will not match path. So consider the value put in true_path_out the actual file name.
dw_true_path_bufferlen	Pass in the length in bytes of the buffer.
dw_groupnumber	The value passed in should be DW_GROUPNUMBER_ANY unless one wishes to other than a standard group.
dw_errhand	Pass in NULL unless one wishes libdwarf to call this error handling function (which you must write) instead of passing meaningful values to the dw_error argument.
dw_errarg	If dw_errorhand is non-null, then this value (a pointer or integer that means something to you) is passed to the dw_errhand function in case that is helpful to you.
dw_dbg	On success, *dw_dbg is set to a pointer to a new Dwarf_Debug structure to be used in calls to libdwarf functions.
dw_error	In case return is DW_DLV_ERROR dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# See also

dwarf\_init\_path\_dl dwarf\_init\_b
Example of dwarf\_init\_path

# 9.7.3.2 dwarf\_init\_path\_dl()

Initialization following GNU debuglink section data.

Sets the true-path with DWARF if there is appropriate debuglink data available.

#### **Parameters**

dw_path	Pass in the path to the object file to open.
dw_true_path_out_buffer	Pass in NULL or the name of a string buffer.
dw_true_path_bufferlen	Pass in the length in bytes of the buffer.
dw_groupnumber	The value passed in should be DW_GROUPNUMBER_ANY unless one wishes to other than a standard group.
dw_errhand	Pass in NULL, normally. If non-null one wishes libdwarf to call this error handling function (which you must write) instead of passing meaningful values to the dw_error argument.
dw_errarg	Pass in NULL, normally. If dw_errorhand is non-null, then this value (a pointer or integer that means something to you) is passed to the dw_errhand function in case that is helpful to you.
dw_dbg	On success, *dw_dbg is set to a pointer to a new Dwarf_Debug structure to be used in calls to libdwarf functions.
dw_dl_path_array	debuglink processing allows a user-specified set of file paths and this argument allows one to specify these.
dw_dl_path_array_size	Specify the size of the dw_dl_path_array.
dw_dl_path_source	returns DW_PATHSOURCE_basic or other such value so the caller can know how the true-path was resolved.
dw_error	In case return is DW_DLV_ERROR dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### See also

Example of dwarf\_init\_path\_dl

# 9.7.3.3 dwarf\_init\_b()

```
int dwarf_init_b (
        int dw_fd,
        unsigned int dw_groupnumber,
        Dwarf_Handler dw_errhand,
        Dwarf_Ptr dw_errarg,
        Dwarf_Debug * dw_dbg,
        Dwarf_Error * dw_error )
```

Initialization based on Unix/Linux (etc) path This version allows specifying any number of debuglink global paths to search on for debuglink targets.

#### **Parameters**

dw_fd	An open Unix/Linux/etc fd on the object file.
dw_groupnumber	The value passed in should be DW_GROUPNUMBER_ANY unless one wishes to other than a standard group.
dw_errhand	Pass in NULL unless one wishes libdwarf to call this error handling function (which you must write) instead of passing meaningful values to the dw_error argument.
Generated by Boxygen	If dw_errorhand is non-null, then this value (a pointer or integer that means something to you) is passed to the dw_errhand function in case that is helpful to you.
dw_dbg	On success, *dw_dbg is set to a pointer to a new Dwarf_Debug structure to be used in calls to libdwarf functions.
dw orror	In case return is DW DLV ERPOR dw. error is set to point to the error details

#### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.7.3.4 dwarf\_finish()

```
int dwarf_finish ( {\tt Dwarf\_Debug}\ dw\_dbg\ )
```

Close the initialized dw\_dbg and free all data libdwarf has for this dw\_dbg.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg Close the dbg.
-----------------------

#### Returns

May return DW\_DLV\_ERROR if something is very wrong: no further information is available.. May return DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY but no further information is available. Normally returns DW\_DLV\_OK.

#### 9.7.3.5 dwarf\_object\_init\_b()

Used to access DWARF information in memory or in an object format unknown to libdwarf.

#### See also

Jitreader Demonstrating DWARF without a file.

and

#### See also

dw\_noobject Reading DWARF not in object file

#### **Parameters**

dw_obj	A data structure filled out by the caller so libdwarf can access DWARF data not in a
	supported object file format.
dw_errhand	Pass in NULL normally.
dw_errarg	Pass in NULL normally.  Generated by Doxygen
dw_groupnumber	The value passed in should be DW_GROUPNUMBER_ANY unless one wishes to other
	than a standard group (quite unlikely for this interface).
dw_dbg	On success, *dw_dbg is set to a pointer to a new Dwarf_Debug structure to be used in
	calle to libdwarf functions

#### Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.7.3.6 dwarf\_object\_finish()

```
int dwarf_object_finish ( {\tt Dwarf\_Debug}\ dw\_dbg\ )
```

Used to close the object\_init dw\_dbg.

Close the dw\_dbg opened by dwarf\_object\_init\_b().

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	Must be an open Dwarf_Debug opened by dwarf_object_init_b(). The init call dw_obj data is not
	freed by the call to dwarf_object_finish.

#### Returns

The return value DW\_DLV\_OK etc is pretty useless, there is not much you can do with it.

#### 9.7.3.7 dwarf\_set\_tied\_dbg()

Use with split dwarf.

### **Parameters**

dw_basedbg	Pass in an open dbg, on an object file with (normally) lots of DWARF
dw_tied_dbg	Pass in an open dbg on an executable which has minimal DWARF to save space in the executable.
dw_error	In case return is DW_DLV_ERROR dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### See also

Attaching a tied dbg Detaching a tied dbg

# 9.7.3.8 dwarf\_get\_tied\_dbg()

Use with split dwarf.

Given a base Dwarf\_Debug this returns the tied Dwarf\_Debug. Unlikely anyone uses this call as you had the tied and base dbg when calling dwarf\_set\_tied\_dbg().

# 9.8 CU Data-Compilation Unit (CU) Access

Access to each CU sequentially.

### **Functions**

int dwarf\_next\_cu\_header\_d (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Bool dw\_is\_info, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_cu\_
header\_length, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_version\_stamp, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_abbrev\_offset, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_address
\_size, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_length\_size, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_extension\_size, Dwarf\_Sig8 \*dw\_type\_signature,
Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_typeoffset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_next\_cu\_header\_offset, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_header
\_cu\_type, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns information on the next CU header.

int dwarf\_siblingof\_b (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Bool dw\_is\_info, Dwarf\_Die \*dw\_←
return siblingdie, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Retrieve the first DIE or the next sibling.

int dwarf\_cu\_header\_basics (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_version, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_is\_info, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_is\_dwo, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_offset\_size, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_address\_size, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_county extension\_size, Dwarf\_Sig8 \*\*dw\_signature, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_offset\_of\_length, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_totalcounty byte\_length, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Some CU-relative facts.

• int dwarf child (Dwarf Die dw die, Dwarf Die \*dw return childdie, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Get the child DIE, if any. The child may be the first of a list of sibling DIEs.

void dwarf\_dealloc\_die (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die)

Deallocate (free) a DIE.

int dwarf\_die\_from\_hash\_signature (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Sig8 \*dw\_hash\_sig, const char \*dw\_←
 sig\_type, Dwarf\_Die \*dw\_returned\_CU\_die, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Given a has signature, retrieve the applicable CU die.

int dwarf\_offdie\_b (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Off dw\_offset, Dwarf\_Bool dw\_is\_info, Dwarf\_Die \*dw\_
 return\_die, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Finding die given global (not CU-relative) offset.

• int dwarf\_find\_die\_given\_sig8 (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Sig8 \*dw\_ref, Dwarf\_Die \*dw\_die\_out, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_is\_info, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Retrieves a DIE from a DW\_UT\_split\_type or DW\_UT\_type CU.

Dwarf\_Bool dwarf\_get\_die\_infotypes\_flag (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die)

Returns the is\_info flag.

## 9.8.1 Detailed Description

Access to each CU sequentially.

# 9.8.2 Function Documentation

### 9.8.2.1 dwarf\_next\_cu\_header\_d()

Returns information on the next CU header.

The library keeps track of where it is in the object file and it knows where to find 'next'.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.	
dw_is_info	Pass in TRUE if reading through .debug_info Pass in FALSE if reading through DWARF4 .debug_types.	
dw_cu_header_length	Returns the length of the just-read CU header.	
dw_version_stamp	Returns the version number (2 to 5) of the CU header just read.	
dw_abbrev_offset	Returns the .debug_abbrev offset from the the CU header just read.	
dw_address_size	Returns the address size specified for this CU, usually either 4 or 8.	
dw_length_size	Returns the offset size (the length of the size field from the header) specified for this CU, either 4 or 4.	
dw_extension_size	If the section is standard 64bit DWARF then this value is 4. Else the value is zero.	
dw_type_signature	If the CU is DW_UT_skeleton DW_UT_split_compile, DW_UT_split_type or DW_UT_type this is the type signature from the CU_header compiled into this field.	
dw_typeoffset	For DW_UT_split_type or DW_UT_type this is the type offset from the CU header.	
dw_next_cu_header_offset	The offset in the section of the next CU (unless there is a compiler bug this is rarely of interest).	
dw_header_cu_type	Returns DW_UT_compile, or other DW_UT value.	
dw_error	In case return is DW_DLV_ERROR dw_error is set to point to the error details.	

# Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK on success. Returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if all CUs have been read.

# 9.8.2.2 dwarf\_siblingof\_b()

```
Dwarf_Die dw_die,
Dwarf_Bool dw_is_info,
Dwarf_Die * dw_return_siblingdie,
Dwarf_Error * dw_error )
```

Retrieve the first DIE or the next sibling.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug one is operating on.
dw_die	Immediately after calling dwarf_next_cu_header_d pass in NULL to retrieve the CU
	DIE. Or pass in a known DIE and this will retrieve the next sibling in the chain.
dw_is_info	Pass TRUE or FALSE to match the applicable dwarf_next_cu_header_d call.
dw_return_siblingdie	The DIE returned through the pointer.
dw_error	The usual error information, if any.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

#### See also

```
Example dwarf_siblingofb call dwarf_get_die_infotypes
```

### 9.8.2.3 dwarf\_cu\_header\_basics()

Some CU-relative facts.

Any Dwarf\_Die will work. The values returned through the pointers are about the CU for a DIE

dw_die	Some open Dwarf_Die.
dw_version	Returns the DWARF version: 2,3,4, or 5
dw_is_info	Returns non-zero if the CU is .debug_info. Returns zero if the CU is .debug_types (DWARF4).

### **Parameters**

dw_is_dwo	Returns ton-zero if the CU is a dwo/dwp object and zero if it is a standard object.
dw_offset_size	Returns offset size, 4 and 8 are possible.
dw_address_size	Almost always returns 4 or 8. Could be 2 in unusual circumstances.
dw_extension_size	The sum of dw_offset_size and dw_extension_size are the count of the initial bytes of the CU. Standard lengths are 4 and 12. For 1990's SGI objects the length could be 8.
dw_signature	Returns a pointer to an 8 byte signature.
dw_offset_of_length	Returns the section offset of the initial byte of the CU.
dw_total_byte_length	Returns the total length of the CU including the length field and the content of the CU.
dw_error	The usual Dwarf_Error*.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.8.2.4 dwarf\_child()

Get the child DIE, if any. The child may be the first of a list of sibling DIEs.

## Parameters

dw_die	We will return the first child of this DIE.
	Returns the first child through the pointer. For subsequent dies siblings of the first, use dwarf_siblingof_b().
dw_error	The usual Dwarf_Error*.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc. Returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if dw\_die has no children.

### See also

Example dwarf\_child call

### 9.8.2.5 dwarf\_dealloc\_die()

Deallocate (free) a DIE.

dw_die	Frees (deallocs) memory associated with this Dwarf_Die.
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### 9.8.2.6 dwarf\_die\_from\_hash\_signature()

```
int dwarf_die_from_hash_signature (
    Dwarf_Debug dw_dbg,
    Dwarf_Sig8 * dw_hash_sig,
    const char * dw_sig_type,
    Dwarf_Die * dw_returned_CU_die,
    Dwarf_Error * dw_error )
```

Given a has signature, retrieve the applicable CU die.

### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	
dw_hash_sig	A pointer to an 8 byte signature to be looked up. in .debug_names.
dw_sig_type	Valid type requests are "cu" and "tu"
dw_returned_CU_die	Returns the found CU DIE if one is found.
dw_error	The usual Dwarf_Error*.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK means dw\_returned\_CU\_die was set. DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY means the signature could not be found.

## 9.8.2.7 dwarf\_offdie\_b()

Finding die given global (not CU-relative) offset.

This works whether or not the target section has had dwarf\_next\_cu\_header\_d() applied, the CU the offset exists in has been seen at all, or the target offset is one libdwarf has seen before.

dw_dbg	The applicable Dwarf_Debug
dw_offset	The global offset of the DIE in the appropriate section.
dw_is_info	Pass TRUE if the target is .debug_info, else pass FALSE if the target is .debug_types.
Gedlevate@tourDoxdigen	On success this returns a DIE pointer to the found DIE.
dw_error	The usual Dwarf_Error*.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK means dw\_returned\_die was found DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY is only possible if the offset is to a null DIE, and that is very unusual. Otherwise expect DW\_DLV\_ERROR.

#### See also

Example dwarf\_offdie\_b call

### 9.8.2.8 dwarf\_find\_die\_given\_sig8()

Retrieves a DIE from a DW\_UT\_split\_type or DW\_UT\_type CU.

returns DIE and is\_info flag if it finds the referenced DW\_UT\_split\_type or DW\_UT\_type CU.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The applicable Dwarf_Debug
dw_ref	A pointer to a Dwarf_Sig8 struct whose content defines what is being searched for.
dw_die_out	If found, this returns the found DIE itself.
dw_is_info	If found, this returns section (.debug_is_info or .debug_is_types).
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

# Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.8.2.9 dwarf\_get\_die\_infotypes\_flag()

Returns the is\_info flag.

So client software knows if a DIE is in debug\_info or debug\_types.

dw_die The DIE being queried.
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If non-zero the flag means the DIE is in .debug\_info. Otherwise it means the DIE is in .debug\_types.

# 9.9 CU Data-Debugging Information Entry Access

This is the main interface to attributes of a DIE.

#### **Functions**

• int dwarf\_die\_abbrev\_global\_offset (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_abbrev\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw abbrev count, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Returns the abbrev section offset of a DIE's abbrevs.

int dwarf\_tag (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_return\_tag, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get TAG value of DIE.

• int dwarf dieoffset (Dwarf Die dw die, Dwarf Off \*dw return offset, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Returns the global section offset of the DIE.

int dwarf\_debug\_addr\_index\_to\_addr (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_index, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_
 return\_addr, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Extract address given address index. DWARF5.

Dwarf\_Bool dwarf\_addr\_form\_is\_indexed (int dw\_form)

Informs if a DW FORM is an indexed form.

- int dwarf\_CU\_dieoffset\_given\_die (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Returns the CU DIE offset given any DIE.
- int dwarf\_get\_cu\_die\_offset\_given\_cu\_header\_offset\_b (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Off dw\_in\_cu\_
   header\_offset, Dwarf\_Bool dw\_is\_info, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_out\_cu\_die\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns the CU DIE section offset given CU header offset.

- int dwarf\_die\_CU\_offset (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
   returns the CU relative offset of the DIE.
- int dwarf\_die\_CU\_offset\_range (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_CU\_header\_offset, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_CU\_length\_bytes, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns the offset length of the entire CU of a DIE.

 int dwarf\_attr (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Half dw\_attrnum, Dwarf\_Attribute \*dw\_returned\_attr, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Given DIE and attribute number return a Dwarf\_attribute.

int dwarf\_die\_text (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Half dw\_attrnum, char \*\*dw\_ret\_name, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_←
error)

Given DIE and attribute number return a string.

• int dwarf\_diename (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, char \*\*dw\_diename, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Return the string from a DW\_AT\_name attribute.

int dwarf\_die\_abbrev\_code (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die)

Return the DIE abbrev code.

int dwarf\_die\_abbrev\_children\_flag (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_ab\_has\_child)

Returns TRUE if the DIE has children.

• int dwarf\_validate\_die\_sibling (Dwarf\_Die dw\_sibling, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_offset)

Validate a sibling DIE.

 int dwarf\_hasattr (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Half dw\_attrnum, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_returned\_bool, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Tells whether a DIE has a particular attribute.

int dwarf\_offset\_list (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Off dw\_offset, Dwarf\_Bool dw\_is\_info, Dwarf\_Off \*\*dw
 offbuf, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offcount, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns an array of DIE children offsets.

• int dwarf\_get\_die\_address\_size (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_addr\_size, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get the address size applying to a DIE.

• int dwarf\_die\_offsets (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_global\_offset, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_local\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Return section and CU-local offsets of a DIE.

- int dwarf\_get\_version\_of\_die (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_version, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_offset\_size)

  Get the version and offset size.
- int dwarf\_lowpc (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_returned\_addr, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Returns the DW AT low pc value.
- int dwarf\_highpc\_b (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_return\_addr, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_return\_form, enum Dwarf Form Class \*dw return class, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Returns the DW\_AT\_hipc address value.

- int dwarf\_dietype\_offset (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Returns the offset from the DW\_AT\_type attribute.
- int dwarf\_bytesize (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_returned\_size, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Returns the value of the attribute DW\_AT\_byte\_size.
- int dwarf\_bitsize (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_returned\_size, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Returns the value of the attribute DW AT bitsize.
- int dwarf\_bitoffset (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_attrnum, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_returned\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns the bit offset attribute of a DIE.

- int dwarf\_srclang (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_returned\_lang, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Returns the value of the DW\_AT\_language attribute.
- int dwarf\_arrayorder (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_returned\_order, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Returns the value of the DW\_AT\_ordering attribute.

## 9.9.1 Detailed Description

This is the main interface to attributes of a DIE.

### 9.9.2 Function Documentation

## 9.9.2.1 dwarf\_die\_abbrev\_global\_offset()

Returns the abbrev section offset of a DIE's abbrevs.

So we can associate a DIE's abbreviations with the contents the abbreviations section. Useful for detailed printing and analysis of abbreviations

dw die	The DIE of interest
dw abbrev offset	On success is set to the global offset in the .debug abbrev section of the abbreviations for
	the DIE.
dw abbrev count Generated by Doxygen	On success is set to the count of abbreviations in the .debug_abbrev section of the
Generated by boxygen	abbreviations for the DIE.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.9.2.2 dwarf\_tag()

Get TAG value of DIE.

### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest
dw_return_tag	On success, set to the DW_TAG value of the DIE.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.9.2.3 dwarf\_dieoffset()

Returns the global section offset of the DIE.

### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest
dw_return_offset	On success the offset refers to the section of the DIE itself, which may be .debug_offset or .debug_types.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

### 9.9.2.4 dwarf\_debug\_addr\_index\_to\_addr()

Extract address given address index. DWARF5.

#### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest
dw_index	An index into .debug_addr. This will look first for .debug_addr in the dbg object DIE and if not there will look in the tied object if that is available.
dw_return_addr	On success the address is returned through the pointer.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.9.2.5 dwarf\_addr\_form\_is\_indexed()

Informs if a DW FORM is an indexed form.

Reading a CU DIE with DW\_AT\_low\_pc an indexed value can be problematic as several different FORMs are indexed. Some in DWARF5 others being extensions to DWARF4 and DWARF5. Indexed forms interact with DW — \_AT\_addr\_base in a DIE making this a very relevant distinction.

## 9.9.2.6 dwarf\_CU\_dieoffset\_given\_die()

Returns the CU DIE offset given any DIE.

Returns the global debug\_info section offset of the CU die in the CU containing the given\_die (the passed in DIE can be any DIE).

### See also

```
dwarf_get_cu_die_offset_given_cu_header_offset_b
Example dwarf_offset_given_die
```

### **Parameters**

dw_die	The die being queried.
dw_return_offset	Returns the section offset of the CU DIE for dw_die.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.9.2.7 dwarf\_get\_cu\_die\_offset\_given\_cu\_header\_offset\_b()

Returns the CU DIE section offset given CU header offset.

Returns the CU die global offset if one knows the CU header global offset.

# See also

```
dwarf_CU_dieoffset_given_die
```

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_in_cu_header_offset	The CU header offset.
dw_is_info	If TRUE the CU header offset is in .debug_info. Otherwise the CU header offset is
	in .debug_types.
dw_out_cu_die_offset	The CU DIE offset returned through this pointer.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.9.2.8 dwarf\_die\_CU\_offset()

returns the CU relative offset of the DIE.

### See also

```
dwarf_CU_dieoffset_given_die
```

### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE being queried.
dw_return_offset	Returns the CU relative offset of this DIE.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.9.2.9 dwarf\_die\_CU\_offset\_range()

Returns the offset length of the entire CU of a DIE.

#### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE being queried.
dw_return_CU_header_offset	On success returns the section offset of the CU this DIE is in.
dw_return_CU_length_bytes	On success returns the CU length of the CU this DIE is in, including the CU length, header, and all DIEs.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.9.2.10 dwarf\_attr()

Given DIE and attribute number return a Dwarf\_attribute.

Returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if the DIE has no attribute dw\_attrnum.

# **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_attrnum	An attribute number, for example DW_AT_name.
dw_returned_attr	On success a Dwarf_Attribute pointer is returned and it should eventually be deallocated.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.9.2.11 dwarf\_die\_text()

Given DIE and attribute number return a string.

Returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if the DIE has no attribute dw\_attrnum.

#### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_attrnum	An attribute number, for example DW_AT_name.
dw_ret_name	On success a pointer to the string is returned. Do not free the string. Many attributes allow various forms that directly or indirectly contain strings and this follows all of them to their string.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.9.2.12 dwarf\_diename()

Return the string from a DW\_AT\_name attribute.

Returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if the DIE has no attribute DW\_AT\_name

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_diename	On success a pointer to the string is returned. Do not free the string. Various forms directly or indirectly contain strings and this follows all of them to their string.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.9.2.13 dwarf\_die\_abbrev\_code()

Return the DIE abbrev code.

The Abbrev code for a DIE is an integer assigned by the compiler within a particular CU. For .debug\_names abbreviations the situation is different.

Returns the abbrev code of the die. Cannot fail.

## **Parameters**

```
dw_die The DIE of interest.
```

## Returns

The abbrev code. of the DIE.

# 9.9.2.14 dwarf\_die\_abbrev\_children\_flag()

Returns TRUE if the DIE has children.

dw_die	A DIE.
dw ab has child	Sets TRUE though the pointer if the DIE has children. Otherwise sets FALSE.

#### Returns

Returns TRUE if the DIE has a child DIE. Else returns FALSE.

### 9.9.2.15 dwarf\_validate\_die\_sibling()

```
int dwarf_validate_die_sibling ( {\tt Dwarf\_Die}\ dw\_sibling, \\ {\tt Dwarf\_Off}\ *\ dw\_offset\ )
```

Validate a sibling DIE.

This is used by dwarfdump (when dwarfdump is checking for valid DWARF but it depends on the caller to have done precise setup. Ignore it. It has to change.

### 9.9.2.16 dwarf\_hasattr()

Tells whether a DIE has a particular attribute.

### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_attrnum	The attribute number we are asking about, DW_AT_name for example.
dw_returned_bool	On success is set TRUE if dw_die has dw_attrnum.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Never returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY. Returns DW\_DLV\_OK unless there is an error, in which case it returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR and sets dw\_error to the error details.

# 9.9.2.17 dwarf\_offset\_list()

Returns an array of DIE children offsets.

Given a DIE offset and dw\_is\_info, returns an array of DIE offsets of the children of DIE.

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_offset	A DIE offset.
dw_is_info	If TRUE says to use the offset in .debug_info. Else .debug_types.
dw_offbuf	A pointer to an array of offsets is returned through the pointer.
dw_offcount	The number of elements in offbuf. IF the DIE has no children it could be zero, in which case offbuf and dw_offcount are not touched.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc. DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY means there are no children of the DIE, hence no list of child offsets.

### See also

Example using dwarf\_offset\_list

### 9.9.2.18 dwarf\_get\_die\_address\_size()

Get the address size applying to a DIE.

### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_addr_size	On success, returns the address size that applies to dw_die. Normally 4 or 8.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.9.2.19 dwarf\_die\_offsets()

Return section and CU-local offsets of a DIE.

### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_global_offset	On success returns the offset of the DIE in its section.
dw_local_offset	On success returns the offset of the DIE within its CU.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.9.2.20 dwarf\_get\_version\_of\_die()

Get the version and offset size.

The values returned apply to the CU this DIE belongs to. This is useful as preparation for calling dwarf\_get\_form class

### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_version	Returns the version of the CU this DIE is contained in. Standard version numbers are 2 through 5.
dw_offset_size	Returns the offset_size (4 or 8) of the CU this DIE is contained in.

# 9.9.2.21 dwarf\_lowpc()

Returns the DW\_AT\_low\_pc value.

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_returned_addr	On success returns, through the pointer, the address DW_AT_low_pc defines.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.9.2.22 dwarf\_highpc\_b()

Returns the DW\_AT\_hipc address value.

Calculating the high pc involves several elements which we don't describe here. See the DWARF5 standard. This is accessing the DW\_AT\_high\_pc attribute.

#### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_return_addr	On success returns the high-pc address for this DIE.
dw_return_form	On success returns the actual FORM for this attribute.
dw_return_class	On success returns the FORM CLASS for this attribute.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW DLV OK etc.

### 9.9.2.23 dwarf\_dietype\_offset()

Returns the offset from the DW\_AT\_type attribute.

The offset returned is is a global offset of a type DIE. If this CU is DWARF4 the offset would be in .debug\_types, otherwise it is in .debug\_info.

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_return_offset	If successful, returns the offset through the pointer.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.9.2.24 dwarf\_bytesize()

Returns the value of the attribute DW\_AT\_byte\_size.

### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_returned_size	If successful, returns the size through the pointer.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.9.2.25 dwarf\_bitsize()

Returns the value of the attribute DW\_AT\_bitsize.

#### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_returned_size	If successful, returns the size through the pointer.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

### 9.9.2.26 dwarf\_bitoffset()

Returns the bit offset attribute of a DIE.

If the attribute is DW\_AT\_data\_bit\_offset (DWARF4, DWARF5) the returned bit offset has one meaning. If the attribute is DW\_AT\_bit\_offset (DWARF2, DWARF3) the meaning is quite different.

#### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_attrnum	If successful, returns the number of the attribute (DW_AT_data_bit_offset or DW_AT_bit_offset)
dw_returned_offset	If successful, returns the bit offset value.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.9.2.27 dwarf\_srclang()

Returns the value of the DW\_AT\_language attribute.

The DIE should be a CU DIE.

## **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_returned_lang	On success returns the language code (normally only found on a CU DIE). For example DW_LANG_C
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

# 9.9.2.28 dwarf\_arrayorder()

Returns the value of the DW\_AT\_ordering attribute.

### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_returned_order	On success returns the ordering value. For example DW_ORD_row_major
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

## 9.10 CU Data-Attribute and Attribute-Form Details

Access to the details of DIEs.

### **Functions**

• int dwarf\_attrlist (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Attribute \*\*dw\_attrbuf, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_attrcount, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Gets the full list of attributes.

• int dwarf\_hasform (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Half dw\_form, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_returned\_bool, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Sets TRUE of a Dwarf Attribute has the indicated FORM.

- int dwarf\_whatform (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_returned\_final\_form, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  \*\*Returns the form of the Dwarf\_Attribute.
- int dwarf\_whatform\_direct (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_returned\_initial\_form, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns the initial form of the Dwarf\_Attribute.

- int dwarf\_whatattr (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_returned\_attrnum, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Returns the attribute number of the Dwarf Attribute.
- int dwarf\_formref (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_is\_info,
   Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Retrieve the CU-relative offset of a reference.

int dwarf\_global\_formref\_b (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_offset
 \_is\_info, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Return the section-relative offset of a Dwarf\_Attribute.

- int dwarf\_global\_formref (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Same as dwarf\_global\_formref\_b except...
- int dwarf\_formsig8 (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Sig8 \*dw\_returned\_sig\_bytes, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Return an 8 byte reference form for DW FORM ref sig8.
- int dwarf\_formsig8\_const (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Sig8 \*dw\_returned\_sig\_bytes, Dwarf\_Error \*dw
   error)

Return an 8 byte reference form for DW\_FORM\_data8.

- int dwarf\_formaddr (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_returned\_addr, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Return the address when the attribute has form address.
- int dwarf\_get\_debug\_addr\_index (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_return\_index, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get the addr index of a Dwarf Attribute.

- int dwarf\_formflag (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_returned\_bool, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Return the flag value of a flag form.
- int dwarf\_formudata (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_returned\_val, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Return an unsigned value.
- int dwarf\_formsdata (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_returned\_val, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Return a signed value.
- int dwarf\_formdata16 (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Form\_Data16 \*dw\_returned\_val, Dwarf\_Error \*dw← error)

Return a 16 byte Dwarf\_Form\_Data16 value.

- int dwarf\_formblock (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Block \*\*dw\_returned\_block, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Returns an allocated filled-in Form Block.
- int dwarf\_formstring (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, char \*\*dw\_returned\_string, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Returns a pointer to a string.

 int dwarf\_get\_debug\_str\_index (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_return\_index, Dwarf\_Error \*dw error)

Returns a string index.

int dwarf\_formexprloc (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_return\_exprlen, Dwarf\_Ptr \*dw\_
 block\_ptr, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns a pointer-to and length-of a block of data.

 enum Dwarf\_Form\_Class dwarf\_get\_form\_class (Dwarf\_Half dw\_version, Dwarf\_Half dw\_attrnum, Dwarf\_Half dw\_offset\_size, Dwarf\_Half dw\_form)

Returns the FORM CLASS applicable. Four pieces of information are necessary to get the correct FORM CLASS.

int dwarf\_attr\_offset (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error
 \*dw error)

Returns the offset of an attribute in its section.

 int dwarf\_uncompress\_integer\_block\_a (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_input\_length\_in\_bytes, void \*dw\_input\_block, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_value\_count, Dwarf\_Signed \*\*dw\_value\_array, Dwarf\_Error \*dw error)

Uncompress a block of sleb numbers It's not much of a compression so not much of an uncompression. Developed by Sun Microsystems and it is unclear if it was ever used.

void dwarf\_dealloc\_uncompressed\_block (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, void \*dw\_value\_array)

Dealloc what dwarf\_uncompress\_integer\_block\_a allocated.

int dwarf\_convert\_to\_global\_offset (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Off dw\_offset, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_

 offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Convert local offset to global offset.

void dwarf\_dealloc\_attribute (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr)

Dealloc a Dwarf\_Attribute When this call returns the dw\_attr is a stale pointer.

- int dwarf\_discr\_list (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_blockpointer, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_blocklen, Dwarf\_Dsc\_Head \*dw\_dsc\_head\_out, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_dsc\_array\_length\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  \*Returns an array of discriminant values.
- int dwarf\_discr\_entry\_u (Dwarf\_Dsc\_Head dw\_dsc, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_entrynum, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_out\_
   type, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_out\_discr\_low, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_out\_discr\_high, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
   Access a single unsigned discriminant list entry.
- int dwarf\_discr\_entry\_s (Dwarf\_Dsc\_Head dw\_dsc, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_entrynum, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_out\_
   type, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_out\_discr\_low, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_out\_discr\_high, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
   Access to a single signed discriminant list entry.

### 9.10.1 Detailed Description

Access to the details of DIEs.

### 9.10.2 Function Documentation

### 9.10.2.1 dwarf\_attrlist()

Gets the full list of attributes.

dw_die	The DIE from which to pull attributes.	
dw_attrbuf	The pointer is set to point to an array of Dwarf_Attribute (pointers to attribute data). This array must eventually be deallocated.	
dw_attrcount	The number of entries in the array of pointers. There is no null-pointer to terminate the list, use	
	this count.	
dw_error	A place to return error details.	

### Returns

If it returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR and dw\_error is non-null it creates an Dwarf\_Error and places it in this argument. Usually returns DW\_DLV\_OK.

#### See also

Example of dwarf\_attrlist

Example calling dwarf\_attrlist

### 9.10.2.2 dwarf\_hasform()

Sets TRUE of a Dwarf\_Attribute has the indicated FORM.

### **Parameters**

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_form	The DW_FORM you are asking about, DW_FORM_strp for example.
dw_returned_bool	On success, sets the value to TRUE or FALSE.
dw_error	A place to return error details.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK and sets dw\_returned\_bool. If attribute is passed in NULL or the attribute is badly broken the call returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR. Never returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY;

### 9.10.2.3 dwarf\_whatform()

```
int dwarf_whatform ( {\tt Dwarf\_Attribute}\ dw\_attr,
```

```
Dwarf_Half * dw_returned_final_form,
Dwarf_Error * dw_error )
```

Returns the form of the Dwarf\_Attribute.

### **Parameters**

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_returned_final_form	The form of the item is returned through the pointer. If the base form is
	DW_FORM_indirect the function resolves the final form and returns that final form.
dw_error	A place to return error details.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK and sets dw\_returned\_final\_form If attribute is passed in NULL or the attribute is badly broken the call returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR. Never returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY;

### 9.10.2.4 dwarf\_whatform\_direct()

Returns the initial form of the Dwarf\_Attribute.

### **Parameters**

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_returned_initial_form	The form of the item is returned through the pointer. If the base form is
	DW_FORM_indirect the value set is DW_FORM_indirect.
dw_error	A place to return error details.

# Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK and sets dw\_returned\_initial\_form. If attribute is passed in NULL or the attribute is badly broken the call returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR. Never returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY;

# 9.10.2.5 dwarf\_whatattr()

Returns the attribute number of the Dwarf\_Attribute.

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_returned_attrnum	The attribute number of the attribute is returned through the pointer. For example, DW_AT_name
dw_error	A place to return error details.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK and sets dw\_returned\_attrnum If attribute is passed in NULL or the attribute is badly broken the call returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR. Never returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY;

### 9.10.2.6 dwarf\_formref()

Retrieve the CU-relative offset of a reference.

The DW\_FORM of the attribute must be one of a small set of local reference forms: DW\_FORM\_ref<n> or DW $\leftarrow$ \_FORM\_udata.

#### **Parameters**

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_return_offset	Returns the CU-relative offset through the pointer.
dw_is_info	Returns a flag through the pointer. TRUE if the offset is in .debug_info, FALSE if it is in .debug_types
dw_error	A place to return error details.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK and sets dw\_returned\_attrnum If attribute is passed in NULL or the attribute is badly broken or the FORM of this attribute is not one of the small set of local references the call returns DW\_DLV — \_ERROR. Never returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY;

### 9.10.2.7 dwarf\_global\_formref\_b()

Return the section-relative offset of a Dwarf\_Attribute.

The target section of the returned offset can be in various sections depending on the FORM. Only a DW\_F 
ORM\_ref\_sig8 can change the returned offset of a .debug\_info die via a lookup into .debug\_types by changing 
dw\_offset\_is\_info to FALSE (DWARF4).

The caller must determine the target section from the FORM.

#### **Parameters**

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_return_offset	Returns the CU-relative offset through the pointer.
dw_offset_is_info	For references to DIEs this informs whether the target DIE (the target the offset refers to) is in .debug_info or .debug_types. For non-DIE targets this field is not meaningful. Refer to the attribute FORM to determine the target section of the offset.
dw_error	A place to return error details.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK and sets dw\_return\_offset and dw\_offset\_is\_info. If attribute is passed in NULL or the attribute is badly broken or the FORM of this attribute is not one of the many reference types the call returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR. Never returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY;

# 9.10.2.8 dwarf\_global\_formref()

Same as dwarf\_global\_formref\_b except...

#### See also

```
dwarf_global_formref_b
```

This is the same, except there is no dw\_offset\_is\_info pointer so in the case of DWARF4 and DW\_FORM\_ref\_sig8 it is not possible to determine which section the offset applies to!

### 9.10.2.9 dwarf\_formsig8()

Return an 8 byte reference form for DW FORM ref sig8.

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_returned_sig_bytes	On success returns DW_DLV_OK and copies the 8 bytes into dw_returned_sig_bytes.
dw_error	A place to return error details.

#### Returns

On success returns DW\_DLV\_OK and copies the 8 bytes into dw\_returned\_sig\_bytes. If attribute is passed in NULL or the attribute is badly broken the call returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR. If the dw\_attr has a form other than DW\_FORM\_ref\_sig8 the function returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY

### 9.10.2.10 dwarf\_formsig8\_const()

Return an 8 byte reference form for DW\_FORM\_data8.

### **Parameters**

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_returned_sig_bytes	On success Returns DW_DLV_OK and copies the 8 bytes into dw_returned_sig_bytes.
dw_error	A place to return error details.

### Returns

On success returns DW\_DLV\_OK and copies the 8 bytes into dw\_returned\_sig\_bytes. If attribute is passed in NULL or the attribute is badly broken the call returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR. If the dw\_attr has a form other than DW\_FORM\_data8 the function returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY

### 9.10.2.11 dwarf\_formaddr()

Return the address when the attribute has form address.

There are several address forms, some of them indexed.

#### **Parameters**

	dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
	dw_returned_addr	On success this set through the pointer to the address in the attribute.
Ì	dw_error	A place to return error details.

#### Returns

On success returns DW\_DLV\_OK sets dw\_returned\_addr . If attribute is passed in NULL or the attribute is badly broken or the address cannot be retrieved the call returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR. Never returns DW\_DL  $\lor$  NO ENTRY.

### 9.10.2.12 dwarf\_get\_debug\_addr\_index()

Get the addr index of a Dwarf\_Attribute.

So a consumer can get the index when the object with the actual .debug\_addr section is elsewhere (Debug Fission). Or if the caller just wants the index. Only call it when you know it should does have an index address FORM such as DW FORM addrx1 or one of the GNU address index forms.

# Parameters

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_return_index	If successful it returns the index through the pointer.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds. Never returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

### 9.10.2.13 dwarf\_formflag()

Return the flag value of a flag form.

It is an error if the FORM is not a flag form.

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_returned_bool	Returns either TRUE or FALSE through the pointer.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds. Never returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

### 9.10.2.14 dwarf\_formudata()

Return an unsigned value.

The form can be an unsigned or signed integral type but if it is a signed type the value must be non-negative. It is an error otherwise.

### **Parameters**

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_returned_val	On success returns the unsigned value through the pointer.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

## Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds. Never returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

# 9.10.2.15 dwarf\_formsdata()

Return a signed value.

The form must be a signed integral type. It is an error otherwise.

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
	On success returns the signed value through the pointer.
Generated by Doxygen  OW_Error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds. Never returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

# 9.10.2.16 dwarf\_formdata16()

Return a 16 byte Dwarf\_Form\_Data16 value.

We just store the bytes in a struct, we have no 16 byte integer type. It is an error if the FORM is not DW\_FORM $_{\leftarrow}$  data16

#### See also

```
Dwarf_Form_Data16
```

### **Parameters**

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_returned_val	Copies the 16 byte value into the pointed to area.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds. Never returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

# 9.10.2.17 dwarf\_formblock()

Returns an allocated filled-in Form\_Block.

It is an error if the DW\_FORM in the attribute is not a block form. DW\_FORM\_block2 is an example of a block form.

### See also

Dwarf Block

Example using dwarf\_discr\_list

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_returned_block	Allocates a Dwarf_Block and returns a pointer to the filled-in block.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds. Never returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

# 9.10.2.18 dwarf\_formstring()

Returns a pointer to a string.

### **Parameters**

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_returned_string	Puts a pointer to a string in the DWARF information if the FORM of the attribute is some sort of string FORM.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

### 9.10.2.19 dwarf\_get\_debug\_str\_index()

Returns a string index.

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_return_index	If the form is a string index form (for example DW_FORM_strx) the string index value is returned via the pointer.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds. If the attribute form is not one of the string index forms it returns DW\_DLV\_E RROR and sets dw\_error to point to the error details.

### 9.10.2.20 dwarf\_formexprloc()

Returns a pointer-to and length-of a block of data.

#### **Parameters**

dw_attr	The Dwarf_Attribute of interest.
dw_return_exprlen	Returns the length in bytes of the block if it succeeds.
dw_block_ptr Returns a pointer to the first byte of the block	Returns a pointer to the first byte of the block of data if it succeeds.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds. If the attribute form is not DW\_FORM\_exprloc it returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR and sets dw\_error to point to the error details.

# 9.10.2.21 dwarf\_get\_form\_class()

Returns the FORM\_CLASS applicable. Four pieces of information are necessary to get the correct FORM\_CLASS.

dw_version	The CU's DWARF version. Standard numbers are 2,3,4, or 5.
dw_attrnum	For example DW_AT_name
dw_offset_size	The offset size applicable to the compilation unit relevant to the attribute and form.
dw_form	The FORM number, for example DW_FORM_data4

#### Returns

Returns a form class, for example DW\_FORM\_CLASS\_CONSTANT. The FORM\_CLASS names are mentioned (for example as 'address' in Table 2.3 of DWARF5) but are not assigned formal names & numbers in the standard.

### 9.10.2.22 dwarf\_attr\_offset()

Returns the offset of an attribute in its section.

#### **Parameters**

dw_die	The DIE of interest.
dw_attr	A Dwarf_Attribute of interest in this DIE
dw_return_offset  The offset is in .debug_info if the DIE is there. The offset is in .debug_types if the	
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

 ${\sf DW\_DLV\_OK} \ \ \text{if it succeeds.} \ \ {\sf DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY} \ \ \text{is impossible}.$ 

### 9.10.2.23 dwarf\_uncompress\_integer\_block\_a()

Uncompress a block of sleb numbers It's not much of a compression so not much of an uncompression. Developed by Sun Microsystems and it is unclear if it was ever used.

### See also

dwarf dealloc uncompressed block

### 9.10.2.24 dwarf\_dealloc\_uncompressed\_block()

Dealloc what dwarf\_uncompress\_integer\_block\_a allocated.

### **Parameters**

dw_dbg The Dwarf_Debug of interest		The Dwarf_Debug of interest	
	dw_value_array	The array was called an array of Dwarf_Signed. We dealloc all of it without needing	
		dw_value_count.	

### 9.10.2.25 dwarf\_convert\_to\_global\_offset()

Convert local offset to global offset.

Uses the DW\_FORM of the attribute to determine if the dw\_offset is local, and if so, adds the CU base offset to adjust dw\_offset.

#### **Parameters**

dw_attr	The attribute the local offset was extracted from.
dw_offset	The global offset of the attribute.
dw_return_offset	The returned section (global) offset.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

# Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds. Returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR if the dw\_attr form is not an offset form (for example, DW\_FORM\_ref\_udata).

### 9.10.2.26 dwarf\_dealloc\_attribute()

Dealloc a Dwarf\_Attribute When this call returns the dw\_attr is a stale pointer.

### 9.10.2.27 dwarf\_discr\_list()

Returns an array of discriminant values.

This applies if a DW\_TAG\_variant has one of the DW\_FORM\_block forms.

See also

dwarf\_formblock

For an example of use and dealloc:

See also

Example using dwarf\_discr\_list

### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The applicable Dwarf_Debug
dw_blockpointer	The bl_data value from a Dwarf_Block.
dw_blocklen	The bl_len value from a Dwarf_Block.
dw_dsc_head_out	On success returns a pointer to an array of discriminant values in an opaque struct.
dw_dsc_array_length_out	On success returns the number of entries in the dw_dsc_head_out array.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

## Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

#### 9.10.2.28 dwarf discr entry u()

Access a single unsigned discriminant list entry.

It is up to the caller to know whether the discriminant values are signed or unsigned (therefore to know whether this or dwarf\_discr\_entry\_s. should be called)

## **Parameters**

dw_dsc	The Dwarf_Dsc_Head applicable.
dw_entrynum	Valid values are zero to dw_dsc_array_length_out-1
dw_out_type	On success is set to either DW_DSC_label or DW_DSC_range through the pointer.
dw_out_discr_low	On success set to the lowest in this discriminant range
dw_out_discr_high	On success set to the highest in this discriminant range
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

## Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

# 9.10.2.29 dwarf\_discr\_entry\_s()

Access to a single signed discriminant list entry.

The same as dwarf\_discr\_entry\_u except here the values are signed.

### 9.11 CU Data-Line Table For a CU

Access to all the line table details.

## **Functions**

 int dwarf\_srcfiles (Dwarf\_Die dw\_cu\_die, char \*\*\*dw\_srcfiles, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_filecount, Dwarf\_Error \*dw error)

The list of source files from the line table header.

int dwarf\_srclines\_b (Dwarf\_Die dw\_cudie, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_version\_out, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_table\_← count, Dwarf Line Context \*dw linecontext, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Initialize Dwarf\_Line\_Context for line table access.

• int dwarf\_srclines\_from\_linecontext (Dwarf\_Line\_Context dw\_linecontext, Dwarf\_Line \*\*dw\_linebuf, Dwarf Signed \*dw linecount, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Access source lines from line context.

int dwarf\_srclines\_two\_level\_from\_linecontext (Dwarf\_Line\_Context dw\_context, Dwarf\_Line \*\*dw\_linebuf, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_linecount, Dwarf\_Line \*\*dw\_linebuf\_actuals, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_linecount\_actuals, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns line table counts and data.

void dwarf\_srclines\_dealloc\_b (Dwarf\_Line\_Context dw\_context)

Dealloc the memory allocated by dwarf\_srclines\_b.

 int dwarf\_srclines\_table\_offset (Dwarf\_Line\_Context dw\_context, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns srclines table offset.

 int dwarf\_srclines\_comp\_dir (Dwarf\_Line\_Context dw\_context, const char \*\*dw\_compilation\_directory, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Compilation Directory name for the CU.

 int dwarf\_srclines\_subprog\_count (Dwarf\_Line\_Context dw\_context, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_count, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Subprog count: Part of the two-level line table extension.

• int dwarf\_srclines\_subprog\_data (Dwarf\_Line\_Context dw\_context, Dwarf\_Signed dw\_index, const char \*\*dw\_name, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_decl\_file, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_decl\_line, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Retrieve data from the line table subprog array.

• int dwarf\_srclines\_files\_indexes (Dwarf\_Line\_Context dw\_context, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_baseindex, Dwarf Signed \*dw count, Dwarf Signed \*dw endindex, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Returns values easing indexing line table file numbers. Count is the real count of files array entries. Since DWARF 2,3,4 are zero origin indexes and DWARF5 and later are one origin, this function replaces dwarf\_srclines\_files\_ $\leftarrow$  count().

• int dwarf\_srclines\_files\_data\_b (Dwarf\_Line\_Context dw\_context, Dwarf\_Signed dw\_index\_in, const char \*\*dw\_name, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_directory\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_last\_mod\_time, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_file\_length, Dwarf\_Form\_Data16 \*\*dw\_md5ptr, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Access data for each line table file.

• int dwarf\_srclines\_include\_dir\_count (Dwarf\_Line\_Context dw\_line\_context, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_count, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns the number of include directories in the Line Table.

• int dwarf\_srclines\_include\_dir\_data (Dwarf\_Line\_Context dw\_line\_context, Dwarf\_Signed dw\_index, const char \*\*dw\_name, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns the include directories in the Line Table.

int dwarf\_srclines\_version (Dwarf\_Line\_Context dw\_line\_context, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_version, Dwarf\_Small
 \*dw table count, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

The DWARF version number of this compile-unit The .debug\_lines[.dwo] t actual tables:0 (header with no lines), 1 (standard table), or 2 (experimental).

• int dwarf\_linebeginstatement (Dwarf\_Line dw\_line, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_returned\_bool, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Read Line beginstatement register.

- int dwarf\_lineendsequence (Dwarf\_Line dw\_line, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_returned\_bool, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Read Line endsequence register flag.
- int dwarf\_lineno (Dwarf\_Line dw\_line, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_returned\_linenum, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Read Line line register.
- int dwarf\_line\_srcfileno (Dwarf\_Line dw\_line, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_returned\_filenum, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_←
  error)

Read Line file register.

- int dwarf\_line\_is\_addr\_set (Dwarf\_Line dw\_line, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_is\_addr\_set, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Is the Dwarf\_Line address from DW\_LNS\_set\_address? This is not a line register, but it is a flag set by the library in each Dwarf\_Line, and it is derived from reading the line table.
- int dwarf\_lineaddr (Dwarf\_Line dw\_line, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_returned\_addr, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Returns the address of the Dwarf\_Line.
- int dwarf\_lineoff\_b (Dwarf\_Line dw\_line, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_returned\_lineoffset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Returns a column number through the pointer.
- int dwarf\_linesrc (Dwarf\_Line dw\_line, char \*\*dw\_returned\_name, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Return the file name applicable to the Dwarf\_Line.
- int dwarf\_lineblock (Dwarf\_Line dw\_line, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_returned\_bool, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  \*Returns the basic\_block line register.
- int dwarf\_prologue\_end\_etc (Dwarf\_Line dw\_line, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_prologue\_end, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_
  epilogue\_begin, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_isa, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_discriminator, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
   Returns various line table registers in one call.
- int dwarf\_linelogical (Dwarf\_Line dw\_line, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_returned\_logical, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Experimental Two-level logical Row Number Experimental two level line tables. Not explained here. When reading from an actuals table, dwarf\_line\_logical() returns the logical row number for the line.
- int dwarf\_linecontext (Dwarf\_Line dw\_line, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_returned\_context, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
   Experimental Two-level line tables call contexts Experimental two level line tables. Not explained here. When reading from a logicals table, dwarf\_linecontext() returns the logical row number corresponding the the calling context for an inlined call.
- int dwarf\_line\_subprogno (Dwarf\_Line, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*, Dwarf\_Error \*)
  - Two-level line tables get subprogam number Experimental two level line tables. Not explained here. When reading from a logicals table, dwarf\_line\_subprogno() returns the index in the subprograms table of the inlined subprogram.
- int dwarf\_line\_subprog (Dwarf\_Line, char \*\*, char \*\*, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*, Dwarf\_Error \*)

  Two-level line tables get subprog, file, line Experimental two level line tables. Not explained here. When reading from a logicals table, dwarf\_line\_subprog() returns the name of the inlined subprogram, its declaration filename, and its declaration line number, if available.
- int dwarf\_check\_lineheader\_b (Dwarf\_Die dw\_cu\_die, int \*dw\_errcount\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Access to detailed line table header issues.
- int dwarf\_print\_lines (Dwarf\_Die dw\_cu\_die, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error, int \*dw\_errorcount\_out)

  Print line information in great detail.
- struct Dwarf\_Printf\_Callback\_Info\_s dwarf\_register\_printf\_callback (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, struct Dwarf\_Printf\_Callback\_Info\_s \*dw\_callbackinfo)

For line details this records callback details.

## 9.11.1 Detailed Description

Access to all the line table details.

## 9.11.2 Function Documentation

### 9.11.2.1 dwarf\_srcfiles()

The list of source files from the line table header.

### **Parameters**

dw_cu_die	The CU DIE in this CU.
dw_srcfiles	On success allocates an array of pointers to strings and for each such, computes the fullest path possible given the CU die data for each file name listed in the line table header.
dw_filecount	On success returns the number of entries in the array of pointers to strings. The number returned is non-negative.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds. If there is no .debug\_line[.dwo] returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

### See also

Example of dwarf\_srcfiles use

# 9.11.2.2 dwarf\_srclines\_b()

Initialize Dwarf\_Line\_Context for line table access.

Returns Dwarf\_Line\_Context pointer, needed for access to line table data.

#### See also

Example of dwarf\_srclines\_b use

### **Parameters**

dw_cudie	The Compilation Unit (CU) DIE of interest.
dw_version_out	The DWARF Line Table version number (Standard: 2,3,4, or 5) Version 0xf006 is an experimental (two-level) line table.
dw_table_count	Zero or one means this is a normal DWARF line table. Two means this is an experimental
Generated by Doxygen	two-level line table.
dw_linecontext	On success sets the pointer to point to an opaque structure usable for further queries.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

#### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

## 9.11.2.3 dwarf\_srclines\_from\_linecontext()

Access source lines from line context.

The access to Dwarf\_Line data from a Dwarf\_Line\_Context on a standard line table.

#### **Parameters**

dw_linecontext	The line context of interest.
dw_linebuf	On success returns an array of pointers to Dwarf_Line.
dw_linecount	On success returns the count of entries in dw_linebuf. If dw_linecount is returned as zero this
	is a line table with no lines.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

## Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

## 9.11.2.4 dwarf\_srclines\_two\_level\_from\_linecontext()

Returns line table counts and data.

Works for DWARF2,3,4,5 and for experimental two-level line tables. A single level table will have  $*linebuf\_actuals$  and  $*linecount\_actuals$  set to 0.

Two-level line tables are non-standard and not documented further. For standard (one-level) tables, it will return the single table through dw\_linebuf, and the value returned through dw\_linecount\_actuals will be 0.

People not using these two-level tables should dwarf\_srclines\_from\_linecontext instead.

## 9.11.2.5 dwarf\_srclines\_dealloc\_b()

Dealloc the memory allocated by dwarf\_srclines\_b.

The way to deallocate (free) a Dwarf Line Context

#### **Parameters**

dw_context	The context to be dealloced (freed). On return the pointer passed in is stale and calling
	applications should zero the pointer.

## 9.11.2.6 dwarf\_srclines\_table\_offset()

Returns srclines table offset.

The offset is in the relevant .debug\_line or .debug\_line.dwo section (and in a split dwarf package file includes the base line table offset).

## **Parameters**

dw_context	
dw_offset	On success returns the section offset of the dw_context.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

## Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

### 9.11.2.7 dwarf\_srclines\_comp\_dir()

Compilation Directory name for the CU.

Do not free() or dealloc the string, it is in a dwarf section.

#### **Parameters**

dw_context	The Line Context of interest.
dw_compilation_directory	On success returns a pointer to a string identifying the compilation directory of the CU.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

# 9.11.2.8 dwarf\_srclines\_subprog\_count()

Subprog count: Part of the two-level line table extension.

A non-standard table. The actual meaning of subprog count left undefined here.

# **Parameters**

dw_context	The Dwarf_Line_Context of interest.
dw_count	On success returns the two-level line table subprogram array size in this line context.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

# 9.11.2.9 dwarf\_srclines\_subprog\_data()

Retrieve data from the line table subprog array.

A non-standard table. Not defined here.

### **Parameters**

dw_context	The Dwarf_Line_Context of interest.
dw_index	The item to retrieve. Valid indexes are 1 through dw_count.
dw_name	On success returns a pointer to the subprog name.
dw_decl_file	On success returns a file number through the pointer.
dw_decl_line	On success returns a line number through the pointer.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

## 9.11.2.10 dwarf\_srclines\_files\_indexes()

Returns values easing indexing line table file numbers. Count is the real count of files array entries. Since DWARF 2,3,4 are zero origin indexes and DWARF5 and later are one origin, this function replaces dwarf\_srclines\_files\_ $\leftarrow$  count().

## **Parameters**

dw_context	The line context of interest.
dw_baseindex	On success returns the base index of valid file indexes. With DWARF2,3,4 the value is 1. With DWARF5 the value is 0.
-1	
dw_count	On success returns the real count of entries.
dw_endindex	On success returns value such that callers should index as dw_baseindex through
	dw_endindex-1.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

## Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

# See also

Example of dwarf\_srclines\_b etc

## 9.11.2.11 dwarf\_srclines\_files\_data\_b()

Access data for each line table file.

Has the md5ptr field so cases where DW\_LNCT\_MD5 is present can return pointer to the MD5 value. With DWARF 5 index starts with 0. dwarf\_srclines\_files\_indexes makes indexing through the files easy.

#### See also

```
dwarf_srclines_files_indexes
Example of dwarf_srclines_b etc
```

### **Parameters**

dw_context	The line context of interest.
dw_index_in	The entry of interest. Callers should index as dw_baseindex through dw_endindex-1.
dw_name	If dw_name non-null on success returns The file name in the line table header through the pointer.
dw_directory_index	If dw_directory_index non-null on success returns the directory number in the line table header through the pointer.
dw_last_mod_time	If dw_last_mod_time non-null on success returns the directory last modification date/time through the pointer.
dw_file_length	If dw_file_length non-null on success returns the file length recorded in the line table through the pointer.
dw_md5ptr	If dw_md5ptr non-null on success returns a pointer to the 16byte MD5 hash of the file through the pointer. If there is no md5 value present it returns 0 through the pointer.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

### See also

Example of dwarf\_srclines\_b etc

# 9.11.2.12 dwarf\_srclines\_include\_dir\_count()

Returns the number of include directories in the Line Table.

## **Parameters**

dw_line_context	The line context of interest.
dw_count	On success returns the count of directories. How to use this depends on the line table
	version number.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

## Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

# See also

dwarf\_srclines\_include\_dir\_data

# 9.11.2.13 dwarf\_srclines\_include\_dir\_data()

Returns the include directories in the Line Table.

## **Parameters**

dw_line_context	The line context of interest.
dw_index	Pass in an index to the line context list of include directories. If the line table is version 2,3, or 4, the valid indexes are 1 through dw_count. If the line table is version 5 the valid indexes are 0 through dw_count-1.
dw_name	On success it returns a pointer to a directory name. Do not free/deallocate the string.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

# See also

dwarf\_srclines\_include\_dir\_count

## 9.11.2.14 dwarf\_srclines\_version()

The DWARF version number of this compile-unit The .debug\_lines[.dwo] t actual tables:0 (header with no lines), 1 (standard table), or 2 (experimental).

### **Parameters**

dw_line_context	The Line Context of interest.
dw_version	On success, returns the line table version through the pointer.
dw_table_count	On success, returns the tablecount through the pointer. If the table count is zero the line table is a header with no lines. If the table count is 1 this is a standard line table. If the table count is this is an experimental two-level line table.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

# Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

## 9.11.2.15 dwarf\_linebeginstatement()

Read Line beginstatement register.

# Link to Line Table Registers

## Parameters

dw_line	The Dwarf_Line of interest.
dw_returned_bool	On success it sets the value TRUE (if the dw_line has the is_stmt register set) and FALSE if is_stmt is not set.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

#### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

# 9.11.2.16 dwarf\_lineendsequence()

Read Line endsequence register flag.

# Link to Line Table Registers

### **Parameters**

dw_line	The Dwarf_Line of interest.
dw_returned_bool	On success it sets the value TRUE (if the dw_line has the end_sequence register set) and FALSE if end_sequence is not set.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

## Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

# 9.11.2.17 dwarf\_lineno()

Read Line line register.

# Link to Line Table Registers

## **Parameters**

dw_line	The Dwarf_Line of interest.
dw_returned_linenum	On success it sets the value to the line number from the Dwarf_Line line register
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

## 9.11.2.18 dwarf\_line\_srcfileno()

```
Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_returned_filenum,
Dwarf_Error * dw_error )
```

Read Line file register.

## Link to Line Table Registers

### **Parameters**

dw_line	The Dwarf_Line of interest.
dw_returned_filenum	On success it sets the value to the file number from the Dwarf_Line file register
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW DLV OK if it succeeds.

# 9.11.2.19 dwarf\_line\_is\_addr\_set()

Is the Dwarf\_Line address from DW\_LNS\_set\_address? This is not a line register, but it is a flag set by the library in each Dwarf\_Line, and it is derived from reading the line table.

## **Parameters**

dw_line	The Dwarf_Line of interest.
dw_is_addr_set	On success it sets the flag to TRUE or FALSE.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

#### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

# 9.11.2.20 dwarf\_lineaddr()

Returns the address of the Dwarf\_Line.

Link to Line Table Registers

### **Parameters**

dw_line	The Dwarf_Line of interest.
dw_returned_addr	On success it sets the value to the value of the address register in the Dwarf_Line.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

# 9.11.2.21 dwarf\_lineoff\_b()

Returns a column number through the pointer.

# Link to Line Table Registers

### **Parameters**

dw_line	The Dwarf_Line of interest.
dw_returned_lineoffset	On success it sets the value to the column register from the Dwarf_Line.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

# Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

# 9.11.2.22 dwarf\_linesrc()

Return the file name applicable to the Dwarf\_Line.

# Link to Line Table Registers

# Parameters

dw_line	The Dwarf_Line of interest.
dw_returned_name	On success it reads the file register and finds the source file name from the line table
	header and returns a pointer to that file name string through the pointer.
dw_error	The usual error pointer. Do not dealloc or free the string.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

# 9.11.2.23 dwarf\_lineblock()

Returns the basic\_block line register.

# Link to Line Table Registers

### **Parameters**

dw_line	The Dwarf_Line of interest.
dw_returned_bool	On success it sets the flag to TRUE or FALSE from the basic_block register in the line table.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

#### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

# 9.11.2.24 dwarf\_prologue\_end\_etc()

Returns various line table registers in one call.

# Link to Line Table Registers

### **Parameters**

dw_line	The Dwarf_Line of interest.	
dw_prologue_end	On success it sets the flag to TRUE or FALSE from the prologue_end register in the line	
	table.	
dw_epilogue_begin	On success it sets the flag to TRUE or FALSE from the epilogue_begin register in the	
	line table.	
dw_isa	On success it sets the value to the value of from the isa register in the line table.	
dw_discriminator	On success it sets the value to the value of from the discriminator register in the line	
	table.	
Generated by Doxygen	The usual error pointer.	

#### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK if it succeeds.

### 9.11.2.25 dwarf\_check\_lineheader\_b()

Access to detailed line table header issues.

Lets the caller get detailed messages about some compiler errors we detect. Calls back, the caller should do something with the messages (likely just print them). The lines passed back already have newlines.

#### See also

```
dwarf_check_lineheader
Dwarf_Printf_Callback_Info_s
```

#### **Parameters**

dw_cu_die	The CU DIE of interest
dw_error	If DW_DLV_ERROR this shows one error encountered.
dw_errcount_out	Returns the count of detected errors through the pointer.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.11.2.26 dwarf\_print\_lines()

Print line information in great detail.

dwarf\_print\_lines lets the caller prints line information for a CU in great detail. Does not use printf. Instead it calls back to the application using a function pointer once per line-to-print. The lines passed back already have any needed newlines.

Failing to call the dwarf\_register\_printf\_callback() function will prevent the lines from being passed back but such omission is not an error. the same function, but focused on checking for errors is

## See also

```
dwarf_check_lineheader_b
Dwarf_Printf_Callback_Info_s
```

### **Parameters**

dw_cu_die	The CU DIE of interest
dw_error	
dw_errorcount_out	

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.11.2.27 dwarf\_register\_printf\_callback()

For line details this records callback details.

For the structure you must fill in:

### See also

Dwarf\_Printf\_Callback\_Info\_s

### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_callbackinfo	If non-NULL pass in a pointer to your instance of struct Dwarf_Printf_Callback_Info_s with all the fields filled in.

## Returns

If dw\_callbackinfo NULL it returns a copy of the current <a href="Dwarf\_Printf\_Callback\_Info\_s">Dwarf\_Printf\_Callback\_Info\_s</a> for dw\_dbg. Otherwise it returns the previous contents of the struct.

# 9.12 CU Data-Ranges data DW AT ranges

In DWARF3 and DWARF4 the DW\_AT\_ranges attribute provides an offset into the .debug\_ranges section.

#### **Functions**

• int dwarf\_get\_ranges\_b (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Off dw\_rangesoffset, Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_realoffset, Dwarf\_Ranges \*\*dw\_rangesbuf, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_rangecount, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_bytecount, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Access to code ranges from a CU or just reading through the raw .debug\_ranges section.

 void dwarf\_dealloc\_ranges (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Ranges \*dw\_rangesbuf, Dwarf\_Signed dw\_← rangecount)

Dealloc the array dw\_rangesbuf.

## 9.12.1 Detailed Description

In DWARF3 and DWARF4 the DW AT ranges attribute provides an offset into the .debug ranges section.

See also

Dwarf\_Ranges

DWARF3 and DWARF4. DW\_AT\_ranges with an unsigned constant FORM (DWARF3) or DW\_FORM\_sec\_ offset(DWARF4).

#### 9.12.2 Function Documentation

### 9.12.2.1 dwarf\_get\_ranges\_b()

Access to code ranges from a CU or just reading through the raw .debug\_ranges section.

Adds return of the dw\_realoffset to accommodate DWARF4 GNU split-dwarf, where the ranges could be in the tieddbg (meaning the real executable, a.out, not in a dwp). DWARF4 split-dwarf is an extension, not standard DWARF4.

If printing all entries in the section pass in an initial dw\_rangesoffset of zero and dw\_die of NULL. Then increment dw\_rangesoffset by dw\_bytecount and call again to get the next batch of ranges. With a specific option dwarfdump can do this. This not a normal thing to do!

See also

Example getting ranges data

## **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest
dw_rangesoffset	The offset to read from in the section.
dw_die	Pass in the DIE whose DW_AT_ranges brought us to ranges.
dw_return_realoffset	The actual offset in the section actually read. In a tieddbg this
dw_rangesbuf	A pointer to an array of structs is returned here.
dw_rangecount	The count of structs in the array is returned here.
dw_bytecount	The number of bytes in the .debug_ranges section applying to the returned array. This makes possible just marching through the section by offset.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

# Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.12.2.2 dwarf\_dealloc\_ranges()

Dealloc the array dw\_rangesbuf.

## **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_rangesbuf	The dw_rangesbuf pointer returned by dwarf_get_ranges_b
dw_rangecount	The dw_rangecount returned by dwarf_get_ranges_b

# 9.13 CU Data Rnglists .debug rnglists DWARF5

Used in DWARF5. DW FORM rnglistx DW AT ranges with DW FORM sec offset.

### **Functions**

int dwarf\_rnglists\_get\_rle\_head (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Half dw\_theform, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_
index\_or\_offset\_value, Dwarf\_Rnglists\_Head \*dw\_head\_out, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_count\_of\_entries\_in\_
head, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_global\_offset\_of\_rle\_set, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get Access to DWARF5 rnglists.

• int dwarf\_get\_rnglists\_entry\_fields\_a (Dwarf\_Rnglists\_Head dw\_head, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_entrynum, unsigned int \*dw\_entrylen, unsigned int \*dw\_rle\_value\_out, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_raw1, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_raw2, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_debug\_addr\_unavailable, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_cooked1, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_cooked2, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Access rnglist entry details.

void dwarf\_dealloc\_rnglists\_head (Dwarf\_Rnglists\_Head dw\_head)

Dealloc a Dwarf\_Rnglists\_Head.

int dwarf\_load\_rnglists (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_rnglists\_count, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_←
error)

Loads all .debug\_rnglists headers.

 int dwarf\_get\_rnglist\_offset\_index\_value (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_context\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_offsetentry\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_value\_out, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw-\_global\_offset\_value\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Retrieve the section offset of a rnglist.

int dwarf\_get\_rnglist\_head\_basics (Dwarf\_Rnglists\_Head dw\_head, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_rle\_count, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_rnglists\_version, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_rnglists\_index\_returned, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_bytes\_total\_in\_rle, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_offset\_size, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_address\_size, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_cometa\_selector\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_overall\_offset\_of\_this\_context, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_totalcometa\_length\_of\_this\_context, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_table\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_table\_contrycount, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_rnglists\_base\_present, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_rnglists\_base, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_rnglists\_base\_address\_present, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_rnglists\_base\_address, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_cometa\_selector\_size, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_rnglists\_base\_address, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_rnglists\_base\_address, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_cometa\_selector\_size, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_rnglists\_debug\_addr\_base\_present, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_rnglists\_debug\_addr\_base, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_cometa\_selector\_size, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_rnglists\_debug\_addr\_base, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_

Access to internal data on rangelists.

int dwarf\_get\_rnglist\_context\_basics (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_header\_offset, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_offset\_size, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_extension\_size, unsigned int \*dw\_oversion, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_address\_size, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_segment\_selector\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_entry\_count, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_of\_offset\_array, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_of\_first\_oversion \*dw\_offset\_of\_state \*dw\_offset\_of

Access to rnglists header data.

int dwarf\_get\_rnglist\_rle (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_contextnumber, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw
 \_entry\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_endoffset, unsigned int \*dw\_entrylen, unsigned int \*dw\_entry\_kind,
 Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw entry operand1, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw entry operand2, Dwarf\_Error \*dw error)

Access to raw rnglists range data.

# 9.13.1 Detailed Description

Used in DWARF5. DW FORM rnglistx DW AT ranges with DW FORM sec offset.

## 9.13.2 Function Documentation

### 9.13.2.1 dwarf\_rnglists\_get\_rle\_head()

Get Access to DWARF5 rnglists.

Opens a Dwarf\_Rnglists\_Head to access a set of DWARF5 rangelists .debug\_rnglists DW\_FORM\_sec\_offset D← W\_FORM\_rnglistx (DW\_AT\_ranges in DWARF5).

#### See also

Example accessing rnglist

### **Parameters**

dw_attr	The attribute referring to .debug_rnglists
dw_theform	The form number.
dw_index_or_offset_value	If the form is an index, pass it here. If the form is an offset, pass that here.
dw_head_out	On success creates a record owning the rnglists data for this attribute.
dw_count_of_entries_in_head	On success this is set to the number of entry in the rnglists for this attribute.
dw_global_offset_of_rle_set	On success set to the global offset of the rnglists in the rnglists section.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.13.2.2 dwarf get rnglists entry fields a()

Access rnglist entry details.

#### See also

Example accessing rnglist

### **Parameters**

dw_head	The Dwarf_Rnglists_Head of interest.
dw_entrynum	Valid values are 0 through dw_count_of_entries_in_head-1.
dw_entrylen	On success returns the length in bytes of this individual entry.
dw_rle_value_out	On success returns the RLE value of the entry, such as DW_RLE_startx_endx. This determines which of dw_raw1 and dw_raw2 contain meaningful data.
dw_raw1	On success returns a value directly recorded in the rangelist entry if that applies to this rle.
dw_raw2	On success returns a value directly recorded in the rangelist entry if that applies to this rle.
dw_debug_addr_unavailable	On success returns a flag. If the .debug_addr section is required but absent or unavailable the flag is set to TRUE. Otherwise sets the flag FALSE.
dw_cooked1	On success returns (if appropriate) the dw_raw1 value turned into a valid address.
dw_cooked2	On success returns (if appropriate) the dw_raw2 value turned into a valid address. Ignore the value if dw_debug_addr_unavailable is set.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer. Ignore the value if dw_debug_addr_unavailable is set.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.13.2.3 dwarf\_dealloc\_rnglists\_head()

Dealloc a Dwarf\_Rnglists\_Head.

### **Parameters**

dw_head	dealloc all the memory associated with dw_head. The caller should then immediately set the
	pointer to zero/NULL as it is stale.

# 9.13.2.4 dwarf\_load\_rnglists()

Loads all .debug\_rnglists headers.

Loads all the rnglists headers and returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if the section is missing or empty. Intended to be done quite early. It is automatically done if anything needing CU or DIE information is called, so it is not necessary for you to call this in any normal situation.

#### See also

## Example accessing rnglist

Doing it more than once is never necessary or harmful. There is no deallocation call made visible, deallocation happens when dwarf\_finish is called.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	
dw_rnglists_count	On success it returns the number of rnglists headers in the section through dw_rnglists_count.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc. If the section does not exist the function returns DW\_DLV\_OK.

### 9.13.2.5 dwarf\_get\_rnglist\_offset\_index\_value()

Retrieve the section offset of a rnglist.

Can be used to access raw rnglist data. Not used by most callers. See DWARF5 Section 7.28 Range List Table Page 242

### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_context_index	Begin this at zero.
dw_offsetentry_index	Begin this at zero.
dw_offset_value_out	On success returns the rangelist entry offset within the rangelist set.
dw_global_offset_value_out	On success returns the rangelist entry offset within rnglist section.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc. If there are no rnglists at all, or if one of the above index values is too high to be valid it returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

### 9.13.2.6 dwarf\_get\_rnglist\_head\_basics()

```
int dwarf_get_rnglist_head_basics (
            Dwarf_Rnglists_Head dw_head,
            Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_rle_count,
            Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_rnglists_version,
            Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_rnglists_index_returned,
            Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_bytes_total_in_rle,
            Dwarf_Half * dw_offset_size,
            Dwarf_Half * dw_address_size,
            Dwarf_Half * dw_segment_selector_size,
            Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_overall_offset_of_this_context,
            Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_total_length_of_this_context,
            Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_offset_table_offset,
            Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_offset_table_entrycount,
            Dwarf_Bool * dw_rnglists_base_present,
            Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_rnglists_base,
            Dwarf_Bool * dw_rnglists_base_address_present,
            Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_rnglists_base_address,
            Dwarf_Bool * dw_rnglists_debug_addr_base_present,
            Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_rnglists_debug_addr_base,
            Dwarf_Error * dw_error )
```

Access to internal data on rangelists.

Returns detailed data from a Dwarf\_Rnglists\_Head Since this is primarily internal data we don't describe the details of the returned fields here.

### 9.13.2.7 dwarf\_get\_rnglist\_context\_basics()

Access to rnglists header data.

This returns, independent of any DIEs or CUs information on the .debug\_rnglists headers present in the section.

We do not document the details here. See the DWARF5 standard.

Enables printing of details about the Range List Table Headers, one header per call. Index starting at 0. Returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if index is too high for the table. A .debug\_rnglists section may contain any number of Range List Table Headers with their details.

## 9.13.2.8 dwarf\_get\_rnglist\_rle()

Access to raw rnglists range data.

Describes the actual raw data recorded in a particular range entry.

We do not describe all these fields for now, the raw values are mostly useful for people debugging compiler-generated DWARF.

## 9.14 CU Data- Data Locations DWARF2-DWARF5

#### **Macros**

- #define DW\_LKIND\_expression 0 /\* DWARF2,3,4,5 \*/
- #define DW\_LKIND\_loclist 1 /\* DWARF 2,3,4 \*/
- #define DW LKIND GNU exp list 2 /\* GNU DWARF4 .dwo extension \*/
- #define DW\_LKIND\_loclists 5 /\* DWARF5 loclists \*/
- #define DW LKIND unknown 99

### **Functions**

• int dwarf\_get\_loclist\_c (Dwarf\_Attribute dw\_attr, Dwarf\_Loc\_Head\_c \*dw\_loclist\_head, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_locentry\_count, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Location Lists and Expressions.

 int dwarf\_get\_loclist\_head\_kind (Dwarf\_Loc\_Head\_c dw\_loclist\_head, unsigned int \*dw\_lkind, Dwarf\_Error \*dw error)

Know what kind of location data it is.

int dwarf\_get\_locdesc\_entry\_d (Dwarf\_Loc\_Head\_c dw\_loclist\_head, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_index, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_lle\_value\_out, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_rawlowpc, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_rawhipc, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_debug\_addr\_unavailable, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_lowpc\_cooked, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_hipc\_cooked, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_locexpr\_op\_count\_out, Dwarf\_Locdesc\_c \*dw\_locentry\_out, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_ cooked, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_locdesc\_offset\_out, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_l

Retrieve the details of a location expression.

• int dwarf\_get\_location\_op\_value\_c (Dwarf\_Locdesc\_c dw\_locdesc, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_index, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_operator\_out, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_operand1, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_operand2, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_operand3, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_for\_branch, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get the raw values from a single location operation.

int dwarf\_loclist\_from\_expr\_c (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Ptr dw\_expression\_in, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw
 \_expression\_length, Dwarf\_Half dw\_address\_size, Dwarf\_Half dw\_offset\_size, Dwarf\_Small dw\_dwarf\_
 version, Dwarf\_Loc\_Head\_c \*dw\_loc\_head, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_listlen, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Generate a Dwarf\_Loc\_Head\_c from an expression block.

void dwarf\_dealloc\_loc\_head\_c (Dwarf\_Loc\_Head\_c dw\_head)

Dealloc (free) all memory allocated for Dwarf\_Loc\_Head\_c.

- int dwarf\_load\_loclists (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_loclists\_count, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
   Load Loclists.
- int dwarf\_get\_loclist\_offset\_index\_value (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_context\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_offsetentry\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_value\_out, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw← \_global\_offset\_value\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Return certain loclists offsets.

int dwarf\_get\_loclist\_head\_basics (Dwarf\_Loc\_Head\_c dw\_head, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_lkind, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_lle\_count, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_loclists\_version, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_loclists\_index\_returned, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_bytes\_total\_in\_rle, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_offset\_size, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_address\_
 size, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_segment\_selector\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_overall\_offset\_of\_this\_context, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_total\_length\_of\_this\_context, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_table\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_table\_entrycount, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_loclists\_base\_present, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_loclists\_base\_address, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_loclists\_base\_address\_present, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_loclists\_base\_address, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_loclists\_debug\_addr\_base\_present, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_loclists\_debug\_addr\_base, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_loclists\_debug\_addr\_base, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_loclists\_debug\_addr\_base, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_loclists\_debug\_addr\_base, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_loclists\_debug\_addr\_base, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_loclists\_debug\_addr\_base

Return basic data about a loclists head.

int dwarf\_get\_loclist\_context\_basics (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_header\_offset, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_offset\_size, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_extension\_size, unsigned int \*dw\_ ⇔ version, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_address\_size, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_segment\_selector\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw → offset\_entry\_count, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_of\_offset\_array, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_of\_first\_⇔ locentry, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_past\_last\_locentry, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Return basic data about a loclists context.

int dwarf\_get\_loclist\_lle (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_contextnumber, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw
 \_entry\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_endoffset, unsigned int \*dw\_entrylen, unsigned int \*dw\_entry\_kind,
 Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_entry\_operand1, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_entry\_operand2, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_←
 expr\_ops\_blocksize, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_expr\_ops\_offset, Dwarf\_Small \*\*dw\_expr\_opsdata, Dwarf\_Error
 \*dw\_error)

Return basic data about a loclists context entry.

# 9.14.1 Detailed Description

### 9.14.2 Function Documentation

# 9.14.2.1 dwarf\_get\_loclist\_c()

Location Lists and Expressions.

#### See also

Example access to DWARF5 locationlist Example of dwarf\_get\_loclist\_c

#### **Parameters**

dw_attr	The attribute must refer to a location expression or a location list, so must be DW_FORM_block, DW_FORM_exprloc, or a loclist reference form
dw_loclist_head	On success returns a pointer to the created loclist head record.
dw_locentry_count	On success returns the count of records. For an expression it will be one.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.14.2.2 dwarf\_get\_loclist\_head\_kind()

Know what kind of location data it is.

### **Parameters**

dw_loclist_head	Pass in a loclist head pointer.
dw_lkind	On success returns the loclist kind through the pointer. For example DW_LKIND_expression.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.14.2.3 dwarf\_get\_locdesc\_entry\_d()

Retrieve the details of a location expression.

Cooked value means the addresses from the location description after base values applied, so they are actual addresses. debug\_addr\_unavailable non-zero means the record from a Split Dwarf skeleton unit could not be accessed from the .dwo section or dwp object so the cooked values could not be calculated.

### **Parameters**

dw_loclist_head	A loclist head pointer.
dw_index	Pass in an index value less than dw_locentry_count .
dw_lle_value_out	On success returns the DW_LLE value applicable, such as DW_LLE_start_end .
dw_rawlowpc	On success returns the first operand in the expression (if the expression has an operand).

### **Parameters**

dw_rawhipc	On success returns the second operand in the expression. (if the expression has a second operand).
dw_debug_addr_unavailable	On success returns FALSE if the data required to calculate dw_lowpc_cooked or dw_hipc_cooked was present or TRUE if some required data was missing (for example in split dwarf).
dw_lowpc_cooked	On success and if dw_debug_addr_unavailable FALSE returns the true low address.
dw_hipc_cooked	On success and if dw_debug_addr_unavailable FALSE returns the true high address.
dw_locexpr_op_count_out	On success returns the count of operations in the expression.
dw_locentry_out	On success returns a pointer to a specific location description.
dw_loclist_source_out	On success returns the applicable DW_LKIND value.
dw_expression_offset_out	On success returns the offset of the expression in the applicable section.
dw_locdesc_offset_out	On return sets the offset to the location description offset (if that is meaningful) or zero for simple location expressions.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.14.2.4 dwarf\_get\_location\_op\_value\_c()

Get the raw values from a single location operation.

### **Parameters**

dw_locdesc	Pass in a valid Dwarf_Locdesc_c.
dw_index	Pass in the operator index. zero through dw_locexpr_op_count_out-1.
dw_operator_out	On success returns the DW_OP operator, such as DW_OP_plus .
dw_operand1	On success returns the value of the operand or zero.
dw_operand2	On success returns the value of the operand or zero.
dw_operand3	On success returns the value of the operand or zero.
dw_offset_for_branch	On success returns The byte offset of the operator within the entire expression. Useful for checking the correctness of operators that branch
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.14.2.5 dwarf\_loclist\_from\_expr\_c()

Generate a Dwarf\_Loc\_Head\_c from an expression block.

Useful if you have an expression block (from somewhere), do not have a Dwarf\_Attribute available, and wish to deal with the expression.

## See also

Example reading a location expression

### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The applicable Dwarf_Debug
dw_expression_in	Pass in a pointer to the expression bytes.
dw_expression_length	Pass in the length, in bytes, of the expression.
dw_address_size	Pass in the applicable address_size.
dw_offset_size	Pass in the applicable offset size.
dw_dwarf_version	Pass in the applicable dwarf version.
dw_loc_head	On success returns a pointer to a dwarf location head record for use in getting to the details of the expression.
dw_listlen	On success, sets the listlen to one.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.14.2.6 dwarf\_dealloc\_loc\_head\_c()

Dealloc (free) all memory allocated for Dwarf\_Loc\_Head\_c.

#### **Parameters**

dw_head	A head pointer.
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The caller should zero the passed-in pointer on return as it is stale at that point.

## 9.14.2.7 dwarf\_load\_loclists()

Load Loclists.

This loads .debug\_loclists (DWARF5). It is unlikely you have a reason to use this function. If CUs or DIES have been referenced in any way loading is already done. A duplicate loading attempt returns DW\_DLV\_OK immediately, returning dw\_loclists\_count filled in and does nothing else.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The applicable Dwarf_Debug.
dw_loclists_count	On success, returns the number of DWARF5 loclists contexts in the section, whether this is the first or a duplicate load.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK if it loaded successfully or if it is a duplicate load. If no .debug\_loclists present returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

# 9.14.2.8 dwarf\_get\_loclist\_offset\_index\_value()

Return certain loclists offsets.

Useful with the DWARF5 .debug loclists section.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_context_index	Pass in the loclists context index.

#### **Parameters**

dw_offsetentry_index	Pass in the offset array index.
dw_offset_value_out	On success returns the offset value at offset table[dw_offsetentry_index], an offset local to this context.
dw_global_offset_value_out	On success returns the same offset value but with the offset of the table added in to form a section offset.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc. If one of the indexes passed in is out of range it returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

### 9.14.2.9 dwarf\_get\_loclist\_head\_basics()

```
int dwarf_get_loclist_head_basics (
             Dwarf_Loc_Head_c dw_head,
             Dwarf_Small * dw_lkind,
             Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_lle_count,
             Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_loclists_version,
             Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_loclists_index_returned,
             Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_bytes_total_in_rle,
             Dwarf_Half * dw_offset_size,
             Dwarf_Half * dw_address_size,
             Dwarf_Half * dw_segment_selector_size,
             Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_overall_offset_of_this_context,
             Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_total_length_of_this_context,
             Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_offset_table_offset,
             Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_offset_table_entrycount,
             Dwarf_Bool * dw_loclists_base_present,
             Dwarf Unsigned * dw loclists base,
             Dwarf_Bool * dw_loclists_base_address_present,
             Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_loclists_base_address,
             Dwarf_Bool * dw_loclists_debug_addr_base_present,
             Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_loclists_debug_addr_base,
             Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_offset_this_lle_area,
             Dwarf_Error * dw_error )
```

Return basic data about a loclists head.

Used by dwarfdump to print basic data from the data generated to look at a specific loclist context as returned by dwarf\_loclists\_index\_get\_lle\_head() or dwarf\_loclists\_offset\_get\_lle\_head. Here we know there was a Dwarf← \_Attribute so additional things are known as compared to calling dwarf\_get\_loclist\_context\_basics See DWARF5 Section 7.20 Location List Table page 243.

### 9.14.2.10 dwarf\_get\_loclist\_context\_basics()

Return basic data about a loclists context.

Some of the same values as from dwarf\_get\_loclist\_head\_basics but here without any dependence on data derived from a CU context. Useful to print raw loclist data.

## 9.14.2.11 dwarf\_get\_loclist\_lle()

Return basic data about a loclists context entry.

Useful to print raw loclist data.

# 9.15 CU Data-Macro .debug macro DWARF5 data access

### **Functions**

 int dwarf\_get\_macro\_context (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_version\_out, Dwarf\_Macro\_Context \*dw\_macro\_context, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_macro\_unit\_offset\_out, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_macro\_ops\_count\_out, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_macro\_ops\_data\_length\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

DWARF5 .debug macro access via Dwarf Die.

int dwarf\_get\_macro\_context\_by\_offset (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_version\_out, Dwarf\_Macro\_Context \*dw\_macro\_context, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_macro\_ops\_count\_
 out, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_macro\_ops\_data\_length, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

DWARF5 .debug\_macro access via Dwarf\_Die and an offset.

int dwarf\_macro\_context\_total\_length (Dwarf\_Macro\_Context dw\_context, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_mac\_
 total\_len, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Return a macro context total length.

void dwarf\_dealloc\_macro\_context (Dwarf\_Macro\_Context dw\_mc)

Dealloc a macro context.

int dwarf\_macro\_context\_head (Dwarf\_Macro\_Context dw\_mc, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_version, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_mac\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_mac\_len, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_mac\_header\_len, unsigned int \*dw\_flags, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_has\_line\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_line\_offset, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_has\_\( \cdot\) offset\_size\_64, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_has\_operands\_table, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_opcode\_count, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_\( \cdot\) error)

Access the internal details of a Dwarf\_Macro\_Context.

int dwarf\_macro\_operands\_table (Dwarf\_Macro\_Context dw\_mc, Dwarf\_Half dw\_index, Dwarf\_Half \*dw
 \_opcode\_number, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_operand\_count, const Dwarf\_Small \*\*dw\_operand\_array, Dwarf\_Error
 \*dw\_error)

Access to the details of the opcode operands table.

 int dwarf\_get\_macro\_op (Dwarf\_Macro\_Context dw\_macro\_context, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_op\_number, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_op\_start\_section\_offset, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_macro\_operator, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_forms\_← count, const Dwarf\_Small \*\*dw\_formcode\_array, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Access macro operation details of a single operation.

 int dwarf\_get\_macro\_defundef (Dwarf\_Macro\_Context dw\_macro\_context, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_op\_number, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_line\_number, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_forms\_count, const char \*\*dw\_macro\_string, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get Macro defundef.

int dwarf\_get\_macro\_startend\_file (Dwarf\_Macro\_Context dw\_macro\_context, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_op\_
 number, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_line\_number, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_name\_index\_to\_line\_tab, const char
 \*\*dw\_src\_file\_name, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get Macro start end.

 int dwarf\_get\_macro\_import (Dwarf\_Macro\_Context dw\_macro\_context, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_op\_number, Dwarf Unsigned \*dw target offset, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Get Macro import.

# 9.15.1 Detailed Description

See also

An example reading .debug macro An example reading .debug macro

### 9.15.2 Function Documentation

### 9.15.2.1 dwarf\_get\_macro\_context()

DWARF5 .debug\_macro access via Dwarf\_Die.

#### See also

An example reading .debug macro

### **Parameters**

dw_die	The CU DIE of interest.
dw_version_out	On success returns the macro context version (5)
dw_macro_context	On success returns a pointer to a macro context which allows access to the context content.
dw_macro_unit_offset_out	On success returns the offset of the macro context.
dw_macro_ops_count_out	On success returns the number of macro operations in the context.
dw_macro_ops_data_length_out	On success returns the length in bytes of the operations in the context.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc. If no .debug\_macro section exists for the CU it returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

## 9.15.2.2 dwarf\_get\_macro\_context\_by\_offset()

```
int dwarf_get_macro_context_by_offset (
    Dwarf_Die dw_die,
    Dwarf_Unsigned dw_offset,
    Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_version_out,
    Dwarf_Macro_Context * dw_macro_context,
    Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_macro_ops_count_out,
    Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_macro_ops_data_length,
    Dwarf_Error * dw_error )
```

DWARF5 .debug\_macro access via Dwarf\_Die and an offset.

### **Parameters**

dw_die	The CU DIE of interest.
dw_offset	The offset in the section to begin reading.
dw_version_out	On success returns the macro context version (5)

### **Parameters**

dw_macro_context	On success returns a pointer to a macro context which allows access to the
	context content.
dw_macro_ops_count_out	On success returns the number of macro operations in the context.
dw_macro_ops_data_length	On success returns the length in bytes of the macro context, starting at the offset of the first byte of the context.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc. If no .debug\_macro section exists for the CU it returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY. If the dw\_offset is outside the section it returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR.

## 9.15.2.3 dwarf\_macro\_context\_total\_length()

Return a macro context total length.

# Parameters

dw_context	A pointer to the macro context of interest.
dw_mac_total_len	On success returns the length in bytes of the macro context.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW DLV OK etc.

## 9.15.2.4 dwarf\_dealloc\_macro\_context()

```
void dwarf_dealloc_macro_context ( {\tt Dwarf\_Macro\_Context}\ \textit{dw\_mc}\ )
```

Dealloc a macro context.

## **Parameters**

dw_mc	A pointer to the macro context of interest. On return the caller should zero the pointer as the pointer
	is then stale.

## 9.15.2.5 dwarf\_macro\_context\_head()

Access the internal details of a Dwarf\_Macro\_Context.

Not described in detail here. See DWARF5 Standard Section 6.3.1 Macro Information Header page 166.

## 9.15.2.6 dwarf\_macro\_operands\_table()

Access to the details of the opcode operands table.

Not of much interest to most libdwarf users.

### **Parameters**

dw_mc	The macro context of interest.
dw_index	The opcode operands table index. 0 through dw_opcode_count-1.
dw_opcode_number	On success returns the opcode number in the table.
dw_operand_count	On success returns the number of forms for that dw_index.
dw_operand_array	On success returns the array of op operand forms
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.15.2.7 dwarf\_get\_macro\_op()

Access macro operation details of a single operation.

Useful for printing basic data about the operation.

#### **Parameters**

dw_macro_context	The macro context of interest.
dw_op_number	valid values are 0 through dw_macro_ops_count_out-1.
dw_op_start_section_offset	On success returns the section offset of this operator.
dw_macro_operator	On success returns the the macro operator itself, for example DW_MACRO_define.
dw_forms_count	On success returns the number of forms in the formcode array.
dw_formcode_array	On success returns a pointer to the formcode array of operand forms.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.15.2.8 dwarf\_get\_macro\_defundef()

Get Macro defundef.

To extract the value portion of a macro define:

## See also

dwarf\_find\_macro\_value\_start

#### **Parameters**

dw_macro_context	The macro context of interest.
dw_op_number	valid values are 0 through dw_macro_ops_count_out-1. The op number must be for a def/undef.
dw_line_number	The line number in the user source for this define/undef
dw_index	On success if the macro is an strx form the value returned is the string index in the record, otherwise zero is returned.
dw_offset	On success if the macro is an strp or sup form the value returned is the string offset in the appropriate section, otherwise zero is returned.
dw_forms_count	On success the value 2 is returned.
dw_macro_string	On success a pointer to a null-terminated string is returned. Do not dealloc or free this string.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc. It is an error if operator dw\_op\_number is not a DW\_MACRO\_define, DW\_MACRO\_CRO\_undef, DW\_MACRO\_define\_strp DW\_MACRO\_undef\_strp, DW\_MACRO\_undef\_sup, DW\_MACRO\_undef\_sup, DW\_MACRO\_define\_strx, or DW\_MACRO\_undef\_strx,

## 9.15.2.9 dwarf\_get\_macro\_startend\_file()

## Get Macro start end.

### **Parameters**

dw_macro_context	The macro context of interest.
dw_op_number	Valid values are 0 through dw_macro_ops_count_out-1. The op number must be for a start/end.
dw_line_number	If end_file nothing is returned here. If start_file on success returns the line number of the source line of the include directive.
dw_name_index_to_line_tab	If end_file nothing is returned here. If start_file on success returns the file name index in the line table file names table.
dw_src_file_name	If end_file nothing is returned here. If start_file on success returns a pointer to the null-terminated source file name. Do not free or dealloc this string.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc. It is an error if the operator is not DW\_MACRO\_start\_file or DW\_MACRO\_end ← \_ file.

## 9.15.2.10 dwarf\_get\_macro\_import()

## Get Macro import.

## **Parameters**

dw_macro_context	The macro context of interest.
dw_op_number	Valid values are 0 through dw_macro_ops_count_out-1.
dw_target_offset	Returns the offset in the imported section.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc. It is an error if the operator is not DW\_MACRO\_import or DW\_MACRO\_import - sup.

## 9.16 CU Data-Macinfo DWARF2-4 data access

Reading the .debug\_macinfo section.

## **Functions**

- char \* dwarf\_find\_macro\_value\_start (char \*dw\_macro\_string)

  Returns a pointer to the value part of a macro.
- int dwarf\_get\_macro\_details (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Off dw\_macro\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_
   maximum\_count, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_entry\_count, Dwarf\_Macro\_Details \*\*dw\_details, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_
   error)

Getting .debug\_macinfo macro details.

## 9.16.1 Detailed Description

Reading the .debug\_macinfo section.

The section is rarely used since it takes a lot of disk space. DWARF5 has much more compact macro data (in section .debug\_macro).

For an example see

See also

Example of reading .debug\_macinfo An example reading .debug\_macinfo

### 9.16.2 Function Documentation

### 9.16.2.1 dwarf find macro value start()

Returns a pointer to the value part of a macro.

This function Works for all versions, DWARF2-DWARF5

## **Parameters**

dw_macro_string	The macro string passed in should be properly formatted with a name, a space, and then
	the value portion (whether a function-like macro or not function-like).

## Returns

On success it returns a pointer to the value portion of the macro. On failure it returns a pointer to a NUL byte (so a zero-length string).

## 9.16.2.2 dwarf\_get\_macro\_details()

Getting .debug\_macinfo macro details.

An example calling this function

See also

Example of reading .debug\_macinfo

### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_macro_offset	The offset in the section you wish to start from.
dw_maximum_count	Pass in a count to ensure we will not allocate an excessive amount (guarding against a
dw_entry_count	On success returns a count of the macro operations in a CU macro set.
dw_details	On success returns a pointer to an array of struct DW_Macro_Details_s .
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.17 Frame .debug frame and .eh frame Access

### **Functions**

- int dwarf\_get\_fde\_list (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Cie \*\*dw\_cie\_data, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_cie\_element
   \_count, Dwarf\_Fde \*\*dw\_fde\_data, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_fde\_element\_count, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
   Get lists of .debug\_frame FDEs and CIEs.
- int dwarf\_get\_fde\_list\_eh (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Cie \*\*dw\_cie\_data, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_cie\_
  element\_count, Dwarf\_Fde \*\*dw\_fde\_data, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_fde\_element\_count, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Get lists of .eh\_frame FDEs and CIEs.
- void dwarf\_dealloc\_fde\_cie\_list (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Cie \*dw\_cie\_data, Dwarf\_Signed dw\_cie\_
   element\_count, Dwarf\_Fde \*dw\_fde\_data, Dwarf\_Signed dw\_fde\_element\_count)

Release storage associated with FDE and CIE arrays.

int dwarf\_get\_fde\_range (Dwarf\_Fde dw\_fde, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_low\_pc, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_func\_
 length, Dwarf\_Small \*\*dw\_fde\_bytes, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_fde\_byte\_length, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_cie\_offset,
 Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_cie\_index, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_fde\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns the FDE data for a single FDE.

 int dwarf\_get\_fde\_exception\_info (Dwarf\_Fde dw\_fde, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_offset\_into\_exception\_tables, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

IRIX only access to C++ destructor tables.

- int dwarf\_get\_cie\_of\_fde (Dwarf\_Fde dw\_fde, Dwarf\_Cie \*dw\_cie\_returned, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Given FDE get CIE.
- int dwarf\_get\_cie\_info\_b (Dwarf\_Cie dw\_cie, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_bytes\_in\_cie, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_
   version, char \*\*dw\_augmenter, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_code\_alignment\_factor, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_data
   \_alignment\_factor, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_return\_address\_register\_rule, Dwarf\_Small \*\*dw\_initial\_instructions,
   Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_initial\_instructions\_length, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_offset\_size, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Given a CIE get access to its content.

- int dwarf\_get\_cie\_index (Dwarf\_Cie dw\_cie, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_index, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
   Returns CIE index given CIE.
- int dwarf\_get\_fde\_instr\_bytes (Dwarf\_Fde dw\_fde, Dwarf\_Small \*\*dw\_outinstrs, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_
  outlen, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns length and pointer to access frame instructions.

• int dwarf\_get\_fde\_info\_for\_all\_regs3 (Dwarf\_Fde dw\_fde, Dwarf\_Addr dw\_pc\_requested, Dwarf\_Regtable3 \*dw\_reg\_table, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_row\_pc, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Return information on frame registers at a given pc value.

int dwarf\_get\_fde\_info\_for\_reg3\_b (Dwarf\_Fde dw\_fde, Dwarf\_Half dw\_table\_column, Dwarf\_Addr dw\_pc
 \_requested, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_value\_type, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_relevant, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw
 \_register, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset, Dwarf\_Block \*dw\_block\_content, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_row\_pc\_out,
 Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_has\_more\_rows, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_subsequent\_pc, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns details about a particular pc and register.

int dwarf\_get\_fde\_info\_for\_cfa\_reg3\_b (Dwarf\_Fde dw\_fde, Dwarf\_Addr dw\_pc\_requested, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_value\_type, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_relevant, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_register, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset, Dwarf\_Block \*dw\_block, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_row\_pc\_out, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_has\_more\_rows, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_subsequent\_pc, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get the value of the CFA for a particular pc value.

• int dwarf\_get\_fde\_for\_die (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Die dw\_subr\_die, Dwarf\_Fde \*dw\_returned\_fde, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get the fde given DW\_AT\_MIPS\_fde in a DIE.

int dwarf\_get\_fde\_n (Dwarf\_Fde \*dw\_fde\_data, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_fde\_index, Dwarf\_Fde \*dw\_returned ← fde, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Retrieve an FDE from an FDE table.

int dwarf\_get\_fde\_at\_pc (Dwarf\_Fde \*dw\_fde\_data, Dwarf\_Addr dw\_pc\_of\_interest, Dwarf\_Fde \*dw\_←
returned\_fde, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_lopc, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_hipc, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Retrieve an FDE given a pc.

• int dwarf\_get\_cie\_augmentation\_data (Dwarf\_Cie dw\_cie, Dwarf\_Small \*\*dw\_augdata, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_augdata\_len, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Return .eh\_frame CIE augmentation data.

• int dwarf\_get\_fde\_augmentation\_data (Dwarf\_Fde dw\_fde, Dwarf\_Small \*\*dw\_augdata, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw augdata len, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Return .eh\_frame FDE augmentation data.

int dwarf\_expand\_frame\_instructions (Dwarf\_Cie dw\_cie, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_instructionspointer, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_length\_in\_bytes, Dwarf\_Frame\_Instr\_Head \*dw\_head, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_instr\_count, Dwarf\_Error \*dw error)

Expands CIE or FDE instructions for detailed examination. Called for CIE initial instructions and FDE instructions. Call dwarf\_get\_fde\_instr\_bytes() or dwarf\_get\_cie\_info\_b() to get the initial instruction bytes and instructions byte count you wish to expand.

int dwarf\_get\_frame\_instruction (Dwarf\_Frame\_Instr\_Head dw\_head, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_instr\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_instr\_offset\_in\_instrs, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_cfa\_operation, const char \*\*dw\_fields\_
 description, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_u0, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_u1, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_s0, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_s1, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_code\_alignment\_factor, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_data\_alignment\_factor, Dwarf\_Block \*dw\_expression\_block, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns information about a single instruction Fields\_description means a sequence of up to three letters including u,s,r,c,d,b, terminated by NUL byte. It is a string but we test individual bytes instead of using string compares. Do not free any of the returned values.

• int dwarf\_get\_frame\_instruction\_a (Dwarf\_Frame\_Instr\_Head dw\_, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_instr\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_instr\_offset\_in\_instrs, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_cfa\_operation, const char \*\*dw\_fields\_
description, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_u0, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_u1, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_u2, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_s0, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_s1, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_code\_alignment\_factor, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_data\_
alignment\_factor, Dwarf\_Block \*dw\_expression\_block, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Expands CIE or FDE instructions for detailed examination. Called for CIE initial instructions and FDE instructions. This is the same as <code>dwarf\_get\_frame\_instruction()</code> except that it adds a <code>dw\_u2</code> field which contains an address-space identifier if the letter a appears in <code>dw\_fields\_description</code>. The <code>dw\_u2</code> field is non-standard and only applies to Heterogeneous Debugging frame instructions defined by <code>LLVM</code> (<code>DW\_CFA\_LLVM\_def\_aspace\_cfa</code> and <code>DW\_CFA \_ LLVM\_def\_aspace\_cfa</code> and <code>DW\_CFA \_ LLVM\_def\_aspace\_cfa</code> and <code>DW\_CFA \_ LLVM\_def\_aspace\_cfa</code>.

• void dwarf\_dealloc\_frame\_instr\_head (Dwarf\_Frame\_Instr\_Head dw\_head)

Deallocates the frame instruction data in dw\_head.

int dwarf\_fde\_section\_offset (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Fde dw\_in\_fde, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_fde\_off, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_cie\_off, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Use to print fde and cie offsets from debugging info.

 int dwarf\_cie\_section\_offset (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Cie dw\_in\_cie, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_cie\_off, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Use to print cie offsets from debugging info.

• Dwarf\_Half dwarf\_set\_frame\_rule\_table\_size (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Half dw\_value)

Frame Rule Table Size Invariants for setting frame registers .

• Dwarf\_Half dwarf\_set\_frame\_rule\_initial\_value (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Half dw\_value)

Frame Rule Initial Value.

Dwarf\_Half dwarf\_set\_frame\_cfa\_value (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Half dw\_value)

Frame CFA Column Invariants for setting frame registers .

Dwarf\_Half dwarf\_set\_frame\_same\_value (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Half dw\_value)

Frame Same Value Default Invariants for setting frame registers .

Dwarf\_Half dwarf\_set\_frame\_undefined\_value (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Half dw\_value)

Frame Undefined Value Default Invariants for setting frame registers .

## 9.17.1 Detailed Description

#### 9.17.2 Function Documentation

## 9.17.2.1 dwarf\_get\_fde\_list()

Get lists of .debug\_frame FDEs and CIEs.

See DWARF5 Section 6.4 Call Frame Information, page 171.

#### See also

Example of opening fde, cie lists.

The FDE array returned through dw\_fde\_data is sorted low-to-high by the lowest-pc in each FDE.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_cie_data	On success returns a pointer to an array of pointers to CIE data.
dw_cie_element_count	On success returns a count of the number of elements in the dw_cie_data array.
dw_fde_data	On success returns a pointer to an array of pointers to FDE data.
dw_fde_element_count	On success returns a count of the number of elements in the dw_fde_data array. On
	success
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.17.2.2 dwarf\_get\_fde\_list\_eh()

Get lists of .eh\_frame FDEs and CIEs.

The arguments are identical to the previous function, the difference is the section read. The GNU-defined .eh\_frame section is very similar to .debug\_frame but has unique features that matter when following a stack trace.

### See also

```
dwarf get fde list
```

## 9.17.2.3 dwarf\_dealloc\_fde\_cie\_list()

Release storage associated with FDE and CIE arrays.

Applies to .eh\_frame and .debug\_frame lists.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug used in the list setup.
dw_cie_data	As returned from the list setup call.
dw_cie_element_count	
dw_fde_data	As returned from the list setup call.
dw_fde_element_count	As returned from the list setup call.

On return the pointers passed in dw\_cie\_data and dw\_fde\_data should be zeroed by the caller as they are then stale pointers.

### 9.17.2.4 dwarf\_get\_fde\_range()

Returns the FDE data for a single FDE.

### **Parameters**

dw_fde	The FDE of interest.
dw_low_pc	On success returns the low pc value for the function involved.
dw_func_length	On success returns the length of the function code in bytes.
dw_fde_bytes	On success returns a pointer to the bytes of the FDE.
dw_fde_byte_length	On success returns the length of the dw_fde_bytes area.
dw_cie_offset	On success returns the section offset of the associated CIE.
dw_cie_index	On success returns the CIE index of the associated CIE.
dw_fde_offset	On success returns the section offset of this FDE.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.17.2.5 dwarf\_get\_fde\_exception\_info()

IRIX only access to C++ destructor tables.

This applies only to IRIX C++ destructor information which was never documented and is unlikely to be of interest.

### 9.17.2.6 dwarf\_get\_cie\_of\_fde()

Given FDE get CIE.

## **Parameters**

dw_fde	The FDE of interest.
dw_cie_returned	On success returns a pointer to the applicable CIE.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.17.2.7 dwarf\_get\_cie\_info\_b()

```
Dwarf_Half * dw_offset_size,
Dwarf_Error * dw_error )
```

Given a CIE get access to its content.

## **Parameters**

dw_cie	Pass in the CIE of interest.
dw_bytes_in_cie	On success, returns the length of the CIE in bytes.
dw_version	On success, returns the CIE version number.
dw_augmenter	On success, returns a pointer to the augmentation string (which could be the empty string).
dw_code_alignment_factor	On success, returns a the code_alignment_factor used to interpret CIE/FDE operations.
dw_data_alignment_factor	On success, returns a the data_alignment_factor used to interpret CIE/FDE operations.
dw_return_address_register_rule	On success, returns a register number of the return address register.
dw_initial_instructions	On success, returns a pointer to the bytes of initial_instructions in the CIE.
dw_initial_instructions_length	On success, returns the length in bytes of the initial_instructions.
dw_offset_size	On success, returns the offset_size within this CIE.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.17.2.8 dwarf\_get\_cie\_index()

Returns CIE index given CIE.

### **Parameters**

dw_cie	Pass in the CIE of interest.
dw_index	On success, returns the index (the position of the CIE in the CIE pointer array).
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.17.2.9 dwarf\_get\_fde\_instr\_bytes()

```
Dwarf_Small ** dw_outinstrs,
Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_outlen,
Dwarf_Error * dw_error )
```

Returns length and pointer to access frame instructions.

### See also

```
dwarf_expand_frame_instructions
Example of dwarf_expand_frame_instructions
```

### **Parameters**

dw_fde	Pass in the FDE of interest.	
dw_outinstrs	On success returns a pointer to the FDE instruction byte stream.	
dw_outlen	dw_outlen On success returns the length of the dw_outinstrs byte stream.	
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.	

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.17.2.10 dwarf\_get\_fde\_info\_for\_all\_regs3()

Return information on frame registers at a given pc value.

An FDE at a given pc (code address)

## **Parameters**

dw_fde	Pass in the FDE of interest.
dw_pc_requested	Pass in a pc (code) address inside that FDE.
dw_reg_table	On success, returns a pointer to a struct given the frame state.
dw_row_pc	On success returns the address of the row of frame data which may be a few counts off of
	the pc requested.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK if the dw\_pc\_requested is in the FDE passed in and there is some applicable row in the table.

## 9.17.2.11 dwarf\_get\_fde\_info\_for\_reg3\_b()

```
int dwarf_get_fde_info_for_reg3_b (
    Dwarf_Fde dw_fde,
    Dwarf_Half dw_table_column,
    Dwarf_Addr dw_pc_requested,
    Dwarf_Small * dw_value_type,
    Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_offset_relevant,
    Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_register,
    Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_offset,
    Dwarf_Block * dw_block_content,
    Dwarf_Addr * dw_row_pc_out,
    Dwarf_Bool * dw_has_more_rows,
    Dwarf_Addr * dw_subsequent_pc,
    Dwarf_Error * dw_error )
```

Returns details about a particular pc and register.

It is inefficient to iterate across all table\_columns (registers) using this function. Instead call dwarf\_get\_fde\_info\_for\_all\_regs3() and index into the table it fills in.

### **Parameters**

dw_fde	Pass in the FDE of interest.
dw_table_column	Pass in the table_column, column numbers in the table are 0 through the
	number_of_registers-1.
dw_pc_requested	Pass in the pc of interest within dw_fde.
dw_value_type	On success returns the value type, a DW_EXPR value. For example DW_EXPR_EXPRESSION
dw_offset_relevant	On success returns FALSE if the offset value is irrelevant, otherwise TRUE.
dw_register	On success returns a register number.
dw_offset	On success returns a register offset value.
dw_block_content	On success returns a pointer to a block. For example, for DW_EXPR_EXPRESSION
	the block gives access to the expression bytes.
dw_row_pc_out	On success returns the address of the actual pc for this register at this pc.
dw_has_more_rows	On success returns FALSE if there are no more rows, otherwise returns TRUE.
dw_subsequent_pc	On success this returns the address of the next pc for which there is a register row,
	making access to all the rows in sequence much more efficient than just adding 1 to a
	pc value.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK if the dw\_pc\_requested is in the FDE passed in and there is a row for the pc in the table.

### 9.17.2.12 dwarf\_get\_fde\_info\_for\_cfa\_reg3\_b()

Get the value of the CFA for a particular pc value.

See also

```
dwarf_get_fde_info_for_reg3_b
```

This has essentially the same return values but it refers to the CFA (which is not part of the register table)

## 9.17.2.13 dwarf\_get\_fde\_for\_die()

Get the fde given DW\_AT\_MIPS\_fde in a DIE.

This is essentially useless as only SGI compilers from the 1990's had DW\_AT\_MIPS\_fde in the CU DIE.

## 9.17.2.14 dwarf\_get\_fde\_n()

Retrieve an FDE from an FDE table.

This is just like indexing into the FDE array but with extra checking of the pointer and index.

See also

```
dwarf_get_fde_list
```

## 9.17.2.15 dwarf\_get\_fde\_at\_pc()

Retrieve an FDE given a pc.

Using binary search this finds the FDE that contains this dw\_pc\_of\_interest That works because libdwarf ensures the array of FDEs is sorted by the low-pc

#### See also

```
dwarf_get_fde_list
```

#### **Parameters**

dw_fde_data	Pass in a pointer an array of fde pointers.
dw_pc_of_interest	The pc value of interest.
dw_returned_fde	On success a pointer to the applicable FDE is set through the pointer.
dw_lopc	On success a pointer to the low pc in dw_returned_fde is set through the pointer.
dw_hipc	On success a pointer to the high pc (one past the actual last byte address) in dw returned fde is set through the pointer.
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK if the dw\_pc\_of\_interest found in some FDE in the array. If no FDE is found containing dw\_pc\_of\_interest DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY is returned.

## 9.17.2.16 dwarf\_get\_cie\_augmentation\_data()

Return .eh\_frame CIE augmentation data.

GNU .eh\_frame CIE augmentation information. See Linux Standard Base Core Specification version 3.0 .

## See also

```
https://gcc.gnu.org/legacy-ml/gcc/2003-12/msg01168.html
```

#### **Parameters**

dw_cie	The CIE of interest.	
dw_augdata	On success returns a pointer to the augmentation data.	
dw_augdata_len	On success returns the length in bytes of the augmentation data.	
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.	

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc. If the augmentation data length is zero it returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

## 9.17.2.17 dwarf\_get\_fde\_augmentation\_data()

Return .eh\_frame FDE augmentation data.

GNU .eh\_frame FDE augmentation information. See Linux Standard Base Core Specification version 3.0 .

### See also

```
https://gcc.gnu.org/legacy-ml/gcc/2003-12/msg01168.html
```

## **Parameters**

dw_fde	The FDE of interest.	
dw_augdata	On success returns a pointer to the augmentation data.	
dw_augdata_len	On success returns the length in bytes of the augmentation data.	
dw_error	The usual error detail return pointer.	

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc. If the augmentation data length is zero it returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

## 9.17.2.18 dwarf\_expand\_frame\_instructions()

```
Dwarf_Frame_Instr_Head * dw_head,
Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_instr_count,
Dwarf_Error * dw_error )
```

Expands CIE or FDE instructions for detailed examination. Called for CIE initial instructions and FDE instructions. Call dwarf\_get\_fde\_instr\_bytes() or dwarf\_get\_cie\_info\_b() to get the initial instruction bytes and instructions byte count you wish to expand.

#### See also

Example of dwarf\_expand\_frame\_instructions

#### **Parameters**

dw_cie	The cie relevant to the instructions.
dw_instructionspointer	points to the instructions
dw_length_in_bytes	byte length of the instruction sequence.
dw_head	The address of an allocated dw_head
dw_instr_count	Returns the number of instructions in the byte stream
dw_error	Error return details

#### Returns

On success returns DW\_DLV\_OK

## 9.17.2.19 dwarf\_get\_frame\_instruction()

Returns information about a single instruction Fields\_description means a sequence of up to three letters including u,s,r,c,d,b, terminated by NUL byte. It is a string but we test individual bytes instead of using string compares. Do not free any of the returned values.

## See also

Example of dwarf\_expand\_frame\_instructions

#### **Parameters**

dw_head	A head record
dw_instr_index	index 0 < i < instr_count
dw_instr_offset_in_instrs	Returns the byte offset of this instruction within instructions.
dw_cfa_operation	Returns a DW_CFA opcode.
dw_fields_description	Returns a string. Do not free.
dw_u0	May be set to an unsigned value
dw_u1	May be set to an unsigned value
dw_s0	May be set to a signed value
dw_s1	May be set to a signed value
dw_code_alignment_factor	May be set by the call
dw_data_alignment_factor	May be set by the call
dw_expression_block	Pass in a pointer to a block
dw_error	If DW_DLV_ERROR and the argument is non-NULL, returns details about the error.

#### Returns

On success returns DW\_DLV\_OK If there is no such instruction with that index it returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_EN TRY On error it returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR and if dw\_error is NULL it pushes back a pointer to a Dwarf\_Error to the caller.

Frame expressions have a variety of formats and content. The dw\_fields parameter is set to a pointer to a short string with some set of the letters s,u,r,d,c,b which enables determining exactly which values the call sets. Some examples: A s in fields[0] means s0 is a signed number.

A b somewhere in fields means the expression block passed in has been filled in.

A r in fields[1] means u1 is set to a register number.

A d in fields means data\_alignment\_factor is set

A  $_{\text{C}}$  in fields means code\_alignment\_factor is set There are just nine strings possible and together they describe all possible frame instructions.

#### 9.17.2.20 dwarf get frame instruction a()

Expands CIE or FDE instructions for detailed examination. Called for CIE initial instructions and FDE instructions. This is the same as <a href="mailto:dwarf\_get\_frame\_instruction">dwarf\_get\_frame\_instruction</a>() except that it adds a dw\_u2 field which contains an address-space identifier if the letter a appears in dw\_fields\_description. The dw\_u2 field is non-standard and only applies to Heterogeneous Debugging frame instructions defined by LLVM (DW\_CFA\_LLVM\_def\_aspace\_cfa and DW\_CF A\_LLVM\_def\_aspace\_cfa\_sf)

The return values are the same except here we have: an a in fields[2] means dw\_u2 is an address-space identifier for the LLVM CFA instruction.

## 9.17.2.21 dwarf\_dealloc\_frame\_instr\_head()

Deallocates the frame instruction data in dw\_head.

#### **Parameters**

dw_head	A head pointer. Frees all data created by dwarf_expand_frame_instructions() and makes the head	1
	pointer stale. The caller should set to NULL.	

## 9.17.2.22 dwarf\_fde\_section\_offset()

Use to print fde and cie offsets from debugging info.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest
dw_in_fde	Pass in the FDE of interest.
dw_fde_off	On success returns the section offset of the FDE.
dw_cie_off	On success returns the section offset of the CIE.
dw_error	Error return details

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.17.2.23 dwarf\_cie\_section\_offset()

Use to print cie offsets from debugging info.

#### **Parameters**

	dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest
	dw_in_cie	Pass in the CIE of interest.
	dw_cie_off	On success returns the section offset of the CIE.
Ī	dw_error	Error return details

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.17.2.24 dwarf\_set\_frame\_rule\_table\_size()

Frame Rule Table Size Invariants for setting frame registers .

### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_value	Pass in the value to record for the library to use.

### Returns

Returns the previous value.

## 9.17.2.25 dwarf\_set\_frame\_rule\_initial\_value()

Frame Rule Initial Value.

Invariants for setting frame registers

## **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_value	Pass in the value to record for the library to use.

### Returns

Returns the previous value.

## 9.17.2.26 dwarf\_set\_frame\_cfa\_value()

Frame CFA Column Invariants for setting frame registers .

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_value	Pass in the value to record for the library to use.

## Returns

Returns the previous value.

## 9.17.2.27 dwarf\_set\_frame\_same\_value()

Frame Same Value Default Invariants for setting frame registers .

## **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_value	Pass in the value to record for the library to use.

### Returns

Returns the previous value.

## 9.17.2.28 dwarf\_set\_frame\_undefined\_value()

Frame Undefined Value Default Invariants for setting frame registers .

## Parameters

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_value	Pass in the value to record for the library to use.

## Returns

Returns the previous value.

# 9.18 Abbreviations .debug\_abbrev Section Details

Allows reading .debug\_abbrev independently of CUs or DIEs.

## **Functions**

- int dwarf\_get\_abbrev (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_offset, Dwarf\_Abbrev \*dw\_returned\_
   abbrev, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_length, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_attr\_count, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
   Reading Abbreviation Data.
- int dwarf\_get\_abbrev\_tag (Dwarf\_Abbrev dw\_abbrev, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_return\_tag\_number, Dwarf\_Error
   \*dw error)

Get abbreviation tag.

 int dwarf\_get\_abbrev\_code (Dwarf\_Abbrev dw\_abbrev, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_return\_code\_number, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get Abbreviation Code.

 int dwarf\_get\_abbrev\_children\_flag (Dwarf\_Abbrev dw\_abbrev, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_return\_flag, Dwarf\_Error \*dw error)

Get Abbrev Children Flag.

int dwarf\_get\_abbrev\_entry\_b (Dwarf\_Abbrev dw\_abbrev, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_indx, Dwarf\_Bool dw\_filter
 \_outliers, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_returned\_attr\_num, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_returned\_form, Dwarf\_Signed
 \*dw\_returned\_implicit\_const, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get Abbrev Entry Details.

## 9.18.1 Detailed Description

Allows reading .debug abbrev independently of CUs or DIEs.

About Reading Independently.

## 9.18.2 Function Documentation

#### 9.18.2.1 dwarf get abbrev()

Reading Abbreviation Data.

Normally you never need to call these functions. Calls that involve DIEs do all this for you behind the scenes in the library.

This reads the data for a single abbrev code starting at dw\_offset. Essentially, opening access to an abbreviation entry.

When libdwarf itself reads abbreviations to access DIEs the offset comes from the Compilation Unit Header debug

\_abbrev\_offset field.

See also

```
dwarf_next_cu_header_d
```

### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.	
dw_offset	Pass in the offset where a Debug_Abbrev starts.	
dw_returned_abbrev	On success, sets a pointer to a Dwarf_Abbrev through the pointer to allow further	
	access.	
dw_length	On success, returns the length of the entire abbreviation block (bytes), useful to	
	calculate the next offset if reading the section independently of any compilation unit.	
dw_attr_count	On success, returns the number of attributes in this abbreviation entry.	
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.	

### Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc. If the abbreviation is a single zero byte it is a null abbreviation. DW\_D $\leftarrow$  LV\_OK is returned.

Close the abbrev by calling dwarf\_dealloc(dbg,\*dw\_returned\_abbrev, DW\_DLA\_ABBREV)

## 9.18.2.2 dwarf\_get\_abbrev\_tag()

Get abbreviation tag.

## **Parameters**

dw_abbrev	The Dwarf_Abbrev of interest.
dw_return_tag_number	Returns the tag value, for example DW_TAG_compile_unit.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

## Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.18.2.3 dwarf\_get\_abbrev\_code()

Get Abbreviation Code.

#### **Parameters**

dw_abbrev	The Dwarf_Abbrev of interest.
dw_return_code_number	Returns the code for this abbreviation, a number assigned to the abbreviation and unique within the applicable CU.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.18.2.4 dwarf\_get\_abbrev\_children\_flag()

Get Abbrev Children Flag.

### **Parameters**

dw_abbrev	The Dwarf_Abbrev of interest.
dw_return_flag	On success returns the flag TRUE (greater than zero) if the DIE referencing the abbreviation has children, else returns FALSE (zero).
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

## Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.18.2.5 dwarf\_get\_abbrev\_entry\_b()

Get Abbrev Entry Details.

Most will will call with filter\_outliers non-zero.

## **Parameters**

dw_abbrev	The Dwarf_Abbrev of interest.
dw_indx	Valid dw_index values are 0 through dw_attr_count-1
dw_filter_outliers	Pass non-zero (TRUE) so the function will check for unreasonable abbreviation content and return DW_DLV_ERROR if such found. If zero (FALSE) passed in even a nonsensical attribute number and/or unknown DW_FORM are allowed (used by dwarfdump to report the issue(s)).
dw_returned_attr_num	On success returns the attribute number, such as DW_AT_name
dw_returned_form	On success returns the attribute FORM, such as DW_FORM_udata
dw_returned_implicit_const	On success, if the dw_returned_form is DW_FORM_implicit_const then dw_returned_implicit_const is the implicit const value, but if not implicit const the return value is zero
dw_offset	On success returns the offset of the start of this attr/form pair in the abbreviation section.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

## Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc. If the abbreviation code for this Dwarf\_Abbrev is 0 it is a null abbreviation, the dw\_indx is ignored, and the function returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

# 9.19 String Section .debug\_str Details

Shows just the section content in detail.

## **Functions**

• int dwarf\_get\_str (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Off dw\_offset, char \*\*dw\_string, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_\cup strlen\_of\_string, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Reading From a String Section.

## 9.19.1 Detailed Description

Shows just the section content in detail.

## 9.19.2 Function Documentation

## 9.19.2.1 dwarf\_get\_str()

Reading From a String Section.

## Reading The String Section

### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug whose .debug_str section we want to access.
dw_offset	Pass in a a string offset. Start at 0, and for the next call pass in dw_offset plus dw_strlen_of_string plus 1.
dw_string	On success returns a pointer to a string from offset dw_offset. Never dealloc or free this string.
dw_strlen_of_string	On success returns the strlen() of the string.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

## Returns

The usual value:  $DW_DLV_OK$  etc. If there is no such section or if  $dw_offset$  is >= the section size it returns  $DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY$ .

# 9.20 Str Offsets section details

Shows just the section content in detail. Most library users will never call these, as references to this is handled by the code accessing some Dwarf\_Attribute. Reading The Str\_Offsets .

### **Functions**

int dwarf\_open\_str\_offsets\_table\_access (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Str\_Offsets\_Table \*dw\_table\_data,
 Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Allocates a access to a .debug\_str\_ofrfsets table.

- int dwarf\_close\_str\_offsets\_table\_access (Dwarf\_Str\_Offsets\_Table dw\_table\_data, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Close str\_offsets access, free table\_data.

Iterate through the offsets tables.

int dwarf\_str\_offsets\_value\_by\_index (Dwarf\_Str\_Offsets\_Table dw\_table\_data, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_
index\_to\_entry, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_entry\_value, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Access to an individual str offsets table entry.

int dwarf\_str\_offsets\_statistics (Dwarf\_Str\_Offsets\_Table dw\_table\_data, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_wasted\_
 byte\_count, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_table\_count, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Reports final wasted-bytes count.

## 9.20.1 Detailed Description

Shows just the section content in detail. Most library users will never call these, as references to this is handled by the code accessing some Dwarf\_Attribute. Reading The Str\_Offsets.

## 9.20.2 Function Documentation

## 9.20.2.1 dwarf\_open\_str\_offsets\_table\_access()

Allocates a access to a .debug\_str\_ofrfsets table.

See also

Example of string offsets access

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	Pass in the Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_table_data	On success returns a pointer to an opaque structure for use in further calls.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK etc. If there is no .debug\_str\_offsets section it returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY

## 9.20.2.2 dwarf\_close\_str\_offsets\_table\_access()

Close str\_offsets access, free table\_data.

#### See also

Example of string offsets access

## **Parameters**

dw_table_data	
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

## Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK etc. If there is no .debug\_str\_offsets section it returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY If it returns D← W\_DLV\_ERROR there is nothing you can do except report the error and, optionally, call dwarf\_dealloc\_error to dealloc the error content (and then set the dw\_error to NULL as after the dealloc the pointer is stale)..

### 9.20.2.3 dwarf\_next\_str\_offsets\_table()

Iterate through the offsets tables.

### See also

## Example of string offsets access

Access to the tables starts at offset zero. The library progresses through the next table automatically, keeping track internally to know where it is.

#### **Parameters**

dw_table_data	Pass in an open Dwarf_Str_Offsets_Table.
dw_unit_length	On success returns a table unit_length field
dw_unit_length_offset	On success returns the section offset of the unit_length field.
dw_table_start_offset	On success returns the section offset of the array of table entries.
dw_entry_size	On success returns the entry size (4 or 8)
dw_version	On success returns the value in the version field 5.
dw_padding	On success returns the zero value in the padding field.
dw_table_value_count	On success returns the number of table entries, each of size dw_entry_size, in the table.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK Returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if there are no more entries.

## 9.20.2.4 dwarf\_str\_offsets\_value\_by\_index()

Access to an individual str offsets table entry.

## See also

Example of string offsets access

## **Parameters**

dw_table_data	Pass in the open table pointer.
dw_index_to_entry	Pass in the entry number, 0 through dw_table_value_count-1 for the active table
dw_entry_value	On success returns the value in that table entry, an offset into a string table.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

## Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK Returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR if dw\_index\_to\_entry is out of the correct range.

## 9.20.2.5 dwarf\_str\_offsets\_statistics()

Reports final wasted-bytes count.

Reports the number of tables seen so far. Not very interesting.

### **Parameters**

dw_table_data	Pass in the open table pointer.
dw_wasted_byte_count	Always returns 0 at present.
dw_table_count	On success returns the total number of tables seen so far in the section.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

## Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.21 Dwarf Error Functions

These functions aid in understanding handling.

### **Functions**

• Dwarf\_Unsigned dwarf\_errno (Dwarf\_Error dw\_error)

What DW\_DLE code does the error have?

char \* dwarf\_errmsg (Dwarf\_Error dw\_error)

What message string is in the error?

• char \* dwarf\_errmsg\_by\_number (Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_errornum)

What message string is associated with the error number.

void dwarf\_error\_creation (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error, char \*dw\_errmsg)

Creating an error. This is very rarely helpful. It lets the library user create a Dwarf\_Error and associate any string with that error. Your code could then return DW\_DLV\_ERROR to your caller when your intent is to let your caller clean up whatever seems wrong.

void dwarf\_dealloc\_error (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Error dw\_error)

Free (dealloc) an Dwarf\_Error something created.

## 9.21.1 Detailed Description

These functions aid in understanding handling.

## 9.21.2 Function Documentation

### 9.21.2.1 dwarf\_errno()

What DW\_DLE code does the error have?

## **Parameters**

dw error	The dw error should be non-null and a valid Dwarf Error.

### Returns

A DW\_DLE value of some kind. For example: DW\_DLE\_DIE\_NULL.

#### 9.21.2.2 dwarf\_errmsg()

What message string is in the error?

#### **Parameters**

The dw_error should be non-null and a valid Dwarf_Error.
----------------------------------------------------------

## Returns

A string with a message related to the error.

# 9.21.2.3 dwarf\_errmsg\_by\_number()

What message string is associated with the error number.

#### **Parameters**

dw_errornum The dw_error should be an integer from the DW_DLE s	set. For example, DW_DLE_DIE_NULL.
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#### Returns

The generic string describing that error number.

#### 9.21.2.4 dwarf\_error\_creation()

Creating an error. This is very rarely helpful. It lets the library user create a Dwarf\_Error and associate any string with that error. Your code could then return DW\_DLV\_ERROR to your caller when your intent is to let your caller clean up whatever seems wrong.

dw_dbg	The relevant Dwarf_Debug.
dw_error	a Dwarf_Error is returned through this pointer.
dw_errmsg	The message string you provide.

# 9.21.2.5 dwarf\_dealloc\_error()

Free (dealloc) an Dwarf\_Error something created.

dw_dbg The relevant Dwarf_Debug pointer.	
dw_error	A pointer to a Dwarf_Error. The pointer is then stale so you should immediately zero that pointer
	passed in.

# 9.22 Generic dwarf dealloc Function

Works for most dealloc needed.

#### **Functions**

• void dwarf\_dealloc (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, void \*dw\_space, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_type)

The generic dealloc (free) function. It requires you know the correct DW\_DLA value to pass in, and in a few cases such is not provided. The functions doing allocations tell you which dealloc to use.

## 9.22.1 Detailed Description

Works for most dealloc needed.

For easier to use versions see the following

#### See also

```
dwarf_dealloc_attribute
dwarf dealloc die
dwarf_dealloc_dnames
dwarf_dealloc_error
dwarf_dealloc_fde_cie_list
dwarf_dealloc_frame_instr_head
dwarf dealloc macro context
dwarf_dealloc_ranges
dwarf_dealloc_rnglists_head
dwarf_dealloc_uncompressed_block
dwarf_funcs_dealloc
dwarf globals dealloc
dwarf_gnu_index_dealloc
dwarf_loc_head_c_dealloc
dwarf_pubtypes_dealloc
dwarf_srclines_dealloc_b
dwarf types dealloc
dwarf_vars_dealloc
dwarf_weaks_dealloc
```

# 9.22.2 Function Documentation

## 9.22.2.1 dwarf\_dealloc()

The generic dealloc (free) function. It requires you know the correct DW\_DLA value to pass in, and in a few cases such is not provided. The functions doing allocations tell you which dealloc to use.

dw_dbg	Must be a valid open Dwarf_Debug. and must be the dw_dbg that the error was created on. If it is not the dealloc will do nothing.
dw_space	Must be an address returned directly by a libdwarf call that the call specifies as requiring dealloc/free. If it is not a segfault or address fault is possible.
dw_type	Must be a correct naming of the DW_DLA type. If it is not the dealloc will do nothing.

# 9.23 Access to Section .debug\_sup

# **Functions**

int dwarf\_get\_debug\_sup (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_version, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_is\_
 supplementary, char \*\*dw\_filename, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_checksum\_len, Dwarf\_Small \*\*dw\_checksum,
 Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns basic .debug\_sup section header data.

# 9.23.1 Detailed Description

#### 9.23.2 Function Documentation

## 9.23.2.1 dwarf\_get\_debug\_sup()

Returns basic .debug\_sup section header data.

This returns basic data from the header of a .debug\_sup section. See DWARF5 Section 7.3.6, "DWARF Supplementary Object Files"

Other sections present should be normal DWARF5, so normal libdwarf calls should work. We have no existing examples on hand, so it is hard to know what really works.

If there is no such section it returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

# 9.24 Fast Access-Access to .debug\_names DWARF5

The section is new in DWARF5 supersedes .debug\_pubnames and .debug\_pubtypes in DWARF2, DWARF3, and DWARF4.

#### **Functions**

• int dwarf\_dnames\_header (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Off dw\_starting\_offset, Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head \*dw\_dn, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_offset\_of\_next\_table, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Open access to a .debug\_names table.

void dwarf\_dealloc\_dnames (Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head dw\_dn)

Frees all the malloc data associated with dw\_dn.

int dwarf\_dnames\_abbrevtable (Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head dw\_dn, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_abbrev\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_abbrev\_code, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_abbrev\_tag, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_array\_size, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_idxattr\_array, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_form\_array, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_idxattr\_count)

Access to the abbrevs table content.

int dwarf\_dnames\_sizes (Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head dw\_dn, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_comp\_unit\_count, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_local\_type\_unit\_count, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_foreign\_type\_unit\_count, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_bucket\_count, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_name\_count, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_abbrev\_table\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_entry\_pool\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_augmentation\_string\_size, char \*\*dw\_⇔ augmentation\_string, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_section\_size, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_table\_version, Dwarf\_Half \*dw→ offset size, Dwarf\_Error \*dw error)

Sizes and counts from the debug names table.

int dwarf\_dnames\_offsets (Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head dw\_dn, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_header\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_cu\_table\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_tu\_local\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_foreign\_tu\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_bucket\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_hashes\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_totale\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_entryoffsets\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_abbrev\_table\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_entry\_pool offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_error)

Offsets from the debug names table.

• int dwarf\_dnames\_cu\_table (Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head dw\_dn, const char \*dw\_type, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_← index\_number, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset, Dwarf\_Sig8 \*dw\_sig, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Each debug names list entry one at a time.

• int dwarf\_dnames\_bucket (Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head dw\_dn, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_bucket\_number, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_indexcount, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Access to bucket contents

int dwarf\_dnames\_name (Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head dw\_dn, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_name\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_bucket\_number, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_hash\_value, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_to\_debug\_str, char \*\*dw\_ptrtostr, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_in\_entrypool, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_abbrev\_number, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_abbrev\_tag, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_array\_size, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_idxattr\_array, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_form\_array, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_idxattr\_count, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Retrieve a name table entry.

 int dwarf\_dnames\_abbrev\_by\_code (Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head dw\_dn, Dwarf\_Half dw\_abbrev\_code, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_tag, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_index\_of\_abbrev, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_number\_of\_attr\_com\_entries)

Find an abbrev set by abbrev code.

int dwarf\_dnames\_abbrev\_form\_by\_index (Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head dw\_dn, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_abbrev
 \_entry\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_abbrev\_form\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_idx\_attr, Dwarf\_Unsigned
 \*dw\_form, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns a specific idxattribute form pair.

 int dwarf\_dnames\_entrypool (Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head dw\_dn, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_offset\_in\_entrypool, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_abbrev\_code, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_tag, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_value\_count, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_index\_of\_abbrev, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_offset\_of\_initial\_value, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error) Returns a the set of values from an entrypool entry.

int dwarf\_dnames\_entrypool\_values (Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head dw\_dn, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_index\_of\_abbrev, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_offset\_in\_entrypool\_of\_values, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_arrays\_length, Dwarf\_Half \*dw
\_array\_idx\_number, Dwarf\_Half \*dw\_array\_form, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_array\_of\_offsets, Dwarf\_Sig8 \*dw
\_array\_of\_signatures, Dwarf\_Bool \*dw\_single\_cu, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_cu\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw
\_offset\_of\_next\_entrypool, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns the value set defined by this entry.

# 9.24.1 Detailed Description

The section is new in DWARF5 supersedes .debug\_pubnames and .debug\_pubtypes in DWARF2, DWARF3, and DWARF4.

The functions provide a detailed reporting of the content and structure of the table (so one can build one's own search table) but they are not particularly helpful for searching.

A new function (more than one?) would be needed for convenient searching.

#### 9.24.2 Function Documentation

#### 9.24.2.1 dwarf dnames header()

Open access to a .debug\_names table.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_starting_offset	Read this section starting at offset zero.
dw_dn	On success returns a pointer to a set of data allowing access to the table.
dw_offset_of_next_table	On success returns Offset just past the end of the the opened table.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc. If there is no such table or if dw\_starting\_offset is past the end of the section it returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

## 9.24.2.2 dwarf\_dealloc\_dnames()

```
void dwarf_dealloc_dnames ( {\tt Dwarf\_Dnames\_Head} \  \, dw\_dn \ )
```

Frees all the malloc data associated with dw\_dn.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dn	A Dwarf_Dnames_Head pointer. Callers should zero the pointer passed in as soon as possible after	
	this returns as the pointer is then stale.	

# 9.24.2.3 dwarf\_dnames\_abbrevtable()

```
int dwarf_dnames_abbrevtable (
    Dwarf_Dnames_Head dw_dn,
    Dwarf_Unsigned dw_index,
    Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_abbrev_offset,
    Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_abbrev_code,
    Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_abbrev_tag,
    Dwarf_Unsigned dw_array_size,
    Dwarf_Half * dw_idxattr_array,
    Dwarf_Half * dw_form_array,
    Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_idxattr_count )
```

Access to the abbrevs table content.

Of interest mainly to debugging issues with compilers or debuggers.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dn	A Dwarf_Dnames_Head pointer.
dw_index	The Names table index (starts at one) for.
dw_abbrev_offset	Returns the offset of the abbrev table entry for this names table entry.
dw_abbrev_code	Returns the abbrev code for the abbrev at offset dw_abbrev_offset.
dw_abbrev_tag	Returns the tag for the abbrev at offset dw_abbrev_offset.
dw_array_size	The size you allocated in each of the following two arrays.
dw_idxattr_array	Pass in an array you allocated where the function returns and array of index attributes (DW_IDX) for this dw_abbrev_code. The last attribute code in the array is zero.
dw_form_array	Pass in an array you allocated where the function returns and array of forms for this dw_abbrev_code (paralled to dw_idxattr_array). The last form code in the array is zero.
dw_idxattr_count	Returns the actual idxattribute/form count (including the terminating 0,0 pair. If the array_size passed in is less than this value the array returned is incomplete. Array entries needed. Might be larger than dw_array_size, meaning not all entries could be returned in your arrays.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK on success. If the offset does not refer to a known part of the abbrev table it returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY. Never returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR.

#### 9.24.2.4 dwarf\_dnames\_sizes()

Sizes and counts from the debug names table.

We do not describe these returned values.

See DWARF5 section 6.1.1 "Lookup By Name" particularly the graph page 139. dw\_comp\_unit\_count is K(k), dw\_local\_type\_unit\_count is T(t), and dw\_foreign\_type\_unit\_count is F(f).

# 9.24.2.5 dwarf\_dnames\_offsets()

Offsets from the debug names table.

We do not describe these returned values, which refer to the .debug\_names section.

The header offset is a section offset. The rest are offsets from the header.

See DWARF5 section 6.1.1 "Lookup By Name"

# 9.24.2.6 dwarf\_dnames\_cu\_table()

Each debug names list entry one at a time.

The DWARF5 standard reserves index 0, so index numbers start at 1.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dn	The table of interest.
dw_type	Pass in the type, "cu" or "tu"
dw_index_number	For "cu" index range is 1 through K For "tu" index range is 1 through T+F
dw_offset	Section offset of the target CU Zero if it cannot be determined.
dw_sig	the Dwarf_Sig8 is filled in with a signature if the TU index is T+1 through T+F
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.24.2.7 dwarf\_dnames\_bucket()

Access to bucket contents.

dw_dn	The Dwarf_Dnames_Head of interest.
dw_bucket_number	Pass in a bucket number Bucket numbers start at 0.
dw_index	On success returns the index of the appropriate name entry. Name entry indexes start at one, a zero index means the bucket is unused.
dw_indexcount	On success returns the number of name entries in the bucket.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc. An out of range dw\_index\_number gets a return if DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY

## 9.24.2.8 dwarf\_dnames\_name()

# Retrieve a name table entry.

For now, ignore this function as it does almost none of that the description promises. Most arguments are ignored.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dn	The table of interest.
dw_name_index	Pass in the desired index, start at one.
dw_bucket_number	On success returns a bucket number, zero if no buckets present.
dw_hash_value	The hash value, all zeros if no hashes present
dw_offset_to_debug_str	The offset to the .debug_str section string.
dw_ptrtostr	if dw_ptrtostr non-null returns a pointer to the applicable string here.
dw_offset_in_entrypool	Returns the offset in the entrypool
dw_abbrev_number	Returned from entrypool
dw_abbrev_tag	Returned from entrypool abbrev data
dw_array_size	Size of array you provide (even number). Possibly 20 to 40 suffices for practical
	purposes.
dw_idxattr_array	Array you provide, for idx attribute numbers (function will initialize it). The final entry in the array will be 0.
dw_form_array	Array you provide, for form numbers (function will initialize it). The final entry in the array will be 0.
dw_idxattr_count	Array entries needed. Might be larger than dw_array_size, meaning not all entries could be returned in your array.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc. If the index passed in is outside the valid range returns DW\_DLV\_NO ← \_ENTRY.

## 9.24.2.9 dwarf\_dnames\_abbrev\_by\_code()

Find an abbrev set by abbrev code.

Useful for a quick look at what an abbrev record contains.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dn	Pass in the debug names table of interest.
dw_abbrev_code	Pass in the abbrev code of interest. These are not array indexes, they are compiler assigned numbers, often not in any meaningful sequence.
dw_tag	If non-null and the call succeeds, the DW_TAG value applying to this abbreviation is returned.
dw_index_of_abbrev	If non-null and the call succeeds, the index number assigned by libdwarf to this abbrev set is returned. The numbers are sequential, 0,1, etc. The trailing 0,0 pair is counted.
dw_number_of_attr_form_entries	If non-null and the call succeeds, the number of attribute-form pairs in this abbrev is returned. The count includes the terminating 0,0 pair.

#### Returns

Returns either DW\_DLV\_OK or, if the abbrev code is not found, returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY.

#### 9.24.2.10 dwarf dnames abbrev form by index()

Returns a specific idxattribute form pair.

You will find calling

#### See also

dwarf\_dnames\_abbrev\_by\_code useful to get the CU Data-Ranges data DW\_AT\_ranges you need here.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dn	Pass in the debug names table of interest.
dw_abbrev_entry_index	Pass in the index number for an abbreviation record. Numbers start at 0.
dw_abbrev_form_index	Pass in an index to an attr/form array. Indexes start with 0.
dw_idx_attr	On success returns the DW_IDX value in the idxattr-form pair.
dw_form	On success returns the DW_FORM value in the idxattr-form pair.
dw_error	On error returns the usual error details.

#### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK is returned if the specified entry exists. DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY is returned if the specified indexes do not designate an entry (an index out of range). DW\_DLV\_ERROR is returned in case of an internal error or corrupt section content.

## 9.24.2.11 dwarf\_dnames\_entrypool()

Returns a the set of values from an entrypool entry.

Returns the basic data about an entrypool record and enables correct calling of dwarf\_dnames\_entrypool\_values (see below). The two-stage approach makes it simple for callers to prepare for the number of values that will be returned by dwarf\_dnames\_entrypool\_values()

dw_dn	Pass in the debug names table of interest.
dw_offset_in_entrypool	The record offset (in the entry pool table) of the first record of IDX attributes.
	Starts at zero.
dw_abbrev_code	On success returns the abbrev code of the idx attributes for the pool entry.
dw_tag	On success returns the TAG of the DIE referred to by this entrypool entry.
dw_value_count	On success returns the number of distinct values imply by this entry.
dw_index_of_abbrev	On success returns the index of the abbrev index/form pairs in the abbreviation
	table.
dw_offset_of_initial_value	On success returns the entry pool offset of the sequence of bytes containing
	values, such as a CU index or a DIE offset.
dw_error	The usual error detail record

#### Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK is returned if the specified name entry exists. DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY is returned if the specified offset is outside the size of the table. DW\_DLV\_ERROR is returned in case of an internal error or corrupt section content.

## 9.24.2.12 dwarf\_dnames\_entrypool\_values()

Returns the value set defined by this entry.

Call here after calling dwarf\_dnames\_entrypool to provide data to call this function correctly.

This retrieves the index attribute values that identify a names table name.

The caller allocates a set of arrays and the function fills them in. If dw\_array\_idx\_number[n] is DW\_IDX\_type\_hash then dw\_array\_of\_signatures[n] contains the hash. For other IDX values dw\_array\_of\_offsets[n] contains the value being returned.

dw_dn	Pass in the debug names table of interest.
dw_index_of_abbrev	Pass in the abbreviation index.
dw_offset_in_entrypool_of_values	Pass in the offset of the values returned by dw_offset_of_initial_value above.
dw_arrays_length	Pass in the array length of each of the following four fields. The dw_value_count returned above is what you need to use.
dw_array_idx_number	Create an array of Dwarf_Half values, dw_arrays_length long, and pass a pointer to the first entry here.
dw_array_form	Create an array of Dwarf_Half values, dw_arrays_length long, and pass a pointer to the first entry here.
dw_array_of_offsets	Create an array of Dwarf_Unsigned values, dw_arrays_length long, and pass a pointer to the first entry here.
dw_array_of_signatures	Create an array of Dwarf_Sig8 structs, dw_arrays_length long, and pass a pointer to the first entry here.
dw_offset_of_next_entrypool	On success returns the offset of the next entrypool. A value here is usable in the next call to dwarf_dnames_entrypool.
dw_single_cu	On success, if it is a single-cu name table there is likely no DW_IDX_compile_unit. So we return TRUE via this flag in such a case.
dw_cu_offset	On success, for a single-cu name table with no DW_IDX_compile_unit this is set to the CU offset from that single CU-table entry.
dw_error	The usual error detail record Generated by Doxygen

## Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK is returned if the specified name entry exists. DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY is returned if the specified offset is outside the size of the table. DW\_DLV\_ERROR is returned in case of an internal error or corrupt section content.

# 9.25 Fast Access-Access to a CU given a code address

## **Functions**

int dwarf\_get\_aranges (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Arange \*\*dw\_aranges, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_arange 
 — count, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get access to CUs given code addresses.

Find a range given a code address.

int dwarf\_get\_cu\_die\_offset (Dwarf\_Arange dw\_arange, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_←
error)

Given an arange return its CU DIE offset.

int dwarf\_get\_arange\_cu\_header\_offset (Dwarf\_Arange dw\_arange, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_cu\_header\_
 offset, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Given an arange return its CU header offset.

int dwarf\_get\_arange\_info\_b (Dwarf\_Arange dw\_arange, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_segment, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_segment\_entry\_size, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_start, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_length, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_cu\_die\_← offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get the data in an arange entry.

# 9.25.1 Detailed Description

#### 9.25.2 Function Documentation

## 9.25.2.1 dwarf\_get\_aranges()

Get access to CUs given code addresses.

This intended as a fast-access to tie code addresses to CU dies. The data is in the .debug\_aranges section. which may appear in DWARF2,3,4, or DWARF5.

#### See also

Example of aranges access

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_aranges	On success returns a pointer to an array of Dwarf_Arange pointers.
dw_arange_count	On success returns a count of the length of the array.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc. Returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if there is no such section.

# 9.25.2.2 dwarf\_get\_arange()

Find a range given a code address.

#### **Parameters**

dw_aranges	Pass in a pointer to the first entry in the aranges array of pointers.
dw_arange_count	Pass in the dw_arange_count, the count for the array.
dw_address	Pass in the code address of interest.
dw_returned_arange	On success, returns the particular arange that holds that address.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc. Returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if there is no such code address present in the section.

# 9.25.2.3 dwarf\_get\_cu\_die\_offset()

Given an arange return its CU DIE offset.

dw_arange	The specific arange of interest.
dw_return_offset	The CU DIE offset (in .debug_info) applicable to this arange
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.25.2.4 dwarf\_get\_arange\_cu\_header\_offset()

Given an arange return its CU header offset.

## **Parameters**

dw_arange	The specific arange of interest.
dw_return_cu_header_offset	The CU header offset (in .debug_info) applicable to this arange.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.25.2.5 dwarf\_get\_arange\_info\_b()

Get the data in an arange entry.

dw_arange	The specific arange of interest.
dw_segment	On success and if segment_entry_size is non-zero this returns the segment number from the arange.
dw_segment_entry_size	On success returns the segment entry size from the arange.
dw_start	On success returns the low address this arange refers to.
dw_length	On success returns the length, in bytes of the code area this arange refers to.
dw_cu_die_offset	On success returns the .debug_info section offset the arange refers to.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.26 Fast Access-Access to .debug pubnames and more.

Pubnames and Pubtypes overview

#### **Functions**

int dwarf\_get\_globals (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Global \*\*dw\_globals, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_number\_
 of\_globals, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Global name space operations, .debug pubnames access.

void dwarf\_globals\_dealloc (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Global \*dw\_globals, Dwarf\_Signed dw\_number 
 — of\_globals)

Dealloc the Dwarf Globals data.

- int dwarf\_globname (Dwarf\_Global dw\_global, char \*\*dw\_returned\_name, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Return the name of a global data item.
- int dwarf\_global\_die\_offset (Dwarf\_Global dw\_global, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Return the DIE offset of a global data item.
- int dwarf\_global\_cu\_offset (Dwarf\_Global dw\_global, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Return the CU header data of a global data item.
- int dwarf\_global\_name\_offsets (Dwarf\_Global dw\_global, char \*\*dw\_returned\_name, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_die
   \_offset, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_cu\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Return the name and offsets of a global entry.

int dwarf\_get\_globals\_header (Dwarf\_Global dw\_global, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_offset\_pub\_header, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_length\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_length\_pub, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_version, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_header\_info\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_info\_length, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

For more complete globals printing. For each CU represented in .debug\_pubnames, etc, there is a .debug\_pubnames header. For any given Dwarf\_Global this returns the content of the applicable header.

int dwarf\_get\_pubtypes (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Type \*\*dw\_types, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_number\_of
 \_types, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Access to DWARF3, DWARF4 .debug\_pubtypes section.

- void dwarf\_pubtypes\_dealloc (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Type \*dw\_pubtypes, Dwarf\_Signed dw\_
   number\_of\_pubtypes)
- int dwarf\_pubtypename (Dwarf Type dw type, char \*\*dw returned name, Dwarf Error \*dw error)
- int dwarf\_pubtype\_type\_die\_offset (Dwarf\_Type dw\_type, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw error)
- int dwarf\_pubtype\_cu\_offset (Dwarf\_Type dw\_type, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
- int dwarf\_pubtype\_name\_offsets (Dwarf\_Type dw\_type, char \*\*dw\_returned\_name, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_die
   \_offset, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_cu\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
- int dwarf\_get\_funcs (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Func \*\*dw\_funcs, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_number\_of\_funcs, Dwarf\_Error \*dw error)

Access to SGI/IRIX .debug\_funcs section. Static function names and offsets.

- void dwarf\_funcs\_dealloc (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Func \*dw\_funcs, Dwarf\_Signed dw\_number\_

   of\_funcs)
- int dwarf\_funcname (Dwarf\_Func dw\_func, char \*\*dw\_returned\_name, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
- int dwarf func die offset (Dwarf Func dw func, Dwarf Off \*dw return offset, Dwarf Error \*dw error)
- int dwarf\_func\_cu\_offset (Dwarf\_Func dw\_func, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
- int dwarf\_func\_name\_offsets (Dwarf\_Func dw\_func, char \*\*dw\_returned\_name, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_die\_
   offset, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_cu\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
- int dwarf\_get\_types (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Type \*\*dw\_types, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_number\_of\_types, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Access to SGI/IRIX .debug\_types section. Static types names and offsets. Pubnames and Pubtypes overview .

- int dwarf\_typename (Dwarf\_Type dw\_type, char \*\*dw\_returned\_name, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
- int dwarf type die offset (Dwarf Type dw type, Dwarf Off \*dw return offset, Dwarf Error \*dw error)
- int dwarf\_type\_cu\_offset (Dwarf\_Type dw\_type, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
- int dwarf\_type\_name\_offsets (Dwarf\_Type dw\_type, char \*\*dw\_returned\_name, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_die\_←
   offset, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_cu\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
- int dwarf\_get\_vars (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Var \*\*dw\_vars, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_number\_of\_vars, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Access to SGI/IRIC .debug\_vars section. File-scope static variable names Pubnames and Pubtypes overview .

- void dwarf vars dealloc (Dwarf Debug dw dbg, Dwarf Var \*dw vars, Dwarf Signed dw number of vars)
- int dwarf varname (Dwarf Var dw var, char \*\*dw returned name, Dwarf Error \*dw error)
- int dwarf\_var\_die\_offset (Dwarf\_Var dw\_var, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
- int dwarf\_var\_cu\_offset (Dwarf\_Var dw\_var, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
- int dwarf\_var\_name\_offsets (Dwarf\_Var dw\_var, char \*\*dw\_returned\_name, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_die\_offset, Dwarf Off \*dw cu offset, Dwarf Error \*dw error)
- int dwarf\_get\_weaks (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Weak \*\*dw\_weaks, Dwarf\_Signed \*dw\_number\_of\_
   weaks, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Access to SGI/IRIC .debug weaks section.

- void dwarf\_weaks\_dealloc (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Weak \*dw\_weaks, Dwarf\_Signed dw\_number ← of\_weaks)
- int dwarf\_weakname (Dwarf\_Weak dw\_weak, char \*\*dw\_returned\_name, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
- int dwarf\_weak\_die\_offset (Dwarf\_Weak dw\_weak, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_return\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
- int dwarf weak cu offset (Dwarf Weak dw weak, Dwarf Off \*dw return offset, Dwarf Error \*dw error)
- int dwarf\_weak\_name\_offsets (Dwarf\_Weak dw\_weak, char \*\*dw\_returned\_name, Dwarf\_Off \*dw\_die← offset, Dwarf Off \*dw cu offset, Dwarf Error \*dw error)
- int dwarf\_return\_empty\_pubnames (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, int dw\_flag)

A flag for dwarfdump on pubnames, pubtypes etc.

## 9.26.1 Detailed Description

#### Pubnames and Pubtypes overview

These functions each read one of a set of sections designed for fast access by name, but they are not always emitted as they each have somewhat limited and inflexible capabilities. So you may not see many of these.

All have the same set of functions with a name reflecting the specific object section involved. Only the first, of type Dwarf\_Global, is documented here in full detail as the others do the same jobs just each for their applicable object section..

# 9.26.2 Function Documentation

#### 9.26.2.1 dwarf\_get\_globals()

Global name space operations, .debug\_pubnames access.

This section is defined in DWARF2, DWARF3, and DWARF4.

See also

Example of dwarf get globals use

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_globals	On success returns an array of pointers to opaque structs
dw_number_of_globals	On success returns the number of entries in the array.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

# Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc. Returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if the section is not present.

# 9.26.2.2 dwarf\_globals\_dealloc()

Dealloc the Dwarf\_Globals data.

## **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_globals	The globals array data to dealloc (free).
dw_number_of_globals	The number of entries in the array.

# 9.26.2.3 dwarf\_globname()

Return the name of a global data item.

#### **Parameters**

dw_global	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_returned_name	On success a pointer to the name (a null-terminated string) is returned.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

## Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.26.2.4 dwarf\_global\_die\_offset()

Return the DIE offset of a global data item.

#### **Parameters**

dw_global	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_return_offset	On success a the section-global DIE offset of a data item is returned.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.26.2.5 dwarf\_global\_cu\_offset()

Return the CU header data of a global data item.

# **Parameters**

dw_global	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_return_offset	On success a the section-global offset of a CU header is returned.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

# Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.26.2.6 dwarf\_global\_name\_offsets()

```
char ** dw_returned_name,
Dwarf_Off * dw_die_offset,
Dwarf_Off * dw_cu_offset,
Dwarf_Error * dw_error )
```

Return the name and offsets of a global entry.

#### **Parameters**

dw_global	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_returned_name	On success a pointer to the name (a null-terminated string) is returned.
dw_die_offset	On success a the section-global DIE offset of the global with the name.
dw_cu_offset	On success a the section-global offset of a CU header is returned.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

The usual value: DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

#### 9.26.2.7 dwarf\_get\_pubtypes()

Access to DWARF3, DWARF4 .debug\_pubtypes section.

Pubnames and Pubtypes overview

See also

Example of dwarf\_get\_pubtypes use

# 9.26.2.8 dwarf\_get\_funcs()

Access to SGI/IRIX .debug\_funcs section. Static function names and offsets.

Pubnames and Pubtypes overview

See also

Example of dwarf\_get\_funcs use

#### 9.26.2.9 dwarf\_get\_types()

Access to SGI/IRIX .debug\_types section. Static types names and offsets. Pubnames and Pubtypes overview .

See also

Example of dwarf\_get\_types use

## 9.26.2.10 dwarf\_get\_vars()

Access to SGI/IRIC .debug\_vars section. File-scope static variable names Pubnames and Pubtypes overview .

See also

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## 9.26.2.11 dwarf\_get\_weaks()

Access to SGI/IRIC .debug\_weaks section.

Lists weak symbols. Weak symbols are an Elf Object Format feature.

Pubnames and Pubtypes overview

See also

```
Example of dwarf_get_weaks use
```

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https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Weak_symbol
```

# 9.26.2.12 dwarf\_return\_empty\_pubnames()

A flag for dwarfdump on pubnames, pubtypes etc.

Sets a flag in the dbg. Always returns DW\_DLV\_OK. Applies to all the sections of this kind: pubnames, pubtypes, funcs, typenames,vars, weaks. Ensures empty content (meaning no offset/name tuples) for a CU shows up rather than being suppressed.

# Pubnames and Pubtypes overview

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_flag	Must be the value one.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK. Always.

# 9.27 Fast Access-Access GNU .debug\_gnu\_pubnames

# **Functions**

- int dwarf\_get\_gnu\_index\_head (Dwarf\_Debug, Dwarf\_Bool, Dwarf\_Gnu\_Index\_Head \*, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*, Dwarf\_Error \*)
- void dwarf\_gnu\_index\_dealloc (Dwarf\_Gnu\_Index\_Head)
- int dwarf\_get\_gnu\_index\_block (Dwarf\_Gnu\_Index\_Head, Dwarf\_Unsigned, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*, Dwarf\_Half \*, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*, Dwarf\_Error \*)
- int dwarf\_get\_gnu\_index\_block\_entry (Dwarf\_Gnu\_Index\_Head, Dwarf\_Unsigned, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*, const char \*\*, unsigned char \*, unsigned char \*, unsigned char \*, Dwarf\_Error \*)

# 9.27.1 Detailed Description

#### 9.28 Fast Access-Gdb Index

Section .gdb index.

#### **Functions**

• int dwarf\_gdbindex\_header (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Gdbindex \*dw\_gdbindexptr, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_version, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_cu\_list\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_types\_cu\_list\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_address\_area\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_symbol\_table\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_constant\_

pool offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw section size, const char \*\*dw section name, Dwarf\_Error \*dw error)

Open access to the .gdb\_index section.

void dwarf\_dealloc\_gdbindex (Dwarf\_Gdbindex dw\_gdbindexptr)

Free (dealloc) all allocated Dwarf\_Gdbindex memory It should named dwarf\_dealloc\_gdbindex.

 int dwarf\_gdbindex\_culist\_array (Dwarf\_Gdbindex dw\_gdbindexptr, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_list\_length, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Returns the culist array length.

• int dwarf\_gdbindex\_culist\_entry (Dwarf\_Gdbindex dw\_gdbindexptr, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_entryindex, Dwarf Unsigned \*dw cu offset, Dwarf Unsigned \*dw cu length, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

For a CU entry in the list return the offset and length.

int dwarf\_gdbindex\_types\_culist\_array (Dwarf\_Gdbindex dw\_gdbindexptr, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_types\_list
 — length, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns the types culist array length.

int dwarf\_gdbindex\_types\_culist\_entry (Dwarf\_Gdbindex dw\_gdbindexptr, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_types\_
 entryindex, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_cu\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_tu\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_type
 signature, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

For a types CU entry in the list returns the offset and length.

int dwarf\_gdbindex\_addressarea (Dwarf\_Gdbindex dw\_gdbindexptr, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_addressarea\_
 —
 list\_length, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get access to gdbindex address area.

 int dwarf\_gdbindex\_addressarea\_entry (Dwarf\_Gdbindex dw\_gdbindexptr, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_entryindex, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_low\_address, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_high\_address, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_cu\_index, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Get an address area value.

Get access to the symboltable array.

• int dwarf\_gdbindex\_symboltable\_entry (Dwarf\_Gdbindex dw\_gdbindexptr, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_entryindex, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_string\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_cu\_vector\_offset, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Access individual symtab entry.

int dwarf\_gdbindex\_cuvector\_length (Dwarf\_Gdbindex dw\_gdbindexptr, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_cuvector\_

 offset, Dwarf Unsigned \*dw innercount, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Get access to a cuvector.

int dwarf\_gdbindex\_cuvector\_inner\_attributes (Dwarf\_Gdbindex dw\_gdbindexptr, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_
 cuvector\_offset\_in, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_innerindex, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_field\_value, Dwarf\_Error \*dw
 error)

Get access to a cuvector.

• int dwarf\_gdbindex\_cuvector\_instance\_expand\_value (Dwarf\_Gdbindex dw\_gdbindexptr, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_field\_value, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_cu\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_symbol\_kind, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_is\_static, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Expand the bit fields in a cuvector entry.

• int dwarf\_gdbindex\_string\_by\_offset (Dwarf\_Gdbindex dw\_gdbindexptr, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_stringoffset, const char \*\*dw\_string\_ptr, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Retrieve a symbol name from the index data.

# 9.28.1 Detailed Description

Section .gdb\_index.

This is a section created for and used by the GNU gdb debugger to access DWARF information.

Not part of standard DWARF.

#### See also

Version 8 built by gdb, so type entries are ok as is. Version 7 built by the 'gold' linker and type index entries for a CU must be derived otherwise, the type index is not correct... Earlier versions cannot be read correctly by the functions here.

The functions here make it possible to print the section content in detail, there is no search function here.

#### 9.28.2 Function Documentation

# 9.28.2.1 dwarf\_gdbindex\_header()

Open access to the .gdb\_index section.

The section is a single table one thinks.

See also

Example getting gdbindex data

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_gdbindexptr	On success returns a pointer to make access to table details possible.
dw_version	On success returns the table version.
dw_cu_list_offset	On success returns the offset of the cu_list in the section.
Generativnes ocygelist_offset	On success returns the offset of the types cu_list in the section.
dw_address_area_offset	On success returns the area pool offset.
dw_symbol_table_offset	On success returns the symbol table offset.
dw_constant_pool_offset	On success returns the constant pool offset.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc. Returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if the section is absent.

# 9.28.2.2 dwarf\_dealloc\_gdbindex()

```
void dwarf_dealloc_gdbindex ( {\tt Dwarf\_Gdbindex} \  \, \textit{dw\_gdbindexptr} \ )
```

Free (dealloc) all allocated Dwarf Gdbindex memory It should named dwarf dealloc gdbindex.

#### **Parameters**

dw_gdbindexptr	Pass in a valid dw_gdbindexptr and on return assign zero to dw_gdbindexptr as it is stale.
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#### 9.28.2.3 dwarf\_gdbindex\_culist\_array()

Returns the culist array length.

#### **Parameters**

dw_gdbindexptr	Pass in the Dwarf_Gdbindex pointer of interest.
dw_list_length	On success returns the array length of the cu list.
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.28.2.4 dwarf\_gdbindex\_culist\_entry()

For a CU entry in the list return the offset and length.

#### **Parameters**

dw_gdbindexptr	Pass in the Dwarf_Gdbindex pointer of interest.
dw_entryindex	Pass in a number from 0 through dw_list_length-1.
dw_cu_offset	On success returns the CU offet for this list entry.
dw_cu_length	On success returns the CU length(in bytes) for this list entry.
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.28.2.5 dwarf\_gdbindex\_types\_culist\_array()

Returns the types culist array length.

#### **Parameters**

dw_gdbindexptr	Pass in the Dwarf_Gdbindex pointer of interest.
dw_types_list_length	On success returns the array length of the types cu list.
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

#### 9.28.2.6 dwarf\_gdbindex\_types\_culist\_entry()

For a types CU entry in the list returns the offset and length.

#### **Parameters**

dw_gdbindexptr	Pass in the Dwarf_Gdbindex pointer of interest.
dw_types_entryindex	Pass in a number from 0 through dw_list_length-1.
dw_cu_offset	On success returns the types CU offet for this list entry.
dw_tu_offset	On success returns the tu offet for this list entry.
dw_type_signature	On success returns the type unit offset for this entry if the type has a signature.
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.28.2.7 dwarf\_gdbindex\_addressarea()

Get access to gdbindex address area.

## See also

Example getting gdbindex addressarea

#### **Parameters**

dw_gdbindexptr	Pass in the Dwarf_Gdbindex pointer of interest.
dw_addressarea_list_length	On success returns the number of entries in the addressarea.
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.28.2.8 dwarf\_gdbindex\_addressarea\_entry()

Get an address area value.

#### **Parameters**

dw_gdbindexptr	Pass in the Dwarf_Gdbindex pointer of interest.	
dw_entryindex	Pass in an index, 0 through dw_addressarea_list_length-1. addressarea.	
dw_low_address	On success returns the low address for the entry.	
dw_high_address	On success returns the high address for the entry.	
dw_cu_index	On success returns the index to the cu for the entry.	
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.	

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.28.2.9 dwarf\_gdbindex\_symboltable\_array()

Get access to the symboltable array.

#### **Parameters**

dw_gdbindexptr	Pass in the Dwarf_Gdbindex pointer of interest.
dw_symtab_list_length	On success returns the number of entries in the symbol table
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.28.2.10 dwarf\_gdbindex\_symboltable\_entry()

Access individual symtab entry.

#### **Parameters**

dw_gdbindexptr	Pass in the Dwarf_Gdbindex pointer of interest.
dw_entryindex	Pass in a valid index in the range 0 through dw_symtab_list_length-1
dw_string_offset	On success returns the string offset in the appropriate string section.
dw_cu_vector_offset	On success returns the CU vector offset.
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.28.2.11 dwarf\_gdbindex\_cuvector\_length()

Get access to a cuvector.

# See also

Example geting gdbindex symbol table

#### **Parameters**

dw_gdbindexptr	Pass in the Dwarf_Gdbindex pointer of interest.
dw_cuvector_offset	Pass in the offset, dw_cu_vector_offset.
dw_innercount	On success returns the number of CUs in the cuvector instance array.
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.28.2.12 dwarf\_gdbindex\_cuvector\_inner\_attributes()

Get access to a cuvector.

#### **Parameters**

dw_gdbindexptr	Pass in the Dwarf_Gdbindex pointer of interest.
dw_cuvector_offset←	Pass in the value of dw_cuvector_offset
_in	
dw_innerindex	Pass in the index of the CU vector in, from 0 through dw_innercount-1.
dw_field_value	On success returns a field of bits. To expand the bits call
	dwarf_gdbindex_cuvector_instance_expand_value.
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.28.2.13 dwarf\_gdbindex\_cuvector\_instance\_expand\_value()

Expand the bit fields in a cuvector entry.

#### **Parameters**

dw_gdbindexptr	Pass in the Dwarf_Gdbindex pointer of interest.
dw_field_value	Pass in the dw_field_value returned by dwarf_gdbindex_cuvector_inner_attributes.
dw_cu_index	On success returns the CU index from the dw_field_value
dw_symbol_kind	On success returns the symbol kind (see the sourceware page. Kinds are TYPE, VARIABLE, or FUNCTION.
dw_is_static	On success returns non-zero if the entry is a static symbol (file-local, as in C or C++), otherwise it returns non-zero and the symbol is global.
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

# Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.28.2.14 dwarf\_gdbindex\_string\_by\_offset()

```
Dwarf_Unsigned dw_stringoffset,
const char ** dw_string_ptr,
Dwarf_Error * dw_error )
```

Retrieve a symbol name from the index data.

## **Parameters**

dw_gdbindexptr	Pass in the Dwarf_Gdbindex pointer of interest.
dw_stringoffset	Pass in the string offset returned by dwarf_gdbindex_symboltable_entry
dw_string_ptr	On success returns a a pointer to the null-terminated string.
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

# Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.29 Fast Access-Split Dwarf (Debug Fission)

#### **Functions**

int dwarf\_get\_xu\_index\_header (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, const char \*dw\_section\_type, Dwarf\_Xu\_Index\_Header \*dw\_xuhdr, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_version\_number, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_section\_count, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_units\_count, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_hash\_slots\_count, const char \*\*dw\_sect\_name, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Access a .debug\_cu\_index or dw\_tu\_index section.

void dwarf\_dealloc\_xu\_header (Dwarf\_Xu\_Index\_Header dw\_xuhdr)

Dealloc (free) memory associated with dw\_xuhdr.

 int dwarf\_get\_xu\_index\_section\_type (Dwarf\_Xu\_Index\_Header dw\_xuhdr, const char \*\*dw\_typename, const char \*\*dw sectionname, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Return basic information about a Dwarf Xu Index Header.

- int dwarf\_get\_xu\_hash\_entry (Dwarf\_Xu\_Index\_Header dw\_xuhdr, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_index, Dwarf\_Sig8
   \*dw\_hash\_value, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_index\_to\_sections, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
- int dwarf\_get\_xu\_section\_names (Dwarf\_Xu\_Index\_Header dw\_xuhdr, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_column\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_SECT\_number, const char \*\*dw\_SECT\_name, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)
   get DW\_SECT value for a column.
- int dwarf\_get\_xu\_section\_offset (Dwarf\_Xu\_Index\_Header dw\_xuhdr, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_row\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_column\_index, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_sec\_offset, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_sec\_size, Dwarf\_Error \*dw error)

Get row data (section data) for a row and column.

 int dwarf\_get\_debugfission\_for\_die (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, Dwarf\_Debug\_Fission\_Per\_CU \*dw\_percu\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get debugfission data for a Dwarf\_Die.

int dwarf\_get\_debugfission\_for\_key (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Sig8 \*dw\_hash\_sig, const char \*dw\_

 cu\_type, Dwarf\_Debug\_Fission\_Per\_CU \*dw\_percu\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Given a hash signature find per-cu Fission data.

### 9.29.1 Detailed Description

### 9.29.2 Function Documentation

### 9.29.2.1 dwarf\_get\_xu\_index\_header()

Access a .debug\_cu\_index or dw\_tu\_index section.

These sections are in a DWARF5 package file, a file normally named with the .dwo or .dwp extension.. See DW ← ARF5 section 7.3.5.3 Format of the CU and TU Index Sections.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	Pass in the Dwarf_Debug of interest	
dw_section_type	Pass in a pointer to either "cu" or "tu".	
dw_xuhdr	On success, returns a pointer usable in further calls.	
dw_version_number	On success returns five.	
dw_section_count	On success returns the number of entries in the table of section counts. Referred to as	
	N.	
dw_units_count	On success returns the number of compilation units or type units in the index.	
	Referred to as <b>U</b> .	
dw_hash_slots_count	On success returns the number of slots in the hash table. Referred to as <b>S</b> .	
dw_sect_name	On success returns a pointer to the name of the section. Do not free/dealloc the	
	returned pointer.	
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.	

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc. Returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if the section requested is not present.

# 9.29.2.2 dwarf\_dealloc\_xu\_header()

Dealloc (free) memory associated with dw\_xuhdr.

Should be named dwarf\_dealloc\_xuhdr instead.

### **Parameters**

dw_xuhdr	Dealloc (free) all associated memory. The caller should zero the passed in value on return as it is
	then a stale value.

# 9.29.2.3 dwarf\_get\_xu\_index\_section\_type()

Return basic information about a Dwarf\_Xu\_Index\_Header.

dw_xuhdr	Pass in an open header pointer.

#### **Parameters**

dw_typename On success returns a pointer to the immutable string "tu" or		On success returns a pointer to the immutable string "tu" or "cu". Do not free.
	dw_sectionname	On success returns a pointer to the section name in the object file. Do not free.
	dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.29.2.4 dwarf\_get\_xu\_hash\_entry()

Get a Hash Entry.

#### See also

examplez/x

### **Parameters**

dw_xuhdr	Pass in an open header pointer.	
dw_index	Pass in the index of the entry you wish. Valid index values are 0 through S-1.	
dw_hash_value	Pass in a pointer to a Dwarf_Sig8. On success the hash struct is filled in with the 8 byte hash value.	
dw_index_to_sections	On success returns the offset/size table index for this hash entry.	
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.	

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.29.2.5 dwarf\_get\_xu\_section\_names()

get DW\_SECT value for a column.

### See also

# Example geting Debug Fission data

### **Parameters**

dw_xuhdr	Pass in an open header pointer.	
dw_column_index	The section names are in row zero of the table so we do not mention the row number at all. Pass in the column of the entry you wish. Valid dw_column_index values are 0 hrough <b>N-1</b> .	
dw_SECT_number	On success returns DW_SECT_INFO or other section id as appears in	
	dw_column_index.	
dw_SECT_name	On success returns a pointer to the string for with the section name.	
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.	

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.29.2.6 dwarf\_get\_xu\_section\_offset()

Get row data (section data) for a row and column.

#### **Parameters**

dw_xuhdr	Pass in an open header pointer.
dw_row_index	Pass in a row number , 1 through <b>U</b>
dw_column_index	Pass in a column number , 0 through <b>N-1</b>
dw_sec_offset	On success returns the section offset of the section whose name
	dwarf_get_xu_section_names returns.
dw_sec_size	On success returns the section size of the section whose name
	dwarf_get_xu_section_names returns.
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

#### 9.29.2.7 dwarf\_get\_debugfission\_for\_die()

Get debugfission data for a Dwarf Die.

For any Dwarf\_Die in a compilation unit, return the debug fission table data through dw\_percu\_out. Usually applications will pass in the CU die. Calling code should zero all of the struct Dwarf\_Debug\_Fission\_Per\_CU\_s before calling this. If there is no debugfission data this returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY (only .dwp objects have debugfission data)

#### **Parameters**

dw_die	Pass in a Dwarf_Die pointer, Usually pass in a CU DIE pointer.	
dw_percu_out	Pass in a pointer to a zeroed structure. On success the function fills in the structure.	
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.	

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.29.2.8 dwarf\_get\_debugfission\_for\_key()

Given a hash signature find per-cu Fission data.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	Pass in the Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_hash_sig	Pass in a pointer to a Dwarf_Sig8 containing a hash value of interest.
dw_cu_type	Pass in the type, a string. Either "cu" or "tu".
dw_percu_out	Pass in a pointer to a zeroed structure. On success the function fills in the structure.
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.30 Access GNU .gnu debuglink, build-id.

When DWARF is separate from a normal shared object. Has nothing to do with split-dwarf/debug-fission.

#### **Functions**

 int dwarf\_gnu\_debuglink (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, char \*\*dw\_debuglink\_path\_returned, unsigned char \*\*dw\_crc\_returned, char \*\*dw\_debuglink\_fullpath\_returned, unsigned int \*dw\_debuglink\_path\_length char \*\*dw\_buildid\_returned, unsigned int \*dw\_buildid\_type\_returned, char \*\*dw\_buildid\_owner\_name\_returned, unsigned char \*\*dw\_buildid\_returned, unsigned int \*dw\_buildid\_length\_returned, char \*\*\*dw\_paths\_returned, unsigned int \*dw\_paths\_length\_returned, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Find a separated DWARF object file.

int dwarf\_suppress\_debuglink\_crc (int dw\_suppress)

Suppressing crc calculations.

int dwarf\_add\_debuglink\_global\_path (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, const char \*dw\_pathname, Dwarf\_Error \*dw
 \_error)

Adding debuglink global paths.

- int dwarf\_crc32 (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, unsigned char \*dw\_crcbuf, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Crc32 used for debuglink crc calculation.
- unsigned int dwarf\_basic\_crc32 (const unsigned char \*dw\_buf, unsigned long dw\_len, unsigned int dw\_init)

  Public interface to the real crc calculation.

### 9.30.1 Detailed Description

When DWARF is separate from a normal shared object. Has nothing to do with split-dwarf/debug-fission.

### 9.30.2 Function Documentation

### 9.30.2.1 dwarf\_gnu\_debuglink()

Find a separated DWARF object file.

.gnu debuglink and/or the section .note.gnu.build-id.

Unless something is odd and you want to know details of the two sections you will not need this function.

### See also

https://sourceware.org/gdb/onlinedocs/gdb/Separate-Debug-Files.html Example using GNU debuglink

If no debuglink then name\_returned,crc\_returned and debuglink\_path\_returned will get set 0 through the pointers.

If no .note.gnu.build-id then buildid\_length\_returned, and buildid\_returned will be set 0 through the pointers.

In most cases output arguments can be passed as zero and the function will simply not return data through such arguments. Useful if you only care about some of the data potentially returned.

Caller frees space returned by debuglink\_fullpath\_returned.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_debuglink_path_returned	On success returns a pointer to a path in the debuglink section. Do not free!
dw_crc_returned	On success returns a pointer to a 4 byte area through the pointer.
dw_debuglink_fullpath_returned	On success returns a pointer to a full path computed from debuglink data of a correct path to a file with DWARF sections. Free this string when no longer of interest.
dw_debuglink_path_length_returned	On success returns the strlen() of dw_debuglink_fullpath_returned .
dw_buildid_type_returned	On success returns a pointer to integer with a type code. See the buildid definition.
dw_buildid_owner_name_returned	On success returns a pointer to the owner name from the buildid section. Do not free this.
dw_buildid_returned	On success returns a pointer to a sequence of bytes containing the buildid.
dw_buildid_length_returned	On success this is set to the length of the set of bytes pointed to by dw_buildid_returned .
dw_paths_returned	On success returns a pointer to an array of pointers to strings, each with a global path. It actually points to an array of pointers followed by a blob of strings, and freeing all of that just means calling free(dw_paths_returned).
dw_paths_length_returned	On success returns the length of the array of string pointers dw_paths_returned points at.
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

# 9.30.2.2 dwarf\_suppress\_debuglink\_crc()

Suppressing crc calculations.

The .gnu\_debuglink section contains a compilation-system created crc (4 byte) value. If dwarf\_init\_path[\_dl]() is called such a section can result in the reader/consumer calculating the crc value of a different object file. Which on a large object file could seem slow. See <a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cyclic\_redundancye\_check">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cyclic\_redundancye\_check</a>

When one is confident that any debug\_link file found is the appropriate one one can call dwarf\_suppress\_complete debuglink\_crc with a non-zero argument and any dwarf\_init\_path[\_dl] call will skip debuglink crc calculations and just assume the crc would match whenever it applies. This is a global flag, applies to all Dwarf\_Debug opened after the call in the program execution.

Does not apply to the .note.gnu.buildid section as that section never implies the reader/consumer needs to do a crc calculation.

#### **Parameters**

Defaults	to 0. Pass in 1 to suppress future calculation of crc values to verify a debuglink target is correct. So
	use
	only when you know this is safe. Pass in 0 to ensure future dwarf_init_path_dl calls compute
	debuglink CRC values as required.

#### Returns

Returns the previous value of the global flag.

# 9.30.2.3 dwarf\_add\_debuglink\_global\_path()

Adding debuglink global paths.

Only really inside dwarfexample/dwdebuglink.c so we can show all that is going on. The following has the explanation for how debuglink and global paths interact.

### See also

```
https://sourceware.org/gdb/onlinedocs/gdb/Separate-Debug-Files.html
```

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	Pass in the Dwarf_Debug of interest.	
dw_pathname	Pass in a pathname to add to the list of global paths used by debuglink.	
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.	

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.30.2.4 dwarf\_crc32()

Crc32 used for debuglink crc calculation.

Caller passes pointer to array of 4 unsigned char provided by the caller and if this returns DW\_DLV\_OK that is filled in.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	Pass in an open dw_dbg. When you attempted to open it, and it succeeded then pass the it via the Dwarf_Debug The function reads the file into memory and performs a crc calculation.
dw_crcbuf	Pass in a pointer to a 4 byte area to hold the returned crc, on success the function puts the 4 bytes there.
dw_error	The usual pointer to return error details.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.30.2.5 dwarf\_basic\_crc32()

Public interface to the real crc calculation.

It is unlikely this is useful.

### **Parameters**

dw_buf	buf Pass in a pointer to some bytes on which the crc calculation as done in debuglink is to be d	
dw_len	Pass in the length in bytes of dw_buf.	
dw_init	Pass in the initial 32 bit value, zero is the right choice.	

### Returns

Returns an int (assumed 32 bits int!) with the calculated crc.

# 9.31 Harmless Error recording

The harmless error list is a circular buffer of errors we note but which do not stop us from processing the object. Created so dwarfdump or other tools can report such inconsequential errors without causing anything to stop early.

### **Macros**

#define DW\_HARMLESS\_ERROR\_CIRCULAR\_LIST\_DEFAULT\_SIZE 4

Default size of the libdwarf-internal circular list.

#### **Functions**

int dwarf\_get\_harmless\_error\_list (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, unsigned int dw\_count, const char \*\*dw\_errmsg
 —ptrs\_array, unsigned int \*dw\_newerr\_count)

Get the harmless error count and content.

· unsigned int dwarf\_set\_harmless\_error\_list\_size (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, unsigned int dw\_maxcount)

The size of the circular list of strings libdwarf holds internally may be set and reset as needed. If it is shortened excess messages are simply dropped. It returns the previous size. If zero passed in the size is unchanged and it simply returns the current size.

void dwarf\_insert\_harmless\_error (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, char \*dw\_newerror)

Harmless Error Insertion is only for testing.

### 9.31.1 Detailed Description

The harmless error list is a circular buffer of errors we note but which do not stop us from processing the object. Created so dwarfdump or other tools can report such inconsequential errors without causing anything to stop early.

### 9.31.2 Function Documentation

### 9.31.2.1 dwarf\_get\_harmless\_error\_list()

Get the harmless error count and content.

User code supplies size of array of pointers dw\_errmsg\_ptrs\_array in count and the array of pointers (the pointers themselves need not be initialized). The pointers returned in the array of pointers are invalidated by ANY call to libdwarf. Use them before making another libdwarf call! The array of string pointers passed in always has a final null pointer, so if there are N pointers the and M actual strings, then MIN(M,N-1) pointers are set to point to error strings. The array of pointers to strings always terminates with a NULL pointer. Do not free the strings. Every string is null-terminated.

Each call empties the error list (discarding all current entries). and fills in your array

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The applicable Dwarf_Debug.
dw_count	The number of string buffers. If count is passed as zero no elements of the array are touched.
dw_errmsg_ptrs_array	A pointer to a user-created array of pointer to const char.
dw_newerr_count	If non-NULL the count of harmless errors pointers since the last call is returned through the pointer. If dw_count is greater than zero the first dw_count of the pointers in the user-created array point to null-terminated strings. Do not free the strings. print or copy the strings before any other libdwarf call.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if no harmless errors were noted so far. Returns DW\_DLV\_OK if there are harmless errors. Never returns DW\_DLV\_ERROR.

If DW DLV NO ENTRY is returned none of the arguments other than dw dbg are touched or used.

### 9.31.2.2 dwarf\_set\_harmless\_error\_list\_size()

The size of the circular list of strings libdwarf holds internally may be set and reset as needed. If it is shortened excess messages are simply dropped. It returns the previous size. If zero passed in the size is unchanged and it simply returns the current size.

# Parameters

dw_dbg	The applicable Dwarf_Debug.
dw_maxcount	Set the new internal buffer count to a number greater than zero.

#### Returns

returns the current size of the internal circular buffer if dw\_maxcount is zero. If dw\_maxcount is greater than zero the internal array is adjusted to hold that many and the previous number of harmless errors possible in the circular buffer is returned.

### 9.31.2.3 dwarf\_insert\_harmless\_error()

Harmless Error Insertion is only for testing.

Useful for testing the harmless error mechanism.

dw_dbg	Pass in an open Dwarf_Debug
dw_newerror	Pass in a string whose content the function inserts as a harmless error (which
	dwarf_get_harmless_error_list will retrieve.

#### Names DW TAG member etc as strings 9.32

Given a value you know is one of a particular name category in DWARF2 or later, call the appropriate function and on finding the name it returns DW\_DLV\_OK and sets the identifier for the value through a pointer. On success these functions return the string corresponding to dw\_val\_in passed in through the pointer dw\_s\_out and the value returned is DW\_DLV\_OK.

#### **Functions**

```
    int dwarf_get_ACCESS_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf get ACCESS name
• int dwarf_get_ADDR_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw s out)
     dwarf_get_ADDR_name

    int dwarf get AT name (unsigned int dw val in, const char **dw s out)

     dwarf get AT name

    int dwarf_get_ATCF_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf get AT name

    int dwarf get ATE name (unsigned int dw val in, const char **dw s out)

     dwarf get ATE name

    int dwarf_get_CC_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf get CC name

    int dwarf_get_CFA_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf_get_CFA_name

    int dwarf_get_children_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf_get_children_namea - historic misspelling.

    int dwarf_get_CHILDREN_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf_get_CHILDREN_name

    int dwarf_get_DEFAULTED_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf_get_DEFAULTED_name

    int dwarf get DS name (unsigned int dw val in, const char **dw s out)

     dwarf_get_DS_name

    int dwarf_get_DSC_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf get DSC name

    int dwarf get GNUIKIND name (unsigned int dw val in, const char **dw s out)

     dwarf_get_GNUIKIND_name - libdwarf invention

    int dwarf_get_EH_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf_get_EH_name

    int dwarf_get_END_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf_get_END_name
• int dwarf get FORM name (unsigned int dw val in, const char **dw s out)
     dwarf_get_FORM_name

    int dwarf get FRAME name (unsigned int dw val in, const char **dw s out)

     This is a set of register names.

    int dwarf get GNUIVIS name (unsigned int dw val in, const char **dw s out)

     dwarf_get_GNUIVIS_name - a libdwarf invention

    int dwarf get ID name (unsigned int dw val in, const char **dw s out)
```

int dwarf get IDX name (unsigned int dw val in, const char \*\*dw s out)

int dwarf\_get\_INL\_name (unsigned int dw\_val\_in, const char \*\*dw\_s\_out)

dwarf\_get\_ID\_name

dwarf\_get\_IDX\_name

```
dwarf_get_INL_name

    int dwarf get ISA name (unsigned int dw val in, const char **dw s out)

     dwarf_get_ISA_name

    int dwarf get LANG name (unsigned int dw val in, const char **dw s out)

     dwarf get LANG name

    int dwarf get LLE name (unsigned int dw val in, const char **dw s out)

     dwarf_get_LLE_name
• int dwarf_get_LLEX_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)
     dwarf get LLEX name - a GNU extension.

    int dwarf get LNCT name (unsigned int dw val in, const char **dw s out)

     dwarf_get_LNCT_name

    int dwarf_get_LNE_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf get LNE name

    int dwarf_get_LNS_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf_get_LNS_name

    int dwarf_get_MACINFO_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf_get_MACINFO_name
• int dwarf get MACRO name (unsigned int dw val in, const char **dw s out)
     dwarf get MACRO name

    int dwarf_get_OP_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf get OP name
• int dwarf get ORD name (unsigned int dw val in, const char **dw s out)
     dwarf_get_ORD_name

    int dwarf_get_RLE_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf_get_RLE_name
• int dwarf_get_SECT_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)
     dwarf_get_SECT_name

    int dwarf_get_TAG_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf get TAG name
• int dwarf_get_UT_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)
     dwarf get UT name

    int dwarf_get_VIRTUALITY_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf_get_VIRTUALITY_name

    int dwarf_get_VIS_name (unsigned int dw_val_in, const char **dw_s_out)

     dwarf get VIS name

    int dwarf get FORM CLASS name (enum Dwarf Form Class dw fc, const char **dw s out)

     dwarf_get_FORM_CLASS_name is for a libdwarf extension. Not defined by the DWARF standard though the concept
     is defined in the standard. It seemed essential to invent it for libdwarf to report correctly.
```

### 9.32.1 Detailed Description

Given a value you know is one of a particular name category in DWARF2 or later, call the appropriate function and on finding the name it returns DW\_DLV\_OK and sets the identifier for the value through a pointer. On success these functions return the string corresponding to **dw\_val\_in** passed in through the pointer **dw\_s\_out** and the value returned is DW\_DLV\_OK.

The strings are in static storage and must not be freed.

If DW DLV NO ENTRY is returned the dw val in is not known and \*s out is not set. This is unusual.

DW DLV ERROR is never returned.

See also

Example getting tag, attribute, etc names

### 9.32.2 Function Documentation

### 9.32.2.1 dwarf\_get\_GNUIKIND\_name()

```
int dwarf_get_GNUIKIND_name (
          unsigned int dw_val_in,
          const char ** dw_s_out )
```

dwarf\_get\_GNUIKIND\_name - libdwarf invention

dwarf\_get\_GNUIKIND\_name

dwarf get GNUIKIND name - a libdwarf invention

So we can report things GNU extensions sensibly.

So we report a GNU extension sensibly.

### 9.32.2.2 dwarf\_get\_EH\_name()

dwarf\_get\_EH\_name

So we can report this GNU extension sensibly.

#### 9.32.2.3 dwarf\_get\_FRAME\_name()

This is a set of register names.

The set of register names is unlikely to match your register set, but perhaps this is better than no name.

### 9.32.2.4 dwarf get GNUIVIS name()

dwarf\_get\_GNUIVIS\_name - a libdwarf invention

So we report a GNU extension sensibly.

### 9.32.2.5 dwarf\_get\_LLEX\_name()

dwarf\_get\_LLEX\_name - a GNU extension.

The name is a libdwarf invention for the GNU extension. So we report a GNU extension sensibly.

### 9.32.2.6 dwarf\_get\_MACINFO\_name()

```
int dwarf_get_MACINFO_name (
          unsigned int dw_val_in,
          const char ** dw_s_out )
```

dwarf\_get\_MACINFO\_name

Used in DWARF2-DWARF4

### 9.32.2.7 dwarf\_get\_MACRO\_name()

```
int dwarf_get_MACRO_name (
          unsigned int dw_val_in,
          const char ** dw_s_out )
```

dwarf\_get\_MACRO\_name

Used in DWARF5

### 9.32.2.8 dwarf\_get\_FORM\_CLASS\_name()

dwarf\_get\_FORM\_CLASS\_name is for a libdwarf extension. Not defined by the DWARF standard though the concept is defined in the standard. It seemed essential to invent it for libdwarf to report correctly.

See DWARF5 Table 2.3, Classes of Attribute Value page 23. Earlier DWARF versions have a similar table.

# 9.33 Object Sections Data

Section name access. Because names sections such as .debug\_info might end with .dwo or be .zdebug or might not.

#### **Functions**

int dwarf\_get\_die\_section\_name (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Bool dw\_is\_info, const char \*\*dw\_sec\_
 name, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Get the real name a DIE section.

- int dwarf\_get\_die\_section\_name\_b (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, const char \*\*dw\_sec\_name, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

  Get the real name of a DIE section.
- int dwarf\_get\_macro\_section\_name (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, const char \*\*dw\_sec\_name\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_err)

Get the real name of a .debug\_macro section.

int dwarf\_get\_real\_section\_name (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, const char \*dw\_std\_section\_name, const char \*\*dw\_actual\_sec\_name\_out, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_marked\_zcompressed, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_marked\_zlib
 \_compressed, Dwarf\_Small \*dw\_marked\_shf\_compressed, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_compressed\_length, Dwarf Unsigned \*dw uncompressed length, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Get the real name of a section.

 int dwarf\_get\_frame\_section\_name (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, const char \*\*dw\_section\_name\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get .debug\_frame section name.

 int dwarf\_get\_frame\_section\_name\_eh\_gnu (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, const char \*\*dw\_section\_name\_out, Dwarf Error \*dw error)

Get GNU .eh\_frame section name.

 int dwarf\_get\_aranges\_section\_name (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, const char \*\*dw\_section\_name\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get .debug\_aranges section name The usual arguments.

 int dwarf\_get\_ranges\_section\_name (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, const char \*\*dw\_section\_name\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get .debug\_ranges section name The usual arguments and return values.

• int dwarf get offset size (Dwarf Debug, Dwarf Half \*, Dwarf Error \*)

Get offset size as defined by the object.

int dwarf\_get\_address\_size (Dwarf\_Debug, Dwarf\_Half \*, Dwarf\_Error \*)

Get the address size as defined by the object.

 int dwarf\_get\_string\_section\_name (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, const char \*\*dw\_section\_name\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get the string table section name The usual arguments and return values.

 int dwarf\_get\_line\_section\_name (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, const char \*\*dw\_section\_name\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw error)

Get the line table section name The usual arguments and return values.

• int dwarf\_get\_line\_section\_name\_from\_die (Dwarf\_Die dw\_die, const char \*\*dw\_section\_name\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get the line table section name.

• int dwarf\_get\_section\_info\_by\_name (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, const char \*dw\_section\_name, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_section\_addr, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_section\_size, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Given a section name, get its size and address.

int dwarf\_get\_section\_info\_by\_index (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, int dw\_section\_index, const char \*\*dw\_
 section\_name, Dwarf\_Addr \*dw\_section\_addr, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_section\_size, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Given a section index, get its size and address.

int dwarf\_get\_section\_count (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg)
 Get section count (of object file sections).

int dwarf\_get\_section\_max\_offsets\_d (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_info\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_abbrev\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_line\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw—debug\_loc\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_aranges\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_macinfo\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_pubnames\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_str\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_tranges\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_compublypes\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_types\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_macro\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_str\_offsets\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_sup\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_compublypes\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_sup\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_compublies\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_compublies\_size, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_debug\_compublies\_size

Get section sizes for many sections.

## 9.33.1 Detailed Description

Section name access. Because names sections such as .debug\_info might end with .dwo or be .zdebug or might not

String pointers returned via these functions must not be freed, the strings are statically declared.

For non-Elf the name reported will be as if it were Elf sections. For example, not the names MacOS puts in its object sections (which the MacOS reader translates).

The simple calls will not be documented in full detail here.

### 9.33.2 Function Documentation

### 9.33.2.1 dwarf\_get\_die\_section\_name()

Get the real name a DIE section.

#### dw is info

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest
dw_is_info	We do not pass in a DIE, so we have to pass in TRUE for for .debug_info, or if DWARF4 .debug_types pass in FALSE.
dw_sec_name	On success returns a pointer to the actual section name in the object file. Do not free the string.
dw_error	The usual error argument to report error details.

Returns

DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.33.2.2 dwarf\_get\_die\_section\_name\_b()

Get the real name of a DIE section.

The same as dwarf\_get\_die\_section\_name except we have a DIE so do not need dw\_is\_info as a argument.

#### 9.33.2.3 dwarf\_get\_real\_section\_name()

Get the real name of a section.

If the object has section groups only the sections in the group in dw\_dbg will be found.

Whether .zdebug or ZLIB or SHF\_COMPRESSED is the marker there is just one uncompress algorithm (zlib) for all three cases.

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_std_section_name	Pass in a standard section name, such as .debug_info or .debug_info.dwo .
dw_actual_sec_name_out	On success returns the actual section name from the object file.
dw_marked_zcompressed	On success returns TRUE if the original section name ends in .zdebug
dw_marked_zlib_compressed	On success returns TRUE if the section has the ZLIB string at the front of the section.
dw_marked_shf_compressed	On success returns TRUE if the section flag (Elf SHF_COMPRESSED) is marked as compressed.
dw_compressed_length	On success if the section was compressed it returns the original section length in the object file.
dw_uncompressed_length	On success if the section was compressed this returns the uncompressed length of the object section.
dw_error	On error returns the error usual details.

#### Returns

The usual DW\_DLV\_OK etc. If the section is not relevant to this Dwarf\_Debug or is not in the object file at all, returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY

#### 9.33.2.4 dwarf get frame section name()

Get .debug\_frame section name.

#### Returns

returns DW\_DLV\_OK if the .debug\_frame exists

#### 9.33.2.5 dwarf get frame section name eh gnu()

Get GNU .eh\_frame section name.

## Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK if the .debug\_frame is present Returns DW\_DLV\_NO\_ENTRY if it is not present.

### 9.33.2.6 dwarf\_get\_offset\_size()

Get offset size as defined by the object.

This is not from DWARF information, it is from object file headers.

### 9.33.2.7 dwarf\_get\_address\_size()

Get the address size as defined by the object.

This is not from DWARF information, it is from object file headers.

### 9.33.2.8 dwarf\_get\_line\_section\_name\_from\_die()

Get the line table section name.

#### **Parameters**

dw_die	Pass in a Dwarf_Die pointer.
dw_section_name_out	On success returns the section name, usually some .debug_info* name but in DWARF4 could be a .debug_types* name.
dw_error	On error returns the usual error pointer.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

## 9.33.2.9 dwarf\_get\_section\_info\_by\_name()

Given a section name, get its size and address.

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_section_name	Pass in a pointer to a section name. It must be an exact match to the real section name.
dw_section_addr	On success returns the section address as defined by an object header.
dw_section_size	On success returns the section size as defined by an object header.
dw_error	On error returns the usual error pointer.

#### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.33.2.10 dwarf\_get\_section\_info\_by\_index()

Given a section index, get its size and address.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_section_index	Pass in an index, 0 through N-1 where N is the count returned from dwarf_get_section_count.
	dwair_get_section_count :
dw_section_name	On success returns a pointer to the section name as it appears in the object file.
dw_section_addr	On success returns the section address as defined by an object header.
dw_section_size	On success returns the section size as defined by an object header.
dw_error	On error returns the usual error pointer.

### Returns

Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

### 9.33.2.11 dwarf\_get\_section\_max\_offsets\_d()

```
int dwarf_get_section_max_offsets_d (
    Dwarf_Debug dw_dbg,

Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_info_size,

Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_abbrev_size,

Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_line_size,

Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_loc_size,

Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_aranges_size,

Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_macinfo_size,

Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_pubnames_size,

Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_str_size,

Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_frame_size,

Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_ranges_size,

Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_pubtypes_size,

Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_types_size,

Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_types_size,

Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_macro_size,
```

```
Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_str_offsets_size,
Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_sup_size,
Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_cu_index_size,
Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_tu_index_size,
Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_names_size,
Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_loclists_size,
Dwarf_Unsigned * dw_debug_rnglists_size )
```

Get section sizes for many sections.

The list of sections is incomplete and the argument list is ... too long ... making this an unusual function

Originally a hack so clients could verify offsets. Added so that one can detect broken offsets (which happened in an IRIX executable larger than 2GB with MIPSpro 7.3.1.3 toolchain.).

#### **Parameters**

	dw_dbg	Pass in the Dwarf_Debug of interest.
--	--------	--------------------------------------

### Returns

Always returns DW\_DLV\_OK.

# 9.34 Section Groups Objectfile Data

Section Groups Overview

### **Functions**

int dwarf\_sec\_group\_sizes (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_section\_count\_out, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_group\_count\_out, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_selected\_group\_out, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_map\_entry\_count\_out, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Get Section Groups data counts.

 int dwarf\_sec\_group\_map (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_map\_entry\_count, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_group\_numbers\_array, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*dw\_sec\_numbers\_array, const char \*\*dw\_sec\_names\_array, Dwarf\_Error \*dw\_error)

Returns a map between group numbers and section numbers.

# 9.34.1 Detailed Description

Section Groups Overview

#### 9.34.2 Function Documentation

### 9.34.2.1 dwarf\_sec\_group\_sizes()

Get Section Groups data counts.

Allows callers to find out what groups (dwo or COMDAT) are in the object and how much to allocate so one can get the group-section map data.

This is relevant for Debug Fission. If an object file has both .dwo sections and non-dwo sections or it has Elf COMDAT GROUP sections this becomes important.

### Section Groups Overview

dw_dbg	Pass in the Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_section_count_out	On success returns the number of DWARF sections in the object file. Can sometimes be many more than are of interest.
dw_group_count_out	On success returns the number of groups. Though usually one, it can be much larger.
dw_selected_group_out	On success returns the groupnumber that applies to this specific Openarated by Doxygen Dwarf_Debug.
dw_map_entry_count_out	On success returns the count of record allocations needed to call dwarf_sec_group_map successfully. dw_map_entry_count_out will be less than

#### Returns

On success returns DW\_DLV\_OK

### 9.34.2.2 dwarf\_sec\_group\_map()

Returns a map between group numbers and section numbers.

This map shows all the groups in the object file and shows which object sections go with which group.

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.	
dw_map_entry_count	Pass in the dw_map_entry_count_out from dwarf_sec_group_sizes	
dw_group_numbers_array	Pass in an array of Dwarf_Unsigned with dw_map_entry_count entries. Zero the	
	data before the call here. On success returns a list of group numbers.	
dw_sec_numbers_array	Pass in an array of Dwarf_Unsigned with dw_map_entry_count entries. Zero the	
	data before the call here. On success returns a list of section numbers.	
dw_sec_names_array	Pass in an array of const char * with dw_map_entry_count entries. Zero the data	
	before the call here. On success returns a list of section names.	
dw_error	The usual error details pointer.	

### Returns

On success returns DW\_DLV\_OK

# 9.35 LEB Encode and Decode

# **Functions**

- int dwarf\_encode\_leb128 (Dwarf\_Unsigned, int \*, char \*, int)
- int dwarf\_encode\_signed\_leb128 (Dwarf\_Signed, int \*, char \*, int)
- int dwarf\_decode\_leb128 (char \*, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*, char \*)
- int dwarf\_decode\_signed\_leb128 (char \*, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*, Dwarf\_Signed \*, char \*)

# 9.35.1 Detailed Description

### 9.36 Miscellaneous Functions

#### **Functions**

const char \* dwarf\_package\_version (void)

Returns the version string in the library.

int dwarf\_set\_stringcheck (int dw\_stringcheck)

Turn off libdwarf checks of strings.

int dwarf\_set\_reloc\_application (int dw\_apply)

Set libdwarf response to \*.rela relocations.

void dwarf\_record\_cmdline\_options (Dwarf\_Cmdline\_Options dw\_dd\_options)

Tell libdwarf to add verbosity to Line Header errors By default the flag in the struct argument is zero. dwarfdump uses this when -v used on dwarfdump.

int dwarf\_set\_de\_alloc\_flag (int dw\_v)

Eliminate libdwarf tracking of allocations Independent of any Dwarf\_Debug and applicable to all whenever the setting is changed. Defaults to non-zero.

Dwarf\_Small dwarf\_set\_default\_address\_size (Dwarf\_Debug dw\_dbg, Dwarf\_Small dw\_value)

Set the address size on a Dwarf Debug.

#### **Variables**

- void(\*)(void \*, const void \*, unsigned long) dwarf get endian copy function (Dwarf Debug)
- · Dwarf Cmdline Options dwarf cmdline options

### 9.36.1 Detailed Description

#### 9.36.2 Function Documentation

### 9.36.2.1 dwarf\_package\_version()

Returns the version string in the library.

An example: "0.3.0" which is a Semantic Version identifier. Before September 2021 the version string was a date, for example "20210528", which is in ISO date format. See DW\_LIBDWARF\_VERSION DW\_LIBDWARF\_VERSION\_MINOR DW\_LIBDWARF\_VERSION\_MICRO

### Returns

The Package Version built into libdwarf.so or libdwarf.a

## 9.36.2.2 dwarf\_set\_stringcheck()

Turn off libdwarf checks of strings.

Zero is the default and means do all string length validity checks. It applies to all Dwarf\_Debug open and all opened later in this library instance.

#### **Parameters**

dw_stringcheck	Pass in a small non-zero value to turn off all libdwarf string validity checks. It speeds up	
	libdwarf, butis dangerous and voids all promises the library will not segfault.	

#### Returns

Returns the previous value of this flag.

### 9.36.2.3 dwarf\_set\_reloc\_application()

Set libdwarf response to \*.rela relocations.

dw\_apply defaults to 1 and means apply all '.rela' relocations on reading in a dwarf object section of such relocations. Best to just ignore this function It applies to all Dwarf\_Debug open and all opened later in this library instance.

#### **Parameters**

dw_apply	Pass in a zero to turn off reading and applying of .rela relocations, which will likely break reading of
	.o object files but probably will not break reading executables or shared objects. Pass in non zero
	(it is really just an 8 bit value, so use a small value) to turn off inspecting .rela sections.

#### Returns

Returns the previous value of the apply flag.

### 9.36.2.4 dwarf\_record\_cmdline\_options()

```
void dwarf_record_cmdline_options ( {\tt Dwarf\_Cmdline\_Options} \ dw\_dd\_options \ )
```

Tell libdwarf to add verbosity to Line Header errors By default the flag in the struct argument is zero. dwarfdump uses this when -v used on dwarfdump.

### See also

dwarf\_register\_printf\_callback

#### **Parameters**

dw_dd_options	The structure has one flag, and if the flag is nonzero and there is an error in reading a line	
	table header the function passes back detail error messages via	
	dwarf_register_printf_callback.	

#### 9.36.2.5 dwarf set de alloc flag()

```
int dwarf_set_de_alloc_flag (  \mbox{int } d \mbox{$w$\_$} \mbox{$v$} \mbox{} \mbox{} \mbox{} )
```

Eliminate libdwarf tracking of allocations Independent of any Dwarf\_Debug and applicable to all whenever the setting is changed. Defaults to non-zero.

#### **Parameters**



If zero passed in libdwarf will run somewhat faster and library memory allocations will not all be tracked and dwarf\_finish() will be unable to free/dealloc some things. User code can do the necessary deallocs (as documented), but the normal guarantee that libdwarf will clean up is revoked. If non-zero passed in libdwarf will resume or continue tracking allocations

#### Returns

Returns the previous version of the flag.

#### 9.36.2.6 dwarf set default address size()

Set the address size on a Dwarf\_Debug.

DWARF information CUs and other section DWARF headers define a CU-specific address size, but this Dwarf\_
Debug value is used when other address size information does not exist, for example in a DWARF2 CIE or FDE.

dw_dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.	
dw_value	Sets the address size for the Dwarf_Debug to a non-zero value. The default address size is derived from headers in the object file. Values larger than the size of Dwarf_Addr are not set. If zero passed the default is not changed.	

### Returns

Returns the last set address size.

# 9.37 Determine Object Type of a File

### **Functions**

- int dwarf\_object\_detector\_path\_b (const char \*, char \*, unsigned long, char \*\*, unsigned int, unsigned int \*, unsigned int \*, unsigned int \*, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*, unsigned char \*, int \*)
- int dwarf\_object\_detector\_path\_dSYM (const char \*, char \*, unsigned long, char \*\*, unsigned int, unsigned int \*, unsigned int \*, unsigned int \*, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*, unsigned char \*, int \*)
- int dwarf\_object\_detector\_fd (int, unsigned int \*, unsigned int \*, unsigned int \*, Dwarf\_Unsigned \*, int \*)

# 9.37.1 Detailed Description

# 9.38 Example of dwarf\_init\_path

exampleinit

exampleinit

An example calling dwarf\_init\_path() and dwarf\_finish()

```
path
                   Path to an object we wish to open.
groupnumber
                   */ void exampleinit(const char *path, unsigned groupnumber)
                    static char true_pathbuf[FILENAME_MAX];
                    unsigned tpathlen = FILENAME_MAX;
                    Dwarf_Handler errhand = 0;
Dwarf_Ptr errarg = 0;
Dwarf_Error error = 0;
                    Dwarf_Debug dbg = 0;
                    int res = 0;
                    res = dwarf_init_path(path,true_pathbuf,
                    tpathlen, groupnumber, errhand,
                    errarg,&dbg, &error);
if (res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
/* Valid call even though dbg is null! */
                    dwarf_dealloc_error(dbg,error);
                    if (res == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
                    /* Nothing we can do */
                    return;
                    printf("The file we actually opened is s\n",
                    true_pathbuf);
                    /* Call libdwarf functions here */
dwarf_finish(dbg);
```

# 9.39 Example of dwarf\_init\_path\_dl

Example calling the debuglink init.

Example calling the debuglink init.

In case GNU debuglink data is followed the true\_pathbuf content will not match path. The path actually used is copied to true\_path\_out. In the case of MacOS dSYM the true\_path\_out may not match path. If debuglink missing from the Elf executable or shared-object (ie, it is a normal object!) or unusable by libdwarf or true\_path\_buffer len is zero or true\_path\_out\_buffer is zero libdwarf accepts the path given as the object to report on, no debuglink or dSYM processing will be used.

See also

https://sourceware.org/gdb/onlinedocs/\gdb/Separate-Debug-Files.html

#### An example calling dwarf\_init\_path\_dl() and dwarf\_finish()

```
int exampleinit_dl(const char *path, unsigned groupnumber,
    Dwarf_Error *error)
    static char true_pathbuf[FILENAME_MAX];
    static const char *glpath[3] = {
        "/usr/local/debug",
        "/usr/local/private/debug",
"/usr/local/libdwarfdd/debug"
    };
    unsigned tpathlen = FILENAME_MAX;
    Dwarf_Handler errhand = 0;
    Dwarf_Ptr errarg = 0;
    Dwarf_Debug dbg = 0;
    int res = 0;
    unsigned char path_source = 0;
    res = dwarf_init_path_dl(path,true_pathbuf,
        tpathlen, groupnumber, errhand,
        errarg, &dbg,
        (char **)glpath,
        &path_source,
    error);
if (res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
        return res;
    if (res == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
        return res;
    printf("The file we actually opened is %s\n",
        true_pathbuf);
    /* Call libdwarf functions here */
    dwarf_finish(dbg);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
```

# 9.40 Example of dwarf\_attrlist

Showing dwarf\_attrlist()

```
Showing dwarf_attrlist()
*/
int example1(Dwarf_Die somedie,Dwarf_Error *error)
     Dwarf_Debug dbg = 0;
     Dwarf_Signed atcount;
Dwarf_Attribute *atlist;
Dwarf_Signed i = 0;
     int errv;
     errv = dwarf_attrlist(somedie, &atlist,&atcount, error);
     if (errv != DW_DLV_OK) {
          return errv;
     for (i = 0; i < atcount; ++i) {
    Dwarf_Half attrnum = 0;
    const char *attrname = 0;
    /* use atlist[i], likely calling</pre>
               libdwarf functions and likely
               returning DW_DLV_ERROR if
          what you call gets DW_DLV_ERROR */
errv = dwarf_whatattr(atlist[i],&attrnum,error);
          if (errv != DW_DLV_OK) {
               /* Something really bad happened. */
          atlist[i] = 0;
     dwarf_dealloc(dbg, atlist, DW_DLA_LIST);
return DW_DLV_OK;
```

# 9.41 Attaching a tied dbg

Attaching a tied dbg.

Attaching a tied dbg.

By convention, open the base Dwarf\_Debug using a dwarf\_init call. Then open the executable as the tied object. Then call dwarf\_set\_tied\_dbg() so the library can look for relevant data in the tied-dbg (the executable).

With split dwarf your libdwarf calls after than the initial open are done against the base Dwarf\_Dbg and libdwarf automatically looks in the open tied dbg when and as appropriate. the tied-dbg can be detached too, see example3 link, though you must call dwarf\_finish() on the detached dw\_tied\_dbg, the library will not do that for you..

#### **Parameters**

tieddbg	
error	

#### Returns

Returns whatever DW\_DLV appropriate to the caller to deal with.

# 9.42 Detaching a tied dbg

Detaching a tied dbg.

Detaching a tied dbg.

With split dwarf your libdwarf calls after than the initial open are done against the base Dwarf\_Dbg and libdwarf automatically looks in the open tied dbg when and as appropriate. the tied-dbg can be detached too, see example3 link, though you must call dwarf\_finish() on the detached dw\_tied\_dbg, the library will not do that for you..

```
*/
int example3(Dwarf_Debug dbg,Dwarf_Error *error)
{
   int res = 0;
   res = dwarf_set_tied_dbg(dbg,NULL,error);
   if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
      /* Something went wrong*/
      return res;
   }
   return res;
}
```

### 9.43 Examing Section Group data

Accessing Section Group data.

Accessing Section Group data.

With split dwarf your libdwarf calls after than the initial open are done against the base Dwarf\_Dbg and libdwarf automatically looks in the open tied dbg when and as appropriate. the tied-dbg can be detached too, see example3 link, though you must call dwarf\_finish() on the detached dw\_tied\_dbg, the library will not do that for you.

Section groups apply to Elf COMDAT groups too.

```
void examplesecgroup(Dwarf_Debug dbg)
    int res = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned section_count = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned group_count;
    Dwarf_Unsigned selected_group = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned group_map_entry_count = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned *sec_nums = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned *group_nums = 0;
    const char ** sec_names = 0;
Dwarf_Error error = 0;
                    error = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned i = 0;
    res = dwarf_sec_group_sizes(dbg,&section_count,
        &group_count, &selected_group, &group_map_entry_count,
        &error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
        /* Something is badly wrong*/
        return;
    /* In an object without split-dwarf sections
        or COMDAT sections we now have
        selected_group == 1. */
    sec_nums = calloc(group_map_entry_count, sizeof(Dwarf_Unsigned));
    if (!sec_nums) {
        /\star FAIL. out of memory \star/
        return;
    group_nums = calloc(group_map_entry_count, sizeof(Dwarf_Unsigned));
    if (!group_nums) {
        free (group_nums);
        /* FAIL. out of memory */
        return;
    sec_names = calloc(group_map_entry_count, sizeof(char*));
    if (!sec_names) {
        free(group_nums);
        free(sec_nums);
        /\star FAIL. out of memory \star/
        return;
    res = dwarf_sec_group_map(dbg,group_map_entry_count,
        group_nums, sec_nums, sec_names, &error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
         /* FAIL. Something badly wrong. */
        free (sec names);
        free (group_nums);
        free(sec_nums);
    for ( i = 0; i < group_map_entry_count; ++i) {</pre>
        /* Now do something with
            group_nums[i],sec_nums[i],sec_names[i] */
    /* The strings are in Elf data.
        Do not free() the strings themselves.*/
    free(sec_names);
    free (group_nums);
    free (sec_nums);
```

# 9.44 Example dwarf\_siblingofb call

Accessing a DIE sibling.

Accessing a DIE sibling.

#### Access to each DIE on a sibling list

```
*/
int example4(Dwarf_Debug dbg, Dwarf_Die in_die,
    Dwarf_Bool is_info,
    Dwarf_Error *error)
{
    Dwarf_Die return_sib = 0;
    int res = 0;
    /* in_die might be NULL or a valid Dwarf_Die */
    res = dwarf_siblingof_b(dbg,in_die,is_info,&return_sib, error);
    if (res == DW_DLV_OK) {
        /* Use return_sib here. */
        dwarf_dealloc_die(return_sib);
        /* return_sib is no longer usable for anything, we
        ensure we do not use it accidentally with: */
        return_res;
    }
    return res;
}
```

# 9.45 Example dwarf\_child call

Accessing a DIE child.

Accessing a DIE child.

If the DIE has children (for example inner scopes in a function or members of a struct) this retrieves the DIE which appears first. The child itself may be of its own sibling chain.

```
*/
void example5(Dwarf_Die in_die)
{
    Dwarf_Die return_kid = 0;
    Dwarf_Error error = 0;
    int res = 0;
    res = dwarf_child(in_die,&return_kid, &error);
    if (res == DW_DLV_OK) {
        /* Use return_kid here. */
        dwarf_dealloc_die(return_kid);
        /* The original form of dealloc still works
            dwarf_dealloc(dbg, return_kid, DW_DLA_DIE);
            */
        /* return_die is no longer usable for anything, we
            ensure we do not use it accidentally with: */
        return_kid = 0;
    }
}
```

# 9.46 Example dwarf\_offdie\_b call

Accessing a DIE by its offset.

# 9.47 Example dwarf\_offset\_given\_die

Finding the section offset of a CU DIE and the DIE.

Finding the section offset of a CU DIE and the DIE.

```
*/
int example7(Dwarf_Debug dbg, Dwarf_Die in_die,
    Dwarf_Bool is_info,
    Dwarf_Error * error)
{
    int res = 0;
    Dwarf_Off cudieoff = 0;
    Dwarf_Die cudie = 0;
    res = dwarf_CU_dieoffset_given_die(in_die,&cudieoff,error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
        /* FAIL */
        return res;
    }
    res = dwarf_offdie_b(dbg,cudieoff,is_info,&cudie,error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
        /* FAIL */
        return res;
    }
    /* do something with cu_die */
    dwarf_dealloc_die(cudie);
    return res;
}
```

# 9.48 Example calling dwarf\_attrlist

### Calling dwarf\_attrlist()

```
Calling dwarf_attrlist()
*/
int example8(Dwarf_Debug dbg, Dwarf_Die somedie, Dwarf_Error *error)
{
    Dwarf_Signed atcount = 0;
    Dwarf_Attribute *atlist = 0;
    int errv = 0;
    Dwarf_Signed i = 0;
    errv = dwarf_attrlist(somedie, &atlist,&atcount, error);
    if (errv != DW_DLV_OK) {
        return errv;
    }
    for (i = 0; i < atcount; ++i) {
            /* use atlist[i] */
            dwarf_dealloc_attribute(atlist[i]);
            atlist[i] = 0;
    }
    dwarf_dealloc(dbg, atlist, DW_DLA_LIST);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
}</pre>
```

# 9.49 Example using dwarf\_offset\_list

Using dwarf\_offset\_list.

Using dwarf\_offset\_list.

An example calling dwarf offset list

#### **Parameters**

dbg	the Dwarf_Debug of interest
dieoffset	The section offset of an open Dwarf_Die
is_info	Pass in TRUE if the dieoffset is for the .debug_info section, else pass in FALSE meaning the dieoffset is for the DWARF4 .debug_types section.
error	The usual error detail return.

#### Returns

### Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc

# 9.50 Documenting Form\_Block

Documents Form\_Block content.

Documents Form\_Block content.

Used with certain location information functions, a frame expression function, expanded frame instructions, and DW\_FORM\_block<> functions and more.

### See also

### dwarf\_formblock

### Dwarf\_Block\_s

```
struct Dwarf_Block_s fields {
Dwarf_Unsigned bl_len;
Length of block bl_data points at
Dwarf_Ptr bl_data;
Uninterpreted data bytes
Dwarf_Small bl_from_loclist;
See libdwarf.h DW_LKIND, defaults to
DW_LKIND_expression and except in certain
location expressions the field is ignored.
Dwarf_Unsigned bl_section_offset;
Section offset of what bl_data points to
```

# 9.51 Example using dwarf\_discr\_list

Using dwarf\_discr\_list and dwarf\_formblock.

Using dwarf\_discr\_list and dwarf\_formblock.

An example calling dwarf\_get\_form\_class, dwarf\_discr\_list, and dwarf\_formblock. and the dwarf\_deallocs applicable.

#### See also

```
dwarf_discr_list
dwarf_get_form_class
dwarf_formblock
```

#### **Parameters**

dw_dbg	The applicable Dwarf_Debug
dw_die	The applicable Dwarf_Die
dw_attr	The applicable Dwarf_Attribute
dw_attrnum,The	attribute number passed in to shorten this example a bit.
dw_isunsigned,The	attribute number passed in to shorten this example a bit.
dw_theform,The	form number passed in to shorten this example a bit.
dw_error	The usual error pointer.

#### Returns

#### Returns DW\_DLV\_OK etc

```
int example_discr_list(Dwarf_Debug dbg,
    Dwarf_Die die,
Dwarf_Attribute attr,
    Dwarf_Half attrnum,
    Dwarf_Bool isunsigned,
    Dwarf_Half theform,
    Dwarf_Error *error)
    /\star~{\rm The} example here assumes that
         attribute attr is a DW_AT_discr_list. isunsigned should be set from the signedness
         of the parent of 'die' per DWARF rules for
         DW_AT_discr_list. */
    enum Dwarf_Form_Class fc = DW_FORM_CLASS_UNKNOWN;
Dwarf_Half version = 0;
Dwarf_Half offset_size = 0;
    int wres = 0;
    wres = dwarf_get_version_of_die(die,&version,&offset_size);
    if (wres != DW_DLV_OK) {
         /* FAIL */
         return wres;
    fc = dwarf_get_form_class(version, attrnum, offset_size, theform);
    if (fc == DW_FORM_CLASS_BLOCK) {
         int fres = 0;
         Dwarf_Block *tempb = 0;
fres = dwarf_formblock(attr, &tempb, error);
         if (fres == DW_DLV_OK) {
             Dwarf_Dsc_Head h = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned u = 0;
              Dwarf_Unsigned arraycount = 0;
              int sres = 0;
              &h, &arraycount, error);
              if (sres == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
```

```
/* Nothing here. */
               dwarf_dealloc(dbg, tempb, DW_DLA_BLOCK);
               return sres;
          if (sres == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
               /* FAIL . */
dwarf_dealloc(dbg, tempb, DW_DLA_BLOCK);
               return sres ;
          for (u = 0; u < arraycount; u++) {
   int u2res = 0;</pre>
               Dwarf_Half dtype = 0;
Dwarf_Signed dlow = 0;
               Dwarf_Signed dhigh = 0;
               Dwarf_Unsigned ulow = 0;
               Dwarf_Unsigned uhigh = 0;
               if (isunsigned) {
    u2res = dwarf_discr_entry_u(h,u,
                       &dtype, &ulow, &uhigh, error);
                    u2res = dwarf_discr_entry_s(h,u,
                         &dtype, &dlow, &dhigh, error);
               if (u2res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
   /* Something wrong */
   dwarf_dealloc(dbg,h,DW_DLA_DSC_HEAD);
                    dwarf_dealloc(dbg, tempb, DW_DLA_BLOCK);
                    return u2res ;
               if (u2res == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
    /* Impossible. u < arraycount. */</pre>
                    dwarf_dealloc(dbg,h,DW_DLA_DSC_HEAD);
                    dwarf_dealloc(dbg, tempb, DW_DLA_BLOCK);
                    return u2res;
               /* Do something with dtype, and whichever of ulow, uhigh,dlow,dhigh got set.
Probably save the values somewhere.
                    Simple casting of dlow to ulow (or vice versa)
                    will not get the right value due to the nature
                    of LEB values. Similarly for uhigh, dhigh.
                    One must use the right call. \star/
          dwarf_dealloc(dbg,h,DW_DLA_DSC_HEAD);
          dwarf_dealloc(dbg, tempb, DW_DLA_BLOCK);
return DW_DLV_OK;
```

# 9.52 Example access to DWARF5 locationlist

Get access to DWARF5 loclist entries given Attribute.

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```
int example_loclistcv5(Dwarf_Attribute someattr,
    Dwarf Error *error)
    Dwarf_Unsigned lcount = 0;
    Dwarf_Loc_Head_c loclist_head = 0;
    int lres = 0;
    if (lres == DW_DLV_OK)
        Dwarf_Unsigned i = 0;
        /\star~ Before any return remember to call
             dwarf_loc_head_c_dealloc(loclist_head); */
         for (i = 0; i < lcount; ++i) {
    Dwarf_Small loclist_lkind = 0;</pre>
             Dwarf_Small lle_value = 0;
             Dwarf_Unsigned rawval1 = 0;
             Dwarf_Unsigned rawval2 = 0;
             Dwarf_Bool debug_addr_unavailable = FALSE;
Dwarf_Addr lopc = 0;
Dwarf_Addr hipc = 0;
             Dwarf_Unsigned loclist_expr_op_count = 0;
             Dwarf_Locdesc_c locdesc_entry = 0;
             Dwarf_Unsigned expression_offset = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned locdesc_offset = 0;
             lres = dwarf_get_locdesc_entry_d(loclist_head,
                 &lle_value,
                 &rawval1,&rawval2,
                 &debug_addr_unavailable,
                 &lopc,&hipc,
                 &loclist_expr_op_count,
                 &locdesc_entry, &loclist_lkind,
                 &expression_offset,
                 &locdesc_offset,
             error);
if (lres == DW_DLV_OK) {
                 Dwarf_Unsigned j = 0;
int opres = 0;
                 Dwarf_Small op = 0;
                  for (j = 0; j < loclist_expr_op_count; ++j) {</pre>
                      Dwarf_Unsigned opd1 = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned opd2 = 0;
                      Dwarf_Unsigned opd3 = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned offsetforbranch = 0;
                      opres = dwarf_get_location_op_value_c(
                          locdesc_entry, j,&op,
                          &opd1,&opd2,&opd3,
                          &offsetforbranch,
                          error);
                      if (opres == DW_DLV_OK) {
                          /\star Do something with the operators.
                               Usually you want to use opd1,2,3
                               as appropriate. Calculations
                               involving base addresses etc
                               have already been incorporated
                               in opd1,2,3.
                      } else {
                          dwarf_dealloc_loc_head_c(loclist_head);
                           /*Something is wrong. */
                           return opres;
                 }
             } else {
                 /* Something is wrong. Do something. */
                 dwarf_dealloc_loc_head_c(loclist_head);
                 return lres;
        }
    /* Always call dwarf_loc_head_c_dealloc()
        to free all the memory associated with loclist_head. */
    dwarf_dealloc_loc_head_c(loclist_head);
    loclist_head = 0;
    return lres;
```

### 9.53 Example reading a location expression

Getting the details of a location expression.

Getting the details of a location expression.

```
int example_locexprc(Dwarf_Debug dbg,Dwarf_Ptr expr_bytes,
    Dwarf_Unsigned expr_len,
    Dwarf_Half addr_size,
    Dwarf_Half offset_size,
Dwarf_Half version,
    Dwarf Error*error)
    Dwarf_Loc_Head_c head = 0;
    Dwarf_Locdesc_c locentry = 0;
    int res2 = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned rawlopc = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned rawhipc = 0;
    Dwarf_Bool debug_addr_unavail = FALSE;
Dwarf_Unsigned lopc = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned hipc = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned ulistlen = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned ulocentry_count = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned section_offset = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned locdesc_offset = 0;
Dwarf_Small lle_value = 0;
    Dwarf_Small loclist_source = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned i = 0;
    res2 = dwarf_loclist_from_expr_c(dbg,
        expr_bytes,expr_len,
         addr_size,
         offset size,
         version,
         &head,
         &ulistlen,
    error);
if (res2 != DW_DLV_OK) {
   return res2;
    /* These are a location expression, not loclist.
         So we just need the Oth entry. */
    res2 = dwarf_get_locdesc_entry_d(head,
         0, /\ast Data from 0th because it is a loc expr,
             there is no list */
         &lle_value,
         &rawlopc, &rawhipc, &debug_addr_unavail, &lopc, &hipc,
         &ulocentry_count, &locentry,
         &loclist_source, &section_offset, &locdesc_offset,
         error);
    if (res2 == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
         dwarf_dealloc_loc_head_c(head);
    return res2;
} else if (res2 == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY)
         dwarf_dealloc_loc_head_c(head);
         return res2;
    /* ASSERT: ulistlen == 1 */
    for (i = 0; i < ulocentry_count;++i) {
    Dwarf_Small op = 0;</pre>
         Dwarf_Unsigned opd1 = 0;
         Dwarf_Unsigned opd2 = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned opd3 = 0;
         Dwarf Unsigned offsetforbranch = 0:
         res2 = dwarf_get_location_op_value_c(locentry,
             i, &op, &opd1, &opd2, &opd3,
              &offsetforbranch,
              error);
         /* Do something with the expression operator and operands */
         if (res2 != DW_DLV_OK) {
   dwarf_dealloc_loc_head_c(head);
              return res2;
    dwarf_dealloc_loc_head_c(head);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
```

### 9.54 Example of dwarf\_get\_loclist\_c

Example using dwarf\_get\_loclist\_c.

```
Example using dwarf get loclist c.
```

```
int examplea(Dwarf_Attribute someattr,
    Dwarf_Unsigned *silly_total, Dwarf_Error*error)
    Dwarf_Loc_Head_c loclisthead = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned loc_count = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned i = 0;
    Dwarf_Small lle_value = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned rawlowpc = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned rawhipc = 0;
    Dwarf_Locdesc_c locentry = 0;
    Dwarf_Bool
                    debug_addr_unavailable = 0;
    Dwarf_Addr
                     lowpc = 0;
hipc = 0;
    Dwarf Addr
    Dwarf_Unsigned loclist_count = 0;
Dwarf_Small loclist_source_out = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned expression_offset = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned locdesc_offset = 0;
    int lres = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned meaninglesstotal = 0;
    lres = dwarf_get_loclist_c(someattr, &loclisthead,
         &loc_count,error);
    if (lres != DW_DLV_OK)
         return lres;
    for (i=0;;++i) {
    lres = dwarf_get_locdesc_entry_d(loclisthead,i,
              &lle_value, &rawlowpc, &rawhipc, &debug_addr_unavailable,
              &lowpc, &hipc,
              &loclist_count, &locentry,
              &loclist_source_out, &expression_offset,&locdesc_offset,
             error);
         if (lres == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
              dwarf_dealloc_loc_head_c(loclisthead);
              return lres;
         if (lres == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
              /* done */
             break;
         /\star Do something with the values. We fake to avoid
              compiler complaints about unused args.*/
         meaninglesstotal += lle_value + rawlowpc+
             rawhipc+(int)debug_addr_unavailable +
lowpc+ hipc+loclist_count+loclist_source_out+
              expression_offset+locdesc_offset;
    dwarf_dealloc_loc_head_c(loclisthead);
    *silly_total = meaninglesstotal;
    return DW_DLV_OK;
```

# 9.55 Example of dwarf\_srclines\_b etc

examplesrclines

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An example calling dwarf\_srclines\_b dwarf\_srclines\_dealloc\_b dwarf\_srclines\_from\_linecontext dwarf\_srclines\_ $\leftarrow$  files\_indexes dwarf\_srclines\_files\_data\_b dwarf\_srclines\_two\_level\_from\_linecontext

#### **Parameters**

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#### **Parameters**

```
groupnumber
                 */ int examplec(Dwarf_Die cu_die, Dwarf_Error *error)
                  /* EXAMPLE: DWARF5 style access. */
                  Dwarf_Line *linebuf = 0;
                  Dwarf_Signed linecount = 0;
                  Dwarf_Line *linebuf_actuals = 0;
                  Dwarf_Signed linecount_actuals = 0;
                  Dwarf_Line_Context line_context = 0;
                  Dwarf_Small table_count = 0;
                  Dwarf_Unsigned lineversion = 0;
                  int sres = 0;
/* ... */
                  /* we use 'return' here to signify we can do nothing more
                 at this point in the code. */
                  sres = dwarf_srclines_b(cu_die, &lineversion,
                  &table_count, &line_context, error);
                  if (sres != DW_DLV_OK) {
                  /\star Handle the DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY or DW_DLV_ERROR
                 No memory was allocated so there nothing
                 to dealloc.
                  return sres;
                 if (table_count == 0) {
/* A line table with no actual lines. */
                  /*...do something, see dwarf_srclines_files_count()
                 etc below. */
                 dwarf_srclines_dealloc_b(line_context);
                  /\star All the memory is released, the line_context
                 and linebuf zeroed now
                 as a reminder they are stale. */
linebuf = 0;
                  line_context = 0;
                  } else if (table_count == 1) {
                  Dwarf_Signed i = 0;
                  Dwarf_Signed baseindex = 0;
                  Dwarf_Signed file_count = 0;
                  Dwarf Signed endindex = 0;
                  /* Standard dwarf 2,3,4, or 5 line table */
                  /* Do something. */
                  /* First let us index through all the files listed
                 in the line table header.
                  sres = dwarf_srclines_files_indexes(line_context,
                  &baseindex,&file_count,&endindex,error);
                  if (sres != DW_DLV_OK) {
/* Something badly wrong! */
                  return sres;
                  /\star Works for DWARF2,3,4 (one-based index)
                 and DWARF5 (zero-based index) */
for (i = baseindex; i < endindex; i++) {</pre>
                  Dwarf_Unsigned dirindex = 0;
                  Dwarf_Unsigned modtime = 0;
                  Dwarf_Unsigned flength = 0;
                  Dwarf_Form_Data16 *md5data = 0;
                  int vres = 0:
                  const char *name = 0;
vres = dwarf_srclines_files_data_b(line_context,i,
                  &name, &dirindex, &modtime, &flength,
                  &md5data,error);
                  if (vres != DW_DLV_OK) {
                  /* something very wrong. */
                  return vres:
                  /* do something */
                  /\star For this case where we have a line table we will likely
                 wish to get the line details: \star/
                  sres = dwarf_srclines_from_linecontext(line_context,
                  &linebuf, &linecount,
                  error);
                  if (sres != DW_DLV_OK) {
                  /* Error. Clean up the context information. */
dwarf_srclines_dealloc_b(line_context);
                  return sres:
                  /\star The lines are normal line table lines. \star/
                  for (i = 0; i < linecount; ++i) {</pre>
                  /* use linebuf[i] */
                  dwarf_srclines_dealloc_b(line_context);
                  /* All the memory is released, the line_context
                 and linebuf zeroed now as a reminder they are stale \star/
                  linebuf = 0;
                  line_context = 0;
                  linecount = 0;
                  Dwarf_Signed i = 0;
```

/\* ASSERT: table\_count == 2, Generated by Doxygen Experimental two-level line table. Version 0xf006 We do not define the meaning of this non-standard set of tables here. \*/
/\* For 'something C' (two-level line tables) one codes something like this Note that we do not define the meaning or

Parameters

# 9.56 Example of dwarf\_srclines\_b use

#### See also

```
dwarf_srclines_b
dwarf_srclines_from_linecontext
dwarf_srclines_dealloc_b
int exampled(Dwarf_Die somedie,Dwarf_Error *error)
    Dwarf_Signed count = 0;
    Dwarf_Line_Context context = 0;
    Dwarf_Line *linebuf = 0;
    Dwarf_Signed i = 0;
   Dwarf_Line *line;
Dwarf_Small table_count =0;
Dwarf_Unsigned version = 0;
int sres = 0;
    sres = dwarf_srclines_b(somedie,
        &version, &table_count,&context,error);
    if (sres != DW_DLV_OK) {
         return sres;
    sres = dwarf_srclines_from_linecontext(context,
        &linebuf, &count, error);
    if (sres != DW_DLV_OK) {
        dwarf_srclines_dealloc_b(context);
        return sres;
    line = linebuf;
    for (i = 0; i < count; ++line) {</pre>
        /* use line */
    dwarf_srclines_dealloc_b(context);
return DW_DLV_OK;
```

# 9.57 Example of dwarf\_srcfiles use

```
*/
int examplee(Dwarf_Debug dbg,Dwarf_Die somedie,Dwarf_Error *error)
{
    Dwarf_Signed count = 0;
    char **srcfiles = 0;
    Dwarf_Signed i = 0;
    int res = 0;
    res = dwarf_srcfiles(somedie, &srcfiles,&count,error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
        return res;
    }
    for (i = 0; i < count; ++i) {
            /* use srcfiles[i] */
            dwarf_dealloc(dbg, srcfiles[i], DW_DLA_STRING);
    }
    dwarf_dealloc(dbg, srcfiles, DW_DLA_LIST);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
}</pre>
```

# 9.58 Example of dwarf\_get\_globals use

```
*/
int examplef(Dwarf_Debug dbg,Dwarf_Error *error)
{
    Dwarf_Signed count = 0;
    Dwarf_Global *globs = 0;
    Dwarf_Signed i = 0;
    int res = 0;
    res = dwarf_get_globals(dbg, &globs,&count, error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
        return res;
    }
    for (i = 0; i < count; ++i) {
            /* use globs[i] */
            char *name = 0;
            res = dwarf_globname(globs[i],&name,error);
            if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
                 dwarf_globals_dealloc(dbg,globs,count);
                 return res;
            }
    }
    dwarf_globals_dealloc(dbg, globs, count);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
}</pre>
```

# 9.59 Example of dwarf\_get\_pubtypes use

```
*/
int exampleg(Dwarf_Debug dbg, Dwarf_Error *error)
{
    Dwarf_Signed count = 0;
    Dwarf_Type *types = 0;
    Dwarf_Signed i = 0;
    int res = 0;
    res = dwarf_get_pubtypes(dbg, &types,&count, error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
        return res;
    }
    for (i = 0; i < count; ++i) {
            /* use types[i] */
    }
    dwarf_types_dealloc(dbg, types, count);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
}</pre>
```

# 9.60 Example of dwarf\_get\_weaks use

```
*/
int exampleh(Dwarf_Debug dbg,Dwarf_Error *error)
{
    Dwarf_Signed count = 0;
    Dwarf_Weak *weaks = 0;
    Dwarf_Signed i = 0;
    int res = 0;
    res = dwarf_get_weaks(dbg, &weaks, &count, error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
        return res;
    }
    for (i = 0; i < count; ++i) {
            /* use weaks[i] */
    }
    dwarf_weaks_dealloc(dbg, weaks, count);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
}</pre>
```

# 9.61 Example of dwarf\_get\_funcs use

```
*/
int examplej(Dwarf_Debug dbg, Dwarf_Error*error)
{
    Dwarf_Signed count = 0;
    Dwarf_Func *funcs = 0;
    Dwarf_Signed i = 0;
    int fres = 0;
    fres = dwarf_get_funcs(dbg, &funcs, &count, error);
    if (fres != DW_DLV_OK) {
        return fres;
    }
    for (i = 0; i < count; ++i) {
            /* use funcs[i] */
    }
    dwarf_funcs_dealloc(dbg, funcs, count);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
}</pre>
```

# 9.62 Example of dwarf\_get\_types use

### 9.63 An example reading .debug\_macro

An example reading DWARF5 macro data This builds an list or some other data structure (not defined) to give an import somewhere to list the import offset and then later to enquire if the list has unexamined offsets. The code compiles but is not yet tested.

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This example does not actually do the import at the correct time as this is just checking import offsets, not creating a proper full list (in the proper order) of the macros with the imports inserted.

A candidate set of hypothetical functions that callers would write for this special checking purpose:

```
has_unchecked_import_in_list(void);
int
Dwarf_Unsigned get_next_import_from_list(void);
void mark_this_offset_as_examined(Dwarf_Unsigned macro_unit_offset);
void add_offset_to_list(Dwarf_Unsigned offset);
int examplep5(Dwarf_Die cu_die,Dwarf_Error *error)
    int lres = 0:
    Dwarf_Unsigned version = 0;
    Dwarf_Macro_Context macro_context = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned macro_unit_offset = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned number_of_ops = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned ops_total_byte_len = 0;
    Dwarf_Bool is_primary = TRUE;
    unsigned k = 0;
    for (;;) {
        if (is_primary) {
            lres = dwarf_get_macro_context(cu_die,
                &version, &macro_context,
                &macro_unit_offset,
                &number_of_ops,
                &ops_total_byte_len,
                error);
            is_primary = FALSE;
        } else
            if (has_unchecked_import_in_list()) {
                macro_unit_offset = get_next_import_from_list();
                 /* We are done */
                break;
            lres = dwarf_get_macro_context_by_offset(cu_die,
                macro unit offset,
                &version,
                 &macro_context,
                &number_of_ops,
                &ops_total_byte_len,
                error);
            mark_this_offset_as_examined(macro_unit_offset);
        if (lres == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
             /* Something is wrong. */
            return lres;
        if (lres == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
            /* We are done. */
            break;
        /* lres == DW_DLV_OK) */
        for (k = 0; k < number_of_ops; ++k) {
            Dwarf_Unsigned section_offset = 0;
            Dwarf_Half
                         macro_operator = 0;
forms_count = 0;
            Dwarf_Half
            const Dwarf_Small *formcode_array = 0;
            Dwarf_Unsigned line_number = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned index = 0;
            Dwarf_Unsigned offset =0;
            const char *
int lres2 = 0;
                          * macro_string =0;
            lres2 = dwarf_get_macro_op(macro_context,
                k, &section_offset,&macro_operator,
                 &forms_count, &formcode_array,error);
            if (lres2 != DW_DLV_OK) {
                 /* Some error. Deal with it */
                dwarf_dealloc_macro_context (macro_context);
                 return lres2;
```

```
switch(macro_operator) {
         case 0:
             /\star Nothing to do. \star/
            break:
         case DW_MACRO_end_file:
             /* Do something */
         case DW_MACRO_define:
        case DW_MACRO_undef:
case DW_MACRO_define_strp:
        case DW_MACRO_undef_strp:
case DW_MACRO_define_strx:
         case DW_MACRO_undef_strx:
         case DW_MACRO_define_sup:
         case DW_MACRO_undef_sup: {
             1res2 = dwarf_get_macro_defundef(macro_context,
                 k,
                  &line_number,
                  &index,
                  &offset,
                  &forms_count,
                  &macro_string,
             error);
if (lres2 != DW_DLV_OK) {
                  /* Some error. Deal with it */
                  dwarf_dealloc_macro_context (macro_context);
                  return lres2;
             /* do something */
         case DW_MACRO_start_file: {
             lres2 = dwarf_get_macro_startend_file(macro_context,
                 k,&line_number,
                  &index,
             &macro_string,error);
if (lres2 != DW_DLV_OK) {
                  /* Some error. Deal with it */
                  dwarf_dealloc_macro_context (macro_context);
                  return lres2;
             /* do something */
             break;
         case DW_MACRO_import: {
             lres2 = dwarf_get_macro_import(macro_context,
             k,&offset,error);
if (lres2 != DW_DLV_OK) {
   /* Some error. Deal with it */
                 dwarf_dealloc_macro_context (macro_context);
                  return lres2;
             add_offset_to_list(offset);
             break;
         case DW_MACRO_import_sup: {
             lres2 = dwarf_get_macro_import(macro_context,
                 k,&offset,error);
             if (lres2 != DW_DLV_OK) {
                  /\star Some error. Deal with it \star/
                 dwarf_dealloc_macro_context(macro_context);
                  return lres2;
             /* do something */
             break;
         default:
             /* This is an error or an omission
                  in the code here. We do not
                  know what to do.
                 Do something appropriate, print something?. \star/
             break;
    dwarf_dealloc_macro_context (macro_context);
    macro_context = 0;
return DW_DLV_OK;
```

# 9.64 Example of reading .debug\_macinfo

examplep2 Reading .debug\_macinfo, DWARF2-4

```
examplep2 Reading .debug macinfo, DWARF2-4
void functionusingsigned(Dwarf_Signed s);
int examplep2(Dwarf_Debug dbg, Dwarf_Off cur_off,
    Dwarf_Signed count = 0;
    Dwarf_Macro_Details *maclist = 0;
    Dwarf_Signed i = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned max = 500000; /* sanity limit */
    /\star This is for DWARF2, DWARF3, and DWARF4
         .debug_macinfo section only.\star/
    /\star\  Given an offset from a compilation unit,
         start at that offset (from DW_AT_macroinfo)
         and get its macro details. */
    errv = dwarf_get_macro_details(dbg, cur_off, max,
         &count, &maclist, error);
    if (errv == DW_DLV_OK) {
  for (i = 0; i < count; ++i) {
     Dwarf_Macro_Details * mentry = maclist +i;
     /* example of use */</pre>
              Dwarf_Signed lineno = mentry->dmd_lineno;
              functionusingsigned(lineno);
         dwarf_dealloc(dbg, maclist, DW_DLA_STRING);
    ^{\prime} Loop through all the compilation units macro info from zero.
         This is not guaranteed to work because DWARF does not
         guarantee every byte in the section is meaningful:
         there can be garbage between the macro info
         for CUs. But this loop will sometimes work.
    cur off = 0:
    while((errv = dwarf_get_macro_details(dbg, cur_off, max,
         &count, &maclist, error)) == DW_DLV_OK) {
         for (i = 0; i < count; ++i) {</pre>
             Dwarf_Macro_Details * mentry = maclist +i;
/* example of use */
Dwarf_Signed lineno = mentry->dmd_lineno;
             functionusingsigned(lineno);
         cur_off = maclist[count-1].dmd_offset + 1;
         dwarf_dealloc(dbg, maclist, DW_DLA_STRING);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
```

# 9.65 Example of opening fde, cie lists.

exampleq Opening FDE and CIE lists

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```

```
int exampleq(Dwarf_Debug dbg,Dwarf_Error *error)
{
    Dwarf_Cie *cie_data = 0;
    Dwarf_Signed cie_count = 0;
    Dwarf_Fde *fde_data = 0;
    Dwarf_Signed fde_count = 0;
    int fres = 0;
    fres = dwarf_get_fde_list(dbg,&cie_data,&cie_count, &fde_data,&fde_count,error);
    if (fres != DW_DLV_OK) {
        return fres;
    }
    /* Do something with the lists*/
    dwarf_dealloc_fde_cie_list(dbg, cie_data, cie_count, fde_data,fde_count);
    return fres;
}
```

### 9.66 Access to .eh frame section

Access to .eh\_frame.

```
Access to .eh_frame.
int exampler(Dwarf_Debug dbg, Dwarf_Addr mypcval,
    Dwarf_Error *error)
    /* Given a pc value
        for a function find the FDE and CIE data for
        the function.
        Example shows basic access to FDE/CIE plus
        one way to access details given a PC value.
        dwarf_get_fde_n() allows accessing all FDE/CIE
        data so one could build up an application-specific
        table of information if that is more useful. \star/
    Dwarf_Cie *cie_data = 0;
    Dwarf_Signed cie_count = 0;
    Dwarf_Fde *fde_data = 0;
    Dwarf_Signed fde_count = 0;
    fres = dwarf_get_fde_list_eh(dbg,&cie_data,&cie_count,
        &fde_data, &fde_count, error);
    if (fres == DW_DLV_OK) {
    Dwarf_Fde myfde = 0;
        Dwarf_Addr low_pc = 0;
        Dwarf_Addr high_pc = 0;
        fres = dwarf_get_fde_at_pc(fde_data,mypcval,
             &myfde, &low_pc, &high_pc,
        error);
if (fres == DW_DLV_OK) {
   Dwarf_Cie mycie = 0;
             fres = dwarf_get_cie_of_fde(myfde,&mycie,error);
             if (fres == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
                 return fres;
             if (fres == DW_DLV_OK) {
                 /\star~{\rm Now~we~can~access~a~range~of~information}
                     about the fde and cie applicable. */
        dwarf_dealloc_fde_cie_list(dbg, cie_data, cie_count,
     fde_data,fde_count);
        return fres;
    return fres;
```

# 9.67 Example of dwarf\_expand\_frame\_instructions

Example using dwarf\_expand\_frame\_instructions.

```
Example using dwarf expand frame instructions.
```

```
int examples (Dwarf_Cie cie,
    Dwarf_Ptr instruction, Dwarf_Unsigned len,
    Dwarf_Error *error)
    Dwarf_Frame_Instr_Head head = 0;
    Dwarf Unsigned
                               count = 0;
    int res = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned i = 0;
    res = dwarf_expand_frame_instructions(cie,instruction,len,
    &head,&count, error);
if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
         return res;
    for (i = 0; i < count; ++i) {</pre>
         Dwarf_Unsigned instr_offset_in_instrs = 0;
         Dwarf_Small cfa_operation = 0;
const char *fields_description = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned u0 = 0;
         Dwarf_Unsigned u1 = 0;
Dwarf_Signed s0 = 0;
Dwarf_Signed s1 = 0;
         Dwarf_Unsigned code_alignment_factor = 0;
         memset(&expression_block,0,sizeof(expression_block));
res = dwarf_get_frame_instruction(head,i,
              &instr_offset_in_instrs,&cfa_operation,
              &fields_description, &u0, &u1,
              &s0,&s1,
             &code_alignment_factor, &data_alignment_factor,
              &expression_block,error);
         if (res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
              dwarf_dealloc_frame_instr_head(head);
              return res;
         if (res == DW_DLV_OK) {
             res = dwarf_get_CFA_name(cfa_operation,
                  &op_name);
              if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
                  op_name = "unknown op";
              printf("Instr %2lu %-22s %s\n",
                  (unsigned long)i,
                  op_name,
                  fields_description);
              /* Do something with the various data
  as guided by the fields_description. */
    dwarf_dealloc_frame_instr_head(head);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
```

### 9.68 Example of string offsets access

examplestrngoffsets

examplestrngoffsets

An example accessing the string offsets section

#### **Parameters**

dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

#### DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

```
int examplestrngoffsets(Dwarf_Debug dbg,Dwarf_Error *error)
     Dwarf_Str_Offsets_Table sot = 0;
     Dwarf_Unsigned wasted_byte_count = 0;
     Dwarf_Unsigned table_count = 0;
     Dwarf_Error closeerror = 0;
res = dwarf_open_str_offsets_table_access(dbg, &sot,error);
     if (res == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
          /* No such table */
          return res;
     if (res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
          /* Something is very wrong. Print the error? */
     for (;;) {
   Dwarf_Unsigned unit_length =0;
   Dwarf_Unsigned unit_length_offset =0;
   Dwarf_Unsigned unit_length_offset =0.
          Dwarf_Unsigned table_start_offset =0;
          Dwarf_Half entry_size = 0;
Dwarf_Half version =0;
Dwarf_Half padding =0;
Dwarf_Unsigned table_value_count =0;
Dwarf_Unsigned i = 0;
          Dwarf_Unsigned table_entry_value = 0;
res = dwarf_next_str_offsets_table(sot,
               &unit_length, &unit_length_offset,
                &table_start_offset,
                &entry_size, &version, &padding,
                &table_value_count, error);
           if (res == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
                /\star We have dealt with all tables \star/
          if (res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
               /* Something badly wrong. Do something. */
dwarf_close_str_offsets_table_access(sot,&closeerror);
                dwarf_dealloc_error(dbg,closeerror);
                return res;
          /* One could call dwarf_str_offsets_statistics to
  get the wasted bytes so far, but we do not do that
          in this example. */

/* Possibly print the various table-related values returned just above. */
           for (i=0; i < table_value_count; ++i) {</pre>
                res = dwarf_str_offsets_value_by_index(sot,i,
                &table_entry_value,error);
if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
                     /\star Something is badly wrong. Do something. \star/
                     dwarf_close_str_offsets_table_access(sot,&closeerror);
                     dwarf_dealloc_error(dbg,closeerror);
                     return res;
                /* Do something with the table_entry_value
                     at this index. Maybe just print it.
                     It is an offset in .debug_str. */
```

### 9.69 Example of aranges access

exampleu

exampleu

An example accessing the .debug\_aranges section. Looking all the aranges entries. This example is not searching for anything.

#### **Parameters**

dbg	The Dwarf_Debug of interest.
dw_error	On error dw_error is set to point to the error details.

#### Returns

### DW\_DLV\_OK etc.

```
static void cleanupbadarange(Dwarf_Debug dbg,
     Dwarf_Arange *arange,
Dwarf_Signed i, Dwarf_Signed count)
     Dwarf_Signed k = i;
for ( ; k < count; ++k) {
   dwarf_dealloc(dbg,arange[k] , DW_DLA_ARANGE);</pre>
          arange[k] = 0;
int exampleu(Dwarf_Debug dbg,Dwarf_Error *error)
     /* It is a historical accident that the count is signed.
          No negative count is possible. */
     Dwarf_Signed count = 0;
     Dwarf_Arange *arange = 0;
     int res = 0;
     rint les = 0,
res = dwarf_get_aranges(dbg, &arange,&count, error);
if (res == DW_DLV_OK) {
   Dwarf_Signed i = 0;
   for (i = 0; i < count; ++i) {
        Dwarf_Arange ara = arange[i];
}</pre>
               Dwarf_Unsigned segment = 0;
               Dwarf_Unsigned segment_entry_size = 0;
Dwarf_Addr start = 0;
                Dwarf_Unsigned length = 0;
                Dwarf_Off cu_die_offset = 0;
                res = dwarf_get_arange_info_b (ara,
                     &segment, &segment_entry_size,
                     &start, &length,
                &cu_die_offset,error);
if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
                     cleanupbadarange(dbg, arange, i, count);
                     dwarf_dealloc(dbg, arange, DW_DLA_LIST);
                     return res;
                /\star Do something with ara \star/
                dwarf_dealloc(dbg, ara, DW_DLA_ARANGE);
                arange[i] = 0;
          dwarf_dealloc(dbg, arange, DW_DLA_LIST);
     return res;
```

# 9.70 Example getting ranges data

Accessing ranges data.

### 9.71 Example getting gdbindex data

Accessing gdbindex section data.

```
Accessing gdbindex section data.
```

```
int examplew(Dwarf_Debug dbg,Dwarf_Error *error)
    Dwarf_Gdbindex gindexptr = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned version = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned cu_list_offset = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned types_cu_list_offset = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned address_area_offset = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned symbol_table_offset = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned constant_pool_offset = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned section_size = 0;
    const char * section_name = 0;
    int res = 0;
    res = dwarf_gdbindex_header(dbg,&gindexptr,
    &version,&cu_list_offset, &types_cu_list_offset,
    &address_area_offset,&symbol_table_offset,
          &constant_pool_offset, &section_size,
         &section_name,error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
    return res;
          /\star do something with the data \star/
         Dwarf_Unsigned length = 0;
         Dwarf_Unsigned typeslength = 0;
         Dwarf_Unsigned i = 0;
         res = dwarf_gdbindex_culist_array(gindexptr,
              &length,error);
          /* Example actions. */
          if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
              dwarf_dealloc_gdbindex(gindexptr);
              return res;
          for (i = 0; i < length; ++i) {
              Dwarf_Unsigned cueffset = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned culength = 0;
              res = dwarf_gdbindex_culist_entry(gindexptr,
                   i,&cuoffset,&culength,error);
              if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
    return res;
              /\star Do something with cuoffset, culength \star/
          res = dwarf_gdbindex_types_culist_array(gindexptr,
             &typeslength,error);
          if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
   dwarf_dealloc_gdbindex(gindexptr);
              return res;
          for (i = 0; i < typeslength; ++i) {
              Dwarf_Unsigned cuoffset = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned tuoffset = 0;
              Dwarf_Unsigned type_signature = 0;
              res = dwarf_gdbindex_types_culist_entry(gindexptr,
                   i,&cuoffset,&tuoffset,&type_signature,error);
              if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
                   dwarf_dealloc_gdbindex(gindexptr);
                   return res:
              /\star Do something with cuoffset etc. \star/
         dwarf_dealloc_gdbindex(gindexptr);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
```

# 9.72 Example getting gdbindex addressarea

Accessing gdbindex addressarea data.

```
Accessing gdbindex addressarea data.
```

### 9.73 Example geting gdbindex symbol table

Example accessing gdbindex symbol table data.

Example accessing gdbindex symbol table data.

```
int examplex(Dwarf_Gdbindex gdbindex, Dwarf_Error*error)
    Dwarf_Unsigned symtab_list_length = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned i = 0;
    int res = 0;
    res = dwarf_gdbindex_symboltable_array(gdbindex,
        &symtab_list_length,error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
        return res;
    for (i = 0; i < symtab_list_length; i++) {</pre>
        Dwarf_Unsigned symnameoffset = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned cuvecoffset = 0;
        Dwarf_Unsigned cuvec_len = 0;
        Dwarf_Unsigned ii = 0;
        const char *name = 0;
        int resl = 0;
        resl = dwarf_gdbindex_symboltable_entry(gdbindex,i,
             &symnameoffset, &cuvecoffset,
             error);
         if (resl != DW_DLV_OK) {
             return resl;
        resl = dwarf_gdbindex_string_by_offset(gdbindex,
             symnameoffset,&name,error);
         if (resl != DW_DLV_OK) {
             return resl;
         resl = dwarf_gdbindex_cuvector_length(gdbindex,
            cuvecoffset,&cuvec_len,error);
         if (resl != DW_DLV_OK) {
    return resl;
         for (ii = 0; ii < cuvec_len; ++ii ) {</pre>
             Dwarf_Unsigned attributes = 0;
             Dwarf_Unsigned cu_index = 0;
             Dwarf_Unsigned symbol_kind = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned is_static = 0;
             int res2 = 0;
             res2 = dwarf_gdbindex_cuvector_inner_attributes(
                 gdbindex, cuvecoffset, ii,
                  &attributes,error);
             if (res2 != DW_DLV_OK) {
    return res2;
             /* 'attributes' is a value with various internal
                 fields so we expand the fields. \star/
             res2 = dwarf_gdbindex_cuvector_instance_expand_value(
                 gdbindex, attributes, &cu_index,
&symbol_kind, &is_static,
             error);
if (res2 != DW_DLV_OK) {
                 return res2;
             /* Do something with the attributes. */
    return DW_DLV_OK;
```

## 9.74 Example geting cu and tu Debug Fission data

Example using dwarf\_get\_xu\_index\_header.

```
Example using dwarf_get_xu_index_header.
```

```
\star/ int exampley(Dwarf_Debug dbg, const char \star type,
      Dwarf_Error *error)
      /\star type is "tu" or "cu" \star/
      /* type is "tu" or "cu" */
int res = 0;
Dwarf_Xu_Index_Header xuhdr = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned version_number = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned offsets_count = 0; /*L */
Dwarf_Unsigned units_count = 0; /* M */
      Dwarf_Unsigned hash_slots_count = 0; /* N */
      const char * section_name = 0;
res = dwarf_get_xu_index_header(dbg,
            type,
&xuhdr,
            &version_number,
            &offsets_count,
            &units_count,
            &hash_slots_count,
            &section_name,
            error);
      if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
    return res;
      ^{'}/\star Do something with the xuhdr here . \star/
      dwarf_dealloc_xu_header(xuhdr);
return DW_DLV_OK;
```

## 9.75 Example geting Debug Fission hash slots

Example using dwarf\_get\_xu\_hash\_entry()

```
Example using dwarf_get_xu_hash_entry()
*/
int examplez( Dwarf_Xu_Index_Header xuhdr,
     Dwarf_Unsigned hash_slots_count,
     Dwarf_Error *error)
     /\star \quad \texttt{hash\_slots\_count returned by}
     dwarf_get_xu_index_header() */
static Dwarf_Sig8 zerohashval;
Dwarf_Unsigned h = 0;
     for (h = 0; h < hash_slots_count; h++) {
    Dwarf_Sig8 hashval;</pre>
          Dwarf_Unsigned index = 0;
          if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
               return res;
           if (!memcmp(&hashval,&zerohashval,
               sizeof(Dwarf_Sig8)) && index == 0 ) {
/* An unused hash slot */
               continue;
           /* Here, hashval and index (a row index into offsets and lengths) are valid. Do something with them */
     return DW_DLV_OK;
```

## 9.76 Example geting Debug Fission data

Example getting cu/tu name, offset.

```
Example getting cu/tu name, offset.
```

```
*/
int exampleza(Dwarf_Xu_Index_Header xuhdr,
      Dwarf_Unsigned offsets_count,
Dwarf_Unsigned index,
      Dwarf_Error *error)
      Dwarf_Unsigned col = 0;
/* We use 'offsets_count' returned by
   a dwarf_get_xu_index_header() call.
   We use 'index' returned by a
            dwarf_get_xu_hash_entry() call. */
      for (col = 0; col < offsets_count; col++) {
   Dwarf_Unsigned off = 0;
   Dwarf_Unsigned len = 0;
   const char * name = 0;
   Dwarf_Unsigned num = 0;</pre>
            int res = 0;
            res = dwarf_get_xu_section_names(xuhdr,
            col,&num,&name,error);
if (res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
                   return res;
             if (res == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
                   break;
            res = dwarf_get_xu_section_offset(xuhdr,
    index,col,&off,&len,error);
if (res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
                   return res;
             if (res == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
                   break;
             /* Here we have the DW_SECT_ name and number and the base offset and length of the
                    section data applicable to the hash
                    that got us here.
                   Use the values.*/
      return DW_DLV_OK;
```

## 9.77 Example getting tag, attribute, etc names

Example getting tag, attribute, etc names as strings.

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```
*/
void examplezb(void)
{
    const char * out = 0;
    int res = 0;
    /* The following is wrong, do not do it! */
    res = dwarf_get_ACCESS_name(DW_TAG_entry_point,&out);
    /* Nothing one does here with 'res' or 'out'
        is meaningful. */
    /* The following is meaningful.*/
    res = dwarf_get_TAG_name(DW_TAG_entry_point,&out);
    if ( res == DW_DLV_OK) {
        /* Here 'out' is a pointer one can use which
            points to the string "DW_TAG_entry_point". */
    } else {
        /* Here 'out' has not been touched, it is
            uninitialized. Do not use it. */
    }
}
```

## 9.78 Example using GNU debuglink

exampledebuglink Showing dwarf\_add\_debuglink\_global\_path

exampledebuglink Showing dwarf add debuglink global path

An example using both dwarf\_add\_debuglink\_global\_path and dwarf\_gnu\_debuglink .

```
int exampledebuglink(Dwarf_Debug dbg, Dwarf_Error* error)
               res = 0;
    char
             *debuglink_path = 0;
    unsigned char *crc = 0;
char *debuglink_fullpath = 0;
    unsigned debuglink_fullpath_strlen = 0;
    unsigned buildid_type = 0;
    char * buildidowner_name = 0;
    unsigned char *buildid_itself = 0;
unsigned buildid_length = 0;
    char ** paths = 0;
    unsigned paths_count = 0;
unsigned i = 0;
     /* This is just an example if one knows
         of another place full-DWARF objects
may be. "/usr/lib/debug" is automatically
set. */
    res = dwarf_add_debuglink_global_path(dbg,
         "/some/path/debug",error);
     if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
         /* Something is wrong*/
         return res;
    res = dwarf gnu debuglink(dbg.
        &debuglink_path,
         &debuglink_fullpath,
         &debuglink_fullpath_strlen,
         &buildid_type,
         &buildidowner name,
         &buildid_itself,
         &buildid_length,
         &paths,
         &paths_count,
    error);
if (res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
         return res;
     if (res == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
         /\star~\mbox{No} such sections as .note.gnu.build-id
            or .gnu_debuglink */
         return res;
     if (debuglink_fullpath_strlen) {
         printf("debuglink path: %s\n",debuglink_path);
printf("crc length : %u crc: ",4);
for (i = 0; i < 4;++i) {
    printf("%02x",crc[i]);</pre>
         printf("\n");
         printf("debuglink fullpath: %s\n",debuglink_fullpath);
     if (buildid_length) {
                                     : %u\n",buildid_type);
: %s\n",buildidowner_name);
         printf("buildid type
         printf("Buildid owner
         printf("buildid byte count: %u\n",buildid_length);
         printf(" ");
         /* buildid_length should be 20. */
         for (i = 0; i < buildid_length;++i) {
   printf("%02x",buildid_itself[i]);</pre>
         printf("\n");
    printf("Possible paths count %u\n",paths_count);
     for ( ; i < paths_count; ++i ) {</pre>
         printf("%2u: %s\n",i,paths[i]);
    free (debuglink_fullpath);
    free (paths);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
```

### 9.79 Example accessing rnglist

example\_raw\_rnglist Showing access to rnglist

example\_raw\_rnglist Showing access to rnglist

This is accessing DWARF5 .debug\_rnglists.

```
int example_raw_rnglist(Dwarf_Debug dbg,Dwarf_Error *error)
    Dwarf_Unsigned count = 0;
    res = dwarf_load_rnglists(dbg,&count,error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
         return res;
    for (i =0 ; i < count ; ++i) {
         Dwarf_Unsigned header_offset = 0;
         Dwarf_Onsigned neader_Office;

Dwarf_Small offset_size = 0;

Dwarf_Small extension_size = 0;

unsigned version = 0; /* 5 */
         Dwarf_Small address_size = 0;
Dwarf_Small segment_selector_size = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned offset_entry_count = 0;
         Dwarf_Unsigned offset_of_offset_array = 0;
         Dwarf_Unsigned offset_of_first_rangeentry = 0;
         Dwarf_Unsigned offset_past_last_rangeentry = 0;
         res = dwarf_get_rnglist_context_basics(dbg,i,
               &header_offset,&offset_size,&extension_size,
              &version, &address_size, &segment_selector_size, &offset_entry_count, &offset_of_offset_array,
               &offset_of_first_rangeentry,
               &offset_past_last_rangeentry,error);
          if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
               return res;
              Dwarf_Unsigned e = 0;
              unsigned colmax = 4;
              unsigned col = 0;
               Dwarf_Unsigned global_offset_of_value = 0;
              for ( ; e < offset_entry_count; ++e) {
    Dwarf_Unsigned value = 0;</pre>
                   int resc = 0;
                   resc = dwarf_get_rnglist_offset_index_value(dbg,
                        i,e,&value,
                         &global_offset_of_value,error);
                   if (resc != DW DLV OK) {
                        return resc;
                    /* Do something */
                   col++;
                   if (col == colmax) {
                        col = 0;
               }
              Dwarf_Unsigned curoffset = offset_of_first_rangeentry;
Dwarf_Unsigned endoffset = offset_past_last_rangeentry;
              int     rese = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned ct = 0;
for (; curoffset < endoffset; ++ct ) {</pre>
                   unsigned entrylen = 0;
                   unsigned code = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned v1 = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned v2 = 0;
                   &entrylen,
                         &code, &v1, &v2, error);
                   if (rese != DW_DLV_OK) {
                         return rese;
                    /* Do something with the values */
                   curoffset += entrylen;
                   if (curoffset > endoffset) {
                         return DW_DLV_ERROR;
               }
    return DW_DLV_OK;
```

## 9.80 Example accessing rnglist

example\_rnglist\_for\_attribute Showing access to rnglist example rnglist for attribute Showing access to rnglist

This is accessing DWARF5 .debug rnglists.

```
int example_rnglist_for_attribute(Dwarf_Attribute attr,
    Dwarf_Unsigned attrvalue, Dwarf_Error *error)
       attrvalue must be the DW_AT_ranges
        DW_FORM_rnglistx or DW_FORM_sec_offset value
        extracted from attr. */
    int res = 0;
    Dwarf_Half theform = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned entries_count;
    Dwarf_Unsigned
                       global_offset_of_rle_set;
    Dwarf_Rnglists_Head rnglhead = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned i = 0;
    res = dwarf_rnglists_get_rle_head(attr,
        attrvalue,
        &rnglhead,
        &entries_count,
        &global_offset_of_rle_set,
        error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
        return res;
    for (i = 0; i < entries_count; ++i) {</pre>
        unsigned entrylen = 0;
unsigned code = 0;
        Dwarf_Unsigned rawlowpc = 0;
        Dwarf_Unsigned rawhighpc = 0;
        Dwarf_Bool debug_addr_unavailable = FALSE;
        Dwarf_Unsigned lowpc = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned highpc = 0;
/* Actual addresses are most likely what one
             wants to know, not the lengths/offsets
             recorded in .debug_rnglists. */
        res = dwarf_get_rnglists_entry_fields_a(rnglhead,
             i, &entrylen, &code,
             &rawlowpc,&rawhighpc,
             &debug_addr_unavailable, &lowpc, &highpc, error);
         if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
             dwarf_dealloc_rnglists_head(rnglhead);
             return res;
         if (code == DW_RLE_end_of_list) {
             /* we are done */
         if (code == DW_RLE_base_addressx ||
             code == DW_RLE_base_address) {
             /\star~ We do not need to use these, they
                 have been accounted for already. */
             continue;
         if (debug_addr_unavailable) {
             /\star lowpc and highpc are not real addresses \star/
             continue:
         /* Here do something with lowpc and highpc, these
             are real addresses */
    dwarf_dealloc_rnglists_head(rnglhead);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
```

## 9.81 Example accessing .debug\_names

example\_debug\_names Showing access to .debug\_names

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This is accessing DWARF5 .debug\_names, a section intended to provide fast access to DIEs.

#### TO BE COMPLETED

## 9.82 Jitreader Demonstrating DWARF without a file.

```
#include <config.h>
#include <stddef.h> /* NULL */
#include <stdio.h> /* printf()
#include <stdlib.h> /* exit() */
#include "dwarf.h"
#include "libdwarf.h"
#include "libdwarf_private.h"
    This demonstates processing DWARF
    from in_memory data. For simplicity
    in this example we are using static arrays.
    The C source is src/bin/dwarfexample/jitreader.c
    The motivation is from JIT compiling, where
    at runtime of some application, it generates
    code on the file and DWARF information for it too.
    This gives an example of enabling all of libdwarf's
    functions without actually having the DWARF information
    in a file. (If you have a file in some odd format
    you can use this approach to have libdwarf access
    the format for DWARF data and work normally without
    ever exposing the format to libdwarf.)
    None of the structures defined here in this source
    (or any source using this feature)
    are ever known to libdwarf. They are totally
    private to your code.
    The code you write (like this example) you compile
    separate from libdwarf. You never place your code
    into libdwarf, you just link your code into
    your application and link against libdwarf.
/* Some valid DWARF2 data */
static Dwarf_Small abbrevbytes[] = {
0x01, 0x11, 0x01, 0x25, 0x0e, 0x13, 0x0b, 0x03, 0x08, 0x1b,
0x0e, 0x11, 0x01, 0x12, 0x01, 0x10, 0x06, 0x00, 0x00, 0x02,
0x2e, 0x01, 0x3f, 0x0c, 0x03, 0x08, 0x3a, 0x0b, 0x3b, 0x0b,
0x39, 0x0b, 0x27, 0x0c, 0x11, 0x01, 0x12, 0x01, 0x40, 0x06,
0x97, 0x42, 0x0c, 0x01, 0x13, 0x00, 0x00, 0x03, 0x34, 0x00,
0x03, 0x08, 0x3a, 0x0b, 0x3b, 0x0b, 0x39, 0x0b, 0x49, 0x13,
0x02, 0x0a, 0x00, 0x00, 0x04, 0x24, 0x00, 0x0b, 0x0b, 0x3e, 0x0b, 0x03, 0x08, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, ); static Dwarf_Small infobytes[] = {
0x60, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x02, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00,
0x08, 0x01, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x0c, 0x74, 0x2e, 0x63,
0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00,
0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00,
0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x02, 0x01, 0x66, 0x00, 0x01,
0x02, 0x06, 0x01, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00,
0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00,
0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x01, 0x5c, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x03, 0x69,
0x00, 0x01, 0x03, 0x08, 0x5c, 0x00, 0x00, 0x00, 0x02, 0x91,
0x6c, 0x00, 0x04, 0x04, 0x05, 0x69, 0x6e, 0x74, 0x00, 0x00,
static Dwarf_Small strbytes[] = {
0x47, 0x4e, 0x55, 0x20, 0x43, 0x31, 0x37, 0x20, 0x39, 0x2e, 0x33, 0x2e, 0x30, 0x20, 0x2d, 0x6d, 0x74, 0x75, 0x6e, 0x65,
0x3d, 0x67, 0x65, 0x6e, 0x65, 0x72, 0x69, 0x63, 0x20, 0x2d,
0x6d, 0x61, 0x72, 0x63, 0x68, 0x3d, 0x78, 0x38, 0x36, 0x2d,
0x36, 0x34, 0x20, 0x2d, 0x67, 0x64, 0x77, 0x61, 0x72, 0x66,
0x2d, 0x32, 0x20, 0x2d, 0x4f, 0x30, 0x20, 0x2d, 0x66, 0x61,
0x73, 0x79, 0x6e, 0x63, 0x68, 0x72, 0x6f, 0x6e, 0x6f, 0x75,
0x73, 0x2d, 0x75, 0x6e, 0x77, 0x69, 0x6e, 0x64, 0x2d, 0x74,
0x61, 0x62, 0x6c, 0x65, 0x73, 0x20, 0x2d, 0x66, 0x73, 0x74,
0x61, 0x63, 0x6b, 0x2d, 0x70, 0x72, 0x6f, 0x74, 0x65, 0x63,
0x74, 0x6f, 0x72, 0x2d, 0x73, 0x74, 0x72, 0x6f, 0x6e, 0x67,
0x20, 0x2d, 0x66, 0x73, 0x74, 0x61, 0x63, 0x6b, 0x2d, 0x63,
0x6c, 0x61, 0x73, 0x68, 0x2d, 0x70, 0x72, 0x6f, 0x74, 0x65,
0x63, 0x74, 0x69, 0x6f, 0x6e, 0x20, 0x2d, 0x66, 0x63, 0x66,
0x2d, 0x70, 0x72, 0x6f, 0x74, 0x65, 0x63, 0x74, 0x69, 0x6f,
0x6e, 0x00, 0x2f, 0x76, 0x61, 0x72, 0x2f, 0x74, 0x6d, 0x70,
0x2f, 0x74, 0x69, 0x6e, 0x79, 0x64, 0x77, 0x61, 0x72, 0x66,
0x00, };
/* An internals_t , data used elsewhere but
    not directly visible elsewhere. One needs to have one of these but maybe the content here too little
    or useless, this is just an example of sorts.
#define SECCOUNT 4
struct sectiondata_s {
    unsigned int sd_addr;
    unsigned int.
                   sd objoffsetlen;
                   sd objpointersize:
    unsigned int
    Dwarf_Unsigned sd_sectionsize;
    const char
                 * sd_secname;
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Dwarf_Small * sd_content;
/\star The secname must not be 0 , pass "" if
    there is no name. \star/
static struct sectiondata_s sectiondata[SECCOUNT] = {
{0,0,0,0,"",0},
{0,32,32,sizeof(abbrevbytes),".debug_abbrev",abbrevbytes},
{0,32,32,sizeof(infobytes),".debug_info",infobytes},
{0,32,32,sizeof(strbytes),".debug_str",strbytes}
typedef struct special_filedata_s {
                    f_is_64bit;
f_object_endian;
    int
    Dwarf_Small
                     f_pointersize;
    unsigned
    unsigned
                     f_offsetsize;
    Dwarf_Unsigned f_filesize;
    Dwarf_Unsigned f_sectioncount;
    struct sectiondata s * f sectarray;
} special_filedata_internals_t;
    Use DW_END_little.
    Libdwarf finally sets the file-format-specific
    f_object_endianness field to a DW_END_little or
    DW_END_big (see dwarf.h).
    Here we must do that ourselves. */
static special_filedata_internals_t base_internals =
{ FALSE, DW_END_little, 32, 32, 200, SECCOUNT, sectiondata };
int gsinfo(void* obj,
    Dwarf_Half section_index,
    Dwarf_Obj_Access_Section_a* return_section,
    int* error )
    special_filedata_internals_t *internals =
        (special_filedata_internals_t *)(obj);
    struct sectiondata_s *finfo = 0;
    *error = 0; /* No error. Avoids unused arg */
if (section_index >= SECCOUNT) {
         return DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY;
    finfo = internals->f_sectarray + section_index;
    return_section->as_name = finfo->sd_secname;
return section->as type = 0;
    return_section->as_type
    return_section->as_flags = 0;
return_section->as_addr = finfo->sd_addr;
    return_section->as_offset = 0;
    return_section->as_size = finfo->sd_sectionsize;
return_section->as_link = 0;
return_section->as_info = 0;
    return_section->as_addralign = 0;
    return_section->as_entrysize = 1;
    return DW_DLV_OK;
static Dwarf_Small
gborder(void * obj)
    special filedata internals t *internals =
        (special_filedata_internals_t *)(obj);
    return internals->f_object_endian;
static
Dwarf_Small glensize(void * obj)
    /* offset size */
    special_filedata_internals_t *internals =
         (special_filedata_internals_t *)(obj);
    return internals->f_offsetsize/8;
static
Dwarf_Small gptrsize(void * obj)
    special_filedata_internals_t *internals =
         (special_filedata_internals_t *)(obj);
    return internals->f_pointersize/8;
static
Dwarf_Unsigned gfilesize(void * obj)
    special_filedata_internals_t *internals =
         (special_filedata_internals_t *)(obj);
    return internals->f_filesize;
static
Dwarf_Unsigned gseccount(void* obj)
    special_filedata_internals_t *internals =
         (special_filedata_internals_t *)(obj);
    return internals->f_sectioncount;
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static
int gloadsec(void * obj,
    Dwarf_Half secindex,
    Dwarf Small**rdata,
     int *error)
     special_filedata_internals_t *internals =
         (special_filedata_internals_t *)(obj);
     struct sectiondata_s *secp = 0;
     serior = 0; /* No Error, avoids compiler warning */
if (secindex >= internals->f_sectioncount) {
         return DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY;
     secp = secindex +internals->f_sectarray;
     *rdata = secp->sd_content;
     return DW_DLV_OK;
const Dwarf_Obj_Access_Methods_a methods = {
     gborder,
     glensize,
     gptrsize,
     afilesize.
     gseccount,
     gloadsec,
     0 /* no relocating anything */
    };
struct Dwarf_Obj_Access_Interface_a_s interface =
{ &base_internals, &methods };
static const Dwarf Sig8 zerosignature;
static int
isformstring(Dwarf_Half form)
     /\star~\mbox{Not handling every form string, just the}
         ones used in simple cases. */
     switch(form) {
    case DW_FORM_GNU_str_index: return TRUE;
    case DW_FORM_GNU_Str_Index: return TRUE;
case DW_FORM_strx1: return TRUE;
case DW_FORM_strx2: return TRUE;
case DW_FORM_strx3: return TRUE;
case DW_FORM_strx4: return TRUE;
case DW_FORM_strx5: return TRUE;
case DW_FORM_stry: return TRUE;
     default: break;
    } ;
     return FALSE:
static int
print_attr(Dwarf_Attribute atr,
    Dwarf_Signed anumber, Dwarf_Error *error)
     int res = 0;
    char *str = 0;
const char *attrname = 0;
     const char *formname = 0;
     Dwarf_Half form = 0;
    Dwarf_Half attrnum = 0;
res = dwarf_whatform(atr,&form,error);
     if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
         printf("dwarf_whatform failed! res %d\n",res);
         return res;
     res = dwarf_whatattr(atr,&attrnum,error);
     if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
         printf("dwarf_whatattr failed! res %d\n",res);
         return res;
     res = dwarf_get_AT_name(attrnum,&attrname);
     if (res == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
         printf("Bogus attrnum 0x%x\n",attrnum);
attrname = "<internal error ?>";
     res = dwarf_get_FORM_name(form, &formname);
     if (res == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
         printf("Bogus form 0x%x\n",attrnum);
attrname = "<internal error ?>";
     if (!isformstring(form)) {
         [%2d] Attr: %-15s Form: %-15s\n",
         return DW_DLV_OK;
     res = dwarf_formstring(atr,&str,error);
if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
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printf("dwarf_formstring failed! res %d\n", res);
    printf(" [%2d] Attr: %-15s Form: %-15s %s\n",
        (int) anumber, attrname, formname, str);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
static int
print_one_die(Dwarf_Die in_die,int level,
    Dwarf_Error *error)
    Dwarf_Attribute *attrbuf = 0;
    Dwarf_Signed attrcount = 0;
    Dwarf_Half tag = 0;
    const char * tagname = 0;
    int res = 0;
Dwarf_Signed i = 0;
    res = dwarf_tag(in_die,&tag,error);
if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
        printf("dwarf_tag failed! res %d\n",res);
    res = dwarf_get_TAG_name(tag, &tagname);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
   tagname = "<bogus tag>";
    printf("%3d: Die: %s\n",level,tagname);
    res = dwarf_attrlist(in_die, &attrbuf, &attrcount, error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
        printf("dwarf_attrlist failed! res %d\n",res);
         return res;
    for (i = 0; i <attrcount; ++i) {</pre>
        res =print_attr(attrbuf[i],i,error);
         if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
    printf("dwarf_attr print failed! res %d\n",res);
             return res;
    return DW_DLV_OK;
static int
print_object_info(Dwarf_Debug dbg,Dwarf_Error *error)
    Dwarf_Bool is_info = TRUE; /* our data is not DWARF4
         .debug_types. */
    Dwarf_Unsigned cu_header_length = 0;
                  version_stamp = 0;
    Dwarf_Half
                    abbrev_offset = 0;
    Dwarf Off
                   address_size = 0;
length_size = 0;
extension_size = 0;
    Dwarf_Half
    Dwarf_Half
    Dwarf_Half
                     extension_s::
type_signature;
--offset = 0;
    Dwarf_Sig8
    Dwarf_Unsigned typeoffset
    Dwarf_Unsigned next_cu_header_offset = 0;
    Dwarf_Half
                     header_cu_type = 0;
    int res = 0;
    Dwarf_Die cu_die = 0;
    int level = 0;
    type_signature = zerosignature;
    res = dwarf_next_cu_header_d(dbg,
        is info,
         &cu_header_length,
         &version_stamp,
         &abbrev_offset,
        &address_size,
        &length_size,
         &extension size.
        &type_signature,
         &typeoffset,
         &next_cu_header_offset,
         &header_cu_type,
    error);
if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
        printf("Next cu header result %d. "
             "Something is wrong FAIL, line %d\n",res,__LINE__);
         if (res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
             printf("Error is: %s\n",dwarf_errmsg(*error));
        exit(1):
    printf("CU header length......0x%lx\n",
        (unsigned long)cu_header_length);
    printf("Version stamp......%d\n",version_stamp);
    printf("Address size .......%d\n",address_size);
printf("Offset size.........%d\n",length_size);
printf("Next cu header offset....0x%lx\n",
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(unsigned long)next_cu_header_offset);
    res = dwarf_siblingof_b(dbg, NULL,is_info, &cu_die, error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
         /\star There is no CU die, which should be impossible. \star/
         if (res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
   printf("ERROR: dwarf_siblingof_b failed, no CU die\n");
              printf("Error is: %s\n",dwarf_errmsg(*error));
         } else {
             printf("ERROR: dwarf_siblingof_b got NO_ENTRY, "
    "no CU die\n");
              return res;
         }
    res = print_one_die(cu_die,level,error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
    printf("print_one_die failed! %d\n",res);
    if (res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
        printf("Error is: %s\n",dwarf_errmsg(*error));
}
         exit(1);
    return DW_DLV_OK;
   testing interfaces useful for embedding
    libdwarf inside another program or library. */
int main(void)
    int res = 0;
    Dwarf_Debug dbg = 0;
Dwarf_Error error = 0;
    int fail = FALSE;
    /\star~ Fill in iface before this call.
        We are using a static area, see above. \star/
    res = dwarf_object_init_b(&interface,
     0,0,DW_GROUPNUMBER_ANY,&dbg,
         &error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
         if (res == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
             printf("FAIL Cannot dwarf_object_init_b() NO ENTRY. \n");
              \label{lem:printf("FAIL Cannot dwarf_object_init_b(). $$ \n");$}
              printf("msg: %s\n", dwarf_errmsg(error));
         exit(1);
    res = print_object_info(dbg,&error);
    if (res != DW_DLV_OK) {
         printf("FAIL printing, res %d line %d\n",res,__LINE__);
         exit(1);
    dwarf_object_finish(dbg);
    if (fail) {
         printf("FAIL objectaccess.c\n");
         exit(1);
    return 0;
```

## 9.83 A simple report on section groups.

```
The C source is src/bin/dwarfexample/showsectiongroups.c
#include <config.h>
#include <stdio.h> /* printf() */
#include <stdlib.h> /* calloc() exit() free() */
#include <string.h> /* strcmp() */
#include "dwarf.h"
#include "libdwarf.h"
char trueoutpath[2000];
static int
one_file_show_groups(char *path_in,
    char *shortpath,
    int chosengroup)
    int
                       res = 0;
                       dbg = 0;
    Dwarf_Debug
                     error = 0;
    Dwarf_Error
    char * path = 0;

Dwarf_Unsigned section_count = 0;

Dwarf_Unsigned group_count = 0:
    Dwarf_Unsigned
                       selected_group = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned
                       map_entry_count = 0;
    Dwarf_Unsigned * group_numbers_array = 0;
Dwarf_Unsigned * sec_numbers_array = 0;
    const char ** sec_names_array = 0;
    path = path_in;
res = dwarf_init_path(path,
        0,0,
         chosengroup,
        0,0, &dbg, &error);
    if (res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
    printf("Error from libdwarf opening \"%s\": %s\n",
             shortpath, dwarf_errmsg(error));
         dwarf_dealloc_error(dbg,error);
         error = 0;
         return res;
    if (res == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
        printf("There is no such file as \"%s\"\n",
            shortpath);
         return DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY;
    res = dwarf_sec_group_sizes(dbg, &section_count,
        &group_count, &selected_group, &map_entry_count,
        &error):
    if (res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
        printf("Error from libdwarf getting group "
"sizes \"%s\": %s\n",
             shortpath, dwarf_errmsg(error));
        dwarf_dealloc_error(dbg,error);
        error = 0:
        dwarf_finish(dbg);
        return res;
    if (res == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
        printf("Impossible. libdwarf claims no groups from s\n",
        shortpath);
dwarf_finish(dbg);
return res;
    printf("Group Map data sizes\n");
    printf(" requested group : %4lu\n",
        (unsigned long) chosengroup);
    printf(" section count : %4lu\n",
        (unsigned long) section_count);
    printf(" group count
         (unsigned long)group_count);
    printf(" selected group : %41u\n",
    (unsigned long)selected_group);
printf(" map entry count : %4lu\n",
(unsigned long)map_entry_count);
    group_numbers_array = (Dwarf_Unsigned *)calloc(map_entry_count,
         sizeof(Dwarf_Unsigned));
    if (!group_numbers_array) {
        printf("Error calloc fail, group count %lu\n",
        (unsigned long)group_count);
dwarf_finish(dbg);
         return DW_DLV_ERROR;
    if (!sec_numbers_array) {
         free(group_numbers_array);
        printf("Error calloc fail sec numbers, section count %lu\n",
              (unsigned long)section_count);
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dwarf_finish(dbg);
         return DW_DLV_ERROR;
    sec_names_array = (const char **) calloc(map_entry_count,
         sizeof(const char *));
    if (!sec_names_array) {
         free(sec_numbers_array);
         free(group_numbers_array);
         printf("Error calloc fail on names, section count lu\n",
              (unsigned long) section_count);
         dwarf_finish(dbg);
return DW_DLV_ERROR;
    res = dwarf_sec_group_map(dbg,map_entry_count,
         group_numbers_array,
         sec_numbers_array, sec_names_array,&error);
    if (res == DW_DLV_ERROR) {
         free(sec_names_array);
free(sec_numbers_array);
         free(group_numbers_array);
         printf("Error from libdwarf getting group detals "
"sizes \"%s\": %s\n",
             shortpath, dwarf_errmsg(error));
         dwarf_dealloc_error(dbg,error);
         error = 0;
         dwarf_finish(dbg);
         return res;
    if (res == DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY) {
         {\tt free (sec\_names\_array);}
         free (sec numbers array);
         free (group_numbers_array);
         printf("Impossible. libdwarf claims details from %s\n",
               shortpath);
         dwarf_finish(dbg);
         return res;
    printf(" [index] group section \n");
for (Dwarf_Unsigned i = 0; i < map_entry_count;++i) {</pre>
         printf(" [%5lu] %4lu %4lu %s\n",
              (unsigned long)i,
              (unsigned long)group_numbers_array[i],
              (unsigned long)sec_numbers_array[i],
             sec_names_array[i]);
    free (sec_names_array);
    free(sec_numbers_array);
    free(group_numbers_array);
    dwarf_finish(dbg);
return DW_DLV_OK;
/* Does not return */
static void
usage(void)
    printf("Usage: showsectiongroups [-group <n>] "
         "<objectfile> ...\n");
    printf("Usage: group defaults to zero (DW_GROUPNUMBER ANY)\n");
    exit(1);
/\star This trimming of the file path makes libdwarf regression
    testing easier by arranging baseline output not show the full path. \star/
trimpathprefix(char *out, unsigned int outlen, char *in)
    char *cpo = out;
char *cpi = in;
    char *suffix = 0;
    unsigned int lencopied = 0;
    for(; *cpi; ++cpi) {
    if (*cpi == '/') {
             suffix= cpi+1;
    if (suffix) {
         cpi = suffix;
    lencopied = 0;
    for( ; lencopied < outlen; ++cpo,++cpi)</pre>
          *cpo = *cpi;
          if (! *cpi) {
              return;
          ++lencopied;
    }
```

```
printf("FAIL copy file name: not terminated \n");
int
main(int argc, char **argv)
      int res = 0;
int i = 1;
      int chosengroup = DW_GROUPNUMBER_ANY;
      static char reportingpath[16000]; if (argc < 2) {
           usage();
            return 0;
      for ( ; i < argc; ++i) {</pre>
            char *arg = argv[i];
if (!strcmp(arg,"-group")) {
                  i++;
                  if(i >= argc) {
                       usage();
                  arg = argv[i];
                  arg - argv[r],
chosengroup = atoi(arg);
/* We are ignoring errors to simplify
    this source. Use strtol, carefully,
    in real code. */
                  continue;
            trimpathprefix(reportingpath, sizeof(reportingpath), arg);
           res = one_file_show_groups(arg,
    reportingpath,chosengroup);
printf("======done with %s, status %s\n",reportingpath,
    (res == DW_DLV_OK)?"DW_DLV_OK":
                 (res == DW_DLV_ERROR)?"DW_DLV_ERROR":
            "DW_DLV_NO_ENTRY");
printf("\n");
      return 0;
```

# **Chapter 10**

# **Data Structure Documentation**

## 10.1 Dwarf\_Block\_s Struct Reference

#### **Data Fields**

- Dwarf\_Unsigned bl\_len
- Dwarf\_Ptr bl\_data
- Dwarf\_Small bl\_from\_loclist
- Dwarf\_Unsigned bl\_section\_offset

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

/home/davea/dwarf/code/src/lib/libdwarf/libdwarf.h

## 10.2 Dwarf\_Cmdline\_Options\_s Struct Reference

#### **Data Fields**

Dwarf\_Bool check\_verbose\_mode

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

• /home/davea/dwarf/code/src/lib/libdwarf/libdwarf.h

## 10.3 Dwarf\_Debug\_Fission\_Per\_CU\_s Struct Reference

#### **Data Fields**

- const char \* pcu\_type
- Dwarf\_Unsigned pcu\_index
- Dwarf\_Sig8 pcu\_hash
- Dwarf\_Unsigned pcu\_offset [12]
- Dwarf\_Unsigned pcu\_size [12]
- Dwarf\_Unsigned unused1
- Dwarf\_Unsigned unused2

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

## 10.4 Dwarf\_Form\_Data16\_s Struct Reference

#### **Data Fields**

unsigned char fd\_data [16]

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

/home/davea/dwarf/code/src/lib/libdwarf/libdwarf.h

## 10.5 Dwarf\_Macro\_Details\_s Struct Reference

#include <libdwarf.h>

#### **Data Fields**

- Dwarf\_Off dmd\_offset
- · Dwarf Small dmd\_type
- Dwarf\_Signed dmd\_lineno
- Dwarf\_Signed dmd\_fileindex
- char \* dmd\_macro

#### 10.5.1 Detailed Description

This applies to DWARF2, DWARF3, and DWARF4 compilation units. DWARF5 .debug\_macro has its own function interface which does not use this struct.

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

/home/davea/dwarf/code/src/lib/libdwarf/libdwarf.h

### 10.6 Dwarf Obj Access Interface a s Struct Reference

#### **Data Fields**

- void \* ai object
- const Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Methods\_a \* ai\_methods

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

### 10.7 Dwarf Obj Access Methods a s Struct Reference

#include <libdwarf.h>

#### **Data Fields**

- int(\* om\_get\_section\_info )(void \*obj, Dwarf\_Half section\_index, Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Section\_a \*return
   \_section, int \*error)
- Dwarf\_Small(\* om\_get\_byte\_order )(void \*obj)
- Dwarf\_Small(\* om\_get\_length\_size )(void \*obj)
- Dwarf\_Small(\* om\_get\_pointer\_size )(void \*obj)
- Dwarf Unsigned(\* om\_get\_filesize)(void \*obj)
- Dwarf\_Unsigned(\* om\_get\_section\_count )(void \*obj)
- int(\* om\_load\_section )(void \*obj, Dwarf\_Half section\_index, Dwarf\_Small \*\*return\_data, int \*error)
- int(\* om\_relocate\_a\_section )(void \*obj, Dwarf\_Half section\_index, Dwarf\_Debug dbg, int \*error)

#### 10.7.1 Detailed Description

The functions we need to access object data from libdwarf are declared here.

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

/home/davea/dwarf/code/src/lib/libdwarf/libdwarf.h

## 10.8 Dwarf\_Obj\_Access\_Section\_a\_s Struct Reference

#### **Data Fields**

- const char \* as\_name
- Dwarf\_Unsigned as\_type
- Dwarf\_Unsigned as\_flags
- Dwarf Addr as addr
- Dwarf\_Unsigned as\_offset
- Dwarf\_Unsigned as\_size
- Dwarf\_Unsigned as\_link
- Dwarf Unsigned as info
- · Dwarf\_Unsigned as\_addralign
- Dwarf\_Unsigned as\_entrysize

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

## 10.9 Dwarf\_Printf\_Callback\_Info\_s Struct Reference

#### **Data Fields**

- void \* dp\_user\_pointer
- dwarf\_printf\_callback\_function\_type dp\_fptr
- char \* dp\_buffer
- unsigned int dp\_buffer\_len
- int dp\_buffer\_user\_provided
- void \* dp\_reserved

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

• /home/davea/dwarf/code/src/lib/libdwarf/libdwarf.h

## 10.10 Dwarf\_Ranges\_s Struct Reference

#### **Data Fields**

- Dwarf Addr dwr\_addr1
- Dwarf\_Addr dwr\_addr2
- enum Dwarf\_Ranges\_Entry\_Type dwr\_type

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

/home/davea/dwarf/code/src/lib/libdwarf/libdwarf.h

## 10.11 Dwarf\_Regtable3\_s Struct Reference

#### **Data Fields**

- struct Dwarf\_Regtable\_Entry3\_s rt3\_cfa\_rule
- Dwarf\_Half rt3\_reg\_table\_size
- struct Dwarf\_Regtable\_Entry3\_s \* rt3\_rules

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

## 10.12 Dwarf\_Regtable\_Entry3\_s Struct Reference

#### **Data Fields**

- Dwarf\_Small dw\_offset\_relevant
- Dwarf\_Small dw\_value\_type
- Dwarf\_Half dw\_regnum
- Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_offset
- Dwarf\_Unsigned dw\_args\_size
- Dwarf Block dw block

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

/home/davea/dwarf/code/src/lib/libdwarf/libdwarf.h

## 10.13 Dwarf\_Sig8\_s Struct Reference

#### **Data Fields**

• char signature [8]

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

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checkexamples.c contains what user code should be, hence the code typed here is PUBLIC DOMAIN.

It need not be compiled routinely nor should it ever be executed.

To verify syntatic correctness compile with

cc -c -Wall -O0 -Wpointer-arith \ -Wdeclaration-after-statement \ -Wextra -Wcomment -Wformat -Wpedantic - Wuninitialized \ -Wno-long-long -Wshadow -Wbad-function-cast \ -Wmissing-parameter-type -Wnested-externs \ -I../src/lib/libdwarf checkexamples.c

# 11.1 /home/davea/dwarf/code/src/bin/dwarfexample/jitreader.c File Reference

# 11.2 /home/davea/dwarf/code/src/bin/dwarfexample/showsectiongroups.c File Reference

dwarf.h contains all the identifiers such as DW\_TAG\_compile\_unit etc from the various versions of the DWARF Standard beginning with DWARF2 and containing all later Dwarf Standard identifiers.

In addition, it contains all user-defined identifiers that we have been able to find.

All identifiers here are C defines with the prefix "DW\_" . libdwarf.h contains all the type declarations and function function declarations needed to use the library. It is essential that coders include dwarf.h before including libdwarf.h.

All identifiers here in the public namespace begin with DW $_$  or Dwarf $_$  or dwarf $_$ . All function argument names declared here begin with dw $_$ .

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