

**NAME**

`ibv_get_pkey_index` – obtain the index in the P\_Key table of a P\_Key

**SYNOPSIS**

```
#include <infiniband/verbs.h>

int ibv_get_pkey_index(struct ibv_context *context,
                      uint8_t port_num,
                      __be16 pkey);
```

**DESCRIPTION**

Every InfiniBand HCA maintains a P\_Key table for each of its ports that is indexed by an integer and with a P\_Key in each element. Certain InfiniBand data structures that work with P\_Keys expect a P\_Key index, e.g. **struct ibv\_qp\_attr** and **struct ib\_mad\_addr**. Hence the function **ibv\_get\_pkey\_index()** that accepts a P\_Key in network byte order and that returns an index in the P\_Key table as result.

**RETURN VALUE**

**ibv\_get\_pkey\_index()** returns the P\_Key index on success, and `-1` on error.

**SEE ALSO**

**ibv\_open\_device(3)**, **ibv\_query\_device(3)**, **ibv\_query\_gid(3)**, **ibv\_query\_pkey(3)**, **ibv\_query\_port(3)**

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