## **NAME**

```
archive_entry_stat,
                        archive_entry_copy_stat,
                                                      archive_entry_filetype,
                              archive_entry_mode,
archive_entry_set_filetype,
                                                      archive entry set mode,
archive entry size, archive entry size is set,
                                                      archive entry set size,
                                                       archive_entry_set_dev,
archive_entry_unset_size,
                               archive_entry_dev,
archive_entry_dev_is_set,
                                                      archive_entry_devmajor,
archive_entry_set_devmajor,
                                                      archive_entry_devminor,
                                archive_entry_ino,
archive_entry_set_devminor,
                                                      archive_entry_set_ino,
{\tt archive\_entry\_ino\_is\_set}, \quad {\tt archive\_entry\_ino64}, \quad {\tt archive\_entry\_set\_ino64},
archive_entry_nlink,
                           archive_entry_rdev,
                                                      archive_entry_set_rdev,
archive_entry_rdevmajor,
                                                 archive_entry_set_rdevmajor,
archive_entry_rdevminor, archive_entry_set_rdevminor, — accessor functions for
manipulating archive entry descriptions
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## **SYNOPSIS**

```
#include <archive_entry.h>
const struct stat *
archive_entry_stat(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_copy_stat(struct archive_entry *a, const struct stat *sb);
mode t
archive_entry_filetype(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_set_filetype(struct archive_entry *a, unsigned int type);
mode t
archive entry mode(struct archive entry *a);
archive_entry_set_mode(struct archive_entry *a, mode_t mode);
int64 t
archive_entry_size(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_size_is_set(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_set_size(struct archive_entry *a, int64_t size);
void
archive_entry_unset_size(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_dev(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_set_dev(struct archive_entry *a, dev_t dev);
archive_entry_dev_is_set(struct archive_entry *a);
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dev t
archive_entry_devmajor(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_set_devmajor(struct archive_entry *a, dev_t major);
dev t
archive_entry_devminor(struct archive_entry *a);
archive entry set devminor(struct archive entry *a, dev t minor);
archive_entry_ino(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_set_ino(struct archive_entry *a, unsigned long ino);
archive_entry_ino_is_set(struct archive_entry *a);
int64 t
archive_entry_ino64(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_set_ino64(struct archive_entry *a, int64_t ino);
unsigned int
archive_entry_nlink(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_set_nlink(struct archive_entry *a, unsigned int count);
dev t
archive_entry_rdev(struct archive_entry *a);
dev t
archive_entry_rdevmajor(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_rdevminor(struct archive_entry *a);
void
archive entry set rdev(struct archive entry *a, dev t dev);
archive_entry_set_rdevmajor(struct archive_entry *a, dev_t major);
archive_entry_set_rdevminor(struct archive_entry *a, dev_t minor);
```

# DESCRIPTION

Copying to and from struct stat

The function <code>archive\_entry\_stat()</code> converts the various fields stored in the archive entry to the format used by <code>stat(2)</code>. The return value remains valid until either <code>archive\_entry\_clear()</code> or <code>archive\_entry\_free()</code> is called. It is not affected by calls to the set accessor functions. It currently sets the following values in <code>struct stat: st\_atime</code>, <code>st\_ctime</code>, <code>st\_dev</code>, <code>st\_gid</code>, <code>st\_ino</code>, <code>st\_mode</code>, <code>st\_mtime</code>, <code>st\_nlink</code>, <code>st\_rdev</code>, <code>st\_size</code>, <code>st\_uid</code>. In addition, <code>st\_birthtime</code> and high-precision information for time-related fields will be included on platforms that support it.

The function **archive\_entry\_copy\_stat**() copies fields from the platform's *struct stat*. Fields not provided by *struct stat* are unchanged.

#### **General accessor functions**

The functions **archive\_entry\_filetype()** and **archive\_entry\_set\_filetype()** get respectively set the filetype. The file type is one of the following constants:

AE\_IFREG Regular file

AE\_IFLNK Symbolic link

AE IFSOCK Socket

AE\_IFCHR Character device

AE IFBLK Block device

AE\_IFDIR Directory

AE\_IFIFO Named pipe (fifo)

Not all file types are supported by all platforms. The constants used by stat(2) may have different numeric values from the corresponding constants above.

The functions archive\_entry\_mode() and archive\_entry\_set\_mode() get/set a combination of file type and permissions and provide the equivalent of *st\_mode*. Use of archive\_entry\_filetype() and archive\_entry\_perm() for getting and archive\_entry\_set\_filetype() and archive\_entry\_set\_perm() for setting is recommended.

The function archive\_entry\_size() returns the file size, if it has been set, and 0 otherwise. archive\_entry\_size() can be used to query that status. archive\_entry\_set\_size() and archive\_entry\_unset\_size() set and unset the size, respectively.

The number of references (hardlinks) can be obtained by calling **archive\_entry\_nlinks**() and set with **archive\_entry\_set\_nlinks**().

# **Identifying unique files**

The functions **archive\_entry\_dev**() and **archive\_entry\_ino64**() are used by archive\_entry\_linkify(3) to find hardlinks. The pair of device and inode is suppossed to identify hardlinked files.

The device major and minor number can be obtained independently using archive\_entry\_devmajor() and archive\_entry\_devminor(). The device can be set either via archive\_entry\_set\_dev() or by the combination of major and minor number using archive\_entry\_set\_devmajor() and archive\_entry\_set\_devminor().

The inode number can be obtained using **archive\_entry\_ino**(). This is a legacy interface that uses the platform <code>ino\_t</code>, which may be very small. To set the inode number, **archive\_entry\_set\_ino64**() is the preferred interface.

## Accessor functions for block and character devices

Block and character devices are characterised either using a device number or a pair of major and minor number. The combined device number can be obtained with <code>archive\_device\_rdev()</code> and set with <code>archive\_device\_set\_rdev()</code>. The major and minor numbers are accessed by <code>archive\_device\_rdevmajor()</code>, <code>archive\_device\_rdevminor()</code> archive\_device\_set\_rdevmajor() and <code>archive\_device\_set\_rdevminor()</code>.

The process of splitting the combined device number into major and minor number and the reverse process of combing them differs between platforms. Some archive formats use the combined form, while other formats use the split form.

# SEE ALSO

 $\label{lem:archive} \verb|archive| archive| entry_acl(3), archive_entry_perms(3), archive_entry_time(3), \\ \verb|stat(2)|$