NAME

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archive_entry_atime, archive_entry_atime_nsec, archive_entry_atime_is_set,
archive_entry_set_atime,
                                                  archive_entry_unset_atime,
archive_entry_birthtime,
                                              archive_entry_birthtime_nsec,
archive_entry_birthtime_is_set,
                                                archive_entry_set_birthtime,
archive_entry_unset_birthtime,
                                                        archive_entry_ctime,
archive_entry_ctime_nsec,
                                                 archive_entry_ctime_is_set,
archive_entry_set_ctime, archive_entry_unset_ctime, archive_entry_mtime,
archive_entry_mtime_nsec,
                                                 archive_entry_mtime_is_set,
archive_entry_set_mtime, archive_entry_unset_mtime — functions for manipulating
times in archive entry descriptions
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LIBRARY

Streaming Archive Library (libarchive, -larchive)

SYNOPSIS

```
#include <archive_entry.h>
time_t
archive_entry_atime(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_atime_nsec(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_atime_is_set(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_set_atime(struct archive_entry *a, time_t sec, long nanosec);
void
archive_entry_unset_atime(struct archive_entry *a);
time_t
archive_entry_birthtime(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_birthtime_nsec(struct archive_entry *a);
int
archive_entry_birthtime_is_set(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_set_birthtime(struct archive_entry *a, time_t sec,
    long nanosec);
archive_entry_unset_birthtime(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_ctime(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_ctime_nsec(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_ctime_is_set(struct archive_entry *a);
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void
archive_entry_set_ctime(struct archive_entry *a, time_t sec, long nanosec);
archive_entry_unset_ctime(struct archive_entry *a);
time_t
archive_entry_mtime(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_mtime_nsec(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_mtime_is_set(struct archive_entry *a);
archive_entry_set_mtime(struct archive_entry *a, time_t sec, long nanosec);
archive_entry_unset_mtime(struct archive_entry *a);
```

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DESCRIPTION

These functions create and manipulate the time fields in an archive_entry. Supported time fields are atime (access time), birthtime (creation time), ctime (last time an inode property was changed) and mtime (modification time).

libarchive(3) provides a high-resolution interface. The timestamps are truncated automatically depending on the archive format (for archiving) or the filesystem capabilities (for restoring).

All timestamp fields are optional. The **XXX_unset**() functions can be used to mark the corresponding field as missing. The current state can be queried using XXX_is_set(). Unset time fields have a second and nanosecond field of 0.

SEE ALSO

```
archive_entry(3), libarchive(3)
```

HISTORY

The **libarchive** library first appeared in FreeBSD 5.3.

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