

4.3.2.8 MRAPI_SEM_TRYLOCK

NAME

mrapi_sem_trylock

SYNOPSIS

```
mrapi_boolean_t mrapi_sem_trylock(  
    MRAPI_IN mrapi_sem_hdl_t sem,  
    MRAPI_OUT mrapi_status_t* status  
);
```

DESCRIPTION

This function attempts to obtain a single lock on the semaphore. If the lock can't be obtained because all the available locks are already locked (by this node and/or others) then the function will immediately return `MRAPI_FALSE` and status will be set to `MRAPI_SUCCESS`. If the request can't be satisfied for any other reason, then this function will immediately return `MRAPI_FALSE` and status will be set to the appropriate error code below.

RETURN VALUE

Returns `MRAPI_TRUE` if the lock was acquired, returns `MRAPI_FALSE` otherwise. If there was an error then `*status` will be set to indicate the error from the table below, otherwise `*status` will indicate `MRAPI_SUCCESS`. If the lock could not be obtained then `*status` will be either `MRAPI_ELOCKED` or one of the error conditions in the table below. When extended error checking is enabled, if this function is called on a semaphore that no longer exists, an `MRAPI_ERR_SEM_DELETED` error code will be returned. When extended error checking is disabled, the `MRAPI_ERR_SEM_INVALID` error will be returned.

ERRORS

<code>MRAPI_ERR_SEM_INVALID</code>	Argument is not a valid semaphore handle.
<code>MRAPI_ERR_SEM_DELETED</code>	If the semaphore has been deleted then if <code>MRAPI_ERROR_EXT</code> attribute is set, MRAPI will return <code>MRAPI_ERR_SEM_DELETED</code> otherwise MRAPI will just return <code>MRAPI_ERR_SEM_INVALID</code> .
<code>MRAPI_ERR_NODE_NOTINIT</code>	The calling node is not initialized.

NOTE

SEE ALSO