

GitHub - gentilkiwi/kekeo: A little toolbox to play with Microsoft Kerberos in C

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`kekeo` is a little toolbox I have started to manipulate Microsoft Kerberos in C (and for fun)

ASN.1 library

In `kekeo`, I use an external commercial library to deal with Kerberos ASN.1 structures: **OSS ASN.1/C** (<http://www.oss.com/asn1/products/asn1-c/asn1-c.html>)

It was the **only** code generator/library that I've found to work easily with Microsoft C project.

- works without a lots of dependencies;
- magical documentation;
- wonderful support for my stupid questions;
- had a binary that work only few hours after started my project...

They were kind enough to offer me a 1-year licence.

With this one, I'm able to let you download binaries that run in your environment.

So don't forget to thank them (<http://www.oss.com/company/contact-us.html> / <https://twitter.com/OSSNokalva>)

Limitations

- Binaries will work until December 21, 2017 (yeah, 1 year licence ;));
- You must buy a licence from **OSS ASN.1/C** (or *download a trial version*) to build `kekeo` solution/adapt it.
 - <http://www.oss.com/asn1/products/asn1-c/asn1-c.html>
 - When you register for a free trial, don't forget to refer me in the description field ;) (`kekeo` or `gentilkiwi`)

Building `kekeo` with ASN.1/C

You **can't** build `kekeo` out-of-the-box, you have to generate C files and link with OSS libraries.

After downloading and installing a commercial/trial version of **OSS ASN.1/C**, `Win32` and/or `x64` :

1. Open a command prompt in `($kekeo)\modules\asn1`
2. Adapt the `ASN1C` variable to your ASN.1/C configuration (architecture & version)

```
set ASN1C="C:\Program Files\OSS Nokalva\ossasn1\winx64\10.4.0"
```

3. Depending on the targeted lib architecture:

- o Win32

```
%ASN1C%\bin\asn1.exe ^
%ASN1C%\asn1dflt\asn1dflt.ms.zp4 ^
KerberosV5Spec2.asn KerberosV5-PK-INIT-SPEC.asn PKIX1Explicit88.asn PKINIT.asn MS-SFU-KILE.asn ^
-noSampleCode -der -root -CStyleComments -externalName kekeo_asn1 -messageFormat msvc -verbose ^
-headerFile kull_m_kerberos_oss_asn1_internal.h -soedFile kull_m_kerberos_oss_asn1_internal_Win
```

- o x64

```
%ASN1C%\bin\asn1.exe ^
%ASN1C%\asn1dflt\asn1dflt.msx64.zp8 ^
KerberosV5Spec2.asn KerberosV5-PK-INIT-SPEC.asn PKIX1Explicit88.asn PKINIT.asn MS-SFU-KILE.asn ^
-noSampleCode -der -root -CStyleComments -externalName kekeo_asn1 -messageFormat msvc -verbose ^
-headerFile kull_m_kerberos_oss_asn1_internal.h -soedFile kull_m_kerberos_oss_asn1_internal_x64
```

Header file `kull_m_kerberos_oss_asn1_internal.h` is the same for both architecture.

4. Copy from **OSS ASN.1/C** install dir (eg: `C:\Program Files\OSS Nokalva\ossasn1\winx64\10.4.0`)

- o `include\ossasn1.h` to `($kekeo)\inc`
- o `include\osstype.h` to `($kekeo)\inc`
- o `lib\soeddefa.lib` to `($kekeo)\lib\{Win32 or x64}`
- o `lib\ossiphlp.lib` to `($kekeo)\lib\{Win32 or x64}`

You can now build the `kekeo` solution in **Visual Studio**

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Source: <https://github.com/gentilkiwi/kekeo>