
PyAC Documentation

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Autocrypt Level 1 implementation using PGPpy . Initially part of py-autocrypt, which uses GnuPG.

CHAPTER 1

Documentation

A more extensive online documentation is available in [Read the docs](#). The documentation source is in [this repository](#).

CHAPTER 2

Installation

See [Installation and Running](#)

CHAPTER 3

Download

You can download this project in either [zip](#) or [tar](#) formats.

You can also clone the project with Git by running:

```
git clone https://github.com/juga0/pyac
```


CHAPTER 4

Bugs and features

If you wish to signal a bug or report a feature request, please fill-in an issue on the [pyac issue tracker](#).

CHAPTER 5

Current status

WIP, still not recommended for end users. Testers welcomed.

See [TODO](#)

CHAPTER 6

License

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Autocrypt

7.1 Installation

7.1.1 Installation for developers

It is recommended to install `pyac` in a python virtual environment.

Check <https://virtualenv.pypa.io/en/latest/installation.html>. In Debian:

```
sudo apt install python-virtualenv
```

Create a virtual environment:

```
mkdir ~/.virtualenvs
virtualenv ~/.virtualenvs/pyacenv
source ~/.virtualenvs/pyacenv/bin/activate
```

Get the sources:

```
git clone https://github.com/juga0/pyac
```

Install it:

```
pip install -e .
```

7.2 Running

An updated command line usage description can be obtained with:

autocrypt -h

At the time of writing the output is:

usage: autocrypt [-h] [-version] [-d] [-m PGPHOME] [-l] [-n NEWACCOUNT] [-r NEWPEER] [-a] [-g] [-u] [-p PASSPHRASE] [-c] [-f FROMH] [-t TO] [-s SUBJECT] [-b BODY] [-e PE] [-i INPUT] [-o OUTPUT]

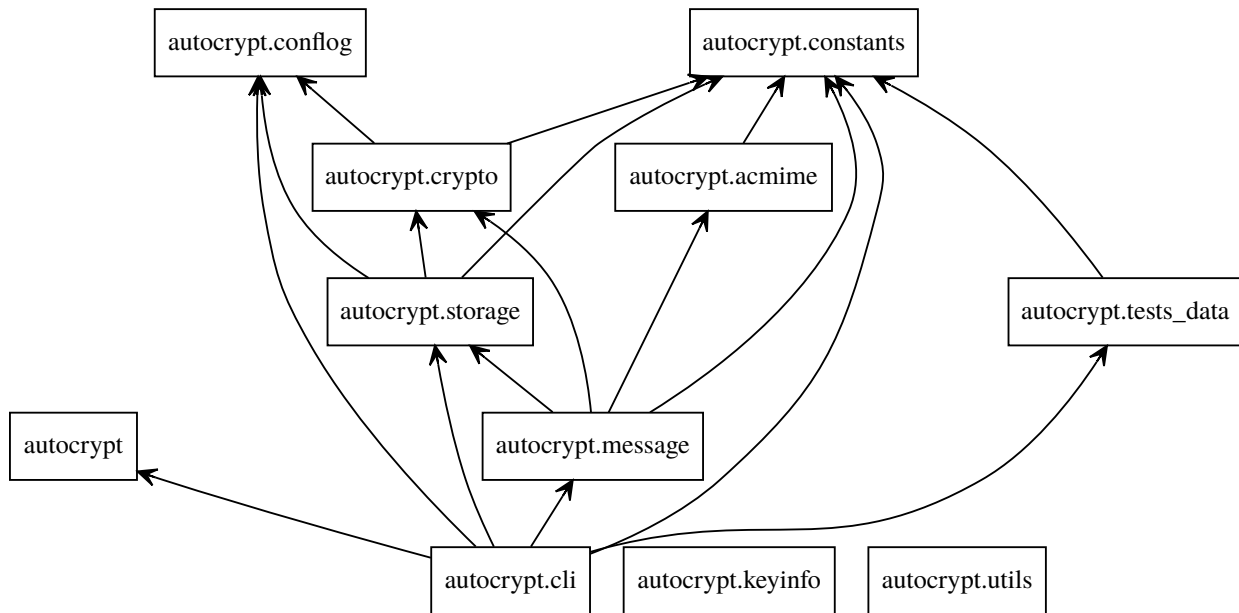
optional arguments:

-h, --help	show this help message and exit
--version	show program's version number and exit
-d, --debug	Set logging level to debug
-m PGPHOME, --pgphome PGPHOME	Path to Autocrypt home, ~/.pyac by default
-l, --list	List account and peers
-n NEWACCOUNT, --newaccount NEWACCOUNT	Email address for the new account. It will also generate new OpenPGP keys.
-r NEWPEER, --newpeer NEWPEER	Email address for the new peer.
-a, --genac	Generate Autocrypt Email. Use -f, -t, -s, -b, or the defaults will be use
-g, --genag	Generate Autocrypt Gossip Email
-u, --genas	Generate Autocrypt Setup Email
-p PASSPHRASE, --passphrase PASSPHRASE	Passphrase to generate an Autocrypt Setup Email
-c, --genasc	Generate Autocrypt Setup Code
-f FROMH, --fromh FROMH	Email sender address and OpenPGP UID
-t TO, --to TO	Email recipient addresses separatade by comma
-s SUBJECT, --subject SUBJECT	Subject for the Autocrypt Email
-b BODY, --body BODY	Body for the Autocrypt Email
-e PE, --pe PE	prefer-encrypt for the Autocrypt Email
-i INPUT, --input INPUT	Path to the Email to parse, by default: /home/user/_my/code/mailencrypt-related/pyac/tests/data/example-simple-autocrypt- pyac.eml
-o OUTPUT, --output OUTPUT	Path to store the Autocrypt Email, by default: /tmp/output.eml

An useful argument when reporting bugs is -d.

7.3 Diagrams

7.3.1 Package diagram



7.4 PyAC Python API Reference

7.4.1 autocrpyt package

autocrpyt.acmime module

```

class autocrpyt.acmime.MIMEApplicationACSetupPayload(_data, _subtype='autocrpyt-
                                                    setup', _encoder=<function
                                                    encode_noop>, **_params)

```

Bases: email.mime.application.MIMEApplication

Class for generating application/autocrpyt-setup MIME documents.

```

class autocrpyt.acmime.MIMEMultipartACSetup(_data=None, _subtype='mixed', bound-
                                              ary=None, **_params)

```

Bases: email.mime.multipart.MIMEMultipart

Base class for MIME multipart/mixed including application/autocrpyt-setup.

```
class autocrypt.acmime.MIMETextACSetupDescription(_data='This message contains all
information to transfer your Autocryptnsettings along with your se-
cret key securely from your original-
ndevice.nnTo set up your new device
for Autocrypt, please follow thenin-
structions that should be presented
by your new device.nnYou can keep
this message and use it as a backup
for your secretnkey. If you want to
do this, you should write down the
Setup Codenand store it securely.n',
_subtype='plain')
```

Bases: email.mime.text.MIMEText

Class for generating text/plain MIME documents.

autocrypt.conflog module

Logging configuration.

autocrypt.constants module

autocrypt.test_data module

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autocrypt.crypto module

autocrypt.message module

7.5 TODO

- [] Implement recommendations

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