

**NAME**

CURLINFO\_NUM\_CONNECTS – get number of created connections

**SYNOPSIS**

```
#include <curl/curl.h>
```

```
CURLcode curl_easy_getinfo(CURL *handle, CURLINFO_NUM_CONNECTS, long *nump);
```

**DESCRIPTION**

Pass a pointer to a long to receive how many new connections libcurl had to create to achieve the previous transfer (only the successful connects are counted). Combined with *CURLINFO\_REDIRECT\_COUNT(3)* you are able to know how many times libcurl successfully reused existing connection(s) or not. See the connection options of *curl\_easy\_setopt(3)* to see how libcurl tries to make persistent connections to save time.

**PROTOCOLS**

All

**EXAMPLE**

TODO

**AVAILABILITY**

Added in 7.12.3

**RETURN VALUE**

Returns CURLE\_OK if the option is supported, and CURLE\_UNKNOWN\_OPTION if not.

**SEE ALSO**

*curl\_easy\_getinfo(3)*, *curl\_easy\_setopt(3)*,