

# H5R\_CREATE\_REGION

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Creates a region reference

## Procedure:

H5R\_CREATE\_REGION ( loc\_id, name, space\_id, oapl\_id, ref\_ptr )

## Signature:

```
herr_t H5Rcreate_region ( hid_t loc_id, const char *name, hid_t space_id, hid_t oapl_id, H5R_ref_t *ref_ptr )
```

## Parameters:

<i>hid_t</i> loc_id	IN: Location identifier
<i>const char *</i> name	IN: Name of object
<i>hid_t</i> space_id	IN: Dataspace identifier
<i>hid_t</i> oapl_id	IN: Valid object access property list identifier
<i>H5R_ref_t *</i> ref_ptr	OUT: Pointer to reference <i>H5R_ref_t</i> is defined in H5Rpublic.h as: <code>typedef unsigned char H5R_ref_t[H5R_REF_BUF_SIZE];</code>

**Description:**

H5R\_CREATE\_REGION creates the reference, `ref_ptr`, pointing to the region represented by `space_id` within the object named `name` located at `loc_id`.

The parameters `loc_id` and `name` are used to locate the object. The parameter `space_id` identifies the dataset region that a dataset region reference points to.

The parameter `oapl_id` is an object access property list identifier for the referenced object. The access property list must be of the same type as the object being referenced, that is a dataset property list in this case.

**Returns:**

Returns a non-negative value if successful; otherwise returns a negative value.

**Example:**

None

**History:**

Release	Change
1.12.0	C function was introduced in this release.

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