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Part A:

Video I/O



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Note

For a general overview of TriMedia device libraries, see Chapter 5, Device Libraries, of Book 3, Software Architecture, Part A.

Video In/Out API Overview

The TriMedia Video device library provides a set of functions for accessing the Video-in and Video-out peripherals available on TriMedia processors. The TriMedia Video device library controls the Video-in and Video-out hardware on the TriMedia, providing specific functions for controlling video encoders and decoders. It is relinkable with other programs, giving you total control of the hardware. It allows you to:

- Optimize Interrupt Service Routines (ISR) in order to meet application requirements.
- Create vendor-specific initialization and configuration routines for on-board chips, such as a decoder that works with TriMedia Video-in and an encoder that works with the TriMedia Video-out component.

The example applications show how the Video device library can be used on its own without a traditional device-driver structure. In a given operating system, it may or may not be useful to create a standard device driver for this peripheral. However, if you decide to create a device driver, the Video In/Out API should be very helpful.

Introduction

The Video In/Out (VI/VO) peripheral provides a digitized stream of video or data into or out of SDRAM. VI and VO have two operation modes:

- Video Stream Input, in which VI/VO interfaces with the decoder/encoder on the board.
- Data Streaming, in which VI/VO interfaces with decoder/encoder, without data selection or data interpretation.

The Enhanced Video Out unit (EVO) is not part of the TriMedia processor. EVO features are controlled through MMIO (EVO_xxx) registers, and the EVO_ENABLE bit in the EVO_CTL register.

viOpen and voOpen

VI/VO starts by claiming a device using one of the viOpen, viOpenM, voOpen, or voOpenM functions.

Instance Setup

Initialization then starts with a call to **vilnstanceSetup** or **volnstanceSetup** that sets up the basic functionality and initializes the specified decoder/encoder. It sets the common fields between the two modes of operation. After that, you can choose from:

- viYUVSetup and voYUVSetup for the video modes operation.
- viRawSetup and voRawSetup for the data streaming modes of operation.

Changing Buffers

A special interface offers fast buffer switching. It is implemented with the macros:

- viYUVChangeBuffer/voYUVChangeBuffer(instance, Y, U, V)
- viRawChangeBuffer1/voRawChangeBuffer1(instance, B),
- viRawChangeBuffer2/voRawChangeBuffer2(instance, B)

The Rest

The functions viStart/voStart and viStop/voStop start and stop the device.

The functions viClose/voClose close the device and free memory allocated for the instance.

Some decoder control functions are available:

```
viSetBrightness viSetContrast viDetectColorStandard viSetSaturation viSetHue
```

Several decoder functions support VBI data processing, internal scaling, and other features.

Caveats

There are a number of hardware bugs in the earlier versions of the TM-1*xxx* chips. Most of them have been addressed. Please read the errata carefully before operating VI/VO.

Error Codes

The error codes returned by the functions of the Video In/Out API are defined in the tmLibdevErr.h.

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viYUVModes t

```
typedef enum {
  viFULLRES = Ø,
  viHALFRES = 1,
} viYUVModes_t;
```

Description

Enumerates the possible video-in modes of the VI peripheral. These are used when VI interfaces to a digital or analog camera. Refer to the appropriate TriMedia data book for more information.

viRawModes t

```
typedef enum {
  viSTREAM8 = 2,
  viSTREAM1ØS = 3,
  viSTREAM1ØU = 4,
  viMESSAGE = 5,
} viRawModes_t;
```

Description

Enumerates the data streaming modes that VI can be set in. These modes are used when VI interfaces with an A/D raw input channel. Refer to the appropriate TriMedia data book for more information.

viCapabilities_t

```
typedef struct {
  tmVersion_t version;
  Int numSupportedInstances;
  Int numCurrentInstances;
  char codecName[16];
  UInt32 videoStandards;
  UInt32 adapterTypes;
} viCapabilities_t, *pviCapabilities_t;
```

Fields

version	Version of the video in library component.
numSupportedInstances	Number of instances that are supported by the processor.
numCurrentInstances	Number of instances currently in use.
codecName[16]	Name of the video encoder on the board as returned by the board init routine.
videoStandards	OR'd bitmask of video standards supported by the encoder on the board.
adapterTypes	OR'd bitmask of video standards supported by the

Description

The capabilities of the VI library component can be investigated using **viGetCapabilities** or **viGetCapabilitiesM**. These return a pointer to a read-only data structure of the type **viCapabilities_t** as described here.

encoder on the board.

viRawSetup_t

```
typedef struct {
  Boo1
                  buf1fullEnable;
  Boo1
                  buf2fullEnable;
  Boo1
                  overflowEnable;
  Boo1
                  overrunEnable;
  viRawModes_t
                  mode:
  UInt
                  size;
  Pointer
                  base1,base2;
} viRawSetup_t, *pviRawSetup_t;
```

Fields

buf1fullEnable	Enables the interrupt when buffer 1 is full.
buf2fullEnable	Enables the interrupt when buffer 2 is full.
overflowEnable	Used in message passing mode.
overrunEnable	Used in raw mode.
mode	The data streaming mode in which VI has to operate.
size	Size of buffers, in bytes.
base1, base2	Pointers to buffers.

Description

viRawSetup_t is used when VI is used in data streaming mode. This structure should be used with the **viRawSetup** function.

viYUVSetup_t

```
typedef struct {
                 thresholdReachedEnable;
   Boo1
   Boo1
                 captureCompleteEnable;
                 cositedSampling;
   Boo1
   viYUVModes_t mode;
                 yThreshold;
   UInt
                 startX, startY;
   UInt
   UInt
                 width;
   UInt
                 height;
   Pointer
                 yBase,
                         uBase,
                                 vBase;
   UInt
                 yDelta, uDelta, vDelta;
} viYUVSetup_t, *pviYUVSetup_t;
```

Fields	
thresholdReachedEnable	Enable interrupt whenever the threshold is reached.
captureCompleteEnable	Enable interrupt when capture is completed.
cositedSampling	Co-sited sampling, as opposed to interspersed sampling; refer to the appropriate TriMedia data book for more information.
mode	The data streaming mode in which VI has to operate.
yThreshold	The line where the threshold interrupt should be generated; refer to the appropriate TriMedia data book for more information.
startX	Defines the starting pixel number or x-coordinate for sampling; this must be an even number.
startY	Defines the starting pixel number or y-coordinate for sampling.
width	Defines the width of the captured image; this must be an even number.
height	Defines the height of the captured image.
yBase, uBase, vBase	Pointers to variables in which the captured data is to be stored.
yDelta, uDelta, vDelta	The address differences between the last sample of a line and the address of the first sample of the next line; all deltas should be chosen such that the line start addresses are 64-byte aligned.

Description

This structure should be used with the viYUVInstanceSetup function.

vilnstanceSetup t

Fields

hbeEnable Enables highway bandwidth errors.

interrupt Priority VI interrupt priority.

isr Pointer to the interrupt service routine.

videoStandard Default standard: the decoder will try to locate

the standard but if that fails, this is the default.

adapterType Uses vaaCVBS or vaaSvideo adapters.

Description

This can be used as the common initialization structure among all video-in modes of operation, including image and data streaming modes. It should be passed to **vilnstanc-eSetup**, which performs the initial programming of the video-in peripheral. After this generic setup, use either **viYUVSetup** or **viRawSetup** to complete the initialization.

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viGetNumberOfUnits

```
tmLibdevErr_t viGetNumberOfUnits (
    UInt32 *pNumberOfUnits));

Parameters

pNumberOfUnits Pointer to variable in which to return the number of video-in units available.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.
```

Description

This function determines the number of video-in peripherals available.

viGetCapabilities

```
tmLibdevErr_t viGetCapabilities (
   pviCapabilities_t *cap
);
```

Parameters

cap

Pointer to a variable in which to return a pointer to the capabilities data.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK

Success.

Description

Provided so that a system resource controller can determine information about the default video-in device before installing it. The **cap** pointer is valid until the video-in library is unloaded. This function will return the capabilities of the default video-in peripheral (i.e. **unit0**).

viGetCapabilitiesM

```
tmLibdevErr_t viGetCapabilitiesM (
   pviCapabilities_t *cap,
   unitSelect_t unitName
);
```

Parameters

Pointer to a variable in which to return a pointer

to capabilities data.

unitName Name of the hardware unit whose capabilities are

required.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

Description

Provided so that a system resource controller can determine information about the specified video-in unit before installing it. The **cap** pointer is valid until the video-in library is unloaded.

vilnstanceSetup

Parameters

instance	vi instance to set up.
setup	Pointer to a structure containing new parameters.

Return Codes

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TMLIBDEV_OK	Success.
VI_ERR_INVALID_DECODER_INT	Returned if the board has no initialization routine to initialize a VI decoder.
BOARD_ERR_UNSUPPORTED_STANDARD	Returned if either video standard or adapter type are not supported by the board video decoder, and any error returned by calls to the board or interrupt library components.
TMLIBDEV_ERR_NOT_OWNER	In the debug version of the library, this assertion is triggered if instance does not match the owner.
TMLIBDEV_ERR_NULL_PARAMETER	In the debug version of the library, this assert is triggered if the setup pointer is Null.

Description

This function initializes instance setup parameters, sets VI endianness to the endianness of current execution, programs the VI clock to external mode, initializes the decoder on the board (see Chapter 19, *TMBoard API* in Book 5, *System Utilities*, Part C) by calling the appropriate functions in the board library, and prepares the device for either data streaming mode or video mode.

This function should be called before viYUVSetup, or viRawSetup.

Related Functions

viOpen, viOpenM, viRawSetup, and viYUVSetup.

viYUVSetup

Parameters

instance VI instance to set up.

setup Pointer to a structure containing new parameters.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

TMLIBDEV_ERR_NOT_OWNER In the debug version of the library, this assertion

is triggered if instance does not match the owner.

TMLIBDEV_ERR_NULL_PARAMETER In the debug version of the library, this assert is

triggered if the setup pointer is Null.

Description

Sets or changes instance setup parameters in the YUV operation mode. This function checks that every parameter in the viYUVSetup_t structure is correct according to the alignment requirements (see viYUVSetup_t and the appropriate TriMedia data book), and calls the macro viSetWIDTH macro according to the desired mode (full or half resolution).

This function assumes that vilnstanceSetup has already been called.

Related Functions

vilnstanceSetup, viStart.

viRawSetup

```
tmLibdevErr_t viRawSetup(
                  instance,
   viRawSetup_t *setup
);
```

Parameters

instance	VI instance to set up.
setup	Pointer to a structure containing new parameters.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK	Success. In the debug version there are appropriate alignment and size assertions.
TMLIBDEV_ERR_NOT_OWNER	In the debug version of the library, this assertion is triggered if the instance does not match the owner.

TMLIBDEV_ERR_NULL_PARAMETER In the debug version of the library, this assert is triggered if the setup pointer is Null.

Description

This function sets and changes instance setup parameters in the Raw operation mode. It assumes vilnstanceSetup has already been called.

Related Functions

vilnstanceSetup, viStart.

vi0pen

```
tmLibdevErr_t viOpen (
    Int *instance
);
```

Parameters

instance

Pointer to a unique instance ID that is set when the default VI device is opened successfully.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK

Success.

 ${\tt TMLIBDEV_ERR_NO_MORE_INSTANCES}$

Returned when all possible instances have been allocated. Returned by the interrupts library component when the video-in interrupt vector is already in use.

Description

This function attempts to open the default video-in device (i.e. unit0), and if successful assigns a unique video-in instance for the caller. This API function should be called first to obtain an instance before any further initialization is performed. It resets the default video-in device using the viAckRESET macro, and initializes the associated interrupt.

Related Functions

viOpenM, viInstanceSetup, viClose.

vi0penM

```
tmLibdevErr_t viOpenM (
    Int     *instance
    unitSelect_t unitName
);
```

Parameters

Pointer to a unique instance ID that is set when the default VI device is opened successfully.

unitName The hardware unit to open.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

TMLIBDEV_ERR_NO_MORE_INSTANCES Returned when all possible instances have been

allocated. Returned by the interrupts library component when the video-in interrupt vector is

already in use.

Description

This function attempts to open the specified video-in device, and if successful assigns a unique video-in instance for the caller. This API function should be called first to obtain an instance. It resets the required video-in device (viAckRESET macro), and initializes the associated interrupt.

Related Functions

viOpen, viInstanceSetup, viClose.

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viClose

```
tmLibdevErr_t viClose(
    Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance

VI instance to release.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK

Success.

(other error codes)

Various other errors returned by the interrupt library component when deallocation of the interrupt failed, or when the video encoder's ter-

mination function has failed.

Description

This function is used to close an instance. It calls the board's video decoder termination function if one installed. It resets the associated video-in device (viAckRESET macro), and closes the interrupt opened by viOpen/viOpenM.

Related Functions

viStart, and the board video-in decoder's term_func.

viStart

```
tmLibdevErr_t viStart (
    Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance

VI instance to start.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK

Success.

VI_ERR_INITIALIZATION_NOT_COMPLETE

Returned when the initialization is not complete: either vilnstanceSetup is not called, or no call is made to either viYUVSetup or viRawSetup.

Description

This function starts the video-in unit associated with the instance. It checks the validity of the instance, and calls the macro viEnableENABLE.

Related Functions

vilnstanceSetup, viRawSetup, viYUVSetup, and viStop.

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viStop

```
tmLibdevErr_t viStop(
    Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance

VI instance to stop.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK

Success.

Description

This will stop the video-in peripheral associated with the instance. After being called, the associated video interrupt will be disabled.

Related Functions

viStart.

viYUVChangeBuffer

```
void viYUVChangeBuffer(
   Int          instance,
   Pointer   Y,
   Pointer   U,
   Pointer   V
);
```

Parameters

instance	VI instance to change.
Υ	New Y (luminance) buffer pointer.
U	New U (chrominanc)e buffer pointer.
V	New V (chrominance) buffer pointer.

Return Codes

There is no return code because this function is implemented as a macro.

Description

This function specifies new capture buffers and modifies the pointers directly without instance checking. It uses the macros viSetY_BASE_ADR, viSetU_BASE_ADR, viSetV_BASE_ADR (look at tmVI.h).

viRawChangeBuffer1

```
void viRawChangeBuffer1(
   Int     instance,
   Pointer buffer
);
```

Parameters

instance VI instance to change.

buffer New buffer pointer for buffer 1.

Return Codes

There is no return code because this function is implemented as a macro.

Description

Sets a new buffer and modifies the pointers directly without instance checking. It uses the macro viSetBASE1 (refer to tmVI.h).

viRawChangeBuffer2

```
void viRawChangeBuffer2(
   Int instance,
   Pointer buffer
);
```

Parameters

instance VI instance to change.

buffer New buffer pointer for buffer 2.

Return Codes

There is no return code since this is implemented as a macro.

Description

Sets a new buffer and modifies the pointers directly without instance checking. It uses the macro viSetBASE2 (refer to tmVI.h).

viConfigureDecoder

```
tmLibdevErr_t viConfigureDecoder(
   Int          instance,
   UInt32          subaddr,
   UInt32          value,
);
```

Parameters

instance VI instance to configure.
subaddr IIC subaddress to be modified.

value New value to be stored on the sub address.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the configure function for the video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the board support package

(BSP).

Description

Configures the board's decoder according to the data passed in. This function calls the appropriate function in the board library, depending upon the installed board (currently IREF or DEBUG). For IREF boards, it calls saa7111Configure.

Related Functions

The board video decoder's configure function.

viGetColorStandard

Parameters

instance VI instance.

colorStandard Pointer to the color standard detected. When the

function is not implemented, this will be vas-

None.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION The board does not implement the getColor-

Standard function for the video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Detects the board's decoder color standard when this functionality is implemented by the board. (Refer to Chapter 19, *TMBoard API*, in Book 5, *System Utilities*, Part C.)

Related Functions

The board video-decoder's **getColorStandard** function.

viSetBrightness

```
tmLibdevErr_t viSetBrightness(
   Int instance,
   UInt level
);
```

Parameters

instance VI instance.
level Brightness level.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

 ${\tt BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION} \quad \text{Returned when the board does not implement}$

the setBrightness function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Calls the boards video-decoder **setBrightness** function when this functionality is implemented by the board. (Refer to Chapter 19, *TMBoard API*, in Book 5, *System Utilities*, Part C.)

viSetContrast

```
tmLibdevErr_t viSetContrast(
   Int instance,
   UInt level
);
```

Parameters

instance VI instance.
level Contrast level.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION The board does not implement the setContrast

function for the video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Sets the board's decoder contrast level when this functionality is implemented by the board. (Refer to Chapter 19, *TMBoard API*, in Book 5, *System Utilities*, Part C.)

Related Functions

The board video-decoder's **setContrast** function.

viSetHue

```
tmLibdevErr_t viSetHue(
   Int instance,
   UInt level
);
```

Parameters

instance VI instance.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION The board does not implement the setHue func-

tion for the video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Sets the board's decoder hue level when this functionality is implemented by the board. (Refer to Chapter 19, *TMBoard API*, in Book 5, *System Utilities*, Part C.)

Related Functions

The board video-decoder's setHue function.

viSetSaturation

```
tmLibdevErr_t viSetSaturation(
   Int instance,
   UInt level
);
```

Parameters

instance VI instance.
level Saturation level.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

 ${\tt BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION} \quad \text{Returned when the board does not implement}$

the **setSaturation** function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Sets the board's decoder saturation level when this functionality is implemented by the board. (Refer to Chapter 19, *TMBoard API*, in Book 5, *System Utilities*, Part C.)

Related Functions

The board video-decoder's setSaturation function.

viGetVideoStandard

Parameters

instance Instance.

colorStandard The color standard detected. When the function

is not implemented, this will be vasNone.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION The board does not implement the getVideo-

Standard function for the video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get the color standard of the decoder.

viGetVSyncFallingEdge

```
tmLibdevErr_t viGetVSyncFallingEdge(
   Int instance,
   UInt *lineNumber
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

lineNumber Receives the line number.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the getVSyncFallingEdge function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get the line number in which the falling edge of VSync occurs.

viGetSlicedData

```
tmLibdevErr_t viGetSlicedData(
   Int instance,
  UInt8
                         *Υ,
                         *U,
  UInt8
                         *٧,
  UInt8
  tmVideoDataService_t service,
  UInt
                          size,
  UInt8
                         *data,
  UInt8
                         *dataSize
);
```

Parameters

instance	Instance.
Y, U, V	Pointers to planar YUV data.
service	Teletext data service to extract.
sizeY	Size of Y data buffer to search for sliced data.
data	Buffer in which to write extracted data.
dataSize	Receives the number of extracted bytes.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK	Success.
BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION	Returned when the board does not implement the getSlicedData function for the video-in decoder.
Other errors	Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Extracts sliced VBI data. If the decoder inserts sliced data into the video data stream, it will be captured in all three video planes. The pointers to YUV specify the start positions where to extract the data slices.

viGetStatus

Parameters

instance Instance.

type Describes condition to check.

state Receives current state of specified condition.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the getStatus function for the video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get information about the decoder's status (lock, field ID, etc.)

viGetSupportedDataServices

Parameters

instance Instance.

fieldOne Array receiving supported services for each line of

field 1.

fieldTwo Array receiving supported services for each line of

field 2.

tblSize Number of lines in field 1 and field 2.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the getSupportedDataServices function for the

video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get information about data services supported by the decoder's text slicer.

viSetDataServices

Parameters

instance	Instance.
fieldOne	Specifies the data service for each line of field 1.
fieldTwo	Specifies the data service for each line of field 2.
tblSize	Number of lines in fieldOne and fieldTwo

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK	Success.
BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION	Returned when the board does not implement the setDataServices function for the video-in decoder.
Other errors	Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Set up the decoder's text slicer for specific data service in each VBI line.

viGetSlicerLineFlags

```
tmLibdevErr_t viGetSlicerLineFlags(
   Int instance,
   Bool fieldOne[],
   Bool fieldTwo[],
   UInt8 tblSize
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

fieldOne Buffer receiving True for every line a service has

been found.

fieldTwo Buffer receiving True for every line a service has

been found.

tblSize Number of lines in field land field 2.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the getSlicerLineFlags function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get information from the decoder if specified data services have been found by the decoder's text slicer.

viEnableSlicing

```
tmLibdevErr_t viEnableSlicing(
   Int instance,
   Bool enable
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

enable True: enable slicer. False: disable slicer.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

 ${\tt BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION} \quad \text{Returned when the board does not implement}$

the **enableSlicing** function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Enable the decoder's text slicer.

Note: If the decoder has no separate enable for the slicer, it gets turned on and off by viSetDataServices.

viSetSlicerVideoStandard

Parameters

instance Instance.

standard Video standard for the slicer.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the setSlicerVideoStandard function for the video-

in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Set the text slicer's video standard.

Note: In most decoders this standard has to match the standard for the active video.

viGetSlicerVideoStandard

Parameters

instance Instance.

standard Receives the slicer's video standard.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the **getSlicerVideoStandard** function for the

video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get the text slicer's video standard.

Note: In most decoders this standard will match the standard for the active video.

viToggleFieldID

```
tmLibdevErr_t viToggleFieldID(
   Int instance,
   Bool toggle
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

toggle True: invert field detection. False: do not.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the **toggleFieldID** function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Toggle the video decoder's field ID.

viSetSlicerInput

```
tmLibdevErr_t viSetSlicerInput(
   Int instance,
   UInt num
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

num Input mode for the decoder's slicer.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

 ${\tt BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION} \quad \text{Returned when the board does not implement}$

the **setSlicerInput** function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Set the slicer's video input.

Note: If the decoder does not support different inputs for active video and the text slicer this function will return an error if **num** differs from the current input for active video.

viGetSlicerInput

```
tmLibdevErr_t viGetSlicerInput(
   Int instance,
   UInt *num
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

num Pointer to a variable in which to return the cur-

rent input mode for the decoder's slicer.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the **getSlicerInput** function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get the slicer's video input.

Note: If the decoder does not support different inputs for active video and the text slicer this function will return the current input for active video.

viSetVideoColor

Parameters

instance Instance.

color Defines which color parameter to change.

The new value.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the setVideoColor function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Set brightness, contrast, saturation, or hue for the decoder's video input.

viGetVideoColor

Parameters

instance Instance.

color Defines which color parameter to get.

val Receives current value.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the **getVideoColor** function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get the current value for brightness, contrast, saturation, or hue of the decoder's video input.

viSetAnalogInput

```
tmLibdevErr_t viSetAnalogInput(
   Int instance,
   UInt num
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

num Defines the new video input.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the setAnalogInput function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Set the decoder's video input.

viGetAnalogInput

```
tmLibdevErr_t viGetAnalogInput(
   Int instance,
   UInt *num
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

num Receives the current video input.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the getAnalogInput function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get the decoder's current video input.

viSetStandard

Parameters

instance Instance.

standard New video input standard.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the setStandard function for the video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Set the decoder's video input standard.

viSetSourceType

Parameters

instance Instance.

type New video source type.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

 ${\tt BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION} \quad \text{Returned when the board does not implement}$

the **setSourceType** function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Set the decoder's video decoder's source type (VCR, TV, ...). Depending on the source type the decoder's SYNC detection will vary.

viGetSourceType

Parameters

instance Instance.

type Receives current video source type.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the **getSourceType** function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get the decoder's video source type (VCR, TV, ...).

viSetOutputFormat

Parameters

instance Instance.

format New video output format.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the setOutputFornat function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Set the decoder's video output format.

viGetOutputFormat

Parameters

instance Instance.

format Receives current video output format.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the getOutputFormat function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get the decoder's video output format.

viSetAcquisitionWnd

```
tmLibdevErr_t viSetAcquisitionWnd(
   Int instance,
   UInt beginX,
   UInt beginY,
   UInt endX,
   UInt endY
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

beginX, beginY Horizontal and vertical start of window. endX, endY Horizontal and vertical end of window.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the setAcquisitionWindow function for the video-

in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Set the decoder's video acquisition window. Changing the acquisition window will only affect the video input if the decoder's internal scaler is used.

viGetAcquisitionWnd

```
tmLibdevErr_t viGetAcquisitionWnd(
   Int instance,
   UInt *beginX,
   UInt *beginY,
   UInt *endX,
   UInt *endY
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

beginX, beginY Pointers to variables to get start of window. endX, endY Pointers to variables to get end of window.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the getAcquisitionWnd function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get the decoder's video acqusition window.

viGetDefaultAcquisitionWnd

```
tmLibdevErr_t viGetDefaultAcquisitionWnd(
    Int          instance,
    UInt     *beginX,
    UInt     *beginY,
    UInt     *endX,
    UInt     *endY
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

beginX, beginY Pointers to variables to receive default horizontal

and vertical start of window.

endX, endY Pointers to variables to get default horizontal and

vertical end of window.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the getDefaultAcquisitionWnd function for the

video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get the decoder's default video acquisition window of the active video. The rectangle returned depends on the current video standard and video decoder.

viSetOutputSize

```
tmLibdevErr_t viSetOutputSize(
   Int     instance,
   UInt   width,
   UInt   height
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

width Specifies new width of the video output window. height Specifies new height of the video output window.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the setOutputSize function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Set the decoder's output window. This function can only be used if the video decoder supports an internal scaler.

viSetInterlaceMode

```
tmLibdevErr_t viSetInterlaceMode(
   Int instance,
   Bool interlace
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

interlace True: use decoder's scaler in interlace mode.
False: use the decoder's scaler in field mode.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the setInterlaceMode function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Set the interlace mode of the decoder's internal scaler.

viDisableDecoder

```
tmLibdevErr_t viDisableDecoder(
   Int instance,
   Bool disable
);
```

Description

Disable/tristate the decoder's output pins.

Parameters

instance Instance.

disable True: disable decoder. False: enable decoder.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the disableDecoder function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Disable/tristate the decoder's output pins, if supported by the decoder. By default, the decoder is enabled.

viEnablePowerSaveMode

```
tmLibdevErr_t viEnablePowerSaveMode(
   Int instance,
   Bool enable
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

enable True: turn on power-save mode

False: turn off power-save mode.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the enablePowerSaveMode function for the

video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Turns the decoder's power save mode on or off, if the functionality is supported.

viGetGPIOCount

```
tmLibdevErr_t viGetGPIOCount(
   Int instance,
   UInt *num
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

num Pointer to variable receiving the number of

decoder GPIOs.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the **getGPIOCount** function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get the number of GPIO pins on the video decoder.

viSetGPIOState

```
tmLibdevErr_t viSetGPIOState(
   Int instance,
   UInt pin,
   Bool state
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

pin Number of the decoder's GPIO pin to set.

state True: output high. False: low.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the setGPIOState function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Set the state of a video decoder's GPIO pin.

viGetGPIOState

```
tmLibdevErr_t viGetGPIOState(
   Int     instance,
   UInt   pin,
   Bool *state
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

pin Number of the GPIO pin to get.

state Pointer to variable to get current state. (True =

high. False = low.)

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the **getGPIOState** function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Get the state of a video decoder's GPIO pin.

vi0penVBI

```
tmLibdevErr_t viOpenVBI(
   Int instance,
   UInt sampleFreq,
   UInt startLine,
   UInt numLines
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

sampleFreq VBI sample frequency in Hz.
startLine First VBI line to handle.
numLines Number of VBI lines.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the openVBI function for the video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Open the decoder for raw VBI handling in software. This function sets up the decoder to bypass and/or oversample the appropriate VBI lines. Typical sample frequencies are 13.5 and 27 MHz.

Note: Usage of VBI oversampling will require the usage of hardware syncs with some video decoders.

viEnableVBI

```
tmLibdevErr_t viEnableVBI(
   Int instance,
   Bool enable
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

enable True: enable raw VBI handling

False: disable raw VBI handling.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the enableVBI function for the video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Enable the decoder for raw VBI handling. Raw VBI data has to be decoded in software without using a video decoder's text slicer.

viSetVBIMode

Parameters

instance Instance.

mode Set mode to raw Y or baseband YUV.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the setVBIMode function for the video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Set the decoder's mode for raw VBI handling. Raw VBI data has to be decoded in software without using a video decoder's text slicer.

viSetSlicerMode

Parameters

instance Instance.

mode Set mode to SAV/EAV or ANC header.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the **setSlicerMode** function for the video-in

decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Set the decoder's mode for sliced VBI data handling. By default SAV/EAV mode will be used. The ancillary data header (ANC) mode requires the video decoder and the video input block to support this feature.

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viCloseVBI

```
tmLibdevErr_t viCloseVBI(
    Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the closeVBI function for the video-in decoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Close the decoder's raw VBI data handling.

Video-Out API Data Structures

This section presents the video-out data structures. These data structures are defined in the tmVo.h header file, which also contains the video-out API interface.

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voYUVModes t

Description

Enumerate the various YUV image transfer modes for different input data formats and with or without horizontal 2X upscaling.

Note

A full explanation of each of these modes is beyond the scope of this reference. See Section 7 of the appropriate TriMedia data book for more information

voRawModes t

```
typedef enum {
  voSTREAM8 = 8,
  voMESSAGE = 9
} voRawModes_t;
```

Description

Enumerates the data streaming modes.

voCapabilities t

```
typedef struct voCapabilities_t {
  tmVersion_t version;
  Int numSupportedInstances;
  Int numCurrentInstances;
  char codecName[16];
  UInt32 videoStandards;
  UInt32 adapterTypes;
} voCapabilities_t, *pvoCapabilities_t;
```

Description

Used by the **voGetCapabilities** and **voGetCapabilitiesM** functions, this function provides information about video-out capabilities. This includes the version of the device library, the name of the video codec, and video standards and adapter types supported.

voRawSetup_t

Fields

buflemptyEnable Enable interrupt when buffer 1 is empty.
buflemptyEnable Enable interrupt when buffer 2 is empty.
size1. size2 Sizes of the two buffers.

base1, base2 Pointers to the two buffers.

Description

Describes the settings for the data streaming and message passing modes of the VO peripheral. See the appropriate TriMedia data book for more information.

voOverlaySetup t

Fields

overlayEnable Enable the overlay. overlayStartX, overlayStartY Left upper corner (pixel and line) of the overlay. overlayWidth, overlayHeight Width and height of the overlay. overlayStride The stride of the overlay (overlay offset in the appropriate TriMedia data book). The base address of the overlay overlayBase alphaØ, alpha1 alpha0 is the alpha blend value used in the YUV+alpha mode, when the alpha bit is set to 0; alpha1 is used when the alpha bit (low bit of Y data) is set to 1.

Description

Passed to the **voOverlaySetup** function to initialize the video-out peripheral image overlay for the image passing modes.

voYUVSetup_t

```
typedef struct voYUVSetup_t{
  Boo1
                  buflemptyEnable;
  Boo1
                  yThresholdEnable;
  voYUVModes_t
                  mode;
                  imageVertOffset, imageHorzOffset;
  UInt
  UInt
                  imageWidth, displayHeight;
  UInt
                  yThreshold;
  UInt
                  yStride, uStride, vStride;
  Pointer
                  yBase, Base, vBase;
} voYUVSetup_t, *pvoYUVSetup_t;
```

Fields		
buf1emptyEnable	Enable interrupt when buffer 1 is empty.	
yThresholdEnable	Enable interrupt threshold interrupt.	
mode	Select the image mode of operation. See the appropriate TriMedia data book for more information.	
<pre>imageVertOffset, imageHorzOffset</pre>	Vertical and horizontal start of the upper left corner of the output.	
imageWidth, displayHeight	Image width and height in samples.	
yThreshold	When the yThresholdEnable flag is true, an interrupt will be generated when the line counter reaches this value.	
yStride, uStride, vStride	Number of bytes from the start of one line to the start of the next line	
yBase, uBase, vBase	Pointers to the start of the YUV data.	

Description

Passed to the voYUVSetup function to setup the video-out peripheral in image passing mode.

volnstanceSetup t

```
typedef struct voInstanceSetup_t{
   Boo1
                                hbeEnable;
   Boo1
                                underrunEnable;
   UInt32
                                ddsFrequency;
   intPriority_t
                                interruptPriority;
   void
                              (*isr)(void);
   tmVideoAnalogStandard t
                                videoStandard:
  tmVideoAnalogAdapter t
                                adapterType;
} voInstanceSetup_t, *pvoInstanceSetup_t;
```

Fields

hbeEnable Enable interrupts for highway bandwidth errors.

underrunEnable Enable interrupts when an under-run occurs.

ddsFrequency Frequency in Hertz.
interruptPriority VO interrupt priority.

isr Pointer to the interrupt service routine

videoStandard Wideo standard which the video-out decoder on

the board needs to be programmed to.

adapterType The adaptor type (either vaaCVBS and vaaSvideo)

passed to the board's video-out decoder.

Description

This structure is used as the common initializing structure for all video-out modes of operation, including YUV images and raw data streaming modes. It is passed to the **volnstanceSetup** function to perform an initial setup of the video-out peripheral.

voenhChromaKeyingSetup t

```
typedef struct voenhChromaKeyingSetup_t{
   Bool keyEnable;
   UInt8 keyY, keyU, keyV;
   UInt8 maskY, maskUV;
} voenhChromaKeyingSetup_t, *pvoenhChromaKeyingSetup_t;
```

Fields

keyEnable Enables the chroma keying feature.

keyY, keyU, keyV 8 bits for each key. maskY, maskUV 4 bits for each mask.

Description

When the keyEnable is set, the chroma keying feature is enabled. The overlay values (Y, U and V) are compared to values stored in keyY, keyU, and keyV. Bits that correspond to bits set in maskY and maskUV are ignored for this comparison. When there is an exact match between the pixel value and the values in keyY, keyU, and keyV (less the bits selected by maskY and maskUV), then the overlay value is not present in the output stream (full transparency).

voenhClipSetup t

```
typedef struct voenhClipSetup_t{
   Bool clipEnable;
   UInt8 highClipUV, lowClipUV, highClipY, lowClipY;
} voenhClipSetup_t, *pvoenhClipSetup_t;
```

Fields

clipEnable Enable the clipping feature.

highClipUV, lowClipUV High and low clipping values for U and V.

highClipY, lowClipY High and low clipping values for Y.

Description

When **clipEnable** is true, the Y output values are clipped between **lowClipY** and **highClipY**, and the U, V output values are clipped between **lowClipUV** and **highClipUV**.

voenhGenLockSetup_t

```
typedef struct voenhGenLockSetup_t{
   Bool genLockEnable;
   UInt slaveDelay;
} voenhGenLockSetup_t, *pvoenhGenLockSetup_t;
```

Fields

genLockEnable When set, enables the TM-1100 genlock feature.

slaveDelay Number of delay cycles in genLock.

Description

TM-1100 genLock works when the video-out is not synchronization master. Frame synchronization is achieved by an external signal on VO_IO2.

Video-Out API Functions

This section describes the TriMedia video-out API functions.

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Description

voGetNumberOfUnits

```
tmLibdevErr_t voGetNumberOfUnits (
    UInt32 *pNumberOfUnits));

Parameters

pNumberOfUnits Pointer to a variable in which to return the number of hardware units available.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.
```

This function determines the number of video-out peripherals which are available.

voGetCapabilities

```
tmLibdevErr_t voGetCapabilities(
   pvoCapabilities_t *cap
);
```

Parameters

cap

Pointer to a variable in which to return a pointer

to capabilities data.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK

Success.

TMLIBDEV_ERR_NULL_PARAMETER

In the debug version of the library, this assert is

triggered if cap is null.

TMLIBDEV_ERR_NOT_AVAILABLE_IN_HW

In the debug version of the library, this assert is

triggered if cap is null.

Description

Sets a pointer to default video-out (unit0) capability structure.

voGetCapabilitiesM

```
tmLibdevErr_t voGetCapabilitiesM (
   pvoCapabilities_t *cap,
   unitSelect_t unitName
);
```

Parameters

cap Pointer to a variable in which to return a pointer

to capabilities data.

unitName Name of the hardware unit whose capabilities are

required.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

TMLIBDEV_ERR_NOT_AVAILABLE_IN_HW

In the debug version of the library, this assert is

triggered if cap is null.

Description

Provided so that a system resource controller can determine information about the specified video-out unit before installing it.

volnstanceSetup

Parameters

instance	Current instance of VO.
setup	Setup pointer to buffer that holds new parame-

ters.

Return Codes

IMTIRDEA OK	Success.
VO_ERR_INVALID_ENCODER_INT	Returned if the board has no initialization routine
	to initialize a VO decoder.

to initialize a vo decoder.

BOARD_ERR_UNSUPPORTED_STANDARD Returned if either video standard or adapter type are not supported by the board video encoder, and any error returned by calls to the board or

interrupt library components.

BOARD_ERR_UNSUPPORTED_ADAPTER Returned if either video standard or adapter type

are not supported by the board video encoder, and any error returned by calls to the board or

interrupt library components.

is triggered if instance does not match the owner.

TMLIBDEV_ERR_NULL_PARAMETER In the debug version of the library, this assert is

triggered if setup is null.

Description

Sets or changes the setup parameters for a specific instance. It sets VO endianness to that of current execution, initializes the encoder on the board according to the board type (see Chapter 19, *TMBoard API*, in Book 5, *System Utilities*, Part C) and prepares for either data or video streaming mode.

Call this function before calling voYUVSetup or voRawSetup.

Related Functions

voOpen, voOpenM, voYUVSetup, and voRawSetup.

vo0pen

```
tmLibdevErr_t voOpen(
    Int *instance
);
```

Parameters

instance Pointer to a unique instance ID which is set when the default VO device is opened successfully.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

TMLIBDEV_ERR_NO_MORE_INSTANCES Returned when all possible instances have been

given out. Returned by the interrupts library component when the video-out interrupt vector is

already in use.

TMLIBDEV_ERR_NULL_PARAMETER In the debug version of the library, this assert is

triggered if instance is null.

Description

Assigns a unique video-out instance for the caller; the default video-out peripheral is used (unit0). It opens and sets up an interrupt for the video-out unit with the intOpen and intlnstanceSetup.

Related Functions

voOpenM, voInstanceSetup, voClose.

vo0penM

Parameters

instance Pointer to a unique instance ID which is set when the desired VO device is opened successfully.

unitName The hardware unit to open.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

TMLIBDEV_ERR_NO_MORE_INSTANCES Returned when all possible instances have been

given out. Returned by the interrupts library component when the video-out interrupt vector was

already in use.

Description

This function attempts to open the specified video-out device, and if successful assigns a unique instance for the caller. This API should be called first to obtain an instance. It resets the required video out device (voAckRESET macro), and initializes the interrupt for the device

Related Functions

voOpen, voInstanceSetup, voClose.

voClose

```
tmLibdevErr_t voClose(
    Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance	Video-out instance to be released.
Return Codes	
TMLIBDEV_OK	Success. Various other errors returned by the interrupt library component when deallocation of the interrupt failed, or when the video decoder's termination function has failed.
TMLIBDEV_ERR_NOT_OWNER	In the debug version of the library, this assertion is triggered if instance does not match the owner.

Description

Deallocates the video-out instance, and uninstalls its handler when it has one, closes the interrupt opened by **voOpen/voOpenM** with **intClose**, resets the video-out unit, calls the board's video encoder termination function when that function is installed.

Related Functions

voStart, and the board video-out encoder's termination function.

voStart

```
tmLibdevErr_t voStart(
    Int instance
);
```

TMLIBDEV_ERR_NOT_OWNER

Parameters

instance Video-out instance to start.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

VO_ERR_INITIALIZATION_NOT_COMPLETE

Either **volnstanceSetup** is not called, or no call is

made to either voYUVSetup or voRawSetup.

In the debug version of the library, this assertion is triggered if instance does not match the owner.

Description

Starts the video-out unit. After checking that video-out is properly initialized, it calls the macro voEnableENABLE.

Related Functions

volnstanceSetup, voRawSetup, voYUVSetup, and voOverlaySetup.

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voStop

```
tmLibdevErr_t voStop(
    Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance

Video-out instance to stop.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK

Success.

TMLIBDEV_ERR_NOT_OWNER

In the debug version of the library, this assertion is triggered if instance does not match the owner.

Description

Stop the video-out peripheral. Interrupts will no longer be generated, do not release the instance and leave the setup as is. This function calls the macro **voDisableENABLE**.

Related Functions

vostart.

voYUVSetup

Parameters

instance Video-out instance.
setup Setup pointer to a structure holding the setup

parameters. Refer to voYUVSetup_t.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success. In the debuggable version of the libdev

library there are appropriate alignment and size

assertions given.

VO_ERR_MODE_SIZE In the debug version, this assertion is triggered if

setup->mode is a data streaming mode

 $(voRawMode_t)$, and not an image transfer mode

(voYUVMode_t).

VO_ERR_IMAGE_HOFF_SIZE In the debug version, this assertion is triggered if

(setup->imageWidth + setup->imageHorzOffset) is bigger than the standard frame width, set up in VOinstanceSetup. This assertion is also triggered if

the value of setup->imageHorzOffset is repre-

sented on more than 8 bits.

VO_ERR_IMAGE_VOFF_SIZE Save definition as VO_ERR_IMAGE_MOFF_SIZE,

but in the vertical direction.

VO_ERR_IMAGE_WIDTH_SIZE, VO_ERR_IMAGE_HEIGHT_SIZE

These are assertions, triggered if the values of setup->imageWidth or setup->imageHeight is rep-

resented on more than 12 bits.

VO_ERR_Y_THRESHOLD_SIZE This assertion is triggered if the value of

setup->yThreshold is represented on more than

12 bits.

V0_ERR_Y_0FFSET_SIZE This assertion is triggered if the value of

setup->yStride is represented on more than 16

bits.

V0_ERR_U_0FFSET_SIZE This assertion is triggered if the value of

setup->uStride is represented on more than 16

bits.

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VO_ERR_V_OFFSET_SIZE	This assertion is triggered if the value of setup->vStride is represented on more than 16 bits.
VO_ERR_Y_BASE_ADR_SIZE	This assertion is triggered if the value of setup->yBase is represented on more than 32 bits.
VO_ERR_U_BASE_ADR_SIZE	This assertion is triggered if the value of setup->uBase is represented on more than 32 bits.
VVO_ERR_V_BASE_ADR_SIZE	This assertion is triggered if the value of setup->vBase is represented on more than 32 bits.

Description

This function prepares video-out according to the parameters given in *setup; this function should be used when image transfer mode is required. Refer to voYUVSetup_t for further information. This function assumes that a call to volnstanceSetup has been made.

Related Functions

 $volnstance Setup, \ vo Start.$

vo0verlaySetup

```
tmLibdevErr_t voOverlaySetup(
                       instance,
   voOverlaySetup_t
                    *setup
);
```

Parameters

instance	Video-out instance to setup.
setup	Setup pointer to a structure holding the setup parameters. Refer to voOverlaySetup_t .

Cocap	parameters. Refer to voOverlaySetup_t.
Return Codes	
TMLIBDEV_OK	Success. In the debuggable version of the libdev library there are appropriate alignment and size assertions given.
TMLIBDEV_ERR_NULL_PARAMETER	Triggered if setup is null.
TMLIBDEV_ERR_NOT_OWNER	In the debug version of the library, this assertion is triggered if instance does not match the owner.
VO_ERR_OL_WIDTH_SIZE	This assertion is triggered if (setup->overlayStartX + setup->overlayWidth) is bigger than the standard frame width. This assertion is also triggered if the value of setup->overlayWidth is represented on more than 12 bits.
VO_ERR_OL_HEIGHT_SIZE	Same definition as above, but in the vertical direction.
VO_ERR_ALPHAØ_SIZE	This assertion is triggered if the value of setup->alpha0 is represented on more than 8 bits.
VO_ERR_ALPHA1_SIZE	This assertion is triggered if the value of setup->alpha1 is represented on more than 8 bits.
VO_ERR_OL_BASE_ADR_SIZE	This assertion is triggered if setup->overlayBase is represented on more than 32 bits.
VO_ERR_OL_OFFSET_SIZE	This assertion is triggered if setup->overlayStride is represented on more than 16 bits.

Description

Sets up overlay-related parameters (see voOverlaySetup_t definition for further information).

voRawSetup

Parameters

instance Video-out ins	stance to setup.
	r to a structure holding the setup Refer to voRawSetup_t.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK	Success. In the debuggable version of the libdev library, there are appropriate alignment and size assertions given.
VO_ERR_MODE_SIZE	This assertion is triggered if setup->mode is an image transfer mode (voVUVMode_t), not a data streaming mode (voRawMode_t).
VO_ERR_BASE1_SIZE	This assertion is triggered if setup->base1 is not 64-bit aligned addresses, and if the value of setup->base1 is represented on more than 32 bits.
VO_ERR_BASE2_SIZE	This assertion is triggered if setup->base2 is not 64-bit aligned addresses, and if the value of setup->base2 is represented on more than 32 bits.
VO_ERR_SIZE1_SIZE	This assertion is triggered if setup->size1 is not 64-bit aligned addresses, and if the value of setup->size1 is represented on more than 32 bits.
VO_ERR_SIZE2_SIZE	This assertion is triggered if setup->size2 is not 64-bit aligned addresses, and if the value of setup->size2 is represented on more than 32 bits.

Description

Used to set the data streaming mode parameters. Refer to **voRawSetup_t** definition for further information.

It assumes volnstanceSetup has already been called.

Related Functions

volnstanceSetup, and voStart.

voYUVChangeBuffer

Parameters

instance	Video-out instance.
Υ	New luminance buffer pointer.
U	New U chrominance buffer pointer.
V	New V chrominance buffer pointer.

Return Codes

Because this function is implemented as a macro, it does not return an error code.

Description

This function sets a new display buffer and modifies the MMIO registers directly without instance checking. It calls the three macros: voSetY_BASE_ADR, voSetU_BASE_ADR, voSetV_BASE_ADR (refer to tmVO.h).

voOverlayChangeBuffer

```
tmLibdevErr_t voOverlayChangeBuffer(
   Int          instance,
   Pointer   Y,
   Pointer   U,
   Pointer   V
);
```

Parameters

instance	Video-out instance.
Υ	New luminance buffer.
U	New U chrominance buffer.
V	New V chrominance buffer.

Return Codes

Because this function is implemented as a macro it does not return an error code.

Description

This function sets a new overlay buffer and modifies the mmio registers directly without instance checking. It calls the macro **voSetOL_BASE_ADR** (refer to tmVO.h).

voRawChangeBuffer1

```
tmLibdevErr_t voRawChangeBuffer1(
    Int         instance,
    Pointer buffer,
    UInt         size
);
```

Parameters

instance Video-out instance. buffer New buffer pointer.

size New size.

Return Codes

Because this function is implemented as a macro, it does not return an error code.

Description

This function sets a new data-transfer buffer and modifies the mmio registers directly without instance checking. This calls the macros **voSetBASE1** and **voSetSIZE1** (refer to tmVO.h).

voRawChangeBuffer2

```
tmLibdevErr_t voRawChangeBuffer2(
   Int         instance,
   Pointer buffer,
   UInt        size
);
```

Parameters

instance Video-out instance. buffer New buffer pointer.

size New size.

Return Codes

Because this function is implemented as a macro, it does not return an error code.

Description

This function sets a new data transfer buffer and modifies the MMIO registers directly without instance checking. This calls the macros voSetBASE2 and voSetSIZE2 (refer to tmVO.h).

voConfigureEncoder

```
tmLibdevErr_t voConfigureEncoder(
   Int         instance,
   UInt32   subaddr,
   UInt32   value
);
```

Parameters

instance Video-out instance.

subaddr IIC subaddress of the encoder.

value New value to be stored on the subaddress.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION Returned when the board does not implement

the configure function for the video-out encoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Calls the appropriate board's configure function with the parameters above. The function depends on the board (see Chapter 19, *TMBoard API*, in Book 5, *System Utilities*, Part C).

Related Functions

The board video encoder's configure function.

voSetBrightness

```
tmLibdevErr_t voSetBrightness(
   Int instance
   UInt brightLevel
);
```

Parameters

instance Video-out instance. level Brightness level

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

 ${\tt BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION} \quad \text{Returned when the board does not implement}$

the setBrightness function for the video-out

encoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Detects the board video-encoder's **setBrighness** function and sets brightness to **bright-Level** when this functionality is implemented by the board (see Chapter 19, *TMBoard API*, in Book 5, *System Utilities*, Part C).

voSetHue

```
tmLibdevErr_t voSetHue(
   Int instance,
   UInt hueLevel
);
```

Parameters

instance Video-out instance.

level Hue level.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

 ${\tt BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION} \quad \text{Returned when the board does not implement}$

the setHue function for the video-out encoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Sets the board's encoder hue level when this functionality is implemented by the board (see Chapter 19, *TMBoard API*, in Book 5, *System Utilities*, Part C).

Related Functions

The board video-encoder's **setHue** function.

voSetSaturation

```
tmLibdevErr_t voSetSaturation(
   Int instance,
   UInt saturationLevel
);
```

Parameters

instance Video-out instance. saturationLevel Saturation level.

Return Codes

TMLIBDEV_OK Success.

 ${\tt BOARD_ERR_NULL_DETECT_FUNCTION} \quad \text{Returned when the board does not implement}$

the setSaturation function for the video-out

encoder.

Other errors Any error returned by the BSP.

Description

Sets the board's encoder saturation level when this functionality is implemented by the board.

Related Functions

The board video-encoder's setSaturation function.

voenhStart

```
tmLibdevErr_t voenhStart(
    Int instance,
);
```

Parameters

instance

Enhanced video-out instance.

Return Codes

The function can return any error code generated by Enhanced Video Out.

Description

The start and stop function for enhanced video-out unit.

voenhClipSetup

Parameters

instance

Enhanced video-out instance.

setup

Pointer to buffer holding new parameters.

Return Codes

The function can return any error code generated by Enhanced Video Out.

Description

Set up the higher and lower clipping values for Y, U, and V.

voenhChromaKeyingSetup

Parameters

instance Enhanced video-instance.

setup Pointer to buffer holding new parameters.

Return Codes

The function can return any error code generated by Enhanced Video Out.

Description

Sets up the chroma key and mask values for the Y, U, and V components.

voenhGenLockSetup

Parameters

instance Enhanced video-out instance.

setup Pointer to buffer holding new parameters.

Return Codes

The function can return any error code generated by Enhanced Video Out.

Description

Sets up the GenLock related parameters.

Chapter 2

Video Capturer (VcapVI) API

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VcapVI API Overview

The TriMedia Video Capturer (VcapVI) is an implementation of a TSSA-compliant video input driver. It is similar to the video digitizer (VdigVI), but provides additional VBI information. An OL layer only is provided. VcapVI delivers video data and sliced vertical blanking information (VBI) data to downstream TSSA components. The component provides the functionality to do slicing in a separate task. To reduce the processor load, hardware VBI slicing is used whenever possible. The video capturer decides for every VBI line in the video buffer whether it will do the slicing in software or in hardware, depending on the hardware capabilities of the available video-ADC.

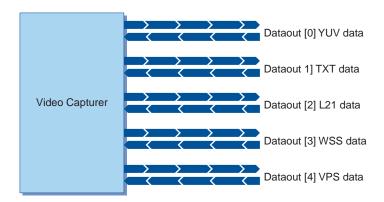


Figure 1 Structure of the Video Capturer

The video capturer is a high-level library using the video-in device library. Using the board ID, the device library can control the external video analog/digital converter chip. Some of these chips also provide hardware-supported slicing. The VcapVI supports software slicing for the following services: European Teletext, NABTS, European Closed Caption, US Closed Caption, Wide Screen Signalling (WSS), and Video Programming System (VPS). All the supported hardware slicing is chip dependent.

The application does not have to worry about the required interrupt service routine in order to handle the hardware video-in events—this is taken care of by the video capturer. See Figure 2, following.

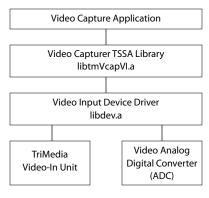


Figure 2 Video Capturer Architecture

Using the VcapVI API

The TriMedia Video Capturer API library name is libtmVcapVI.a. For using the Video Capturer API, the tmolVcapVI.h header file has to be included.

VcapVI supports data streaming operation using the dataoutFunc callback within the video-in interrupt service routine. By default, the instance will use the dataoutFunc function supplied by the Defaults library. A typical flow of control is shown in Figure 3.

First, the application obtains the capabilities of the component and the hardware unit using tmolVcapVlGetCapabilities or tmolVcapVlGetCapabilitiesM. The "M" function has to be used if the application needs to specify a unit other than the default (default is unit number zero). The acquired information will be used by the format manager to ensure that the two components being connected are compatible.

In order to use the VcapVI functionality, an instance of the video capturer must be created by calling tmolVcapVIOpen. If the underlying hardware has more than one video-in unit, the application has to specify which unit the instance has to be connected to. This can be done in a call to tmolVcapVIOpenM. For instance, the TriMedia family TM-1 only supports one video-in unit, the TM-2 two. Only one instance can be attached to a specific unit.

The application can then obtain a pointer to the instance setup structure using tmolV-capVlGetInstanceSetup; this structure is automatically created when the instance is opened. It contains default values for the opened instance. The application can then setup fields such as the video standard and adapter type, and pass the structure to the instance with tmolVcapVlInstanceSetup. The description of tmolVcapVlGetInstanceSetup gives information about the default values.

The **tmolVcapVIStart** function begins the data streaming operation. The capturer will use the **dataoutFunc** callback to obtain an empty packet where the captured video data will be stored. If no empty packet is available the video capturer does not start with the data

streaming and the start function returns with an error code. After capturing one field, the capturer will attempt to acquire another empty packet using the **dataoutFunc** callback. If successful, it will send out the packet with the recently acquired image to the connected downstream component. If the acquisition of an empty packet fails, the capturer will simply use the packet which it has in its possession to store the next field. This overrun condition is signalled by the instance using the **progressFunc** callback. How the data slicing works is described later.

Data streaming can be terminated by calling **tmolVcapVlStop** at any time. This will stop the video-in device, and expel the packet currently being held by the instance. The application can release the instance by calling **tmolVcapVlClose**.

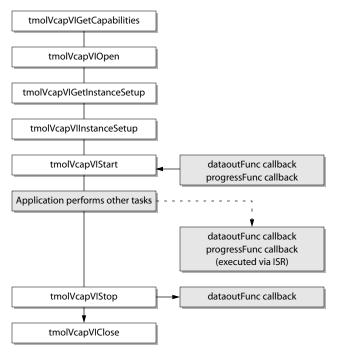


Figure 3 Data streaming flow control

The VcapVI component contains an extra task which takes care about the slicing functionality. This task is triggered by a received full video packet signal from the video-in

ISR. Once a full video packet has arrived, data slicing is applied. After that the video and VBI data packets are sent out.

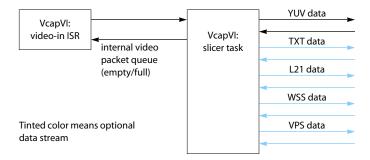


Figure 4 VcapVI internal and external data flow

Integrated Slicing Mechanism

The application specifies what VBI data services have to be sliced by VcapVI, by setting the data service flags (of type dataService_t) in the field1Lines and field2Lines arrays in the tmolVcapVIInstanceSetup_t structure. The array index plus one represents the line number where the corresponding data service have to be sliced.

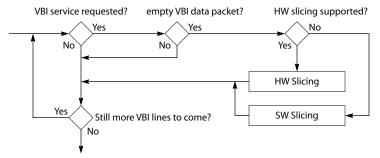


Figure 5 Decision graph concerning the slicing functionality, which is part of the slicer task of the VcapVI component

The device library gives the VcapVI component information of all provided data services which have hardware support. Since the data service flags can be OR'd, multiple VBI data services can be supported per line. Using this capability information the VcapVI component decides what requested service is sliced by software and by hardware.

The mechanism shown in Figure 5 works as follows. First, the software slicer gets a full video packet. Then it looks in the format information of the video packets, to see if it contains VBI information. If yes, the slicing will be started with the first available VBI data line. If no empty VBI data packet has been received before, the corresponding ser-

vice is being skipped. This condition is reported to the application by calling the progress function. If the service dependent empty VBI data packet is available, software or hardware slicing is being performed.

Software Slicing

Software slicing uses DSPCPU resources. No TriMedia internal hardware block is being used to do this task. Special optimizations have been made to do the software slicing as fast as possible. Table 1 gives an overview about the software slicer performance.

Table 1 Performance overview of how many cycles are required to slice one line VBI data of field which was previously been captured by the VcapVI component.

VBI data service	Number of cycles to slice one line of VBI data
DT_EU_TELETEXT	23K cycles
DT_US_NABTS	23K cycles
DT_EU_CLOSECAPTION	17K cycles
DT_US_CLOSECAPTION	17K cycles
DT_WSS	20K cycles
DT_VPS	21K cycles

These performance numbers only give an amount of cycles required by the software slicing function itself. Additional cycles have to be added which are caused by the operating system (task switch) and the VcapVI API layer itself. Since the video packet can only be sent out after performing the slicing the slicing delay also influences the video delay.

Hardware Slicing

Depending on the information the video-in device library gets from the hardware, hardware data slicing is used. This kind of data slicing is also done in the task associated with VcapVI. Depending on the connected hardware, different kinds of mechanisms are used by the device library to retrieve the sliced data from the captured video data. Some chips (e.g., the SAA7111) deliver the sliced data via the IIC bus. This means that additional interrupt traffic has to be taken into account. The device library description provides information how the sliced data is retrieved from the connected ADC device. Because of that, no performance information can be provided in this documentation, since the VBI data acquisition is all being done in the video device library.

Line counting issues

To handle the vertical blanking interval (VBI) data in a generic way—VBI data is always at the beginning of a video packet—the following line counting issues are addressed. The 60-field and 50-field video systems are using different line counting bases, the 50 Hz system for instance starts counting on the serration pulses and the 60 Hz systems start

counting at the first equalization pluses. The equalization and serration pulses can be seen in the vertical timing diagrams Figure 6 and Figure 7. Those pulses have twice the line frequency and are located in the vertical blanking interval.

 Table 2
 Field interval definitions according to CCIR 656

Field	SAV/EAV bit	50 Hz (625 lines)	60 Hz (525 lines)
V-digital field blank	ing		
Field 1	Start (V=1)	Line 624	Line 1
	Finish (V=0)	Line 23	Line 10
Field 2	Start (V=1)	Line 311	Line 264
	Finish (V=0)	Line 336	Line 273
F-digital field identification			
Field 1	F = 0	Line 1	Line 4
Field 2	F = 1	Line 313	Line 266

In 50 Hz systems, the startY field have an allowed lowest value of -2, to get the content of the first equalization pulse group, since 50 Hz line counting starts after this first equalization pulse group, and VdigVI always has to deliver the VBI data at the beginning of the video buffer. Since NTSC counting starts at the beginning of the first equalization pulses, the lowest allowed value in this system is zero. This makes the use of the digitizer component as easy as possible. e.g. an application wants to get line 21 data additional to the active video, the **startY** value has to be set to 21 in either frequency (50 Hz or 60 Hz).

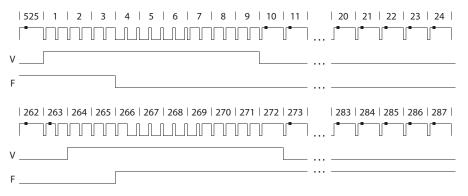
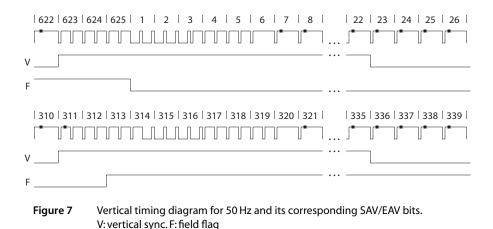


Figure 6 Vertical timing diagram for 60 Hz and its corresponding SAV/SEAV bits. V: vertical sync. F: field flag



The video-in hardware block starts counting lines when the V bit in the SAV/EAV codes goes to zero. The CCIR-656 standard defines the following lines where this happens: 50 Hz, line 23 and 60 Hz, line 10. This leads to the following conclusion: if the digitizer has to capture before these lines (always the case for VBI capturing in 50 Hz systems), a much higher line count has to be put in the hardware registers to start capturing in the VBI interval. The first field has one line more than the second field (313/312 in 625-line systems and 263/262 in 525-line systems). This leads to the restriction that the resulting line (number in the register) cannot be 313 or 263 in 50 Hz or 60 Hz systems respectively, because the internal counter of the VI-block only gets reached in the first field, but never in the second field. This fact causes one little restriction. The internal start value of capturing never can be 313/263. But if an application wants to get the content of this line it has to start with the capturing one line before.

The fields activeVideoStartX, activeVideoStartY, activeVideoEndX, and activeVideoEndY have nothing to do with the defined line counting in the 60 Hz and 50 Hz systems. Those values only represents offset values where a downstream component can find the active video area by taking into account how the video data are organized in the video buffer. In interlaced systems the values (times stride) directly lead to the address of the active video data. In field-in-field systems the content of the structure fields have to be divided by two in order to apply the same calculation like in the interlaced case to get to the right active video addresses. That is why these field have a range from 0 to 576 or from 0 to 480 respectively.

Cache Coherency

The application has to use the **tsalODescSetupFlagInvalidateDataout** flag for creation of the data queue between video capturer and the downstream component Other cache coherency issues are automatically handled by the tsaDefaults library when VcapVI is

connected to another TSSA component. When being connected to a non TSSA component, the component needs to invalidate the video data before use by the DSPCPU.

VcapVI Inputs and Outputs

The video capturer is a data source, therefore, it has no input pin and provides besides the video output pin several VBI data pins. The output format of the video pin can be specified using the instance setup function. The field **pOutputFormat** has to be filled by the application. The value must be a pointer to a **tmVideoFormat_t** structure. The video capturer asserts if the installed format does not match with the format installed on the output queue. The video capturer checks if the containing parameters are supported by the library. Currently only the TV standards NTSC and PAL and its related parameters are supported.

The VBI data output pins have specified output formats. All of these pins send packets out containing data in the 'Generic' format. Usually, if the requested data service is available, full VBI data packets are sent out directly after the video packet is sent out.

The video capturer configures the number of output pins automatically, depending on downstream components being connected or not by the application. If no empty VBI data packet is available and the video capturer got a full video packet, no slicing is performed and the progress function will be called to signal the application that the component lost a VBI data packet.

A downstream component connected to the video output pin is a requirement.

If no VBI data is available, no full VBI data packets are sent out until decodeable data is detected in the video signal again.

The following table Table 3 gives an overview of the provided output pins and its required buffers and it's sizes, which have to be provided by the application.

Table 3 Output pins, the delivered data type, and the required buffer sizes

Pin ID	Supports	Buffer Size
MAIN_OUTPUT	video data	buffers[0]: vdfFieldInFrame: height × stride vdfFieldInField: height × stride / 2
		buffers[1]: vdfFieldInFrame: height × stride / 2 vdfFieldInField: height × stride / 4
		buffers[2]: vdfFieldInFrame: height × stride / 2 vdfFieldInField: height × stride / 4
TXT_OUTPUT	DT_EU_TELETEXT	buffers[0]: 42 bytes
	DT_US_NABTS	buffers[0]: 33 bytes

Table 3 Output pins, the delivered data type, and the required buffer sizes

Pin ID	Supports	Buffer Size
L21_OUTPUT	DT_EU_CLOSECAP TION	buffers[0]: 4 bytes
	DT_US_CLOSECAP TION	buffers[0]: 4 bytes
WSS_OUTPUT	DT_WSS	buffers[0]: 14 bytes
VPS_OUTPUT	DT_VPS	buffers[0]: 26 bytes

Packet Formats

Several packet formats are being used by the video capturer. The format on the main output pin is described next.

Main Output Pin Format

The video capturer uses the standard packet data types tmAvPacket_t defined in the tmAvFormats.h include file. The captured YUV data is stored in three buffers, with the Y data contained in buffer[0], and the UV data contained in buffer[1] and buffer[2] respectively.

Each packet contains a header structure providing information concerning the packet data. The format field is a pointer to a **tmVideoFormat_t** structure which specifies the format and the image size. There are restrictions on the type of video formats that can be used by the video capturer. These will be described next.

The main image output packet can be either vdfYUV422Planar or vdfYUV422Interspersed. No YUV420 format is supported by the video-in unit. If the video capturer is used also for capturing of vertical blanking interval data, the vdfYUV422Planar flag needs to be used (in this mode the video in hardware does not perform any filtering of the incoming data). The pOutputFormat field in the instance setup structure should be initialized with the following values:

Table 4 Main Output Pin Format

Field	Set by	Value
dataClass	Арр	avdcVideo
dataType	Арр	vtfYUV
dataSubtype	Арр	vdfYUV422Planar or vdfYUV422Interspersed
description	Арр	vdfFieldInFrame or vdfFieldInField
imageWidth	Арр	Width of video frame in pixels (luminance)
imageHeight	Арр	Height of video frame in lines (luminance)

Table 4Main Output Pin Format

Field	Set by	Value
imageStride	Арр	Stride of video frame in bytes (luminance)
activeVideoStartX	VcapVl	Defines pixel offset in horizontal direction from start of video buffer to beginning of active video.
activeVideoStartY	VcapVI	Defines number of lines from start of video buffer to beginning of active video
activeVideoEndX	VcapVI	Defines end of active video area in number of pixels within the video buffer. It is an absolute position.
activeVideoEndY	VcapVI	Defines end of active video area in number of lines within the video buffer. It is an absolute position.
videoStandard	VcapVI	Defines analog video standard that served as source of digitized image

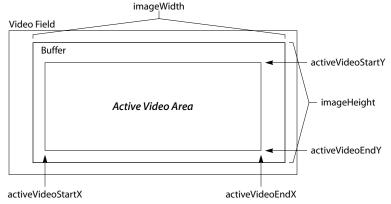
The **description** field of the format structure is set by the video capturer automatically depending on the instance setup field **interlaced**, but it still checks if the resulting description matches with the previously installed format of the output queue.

Table 5 The description field is set by the VcapVI library during the instance setup

Description	Meaning
interlaced == True	vdfFieldInFrame Only one field is written in the packet buffer. Two consecutive lines of one field have one not updated line of the other field in between. The packet is sent out field based.
interlaced == False	vdfFieldInField Only one field is written in the packet buffer. No space is between two consecutive lines of one field. The format used in the packet being sent out is field-based.

In field based operation every packet is marked in the flags field of the header structure if the packet contains the second field (avhField2) or not (!avhField2). Using the description and field information, a downstream component knows which data bytes are valid in the packet and which are not. In case of description vdfFieldInFrame it is possible to build up a complete frame by sending the half-filled frame back from the downstream

component to the capturer which inserts during capturing the missing field in the lines between.



The fields activeVideoStartX, activeVideoStartY, activeVideoEndX, activeVideoEndY, and videoStandard are also set by the video capturer automatically. However, in this case it does not check if they match the current queue setup. Depending what analog video standard was chosen the video capturer sets these fields accordingly. Using the location of the active video area, a downstream component has access to additional information, such as VBI inserted data, which is transmitted by the video signal in parallel. Data services currently not being sliced by the VcapVI component can be handled downstream, since all information to do so is available in the packet. There is one restriction to this. Some video-ADC's place hardware sliced data in the video stream and thus override the original VBI information. In this case the original VBI data is lost.

TXT Output Packet Format

Compared to the main output packet format, the VBI data packets can be described using the standard tmAvFormat_t structure.

Table 6 TXT Output Packet Format

Field	Value
dataClass	avdcGeneric
dataType	avdtGeneric
dataSubtype	avdsGeneric
description	0

Only one buffer is used. The size of this buffers is usually OUT_DATA_LENGTH_EU_TXT (42 bytes) or OUT_DATA_LENGTH_NABTS (33 bytes). Either way the downstream component has to check the size of the buffer to get the right number of valid data bytes.

L21 Output Packet Format

The Line21 packet has the generic format with a single buffer being used to store the data. The buffer for Line21 sliced data stores just four bytes. The ordering of these bytes is endian dependent. For accessing the data the downstream component has to address the data by indexing the byte organized buffer. data[0] contains "1" if the packet contains valid data, "0" if in-valid. data[1] is "1" if the Line21 data is corresponding to video field two. It is "0" if the Line21 data belongs to field one. data[2] and data[3] contain the two bytes which contain the EIA-608 encoded data.

WSS Output Packet Format

The data size of a full WSS data packet is **OUT_DATA_LENGTH_WSS** (14 bytes). The decoded bytes are stored in the output packet in the same order they have been sent out. First byte on lowest memory address, last byte on highest memory address.

VPS Output Packet Format

The data size of a full VPS data packet is **OUT_DATA_LENGTH_VPS** (26 bytes). The decoded bytes are stored in the output packet in order they have been sent out. First byte on lowest memory address, last byte on highest memory address.

VcapVI Error

Video capturer errors which disturb the normal operation of the component are handled using the error callback function. This is mainly done in the video in ISR. It is up to the application to install such a callback function. These calls are reporting problems coming from the dataout function call or by checking the incoming empty packets. The OS error TMLIBAPP_QUEUE_EMPTY is passed to an application provided progress callback function. All other errors are reported by the progress function.

VcapVI Progress

The video capturer reports multiple events to the application if enabled. This reporting can be enabled by setting the default instance field **progressReportFlags** with one or more available progress report flags (or-ed together). One is the cycle count at entering the video-in ISR (VCAPVI_PROGRESS_ISR_ENTRY). This value can be used for instance for video-in and video-out synchronization algorithms (software PLL). The other one is the information of a lost frame. This information is produced if the capturer expects an empty packet in the output queue but was not able to get one. In this case the already filled packet will not be sent out and will instead be overridden with new incoming digitized data. The progress codes VCAPVI_PROGRESS_FIELD1 and VCAPVI_PROGRESS_FIELD2

indicate what video field was currently captured. The application can distinguish between those events by checking the **progressCode** field of the progress arguments.

 Table 7
 Available progress events of the video capturer

VCAPVI_PROGRESS_ISR_ENTRY	Reports time stamp of entering the video-in ISR. The cycle count is stored in the description field.
VCAPVI_PROGRESS_LOST_FRAME	Reports a lost frame. This is detected by the ISR in case of an empty dataout empty queue. In this case the video capturer did not get a new empty buffer.
VCAPVI_PROGRESS_FIELD1	Reports if captured field was field one.
VCAPVI_PROGRESS_FIELD2	Reports if captured field was field two.
VCAPVI_PROGRESS_LOST_TXT_PACKET	Reports a lost TXT packet. No empty packet was available in the TXT empty queue.
VCAPVI_PROGRESS_LOST_L21_PACKET	Reports a lost L21 packet. No empty packet was available in the L21 empty queue.
VCAPVI_PROGRESS_LOST_WSS_PACKET	Reports a lost WSS packet. No empty packet was available in the WSS empty queue.
VCAPVI_PROGRESS_LOST_VPS_PACKET	Reports a lost VPS packet. No empty packet was available in the VPS empty queue.

The installation of this callback function is optional.

VcapVI Configuration

The following configuration commands are supported.

 Table 8
 Configuration Commands

Command	Description
VCAPVI_CONFIG_SET_HORZ_OFFSET	This command sets the horizontal offset of the acquisition window of the video capturer. The value is stored in the parameter field of the ptsaControlArgs_t structure.
VCAPVI_CONFIG_SET_VERT_OFFSET	This command sets the vertical offset of the acquisition window of the video capturer. The value is stored in the parameter field of the ptsaControlArgs_t structure.
VCAPVI_CONFIG_SET_Y_THRESHOLD	This command sets the new threshold line of the video-in unit.
VCAPVI_CONFIG_ENABLE_Y_THRESHOLD	This command enables the threshold feature of the video capturer.

 Table 8
 Configuration Commands

Command	Description
VCAPVI_CONFIG_DISABLE_Y_THRESHOLD	This command disables the threshold feature of the video capturer. If threshold is disabled the packet is send out at the end of a field/frame.
VCAPVI_CONFIG_GET_HORZ_OFFSET	This command retrieves the current horizontal offset of the video digitizer. The returned value is stored in the parameter field of the ptsaControlArgs_t structure.
VCAPVI_CONFIG_GET_VERT_OFFSET	This command retrieves the current vertical off- set of the video digitizer. The returned value is stored in the parameter field of the ptsaControlArgs_t structure.
VCAPVI_CONFIG_STATUS_Y_THRESHOLD	This command retrieves the current status of the threshold feature. If returns True if threshold is enabled and False if disabled.

VcapVI API Data Structures

This section presents the TriMedia Video Capturer data structures.

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tmolVcapVlCapabilities_t

```
typedef struct tmolVcapVICapabilities_t{
   ptsaDefaultCapabilities_t defaultCapabilities;
} tmolVcapVICapabilities_t, *ptmolVcapVICapabilities_t;
```

Fields

defaultCapabilities

Refer to tsa.h.

Description

The video capturer does not provide special capabilities information. Therefore, it simply contains a pointer to the default capabilities.

tmolVcapVIInstanceSetup t

```
typedef struct tmolVcapVIInstanceSetup_t{
   ptsaDefaultInstanceSetup_t
                                 defaultSetup;
   tmVideoAnalogStandard_t
                                 videoStandard;
   tmVideoAnalogAdapter_t
                                 videoAdapter;
  UInt32
                                 capSizeFlag;
  UInt32
                                 startX;
  UInt32
                                 startY;
   ptmVideoFormat_t
                                 pOutputFormat;
   Boo1
                                 interlaced;
   Boo1
                                 thresholdReachedEnable;
  UInt32
                                 yThreshold:
  dataService_t
                                 field1Lines[PAL_VBI_LINES_FIELD1];
   dataService t
                                 field2Lines[PAL_VBI_LINES_FIELD2];
} tmolVcapVIInstanceSetup_t, *ptmolVcapVIInstanceSetup_t;
```

Fields	
defaultSetup	Refer to tsa.h.
videoStandard	Either vasNTSC, vasPAL, or vasSECAM. Default is vasNTSC.
adapterType	Either vaaCVBS or vaaSvideo. Default is vaaCVBS.
capSizeFlag	Either viFULLRES or viHALFRES. Default is viFULL-RES.
startX	X-offset of acquisition window. Default is zero.
startY	Y-offset of acquisition window. Default is start of active video.
pOutputFormat	Pointer to video format structure. The video capturer uses the format information for setting up the video-in unit. If this field is Null, the format information is taken from the output descriptor structure. It is recommended to pass an output format to the video capturer. Default is Null.
interlaced	True if the capturer has to skip one line to put two consecutive lines of one field in a packet (interlaced organized buffer). False to make the capturer putting two consecutive lines right next to each other (plain organized buffer). Default is True.
thresholdReachedEnable	Enables the threshold feature of the video-in unit. True tells the video digizer to send out a half-filled

yThreshold

packet at line number yThreshold. Default is False.

Specifies the line number when a half filled packet has to be send out. If the field **threshold**-

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ReachedEnable is False this value will be ignored.

Default is zero.

field1Lines Array of VBI lines. Each can be configured what

VBI data has to be sliced in field one. All available constants of type dataService_t are allowed. Default is DT_DO_NOT_ACQUIRE, which means,

no slicing in that particular line.

field2Lines Array of VBI lines. Each can be configured what

VBI data has to be sliced in field two. All available constants of type dataService_t are allowed.

Default is DT_DO_NOT_ACQUIRE, which means,

no slicing in that particular line.

Description

This structure is used to configure the video capturer. It enables the application to specify parameters such as the video standard, the adaptor type, output format, and data organization. A pointer to the component allocated setup structure can be obtained by the tmolVcapVlGetInstanceSetup function. This obtained structure is filled with default values.

VcapVI API Functions

This section presents the functions for the OS Version of the TriMedia Video Capturer API.

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tmolVcapVIGetNumberOfUnits

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmolVcapVIGetNumberOfUnits(
    UInt32 *numberOfUnits
);
```

Parameters

numberOfUnits

Pointer (returned) to the supported number of ...

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK

Success.

The function can also returns error codes generated by viGetNumberOfUnits.

Description

This function returns the number of available hardware units the video capturer supports.

tmolVcapVIGetCapabilities

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmolVcapVIGetCapabilities(
   ptmolVcapVICapabilities_t *pCap
);
```

Parameters

pCap

Pointer to a variable in which to return a pointer to the video capture capabilities.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK

Success.

The function can also return codes generated by tmolVcapVlGetCapabilitiesM and tmolVcapVlGetNumberOfUnits.

Description

This function returns a pointer to the capabilities structure of the default unit (unit zero). This can be used by the format manager to determine if two components can be connected together to form a dataflow.

tmolVcapVIGetCapabilitiesM

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmolVcapVIGetCapabilitiesM(
   ptmolVcapVICapabilities_t *pCap,
   unitSelect_t unitNumber
);
```

Parameters

pCap Pointer to a variable in which to return a pointer

to the capabilities data.

unit Number Unit number to which this instance has to be

attached.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

VCAPVI_ERR_VI_NOT_SUPPORTED Asserts if the component does not find any video

input hardware unit. Usually, this means that the

board initialization fails.

The function can also return codes generated by tmolVcapVlGetNumberOfUnits, tsa-BoardGetBoard, and viGetCapabilitiesM.

Description

This function returns pointer to the capabilities structure. This can be used by the format manager to determine if two components can be connected together to form a dataflow.

tmolVcapVIOpen

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmolVcapVIOpen(
    Int *instance
);
```

Parameters

instance

Pointer to the (returned) instance.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK

Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_MEMALLOC_FAILED

The component cannot allocate memory for its instance variables.

The function can also return codes generated by tmolVcapVlOpenM and tmolVcapVlGet-NumberOfUnits.

Description

This function opens an instance of the video capturer; the default unit is opened (unit zero).

tmolVcapVIOpenM

Parameters

instance Pointer to the (returned) instance.

unitNumber Number of unit that the video capturer has to

drive by creation of an instance.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE The component is already in use.

The function can also return codes generated by tmolVcapVIGetNumberOfUnits and viOpenM.

Description

This function obtains an instance of the video capturer. The component supports a single instance per hardware unit.

tmolVcapVIClose

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmolVcapVIClose(
    Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance value.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE Asserts if the instance parameter is an unknown

instance.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_STOPPED Asserts if the instance of video capturer is still

running.

The function can also return codes generated by viStop and viClose.

Description

This function will release the instance.

tmolVcapVlGetInstanceSetup

Parameters

instance Instance value.

setup Pointer to a variable in which to return a pointer

to the instance setup data.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE Asserts if the instance parameter is an unknown

instance.

Description

This function returns a pointer to the instance setup structure. The memory for this structure is created automatically when the instance is opened.

tmolVcapVIInstanceSetup

Parameters

instance Instance value.

setup Pointer to the instance setup structure.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE Asserts if the instance parameter is an unknown

instance.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_NULL_IO_DESC Asserts if the InOutDescriptor is Null.

VCAPVI_ERR_SETUP_FORMAT Asserts if the content of fields **fieldbased** and

interlaced of the instance setup structure does not match with the already installed format at the

output queue.

The function can also return codes generated by tmalVcapVlinstanceSetup.

Description

This function must be called to configure the video capturer. The address of the instance setup structure should be obtained using the **tmolVcapVlGetInstanceSetup** function.

tmolVcapVIStart

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmolVcapVIStart(
    Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance value.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK	Success.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE	Asserts if the instance parameter is an unknown instance.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_SETUP	Asserts if the tmolVcapVlInstanceSetup function has not been called.
VCAPVI_ERR_BUFFER_ALLOCATION	The number of buffers does not match required number of buffers (three).
VCAPVI_ERR_BUFFER_ALLOCATION	The memory for buffers is not allocated (Null).
VCAPVI_ERR_BUFFER_ALIGNMENT	The pointer to data buffers are not cache aligned (multiple of 64).
VCAPVI_ERR_BUFFER_SIZE	The buffer size does not match with image size.
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The buffer size is not multiple of cache line size (64)

The function can also return codes generated by tmalVcapVlStart.

Description

This function will start the video capturer data streaming operation. It calls the dataout-Func to obtain an empty packet where captured video data will be stored. The format of this first packet is checked to make sure the packets can hold the data to be captured. The video-in device is then started which will initiate the capture process. After capturing a frame the instance will try to obtain another empty packet. If successful, it will return the current packet containing the captured video data and begin capturing the new packet. If an empty packet is not available, then the progressFunc callback is executed, and the next captured frame will be stored in the current packet. This will overwrite the previous frame.

tmolVcapVIStop

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmolVcapVIStop(
    Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance value.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE Asserts if the instance parameter is an unknown

instance.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_SETUP Asserts if the tmolVcapVlInstanceSetup function

has not been called.

The function can also return codes generated by viStop.

Description

This function is used to terminate video capture and hence stop data streaming. It will stop the video-in device, and then expel the packet which it was holding. The packet is returned using the dataoutFunc callback.

tmolVcapVIInstanceConfig

Parameters

instance Instance value.

args Pointer to a structure specifying how to change

the configuration of the running video capturer.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE The instance parameter is Null.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE The instance parameter does not match the cur-

rently opened instance.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_SETUP The instance has not been setup using the tmol-

VcapVIInstanceSetup function.

The function can also return codes generated by tmalVcapVIInstanceConfig.

Description

This function is used to change the configuration of the video capturer during operation (after the capturer has been started). See *VcapVI Configuration* on page 122 for supported configuration commands.

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Video Digitizer (VdigVI) API

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TriMedia Video Digitizer API Overview

The TriMedia video digitizer is an implementation of a TSSA-compliant video input driver. Both AL and OL layers are provided. It delivers data to a downstream TSSA component using either the AL Layer or OL Layer streaming mechanism.

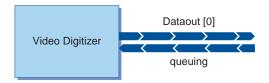


Figure 8 Structure of the Video Digitizer

The video digitizer is a high-level library using the video-in device library that determines on which supported board the TriMedia is mounted. Using the board ID, the device library can control the external video analog/digital converter chip. The application does not have to worry about the required interrupt service routine in order to handle the hardware video-in events—this is covered by the video digitizer. See Figure 2.

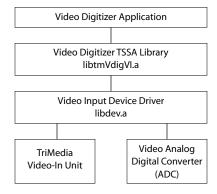


Figure 9 Video Digitizer Architecture

Using the Video Digitizer API

The TriMedia Video Digitizer API is contained within the archived application library libtmVdigVI.a. For using the Video Digitizer AL Layer API, the tmalVdigVI.h header file has to be included; for OL Layer applications, the tmolVdigVI.h header file.

The AL layer

The AL layer supports data streaming operation using the dataoutFunc callback within the video-in interrupt service routine. A typical flow of control is shown in Figure 10.

The application can obtain the capabilities of the component using **tmalVdigVlGet-Capabilities**. This information can be used to determine the supported output formats of the digitizer.

In order to use the VdigVI functionality, an instance of the video digitizer must be created by calling tmalVdigVIOpen. If the TriMedia has more than one video-in hardware block the application has to specify which unit has to be driven. tmalVdigVIOpenM must be used for this purpose. For instance, the TriMedia family TM-1 only supports one video-in unit, the TM-2 two. Once an instance is installed driving a unit, no more instances of the video digitizer can be created to drive this specific unit.

After the instantiation the application has to initialize the digitizers instance setup structure and call tmalVdigVlInstanceSetup. The TSSA streaming model requires a set of callback functions. To make the video digitizer operating in data streaming mode, only the dataoutFunc has to be provided by the application. The video digitizer tries to modify the format information by setting the fields activeVideoStartX, activeVideoStartY, activeVideoEndX, and activeVideoEndY of the packet via a provided progressFunc callback function. This call is marked with the flag tsaProgressFlagChangeFormat. If the application is not interested in the updated values of the format this call can just be returned by with TMLIBAPP_OK.

The tmalVdigVlStart function begins the data streaming operation. The digitizer will use the dataoutFunc callback to obtain an empty packet where the captured video data will be stored. If no empty packet is available the video digitizer does not start with the data streaming. After capturing a image (frame/field), depending on the currently used mode, the digitizer will attempt to acquire another empty packet using the dataoutFunc callback. If successful, it will send out the packet with the recently acquired image to the connected downstream component. If acquiring of an empty packet fails, the digitizer will simply use the packet which it has in its possession to store the next image. This overrun condition is signalled by the instance using the progressFunc callback. The application must ensure that no additional interrupt depending functions (e.g., printf) are being called in that progress function.

As the digitizer is using the video-in peripheral to perform the capture operation, the application is able to perform other operations during this time.

Data streaming can be terminated by calling **tmalVdigVIStop** at any time. This will stop the video-in device, and expel the packets currently being held by the instance. The application can release the instance by calling **tmalVdigVIClose**.

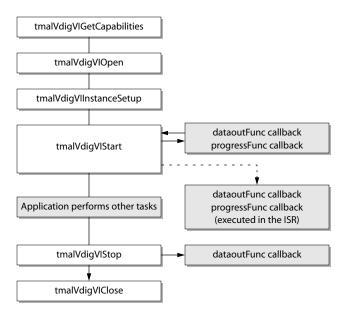


Figure 10 AL Layer data streaming flow control.

The OL Layer

The operating system layer supports data streaming operation using the dataoutFunc callback within the video-in interrupt service routine. A typical flow of control is shown in Figure 11.

First, the application must obtain the capabilities of the component and the hardware unit using tmolVdigVIGetCapabilities or tmolVdigVIGetCapabilitiesM respectively. The 'M' function has to be used if the application needs to specify an unit other than the default. By default the unit number one will be used if called the tmolVdigVIGetCapabilities. The acquired information will be automatically passed to the format manager to ensure that the two components being connected are compatible.

In order to use the VdigVI functionality, an instance of the video digitizer must be created by calling tmolVdigVIOpen. If the TriMedia has more than one video-in hardware block the application has to specify which unit has to be driven. tmolVdigVIOpenM must be used for this purpose. For instance, the TriMedia family TM-1 only supports one video-in unit., the TM-2 two. Once an instance is installed driving a unit, no more instances of the video digitizer can be created to drive this specific unit. The application should then obtain a pointer to the instance setup structure using tmolVdigVIGet-InstanceSetup; this structure is automatically created when the instance is opened. It can then setup the required configuration fields such as the video standard and adapter type. These parameters are passed to the instance by calling tmolVdigVIInstanceSetup. Note

that by default, the instance will use the dataoutFunc function supplied by the tsaDe-faults library. Furthermore, the most of the fields in the setup structure contain default values, accept the field which need to filled by the application. The functional description of the tmolVdigVIGetInstanceSetup gives information about the default values.

The **tmolVdigVlStart** function begins the data streaming operation by calling the **tmolVdigVlStart** function. See *The AL layer* on page 141.

Data streaming can be terminated by calling **tmolVdigVIStop** at any time. This will stop the video-in device, and expel the packets currently being held by the instance. The application can release the instance by calling **tmolVdigVIClose**.

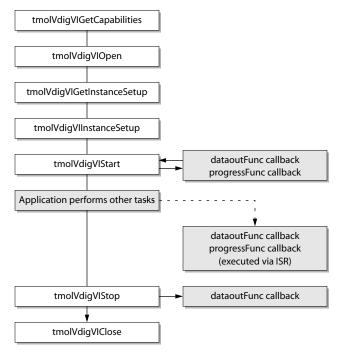


Figure 11 OL Layer data streaming flow control

Line counting issues

To handle the vertical blanking interval (VBI) data in a generic way, that is, having the VBI data always at the beginning of a video packet, the following line counting issues are addressed. The 60 and 50 fields per second video systems use different line counting bases, the 50 Hz system for instance starts counting on the serration pulses and the 60 Hz systems starts counting at the first equalization pulses. The equalization and serration

pulses can be seen in the vertical timing diagrams Figure 6 and Figure 7. Those pulses have twice the line frequency and are located in the vertical blanking interval.

Table 9	Field interval	definitions	according	to CCIR 656

Field	SAV/EAV bit	50 Hz (625 lines)	60 Hz (525 lines)	
V-digital field blanking				
Field 1	Start (V=1)	Line 624	Line 1	
	Finish (V=0)	Line 23	Line 10	
Field 2	Start (V=1)	Line 311	Line 264	
	Finish (V=0)	Line 336	Line 273	
F-digital field identification				
Field 1	F = 0	Line 1	Line 4	
Field 2	F = 1	Line 313	Line 266	

In 50 Hz systems the **startY**¹ field has an allowed lowest value of -2, to get the content of the first equalization pulse group, since 50 Hz line counting starts after this first equalization pulse group, and VdigVI always delivers the VBI data at the beginning of the video buffer. Since 60Hz counting starts at the beginning of the first equalization pulses, the lowest allowed value in this system is zero. That makes the use of the digitizer component as easy as possible. e.g. an application wants to get line 21 data additional to the active video, the **startY** value has to be set to 21 in either frequency (50 or 60 Hz).

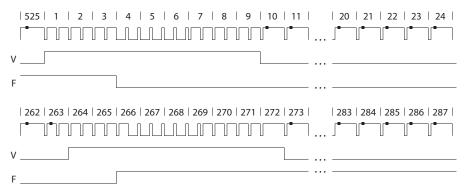


Figure 12 Vertical timing diagram for 60 Hz and its corresponding SAV/SEAV bits. V: vertical sync. F: field flag

^{1.} startY is defined in the databook in the VI chapter, it is used to vertically position the capture window.

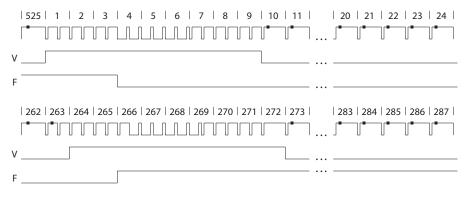


Figure 13 Vertical timing diagram for 50 Hz and its corresponding SAV/EAV bits. V: vertical sync. F: field flag

The video-in hardware block starts counting lines when the V bit in the SAV/EAV codes goes from one to zero. The CCIR-656 standard defines the following lines where this happens: 50 Hz: line 23 and 60 Hz line 10. This leads to the following observation. If the digitizer has to capture before these lines (always the case for VBI capturing in 50 Hz systems), a much higher line count has to be put in the hardware registers to start capturing in the VBI interval. The first field has one line more than the second field (313/312 in 625-line systems and 263/262 in 525-line systems). This leads to the restriction that the resulting line (number in the register) can not be 313 or 263 in 50 Hz or 60 Hz systems respectively, because the internal counter of the VI-block only gets reached in the first field, but never in the second field. This fact causes one little restriction. The internal start value of capturing never can be 313/263. But if an application wants to get the content of this line it has to start with the capturing one line before.

The fields activeVideoStartX, activeVideoStartY, activeVideoEndX, and activeVideoEndY have nothing to do with the defined line counting in the 60 Hz and 50 Hz systems. Those values only represents offset values where a downstream component can find the active video area by taking into account how the video data are organized in the video buffer. In interlaced systems the values (times stride) directly lead to the address of the active video data. In field-in -ield systems the content of the structure fields have to be divided by two in order to apply the same calculation like in the interlaced case to get to the right active video addresses. That is why those field have a range from 0 to 576 or from 0 to 480 respectively.

Cache Coherency

When using the OL Layer of the video digitizer, the application just has to use the **tsalO-DescSetupFlagInvalidateDataout** flag for creation of the data queue between video digi-

tizer and the downstream component. In this case all cache coherency issues are automatically handled by the tsaDefaults library.

When the application is using the video digitizer AL Layer, it must consider cache coherency issues. For example, if the DSPCPU will read the captured video data, then the application must perform a cache invalidate operation on the video data before the DSPCPU accesses this part of the memory. This can simply be performed using the _cache_invalidate function on the relevant video data. Cache aligned video buffers can easily be created and destroyed using the _cache_malloc and _cache_free functions respectively. After the application has allocated the memory for the video buffers, it must perform a _cache_copyback operation for each buffer. This only needs to be performed on buffer creation and ensures that the memory has been flushed out of the DSPCPU data cache.

TriMedia Video Digitizer Inputs and Outputs

The video digitizer is a data source therefore it has no input pin and provides only one output pin. The output format can be specified using the instance setup function. The field pOutputFormat has to be filled by the application. The value must be a pointer to a tmVideoFormat_t structure. For easier bug tracking, the video digitizer throws an assertion failure if the installed format does not match with the format installed on the output queue. The video digitizer checks if the containing parameters are supported by the library. Currently only the TV standards NTSC and PAL and its related parameters are supported.

In the AL layer the dataout callback has to be provided by the application to make the output pin working. The instance setup function returns with an error code if a Null pointer is passed to the library. The dataout callback is called in the video in interrupt context. This means that the application-supplied callback function should execute as fast as possible so the time spent inside the interrupt routine be kept to a minimum.

In the OL layer, if the **dataoutFunc** field of the default setup structure is Null, the default dataout callback function provided by the tsaDefaults library will be used.

Packet Formats

The video digitizer uses the standard packet data types defined in the tmAvFormats.h include file. The output uses the tmAvPacket_t structure to specify the packet. The captured YUV data is stored in three buffers, with the Y data contained in buffer[0], and the UV data contained in buffer[1] and buffer[2] respectively.

Each packet contains a header structure providing information concerning the packet data. The format field is a pointer to a **tmVideoFormat_t** structure which specifies the format and the image size. There are restrictions on the type of video formats that can be used by the video digitizer. These will be described next.

The main image output packet can be either vdfYUV422Planar or vdfYUV422Interspersed. No YUV420 format is supported by the video-in unit. If the video digitizer is used also for capturing of vertical blanking interval data, the vdfYUV422Planar flags needs to be used, because in this mode the video in hardware does not perform any filtering of the incoming data. The pOutputFormat field in the instance setup structure should be initialized with the following values:

Field	Set by	Value
dataClass	Арр	avdcVideo
dataType	Арр	vtfYUV
dataSubtype	Арр	vdfYUV422Planar or vdfYUV422Interspersed
description	Арр	vdfInterlaced, vdfFieldInFrame, or vdfFieldInField
imageWidth	Арр	Width of video frame in pixels (luminance)
imageHeight	Арр	Height of video frame in lines (luminance)
imageStride	Арр	Stride of video frame in bytes (luminance)
activeVideoStartX	VdigVl	Defines pixel offset in horizontal direction from start of video buffer to beginning of active video.
activeVideoStartY	VdigVl	Defines number of lines from start of video buffer to beginning of active video
activeVideoEndX	VdigVl	Defines end of active video area in number of pixels within the video buffer. It is an absolute position.
activeVideoEndY	VdigVI	Defines end of active video area in number of lines within the video buffer. It is an absolute position.
videoStandard	VdigVl	Defines analog video standard that served as source of digitized image

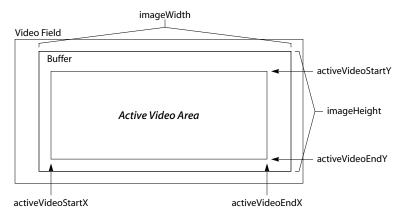
The **description** field of the format structure is set by the video digitizer automatically depending on the instance setup fields **fieldBased** and **interlaced**, but it still checks if the

resulting description matches with the previously installed format of the output queue. Four different combinations are possible. See Table 10.

Table 10 The description field is set by the VdigVI library during the instance setup

description	fieldBased == True	fieldBased == False
interlaced == True	vdfFieldInFrame The first field is stored just as in the vdfInterlaced mode. The second field is stored just as in the vdfInterlaced mode, but not in the same packet. Sent packets alternately have the first field filled (second field not updated), and second field filled (first field not updated).	Default vdfInterlaced A complete frame is written in the packet buffer. The fields are stored interlaced. The packets are sent out frame based.
interlaced == False	vdfFieldInField Only one field is written in the packet buffer. No space is between two consecutive lines of one field. The packet is sent out field based.	vdfFieldInField The previous captured field is overridden by the current field. The packets are sent out frame based.

In field-based operation, every packet is marked with the field type using the flags field of the header structure. The second field will have the **avhField2** bit set, whereas the first field will have this bit clear. Therefore, a downstream component can interrogate the packets description and field information to determine which data bytes in the packet are valid. It is possible to build up a complete frame by sending a half-filled frame back to the digitizer, which will insert the missing field into the correct memory locations of the packet buffer.



The fields activeVideoStartX, activeVideoStartY, activeVideoEndX, activeVideoEndY, and videoStandard are also set by the video digitizer automatically. In this case it does not

check if it matches with the current queue setup. Depending what analog video standard was chosen the video digitizer sets these fields accordingly. Using the location of the active video area a downstream component has access to additional information, such as VBI inserted data, which is transmitted by the video signal in parallel.

TriMedia Video Digitizer Error

Video digitizer errors which would disturb the operation of the component are handled using the error callback function. The callback function is usually called from within the video-in ISR. The application is responsible for supplying a function to handle these error conditions. Error conditions which arise include problems whereas calling the dataout function and the validity of incoming empty packets. Underrun errors which occur when the component fails to obtain a new empty packet are reported through the progress callback function. Progress functions are described in the next section.

TriMedia Video Digitizer Progress

The video digitizer reports multiple events to the application if enabled. This reporting can be enabled by setting the default instance field **progressReportFlags** with OR'd available progress report flags. One is the cycle count at entering the video-in ISR (VDIGVI_PROGRESS_ISR_ENTRY). This value can be used for instance for video-in and video-out synchronization algorithms. The other one is the information of a lost frame. This information is produced if the digitizer expects an empty packet in the output queue but was not able to get one. In this case the already filled packet will not be sent out and will instead be overridden with new incoming digitized data. The progress codes VDIGVI_PROGRESS_FIELD1 and VDIGVI_PROGRESS_FIELD2 indicate what video field was currently captured. The application can distinguish between those events by checking the **progressCode** field of the progress arguments.

Table 11 Available progress events of the video digitizer

VDIGVI_PROGRESS_ISR_ENTRY	Reports time stamp of entering the video-in ISR. The cycle count is stored in the description field.
VDIGVI_PROGRESS_LOST_FRAME	Reports a lost frame. This is detected by the ISR in case of an empty dataout empty queue. In this case the video digitizer did not get a new empty buffer.
VDIGVI_PROGRESS_FIELD1	Reports if captured field was field one.
VDIGVI_PROGRESS_FIELD2	Reports if captured field was field two.

The installation of this callback function is optional.

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tmalVdigVlCapabilities_t, tmolVdigVlCapabilities_t

```
typedef struct tmalVdigVICapabilities_t{
   ptsaDefaultCapabilities_t defaultCapabilities;
   pviCapabilities_t viCapabilities;
} tmalVdigVICapabilities_t, *ptmalVdigVICapabilities_t;
typedef tmalVdigVICapabilities_t tmolVdigVICapabilities_t;
typedef ptmalVdigVICapabilities_t ptmolVdigVICapabilities_t;
```

Fields

defaultCapabilities Refer to tsa.h.

viCapabilities Pointer to the video-in device library capabilities.

Description

This structure stores the capabilities of the video digitizer.

tmalVdigVIInstanceSetup_t, tmolVdigVIInstanceSetup_t

```
typedef struct tmalVdigVIInstanceSetup_t{
   ptsaDefaultInstanceSetup_t defaultSetup;
   tmVideoAnalogStandard_t
                               videoStandard;
   tmVideoAnalogAdapter_t
                                videoAdapter;
  UInt32
                                capSizeFlag;
  UInt32
                                startX;
   UInt32
                                startY;
   ptmVideoFormat_t
                                pOutputFormat;
   Boo1
                                fieldBased;
   Boo1
                                interlaced;
                                thresholdReachedEnable;
   Boo1
  UInt32
                               yThreshold;
   Boo1
                                startYisScanLineNumber:
} tmalVdigVIInstanceSetup_t, *ptmalVdigVIInstanceSetup_t;
typedef tmalVdigVIInstanceSetup_t tmolVdigVIInstanceSetup_t;
typedef ptmalVdigVIInstanceSetup_t ptmolVdigVIInstanceSetup_t;
```

Fields

defaultSetup	Refer to <i>tsa.h.</i>
videoStandard	Either vasNTSC, vasPAL, or vasSECAM. Default is vasNTSC.
adapterType	Either vaaCVBS or vaaSvideo. Default is vaaCVBS.
capSizeFlag	Either viFULLRES or viHALFRES. Default is viFULLRES.
startX	x-offset of acquisition window. Default is zero.
startY	y-offset of acquisition window. Default is start of active video.
pOutputFormat	Pointer to video format structure. The video digitizer uses the format information for setting up the video in unit. If this field is Null, the format information is taken from the output descriptor structure. It is recommended to pass an output format to the video digitizer. Default is Null.
fieldBased	True if the digitizer has to send captured packets in a fieldbased frequency. False to make digitizer sending packets in a frame based frequency. Default is False.
interlaced	True if the digitizer has to skip one line to put two

consecutive lines of one field in a packet (interlaced organized buffer). False to make the digitizer putting two consecutive lines right next to each other (plain organized buffer). Default is True.

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thresholdReachedEnable Enables the threshold feature of the video-in unit.

True tells the video digizer to send out a half-filled packet at line number **yThreshold**. Default is False.

yThreshold Specifies the line number when a half filled

packet has to be send out. If the field **threshold-ReachedEnable** is False this value will be ignored.

Default is zero.

startYisScanLineNumber Used for VBI support.

Description

This structure is used to configure the video digitizer. It enables the application to specify parameters such as the video standard, the adaptor type, output format, packet output frequency, and data organization. In OL layer a pointer to the component allocated setup structure can be get by the get instance setup function. This obtained structure is also filled with default values. All the mentioned default values are only available in the OL layer by calling tmolVdigVlGetInstanceSetup.

AL Layer Video Digitizer API Functions

This section presents the TriMedia Video Digitizer API functions.

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tmalVdigVlGetNumberOfUnits

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmalVdigVIGetNumberOfUnits(
    UInt32 *numberOfUnits
);
```

Parameters

numberofUnits

Pointer to integer that contains the supported number of units after the function has returned successfully.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK

Success.

The function can also return codes from viGetNumberOfUnits.

Description

This function returns the number of available hardware units the video digitizer supports.

tmalVdigVIGetCapabilities

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmalVdigVIGetCapabilities(
   ptmalVdigVICapabilities_t *pCap
);
```

Parameters

pCap

Pointer to a variable in which to return a pointer to capabilities data.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK

Success.

The function can also return codes from tmalVdigVIGetCapabilitiesM.

Description

This function returns a pointer to the video digitizer capabilities such as version information. It simply calls the **tmalVdigVlGetCapabilitiesM** function with the default unit number (**unit0**).

tmalVdigVlGetCapabilitiesM

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmalVdigVIGetCapabilitiesM(
   ptmalVdigVICapabilities_t *pCap,
   unitSelect_t unitNumber
);
```

Parameters

pCap Pointer to a variable in which to return a pointer

to capabilities data.

unitNumber Unit number where the capabilities have to be

retrieved from.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

VDIGVI_ERR_VI_NOT_SUPPORTED Can assert if the component can't find any video

input hardware unit.

The function can also return codes from tmalVdigVIGetNumberOfUnits, tsaBoardGet-Board, viGetNumberOfUnits, and viGetCapabilitiesM.

Description

This function returns a pointer to the video digitizer capabilities.

tmalVdigVIOpen

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmalVdigVIOpen(
    Int *instance
);
```

Parameters

instance

The instance.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK

Success.

The function can also return codes from tmalVdigVlOpenM.

Description

This function is used to obtain an instance of the video digitizer. The component supports a single instance per hardware unit. This function creates an instance from unit0. If an application needs to use a different unit it should use the tmalVdigVlOpenM function.

tmalVdigVIOpenM

Parameters

instance The instance.

unitNumber Number of the video-in unit the application

wishes to use with the video digitizer.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE The component is already being used.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_MEMALLOC_FAILED No memory is available to store capabilities of

component.

The function can also return codes from tmalVdigVIGetNumberOfUnits and viOpenM.

Description

This function is used to obtain an instance of the video digitizer. The component supports a single instance per hardware unit.

tmalVdigVlClose

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmalVdigVIClose(
   Int
         instance
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance value.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

Asserts if the instance parameter is Null or does TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE

not match the currently opened instance.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_STOPPED Asserts if the instance has not been stopped.

The function can also return codes from viStop and viClose.

Description

This function will release an instance.

tmalVdigVIInstanceSetup

Parameters

instance The instance.

setup Pointer to the instance setup structure.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE The instance parameter is Null.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE The instance parameter does not match the cur-

rently opened instance.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_SETUP Asserts if the **defaultSetup** pointer contained

within the setup structure is Null

TMLIBAPP_ERR_NULL_DATAOUT_FUNC Asserts if the dataoutFunc callback is Null.

VDIGVI_ERR_SETUP_FORMAT Asserts if the content of fields **fieldbased** and

interlaced of the instance setup structure does not match with the already installed format at the

output queue.

Description

This function configures the digitizer. It is important to ensure that the application specifies a dataoutFunc callback which will be used to obtain and release packets.

tmalVdigVIStart

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmalVdigVIStart(
    Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance value.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK	Success.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE	Asserts if the instance parameter is Null.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE	Asserts if the instance parameter does not match the currently opened instance.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_SETUP	Asserts if the instance has not been setup using the tmalVdigVIInstanceSetup function.
VDIGVI_ERR_BUFFER_ALLOCATION	The number of buffers does not match required number of buffers (three).
VDIGVI_ERR_BUFFER_ALLOCATION	Memory for buffers is not allocated (Null).
VDIGVI_ERR_BUFFER_ALIGNMENT	Data buffers are not cache aligned (multiple of 64).
VDIGVI_ERR_BUFFER_SIZE	Buffer size does not match with image size.

Buffer size is not multiple of cache line size (64).

The function can return codes from viYUVSetup and viStart.

VDIGVI_ERR_BUFFER_SIZE_ALIGNMENT

Description

This function will start the video digitizer data streaming operation. It calls the dataout-Func to obtain an empty packet where captured video data will be stored. The format of this first packet is checked to make sure the packets can hold the to be captured data. The video-in device is then started which will initiate the capture process. After capturing a frame the instance will try to obtain another empty packet. If successful it will return the current packet containing the captured video data and begin capturing to the new packet. If an empty packet is not available, then the progressFunc callback is executed, and the next captured frame will be stored in the current packet. This will overwrite the previous frame. The application must provide its own dataout callback function which provides functionality to get empty packets and return full packets. The address of this function must be specified during instance setup.

tmalVdigVIStop

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmalVdigVIStop(
    Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance The instance.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE The instance parameter is Null.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE The instance parameter does not match the cur-

rently opened instance.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_SETUP

The instance has not been setup using the tmalV-

digVIInstanceSetup function.

The function can return codes from viStop.

Description

This function is used to terminate video capture and hence stop data streaming. It will stop the video-in device, and then expel the packet which it was holding. The packet is returned using the dataoutFunc callback.

tmalVdigVIInstanceConfig

Parameters

instance The instance.

args Pointer to a structure specifying how to change

the configuration of the running video digitizer.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE The instance parameter is Null.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE The instance parameter does not match the cur-

rently opened instance.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_SETUP The instance has not been setup using the tmalV-

digVIInstanceSetup function.

VDIGVI_ERR_CONFIG_UNKNOWN_COMMAND

Asserts if config function gets not supported com-

mand codes.

Description

This function is used to change the configuration of the video digitizer. The following constants at the command field of the ptsaControlArgs_t are supported.

Configuration Commands

VDIGVI_CONFIG_SET_HORZ_OFFSET	This command sets the horizontal offset of the acquisition window of the video digitizer. The value is stored in the parameter field of the ptsaControlArgs_t structure.
VDIGVI_CONFIG_SET_VERT_OFFSET	This command sets the vertical offset of the

acquisition window of the video digitizer. The value is stored in the parameter field of the ptsaControlArgs_t structure.

VDIGVI_CONFIG_SET_Y_THRESHOLD This command sets the new threshold line of the

video-in unit.

VDIGVI_CONFIG_ENABLE_Y_THRESHOLD

This command enables the threshold feature of the video digitizer.

VDIGVI_CONFIG_DISABLE_Y_THRESHOLD

This command disables the threshold feature of the video digitizer. If threshold is disabled the packet is send out at the end of a field/frame.

VDIGVI_CONFIG_GET_HORZ_OFFSET

This command retrieves the current horizontal offset of the video digitzer. The returned value is stored in the parameter field of the ptsaControl-Args. t structure.

VDIGVI_CONFIG_GET_VERT_OFFSET

This command retrieves the current vertical offset of the video digitzer. The returned value is stored in the parameter field of the ptsaControlArgs_t structure.

VDIGVI_CONFIG_STATUS_Y_THRESHOLD

This command retrieves the current status of the threshold feature. If returns True if threshold is enabled and False if disabled.

OL Layer Video Digitizer API Functions

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tmolVdigVIGetNumberOfUnits

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmolVdigVIGetNumberOfUnits(
    UInt32 *numberOfUnits
);
```

Parameters

numberofUnits

Pointer to a variable in which to return the supported number of units.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK

Success.

The function can also return codes from tmalGetNumberOfUnits.

Description

This function returns the number of available hardware units the video digitizer supports.

tmolVdigVIGetCapabilities

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmolVdigVIGetCapabilities(
   ptmolVdigVICapabilities_t *pCap
);
```

Parameters

pCap

Pointer to a variable in which to return a pointer to the capabilities data.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK

Success.

The function can also return codes from tmolVdigVIGetCapabilitiesM.

Description

This function returns pointer to the capabilities structure. This can be used by the format manager to determine if two components can be connected together to form a dataflow.

The function simply calls the **tmolVdigVIGetCapabilitiesM** function with the default unit number (**unit0**).

tmolVdigVlGetCapabilitiesM

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmolVdigVIGetCapabilitiesM(
   ptmolVdigVICapabilities_t *pCap,
   unitSelect_t unitNumber
);
```

Parameters

pCap Pointer to a variable in which to return a pointer to the capabilities data.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

VDIGVI_ERR_VI_NOT_SUPPORTED Can assert if the component does not find any video input hardware unit.

The function can also return codes from tmalVdigVIGetCapabilitiesM.

Description

This function returns a pointer to the capabilities structure. It can be used by the format manager to determine if two components can be connected together to form a dataflow.

tmolVdigVIOpen

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmolVdigVIOpen(
    Int *instance
);
```

Parameters

instance

The instance.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK

Success.

or return codes of the internally called tmolVdigVlOpenM function.

Description

This opens an OL Layer instance of the video digitizer. The default unit is opened (unit0). If an application wants to use a different unit, it should use the tmalVdigVlOpenM function.

tmolVdigVIOpenM

Parameters

instance The instance.

unitNumber Number of the video-in unit the applications

wishes to use with the video digitizer.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE The component is already being used.

The function can also return codes from tmalVdigVIOpenM.

Description

This function is used to obtain an instance of the video digitizer. The component supports a single instance per hardware unit.

tmolVdigVlClose

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmolVdigVIClose(
    Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance value.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

instance.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_STOPPED Asserts if the instance of video digitizer is still

running.

The function can also return codes from tmalVdigVlClose.

Description

This function will release the instance.

tmolVdigVIGetInstanceSetup

Parameters

instance The instance.

setup Pointer to a variable in which to return a pointer

to the setup data.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE Can assert if the instance parameter is an

unknown instance.

Description

This returns a pointer to the OL Layer instance setup structure. The memory for this structure is created automatically when the instance is opened.

tmolVdigVIInstanceSetup

Parameters

instance The instance.

setup Pointer to the instance setup structure.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE Can assert if the **instance** parameter is an

unknown instance.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_NULL_I0_DESC Can assert if the InOutDescriptor is Null.

VDIGVI_ERR_SETUP_FORMAT Can assert if the content of fields **fieldbased** and

interlaced of the instance setup structure does not match with the already installed format at the

output queue.

The function can also return codes from tmalVdigVlInstanceSetup.

Description

This function must be called to configure the video digitizer. The address of the instance setup structure should be obtained using the **tmolVdigVlGetInstanceSetup** function.

tmolVdigVIStart

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmolVdigVIStart(
    Int instance
):
```

Parameters

instance The instance.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK	Success.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE	Asserts if the instance parameter is an unknown instance.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_SETUP	Asserts if the tmolVdigVlInstanceSetup function has not been called.
VDIGVI_ERR_BUFFER_ALLOCATION	The number of buffers does not match required number of buffers (three).
VDIGVI_ERR_BUFFER_ALLOCATION	The memory for buffers is not allocated (Null).
VDIGVI_ERR_BUFFER_ALIGNMENT	The pointer to data buffers are not cache aligned (multiple of 64).
VDIGVI_ERR_BUFFER_SIZE	The buffer size does not match with image size.
VDIGVI_ERR_BUFFER_SIZE_ALIGNMEN	Т
	The buffer size is not multiple of cache line size

(64).

The function can also return codes from tmalVdigVIStart.

Description

This function will start the video digitizer data streaming operation. It calls the dataout-Func to obtain an empty packet where captured video data will be stored. The format of this first packet is checked to make sure the packets can hold the to be captured data. The video-in device is then started which will initiate the capture process. After capturing a frame the instance will try to obtain another empty packet. If successful it will return the current packet containing the captured video data and begin capturing to the new packet. If an empty packet is not available, then the progressFunc callback is executed, and the next captured frame will be stored in the current packet. This will overwrite the previous frame. By default the video digitizer will use the dataout callback function provided with the tsaDefaults library.

tmolVdigVIStop

```
extern tmLibappErr_t tmolVdigVIStop(
   Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance Instance value.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE Asserts if the instance parameter is an unknown

instance.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_SETUP Asserts if the tmolVdigVIInstanceSetup function

has not been called.

The function can also return codes from tmalVdigVIStop.

Description

This function is used to terminate video capture and hence stop data streaming. It will stop the video-in device, and then expel the packet which it was holding. The packet is returned using the dataoutFunc callback.

tmolVdigVIInstanceConfig

Parameters

instance The instance.

args Pointer to a structure specifying how to change the configuration of the running video digitizer.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE The instance parameter is Null.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE The instance parameter does not match the cur-

rently opened instance.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_SETUP The instance has not been setup using the tmol-

VdigVIInstanceSetup function.

The function can also return codes from tmalVdigVIInstanceConfig.

Description

This function is used to change the configuration of the video digitizer during operation (after the digitizer has been started). The following constants at the command field of the ptsaControlArgs_t are supported.

Configuration Commands

VDIGVI_CONFIG_SET_HORZ_OFFSET	This command sets the horizontal offset of the acquisition window of the video digitizer. The value is stored in the parameter field of the ptsaControlArgs_t structure.
VDIGVI_CONFIG_SET_VERT_OFFSET	This command sets the vertical offset of the acquisition window of the video digitizer. The value is stored in the parameter field of the ptsaControlArgs_t structure.
VDIGVI CONFIG SET Y THRESHOLD	This command sets the new threshold line of the

VDIGVI_CONFIG_ENABLE_Y_THRESHOLD

This command enables the threshold feature of

the video digitizer.

video-in unit.

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VDIGVI_CONFIG_DISABLE_Y_THRESHOLD

This command disables the threshold feature of the video digitizer. If threshold is disabled the packet is send out at the end of a field/frame.

VDIGVI_CONFIG_GET_HORZ_OFFSET

This command retrieves the current horizontal offset of the video digitzer. The returned value is stored in the parameter field of the ptsaControlArgs_t structure.

VDIGVI_CONFIG_GET_VERT_OFFSET

This command retrieves the current vertical offset of the video digitzer. The returned value is stored in the parameter field of the ptsaControlArgs_t structure.

VDIGVI_CONFIG_STATUS_Y_THRESHOLD

This command retrieves the current status of the threshold feature. If returns **True** if threshold is enabled and **False** if disabled.

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Video Renderer (VrendVO) API

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Video Renderer API Overview

The TriMedia video renderer is an implementation of a video output driver which complies with the TriMedia streaming architecture specification.

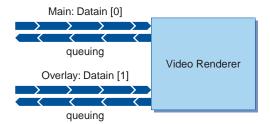


Figure 14 Structure of the Video Renderer

The video renderer accepts data from an application, using either a non-streaming or streaming interface. Both AL and OL layers are provided, as indicated in Figure 15.

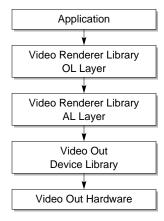


Figure 15 Video Renderer Architecture

Using the Video Renderer API

The TriMedia Video Renderer API is contained within the archived application library libtmVrendVO.a. To use the Video Renderer AL layer API, you must include the tmalVrendVO.h header file; for OL layer applications you must include the tmolVrendVO.h header file.

The AL Layer

The operating system independent layer supports both non-streaming and streaming operation.

In non-data streaming mode, the application explicitly calls the **tmalVrendVORender-Frame** function to transfer the frame to the video renderer instance. A diagram of the typical control flow is shown in Figure 16.

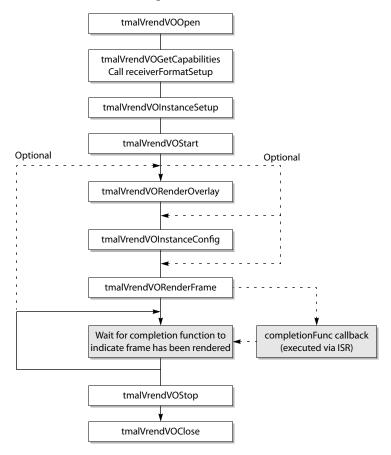


Figure 16 AL Layer Non-Data Streaming Flow Control

An instance of the video renderer must first be created by calling the tmalVrendVOOpen function; the component only allows one instance to be open at any moment of time. Once opened, the application should obtain the capabilities of the renderer using tmalVrendVOGetCapabilities. It should then call the video renderers receiverFormatSetup callback function to specify the output format of the instance; this configures the output height, width, and stride.

The instance should then be setup by initializing the **tmalVrendVOInstanceSetup_t** structure and calling **tmalVrendVOInstanceSetup**. Parameters which may be setup include the video standard, overlay enable, and application specific completion function. Note that for non-data streaming the datainFunc must be set to Null.

The video renderer can then be started using tmalVrendVOStart; this informs the renderer to expect data and consequently, to log underrun errors if data is not present. The application may then call tmalVrendVORenderFrame to display a frame. The renderer is able to queue up to four frames for display. Once the renderer has displayed a frame, it will call the completion function, and pass the packet ID as the flags argument; the application can use this to determine when a frame has been displayed. Note that if the instance currently has only one frame in it's queue, then this frame will be displayed repeatedly. In this case, the completion function is only called once another frame has been passed to it.

The **tmalVrendVORenderOverlay** function should be used to pass an overlay image to the renderer. The application may call this repeatedly to render new overlays on the main image. The **tmalVrendVOInstanceConfig** can be called to change instance parameters such as the main image position, and whether the overlay should be displayed.

By calling tmalVrendVOStop, the renderer will stop displaying images, and return any packets that are stored in it's internal queue. The completion function will be called for each packet on the queue, with the completion function flags argument being set to the relevant packet ID. Finally, when the application calls tmalVrendVOClose, the instance will be freed, enabling another task to use the renderer.

In the AL layer streaming operation, the video renderer uses the datainFunc callback within the video interrupt service routine to obtain video packets to be displayed. A typical flow of control is shown in Figure 17.

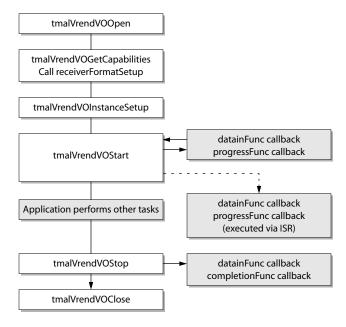


Figure 17 AL Layer Data Streaming Flow Control

A video renderer instance is opened and it's output configuration is initialized in identical fashion to the non-streaming flow described previously. In streaming mode, the application must set the datainFunc callback in the instance setup structure to point to an application supplied datain callback function. This will be used by the component to obtain full input packets and return empty packets; the same function must be able to supply both main image packets and overlay packets.

Data streaming is initiated using tmalVrendVOStart. The instance will call the datainFunc callback to obtain the main image input packet and possibly an overlay packet if the overlay is enabled.

The video renderer will then start rendering to the screen. Full packets are obtained in the video interrupt service routine using the datainFunc callback. As the video renderer is interrupt driven, the application is free to perform other operations. It may change the renderer parameters by calling **tmalVrendVOInstanceConfig** during this time; for example, to change the overlay position.

Data streaming can be terminated by calling **tmalVrendVOStop**. This will cause the instance to return any packets which it currently is using. The renderer will call the completionFunc callback to indicate that it has stopped. Note that the completion function

is only called when it has stopped; this is different from the non-streaming case which calls the completion function after each frame has been displayed. Finally, the **tmalVrendVOClose** function closes the instance.

Note that it is possible to start VrendVO, calling tmalVrendVOStart without having a video format already installed. The renderer will actually start once tmalVrendVOReceiverFormat is called by the application or by another library. This can be done by calling tsaDefaultInstallFormat, or through the progress function, with tsaProgressFlagChangeFormat set.

The OL Layer

The operating system layer only supports streaming operation. A diagram of the typical flow of control is shown in Figure 18.

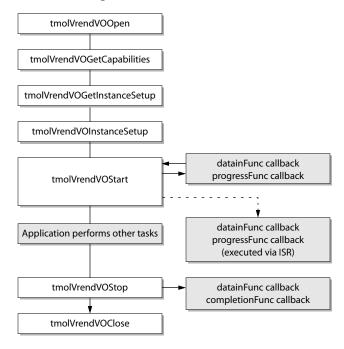


Figure 18 OL Layer Data Streaming Flow Control.

An instance of the video renderer should be opened first using tmolVrendVOOpen; only one instance is currently supported. The capabilities of the component should be obtained using tmolVrendVOGetCapabilities. This information will be used by the format manager to ensure that the two instances being connected together are compatible. The InOutDescriptor which connects the two components should then be created by initializing an ptsalnOutDescriptorSetup_t structure and calling tsaDefaultInOutDescriptorCre-

ate. This can also be used to automatically create packets which will be used to transfer data between component instances.

The pointer to the video renderer instance setup should be obtained using tmolVrendVO-GetInstanceSetup. This structure should be initialized with any application specific values, for example, the type of display adaptor being used. The application should then call tmolVrendVOInstanceSetup to configure the instance. Data streaming mode can then be initiated by calling tmolVrendVOStart. Image packets to be displayed are obtained using the datain call back function in exactly the same manner as described in the AL layer data streaming section.

The application can terminate data streaming using **tmolVrendVOStop**, and release the instance using **tmolVrendVOClose**. After the instance has been closed, the application should destroy the InOutDescriptor using the **tsaDefaultInOutDescriptorDestroy** function. This will automatically free the packets contained in the queues.

Callback Function Requirements

The following list gives the mandatory and optional callback functions used by the video renderer.

datainFunc Used for data streaming in both the AL and OL layers. For AL

Layer streaming the application must provide this function. For OL Layer streaming, the tsaDefaults library provides a default

function automatically.

This field must be set to Null for AL-Layer non-data streaming

operation.

completionFunc In AL Layer non-data streaming, this is called to indicate that a

frame has been displayed.

In AL Layer data-streaming and the OL Layer, this is used to indi-

cate that streaming has stopped.

errorFunc This is used in all layers to indicate that an error has occurred.

progressFunc This is used to report progress: entering an ISR routine, reaching

Ythreshold, losing a frame, reporting which Field is being pro-

cessed in the ISR.

In streaming mode, datainFunc is mandatory, completionFunc, errorFunc and progress-Func are optional.

In non streaming mode, datainFunc has to be Null, completionFunc is mandatory, so that the video renderer can notify the application that a complete frame has been displayed. ErrorFunc and progressFunc are still optional.

Packet Formats

The video renderer uses the standard packet data types defined in the **tmAvFormats.h** include file. Both the main and overlay image use the **tmAvPacket_t** structure. The main

image YUV data is stored in three buffers, with the Y pointer contained in buffer[0], and the UV pointers contained in buffer[1] and buffer[2] respectively. The overlay image YUV sequence data will be stored in a single buffer.

Each packet contains a header structure providing information concerning the packet data. The format field will be a **tmVideoFormat_t** structure which specifies the format and the image size. There are restrictions on the type of video formats that can be accepted by the video renderer. These will be described next.

The description section of the **tmVideoFormat_t** structure enables the application to specify that the video stream is possibly interlaced, and that the video data are sent to the Video Renderer on a frame or field basis. It is also possible, using the description section to specify if the video packet has Mpeg extension. In that case, VrendVO will extract Mpeg related display information from the header->userPointer field of each incoming packet. This information is used by VrendVO to perform 3:2 pulldown. In this case also, VrendVO will automatically center and scale the image if necessary.

Main Image Input Packet

The main image input packet must be either YUV422 or YUV420. The packet headers format field should be initialized with the following values:

dataClass avdcVideo. dataType vtfYUV.

 ${\tt dataSubtype} \qquad \qquad {\tt vdfYUV422Planer}, \, {\tt vdfYUV422Planer}, \, {\tt or} \, {\tt vdfYUV422Interspersed}$

 ${\tt description} \qquad {\tt vdfInterlaced, vdfFieldInFrame, vdfFieldInField, vdfProgressive, or} \\$

vdfMpegExtension.

imageWidth Width of video frame (luminance).imageHeight Height of video frame (luminance).imageStride Stride of video frame (luminance).

activeVideoStartX 0
activeVideoStartY 0

activeVideoEndX Width of video frame (luminance).
activeVideoEndY Height of video frame (luminance).

videoStandard vasNTSC or vasPAL.

Overlay Image Input Packet

The overlay image must be YUV sequence data. The format field should be initialized with the following values:

dataClass avdcVideo. dataType vtfYUV.

dataSubtype vdfYUVSequence or vdfYUVSequenceAlpha.

Description vdfInterlaced, vdfFieldInField, vdfFieldInFrame, or vdfProgressive.

imageWidth Width of overlay frame.imageHeight Height of overlay frame.imageStride Stride of overlay frame.

 $\begin{array}{ll} {\tt activeVideoStartX} & 0 \\ {\tt activeVideoStartY} & 0 \end{array}$

activeVideoEndX Width of overlay frame.
activeVideoEndY Height of overlay frame.
videoStandard vasNTSC or vasPAL.

Cache Coherency

When the application is using the video renderer AL Layer, it must consider cache coherency issues. For example, if the DSPCPU created or manipulated the video data, then the application must perform a cache copyback operation on the data before passing it to the renderer. This can simply be performed using the _cache_copyback function on the relevant video data. Cache aligned video buffers can easily be created and destroyed using the _cache_malloc and _cache_free functions respectively.

When using the OL Layer of the video renderer, all cache coherency issues are automatically handled by the tsaDefaults library.

Video Renderer API Data Structures

This section describes the Video Renderer application library data structures. These data structures are defined in the tmalVrendVO.h and tmolVrendVO.h header files.

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tmalVrendVOProgressFlags t

```
typedef enum {
       VRENDVO_PROGRESS_YTHRESHOLD
                                                                                      = \emptyset \times \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset 1,
       VRENDVO_PROGRESS_REPORT
                                                                                      = \emptyset \times \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset 2,
       VRENDVO_PROGRESS_ISR_ENTRY
                                                                                      = \emptyset \times \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset 4,
       VRENDVO_PROGRESS_LOST_FRAME
                                                                                      = \emptyset \times \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset 8,
       VRENDVO PROGRESS FIELD1
                                                                                      VRENDVO_PROGRESS_FIELD2
                                                                                      = \emptyset \times \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset 2\emptyset,
       VRENDVO_PROGRESS_TIMEDIFF
                                                                                      = \emptyset \times \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset 4\emptyset,
} tmalVrendVOProgressFlags_t;
```

Description

This enumerated type describes the flags that are used when the progress function is called by the renderer. Those flags can be OR'd, so that the application can choose which progress needs to be reported by the video render component.

tmalVrendVOCapabilities t

tmolVrendVOCapabilities_t

Fields

defaultCapabilities	Pointer to the default capabilities structure.
granularityOfAddress	Number of bits which must be zero in the address of YUV data.
granularityOfStride	Number of bits which must be zero in the stride.
videoStandards	OR'd values of different video standards supported by the VO device library.
adapterTypes	OR'd values of different adapter types supported by the VO device library.

Description

This structure is used to specify the capabilities of the video renderer. An application can obtain the components capability structure by calling tmalVrendVOGetCapabilities at the AL layer, or tmolVrendVOGetCapabilities at the OL layer.

tmalVrendV0InstanceSetup t

```
typedef struct {
   ptsaDefaultInstanceSetup_t
                                defaultSetup;
   tmVideoAnalogStandard t
                                videoStandard:
   tmVideoAnalogAdapter_t
                                adapterType;
   Boo1
                                scaleUp:
   Boo1
                                overlayEnable:
   UInt16
                                imageHorzOffset:
   UInt16
                                imageVertOffset;
   UInt16
                                overlayHorzOffset;
   UInt16
                                overlayVertOffset;
   UInt16
                                overlayAlpha0;
   UInt16
                                overlayAlpha1;
   Boo1
                                hbeEnable:
   Boo1
                                underrunEnable;
   Boo1
                                yThresholdEnable;
   UInt32
                                yThreshold:
   Boo1
                                underrunHoldFields:
} tmalVrendVOInstanceSetup_t, *ptmalVrendVOInstanceSetup_t;
```

tmolVrendV0InstanceSetup t

```
typedef struct {
   ptsaDefaultInstanceSetup_t
                                defaultSetup;
   tmVideoAnalogStandard t
                                videoStandard:
   tmVideoAnalogAdapter_t
                                adapterType;
   Boo1
                                scaleUp;
   Boo1
                                overlayEnable;
  UInt16
                                imageHorzOffset;
  UInt16
                                imageVertOffset;
  UInt16
                                overlayHorzOffset;
   UInt16
                                overlayVertOffset;
  UInt16
                                overlayAlpha0;
  UInt16
                                overlayAlpha1;
   Boo1
                                hbeEnable:
   Boo1
                                underrunEnable;
   Boo1
                                yThresholdEnable;
  UInt32
                                vThreshold:
   Boo1
                                underrunHoldFields:
} tmolVrendVOInstanceSetup_t, *ptmolVrendVOInstanceSetup_t;
```

Fields

defaultSetup	Default instance setup (see tsa.h). Note that the AL and OL layers are identical.
videoStandard	vasPAL or vasNTSC.
adapterType	CVBS or S-Video. see tmAvFormats.h

scaleUp	True if this is an MPEG-1 type SIF image which

should be doubled in size by the video out hard-

ware.

overlayEnable True if the overlay functionality will be used.

imageHorzOffset Specified in pixels from the left edge. Note that an

offset of zero is likely to be displayed off screen on

most video monitors.

imageVertOffset Specified in lines from the top of the screen.

overlayHorzOffset Specified in pixels from the left edge.

overlayVertOffset Specified in pixels from the top of the screen.

Specifies the alpha value to use when the alpha

bit is zero.

overlayAlpha1 Specifies the alpha value to use when the alpha

bit is one.

hbeEnable Set to True to turn on highway bandwidth inter-

rupts.

underrunEnable Set to True to turn on underrun interrupts.

yThresholdEnable Set to True to turn on yThreshold interrupts.

yThreshold If yThreshold interrupts are turned on, this field

contains the value of the line in the video buffer

that will trigger the interrupt.

underrunHoldFields Used in field mode when a packet underrun

occurs. If false, the most recent field is re-displayed regardless of whether it is the correct field type. If true, the instance keeps both top and bottom field packets so the correct field type is dis-

played.

Description

overlayAlpha0

This structure can be used by the application to set up the initial configuration of the video renderer. In the AL Layer, the application should create and initialize the structure and then call **tmalVrendVOInstanceSetup**. In the OL Layer, the application should call **tmolVrendVOGetInstanceSetup** to obtain a pointer to the structure. It may then initialize any specific values before calling **tmolVrendVOInstanceSetup**.

tmalVrendVOConfigTypes_t

```
typedef enum {
   VO_CONFIG_SET_DDS_FREQUENCY
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + ØxØ1,
   VO_CONFIG_SET_OVERLAY
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + \emptyset x \emptyset 2,
   VO_CONFIG_SET_OVERLAY_HORZ_OFFSET
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + ØxØ3,
   VO_CONFIG_SET_OVERLAY_VERT_OFFSET
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + \emptyset x \emptyset 4,
   VO CONFIG SET HORZ OFFSET
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + \emptyset x \emptyset 5,
   VO_CONFIG_SET_VERT_OFFSET
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + \emptyset x \emptyset 6,
   VO_CONFIG_SET_YTHRESHOLD
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + \emptyset x \emptyset 7,
   VO_CONFIG_DES_YTHRESHOLD
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + ØxØ8,
   VO_CONFIG_SET_MPEG_PLAY
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + \emptyset x \emptyset 9,
   VO_CONFIG_SET_MPEG_PAUSE
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + ØxØa,
   VO_CONFIG_SET_MPEG_SFA
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + ØxØb,
   VO CONFIG SET MPEG IGNORE PTS
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + ØxØc,
   VO_CONFIG_SET_WINDOW
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + ØxØd,
   VO_CONFIG_GET_DDS_FREQUENCY
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + \emptyset x81,
   VO_CONFIG_GET_OVERLAY
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + Øx82,
   VO_CONFIG_GET_OVERLAY_HORZ_OFFSET
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + \emptyset x83,
   VO_CONFIG_GET_OVERLAY_VERT_OFFSET
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + Øx84,
   VO_CONFIG_GET_HORZ_OFFSET
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + Øx85,
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + \emptyset x86,
   VO_CONFIG_GET_VERT_OFFSET
   VO_CONFIG_GET_YTHRESHOLD
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + Øx87,
                                            = tsaCmdUserBase + Øx88
   VO_CONFIG_GET_MPEG_PTS
} tmalVrendVOConfigTypes_t, *ptmalVrendVOConfigTypes_t;
```

Commands

```
VO_CONFIG_SET_DDS_FREQUENCY
                                    Change frequency.
VO_CONFIG_SET_OVERLAY
                                    Allow user to set overlay on and off.
VO_CONFIG_SET_OVERLAY_HORZ_OFFSET
                                    Change horizontal position of overlay.
VO_CONFIG_SET_OVERLAY_VERT_OFFSET
                                    Change vertical position of overlay.
                                    Change horizontal offset of main image. Offset is
VO_CONFIG_SET_HORZ_OFFSET
                                    specified in pixels from the left edge.
VO_CONFIG_SET_VERT_OFFSET
                                    Change vertical offset of main image. Offset is
                                    specified in lines from the top of the screen.
                                    Enables yThreshold interrupts and sets a new
VO_CONFIG_SET_YTHRESHOLD
                                    value for yThreshold.
VO_CONFIG_DES_YTHRESHOLD
                                    Disables yThreshold interrupts.
                                    Acquire and display video packets.
VO_CONFIG_SET_MPEG_PLAY
VO_CONFIG_SET_MPEG_PAUSE
                                    Repeatedly display the same frame without
                                    acquiring new packets.
VO_CONFIG_SET_MPEG_SFA
                                    Single-frame advance: obtain a new video packet
                                    and repeatedly display it.
```

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frame immediately.

VO_CONFIG_SET_WINDOW Reserved for future use.

Description

This enumeration type describes the *command* field of the tsaControlArgs_t structure, that is used as a parameter by the tmalVrendVOInstanceConfig and tmolVrendVOInstanceConfig functions to change certain instance parameters while the renderer is running.

Video Renderer API Functions

This section describes the TriMedia Video Renderer application library API functions.

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tmalVrendVOGetCapabilities

```
tmLibappErr_t tmalVrendVOGetCapabilities(
   tmalVrendVOCapabilities_t **cap
);
```

tmolVrendVOGetCapabilities

```
tmLibappErr_t tmolVrendVOGetCapabilities(
   ptmolVrendVOCapabilities_t *pCap
);
```

Parameters

cap, pCap	Pointer to a variable in which to return a pointer
	to capabilities data.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

Description

These functions fill in the pointer of a static **tmalVrendVOCapabilities_t** structure maintained by the renderer to describe the capabilities and requirements of this library.

tmalVrendVOOpen

```
tmLibappErr_t tmalVrendV00pen(
   Int *instance
);
```

tmolVrendVOOpen

```
tmLibappErr_t tmo1VrendV00pen(
   Int *instance
);
```

Parameters

instance Pointer to the (returned) instance.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE Maximum number of renderers are allocated.

Description

Instantiates a video renderer, and sets the instance variable to point to the video renderer instance. Currently only one instance is supported.

tmalVrendVOClose

```
tmLibappErr_t tmalVrendVOClose(
    Int instance
);
```

tmolVrendVOClose

```
tmLibappErr_t tmolVrendVOClose(
   Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instanceInstance value, as returned by tmalVrendVOOpen or tmolVrendVOOpen.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK Success

TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE Asserts if the renderer has not been opened by

this instance.

Description

These functions will shut down an instance of the renderer. The instance must have been stopped prior to calling the respective function.

tmolVrendV0GetInstanceSetup

Parameters

instance	Instance value, as returned by tmolVrendVOOpen.
setup	Pointer to the setup structure (see page 190).

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE	Success. If the renderer has not been opened by this instance.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE VR_ERR_DEVICE_LIBRARY_ERROR	Can assert if the desired instance is not open. Is OR'd with the low byte of the return code of the device library if volnstanceSetup fails.

Description

The **tmolVrendVOGetInstanceSetup** function is used to return a pointer to the renderer's OL Layer instance setup structure. The renderer creates this structure when the component is opened. After obtaining the pointer to the structure, the application can initialize specific instance values before calling **tmolVrendVOInstanceSetup**.

Default values for the returned instance setup are shown below:

```
== defaultSetup
defaultSetup
videoStandard
                  == vasNSTC
adapterType
                  == vaaCVBS
scaleUp
                  == False
overlayEnable
                  == False
imageHorzOffset
imageVertOffset
                  == Ø
overlavHorzOffset == Ø
overlayVertOffset == Ø
                  == Ø
overlayAlpha0
overlayAlpha1
                  == Ø
hbeEnableTrue,
                  == True
underrunEnable
                  == True
yThresholdEnable == False
                  == Ø
yThreshold
underrunHoldFields == False
```

tmalVrendVOInstanceSetup

tmolVrendVOInstanceSetup

Parameters

instance	Instance value, as returned by tmalVrendVOOpen
	or tmolVrendVOOpen.

setup Pointer to the setup structure (see page 190).

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP OK

TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE If the renderer has not been opened by this instance.

Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE Can assert if the desired instance is not open.

VR_ERR_DEVICE_LIBRARY_ERROR Is OR'd with the low byte of the return code of the device library if volnstanceSetup fails

Description

These functions configure the renderer. The video-out device will be opened, and the renderer will be in a stopped state. After initialization, the application should use the tmalVrendVOInstanceConfig and tmolVrendVOInstanceConfig functions to modify instance variables.

tmalVrendVOStart

```
tmLibappErr_t tmalVrendVOStart(
    Int instance
);
```

tmolVrendVOStart

```
tmLibappErr_t tmolVrendVOStart(
   Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance	Instance, as returned by tmalVrendVOOpen or
	tmolVrendVOOpen.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK	Success.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE	Asserts if the desired instance is not open.
VR_ERR_DEVICE_LIBRARY_ERROR	OR'd with the low byte of the return code of the device library if voInstanceSetup fails
TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE	Asserts if the instance variable is Null.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE	Asserts if the instance variable does not match the currently opened instance.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_SETUP	Asserts if the instance has not been configured using the instance setup functions.

Description

These functions start the video rendering for the specific instance. In OL Layer or AL Layer streaming mode, the datain function is called to obtain the initial main image packet, and optionally the overlay packet. The VO module is then started.

In AL Layer non-streaming mode, the function simply returns.

tmalVrendVOStop

```
tmLibappErr_t tmalVrendVOStop(
    Int instance
);
```

tmolVrendVOStop

```
tmLibappErr_t tmolVrendVOStop(
   Int instance
);
```

Parameters

instance	Instance, as returned by tmalVrendVOOpen or
	tmolVrendVOOpen.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK	Success.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE	Asserts if the desired instance is not open.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE	Asserts if the instance variable is Null.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE	Asserts if the instance variable doe not match the currently opened instance.
TMLIBAPP ERR NOT SETUP	Asserts if the instance has not been configured

using the instance setup functions.

Description

These functions stop the video renderer and call **voStop**.

In AL Layer non-streaming mode, any packets held in the internal queue are returned; the completion function is called for each packet on the queue with the completion function flags being set to the packet ID.

In AL Layer streaming and the OL Layer, the renderer can only hold a single main image packet and one overlay packet (if the overlay is enabled). The function will return the respective packet using the datainFunc callback, and call the completion function for each returned packet.

tmalVrendVOInstanceConfig

tmolVrendVOInstanceConfig

Parameters

instance	Instance value, as returned by tmalVrendVOOpen or tmolVrendVOOpen .
args	Pointer to tsaControlArgs_t structure. Two fields of this structure are used to update the instance configuration: <i>command</i> and <i>parameter</i> .

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK	Success.	
TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE	Asserts if the desired instance is not open.	
TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE	Asserts if the instance variable is Null.	
TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE	Asserts if the instance variable does not match the currently opened instance.	
TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_SETUP	Asserts if the instance has not been configured using the instance setup functions.	
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VRENDVO_ERR_CONFIG_UNKNOW_COMMAND

tmalVrendVOInstanceConfig has been called with an invalid command.

Description

These functions can be used to change instance parameters after the component has been initialized and during streaming operation. For example, the overlay enable flag can be changed, or the overlay position moved.

The control structures *command* field should be set to one of the command values specified by the enumeration **tmalVrendVOConfigTypes_t** on page 192. When a parameter is required, its value should be passed in the control structures *parameter* field.

tmalVrendVORenderFrame

Parameters

instance	Instance, from tmalVrendVOOpen.
frame	Pointer to a packet of video data.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK	Success.
VR_ERR_PUSH_PULL_CONFUSION	A datainFunc is installed. Render frame is not used in streaming mode.
VR_ERR_NO_MORE_NODES	The instance already has four packets to be rendered on its internal queue.
VR_ERR_DEVICE_LIBRARY_ERROR	OR'd with the low byte of the return code of the device library if volnstanceSetup fails.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE	Asserts if the instance variable passed is Null.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE	Asserts if the instance variable passed does not match the currently opened instance.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_SETUP	Asserts if the instance has not been configured using the instance setup functions.
VR_ERR_INVALID_ADDRESS	Asserts if the video buffer is not 64-byte aligned.

Description

In non-streaming mode, this function is used to pass a frame from the application to the renderer for display. The frame will be displayed using the settings assigned using the tmalVrendVOInstanceSetup and tmalVrendVOInstanceConfig functions.

The completion callback function will be called when this frame has been displayed and there are more frames to be displayed on the internal queue. In non-streaming mode, the video renderer keeps an internal queue of up to four packets. Invocation of this function when the queue is full will have no effect and will return VR_ERR_NO_MORE_NODES.

tmalVrendVORenderOverlay

Parameters

instance Instance value, from tmalVrendVOOpen.
frame Pointer to a packet of video data

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP_OK	Success.
VR_ERR_PUSH_PULL_CONFUSION	If a datainFunc is installed. Render frame is not used in streaming mode.
VR_ERR_NO_MORE_NODES	If instance is not yet ready for new data
VR_ERR_DEVICE_LIBRARY_ERROR	Is OR'd with the low byte of the return code of the device library if voInstanceSetup fails.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_INVALID_INSTANCE	Can assert if the instance variable is Null.
TMLIBAPP_ERR_MODULE_IN_USE	Can assert if the instance variable does not match the currently opened instance
TMLIBAPP_ERR_NOT_SETUP	Can assert if the instance has not been configured using the instance setup functions.
VR_ERR_INVALID_ADDRESS	Can assert if the overlay buffer is not 64-byte aligned.

Description

This function is used to change the video image assigned to the overlay surface. Note that the overlay must be in sequential YUV422 format.

tmalVrendVOReceiverFormat

Parameters

inputIndex If inputIndex = VRENDVO_MAIN_INPUT, the for-

mat must be installed on the main input of the

Video Renderer. If inputIndex =

VRENDVO_OVERLAY_INPUT, the format must be installed on the overlay input of the Video Ren-

derer.

format Pointer to the video format that needs to be

installed on the queue.

Return Codes

TMLIBAPP OK Success.

TMLIBAPP_ERR_FORMAT_NULL_FORMAT Asserts if format is null.

VR_ERR_IMAGE_FORMAT Asserts if **format**->**datasubtype** is not supported

by VrendVO.

VR_ERR_IMAGE_WIDTH Asserts if

(format->activeVideoEndX format->activeVideoStartX) >
format->imageWidth, or if
format->imageWidth = 0.

VR ERR IMAGE HEIGHT Asserts if

(format->activeVideoEndY format->activeVideoStartY) >
format->imageHeight, or if
format->imageHeight == 0.

Description

This function is used by the application or a sender component to install a new format for the Video Renderer. A sender component can call the tsaDefaultProgressFunction with the flag set to tsaProgressFlagChangeFormat. This calls tmalVrendVOReceiverFormat and install the new format on the queue. An application can also call the tsaDefault-InstallFormat function, which also calls tmalVrendVOReceiverFormat.

In case the video standard has changed, **tmalVrendVOReceiverFormat** stops the Video Render, does an instance setup, installs the new standard and restarts the Video Renderer automatically. Any other changes are made without stopping the Video Renderer.

