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1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Purpose and Scope

The IRIO library User's Manual contains information about using the IRIO library API for developing applications to support NI RIO devices, these are: cRIO and FlexRIO. This document presents a description about the possibilities that this C API interface layer permits, for managing these devices. This document does not cover technical details about how the device driver is implemented, and neither description about how NI RIO devices have to be “programmed”. All the main details that the IRIO library user must know before starts using the library will be explained in the section 1.2. This information will help the user to understand correctly the following chapters, like the installation and verification procedures, and the use of the C API library provided.

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1.2 Overview

IRIO software library has been designed with the goal of simplifying the interface with RIO devices (compactRIO and FlexRIO). These devices are based on an FPGA which implies an infinite number of possible implementations depending on the FPGA project developer requirements. This means that the IRIO library user, hereinafter along this document “the user”, must know about how the RIO device has been configured, in order to implement correctly the software application. The user, will receive the FPGA bitfile, the file to be used by IRIO library to program the FPGA (RIO device), and the FPGA header file that contains the mapping addresses of the FPGA resources. Both files correspond to a specific RIO configuration.

In subsequent sections it will be explained how the device is configured and how the user will be able to know how to use the library according to it.
The first thing that the user should know is in which software layer, related to the hardware, is located this library (see Fig. 1).

As usual Linux device driver implementations, NI RIO Linux device driver (Level 0), requires its corresponding user space library (Level 1) that permits the access to the RIO device. Finally IRIO library (Level 2) uses the NI RIO library to interface the user application with the hardware. The reasons because IRIO library has been added to the upper part of the software layer are:

- RIO devices are reconfigurable devices. This means that their hardware resources (I/O registers and data streams, DMAs), and the logic implemented depends on the FPGA project developer implementation. Every time there is a new FPGA configuration for a different purpose, hardware resources have different map addressing. IRIO library obtains from the FPGA header file all the resources mapping, creating a data structure to manage them dynamically, and loads the FPGA bitfile into the RIO device, configuring the FPGA in run time. In the case of the NI RIO EPICS Device driver that uses this library, IRIO library avoids the recompilation of the NI RIO EPICS Device driver to support every new RIO configuration obtained following the IRIO design rules [RD2].
- RIO configuration can be oriented towards different purposes, with different methods or approaches for implementing data acquisition, real-time pre-processing etc. These type of “behaviours” have been defined as profiles. IRIO design rules document defines different types of profiles, according to support cRIO implementations, for different I/O modules, and different set of FlexRIO bundles, including data acquisition, image acquisition, with data transfer Device-To-Host, and Device-To-GPU. IRIO library provides a set of functions for achieving all these actions, and other ones, avoiding to the user to know how the RIO device has been configured. The user only requires the FPGA configuration, to know which FPGA resources can be used.

Fig. 2 depicts the use of IRIO library. The first step consists of the FPGA configuration using LabVIEW tools in a Windows platform. This is described in the IRIO Design Rules for LabVIEW-FPGA and is performed by the FPGA project developer attending to the fast
controller specifications. The results of this task are a FPGA *bitfile* and a FPGA *header* file. IRIO library requires these files to configure the FPGA in run time and to address the hardware resources respectively. Once the FPGA is configured IRIO library performs the different actions with the RIO devices.

IRIO library performs the initialization of the RIO device, as explained later, calling to the *irio_initDriver* function. This function prints out all the resources found in the FPGA according to the design rules.

The FPGA project developer has to provide a table (one example is shown in Table 10) containing all the resources used. These resources include the analog and digital I/O elements, the FIFO elements for moving data, and the list of all FPGA registers including the user defined auxiliary registers. The piece of LabVIEW code depicted in Fig. 2 exemplifies I/O operations through FPGA auxiliary registers. In this example FPGA developer requires a logic that acquires single analog input data values (ADC), and in case of overcoming a static threshold, an auxiliary Boolean output register will be latched to ON. The data acquisition period could be configured through an auxiliary input register, with a scalar value containing the microseconds to wait for the next iteration. After configuring the FPGA (step 1), to control and monitor this part of the FPGA the user, can program the auxiliary output register number 1 (defined as auxAO1) with the value, for instance, 1250 –this means a period of 1250μs (step 2). The user does not require knowing neither the mapping address nor the name of the LabVIEW controls and indicators (I/O registers) because IRIO library is doing this translation. The step 3 represents the user reading from the auxiliary digital input register 0 (auxDI0). In Fig. 2, green arrows represent direct (software-hardware) communication with the FPGA through NI-RIO Linux Device Driver. Red discontinuous arrows represent the relationship between the IRIO library calls and the terminals implemented with LabVIEW for FPGA.

![Fig. 2 Overview of the relationship between IRIO library calls, NI-RIO Linux device driver API and the implementation in the RIO device using LabVIEW tools](image-url)
Fig. 3 represents the implementation of the aforementioned threshold detector example.

It is absolutely necessary that the user has the information about the profile implemented in the RIO device, the list of all resources implemented, as explained in the design rules.

One of the examples of use of IRIO library is the NI-RIO EPICS device driver available in CCS that permits to create EPICS IOC applications. The different implementations using RIO devices do not require modifying the EPICS device support, only records database and st.cmd file configuration would be required. The same philosophy is applied for the implementation of a Nominal Device Support application using the IRIO library. These examples are shown in Fig. 4.

Fig. 3 Threshold detector implementation accessed by IRIO Library

Fig. 4 IRIO library used for implementing an EPICS device support, with asyn, NDS, etc.
It is important to note that IRIO library is absolutely dependant on the NIRIO library.

1.3 Organization of the manual

This manual provides the basic information to use the IRIO Library API. The use of this library requires a basic knowledge of RIO devices. Section 2. Summarizes the RIO devices supported by the IRIO library. Section 3 Explains the development work flow required to complete a RIO application. Section 4 describes the installation process. Section 5 presents the key concepts of IRIO Library and finally section 6 describes some examples using the API.

1.4 Assumptions

Scientific Linux version 6.8 or higher or Red Hat Linux 6.5, both 64 bit architecture is assumed.

1.5 References

[RD1] IRIO EPICS Device Driver Traceability Matrix (TBC)
[RD2] IRIO Design Rules for LabVIEW for FPGA (TBC)
[RD3] NI LabVIEW High-Performance FPGA Developer’s Guide (labview_high-perf_fpga_v1.1)
[RD4] IRIO Library API Reference (TBC)

1.6 Acronyms

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<td>Application Specific Integrated Circuit</td>
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<td>CLB</td>
<td>Configurable Logic Blocks</td>
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<td>FAM</td>
<td>FlexRIO Adapter Module</td>
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<td>FPGA</td>
<td>Field Programmable Gate Array</td>
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<td>FlexRIO</td>
<td>Flexible Reconfigurable Input/Output</td>
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<td>HDL</td>
<td>Hardware Description Language</td>
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<td>HMI</td>
<td>Human-Machine Interface</td>
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<td>Input / Output Controller</td>
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<td>Look-Up Tables</td>
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<td>OTP</td>
<td>OneTime Programmable</td>
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<td>RAM</td>
<td>Random Access Memory</td>
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<td>RIO</td>
<td>Reconfigurable Input/Output</td>
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<td>SRAM</td>
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<td>TCP</td>
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<td>VHDL</td>
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<td>Very High Speed Integrated Circuit</td>
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2 FLEXRIO AND cRIO PLATFORMS OVERVIEW

2.1 FlexRIO devices

FlexRIO devices consist of a FPGA and a set of adapter modules that provide high-performance analog and digital I/O. The adapter modules are interchangeable and define the I/O nodes in the LabVIEW FPGA programming environment.

NI FlexRIO FPGA modules feature, as seen in Table 1, Xilinx Virtex-5 and Kintex-7 FPGAs, on-board dynamic RAM memory (DRAM), and the hardware interface to NI FlexRIO adapter modules that provide I/O to the FPGA. The adapter module interface consists of 132 lines of general-purpose digital I/O directly connected to FPGA pins, in addition to the power, clocking, and supplementary circuitry necessary to define the interface. Adapter modules are instantiated as a part of the LabVIEW project in a Component-Level Intellectual Property (CLIP) and the I/O interaction is provided by LabVIEW interfaces. Table 2 shows the full range of adapter modules provided by NI.

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IRIO Library provides functions to manage the following FlexRIO and adapter module setups. IRIO Library defines the set of a FlexRIO plus an adapter module as a bundle. Next paragraphs describe examples of these different bundles.
2.1.1 FlexRIO PXIe-7966R/NI5761

This bundle provides high speed analog data acquisition applications (see Fig. 5). Typical applications implementation for this device consist of:

- DMA channel containing samples acquired from the 4 analog inputs.
- Hardware logic implementing any kind of application using the 8 digital I/O

Apart from these features, depending on the features implemented in the FPGA, additional hardware processing algorithms can be integrated to analyse the data acquired in real time.

![Fig. 5: Bundle PXIe7966R/NI5761](image)

2.1.2 FlexRIO PXIe-7961R/NI6581

This bundle (see Fig. 6) provides the implementation of fast digital data acquisition and digital pattern generation applications.

![Fig. 6: Bundle PXIe7961R/NI6581](image)

Typical configuration for this device consist of:

- Fast hardware logic for digital I/O including control applications
- DMA channel containing group of digital samples acquired.

Apart from these features, depending on the features implemented in the FPGA, additional hardware processing algorithms can be integrated to analyse the data acquired in real time.

2.1.3 FlexRIO PXIe-7966R/NI1483

This bundle provides fast image data acquisition applications from cameralink cameras.
Typical implementations for this device consist of:

- Image acquisition system based in the standard CameraLink
- Hardware logic implementing any kind of application using the digital I/O.

Apart from these features, depending on the features implemented in the FPGA, additional hardware processing algorithms can be integrated to analyse the data acquired in real time.

### 2.2 Compact RIO

CompactRIO is a small, rugged RIO system for embedded and prototyping applications. It is configurable with four-and eight-slot backplanes. It contains two main components: a reconfigurable FPGA in a chassis, and the interchangeable industrial I/O modules. The CompactRIO system can be connected to a computer using a PCIe link. The embedded chassis contains the reconfigurable I/O FPGA chip directly connected to I/O modules that deliver diverse high-performance I/O capabilities.

For cRIO devices the IRIO library supports:

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**cRIO 9159**

![cRIO 9159 Chassis and I/O Modules](image)

**Fig. 8: 9159 chassis and I/O modules**
3 **DEVELOPMENT WORKFLOW WITH IRIO LIBRARY**

### 3.1 Development cycle

The development cycle to be followed in order to build applications using IRIO Library requires two major steps. The former is the hardware implementation in the FPGA and the later the development of the software using IRIO Library. Fig. 9 summarizes all the steps needed to program a RIO device with the binary image supporting the FPGA functionality (bitfile).

Previous to implement any application for RIO devices using the IRIO library in ScientificLinux, this aforementioned **bitfile** and **header** file obtained using LabVIEW tools are needed.

![Diagram of development workflow](image)

**Fig. 9 Developing applications with LabVIEW FPGA for RIO**

The complete development workflow to be followed in order to implement applications for RIO devices using IRIO Library and developed with LabVIEW for FPGA is summarized in Fig. 10. This graphic presents the steps to be done using LabVIEW for FPGA in a development environment using a Windows computer with all the software tools installed. Once the FPGA design matches with the expected design, the corresponding bitfile and header files required by the IRIO library are generated. The FPGA project developer should additionally report a table with all the FPGA resources used in order to provide the final user enough information to use the RIO device with IRIO Library. The implementation of software applications using IRIO Library are explained in detail in section 5 and 6.
Evaluate System Requirements
Select Architecture: cRIO or FlexRIO
Create a LabVIEW Project
Design FPGA VI
Design HOST VI
Simulation
Table with resources used
Design is OK
Bifile and header file
Target download and TEST

If design fails
Design compilation

IRIO user application

FPGA design by FPGA developer

Auxiliar boolean input
register

Table with resources used

Design is OK
Bifile and header file
Target download and TEST

Fig. 10: Development cycle for RIO applications
4 IRIOT LIBRARY INSTALLATION

This chapter explains: the IRIOT Library software release information and history, the Software/Hardware environment, how to install the required software, how to verify that the software is installed correctly and how to uninstall it.

4.1 IRIOT Library Release vs. Linux Release

Table 4: IRIOT Library vs. Linux release

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4.2 IRIOT library Release Notes

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<td>• Added missing “extern C”.</td>
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<td>• Improvements in error and initialization messages.</td>
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<td>• Fixed DMA GPU errors due to the search of unnecessary resources.</td>
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<td>• Data and image acquisition methods are now structured in the same way.</td>
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<td>• Typo corrected in cRIO_DAQDMA.c.</td>
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<td>• Problem with signal generator solved in FlexRIO_mod5761-7966.c</td>
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<td>• Minor modifications in Imaq-GPU c test.</td>
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<td>• Example for performance measurement.</td>
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<td>• New API function to retrieve driver version</td>
</tr>
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</table>
### 4.3 Software and hardware environment

The table below identifies the hardware, software, and other resources needed to install and run the software.

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Type</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Manufacture</th>
<th>Version</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Software</td>
<td>Scientific Linux</td>
<td>Fermilab/CERN/DESY/ETHZ.</td>
<td>6.8</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Software</td>
<td>EPICS Base</td>
<td>Open Source. Many contributors</td>
<td>3.15.4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Software</td>
<td>AsynDriver</td>
<td>APS/CARS: Mark Rivers</td>
<td>R4-30</td>
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<tr>
<td>Software</td>
<td>Busy</td>
<td>APS/AOD/BCDA: Tim Mooney</td>
<td>R1.6.1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Software</td>
<td>Sscan</td>
<td>APS/AOD/BCDA: Tim Mooney</td>
<td>R2-10</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Software</td>
<td>Autosave</td>
<td>APS/AOD/BCDA: Tim Mooney</td>
<td>R5-7-1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Software</td>
<td>Calc</td>
<td>APS/AES/BCDA: Tim Mooney</td>
<td>R3-6-1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Software</td>
<td>IRIO library</td>
<td>I2A2-UPM/ITER</td>
<td>1.2.0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Software</td>
<td>NI-RIO Linux Device Driver</td>
<td>National Instruments</td>
<td>15.0.0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Hardware</td>
<td>PC (HDD &gt; 10G, RAM &gt; 2G)</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>N/A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Hardware</td>
<td>FlexRIO card with adapter module or cRIO chassis with I/O Modules</td>
<td>National Instruments</td>
<td>N/A</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
4.4 Installing the IRIO library

This section describes how to install IRIO library and how to check its correct installation.

NOTE: NI-RIO Linux Driver 15.0 + EPICS Base + SynApps must be previously installed. Click here for more information.

4.4.1 Obtaining the source code

IRIO Library software is hosted under GitHub, a web-based Git repository hosting service. Download IRIO Library software from: https://github.com/irio-i2a2/iriolib/releases

4.4.2 Installing IRIO Library

1. Untar iriolib-v1.2.0 in /opt/epics/support
2. Navigate to /opt/epics/support/iriolib-v1.2.0 and execute:

$ sudo make
$ sudo make install

4.5 Verification of the IRIO library installation

The IRIO library is installed under /usr/local folder. Verify that next folders exist and include the following content:

- /usr/local/include/iriolib-v1.2.0
  - irioDataTypes.h
  - irioDriver.h
  - irioError.h
  - irioHandlerAnalog.h
  - irioHandlerDigital.h
  - irioHandlerDMAGPU.h
  - irioHandlerDMA.h
  - irioHandlerImage.h
  - irioHandlerSG.h
  - irioResourceFinder.h

- /usr/local/src/iriolib-v1.2.0
  - irioDriver.c
  - irioError.c
  - irioHandlerAnalog.c
  - irioHandlerDigital.c
  - irioHandlerDMA.c
  - irioHandlerDMAGPU.c
  - irioHandlerImage.c
  - irioHandlerSG.c
  - irioResourceFinder.c

- /usr/local/lib/iriolib-v1.2.0
libirioCore.a
libirioCore.so

obj
  irioDriver.o
  irioError.o
  irioHandlerAnalog.o
  irioHandlerDigital.o
  irioHandlerDMA.o
  irioHandlerImage.o
  irioHandlerSG.o
  irioResourceFinder.o

- /usr/local/irio_examples

  cRIO_DAQDMA.c
cRIO_IO.c
FlexRIO_mod1483-Image-CPU.c
FlexRIO_mod1483-Image-GPU.c
FlexRIO_mod1483-uart.c
FlexRIO_mod5734.c
FlexRIO_mod5761.c
FlexRIO_mod5761-perf.c
FlexRIO_mod6581.c
FlexRIO_noModule.c
FlexRIO_onlyResources.c
Makefile
resourceFail
  7961
    NiFpga_FlexRIOonlyResources_7961.h
    NiFpga_FlexRIOonlyResources_7961.lvbitx
  7965
    NiFpga_FlexRIOonlyResources_7965.h
    NiFpga_FlexRIOonlyResources_7965.lvbitx
  7966
    NiFpga_FlexRIOonlyResources_7966.h
    NiFpga_FlexRIOonlyResources_7966.lvbitx
resourceTest
  7952
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_CPUDAQ.h
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_CPUDAQ.lvbitx
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_CPUIMAQ.h
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_CPUIMAQ.lvbitx
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_GPUDAQ.h
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_GPUDAQ.lvbitx
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_GPUIMAQ.h
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_GPUIMAQ.lvbitx
  7961
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_CPUDAQ_7961.h
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_CPUDAQ_7961.lvbitx
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_CPUIMAQ_7961.h
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_CPUIMAQ_7961.lvbitx
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_GPUDAQ_7961.h
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_GPUDAQ_7961.lvbitx
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_GPUIMAQ_7961.h
    NiFpga_FlexRIO_GPUIMAQ_7961.lvbitx
    NiFpga_FlexRIOMod6581_7961.h
    NiFpga_FlexRIOMod6581_7961.lvbitx
    NiFpga_FlexRIOnoModule_7961.h
    NiFpga_FlexRIOnoModule_7961.lvbitx
After the library is installed, execute the following command to list the RIO devices available.
The output will be similar to this depending on the configuration of your PC.

4.6 Uninstalling the IRIO library

The user needs super user permission.

1. Uninstall the software executing next commands:

   ```bash
   $ cd /opt/epics/support/IRIOLIB-1.2.0
   $ sudo make clean uninstall
   ```

2. Verify that next folders do not exist:
   - /usr/local/include/irilib-v1.2.0
   - /usr/local/src/irilib-v1.2.0
   - /usr/local/lib/irilib-v1.2.0
   - /usr/local/irio_examples
5 IRIO LIBRARY FUNCTIONALITY

This chapter contains information about the library key concepts. It is important to understand how the FPGA resources can be used by other applications using this library.

The API provides the following functionalities:

- Download the bitfile to the FPGA
- Identification of the resources found in the FPGA if they are defined as described in the design rules document [RD2].
- Profiles identification and data structure initialization according to these profiles.
- Setters and getters for performing input/output operations in the FPGA

5.1.1 FPGA resources.

The implementation of FPGA code has to meet the design rules described in [RD2]. That document describes the different profiles available to be implemented for the user in cRIO and FlexRIO technology. Once the design has been compiled and the bitfile have been tested using LabVIEW, the FPGA application is ready to be moved to Linux environment to be used in a standalone C/C++ application or in an EPICS application.

The header file and the bitfile obtained with C API generator have to be copied to the corresponding folder depending of the application type.

Depending on the profile implemented resources are organized in:

1. Common resources
2. Specific profile resources
3. Optional Resources.

The resources in the FPGA are identified using the specific labels described in [RD2].

5.1.2 IRIO library basic use.

The use of IRIO library requires following a sequence of specific steps [RD4]. These steps are depicted in Fig. 11 and can be described as:

- Initialization of IRIO driver. This is accomplished with the irio_initDriver function. This function performs all the library initialization. The main operations implemented in the function are: download the bitfile to the FPGA, resources identification depending on the profile implemented in the FPGA and data structure initialization for later use by other API calls. This function returns a structure of type irioDrv_t that contains the mapping of all resources found in the FPGA.

- Use of getters and setters. The applications using the IRIO library can access to read/write the terminal available in the FPGA in order to know the initialization value or to set this. All getters/setters use a similar prototype with these parameters in common:
  - irioDrv_t* p_DrvPvt, this is data structure for the RIO device
  - TStatus* status, this is data structure containing the status and errors obtained once the function has been executed.

- If the application is using DMA (for image acquisition profiles or DAQ acquisition profile) the user needs to configure the DMA using irio_setupDMAstoHost.

- Execution of the hardware implemented in the FPGA. In the initialization the bitfile is downloaded but it is not executed. This means that the FPGA is waiting until the software send a run command. This run command is executed with the irio_setFPGAstart.
• Once the FPGA is running the application the user can interact with the FPGA terminals using the setters/getters and can trigger data acquisition retrieving the data using the irio_getDMATtoHost. There are many more functions explained in the Library API part of this document.

• For closing the driver and release the resources, irio_closeDriver is required to be invoked.

The relationship between the IRIO library calls and NI-RIO Linux Device Driver API is described in the document **Error! Reference source not found.**.
6 USE EXAMPLES OF IRIO LIBRARY

The software unit contains an examples folder with different examples to understand the use of IRIO library. These examples are listed in Table 7. The column with “LabVIEW template used” allows the user to check the LabVIEW template used for the implementation. The examples are located in /examples.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Name</th>
<th>Utility</th>
<th>LabVIEW template used</th>
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<tr>
<td>cRIO_DAQDMA.c</td>
<td>Example of cRIO DAQ profile in compactRIO platform</td>
<td>cRIO9159_DAQDMA</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>cRIO_IO.c</td>
<td>Example of cRIO Point by Point profile in compactRIO platform</td>
<td>cRIO9159_IO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FlexRIO_mod1483-Image.c</td>
<td>Example of NI1483 adapter module for FlexRIO platform</td>
<td>FlexRIO1483_8T8</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FlexRIO_mod1483-uart.c</td>
<td>Example of NI1483 adapter module for FlexRIO platform. Use of serial line</td>
<td>FlexRIO1483_8T8</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FlexRIO_mod5761-Perf.c</td>
<td>Example of NI5761 adapter module for FlexRIO platform. Performance measurement</td>
<td>FlexRIO5761</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FlexRIO_mod5761.c</td>
<td>Example of NI5761 adapter module for FlexRIO platform</td>
<td>FlexRIO5761</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FlexRIO_mod6581.c</td>
<td>Example of NI6581 adapter module for FlexRIO platform</td>
<td>FlexRIO6581</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FlexRIO_noModule.c</td>
<td>Example of FlexRIO card without adapter module</td>
<td>FlexRIO_noModule</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FlexRIO_onlyResources.c</td>
<td>Example for testing the resources in the FPGA</td>
<td>FlexRIO_onlyResources</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Next paragraphs present the details of the different calls to IRIO Library in two examples, one for compactRIO platform and other for FlexRIO.
6.1 cRIO example for data acquisition using point by point profile.

6.1.1 Functionality

The functionality implemented is this example can be summarized in:

- Data acquisition from three analog input channels of the NI9205 (AI0, AI1 and AI2). The sampling rate can range from mHz to 1kHz. If the debug mode is activate the values acquired are 1.25v, 3.125v and -4.75v respectively.
- Analog output on AO0, AO1 and AO2 in NI9264. If AOEnable for the different channels is false the output is 0v.
- Digital output on DO0 (channel 0 in 9401), DO1 (DO0 in 9477), and DO2 (DO0 in 9476).
- Digital input from DI0 (DI04 from NI9401), DI1 (DI0 from NI9477) and DI2 (DI0 from 9425).
- Two auxiliary register auxAO0 and auxAO1 connected to auxAI0 and auxAI1.
- Two auxiliary binary variables auxDO0 and auxDO1 connected to auxDI0 and auxDI1.

This example is using the hardware configuration depicted in Fig. 12. The example uses analog input from NI9205 (AI0,AI1,AI2), three analog outputs from NI9264 (AO0,AO1,AO2), two digital lines in NI9401, one digital line in NI9477, NI9476, NI9426 and NI9425. The interconnection among the modules is presented in Table 8

![Fig. 12: cRIO modules allocation for PBP example](image)

**Table 8: Interconnection of signals for the example**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Interconnection of channels from modules of the NI9159 Chassis</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>NI9264 AO0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NI9264 AO1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NI9264 AO2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NI9264 COMM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NI9401 DIO0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NI9477 DO0</td>
</tr>
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</table>
## 6.1.2 Resources implemented in the FPGA

The profile implemented in this cRIO platform is the PBP (Point by Point). The resources are listed below in Table 9.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Terminal Name</th>
<th>Data type</th>
<th>Type</th>
<th>Detail</th>
<th>Information</th>
<th>Default Value</th>
<th>Initialize before run?</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Platform</td>
<td>U8</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>This terminal defines the form factor used in the FPGA implementation</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>0- cRIO</td>
<td>YES</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Common Terminals for cRIO</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FPGAVersion</td>
<td>Array U8</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>Contains the VI version, 2 elements. One for MM major version, and the next one mm minor version. MM.mm</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>FPGAVersion[0]=1 FPGAVersion[1]=1</td>
<td>YES</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>InitDone</td>
<td>Boolean</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>This terminal must be set to true when the FPGA is initialized</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>False=NOK</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>InsertedOModulesID</td>
<td>Array U16</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>Numeric array of values indicating the c-Modules IDs detected</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>Defined by NI</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>cRIOModulesOK</td>
<td>Boolean</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>I/O Modules correctly detected</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td></td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Terminal Name</td>
<td>Data Type</td>
<td>Type</td>
<td>Detail</td>
<td>Information</td>
<td>Default Value</td>
<td>Initialize before run?</td>
</tr>
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<td>------------------------</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Fref</td>
<td>U32</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>Contains the Reference clock of the FPGA for sampling rate</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>1000</td>
<td>YES</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DevQualityStatus</td>
<td>U8</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>This indicator will show the status of the acquisition</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DevTemp</td>
<td>I16</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>This indicator will show the temperature of the FPGA</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Devprofile</td>
<td>U8</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>This indicator defines the implementation in the FPGA (DAQ, Image, etc)</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>YES</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DebugMode</td>
<td>Boolean</td>
<td>Control</td>
<td>If debug is true the FPGA will simulate the acquired data. Otherwise, physical signals are acquired</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>False</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DAQStartStop</td>
<td>Boolean</td>
<td>Control</td>
<td>This terminal must be set to true to start data acquisition</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>False</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Specific Terminals for Point by Point acquisition profile**

| SamplingRate<n>       | U16       | Control    | Integer number obtained as Sampling rate/Fref                          | Mandatory   | n =\{0 .. 2\} | NO                     |

**Optional Resources for Point by Point profile**

| AI0                   | I32       | Indicator  | Digital sample                                                        | Optional     | 0             | NO                     |
| AI1                   | I32       | Indicator  | Auxiliary internal FPGA variables                                     | Optional     | 0             | NO                     |
| AI2                   | I32       | Indicator  | Digital Sample                                                        | Optional     | 0             | NO                     |
6.1.3 Source code description

The example using the resources explained before is named cRIO_IO.c. Next an explanation of the use of the IRIO library is presented. A program using the IRIO Library must contain the header files with data types definition and prototypes shown below. The initialization of the library and the IRIO device is done with the call \texttt{irio\_initDriver}. Before calling this function some variables have to be defined and initialized.

```c
/*******************************************/
/* INCLUDES REQUIRED */
/*******************************************/
#include <irioDriver.h>
#include <irioDataTypes.h>
#include <irioHandlerAnalog.h>
#include <irioHandlerDigital.h>
#include <irioHandlerDMA.h>
#include <irioHandlerImage.h>
#include <irioHandlerSG.h>
#include <irioResourceFinder.h>
/*******************************************/

currentIndex:
since

```
```
st|=irio_initDriver("test","0x019ED079","NI 9159","cRIOIO_9159","V1.1",1,bitFilePath,bitFilePath,&p_DrvPvt,&status );
//INPUT OUTPUT parameters description
//@param[in] appCallID Name for this irioDriver session.
//@param[in] DeviceSerialNumber S/n of the RIO target device
//@param[in] RIODeviceModel Model number of the RIO target device
//@param[in] projectName Part of the name of the bitfile to be downloaded into the FPGA
//@param[in] FPGAversion Version of the bitfile (e.g. [1,1] for v1.1).
Must match with the value of the FPGA register
//@param[in] verbosity Indicates whether or not should the driver print trace messages.
//@param[in] headerDirPath where to search for the header file corresponding to the bitfile to be downloaded
//@param[in] bitfile Path where to search for the bitfile to be downloaded
//@param[out] p_DrvPvt Pointer to the driver structure. Will be initialized with the resources found.
//@param[out] status Warning and error messages produced during the execution of this call will be added here.
//@return ref TIRIOStatusCode result of the execution of this call.
```

driver downloads the bitfile in the FPGA, identifies all the resources implemented and returns the implemented resources in a data structure (p_DrvPvt) for later access by other API calls. Once the FPGA is configured, it is set to execution state calling irio_setFPGAStart with value parameter set to 1. The execution of this function implies checking correct location of I/O modules and the completion of the initialization steps defined by the hardware designer (LabVIEW for FPGA designer).

```
st|=irio_setFPGAStart(&p_DrvPvt,1,&status);
//@param[in] p_DrvPvt Pointer to the driver session structure
//@param[in] value 0=Do nothing, 1=Start FPGA if not already started
//@param[out] status Warning and error messages produced during the execution of this call will be added here.
//@return ref TIRIOStatusCode result of the execution of this call.
```

Once the FPGA is running (the hardware is performing its function as it has been designed), the user can call the different API function in order to use the hardware. In this example the data acquisition is started calling this function:

```
st|=irio_setDAQStartStop(&p_DrvPvt,1,&status);
```

This call checks if data acquisition is started

```
st|=irio_getDAQStartStop(&p_DrvPvt,&aivalue,&status);
```

This function gets the VI version downloaded in the FPGA:

```
st|=irio_getFPGAVIVersion(&p_DrvPvt,&value, 2, &valueLength,&status);
```

This function gets the temperature of the RIO device:

```
st|=irio_getDevTemp(&p_DrvPvt,&aivalue,&status);
```
This function reads the profile implemented in the RIO device:

```c
st|=irio_getDevProfile(&p_DrvPvt,&aivalue,&status);
```

This function enables and disables the debug mode of the RIO FPGA:

```c
st|=irio_setDebugMode(&p_DrvPvt,0,&status);
```

This piece of code reads the value of three analog inputs two times. The first reading from A10, A11 and A12, is done with debug mode set to OFF. In this case we are reading the physical voltage acquired by ADC. Remember that AO0,AO1 and AO2 in NI9264 are connected to the three analog input in NI9205. The second time, the reading from A10, A11 and A12 is done with debug mode set to ON. In this case we are reading simulated values as explained before. The values read from RIO devices are binary values. If you want to convert this to voltage you can use the CVADC filed available in p_DrvPvt struct. This floating point value contains the conversion value for this adapter module.

```c
// With Debug mode set to OFF
st|=irio_getAI(&p_DrvPvt,0,&aivalue,&status);
printf("Slot 2 9205 AI0 Value %f \n", aivalue*p_DrvPvt.CVADC);
...
st|=irio_getAI(&p_DrvPvt,1,&aivalue,&status);

st|=irio_getAI(&p_DrvPvt,2,&aivalue,&status);

// Now Debug mode is set to ON
st|=irio_setDebugMode(&p_DrvPvt,1,&status);
...
st|=irio_getAI(&p_DrvPvt,0,&aivalue,&status);
...
st|=irio_getAI(&p_DrvPvt,1,&aivalue,&status);

st|=irio_getAI(&p_DrvPvt,2,&aivalue,&status);
```

The following piece of code shows the use of analog output functions. The value that are written to the FPGA for the analog outputs are binary values. The conversion between floating point values and binary values has to be done using CVDAC constant available in the p_DrvPvt struct. The binary value is obtained multiplying the floating point by this constant.

```c
// Debug mode is set to OFF
st|=irio_setDebugMode(&p_DrvPvt,0,&status);

st|=irio_setAO(&p_DrvPvt,0,4000, &status);//AO0 configuration
usleep(15);

//4000/p_DrvPvt.CVDAC
st|=irio_setAOEnable(&p_DrvPvt,0,NiFpga_True, &status);//AO0 activation
usleep(15);

st|=irio_getAI(&p_DrvPvt,0, &aivalue, &status);//AI0 reading
usleep(15);

//The same for the AO1 and AI1
st|=irio_setAO(&p_DrvPvt,1,8000, &status);
usleep(15);
```
Finally, the program shows how to use digital I/O functions.

```c
st|=irio_setDO(&p_DrvPvt,0,1, &status);  
usleep(15);
irio_getDI(&p_DrvPvt,0,aivalue, &status);  
usleep(15);

//For reading value configured
st|=irio_getDO(&p_DrvPvt,0,aivalue, &status);  
usleep(15);

//For reading and writing from/to auxiliar I/O
st|=irio_setAuxAO(&p_DrvPvt,0,5000, &status);  
usleep(15);
st|=irio_getAuxAO(&p_DrvPvt,0,aivalue,&status);  
usleep(15);
st|=irio_getAuxAI(&p_DrvPvt,0,aivalue,&status);  
usleep(15);

st|=irio_setAuxDO(&p_DrvPvt,0,1, &status);  
usleep(15);
st|=irio_getAuxDO(&p_DrvPvt,0,aivalue,&status);  
usleep(15);
st|=irio_getAuxDI(&p_DrvPvt,0,aivalue,&status);  
usleep(15);

//For stopping the acquisition
st|=irio_setDAQStartStop(&p_DrvPvt,0,&status);
```

The last step for closing the communication with the RIO devices and freeing the resources is done with this call.

```c
//for closing session with cRIO device
st|=irio_closeDriver(&p_DrvPvt, &status);
```

NOTE: Every time an IRIO function is used, the status of the function execution can be checked as it is shown below:

```c
st|=irio_setDAQStartStop(&p_DrvPvt,0,&status);
if(St!=0)
{
    printf("[ERROR] %s\n", status.msg);fflush(stdout);
}```
6.2 FlexRIO example for data acquisition using PXIe7966R and NI5761

6.2.1 Functionality

This example is using a FlexRIO PXIe7966R with a NI5761 adapter module. The example is implemented the data acquisition of 4 channels. CH0 and CH1 are analog input channels connected to signals generators and CH2 and CH3 are internally connected in the FPGA to two simulated signals generators. The result of this is two real signals and two simulated signals. The profile implemented in this FlexRIO platform is the data acquisition one. The user can control the data acquisition sampling rate and can interact with the FPGA parameters to configure the simulated signal generators. This implementation also include analog and digital register in the FPGA (auxiliary analog and digital) that can be used for different purposes by the user.

6.2.2 Resources implemented in the FPGA

The table summarizes the resources implemented in the FPGA. Terminals are identified as they are defined in the design rules.

**Table 10 FlexRIO PXIe-7966R + NI5761 adapter module configuration**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Terminal Name</th>
<th>Data type</th>
<th>Type</th>
<th>Detail</th>
<th>Information</th>
<th>Default Value</th>
<th>Initialize Before Run?</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Platform</td>
<td>U8</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>This terminal defines the form factor used in the FPGA implementation</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>FlexRIO</td>
<td>YES</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Common Terminals for FlexRIO</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FPGA VI version</td>
<td>Array U8</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>Contains the VI version, 2 elements. One for MM major version, and the next one mm minor version. MM.mm</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td></td>
<td>YES</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>InitDone</td>
<td>Boolean</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>This terminal must be set to true when the FPGA is initialized</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>False</td>
<td>N/A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>RIO Adapter Correct</td>
<td>Boolean</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>Boolean indicating if the adapter module is the correct for the application</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>True</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Inserted IOModule ID</td>
<td>U32</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>Contains the Module ID of the corresponding module</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Terminal Name</td>
<td>Data type</td>
<td>Type</td>
<td>Detail</td>
<td>Information</td>
<td>Default Value</td>
<td>Initialize Before Run?</td>
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>Fref</td>
<td>U32</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>Contains the Reference clock of the FPGA for sampling rate</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>100M</td>
<td>YES</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DevQualityStatus</td>
<td>U8</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>This indicator will show the status of the acquisition</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DevTemp</td>
<td>I16</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>This indicator will show the temperature of the FPGA</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Devprofile</td>
<td>U8</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>This indicator defines the implementation in the FPGA (DAQ, Image, etc)</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DAQStartStop</td>
<td>Boolean</td>
<td>Control</td>
<td>This terminal must be set to true to start data acquisition</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>False</td>
<td>NO</td>
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</table>

**Specific Terminals for data acquisition profile**

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Terminal Name</th>
<th>Data type</th>
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<th>Detail</th>
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<th>Default Value</th>
<th>Initialize Before Run?</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>DMATtoHOSTNCh</td>
<td>U16, array</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>Describes the number of DMAs implemented in the FPGA. The array must be initializes with the number of channels available in each DMA.</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>Array size=1 DMATtoHOSTNCh[0]=4</td>
<td>YES</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DMATtoHOSTFrameType</td>
<td>U8, array</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>Describes the frame type used in the DMA frame</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>Array size=1 DMATtoHOSTFrameType[0]=0</td>
<td>YES</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DMATtoHOSTSampleSize</td>
<td>U8, array</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>Size in bytes for the channel sample</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>Array size=1 DMATtoHOSTSampleSize[0]=2</td>
<td>YES</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DMATtoHOSTBlockNWords</td>
<td>U16, array</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>Length of the block used for each DMA</td>
<td>Array size=1 DMATtoHOSTBlockNWords[0]=4096</td>
<td>YES</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DebugMode</td>
<td>Boolean</td>
<td>Control</td>
<td>If debug is true the FPGA will simulate the acquired data. Otherwise, physical signals are acquired</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>False</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Terminal Name</td>
<td>Data type</td>
<td>Type</td>
<td>Detail</td>
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<td>Initialize Before Run?</td>
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>DMATtoHOST0</td>
<td>FIFO</td>
<td>DMA to HOST</td>
<td>FIFO memory in the FPGA</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DMATtoHOSTSamp</td>
<td>U16</td>
<td>Control</td>
<td>Integer number obtained as Sampling rate/Fref</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>10000</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DMATtoHOSTEnable0</td>
<td>Boolean</td>
<td>Control</td>
<td>Enable or disable write to DMA FIFO</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
<td>False</td>
<td>YES</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DMATtoHOSTOverflows</td>
<td>U16</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>Status of the different DMA FIFO</td>
<td>Mandatory</td>
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**Optional Resources**

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<tr>
<th>auxAI0</th>
<th>auxAI1</th>
<th>auxAI2</th>
<th>auxAI3</th>
<th>auxAI4</th>
<th>auxAI5</th>
<th>auxAI9</th>
<th>auxAI10</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>I32</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>Auxiliary internal FPGA variables</td>
<td>Optional</td>
<td>NO</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<th>auxAO0</th>
<th>auxAO1</th>
<th>auxAO2</th>
<th>auxAO3</th>
<th>auxAO4</th>
<th>auxAO5</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>116</td>
<td>Control</td>
<td>Auxiliary internal FPGA variables Connected to auxAI&lt;n&gt;</td>
<td>Optional</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>NO</td>
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</tbody>
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<th>auxDI0</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Boolean</td>
<td>Indicator</td>
<td>Internal input line</td>
<td>Optional</td>
<td>NO</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<th>auxDO0</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Boolean</td>
<td>Control</td>
<td>Internal FPGA lines connected to auxDI&lt;n&gt;</td>
<td>Optional</td>
<td>False</td>
<td>NO</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

| SGN0 | U8 | Control | Number of waveform generators | Optional | 2 | YES |

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### 6.2.3 Source code description

The initialization of the library and the IRIO device is done with the call to `irio_initDriver`. This is the piece of code showing the header files, the variable definition and the call.

```c
/**********************************************/
/* INCLUDES REQUIRED */
/**********************************************/
#include <irioDriver.h>
#include <irioDataTypes.h>
#include <irioHandlerAnalog.h>
#include <irioHandlerDigital.h>
#include <irioHandlerDMA.h>
#include <irioHandlerImage.h>
#include <irioHandlerSG.h>
#include <irioResourceFinder.h>
/**********************************************/

/**********************************************/
/* VARIABLES REQUIRED */
/**********************************************/
irioDrv_t p_DrvPvt; // Device data structure
TIRIOStatusCode st=IRIO_success; //status
TStatus myStatus; //
status.msg=NULL; //concatenated error messages
```
status.code=IRIO_success; //status

myStatus=irio_initDriver("RIO0","0x0177A2AD","PXIe-7966R", "FlexRIOMod5761_7966","V1.1",1,headerFilePath,bitFilePath,&p_DrvPvt,&status);
    //INPUT OUTPUT parameters description
    //@param[in] appCallID Name for this irioDriver session.
    //@param[in] DeviceSerialNumber S/n of the RIO target device
    //@param[in] RIODeviceModel Model number of the RIO target device
    //@param[in] projectName Part of the name of the bitfile to be downloaded into the FPGA
    //@param[in] FPGAversion Version of the bitfile (e.g. [1,1] for v1.1). Must match with the value of the FPGA register
    //@param[in] verbosity Indicates whether or not should the driver print trace messages.
    //@param[in] headerDirPath where to search for the header file corresponding to the bitfile to be downloaded
    //@param[in] bitfile Path where to search for the bitfile to be downloaded
    //@param[out] p_DrvPvt Pointer to the driver structure. Will be initialized with the resources found.
    //@param[out] status Warning and error messages produced during the execution of this call will be added here.
    //@return ref TIRIOStatusCode result of the execution of this call.

irio_initDriver call downloads the bitfile in the FPGA, identifies all the resources implemented and returns the implemented resources data structure (p_DrvPvt) for later access to the FPGA. The FPGA is set to execution state with when calling irio_SetFPGAStart with value parameter set to 1. The execution of this function implies the detection of correct adapter module by the FPGA and the completion of the initialization steps defined by the hardware designer (LabVIEW for FPGA designer)

myStatus=irio_setFPGAStart(&p_DrvPvt,1,&status);
    //@param[in] p_DrvPvt Pointer to the driver session structure
    //@param[in] value 0=Do nothing, 1=Start FPGA if not already started
    //@param[out] status Warning and error messages produced during the execution of this call will be added here.
    //@return \ref TIRIOStatusCode result of the execution of this call.

Once the FPGA is running the user can interact with it using the IRIO API. In this case the next call is to irio_setDebugMode setting debug to OFF.

myStatus=irio_setDebugMode(&p_DrvPvt,0,&status); // Debug mode set to OFF

This call to irio_setSGSignalType initialises the signal generator 0 to generate a DC signal (this signal generator is implemented in the FPGA hardware).
This call to `irio_setAO` writes to the AO0 control in the FPGA.

```c
myStatus=irio_setAO(&p_DrvPvt,0,2048,&status); // Set AO to 2048 digital value
```

This call to `irio_setAOEnable` enables the update of AO0.

```c
myStatus=irio_setAOEnable(&p_DrvPvt,0,1,&status); // AO enable
```

This application is using DMA to implement the data movement between the FPGA and the host. Before starting the data acquisition it is necessary to configure the DMA. The call `irio_setUpDMAsTtoHost` configures the DMA buffers, starts all of them and clears them in order to be ready for data acquisition.

```c
myStatus=irio_setUpDMAsTtoHost(&p_DrvPvt,&status); // DMAs are configured
```

This call configures the sampling rate used by the RIO device. The sampling rate programmed in the RIO device is obtained dividing the reference frequency of the design, Fref; and the value in S/s desired by the user. The result is an integer number that have to be used as input parameter in this call.

```c
myStatus=irio_setDMATtoHostSamplingRate(&p_DrvPvt,0,1000,&status); // DMA SamplingRate is configured to Fref/1000--->100kS/s
```

Once DMA and sampling rate are correctly configured the user can activate the data movement in the FPGA using this call. DMAs could use a big amount of the bandwidth available in the system. This call allows the user the activation/deactivation of DMA data movement for debugging purposes.

```c
myStatus=irio_setDMATtoHostEnable(&p_DrvPvt,0,1,&status); //DMA data transfer to Host is activated
```

This call starts data acquisition in the RIO device. Once data acquisition is started the DMA process move data to host.

```c
myStatus=irio_setDAQStartStop(&p_DrvPvt,1,&status);
```
This call attempts to read one block of data form the buffer. The variable elementsRead returns the number of blocks read. This function can be called until the data acquisition process ends. In the example only one block of data is acquired. Pay attention that dataBuffer variable contains the binary values acquired from the FPGA. The data organization of this buffer is explained in the design rules document [RD2]

```c
myStatus=irio_getDMATtoHostData(&p_DrvPvt,1,0,dataBuffer, &elementsRead,&status);
//1 block of 4096 64 bit words are expected to be acquired
```

The next part of the program configures the internal signal generator and acquires the signal

```c
... accIncr=100*(4294967296.0/10000000.0);
irio_setSGFreq(&p_DrvPvt,0,accIncr,&status);
//SGFreq=(freq_desired*(2to32))/(Fref/SGUpdateRate))
myStatus=irio_setSGAmp(&p_DrvPvt,0,4096,&status);
usleep(100);
irio_setDAQStartStop(&p_DrvPvt,0,&status);
//DMA buffer is full of data
irio_cleanDMAsTtoHost(&p_DrvPvt,&status);
irio_setAOEnable(&p_DrvPvt,0,0,&status);
usleep(100);
irio_setSGSignalType(&p_DrvPvt,0,1,&status);
usleep(100);
irio_setAOEnable(&p_DrvPvt,0,1,&status);
usleep(100);
...

irio_setDAQStartStop(&p_DrvPvt,1,&status);
do{
    irio_getDMATtoHostData(&p_DrvPvt,1,0,dataBuffer,elementsRead,&status);
    ...
}while (sampleCounter<1);

myStatus=irio_closeDriver(&p_DrvPvt, &status);
...
return 0;
```

NOTE: It is necessary that every time an IRIO function is used check it as is showed below:

```c
St|=irio_setDAQStartStop(&p_DrvPvt,0,&status);
if(St!={0)
{
    printf("[ERROR] %s\n", status.msg);fflush(stdout);
```
free(status.msg); status.msg=NULL; status.code=IRIO_success;
return 0;
}