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This document assumes that you are fluent in the C language, have a good working knowledge of Digital Signal Processing (DSP), digital signal processors, and DSP applications. Good knowledge of eXpressDSP Algorithm Interface Standard (XDAIS) and eXpressDSP Digital Media (XDM) standard will be helpful.

How to Use This Manual

This document includes the following chapters:

- ❑ **Chapter 1 - Introduction**, provides a brief introduction to the XDAIS and XDM standards. It also provides an overview of the codec and lists its supported features.
- ❑ **Chapter 2 - Installation Overview**, describes how to install, build, and run the codec.
- ❑ **Chapter 3 - Sample Usage**, describes the sample usage of the codec.
- ❑ **Chapter 4 - API Reference**, describes the data structures and interface functions used in the codec.

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- ❑ *TMS320 DSP Algorithm Standard Rules and Guidelines* (literature number SPRU352) defines a set of requirements for DSP algorithms that, if followed, allow system integrators to quickly assemble production-quality systems from one or more such algorithms.
- ❑ *TMS320 DSP Algorithm Standard API Reference* (literature number SPRU360) describes all the APIs that are defined by the TMS320 DSP Algorithm Interface Standard (also known as XDAIS) specification.
- ❑ *Technical Overview of eXpressDSP - Compliant Algorithms for DSP Software Producers* (literature number SPRA579) describes how to make algorithms compliant with the TMS320 DSP Algorithm Standard which is part of TI's eXpressDSP technology initiative.

- ❑ *Using the TMS320 DSP Algorithm Standard in a Static DSP System* (literature number SPRA577) describes how an eXpressDSP-compliant algorithm may be used effectively in a static system with limited memory.
- ❑ *DMA Guide for eXpressDSP-Compliant Algorithm Producers and Consumers* (literature number SPRA445) describes the DMA architecture specified by the TMS320 DSP Algorithm Standard (XDAIS). It also describes two sets of APIs used for accessing DMA resources: the IDMA2 abstract interface and the ACPY2 library.
- ❑ *eXpressDSP Digital Media (XDM) Standard API Reference* (literature number SPRUEC8)

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- ❑ *TMS320DM644x DMSoC ARM Subsystem Reference Guide* (literature number SPRUE14) describes the ARM subsystem in the TMS320DM644x Digital Media System on a Chip (DMSoC).
- ❑ *DaVinci Technology - Digital Video Innovation Product Bulletin (Rev. A)* (sprt378a.pdf)
- ❑ *The DaVinci Effect: Achieving Digital Video Without Complexity White Paper* (spryo79.pdf)
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- ❑ *ISO/IEC IS 10918-1 Information Technology - Digital Compression and Coding of Continuous-Tone Still Images -- Part 1: Requirements and Guidelines | CCITT Recommendation T.81*

Abbreviations

The following abbreviations are used in this document.

Table 1-1. List of Abbreviations

Abbreviation	Description
COFF	Common Object File Format
CSL	Chip Support Library
DCT	Discrete Cosine Transform
DHT	Define Huffman Table
DQT	Define Quantization Table
DRI	Define Restart Interval
DSP	Digital Signal Processing
EVM	Evaluation Module
IJG	Independent JPEG Group
JFIF	JPEG File Interchange Format
JPEG	Joint Photographic Experts Group
MCU	Minimum Coded Unit
QDMA	Quick Direct Memory Access
SOF	Start Of Frame
SOI	Start Of Image
SOS	Start Of Scan
VLD	Variable Length Decoding
XDAIS	eXpressDSP Algorithm Interface Standard
XDM	eXpressDSP Digital Media

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- Program source code, function and macro names, parameters, and command line commands are shown in a mono-spaced font.

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Introduction

This chapter provides a brief introduction to XDAIS and XDM. It also provides an overview of TI's implementation of the JPEG Encoder on the C64x+ platform and its supported features.

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1.1 Overview of XDAIS and XDM

TI's multimedia codec implementations are based on the eXpressDSP Digital Media (XDM) standard. XDM is an extension of the eXpressDSP Algorithm Interface Standard (XDAIS).

1.1.1 XDAIS Overview

An eXpressDSP-compliant algorithm is a module that implements the abstract interface IALG. The IALG API takes the memory management function away from the algorithm and places it in the hosting framework. Thus, an interaction occurs between the algorithm and the framework. This interaction allows the client application to allocate memory for the algorithm and also share memory between algorithms. It also allows the memory to be moved around while an algorithm is operating in the system. In order to facilitate these functionalities, the IALG interface defines the following APIs:

- ❑ `algAlloc()`
- ❑ `algInit()`
- ❑ `algActivate()`
- ❑ `algDeactivate()`
- ❑ `algFree()`

The `algAlloc()` API allows the algorithm to communicate its memory requirements to the client application. The `algInit()` API allows the algorithm to initialize the memory allocated by the client application. The `algFree()` API allows the algorithm to communicate the memory to be freed when an instance is no longer required.

Once an algorithm instance object is created, it can be used to process data in real-time. The `algActivate()` API provides a notification to the algorithm instance that one or more algorithm processing methods is about to be run zero or more times in succession. After the processing methods have been run, the client application calls the `algDeactivate()` API prior to reusing any of the instance's scratch memory.

The IALG interface also defines three more optional APIs `algControl()`, `algNumAlloc()`, and `algMoved()`. For more details on these APIs, see *TMS320 DSP Algorithm Standard API Reference* (literature number SPRU360).

1.1.2 XDM Overview

In the multimedia application space, you have the choice of integrating any codec into your multimedia system. For example, if you are building a video decoder system, you can use any of the available video decoders (such as MPEG4, H.263, or H.264) in your system. To enable easy integration with the client application, it is important that all codecs with similar functionality use similar APIs. XDM was primarily defined as an extension to XDAIS to ensure uniformity across different classes of codecs

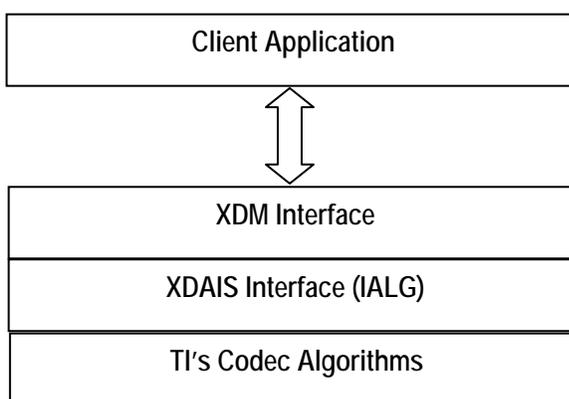
(for example audio, video, image, and speech). The XDM standard defines the following two APIs:

- ❑ `control()`
- ❑ `process()`

The `control()` API provides a standard way to control an algorithm instance and receive status information from the algorithm in real-time. The `control()` API replaces the `algControl()` API defined as part of the IALG interface. The `process()` API does the basic processing (encode/decode) of data.

Apart from defining standardized APIs for multimedia codecs, XDM also standardizes the generic parameters that the client application must pass to these APIs. The client application can define additional implementation specific parameters using extended data structures.

The following figure depicts the XDM interface to the client application.



As depicted in the figure, XDM is an extension to XDAIS and forms an interface between the client application and the codec component. XDM insulates the client application from component-level changes. Since TI's multimedia algorithms are XDM-compliant, it provides you with the flexibility to use any TI algorithm without changing the client application code. For example, if you have developed a client application using an XDM-compliant MPEG4 video decoder, then you can easily replace MPEG4 with another XDM-compliant video decoder, say H.263, with minimal changes to the client application.

For more details, see *eXpressDSP Digital Media (XDM) Standard API Reference* (literature number SPRUEC8).

1.2 Overview of JPEG Encoder

The JPEG Encoder accepts planar image data in YUV4:2:0, YUV4:1:1, YUV4:2:2, and YUV4:4:4 formats. It accepts interleaved image data in YUV4:2:2 format and accepts grayscale input.

1.3 Supported Services and Features

This user guide accompanies TI's implementation of JPEG Encoder on the C64x+ platform.

This version of the codec has the following supported features:

- ❑ Supports baseline sequential mode for interleaved data formats (single scan)
- ❑ Supports multiple scans for planar formats YUV420, YUV411, YUV422, and YUV444
- ❑ Supports arbitrary image size
- ❑ Supports a maximum of three scans
- ❑ Supports comment insertion into the JPEG header
- ❑ Supports frame-based encoding
- ❑ Includes a standard JPEG header and does not include a JFIF or EXIF style header
- ❑ Huffman tables and quantization tables are hard-coded and built into the application at compile-time
- ❑ Quantization tables are fixed with a quality factor (0-100) adjusting the quantization level
- ❑ eXpressDSP Digital Media (XDM) compliant

This version of the codec does not support the following features:

- ❑ Does not support encoding of images with pixel resolution more than 8 bits per pixel
- ❑ Does not support thumbnail

Installation Overview

This chapter provides a brief description on the system requirements and instructions for installing the codec component. It also provides information on building and running the sample test application.

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2.1 System Requirements

This section describes the hardware and software requirements for the normal functioning of the codec component.

2.1.1 Hardware

This codec can run on any C64x+ based platform. This codec has been built and tested on the DM648/TNETV2685 EVM with XDS560 JTAG emulator.

2.1.2 Software

The following are the software requirements for the normal functioning of the codec:

- ❑ **Development Environment:** This project is developed using Code Composer Studio 3.3.
- ❑ **Code Generation Tools:** This project is compiled, assembled, archived, and linked using the code generation tools version 6.0.8.

2.2 Installing the Component

The codec component is released as a compressed archive. To install the codec, extract the contents of the zip file onto your local hard disk. The zip file extraction creates a top-level directory called 100_I_JPEG_E_1_12, under which another directory named C64XPLUS_BL_001 is created.

Figure 2-1 shows the sub-directories created in the C64XPLUS_BL_001 directory.

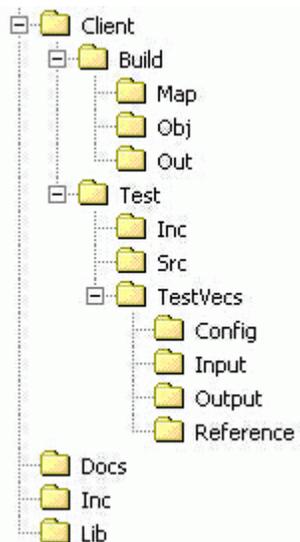


Figure 2-1. Component Directory Structure

Note:

If you are installing an evaluation version of this codec, the top-level directory name will be 100E_I_JPEG_E_1_12.

Table 2-1 provides a description of the sub-directories created in the C64XPLUS_BL_001 directory.

Table 2-1. Component Directories

Sub-Directory	Description
\Inc	Contains XDM related header files which allow interface to the codec library
\Lib	Contains the codec library file
\Docs	Contains user guide and datasheet
\Client\Build	Contains the sample test application project (.pj1) file
\Client\Build\Map	Contains the memory map generated on compilation of the code
\Client\Build\Obj	Contains the intermediate .asm and/or .obj file generated on compilation of the code
\Client\Build\Out	Contains the final application executable (.out) file generated by the sample test application
\Client\Test\Src	Contains application C files
\Client\Test\Inc	Contains header files needed for the application code
\Client\Test\TestVecs\Input	Contains input test vectors
\Client\Test\TestVecs\Output	Contains output generated by the codec
\Client\Test\TestVecs\Reference	Contains read-only reference output to be used for verifying against codec output
\Client\Test\TestVecs\Config	Contains configuration parameter files

2.3 Before Building the Sample Test Application

This codec is accompanied by a sample test application. To run the sample test application, you need DSP/BIOS 5.31.04.

2.3.1 Installing DSP/BIOS

You can download DSP/BIOS from the TI external website:

https://www-a.ti.com/downloads/sds_support/targetcontent/bios/index.html

Install DSP/BIOS at the same location where you have installed Code Composer Studio. For example:

<install directory>\CCStudio_v3.3

The sample test application uses the following DSP/BIOS files:

- ❑ Header file, bcache.h available in the
<install directory>\CCStudio_v3.3<bios_directory>\packages
\ti\bios\include directory.
- ❑ Library file, biosDM420.a64P available in the
<install directory>\CCStudio_v3.3<bios_directory>\packages
\ti\bios\lib directory.

2.4 Building and Running the Sample Test Application

The sample test application that accompanies this codec component will run in TI's Code Composer Studio development environment. To build and run the sample test application in Code Composer Studio, follow these steps:

- 1) Verify that you have an installation of TI's Code Composer Studio version 3.3 and code generation tools version 6.0.8.
- 2) Verify that the codec object library dmjjpg_tigem.l64P exists in the \Lib sub-directory.
- 3) Open the test application project file, TestAppEncoder.pjt in Code Composer Studio. This file is available in the \Client\Build sub-directory.
- 4) Select the configuration as **File_IO**.
- 5) Select **Project > Build** to build the sample test application. This creates an executable file, TestAppEncoder.out in the \Client\Build\Out sub-directory.
- 6) Select **File > Load**, browse to the \Client\Build\Out sub-directory, select the codec executable created in step 4, and load it into Code Composer Studio in preparation for execution.
- 7) Select **Debug > Run** to execute the sample test application.

The sample test application takes the input files stored in the \Client\Test\TestVecs\Input sub-directory, runs the codec, and uses the

reference files stored in the \Client\Test\TestVecs\Reference sub-directory to verify that the codec is functioning as expected.

On successful completion, the application displays one of the following messages for each frame:

- “Encoder compliance test passed/failed” (for compliance check mode)
- “Encoder output dump completed” (for output dump mode)

2.5 Configuration Files

This codec is shipped along with:

- A generic configuration file (Testvecs.cfg) - specifies input and reference files for the sample test application.
- A Encoder configuration file (Testparams.cfg) - specifies the configuration parameters used by the test application to configure the Encoder.

2.5.1 Generic Configuration File

The sample test application shipped along with the codec uses the configuration file, Testvecs.cfg for determining the input and reference files for running the codec and checking for compliance. The Testvecs.cfg file is available in the \Client\Test\TestVecs\Config sub-directory.

The format of the Testvecs.cfg file is:

```
X
Config
Input
Output/Reference
```

where:

- `x` may be set as:
 - 1 - for compliance checking, no output file is created
 - 0 - for writing the output to the output file
- `Config` is the Encoder configuration file. For details, see Section 2.5.2.
- `Input` is the input file name (use complete path).
- `Output/Reference` is the output file name (if `x` is 0) or reference file name (if `x` is 1).

A sample Testvecs.cfg file is as shown:

```

1
..\..\Test\TestVecs\Config\Testparams.cfg
..\..\Test\TestVecs\Input\Input_422.yuv
..\..\Test\TestVecs\Reference\Output_422.jpg
0
..\..\Test\TestVecs\Config\Testparams.cfg
..\..\Test\TestVecs\Input\Input_422.yuv
..\..\Test\TestVecs\Output\Output_422.jpg

```

2.5.2 Encoder Configuration File

The encoder configuration file, Testparams.cfg contains the configuration parameters required for the encoder. The Testparams.cfg file is available in the \Client\Test\TestVecs\Config sub-directory.

A sample Testparams.cfg file is as shown:

```

# Input File Format is as follows
# <ParameterName> = <ParameterValue> # Comment
#
#####
Parameters
#####
MaxImageWidth           = 768 # Image width in Pels
MaxImageHeight          = 512 # Image height in Pels
IPImageWidth            = 768 # Image width in Pels
IPImageHeight           = 512 # Image height in Pels
Scan                    = 3   # No. of Scan
ForceChromaFormat       = 2   # 0 =>default
                          1 => XDM_YUV_420P,
                          2 => XDM_YUV_422P,
                          3 => XDM_YUV_422IBE,
                          4 => XDM_YUV_422ILE,
                          5 => XDM_YUV_444P,
                          6 => XDM_YUV_411P
                          7 => XDM_GRAY,
                          8 => XDM_RGB
inputChromaFormat       = 4   # 0 =>default
                          1 => XDM_YUV_420P,
                          2 => XDM_YUV_422P,
                          3 => XDM_YUV_422IBE,
                          4 => XDM_YUV_422ILE,
                          5 => XDM_YUV_444P,
                          6 => XDM_YUV_411P
                          7 => XDM_GRAY,
                          8 => XDM_RGB
QP                      = 73  # 0 => Min
                          100=> Max
numMCU                  = 0
captureWidth            = 0   # Capture width in Pels,
                          must be equal to 0 or
                          greater than Input width
captureHeight           = 512 # Capture Height in Pels,
                          must be equal to 0 or
                          greater than Input
                          height

```

Any field in the `IIMGENC_Params` structure (see Section 4.2.1.4) can be set in the `Testparams.cfg` file using the syntax shown above. If you specify additional fields in the `Testparams.cfg` file, ensure to modify the test application appropriately to handle these fields.

2.6 Standards Conformance and User-Defined Inputs

To check the conformance of the codec for the default input file shipped along with the codec, follow the steps as described in Section 2.4.

To check the conformance of the codec for other input files of your choice, follow these steps:

- ❑ Copy the input files to the `\Client\Test\TestVecs\Inputs` sub-directory.
- ❑ Copy the reference files to the `\Client\Test\TestVecs\Reference` sub-directory.
- ❑ Edit the configuration file, `Testvecs.cfg` available in the `\Client\Test\TestVecs\Config` sub-directory. For details on the format of the `Testvecs.cfg` file, see Section 2.5.1.
- ❑ Execute the sample test application. On successful completion, the application displays one of the following messages for each frame:
 - “Encoder compliance test passed/failed” (if `x` is 1)
 - “Encoder output dump completed” (if `x` is 0)

If you have chosen the option to write to an output file (`x` is 0), you can use any standard file comparison utility to compare the codec output with the reference output and check for conformance.

2.7 Uninstalling the Component

To uninstall the component, delete the codec directory from your hard disk.

2.8 Evaluation Version

If you are using an evaluation version of this codec there will be a 10-minute limit on usage. A Texas Instruments logo will be visible in the output.

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Sample Usage

This chapter provides a detailed description of the sample test application that accompanies this codec component.

3.1 Overview of the Test Application

The test application exercises the `IIMGENC` base class of the JPEG Encoder library. The main test application files are `TestAppEncoder.c` and `TestAppEncoder.h`. These files are available in the `\Client\Test\Src` and `\Client\Test\Inc` sub-directories respectively.

Figure 3-1 depicts the sequence of APIs exercised in the sample test application.

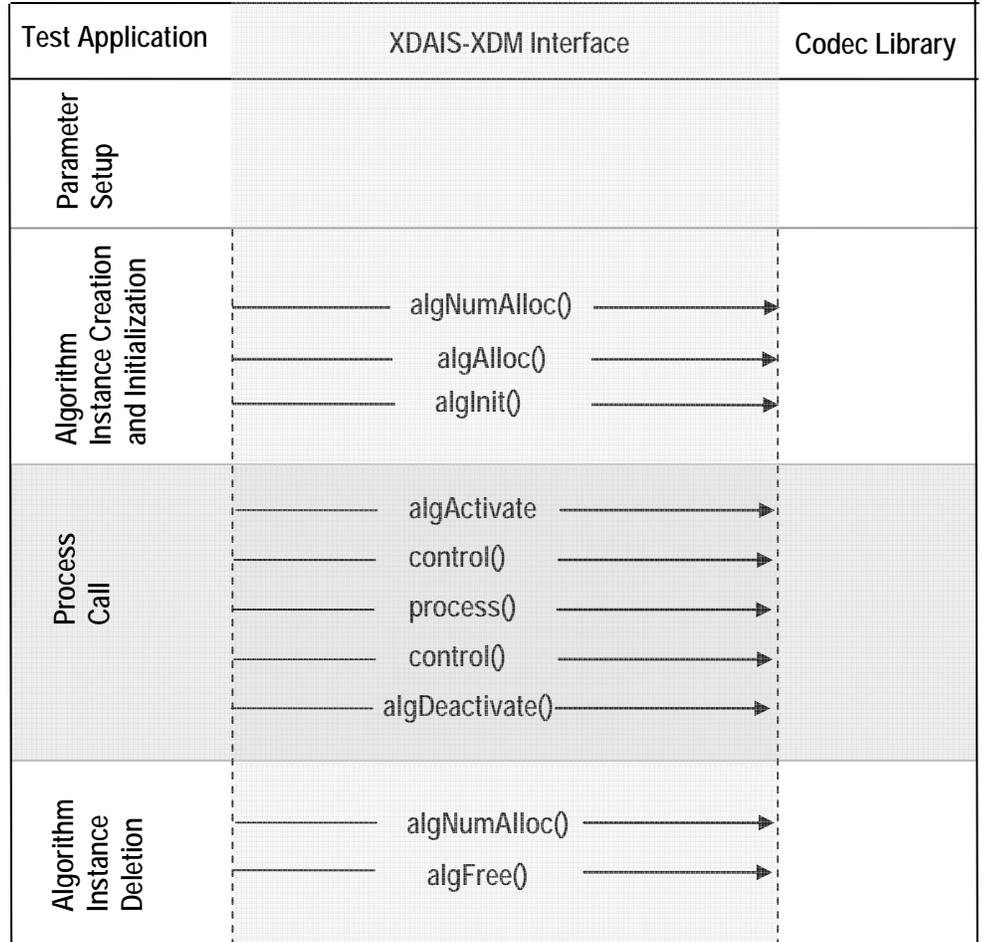


Figure 3-1. Test Application Sample Implementation

The test application is divided into four logical blocks:

- Parameter setup
- Algorithm instance creation and initialization
- Process call
- Algorithm instance deletion

3.1.1 Parameter Setup

Each codec component requires various codec configuration parameters to be set at initialization. For example, a video codec requires parameters such as video height, video width, etc. The test application obtains the required parameters from the Encoder configuration files.

In this logical block, the test application does the following:

- 1) Opens the generic configuration file, `Testvecs.cfg` and reads the compliance checking parameter, Encoder configuration file name (`Testparams.cfg`), input file name, and output/reference file name.
- 2) Opens the Encoder configuration file, (`Testparams.cfg`) and reads the various configuration parameters required for the algorithm.
For more details on the configuration files, see Section 2.5.
- 3) Sets the `IIMGENC_Params` structure based on the values it reads from the `Testparams.cfg` file.
- 4) Reads the input bit stream into the application input buffer.

After successful completion of the above steps, the test application does the algorithm instance creation and initialization.

3.1.2 Algorithm Instance Creation and Initialization

In this logical block, the test application accepts the various initialization parameters and returns an algorithm instance pointer. The following APIs are called in sequence:

- 1) `algNumAlloc()` - To query the algorithm about the number of memory records it requires.
- 2) `algAlloc()` - To query the algorithm about the memory requirement to be filled in the memory records.
- 3) `algInit()` - To initialize the algorithm with the memory structures provided by the application.

A sample implementation of the create function that calls `algNumAlloc()`, `algAlloc()`, and `algInit()` in sequence is provided in the `ALG_create()` function implemented in the `alg_create.c` file.

3.1.3 Process Call

After algorithm instance creation and initialization, the test application performs the following:

- 1) Sets the dynamic parameters (if they change during run time) by calling the `control()` function with the `XDM_SETPARAMS` command.
- 2) Sets the input and output buffer descriptors required for the `process()` function call. The input and output buffer descriptors are obtained by calling the `control()` function with the `XDM_GETBUFINFO` command.

- 3) Calls the `process()` function to encode/decode a single frame of data. The behavior of the algorithm can be controlled using various dynamic parameters (see Section 4.2.1.5). The inputs to the process function are input and output buffer descriptors, pointer to the `IIMGENC_InArgs` and `IIMGENC_OutArgs` structures.

The `control()` and `process()` functions should be called only within the scope of the `algActivate()` and `algDeactivate()` XDAIS functions which activate and deactivate the algorithm instance respectively. Once an algorithm is activated, there could be any ordering of `control()` and `process()` functions. The following APIs are called in sequence:

- 1) `algActivate()` - To activate the algorithm instance.
- 2) `control()` (optional) - To query the algorithm on status or setting of dynamic parameters etc., using the six available control commands.
- 3) `process()` - To call the Encoder with appropriate input/output buffer and arguments information.
- 4) `control()` (optional) - To query the algorithm on status or setting of dynamic parameters etc., using the six available control commands.
- 5) `algDeactivate()` - To deactivate the algorithm instance.

The do-while loop encapsulates frame level `process()` call and updates the input buffer pointer every time before the next call. The do-while loop breaks off either when an error condition occurs or when the input buffer exhausts. It also protects the `process()` call from file operations by placing appropriate calls for cache operations as well. The test application does a cache invalidate for the valid input buffers before `process()` and a cache write back invalidate for output buffers after `process()`.

In the sample test application, after calling `algDeactivate()`, the output data is either dumped to a file or compared with a reference file.

3.1.4 Algorithm Instance Deletion

Once encoding/decoding is complete, the test application must delete the current algorithm instance. The following APIs are called in sequence:

- 1) `algNumAlloc()` - To query the algorithm about the number of memory records it used.
- 2) `algFree()` - To query the algorithm to get the memory record information and then free them up for the application.

A sample implementation of the delete function that calls `algNumAlloc()` and `algFree()` in sequence is provided in the `ALG_delete()` function implemented in the `alg_create.c` file.

API Reference

This chapter provides a detailed description of the data structures and interfaces functions used in the codec component.

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4.1 Symbolic Constants and Enumerated Data Types

This section summarizes all the symbolic constants specified as either #define macros and/or enumerated C data types. Described alongside the macro or enumeration is the semantics or interpretation of the same in terms of what value it stands for and what it means.

Table 4-1. List of Enumerated Data Types

Group or Enumeration Class	Symbolic Constant Name	Description or Evaluation
XDM_DataFormat	XDM_BYTE	Big endian stream.
	XDM_LE_16	16-bit little endian stream.
	XDM_LE_32	32-bit little endian stream.
XDM_ChromaFormat	XDM_YUV_420P	YUV 4:2:0 planar
	XDM_YUV_422P	YUV 4:2:2 planar
	XDM_YUV_422IBE	YUV 4:2:2 interleaved (big endian). Not supported in this version of JPEG Encoder.
	XDM_YUV_422ILE	YUV 4:2:2 interleaved (little endian)
	XDM_YUV_444P	YUV 4:4:4 planar
	XDM_YUV_411P	YUV 4:1:1 planar
	XDM_GRAY	Gray format
XDM_CmdId	XDM_RGB	RGB color format. Not supported in this version of JPEG Encoder.
	XDM_GETSTATUS	Query algorithm instance to fill the Status structure
	XDM_SETPARAMS	Set run time dynamic parameters via the DynamicParams structure
	XDM_RESET	Reset the algorithm
	XDM_SETDEFAULT	Initialize all fields in Params structure to default values specified in the library
	XDM_FLUSH	Handle end of stream conditions. This command forces algorithm instance to output data without additional input.
	XDM_GETBUFINFO	Query algorithm instance regarding the properties of input and output buffers

Group or Enumeration Class	Symbolic Constant Name	Description or Evaluation
	XDM_SETIMGPREPROCESSOR	Image pipe is not supported in this version of JPEG Encoder
	XDM_INSERTCOMMENT	Pass a BYTE array to insert into the JPEG header as a comment
	XDM_GETVERSION	Retrieve a pointer to a CHAR array containing a string with the current library version
XDM_EncMode	XDM_ENCODE_AU	Encode entire access unit
	XDM_GENERATE_HEADER	Encode only header
XDM_ErrorBit	XDM_APPLIEDCONCEALMENT	Bit 9 <input type="checkbox"/> 1 - Applied concealment <input type="checkbox"/> 0 - Ignore Not applicable for JPEG Encoder.
	XDM_INSUFFICIENTDATA	Bit 10 <input type="checkbox"/> 1 - Insufficient data <input type="checkbox"/> 0 - Ignore
	XDM_CORRUPTEDDATA	Bit 11 <input type="checkbox"/> 1 - Data problem/corruption <input type="checkbox"/> 0 - Ignore
	XDM_CORRUPTEDHEADER	Bit 12 <input type="checkbox"/> 1 - Header problem/corruption <input type="checkbox"/> 0 - Ignore Not applicable for JPEG Encoder.
	XDM_UNSUPPORTEDINPUT	Bit 13 <input type="checkbox"/> 1 - Unsupported feature/parameter in input <input type="checkbox"/> 0 - Ignore Not applicable for JPEG Encoder.
	XDM_UNSUPPORTEDPARAM	Bit 14 <input type="checkbox"/> 1 - Unsupported input parameter or configuration <input type="checkbox"/> 0 - Ignore This bit is set by the JPEG Encoder when an input parameter is not valid. For example, this can occur when the input data format is not supported.
	XDM_FATALERROR	Bit 15 <input type="checkbox"/> 1 - Fatal error (stop encoding) <input type="checkbox"/> 0 - Recoverable error This bit is set when a fatal error occurs. The JPEG Encoder cannot be used for an encode process in this state.

Note:

The remaining bits that are not mentioned in `XDM_ErrorBit` are interpreted as:

- ❑ Bit 16-32 : Reserved
- ❑ Bit 8 : Reserved
- ❑ Bit 0-7 : Codec and implementation specific (see Table 4-2)

The algorithm can set multiple bits to 1 depending on the error condition.

The JPEG Encoder specific error status messages are listed in Table 4-2. The value column indicates the decimal value of the last 8-bits reserved for codec specific error statuses.

Table 4-2. JPEG Encoder Error Statuses

Group or Enumeration Class	Symbolic Constant Name	Value	Description or Evaluation
IJPEGENC_ErrorStatus	JPEGENC_SUCCESS	0	Successful encoding.
	JPEGENC_OUTPUT_BUFF_SIZE	1	Set an error if output buffer size is less than required
	JPEGENC_COMMENT_LENGTH_LARGE	2	Set an error if comment length is greater than 256

4.2 Data Structures

This section describes the XDM defined data structures that are common across codec classes. These XDM data structures can be extended to define any implementation specific parameters for a codec component.

4.2.1 Common XDM Data Structures

This section includes the following common XDM data structures:

- ❑ `XDM_BufDesc`
- ❑ `XDM_AlgBufInfo`
- ❑ `IIMGENC_Fxns`
- ❑ `IIMGENC_Params`
- ❑ `IIMGENC_DynamicParams`
- ❑ `IIMGENC_InArgs`
- ❑ `IIMGENC_Status`
- ❑ `IIMGENC_OutArgs`

4.2.1.1 XDM_BufDesc

|| Description

This structure defines the buffer descriptor for input and output buffers.

|| Fields

Field	Datatype	Input/ Output	Description
**bufs	XDAS_Int8	Input	Pointer to the vector containing buffer addresses
numBufs	XDAS_Int32	Input	Number of buffers
*bufSizes	XDAS_Int32	Input	Size of each buffer in bytes

4.2.1.2 XDM_AlgBufInfo

|| Description

This structure defines the buffer information descriptor for input and output buffers. This structure is filled when you invoke the `control()` function with the `XDM_GETBUFINFO` command.

|| Fields

Field	Datatype	Input/ Output	Description
minNumInBufs	XDAS_Int32	Output	Number of input buffers
minNumOutBufs	XDAS_Int32	Output	Number of output buffers
minInBufSize[XDM_MAX_IO_BUFFERS]	XDAS_Int32	Output	Size in bytes required for each input buffer
minOutBufSize[XDM_MAX_IO_BUFFERS]	XDAS_Int32	Output	Size in bytes required for each output buffer

Note:

The JPEG Encoder has the following buffer information:

- ❑ `control()` function must be called with `XDM_CmdId` set to `XDM_SETPARAMS` before calling with `XDM_CmdId` set to `XDM_GETBUFINFO`.
- ❑ Number of input buffers required are 1 for `XDM_YUV_422ILE` and 3 for planar formats
- ❑ Number of output buffer required is 1
- ❑ Each input buffer size is equal to $(\text{maxHeight} * \text{maxWidth} * 2)$ for

XDM_YUV_422ILE and (maxHeight * maxWidth) for planar formats. See IIMGENC_Params data structure for details.

- ❑ Each output buffer size is equal to a value of Height * Width * Quality Factor /100
- ❑ For interleaved input format, output will have only one scan irrespective of the output format
- ❑ If the output format is set to XDM_GRAY, output will have only one scan irrespective of the input format.

4.2.1.3 IIMGENC_Fxns

|| Description

This structure contains pointers to all the XDAIS and XDM interface functions.

|| Fields

Field	Datatype	Input/Output	Description
ialg	IALG_Fxns	Input	Structure containing pointers to all the XDAIS interface functions. For more details, see <i>TMS320 DSP Algorithm Standard API Reference</i> (SPRU360).
*process	XDAS_Int32	Input	Pointer to the process() function.
*control	XDAS_Int32	Input	Pointer to the control() function.

4.2.1.4 IIMGENC_Params

|| Description

This structure defines the creation parameters for algorithm instance object. Set this data structure to NULL, if you are unsure of the values to be specified for these parameters.

|| Fields

Field	Datatype	Input/Output	Description
size	XDAS_Int32	Input	Size of the basic or extended (if being used) data structure in bytes.
maxHeight	XDAS_Int32	Input	Maximum image height. The default value is 3172.
maxWidth	XDAS_Int32	Input	Maximum image width. The default value is 2048.

Field	Datatype	Input/ Output	Description
maxScans	XDAS_Int32	Input	Maximum number of scans. maxScans should be set to XDM_DEFAULT.
dataEndianness	XDAS_Int32	Input	Endianness of input data. The JPEG Encoder implementation supports only XDM_LE_32 format.
forceChromaFormat	XDAS_Int32	Input	Output color format for the encoder. See XDM_ChromaFormat enumeration for details. If set to XDM_DEFAULT, the output color format matches the input color format. Planar input formats can be converted to XDM_GRAY by ignoring the color planes.

Note:

- If the input format is Interleaved, there will be only one scan in the output, irrespective of the output format and hence there will be only one SOS marker in the compressed bit stream.
- For GRAY output format, irrespective of the input format there will be only one SOS market in the comprssed bit stream.
- Conversion from planar to interleaved format is not supported in the current version of JPEG encoder.

The output formats supported for each input format are as follows:

Input Format

XDM_YUV_420P

XDM_YUV_422P

XDM_YUV_422ILE

XDM_YUV_444P

XDM_YUV_411P

XDM_GRAY

Supported Output Formats XDM_YUV_420P XDM_GRAY XDM_YUV422P XDM_GRAY XDM_YUV_422P XDM_YUV_420P XDM_GRAY XDM_YUV_444P XDM_GRAY XDM_YUV_411P XDM_GRAY XDM_GRAY

4.2.1.5 IIMGENC_DynamicParams

|| Description

This structure defines the run time parameters for algorithm instance object. Set this data structure to `NULL`, if you are unsure of the values to be specified for these parameters.

|| Fields

Field	Datatype	Input/ Output	Description
size	XDAS_Int32	Input	Size of the basic or extended (if being used) data structure in bytes.
numAU	XDAS_Int32	Input	Number of access units to encode. Setting this field to <code>XDM_DEFAULT</code> encodes the complete frame. Any other value will encode the specified number of access units
inputChromaFormat	XDAS_Int32	Input	Color format of the input data. See <code>XDM_ChromaFormat</code> enumeration for details.
inputHeight	XDAS_Int32	Input	Input height of the image
inputWidth	XDAS_Int32	Input	Input width of the image
captureWidth	XDAS_Int32	Input	Total buffer width of the input data. This must be equal to or greater than <code>inputWidth</code> .
generateHeader	XDAS_Int32	Input	<input type="checkbox"/> <code>XDM_ENCODE_AU</code> - Encode entire access unit <input type="checkbox"/> <code>XDM_GENERATE_HEADER</code> - Encode only header
qValue	XDAS_Int32	Input	Q value compression factor for encoder. Set to a value between 0 and 100 to define the quantization parameter. <input type="checkbox"/> 0 - lowest quality <input type="checkbox"/> 100 - highest quality

Note:

- To support smaller output buffer, dump the output after every process call, otherwise increment the output buffer by bytes generated after every process call. To support slice based encoding, set the `NumAu` to the required value.
- To encode the portion of an image, set the `inputWidth` and `inputHeight` to the expected value. Set the `captureWidth` and `captureHeight` to the actual width and height of the image. Setting the `captureWidth` and `captureHeight` other than the actual value, will result in visual artifacts.

4.2.1.6 IIMGENC_InArgs

|| Description

This structure defines the run time input arguments for algorithm instance object.

|| Fields

Field	Datatype	Input/ Output	Description
size	XDAS_Int32	Input	Size of the basic or extended (if being used) data structure in bytes.

4.2.1.7 IIMGENC_Status

|| Description

This structure defines parameters that describe the status of the algorithm instance object.

|| Fields

Field	Datatype	Input/ Output	Description
size	XDAS_Int32	Input	Size of the basic or extended (if being used) data structure in bytes.
extendedError	XDAS_Int32	Output	Extended error enumeration. See XDM_ErrorBit enumeration for details.
totalAU	XDAS_Int32	Output	Total number of MCU for the encoder to encode the current image frame.
bufInfo	XDM_AlgBufInfo	Output	Input and output buffer information. See XDM_AlgBufInfo data structure for details.

4.2.1.8 IIMGENC_OutArgs

|| Description

This structure defines the run time output arguments for the algorithm instance object.

|| Fields

Field	Datatype	Input/ Output	Description
size	XDAS_Int32	Input	Size of the basic or extended (if being used) data structure in bytes.
extendedError	XDAS_Int32	Output	Extended error enumeration. See <code>XDM_ErrorBit</code> enumeration for details.
bytesGenerated	XDAS_Int32	Output	Number of bytes generated in the current bit stream.
currentAU	XDAS_Int32	Output	The current MCU number that the encoder has completed. This can be used to track the encoder status in the case of slice-based encoding.

4.2.2 JPEG Encoder Data Structures

This section includes the following JPEG Encoder specific extended data structures:

- ❑ `IDMJPGE_TIGEM_Params`
- ❑ `IDMJPGE_TIGEM_DynamicParams`
- ❑ `IDMJPGE_TIGEM_InArgs`
- ❑ `IDMJPGE_TIGEM_Status`
- ❑ `IDMJPGE_TIGEM_OutArgs`

4.2.2.1 `IDMJPGE_TIGEM_Params`

|| Description

This structure defines the creation parameters and any other implementation specific parameters for the JPEG Encoder instance object. The creation parameters are defined in the XDM data structure, `IIMGENC_Params`.

|| Fields

Field	Datatype	Input/ Output	Description
<code>params</code>	<code>IIMGENC_Params</code>	Input	See <code>IIMGENC_Params</code> data structure for details.

4.2.2.2 `IDMJPGE_TIGEM_DynamicParams`

|| Description

This structure defines the run time parameters and any other implementation specific parameters for a JPEG Encoder instance object. The run time parameters are defined in the XDM data structure, `IIMGENC_DynamicParams`.

|| Fields

Field	Datatype	Input/ Output	Description
<code>params</code>	<code>IIMGENC_DynamicParams</code>	Input	See <code>IIMGENC_DynamicParams</code> data structure for details.
<code>captureHeight</code>	<code>XDAS_Int32</code>	Input	if set to 0 , Input height is equal to capture height , else capture height should be set to actual image height

Field	Datatype	Input/ Output	Description
comment	IDMJPGE_TIGEM_Comment	Input	To insert a comment in the compressed bit stream. See IDMJPGE_TIGEM_Comment data structure for details.

4.2.2.3 IDMJPGE_TIGEM_Comment

|| Description

This structure defines the comment insertion in the compressed bit stream it has a size variable `commentLen` of maximum length of 256 and character array of length 256.

|| Fields

Field	Datatype	Input/ Output	Description
comment [256]	XDAS_Int8	Input	Character array, which holds the comment to be inserted in the compressed bit stream.
commentLen	XDAS_UInt16	Input	Size of the comment to be inserted, which should be less than or equal to 256.

4.2.2.4 IDMJPGE_TIGEM_InArgs

|| Description

This structure defines the run time input arguments for JPEG Encoder instance object.

|| Fields

Field	Datatype	Input/ Output	Description
inArgs	IIMGENC_InArgs	Input	See IIMGENC_InArgs data structure for details.

4.2.2.5 *IDMJPGE_TIGEM_Status*

|| Description

This structure defines parameters that describe the status of the JPEG Encoder and any other implementation specific parameters. The status parameters are defined in the XDM data structure, `IIMGENC_Status`.

|| Fields

Field	Datatype	Input/ Output	Description
Status	IIMGENC_Status	Output	See IIMGENC_Status data structure for details.

4.2.2.6 *IDMJPGE_TIGEM_OutArgs*

|| Description

This structure defines the run time output arguments for the JPEG Encoder instance object.

|| Fields

Field	Datatype	Input/ Output	Description
outArgs	IIMGENC_OutArgs	Output	See IIMGENC_OutArgs data structure for details.

4.3 Interface Functions

This section describes the Application Programming Interfaces (APIs) used in the JPEG Encoder. The APIs are logically grouped into the following categories:

- ❑ **Creation** – `algNumAlloc()`, `algAlloc()`
- ❑ **Initialization** – `algInit()`
- ❑ **Control** – `control()`
- ❑ **Data processing** – `algActivate()`, `process()`, `algDeactivate()`
- ❑ **Termination** – `algFree()`

You must call these APIs in the following sequence:

- 1) `algNumAlloc()`
- 2) `algAlloc()`
- 3) `algInit()`
- 4) `algActivate()`
- 5) `process()`
- 6) `algDeactivate()`
- 7) `algFree()`

`control()` can be called any time after calling the `algInit()` API.

`algNumAlloc()`, `algAlloc()`, `algInit()`, `algActivate()`, `algDeactivate()`, and `algFree()` are standard XDAIS APIs. This document includes only a brief description for the standard XDAIS APIs. For more details, see *TMS320 DSP Algorithm Standard API Reference* (literature number SPRU360).

4.3.1 Creation APIs

Creation APIs are used to create an instance of the component. The term creation could mean allocating system resources, typically memory.

|| Name

`algNumAlloc()` – determine the number of buffers that an algorithm requires

|| Synopsis

```
XDAS_Int32 algNumAlloc(Void);
```

|| Arguments

Void

|| Return Value

```
XDAS_Int32; /* number of buffers required */
```

|| Description

`algNumAlloc()` returns the number of buffers that the `algAlloc()` method requires. This operation allows you to allocate sufficient space to call the `algAlloc()` method.

`algNumAlloc()` may be called at any time and can be called repeatedly without any side effects. It always returns the same result. The `algNumAlloc()` API is optional.

For more details, see *TMS320 DSP Algorithm Standard API Reference* (literature number SPRU360).

|| See Also

`algAlloc()`

|| Name

`algAlloc()` – determine the attributes of all buffers that an algorithm requires

|| Synopsis

```
XDAS_Int32 algAlloc(const IALG_Params *params, IALG_Fxns  
**parentFxns, IALG_MemRec memTab[]);
```

|| Arguments

```
IALG_Params *params; /* algorithm specific attributes */
```

```
IALG_Fxns **parentFxns; /* output parent algorithm  
functions */
```

```
IALG_MemRec memTab[]; /* output array of memory records */
```

|| Return Value

```
XDAS_Int32 /* number of buffers required */
```

|| Description

`algAlloc()` returns a table of memory records that describe the size, alignment, type, and memory space of all buffers required by an algorithm. If successful, this function returns a positive non-zero value indicating the number of records initialized.

The first argument to `algAlloc()` is a pointer to a structure that defines the creation parameters. This pointer may be `NULL`; however, in this case, `algAlloc()` must assume default creation parameters and must not fail.

The second argument to `algAlloc()` is an output parameter. `algAlloc()` may return a pointer to its parent's IALG functions. If an algorithm does not require a parent object to be created, this pointer must be set to `NULL`.

The third argument is a pointer to a memory space of size `nbufs * sizeof(IALG_MemRec)` where, `nbufs` is the number of buffers returned by `algNumAlloc()` and `IALG_MemRec` is the buffer-descriptor structure defined in `ialg.h`.

After calling this function, `memTab[]` is filled up with the memory requirements of an algorithm.

For more details, see *TMS320 DSP Algorithm Standard API Reference* (literature number SPRU360).

|| See Also

```
algNumAlloc(), algFree()
```

4.3.2 Initialization API

Initialization API is used to initialize an instance of the algorithm. The initialization parameters are defined in the `Params` structure (see Data Structures section for details).

|| Name

`algInit()` – initialize an algorithm instance

|| Synopsis

```
XDAS_Int32 algInit(IALG_Handle handle, IALG_MemRec
memTab[], IALG_Handle parent, IALG_Params *params);
```

|| Arguments

```
IALG_Handle handle; /* algorithm instance handle*/
IALG_memRec memTab[]; /* array of allocated buffers */
IALG_Handle parent; /* handle to the parent instance */
IALG_Params *params; /* algorithm initialization
parameters */
```

|| Return Value

```
IALG_EOK; /* status indicating success */
IALG_EFAIL; /* status indicating failure */
```

|| Description

`algInit()` performs all initialization necessary to complete the run time creation of an algorithm instance object. After a successful return from `algInit()`, the instance object is ready to be used to process data.

The first argument to `algInit()` is a handle to an algorithm instance. This value is initialized to the base field of `memTab[0]`.

The second argument is a table of memory records that describe the base address, size, alignment, type, and memory space of all buffers allocated for an algorithm instance. The number of initialized records is identical to the number returned by a prior call to `algAlloc()`.

The third argument is a handle to the parent instance object. If there is no parent object, this parameter must be set to `NULL`.

The last argument is a pointer to a structure that defines the algorithm initialization parameters.

For more details, see *TMS320 DSP Algorithm Standard API Reference* (literature number SPRU360).

|| See Also

`algAlloc()`, `algMoved()`

4.3.3 Control API

Control API is used for controlling the functioning of the algorithm instance during run time. This is done by changing the status of the controllable parameters of the algorithm during run time. These controllable parameters are defined in the `Status` data structure (see Data Structures section for details).

|| Name

`control()` – change run time parameters and query the status

|| Synopsis

```
XDAS_Int32 (*control) (IIMGENC_Handle handle, IIMGENC_Cmd
id, IIMGENC_DynamicParams *params, IIMGENC_Status
*status);
```

|| Arguments

```
IIMGENC_Handle handle; /* algorithm instance handle */
IIMGENC_Cmd id; /* algorithm specific control commands*/
IIMGENC_DynamicParams *params /* algorithm run time parameters
*/
IIMGENC_Status *status /* algorithm instance status parameters */
```

|| Return Value

```
IALG_EOK; /* status indicating success */
IALG_EFAIL; /* status indicating failure */
```

|| Description

This function changes the run time parameters of an algorithm instance and queries the algorithm's status. `control()` must only be called after a successful call to `algInit()` and must never be called after a call to `algFree()`.

The first argument to `control()` is a handle to an algorithm instance.

The second argument is an algorithm specific control command. See `XDM_CmdId` enumeration for details.

The third and fourth arguments are pointers to the `IIMGENC_DynamicParams` and `IIMGENC_Status` data structures respectively.

Note:

If you are using extended data structures, the third and fourth arguments must be pointers to the extended `DynamicParams` and `Status` data structures respectively. Also, ensure that the `size` field is set to the size of the extended data structure. Depending on the value set for the `size` field, the algorithm uses either basic or extended parameters.

|| Preconditions

The following conditions must be true prior to calling this function; otherwise, its operation is undefined.

- ❑ `control()` can only be called after a successful return from `algInit()` and `algActivate()`.
- ❑ If algorithm uses DMA resources, `control()` can only be called after a successful return from `DMAN3_init()`.
- ❑ `handle` must be a valid handle for the algorithm's instance object.

|| Postconditions

The following conditions are true immediately after returning from this function.

- ❑ If the control operation is successful, the return value from this operation is equal to `IALG_EOK`; otherwise it is equal to either `IALG_EFAIL` or an algorithm specific return value.
- ❑ If the control command is not recognized, the return value from this operation is not equal to `IALG_EOK`.

|| Example

See test application file, `TestAppEncoder.c` available in the `\Client\Test\Src` sub-directory.

|| See Also

`algInit()`, `algActivate()`, `process()`

4.3.4 Data Processing API

Data processing API is used for processing the input data.

|| Name

`algActivate()` – initialize scratch memory buffers prior to processing.

|| Synopsis

```
Void algActivate(IALG_Handle handle);
```

|| Arguments

```
IALG_Handle handle; /* algorithm instance handle */
```

|| Return Value

Void

|| Description

`algActivate()` initializes any of the instance's scratch buffers using the persistent memory that is part of the algorithm's instance object.

The first (and only) argument to `algActivate()` is an algorithm instance handle. This handle is used by the algorithm to identify various buffers that must be initialized prior to calling any of the algorithm's processing methods.

For more details, see *TMS320 DSP Algorithm Standard API Reference*. (literature number SPRU360).

|| See Also

`algDeactivate()`

|| Name

`process()` – basic encoding/decoding call

|| Synopsis

```
XDAS_Int32 (*process)(IIMGENC_Handle handle, XDM_BufDesc
*inBufs, XDM_BufDesc *outBufs, IIMGENC_InArgs *inargs,
IIMGENC_OutArgs *outargs);
```

|| Arguments

```
IIMGENC_Handle handle; /* algorithm instance handle */
```

```
XDM_BufDesc *inBufs; /* algorithm input buffer descriptor
*/
```

```
XDM_BufDesc *outBufs; /* algorithm output buffer
descriptor */
```

```
IIMGENC_InArgs *inargs /* algorithm runtime input
arguments */
```

```
IIMGENC_OutArgs *outargs /* algorithm runtime output
arguments */
```

|| Return Value

```
IALG_EOK; /* status indicating success */
```

```
IALG_EFAIL; /* status indicating failure */
```

|| Description

This function does the basic encoding/decoding. The first argument to `process()` is a handle to an algorithm instance.

The second and third arguments are pointers to the input and output buffer descriptor data structures respectively (see `XDM_BufDesc` data structure for details).

The fourth argument is a pointer to the `IIMGENC_InArgs` data structure that defines the run time input arguments for an algorithm instance object.

The last argument is a pointer to the `IIMGENC_OutArgs` data structure that defines the run time output arguments for an algorithm instance object.

Note:

If you are using extended data structures, the fourth and fifth arguments must be pointers to the extended `InArgs` and `OutArgs` data structures respectively. Also, ensure that the `size` field is set to the size of the extended data structure. Depending on the value set for the `size` field, the algorithm uses either basic or extended parameters.

|| Preconditions

The following conditions must be true prior to calling this function; otherwise, its operation is undefined.

- ❑ `process()` can only be called after a successful return from `algInit()` and `algActivate()`.

- ❑ If algorithm uses DMA resources, `process()` can only be called after a successful return from `DMAN3_init()`.
- ❑ `handle` must be a valid handle for the algorithm's instance object.
- ❑ Buffer descriptor for input and output buffers must be valid.
- ❑ Input buffers must have valid input data.

|| Postconditions

The following conditions are true immediately after returning from this function.

- ❑ If the process operation is successful, the return value from this operation is equal to `IALG_EOK`; otherwise it is equal to either `IALG_EFAIL` or an algorithm specific return value.
- ❑ After successful return from `process()` function, `algDeactivate()` can be called.

|| Example

See test application file, `TestAppEncoder.c` available in the `\Client\Test\Src` sub-directory.

|| See Also

`algInit()`, `algDeactivate()`, `control()`

|| Name

`algDeactivate()` – save all persistent data to non-scratch memory

|| Synopsis

```
Void algDeactivate(IALG_Handle handle);
```

|| Arguments

```
IALG_Handle handle; /* algorithm instance handle */
```

|| Return Value

```
Void
```

|| Description

`algDeactivate()` saves any persistent information to non-scratch buffers using the persistent memory that is part of the algorithm's instance object.

The first (and only) argument to `algDeactivate()` is an algorithm instance handle. This handle is used by the algorithm to identify various buffers that must be saved prior to next cycle of `algActivate()` and processing.

For more details, see *TMS320 DSP Algorithm Standard API Reference* (literature number SPRU360).

|| See Also

```
algActivate()
```

4.3.5 Termination API

Termination API is used to terminate the algorithm instance and free up the memory space that it uses.

|| Name

`algFree()` – determine the addresses of all memory buffers used by the algorithm

|| Synopsis

```
XDAS_Int32 algFree(IALG_Handle handle, IALG_MemRec  
memTab[]);
```

|| Arguments

```
IALG_Handle handle; /* handle to the algorithm instance */  
IALG_MemRec memTab[]; /* output array of memory records */
```

|| Return Value

```
XDAS_Int32; /* Number of buffers used by the algorithm */
```

|| Description

`algFree()` determines the addresses of all memory buffers used by the algorithm. The primary aim of doing so is to free up these memory regions after closing an instance of the algorithm.

The first argument to `algFree()` is a handle to the algorithm instance.

The second argument is a table of memory records that describe the base address, size, alignment, type, and memory space of all buffers previously allocated for the algorithm instance.

For more details, see *TMS320 DSP Algorithm Standard API Reference* (literature number SPRU360).

|| See Also

```
algAlloc()
```