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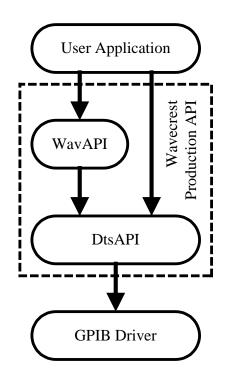
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Wavecrest has implemented the Production API to provide direct access to the algorithms employed in the VISI software. It allows programmers to quickly integrate the functionality available in the VISI software into their own applications. Many tedious tasks such as GPIB interfacing and memory management are eliminated. A layered approach is utilized which provides access to all the statistics and plot data available in the VISI software, and versions are available for Microsoft Windows as well as many UNIX platforms. It also provides routines to leverage configurations established with the VISI software in order to streamline the transition from characterization laboratory to production floor.

# 1.1 ELEMENTS OF AN APPLICATION UTILIZING THE WAVECREST PRODUCTION API APPLICATION

An application utilizing the Wavecrest Production API is typically comprised of the following components:



Note that the Wavecrest Production API is divided into two blocks. The DtsAPI block provides a Hardware Abstraction Layer to isolate the higher level algorithms from the hardware itself. Although GPIB is the only physical medium supported at this time, this abstraction layer provides a means to easily migrate to other mediums such as Ethernet in the future.

The WavAPI block contains all the code required for the various VISI algorithms. It depends on the DtsAPI block for all lower level interactions with the hardware.

# **1.2 FILES COMPRISING THE WAVECREST PRODUCTION API**

The Wavecrest Production API is comprised of a pair of header files and accompanying libraries. The header files are platform independent while the libraries are platform dependent. Libraries for Microsoft Windows applications are provided in the form of run-time Dynamic Link Libraries. Libraries for UNIX applications are provided in both static and shared forms on HP platforms and as static libraries only on SUN.

In addition to the header and library files, sample application source code and makefiles are also provided. There is also a directory containing various dataCOM patterns. Files are located on the CDROM in the following directory locations:

```
🗁-api
      api.pdf
                      // This manual in PDF form
      apitest.c // Sample application source code
dtsapi.h // Low level header file
wavapi.h // High level header file
   —hp10x
          libdts.a // Low level static library
libdts.sl // Low level shared library
          libwav.a // High level static library
          libwav.sl // High level shared library
          makefile // Makefile to build sample
   /──hp9x
          libdts.a // Low level static library
          libdts.sl // Low level shared library
          libwav.a // High level static library
libwav.sl // High level shared library
          makefile // Makefile to build sample
   □−solaris2
          libdts.a // Low level static library
          libwav.a // High level static library
          makefile // Makefile to build sample
   🗁-sunos
          libdts.a // Low level static library
libwav.a // High level static library
makefile // Makefile to build sample
   🗁-win32
          dtsapi.bas // VBasic equivalent to include
          dtsapi.dll // Low level shared library
          dtsapi.lib // Stub header for linking
          makefile // Makefile to build sample
          wavapi.bas // VBasic equivalent to include
          wavapi.dll // High level shared library
          wavapi.lib // Stub header for linking
                       // Various dataCOM pattern files
   🗁-patns
```

# **1.3 WAVECREST PRODUCTION API INSTALLATION**

To install the Wavecrest Production API, first create a target directory on the host system. Copy the files contained in the base directory (*apitest.c dtsapi.h wavapi.h*) as well as those from the particular platform directory to the newly created target directory.

# **1.4 BUILDING THE SAMPLE APPLICATION**

Before attempting to build the sample application, the supported compiler should be installed and properly configured. This may include modifying the PATH environment variable so that the compiler executable can be launched from a command line. It may also involve setting INCLUDE and LIB environment variables so that the standard include files and libraries may be located by the compiler. Consult the compiler documentation for further information.

To build the sample application, on UNIX execute the following from a command prompt:

make

To build the sample application, on Microsoft Windows execute the following from a command prompt:

nmake

# **1.5 EXECUTING THE SAMPLE APPLICATION**

Before attempting to execute the sample application, the supported GPIB interface card must be installed and properly configured. Consult the manufacturer's documentation for further information. The Wavecrest DTS207x should be powered, attached via GPIB cable, and the output from one of the Cal Signals should be connected to the Ch1 input. Test your configuration using VISI if possible.

To execute the sample application, issue the following from a command prompt:

./apitest

Note: proceeding the application name by "./" assures that the executable is launched even if the current directory is not included in the search path on UNIX.

If the sample application is successfully executed, the program should produce output similar to the following:

```
-Wavecrest Production API-

- Sample Application -

Average: 5.002ns

1-Sigma: 2.612ps

Minimum: 4.992ns

Maximum: 5.009ns
```

Congratulations! You have built your first application using the Wavecrest Production API.

# **1.6 REVIEWING THE SAMPLE APPLICATION**

Let's examine the sample application in more detail.

# 0

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
#include "wavapi.h"
long main ( void )
  ł
0
  STAT tStat;
8
  if ( DtsInitDev ( "dev5", 0, 5 ) )
     goto error;
A
  memset ( &tStat, 0, sizeof ( STAT ) );
  WavDefStat ( &tStat );
6
  if ( WavGetStat ( &tStat ) )
     goto error;
6
  printf ( "-Wavecrest Production API-\n" );
  printf ( "- Sample Application -\n\n" );
  printf ( " Average: %.3lfns\n", tStat.dMean * le9 );
printf ( " 1-Sigma: %.3lfps\n", tStat.dSdev * le12 );
printf ( " Minimum: %.3lfns\n", tStat.dMini * le9 );
printf ( " Maximum: %.3lfns\n", tStat.dMaxi * le9 );
0
  WavClrStat ( &tStat );
  DtsExitDev ( );
  return 0;
error:
  DtsExitDev ( );
  printf ( "DTS207x error\n" );
  return -1;
  }
```

# Step 1: Declare Required Include Files

The Wavecrest Production API utilizes a number of custom structures which are declared in the two supplied include files. When *wavapi.h* is included, *dtsapi.h* is also automatically included.

# Step 2: Allocate Required Structures

Each VISI window has a specific structure and several function calls to facilitate the data acquisition process. These structures contain input information concerning how to acquire the data, and output data as a result of the acquisition. The STAT structure is specific to the Statistics window.

# Step 3: Initialize the DTS207x

DtsInitDev() must be called once at the beginning of your application in order to pass information concerning the GPIB configuration. The initialization values shown may need to be altered if a non-standard configuration is used. The first parameter is used to specify the GPIB device name on UNIX platforms and is ignored on Microsoft Windows. The second parameter is the board number, and the final parameter is the device number. See the documentation concerning this function call for complete details concerning configuration options.

All Production API functions return a non-zero value in the event of an error. These error codes are defined in the supplied include files. A successful call to DtsInitDev() must be accomplished before any other calls to the Wavecrest Production API.

# Step 4: Initialize STAT Window Structure

Before utilizing an allocated Window Structure it must be initialized. This initialization may involve two or more steps.

The first step is to zero out the array using the standard memset() function. This step should only be performed once immediately after the structure is allocated and prior to it being used, as information concerning dynamic memory allocation is subsequently added to the structure.

The second step is to call the function call intended to initialize each of the particular structure parameters to their default values. In this case the WavDefStat() function is called. This step insures that all parameters contain reasonable values.

The final step is to manually modify any parameters from their default values. Great care should be used when manually adjusting parameters to insure that valid values are used.

# Step 5: Perform Data Acquisition

A single call is made to perform the acquisition. Information concerning how to acquire the data is drawn from the STAT structure, and output data as a result of the acquisition is also returned in the STAT structure. If an error occurs during the acquisition a non-zero value is returned. See Appendix A for definition of error codes.

Note that the Wavecrest Production API performs it's own dynamic memory allocation as required. The calling application does not need to concern itself with memory management. However, since dynamic memory allocation information is contained within the structure, the supplied cleanup functions detailed below must be utilized in order to avoid memory leaks.

Acquisition functions may be called repeatedly with the same Window Structure. When doing so the output results contained within the structure are simply overwritten. Any dynamic memory previously allocated is reutilized. Using the same Window Structure over and over again has the desirable attribute of reducing the memory fragmentation that would occur if memory was allocated, freed, and reallocated repeatedly.

# Step 6: Print Results

Results to be printed are drawn directly from the STAT structure. Note that all results are returned in the units of Hertz, Volts, and seconds. Therefore a conversion factor may be required in order to display the results in more appropriate units.

# **Step 7:** Cleanup and Terminate Application

Before terminating the application, the supplied cleanup functions should be called. WavClrStat() frees any dynamic memory which may have been allocated, and clears out the structure. DtsExitDev() closes the GPIB device driver. After this cleanup has been performed the application may terminate normally.

# **1.7** WHERE TO GO FROM HERE

This completes your introduction to the Wavecrest Production API. You should have installed the software, built a basic application, and reviewed it's composition. You should now have a basic understanding of the underlying framework, and be ready to leverage that understanding to further explore the interface. Subsequent chapters present additional detail concerning the structures and functions provided with the Wavecrest Production API.

The Wavecrest Production API provides four high level functions to implement each of the nine standard windows contained in the VISI software. Additional utility routines are provided to initialize parameters, perform a pulse-find operation, and interpret plot arrays. These routines relieve the programmer of many tedious tasks such as GPIB interfacing and memory management.

This chapter provides a general overview of these high level functions. To understand the particular input and output parameters involved in the context of a specific window, refer to the corresponding structures addressed in the following chapter.

# 2.1 STANDARD WINDOW ROUTINES

The four high level functions used to implement each of the nine standard windows contained in the VISI software are declared as follows:

```
void WavDefXxxx ( YYYY *tZzzz );
long WavGetXxxx ( YYYY *tZzzz );
void WavClrXxxx ( YYYY *tZzzz );
long WavCfgXxxx ( YYYY *tZzzz, char *sFile);
```

Where the following substitutions are made:

Window	Xxxx	YYYY	tZzzz
Oscilloscope	Osci	OSCI	t0sci
Histogram	Hist	HIST	tHist
Jitter Analysis	Jitt	JITT	tJitt
Function Analysis	Func	FUNC	tFunc
Time Digitizer	Tdig	TDIG	tTdig
dataCOM	Dcom	DCOM	tDcom
Eye Histogram	Eyeh	EYEH	tEyeh
Time Series	Tser	TSER	tTser
Statistics	Stat	STAT	tStat
Random Data	Rand	RAND	tRand

Note: \_stdcall and DllCall are part of the function definitions in the header file, but can essentially be ignored. They are utilized to provide options when building and using DLL's on Microsoft Windows. They are implemented to allow the same header file to be used for both building the DLL and importing the DLL, insuring consistent declarations.

# 2.1.1 Fill a Window Structure with Default Parameters

void WavDefXxxx ( YYYY \*tZzzz );

Input:

Pointer to Window Structure

Return:

None

tZzzz

Example: STAT tStat; memset ( &tStat, 0, sizeof ( STAT ) ); WavDefStat ( &tStat );

This function is used to fill a Window Structure with default values. Using this function insures that all parameters contain reasonable values. It is recommended that this function is called first even if parameters within the structure will be subsequently adjusted manually.

During data acquisition dynamic memory will be acquired as necessary. This memory is tracked within the window structure. Before calling this function with a newly allocated Window Structure you should zero out the array using the standard memset() function. This step insures that information within the structure concerning dynamic memory allocation is cleaned out prior to using the structure. This step should be performed once and only once on a given structure.

In spite of owning memory, this function may be called repeatedly for a given window structure to reestablish default parameters, as it does not effect any of the parameters pertaining to memory allocation. Use the cleanup function detailed later in the chapter to clear out a structure after it has been used. Failure to use the cleanup function before discarding a window structure will result in a memory leak.

# 2.1.2 Perform a Data Acquisition

long WavGetXxxx ( YYYY \*tZzzz );
Input:
 tZzzz Pointer to Window Structure
Return:
 0 on Success or Error Code on Failure
Example:
 if ( WavGetStat ( &tStat ) )
 goto ErrorHandler;
This function call is used to perform a data acquisiti

This function call is used to perform a data acquisition. Information concerning how to acquire the data is drawn from the Window Structure, and output data as a result of the acquisition is also returned in the Window Structure.

Note that the Wavecrest Production API performs it's own dynamic memory allocation as required. The calling application does not need to concern itself with memory management. However, since dynamic memory allocation information is contained within the structure, the supplied cleanup functions detailed below must be utilized in order to avoid memory leaks.

Acquisition functions may be called repeatedly with the same Window Structure. When doing so the output results contained within the structure are simply overwritten. Any dynamic memory previously allocated is reutilized. Using the same Window Structure over and over again has the desirable attribute of reducing the memory fragmentation that would occur if memory was allocated, freed, and reallocated repeatedly.

# 2.1.3 Clear a Window Structure Prior to Release

void WavClrXxxx ( YYYY \*tZzzz );

Input:

tZzzz

Pointer to Window Structure

Return:

None

Example: if ( WavClrStat ( &tStat ) ) goto ErrorHandler;

Before a Window Structure is released this function should be called. This function frees any dynamic memory that may have been allocated during a previous data acquisition, and then clears out the structure.

# 2.1.4 Load Settings from Visi5 Configuration File

long WavCfgXxxx ( YYYY \*tZzzz, char \*sFile );

Input:

tZzzz	Pointer to Window Structure
sFile	Pointer to File Name

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

STAT tStat; memset ( &tStat, 0, sizeof ( STAT ) ); WavCfgStat ( &tStat, "myconfig.stc" );

This function is used to load a Window Structure with values from a Visi5 configuration file. The ability to do so streamlines the transition from characterization laboratory to production floor. The requirements to zero the Window Structure prior to calling the function are the same as the function to load Default Parameters outlined above.

# 2.2 HIGH LEVEL UTILITY ROUTINES

These high level utility routines are provided to initialize parameters, perform a pulse-find operation, and interpret plot arrays.

# 2.2.1 Get API Version

This function may be called to determine the current API version.

# 2.2.2 Fill a Parameter Structure with Default Values

```
void WavDefParm ( PARM *tParm );

Input:

tParm Pointer to Parameter Structure

Return:

None

Example:

PARM tParm;

WavDefParm ( &tParm );
```

This function is used to fill a Parameter Structure with default values. These parameters could then be downloaded to the DTS207x by calling the DtsSetParm() function. Using this function insures that all parameters contain reasonable values.

This function is used internally by the API itself, but may be called by a user application as well. It would typically be used if an application were calling some of the lower level functions such as DtsRqstAcq(), DtsGetData(), or DtsGetMacr() to implement a user defined algorithm.

It is not necessary to clear a Parameter Structure using the standard memset() function prior to calling this function, as no dynamic memory allocation information is contained within the Parameter Structure.

# 2.2.3 Perform a Pulse-find Operation

long WavPulsFnd ( PARM \*tParm, long lWind );

Input:

mput.				
	tParm	Pointer to Parameter Structure		
	lWind	Window Type, out of the following defined types:		
		WIND_OSCI	WIND_HIST	WIND_JITT
		WIND_FUNC	WIND_TDIG	WIND_DCOM
		WIND_EYEH	WIND_TSER	WIND_STAT
		WIND_RAND		
Return	:			
0 on Success or Error Code on Failure				

Example: STAT tStat; memset ( &tStat, 0, sizeof ( STAT ) ); WavDefStat ( &tStat ); if ( WavPulsFnd ( &tStat.tParm, WIND\_STAT ) ) goto ErrorHandler;

This function is used to perform a pulse-find operation in conjunction with the high level window functions. The pulse-find feature determines minimum and maximum voltage levels for the selected channels and/or arms and sets the voltage thresholds based on the percentage set in the lFndPcnt field in the tParm structure. Although a lower level function DtsPulsFnd() exists, it should not be used in conjunction with the high level window functions.

# 2.2.4 Determine X-value in Plot Structure Based on Index

```
double WavGetXval ( PLOT *tPlot, long lIndx );
Input:
       tPlot
                     Pointer to Plot Structure
       lIndex
                     Index from which to determine X-value,
                     range (0 to tPlot.lNumb-1)
Return:
       X-value
Example:
       JITT tJitt;
       double XvalOfYmax;
       memset ( &tJitt, 0, sizeof ( JITT ) );
       WavDefJitt ( &tJitt );
       if (WavGetJitt ( &tJitt ) )
              goto ErrorHandler;
       XvalOfYmax = WavGetXval ( &tJitt.tFftN,
                      tJitt.tFftN.dYmaxIndx );
```

This function is used to assist a user application in extracting information from a Plot Structure. In order to reduce memory requirements, only Yaxis values are contained within Plot Structures. The Xaxis values can be calculated using this function.

The example above details how the maximum jitter frequency can be determined from an N-clock Jitter Analysis.

# 2.2.5 Determine Y-value in Plot Structure Based on Index

double WavGetYval ( PLOT \*tPlot, long lIndx );

Input:

tPlot	Pointer to Plot Structure
lIndx	Index from which to determine Y-value,
	range (0 to tPlot.lNumb-1)

Return:

```
Y-value
Example:
JITT tJitt;
double Yval;
if ( WavGetJitt ( &tJitt ) )
goto ErrorHandler;
Yval = WavGetYval ( &tJitt.tFftN, 0 );
```

This function is used to assist a user application in extracting information from a Plot Structure. It is primarily included to assist when programming in Microsoft Visual Basic. When programming in C the data array can be accessed directly, so this function adds unnecessary overhead.

# 2.2.6 Determine Tail-fit Y-value for a given X-value

double WavGetTfit ( SIDE \*tSide, double dXval ); Input: tSide Pointer to Tail-fit Side Structure dXval X-value from which to determine Y-value Return: Y-value Example: HIST tHist: double minYval, maxYval; if (tHist.tTfit.lGood) { minYval = WavGetTfit ( &tHist.tTfit.tL, tHist.tTfit.tL.dLoValu ); maxYval = WavGetTfit ( &tHist.tTfit.tL, tHist.tTfit.tL.dHiValu ); }

In order to reduce memory requirements, only coefficients for the idealized curve representing the fitted tails are stored when tail-fits are performed. This function can be used to generate curves representing the idealized curves. This function should only be applied after a tail-fit has been successfully completed, as indicated by the "IGood" flag in the TFIT structure.

The example above details how the two endpoints of the idealized tail-fit curve can be determined for the left tail of a Histogram window.

# 2.2.7 Free all internal memory

```
void WavFreeMem ( void );
Input:
None
Return:
None
Example:
WavFreeMem();
```

This function may be called in order to free any memory that was allocated for internal use. It is not normally necessary to call this function as all memory is freed when the application is terminated. However, if multiple threads of execution are used it may be desirable to call this function whenever an individual thread is terminated. The Wavecrest Production API provides structures to be used in conjunction with the high-level function calls detailed in the previous chapter. Each of these structures is specific to one of the nine standard windows contained in the VISI software. Additional utility structures are defined which are used within these standard window functions.

# 3.1 STANDARD WINDOW STRUCTURES

The following high level structures are used in conjunction with the function calls detailed in the previous chapter. Each is specific to one of the nine standard windows contained in the VISI software.

Please not that many of the structures contain padding fields. These fields are usually called IPad1, IPad2, ... or IPadLoc1, IPadLoc2, ... and are used to insure that variables are placed in the same absolute locations within the structure regardless of compiler padding which varies from system to system. These fields are only used to take up space, and can be safely ignored.

# 3.1.1 Structure used for Oscilloscope window

```
typedef struct
  {
    /* Input parameters */
    PARM tParm;
    FFTS tFfts;
    long lStrt, lStop, lIncr;
    /* Output parameters */
    long lGood;
    PLOT tTime[ POSS_CHNS ];
    PLOT tFreq[ POSS_CHNS ];
    PLOT tComp[ POSS_CHNS ];
    PLOT tComp[ POSS_CHNS ];
    }
    OSCI;
```

#### tParm

Contains acquisition parameters, see end of chapter for details **tFfts** 

FFT window and analysis parameters, see end of chapter for details **IStrt** 

Start time in picosec's (20,000 to 100,000,000), the default is 20000 **IStop** 

Stop time in picosec's (20,000 to 100,000,000), the default is 100000 **IIncr** 

Time increment in picoseconds, the default is 500 and minimum is 10

lGood

Flag indicates valid output data in structure

tTime

Time domain plot of voltage data (Differential voltage on 3000)

#### tFreq

Frequency domain plot of voltage data

# tNorm

Normal channel voltage data (3000 only)

#### tComp

Complimentary channel voltage data (3000 only)

# 3.1.2 Structure used for Histogram window

```
typedef struct
  {
 /* Input parameters */
 PARM
      tParm;
 double dUnitInt;
 long lPassCnt, lErrProb;
 long lTailFit, lForcFit;
 long lMinHits;
        lFndEftv;
 long
 long lMinEftv, lMaxEftv;
 long
        lAutoFix;
 /* Output parameters */
 long lGood, lPad1;
 long
       lNormCnt;
 double dNormMin, dNormMax;
 double dNormAvg, dNormSig;
 long lPad2;
       lAcumCnt;
 long
 double dAcumMin, dAcumMax;
 double dAcumAvg, dAcumSig;
 long lBinNumb, lPad3;
 double dLtSigma[PREVSIGMA];
 double dRtSigma[PREVSIGMA];
 PLOT
        tNorm;
 PLOT
        tAcum;
 PLOT tMaxi;
 PLOT tBath;
 PLOT tEftv;
 TFIT
        tTfit;
 } HIST;
```

# tParm

Contains acquisition parameters, see end of chapter for details

# dUnitInt

Unit Interval to assess Total Jitter, only used if tail-fit is enabled. This value is entered in seconds, the default is 1e-9 seconds (1ns).

# lPassCnt

WavGetHist() can be called repeatedly with the same HIST structure. Data is then accumulated in the **tAcum** and **tMaxi** plot structures. This parameter tracks acquisitions so far, and may be set to 0 to reset. When set to 0 the **tAcum** and **tMaxi** plot structures are flushed. It will be automatically incremented by the WavGetHist() function.

# lErrProb

Error probability for Total Jitter, the valid range is -1 to -16 and the default value is -12. This value is used in conjunction with the bathtub curve after the successful completion of a tail-fit in order to project the value of Total Jitter.

#### lTailFit

If non-zero a tail-fit will be attempted on the **tAcum** data array, the default is to not attempt a tail-fit

#### lForcFit

If non-zero use the force-fit method, the default is disabled

# lMinHits

Minimum hits before attempting a tail-fit in 1000's, the default is 50 **IFndEftv** 

Flag to indicate that an effective jitter calculation is to be attempted

# lMinEftv, lMaxEftv

Defines the range of the bathtub curve which is to be used to calculate an effective jitter value. The defaults for lMaxEftv and lMinEftv are -4 and -12 respectively. The valid range is -1 to -16 and lMinEftv must be less then lMaxEftv.

#### lAutoFix

If true perform a pulsefind as required

#### lGood

Flag indicates valid output data in structure

#### lNormCnt

Number of hits in **tNorm** plot array below

### dNormMin, dNormMax

Minimum and maximum values in tNorm plot array below

# dNormAvg

Average value in **tNorm** plot array below

# dNormSig

1-Sigma value in tNorm plot array below

#### lAcumCnt

Number of hits in tAcum plot array below

# dAcumMin, dAcumMax

Minimum and maximum values in tAcum plot array below

# dAcumAvg

Average value in tAcum plot array below

# dAcumSig

1-Sigma value in **tAcum** plot array below

# lBinNumb, dLtSigma, dRtSigma

These values are all used internally, DO NOT ALTER!

#### tNorm

Histogram of data from latest acquisition only

tAcum

Histogram of data from all acquisitions combined

tMaxi

Histogram with the maximum value obtained for every particular bin across all of the acquisitions performed so far

### tBath

Bathtub curves determined from PDF, only valid when a successful tail-fit has been performed

### tEftv

Effective Bathtub curves if lFndEftv is set and a valid fit is obtained **tTfit** 

Structure containing tail-fit info, only valid when a successful tail-fit has been performed. See end of chapter for additional details

# 3.1.3 Structure used for Jitter Analysis window

#### typedef struct { /\* Input parameters \*/ PARM tParm; FFTS tFfts; long lIncStop; long lMaxStop; long lAutoFix; long lPad1; double dCornFrq; double dRjpjFmn; double dRjpjFmx; long lFftAvgs; /\* Output parameters \*/ long lGood; double dWndFact1Clk; double dWndFactNClk; PLOT tSigm; PLOT tPeak; PLOT tFft1; double dPjit1Clk; double dRjit1Clk; long \*lPeakData1Clk; lPeakNumb1Clk; lonq long lPeakRsvd1Clk; long lPad2; PLOT tfftN; double dPjit1Clk; double dRjit1Clk; long \*lPeakData1Clk; long lPeakNumblClk; long lPeakRsvd1Clk; long lPad3; double dFreq; } JITT;

# tParm

Contains acquisition parameters, see end of chapter for details

# tFfts

FFT window and analysis parameters, see end of chapter for details

### lIncStop

Increase stop count between acquisitions in increments of this value, the default is 1. Stop counts range from **tParm.lStopCnt** to **lMaxStop** 

#### lMaxStop

Maximum stop count to collect data for, the default is 256. The stop count will be incremented from the value in **tParm.lStopCnt** to this.

#### lAutoFix

If true calculate the above parameters based on the following corner frequency plus information measured on the live data signal

# dCornFrq

Corner Frequency for RJ+PJ in Hertz. This value is used in conjunction with the Bit Rate and pattern to determine the maximum stop count to be used to acquire RJ+PJ data. A lower value increase acquisition time. The default value is 637e3.

#### dRjpjFmn

Minimum integration limit for RJ+PJ in Hertz, a negative value disables filter. This filter is disabled by default.

#### dRjpjFmx

Maximum integration limit for RJ+PJ in Hertz, a negative value disables filter. This filter is disabled by default.

# lFftAvgs

This variable is raised to the power of 2 to determine the number of acquisitions to use in order to average the FFT output. The default is a value of 0 which uses a single acquisition, and hence no averaging.

#### lGood

Flag indicates valid output data in structure

#### dWndFact1Clk, dWndFactNClk

These values are all used internally, DO NOT ALTER!

# tSigm

Contains the 1-Sigma plot array

# tPeak

Contains the (max - min) plot array

# tFft1

Frequency plot data on 1-clock basis

# dPjit1Clk

Periodic jitter calculated on 1-clk basis

#### dRjit1Clk

Random jitter calculated on 1-clk basis

### lPeakData1Clk

Tracks detected spikes in RJ+PJ data. This structure is not normally directly access by an application program.

#### lPeakNumb1Clk

Count of detected spikes, indicates the number of values in the **IPeakData1Clk** array.

#### lPeakRsvd1Clk

Used to track memory allocation for IPeakData1Clk values

### tFftN

Frequency plot data on N-clock basis

#### dPjitNClk

Periodic jitter calculated on N-clk basis

#### dRjitNClk

Random jitter calculated on N-clk basis

#### **lPeakDataNClk**

Tracks detected spikes in RJ+PJ data. This structure is not normally directly access by an application program.

### **lPeakNumbNClk**

Count of detected spikes, indicates the number of values in the

IPeakDataNClk array.

#### lPeakRsvdNClk

Used to track memory allocation for IPeakDataNClk values

#### dFreq

Carrier frequency

# 3.1.4 Structure used for Function Analysis window

```
typedef struct
```

```
ł
/* Input parameters */
PARM tParm;
FFTS
       tFfts;
long lIncStrt;
long lMaxStrt;
long lAnlMode;
long lAutoFix;
     lSpanCnt;
lDataPts;
long
lonq
/* Output parameters */
long lGood, lPad1;
PLOT
      tTime;
PLOT
      tDerv;
PLOT tfftT;
PLOT tfftD;
PLOT
       tSigm;
     tPeak;
PLOT
PLOT tMini;
PLOT tMaxi;
double dSigmAvg;
double dSigmMin;
double dSigmMax;
double dTimePos;
double dTimeNeg;
long lTimePosLoc;
long
       lTimeNeqLoc;
double dDervPos;
double dDervNeq;
       lDervPosLoc;
long
      lDervNegLoc;
long
double dFreq;
} FUNC;
```

#### tParm

Contains acquisition parameters, see end of chapter for details. Note that external Arm1 is enabled by default.

# tFfts

FFT window and analysis parameters, see end of chapter for details

# lIncStrt

Increase start count by this value, the default is 1. Data is collected for start counts ranging from **tParm.lStrtCnt** to **lMaxStrt**.

#### lMaxStrt

Maximum start count to collect data for, the default is 250. The start count will be incremented from the value in **tParm.lStrtCnt** to this.

## lAnlMode

Relationship of start and stop counts, use one of:

ANL_FNC_FIRST	Arm start first
ANL_FNC_PLUS1	Stop = Start + 1
ANL_FNC_START	Stop = Start

#### lAutoFix

If true calculate the above parameters based on **ISpanCnt** and **IDataPts** plus information measured on the live data signal

#### lSpanCnt

The number of edges across which to measure

# **IDataPts**

The total data points within span to measure

### lGood

Flag indicates valid output data in structure

#### tTime

Time domain plot data

#### tDerv

1st derivative of time domain plot data

#### tFftT

Frequency domain plot data

#### tFftD

Frequency domain of 1st derivative plot data

# tSigm

Contains the 1-Sigma plot array

#### tPeak

Contains the (max - min) plot array

# tMini

Contains the Minimum plot array

#### tMaxi

Contains the Maximum plot array

#### dSigmAvg

Average 1-Sigma value

#### dSigmMin

Minimum 1-Sigma value

#### dSigmMax

Maximum 1-Sigma value

# dTimePos

Maximum increase between time values

dTimeNeg Maximum decrease between time values ITimePosLoc Index to maximum increase between values ITimeNegLoc Index to maximum decrease between values dDervPos Maximum increase between 1st derivative values dDervNeg Maximum decrease between 1st derivative values IDervPosLoc Index to maximum increase between 1st derivative values IDervNegLoc Index to maximum decrease between 1st derivative values

#### dFreq

Carrier frequency

# 3.1.5 Structure used for Time Digitizer window

```
typedef struct
```

```
ł
/* Input parameters */
PARM tParm;
FFTS
       tFfts;
long lAutoFix;
long lPad1;
double dMaxFreq;
long lFftAvgs;
/* Output parameters */
long lGood;
PLOT
       tTime;
PLOT tStmp;
PLOT tFft1;
PLOT tfftN;
double dCarFreq;
double dSmpRate;
double dFftNdBc;
} TDIG;
```

#### tParm

Contains acquisition parameters, see end of chapter for details **IStampTm** is enabled for this window by default

#### tFfts

FFT window and analysis parameters, see end of chapter for details

#### lAutoFix

If true calculate the above parameters based on **dMaxFreq** plus information measured on the live data signal

#### dMaxFreq

Maximum Frequency information that is desired

# lFftAvgs

This variable is raised to the power of 2 to determine the number of acquisitions to use in order to average the FFT output. The default is a value of 0 which uses a single acquisition, and hence no averaging.

# lGood

Flag indicates valid output data in structure

# tTime

Time domain plot data

# tStmp

Time stamp data array, not normally plotted

### tFft1

Frequency plot data on 1-clock basis

# tFftN

Frequency plot data on N-clock basis

# dCarFreq

Carrier frequency

# dSmpRate

Sampling rate

# dFftNdBc

dBc assessed on 1-clock FFT data

# 3.1.6 Structures used for dataCOM window

```
typedef struct
  /* Input parameters */
  PARM
        tParm;
  char
         sPtnName[ 128 ];
  long
         lAcqMode, lRndMode;
  long
         lQckMode, lIntMode;
  long
         lGetRate, lTailFit;
  long
         lErrProb, lPassCnt;
  long
         lFftAvgs;
         lPad1;
  long
  SPEC
         tRateInf, tDdjtInf, tRjpjInf;
  double dDdjtLpf, dDdjtHpf;
  double dRjpjFmn, dRjpjFmx;
  double dBitRate, dCornFrq;
         lHeadOff;
  long
         lFndEftv;
  long
         lMinEftv, lMaxEftv;
  long
  long
          lFiltEnb;
  /* Output parameters */
         lGood;
  long
  PATN
          tPatn;
  double dWndFact;
         lMaxStop, lCmpMode, lPosRoll, lNegRoll;
  long
         lAdjustPW[ 2 ];
  long
        *tDdjtData;
  DDJT
  long
         lDdjtRsvd;
  double *dMeasData[ 2 ];
  long
         lMeasRsvd[ 2 ];
  double *dRjpjData[ 4 ];
         lRjpjRsvd[ 4 ];
  lonq
  double *dTfitData[ 4 ];
  lonq
         lTfitRsvd[ 4 ];
         *lPeakData[ 4 ];
  long
  long
         lPeakNumb[ 4 ], lPeakRsvd[ 4 ];
  double *dFreqData[ 4 ];
  long
         lFreqRsvd[ 4 ];
  double *dTailData[ 4 ];
         lTailRsvd[ 4 ];
  long
         lHits, lPad2;
  long
  double dDdjt, dRang;
  double dRjit[ 4 ], dPjit[ 4 ], dTjit[ 4 ];
  double dEftvLtDj[ 4 ], dEftvLtRj[ 4 ];
  double dEftvRtDj[ 4 ], dEftvRtRj[ 4 ];
         tRiseHist, tFallHist;
  PLOT
          tRiseMeas, tFallMeas;
  PLOT
         tNormDdjt;
  PLOT
  PLOT
         tHipfDdjt, tLopfDdjt;
  PLOT
         tBathPlot[ 4 ];
  PLOT
         tEftvPlot[ 4 ];
  PLOT
         tSigmNorm[ 4 ], tSigmTail[ 4 ];
          tFreqNorm[ 4 ], tFreqTail[ 4 ];
  PLOT
  } DCOM;
```

#### tParm

Contains acquisition parameters, see end of chapter for details

#### sPtnName

Name of pattern file to be used, the file must exist or an error will be returned. The first time WavGetDcom() is called the pattern is loaded into **tPatn** which is the internal representation of the pattern. If the pattern file is to be changed, WavClrDcom() should be called first to clear the internal representation so that the new pattern will be loaded. The default file is k285.ptn

#### lAcqMode

Mask defining modes for RJ+PJ acquire, set bits as follows: Bit3: PW- Bit2: PW+ Bit1: Per- Bit0: Per+ The default mode is to acquire Per+ only

The default mode is to acquire Per+ only.

# lRndMode

Non-zero value enables random mode, valid when auto-arming only. This is not enabled by default.

#### lQckMode

Non-zero value enables quick mode, valid with external arm only. When enabled a sparse set is obtained for RJ+PJ analysis, which significantly reduces acquisition time. High frequency performance is reduced when this option is enabled. This is not enabled by default.

### lIntMode

Interpolation mode for RJ+PJ analysis, non-zero value selects linear interpolation, otherwise cubic interpolation is used. Cubic interpolation is the default mode.

# lGetRate

If non-zero Bit Rate will be measured, otherwise appropriate value must be supplied in **dBitRate** variable. The default is to measure the Bit Rate. This mode is NOT valid when using random mode, the value must be supplied.

# lTailFit

If non-zero a tail-fit will be tried, valid with external arm only. Not enabled by default.

#### lErrProb

Error probability for Total Jitter, the valid range is -1 to -16 and the default value is -12. This value is used in conjunction with the bathtub curve after the successful completion of a tail-fit in order to project the value of Total Jitter.

#### lPassCnt

Acquisitions so far, set to 0 to reset

#### lFftAvgs

This variable is raised to the power of 2 to determine the number of acquisitions to use in order to average the FFT output. The default is a value of 0 which uses a single acquisition, and hence no averaging.

#### tRateInf

Parameters to acquire Bit Rate, see SPEC structure later in chapter **tDdjtInf** 

Parameters to acquire DCD+DDJ, see SPEC structure later in chapter

# tRjpjInf

Parameters to acquire RJ+PJ, see SPEC structure later in chapter

# dDdjtLpf

Low pass DCD+DDJ filter frequency in Hertz, negative value disables filter. This is only valid when external arming is enabled. This filter is disabled by default.

# dDdjtHpf

High pass DCD+DDJ filter frequency in Hertz, a negative value disables filter. This is only valid when external arming is enabled. This filter is disabled by default.

#### dRjpjFmn

Minimum integration limit for RJ+PJ in Hertz, a negative value disables filter. This filter is disabled by default.

# dRjpjFmx

Maximum integration limit for RJ+PJ in Hertz, a negative value disables filter. This filter is disabled by default.

#### dBitRate

Bit Rate, may be specified or measured. If **IGetRate** is non-zero this value is measured and placed in this field. If **IGetRate** is zero an appropriate value must be placed in the variable. This value nust be supplied when Random mode is being used.

### dCornFrq

Corner Frequency for RJ+PJ in Hertz. This value is used in conjunction with the Bit Rate and pattern to determine the maximum stop count to be used to acquire RJ+PJ data. A lower value increase acquisition time. The default value is 637e3.

# lHeadOff

Header offset, valid when external arming only. This offset value can be used to skip past header information and into the repeating data pattern stream. This can be useful when analyzing data from disk drives when the pattern marker may be synchronized with the start of frame data. The default value is 0.

#### lFndEftv

Flag to indicate that an effective jitter calculation is to be attempted **IMinEftv**, **IMaxEftv** 

Defines the range of the bathtub curve which is to be used to calculate an effective jitter value. The defaults for IMaxEftv and IMinEftv are -4 and -12 respectively. The valid range is -1 to -16 and IMinEftv must be less then IMaxEftv.

#### lFiltEnb

Flag to enable IDLE character insertion filter. When enabled any edge measurements that are not within +/-0.5 UI will be discarded.

# lGood

Flag indicates valid output data in structure

# tPatn

Internal representation of pattern, the internal details of this structure are not important from an application standpoint. The first time WavGetDcom() is called the pattern is loaded into **tPatn** which is used internally for all subsequent acquisition and analysis.

#### dWndFact, lMaxStop, lCmpMode, lPosRoll, lNegRoll, lAdjustPW

These values are all used internally, DO NOT ALTER!

# tDdjtData

Raw DCD+DDJ measurements, see DDJT structure later in chapter for additional details, this structure is not normally directly access by an application program.

# lDdjtRsvd

Used to track memory allocation for tDdjtData structures

#### dMeasData

Raw all-measurements histogram data, only valid when auto-arming is used. This structure is not normally directly access by an application program.

#### lMeasRsvd

Used to track memory allocation for **dMeasData** values

#### dRjpjData

Raw variance data, this structure is not normally directly access by an application program.

# lRjpjRsvd

Used to track memory allocation for **dRjpjData** values

#### dTfitData

Raw tail-fit data if tail-fit data is enabled and successful, as indicated by the **IGood** variable in the **tTfit** structure being non-zero. This structure is not normally directly access by an application program.

#### lTfitRsvd

Used to track memory allocation for dTfitData values

# lPeakData

Tracks detected spikes in RJ+PJ data. This structure is not normally directly access by an application program.

#### lPeakNumb

Count of detected spikes, indicates the number of values in the **IPeakData** array.

#### lPeakRsvd

Used to track memory allocation for **IPeakData** values

#### dFreqData

Raw FFT output when averaging is enabled. This structure is not normally directly access by an application program.

# lFreqRsvd

Used to track memory allocation for dFreqData values

#### dTailData

Raw tail-fit FFT output when tail-fit and averaging are both enabled. This structure is not normally directly access by an application program.

#### lTailRsvd

Used to track memory allocation for dTailData values

#### dHits

Total samples taken to calculate DDJT, RJ, and PJ values combined. Gives an indication of the actual data to support the calculated total jitter number.

# dDdjt

DCD+DDJ jitter number in seconds.

# dRang

Pk-Pk of all-measurements histogram, valid when auto-arming only.

# dRjit

Random jitter number in seconds, for each of the enabled modes. **dPjit** 

Periodic jitter number in seconds, for each of the enabled modes. **dTjit** 

Total jitter number in seconds, for each of the enabled modes.

# dEftvLtDj, dEftvLtRj, dEftvRtDj, dEftvRtRj

Effective jitter in seconds for each of the enabled modes is stored in this variables if calculated. In order to calculate the effective jitter **IFndEftv** must contain a non-zero value. Since the effective jitter is calculated by optimizing a curve-fit a result is not guaranteed. If the curve-fit fails a negative value will be returned in these variables.

# tRiseHist

DCD+DDJ histogram of rising edges

# tFallHist

DCD+DDJ histogram of falling edges

# tRiseMeas

Rising all-measurements histogram, valid when auto-arming only.

# tFallMeas

Falling all-measurements histogram, valid when auto-arming only. **tNormDdit** 

DCD+DDJvsUI plot, valid when external arming is enabled only.

# tHipfDdjt

High Pass Filtered DCD+DDJvsUI plot, valid when external arming is enabled only. This is only calculated when **dDdjtHpf** is a nonnegative number. When calculated, the **dDdjt** value is adjusted based on this filter being applied.

# tLopfDdjt

Low Pass filtered DCD+DDJvsUI plot, valid when external arming is enabled only. This is only calculated when **dDdjtHpf** is a nonnegative number.

# tBathPlot

Bathtub plots, one for each of the modes enabled in **lAcqMode tEftvPlot** 

Effective Bathtub curves if **IFndEftv** is set and a valid fit is obtained **tSigmNorm** 

1-Sigma plots, one for each of the modes enabled in **IAcqMode tSigmTail** 

1-Sigma tail-fits, only valid if tail-fit is enabled. One for each of the modes enabled in **lAcqMode** 

# tFreqNorm

Frequency plots, one for each of the modes enabled in **lAcqMode tFreqTail** 

Tail-fit FFT plots, only valid if tail-fit is enabled. One for each of the modes enabled in **lAcqMode** 

typedef struct
 {
 long lSampCnt;
 long lPad1;
 double dMaxSerr;
 long lPtnReps;
 long lPad2;
 } SPEC;

# lSampCnt

Sample size to use when acquiring data, the default value is 100 **dMaxSerr** 

Value of standard error which is tolerated, used to identify wrong pattern or other setup error. The default value is 0.5

# **lPtnReps**

Patterns to sample across, the default values are 10 for **tRateInf** and 1 for **tDdjtInf** and **tRjpjInf** 

```
typedef struct
  {
   double dMean;
   double dVars;
   double dMini;
   double dMaxi;
   double dDdjt;
   double dFilt;
   long lNumb;
   long lPad1;
   } DDJT;
```

# dMean

Average value for this span

# dVars

Variance value for this span

# dMini

Minimum value for this span

# dMaxi

Maximum value for this span

# dDdjt

Static displacement for this span (UI)

# dFilt

DDJT after HPF is applied (UI)

# lNumb

Number of measures in this span

### 3.1.7 Structure used for Eye Histogram window

```
typedef struct
 /* Input parameters */
 PARM tParm;
        lPassCnt, lRefEdge;
 long
 long lErrProb;
 long lClokSmp, lFiltSmp;
 long lTailFit, lForcFit;
 long lMinHits;
 long lFndEftv;
 long lMinEftv, lMaxEftv;
        lPad1;
 long
 double dMinSpan;
 /* Output parameters */
 long lGood;
 long lRiseCnt, lFallCnt;
 long lPad2;
 double dDataMin, dDataMax;
 double dDataSig, dAvgSkew;
 double dUnitInt;
 long lUnitOff;
 long lPad3;
 double dRiseMin, dRiseMax;
 double dFallMin, dFallMax;
 long lRiseBin, lFallBin;
 double dLtSigma[PREVSIGMA];
 double dRtSigma[PREVSIGMA];
 long lSpanCnt;
 long lPad4;
 PLOT tRise, tFall;
 PLOT tRiseProb, tFallProb;
 PLOT tBath;
 TFIT tTfit;
 } EYEH;
```

#### tParm

Contains acquisition parameters, see end of chapter for details

### lPassCnt

WavGetEyeh() can be called repeatedly with the same EYEH structure. Data is then accumulated in the plot structures. This parameter tracks acquisitions so far, and may be set to 0 to reset. When set to 0 the plot structures are flushed. It will be automatically incremented by the WavGetEyeh() function.

#### lRefEdge

Clock edge which all data is in reference to, valid values are: EDGE\_FALL or EDGE\_RISE

The default value is EDGE\_RISE

#### lErrProb

Error probability for Total Jitter, the valid range is -1 to -16 and the default value is -12. This value is used in conjunction with the bathtub curve after the successful completion of a tail-fit in order to project the value of Total Jitter.

#### lClokSmp

Sample size while acquiring clock rate, the default value is 10000

### lFltSmp

Sample size when finding filter limits, the default value is 1000 **ITailFit** 

If non-zero a tail-fit will be tried, the default is disabled

## lForcFit

If non-zero use the force-fit method, the default is disabled

#### lMinHits

Minimum hits before attempting a tail-fit in 1000's, the default is 50 **IFndEftv** 

Flag to indicate that an effective jitter calculation is to be attempted **IMinEftv**, **IMaxEftv** 

Defines the range of the bathtub curve which is to be used to calculate an effective jitter value. The defaults for lMaxEftv and lMinEftv are -4 and -12 respectively. The valid range is -1 to -16 and lMinEftv must be less then lMaxEftv.

#### dMinSpan

Minimum span between clock and data edges in seconds, can be used to match trigger delay to correlate with oscilloscopes.

#### lGood

Flag indicates valid output data in structure

#### lRiseCnt

Number of hits in rising edge data

#### lFallCnt

Number of hits in falling edge data

### dDataMin

Minimum value relative to clock edge

#### dDataMax

Maximum value relative to clock edge

### dDataSig

1-Sigma of all values relative to clock

### dAvgSkew

Average of all values relative to clock

#### dUnitInt

Measured Unit Interval, this is based on the clock

#### lUnitOff, dRiseMin, dRiseMax, dFallMin, dFallMax, lRiseBin,

#### lFallBin, dLtSigma, dRtSigma, lSpanCnt

These values are all used internally, DO NOT ALTER!

#### tRise

Histogram of rising edge data

#### tFall

Histogram of falling edge data

#### tRiseProb

Probability Histogram of rising edge data

#### tFallProb

Probability Histogram of falling edge data

#### tBath

Bathtub curves determined from PDF

tEftv

Effective Bathtub curves if **IFndEftv** is set and a valid fit is obtained

#### tTfit

Structure containing tail-fit info, see end of chapter for details

# 3.1.8 Structure used for Time Series window

```
typedef struct
 /* Input parameters */
 PARM tParm;
 long lNumb;
 long lPad1;
 double dSpan;
 long lAutoFix;
 /* Output parameters */
 long lGood;
 double dYstd;
 double dAvar;
 double dSumm;
 double dTyme;
       tMean;
 PLOT
 PLOT tMini;
 PLOT tMaxi;
 PLOT tTime;
 PLOT tSdev;
 PLOT tPeak;
 } TSER;
```

#### tParm

Contains acquisition parameters, see end of chapter for details

#### lNumb

WavGetTser() can be called repeatedly with the same TSER structure. Data is then accumulated in the plot structures. This parameter tracks acquisitions so far, and may be set to 0 to reset. When set to 0 the plot structures are flushed. This parameter is automatically incremented by the WavGetTser() function.

#### dSpan

Time delay between measurements

#### lAutoFix

If true perform a pulsefind as required

#### lGood

Flag indicates valid output data in structure

dYstd

1-Sigma value calculated on all data

### dAvar

Allan variance calculation

#### dSumm, dTyme

These values are all used internally, DO NOT ALTER!

#### tMean

Contains the average plot array

tMini

Contains the minimum plot array

tMaxi

Contains the maximum plot array

tTime

Contains the time at which measurements were taken

tSdev

Contains the 1-Sigma plot array

tPeak

Contains the (max - min) plot array

# 3.1.9 Structure used for Statistics window

```
typedef struct
  {
 /* Input parameters */
 PARM tParm;
 long lPfnd;
 long lAutoFix;
 /* Output parameters */
 long lGood, lPad1;
 double dMean;
 double dMaxi;
 double dMini;
 double dSdev;
 double dDuty;
 double dFreq;
 double dVmin[ 2 ];
 double dVmax[ 2 ];
  } STAT;
```

#### tParm

Contains acquisition parameters, see end of chapter for details **tPfnd** 

If non-zero a pulse-find is performed before each measure, the default is to not perform a pulse-find

#### lAutoFix

If true perform a pulsefind as required

#### lGood

Flag indicates valid output data in structure

#### dMean

Contains the returned average value

### dMaxi

Contains the returned maximum value

#### dMini

Contains the returned minimum value

#### dSdev

Contains the returned 1-Sigma value

#### dDuty

Contains the returned duty cycle, this is not measured if a TPD measurement is being performed

dFreq

Contains the frequency of the signal being measured

dVmin

Min voltage returned from last pulse-find

#### dVmax

Max voltage returned from last pulse-find

# 3.1.10 Structure used for Random Data window

typedef struct

```
{
  /* Input parameters */
  long lCoun;
  long lPcnt;
  DCOM tDcom;
  /* Output parameters */
  long lGood, lPadl;
  double dDjit;
  double dRjit;
  double dTjit;
  PLOT tSigmTail;
  } RAND;
```

### lCoun

Count of tail-fits to be performed, use one of the following:

		,
]	RAND_AUTO	Continue to perform tailfits until RJ
		is within some percentage of the
		previous pass, see <b>lPcnt</b> below
]	RAND_FIT3	Perform 3 tailfits
]	RAND_FIT5	Perform 5 tailfits
]	RAND_FIT9	Perform 9 tailfits
]	RAND_FIT17	Perform 17 tailfits

### lPcnt

Auto-mode succeed percentage, if selected

RJ within 5% of previous pass
RJ within 10% of previous pass
RJ within 25% of previous pass
RJ within 50% of previous pass

#### tDcom

Random data window uses a DCOM structure to hold most of the input and output parameters, see the dataCOM section for detailed information

#### lGood

Flag indicates valid output data in structure

#### dDjit, dRjit, dTjit

Deterministic, random, and total jitter values

#### tSigmTail

1-Sigma plot based on tail-fit results

# **3.2 UTILITY STRUCTURES**

The following utility structures are used in the standard window functions:

### 3.2.1 Basic structure used to return plot data

```
typedef struct
{
  double *dData;
  long lNumb, lRsvd, lPad1;
  double dXmin, dXmax;
  double dYavg, dYstd;
  long lXminIndx;
  long lXmaxIndx;
  long lYminIndx;
  long lYminIndx;
  double dAltXmin, dAltXmax;
  } PLOT;
```

#### dData

Pointer to y-axis data array

#### lNumb

Number of valid data points

#### lRsvd

Used to track memory allocation

### dXmin, dXmax

X-axis values for ends of data array

#### dYmin, dYmax

Min & Max values in Y-axis data array

#### dYavg, dYstd

Average & 1-Sigma values for data array

#### IXminIndx, IXmaxIndx

Used by histograms to indicate location of first and last valid bins

#### lYminIndx, lYmaxIndx

Indicates the location where the Min & Max values occur in data array **dAltXmin, dAltXmax** 

Alternate X-axis values, if applicable. For graphs where it makes sense an alternate X-axis unit may be calculated. Examples include time or index on a Jitter Analysis 1-sigma plot, or unit interval or time on a dataCOM bathtub plot. If no applicable alternate unit is defined these variables will both be set to zero.

# 3.2.2 Structure used for parameters of one side of a tail-fit

```
typedef struct
{
   double dCoef[ 3 ];
   double dDjit;
   double dRjit;
   double dChsq;
   double dLoValu, dHiValu;
   double dMuValu;
   double dEftvDj, dEftvRj;
   } SIDE;
```

#### dCoef

Used by WavGetTfit() to generate idealized tail-fit curves

#### dDjit

Deterministic jitter, this side only

#### dRjit

Random jitter, this side only

#### dChsq

ChiSquare indicator, goodness of fit

#### dLoValu, dHiValu

dXval range over which tail was fitted

#### dMuValu

Projected dXval where mu was determined

#### dEftvDj, dEftvRj

Holds the effective jitter values if calculated. To calculate the effective jitter **lFndEftv** must contain a non-zero value. Since the effective jitter is calculated by optimizing a curve-fit a result is not guaranteed. If the curve-fit fails a negative value will be returned in these variables.

# 3.2.3 Structure used to hold tail-fit results for histograms

```
typedef struct
```

```
{
long lGood, lPad1;
SIDE tL, tR;
double dDjit;
double dRjit;
double dTjit;
} TFIT;
```

#### lGood

Flag to indicate successful tail-fit

tL, tR

Structures containing individual left & right tail-fit data

### dDjit

Deterministic jitter, from both sides

#### dRjit

Random jitter, average from both sides

#### dTjit

Total jitter, calculated from bathtub

# 3.2.4 Structure used for Acquisition Parameters

typedef struct

 Aberer Pi	LIUCL								
{						//	Defaults as	follows	5:
long	lFuncNum;					//	FUNC_PER		
long	lChanNum;					//			
long	lStrtCnt;					//			
long	lStopCnt;					//	2		
long	lSampCnt;					//	300		
long	lPadLoc1;								
double	dStrtVlt;					//	0.0		
double	dStopVlt;					//	0.0		
long	lStrtArm;					11	1		
long	lStopArm;					11	1		
long	lOscTrig;					11	CHAN1		
long	lOscEdge;					11	EDGE_RISE		
long	lFiltEnb;					//	0		
long	lPadLoc2;								
double	dFiltMin;					//	-2.49		
double	dFiltMax;					11	2.49		
long	lAutoArm;					//	ARM_STOP		
long	lArm1Edg;					//	1		
long	lArm2Edg;					11	1		
long	lPadLoc3;								
double	dArm1Vlt;					//	0.0		
double	dArm2Vlt;					//	0.0		
long	lArm2Gat;					11	0		
long	lCmdFlag;					//	0		
long	lFndMode;					//	PFND_PEAK		
long	lFndPcnt;					//	PCNT_5050		
long	lFndTrg1;					//			
long	lFndTrg2;					//			
long	lFndTime[	2	][	б	];	//	{ { 20000,	30000,	100,
						//	20000,	30000,	100, },
						//	{ 20000,	30000,	100,
						11	20000,	30000,	100 } }
long	lTimeOut;					11	2		
long	lArmMove;					11	0		
long	lDsmChan[	2	];			//	MIN_BANK1_CH	ÍN	
						//	MIN_BANK2_CH	ÍN	
} PARM;									

} PARM;

### lFuncNum

Function to measure, use any of the follow:

2-Channel:	FUNC_TPD_PP	TPD +/+
	FUNC_TPD_MM	TPD -/-
	FUNC_TPD_PM	TPD +/-
	FUNC_TPD_MP	TPD -/+
1-Channel:	FUNC_TT_P	Rising edge time
	FUNC_TT_M	Falling edge time
	FUNC_PW_P	Positive pulse width
	FUNC_PW_M	Negative pulse width
	FUNC_PER	Period
	FUNC_FREQ	Frequency

#### lChanNum

Channel to measure, the minimum value is 1, the maximum can be determined by calling DtsMaxChan() This value is normally ignored on a TPD measurement for DTS207X instruments since there are only two channels and Chan1 is the implicit Start Channel and Chan2 is the implicit Stop Channel. However, on SIA3000 there are more channels available, so the LOWORD defines the Start Channel, and the HIWORD defines the Stop Channel for TPD measurements.

#### lStrtCnt

Channel start count, the minimum value is 1, the maximum can be determined by calling DtsMaxCnts()

#### lStopCnt

Channel stop count, the minimum value is 1, the maximum can be determined by calling DtsMaxCnts()

#### lSampCnt

Sample size, the minimum value is 1, the maximum can be determined by calling DtsMaxVals()

#### lStrtVlt

Start voltage sets the reference voltage used to initiate the time measurement. The valid range is +/-1.1 volts

#### lStopVlt

Stop voltage sets the reference voltage used to terminate the time measurement. The valid range is  $\pm -1.1$  volts

#### lStrtArm

Arm to use for start event, only used if **lAutoArm** is set to ARM\_EXTRN, the minimum value is 1

#### lStopArm

Arm to use for stop event, only used if **lAutoArm** is set to ARM\_EXTRN, the minimum value is 1

#### lOscTrig

Channel to use for oscilloscope trigger, use any of the follow: TRIG\_ARM1, TRIG\_ARM2 TRIG\_CHN1, TRIG\_CHN2

#### lOscEdge

Edge to use to trigger oscilloscope, use any of the following: EDGE\_FALL, EDGE\_RISE

#### lFiltEnb

Filter enable, any non-zero value enables filters

#### dFiltMin

Filter minimum in seconds, only used if **IFiltEnb** is non-zero valid range is +/-2.49 seconds

#### dFiltMax

Filter maximum in seconds, only used if **IFiltEnb** is non-zero valid range is +/-2.49 seconds

#### lAutoArm

Auto arm enable and mode, use any of the following:

ARM	EXTRN
ARM	START
ARM	STOP
ARM	FIRST

Arm using one of the external arms
Auto-arm on next start event
Auto-arm on next stop event
Auto-arm insuring start before stop
Note: this mode is frequency limited

### lArm1Edg

Arm1 edge to use, only used if **lAutoArm** is set to ARM\_EXTRN may be either EDGE\_FALL or EDGE\_RISE

#### lArm2Edg

Arm2 edge to use, only used if **lAutoArm** is set to ARM\_EXTRN may be either EDGE\_FALL or EDGE\_RISE

### dArm1Vlt

Arm1 voltage, the valid range is +/-1.1 volts only used if **lAutoArm** is set to ARM\_EXTRN

#### dArm2Vlt

Arm2 voltage, the valid range is +/-1.1 volts only used if **lAutoArm** is set to ARM EXTRN

#### lArm2Gat

Enable Arm2 gating, any non-zero value enables gating When gating is enabled Arm2 edge and reference voltages are associated with gating.

### ICmdFlag (previously defined as IStampTm)

For previous versions this was called lStampTm and defined:

Any non-zero value enables elapsed time stamping. To perform time stamping a signal must be present on Arm2, the nature of the signal is not important - the calibration signal is fine. A successful pulse-find must have also been performed on Arm2. When time stamping is enabled an array of time data can be downloaded after a sample is acquired using the DtsGetTime() function. Each value in this array represents the time at which it's sample was taken. When time stamping is enabled the maximum value of **ISampCnt** is one half its normal value.

Starting with this release this variable has been renamed to ICmdFlag and it now is defined as a bitfield to enable a number of special features. At this time the only documented feature is time stamping which is enabled by setting bit0 to 1. All other bits are reserved and should be set to 0. On the SIA3000 there is no need to attach a signal to Arm2 in order to initialize the time stamping hardware.

#### lFndMode

Pulse find mode, may be one of the following:

PFND_FLAT	Use flat algorithm for pulse-find calculation
PFND_PEAK	Use peak value for pulse-find calculation
PFND_STRB	Use strobing method for pulse-find calc.

#### lFndPcnt

Pulse find percentage, may be one of the following:

1 0 /	5
PCNT_5050	Use 50/50 level for pulse-find calculation
PCNT_1090	Use 10/90 level for pulse-find calculation
PCNT_9010	Use 90/10 level for pulse-find calculation
PCNT_USER	Do NOT perform pulse-find, manual mode
	When this mode is selected valid voltages
	must be loaded in the <b>IStrtVlt</b> , <b>IStopVlt</b> ,
	lArmVlt1, and lArmVlt2 parameters
PCNT_2080	Use 20/80 level for pulse-find calculation
PCNT_8020	Use 80/20 level for pulse-find calculation

#### lFndTrg1

Ch1 StrobePF trigger, only valid if **lFndMode** is PFND\_STRB May be TRIG\_ARM1, TRIG\_ARM2 TRIG\_CHN1, or TRIG\_CHN2

#### lFndTrg2

Ch2 StrobePF trigger, only valid if **IFndMode** is PFND\_STRB May be TRIG\_ARM1, TRIG\_ARM2 TRIG\_CHN1, or TRIG\_CHN2

### lFndTime

StrobePF times, only valid if **IFndMode** is PFND\_STRB Contains data pertaining to time range over which to perform a strobing pulse-find, all values are in picoseconds. Values are contained in a two dimensional array, the first index specifies which channel the data pertains to, the second index pertains to the following data:

### max\_start\_delay, max\_stop\_delay, max\_step\_increment min\_start\_delay, min\_stop\_delay, min\_step\_increment

#### lTimeOut

Seconds for timeout before returning an error

#### lArmMove

Defined for SIA300 only. This variable controls an arming delay that can be applied to the arming source. It can be applied to either an external arm source, or the channel itself if you are auto-arming. Values in the range of -20 to 20 are acceptable, each step represents a 50ps delay from nominal.

#### lDsmChan

DSM channel select, determines which channel of the optional switch matrix is selected if available. The first digit specifies the bank, the second digit specifies the channel. Valid values are 11-18 for the first bank and 21-28 for the second bank.

# **3.2.5** Structure with FFT window and analysis parameters

typedef struct

{		17	Defaults	as	follows:
long	lWinType;	11	FFT_KAI		
long	lPadMult;	11	4		
double	dCtrFreq;	11	2500		
double	dRngWdth;	11	100		
double	dAlphFct;	11	8.0		
} FFTS;					

### lWinType

Window type, use one of the following:

FFT_RCT	Rectangular window
FFT_KAI	Kaiser-Bessel window
FFT_TRI	Triangular window
FFT_HAM	Hamming window
FFT_HAN	Hanning window
FFT_BLK	Blackman window
FFT_GAU	Gaussian window

#### **lPadMult**

Power of 2 to use for padding (0 - 5)

# dCtrFreq

Frequency over which to assess dYavg in plot array (Hz)

# dRngWdth

Width over which to assess dYavg (Hz)

#### dAlphFct

Alpha factor when using Kaiser-Bessel window

### 3.2.6 Structure used for Jitter Generator Parameters

typedef struct

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{		// Defaults as follows:
long	lSnthEnb;	// 0
long	lOutpEnb;	// 0
double	dOutpFrq;	// 500 MHz
double	dDutyCyc;	// 50
long	lSyncTyp;	// SYNC_BIT
long	lSyncDiv;	// 1
double	dSyncFrq;	// 500 MHz
double	dEftvFrq;	// 500 MHz
long	lOutpLvl;	// LEVL_CUSTOM1
long	lSyncLvl;	// LEVL_CUSTOM1
double	dOutpAmp;	// 1.0
double	dSyncAmp;	// 1.0
double	dOutpOff;	// 0.0
double	dSyncOff;	// 0.0
long	lOutpTrm;	// TERM_GRND
long	lSyncTrm;	// TERM_GRND
long	lJitEnab;	// 0
long	lJitMode;	// JITT_PER
long	lJitUnit;	// UNIT_SEC
long	lPadLoc1;	
double	dJitAmpl;	// 0
double	dJitFreq;	// 1 MHz
long	lPadLoc2;	
long	lJitDist;	// DIST_SIN
} JGEN;		
-		

#### lSnthEnb

Synthesizer enabled if non-zero

#### lOutpEnb

Output enabled if non-zero

### dOutpFrq

Main clock frequency in Hertz

#### dDutyCyc

Duty cycle [0.0 < dDutyCyc < 100.0]

#### lSyncTyp

Sync signal source, use any of the following:

SYNC_JIT	Synchronized with jitter source
SYNC_BIT	Generated by bit clock
SYNC_IND	Independent of jitter or output

#### lSyncDiv

Sync divider, only used if **lSyncTyp** is SYNC\_BIT or SYNC\_IND **dSyncFrq** 

Sync frequency in Hertz, only used if **lSyncTyp** is SYNC\_IND **dEftvFrq** 

Effective Sync Frequency – this is Read Only! This is calculated by the device based on the current settings of **lSyncType**, **lSyncDiv**, and **lSyncFrq**.

#### lOutpLvl

Output level, the following are valid values:

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LEVL_ECLGND	-0.9 to $-1.7$ terminated 50 $\Omega$ to GND
LEVL_ECLNEG2	-0.9 to $-1.7$ terminated 50 $\Omega$ to $-2V$
LEVL_ECLOPEN	-0.9 to -1.7 terminated Open Circuit
LEVL_PECLPOS3	4.2 to 3.2 terminated 50 $\Omega$ to +3V
LEVL_PECLOPEN	4.2 to 3.2 terminated Open Circuit
LEVL_TTLGND	2.65 to 0.15 terminated $50\Omega$ to GND
LEVL_TTLOPEN	2.65 to 0.15 terminated Open Circuit
LEVL_CMOS3GND	2.65 to 0.15 terminated $50\Omega$ to GND
LEVL_CMOS3OPN	2.65 to 0.15 terminated Open Circuit
LEVL_CMOS5OPN	2.65 to 0.15 terminated Open Circuit
LEVL_CUSTOM1	User selectable set
LEVL_CUSTOM2	User selectable set
LEVL_CUSTOM3	User selectable set

#### lSyncLvl

Sync level, valid values are the same as those defined for **IOutpLvl** above except that LEVL\_ECLGND is not valid.

#### dOutpAmp

Output amplitude if one of the three custom levels is selected dSyncAmp

Sync amplitude if one of the three custom levels is selected

### dOutpOff

Output offset if one of the three custom levels is selected

# dSyncOff

Sync offset if one of the three custom levels is selected

# **lOutpTrm**

Output termination if one of the three custom levels is selected, use any of the following:

TERM_GRND	Terminated is $50\Omega$ to 0 Volts
TERM_NEG2	Terminated is $50\Omega$ to -2 Volts
TERM_POS3	Terminated is $50\Omega$ to +3 Volts
TERM_OPEN	Terminated to Open Circuit

#### lSyncTrm

Sync termination if one of the three custom levels is selected, use any of the values listed for **IOutpTrm** 

#### lJitEnab

Jitter enabled if non-zero

#### lJitMode

The means by which jitter amplitude is specified, use one of the following:

JITT_PER	Specified on a single period basis
JITT_CUM	Specified as a maximum across
	multiple repetitions of the waveform

# lJitUnit

The units by which jitter amplitude is specified, use one of the following:

UNIT_SEC	Specified in seconds
UNIT_UI	Specified in unit intervals $[0.0 - 1.0]$
UNIT_DEG	Specified in degrees $[0.0 - 360.0]$

# dJitAmpl

Jitter amplitude in selected units

# dJitFreq

Jitter frequency in Hertz

### lJitDist

Jitter distribution, may be one of the following:

DIST_SIN	Sine waveform
DIST_SAW	Sawtooth waveform
DIST_TRI	Triangular waveform
DIST_SSC	Spread Spectrum Curve
DIST_RND	Random Distribution

### 3.2.7 Structure used for Arm Generator Parameters

#### tParm

This structure contains the DT207x settings to be used when optimizing the marker position with the **ArmFindDly**() function. This is mainly used to specify the Arm and Channel, but may also be used to override default voltage thresholds or other parameters.

#### bPtnBits, bMskBits

These fields are used to hold the internal representation of the pattern, the details of these fields is not important from an application standpoint. The first time **ArmSetParm()** is called the pattern is loaded into these fields from the file named in the **sPtnName** field. This internal representation is used for all subsequent operations.

#### sPtnName

Name of pattern file to be used, the file must exist or an error will be returned. The first time **ArmSetParm**() is called, appropriate values are loaded into the **bPtnBits** and **bMskBits** fields. If the pattern file is to be changed, both theses fields should be cleared to all zeros so that the new pattern will be loaded on the next call to **ArmSetParm**(). The default file is sof.ptn

#### lInvtPtn

Invert the pattern bits if non-zero, this is used to compensate for sending a polarity sensitive signal through an amplifier stage which inverts the signal. This parameter is not used if **lFunctSw** is set to Edge Count Mode.

#### lCyclDly

Cycle Delay Increment [0 - 39]. The value of each is increment is dependent on the protocol. For 1X or 2X Fibre Channel each increment is equal to 941ps. For 1X or 2X GigaBit Ethernet each increment is equal to 800ps.

#### lFineDly

Fine Delay Increment [0 - 255]. Each increment is equal to approximately 15.686ps, giving a total possible delay of 4ns.

### lFunctSw

Marker Generation Function, the following are valid values:

- 0 Pattern Match Mode
- 1 Edge Count Mode

### lSpeedSw

Speed Switch, the following are valid values:

- 0 1X Fibre Channel or GigaBit Ethernet
- 1 2X Fibre Channel or GigaBit Ethernet

This parameter is not used if **lFunctSw** is set to Edge Count Mode.

### lProtoSw

Protocol Switch, the following are valid values:

- 0 Fibre Channel
- 1 GigaBit Ethernet

This parameter is not used if **IFunctSw** is set to Edge Count Mode.

### lCommDet

Enable comma detect in the AG-100's front end SERDES if non-zero. **ICDlyByp** 

Bypass cycle based delay circuitry if non-zero.

### lEdgeCnt

Edge count to be used if **IFunctSw** is set to Edge Count Mode. It should be entered as either the count of positive edges or the count of negative edges (they must be the same), but not the sum of both.

The Wavecrest Production API provides a number of low level functions to allow programmers to quickly integrate DTS207x functionality into their applications. Aside from the initialization and termination functions, these functions are not necessary if the high level window function calls detailed in Chapter 2 are used. However, these functions are provided in order to simplify many of the details involved in a programmer developing their own algorithms.

# 4.1 INITIALIZATION AND TERMINATION FUNCTIONS

These functions are provided to perform initialization tasks and cleanup prior to termination.

# 4.1.1 Initialize Device

Input:

sDevName	Pointer to device name if UNIX platform
lBrdNumb	GPIB board number
lBrdAddr	GPIB board address

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

DtsInitDev ( "dev5", 0, 5 );

This function must be called once at the beginning of your application in order to pass information concerning the GPIB configuration. The first parameter is used to specify the GPIB device name on UNIX platforms and is ignored on Microsoft Windows. The second parameter is the board number, and the final parameter is the device number.

A successful call to DtsInitDev() must be accomplished before any other calls to the Wavecrest Production API.

Typical examples of sDevName parameter on Sun Platforms:

sDevName	<b>Description</b>		
dev5	Device at bus address 5		

sDevName	Description
hpib,5	Device at bus address 5, and
	symbolic name hpib.
7,5	Device at bus address 5, and
	connected to an interface card at
	logical unit 7.
lan[128.10.0.3]:hpib,5	Connect to a LAN server at IP
	address 128.10.0.3 which contains an
	hpib interface with device at bus
	address 5.
lan[hpibsrv.wave.com]:7,5	Connect to a LAN server named
	hpibsrv.wave.com which contains an
	interface card at logical unit 7 with
	primary device at bus address 5.

Typical examples of sDevName parameter on HP-UX Platforms:

# 4.1.2 Cleanup Prior to Application Termination

long DtsExitDev ( void );

Input:

None

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

DtsExitDev ();

Before terminating the application, the supplied cleanup function should be called. DtsExitDev() closes the GPIB device driver. After this cleanup has been performed the application may terminate normally.

# 4.2 INFORMATION FUNCTIONS

These functions provide various information services.

### 4.2.1 Get API Version

```
long DtsGetVers ( void );
Input:
    None
Return:
    Major version in high byte, minor version in low byte
Example:
    VerNum = DtsGetVers ( );
```

This function may be called to determine the current API version.

# 4.2.2 Get Maximum Channel Number

```
long DtsMaxChan ( void );

Input:

None

Return:

Maximum channel number supported on this device

Example:

MaxChan = DtsMaxChan ( );
```

This function may be called to determine the maximum channel number on this device. The first channel is always number 1, and current devices only have 2 channels. This function is intended to support future expansion when devices with more than two channels become available.

# 4.2.3 Get Maximum Start/Stop Count Values

long DtsMaxCnts ( void );

Input:

None

Return:

Maximum number of start/stop count values obtained in a single measurement

Example:

DtsMaxCnts ();

This function may be called to determine the maximum number of start/stop counts that can be configured. This function is intended to support future expansion when additional counter values may be allowed.

# 4.2.4 Get Maximum Sample Values

```
long DtsMaxVals ( void );
```

Input:

None

Return:

Max. number of sample values obtained in a single measurement Example:

DtsMaxVals ();

This function may be called to determine the maximum number of samples that can be taken with a single acquisition. This function is intended to support future expansion when additional samples may be taken in a single measurement.

### 4.2.5 Get Minimum Voltage Possible

This function may be called to determine the minimum voltage that can be specified using USER voltages. This function is intended to support future expansion when a different voltage range may be allowed.

### 4.2.6 Get Maximum Voltage Possible

```
double DtsMaxVolt ( void );
```

Input:

None

Return:

Maximum voltage that can be set using USER voltages

Example:

DtsMaxVolt ();

This function may be called to determine the maximum voltage that can be specified using USER voltages. This function is intended to support future expansion when a different voltage range may be allowed.

# 4.3 UTILITY FUNCTIONS

These functions provide various utility services.

# 4.3.1 Enable or Disable Front Panel Display

```
long DtsSetDisp ( long lDisp );
```

Input:

**IDisp** Non-zero value to enable, zero to disable

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

DtsSetDisp (1);

This function may be called to turn the front panel display on or off. Performance is improved if the front panel display is disabled.

# 4.3.2 Send Acquisition Parameters to Device

```
long DtsSetParm ( PARM *tParm );
```

Input:

tParm Pointer to Parameter Structure

Return:

. 0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

DtsSetParm ( &tParm );

This function may be called to download the complete set of acquisition parameters to the device. Note that the Parameter Structure contains all the information necessary to completely define a basic measurement. After successfully issuing this command an acquisition may be performed using the DtsRqstAcq() or DtsGetData() command.

In order to optimize performance, this function keeps track of parameters that have been configured and only downloads parameters that have changed since the last time it was called. However, parameters which are manually sent using the DtsTalkDev() function will not be tracked, and could therefore cause unpredictable results. If this function is used to configure parameters, it should be used exclusively, and no parameters should be manually sent.

## 4.3.3 Perform a Pulse-find Operation

long DtsPulsFnd ( PARM \*tParm ); Input: **tParm** Pointer to Parameter Structure Return: 0 on Success or Error Code on Failure Example: DtsPulsFnd ( &tParm );

This function is used to perform a pulse-find operation based on the channel, arming, and pulse-find options in the Parameter Structure. On successful completion, the resulting voltages are returned in the appropriate fields of the Parameter Structure.

A higher level function WavPulsFnd() exists, which should be used in conjunction with the higher level window functions. In particular Oscilloscope and Time Digitizer windows require the extra steps taken by the higher level pulse-find function.

# 4.3.4 Update Voltage Information

long DtsGetVolt ( PARM \*tParm ); Input: tParm Pointer to Parameter Structure

Return: 0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

DtsGetVolt ( &tParm );

This function is used to update the threshold voltage information in the Parameter Structure. On successful completion, the threshold voltages currently active in the DTS207X are returned in the appropriate fields of the Parameter Structure.

# 4.3.5 Device Reset

long DtsRsetDev ( void ); Input: None Return: 0 on Success or Error Code on Failure Example: DtsRsetDev ( );

This function will reset the device to the power-up state. The existing machine state is lost, and all parameters are restored to their default values.

# 4.4 COMMUNICATION FUNCTIONS

These functions provide various communication services.

### 4.4.1 Send Command String to Device

Input:	
sCmnd Pointer to Command Stri	ing
Return:	
0 on Success or Error Code on Failure	
Example:	
DtsTalkDev ( ":ACQ:COUN 32000" );	

This function may be used to send individual command strings to the device. This function should be used whenever no response is expected from the device.

### 4.4.2 Send Command String and Receive ASCII Response

long DtsRqstAsc ( char \*sCmnd, char \*sSval, long lLeng );
Input:
 sCmnd Pointer to Command String
 sSval Pointer to Buffer to Hold Response String
 lLeng Length of Buffer to Hold Response String
Return:
 0 on Success or Error Code on Failure
 Response is placed in Response Buffer on Success
Example:
 char buffer[128];
 DtsRqstAsc ( ":ACQ:FUNC?", buffer, 128 );

This function may be used to send individual command strings to the device when an ASCII response is expected.

# 4.4.3 Send Command String and Receive Double Precision Floating Point Number

long DtsRqstDbl ( char \*sCmnd, double \*dDval );

Input:

sCmnd	Pointer to Command String
dDval	Pointer to double to Hold Response

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure Response is placed in Double Precision Number on Success Example: double mean; DtsRqstDbl ( ":MEAS:AVER?", &mean );

This function may be used to send individual command strings to the device when a Double Precision Floating Point number is expected as a response.

# 4.4.4 Send Command String and Receive Long Integer as Response

long DtsRqstInt ( char \*sCmnd, long \*lIval )

Input:

sCmnd	Pointer to Command String
lIval	Pointer to Long Integer to Hold Response

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Response is placed in Long Integer on Success

Example:

long switch; DtsRqstInt ( ":CHAN:SWIT?", &switch );

This function may be used to send individual command strings to the device when a Long Integer is expected as a response.

#### 4.5 **ACQUISITION FUNCTIONS**

These functions provide various acquisition services.

## 4.5.1 Request Data Acquisition

long DtsRqstAcq ( long lFunc, double \*dMean, double \*dSdev, double \*dMini, double \*dMaxi );

#### Input:

ıt:						
	lFunc	Function Nu	Function Number – any of the following constants:			
<u>Consta</u>		Constant	Description	Channels		
		FUNC_TPD_PP	TPD +/+	2-Chan		
		FUNC_TPD_MM	TPD -/-	2-Chan		
		FUNC_TPD_PM	TPD +/-	2-Chan		
		FUNC_TPD_MP	TPD -/+	2-Chan		
		FUNC_TT_P	Rising edge	1-Chan		
		FUNC_TT_M	Falling Edge	1-Chan		
		FUNC_PW_P	Positive pulse width	1-Chan		
		FUNC_PW_M	Negative pulse width	1-Chan		
		FUNC_PER	Period	1-Chan		
		FUNC_FREQ	Frequency	1-Chan		
	dMear	<b>n</b> Pointer to do	ouble to hold Mean or N	ULL		
	dSdev	Pointer to do	ouble to hold 1-Sigma or	NULL		
	dMini	Pointer to do	ouble to hold Minimum of	or NULL		
	dMaxi	Pointer to do	ouble to hold Maximum	or NULL		

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

double mean;

DtsRqstAcq (FUNC\_PER, &mean, NULL, NULL, NULL);

This function may be used to request that a data acquisition be performed with statistics returned. If you do not require any of the individual statistics to be returned, you can pass NULL instead of a valid pointer.

### 4.5.2 Request Data Acquisition with Raw Data Returned

Input:

lFunc

•	<b>Function</b>	Number –	any of	the fol	lowing	constants:

Consta	ant	Description	Channels
FUNC	_TPD_PP	TPD +/+	2-Chan
FUNC	_TPD_MM	TPD -/-	2-Chan
FUNC	_TPD_PM	TPD +/-	2-Chan
FUNC	_TPD_MP	TPD -/+	2-Chan
FUNC	_TT_P	Rising edge	1-Chan
FUNC	_TT_M	Falling Edge	1-Chan
FUNC	_PW_P	Positive pulse width	1-Chan
FUNC	_PW_M	Negative pulse width	1-Chan
FUNC	_PER	Period	1-Chan
FUNC	_FREQ	Frequency	1-Chan
dMean	Pointer to dou	ble to hold Mean or N	ULL
dSdev	Pointer to dou	ble to hold 1-Sigma or	NULL
dMini	Pointer to dou	ble to hold Minimum of	or NULL
dMaxi	Pointer to dou	ble to hold Maximum	or NULL
lNumb	Pointer to Lor	ng Integer to hold Num	ber of Raw
	Data Values		
pData	Pointer to Dat	a Array to hold Raw D	ata Values
lSize	Long Integer	Indicating size of Data	Type for Raw
	Data Values		

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example: long numb;

double \*data = malloc ( 32000 \* sizeof ( double ) ); DtsGetData ( FUNC\_PER, &mean, NULL, NULL, NULL, &numb, data, sizeof ( double ) );

This function may be used to request that a data acquisition be performed with statistics and raw data values returned. If you do not require any of the individual statistics to be returned, you can pass NULL instead of a valid pointer. The application is responsible for allocating a sufficient data array to contain all of the raw data values. The size returned in "INumb" may be different than would be expected by the sample size due to filters being enabled.

# 4.5.3 Perform Analysis Macro

### Input:

ConstantDescriptionANAL_FUNCFunction analysis macroANAL_JITTJitter analysis macroANAL_RANGRange analysis macroANAL_RANGRange analysis macroIFuncFunction Number – any of the following constants:ConstantDescriptionConstantDescriptionFUNC_TPD_PPTPD +/+FUNC_TPD_MMTPD -/-FUNC_TPD_MMTPD -/-FUNC_TPD_MPTPD +/-FUNC_TTD_MPTPD -/+FUNC_TTT_PRising edgeFUNC_TT_MFalling EdgeFUNC_TT_MFalling EdgeFUNC_PW_PPositive pulse widthFUNC_PW_RNegative pulse widthFUNC_PW_RPeriodFUNC_FREQFrequencyIChanChannel to perform macro on: 1 or 2IStrtBeginning start countIStopEnding start countIncrStart Count IncrementIXtraRelationship of Stop Count to Startthe following constantsmarket	lCmnd	1	Type of Analy	vsis Macro – one of the	following:
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Constant Description					
ANL_FNC_FIRST Arm start first					
ANL_FNC_PLUS1 Stop = Start+1					-
ANL_FNC_START Stop = Start				ANL_FNC_START	Stop = Start
ANAL_JITT			_JITT	G	-
Start Start count for all measurements					
lStop Beginning Stop count		-		<b>C C 1</b>	
lIncr Stop Count Increment				-	-
IXtra Ending Stop count			DANG	Ending Stop count	
ANAL_RANG			_RANG	Q	
Start count for all measurements					
lStop Beginning Stop count		-		<b>C C 1</b>	
lIncr Stop Count Increment					-
IXtra Ending Stop count		IXtra		Ending Stop count	

fData	Pointer to Sing Event Data	gle Precision Data Array to hold		
lDesc		Descriptor indicating values per Event defined as		
	ANAL_FUNC			
	2	Mean and Std. Deviation		
	4	Mean Std. Deviation, Min, & Max		
	ANAL_JITT			
	2	Std. Deviation and Mean		
	3	Std. Deviation, Min, & Max		
	ANAL_RANG			
	2	Std. Deviation and Mean		
	3	Std. Deviation, Min, & Max		

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure Example: long ValuesPerEvent = 2; long StartCount = 1, StopIncr = 1; long MinStopCount = 2, Spans = 250; long MaxStopCount = MinStopcount + Spans - 1; float \*data = malloc ( Spans \* ValuesPerEvent \* sizeof ( float ) ); DtsGetMacr ( ANAL\_JITT, FUNC\_PER, 1, StartCount, MinStopCount, StopCountIncr, MaxStopCount, data, ValuesPerEvent );

This function may be used to improve performance when statistics are required across a series of spans. These macros are primarily suited for the Jitter Analysis and Function Analysis windows. The results are returned in a single interleaved array of floats. The application is responsible for allocating a sufficient data array to contain the entire series of statistics.

### 4.5.4 Request Time Stamp Data

This function may be used to request the time stamp data after a data acquisition is performed. It is only valid when elapsed time stamping is enabled (stamp\_tm field enabled in PARM structure). Note that when time stamping is enabled only half the maximum sample size is available (the DtsMaxVals() function can be used to obtain the maximum sample size). Also note that a signal must be present on Arm2 with arming enabled, and a valid pulse-find must have been previously completed. The calibration signal is suitable for this purpose.

This function returns an array of time values detailing when measurements were taken, these values are returned in seconds. By analyzing this array, the average sampling rate can be determined.

### 4.5.5 Request Duty Cycle

```
long DtsDtyCycl (double *dDcyc);

Input:

dDcyc Pointer to double to hold Duty Cycle

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:
```

double duty; DtsDtyCycl (&duty );

This function may be used to request that a duty cycle measurement be performed.

# 4.5.6 Request Strobing Oscilloscope Data

Input:

lChan	Channel to be measured
lStar	Start of Strobe Window in picoseconds, valid range
	is 20,000 – 100,000,000
lStop	End of Strobe Window in picoseconds, valid range
	is 20,000 – 100,000,000
lIncr	Increment between strobed values, 10 is the
	minimum valid value
dMean	Pointer to double to hold average voltage
lNumb	Pointer to Long Integer to hold Number of Raw
	Data Values
dData	Pointer to array of doubles to hold Voltage Values

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

long numb; long values = ( 40000 – 20000 ) / 10 + 1; double mean, \*data = malloc ( values \* sizeof ( double ) ); DtsStrbWin ( 1, 20000, 40000, 10, &mean, &numb, data );

This function may be used to request an array of voltage data from the strobing oscilloscope. The trigger source and voltage threshold must have been previously set. The application is responsible for allocating a sufficient data array to contain all of the raw data values.

# 4.6 CALIBRATION FUNCTIONS

These functions provide various calibration services.

### 4.6.1 Request External Calibration

```
long DtsExtnCal ( long lDoDC, long ( *pNext )( void ) );
Input:
                     A non-zero value causes a DC calibration to be
       IDoDC
                     performed first
       pNext
                     Pointer to a function which is called whenever the
                     user must be prompted to change input source, if a
                     non-zero value is returned execution is continued, if
                     0 is returned execution is aborted
Return:
       0 on Success or Error Code on Failure
Example:
       char *prompt[] = { "\nConnect Ch1 to Cal1 AND Ch2 to Cal2...",
                         "\nCross cables at calibration signals..." };
       long mesg;
       long pNext (void)
              printf ( prompt[ mesg++ ] );
              getch ();
              return 1;
              }
       void main (void)
              {
              mesg = 0;
              if (DtsExtnCal (0, pNext))
                     printf ( "\nAborted due to error..." );
              }
```

This function may be used to request that an external calibration be performed. Since user interaction is required during the calibration, a callback function must be passed to this function which is called allowing the application to provide prompts as required.

# 4.6.2 Request Internal Calibration

long \_stdcall DtsIntnCal ( long lMult );

Input:

IMult Multiplier indicating the length of calibration

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

DtsIntnCal (1);

This function may be used to request that an internal calibration be performed. A multiplier is provided which lengthens the calibration time, thereby increasing the quality of the calibration. The standard calibration time is approximately 5-1/2 minutes.

## 4.6.3 Request Strobe Calibration

```
long DtsStrbCal ( long ( *pNext )( void ) );
Input:
       pNext
                     Pointer to a function which is called whenever the
                     user must be prompted to change input source, if a
                     non-zero value is returned execution is continued, if
                     0 is returned execution is aborted
Return:
       0 on Success or Error Code on Failure
Example:
       char *prompt[] = { "\nConnect Cal1 to Ch1 AND Cal2 to Arm1..",
                         "\nMove Cal2 from Arm1 to Arm2.....",
                         "\nMove Cal1 from Ch1 to Ch2.....", };
       long mesg;
       long pNext (void)
              printf ( prompt[ mesg++ ] );
              getch ();
              return 1;
              }
       void main (void)
              {
              mesg = 0;
              if (DtsStrbCal (pNext))
                     printf ( "\nAborted due to error..." );
              }
```

This function may be used to request that a strobe calibration be performed. Since user interaction is required during the calibration, a callback function must be passed to this function which is called allowing the application to provide prompts as required.

# 4.7 GENERIC GPIB COMMUNICATION FUNCTIONS

These functions provide access to generic GPIB devices. They can be used to access pattern generators, voltmeters, etc. This interface handles the low-level communication tasks. However, knowledge of the programming language specific to the target device will be required.

# 4.7.1 Open a Generic GPIB Device

sDevName	Pointer to device name if UNIX platform
lBrdNumb	GPIB board number
lBrdAddr	GPIB board address

Return:

A valid device descriptor on Success or DTS\_ERROR on Failure Example:

GpibDevOpn ( "dev5", 0, 5 );

This function must be called once at the beginning of your application in order to pass information concerning the GPIB configuration. The first parameter is used to specify the GPIB device name on UNIX platforms and is ignored on Microsoft Windows. The second parameter is the board number, and the final parameter is the device number.

A successful call to GpibDevOpn() must be accomplished before any other calls to the Wavecrest Production API concerning this device.

The device descriptor that is returned must be used on all subsequent calls to access this device.

Typical examples of sDevName parameter on Sun Platforms:

<u>sDevName</u>	<b>Description</b>
dev5	Device at bus address 5

<u>sDevName</u>	Description
hpib,5	Device at bus address 5, and
	symbolic name hpib.
7,5	Device at bus address 5, and
	connected to an interface card at
	logical unit 7.
lan[128.10.0.3]:hpib,5	Connect to a LAN server at IP
	address 128.10.0.3 which contains an
	hpib interface with device at bus
	address 5.
lan[hpibsrv.wave.com]:7,5	Connect to a LAN server named
	hpibsrv.wave.com which contains an
	interface card at logical unit 7 with
	primary device at bus address 5.

Typical examples of sDevName parameter on HP-UX Platforms:

# 4.7.2 Read Data from a Generic GPIB Device

long GpibDevGet( long lDevNumb, char \*sBuff, long \*lNumb );

Input:

1110 000		
-	lDevNumb sBuff	Device descriptor returned by GpibDevOpn Pointer to buffer to hold response
		1
	lNumb	Pointer to Long to hold length of response.
		On Entry this variable should contain the
		5
		number of byte to attempt to read. On return
		it will be updated to reflect the actual
		number of bytes read.
Return	1:	
	0 on Success or Non-	Zero number on Failure
	Response is placed in	Response Buffer on Success
Examp	ple:	
	long lDevNum;	
	char buffer[256];	
	lDevNum = GpibDev	/Opn ( "dev6", 0, 6 );
	GpibDevSnd (1DevN	Jum. "*IDN?" ):
	<b>-</b> '	[um, buffer, strlen ( buffer ) );
	OpioDevdet ( iDeviv	uni, bunei, suien (bunei )),

This function may be called to read data back from a generic GPIB device. You normally use this command in conjunction with a GpibDevSnd() command requesting information. The GpibDevGet() command is then used to retrieve the response.

### 4.7.3 Send Data to a Generic GPIB Device

long GpibDevSnd ( long lDevNumb, char \*sCmnd );
Input:

```
IDevNumbDevice descriptor returned by GpibDevOpnsCmndPointer to command string
```

Return:

0 on Success or Non-Zero number on Failure Example: long lDevNum; lDevNum = GpibDevOpn ( "dev6", 0, 6 ); GpibDevSnd ( lDevNum, "\*RST?" );

This function may be called to send data to a generic GPIB device. A successful call to GpibDevOpn() must have been previously performed in order to obtain a device descriptor to the device.

### **4.7.4** Cleanup Prior to Application Termination

```
long GpibDevCls ( long lDevNumb );
```

Input:

IDevNumb Device descriptor returned by GpibDevOpn

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

long lDevNum; lDevNum = GpibDevOpn ( "dev6", 0, 6 ); GpibDevCls ( lDevNum );

Before terminating the application, the supplied cleanup function should be called. GpibDevCls() closes the GPIB device driver. After this cleanup has been performed the application may terminate normally.

# 4.8 DTS550 JITTER GENERATOR FUNCTIONS

These functions provide access to a Wavecrest DTS550 Jitter Generator.

#### 4.8.1 Initialize Jitter Generator Device

long	GenInitDev	( char	*sDevName,	long	lBrdNumb,
				long	lBrdAddr );
Input:					
1	sDevName	Pointe	r to device nat	ne if U	JNIX platform
	lBrdNumb	GPIB	board number		1
	lBrdAddr	GPIB	board address		
Return	1:				
	0 on Success	or Error	Code on Fail	1100	

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

GenInitDev ( "dev5", 0, 5 );

This function must be called once at the beginning of your application in order to pass information concerning the GPIB configuration. The first parameter is used to specify the GPIB device name on UNIX platforms and is ignored on Microsoft Windows. The second parameter is the board number, and the final parameter is the device number.

A successful call to GenInitDev() must be accomplished before any other calls to a Jitter Generator using the Wavecrest Production API.

Typical examples of sDevName parameter on Sun Platforms:

sDevName	<b>Description</b>
dev5	Device at bus address 5

Typical examples of sDevName parameter on HP-UX Platforms:

<u>sDevName</u>	Description
hpib,5	Device at bus address 5, and
	symbolic name hpib.
7,5	Device at bus address 5, and
	connected to an interface card at
	logical unit 7.
lan[128.10.0.3]:hpib,5	Connect to a LAN server at IP
	address 128.10.0.3 which contains an
	hpib interface with device at bus
	address 5.
lan[hpibsrv.wave.com]:7,5	Connect to a LAN server named
	hpibsrv.wave.com which contains an
	interface card at logical unit 7 with
	primary device at bus address 5.

# 4.8.2 Cleanup Prior to Application Termination

long GenExitDev ( void ); Input: None Return: 0 on Success or Error Code on Failure Example: GenExitDev ( );

Before terminating the application, the supplied cleanup function should be called. GenExitDev() closes the GPIB device driver. After this cleanup has been performed the application may terminate normally.

### 4.8.3 Enable or Disable Front Panel Display

```
long GenSetDisp ( long lDisp );
```

Input:

**IDisp** Non-zero value to enable, zero to disable

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

GenSetDisp(1);

This function may be called to turn the front panel display on or off.

# 4.8.4 Get Jitter Generator Setup Parameters

```
long GenGetParm ( JGEN *tJgen );
```

Input:

tJgen Pointer to Jitter Generator Parameter Structure

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

GenGetParm ( &tJgen );

This function may be called to retrieve the complete set of jitter generator parameters. Note that the Jitter Generator Parameter Structure contains all the information necessary to completely define an output state.

#### **4.8.5** Send Jitter Generator Setup Parameters

```
long GenSetParm ( JGEN *tJgen );

Input:

tJgen Pointer to Jitter Generator Parameter Structure

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

GenSetParm ( &tJgen );
```

This function may be called to download the complete set of jitter generator parameters. Note that the Jitter Generator Parameter Structure contains all the information necessary to completely define an output state.

In order to optimize performance, this function keeps track of parameters that have been configured and only downloads parameters that have changed since the last time it was called. However, parameters which are manually sent using the GenTalkDev() function will not be tracked, and could therefore cause unpredictable results. If this function is used to configure parameters, it should be used exclusively, and no parameters should be manually sent.

#### **4.8.6** Fill a Jitter Generator Structure with Default Values

void GenDefParm ( JGEN \*tJgen );

Input:

Pointer to Jitter Generator Parameter Structure

Return:

None

tJgen

Example: JGEN tJgen; GenDefJgen ( &tJgen );

This function is used to fill a Jitter Generator Parameter Structure with default values. These parameters could then be downloaded to the DTS550 by calling the GenSetParm() function. Using this function insures that all parameters contain reasonable values.

It is not necessary to clear a Parameter Structure using the standard memset() function prior to calling this function, as no dynamic memory allocation information is contained within the Parameter Structure.

### 4.8.7 Jitter Generator Reset

long GenRsetDev ( void ); Input: None Return: 0 on Success or Error Code on Failure Example: GenRsetDev ( );

This function will reset the device to the power-up state. The existing machine state is lost, and all parameters are restored to their default values.

#### 4.8.8 Send Command String to Device

```
long GenTalkDev ( char *sCmnd );
```

Input:

sCmnd

Pointer to Command String

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

GenTalkDev ( ":JITT:FREQ MAX" );

This function may be used to send individual command strings to the device. This function should be used whenever no response is expected from the device.

#### 4.8.9 Send Command String and Receive ASCII Response

```
long GenRqstAsc ( char *sCmnd, char *sSval, long lLeng );
```

Input:

sCmnd	Pointer to Command String
sSval	Pointer to Buffer to Hold Response String
lLeng	Length of Buffer to Hold Response String

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Response is placed in Response Buffer on Success

Example:

char buffer[128]; GenRqstAsc ( ":JITT:FREQ?", buffer, 128 );

This function may be used to send individual command strings to the device when an ASCII response is expected.

# 4.8.10 Send Command String and Receive Double Precision Floating Point Number

long GenRqstDbl ( char \*sCmnd, double \*dDval );
Input:
 sCmnd Pointer to Command String
 dDval Pointer to double to Hold Response
Return:
 0 on Success or Error Code on Failure
 Response is placed in Double Precision Number on Success
Example:
 double freq;
 GenRqstDbl ( ":JITT:FREQ?", &freq );

This function may be used to send individual command strings to the device when a Double Precision Floating Point number is expected as a response.

# 4.8.11 Send Command String and Receive Long Integer as Response

long GenRqstInt ( char \*sCmnd, long \*lIval )
Input:
 sCmnd Pointer to Command String
 IIval Pointer to Long Integer to Hold Response
Return:
 0 on Success or Error Code on Failure
 Response is placed in Long Integer on Success
Example:
 long preset;
 GenRqstInt ( ":JITT:PRES?", &preset );

This function may be used to send individual command strings to the device when a Long Integer is expected as a response.

# 4.9 AG-100 ARM GENERATOR FUNCTIONS

These functions provide access to a Wavecrest AG-100 Arm Generator.

#### 4.9.1 Initialize Arm Generator Device

Input:

sDevName	Pointer to device name if UNIX platform
lBrdNumb	GPIB board number
lBrdAddr	GPIB board address

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

ArmInitDev ( "dev7", 0, 7 );

This function must be called once at the beginning of your application in order to pass information concerning the GPIB configuration. The first parameter is used to specify the GPIB device name on UNIX platforms and is ignored on Microsoft Windows. The second parameter is the board number, and the final parameter is the device number.

A successful call to ArmInitDev() must be accomplished before any other calls to a Arm Generator using the Wavecrest Production API.

Typical examples of sDevName parameter on Sun Platforms:

sDevName	<b>Description</b>
dev5	Device at bus address 5

Typical examples of sDevName parameter on HP-UX Platforms:

sDevName	<b>Description</b>
hpib,5	Device at bus address 5, and
	symbolic name hpib.
7,5	Device at bus address 5, and
	connected to an interface card at
	logical unit 7.
lan[128.10.0.3]:hpib,5	Connect to a LAN server at IP
	address 128.10.0.3 which contains an
	hpib interface with device at bus
	address 5.
lan[hpibsrv.wave.com]:7,5	Connect to a LAN server named
	hpibsrv.wave.com which contains an
	interface card at logical unit 7 with
	primary device at bus address 5.

#### **4.9.2** Cleanup Prior to Application Termination

long ArmExitDev ( void ); Input: None Return: 0 on Success or Error Code on Failure Example: ArmExitDev ( );

Before terminating the application, the supplied cleanup function should be called. ArmExitDev() closes the GPIB device driver. After this cleanup has been performed the application may terminate normally.

#### 4.9.3 Download Arm Generator Setup

long ArmSetParm ( AGEN \*tAgen );

Input:

Pointer to Arm Generator Parameter Structure

Return:

tAgen

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

ArmSetParm ( &tAgen );

This function may be called to download the complete set of arm generator parameters. Note that the Arm Generator Parameter Structure contains all the information necessary to completely define an output state.

In order to optimize performance, this function keeps track of parameters that have been configured and only downloads parameters that have changed since the last time it was called. However, parameters which are manually sent using the ArmTalkDev() function will not be tracked, and could therefore cause unpredictable results. If this function is used to configure parameters, it should be used exclusively, and no parameters should be manually sent.

## 4.9.4 Fill a Arm Generator Structure with Default Values

void ArmDefParm ( AGEN \*tAgen );

Input:

Pointer to Arm Generator Parameter Structure

Return:

None Example:

tAgen

AGEN tAgen; ArmDefAgen ( &tAgen );

This function is used to fill an Arm Generator Parameter Structure with default values. These parameters could then be downloaded to the AG-100 by calling the ArmSetParm() function. Using this function insures that all parameters contain reasonable values.

It is not necessary to clear a Parameter Structure using the standard memset() function prior to calling this function, as no dynamic memory allocation information is contained within the Parameter Structure.

# 4.9.5 Arm Generator Reset

```
long ArmRsetDev ( void );
Input:
None
Return:
0 on Success or Error Code on Failure
Example:
ArmRsetDev ( );
```

This function will reset the device to the power-up state. The existing machine state is lost, and all parameters are restored to their default values.

# 4.9.6 Send Command String to Device

```
long ArmTalkDev ( char *sCmnd );
Input:
    sCmnd Pointer to Command String
Return:
    0 on Success or Error Code on Failure
Example:
    ArmTalkDev ( ":PATT C14FAC14FA" );
This function may be used to condindividual commond at
```

This function may be used to send individual command strings to the device. This function should be used whenever no response is expected from the device.

# 4.9.7 Send and Receive ASCII Command

long ArmRqstAsc ( char \*sCmnd, char \*sSval, long lLeng );

Input:

sCmnd	Pointer to Command String
sSval	Pointer to Buffer to Hold Response String
lLeng	Length of Buffer to Hold Response String
Return:	
0 on Success or Error	Code on Failure
Response is placed in Response Buffer on Success	
Example:	
char buffer[128];	
ArmRqstAsc ( ":PAT	T?", buffer, 128);
▲ ``	

This function may be used to send individual command strings to the device when an ASCII response is expected.

# 4.9.8 Optimal Marker Placement Arm Delay

long ArmFindDly ( AGEN \*tAgen );

Input:

tAgen Pointer to Arm Generator Parameter Structure

Return:

0 on Success or Error Code on Failure

Example:

ArmFindDly ( &tAgen );

This function may be called to find the delay that provides the optimal marker placement. The settings contained in the **tParm** member of the AGEN structure are DTS207x parameters used as feedback for assessing the marker placement. When this function successfully returns, the **lCyclDly** and **lFineDly** parameters will be altered to the values that were determined to provide the greatest jitter tolerance.

The following code samples are provided in order to aid in getting started using the Wavecrest Production API. These code samples are provided for instructional purposes only.

# 5.1 MODIFYING WINDOW STRUCTURE PARAMETERS

The following code snippet shows how parameters pertaining to a highlevel window structure may be modified.

# 5.2 PERFORMING TAIL-FIT

The following code snippet shows how a tail-fit can be performed in a Histogram Window. Note that it may take many passes for the tail-fit to succeed. Therefore you may want to error if not successfully in a certain number of passes. Set the **lPass** parameter to 0 to start a new tail-fit analysis.

```
/* Allocate window structure, and initialize to defaults */
HIST tHist;
memset ( &tHist, 0, sizeof ( HIST ) );
WavDefHist ( &tHist );
/* Enable tail-fit */
tHist.lTailFit = 1;
/* Loop until tail-fit is successful */
while ( !tHist.tTfit.lGood )
    {
    if ( WavGetHist ( &tHist ) )
      goto ErrorHandler;
    }
```

# 5.3 DRAWING FROM A PLOT STRUCTURE

This code snippet shows how to draw from a plot structure. The example is for Microsoft Visual C++, but can be modified for other platforms.

```
void DrawPlot ( CDC *pCdc,
                            // Pointer to device context.
                CRect *wind, // Window to draw within
                             // in device coordinates.
                PLOT *plot, // Source plot structure.
                double xmin, // Plot extents to use when
                double xmax, // drawing, this allows a
                double ymin, // margin to be added around
                double ymax )// plot or overlay of plots
  {
                             // with differing extents.
  long i;
  double x, y;
  // First plot X point as a percent of window extents
  x = ( plot->dXmin - xmin ) / ( xmax - xmin );
  // First plot X point in device coordinates
  x = (double) (wind->right - wind->left)
    * x + ( double ) wind->left;
  // First plot Y point as a percent of window extents
  y = ( plot->dData[ 0 ] - ymin ) / ( ymax - ymin );
  // First plot Y point in device coordinates
  y = ( double ) ( wind->bottom - wind->top )
    * ( 1.0 - y ) + ( double ) wind->top;
  // Move current location to the first plot point
  pCdc->MoveTo ( ( int ) x, ( int ) y );
  for ( i = 1; i < plot -> lNumb; i++ )
    // Calculate what the next X point is
   x = ( ( plot->dXmax - plot->dXmin ) * ( double ) i
      / ( double ) ( plot->lNumb - 1 ) + plot->dXmin );
    // This plot X point as a percent of window extents
   x = (x - xmin) / (xmax - xmin);
    // This plot X point in device coordinates
   x = (double) (wind->right - wind->left)
      * x + ( double ) wind->left;
    // This plot Y point as a percent of window extents
   y = ( plot->dData[ i ] - ymin ) / ( ymax - ymin );
    // This plot Y point in device coordinates
   y = ( double ) ( wind->bottom - wind->top )
      * ( 1.0 - y ) + ( double ) wind->top;
    // Draw line to this plot point
   pCdc->LineTo ( ( int ) x, ( int ) y );
    }
  }
```

# 5.4 PERFORMING A DATACOM MEASUREMENT

This code snippet shows how a dataCOM measurement can be taken. Error checking is performed at each step, and several acquisition parameters are overridden. A pulsefind is used to determine suitable voltage levels, and results are printed.

```
/* Declare required include files */
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
#include "wavapi.h"
int main(void)
  /* Local variables */
 DCOM tDcom;
  int RetCode;
  /* Initialize DTS207x device */
 RetCode = DtsInitDev("hpib,5", 0, 5);
  if (RetCode)
    fprintf(stderr,
      "\nDtsInitDev failed, return code = %i\n", RetCode);
    DtsExitDev();
    return -1;
    }
  /* Initialize structure to defaults */
  memset(&tDcom, 0, sizeof (DCOM));
 WavDefDcom(&tDcom);
  /* Override to use external arming */
  tDcom.tParm.lAutoArm = ARM_EXTRN;
  /* Select the pattern to use */
  strcpy(tDcom.sPtnName, "2^7-1.ptn");
  /* Do not measure the Bit Rate */
 tDcom.lGetRate = 0;
  /* Assign the Bit Rate to use */
  tDcom.dBitRate = 1.0625e9;
  /* Perform a pulsefind */
 RetCode = WavPulsFnd(&tDcom.tParm, WIND_DCOM);
  if (RetCode)
    {
    fprintf(stderr,
      "\nWavPulsFnd failed, return code = %i\n", RetCode);
    DtsExitDev();
    return -1;
    }
```

```
/* Acquire the measurement */
RetCode = WavGetDcom(&tDcom);
if (RetCode)
  ł
 fprintf(stderr,
    "\nWavGetDcom failed, return code = %i\n", RetCode);
 DtsExitDev();
 return -1;
  }
/* Print the results in picoseconds */
fprintf(stderr,
  "Deterministic Jitter: %.3lfps\n", tDcom.dDdjt * 1e12);
fprintf(stderr,
  "Random Jitter: %.3lfps\n", tDcom.dRjit[0] * 1e12);
fprintf(stderr,
  "Total Jitter: %.3lfps\n", tDcom.dTjit[0] * 1e12);
/* Release the memory */
WavClrDcom(&tDcom);
/* Release the device */
RetCode = DtsExitDev();
if (RetCode)
  {
 fprintf(stderr,
    "\nDtsExitDev failed, return code = %i\n", RetCode);
 return -1;
  }
/* Indicate successful completion of the program */
return 0;
}
```

# 6.1 SUPPORTED COMPILERS FOR THE WAVECREST PRODUCTION API

The Wavecrest Production API was built and is supported using the following compilers. Other compilers may be used and provide satisfactory results, although performance is not guaranteed.

# Win32 (Win95, Win98, and WinNT 4.0) Microsoft Visual C++ 5.0 and above Microsoft C/C++ Optimizing Compiler 11.00 Microsoft Visual Basic 6.0 HP-UX 9.05 HP C/ANSI C Developer's Bundle A.B9.05.3A HP-UX 10.2 HP C/ANSI C Developer's Bundle B.10.20.03 Sun 4.1.x (Solaris 1) SPARCompiler C 3.0.1 Sun 2.5.1 or above (Solaris 2) SPARCompiler C 3.0.1

# 6.2 **BUILD REQUIREMENTS**

When building an application using the Wavecrest Production API the following requirements need to be considered.

# 6.2.1 Developing with C++

The define **CPLUSPLUS** must be supplied if you are developing a C++ application. This informs the compiler that the module was created as a C library, and does not contain the additional information that is normally contained in a C++ library. If you are developing a standard C application, supplying this define will result in an error. If you are using a command line compiler, this define may be supplied as follows:

cl -c -DCPLUSPLUS apitest.cpp

# 6.2.2 Win32 (Win95, Win98, and WinNT 4.0)

A static stub library and dynamic library link library (DLL) are supplied for developing under Microsoft Windows. You can link to the static stub library which relieves all the programming of the chores normally associated with linking to a DLL. The DLL libraries must be available in the current directory or somewhere in the PATH in order to execute the application.

The define **WIN32** must be supplied to enable options specific to Microsoft Windows platforms. If you are developing within the Visual C++ environment, this define is automatically supplied for you. If you are using a command line compiler, this define may be supplied as follows:

cl -c -DWIN32 apitest.c

When developing under Visual Basic the two files **dtsapi.bas** and **wavapi.bas** are substituted for the normal C include files. These two files should be added as modules in your project, and contain all function call and structure declarations. The two DLL files need to be available in the current directory or somewhere in the PATH in order to execute the resulting application.

### 6.2.3 All UNIX Platforms

The define **WIN32** must NOT be defined when compiling under UNIX platforms. This define enables options which are not suitable under UNIX platforms.

### 6.2.4 HP-UX 9.05 and HP-UX 10.20

The ANSI C compiler must be used. ANSI compatibility is enabled from a command line by specifying the **-Aa** option as follows:

```
cc -c -Aa apitest.c
```

Required HPIB support is supplied by linking to the Standard Instrument Control Library. This library must already be installed per manufacturers documentation. This library can be included by adding **-lsicl** to the link command. The resulting link command including the Wavecrest API libraries takes the form:

cc -Aa apitest.o -ldts -lwav -lsicl -lm -o apitest

#### 6.2.5 Sun 4.1.x (Solaris 1)

The ANSI C compiler must be used. ANSI compatibility is enabled from a command line by using the **acc** command as follows:

```
acc -c apitest.c
```

Required GPIB support is supplied by linking to the National Instruments GPIB Library. This library must already be installed per manufacturers documentation. This library can be included by adding **-lgpib** to the link command. The resulting link command including the Wavecrest API libraries takes the form:

```
acc apitest.o -ldts -lwav -lgpib -o apitest
```

#### 6.2.6 Sun 2.5.1 or above (Solaris 2)

The standard ANSI C compiler must be used. The command line would appear as follows:

```
cc -c apitest.c
```

Required GPIB support is supplied by linking to the National Instruments GPIB Library. This library must already be installed per manufacturers documentation. This library can be included by adding **-lgpib** to the link command. The resulting link command including the Wavecrest API libraries takes the form:

cc apitest.o -ldts -lwav -lgpib -lm -o apitest

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# **APPENDIX A – ERROR CODES**

Define	Value	Description
SUCCESS	0	Success
DTS_ERROR	-1	Communication error with DTS
MEM_ERROR	-2	Could not allocate required memory
CMD_ERROR	-3	Invalid parameters passed to function
VER_ERROR	-4	Invalid DTS version or DLL version
FIT_ERROR	-5	Failure applying tail-fit
LIM_ERROR	-6	Results exceed specified limits
FIO_ERROR	-7	File I/O error
ARM_ERROR	-8	No suitable arm signal detected
TRG_ERROR	-9	No suitable trigger signal detected
USR_ERROR	-10	Operation was terminated by user
UNT_ERROR	-11	Unit interval data exceeds limits
DDJ_ERROR	-12	DCD+DDJ data exceeds limits
VAR_ERROR	-13	RJ+PJ Variance data exceeds limits
LRN_ERROR	-14	Learn Mode data exceeds limits
INT_ERROR	-15	Insufficient points for interpolation
TIM_ERROR	-16	Max measurement time exceeded
PCI_ERROR	-17	Could not read or write to PCI bus
LOK_ERROR	-18	Error unlocking DMA transfer mem
CAL_ERROR	-19	Missing or invalid calibration file
SYS_ERROR	-20	System or hardware failure

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The following shows what the sample program in Chapter 1 might look like written as a Visual Basic subroutine:

```
Private Sub Sample_Click()
' Step #1 Allocate Required Structures
Dim tStat As STAT
' Step #2 Initialize the DTS207x
If (DtsInitDev("dev5", 0, 5) <> 0) Then
 mainDisplay.Text = "DtsInitDev failed..."
 GoTo ExitPoint:
End If
' Step #3 Initialize STAT Window Structure
         memset() is not necessary, in VBasic
1
         objects are automatically cleared
WavDefStat tStat
' Step #4 Perform Data Acquisition
If (WavGetStat(tStat) <> 0) Then
 mainDisplay.Text = "WavGetStat failed..."
 GoTo ExitPoint:
End If
' Step #5 Print Results
mainDisplay.Text = "-Wavecrest Production API-" &
 vbCrLf & "- Sample Application -" & vbCrLf & _
  vbCrLf & " Average: " &
 Format(tStat.dMean * 1000000000#, "0.000") & "ns" & _
 vbCrLf & " 1-Sigma: " &
 Format(tStat.dSdev * 100000000000#, "0.000") & "ps" & _
 vbCrLf & " Minimum: " & _
 Format(tStat.dMini * 1000000000#, "0.000") & "ns" & _
 vbCrLf & " Maximum: " & _
 Format(tStat.dMaxi * 1000000000#, "0.000") & "ns"
' Step #6 Cleanup and Return
WavClrStat tStat
ExitPoint:
DtsExitDev
End Sub
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