

APPLICATION NOTE AN-00200 SDM-USB-QS-S Programmer's Guide

Introduction

The SDM-USB-QS drivers allow application software to interface with the module using calls to a DLL. The drivers take care of all of the USB protocol and timing freeing the user from the complicated firmware development. The architecture of the drivers consists of a Windows WDM driver that communicates with the device via the Windows USB Stack and a DLL that interfaces the Application Software (written in C, VC++, C++ Builder, Delphi, Visual Basic etc.) to the WDM driver. This guide documents the interface functions and gives examples of how to use them in the application software.

There are two groups of functions. First are the standard interface functions. The standard interface provides a simple, easy to use, set of functions to access the USB module. Second is the EEPROM interface, which allows the application software to read and program the various fields in the on-board EEPROM, including a user defined area that can be used for application specific purposes.

The examples of the calls will be shown in Visual Basic and C with Appendix A showing the headers and definitions for Visual Basic and Appendix B showing the same for C.

Standard Interface Functions

The standard interface functions are a series of calls made to a Dynamic Link Library (dll) that allow an application to access the module. These functions are easier to use than WIN32 API calls and offer access to features in the module for which there are no API calls.

A typical system would start with the FT_LISTDEVICES call. This call returns information about all of the modules currently connected to the bus. This allows the application software to choose which module to communicate with. Before the module can be accessed it must be opened with FT_OPEN or FT_OPENEX. These functions return a numeric handle that the rest of the functions use to identify the individual modules. Once opened, the device communications settings can be controlled. These include functions to set the baud rate (FT_SetBaudRate), set the data characteristics, such as word length, stop bits and parity (FT_SetDataCharacteristics), set hardware or software handshaking (FT_SetFlowControl), set modem control signals (FT_SetDTR, FT_CIrDTR, FT_SetRTS, FT_CIrRTS), get modem status (FT_GetModemStatus), set special characters such as event and error characters (FT_SetChars), and set receive and transmit timeouts (FT_SetTimeouts). Additional functions are available to reset the device (FT_ResetDevice), purge receive and transmit buffers (FT_Purge), get the receive queue status (FT_GetQueueStatus), get the device status (FT_GetStatus), set and reset the break condition (FT_SetBreakOn, FT_SetBreakOff), and set conditions for event notification (FT_SetEventNotification). I/O is performed using FT_Read and FT_Write. Once communications are completed, the device is closed using FT_Close.

The rest of this section will discuss these functions in detail.

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FT_ListDevices (Arg1, Arg2, Flags)

This function can be used to return several kinds of information. First, it can be used to return the number of devices currently connected to the bus by setting Flags to LIST_NUMBER_ONLY. In this case Arg1 holds the number of devices connected to the bus and Arg2 is null. The function returns OK if successful or an error code if there is a problem.

Visual Basic		
Parameter	Type	Description
Arg1	long	Holds the number of devices connected to the bus
Arg2	vbNullString	Null String
Flags	long	Constant. See the appendices for the definitions
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Parameter	Type	Description
Arg1	pvoid	A pointer to a dword that holds the number
Ara	•	•
Arg2	Null	Null

This function can also be used to return the device description or serial number by setting Flags to LIST_BY_INDEX ORd with either OPEN_BY_DESCRIPTION or OPEN_BY_SERIAL_NUMBER respectively. In this case Arg1 is an integer to hold the index of the device and Arg2 is a string to hold the returned information. Indexes are zero-based and the error code DEVICE_NOT_FOUND is returned for an invalid index.

Visual Basic Parameter Arg1 Arg2 Flags	Type integer string long	Description Holds the index number of the desired device String that holds the serial number or description Constant. See the appendices for the definitions
C Parameter Arg1 Arg2 Flags	Type dword char dword	Description Holds the index number of the desired device A pointer to a buffer to contain the appropriate string Constant. See the appendices for the definitions

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates how to get the number of devices connected to the bus.

Dim IngStatus As Long Dim IngNumDevices As Long

IngStatus = FT_GetNumDevices (IngNumDevices, vbNullString, LIST_NUMBER_ONLY)
If IngStatus = OK Then

'The function was successful, the number of devices connected is in IngNumDevices

Else

'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken

End If

This example shows how to get the description and serial number of the first device on the bus.

```
Dim intlndex As Integer
Dim strDescription As String * 256
Dim strSerialNumber As String * 256
intIndex = 0
' Get the device description
IngStatus = FT_ListDevices (intIndex, strDescription, LIST_BY_INDEX Or OPEN_BY_DESCRIPTION)
If IngStatus = OK Then
        'The function was successful, the description is in strDescription
Else
        'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
End If
' Get the device serial number
IngStatus = FT_ListDevices (intIndex, strSerialNumber, LIST_BY_INDEX Or OPEN_BY_SERIAL_NUMBER)
If IngStatus = OK Then
        'The function was successful, the serial number is in strSerialNumber
Else
        'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
End If
```

Note that incrementing index will access the next device on the bus. If multiple devices will be connected, ListDevices can first be used to return the number of devices, then this number used to set the exit condition of a loop. The loop can increment the index and return the information for each device in turn. Following is the C code to perform the same routines as above.

```
ULONG Status:
DWORD NumDevices;
Status = FT_ListDevices (&numDevs, NULL, LIST_NUMBER_ONLY);
if (Status == OK) {
       // The function was successful, the number of devices connected is in NumDevices
else {
       // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
DWORD devIndex = 0;
char Description[256];
char SerialNumber[256];
Status = FT_ListDevices ((PVOID)devIndex, Description, LIST_BY_INDEX | OPEN_BY_DESCRIPTION);
if (Status == OK) {
       // The function was successful, the description is in Description
}
else {
       // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
Status = FT_ListDevices ((PVOID)devIndex, SerialNumber, LIST_BY_INDEX | OPEN_BY_SERIAL_NUMBER);
if (Status == OK) {
       // The function was successful, the serial number is in SerialNumber
else {
       // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_Open (Device, Handle)

This function opens a device and returns a numeric handle that is used by the other functions to identify the device. Device is the index number of the device to be opened and Handle is a number that the function returns to uniquely identify the device so that other functions can access it. Since the index number of the device is used to open it so there is no ability to open a specific named device, but FT_OPEN_EX can open a device using the description or serial number. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter	Туре	Description
Device	integer	Index number of the device to be opened
Handle	long	A number that uniquely identifies the device

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Parameter Type Description

Device integer Index number of the device to be opened

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

FT_OpenEx (Arg1, Flags, Handle)

This function will open a specific device using either a serial number or description and return a numeric handle that is used by other functions to access the device. Arg1 will be a string that contains either the serial number or description of the device to be opened. Flags is either OPEN_BY_SERIAL_NUMBER or OPEN_BY_DESCRIPTION and determines whether the serial number or description is used. Handle is a number that the function returns to uniquely identify the device so that other functions can access it. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Parameter Arg1 Flags Handle	Type string integer long	Description String of the description or serial number Constant. See the appendices for the definitions A number that uniquely identifies the device
C Parameter Arg1 Flags Handle	Type pvoid integer pvoid	Description A pointer to a null terminated string Constant. See the appendices for the definitions A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Examples

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The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

FT_Close (Handle)

This function closes communication with an open device identified by Handle. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter Type Description

Handle long A number that uniquely identifies the device

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Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

FT_Read (Handle, Buffer, BytesToRead, BytesReturned)

This function reads the data available from the device. Handle is a number returned by FT_Open or FT_OpenEx, Buffer is a string or character array that receives the data read from the device, BytesToRead is the number of bytes the function should read, and BytesReturned is the actual number of bytes that were read. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

This function does not return until BytesToRead bytes have been read into the buffer. This can cause an application to hang while waiting for the function to return. There are two ways to avoid this. The first is to get the number of bytes in the device's receive queue by calling FT_GetStatus or FT_GetQueueStatus, and passing this to FT_Read as BytesToRead so that the function reads the device and returns immediately.

The second way is by specifying a timeout in a previous call to FT_SetTimeouts. FT_Read returns when the timer expires or when BytesToRead bytes have been read, whichever occurs first. If the timeout occurred, FT_Read reads the available data into the buffer and returns OK.

An application should use the function return value and BytesReturned to check the buffer. If the return value is OK and BytesReturned is equal to BytesToRead then FT_Read has completed successfully. If the return value is OK and BytesReturned is less than BytesToRead then a timeout has occurred and the read has been only partially completed. Note that if a timeout occurred and no data was read, the return value is still OK.

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Parameter	Type	Description
Handle	long	A number that uniquely identifies the device
Buffer	string	String to hold the data read from the device
BytesToRead	long	The number of bytes to read from the device
BytesReturned	long	The number of bytes that were read from the device
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Parameter	Type	Description
Handle	pvoid	A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device
Buffer	lpvoid	A pointer to a char array to hold the data read from the device
BytesToRead	dword	The number of bytes to read from the device
BytesReturned	lpdword	A pointer to a dword that gets the number of bytes read

Examples

Visual Basic

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function. FT_GetStatus is called and the number of bytes available in the device is checked. If it is greater than zero, then FT_Read is called to get the data.

Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
Dim IngBytesRead As Long
Dim strReadBuffer As String * 256
Dim IngRXBytes As Long
Dim IngTXBytes As Long
Dim IngEvents As Long

```
If FT_GetStatus (IngHandle, IngRXBytes, IngTXBytes, IngEvents) = OK Then
   If IngRXBytes > 0 Then
      IngStatus = FT_Read (IngHandle, strReadBuffer, IngRXBytes, IngBytesRead)
         If (IngStatus = OK) Then
             'The function was successful, the data is in strReadBuffer and IngBytesRead has the number of bytes read
             'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
         End If
   End If
End If
The following C code demonstrates this function.
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status:
DWORD Event:
DWORD RxBytes;
DWORD TxBytes;
DWORD BytesReceived;
char RxBuffer[256];
FT_GetStatus (ftHandle, &RxBytes, &TxBytes, &Event);
if (RxBytes > 0) {
   Status = FT_Read (Handle, RxBuffer, RxBytes, &BytesReceived);
   if (Status == OK) {
      // The function was successful, the data is in RxBuffer and BytesReceived has the number of bytes read
   else {
      // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_Write (Handle, Buffer, BytesToWrite, BytesWritten)

This function writes BytesToWrite bytes of Buffer to the device described by Handle and returns BytesWritten as the number of bytes that it actually wrote. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic Parameter Handle Buffer BytesToWrite BytesWritten	Type long string long long	Description A number that uniquely identifies the device String to hold the data to be written to the device The number of bytes to write to the device The number of bytes that were written to the device
C Parameter Handle Buffer BytesToWrite BytesWritten	Type pvoid lpvoid dword lpdword	Description A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device A pointer to a char array to hold the data read from the device The number of bytes to read from the device A pointer to a dword that gets the number of bytes read

Examples

End If

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
Dim strWriteBuffer As String
Dim IngBytesWritten As Long
Dim IngBytesToWrite As Long
IngBytesToWrite = 1 'Sets the number of bytes to write to 1
IngStatus = FT_Write (IngHandle, strWriteBuffer, IngBytesToWrite, IngBytesWritten)
If IngStatus <> OK Then
'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
```

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;
DWORD BytesToWrite;
DWORD BytesWritten;
char WriteBuffer[256];
char *Buff;

Buff = WriteBuffer;
BytesToWrite = 1;  // Sets the number of bytes to write to 1

Status = FT_Write (Handle, Buff, BytesToWrite, &BytesWritten);
if (Status!= OK) {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_SetBaudRate (Handle, BaudRate)

This function sets the baud rate of the device described by Handle to BaudRate. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

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Parameter	туре	Description
Handle	long	A number that uniquely identifies the device
BaudRate	single	The baud rate in bits per second

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Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

BaudRate dword The baud rate in bits per second

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
Dim sngBaudRate As Single
```

sngBaudRate = 9600 '9600bps baud

IngStatus = FT_SetBaudRate (IngHandle, sngBaudRate)
If IngStatus = OK Then

'The function was successful, the baud rate is set to sngBaudRate

Else

'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken End If

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;
DWORD BaudRate;

BaudRate = 9600;
Status = FT_SetBaudRate (Handle, BaudRate);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful, the baud rate is set to BaudRate
}
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_SetDataCharacteristics (Handle, WordLength, StopBits, Parity)

This function sets the data characteristics for the device described by Handle. It will set the stream to have WordLength number of bits in each word, StopBits number of stop bits, and Parity parity. WordLength must be either BITS_8 or BITS_7. StopBits must be either STOP_BITS_1 or STOP_BITS_2. Parity can be PARITY_NONE, PARITY_ODD, PARITY_EVEN, PARITY_MARK, or PARITY_SPACE. All of these variables are defined in the header files in the appendices. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic Parameter Handle WordLength StopBits Parity	Type long integer integer integer	Description A number that uniquely identifies the device A number representing the number of bits in each word A number representing the number of stop bits in each word A number representing the type of parity used in each word
C Parameter Handle WordLength StopBits Parity	Type pvoid uchar uchar uchar	Description A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device A number representing the number of bits in each word A number representing the number of stop bits in each word A number representing the type of parity used in each word

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
Dim intStops As Integer = STOP_BITS_1
Dim intParity As Integer = PARITY_NONE
Dim intDataBits As Integer = BITS_8
IngStatus = FT_SetDataCharacteristics (IngHandle, intDataBits, intStops, intParity)
If IngStatus = OK Then
'The function was successful, the data is set to intDataBits data bits, intStops, intStops,
```

'The function was successful, the data is set to intDataBits data bits, intStops stop bits, and intParity parity

'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken End If

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;
UCHAR WordLength = BITS_8;
UCHAR StopBits = STOP_BITS_1;
UCHAR Parity = PARITY_NONE;

Status = FT_SetDataCharacteristics (Handle, WordLength, StopBits, Parity);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful, the data is set to WordLength data bits, StopBits stop bits, and Parity parity
}
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_SetFlowControl (Handle, FlowControl, Xon, Xoff)

This function will set the flow control for the device described by Handle. FlowControl must be FLOW_NONE, FLOW_RTS_CTS, FLOW_DTR_DSR, or FLOW_XON_XOFF. All of these variables are defined in the header files in the appendices. Xon is the character used to signal XON, and Xoff is the character used to signal XOFF. These are only used if FlowControl is set to FLOW_XON_XOFF, otherwise they are set to zero or null. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic Parameter Handle FlowControl Xon Xoff	Type long single string string	Description A number that uniquely identifies the device A number representing the type of flow control A character that signals XON A character that signals XOFF
C Parameter Handle FlowControl Xon Xoff	Type pvoid ushort uchar uchar	Description A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device A number representing the type of flow control A character that signals XON A character that signals XOFF

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
```

IngStatus = FT_SetFlowControl (IngHandle, FLOW_NONE, 0, 0)
If IngStatus = OK Then

'The function was successful, the flow control is set to FlowControl and the XON and XOFF characters are set Else

'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken End If

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;
USHORT FlowControl = FT_FLOW_NONE;
UCHAR XonChar = 0;
UCHAR XoffChar = 0;
Status = FT_SetFlowControl (Handle, FlowControl, XonChar, XoffChar);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful, the flow control is set to FlowControl and the XON and XOFF characters are set
} else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_SetDTR (Handle)

This function sets the Data Terminal Ready control line. This can be used for handshaking when the flow control is set to FLOW_DTR_DSR, or it can be used to control external circuitry. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter Type Description

Handle long A number that uniquely identifies the device

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Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;

Status = FT_SetDTR (Handle);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful, the DTR line is set
}
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_CIrDTR (Handle)

This function clears the Data Terminal Ready control line. This can be used for handshaking when the flow control is set to FLOW_DTR_DSR, or it can be used to control external circuitry. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter Type Description

Handle long A number that uniquely identifies the device

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Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
IngStatus = FT_CIrDTR (IngHandle)
If IngStatus = OK Then
'The function was successful, the DTR line is cleared
Else
'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
End If
```

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;

Status = FT_CIrDTR (Handle);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful, the DTR line is cleared
}
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_SetRTS (Handle)

This function sets the Request To Send control line. This can be used for handshaking when the flow control is set to FLOW_RTS_CTS, or it can be used to control external circuitry. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter Type Description

Handle long A number that uniquely identifies the device

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Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
IngStatus = FT_SetRTS (IngHandle)
If IngStatus = OK Then
'The function was successful, the RTS line is set
Else
'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
End If
```

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;

Status = FT_SetRTS (Handle);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful, the RTS line is set
}
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_CIrRTS (Handle)

This function clears the Request To Send control line. This can be used for handshaking when the flow control is set to FLOW_RTS_CTS, or it can be used to control external circuitry. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter Type Description

Handle long A number that uniquely identifies the device

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Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
IngStatus = FT_CIrRTS (IngHandle)
If IngStatus = OK Then
'The function was successful, the RTS line is cleared
Else
'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
End If
```

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;

Status = FT_CIrRTS (Handle);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful, the RTS line is cleared
}
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_GetModemStatus (Handle, ModemStatus)

This function is used to determine the state of the input control lines, CTS, DSR, RI, and CDC. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

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Parameter	Type	Description
Handle	long	A number that uniquely identifies the device
ModemStatus	long	A variable that receives a number representing the modem status

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Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device ModemStatus Ipdword A pointer to a dword variable that receives the modem status

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
Dim IngModemStatus As Long
IngStatus = FT GetModemStatus (IngHandle, IngModemStatus)
If (IngModemStatus And MODEM_STATUS_CTS) = MODEM_STATUS_CTS Then
  'CTS is high
Else
  'CTS is low
End If
If (IngModemStatus And MODEM_STATUS_DSR) = MODEM_STATUS_DSR Then
  'DSR is high
Else
  'DSR is low
End If
If (IngModemStatus And MODEM_STATUS_DCD) = MODEM_STATUS_DCD Then
  'DCD is high
Else
  'DCD is low
End If
If (IngModemStatus And MODEM STATUS RI) = MODEM STATUS RI Then
  'RI is high
Else
  'RI is low
End If
The following C code demonstrates this function.
```

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;
DWORD ModemStatus;

Status = FT_GetModemStatus (Handle, &ModemStatus);
if ((ModemStatus & MODEM_STATUS_CTS) == MODEM_STATUS_CTS) {
    // CTS is high
}
else {
    // CTS is low
```

FT_SetChars (Handle, EventCh, EventChEn, ErrorCh, ErrorChEn)

This function sets the special characters for the device. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic		
Parameter	Type	Description
Handle	long	A number that uniquely identifies the device
EventCh	string	Event character
EventChEn	string	0 if the event character is disabled, non-zero otherwise
ErrorCh	string	Error character
ErrorChEn	string	0 if the error character is disabled, non-zero otherwise
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Parameter	Type	Description
Handle	pvoid	A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device
EventCh	uchar	Event character
EventChEn	uchar	0 if the event character is disabled, non-zero otherwise
ErrorCh	uchar	Error character
ErrorChEn	uchar	0 if the error character is disabled, non-zero otherwise

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
Dim strEventCh As String
Dim strEventChEn As String
Dim strErrorCh As String
Dim strErrorChEn As String
```

IngStatus = FT_SetChars (IngHandle, strEventCh, strEventChEn, strErrorCh, strErrorChEn)
If IngStatus = OK Then

'The function was successful, the RTS line is cleared

Else

'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken End If

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;
UCHAR EventCh;
UCHAR EventChEn;
UCHAR ErrorCh;
UCHAR ErrorChEn;
Status = FT_SetChars (Handle, EventCh, EventChEn, ErrorCh, ErrorChEn);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful,
}
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_Purge (ftHandle, Mask)

This function purges receive and transmit buffers in the device. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

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Parameter	Type	Description
Handle	long	A number that uniquely identifies the device
Mask	long	Any combination of PURGE_RX and PURGE_TX

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Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device Mask dword Any combination of PURGE_RX and PURGE_TX

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
Dim IngMask As Long
```

IngMask = PURGE_RX Or PURGE_TX

IngStatus = FT_Purge (IngHandle, IngMask)
If IngStatus = OK Then

'The function was successful, the receive and transmit buffers have been cleared Else

'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken End If

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;
DWORD Mask;

Mask = PURGE_RX | PURGE_TX;

Status = FT_Purge (Handle, Mask);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful, the receive and transmit buffers have been cleared
}
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_SetTimeouts (Handle, ReadTimeout, WriteTimeout)

This function sets the read and write timeouts for the device. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic		
Parameter	Type	Description
Handle	long	A number that uniquely identifies the device
ReadTimeout	long	Read timeout in milliseconds
WriteTimeout	long	Write timeout in milliseconds
С		
Parameter	Type	Description
Handle	pvoid	A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device
ReadTimeout	dword	Read timeout in milliseconds
WriteTimeout	dword	Write timeout in milliseconds

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
IngStatus = FT_SetTimeouts (IngHandle, 5000, 1000)
If IngStatus = OK Then
```

'The function was successful, the read timeout is set to 5 seconds and the write timeout is set to 1 second Else

'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken End If

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;

Status = FT_SetTimeouts (Handle, 5000, 1000);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful, the read timeout is set to 5 seconds and the write timeout is set to 1 second }
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
```

FT_GetQueueStatus (Handle, AmountInRxQueue)

This function gets the number of characters currently in the receive queue and places the value in AmountlnRxQueue. This function can be called and the value in AmountlnRxQueue can be passed to FT_Read as BytesToRead so that the Read function will read the receive buffer and return immediately. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter Type Description

Handle long A number that uniquely identifies the device

AmountInRxQueue long Receives the number of characters in the receive queue

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Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

AmountInRxQueue Ipdword A pointer to a dword that gets the number of characters available

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long

Dim IngAnountInRxQueue as Long

IngStatus = FT_GetQueueStatus (IngHandle, IngAnountInRxQueue)

If IngStatus = OK Then

'The function was successful, the number of characters in the receive queue is in IngAnountInRxQueue Else

'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken End If

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;
DWORD AnountInRxQueue;

Status = FT_GetQueueStatus (Handle, &AnountInRxQueue);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful, the number of characters in the receive queue is in AnountInRxQueue
}
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_SetBreakOn (Handle)

This function sets the break condition for the device. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter Type Description

Handle long A number that uniquely identifies the device

C

Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
IngStatus = FT_SetBreakOn (IngHandle)
If IngStatus = OK Then
'The function was successful, the break condition is set
Else
'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
End If
```

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;

Status = FT_SetBreakOn (Handle);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful, the break condition is set
}
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
```

FT_SetBreakOff (Handle)

This function resets the break condition for the device. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter Type Description

Handle long A number that uniquely identifies the device

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Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
IngStatus = FT_SetBreakOff (IngHandle)
If IngStatus = OK Then
'The function was successful, the break condition is reset
Else
'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
End If
```

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;

Status = FT_SetBreakOff (Handle);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful, the break condition is reset
}
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
```

FT_GetStatus (Handle, AmountInRxQueue, AmountInTxQueue, EventStatus)

This function gets the status of the device. AmountInRxQueue gets the number of characters in the receive queue, AmountInTxQueue gets the number of characters in the transmit queue, and EventStatus gets a combination of EVENT_RXCHAR if a character is received and EVENT_MODEM_STATUS if the modern lines change states. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter	Type	Description
Handle	long	A number that uniquely identifies the device
AmountInRxQueue	long	Gets the number of bytes in the receive queue
AmountInTxQueue	long	Gets the number of bytes in the transmit queue
EventStatus	long	Gets a value of an event or returns zero

C

Parameter	Type	Description
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Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device
AmountInRxQueue Ipdword A pointer to a dword that gets the amount in the receive queue
AmountInTxQueue Ipdword A pointer to a dword that gets the amount in the transmit queue

EventStatus Ipdword A pointer to a dword that gets the event status

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
Dim IngAmountInRxQueue As Long
Dim IngAmountInTxQueue As Long
Dim IngEventStatus As Long
```

 $IngStatus = FT_GetStatus \ (IngHandle, IngAmountInRxQueue, IngAmountInTxQueue, IngEventStatus) \ If IngStatus = OK Then$

'The function was successful

Else

'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken End If

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;
DWORD AmountInRxQueue;
DWORD AmountInTxQueue;
DWORD EventStatus;

Status = FT_GetStatus (Handle, &AmountInRxQueue, &AmountInTxQueue, &EventStatus);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful
}
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_SetEventNotification (Handle, EventMask, Arg)

This function will set the events that the device should look for. EventMask is any combination of EVENT_RXCHAR and EVENT_MODEM_STATUS. EVENT_RXCHAR will cause the event to be set when a character has been received, and EVENT_MODEM_STATUS will cause the event to be set when the modem lines change. Arg is the handle of an event that has been created by the application. This function can be used by an application to set up conditions that allow a thread to block until one of the conditions is met. Typically, an application will create an event, call this function, then block on the event. When the conditions are met, the event is set, and the application thread unblocked. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic Parameter Handle EventMask Arg	Type long long long	Description A number that uniquely identifies the device Bit map describing the conditions that cause the event to be set The handle of an event
C Parameter Handle EventMask Arg	Type pvoid dword pvoid	Description A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device Bit map describing the conditions that cause the event to be set The handle of an event

Examples

Dim IngHandle As Long

Const INFINITE As Long = 1000 '&HFFFFFFF

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function. First, an event is created and the function is called.

```
Dim IngStatus As Long
Dim IngEventMask As Long
Dim IngEvent As Long
Dim IngModemStatus As Long
IngEvent = CreateEvent (0, False, False, "")
IngEventMask = EVENT RXCHAR Or EVENT MODEM STATUS
IngStatus = FT_SetEventNotification (IngHandle, IngEventMask, IngEvent)
  'This will wait for the event to trigger and release the object
IngStatus = WaitForSingleObject (IngEvent, INFINITE)
  'Call FT_GetModemStatus to determine what caused the event
IngStatus = FT GetModemStatus (IngHandle, IngModemStatus)
If (IngModemStatus And MODEM_STATUS_CTS) = MODEM_STATUS_CTS Then
  'CTS is high
Else
  'CTS is low
If (IngModemStatus And MODEM_STATUS_DSR) = MODEM_STATUS_DSR Then
  'DSR is high
Else
  'DSR is low
```

else {

// RI is low

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```
End If
If (IngModemStatus And MODEM_STATUS_DCD) = MODEM_STATUS_DCD Then
  'DCD is high
Else
  'DCD is low
End If
If (IngModemStatus And MODEM_STATUS_RI) = MODEM_STATUS_RI Then
  'RI is high
Else
  'RI is low
End If
The following C code demonstrates this function. First, an event is created and the function is called.
#define INFINITE
                 1000
PVOID Handle:
ULONG Status;
PVOID Event:
DWORD EventMask;
DWORD ModemStatus;
Event = CreateEvent (NULL, false, false, "");
EventMask = EVENT_RXCHAR | EVENT_MODEM_STATUS;
Status = FT SetEventNotification (Handle, EventMask, Event);
  // This will wait for the event to trigger and release the object
WaitForSingleObject (Event, INFINITE);
  // Call FT GetModemStatus to determine what caused the event
Status = FT_GetModemStatus (Handle, &ModemStatus);
if ((ModemStatus & MODEM STATUS CTS) == MODEM STATUS CTS) {
  // CTS is high
else {
  // CTS is low
if ((ModemStatus & MODEM_STATUS_DSR) == MODEM_STATUS_DSR) {
  // DSR is high
else {
  // DSR is low
if ((ModemStatus & MODEM_STATUS_DCD) == MODEM_STATUS_DCD) {
  // DCD is high
else {
  // DCD is low
if ((ModemStatus & MODEM STATUS RI) == MODEM STATUS RI) {
  // RI is high
```

FT_ResetDevice (Handle)

This function will reset the device described by Handle. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter Type Description

Handle long A number that uniquely identifies the device

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Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
IngStatus = FT_ResetDevice (IngHandle)
If IngStatus = OK Then
'The function was successful, the device is reset
Else
'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
End If
```

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;

Status = FT_ResetDevice (Handle);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful, the device is reset
}
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_ResetPort (Handle)

This function will send a reset command to the port in an attempt to recover the port after a failure. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter Type Description

Handle long A number that uniquely identifies the device

C

Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
IngStatus = FT_ResetPort (IngHandle)
If IngStatus = OK Then
'The function was successful, the port is reset
Else
'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
End If
```

```
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;

Status = FT_ResetPort (Handle);
if (Status == OK) {
    // The function was successful, the port is reset
}
else {
    // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
}
```

FT_StopInTask (Handle)

This function is used to put the driver's IN task (read) into a wait state. It can be used in situations where data is being received continuously so that the device can be purged without more data being received. It is used together with FT_RestartInTask, which sets the IN task running again. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

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Parameter Type Description

Handle long A number that uniquely identifies the device

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Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

Dim IngHandle As Long Dim IngStatus As Long

Do

IngStatus = FT_StopInTask (IngHandle) Loop While IngStatus <> OK

'Do something, for example purge the device

Do

IngStatus = FT_RestartInTask (IngHandle) Loop While IngStatus <> OK

FT_RestartInTask (Handle)

This function is used to restart the driver's IN task (read) after it has been stopped by a call to FT_StopInTask. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter Type Description

Handle long A number that uniquely identifies the device

C

Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long

Do
IngStatus = FT_StopInTask (IngHandle)
Loop While IngStatus <> OK

'Do something, for example purge device

Do
IngStatus = FT_RestartInTask (IngHandle)
Loop While IngStatus <> OK
```

FT_SetResetPipeRetryCount (Handle, Count)

This function is used to set the ResetPipeRetryCount. ResetPipeRetryCount controls the maximum number of times that the driver tries to reset a pipe on which an error has occurred.

ResetPipeRequestRetryCount defaults to 50. It may be necessary to increase this value in noisy environments where a lot of USB errors occur. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter Handle Count	Type long long	Description A number that uniquely identifies the device Contains the maximum number of times to try to reset the pipe
C Parameter Handle Count	Type pvoid dword	Description A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device Contains the maximum number of times to try to reset the pipe

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
Dim IngRetryCount As Long

IngRetryCount = 100
IngStatus = FT_SetResetPipeRetryCount (IngHandle, IngRetryCount)
If IngStatus = OK Then
'The function was successful, ResetPipeRetryCount is set to 100

Else
'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
End If
```

EEPROM Interface Functions

The EEPROM interface functions allow the application to access the on-board EEPROM. This can be useful in production to allow the programming of the device description as a part of the final production test. In addition, the application can use the free area to store a small amount of information.

FT_EE_UASize (Handle, Size)

This function determines the size of the User Area in the EEPROM and returns the number of bytes free in Size. This is the largest amount of data that can be stored in the EEPROM by the application. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter	Type	Description
Handle	long	A number that uniquely identifies the device
Size	long	A variable that gets the size of the free area in bytes
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Parameter	Type	Description
Handle	pvoid	A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device
Size	lpdword	A pointer to a variable that gets the size of the free area in bytes

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
Dim IngSize As Long
IngStatus = FT_EE_UASize (IngHandle, IngSize)
If IngStatus = OK Then
'The function was successful, Size contains the number of bytes free in the EEPROM
Else
'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
End If
```

FT_EE_UARead (Handle, Data, DataLen, BytesRead)

This function will read the data in the User Area on the EEPROM. Data contains the data that was read by the function, DataLen is the size of the string or character array that receives the data, and BytesRead is the actual number of bytes that were read. If DataLen is less than the size of the UA, then only DataLen bytes are read into the buffer. Otherwise, the entire UA is read into the buffer. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic Parameter Handle Data	Type long string	Description A number that uniquely identifies the device A buffer that holds the data from the User Area
DataLen BytesRead	long long	A variable that holds the number of bytes to be read from the UA A variable that holde the actual number of bytes read from the UA
C Parameter Handle Data DataLen BytesRead	Type pvoid puchar dword lpdword	Description A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device A pointer to a buffer that holds the data from the User Area A variable that holds the number of bytes to be read from the UA A pointer to a variable that receives teh number of bytes read

Examples

End If

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngStatus As Long
Dim strData As String * 64
Dim IngDataLen As Long
Dim IngBytesRead As Long
Dim IngBytesRead As Long
IngDataLen = 64
IngStatus = FT_EE_UARead (IngHandle, strData, IngDataLen, IngBytesRead)
If IngStatus = OK Then
'The function was successful, strData holds IngBytesRead bytes of data read from the UA on the EEPROM
Else
'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
```

FT_EE_UAWrite (Handle, Data, DataLen)

Type

This function will write the information contained in Data to the User Area in the EEPROM. DataLen contains the amount of data to be written. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

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Handle	long	A number that uniquely identifies the device
Data	string	A buffer that holds the data from the User Area
DataLen	long	A variable that holds the number of bytes to be read from the UA
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Parameter	Type	Description
Handle	pvoid	A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device
Data	puchar	A pointer to a buffer that holds the data from the User Area
DataLen	dword	A variable that holds the number of bytes to be read from the UA

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

```
Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
Dim strData As String * 64
Dim IngDataLen As Long
IngDataLen = 64
IngStatus = FT_EE_UAWrite (IngHandle, strData, IngDataLen)
If IngStatus = OK Then
'The function was successful, the UA on the EEPROM contains strData
Else
'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
End If
```

Description

FT_EE_Read (Handle, Data)

This function will read the contents of the programmed section of the EEPROM and place the information into data structure Data. The type definition for Data is included in the header files at the end of this document. The function does not perform any checks on buffer sizes, so the buffers passed in the PROGRAM_DATA structure must be big enough to accommodate their respective strings (including null terminators). The sizes shown in the following example are more than adequate and can be rounded down if necessary. The restriction is that the Manufacturer string length plus the Description string length is less than or equal to 40 characters. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter Type Description

Handle long A number that uniquely identifies the device

Data structure A structure of type PROGRAM DATA

C

Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device Data structure A pointer to a structure of type PROGRAM_DATA

Examples

Using this function in Visual Basic becomes complicated because the PROGRAM_DATA structure contains only POINTERS to bytearrays. This means that the variables Manufacturer, ManufacturerID, Description and SerialNumber are passed as POINTERS to the locations of bytearrays. Each Byte in these arrays will be filled with one character of the whole string. Visual Basic supports getting the addresses of pointers, however the functions to do so are undocumented. For more information on how to get pointers to variables in Visual Basic, see Microsoft Knowledge Base Article Q199824. The function used in this example is VarPtr, which returns the address of a variable. The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

Dim IngHandle As Long Dim IngStatus As Long Dim EEData As PROGRAM DATA

'Bytearrays as "string-containers": Dim bManufacturer(32) As Byte Dim bManufacturerID(16) As Byte Dim bDescription(64) As Byte Dim bSerialNumber(16) As Byte

'Use an undocumented function to return a pointer EEData.Manufacturer = VarPtr (bManufacturer(0)) EEData.ManufacturerId = VarPtr (bManufacturerID(0)) EEData.Description = VarPtr (bDescription(0)) EEData.SerialNumber = VarPtr (bSerialNumber(0))

IngStatus = FT_EE_Read (IngHandle, EEData)
If IngStatus = OK Then

'The function was successful, the information in the EEPROM is in EEData 'Convert the resulting bytearrays to strings (NULL-characters at the end are cut off) strManufacturer = StrConv (bManufacturer, vbUnicode) strManufacturer = Left (strManufacturer, InStr (strManufacturer, Chr(0)) - 1)

strManufacturerID = StrConv (bManufacturerID, vbUnicode)

```
strManufacturerID = Left (strManufacturerID, InStr (strManufacturerID, Chr(0)) - 1)
  strDescription = StrConv (bDescription, vbUnicode)
  strDescription = Left (strDescription, InStr (strDescription, Chr(0)) - 1)
  strSerialNumber = StrConv (bSerialNumber, vbUnicode)
  strSerialNumber = Left (strSerialNumber, InStr (strSerialNumber, Chr(0)) - 1)
Else
   'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
End If
The following C code demonstrates this function.
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;
PROGRAM_DATA EEData;
char ManufacturerBuf[32];
char ManufacturerIdBuf[16];
char DescriptionBuf[64];
char SerialNumberBuf[16];
EEData.Manufacturer = ManufacturerBuf;
EEData.ManufacturerId = ManufacturerIdBuf;
EEData.Description = DescriptionBuf;
EEData.SerialNumber = SerialNumberBuf;
Status = FT_EE_Read (Handle, &EEData);
if (Status == OK) {
       // The function was successful, the information in the EEPROM is in EEData
else {
       // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
```

FT_EE_Program (Handle, Data)

This function will write the contents of structure Data to the EEPROM. The type definition for Data is included in the header files at the end of this document. If the SerialNumber field in PROGRAM_DATA is NULL, or SerialNumber points to a NULL string, a serial number based on the ManufacturerId and the current date and time will be generated. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

ParameterTypeDescriptionHandlelongA number that uniquely identifies the deviceDatastructureA structure of type PROGRAM_DATA

C

Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Data structure A pointer to a structure of type PROGRAM_DATA

Examples

Using this function in Visual Basic becomes complicated because the PROGRAM_DATA structure contains only POINTERS to bytearrays. This means that the variables Manufacturer, ManufacturerID, Description and SerialNumber are passed as POINTERS to the locations of bytearrays. Each Byte in these arrays will be filled with one character of the whole string. Visual Basic supports getting the addresses of pointers, however the functions to do so are undocumented. For more information on how to get pointers to variables in Visual Basic, see Microsoft Knowledge Base Article Q199824. The function used in this example is VarPtr, which returns the address of a variable. The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

Dim IngHandle As Long
Dim IngStatus As Long
Dim EEData As PROGRAM_DATA
Dim strManufacturer As String
Dim strManufacturerID As String
Dim strDescription As String
Dim strSerialNumber As String

'Declare byte arrays as "string-containers": Dim bManufacturer(32) As Byte Dim bManufacturerID(16) As Byte Dim bDescription(64) As Byte Dim bSerialNumber(16) As Byte

'Load the strings strManufacturer = "Linx Technologies" strManufacturerID = "LT" strDescription = "LINX SDM-USB-QS-S" strSerialNumber = ""

'Load the EEData structure with the default data EEData.Vendorld = 0x0403 EEData.ProductId = 0xF448 EEData.MaxPower = 100 EEData.PnP = 1 EEData.SelfPowered = 0

```
EEData.RemoteWakeup = 1
EEData.Rev4 = TRUE
EEData.IsoIn = TRUE
EEData.IsoOut = TRUE
EEData.PullDownEnable = TRUE
EEData.SerNumEnable = FALSE
EEData.USBVersionEnable = FALSE
EEData.USBVersion = 0
'Use an undocumented function to return a pointer
EEData.Manufacturer = VarPtr(bManufacturer(0))
EEData.ManufacturerId = VarPtr(bManufacturerID(0))
EEData.Description = VarPtr(bDescription(0))
EEData.SerialNumber = VarPtr(bSerialNumber(0))
'Convert the strings to byte arrays
StringToByteArray (strManufacturer, bManufacturer)
StringToByteArray (strManufacturerID, bManufacturerID)
StringToByteArray (strDescription, bDescription)
StringToByteArray (strSerialNumber, bSerialNumber)
'Now write the complete set of EEPROM data
IngStatus = FT_EE_Program (IngHandle, EEData)
If IngStatus = OK Then
  'The function was successful, the information in the EEPROM is in EEData
Else
   'The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
End If
'This function will convert a string to a byte array
Private Sub StringToByteArray (strString, bByteArray)
Dim IngN As Long
'Fill bByteArray with "0":
For IngN = 0 To UBound (bByteArray)
  bByteArray (IngN) = 0
Next
For IngN = 1 To Len(strString)
  bByteArray(IngN - 1) = Asc(Mid(strString, IngN, 1))
Next
End Sub
The following C code demonstrates this function.
PVOID Handle;
ULONG Status;
PROGRAM DATA EEData:
// Load the EEData structure with the default data
EEData = {0x0403, 0xF449, "Linx Technologies", "LT", "LINX SDM-USB-QS-S", "", 44, 1, 0, 1, TRUE, TRUE, TRUE,
TRUE, FALSE, FALSE, 0}
Status = FT_EE_Program (Handle, &EEData);
if (Status == OK) {
       // The function was successful, the information in EEData is in the EEPROM
else {
       // The function failed. The error code can be reviewed and appropriate corrective action taken
```

FT_EraseEE (Handle)

This function will erase the EEPROM. If the function executes successfully then it will return OK otherwise it will return an error code.

Visual Basic

Parameter Type Description

Handle long A number that uniquely identifies the device

C

Parameter Type Description

Handle pvoid A pointer to a number that uniquely identifies the device

Examples

The following Visual Basic code demonstrates this function.

The following C code demonstrates this function.

Appendix A

QS Series Visual Basic Header File

This appendix contains the Visual Basic header file that contains all of the function and constant definitions covered in this guide. This text can be copied and pasted into a module in the user's Visual Basic project.

' Function declarations

Public Declare Function FT_ListDevices Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal arg1 As Long, ByVal arg2 As String, ByVal dwFlags As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_Open Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal intDeviceNumber As Integer, ByRef IngHandle As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_OpenEx Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal arg1 As String, ByVal arg2 As Long, ByRef IngHandle As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_Close Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_Read Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByVal IpszBuffer As String, ByVal IngBufferSize As Long,_ ByRef IngBytesReturned As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_Write Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByVal IpszBuffer As String, ByVal IngBufferSize As Long, ByRef IngBytesWritten As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_SetBaudRate Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByVal IngBaudRate As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_SetDataCharacteristics Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByVal byWordLength As Byte,_ ByVal byStopBits As Byte, ByVal byParity As Byte) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_SetFlowControl Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByVal intFlowControl As Integer, ByVal byXonChar As Byte,_ ByVal byXoffChar As Byte) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_SetDtr Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_ClrDtr Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_SetRts Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_ClrRts Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_GetModemStatus Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByRef IngModemStatus As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_SetChars Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByVal byEventChar As Byte, ByVal byEventCharEnabled As Byte, ByVal byErrorChar As Byte, ByVal byErrorCharEnabled As Byte) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_Purge Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByVal IngMask As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_SetTimeouts Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByVal IngReadTimeout As Long,_

ByVal IngWriteTimeout As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_GetQueueStatus Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByRef IngRXBytes As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_SetBreakOn Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_SetBreakOff Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_GetStatus Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByRef IngRXBytes As Long, ByRef IngTXBytes As Long, ByRef IngEventsDWord As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_ResetDevice Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long) As Long

' New Functions

Public Declare Function FT_SetEventNotification Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByVal dwEventMask As Long, ByVal Arg As Long)_
As Long

Public Declare Function FT_ResetPort Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_RestartInTask Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_StopInTask Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_SetResetPipeRetryCount Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByVal IngCount As Long) As Long

' EEPROM programming function declarations

Public Declare Function FT_EE_Program Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByRef IpData As PROGRAM_DATA) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_EE_Read Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByRef IpData As PROGRAM_DATA) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_EE_UARead Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByVal pucData As String, ByVal dwDataLen As Long, ByRef lpdwBytesRead As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_EE_UAWrite Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByVal pucData As String, ByVal dwDataLen As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_EE_UASize Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long, ByRef IpdwSize As Long) As Long

Public Declare Function FT_EraseEE Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" (ByVal IngHandle As Long) As Long

^{&#}x27;Supporting functions for conversion from C to Visual Basic

Used instead of FT ListDevices to get the number of devices on the bus Public Declare Function FT_GetNumDevices Lib "FTD2XX.DLL" Alias "FT_ListDevices" (ByRef arg1 As Long, ByVal arg2 As String,_ ByVal dwFlags As Long) As Long ' Constant Declarations ' Return codes Public Const OK = 0Public Const INVALID_HANDLE = 1 Public Const DEVICE NOT FOUND = 2 Public Const DEVICE_NOT_OPENED = 3 Public Const IO ERROR = 4 Public Const INSUFFICIENT_RESOURCES = 5 Public Const INVALID_PARAMETER = 6 Public Const INVALID_BAUD_RATE = 7 Public Const DEVICE NOT OPENED FOR ERASE = 8 Public Const DEVICE_NOT_OPENED_FOR_WRITE = 9 Public Const FAILED_TO_WRITE_DEVICE = 10 Public Const EEPROM_READ_FAILED = 11 Public Const EEPROM_WRITE_FAILED = 12 Public Const EEPROM ERASE FAILED = 13 Public Const EEPROM_NOT_PRESENT = 14 Public Const EEPROM_NOT_PROGRAMMED = 15 Public Const INVALID_ARGS = 16 Public Const OTHER_ERROR = 17 ' Flow Control Public Const FLOW NONE = &H0 Public Const FLOW_RTS_CTS = &H100 Public Const FLOW_DTR_DSR = &H200 Public Const FLOW_XON_XOFF = &H400 ' Purge rx and tx buffers Public Const PURGE RX = 1 Public Const PURGE_TX = 2 ' Flags for FT_OpenEx Public Const OPEN_BY_SERIAL_NUMBER = 1 Public Const OPEN_BY_DESCRIPTION = 2 ' Flags for FT_ListDevices Public Const LIST_BY_NUMBER_ONLY = &H80000000 Public Const LIST_BY_INDEX = &H40000000 Public Const LIST_ALL = &H20000000 ' Modem Status Public Const MODEM_STATUS_CTS = &H10 Public Const MODEM_STATUS_DSR = &H20 Public Const MODEM_STATUS_RI = &H40 Public Const MODEM_STATUS_DCD = &H80 ' Event Masks Public Const EVENT RXCHAR = 1 Public Const EVENT_MODEM_STATUS = 2

' Baud Rates

Public Const BAUD 300 = 300

Public Const BAUD_600 = 600

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Public Const BAUD_1200 = 1200
Public Const BAUD_2400 = 2400
Public Const BAUD_4800 = 4800
Public Const BAUD_9600 = 9600
Public Const BAUD_14400 = 14400
Public Const BAUD_19200 = 19200
Public Const BAUD_38400 = 38400
Public Const BAUD_57600 = 57600
Public Const BAUD_115200 = 115200
Public Const BAUD_115200 = 115200
Public Const BAUD_230400 = 230400
Public Const BAUD_460800 = 460800
Public Const BAUD_921600 = 921600
```

' Word Lengths

Public Const BITS_8 = 8
Public Const BITS_7 = 7
Public Const BITS_6 = 6
Public Const BITS 5 = 5

' Stop Bits

Public Const STOP_BITS_1 = 0
Public Const STOP_BITS_1_5 = 1
Public Const STOP_BITS_2 = 2

' Parity

Public Const PARITY_NONE = 0
Public Const PARITY_ODD = 1
Public Const PARITY_EVEN = 2
Public Const PARITY_MARK = 3
Public Const PARITY SPACE = 4

' Type declaration for EEPROM programming

Public Type PROGRAM_DATA

Vendorld As Integer '0x0403 Productld As Integer '0xF448

Manufacturer As Long '32 "Linx Technologies"

ManufacturerId As Long '16 "LT"

Description As Long '64 "LINX SDM-USB-QS-S"
SerialNumber As Long '16 "LT000001" if fixed, or NULL
MaxPower As Integer '0 < MaxPower <= 500

PNP As Integer '0 = disabled, 1 = enabled

SelfPowered As Integer '0 = bus powered, 1 = self powered
RemoteWakeup As Integer '0 = not capable, 1 = capable

' Rev4 extensions:

Rev4 As Byte true if Rev4 chip, false otherwise
IsoIn As Byte true if in endpoint is isochronous
IsoOut As Byte true if out endpoint is isochronous

PullDownEnable As Byte 'true if pull down enabled
SerNumEnable As Byte 'true if serial number to be used
USBVersionEnable As Byte 'true if chip uses USBVersion
USBVersion As Integer 'BCD (0x0200 => USB2)

End Type

Appendix B

#ifndef FTD2XX H

QS Series C Header File

This appendix contains the C header file that contains all of the function and constant definitions covered in this guide. This text can be copied and pasted into a module in the user's C project.

```
#define FTD2XX_H
// The following ifdef block is the standard way of creating macros
// which make exporting from a DLL simpler. All files within this DLL
// are compiled with the FTD2XX_EXPORTS symbol defined on the command line.
// This symbol should not be defined on any project that uses this DLL.
// This way any other project whose source files include this file see
// FTD2XX_API functions as being imported from a DLL, whereas this DLL
// sees symbols defined with this macro as being exported.
#ifdef FTD2XX_EXPORTS
#define FTD2XX_API __declspec(dllexport)
#define FTD2XX_API __declspec(dllimport)
#endif
typedef PVOID
                HANDI F:
typedef ULONG
                STATUS;
//Function declarations
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_ListDevices (PVOID pArg1, PVOID pArg2, DWORD Flags);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_Open (int deviceNumber, HANDLE *pHandle);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_OpenEx (PVOID pArg1, DWORD Flags, HANDLE *pHandle);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_Close (HANDLE Handle);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_Read (HANDLE Handle, LPVOID IpBuffer, DWORD nBufferSize, LPDWORD IpBytesReturned);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_Write (HANDLE Handle, LPVOID lpBuffer, DWORD nBufferSize, LPDWORD lpBytesWritten);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_SetBaudRate (HANDLE Handle, ULONG BaudRate);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_SetDataCharacteristics (HANDLE Handle, UCHAR WordLength, UCHAR StopBits, UCHAR Parity);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_SetFlowControl (HANDLE Handle, USHORT FlowControl, UCHAR XonChar, UCHAR XoffChar);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_SetDtr (HANDLE Handle);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_CIrDtr (HANDLE Handle);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_SetRts (HANDLE Handle);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_CIrRts (HANDLE Handle);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_GetModemStatus (HANDLE Handle, ULONG *pModemStatus);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_SetChars (HANDLE Handle, UCHAR EventChar, UCHAR EventCharEnabled, UCHAR ErrorChar, UCHAR
  ErrorCharEnabled):
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_Purge (HANDLE Handle, ULONG Mask);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_SetTimeouts (HANDLE Handle, ULONG ReadTimeout, ULONG WriteTimeout);
FTD2XX API STATUS WINAPI FT_GetQueueStatus (HANDLE Handle, DWORD *dwRxBytes);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_SetBreakOn (HANDLE Handle);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_SetBreakOff (HANDLE Handle);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_GetStatus (HANDLE Handle, DWORD *dwRxBytes, DWORD *dwTxBytes, DWORD *dwEventDWord);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_ResetDevice (HANDLE Handle);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_SetEventNotification (HANDLE Handle, DWORD Mask, PVOID Param);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_ResetPort (HANDLE Handle);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_RestartInTask (HANDLE Handle);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_StopInTask (HANDLE Handle);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_SetResetPipeRetryCount (HANDLE Handle, DWORD dwCount);
```

//EEPROM function declarations

```
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_EE_Program (HANDLE Handle, PPROGRAM_DATA pData);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_EE_Read (HANDLE Handle, PPROGRAM_DATA pData);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_EE_UARead (HANDLE Handle, PUCHAR pucData, DWORD dwDataLen, LPDWORD lpdwBytesRead);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_EE_UAWrite (HANDLE Handle, PUCHAR pucData, DWORD dwDataLen);
FTD2XX API STATUS WINAPI FT EE UASize (HANDLE Handle, LPDWORD IpdwSize);
FTD2XX_API STATUS WINAPI FT_EraseEE (HANDLE Handle);
//Constant Declarations
'//Return codes
enum {
  OK.
  INVALID_HANDLE,
  DEVICE_NOT_FOUND,
  DEVICE_NOT_OPENED,
  IO ERROR.
  INSUFFICIENT RESOURCES.
  INVALID PARAMETER,
  INVALID_BAUD_RATE,
  DEVICE_NOT_OPENED_FOR_ERASE,
  DEVICE NOT OPENED FOR WRITE.
  FAILED_TO_WRITE_DEVICE,
  EEPROM_READ_FAILED,
  EEPROM_WRITE_FAILED,
  EEPROM_ERASE_FAILED,
  EEPROM_NOT_PRESENT,
  EEPROM NOT PROGRAMMED.
  INVALID ARGS.
  OTHER ERROR
};
// Flow Control
#define FLOW NONE
                      0x0000
#define FLOW_RTS_CTS
                      0x0100
#define FLOW_DTR_DSR
                      0x0200
#define FLOW_XON_XOFF
                              0x0400
// Purge rx and tx buffers
#define PURGE RX
                      1
#define PURGE_TX
                      2
// FT_OpenEx Flags
#define OPEN_BY_SERIAL_NUMBER
                                     1
#define OPEN_BY_DESCRIPTION
                                     2
// FT_ListDevices Flags (used in conjunction with FT_OpenEx Flags)
                              0x80000000
#define LIST_NUMBER_ONLY
#define LIST_BY_INDEX
                              0x40000000
#define LIST_ALL
                              0x20000000
#define LIST_MASK (LIST_NUMBER_ONLY | LIST_BY_INDEX | LIST_ALL)
// Modem Status
#define MODEM_STATUS_CTS
                              &H10
#define MODEM_STATUS_DSR
                              &H20
#define MODEM_STATUS_RI
                              &H40
#define MODEM_STATUS_DCD
                              &H80
```

// Event Masks

```
#define EVENT RXCHAR
#define EVENT_MODEM_STATUS
                                   2
// Baud Rates
#define BAUD_300
                                    300
#define BAUD 600
                                    600
#define BAUD 1200
                                    1200
#define BAUD 2400
                                    2400
#define BAUD_4800
                                    4800
#define BAUD_9600
                                    9600
#define BAUD_14400
                                    14400
#define BAUD 19200
                                    19200
#define BAUD_38400
                                    38400
#define BAUD_57600
                                    57600
#define BAUD_115200
                                    115200
#define BAUD_230400
                                    230400
#define BAUD_460800
                                    460800
#define BAUD_921600
                                    921600
// Word Lengths
#define BITS_8
                                    (UCHAR) 8
#define BITS_7
                                    (UCHAR) 7
#define BITS_6
                                    (UCHAR) 6
#define BITS 5
                                    (UCHAR) 5
// Stop Bits
#define STOP_BITS_1
                                    (UCHAR) 0
#define STOP_BITS_1_5
                                    (UCHAR) 1
#define STOP_BITS_2
                                    (UCHAR) 2
// Parity
#define PARITY_NONE
                                    (UCHAR) 0
#define PARITY_ODD
                                    (UCHAR) 1
#define PARITY_EVEN
                                    (UCHAR) 2
#define PARITY_MARK
                                    (UCHAR) 3
#define PARITY_SPACE
                                    (UCHAR) 4
// Type declaration for EEPROM programming
typedef struct PROGRAM_DATA {
                                            // 0x0403
         WORD Vendorld;
         WORD ProductId:
                                            // 0xF448
        char *Manufacturer;
                                            // 32, "Linx Technologies"
        char *ManufacturerId:
                                            // 16. "LT"
         char *Description;
                                            // 64 "LINX SDM-USB-QS-S"
         char *SerialNumber;
                                            // 16 "LT000001" if fixed, or NULL
         WORD MaxPower;
                                            // 0 < MaxPower <= 500
         WORD PnP;
                                            // 0 = disabled, 1 = enabled
         WORD SelfPowered:
                                            // 0 = bus powered, 1 = self powered
         WORD RemoteWakeup:
                                            // 0 = not capable, 1 = capable
        // Rev4 extensions
         UCHAR Rev4:
                                            // true if Rev4 chip, false otherwise
         UCHAR IsoIn;
                                            // true if in endpoint is isochronous
         UCHAR IsoOut:
                                            // true if out endpoint is isochronous
         UCHAR PullDownEnable;
                                            // true if pull down enabled
         UCHAR SerNumEnable:
                                            // true if serial number to be used
         UCHAR USBVersionEnable:
                                            // true if chip uses USBVersion
         WORD USBVersion:
                                            // BCD (0x0200 => USB2)
} PROGRAM_DATA, *PPROGRAM_DATA;
```

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