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# 1 Introduction

## 1.1 Device Driver

The TIP816-SW-72 LynxOS device driver allows the operation of a TIP816 Extended CAN bus IP on LynxOS operating systems.

The standard file (I/O) functions (*open*, *close*, *read*, *write* and *ioctl*) provide the basic interface for opening and closing a file descriptor and for performing device I/O and control operations.

The TIP816 device driver includes the following functions:

- Transmission and receive of Standard and Extended Identifiers
- Up to 15 receive message queues with user defined size
- Variable allocation of receive message objects to receive queues
- Standard bit rates from 5 kbit up to 1.6 Mbit and user defined bit rates
- Message acceptance filtering
- Definition of receive and remote buffer message objects

The TIP816-SW-72 supports the modules listed below:

TIP816-10	Extended CAN Bus IP	(IndustryPack ®)
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To get more information about the features and use of the supported devices it is recommended to read the manuals listed below.

- TIP816 User manual
- TIP816 Engineering Manual and Intel 82527 CAN controller specification
- CARRIER-SW-72 IPAC Carrier User Manual

## 1.2 IPAC Carrier Driver

IndustryPack (IPAC) carrier boards have different implementations of the system to IndustryPack bus bridge logic, different implementations of interrupt and error handling and so on. Also the different byte ordering (big-endian versus little-endian) of CPU boards will cause problems on accessing the IndustryPack I/O and memory spaces.

To simplify the implementation of IPAC device drivers which work with any supported carrier board, TEWS TECHNOLOGIES has designed a so called Carrier Driver that hides all differences of different carrier boards under a well defined interface.

The TEWS TECHNOLOGIES IPAC Carrier Driver CARRIER-SW-72 is part of this TIP816-SW-72 distribution. It is located in directory CARRIER-SW-72 on the corresponding distribution media.

This IPAC Device Driver requires a properly installed IPAC Carrier Driver. Due to the design of the Carrier Driver, it is sufficient to install the IPAC Carrier Driver once, even if multiple IPAC Device Drivers are used.

Please refer to the CARRIER-SW-72 User Manual for a detailed description how to install and setup the CARRIER-SW-72 device driver, and for a description of the TEWS TECHNOLOGIES IPAC Carrier Driver concept.

## 2 Installation

The directory TIP816-SW-72 on the distribution media contains the following files:

TIP816-SW-72-1.2.1.pdf	This manual in PDF format
TIP816-SW-72-SRC.tar	Device Driver and Example sources
ChangeLog.txt	Release history
Release.txt	Release information

The TAR archive TIP816-SW-72-SRC.tar contains the following files and directories:

Directory path 'tip816':

tip816.c	Driver source code
tip816.h	Definitions and data structures for driver and application
tip816def.h	Definitions and data structures for the driver
tip816_info.c	Device information definition
tip816_info.h	Device information definition header
tip816.cfg	Driver configuration file include
tip816.import	Linker imports file for PowerPC platforms
Makefile	Device driver make file
example/tip816exa.c	Example application source
example/Makefile	Example application make file

In order to perform a driver installation first extract the TAR file to a temporary directory then copy the following files to their target directories:

1. Create a new directory in the system drivers directory path `/sys/drivers.xxx`, where xxx represents the BSP that supports the target hardware.  
For example: `/sys/drivers.pp_drm/tip816` or `/sys/drivers.cpci_x86/tip816`
2. Copy the following files to this directory:
  - tip816.c
  - tip816def.h
  - tip816.import
  - Makefile
3. Copy tip816.h to `/usr/include/`
4. Copy tip816\_info.c to `/sys/devices.xxx/` or `/sys/devices` if `/sys/devices.xxx` does not exist (xxx represents the BSP).
5. Copy tip816\_info.h to `/sys/dheaders/`
6. Copy tip816.cfg to `/sys/cfg.xxx/`, where xxx represents the BSP for the target platform

For example: `/sys/cfg.ppc` or `/sys/cfg.x86 ...`

**Before building a new device driver, the TEWS TECHNOLOGIES IPAC carrier driver must be installed properly, because this driver includes the header file `ipac_carrier.h`, which is part of the IPAC carrier driver distribution. Please refer to the IPAC carrier driver user manual in the directory path `CARRIER-SW-72` on the separate distribution media.**

## 2.1 Device Driver Installation

The two methods of driver installation are as follows:

- Static Installation
- Dynamic Installation (only native LynxOS systems)

**Both installation methods require the TEWS TECHNOLOGIES IPAC Carrier Driver. Please refer to the IPAC Carrier Driver User Manual for detailed information.**

### 2.1.1 Static Installation

With this method, the driver object code is linked with the kernel routines and is installed during system start-up.

#### 2.1.1.1 Build the driver object

1. Change to the directory `/sys/drivers.xxx/tip816`, where `xxx` represents the BSP that supports the target hardware.
2. To update the library `/sys/lib/libdrivers.a` enter:

```
make install
```

#### 2.1.1.2 Create Device Information Declaration

1. Change to the directory `/sys/devices.xxx/` or `/sys/devices` if `/sys/devices.xxx` does not exist (`xxx` represents the BSP).
2. Add the following dependencies to the Makefile

```
DEVICE_FILES_all = ... tip816_info.x
```

And at the end of the Makefile

```
tip816_info.o:$(DHEADERS)/tip816_info.h
```

3. To update the library `/sys/lib/libdevices.a` enter:

```
make install
```

#### 2.1.1.3 Modify the Device and Driver Configuration File

In order to insert the driver object code into the kernel image, an appropriate entry in file `CONFIG.TBL` must be created.

1. Change to the directory `/sys/lynx.os/` respective `/sys/bsp.xxx`, where `xxx` represents the BSP that supports the target hardware.
2. Create an entry at the end of the file `CONFIG.TBL`

Insert the following entry at the end of this file. Be sure that the necessary TEWS TECHNOLOGIES IPAC carrier driver is included **before** this entry.

```
I:tip816.cfg
```

---

### 2.1.1.4 Rebuild the Kernel

1. Change to the directory `/sys/lynx.os/ (/sys/bsp.xxx)`
2. Enter the following command to rebuild the kernel:

```
make install
```

3. Reboot the newly created operating system by the following command (not necessary for KDIs):

```
reboot -aN
```

The N flag instructs init to run `mknod` and create all the nodes mentioned in the new `nodetab`.

4. After reboot you should find the following new devices (depends on the device configuration):  
`/dev/tip816_0`, `/dev/tip816_1`, `/dev/tip816_2` and so on.



## 2.1.2 Dynamic Installation

This method allows you to install the driver after the operating system is booted. The driver object code is attached to the end of the kernel image and the operating system dynamically adds this driver to its internal structures. The driver can also be removed dynamically.

### 2.1.2.1 Build the driver object

1. Change to the directory `/sys/drivers.xxx/tip816`, where `xxx` represents the BSP that supports the target hardware.
2. To make the dynamic link-able driver enter :

```
make
```

### 2.1.2.2 Create Device Information Declaration

1. Change to the directory `/sys/drivers.xxx/tip816`, where `xxx` represents the BSP that supports the target hardware.
2. To create a device definition file for the major device (this work only on native system)

```
make t816info
```

3. To install the driver enter:

```
drinstall -c tip816.obj
```

If successful, `drinstall` returns a unique `<driver-ID>`

4. To install the major device enter:

```
devinstall -c -d <driver-ID> t816info
```

The `<driver-ID>` is returned by the `drinstall` command

5. To create nodes for the devices enter:

```
mknod /dev/tip816_0 c <major_no> 0
```

```
mknod /dev/tip816_1 c <major_no> 1
```

```
mknod /dev/tip816_2 c <major_no> 2
```

```
...
```

The `<major_no>` is returned by the `devinstall` command.

If all steps are successful completed the TIP816 is ready to use.

### 2.1.2.3 Uninstall dynamic loaded driver

To uninstall the TIP816 device driver enter the following commands:

```
devinstall -u -c <device-ID>
```

```
drinstall -u <driver-ID>
```

### 2.1.3 Configuration File: CONFIG.TBL

The device and driver configuration file CONFIG.TBL contains entries for device drivers and its major and minor device declarations. Each time the system is rebuilt, the config utility read this file and produces a new set of driver and device configuration tables and a corresponding nodetab.

To install the TIP816 driver and devices into the LynxOS system, the configuration include file tip816.cfg must be included in the CONFIG.TBL (see also 2.1.1.3).

The file tip816.cfg on the distribution disk contains the driver entry (*C:TIP816:\...*) and a major device entry (*D:TIP816:t816info::*) with 8 minor device entries (*"N: tip816\_0:0"*, ..., *"N: tip816\_7:7"*).

If the driver should support more than eight TIP816, additional minor device entries must be added. To create the device node */dev/tip816\_8* the line *N:tip816\_8:8* must be added at the end of the file tip816.cfg. For the next node a minor device entry with 9 must be added and so on.

This example shows the predefined driver entry:

```
# Format :
# C:driver-name:open:close:read:write:select:control:install:uninstall
# D:device-name:info-block-name:raw-partner-name
# N:node-name:minor-dev

C:TIP816:\
    :t816open:t816close:t816read:t816write:\
    ::t816ioctl:t816install:t816uninstall
D:TIP816:t816info::
N:tip816_0:0
N:tip816_1:1
N:tip816_2:2
N:tip816_3:3
N:tip816_4:4
N:tip816_5:5
N:tip816_6:6
N:tip816_7:7
```

The configuration above creates the following node in the */dev* directory.

*/dev/tip816\_0 ... /dev/tip816\_7*

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## 2.2 Receive Queue Configuration

Received CAN messages will be stored in receive queues. Each receive queue contains a FIFO. The number of receive queues and the depth of the FIFO can be adapted by changing the following symbols in *tip816def.h*.

- NUM\_RX\_QUEUES** Defines the number of receive queues for each device (default = 3). Valid numbers are in range between 1 and 15.
- RX\_FIFO\_SIZE** Defines the depth of the message FIFO inside each receive queue (default = 100). Valid numbers are in range between 1 and MAXINT.

## 3 Device Driver Programming

LynxOS system calls are all available directly to any C program. They are implemented as ordinary function calls to "glue" routines in the system library, which trap to the OS code.

Note that many system calls use data structures, which should be obtained in a program from appropriate header files. Necessary header files are listed with the system call synopsis.

### 3.1 open()

#### NAME

open() – Opens a file

#### SYNOPSIS

```
#include <sys/file.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <fcntl.h>
```

```
int open ( char *path, int oflags[, mode_t mode] )
```

#### DESCRIPTION

Opens a file (TIP816 device) named in *path* for reading and writing. The value of *oflags* indicates the intended use of the file. In case of a TIP816 devices *oflags* must be set to **O\_RDWR** to open the file for both reading and writing.

The *mode* argument is required only when a file is created. Because a TIP816 device already exists this argument is ignored.

#### EXAMPLE

```
int fd

/*
** Open the device named "/dev/tip816_0" for I/O
*/

fd = open ("/dev/tip816_0", O_RDWR);
```

## **RETURNS**

If successful *open* returns a file descriptor number or in case of an error returns -1.

## **SEE ALSO**

LynxOS System Call - *open()*

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## 3.2 close()

### NAME

close() – Closes a file

### SYNOPSIS

```
int close( int fd )
```

### DESCRIPTION

This function closes an opened device.

### EXAMPLE

```
int result;

/*
**  Close the device
*/

result = close(fd);
```

### RETURNS

If successful *close* returns 0 (OK) or in case of an error returns -1.

### SEE ALSO

LynxOS System Call - *close()*

## 3.3 read()

### NAME

read() – Reads from a file

### SYNOPSIS

```
#include <tip816.h>
```

```
int read ( int fd, char *buff, int count )
```

### DESCRIPTION

The *read* function reads a CAN message from the specified receive queue. A pointer to the caller's message buffer (*T816\_MSG\_BUF*) and the size of this structure is passed by the parameters *buff* and *count* to the device.

The *T816\_MSG\_BUF* structure has the following layout:

```
typedef struct {
    unsigned long      Identifier;
    long              Timeout;
    unsigned char      RxQueueNum;
    unsigned char      Extended;
    unsigned char      Status;
    unsigned char      MsgLen;
    unsigned char      Data[8];
} T816_MSG_BUF, *PT816_MSG_BUF;
```

#### *Identifier*

Parameter receives the message identifier of the read CAN message.

#### *Timeout*

Parameter specifies the amount of time (in ticks) the caller will wait for execution of read.

#### *RxQueueNum*

Parameter specifies the receive queue number from which the data will be read. Valid receive queue numbers are in range between 1 and n. In which n depends on the definition of *NUM\_RX\_QUEUES* (see also chapter "Receive Queue Configuration").

*Extended*

Parameter receives TRUE for extended CAN messages.

*Status*

Parameter receives status information about overrun conditions either in the CAN controller or intermediate software FIFO's.

T816_SUCCESS	No messages lost
T816_FIFO_OVERRUN	One or more messages werw overwritten in the receive queue FIFO. This problem occurs if the FIFO is too small for the application read interval.
T816_MSGOBJ_OVERRUN	One or more messages were overwritten in the CAN controller message object because the interrupt latency is too large. Use message object 15 (buffered) to receive this time critical CAN messages, reduce the CAN bit rate or upgrade the system speed.

*MsgLen*

Parameter receives the number of message data bytes (0..8).

*Data[8]*

This buffer receives up to 8 data bytes. Data[0] receives message Data 0, Data[1] receives message Data 1 and so on.

**EXAMPLE**

```
int          fd;
int          result;
T816_MSG_BUF MsgBuf;

...

MsgBuf.RxQueueNum = 1;
MsgBuf.Timeout    = 200;

result = read(fd, (char*)&MsgBuf, sizeof(MsgBuf));

/*
** Check the result of the last device I/O operation
*/

if( result == sizeof(T816_MSG_BUF)) {

    /* Process received CAN message */
}
else {
```



```
    printf( "\nRead failed --> Error = %d.\n", errno );  
}  
  
...
```

## RETURNS

When *read* succeeds, the size of the read buffer is returned. If read fails, -1 (SYSERR) is returned.

On error, *errno* will contain a standard read error code (see also LynxOS System Call – read) or one of the following TIP816 specific error codes:

ENXIO	Illegal device
EINVAL	Invalid argument. This error code is returned if either the size of the message buffer is too small, or the specified receive queue is out of range.
ETIMEDOUT	The maximum allowed time to finish the read request is exhausted.
ENETDOWN	The controller is in <i>bus off</i> state and no message is available in the specified receive queue. As long as CAN messages are available in the receive queue FIFO, <i>bus off</i> conditions were not reported by a <i>read</i> function. This means all CAN messages can be read out of the receive queue FIFO during <i>bus off</i> state without an error result.

## SEE ALSO

LynxOS System Call - *read()*

## 3.4 write()

### NAME

write() – Writes to a file.

### SYNOPSIS

```
int write ( int fd, char *buff, int count )
```

### DESCRIPTION

The *write* function writes a CAN message to the device with descriptor *fd*. A pointer to the caller's message buffer (*T816\_MSG\_BUF*) and the size of this structure is passed by the parameters *buff* and *count* to the device.

The *write* function dynamically allocates a free message object for this transmit operation. The search begins at message object 1 and ends at message object 14. The first found free message object is used. If no message object is available the *write* operation returns with error.

If application performs *write* operations at least one message object should be left free for transmit, preferably the first message object.

The *T816\_MSG\_BUF* structure has the following layout:

```
typedef struct {
    unsigned long      Identifier;
    long              Timeout;
    unsigned char      RxQueueNum;
    unsigned char      Extended;
    unsigned char      Status;
    unsigned char      MsgLen;
    unsigned char      Data[8];
} T816_MSG_BUF, *PT816_MSG_BUF;
```

#### *Identifier*

Parameter contains the message identifier of the CAN message to write.

#### *Timeout*

Parameter specifies the amount of time (in ticks) the caller will wait for execution of write.

#### *RxQueueNum*

Parameter is unused for this control function. It can be 0.

#### *Extended*

Parameter contains TRUE (1) for extended CAN messages.

**Status**

Parameter is unused for this control function. It can be 0.

**MsgLen**

Parameter contains the number of message data bytes (0..8).

**Data[8]**

This buffer contains up to 8 data bytes. Data[0] contains message Data 0, Data[1] contains message Data 1 and so on.

**EXAMPLE**

```
int                fd;
int                result;
T816_MSG_BUF      MsgBuf;

...

/*
** Write two data bytes with identifier 1234 to the
** CAN bus and wait max. 200 ticks on execution
*/

MsgBuf.Identifier  = 1234;
MsgBuf.Timeout    = 200;
MsgBuf.Extended   = TRUE;
MsgBuf.MsgLen     = 2;
MsgBuf.Data[0]    = 0xaa;
MsgBuf.Data[1]    = 0x55;

result = write(fd, &MsgBuf, sizeof(MsgBuf));

if( result != sizeof(T816_MSG_BUF)) {
    printf( "\nWrite failed --> Error = %d.\n", errno );
}

...
```

## RETURNS

When *write* succeeds, the size of the write buffer is returned. If write fails, -1 (SYSERR) is returned.

On error, *errno* will contain a standard write error code (see also LynxOS System Call – write) or the following TIP816 specific error code:

ENXIO	Illegal device
EINVAL	Invalid argument. This error code is returned if the size of the message buffer is too small.
ENOSPC	No free message object available for transmit
ENETDOWN	The controller is in <i>bus off</i> state and unable to transmit messages.
ETIMEDOUT	The allowed time to finish the write request is elapsed. This occurs if the CAN bus is overloaded and the priority of the message identifier is too low, no other node is online or the controller enters the <i>bus off</i> state.

## SEE ALSO

LynxOS System Call - *write()*

## 3.5 ioctl()

### NAME

ioctl() - I/O device control

### SYNOPSIS

```
#include <ioctl.h>
#include <tip816.h>
```

```
int ioctl ( int fd, int request, char *arg )
```

### DESCRIPTION

*ioctl* provides a way of sending special commands to a device driver. The call sends the value of **request** and the pointer **arg** to the device associated with the descriptor **fd**.

The following ioctl codes are defined in *tip816.h* :

Value	Meaning
T816_BITTIMING	Setup new bit timing
T816_SETFILTER	Setup acceptance filter masks
T816_GETFILTER	Get the current acceptance filter masks
T816_BUSON	Enter the <i>bus on</i> state
T816_BUSOFF	Enter the <i>bus off</i> state
T816_FLUSH	Flush one or all receive queues
T816_CANSTATUS	Returns the contents of the CAN Controller Status Register
T816_DEFRXBUF	Define a receive buffer message object
T816_DEFRMTBUF	Define a remote transmit buffer message object
T816_UPDATEBUF	Update a remote or receive buffer message object
T816_RELEASEBUF	Release an allocated message buffer object

See below for more detailed information on each control code.

## RETURNS

If successful *ioctl* returns 0 or in case of an error returns -1.

The TIP816 *ioctl* function returns always standard error codes. See *LynxOS system call ioctl* for a detailed description of possible error codes.

## ERRORS

LynxOS System Call - *ioctl()*

### 3.5.1 T816\_BITTIMING

#### NAME

T816\_BITTIMING – Setup new bit timing

#### DESCRIPTION

This ioctl function modifies the bit timing register of the CAN controller to setup a new CAN bus transfer speed. A pointer to the caller's parameter buffer (*T816\_TIMING*) is passed by the argument pointer **arg** to the driver.

Keep in mind to setup a valid bit timing value before changing into the *bus on* state.

The *T816\_TIMING* structure has the following layout:

```
typedef struct {
    unsigned short    TimingValue;
    unsigned short    ThreeSamples;
} T816_TIMING, *PT816_TIMING;
```

#### *Timing Value*

Parameter holds the new values for the bit timing register 0 (bit 0..7) and for the bit timing register 1 (bit 8..15). Possible transfer rates are between 5 Kbit per second and 1.6 Mbit per second. The include file *tip816.h* contains predefined transfer rate symbols (T816\_5KBIT .. T816\_1\_6MBIT).

For other transfer rates please follow the instructions of the *Intel 82527 Architectural Overview*, which is also part of the Engineering Documentation TIP816-ED.

#### *ThreeSamples*

If this parameter is TRUE (1) the CAN bus is sampled three times per bit time instead of one.

**Use one sample point for faster bit rates and three sample points for slower bit rate to make the CAN bus more immune against noise spikes.**

## EXAMPLE

```
{
int          fd;
int          result;
T816_TIMING BitTimingParam;

    . . .

    BitTimingParam.TimingValue      = T816_100KBIT;
    BitTimingParam.ThreeSamples     = FALSE;

result = ioctl(fd, T816_BITTIMING, (char*)&BitTimingParam);

    if (result < 0) {
        /* Handle ioctl error */
    }

    . . .
}
```

## SEE ALSO

*tip816.h* for predefined bus timing constants

Intel 82527 Architectural Overview - 4.13 *Bit Timing Overview*



## 3.5.2 T816\_SETFILTER

### NAME

T816\_SETFILTER – Setup acceptance filter masks

### DESCRIPTION

This ioctl function modifies the acceptance filter masks of the specified CAN controller device.

The acceptance masks allow message objects to receive messages with a larger range of message identifiers instead of just a single message identifier. A "0" value means "don't care" or accept a "0" or "1" for that bit position. A "1" value means that the incoming bit value "must-match" identically to the corresponding bit in the message identifier.

A pointer to the caller's parameter buffer (*T816\_ACCEPT\_MASKS*) is passed by the parameter pointer *arg* to the driver.

The *T816\_ACCEPT\_MASKS* structure has the following layout:

```
typedef struct {
    unsigned long    Message15Mask;
    unsigned long    GlobalMaskExtended;
    unsigned short   GlobalMaskStandard;
} T816_ACCEPT_MASKS, *PT816_ACCEPT_MASKS;
```

#### *Message15Mask*

Parameter specifies the value for the Message 15 Mask Register. The Message 15 Mask Register is a local mask for message object 15. This 29 bit identifier mask appears in bit 3..31 of this parameter.

The Message 15 Mask is "ANDed" with the Global Mask. This means that any bit defined as "don't care" in the Global Mask will automatically be a "don't care" bit for message 15 (see also Intel 82527 Architectural Overview).

#### *GlobalMaskExtended*

Parameter specifies the value for the Global Mask-Extended Register. The Global Mask-Extended Register applies only to messages using the extended CAN identifier. This 29 bit identifier mask appears in bit 3...31 of this parameter.

#### *GlobalMaskStandard*

Parameter specifies the value for the Global Mask-Standard Register. The Global Mask-Standard Register applies only to messages using the standard CAN identifier. The 11 bit identifier mask appears in bit 5...15 of this parameter.

**The TIP816 device driver copies the parameter directly into the corresponding registers of the CAN controller, without shifting any bit positions. For more information see the *Intel 82527 Architectural Overview - 4.7...4.10***

## EXAMPLE

```
{  
  
int                fd;  
int                result;  
T816_ACCEPT_MASKS AcceptMasksParam;  
  
    . . .  
  
/* Standard identifier bits 0..3 don't care */  
AcceptMasksParam.GlobalMaskStandard = 0xfe00;  
  
/* Extended identifier bits 0..3 don't care */  
AcceptMasksParam.GlobalMaskExtended = 0xffffffff80;  
  
/* Message object 15 identifier bits 0..7 don't care */  
AcceptMasksParam.Message15Mask = 0xffffffff800;  
  
result = ioctl(fd, T816_SETFILTER, (char*)&AcceptMasksParam);  
  
if (result < 0) {  
    /* Handle ioctl error */  
    }  
    . . .  
}
```

## SEE ALSO

Intel 82527 Architectural Overview - *4.9 Acceptance Filtering*

### 3.5.3 T816\_GETFILTER

#### NAME

T816\_GETFILTER – Get the current acceptance filter masks

#### DESCRIPTION

This ioctl function returns the current acceptance filter masks of the specified CAN controller.

A pointer to the caller's parameter buffer (*T816\_ACCEPT\_MASKS*) is passed by the parameter pointer *arg* to the driver.

The *T816\_ACCEPT\_MASKS* structure has the following layout:

```
typedef struct {
    unsigned long    Message15Mask;
    unsigned long    GlobalMaskExtended;
    unsigned short   GlobalMaskStandard;
} T816_ACCEPT_MASKS, *PT816_ACCEPT_MASKS;
```

#### *Message15Mask*

Parameter receives the value for the Message 15 Mask Register. The Message 15 Mask Register is a local mask for message object 15. This 29 bit identifier mask appears in bit 3...31 of this parameter.

#### *GlobalMaskExtended*

Parameter receives the value for the Global Mask-Extended Register. The Global Mask-Extended Register applies only to messages using the extended CAN identifier. This 29 bit identifier mask appears in bit 3...31 of this parameter.

#### *GlobalMaskStandard*

Parameter receives the value for the Global Mask-Standard Register. The Global Mask-Standard Register applies only to messages using the standard CAN identifier. The 11 bit identifier mask appears in bit 5...15 of this parameter.

**The TIP816 device driver copies the masks directly from the corresponding registers of the CAN controller into the parameter buffer, without shifting any bit positions. For more information see the *Intel 82527 Architectural Overview - 4.7...4.10***

**EXAMPLE**

```
{  
  
int                fd;  
int                result;  
T816_ACCEPT_MASKS AcceptMasksParam;  
  
    . . .  
  
result = ioctl(fd, T816_GETFILTER, (char*)&AcceptMasksParam);  
  
if (result < 0) {  
    /* Handle ioctl error */  
}  
  
    . . .  
  
}
```

**SEE ALSO**

Intel 82527 Architectural Overview - *4.9 Acceptance Filtering*

### 3.5.4 T816\_BUSON

#### NAME

T816\_BUSON – Enter the *bus on* state

#### DESCRIPTION

This ioctl function sets the specified CAN controller into the *bus on* state.

After an abnormal rate of occurrences of errors on the CAN bus or after driver startup, the CAN controller enters the *bus off* state. This control function resets the init bit in the Control Register. The CAN controller begins the busoff recovery sequence and resets the transmit and receive error counters. If the CAN controller counts 128 packets of 11 consecutive recessive bits on the CAN bus, the *bus off* state is exited.

The optional argument pointer can be NULL.

**Before the driver is able to communicate over the CAN bus after driver startup, this control function must be executed.**

#### EXAMPLE

```
{  
  
int fd;  
int result;  
  
...  
result = ioctl(fd, T816_BUSON, NULL);  
  
    if (result < 0) {  
        /* Handle ioctl error */  
    }  
    ...  
}
```

#### ERRORS

This ioctl function returns no function specific error codes.

#### SEE ALSO

Intel 82527 Architectural Overview - 3.2 *Software Initialization*

### 3.5.5 T816\_BUSOFF

#### NAME

T816\_BUSOFF – Enter the *bus off* state

#### DESCRIPTION

This ioctl function sets the specified CAN controller into the *bus off* state.

After execution of this control function the CAN controller is completely removed from the CAN bus and cannot communicate until the control function *T816\_BUSON* is executed.

The optional argument pointer can be NULL.

**Execute this control function before the last close to the CAN controller channel.**

#### EXAMPLE

```
{  
  
int fd;  
int result;  
  
...  
  
result = ioctl(fd, T816_BUSOFF, NULL);  
  
if (result < 0) {  
    /* Handle ioctl error */  
}  
  
...  
}
```

#### ERRORS

This ioctl function returns no function specific error codes.

#### SEE ALSO

Intel 82527 Architectural Overview - 3.2 *Software Initialization*

## 3.5.6 T816\_FLUSH

### NAME

T816\_FLUSH – Flush one or all receive queues

### DESCRIPTION

This ioctl function flushes the message FIFO of the specified receive queue.

The optional argument pointer **arg** passes the receive queue number to the device driver on which the FIFO's to be flushed.

### EXAMPLE

```
{  
  
int fd;  
int result;  
char RxQueueNum;  
  
    . . .  
  
    /* Flush receive queues 1 */  
    RxQueueNum = 1;  
  
result = ioctl(fd, T816_FLUSH, &RxQueueNum);  
  
if (result < 0) {  
    /* Handle ioctl error */  
}  
  
    . . .  
  
}
```

### ERRORS

EINVAL	Invalid argument. This error code is returned if the specified receive queue is out of range.
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### 3.5.7 T816\_CANSTATUS

#### NAME

T816\_CANSTATUS – Returns the contents of the CAN Controller Status Register

#### DESCRIPTION

This ioctl function returns the actual contents of the CAN Controller Status Register for diagnostic purposes.

The content of the Controller Status Register is received in an unsigned char variable. A pointer to this variable is passed by the argument pointer **arg** to the driver.

#### EXAMPLE

```
{  
  
int                fd;  
int                result;  
unsigned char CanStatus;  
  
    . . .  
  
result = ioctl(fd, T816_CANSTATUS, (char*)&CanStatus);  
  
if (result < 0) {  
    /* Handle ioctl error */  
}  
  
    . . .  
  
}
```

#### SEE ALSO

Intel 82527 Architectural Overview - *4.3 Status Register*



### 3.5.8 T816\_DEFRXBUF

#### NAME

T816\_DEFRXBUF – Define a receive buffer message object

#### DESCRIPTION

This ioctl function defines a CAN message object to receive a single message identifier or a range of message identifiers (see also Acceptance Mask). All CAN messages received by this message object are directed to the associated receive queue and can be read with the standard read function (see also chapter “Read”).

Before the driver can receive CAN messages it’s necessary to define at least one receive message object. If only one receive message object is defined at all, preferably message object 15 should be used because this message object is double-buffered.

A pointer to the caller’s message description (*T816\_BUF\_DESC*) is passed by the argument pointer **arg** to the driver.

The *T816\_BUF\_DESC* structure has the following layout:

```
typedef struct {
    unsigned long      Identifier;
    unsigned char      MsgObjNum;
    unsigned char      RxQueueNum;
    unsigned char      Extended;
    unsigned char      MsgLen;
    unsigned char      Data[8];
} T816_BUF_DESC, *PT816_BUF_DESC;
```

#### *Identifier*

Parameter specifies the message identifier for the message object to be defined.

#### *MsgObjNum*

Parameter specifies the number of the message object to be defined. Valid object numbers are in range between 1 and 15.

#### *RxQueueNum*

Parameter specifies the associated receive queue for this message object. All CAN messages received by this object are directed to this receive queue. The receive queue number is one based, valid numbers are in range between 1 and n. In which n depends on the definition of *NUM\_RX\_QUEUES* (see also chapter “Receive Queue Configuration”).

**It’s possible to assign more than one receive message object to one receive queue.**

*Extended*

Parameter sets to TRUE for extended CAN messages.

*MsgLen*

Parameter is unused for this control function, set to 0.

*Data[8]*

Parameter is unused for this control function.

**EXAMPLE**

```
{

int                fd;
int                result;
T816_BUF_DESC     BufDesc;

    . . .

BufDesc.MsgObjNum    = 15;
BufDesc.RxQueueNum  = 1;
BufDesc.Identifier   = 1234;
BufDesc.Extended     = TRUE;

    /* Define message object 15 to receive the extended      */
    /* message identifier 1234 and store received messages   */
    /* in receive queue 1                                    */
    /*                                                        */

result = ioctl(fd, T816_DEFRXBUF, (char*)&BufDesc);

if (result < 0) {
    /* Handle ioctl error */
}

    . . .

}
```

## ERRORS

EINVAL	Invalid argument. This error code is returned if the specified receive queue is out of range.
EADDRINUSE	The requested message object is already occupied.

## SEE ALSO

Intel 82527 Architectural Overview - *4.18 82527 Message Objects*

### 3.5.9 T816\_DEFRMTBUF

#### NAME

T816\_DEFRMTBU – Define a remote transmit buffer message object

#### DESCRIPTION

This ioctl function defines a remote transmission CAN message buffer object. A remote transmission object is similar to normal transmission object with exception that the CAN message is transmitted only after receiving of a remote frame with the same identifier.

This type of message object can be used to make process data available for other nodes which can be polled around the CAN bus without any action of the provider node.

The message data remain available for other CAN nodes until this message object is updated with the control function *T816\_UPDATEBUF* or cancelled with *T816\_RELEASEBUF*.

A pointer to the caller's message description (*T816\_BUF\_DESC*) is passed by the argument pointer **arg** to the driver.

The *T816\_BUF\_DESC* structure has the following layout:

```
typedef struct {
    unsigned long      Identifier;
    unsigned char      MsgObjNum;
    unsigned char      RxQueueNum;
    unsigned char      Extended;
    unsigned char      MsgLen;
    unsigned char      Data[8];
} T816_BUF_DESC, *PT816_BUF_DESC;
```

#### *Identifier*

Parameter specifies the message identifier for the message object to be defined.

#### *MsgObjNum*

Parameter specifies the number of the message object to be defined. Valid object numbers are in range between 1 and 14.

Keep in mind that message object 15 is only available for receive message objects.

#### *RxQueueNum*

Parameter is unused for remote transmission message objects, set to 0.

#### *Extended*

Parameter sets to TRUE for extended CAN messages.

### *MsgLen*

Parameter contains the number of message data bytes (0..8).

### *Data[8]*

This buffer contains up to 8 data bytes. Data[0] contains message Data 0, Data[1] contains message Data 1 and so on.

## EXAMPLE

```

{
int          fd;
int          result;
T816_BUF_DESC BufDesc;

...

BufDesc.MsgObjNum      = 10;
BufDesc.Identifier     = 777;
BufDesc.Extended       = TRUE;
BufDesc.MsgLen         = 1;
BufDesc.Data[0]        = 123;

    /* Define message object 10 to transmit the extended      */
    /* message identifier 777 after receiving of a remote      */
    /* frame with der same identifier                          */

result = ioctl(fd, T816_DEFRMTBUF, (char*)&BufDesc);

if (result < 0) {
    /* Handle ioctl error */
}
...
}

```

## ERRORS

EINVAL	Invalid argument. This error code is returned if the message object number or the message length (MsgLen) is out of range.
EADDRINUSE	The requested message object is already occupied.

## SEE ALSO

Intel 82527 Architectural Overview - 4.18 82527 Message Objects

## 3.5.10 T816\_UPDATEBUF

### NAME

T816\_UPDATEBUF – Update a remote or receive buffer message object

### DESCRIPTION

This ioctl function updates a previous defined receive or remote transmission message buffer object.

To update a receive message object a remote frame is transmitted over the CAN bus to request new data from a corresponding remote transmission message object on other nodes.

To update a remote transmission object only the message data and message length of the specified message object is changed. No transmission is initiated by this control function.

A pointer to the caller's message description (*T816\_BUF\_DESC*) is passed by the argument pointer **arg** to the driver.

The *T816\_BUF\_DESC* structure has the following layout:

```
typedef struct {
    unsigned long      Identifier;
    unsigned char     MsgObjNum;
    unsigned char     RxQueueNum;
    unsigned char     Extended;
    unsigned char     MsgLen;
    unsigned char     Data[8];
} T816_BUF_DESC, *PT816_BUF_DESC;
```

#### *Identifier*

Parameter is unused for this control function, set to 0.

#### *MsgObjNum*

Parameter specifies the number of the message object to be updated. Valid object numbers are in range between 1 and 15.

Keep in mind that message object 15 is available only for receive message objects.

#### *RxQueueNum*

Parameter is unused for this control function, set to 0.

#### *Extended*

Parameter sets to TRUE for extended CAN messages.

#### *MsgLen*

Parameter contains the number of message data bytes (0..8). This parameter is used only for remote transmission object updates.

**Data[8]**

This buffer contains up to 8 data bytes. Data[0] contains message Data 0, Data[1] contains message Data 1 and so on.

This parameter is used only for remote transmission object updates.

**EXAMPLE**

```
{  
  
int                fd;  
int                result;  
T816_BUF_DESC     BufDesc;  
  
    . . .  
  
/* Update a receive message object */  
BufDesc.MsgObjNum = 14;  
  
result = ioctl(fd, T816_UPDATEBUF, (char*)&BufDesc);  
  
if (result < 0) {  
    /* Handle ioctl error */  
}  
  
/* Update a remote message object */  
BufDesc.MsgObjNum = 10;  
BufDesc.MsgLen    = 1;  
BufDesc.Data[0]   = 124;  
  
result = ioctl(fd, T816_UPDATEBUF, (char*)&BufDesc);  
  
if (result < 0) {  
    /* Handle ioctl error */  
}  
  
    . . .  
  
}
```

## ERRORS

EINVAL	Invalid argument. This error code is returned if either the message object number is out of range or the requested message object is not defined.
EMSGSIZE	Invalid message size. <i>MsgLen</i> must be in range between 0 and 8.

## SEE ALSO

Intel 82527 Architectural Overview - 4.18 82527 Message Objects



### 3.5.11 T816\_RELEASEBUF

#### NAME

T816\_RELEASEBUF – Release an allocated message buffer object

#### DESCRIPTION

This control function releases a previous defined CAN message object. Any CAN bus transactions of the specified message object become disabled. After releasing the message object can be defined again with *T816\_DEFRXBUF* and *T816\_DEFRMTBUF* control functions.

A pointer to the caller's message description (*T816\_BUF\_DESC*) is passed by the argument pointer **arg** to the driver.

The *T816\_BUF\_DESC* structure has the following layout:

```
typedef struct {
    unsigned long      Identifier;
    unsigned char      MsgObjNum;
    unsigned char      RxQueueNum;
    unsigned char      Extended;
    unsigned char      MsgLen;
    unsigned char      Data[8];
} T816_BUF_DESC, *PT816_BUF_DESC;
```

#### *MsgObjNum*

Parameter specifies the number of the message object to be released. Valid object numbers are in range between 1 and 15.

All other parameters are not used and could be left blank.

## EXAMPLE

```
{
int          fd;
int          result;
T816_BUF_DESC BufDesc;

    . . .

BufDesc.MsgObjNum = 14;

result = ioctl(fd, T816_RELEASEBUF, (char*)&BufDesc);

if (result < 0) {
    /* Handle ioctl error */
}

    . . .
}
```

## ERRORS

EINVAL	Invalid argument. This error code is returned if the message object number is out of range or the requested message object is not defined.
EBUSY	The message object is currently busy transmitting data or another task is waiting for a received message.

## SEE ALSO

ioctl man pages

## 3.6 Step by Step Driver Initialization

The following code example illustrates all necessary steps to initialize a CAN device for communication.

```
/*
** ( 1.) Setup CAN bus bit timing
*/
BitTimingParam.TimingValue = T816_100KBIT;
BitTimingParam.ThreeSamples = FALSE;

result = ioctl(fd, T816_TIMING, (char*)&BitTimingParam);

/*
** ( 2.) Setup acceptance filter masks
*/
AcceptMasksParam.GlobalMaskStandard = 0xFFFF;
AcceptMasksParam.GlobalMaskExtended = 0xFFFFFFFF;
AcceptMasksParam.Message15Mask = 0;

result = ioctl(fd, T816_SETFILTER, (char*)&AcceptMasksParam);

/*
** ( 3.) Define message object 15 for reception ( receive
** all identifiers and put messages in receive queue 1 )
*/
BufDesc.MsgObjNum = 15;
BufDesc.RxQueueNum = 1;
BufDesc.Identifier = 0;
BufDesc.Extended = TRUE;

result = ioctl(fd, T816_DEFRXBUF, (char*)&BufDesc);

/*
** ( 4.) Enter bus on state
*/

result = ioctl(fd, T816_BUSON, NULL);
```

Now CAN messages should be able to send and receive with appropriate calls to write() and read() functions.

## 4 Debugging and Diagnostic

This driver was successful tested on PowerPC and x86 based platforms in a native LynxOS environment with LynxOS V4.0.0 installed.

If the driver will not work properly please enable debug outputs by defining the symbol *DEBUG* in file *tip816.c*. The debug output should appear on the console. If not please check the symbol *KKPF\_PORT* in *uparam.h*. This symbol should be configured to a valid COM port (e.g. *SKDB\_COM1*).

The debug output displays the device information data for the current major device and a memory dump of the IP MEM space (CAN controller registers) like this.

```
TEWS TECHNOLOGIES - IPAC Carrier Class Driver version 1.2.0 (2005-04-05)
IPAC_CC : IPAC (Manuf-ID=B3, Model#=1B) recognized @ slot=0 carrier=<TEWS
TECHNOLOGIES - VME Carrier>
TIP816 - Digital I/O version 1.2.0 (2006-03-13)
TIP816 : Probe new TIP816 mounted on <TEWS TECHNOLOGIES - VME Carrier> at
slot A
```

```
Module Interrupt Vector = 64
```

```
IP MEM space (CAN controller registers)...
00000000 : 01 00 61 61 01 00 FF FF FF FF FF F8 00 00 FF FF
00000010 : 55 55 D0 04 09 00 A0 00 00 00 08 80 00 00 00 00
00000020 : 55 59 00 4C 00 10 08 00 00 00 00 00 02 00 00 00
00000030 : 96 65 00 E0 20 00 08 00 00 00 00 40 00 00 02 00
00000040 : 55 55 04 00 08 F0 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
00000050 : 96 65 18 04 A1 08 04 00 02 08 00 00 02 00 00 00
00000060 : 55 55 23 20 25 80 00 02 20 20 00 00 00 00 00 FF
00000070 : 55 55 44 43 28 C8 00 00 00 00 48 00 00 28 00 FF
00000080 : 95 55 C8 E2 45 00 00 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 00 FF
00000090 : 55 55 50 81 48 40 00 00 02 00 00 00 02 00 00 00
000000A0 : 55 55 18 44 30 00 04 00 00 00 20 08 80 82 08 00
000000B0 : 95 55 30 48 08 08 08 80 02 01 20 80 20 00 40 00
000000C0 : 55 65 00 81 4E 70 00 00 00 00 00 00 80 00 00 FF
000000D0 : 55 55 36 00 48 10 80 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 10 00
000000E0 : 55 69 50 40 40 08 08 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 08 00
000000F0 : 95 55 F7 F1 D9 48 04 00 00 00 00 00 68 00 00 FF
```

**The debug output above is only an example. Debug output on other systems may be different for addresses and data in some locations.**

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If driver installation was successful but messages can't be send or receive please check the wiring and termination of the CAN bus lines.

If all seems to be correct but no communication over the CAN bus is possible please call the ioctl function `T816_CANSTATUS` direct after the write function returned to get extended error information (see also Intel 82527 Architectural Overview - 4.3 *Status Register* for detailed error description).