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TIP840

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1 Introduction

1.1 Device Driver

The TIP840-SW-42 VxWorks device driver software allows the operation of the TIP840 IP conforming to the VxWorks I/O system specification. This includes a device-independent basic I/O interface with open(), close() and ioctl() functions.

The TIP840-SW-42 driver includes the following functions:

- Reading ADC data (optional data correction with factory calibrated data)
- Programming gain for ADC channels
- Programming single or differential ADC Inputs

The TIP840-SW-42 driver supports the modules listed below:

TIP840-10	8 single-ended channel 12 bit ADC (gain 1, 10, 100)	(IndustryPack ®)
TIP840-11	8 single-ended channel 12 bit ADC (gain 1, 2, 4, 8)	(IndustryPack ®)
TIP840-20	16 single-ended / 8 differential channel 12 bit ADC (gain 1, 10, 100)	(IndustryPack ®)
TIP840-21	16 single-ended / 8 differential channel 12 bit ADC (gain 1, 2, 4, 8)	(IndustryPack ®)

To get more information about the features and use of the supported devices it is recommended to read the manuals listed below.

TIP840 User manual
TIP840 Engineering Manual
CARRIER-SW-42 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-42 is part of this TIP840-SW-42 distribution. It is located in directory CARRIER-SW-42 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-65 User Manual for a detailed description how to install and setup the CARRIER-SW-42 device driver, and for a description of the TEWS TECHNOLOGIES IPAC Carrier Driver concept.

How to use the carrier driver in the application program is shown in the programming example tip840exa.c.

If the IPAC carrier driver isn't used for the IPAC driver setup, the application software has to setup carrier board hardware, mapping of device memory and interrupt level setup by itself.

2 Installation

The following files and directories are located on the distribution media:

Directory path 'TIP840-SW-42':

tip840drv.c	TIP840 device driver source
tip840def.h	TIP840 driver include file
tip840.h	TIP840 include file for driver and application
tip840exa.c	Example application
include/ipac_carrier.h	Carrier driver interface definitions
TIP840-SW-42-2.0.1.pdf	PDF copy of this manual
Release.txt	Release information
ChangeLog.txt	Release history

2.1 Include device driver in Tornado IDE project

For Including the TIP840-SW-42 device driver into a Tornado IDE project follow the steps below:

- (1) Copy the files from the distribution media into a subdirectory in your project path.
(For example: ./TIP840)
- (2) Add the device drivers C-files to your project.
Make a right click to your project in the 'Workspace' window and use the 'Add Files ...' topic.
A file select box appears, and the driver files can be selected.
- (3) Now the driver is included in the project and will be built with the project.

For a more detailed description of the project facility please refer to your Tornado User's Guide.

2.2 System resource requirement

The table gives an overview over the system resources that will be needed by the driver.

Resource	Driver requirement	Devices requirement
Memory	< 1 KB	< 1 KB
Stack	< 1 KB	---
Semaphores	---	2

Memory and Stack usage may differ from system to system, depending on the used compiler and its setup.

The following formula shows the way to calculate the common requirements of the driver and devices.

$$\text{<total requirement>} = \text{<driver requirement>} + (\text{<number of devices>} * \text{<device requirement>})$$

The maximum usage of some resources is limited by adjustable parameters. If the application and driver exceed these limits, increase the according values in your project.

3 I/O system functions

This chapter describes the driver-level interface to the I/O system. The purpose of these functions is to install the driver in the I/O system, add and initialize devices.

3.1 tip840Drv()

NAME

tip840Drv() - installs the TIP840 driver in the I/O system

SYNOPSIS

```
#include "tip840.h"
```

```
STATUS tip840Drv(void)
```

DESCRIPTION

This function initializes the TIP840 driver and installs it in the I/O system.

The call of this function is the first thing the user has to do before adding any device to the system or performing any I/O request.

EXAMPLE

```
#include "tip840.h"

/*----- Initialize Driver -----*/
status = tip840Drv();
if (status == ERROR)
{
    /* Error handling */
}
```

RETURNS

OK, or ERROR if the function fails.

ERROR CODES

The error codes are stored in *errno* and can be read with the function *errnoGet()*.

The error code is a standard error code set by the I/O system (see VxWorks Reference Manual).

SEE ALSO

VxWorks Programmer's Guide: I/O System

3.2 tip840DevCreate()

NAME

tip840DevCreate() – Add a TIP840 device to the VxWorks system

SYNOPSIS

```
#include "tip840.h"
```

```
STATUS tip840DevCreate  
(  
    char      *name,  
    int       devIdx,  
    int       funcType,  
    void      *pParam  
)
```

DESCRIPTION

This routine adds the selected device to the VxWorks system. The device hardware will be setup and prepared for use.

This function must be called before performing any I/O request to this device.

PARAMETER

name

This string specifies the name of the device that will be used to identify the device, for example for *open()* calls.

devIdx

This index number specifies the TIP840 minor device number to add to the system.

If modules of the same type are installed the device numbers will be assigned in the order the IPAC CARRIER *ipFindDevice()* function will find the devices.

For TIP840 devices there is only one devIdx per hardware module starting with devIdx = 0.

funcType

This parameter is unused and should be set to 0.

pParam

This parameter points to a structure (*TIP840_DEVCONFIG*) containing the default configuration of the channel.

The structure (*TIP840_DEVCONFIG*) has the following layout and is defined in *tip840.h*:

```
typedef struct
{
    struct ipac_resource *ipac;
} TIP840_DEVCONFIG;
```

ipac

Pointer to TIP840 module resource descriptor, retrieved by CARRIER Driver *ipFindDevice()* function

EXAMPLE

```
#include "tip840.h"

STATUS          result;
TIP840_DEVCONFIG tip840Conf;
struct ipac_resource ipac;

/* IPAC CARRIER Driver initialization */

/*
** Find an IP module from TEWS TECHNOLOGIES (manufacturer = 0xB3)
** with model number MODEL_TIP840 (see tip840.h). This module
** uses interrupts and we need only the IO space base address for the
** related driver.
*/
result = ipFindDevice(0xB3, MODEL_TIP840, 0,
    IPAC_INT0_EN | IPAC_LEVEL_SENS | IPAC_CLK_8MHZ,
    &ipac);

if (result == OK) {
    devConfig.ipac = &ipac;

    /*-----
    Create the device "/tip840/0"
    -----*/
    tip840Conf.ipac = &ipac;

    ...
}
```

...

```
result = tip840DevCreate(    "/tip840/0",
                            0,
                            0,
                            (void*)&tip840Conf);

if (result == OK)
{
    /* Device successfully created */
}
else
{
    /* Error occurred when creating the device */
}
}
else
{
    printf("ERROR: No IP found on supported IP carrier boards\n");
}
```

RETURNS

OK, or ERROR if the function fails an error code will be stored in *errno*.

ERROR CODES

The error codes are stored in *errno* and can be read with the function *errnoGet()*.

Error code	Description
S_ioLib_NO_DRIVER	Driver not installed, run tip840Drv()
S_tip840Drv_IARG	Invalid argument in device configuration buffer. Please check all arguments given to tip840DevCreate().
S_ioLib_DEVICE_ERROR	Device error. The certain TIP840 device seems to be faulty or isn't a TIP840 device at all.
EISCONN	The Device has already been created.

SEE ALSO

VxWorks Programmer's Guide: I/O System

4 I/O Functions

4.1 open()

NAME

open() - open a device or file.

SYNOPSIS

```
int open
(
    const char *name,
    int        flags,
    int        mode
)
```

DESCRIPTION

Before I/O can be performed to the TIP840 device, a file descriptor must be opened by invoking the basic I/O function *open()*.

PARAMETER

name

Specifies the device which shall be opened, the name specified in tip840DevCreate() must be used

flags

Not used

mode

Not used

EXAMPLE

```
int fd;

/*-----
   Open the device named "/tip840/0" for I/O
   -----*/
fd = open("/tip840/0", 0, 0);
if (fd == ERROR)
{
    /* Handle error */
}
```

RETURNS

A device descriptor number, or ERROR if the function fails an error code will be stored in *errno*.

ERROR CODES

The error codes are stored in *errno* and can be read with the function *errnoGet()*.

The error code is a standard error code set by the I/O system (see VxWorks Reference Manual).

SEE ALSO

ioLib, basic I/O routine - *open()*

4.2 close()

NAME

close() – close a device or file

SYNOPSIS

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

DESCRIPTION

This function closes opened devices.

PARAMETER

fd

This file descriptor specifies the device to be closed. The file descriptor has been returned by the *open()* function.

EXAMPLE

```
int  fd;
int  retval;

/*-----
   close the device
   -----*/
retval = close(fd);
if (retval == ERROR)
{
    /* Handle error */
}
```

RETURNS

A device descriptor number or ERROR if the function fails an error code will be stored in *errno*.

ERROR CODES

The error codes are stored in *errno* and can be read with the function *errnoGet()*.

The error code is a standard error code set by the I/O system (see VxWorks Reference Manual).

SEE ALSO

ioLib, basic I/O routine - close()

4.3 ioctl()

NAME

ioctl() - performs an I/O control function.

SYNOPSIS

```
#include "tip840.h"
```

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

DESCRIPTION

Special I/O operation that do not fit to the standard basic I/O calls will be performed by calling the *ioctl* function with a specific function code and an optional function dependent argument.

For details of supported *ioctl* functions see VxWorks Reference Manual: VxWorks Programmer's Guide: I/O system.

PARAMETER

fd

This file descriptor specifies the device to be used. The file descriptor has been returned by the *open()* function.

request

This argument specifies the function that shall be executed.
Following functions are defined:

Function	Description
FIO_TIP840_SETMODE	Set differential or single ended mode for AD conversion
FIO_TIP840_SETGAIN	Set gain for AD conversion
FIO_TIP840_READ_ADC	Read from an ADC channel

arg

This parameter depends on the selected function (request). How to use this parameter is described below with the function.

RETURNS

Function dependent value (described with the function) or ERROR if the function fails an error code will be stored in *errno*.

ERROR CODES

The error codes are stored in *errno* and can be read with the function *errnoGet()*.

The error code is a standard error code set by the I/O system (see VxWorks Reference Manual).

SEE ALSO

ioLib, basic I/O routine - *ioctl()*

4.3.1 FIO_TIP840_SETMODE

NAME

FIO_TIP840_SETMODE – Set differential or single ended mode AD conversion

DESCRIPTION

This function is used to define if the ADC input multiplexer shall be configured to 16 single-ended channels or to 8 differential channels. The function specific control parameter **arg** is a value describing the new AD conversion mode.

Valid values for the ADC mode are:

Value	Description
TIP840_SINGLE	TIP840 ADC inputs are configured for single-ended channels.
TIP840_DIFF	TIP840 ADC inputs are configured for differential channels (not supported by TIP840-10/-11)

EXAMPLE

```
#include "tip840.h"

int status;
int fd;

/*-----
   Select single-ended input mode
   -----*/
status = ioctl(fd, FIO_TIP840_SETMODE, TIP840_SINGLE);
if (status == OK)
{
    /* ioctl function successful */
} else {
    /* handle error */
}
```

ERRORS

S_tip840Drv_IMODE	Mode not supported. TIP840-10/-10 only supports single-ended mode.
-------------------	--

4.3.2 FIO_TIP840_SETGAIN

NAME

FIO_TIP840_SETGAIN – Set gain for AD conversion

DESCRIPTION

This function is used to define the gain of the programmable amplifier for the ADC inputs. The selected gain value must be specified in the function dependent argument **arg**, as follows:

Value	Description	
TIP840_GAIN_1	Select Gain 1x	Valid for TIP840-10/-11/-20/-21
TIP840_GAIN_10	Select Gain 10x	Valid for TIP840-10/-20
TIP840_GAIN_100	Select Gain 100x	Valid for TIP840-10/-20
TIP840_GAIN_2	Select Gain 2x	Valid for TIP840-11/-21
TIP840_GAIN_4	Select Gain 4x	Valid for TIP840-11/-21
TIP840_GAIN_8	Select Gain 8x	Valid for TIP840-11/-21

EXAMPLE

```
#include "tip840.h"

int status;
int fd;

/*-----
Set gain 1
-----*/
status = ioctl(fd, FIO_TIP840_SETGAIN, TIP840_GAIN_1);
if (status == OK)
{
    /* ioctl function successful */
} else {
    /* handle error */
}
```

ERRORS

S_tip840Drv_IARG	Invalid argument. TIP840-10/-20 only supports 3 different gain levels.
------------------	--

4.3.3 FIO_TIP840_READ_ADC

NAME

FIO_TIP840_READ_ADC – Read from a ADC channel

DESCRIPTION

The `ioctl()` function is used to read the value of a specified ADC channel. This function will use the ADC mode and gain which has been programmed with the last calls to the `ioctl` functions `FIO_TIP840_SETMODE` and `FIO_TIP840_SETGAIN`.

The argument *arg* points to a driver-specific I/O parameter structure of type `TIP840_ADC_BUFFER`.

typedef struct

```
{  
    unsigned int    flags;  
    unsigned int    channel;  
    int             data;  
    int             timeout;  
} TIP840_ADC_BUFFER;
```

flags

If the ADC channel, specified by the parameter *channel*, has changed from a previous call of *read*, the data conversion will be automatically delayed until the settling time for the programmable gain amplifier has expired to get the best accuracy of the converted value. However this delay can be disabled by setting the flag `TIP840_IGNORE`.

The flag `TIP840_CORRECTION` will enable the correction of the gain and offset error of the TIP840 with the factory calibration information which is stored in the ID PROM.

All errors are considered to be linear. For each of the programmable gains two correction numbers are used. One corrects the offset (or zero) error, and the second corrects the gain error (see also Hardware User Manual, chapter "Data correction").

channel

This parameter specifies the channel to convert. For TIP840-20/-21 in single ended mode, valid range is 1..16. For differential mode use range 1..8. For TIP840-10/-11, only channels 1..8 are valid.

data

If this `ioctl()` function succeeds this parameter receives the converted ADC channel data.

timeout

This parameter specifies the maximum time in system ticks the user is willing to wait for `ioctl` completion. A value of -1 means "wait forever", a value of 0 means "no wait" and a value greater than 0 means "wait *timeout* system ticks".

EXAMPLE

```
#include "tip840.h"

TIP840_ADC_BUFFER ADCbuf;
int                fd;
STATUS             status;
int               error;

/*-----
   Start a conversion on ADC channel 1 and correct the result
   of the conversion by the factory calibration information
   -----*/
ADCbuf.flags = TIP840_CORRECTION;
ADCbuf.channel = 1;

status = ioctl (fd, FIO_TIP840_READ_ADC, (int)&ADCbuf);

if (status == ERROR)
{
    printf("Device read error errno = %xh\n", errnoGet());
} else {
    printf("ADC value = %d\n", ADCbuf.data);
}
```

ERRORS

S_tip840Drv_ICHAN	Invalid ADC channel number. Check if module is configured to differential mode.
S_tip840Drv_IARG	The supplied pointer to the buffer is not valid.
S_objLib_OBJ_TIMEOUT	The conversion timed out, or another conversion pending.