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Introduction

<u>Note</u>: In this document IpPar?? and IP- Parallel-?? refer to one of seven versions of the IpParIO driver and IP-Parallel-IO hardware. The versions and the I/O distributions are as follows:

Board Type	Driver Name	IO configuration
IP-Parallel-TTL	IpParTTL	48 TTL / 0 RS485
IP-Parallel-1	lpPar_1	40 TTL / 4 RS485
IP-Parallel-2	lpPar_2	32 TTL / 8 RS485
IP-Parallel-3	lpPar_3	24 TTL / 12 RS485
IP-Parallel-4	lpPar_4	16 TTL / 16 RS485
IP-Parallel-5	lpPar_5	8 TTL / 20 RS485
IP-Parallel-485	lpPar485	0 TTL / 24 RS485

The IP-PARALLEL-?? driver is a Windows device driver for the IP-Test Industry-pack (IP) module from Dynamic Engineering. This driver was developed with the Windows Driver Foundation version 1.9 (WDF) from Microsoft, specifically the Kernel-Mode Driver Framework (KMDF).

The driver is delivered as installed or executable items to be used directly or indirectly by the user. The UserApp code is delivered in source form [C] and is for the purpose of providing a reference to using the driver.

UserApp is a stand-alone code set with a simple, and powerful menu plus a series of "tests" that can be run on the installed hardware. Each of the tests execute calls to the driver, pass parameters and structures, and get results back. With the sequence of calls demonstrated, the functions of the hardware are utilized for loop-back testing. The software is used for manufacturing test at Dynamic Engineering.

The test software can be ported to your application to provide a running start. It is recommended to port the RegisterTest to your application to get started. The test is simple and will quickly demonstrate the end-to-end operation of your application making calls to the driver and interacting with the hardware.

The menu allows the user to add tests, to run sequences of tests, to run until a failure occurs and stop or to continue, to program a set number of loops to execute and more. The user can add tests to the provided test suite to try out application ideas before committing to your system configuration. In many cases the test configuration will allow faster debugging in a more controlled environment before integrating with the rest of the system. The test suite is designed to accommodate up to 5 boards. The number of boards can be expanded. See Main.c to increase the number of handles.

The hardware manual defines the pinout, the bitmaps and detailed configurations for each feature of the design. The driver handles all aspects of interacting with the hardware. For added explanations about what some of the driver functions do, please refer to the hardware manual.



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When the IP-PARALLEL-?? board is recognized by the IP Carrier Driver, the carrier driver will start the IP- PARALLEL-?? driver which will create a device object for the board. If more than one is found additional copies of the driver are loaded. The carrier driver will load the info storage register on the IP- PARALLEL-?? with the carrier switch setting and the slot number of the IP- PARALLEL-?? device. From within the IP-PARALLEL-?? driver the user can access the switch and slot information to determine the specific device being accessed when more than one are installed.

The reference software application has a loop to check for devices. The number of devices found, the locations, and device count are printed out at the top of the menu.

IO Control calls (IOCTLs) are used to configure the board and read status. Read and Write calls are used to move data in and out of the device.

Note

This documentation will provide information about all calls made to the driver, and how the driver interacts with the hardware for each of these calls. For more detailed information on the hardware implementation, refer to the IP-Parallel-IO device user manual (also referred to as the hardware manual).

Driver Installation

There are several files provided in each driver package. These files include IpPar??.sys, IpPar??Public.h, IpPublic.h, WdfCoInstaller01009.dll, IpModDrivers.inf and ipmoddrivers.cat.

IpPar??.h and IpPublic.h are C header files that define the Application Program Interface (API) to the driver. These files are required at compile time by any application that wishes to interface with the driver, but are not needed for driver installation.

Note: Other IP module drivers are included in the package since they were all signed together and must be present to validate the digital signature. These other IP module driver files must be present when the IpPar?? driver is installed, to verify the digital signature in ipmoddrivers.cat, otherwise they can be ignored.

Warning: The appropriate IP carrier driver must be installed before any IP modules can be detected by the system.



Windows 7 Installation

Copy IpModDrivers.inf, ipmoddrivers.cat, WdfCoInstaller01009.dll, IpPar??.sys and the other IP module drivers to a removable memory device or other accessible location as preferred.

With the IP hardware installed, power-on the host computer.

- Open the **Device Manager** from the control panel.
- Under *Other devices* there should be an item for each IP module installed on the IP carrier. The label for a module installed in the first slot of the first PCle3IP carrier would read *PcieCar0 IP Slot A**.
- Right-click on the first device and select *Update Driver Software*.
- Insert the removable memory device prepared above if necessary.
- Select Browse my computer for driver software.
- Select **Browse** and navigate to the memory device or other location prepared above.
- Select **Next**. The IpPar?? device driver should now be installed.
- Select *Close* to close the update window.
- Right-click on the remaining IP slot icons and repeat the above procedure as necessary.



^{*} If the [Carrier] IP Slot [x] devices are not displayed, click on the Scan for hardware changes icon on the Device Manager tool-bar.

Driver Startup

Once the driver has been installed it will start automatically when the system recognizes the hardware.

A handle can be opened to a specific board by using the CreateFile() function call and passing in the device name obtained from the system.

The interface to the device is identified using a globally unique identifier (GUID), which is defined in IpPar??Public.h.

The *main.c* file provided with the user test software can be used as an example to show how to obtain a handle to an IpPar?? device.



IO Controls

The driver uses IO Control calls (IOCTLs) to configure the device. IOCTLs refer to a single Device Object, which controls a single module. IOCTLs are called using the Win32 function DeviceloControl() (see below), and passing in the handle to the device opened with CreateFile() (see above). IOCTLs generally have input parameters, output parameters, or both. Often a custom structure is used.

```
BOOL DeviceIoControl(

HANDLE hDevice, // Handle opened with CreateFile()

DWORD dwIoControlCode, // Control code defined in API header file

LPVOID lpInBuffer, // Pointer to input parameter

DWORD nInBufferSize, // Size of input parameter

LPVOID lpOutBuffer, // Pointer to output parameter

DWORD nOutBufferSize, // Size of output parameter

LPDWORD lpBytesReturned, // Pointer to return length parameter

LPOVERLAPPED lpOverlapped, // Optional pointer to overlapped structure

); // used for asynchronous I/O
```

The IOCTLs defined for the IpPar?? driver are described below:

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_GET_INFO

Function: Returns the device instance number, driver version, carrier switch value and carrier slot number.

Input: None

Output: DRIVER_IP_DEVICE_INFO structure

Notes: This call does not access the hardware, only stored driver parameters. NewlpCntl indicates that the module's carrier has expanded slot control capabilities. See the definition of DRIVER_IP_DEVICE_INFO below.



```
} DRIVER IP DEVICE INFO, *PDRIVER IP DEVICE INFO;
```

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_SET_IP_CONTROL

Function: Sets various control parameters for the IP slot the module is installed in.

Input: IP SLOT CONTROL structure

Output: None

Notes: Controls the IP clock speed, interrupt enables and data manipulation options for the IP slot that the board occupies. See the definition of IP_SLOT_CONTROL below. For more information refer to the IP carrier hardware manual.

```
typedef struct _IP_SLOT_CONTROL {
   BOOLEAN Clock32Sel;
   BOOLEAN ByteSwap;
   BOOLEAN WordSwap;
   BOOLEAN WrIncDis;
   BOOLEAN RdIncDis;
   UCHAR WrWordSel;
   UCHAR RdWordSel;
   BOOLEAN BSErrTmOutSel;
   BOOLEAN ActCountEn;
} IP SLOT CONTROL, *PIP SLOT CONTROL;
```

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_GET_IP_STATE

Function: Returns control/status information for the IP slot the module is installed in.

Input: None

Output: IP SLOT STATE structure

Notes: Returns the slot control parameters set in the previous call as well as status information for the IP slot that the board occupies. See the definition of

IP SLOT STATE below.

```
typedef struct _IP_SLOT STATE {
  BOOLEAN Clock32Sel;
  BOOLEAN ClockDis;
  BOOLEAN ByteSwap;
BOOLEAN WordSwap;
BOOLEAN WrIncDis;
  BOOLEAN RdIncDis;
  UCHAR WrWordSel;
  UCHAR RdWordSel;
  BOOLEAN BsErrTmOutSel;
  BOOLEAN ActCountEn;
// Slot Status
  BOOLEAN IpIntOEn;
  BOOLEAN IpInt1En;
  BOOLEAN IpBusErrIntEn;
  BOOLEAN IpIntOActv;
  BOOLEAN IpInt1Actv;
   BOOLEAN IpBusError;
```



```
BOOLEAN IpForceInt;
BOOLEAN WrBusError;
BOOLEAN RdBusError;
} IP_SLOT_STATE, *PIP_SLOT_STATE;
```

IOCTL IP PAR?? SET BASE CONFIG

Function: Sets configuration parameters in the base control register.

Input: IP PAR IO BASE CONFIG structure

Output: None

Notes: Controls the output data latch behavior, the timer/counter A and B interrupt enables and enables the square wave output on the upper data bit. The output data latch can be set to enable, disable or auto. When in auto the outputs from all data registers are enabled onto the output bus simultaneously after each data update call. See the definition of IP_PAR_IO_BASE_CONFIG below. Bit definitions can be found under the 'BASE_CNTL' section under Register Definitions in the Hardware manual.

```
typedef struct _IP_PAR_IO_BASE_CONFIG {
   OUT_SEL Outen;
   BOOLEAN CntTmrAIntEn;
   BOOLEAN CntTmrAWaveEn;
   BOOLEAN CntTmrBIntEn;
} IP_PAR_IO_BASE_CONFIG, *PIP_PAR_IO_BASE_CONFIG;
```

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_GET_BASE_CONFIG

Function: Returns the configuration of the base control register.

Input: None

Output: IP_PAR_IO_BASE_CONFIG structure **Notes:** Returns the values set in the previous call.

IOCTL IP PAR?? SET TTL DATA

Function: Sets the value of the TTL outputs on the board.

Input: IP PAR TTL BITS structure

Output: None

Notes: The number of valid bits varies with the number of TTL outputs on the board. This call is not valid on the IP-Parallel-485 board as it has no TTL drivers. See the definition of IP_PAR_TTL_BITS below. Note that this same structure is used for all IOCTLs that concern TTL data. Only the bits that are relevant to the specific hardware are valid. See CNTL0, CNTL1, and CNTL2 for the specific hardware in the hardware manual for more details.

```
typedef struct _IP_PAR_TTL_BITS
{
   ULONG LoWord;
   ULONG HiWord;
} IP PAR TTL BITS, *PIP PAR TTL BITS;
```



IOCTL_IP_PAR??_GET_TTL_DATA

Function: Returns the state of the TTL outputs in the output data register.

Input: None

Output: IP PAR TTL BITS structure

Notes: The number of valid bits varies with the number of TTL outputs. This call is not

valid on the IP-Parallel-485 board as it has no TTL drivers. See the definition of

IP PAR TTL BITS above.

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_SET_485_DIR

Function: Sets the directions for the RS485 drivers on the board.

Input: unsigned long int

Output: None

Notes: The number of valid bits varies with the number of RS485 drivers from 24 on the IP-Parallel-485 to zero on the IP-Parallel-TTL. A one in a bit position corresponds to setting that driver to be an output, while a zero corresponds to an input. This call is not valid on the IP-Parallel-TTL board. See CNTL0, CNTL1, and CNTL2 for the specific hardware in the hardware manual for more details.

IOCTL IP PAR?? GET 485 DIR

Function: Returns the direction bits for the RS485 drivers on the board.

Input: None

Output: unsigned long int

Notes: Returns the bits set in the previous call. This call is not valid on the IP-Parallel-

TTL board.

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_SET_485_DATA

Function: Sets the value of the RS485 outputs on the board.

Input: unsigned long int

Output: None

Notes: The number of valid bits varies with the number of RS485 drivers on the board and only the drivers that are set to be outputs can drive the output bus. This call is not valid on the IP-Parallel-TTL board as it has no RS485 drivers. See CNTL0, CNTL1, and CNTL2 for the specific hardware in the hardware manual for more details.



IOCTL_IP_PAR??_GET_485_DATA

Function: Returns the state of the RS485 bits in the output data register.

Input: None

Output: unsigned long int

Notes: The number of valid bits varies with the number of RS485 drivers. This call is

not valid on the IP-Parallel-TTL board as it has no RS485 drivers.

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_SET_TTL_INT_EN

Function: Selects which TTL inputs can cause an interrupt.

Input: IP PAR TTL BITS structure

Output: None

Notes: This call defines the mask of which of the TTL input lines will be enabled to cause an interrupt when the specified conditions are met (1 = enabled, 0 = disabled). The number of valid bits varies with the number of TTL I/O. This call is not valid on the IP-Parallel-485 board as it has no TTL drivers. See the definition of IP_PAR_TTL_BITS above. See Int_en0, Int_en1, and Int_en2 in the hardware manual for more details.

IOCTL IP PAR?? GET TTL INT EN

Function: Returns the interrupt enable values set in the previous call.

Input: None

Output: IP PAR TTL BITS structure

Notes: The number of valid bits varies with the number of TTL I/O lines. This call is not

valid on the IP-Parallel-485 board as it has no TTL drivers. See the definition of

IP PAR TTL BITS above.

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_SET_485_INT_EN

Function: Selects which RS485 inputs can cause an interrupt.

Input: unsigned long int

Output: None

Notes: This call defines the mask of which of the RS485 input lines will be enabled to cause an interrupt when the specified conditions are met (1 = enabled, 0 = disabled). The number of valid bits varies with the number of RS485 drivers. This call is not valid on the IP-Parallel-TTL board as it has no RS485 drivers. See Int_en0, Int_en1, and Int_en2 in the hardware manual for more details.



IOCTL_IP_PAR??_GET_485_INT_EN

Function: Returns the interrupt enable value set in the previous call.

Input: None

Output: unsigned long int

Notes: The number of valid bits varies with the number of RS485 I/O lines. This call is

not valid on the IP-Parallel-TTL board as it has no RS485 drivers.

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_SET_TTL_EDGE_LEVEL

Function: Selects whether a TTL input is edge-sensitive or level sensitive.

Input: IP PAR TTL BITS structure

Output: None

Notes: Determines whether the interrupt for each of the enabled TTL input lines responds to a static logic level or a transition between levels (1 = edge, 0 = level). The number of valid bits varies with the number of TTL I/O. This call is not valid on the IP-Parallel-485 board as it has no TTL drivers. See the definition of IP_PAR_TTL_BITS above. See Edg_LvI0, Edg_LvI1, and Edg_LvI2 in the hardware manual for more details.

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_GET_TTL_EDGE_LEVEL

Function: Returns the interrupt edge/level values set in the previous call.

Input: None

Output: IP PAR TTL BITS structure

Notes: The number of valid bits varies with the number of TTL I/O lines. This call is not

valid on the IP-Parallel-485 board as it has no TTL drivers. See the definition of

IP PAR TTL BITS above.

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_SET_485_EDGE_LEVEL

Function: Selects whether an RS485 input is edge or level sensitive.

Input: unsigned long int

Output: None

Notes: Determines whether the interrupt for each of the enabled RS485 input lines will respond to a static logic level or a transition between levels (1 = edge, 0 = level). The number of valid bits varies with the number of RS485 I/O. This call is not valid on the IP-Parallel-TTL board as it has no RS485 drivers. See Edg_LvI0, Edg_LvI1, and

Edg Lvl2 in the hardware manual for more details.



IOCTL_IP_PAR??_GET_485_EDGE_LEVEL

Function: Returns the interrupt edge/level values set in the previous call.

Input: None

Output: unsigned long int

Notes: The number of valid bits varies with the number of RS485 I/O. This call is not

valid on the IP-Parallel-TTL board as it has no RS485 drivers.

IOCTL IP PAR?? SET TTL POLARITY

Function: Selects whether a TTL input is active high or active low.

Input: IP PAR TTL BITS structure

Output: None

Notes: Determines the polarity of the level or edge to which the interrupt for each of the input lines will respond (1 = inverted: active low or falling edge, 0 = non-inverted: active high or rising edge). The number of valid bits varies with the number of TTL I/O. This call is not valid on the IP-Parallel-485 board as it has no TTL drivers. See the definition of IP_PAR_TTL_BITS above. See Pol0, Pol1, and Pol2 in the hardware manual for

more details.

IOCTL IP PAR?? GET TTL POLARITY

Function: Returns the interrupt polarity values set in the previous call.

Input: None

Output: IP PAR TTL BITS structure

Notes: The number of valid bits varies with the number of TTL I/O lines. This call is not

valid on the IP-Parallel-485 board as it has no TTL drivers. See the definition of

IP PAR TTL BITS above.

IOCTL IP PAR?? SET 485 POLARITY

Function: Selects whether an RS485 input is active high or active low.

Input: unsigned long int

Output: None

Notes: Determines the polarity of the level or edge to which the interrupt for each of the input lines will respond (1 = inverted: active low or falling edge, 0 = non-inverted: active high or rising edge). The number of valid bits varies with the number of RS485 I/O. This call is not valid on the IP-Parallel-TTL board as it has no RS485 drivers. See Pol0, Pol1, and Pol2 in the hardware manual for more details.



IOCTL_IP_PAR??_GET_485_POLARITY

Function: Returns the interrupt polarity values set in the previous call.

Input: None

Output: unsigned long int

Notes: The number of valid bits varies with the number of RS485 I/O. This call is not

valid on the IP-Parallel-TTL board as it has no RS485 drivers.

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_READ_DIRECT

Function: Reads the input data bus directly.

Input: None

Output: IP PAR IO READ DATA structure

Notes: This call reads the raw real-time input data from the TTL and RS485 input lines and returns an. IP_PAR_IO_READ_DATA structure. This structure has separate fields for the TTL and RS485 data bits. The number of valid bits in each field varies with the number of each type of I/O. See the definition of IP_PAR_IO_READ_DATA below and the definition of IP_PAR_TTL_BITS above. See Datain_dir0, Datain_dir1, and Datain_dir2 in the hardware manual for more details.

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_READ_ FILTERED

Function: Reads the filtered input data.

Input: None

Output: IP PAR IO READ DATA structure

Notes: This call reads the contents of the interrupt latches after the enable mask, edge/level, and polarity bits have been applied. A one means that the specified conditions for that bit have been met. The values are returned in a IP_PAR_IO_READ_DATA structure, which has separate fields for the TTL and RS485 data bits. The number of valid bits in each field varies with the number of each type of I/O. The latched bits are automatically cleared when read by this call. See Datain_fil0, Datain_fil1, and Datain_fil2 in the hardware manual for more details.



IOCTL_IP_PAR??_SET_COUNTER_PRELOAD

Function: Stores a value to be loaded into the A-Counter when a new count is loaded.

Input: unsigned long int

Output: None

Notes: The A-Counter counts down from the loaded count value. When it reaches zero, this count is re-loaded and an interrupt will be generated if the Counter A interrupt

is enabled.

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_GET_COUNTER_PRELOAD

Function: Returns the value stored in the A-Counter preload registers.

Input: None

Output: unsigned long int

Notes: Returns the value written with the previous call.

IOCTL IP PAR?? SET TIMER MASK

Function: Stores a value in the B-Timer mask registers

Input: unsigned long int

Output: None

Notes: The B-Timer counts up from zero. When a counter bit is high that corresponds to a bit that asserted in the mask register an interrupt will be generated if the Timer B

interrupt is enabled.

IOCTL IP PAR?? GET TIMER MASK

Function: Returns the value stored in the B-Timer mask registers.

Input: None

Output: unsigned long int

Notes: Returns the value written with the previous call.

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_LOAD_COUNTER

Function: Causes the A-Counter to be loaded with the preload value.

Input: None *Output:* None

Notes:



IOCTL_IP_PAR??_CLEAR_TIMER

Function: Clears the B-Timer count to zero.

Input: None Output: None

Notes:

IOCTL IP PAR?? GET TIMER COUNT

Function: Reads the current value of the Timer B count.

Input:

Output: unsigned long int

Notes: The hold count bit is automatically set before the count is read and cleared afterward. This guarantees that a consistent count is read since two accesses are

required to read all 32 bits.

IOCTL IP PAR?? GET STATUS

Function: Returns the status bits in the INT STAT register.

Input: None

Output: unsigned short int

Notes: The interrupt status bits are read by this call and the latched bits are then

automatically cleared.

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_REGISTER_EVENT

Function: Registers an event to be signaled when an interrupt occurs.

Input: Handle to Event object

Output: None

Notes: The caller creates an event with CreateEvent() and supplies the handle returned from that call as the input to this IOCTL. The driver then obtains a system pointer to the event and signals the event when an interrupt is serviced. The user interrupt service routine waits on this event, allowing it to respond to the interrupt. In order to un-register the event, set the event handle to NULL while making this call.



IOCTL_IP_PAR??_ENABLE_INTERRUPT

Function: Enables the master interrupt.

Input: None *Output:* None

Notes: Sets the master interrupt enable, leaving all other bit values in the IPPAR??_BASE register unchanged. Also checks the state of the IP slot control register interrupt 0 enable bit in the saved configuration, and sets it if needed. This IOCTL is used in the user interrupt processing function to re-enable the interrupts after they were disabled in the driver interrupt service routine. This allows that function to enable the interrupts without knowing the particulars of the other configuration bits.

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_DISABLE_INTERRUPT

Function: Disables the master interrupt.

Input: None *Output:* None

Notes: Clears the master interrupt enable, leaving all other bit values in the

IPPAR?? BASE register unchanged. This IOCTL is used when interrupt processing is

no longer desired.

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_FORCE_INTERRUPT

Function: Causes a system interrupt to occur.

Input: None *Output:* None

Notes: Causes an interrupt to be asserted on the IP bus. This IOCTL is used for

development, to test interrupt processing.

IOCTL IP PAR?? SET VECTOR

Function: Sets the value of the interrupt vector.

Input: unsigned character

Output: None

Notes: This value will be driven onto the low byte of the data bus in response to an INT SEL strobe, which is used in vectored interrupt cycles. This value will be read in

the interrupt service routine and stored for future reference.



IOCTL_IP_PAR??_GET_VECTOR

Function: Returns the current interrupt vector value.

Input: None

Output: unsigned character

Notes:

IOCTL_IP_PAR??_GET_ISR_STATUS

Function: Returns the interrupt status and vector read in the last ISR.

Input: None

Output: IPPAR??_INT_STAT structure

Notes: The status contains the contents of the INT_STAT register read in the last ISR execution. Also, if bit 12 is set, it indicates that a bus error occurred for this IP slot.



Warranty and Repair

Please refer to the warranty page on our website for the current warranty offered and options.

http://www.dyneng.com/warranty.html

Service Policy

Before returning a product for repair, verify as well as possible that the driver is at fault. The driver has gone through extensive testing, and in most cases it will be "cockpit error" rather than an error with the driver. When you are sure or at least willing to pay to have someone help then call or e-mail and arrange to work with an engineer. We will work with you to determine the cause of the issue.

Support

The software described in this manual is provided at no cost to clients who have purchased the corresponding hardware. Minimal support is included along with the documentation. For help with integration into your project please contact sales@dyneng.com for a support contract. Several options are available. With a contract in place Dynamic Engineers can help with system debugging, special software development, or whatever you need to get going.

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