

# **Multimedia Controller for PCI Bus**

# **ZR36120**

# **Data Sheet**

# **Features**

- Glueless interface to PCI bus. (PCI spec. 2.1 compliance).
- Glueless interface to MPEG decoders (e.g., ZR36100/ ZR36110), video digitizers (e.g., SAA7110, SAA7111), MPEG audio decoders (e.g., CS4920, SAA2502) and video encoders (e.g., SAA7188, MD0207).
- DMA transfer of video and coded bitstream.
- Smooth image down-scaler (up to 5-tap horizontal filter).
- On-chip pixel-accurate, real color-key masking.
- YUV-to-RGB converter with quantization noise reduction (error diffusion).
- Video output: 15- and 16-bit RGB pixel formats, as well as 24-bit (packed and unpacked), and YUV 4:2:2.

# **Applications**

- MPEG and frame-grabbing add-in boards for PCI systems.
- Multimedia and multimedia  $+$  graphics subsystems using a secondary PCI bus.
- PCI motherboards of multimedia computers.
- $\blacksquare$  I<sup>2</sup>C bus master port.
- Plug & Play support.
- Graceful recovery from extreme bus latencies.
- Choice of emulated interlaced video display, or single field display, to eliminate motion artifacts.
- Hardware support for simple, cost effective frame grabbing.
- 160-pin PQFP package.
- Accompanying software includes MCI and VfW drivers for Windows 3.1 and Windows 95, OM1 DOS driver and a TVon-PC application example.
- Multimedia solutions to 486, Pentium, PowerPC, Macintosh, and Alpha PCI systems.
- Video capture for video conferencing applications.



**Figure 1: Block Diagram of A Typical Video Subsystem for PCI Computers**

# **1. INTRODUCTION**

**ZORAN**'s **ZR36120** is aimed for multimedia playback applications on PCI systems. It captures digital video, such as decompressed MPEG video, or the output of a video analog-todigital converter, and creates a scaled video window in the system display memory. It provides the host CPU with full control over up to four non-PCI multimedia devices (e.g., **ZR36100/ ZR36110**) as well as any number of  $I^2C$  slave devices, such as an audio decoder, video digitizers and encoders, TV tuners, etc. Software support includes MCI driver, Open-MPEG1 driver, and hardware abstraction API. A complete development kit, including a reference board (mulTVideo), is available from **ZORAN**

The **ZR36120** directly interfaces the PCI bus. As a bus master it retrieves data (e.g., MPEG bitstream) from system memory and writes digital video data onto display memory. As a bus target ("slave"), it provides the host CPU control over several non-PCI "guest" devices. For example, it can pass microcodes, parameters and on-line commands from the host CPU to an MPEG system/video decoder and an audio decoder. To fulfil this goal the **ZR36120** incorporates a microcontroller-type 8-bit "guest" bus, and an  $I^2C$  bus master port. The latter is used to control devices like the CS4920 and SAA2502 audio decoders, SAA7110 and SAA7111 video digitizers, SAA7188 video encoder, etc.

The digital video is captured from a generic digital video bus (YUV 4:2:2 format). The video data can be down-scaled, if scaling is needed. Horizontal filtering is applied before downscaling, to reduce spatial artifacts. If necessary, the video data is converted to one of several pixel formats. When 16- or 15-bit RGB formats are selected, error diffusion can be applied, to reduce color quantization artifacts.

The host CPU dynamically programs the location and size of the desired video-window into the **ZR36120** registers. The downscaled, packed video data is written directly to the display memory through the video DMA channel of the **ZR36120**, using PCI burst transfers . Any combination of pixels within the video window can be masked off by other resources (e.g., game graphics). The **ZR36120** video-write mechanism can skip these areas and avoid overriding the display memory in the corresponding locations.

The **ZR36120**'s video window can be configured to emulate the interlaced video input, or to ignore the bottom field and display only the top one. The latter mode is sometimes preferred with live video, to eliminate motion artifacts.

In order to overcome momentary latencies of the PCI bus, the **ZR36120** uses a 256-byte Video FIFO Buffer. Data is organized in the buffer in 32-bit words, ready for PCI bus transfers.

A second DMA channel is dedicated to transferring data from system memory to a "guest" decoder. An 8 x 32 bit Code FIFO Buffer is used to secure an average rate of bitstream, even in cases of extreme PCI bus latencies.

The **ZR36120** is packaged in a 160-pin PQFP. It requires a 5V power supply.

#### **About this Manual**

This user's manual provides hardware and software developers with the complete technical information required to design systems with the **ZR36120**. The first three chapters, which are more introductory, are also adequate for engineering managers who evaluate the **ZR36120**.

#### **1.1 Notations and Conventions**

External signals: capital, bold letters (e.g., **IDSEL**)

Active-low mark: # (e.g., **DEVSEL#**)

Buses: XXmsb\_index...lsb\_index (e.g., **AD31...0**)

Register fields: XXmsb\_index:lsb\_index (e.g., 27:16)

Configurable parameters: Capital initials, attached words (e.g., HorDcm, TopField).

Register types:

- R read only
- RC read-clear. Writing '1' clears the register bit.
- RS read-set. Writing '1' sets the register bit to '1'.
- RW read-write (contents of write can be read back)

#### Numbers:

Unmarked numbers are decimal

(e.g., 365, 23.19).

- Hexadecimal numbers are marked with a '0x' prefix (e.g., 0xB000, 0x3).
- Binary numbers are marked with a 'b' suffix (e.g., 010b, 0000110100011b).
- Math expressions: following the C syntax, e.g.,  $X \leq n$  - X is left-shifted n times  $X++$  -  $X=X+1$

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**Figure 2: ZR36120 Block Diagram**



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# **2. Pin Description**

The following tables provide a brief description of each pin on the **ZR36120**. The following definitions are used in these tables:

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- I Input signaI- 3-S 3-state signal 3-S\* sustained 3-S. Refer to PCI spec. 2.1, section 2.1
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- O Output signal- I Standard input-only OD open drain, shared by multiple drivers, as a wired-or.
- I/O Bidirectional signal-  $O -$  Standard active driver







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# Table 4: I<sup>2</sup>C Bus Signals







# **3. FUNCTIONAL OVERVIEW**

The **ZR36120** multimedia controller performs the following functions:

- Interfacing to a YUV 4:2:2 digital video bus (e.g., Philips SAA7110 or SAA7111).
- Independent horizontal and vertical downscaling, with optional horizontal filtering, of the input image.
- Conversion of the YUV 4:2:2 digital video input into one of the following pixel formats: YUV 4:2:2, RGB 5:6:5, RGB 5:5:5 or RGB 8:8:8 (packed or unpacked).
- Two DMA channels for burst transfers of video and coded bitstream.
- Overlay support: any number of video pixels can be masked off, letting the corresponding graphics pixels appear instead of them.
- $\cdot$  I<sup>2</sup>C Bus mastering.
- Frame grabbing.
- Two display modes: emulation of the interlaced input video, or a single field display.

The **ZR36120** supports digital video in CCIR 601 or square pixel formats, following either NTSC or PAL video standard. Other input schemes are supported as well.

Figure 1 depicts the **ZR36120** functional block diagram.

The functional description below follows the block diagram.

# **3.1 Digital Video Path**

### **Digital Video Front End**

The VFE samples the incoming YUV 4:2:2 video data and sync signals with a flexible sampling scheme, that makes it compatible with a wide variety of digital video sources. The digital input video can be cropped. The input resolutions supported by the VFE range from 32x32 to 1023x1023, in continuous steps.

### **Video Input Processor**

The chroma components of the video data are upsampled to form a YUV 4:4:4 format. All components are horizontally filtered. Five filtering schemes are implemented, with different parameters for chrominance and luminance samples. Downscaling is available (if required) horizontally and vertically. Vertical down scaling can be optimized to the output of the ZR36100 (mode: duplicated fields).

### **Pixel Formatting**

The filtered and scaled video is packed according to the selected pixel format. YUV 4:2:2, 24-bit RGB (packed or unpacked) and 15- and 16-bit RGB are supported. An error diffusion algorithm can be applied to the RGB 5:5:5 and 5:6:5, in order to eliminate quantization artifacts on the output image.

# **3.2 Video DMA Controller**

### **Pixel Bursts**

The packed pixels are transferred directly to the display memory (or to the system memory), using PCI DMA bursts. Both Little and "Gib" Endian formats are supported where applicable (Refer to PCI Multimedia Design Guide, Revision 1.0).

#### **Display Modes**

The display mode can be configured to either emulated interlaced video (both input fields are displayed) or single field display. The latter is appropriate for motion artifact elimination when displaying live video.

#### **Frame Grabbing**

The **ZR36120** can grab video frames (scaled or non scaled), or fields, in any of the pixel formats listed above, directly into system memory, eliminating the need for memory on the add-in board.

#### **Overlay Control**

Graphics overlay is supported, in that display memory areas that are "owned" by graphics applications, may not be loaded with video pixels, allowing true windowing and overlay. The software driver prepares a masking map of the video rectangle, and the **ZR36120** uses this map for masking decision, when transferring the pixels to the display memory.

# **3.3 Host Control/Communication Services**

### **Application-Specific Registers**

The name "application-specific" distinguishes these registers from the PCI configuration space registers. These memory mapped registers provide the host CPU with full control over the operation of the **ZR36120**. The **ZR36120** claims a contiguous space of 4 KBytes in system memory.

#### **GuestBus**

Host CPU control over non-PCI devices, such as an MPEG decoder, a video encoder, etc., is done through the **ZR36120**'s **GuestBus**. Host CPU accesses to these "guest" devices, mapped as application specific registers inside the **ZR36120**, are output as **GuestBus** cycles. Such accesses can either use the **PostOffice** handshaking protocol, or the Code DMA Controller. The first method is adequate for "random" transfer of commands, configuration data, etc., while the second method provides a faster channel, and is intended for continuous transfer of data. When used in conjunction with the Code DMA Controller, the bandwidth of the **GuestBus** is 5.5 MBytes/sec.

#### **PostOffice Handshaking Protocol**

The **ZR36120 PostOffice** handshaking protocol, implemented over the **GuestBus**, allows host CPU accesses to relatively slow guest devices, with no degradation of the PCI bus performance.

# **I 2C Port**

A software driven  $I^2C$  port allows controlling of  $I^2C$  devices.

### **Interrupt Manager**

Interrupt requests associated with several internal and external conditions are sent to the host via the PCI bus (using INTA#). Selection of interrupt originators is programmable.

# **3.4 Code DMA Controller**

The **ZR36120** includes a DMA channel for transferring data from main memory to a selected device on the **GuestBus**. Typically, this would be compressed bitstream, to be decompressed by a decompression device hooked on the **GuestBus**. Other examples are sampled audio (WAV data), MIDI bitstream, etc. Temporary latencies on the PCI bus or the **GuestBus** are handled without loss of data.

The **GuestBus** master simultaneously serves the **PostOffice** accesses and the code DMA transfers: DMA transfers are viewed as the "main" task of the **GuestBus** master, while any number of **PostOffice** requests may occasionally interrupt the DMA traffic.

The DMA controller supports both auto-initialized (cyclic) block transfers, or single block transfers. The size of the destination block in main memory can be selected out of several possible sizes, ranging from 8 KBytes up to 256 KBytes. The destination block may also be virtually split into several subblocks, allowing the **ZR36120** to interrupt the host CPU when a subblock has been transferred. This feature provides the software with a means of optimizing the refill accesses according to the application requirements and the disk performance.

# **4. Interfaces**

# **4.1 PCI Bus Interface**

In general, the **ZR36120** is compatible with the PCI 2.1 specifications.

As a bus master the **ZR36120** may initiate two types of data transfer over the PCI bus: memory-write (PCI command 0111b), from the **ZR36120**'s internal pixel buffer to the display memory (or main memory), or memory-read-line (PCI command 1110b), from system memory to the **ZR36120**'s internal code buffer.

As a bus target, the **ZR36120** responds to the following types of transfer:

- Memory Read (0110b)
- Memory Read Line (1110b)
- Memory Read Multiple (1100b)
- Memory Write (0111b)
- Configuration Read (1010b)
- Configuration Write (1011b)

All other PCI commands are ignored.

Memory Read Line and Memory Read Multiple are handled exactly as Memory Read.

Usually, as a slave, the **ZR36120** is intended to be accessed with single data phase cycles. However, multiple phase bursts are supported. When the **ZR36120** is accessed in a burst, it increments its internal address such that each data phase is routed to/from the next address location (in doublewords). Slave bursts may be especially advantageous to execute a fast batch of **PostOffice** writes to a guest device (although for a large batch using the Code DMA Controller is more efficient). When slave bursts are used to access guest devices, 5 to 7 PCI wait states should be inserted onto the **TRDY#** signal. This is done through a dedicated parameter in the application-specific registers.

As a slave the **ZR36120** supports byte enables, such that an access to explicit bytes within the **ZR36120** is possible.

The error reporting signals, SERR# and PERR#, are not included in the **ZR36120**: as a multimedia device it is only required to report parity errors through the PCI status register.

The **ZR36120** uses the **INTA#** PCI interrupt request line. This line can be logically associated with one or more out of three possible events.

The **ZR36120** has a special control bit for compatibility with Intel's Triton chipset (Pentium/PCI bridge). The host CPU should use this bit if it recognizes the Triton (refer to 10.7 "Video Display Configuration Register").

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# **4.2 Digital Video Bus Interface**

The **ZR36120**'s video front end (VFE) interfaces a standard YUV 4:2:2 video bus. It samples the **Y7...0**, **UV7...0**, **HSYNC**, and **VSYNC** lines with every other positive edge of **VCLKx2**. The valid positive edge (out of every two consecutive ones), which is the one used for sampling, is "marked" by **VCLK**, i.e. **VCLK** is used as a data qualifier. The qualifying polarity of **VCLK** is configured by the host. This scheme makes the **ZR36120** compatible with a wide range of digital video sources, and immune to board-level delays (caused by layout, etc.). The minimum and maximum values of **VCLKx2** are 24.0 MHz and 30.0 MHz, respectively.

The VFE internally generates a field indication signal targeted to some internal video processing units. There are two alternative ways of generating the field indication. With devices that output a field indication, the VFE may use the **FI** input as an indicator of the current field identity. The interpretation of the logical level of **FI** (top or bottom field) is configured by the host. With devices that do not provide such an indication, the VFE can detect the field identity from **HSYNC** and **VSYNC**.

The VFE can capture square pixel and CCIR-601 formats, or user defined formats, within the limitation of the parameters. The maximum theoretical total input resolution is 1023 pixels per line by 1023 lines pe r filed. Cropping of the input image is possible by proper configuration of the VFE parameters.

Table 7 lists the Video Front-End parameters. The host CPU needs to configure these parameters according to the timing parameters of the video source (e.g., SAA7110, SAA7111, **ZR36100**, **ZR36110**, etc.) and the required cropping. Note that these parameters relate to the input video, and not to the destination video window.





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#### **Table 7: Video Front-End parameters**



# **4.3 GuestBus Interface**

The **ZR36120** masters a generic MCU-style bus aimed to concurrently host up to four slave devices (referred to as "guests"). Examples for such devices are the **ZR36110** MPEG1 decoder, the MD207 video encoder, etc. The bus consists of 8 data lines (GDAT7...0), 3 address lines (GADR2...0), 4 active-low chipselect lines (GCS#3...0), read and write signals (GRD#, GWR#) and a wait-state insertion line (GWS#). The bus also includes two interrupt-request and one status/acknowledge inputs (GIRQ1...0, GRDY, respectively) for a tight handshaking protocol with any of the guests. Two types of data transfers are possible on the guest bus. One is a code-write cycle, initiated by the **ZR36120** (namely the Code DMA Controller), targeted to one of the guests. The second is a **PostOffice** cycle, initiated by the host CPU, targeted to any one of the four guests.

A typical selection to be the target of the code-write cycles would be a decompression device.

# **4.3.1 Flexible GuestBus Timing**

Different guest devices may have different bus timing requirements. In order to meet these requirements and master the **GuestBus** efficiently, the **ZR36120** has two timing parameters for each guest:

- TgdurN is the "low" duration of a **GWR#** or **GRD#** signal when accessing guest N.
- T<sub>arecN</sub> is the minimum recovery time in which **GRD#** and **GWR#** must be non active after the rising edge of the previous access (read or write) to guest N.

T<sub>gdur</sub> and T<sub>grec</sub> are configured by the host CPU in units of PCI clocks (3,4,12 or 15 PCI clocks are the possible values).

Additional timing parameters are specified in 12.3.3 "GuestBus Timing".

# **4.3.2 Code-Write Operations**

Code-Write cycles are initiated by the **ZR36120** if all of the conditions below are met:

- The internal code buffer is not empty.
- A **PostOffice** request is not pending.
- The **GRDY** input is high ('1').

A code-write cycle consists of reading one code byte from the internal code buffer and writing it to the guest and address selected by the host for code-write cycles. The timing parameters of the code-write cycle are those programmed by the host for this specific guest device (the same parameters apply for **PostOffice** accesses to this guest).

# **4.3.2.1 Doubleword to Bytes Mapping in Code-Write Operations**

The code is read in doublewords from main memory, and transferred in bytes to the guest device. The ordering of the bytes is that the least significant byte of a doubleword is the first one to be sent over the **GuestBus**, and the most significant byte is the last one.

# **4.3.3 PostOffice Operations**

When the **PostOffice** pending bit (POPen) in the **PostOffice** register is set to '1', the current code-write cycle (if such is executed) is completed, and a **PostOffice** cycle is executed, even when the internal code buffer is not empty. The type of the cycle (read or write) is determined by the **PostOffice** direction bit (PODir). The identity of the targeted guest and its specific register are also specified by the **PostOffice** register (POGuestID, POGuestReg). In both read and write cycles the timing parameters of the cycle are those configured by the host for the targeted guest. Upon completion of a **PostOffice** cycle the pending bit is set back to '0' by the **ZR36120**.

#### **PostOffice** Write

The **GuestBus** master transfers the 8 least significant bits of the **PostOffice** register (POData) out on the bus.

#### **PostOffice** Read

The **GuestBus** master reads from the specified target and writes the input byte into the 8 least significant bits of the **Post-Office** register (POData).

### **4.3.4 Guest Wait States**

Slow guests that are equipped with a "bus hold" output can force a **GuestBus** cycle to extend by one or more additional PCI clocks, by asserting the **GWS#** signal right after the **ZR36120** asserts the **GRD#** or **GWR#** signal. **GWS#** is sampled with the PCI clock that follows the assertion of **GWR#** or **GRD#**. When **GWS#** is sampled high again, the cycle is completed. If T<sub>gdur</sub> of the accessed guest has already expired since the assertion of **GRD#** or **GWR#**, the next PCI clock will latch the data (in case

of a read) and **GRD#** (or **GWR#**) will be deasserted. The recovery portion of the cycle will then take place, and the cycle will be completed.

Insertion of wait states is possible both during code-write and **PostOffice** cycles.

The maximum number of PCI clock cycles allowed for **GRD#** or **GWR#**, **including wait-states**, is 32. If a guest holds the cycle until this limit expires, the **ZR36120** aborts the cycle. If the aborted cycle was a **PostOffice** one, the **PostOffice** time-out bit of the **PostOffice** register (POTime) is set to '1', and the **Post-***Office* pending bit (POPen) is cleared. If the cycle was a codewrite one, the code-write time-out flag (CodTime) is set to '1'.

Figure 3 shows two examples of **GuestBus** cycles. The upper one is a write to guest 0, register 0, followed by a read from guest 0, register 5. Note that for guest 0  $T_{\text{gdur}}$  = 3 and  $T_{\text{grec}}$  = 4. The lower example shows a read from guest 2, register 1, with 3 waitstates inserted by the guest.

Notice that the assertions of **GADR** and **GCS#** are done together. The assertion of **GRD#** and **GWR#** is done one PCI clock after the assertion of **GADR** and **GCS#**. The deassertion of **GRD#** and **GWR#** is done one PCI clock before the deassertion of **GADR** and **GCS#**.

# **4.4 PostOffice Handshaking Protocol**

Reading data from- or writing data to any of the **ZR36120** guests using the **PostOffice** mechanism requires the host CPU to follow the handshaking protocol described below. The main idea is that the host CPU has to poll the **PostOffice** request pending bit in order to acquire the availability of the **GuestBus** and verify the validity of the data contained in the **PostOffice** data byte. In general, host CPU accesses to the **PostOffice** register may change the **PostOffice** pending bit, as explained below. Thus, the host CPU software must ensure that accesses to the **Post-Office** register are governed by a central routine. For example, independent accesses to the **PostOffice** register both from an interrupt service routine and the "main" processor task(s), or from more than one task, in a multitasking environment, might cause a deadlock, unless explicit protection measures are taken.

### **4.4.1 Host CPU Writes to a Guest Device**

- The host reads the **PostOffice** register, and checks the **PostOffice** pending bit. If this bit is '1', the write cycle cannot be taken now, because the **ZR36120** is busy executing a previous **PostOffice** read or write request. Once this bit is '0', the write request can be made.
- The host writes a full doubleword to the **PostOffice** register, containing the data byte to be sent to the guest, the guest's identity (0,1,2, or 3), the specific guest register (0,...,7), and an indication that this is a write request (direction bit=1). As a result of writing to the data byte of the **PostOffice** register, the **PostOffice** pending bit is set to '1'.

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- The **ZR36120** completes the current code-write cycle, if such is being executed, and, before executing the next code-write cycle, it executes the pending **PostOffice** request. At the completion of the **GuestBus** write cycle it clears the request pending bit.
- The host may read the **PostOffice** register, to verify that the pending bit is '0', meaning that the write request has been completed.
- Note that in multiple (back-to-back) **PostOffice** operations the host has to poll the request pending bit only once between two requests, since reading this bit zero indicates both that the previous request has been completed and that the next request can be made.



### **Figure 3:Two examples of GuestBus cycles**

# **4.4.2 Host CPU Reads from a Guest Device**

- The host reads the **PostOffice** register, and checks the **PostOffice** pending bit. If this bit is '1', the read cycle cannot be taken now, because the **ZR36120** is busy executing a previous **PostOffice** read or write request. Once this bit is '0', the read request can be made.
- The host writes a full doubleword to the **PostOffice** register, containing the guest's identity (0,1,2, or 3), the specific guest register (0,...,7), and an indication that this is a read request (direction bit=0). The data portion of the doubleword is meaningless, but should be set to a byte of zeros. As a result of writing to the data byte of the **PostOffice** register, the **PostOffice** pending bit is set to '1'.
- The **ZR36120** completes the current code-write cycle, if such is being executed, and, before executing the next code-write cycle, it executes the pending **PostOffice** request. It transfers the byte read from the guest to bits 7...0 of the **PostOffice** register. At the completion of the **Guest-Bus** read cycle it clears the request pending bit.
- The host may read the **PostOffice** register, to verify that the pending bit is '0', meaning that the read request has been completed and the data portion of the **PostOffice** register is the result.

Note that in multiple (back-to-back) **PostOffice** operations the host has to poll the request pending bit only once between two requests, since reading this bit zero indicates both that the previous request has been completed and that the next request can be made.

# **4.5 I2C Bus Interface**

The I2C port of the **ZR36120** consists of a clock signal, **SCL**, and data signal, **SDA**. Both have two possible levels: active low or passive tri-state. This configuration lets the **ZR36120** be the **only** master of an I<sup>2</sup>C clock. Both lines must be pulled-up externally. By accessing the two **ZR36120** register bits that control **SDA** and **SCL**, the host CPU can generate valid I<sup>2</sup>C start and stop conditions, and write (or read) address and data, bit by bit.

### **4.6 General Purpose I/O Pins**

The **ZR36120** has 8 general purpose I/O pins, fully controlled by the host. Each one of these pins can be separately configured as input or output. When configured as an output the host can force its level through the corresponding register bit.

# **4.7 Interrupt Requests**

The **ZR36120**'s interrupt manager connects the various conditions that may generate an interrupt request, enables/disables them according to the Interrupt Control Register, and drives the **INTA#** output. It stores the corresponding status bits in the Interrupt Status Register, and clears the status bits per host instructions.

The **ZR36120** can associate any one of the following events to an interrupt request:

- A positive edge on the GIRQ1 input pin.
- A positive edge on the GIRQ0 input pin.
- The code memory buffer pointer passing one of its report points.

Each one of these events can be separately enabled/disabled through the corresponding bit in the Interrupt Control Register. An additional bit may disable/enable **all** interrupts.

When an interrupt-associated event occurs, two things happen:

- The corresponding bit in the ISTR is set to one.
- If the interrupt is enabled, and the interrupts are enabled in general, then the **INTA#** open-drain output pin is asserted to its active-low level.

Both the status bit(s) and **INTA#** remain active, until the host CPU clears those status bits that are currently set. This is done by writing a '1' to these bits. When the host does that, the **INTA#** output signal is returned to its passive, tri-state level.

If any of the Interrupt Status Register bits is attempted to be cleared at the same time that the interrupt logic attempts to set it (because of an interrupt event), the set operation has priority over the clear operation.

# **5. Video Input Processor**

### **5.1 Horizontal Filter**

Prior to a significant horizontal down scaling of the input image, it is advised to apply one of the possible horizontal filters. The filter type is selected through the HFilter parameter.

HFilter = 0 --> Filter 1: No luminance filter, 3-tap pre-interpolation filter of chrominance.

HFilter = 1 --> Filter 2: 3-tap luminance filter, 3-tap pre-interpolation chrominance filter.

HFilter = 2 --> Filter 3: 4-tap luminance filter, 4-tap chrominance filter.

HFilter = 3 --> Filter 4: 5-tap luminance filter, 4-tap chrominance filter.

HFilter = 4 --> Filter 5: 4-tap luminance filter, 4-tap chrominance filter.

### **5.2 Horizontal/Vertical Downscaler**

The horizontal and vertical down scalers are independent of each other. The horizontal scaling ratio is configured through the HorDcm parameter. HorDcm/64 indicates the number of pixels to drop out of every 64 consecutive pixels. HorDcm ranges from 0 to 63, where 0 represents the no scaling configuration (1:1 input to output ratio).

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The vertical scaling ratio is configured through the VerDcm parameter. VerDcm/64 indicates the number of lines to drop out of every 64 consecutive lines. VerDcm ranges from 0 to 63, where 0 represents the no scaling configuration (1:1 input to output ratio).

The vertical downscaler can operate in two ways. If DupFld=0 it treats the top and bottom fields the same way. If DupFld=1 it uses different line dropping topologies for the top and the bottom fields, such that if the fields are equal (one field is actually duplicated, like the output of most MPEG1 decoders), then the total loss of information is minimized. For example, when the video source is the SAA7111 video decoder, it is recommended to apply DupFld=0, and when the video source is the **ZR36110**, and the CCIR size is down scaled by half or more, it is recommended to apply DupFld=1.

# **5.3 Color Space Converter**

The color space converter converts the YUV input to RGB format. The YUV2RGB parameter determines the type of conversion:

YUV2RGB = 00b --> no conversion, output format is YUV 422. YUV2RGB = 01b --> conversion to RGB 8:8:8 (24-bit output) YUV2RGB = 10b --> conversion converted to RGB 5:6:5 YUV2RGB = 11b --> conversion converted to RGB 5:5:5.

When the 15- or 16-bit RGB format is selected, it is advised to apply the error diffusion option, in order to eliminate false contours from the output image. This option is determined by the ErrDif parameter (1 turns the error diffusion option on, while 0 turns it off).

# **6. Video Output Control**

The **ZR36120** outputs the video pixels over the PCI bus, using DMA bursts. The **ZR36120**'s Video DMA Controller initiates and controls the DMA bursts. In order to enable the DMA Controller, the Master Enable bit of the PCI configuration space must be set to '1', and the VidEn bit in the Video Display Configuration Register must also be set to '1'. Once VidEn=='1', the CPU is not allowed to change registered parameters that are involved in the video processing. The register description (10. "Application-Specific Registers") specifies the conditions under which each parameter is allowed to be modified.

The **ZR36120** transfers the video to a rectangle in the display (or system) memory, defined by a base address for each field (MaskTopBase, MaskBotBase), an inter-line stride (DispStride), and the rectangle height (VidWinHt) and width (VidWinWid). Obviously, these parameters must be provided by the host prior to enabling the Video DMA Controller.

# **6.1 Display Modes**

The **ZR36120** can either display both fields, emulating the interlaced input, or only the top field. The latter option has the advantage of reducing the motion artifacts that might be exhibited on live video. The parameter that controls the display mode is DispMod.

By a proper configuration of the display base addresses it is also possible to display two fields (from either one or two separate video sources) on two separate rectangles (video windows).

# **6.2 Frame Grabbing**

The **ZR36120** has a special mode for capturing video frames (or fields) and storing them in system memory. This mode is invoked by setting the SnapShot parameter to '1'. When in this mode, every time the host CPU switches the FrameGrab bit from '0' to '1', the **ZR36120** downloads a frame (or a field, if DispMod==0), to memory.

Following is an **example** of a flow of actions aimed to grab one frame. The example assumes that the vertical sync is used as an interrupt source (by externally tying VSYNC to GIRQ0 or GIRQ1), and that prior to grabbing the frame, the **ZR36120** operates in the "normal" continuous scheme of live video display.

- Through a push-button click in the application GUI the user triggers a frame grabbing request.
- The host sets SnapShot=1. The **ZR36120**'s VIdeo DMA Controller waits for the next **VSYNC** and then freezes the live display. Since now SnapShot=1 and FramGrab=0, video parameters can be changed (even without VidEn=0; refer to 10. "Application-Specific Registers").
- The host sets new addresses in VidTopBase and VidBot-Base. These addresses point to main memory. DispStride is also given a new value. If needed, other video parameters can be changed now, e.g., pixel format, etc.
- The host sets FrameGrab=1. The **ZR36120** waits until the next **VSYNC** and then transmits two consecutive fields to main memory.
- After the second of the two fields is completed, FrameGrab is cleared by the **ZR36120**.
- When the host senses (after constant polling or polling inside VSYNC-triggered interrupts) that FrameGrab=0 again, it sets the old addresses back to VidTopBase and VidBotBase. DispStride is given back its old value. The rest of the previous video parameters can be restored now.
- The host sets SnapShot=0, putting the **ZR36120** back to the continuous mode.
- With the next **VSYNC** the **ZR36120**'s Video DMA Controller resumes "normal" live display operation.

# **6.3 Output Pixel Organization**

The output pixel format is determined by the following parameters: YUV2RGB, Pack24 (applicable only to RGB 888 format), and LittleEndian (applicable to all formats, excluding the 24-bit packed). Following are the bit organizations of the different pixel formats when a video doubleword is transferred over the PCI bus:

**Table 8: YUV 4:2:2 Pixel Format**

Endian- ness	<b>bits</b> 3124	bits 2316	bits 158	bits 70
Little Endian	$Y_1, 70$	$V_0$ 70	$Y_0$ 70	$U_0$ 70
Gib Endian	$V_0$ 70	$Y_170$	$U_0$ 70	$Y_0$ 70











Endian- ness	<b>bits</b> 3124	bits 2316	bits 158	bits $70$
Little Endian	0x0	R70	G70	B70
Gib Endian	B70	G70	R70	0x0

**Table 12: 24-bit Packed Format**



In the 24-bit packed format the first active pixel in a line is always packed as indicated in the first entry line of Table 12 . From then on the byte organization is as described by the table.

# **7. Graphics Overlay**

The **ZR36120**'s Video DMA Controller is capable of masking off (i.e., not transmitting) pixels that are marked by '0' in a masking map prepared and maintained by the driver software. The masking feature, referred to as overlay, is turned on by setting the OvlEnable parameter to '1'. As long as OvlEnable='0', all pixels within the selected portion of the image are transferred to destination. The masking map is a one bit deep pattern of the video rectangle. Its location in system memory is defined by a couple of base addresses (one per each field - MaskTopBase, MaskBotBase), and an inter-line stride (MaskStride). The width of the map must be doubleword aligned. Thus, the line size is int((VidWinWid+31) >> 5)

and the number of lines in the map is

2\*VidWinHt, if DispMod==0, or VidWinHt, if DispMod==1.

In order to match the 0/1 values of the map to their corresponding pixels in the video rectangle, the map must follow the format given in Table 13 :

**Table 13: Bit, Byte and Doubleword Organization of Masking Map**

<b>DW</b>	. 1					
<b>Byte</b>	$\ldots$ 0	3				
Bit	70	3124	2316	158	70	
Pixel index in line	3932	3124	2316	158	70	



# **8. Reset**

There are two means of resetting the **ZR36120**. One is a hardware reset, which is applied through the **PCIRST#** input, and the other is a software reset, which is applied through the SoftReset register bit.

# **8.1 Hardware Reset**

The hardware reset signal **PCIRST#** resets the internal state machines in the **ZR36120** and loads all registers with their default states. The reset state of the PCI interface pins is as defined by the PCI specifications (2.1). The reset state of the other output/bidirectional signals is as follows.

The **GPIO7...0** lines are all inputs after reset. If required for system purposes, they can be pulled high or low through 1 k $\Omega$ resistors to have fixed values on reset.

As long as **PCIRST#** is asserted, the following signals are tristated: **GDAT7:0**, **GADR2:0**, **GCS#3:0**, **GWR#**, **GRD#**, **SDA**, **SCL.** Once the **PCIRST#** input is deasserted, these signals go to their software reset condition (as does the entire device).

A hardware reset asserts (clears) the SoftReset bit in the system register. After the hardware reset is over, the **ZR36120** will be in software reset condition until the SoftReset bit is deasserted.

# **8.2 Software Reset**

There are two ways in which the **ZR36120** can go into the software reset condition: one is right after hardware reset (i.e., upon the low to high transition of **PCIRST#**), the other is by clearing the SoftReset bit.

While in software reset all registers and state machines in the device are reset to their default values/states, except the Soft-Reset bit itself, and the PCI Interface (including the PCI configuration space registers).

The device continues to respond according to the PCI Specification and can be the target of a PCI transfer targeted at the ASRs (Application Specific Registers) or PCI Configuration Space. While in software reset the device will not initiate any PCI transfers, because all DMA channels are disabled.

After the SoftReset bit is deasserted, all registers obtain their default values, all DMA channels remain disabled and all ASRs are programmable according to their "normal" modification conditions.

Hence, the initialization of the device (loading all registers with the values required for the specific application) must start with setting SoftReset to '1', otherwise new ASR values will not be latched in.

# **9. PCI Configuration Space Registers**

The PCI specification 2.0 requires that a PCI device includes a configuration register space, a set of 256 8-bit configuration registers. The first 64 bytes make up the configuration header, predefined by the specification and the remaining are application specific. These registers allow device relocation, device independent system address map construction and automatic configurations. The configuration registers are accessed by the host CPU through two consecutive doubleword I/O accesses to physical addresses 0x0CF8 and 0x0CFC, respectively. The host PCI/bridge is responsible for translating these accesses to a PCI configuration cycle, including the assertion of the **IDSEL** input. The **ZR36120** then responds to these cycles. This section details the **ZR36120**'s PCI configuration registers. PCI configuration accesses to **ZR36120** configuration addresses that are not explicitly described here return zeros (in reads).

# **9.1 Vendor and Device ID Register**

This read-only 32 bit register identifies the device and the device manufacturer.

#### **Address: 0x00**



# **9.2 Command and Status Register**

This read-write 32 bit register controls the generation of and reaction to PCI Bus commands. It also reflects the status of the device regarding the PCI Bus.

# **Address: 0x04**



# **9.3 Class Code and Revision ID Register**

This read-only 32 bit register identifies the revision level of the device and its class code.

#### **Address: 0x08**





### **9.4 Latency Timer Register**

This read-write 32 bit register defines the maximum latency timer limit.

#### **Address: 0x0C**



### **9.5 Memory Base Address Register**

This read-write 32 bit register identifies the base address of the device.

#### **Address: 0x10**



# **9.6 Miscellaneous Functions Register**

This read-write 32 bit register defines the latency timer requirements of the device and indicates the interrupts that will be used.

#### **Address: 0x3C**



# **10. Application-Specific Registers**

The **ZR36120** application-specific registers (ASRs) are memorymapped. Their base address is configured by the host into the PCI configuration address 0x10. The **ZR36120** claims a contiguous range of 4K bytes of memory. PCI memory-read accesses to addresses (within the 4K bytes range) that are not explicitly described in this section return zeros.

The ASRs can be accessed in any byte combination.

The column "Mod" of the following tables defines the condition(s) under which each parameter of the ASRs is allowed to be modified by the software. The following abbreviations have been defined:

- all this parameter may be modified on the fly, i.e. anytime.
- res this parameter is set once after a reset of the **ZR36120**, no modifications during operation.
- vid this parameter may be modified if either VidEn =  $'0'$  or SnapShot = '1' and FrameGrab = '0'.
- cod this parameter may be modified if CodReadEn = '0'.
- snap this parameter may be modified if SnapShot = '1'.

Note that after a reset VidEn and CodReadEn are deasserted all parameters are allowed to be modified.

# **10.1 Video Front End Horizontal Configuration Register**

This 32 bit register contains the horizontal configuration parameters of the video source.

#### **Address Offset: 0x000**



# **10.2 Video Front End Vertical Configuration Register**

This 32 bit register contains the vertical configuration parameters of the video source.

# **Address Offset: 0x004**



# **10.3 Video Front End, Scaler and Pixel Format Register**

This register contains the video front end configuration (byte 3), video scaler (bytes 2-1) and pixel formatter (byte 0) parameters.





#### **Address Offset: 0x008**



#### **Address Offset: 0x008**



# **10.4 Video Display "Top" Register**

This register contains the DWORD base address of the top field.

#### **Address Offset: 0x00C**



# **10.5 Video Display "Bottom" Register**

This register contains the DWORD base address of the bottom field.

#### **Address Offset: 0x010**



#### **10.6 Video Stride, Status and FrameGrab Register**

This register contains parameters for display addressing (bytes 2-3), status of internal pixel buffer (byte 1) and frame grab control (byte 0).





# **Address Offset: 0x014**



# **10.7 Video Display Configuration Register**

This register contains the configuration parameters for the video display.

#### **Address Offset: 0x018**



#### **Address Offset: 0x018**



# **10.8 Masking Map "Top" Register**

This register contains the DWORD base address of the top masking map.

#### **Address Offset: 0x01C**



# **10.9 Masking Map "Bottom" Register**

This register contains the DWORD base address of the bottom masking map.





### **10.10 Overlay Control Register**

This register contains parameters controlling overlay (byte 1) and masking map addressing (byte 0).

#### **Address Offset: 0x024**



# **10.11 System, PCI and General Purpose Pins Control Register**

This register contains the software reset bit (byte 3), a PCI core control (byte 2) and the General Purpose Pins direction parameter (byte 0).



This register contains the values for General Purpose outputs (byte 3) and the GuestBus timing parameters (bytes 1-0).

# **Address Offset: 0x02C**



# **10.13 Code Source Address Register**

This register contains the DWORD base address for code DMA transfers.

### **Address Offset: 0x030**



# **10.14 Code Transfer Control Register**

This register contains status and control bits and configuration parameters for code DMA transfers.

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#### **Address Offset: 0x034**



# **10.15 Code Memory Pointer Register**

This register contains the pointer to the code memory space of the host.

#### **Address Offset: 0x038**



# **10.16 Interrupt Status Register**

This register contains the status of the interrupt sources.



# **10.17 Interrupt Control Register**

This register contains the control byte for the interrupt handling. **Address Offset: 0x040**



# **10.18 I2C-Bus Register**

This register contains the control bits of the  $I<sup>2</sup>C$ -Bus pins.





#### **10.19 PostOffice Register**

This register contains the status (byte 3), control (byte 2) and data (byte 0) parameters for **PostOffice** transfers.

#### **Address Offset: 0x200 - 0x2FF**





# **11. ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS**



NOTE: Stresses above those listed under ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS may cause permanent device failure. Functionality at or above those limits is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum ratings for extended periods may affect device reliability.

# **12.1 OPERATING RANGE**

Temprature...............................0oC to +70oC

Supply Voltage.........................4.75V to 5.25V

### **12.2 DC CHARACTERISTICS**



# **12.3 AC CHARACTERISTICS**

# **12.3.1 PCI Bus Timing**





**Figure 4: PCI Bus Interface Timing**



# **12.3.2 Digital Video Bus Timing**





**Figure 5: Digital Video Bus Timing**

# **12.3.3 GuestBus Timing**



 $\overline{1}$ . according to parameter  $T_{REC}$ 

2. according to parameter  $T_{\text{DUR}}$ 

3. maximum duration resulting from GWS#

4. GWS# is checked internally one PCI clock before the expiration of the  $T_{DUR}$  parameter of the accessed guest.

5. For each period of TPCI the duration of a transfer will be extended for one PCI clock period.





**Figure 6: GuestBus Timing**



# **13. Mechanical Data**

# **13.1 Pinout**





**Figure 7: 160-Pin Quad Flat Pack Pinout**



Legend

# **13.2 Dimensions**





# **14. Appendix A: Interfacing the ZR36120 to the ZR36100/ZR36110 MPEG1 Decoder**

Figure 8 describes a recommended interconnection between the **ZR36120** and the **ZR36100**/**ZR36110** host bus.



#### **Figure 8: ZR36120 - ZR36100/ZR36110 Host (Guest) Bus Interconnection**

### **• ZR36100/ZR36110 Reset**

Any of the software controlled GPI/O pins (configured as output) of the **ZR36120** may be used as a **RESET** input of the decoder. The software then directly manipulates the **RESET** signal through the corresponding register bit. Since the default configuration of the GPIO pins after reset is input, a pull down resistor should be applied to the ZR36100/ZR36110 **RESET** input.

# **• Mapping the ZR36100/ZR36110 on the ZR36120's** *GuestBus*

The driver software must map the ZR36100/ZR36110 on the **GuestBus**: the ZR36100/ZR36110's guest ID number (0,1,2, or 3) must be configured as a code-write target. The proper timing parameters ( $t_{\text{dur}} = 3$ , to ensure 82ns,  $t_{rec} = 4$ , to ensure 100ns) of the ZR36100/ZR36110 must be loaded to the **GuestBus** control register (address 0x030). The ZR36100/ZR36110 occupies only four 8-bit registers out of the eight registers dedicated to each guest.

# **• ZR36100/ZR36110 Initialization**

The initialization consists of loading the **ZR36100/ZR36110** microcodes and parameters. This is done using the **PostOffice** mechanism. The host interface of the **ZR36100/ZR36110** must be set to 8 bit, Intel format, I/ O only. The BSLN parameter should be set to 2 or 4, for efficient operation.

# **• On-Line Commands and Status**

On-line command writes and status reads are also done using the **PostOffice** mechanism.

# **• Bitstream Transfer**

Some preparations must be done prior to triggering the ZR36100/ZR36110 with a **go** command. The host must allocate a **contiguous** code buffer in the system memory. Bitstream retrieved from the MPEG source is stored in this buffer. The **ZR36120** reads data from this buffer in a DMA fashion and transfers it, through the internal code buffer, to the MPEG decoder. There are several possible sizes of the memory buffer. The host must inform the **ZR36120** of the buffer address, size and "report step." After the code buffer in memory is allocated, reported to the **ZR36120**, **and filled up for the first time**, a ZR36100/ZR36110 **go**



on-line command can be issued. Immediately after this, the DMA code-read cycles must be enabled by setting the DMA Code-Read Enable bit to '1'. The **ZR36120** then starts fetching data from the main memory buffer using cyclic addressing. Whenever it passes a "report step" it initializes an interrupt request. Within the interrupt service routine the host CPU should check the current position of the **ZR36120** Code Memory Buffer Pointer, and decide if it should refresh an old portion of the buffer with new data from the MPEG source. Once the coded data arrives at the internal code buffer, the **GuestBus** master logic starts writing it over the **GuestBus** to the **ZR36100**.



# **15. Appendix B: Interfacing the ZR36120 to the MD207A/208 Video Encoder**

This appendix suggests the basic interconnection between the **ZR36120** and the **MD207A/208** video encoder. Naturally, when these two devices are connected together there must be a third device, mastering the YUV bus. Figure 8 describes a basic interconnection between the **ZR36120** and the **MD207A/208**, with an arbitrary YUV source. This minimum example does not use the graphics overlay capability of the **MD207A/208**



#### **Figure 9: ZR36120 - MD207A/208 Basic Interconnection**

### **• MD207A/208 Reset**

Software controlled usage of the **RESET#** input of the **MD207A/208** is optional. Generally, it is more efficient to connect it to the power-up reset of the circuit, and control the device through the software reset register bit of the **MD207A/208**. If a hardware reset is needed in the design, any of the software controlled GPI/O pins (configured as output) of the **ZR36120** may be used as a **RESET#** signal. The software then directly manipulates the **RESET#** signal through the corresponding register bit of the **ZR36120**. Since the default configuration of the GPI/O pins after reset is input, a pull down resistor should be applied to the **MD207A/208 RESET#** input.

# **• Mapping the MD207A/208 on the ZR36120's** *GuestBus*

The driver software must map the **MD207A/208** on the **GuestBus**. The proper timing parameters  $(t_{dur} = 12)$ , t<sub>rec</sub> = 15) of the **MD207A/208** must be loaded to the **GuestBus** control register.

Reading/writing one byte from/to the **MD207A/208** requires two **GuestBus** cycles: in the first cycle the address (index) of the internal MD207A/208 register is written, in the second one the data byte is read/ written. The **RS** (register select) input of the **MD207A/208** is used to distinguish between the two types of cycles. Connecting this pin to the **ZR36120**'s **GADR0** virtually creates two **MD207A/208** registers at the level of the **GuestBus**: when **GADR0** is low (even registers), the **MD207A/208** expects address to be transferred



on its **D7:0** bus, when **GADR0** is high (odd registers) data is output or input on these lines. Another way is to connect **GADR2** to **RS**.

# **• Sync Polarity**

Since, unlike the **ZR36120**, the sync polarity of the **MD207A/208** is not programmable, then, depending on the YUV 4:2:2 source, it might be necessary to invert the **HSYNC** and **VSYNC** of the **MD207A/208**.

# **• Vertical Interpolation with the MD208**

Pin 8 is the only one that is different between the **MD207A** and the **MD208**. While in the **MD207A** it is a test pin, normally connected to ground, the **MD208** uses this input to switch its internal vertical interpolation mechanism on and off. When this mechanism is on, one field out of every pair is vertically interpolated and the interpolated lines are the ones sent out. Since this operation is not always desired (e.g., in high resolution still pictures of VideoCD 2.0) it must be controlled by the software. The natural way to obtain this control is using one of the GPI/Os. It is better to pull this pin down in order for the same layout to support both the **MD207A** and the **MD208**.

# **16. Appendix C: Fitting the Input Size to the Required Display Window**

The **ZR36120** can crop the input video and scale it **down** to match any display size required by different applications, as long as the required size is not larger than the original input. This appendix provides some programming guidelines for proper setting of the **ZR36120** parameters involved in this process.

For better understanding, a typical example is detailed along with the general explanations.

It is assumed that the driver software "knows" the following basic parameters about the incoming video:

Wt - **total** width of the input field. For example, in CCIR NTSC Wt=858.

Wa - **active** width of the input field. For example, in CCIR NTSC Wa=720.

Ht - total height of the input frame. For example, in CCIR NTSC Ht=525.

Ha - active height of the input frame. For example, in CCIR NTSC Ht=480.

It is assumed that Ha is an even number.

It is also assumed that from knowing the video input format, the driver knows how to set the following **ZR36120** parameters, such that the entire active portion of the video input would have been sampled:

HSPol - the polarity of HSYNC, as defined in the **ZR36120** data sheet.

VSPol - the polarity of VSYNC, as defined in the **ZR36120** data sheet.

HStart' - the number of pixels, from the active edge of HSYNC, after which the **ZR36120** starts to sample the input.

HEnd' - the number of pixels, from the active edge of HSYNC, after which the **ZR36120** stops sampling the input.

The following equation connects HStart', HEnd', and Wa:

Wa = HEnd' - HStart' + 1

In the example, Hend' =  $841$ , HStart' =  $122$ .

VStart' - the number of lines, from the active edge of VSYNC, after which the **ZR36120** starts to sample the input.

VEnd' - the number of lines, from the active edge of VSYNC, after which the **ZR36120** stops sampling the input.

The following equation connects VStart', VEnd', and Ha:

 $Ha/2 = VEnd' - VStart' + 1$ 

In the example,  $Vend' = 249$ ,  $VStart' = 10$ .

The driver receives from the application software the parameters that define the size of the rectangle, on the monitor, that should be filled with video pixels. This is referred to as the destination rectangle:

VidWinWid - width of the video rectangle.

VidWinHt - If DispMode=1 (single field display) this is the height of the video rectangle. If DispMode=0 (emulation of interlaced video) this is half of the height of the video rectangle, or, in other words, height of one destination field.

Note that if DispMode=0 the vertical size of the video rectangle must be an even number. This limitation might conflict with application that will require a video window of a specific, odd vertical size. Such conflicts will be resolved by the driver software, which will actually build, in these cases, a rectangle shorter by one line than the required, and will fill-in the missing line (a-priori) with some background color.

Obviously, in many cases the size of the video rectangle to be displayed is different (smaller) than the size of the active video input sampled by the **ZR36120**.

In the example: VidWinWid=597, VidWinHt=199. (Assuming DispMod=0, this means that the target "video window" in the example is 597x398).

In such cases, out of the parameters above, the driver software must determine the following **ZR36120** parameters, such that the quality of the displayed video is optimal in the sense that the decimation factors will be as small as possible and the portions of the input that are "cut out" (cropped) will also be as small as possible.

hcrop1 - the number of pixels, that will be dropped from the beginning of the active line. hcrop1 is not really a **ZR36120** parameter, but it is useful to obtain HStart:

HStart = HStart' + hcrop1.

hcrop2 - the number of pixels, that will be dropped from the end of the active line. hcrop2 is not really a **ZR36120** parameter, but it is useful to obtain HEnd:

HEnd = HEnd' - hcrop2.

vcrop1 - the number of lines, that will be dropped from the beginning of the active field. vcrop1 is not really a **ZR36120** parameter, but it is useful to obtain VStart:

VStart = VStart' + vcrop1.

vcrop2 - the number of lines, that will be dropped from the end of the active field. vcrop2 is not really a **ZR36120** parameter, but it is useful to obtain VEnd:

VEnd = VEnd' - vcrop2.

HorDcm - ratio of horizontal decimation. A number of HorDcm pixels will be dropped out of every consecutive 64 pixels in an input line. HorDcm/64 is the horizontal decimation factor.

VerDcm - ratio of vertical decimation. A number of VerDcm pixels will be dropped out of every consecutive 64 lines in an input field. VerDcm/64 is the vertical decimation factor.

HFilter - the horizontal filter through which the input is passed. The filter is selected according to the horizontal decimation factor that is first determined.

The following figure illustrates the above parameters:

**Figure 10: Input Image Parameters**



according to the programmed parameters. (The effective portion can be the entire active field or any partial sub-section of it).



#### **Calculating the horizontal parameters:**

X and We denote two temporary variables: X = ceil (VidWinWid\*64/Wa) We = floor (VidWinWid\*64/X)  $HorDcm = 64 - X$  $h$ crop1 =  $2*floor((Wa-We)/4)$  $h$ crop2 = Wa - We -  $h$ crop1 HStart and Hend are then calculated from hcrop1 and hcrop2.

In the example:

 $X = \text{ceil}(597^*64/720) = 54$  $We = floor(597*64/54) = 707$ HorDcm=  $64 - 54 = 10$ hcrop1 =  $2*floor((720-707)/4)=6$ hcrop2 =  $720-707 - 6 = 7$  $HStart = HStart' + hcrop1 = 122 + 6 = 128$ HEnd = HEnd' - hcrop2 = 841 - 7 = 834  $(834 - 128 + 1 = 707)$ 

The **ZR36120** will actually sample-in 707 pixels from every line. The first 6 and the last 7 active pixels will be cut out.

#### **Calculating the vertical parameters**

(Regardless of DispMod!) Y and He denote two temporary variables: Y = ceil (VidWinHt\*64\*2/Ha) He = floor (VidWinHt\*64/Y)  $VerDcm = 64 - Y$  $v$ crop1 = floor((Ha/2 - He)/2) vcrop2 = Ha/2 - He - vcrop1 VStart and VEnd are then calculated from vcrop1 and vcrop2.

In the example:  $Y =$  ceil(199\*64\*2/480) = 54  $He = floor(199*64/54) = 235$ VerDcm= 64 - 54 = 10 vcrop1 =  $floor(((480/2) - 235) / 2) = 2$ vcrop2 =  $(480/2) - 235 - 2 = 3$ 



 $VQ_{\text{test}} = VQ_{\text{test}}^{\text{test}} + \text{vbound} = 10 + 2 \cdot 12$ 



**Notes:**



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