Overview

Camera Sentech STC-1000

Running modes
- Freerunning [X]
- Restart/Reset []
- Ext. Synchronized [X]
- Trigger Shutter [X]
- Flash & Reset []

Resolution
- Horizontal 644 pixel
- Vertical 480 pixel

Binning []
Partial Scan []

Timings
- Pixel clock double speed 24.545 MHz
  normal speed 12.273 MHz
- Horizontal double speed 31.468 kHz
  normal speed 15.734 kHz
- Vertical (interlaced) double speed 119.88 fps
  normal speed 59.94 fps
- Vertical (progressive) double speed 59.94 fps
  normal speed 29.97 fps

MATRIX VISION GmbH Frame Grabber

Typ mvGAMMA-G
Line Enable by camera [X] Frame Grabber [X] external []
Frame Enable by camera [X] Frame Grabber [X] external []
Trigger by external [X] Frame Grabber [X]
Flash by camera [] Frame Grabber [] external []

Software
MVacquireControl [X]
mvIMPACT Go! [X]
Other [ ] [e.g. LabView™, Halcon, etc.]

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Freerunning Mode

The camera runs with its own timing and sends the VD and HD within the video signal.

Signal map

Camera settings set by hardware

Settings inside the camera:

Dip-Switch settings for normal speed, 2:1 Interlaced

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Set camera to *Internal Sync.*:

![Sync. Mode Switch](image)

### Pin connection

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Recommended cable for this mode from MATRIX VISION GmbH: KS41 03.0

### Cameradefinition

```c
/* -------------------------- STC-1000 ------------------------------------ */
/* free running, 2:1 interlaced mode, normal speed */
DefCamType     "STC-1000" VM_RS170 INV_INTERLACED 60 15734 12272 PCLK_INTERN
DefCamAcquireSetup     "STC-1000" STANDARD NOT_INV NEXT_FIELD
DefCamAnalogParam      "STC-1000" A C100 1200
DefHorizontalUnit      "STC-1000" PIXEL
DefVerticalUnit        "STC-1000" LINES
DefCamHorizontalAcquire "STC-1000" 114L 644L 1
DefCamVerticalAcquire  "STC-1000" 14L 240L 1
DefCamClamp           "STC-1000" 74L 5L
DefCamZero            "STC-1000" 84L 5L
DefCamFieldGate       "STC-1000" 260L 330L
DefCamVerticalAcquire "Template" 19L 288L 1

/* -------------------------- STC-1000 ------------------------------------ */
/* free running, progressive mode */
DefCamType     "STC-1000-P" VM_RS170 NONINTERLACED 60 15734 12272 PCLK_INTERN
DefCamAcquireSetup     "STC-1000-P" STANDARD NOT_INV NEXT_FIELD
DefCamAnalogParam      "STC-1000-P" AC 1 0 0 1200
DefHorizontalUnit      "STC-1000-P" PIXEL
DefVerticalUnit        "STC-1000-P" LINES
DefCamHorizontalAcquire "STC-1000-P" 114L 644L 1
DefCamVerticalAcquire  "STC-1000-P" 28L 480L 1
DefCamClamp           "STC-1000-P" 74L 5L
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### Remarks

none
External synchronized mode

[Insert here the description of the mode including timing diagrams from camera's manual if available]

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Set camera to External Sync mode:

b. Sync. Mode Switch

Sync. Mode Switch

Internal Sync. ➔ External Sync.
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Recommended cable for this mode from MATRIX VISION GmbH: not yet available

Camera definition

```c
/* ---------------------------------------- STC-1000 ---------------------------------------- */
/* free running, progressive mode*/
DefCamType "STC-1000-P" VM_RS170 NONINTERLACED 60 15734 12272 PCLK_INTERN
DefCamAcquireSetup "STC-1000-P" STANDARD NOT_INV NEXT_FIELD
DefCamAnalogParam "STC-1000-P" AC 1 0 0 1200
DefHorizontalUnit "STC-1000-P" PIXEL
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DefCamClamp "STC-1000-P" 74L 5L
DefCamZero "STC-1000-P" 84L 5L
DefCamFieldGate "STC-1000-P" 260L 330L
```

Setting up HD out and VD out

For setting up the horizontal and vertical frequency the mvGAMMA-G sends to the camera on HDout and VDout you have to use the command `mvDefDisplayMode()`.

Sample calling in used INI file (normal speed):

```ini
[TITAN]
InitBoard
DefDisplayMode 0 NULL 0 0 0 758 512 0 0 10 10 0 0 0 0 15734
```

With this calling a horizontal frequency of 15.734 kHz is sent on HDout. The resultant vertical frequency on VDout is about 30 Hz.

Read more about `mvDefDisplayMode()` in the mvGAMMA-G's manual.
**Trigger Shutter Mode**

The camera runs with its own timings and the mvGAMMA-G resets the camera. The length of the trigger pulse does not define the shutter time of the camera! HD is sent within the video signal and VD is sent on WEN out pin.

**Signal map**

![Signal Map](image)

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![Camera Diagram](image)

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Camera definition

```c
/* -------------------------- STC-1000 ------------------------------------ */
/* Random Trigger shutter mode, progressive scan*/
DefCamType "STC-1000-RTS" VM_RS170 NONINTERLACED 60 15734 12272
FCLK_INTERNAL
DefCamAcquireSetup "STC-1000-RTS" VSCANV NOT_INV NEXT_FIELD
DefCamAnalogParam "STC-1000-RTS" A C100 1200
DefHorizontalUnit "STC-1000-RTS" PIXEL
DefVerticalUnit "STC-1000-RTS" LINES
DefCamHorizontalAcquire "STC-1000-RTS" 114L 644L 1
DefCamVerticalAcquire "STC-1000-RTS" 26L 480L 1
DefCamClamp "STC-1000-RTS" 50L 5L
DefCamZero "STC-1000-RTS" 50L 5L
DefCamFieldGate "STC-1000-RTS" 260L 330L
```

Remarks

In this mode the camera sends the HSync in the video signal and the VSync (WEN) on separate pins. Therefore the frame grabber must be set to a mixed mode: HSync internal and VSync external.

Condition for this is a driver with at least the following versions:
- mvTITAN-DLL: V1.4.26
- Matrixfg.sys: 1.90.0.0
- Titan.bin: 3.1.8.26

Using MVacquireControl at least the version V3.111 is needed.

Setting up trigger signal

For the camera reset GPout 0 of mvGAMMA-G is used.

The best way to setup GPout 0 as a trigger signal is to use the shutter control.

In MVacquireControl switch to register Shutter and do the following settings:

- Enable Shutter Control
- Disable High active
- Disable Start puls seq. Vsync synchronous
- Disable Start acquisition after pulse seq.
- Set Shutter mode to One Trigger Mode

The setting in Shuttertime defines the length of the pulse and must be at least 1 line.

Automatically the autotrigger in register Trigger is activated. Define in Autotrigger periode the time between two images to acquire. Use periode times with at least 50ms.
If you are using the optional external trigger signal connect it to the Trigger In pin of the mvGAMMA-G switch from autotrigger to ext. trigger and the camera reset signal will be output right after each external trigger pulse.

If using the shuttercontrol in software you have to use the functions mvDefPulsSeq() and mvSetTriggerPeriod() to define the shutter control method. You will find more about these functions in the mvGAMMA-G’s manual.
# Glossary

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