Applicable platform: General

Camera thermal mitigation config is not enabled by default across all platforms. In most of new platform like msm8996/8976/8953, it is not enabled. OEM can follow below steps to add your config from thermal side.

Steps:

1. Write below section into a file and name with "thermal-engine.conf", then push it into phone / system/etc/thermal-engine.conf. If here has already this file, please just merge below section into this config file.

[CAMERA_CAMCORDER_MONITOR]
algo_type monitor
sampling 250
sensor xo_therm
thresholds 42000 44000 48000
thresholds_clr 40000 43000 46000
actions camera+camcorder camera+camcorder camera+camcorder
action_info 1+1 2+2 3+3

2. Run below adb commands to restart thermal-engine.

adb shell stop thermal-engine

adb shell start thermal-engine

- 3. Run adb command "thermal-engine -o" to check if that section is included in the output or not. If not, you should check if any formats are not right or collect thermal debug log for further analysis.
- 4. Run thermal test and collect thermal debug log to confirm if the thermal actions are performed according your setting.

/ThermalEngine(7009): TM Id 'CAMERA_CAMCORDER_MONITOR' Sensor 'xo_therm' - alarm raised 1 at 42.0 degC

/ThermalEngine(7009): sensor_update_thresholds: TM Id CAMERA_CAMCORDER_MONITOR Sensor xo_therm threshold_type 1, level 1

/ThermalEngine(7009): j=0 i=0 TM Id CAMERA_CAMCORDER_MONITOR Sensor xo_therm: Action camera value 1

/ThermalEngine(7009): j=1 i=0 TM Id CAMERA_CAMCORDER_MONITOR Sensor xo_therm: Action camcorder value 1

/ThermalEngine(7009): sensor_thresh_notify: Update recieved CAMERA_CAMCORDER_MONITOR 44000

/ThermalEngine(7009): TM Id CAMERA_CAMCORDER_MONITOR Sensor xo_therm Reading 44000

/ThermalEngine(7009): handle_thresh_sig: TM Id CAMERA_CAMCORDER_MONITOR Sensor xo_therm Temp 44000

/ThermalEngine(7009): TM Id 'CAMERA_CAMCORDER_MONITOR' Sensor 'xo_therm' - alarm raised 2 at 44.0 degC

/ThermalEngine(7009): sensor_update_thresholds: TM Id CAMERA_CAMCORDER_MONITOR Sensor xo_therm threshold_type 1, level 2

/ThermalEngine(7009): j=0 i=1 TM Id CAMERA_CAMCORDER_MONITOR Sensor xo_therm: Action camera value 2

/ThermalEngine(7009): j=1 i=1 TM Id CAMERA_CAMCORDER_MONITOR Sensor xo_therm: Action camcorder value 2

Note:

- You could know more about the configuration format and parameters definition via vendor\ qcom\proprietary\thermal-engine\readme.txt.
- You can adjust threshold value & action_info and change the monitored sensor according your condition.
- Themral-engine just send thermal level to Camera module, OEM should implement the thermal mitigation actions in camera side accrodingly.