## **Driver for PXA25x LCD controller**

The driver supports the following options, either via options=<OPTIONS> when modular or video=pxafb:<OPTIONS> when built in. For example: modprobe pxafb options=vmem:2M, mode:640x480-8, passive or on the kernel command line: video=pxafb:vmem:2M, mode:640x480-8, passive vmem: VIDEO\_MEM\_SIZE Amount of video memory to allocate (can be suffixed with K or M for kilobytes or megabytes) mode:XRESxYRES[-BPP]  $XRES = LCCR1_PPL + 1$ YRES = LLCR2 LPP + 1 The resolution of the display in pixels BPP = The bit depth. Valid values are 1, 2, 4, 8 and 16. pixclock:PIXCLOCK Pixel clock in picoseconds left:LEFT = LCCR1 BLW + 1right:RIGHT == LCCR1\_ELW + 1  $hsynclen: HSYNC = LCCR1\_HSW + 1$ upper:UPPER = LCCR2 BFW  $lower:LOWER = LCCR2\_EFR$ vsynclen:VSYNC = LCCR2 VSW + 1 Display margins and sync times color | mono => LCCR0\_CMS umm... active | passive => LCCR0 PAS Active (TFT) or Passive (STN) display single | dual => LCCR0 SDS Single or dual panel passive display  $4pix \mid 8pix \Rightarrow LCCR0\_DPD$ 4 or 8 pixel monochrome single panel data hsync:HSYNC, vsync:VSYNC

outputen:POLARITY Output Enable Polarity. 0 => active low, 1 => active high pixclockpol:POLARITY

Double pixel clock. 1=>true, 0=>false

dpc:DPC

Horizontal and vertical sync.  $0 \Rightarrow$  active low,  $1 \Rightarrow$  active high.

## Overlay Support for PXA27x and later LCD controllers

PXA27x and later processors support overlay1 and overlay2 on-top of the base framebuffer (although under-neath the base is also possible). They support palette and no-palette RGB formats, as well as YUV formats (only available on overlay2). These overlays have dedicated DMA channels and behave in a similar way as a framebuffer.

However, there are some differences between these overlay framebuffers and normal framebuffers, as listed below:

- 1. overlay can start at a 32-bit word aligned position within the base framebuffer, which means they have a start (x, y). This information is encoded into var->nonstd (no, var->xoffset and var->yoffset are not for such purpose).
- 2. overlay framebuffer is allocated dynamically according to specified 'struct fb\_var\_screeninfo', the amount is decided by:

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\label{eq:continuous} $$  \pr = 16 --- for RGB565 or RGBT555$ $$  \pr = 24 --- for YUV444 packed$ $$  \pr = 24 --- for YUV444 planar$  $$  \pr = 16 --- for YUV422 planar (1 pixel = 1 Y + 1/2 Cb + 1/2 Cr)$  $$  \pr = 12 --- for YUV420 planar (1 pixel = 1 Y + 1/4 Cb + 1/4 Cr)$  $$
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## NOTE:

- a. overlay does not support panning in x-direction, thus var->xres\_virtual will always be equal to var->xres
- b. line length of overlay(s) must be on a 32-bit word boundary, for YUV planar modes, it is a requirement for the component with minimum bits per pixel, e.g. for YUV420, Cr component for one pixel is actually 2-bits, it means the line length should be a multiple of 16-pixels
- c. starting horizontal position (XPOS) should start on a 32-bit word boundary, otherwise the fb check var() will just fail.
- d. the rectangle of the overlay should be within the base plane, otherwise fail

Applications should follow the sequence below to operate an overlay framebuffer:

- a. open("/dev/fb[1-2]", ...)
- b. ioctl(fd, FBIOGET VSCREENINFO, ...)
- c. modify 'var' with desired parameters:
  - 1. var->xres and var->yres
  - 2. larger var->yres\_virtual if more memory is required, usually for double-buffering
  - 3. var->nonstd for starting (x, y) and color format
  - 4. var->{red, green, blue, transp} if RGB mode is to be used
- d. ioctl(fd, FBIOPUT\_VSCREENINFO, ...)
- e. ioctl(fd, FBIOGET\_FSCREENINFO, ...)
- f. mmap
- g. ...
- 3. for YUV planar formats, these are actually not supported within the framebuffer framework, application has to take care of the offsets and lengths of each component within the framebuffer.
- 4. var->nonstd is used to pass starting (x, y) position and color format, the detailed bit fields are shown below:

31		23	20	1	0	0
+		+-	+		+	+
	unused	F	OR	XPOS	YPOS	
+		+-	+		+	+

FOR - color format, as defined by OVERLAY FORMAT \* in pxafb.h

- 0 RGB
- 1 YUV444 PACKED
- 2 YUV444 PLANAR
- o 3 YUV422 PLANAR
- 4 YUR420 PLANAR

XPOS - starting horizontal position

YPOS - starting vertical position