rocSPARSELt Data Types

Data Structures

rocsparselt_handle

The structure holds the rocSPARSELt library context (device properties, system information, etc.).

The handle must be initialized and destroyed with rocsparselt_init() and rocsparselt_destroy() functions respectively.

rocsparselt_mat_descr

The structure captures the shape and characteristics of a matrix.

It is initialized with rocsparselt_dense_descr_init() or rocsparselt_structured_descr_init() functions and destroyed with rocsparselt_mat_descr_destroy().

rocsparselt_matmul_descr

The structure holds the description of the matrix multiplication operation. It is initialized and destroyed with rocsparselt_matmul_descr_init() and rocsparselt_matmul_descr_destroy() functions respectively.

rocsparserlt_matmul_alge_selection

The structure holds the description of the matrix multiplication algorithm. It is initialized and destroyed with rocsparselt_matmul_alg_selection_init() and rocsparselt_matmul_alg_selection_destroy() functions respectively.

rocsparselt_matmul_plan

The structure holds the matrix multiplication execution plan, namely all the information necessary to execute the rocsparselt_matmul() operation.

It is initialized and destroyed

with rocsparselt_matmul_plan_init() and rocsparselt_matmul_plan_destroy() functions respectively.

Enumerators

rocsparselt_sparsity

The enumerator specifies the sparsity ratio of the structured matrix as

$$sparisty\ ratio = \frac{nnz}{num_rows*num_cols}$$

Value	Description
rocsparselt_sparsity_50_percent	50% Sparsity Ratio: - 2:4 for half, bfloat16, int

The sparsity property is used in the rocsparselt_structured_descr_init() function.

rocsparselt_compute_type

The enumerator specifies the compute precision modes of the matrix

Value	Description			
rocsparselt_compute_f32	 Default mode for 32-bit floating-point precision All computations and intermediate storage ensure at least 32-bit precision Matrix Core will be used whenever possible 			
rocsparselt_compute_i32	 Default mode for 32-bit integer precision All computations and intermediate storage ensure at least 32-bit integer precision Matrix Core will be used whenever possible 			

The compute precision is used in the rocsparselt_matmul_descr_init() function.

rocsparselt_mat_descr_attribute

The enumerator specifies the additional attributes of a matrix descriptor

Value	Description
rocsparselt_mat_num_batches	Number of matrices in a batch (int data type)
rocsparselt_mat_batch_stride	Stride between consecutive matrices in a batch expressed in terms of matrix elements (int64_t data type)

The algorithm enumerator is used in

the rocsparselt_mat_descr_set_attribute() and rocsparselt_mat_descr_get_attribute() functions.

rocsparselt_matmul_descr_attribute

The enumerator specifies the additional attributes of a matrix multiplication descriptor

Value	Туре	Defau lt Value	Descriptio n
rocsparselt_matmul_activation_relu	o: false , true other wise	false	ReLU activation function
<pre>rocsparselt_matmul_activation_relu_uppe rbound</pre>	float	inf	Upper bound of the ReLU activation function
<pre>rocsparselt_matmul_activation_relu_thre shold</pre>	float	0.0f	Lower threshold of the ReLU activation function
rocsparselt_matmul_activation_gelu	int 0: false, true other wise	false	GeLU activation function

where the ReLU activation function is defined as:

$$ReLU(v) = \begin{cases} v > threshold, min(v, upperbound) \\ v \leq threshold, 0 \end{cases}$$

The algorithm enumerator is used in

the rocsparselt_matmul_descr_set_attribute() and rocsparselt_matmul_descr_get_attribut e() functions.

rocsparselt_matmul_alg

The enumerator specifies the algorithm for matrix-matrix multiplication

Value	Description
rocsparselt_matmul_alg_default	Default algorithm

The algorithm enumerator is used in the rocsparselt_matmul_alg_selection_init() function.

rocsparselt_matmul_alg_attribute

The enumerator specifies the matrix multiplication algorithm attributes

Value	Description
<pre>rocsparselt_matmul_alg_config_id</pre>	Algorithm ID (set and query)
<pre>rocsparselt_matmul_alg_config_max_id</pre>	Algorithm ID limit (query only)
rocsparselt_matmul_search_iterations	Number of iterations (kernel launches per algorithm) for rocsparselt_matmul_search(), default=10

The algorithm attribute enumerator is used in

the rocsparselt_matmul_alg_get_attribute() and rocsparselt_matmul_alg_set_attribute() functions.

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rocsparselt_prune_alg

The enumerator specifies the pruning algorithm to apply to the structured matrix before the compression

Value	Description
<pre>rocsparselt_prune_smfmac_strip</pre>	- half, bfloat16, int8, float8, bfloat8: Zero-out two values in a 1x4 strip to maximize the <i>L1-norm</i> of the resulting strip
. ocspan seze_prane_simmae_ser zp	The strip direction is chosen according to the operation op and matrix layout applied to the structured (sparse) matrix

The pruning algorithm is used in the rocsparselt_smfmac_prune() function.

rocsparselt Functions

Library Management Functions

rocsparselt_init

rocsparselt_status
rocsparselt_init(rocsparselt_handle* handle)

The function initializes the rocsparselt library handle (rocsparselt_handle) which holds the rocsparselt library context. It allocates light hardware resources on the host, and must be called prior to making any other rocsparselt library calls. Calling any rocsparselt function which uses rocsparselt_handle without a previous call of rocsparselt_init()) will return an error.

The rocsparselt library context is tied to the current ROCm device. To use the library on multiple devices, one rocsparselt handle should be created for each device.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description
handle	Host	OUT	rocsparselt library handle

See rocsparselt_status for the description of the return status.

rocsparselt_destroy

rocsparselt_status
rocsparselt_destroy(const rocsparselt_handle handle)

The function releases hardware resources used by the rocsparselt library. This function is the last call with a particular handle to the rocsparselt library.

Calling any rocsparselt function which uses rocsparselt_handle after rocsparselt_destroy() will return an error.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle

Matrix Descriptor Functions

The function initializes the descriptor of a *dense* matrix.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description	Possible Values
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle	
matDescr	Host	OUT	Dense matrix description	
rows	Host	IN	Number of rows	
cols	Host	IN	Number of columns	
ld	Host	IN	Leading dimension	≥ rows if column-major, ≥ cols if row-major
alignment	Host	IN	Memory alignment in bytes	Multiple of 16 (not-used)
valueType	Host	IN	Data type of the matrix	<pre>rocsparselt_datatype_f16_r, rocsparselt_datatype_bf16_r, rocsparselt_datatype_i8_r, rocsparselt_datatype_f8_r, rocsparselt_datatype_bf8_r</pre>
order	Host	IN	Memory layout	<pre>rocsparselt_order_column , rocsparselt_order_row (not supported)</pre>

Constrains:

- row, col must ≥ 8
- For matrix B = K x N, k must be a multiple of 8

See rocsparselt_status for the description of the return status.

```
rocsparselt_structured_descr_init
```

```
rocsparselt_status
rocsparselt_structured_descr_init(const rocsparselt_handle handle,
                                 rocsparselt_mat_descr* matDescr,
                                 int64_t
                                                         rows,
                                 int64_t
                                                         cols,
                                int64_t
                                                         ld,
                                uint32_t
                                                         alignment,
                                rocsparselt_datatype
                                                         valueType,
                                 rocsparselt_order
                                                         order,
                                rocsparselt_sparsity_ sparsity)
```

The function initializes the descriptor of a structured matrix.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description	Possible Values
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle	
matDescr	Host	OUT	Dense matrix description	
rows	Host	IN	Number of rows	
cols	Host	IN	Number of columns	
ld	Host	IN	Leading dimension	≥ rows if column-major, ≥ cols if row-major
alignment	Host	IN	Memory alignment in bytes	Multiple of 16 (not used)
valueType	Host	IN	Data type of the matrix	<pre>rocsparselt_datatype_f16_r , rocsparselt_datatype_i8_r ,</pre>

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description	Possible Values
				<pre>rocsparselt_datatype_f8_r rocsparselt_datatype_bf8_r</pre>
order	Host	IN	Memory layout	<pre>rocsparselt_order_column , rocsparselt_order_row (not supported)</pre>
sparsity	Host	IN	Matrix sparsity ratio	rocsparselt_sparsity_50_percent

Constrains:

- row, col must ≥ 8
- For op = rocsparselt_operation_non
 - col must be the multiplication of 8
- For op = rocsparselt_operation_transpose
 - row must be the multiplication of 8

See rocsparselt_status for the description of the return status.

```
rocsparselt_mat_descr_destroy
rocsparselt_status
rocsparselt_mat_descr_destroy(const rocsparselt_mat_descr matDescr)
```

The function releases the resources used by an instance of a matrix descriptor. After this call, the matrix descriptor and the matmul descriptor can no longer be used.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description
matDescr	Host	IN	Matrix descriptor

The function sets the value of the specified attribute belonging to matrix descriptor such as number of batches and their stride.

Paramete r	Memo ry	In/O ut	Descript ion	Possible Values
handle	Host	IN	rocsparse It library handle	
matmulDes cr	Host	OUT	Matrix descripto r	
matAttrib ute	Host	IN	Attribute to set	<pre>rocsparselt_mat_num_batches , rocsparselt_mat _batch_stride</pre>
data	Host	IN	Pointer to the value to which the specified attribute will be set	
dataSize	Host	IN	Size in bytes of the attribute value used for verificati on	

The function gets the value of the specified attribute belonging to matrix descriptor such as number of batches and their stride.

Paramete r	Memo ry	In/O ut	Descript ion	Possible Values
handle	Host	IN	rocsparse lt library handle	
matmulDes cr	Host	IN	Matrix descripto r	
matAttrib ute	Host	IN	Attribute to retrieve	<pre>rocsparselt_mat_num_batches , rocsparselt_mat _batch_stride</pre>
data	Host	OUT	Memory address containin g the attribute value retrieved by this function	
dataSize	Host	IN	Size in bytes of the attribute value used for verificati on	

Matmul Descriptor Functions

```
rocsparselt_matmul_descr_init
```

```
rocsparselt_status
rocsparselt_matmul_descr_init(const rocsparselt_handle
                                                           handle,
                              rocsparselt_matmul_descr*
                                                           matmulDescr,
                              rocsparselt_operation
                                                           opA,
                              rocsparselt_operation
                                                           opB,
                              rocsparselt_mat_descr
                                                           matA,
                              rocsparselt_mat_descr
                                                           matB,
                              rocsparselt_mat_descr
                                                           matC,
                              rocsparselt_mat_descr
                                                           matD,
                              rocsparselt_compute_type
                                                           computeType)
```

The function initializes the matrix multiplication descriptor.

Paramet er	Memo ry	In/O ut	Descripti on	Possible Values
handle	Host	IN	rocsparsel t library handle	
matmulDe scr	Host	OUT	Matrix multiplica tion descriptor	
орА	Host	IN	Operation applied to the matrix A	<pre>rocsparselt_operation_non , rocsparselt_opera tion_transpose</pre>
орВ	Host	IN	Operation applied to the matrix	<pre>rocsparselt_operation_non , rocsparselt_opera tion_transpose</pre>
matA	Host	IN	Structured matrix descriptor	
matB	Host	IN	Dense matrix	

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Paramet er	Memo ry	In/O ut	Descripti on	Possible Values
			descriptor	
matC	Host	IN	Dense matrix descriptor	
matD	Host	IN	Dense matrix descriptor	
computeT ype	Host	IN	Compute precision	<pre>rocsparselt_compute_f32 , rocsparselt_compute lt_32i</pre>

The structured matrix descriptor can used for matA or matB but not both.

Data types Supported:

Input	Output	Compute
rocsparselt_datatype_f16_r	rocsparselt_datatype_f16_r	rocsparselt_compute_f32
rocsparselt_datatype_f16_r	rocsparselt_datatype_f16_r	rocsparselt_compute_f32
rocsparselt_datatype_i8_r	rocsparselt_datatype_i8_r	rocsparselt_compute_i32
rocsparselt_datatype_f8_r	rocsparselt_datatype_f8_r	rocsparselt_compute_f32
rocsparselt_datatype_bf8_r	rocsparselt_datatype_bf8_r	rocsparselt_compute_f32

```
rocsparselt_matmul_descr_destroy
```

The function releases the resources used by an instance of a matmul descriptor. After this call, the matmul descriptor can no longer be used.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description	Possible Values
matmulDescr	Host	IN	Matrix multiplication descriptor	

```
{\tt rocsparselt\_matmul\_descr\_set\_attribute}
```

The function sets the value of the specified attribute belonging to matrix descriptor such as activation function and bias.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description	
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle	
matmulDescr	Host	OUT	Matrix descriptor	
matmulAttribute	Host	IN	Attribute to set	rocsparselt_matmul _activation_relu, rocsparselt_matmul _activation_relu_u pperbound, rocspar selt_matmul_activa tion_relu_threshol d, rocsparselt_mat mul_activation_gel u, rocsparselt_mat mul_bias_pointer,

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description	
				rocsparselt_matmul _bias_stride
data	Host	IN	Pointer to the value to which the specified attribute will be set	
dataSize	Host	IN	Size in bytes of the attribute value used for verification	

See rocsparselt_status for the description of the return status.

The function gets the value of the specified attribute belonging to matrix descriptor such as activation function and bias.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description	
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle	
matmulDescr	Host	IN	Matrix descriptor	
				rocsparselt_matmul
				_activation_relu,
				rocsparselt_matmul
				_activation_relu_u
			Attribute to retrieve	pperbound, rocspar
matmulAttribute	Host	IN		selt_matmul_activa
				tion_relu_threshol
				d, rocsparselt_mat
				mul_activation_gel
				u , rocsparselt_mat
				mul_bias_pointer,

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Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description	
				rocsparselt_matmul _bias_stride
data	Host	OUT	Memory address containing the attribute value retrieved by this function	
dataSize	Host	IN	Size in bytes of the attribute value used for verification	

Matmul Algorithm Functions

```
rocsparselt_matmul_alg_selection_init
```

The function initializes the *algorithm selection* descriptor.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description	Possible Values
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle	
algSelection	Host	OUT	Algorithm selection descriptor	
matmulDescr	Host	IN	Matrix multiplication descriptor	
alg	Host	IN	Algorithm mode	rocsparselt_matmul_alg_default

See rocsparselt_status for the description of the return status.

```
rocsparselt_matmul_alg_selection_destroy
```

```
rocsparselt_status
rocsparselt_matmul_alg_selection_destroy(const rocsparselt_matmul_alg_selection algSelection)
```

The function destroy the algorithm selection descriptor.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description	Possible Values
algSelection	Host	IN	Algorithm selection descriptor	

See rocsparselt_status for the description of the return status.

The function sets the value of the specified attribute belonging to algorithm selection descriptor.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description	Possible Values
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle	
algSelection	Host	OUT	Algorithm selection descriptor	
attribute	Host	IN	The attribute to set	rocsparselt_matmul _alg_config_id , ro csparselt_matmul_a lg_config_max_id , rocsparselt_matmul _search_iterations
data	Host	IN	Pointer to the value to which the specified attribute will be set	
dataSize	Host	IN	Size in bytes of the attribute value used for verification	

The function returns the value of the queried attribute belonging to algorithm selection descriptor.

Parameter	Memor y	In/Ou t	Description	Possible Values
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle	
algSelection	Host	IN	Algorithm selection descriptor	
attribute	Host	IN	The attribute that will be retrieved by this function	<pre>rocsparselt_matmul_alg_config _id , rocsparselt_matmul_alg_ config_max_id , rocsparselt_m atmul_search_iterations</pre>
data	Host	OUT	Memory address containing the attribute value retrieved by this function	
dataSize	Host	IN	Size in bytes of the attribute value used for verification	

Matmul Functions

```
rocsparselt_matmul_get_workspace
```

The function determines the required workspace size associated to the selected algorithm.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle
algSelection	Host	IN	Algorithm selection descriptor
workspaceSize	Host	OUT	Workspace size in bytes

See rocsparselt_status for the description of the return status.

```
{\tt rocsparselt\_matmul\_plan\_init}
```

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle
plan	Host	OUT	Matrix multiplication plan
matmulDescr	Host	IN	Matrix multiplication descriptor
algSelection	Host	IN	Algorithm selection descriptor
workspaceSize	Host	IN	Workspace size in bytes

```
rocsparselt_matmul_plan_destroy
rocsparselt_status
rocsparselt_matmul_plan_destroy(const rocsparselt_matmul_plan plan)
```

The function releases the resources used by an instance of the matrix multiplication plan. This function is the last call with a specific plan instance.

Calling any rocsparselt function which

uses rocsparselt_matmul_plan after rocsparselt_matmul_plan_destroy() will return an error.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description
plan	Host	IN	Matrix multiplication plan

See rocsparselt_status for the description of the return status.

```
rocsparselt_matmul
```

```
rocsparselt_status
rocsparselt_matmul(const rocsparselt_handle
                                                         handle,
                   const rocsparselt_matmul_plan
                                                         plan,
                                                         alpha,
                   const void*
                   const void*
                                                         d_A,
                   const void*
                                                         d_B,
                   const void*
                                                         beta,
                   const void*
                                                         d_C,
                   void*
                                                         d_D,
                   void*
                                                         workspace,
                   hipStream_t*
                                                         streams,
                   int32_t
                                                         numStreams)
```

The function computes the matrix multiplication of matrices A and B to produce the output matrix D, according to the following operation:

```
D = Activation(\alphaop(A) * op(B) + \betaC + bias)
```

where A, B, and C are input matrices, and α and β are input scalars.

Note: The function currently only supports the case where D has the same shape of C

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle
plan	Host	IN	Matrix multiplication plan

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Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description
alpha	Host	IN	α scalar used for multiplication (float data type)
d_A	Device	IN	Pointer to the structured matrix A
d_B	Device	IN	Pointer to the dense matrix B
beta	Host	IN	β scalar used for multiplication (float data type)
d_C	Device	OUT	Pointer to the dense matrix c
d_D	Device	OUT	Pointer to the dense matrix D
workspace	Device	IN	Pointer to workspace
streams	Host	IN	Pointer to HIP stream array for the computation
numStreams	Host	IN	Number of HIP streams in streams

Data types Supported:

Input	Output	Compute
rocsparselt_datatype_f16_r	rocsparselt_datatype_f16_r	rocsparselt_compute_f32
rocsparselt_datatype_f16_r	rocsparselt_datatype_f16_r	rocsparselt_compute_f32
rocsparselt_datatype_i8_r	rocsparselt_datatype_i8_r	rocsparselt_compute_i32
rocsparselt_datatype_f8_r	rocsparselt_datatype_f8_r	rocsparselt_compute_f32
rocsparselt_datatype_bf8_r	rocsparselt_datatype_bf8_r	rocsparselt_compute_f32

The *structured matrix* (before the compression) must respect the following constrains depending on the operation applied on it:

- For op = rocsparselt_operation_non
 - each row must have at least two zero values every four elements
- For op = rocsparselt_operation_transpose
- each column must have at least two zero values every four elements
 The correctness of the pruning result (matrix A) can be check with the
 function rocsparselt_smfmac_prune_check().

Properties

- The routine requires no extra storage
- The routine supports asynchronous execution with respect to streams [0]

See rocsparselt_status for the description of the return status.

```
rocsparselt matmul search
rocsparselt_status
rocsparselt_matmul_search(const rocsparselt_handle handle,
                          const rocsparselt_matmul_plan
                                                          plan,
                          const void*
                                                          alpha,
                          const void*
                                                          d_A,
                          const void*
                                                          d_B,
                          const void*
                                                          beta,
                          const void*
                                                          d_C,
                          void*
                                                          d_D,
                          void*
                                                          workspace,
                          hipStream t*
```

The function evaluates all available algorithms for the matrix multiplication and automatically updates the plan by selecting the fastest one. The functionality is intended to be used for autotuning purposes when the same operation is repeated multiple times over different inputs.

streams,

numStreams)

The function behavior is the same of rocsparselt_matmul().

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- The function is NOT asynchronous with respect to streams[0] (blocking call)
- The number of iterations for the evaluation can be set by using rocsparselt_matmul_alg_set_attribute() with rocsparselt matmul search ite rations.
- The selected algorithm id can be retrieved by using rocsparselt_matmul_alg_get_attribute() with rocsparselt matmul alg config _id.

Helper Functions

```
rocsparselt_smfmac_prune
```

The function prunes a dense matrix d_in according to the specified algorithm | pruneAlg|.

Parameter	Memory	In/ Out	Description	Possible Values
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle	
matmulDescr	Host	IN	Matrix multiplication descriptor	
d_in	Device	IN	Pointer to the dense matrix	
d_out	Device	OU T	Pointer to the pruned matrix	
pruneAlg	Device	IN	Pruning algorithm	<pre>rocsparselt_prune_smfmac_tile , rocsparselt_prune_smfmac_strip</pre>
stream	Host	IN	HIP stream for the computation	

Properties

- The routine requires no extra storage
- The routine supports asynchronous execution with respect to stream

The function checks the correctness of the pruning structure for a given matrix.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle
matmulDescr	Host	IN	Matrix multiplication descriptor
d_in	Device	IN	Pointer to the matrix to check
d_valid	Device	OUT	Validation results (correct, wrong)
stream	Host	IN	HIP stream for the computation

See rocsparselt_status for the description of the return status.

The function provides the size of the *compressed* matrix to be allocated before calling rocsparselt_smfmac_compress().

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle
plan	Host	IN	Matrix plan descriptor
compressedSize	Host	OUT	Size in bytes of the compressed matrix

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The function compresses a dense matrix d_{dense} . The *compressed* matrix is intended to be used as the first operand A in the rocsparselt_matmul() function.

Parameter	Memory	In/Out	Description
handle	Host	IN	rocsparselt library handle
plan	Host	IN	Matrix multiplication plan
d_dense	Device	IN	Pointer to the dense matrix
d_compressed	Device	OUT	Pointer to the <i>compressed</i> matrix
stream	Host	IN	HIP stream for the computation

Properties

- The routine requires no extra storage
- The routine supports asynchronous execution with respect to stream