GBDK 2020 Docs

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1 General Documentation

1.1 Introduction

Welcome to GBDK-2020! The best thing to do is head over to the Getting Started section to get up and running.

If you are upgrading please check GBDK Release Notes and Migrating to new GBDK Versions

1.2 About the Documentation

This documentation is partially based on material written by the original GBDK authors in 1999 and updated for GBDK-2020. The API docs are automatically generated from the C header files using Doxygen.

GBDK-2020 is an updated version of the original GBDK with a modernized SDCC toolchain and many API improvements and fixes. It can be found at: https://github.com/gbdk-2020/gbdk-2020/.

The original GBDK sources, documentation and website are at: http://gbdk.sourceforge.net/

1.3 About GBDK

The GameBoy Developer's Kit (GBDK, GBDK-2020) is used to develop games and programs for the Nintendo Game Boy (and some other consoles) in C and assembly. GBDK includes a set of libraries for the most common requirements and generates image files for use with a real GameBoy or emulators.

GBDK features:

- C and ASM toolchain based on SDCC with some support utilities
- A set of libraries with source code
- Example programs in ASM and in C
- Support for multiple ROM bank images and auto-banking
- Support for multiple consoles: Game Boy, Analogue Pocket, Mega Duck, Master System and Game Gear and NES

GBDK is freeware. Most of the tooling code is under the GPL. The runtime libraries should be under the LGPL. Please consider mentioning GBDK in the credits of projects made with it.

1.4 Historical Info and Links

Work on the original GBDK (pre-2020) was by:
Pascal Felber, Lars Malmborg, Michael Hope, David Galloway (djmips), John Fuge, and others.
The following is from the original GBDK documentation:
Thanks to quang for many of the comments to the gb functions. Some of the comments are ripped directly from the Linux Programmers manual, and some directly from the pan/k00Pa document.
quangDX.com
The (original) gbdk homepage
Jeff Frohwein's GB development page. A extensive source of Game Boy related information, including GeeBee's GB faq and the pan/k00Pa document.

2 Getting Started

Follow the steps in this section to start using GBDK-2020.

2.1 1. Download a Release and unzip it

You can get the latest releases from here: https://github.com/gbdk-2020/gbdk-2020/releases

2.1.1 Known Issue: Windows and folder names with spaces on non-C drives

There is a known issue on Windows where sdcc will fail when run from folder names with spaces on non-C drives. For the time being the workaround is as follows (with `D:\My Stuff\` as an example folder):

- Run Windows Command as administrator
- Run: `fsutil.exe 8dot3name query D:`
  - Output: The volume state is: 1 (8dot3 name creation is disabled). The registry state is: 2 (Per volume setting - the default). Based on the above settings, 8dot3 name creation is disabled on D:
- Run: `fsutil 8dot3name set D: 0`
  - Output: Successfully enabled 8dot3name generation on D:
- Run: `fsutil.exe 8dot3name query D:`
  - Output: The volume state is: 0 (8dot3 name creation is enabled). The registry state is: 2 (Per volume setting - the default). Based on the above settings, 8dot3 name creation is enabled on D:
- Only folders created AFTER the setting has been enabled will get 8.3 filename support, renaming folders does NOT appear to generate 8.3 filename support. However it is possible to manually generate a short path name for an existing folder:
  - Run: `D:\>fsutil file setshortname "D:\My stuff" "mystuf~1"`

2.2 2. Compile Example projects

Make sure your GBDK-2020 installation is working correctly by compiling some of the included example projects. If everything works in the steps below and there are no errors reported then each project that was built should have its own .gb ROM file (or suitable extension for the other supported targets).

2.2.1 Windows (without Make installed):

Navigate to a project within the example projects folder ("`examples\gb\`" under your GBDK-2020 install folder) and open a command line. Then type:

```
compile
```

or

```
compile.bat
```

This should build the example project. You can also navigate into other example project folders and build in the same way.

2.2.2 Linux / macOS / Windows with Make installed:

Navigate to the example projects folder ("`examples/gb/`" under your GBDK-2020 install folder) and open a command line. Then type:

```
make
```

This should build all of the examples sequentially. You can also navigate into an individual example project's folder and build it by typing `make`.

2.2.2.1 macOS security warnings

If you get a security warning on macOS that says ("`... developer cannot be verified, macOS cannot verify that this app is free from malware`"), it does not mean that GBDK is malware. It just means the GBDK toolchain binaries are not signed by Apple, so it won't run them without an additional step.
You will need to unquarrantine the files in the bin folder in order to run them. This can be fixed using the following steps.
Open a terminal and navigate to the gbdk bin folder ("`bin/`" under your GBDK-2020 install folder). Then type:

```
xattr -d com.apple.quarantine *
```

2.3 3. Use a Template

To create a new project use a template!
There are template projects included in the GBDK example projects to help you get up and running. Their folder names start with `template_`.

1. Copy one of the template folders to a new folder name.
2. If you moved the folder out of the GBDK examples then you **must** update the `GBDK` path variable and/or the path to `LCC` in the `Makefile` or `compile.bat` so that it will still build correctly.
3. Type `make` on the command line in that folder to verify it still builds.
4. Open main.c to start making changes.

2.4 4. If you use GBTD / GBMB, get the fixed version

If you plan to use GBTD / GBMB for making graphics, make sure to get the version with the `const` fix and other improvements. See const_gbtd_gbmb.

2.5 5. Review Coding Guidelines

Take a look at the coding guidelines, even if you have experience writing software for other platforms. There is important information to help you get good results and performance on the Game Boy.
If you haven't written programs in C before, check the C tutorials section.

2.6 6. Hardware and Resources

If you have a specific project in mind, consider what hardware you want to target. It isn't something that has to be decided up front, but it can influence design and implementation.
What size will your game or program be?

- 32K Cart (no-MBC required)
- Larger than 32K (MBC required)
- See more details about ROM Banking and MBCs

What console platform(s) will it run on?

- Game Boy (GB/GBC)
- Analogue Pocket (AP)
- Sega Master System (SMS)
- Game Gear (GG)
- Mega Duck (DUCK)
- See Supported Consoles & Cross Compiling

If targeting the Game Boy, what hardware will it run on?

- Game Boy (& Game Boy Color)
- Game Boy Color only
- Game Boy & Super Game Boy
- See how to set the compatibility type in the cartridge header. Read more about hardware differences in the Pandocs

2.7 7. Set up C Source debugging

Tracking down problems in code is easier with a debugger. Emulicious has a debug adapter that provides C source debugging with GBDK-2020.

2.8 8. Try a GBDK Tutorial

You might want to start off with a guided GBDK tutorial from the GBDK Tutorials section.

- **Note:** Tutorials (or parts of them) may be based on the older GBDK from the 2000's before it was updated to be GBDK-2020. The general principles are all the same, but the setup and parts of the toolchain (compiler/etc) may be somewhat different and some links may be outdated (pointing to the old GBDK or old tools).

2.9 9. Read up!

- It is strongly encouraged to read more GBDK-2020 General Documentation.
- Learn about the Game Boy hardware by reading through the Pandocs technical reference.

2.10 10. Need help?

Check out the links for online community and support and read the FAQ.

2.11 Migrating From Pre-GBDK-2020 Tutorials

Several popular GBDK Tutorials, Videos and How-to's were made before GBDK-2020 was available, as a result some information they include is outdated or incompatible. The following summarizes changes that should be made for best results.

2.11.1 Also see:

- Migrating to new GBDK Versions
- Coding Guidelines
- Getting Started (the section above this)

2.11.2 Use auto-banking

GBDK-2020 now supports auto-banking (rom_autobanking). In most cases using auto-banking will be easier and less error prone than manually assigning source and assets to banks.

- There is a source example `banks_autobank` project.

2.11.3 Non-standard types (UINT8, etc)

The old GBDK types `UINT8`, `INT8`, `UINT16`, `INT16` are non-standard and less portable.
The following should be used instead: `uint8_t`, `int16_t`, `uint16_t`, `int32_t`, `uint32_t` and `bool`.
These are standard types defined in `stdint.h` (`#include <stdint.h>`) and `stdbool.h` (`#include <stdbool.h>`).

2.11.4 If using GBTD / GBMB, get the fixed version

If you plan to use GBTD / GBMB for making graphics, make sure to get the version with the `const` fix and other improvements. See const_gbtd_gbmb.

2.11.5 LCC and SDCC flags that are not needed

The following flag is no longer needed with lcc and sdcc, it can be removed without any loss of performance.

- `-DUSE_SFR`
  - Behavior formerly enabled by USE_SFR_FOR_REG is on by default now (no need to specify it, it isn't a tested `#ifdef` anymore). Check here why: https://gbdev.gg8.se/forums/viewtopic.php?id=697

2.11.6 ROM Header Settings (such as Color, SGB, etc)

Setting ROM bytes directly with `-Wl-yp0x<address>=0x<value>` is no longer supported. Instead use makebin flags. For example, use `-Wm-yC` instead of `-Wl-yp0x143=0xC0`. See faq_gb_type_header_setting.

2.11.7 GBDK Header include changes

The following header files which are now cross platform were moved from `gb/` to `gbdk/`: `bcd.h`, `console.h`, `far_ptr.h`, `font.h`, `gbdecompress.h`, `gbdk-lib.h`, `incbin.h`, `metasprites.h`, `platform.h`, `version.h`

- When including them use `#include <gbdk/...>` instead of `#include <gb/>`

2.11.8 Include .h headers, not .c source files

Do not `#include .c` source files into other `.c` source files. Instead create `.h` header files for them and include those.

- https://www.tutorialspoint.com/cprogramming/c_header_files.htm

2.11.9 Use the Template Projects

Modern project templates are included with GBDK-2020. Using them (and their Makefile or compile.bat) as a starting point for projects is recommended and can help ensure better default settings and project organization.

2.11.10 Use hUGEtracker instead of gbt_player

hUGEtracker and its driver hUGEdriver are smaller, more efficient and more versatile than gbt_player.

3 Links, Tools and Debugging

This is a brief list of useful tools and information. It is not meant to be complete or exhaustive, for a larger list see the Awesome Game Boy Development list.

3.1 SDCC Compiler Suite User Manual

- GBDK-2020 uses the SDCC compiler and related tools. The SDCC manual goes into much more detail about available features and how to use them.
  http://sdcc.sourceforge.net/doc/sdccman.pdf
  http://sdcc.sourceforge.net
- The SDCC assembler and linker (sdas / asxxxx and aslink) manual.
  https://sourceforge.net/p/sdcc/code/HEAD/tree/trunk/sdcc/sdas/doc/asmlnk.txt

3.2 Getting Help

- GBDK Discord community:
  https://github.com/gbdk-2020/gbdk-2020/#discord-servers
- Game Boy discussion forum:
  https://gbdev.gg8.se/forums/

3.3 Game Boy Documentation

- **Pandocs**
  Extensive and up-to-date technical documentation about the Game Boy and related hardware.
  https://gbdev.io/pandocs/

- **Awesome Game Boy Development list**
  A list of Game Boy/Color development resources, tools, docs, related projects and homebrew.
  https://gbdev.io/resources.html

3.4 Sega Master System / Game Gear Documentation

- **SMS Power!**
  Community site with technical documentation, reviews and other content related to the Sega 8-bit systems.
  https://www.smspower.org/

3.5 Tutorials

- **Larold's Jubilant Junkyard Tutorials**
  Several walk throughs about the fundamentals of developing for the Game Boy with GBDK-2020. There are simple examples with source code.
  https://laroldsjubilantjunkyard.com/tutorials/

- **Gaming Monsters Tutorials**
  Several video tutorials and code for making games with GBDK/GBDK-2020.
  https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLeEj4c2zF7PaFv5MPYhNAkBGrkx4i↩
PGJo
  https://github.com/gingemonster/GamingMonstersGameBoySampleCode

- **Pocket Leage Tutorial**
  https://blog.ty-porter.dev/development/2021/04/04/writing-a-gameboy-game-in-2021-pt
html

3.6 Example code

- **Simplified GBDK examples**
  https://github.com/mrombout/gbdk_playground/commits/master

3.7 Graphics Tools

- **Game Boy Tile Designer and Map Builder (GBTD / GBMB)**
  Sprite / Tile editor and Map Builder that can export to C that works with GBDK.
  This is an updated version with const export fixed and other improvements.
  https://github.com/gbdk-2020/GBTD_GBMB

  – A GIMP plugin to read/write GBR/GBM files and do map conversion:
    https://github.com/bbbbbr/gimp-tilemap-gb

  – Command line version of the above tool that doesn't require GIMP (png2gbtiles):
    https://github.com/bbbbbr/gimp-tilemap-gb/tree/master/console

- **Tilemap Studio**
  A tilemap editor for Game Boy, GBC, GBA, or SNES projects.
  https://github.com/Rangi42/tilemap-studio/

3.8 Music And Sound Effects

- **hUGEtracker** and **hUGEdriver**
  A tracker and music driver that work with GBDK and RGBDS. It is smaller, more efficient and more versatile than gbt_player.
  https://github.com/SuperDisk/hUGEDriver
  https://github.com/SuperDisk/hUGETracker

- **CBT-FX**
  A sound effects driver which can play effects created in FX Hammer. https://github.com/datguywitha3ds/CBT-FX

- **VGM2GBSFX**
  A sound effects converter and driver for DMG VGM files, FX Hammer and PCM WAV files. https://github.com/untoxa/VGM2GBSFX

- **GBT Player**
  A .mod converter and music driver that works with GBDK and RGBDS.
  https://github.com/AntonioND/gbt-player
  Docs from GBStudio that should mostly apply: https://www.gbstudio.dev/docs/music/

3.9 Emulators

- **Emulicious**
  An accurate emulator with extensive tools including source level debugging. https://emulicious.net/

- **BGB**
  Accurate emulator, has useful debugging tools.
  http://bgb.bircd.org/

Intellisense in VSCode may have trouble identifying some GBDK types or functions, and therefore flag them as warnings or unidentified.
GBDK platform constants can be declared so that header files are parsed more completely in VSCode. The following `c_cpp_properties.json` example may be adapted for your own project.

```
{
    "configurations": [
        {
            "name": "gameboy",
            "includePath": [
                "${workspaceFolder}/src/**",
                "${workspaceFolder}/res/**",
                "${workspaceFolder}/include/**",
                "${workspaceFolder}/../../../gbdk/include/**"
            ],
            "defines": ["__PORT_sm83", "__TARGET_gb"],
            "compilerPath": "",
            "cStandard": "c11",
            "intelliSenseMode": "${default}",
            "compilerArgs": [],
            "browse": {
                "limitSymbolsToIncludedHeaders": true
            }
        }
    ],
    "version": 4
}
```

3.10 Debugging tools

- **Emulicious debug adapter**
  Provides source-level debugging in VS Code and Sublime Text that works with GBDK2020.
  https://marketplace.visualstudio.com/items?itemName=emulicious.emulicious-debugger

  - If compiler optimization is making the program source hard to step through in the debugger then adding this flag to lcc can help. Note that using this flag will likely reduce code performance and increase code size while enabled, so it is best to only use it temporarily.
    * `-Wf--max-allocs-per-node0`

- **romusage**
  Calculate used and free space in banks (ROM/RAM) and warn about errors such as bank overflows.
  See romusage-settings

- **noi file to sym conversion for bgb**
  Debug information in .noi files can be converted to a symbol format that BGB recognizes using:
  - lcc : `-Wm-yS` (with `--debug`, or `-Wl-j` to create the .noi)
  - directly with makebin : `-yS` (with `-j` passed to the linker)

- **src2sym.pl**
  Add line-by-line C source code to the main symbol file in a BGB compatible format. This allows for C source-like debugging in BGB in a limited way. https://gbdev.gg8.se/forums/viewtopic.↩php?id=710

3.11 Optimizing Assembly

- **Optimizing Assembly Code**
  Pret has a useful guide to optimizing assembly for the Game Boy for times when asm using in a project in addition to C. https://github.com/pret/pokecrystal/wiki/Optimizing-assembly-code

3.12 Continuous Integration and Deployment

- **GBDK GitHub Action Builder**
  A Github Action which provides basic CI/CD for building projects based on GBDK (not for building GBDK itself).
  https://github.com/wujood/gbdk-2020-github-builder

4 Using GBDK

4.1 Interrupts

Interrupts allow execution to jump to a different part of your code as soon as an external event occurs - for example the LCD entering the vertical blank period, serial data arriving or the timer reaching its end count. For an example see the irq.c sample project.
Interrupts in GBDK are handled using the functions disable_interrupts(), enable_interrupts(), set_interrupts(uint8_t ier) and the interrupt service routine (ISR) linkers add_VBL(), add_TIM, add_low_priority_TIM, add_LCD, add_SIO and add_JOY which add interrupt handlers for the vertical blank, timer, LCD, serial link and joypad interrupts respectively.
Since an interrupt can occur at any time an Interrupt Service Request (ISR) cannot take any arguments or return anything. Its only way of communicating with the greater program is through the global variables. When interacting with those shared ISR global variables from main code outside the interrupt, it is a good idea to wrap them in a `critical {}` section in case the interrupt occurs and modifies the variable while it is being used.
Interrupts should be disabled before adding ISRs. To use multiple interrupts, *logical OR* the relevant IFLAGs together.
ISRs should be kept as small and short as possible, do not write an ISR so long that the Game Boy hardware spends all of its time servicing interrupts and has no time spare for the main code.
For more detail on the Game Boy interrupts consider reading about them in the Pandocs.

4.1.1 Available Interrupts

The GameBoy hardware can generate 5 types of interrupts. Custom Interrupt Service Routines (ISRs) can be added in addition to the built-in ones available in GBDK.

- VBL : LCD Vertical Blanking period start
  - The default VBL ISR is installed automatically.
    - See add_VBL() and remove_VBL()
- LCD : LCDC status (such as the start of a horizontal line)
  - See add_LCD() and remove_LCD()
  - Example project: `lcd_isr_wobble`
- TIM : Timer overflow
  - See add_TIM() (or add_low_priority_TIM()) and remove_TIM()
  - Example project: `tim`
- SIO : Serial Link I/O transfer end
  - The default SIO ISR gets installed automatically if any of the standard SIO calls are used (send_byte(), receive_byte()).
  - Once installed the default SIO ISR cannot be removed. Only secondary chained SIO ISRs (added with add_SIO()) can be removed.
  - See add_SIO() and remove_SIO()
  - Example project: `comm`
- JOY : Transition from high to low of a joypad button
  - See add_JOY() and remove_JOY()

4.1.2 Adding your own interrupt handler

It is possible to install your own interrupt handlers (in C or in assembly) for any of these interrupts. Up to 4 chained handlers may be added, with the last added being called last. If the remove_VBL() function is to be called, only three may be added for VBL.
Interrupt handlers are called in sequence. To install a new interrupt handler, do the following:

1. Write a function (say foo()) that takes no parameters, and that returns nothing. Remember that the code executed in an interrupt handler must be short.
2. Inside a `__critical { ... }` section, install your interrupt handling routines using the add_XXX() function, where XXX is the interrupt that you want to handle.
3. Enable interrupts for the IRQ you want to handle, using the set_interrupts() function. Note that the VBL interrupt is already enabled before the main() function is called. If you want to set the interrupts before main() is called, you must install an initialization routine.

See the `irq` example project for additional details for a complete example.

4.1.3 Using your own Interrupt Dispatcher

If you want to use your own Interrupt Dispatcher instead of the GBDK chained dispatcher (for improved performance), then don't call the `add_...()` function for the respective interrupt and its dispatcher won't be installed.

- Exception: the VBL dispatcher will always be linked in at compile time.
- For the SIO interrupt, also do not make any standard SIO calls to avoid having its dispatcher installed.

Then, ISR_VECTOR() or ISR_NESTED_VECTOR() can be used to install a custom ISR handler.

4.1.4 Returning from Interrupts and STAT mode

By default when an Interrupt handler completes and is ready to exit it will check STAT_REG and only return at the BEGINNING of either LCD Mode 0 or Mode 1. This helps prevent graphical glitches caused when an ISR interrupts a graphics operation in one mode but returns in a different mode for which that graphics operation is not allowed.
You can change this behavior using nowait_int_handler() which does not check STAT_REG before returning. Also see wait_int_handler().

4.2 What GBDK does automatically and behind the scenes

4.2.1 NES console

For implementation details on the NES console in GBDK, see the NES entry in Supported Consoles & Cross Compiling

4.2.2 OAM (VRAM Sprite Attribute Table)

GBDK sets up a Shadow OAM which gets copied automatically to the hardware OAM by the default V-Blank ISR. The Shadow OAM allows updating sprites without worrying about whether it is safe to write to them or not based on the hardware LCD mode.

4.2.3 Graphics Tile Maps and Data on Startup

By default for the Game Boy GBDK assigns:

- Background and Window Tile data starting at `0x8800`
- Background Tile Map starting at `0x9800`
- Window Tile Map starting at `0x9C00`
- Sprites to `8x8` mode

4.2.4 Font tiles when using stdio.h

Including stdio.h and using functions such as printf() will use a large number of the background tiles for font characters. If stdio.h is not included then that space will be available for use with other tiles instead.

4.2.5 Default Interrupt Service Handlers (ISRs)

- V-Blank: A default V-Blank ISR is installed on startup which copies the Shadow OAM to the hardware OAM and increments the global sys_time variable once per frame.
- Serial Link I/O: If any of the GBDK serial link functions are used such as send_byte() and receive_byte(), the default SIO serial link handler will be installed automatically at compile-time.
- APA Graphics Mode: When this mode is used (via drawing.h) custom VBL and LCD ISRs handlers will be installed (`drawing_vbl` and `drawing_lcd`). Changing the mode to (`mode(M_TEXT_OUT);`) will cause them to be de-installed. These handlers are used to change the tile data source at start-of-frame and mid-frame so that 384 background tiles can be used instead of the typical 256.

4.2.6 Ensuring Safe Access to Graphics Memory

There are certain times during each video frame when memory and registers relating to graphics are "busy" and should not be read or written to (otherwise there may be corrupt or dropped data). GBDK handles this automatically for most graphics related API calls. It also ensures that ISR handlers return in such a way that if they interrupted a graphics access then it will only resume when access is allowed.
The ISR return behavior can be turned off using the nowait_int_handler.
For more details see the related Pandocs section: `https://gbdev.io/pandocs/Accessing_VRAM_and_OAM.html`

4.3 Compression

For programs that would benefit from compression GBDK includes the gbcompress utility and companion API functions.
In addition to the built-in compression unapack is another option:

- UnaPACK aPack decompression by Toxa: https://github.com/untoxa
- apultra aPack compression: https://github.com/emmanuel-marty/apultra

Another way to save space is using 1 bit-per-pixel (bpp) tile pattern data instead of 2-bpp or 4-bpp data. This can reduce the ROM size for groups of tiles which only require two shades of color.

- See: set_1bpp_colors(), set_bkg_1bpp_data(), set_win_1bpp_data(), set_sprite_1bpp_data()

Use of 1-bpp tile pattern data may be combined with the compression described above to save even more space, however that approach requires using an intermediary RAM buffer before the tile pattern data can be written to VRAM with the set_*_1bpp_data() functions.

4.4 Copying Functions to RAM and HIRAM

See the ram_function example project included with GBDK which demonstrates copying functions to RAM and HIRAM.
Warning! Copying of functions is generally not safe since they may contain jumps to absolute addresses that will not be converted to match the new location.
It is possible to copy functions to RAM and HIRAM (using the memcpy() and hiramcpy() functions), and execute them from C. Ensure you have enough free space in RAM or HIRAM for copying a function.
There are basically two ways for calling a function located in RAM, HIRAM, or ROM:

- Declare a pointer-to-function variable, and set it to the address of the function to call.
- Declare the function as extern, and set its address at link time using the -Wl-gXXX=# flag (where XXX is the name of the function, and # is its address).

The second approach is slightly more efficient. Both approaches are demonstrated in the ram_function.c example.

4.5 Mixing C and Assembly

The following is primarily oriented toward the Game Boy and related clones (sm83 devices), other targets such as sms/gg may vary.
You can mix C and assembly (ASM) in two ways as described below.

- For additional detail see the links_sdcc_docs and SDCC Calling Conventions.

4.5.1 Inline ASM within C source files

- The optional NAKED keyword may be used to indicate that the funtion setup and return should have no handling done by the compiler, and will instead be handled entirely by user code.
- If the entire function preserves some registers the optional PRESERVES_REGS keyword may be used as additional hinting for the compiler. For example PRESERVES_REGS(b, c). By default it is assumed by the compiler that no registers are preserved.

Example:

```
__asm__("nop");
```

Another Example:

```
void some_c_function()
{
  // Optionally do something
  __asm
      (ASM code goes here)
  __endasm;
}
```

4.5.2 In Separate ASM files

It is possible to assemble and link files written in ASM alongside files written in C.

- A C identifier `i` will be called `_i` in assembly.
- Parameters will be passed, registers saved and results returned in a manner based on the SDCC Calling Convention used and how the function is declared.
- Assembly identifiers are exported using the `.globl` directive.
- See global.s for examples of hardware register deginitions.

Here is an example of how to mix assembly with C:
`main.c`

```
uint16_t add(uint16_t, uint16_t);

main()
{
  uint16_t i;

  i = add(1, 3);
}
```

`add.s`

```
.globl _add

.area _CODE
_add:          ; uint16_t add(uint16_t First, uint16_t Second)
               ;
               ; In this particular example there is no use and modification of the stack
               ; No need to save and restore registers
               ;
               ; For calling convention __sdcccall(1)
               ; - first 16 bit param is passed in DE
               ; - second 16 bit param is passed in BC

; Load Second Parameter ("Second") into HL
ld  l,  c
ld  h,  b

; Add Parameters "Second" + "First"
add hl, de

; Return result in BC
ld  c,  l
ld  b,  h
ret            ; 16 bit values are returned in BC
```

4.6 Including binary files in C source with incbin

Data from binary files can be included in C source files as a const array using the INCBIN() macro.
See the `incbin` example project for a demo of how to use it.

4.7 Known Issues and Limitations

4.7.1 SDCC

- Const arrays declared with `somevar[n] = {x}` will **NOT** get initialized with value `x`. This may change when the SDCC RLE initializer is fixed. Use memset for now if you need it.
- SDCC banked calls and far_pointers in GBDK only save one byte for the ROM bank, so for example they are limited to **bank 15** max for MBC1 and **bank 255** max for MBC5. See banked_calls for more details.
- In SDCC **pre-initializing a variable** assigned to SRAM with `-Wf-ba*` will force that variable to be in WRAM instead.

- The following is a workaround for initializing a variable in SRAM. It assignes value `0xA5` to a variable in `bank 0` and assigned to address `0xA000` using the AT() directive:

```
// Workaround for initializing variable in SRAM
// (MBC RAM and Bank needs to get enabled during GSINIT loading)
static uint8_t AT(0x0000) __rRAMG = 0x0a; // Enable SRAM
static uint8_t AT(0x4000) __rRAMB = 0x00; // Set SRAM bank 0
// Now SRAM is enabled so the variable can get initialized
uint8_t AT(0xA000)      initialized_sram_var = 0xA5u;
```

5 Coding Guidelines

5.1 Learning C / C fundamentals

Writing games and other programs with GBDK will be much easier with a basic understanding of the C language. In particular, understanding how to use C on "Embedded Platforms" (small computing systems, such as the Game Boy) can help you write better code (smaller, faster, less error prone) and avoid common pitfalls.

5.1.1 General C tutorials

- https://www.learn-c.org/
- https://www.tutorialspoint.com/cprogramming/index.htm
- https://www.chiark.greenend.org.uk/~sgtatham/cdescent/

5.1.2 Embedded C introductions

- http://dsp-book.narod.ru/CPES.pdf
- https://www.phaedsys.com/principals/bytecraft/bytecraftdata/bcfirststeps.pdf

5.1.3 Game Boy games in C

- https://gbdev.io/resources.html#c

5.2 Understanding the hardware

In addition to understanding the C language it's important to learn how the Game Boy hardware works. What it is capable of doing, what it isn't able to do, and what resources are available to work with. A good way to do this is by reading the Pandocs and checking out the awesome_gb list.

5.3 Writing optimal C code for the Game Boy and SDCC

The following guidelines can result in better code for the Game Boy, even though some of the guidance may be contrary to typical advice for general purpose computers that have more resources and speed.

5.3.1 Tools

5.3.1.1 GBTD / GBMB, Arrays and the "const" keyword **Important**: The old GBTD/GBMB fails to include the `const` keyword when exporting to C source files for GBDK. That causes arrays to be created in RAM instead of ROM, which wastes RAM, uses a lot of ROM to initialize the RAM arrays and slows the compiler down a lot.
__Use of toxa's updated GBTD/GBMB is highly recommended.__
If you wish to use the original tools, you must add the `const` keyword every time the graphics are re-exported to C source files.

5.3.2 Avoid Reading from VRAM

In general avoid reading from VRAM since that memory is not accessible at all times. If GBDK a API function which reads from VRAM (such as get_bkg_tile_xy()) is called during a video mode when VRAM is not accessible, then that function call will delay until VRAM becomes accessible again. This can cause unnecessary slowdowns when running programs on the Game Boy. It is also not supported by GBDK on the NES platform.
Instead it is better to store things such as map data in general purpose RAM which does not have video mode access limitations.
For more information about video modes and VRAM access see the pan docs:
https://gbdev.io/pandocs/STAT.html#stat-modes

5.3.3 Variables

- Use 8-bit values as much as possible. They will be much more efficient and compact than 16 and 32 bit types.
- Prefer unsigned variables to signed ones: the code generated will be generally more efficient, especially when comparing two values.
- Use explicit types so you always know the size of your variables. `int8_t`, `uint8_t`, `int16_t`, `uint16_t`, `int32_t`, `uint32_t` and `bool`. These are standard types defined in `stdint.h` (`#include <stdint.h>`) and `stdbool.h` (`#include <stdbool.h>`).
- Global and local static variables are generally more efficient than local non-static variables (which go on the stack and are slower and can result in slower code).
  - An exception to this when there are a small number of local variables (one or two) and the code is not complex. Then the compiler may allocate those variables to CPU registers instead which may be faster.
  - Functions which use global or static local variables will loose re-entrancy. In most cases it is not a problem, but important to keep in mind.
  - In particular avoid putting big arrays on the stack, consider static local or global.
- Keep the number of arguments passed to functions small (ideally one or two arguments at most). When there are a large number of arguments they get pushed onto the stack and result in more overhead for function calls. See the Calling Conventions in the SDCC compiler manual for details.
- `const` keyword: use const for arrays, structs and variables with read-only (constant) data. It will reduce ROM, RAM and CPU usage significantly. Non-`const` values are loaded from ROM into RAM inefficiently, and there is no benefit in loading them into the limited available RAM if they aren't going to be changed.
- Here is how to declare `const` pointers and variables:
  - non-const pointer to a const variable: `const uint8_t * some_pointer;`
  - const pointer to a non-const variable: `uint8_t * const some_pointer;`
  - const pointer to a const variable: `const uint8_t * const some_pointer;`
  - https://codeforwin.org/2017/11/constant-pointer-and-pointer-to-constant-in-c.html
  - https://stackoverflow.com/questions/21476869/constant-pointer-vs-pointer-to-con
- For calculated values that don't change, pre-compute results once and store the result. Using lookup-tables and similar approaches can improve speed and reduce code size. Macros can sometimes help. It may be beneficial to do the calculations with an outside tool and then include the result as C code in a const array.
- Use an advancing pointer (`someStruct->var = x; someStruct++`) to loop through arrays of structs instead of using indexing each time in the loop `someStruct[i].var = x`.
- When modifying variables that are also changed in an Interrupt Service Routine (ISR), wrap them the relevant code block in a `__critical { }` block. See http://sdcc.sourceforge.net/doc/sdccman.pdf#section.3.9
- When using constants and literals the `U`, `L` and `UL` postfixes can be used.
  - `U` specifies that the constant is unsigned

  - `L` specifies that the constant is long.
  - NOTE: In SDCC 3.6.0, the default for char changed from signed to unsigned. The manual says to use `--fsigned-char` for the old behavior, this option flag is included by default when compiling through lcc.

- A fixed point type (`fixed`) is included with GBDK when precision greater than whole numbers is required for 8 bit range values (since floating point is not included in GBDK).

See the "Simple Physics" sub-pixel example project.
Code example:

```
fixed player[2];
...
// Modify player position using its 16 bit representation
player[0].w += player_speed_x;
player[1].w += player_speed_y;
...
// Use only the upper 8 bits for setting the sprite position
move_sprite(0, player[0].h ,player[1].h);
```

5.3.4 Code structure

- Do not `#include .c` source files into other `.c` source files. Instead create `.h` header files for them and include those. https://www.tutorialspoint.com/cprogramming/c_header_files.htm

- Instead of using a blocking delay() for things such as sprite animations/etc (which can prevent the rest of the game from continuing) many times it's better to use a counter which performs an action once every N frames. sys_time may be useful in these cases.

- When processing for a given frame is done and it is time to wait before starting the next frame, vsync() can be used. It uses HALT to put the CPU into a low power state until processing resumes. The CPU will wake up and resume processing at the end of the current frame when the Vertical Blanking interrupt is triggered.

- Minimize use of multiplication, modulo with non-powers of 2, and division with non-powers of 2. These operations have no corresponding CPU instructions (software functions), and hence are time costly.

  - SDCC has some optimizations for:
    - Division by powers of 2. For example `n /= 4u` will be optimized to `n >>= 2`.
    - Modulo by powers of 2. For example: `(n % 8)` will be optimized to `(n & 0x7)`.
  - If you need decimal numbers to count or display a score, you can use the GBDK BCD (`binary coded decimal`) number functions. See: bcd.h and the `BCD` example project included with GBDK.

- Avoid long lists of function parameters. Passing many parameters can add overhead, especially if the function is called often. Globals and local static vars can be used instead when applicable.

- Use inline functions if the function is short (with the `inline` keyword, such as `inline uint8_t myFunction() { ... }`).

- Do not use recursive functions.

5.3.5 GBDK API/Library

- stdio.h: If you have other ways of printing text, avoid including stdio.h and using functions such as printf(). Including it will use a large number of the background tiles for font characters. If stdio.h is not included then that space will be available for use with other tiles instead.

- drawing.h: The Game Boy graphics hardware is not well suited to frame-buffer style graphics such as the kind provided in drawing.h. Due to that, most drawing functions (rectangles, circles, etc) will be slow . When possible it's much faster and more efficient to work with the tiles and tile maps that the Game Boy hardware is built around.

- waitpad() and waitpadup check for input in a loop that doesn't HALT at all, so the CPU will be maxed out until it returns. One alternative is to write a function with a loop that checks input with joypad() and then waits a frame using vsync() (which idles the CPU while waiting) before checking input again.
- joypad(): When testing for multiple different buttons, it's best to read the joypad state *once* into a variable and then test using that variable (instead of making multiple calls).

5.3.6 Toolchain

- See SDCC optimizations: http://sdcc.sourceforge.net/doc/sdccman.pdf#section.↩ 8.1
- For details about default Compiler data types, see the SDCC Manual (follow links and scroll down 1 page)
  - https://sdcc.sourceforge.net/doc/sdccman.pdf#section.1.1
  - Note: by default GBDK enables `--fsigned-char` (via lcc) for SDCC
- Use profiling. Look at the ASM generated by the compiler, write several versions of a function, compare them and choose the faster one.
- Use the SDCC `--max-allocs-per-node` flag with large values, such as `50000`. `--opt-code-speed` has a much smaller effect.
  - GBDK-2020 (after v4.0.1) compiles the library with `--max-allocs-per-node 50000`, but it must be turned on for your own code.
    (example: `lcc ... -Wf--max-allocs-per-node50000` or `sdcc ... --max-allocs-per-node 50000`).
  - The other code/speed flags are `--opt-code-speed` or `--opt-code-size`.
- Use current SDCC builds from http://sdcc.sourceforge.net/snap.php
  The minimum required version of SDCC will depend on the GBDK-2020 release. See GBDK Release Notes
- Learn some ASM and inspect the compiler output to understand what the compiler is doing and how your code gets translated. This can help with writing better C code and with debugging.

5.3.7 Constants, Signed-ness and Overflows

There are a some scenarios where the compiler will warn about overflows with constants. They often have to do with mixed signedness between constants and variables. To avoid problems use care about whether or not constants are explicitly defined as unsigned and what type of variables they are used with.
`WARNING: overflow in implicit constant conversion`

- A constant can be used where the the value is too high (or low) for the storage medium causing an value overflow.
  - For example this constant value is too high since the max value for a signed 8 bit char is `127`.

```
#define TOO_LARGE_CONST 255
int8_t signed_var = TOO_LARGE_CONST;
```

- This can also happen when constants are not explicitly declared as unsigned (and so may get treated by the compiler as signed) and then added such that the resulting value exceeds the signed maximum.
  - For example, this results in an warning even though the sum total is `254` which is less than the `255`, the max value for a unsigned 8 bit char variable.

```
#define CONST_UNSIGNED 127u
#define CONST_SIGNED 127
uint8_t unsigned_var = (CONST_SIGNED + CONST_UNSIGNED);
```

  - It can be avoided by always using the unsigned `u` when the constant is intended for unsigned operations.

```
#define CONST_UNSIGNED 127u
#define CONST_ALSO_UNSIGNED 127u  // <-- Added "u", now no warning
uint8_t unsigned_var = (CONST_UNSIGNED + CONST_ALSO_UNSIGNED);
```

5.3.8 Chars and vararg functions

Parameters (chars, ints, etc) to printf / sprintf should always be explicitly cast to avoid type related parameter passing issues.
For example, below will result in the likely unintended output:

```
printf(str_temp, "%u, %d, %x\n", UINT16_MAX, INT16_MIN, UINT16_MAX);
// Will output: "65535, 0, 8000"
```

Instead this will give the intended output:

```
printf(str_temp, "%u, %d, %x\n", (uint16_t)UINT16_MAX, (int16_t)INT16_MIN, (uint16_t)UINT16_MAX);
// Will output: "65535, -32768, FFFF"
```

5.3.8.1 Chars In standard C when `chars` are passed to a function with variadic arguments (varargs, those declared with `...` as a parameter), such as printf(), those `chars` get automatically promoted to `ints`. For an 8 bit CPU such as the Game Boy's, this is not as efficient or desirable in most cases. So the default SDCC behavior, which GBDK-2020 expects, is that chars will remain chars and *not* get promoted to ints when **explicitly cast as chars while calling a varargs function**.

- They must be explicitly re-cast when passing them to a varargs function, even though they are already declared as chars.
- Discussion in SDCC manual:
  http://sdcc.sourceforge.net/doc/sdccman.pdf#section.1.5
  http://sdcc.sourceforge.net/doc/sdccman.pdf#subsection.3.5.10
- If SDCC is invoked with -std-cxx (–std-c89, –std-c99, –std-c11, etc) then it will conform to standard C behavior and calling functions such as printf() with chars may not work as expected.

For example:

```
unsigned char i = 0x5A;
// NO:
// The char will get promoted to an int, producing incorrect printf output
// The output will be: 5A 00
printf("%hx %hx", i, i);
// YES:
// The char will remain a char and printf output will be as expected
// The output will be: 5A 5A
printf("%hx %hx", (unsigned char)i, (unsigned char)i);
```

Some functions that accept varargs:

- EMU_printf, gprintf(), printf(), sprintf()

Also See:

- Other cases of char to int promotion: http://sdcc.sourceforge.net/doc/sdccman.pdf#chapter.6

5.4 When C isn't fast enough

For many applications C is fast enough but in intensive functions are sometimes better written in assembly. This section deals with interfacing your core C program with fast assembly sub routines.

5.4.1 Reusable Local Labels and Inline ASM

When functions are written assembly it's generally better to not mix the inline ASM with C code and instead write the whole function in assembly.
If they are mixed then descriptive named labels should not be used for inline ASM. This is due to descriptive labels interfering with the expected scope of the reusable local labels generated from the compiled C code. The compiler will not detect this problem and the resulting code may fail to execute correctly without warning.
Instead use reusable local symbols/labels (for example `1$:`). To learn more about them check the SDAS manual section "1.3.3 Reusable Symbols"

5.4.2 Variables and registers

Getting at C variables is slightly tricky due to how local variables are allocated on the stack. However you shouldn't be using the local variables of a calling function in any case. Global variables can be accessed by name by adding an underscore.

5.4.3 Segments / Areas

The use of segments/areas for code, data and variables is more noticeable in assembler. GBDK and SDCC define a number of default ones. The order they are linked is determined by crt0.s and is currently as follows for the Game Boy and related clones.

- ROM (in this order)
  - `_HEADER`: For the Game Boy header
  - `_CODE`: CODE is specified as after BASE, but is placed before it due to how the linker works.
  - `_HOME`
  - `_BASE`
  - `_CODE_0`
  - `_INITIALIZER`: Constant data used to init RAM data
  - `_LIT`
  - `_GSINIT`: Code used to init RAM data
  - `_GSFINAL`
- Banked ROM
  - `_CODE_x` Places code in ROM other than Bank `0`, where x is the 16kB bank number.
- WRAM (in this order)
  - `_DATA`: Uninitialized RAM data
  - `_BSS`
  - `_INITIALIZED`: Initialized RAM data
  - `_HEAP`: placed after `_INITIALIZED` so that all spare memory is available for the malloc routines.
  - `STACK`: at the end of WRAM

5.4.4 Calling convention

The following is primarily oriented toward the Game Boy and related clones (sm83 devices), other targets such as sms/gg may vary.
SDCC in common with almost all C compilers prepends a _ to any function names. For example the function `printf(...)` begins at the label `_printf::`. Note that all functions are declared global.
Functions can be marked with `OLDCALL` which will cause them to use the `__sdcccall(0)` calling convention (the format used prior to SDCC 4.2 & GBDK-2020 4.1.0).
Starting with SDCC 4.2 and GBDK-2020 4.1.0 the new default calling convention is`__sdcccall(1)`.
For additional details about the calling convetions, see sections `SM83 calling conventions` and `Z80, Z180 and Z80N calling conventions` in the SDCC manual.

- http://sdcc.sourceforge.net/doc/sdccman.pdf
- Section 4.3.9 isn't specific about it, but `gbz80/sm83` generally share this subheading with `z80` (Game Boy is partially a sub-port of z80 in SDCC). https://sdcc.sourceforge.net/doc/sdccman.↩pdf#subsection.4.3.9

5.4.4.1 Banked Calling Convention

The following is primarily oriented toward the Game Boy and related clones (sm83 devices), other targets such as sms/gg may vary.
Key Points:

- Function arguments (if present) are always placed on the stack, right to left without particular alignment
- A fixed stack offset (sm83:+4, z80:+3) is added by the `Callee` (to skip the pushed `Caller` Bank and additional `Trampoline` Return Address)

- Return values follow the calling convention (__sdcccall(1), or __sdcccall(0) for OLDCALL)

Terminology:

- Caller: the code which is calling the requested function
- Callee: the function to be called (declared as BANKED or __banked)
- Trampoline: The intermediary which performs the bank switching and does hand-off between Caller and Callee during the call and then return.

Banked Call Trampoline

- Banked calls are performed via a trampoline in the non-banked region 0000-3ffff
- The __sdcc_bcall_ehl trampoline is used by default
  - With it both calling conventions are supported: __sdcccall(1) (default) or __sdcccall(0) for OLDCALL
- If --legacy-banking is specified to SDCC the __sdcc_bcall trampoline is used.
  - This may only be used with __sdcccall(0)

Process for a banked call (using __sdcc_bcall_ehl, the default)

1. The Caller
   - Function arguments (if present) are always placed on the stack, right to left without particular alignment
   - The Bank of Callee function is placed into register E
   - The Address of Callee function is placed in HL
   - Calls the bank switch Trampoline (which adds Caller return address to the stack)
2. The Trampoline
   - Saves the Current Bank onto the stack (pushed as AF, so 16 bits)
   - Switches to the Bank of Callee function (in register E)
   - Calls the Callee function address in HL (which adds Trampoline return address to the stack)
3. The Callee Function
   - SDCC will use an offset to skip the first N bytes of the stack
     - For sm83 (GB/AP/DUCK): skip first 4 bytes
     - For z80 (GG/SMS/etc): skip first 3 bytes
   - Return values follow the calling convention (__sdcccall(1), or __sdcccall(0) for OLDCALL)
   - Executes a return to Trampoline
4. The Trampoline
   - Switches to the Bank of the Caller saved on the stack (and moves Stack Pointer past it)
   - Executes a return to Caller
5. The Caller
   - Cleans up the stack and uses return value (if present)

6 ROM/RAM Banking and MBCs

6.1 ROM/RAM Banking and MBCs (Memory Bank Controllers)

The standard Game Boy cartridge with no MBC has a fixed 32K bytes of ROM. In order to make cartridges with larger ROM sizes (to store more code and graphics) MBCs can be used. They allow switching between multiple ROM banks that use the same memory region. Only one of the banks can be selected as active at a given time, while all the other banks are inactive (and so, inaccessible).
The majority of this section about banking is focused on the Game Boy since that is the original GBDK platform. Much of it still applies for the Game Gear(GG) and Sega Master System(SMS). For additional details about banking specifically related to these two systems see the SMS/GG Banking section.

6.1.1 Non-banked cartridges

Cartridges with no MBC controller are non-banked, they have 32K bytes of fixed ROM space and no switchable banks. For these cartridges the ROM space between `0000h and 7FFFh` can be treated as a single large bank of 32K bytes, or as two contiguous banks of 16K bytes in Bank `0` at `0000h - 3FFFh` and Bank `1` at `4000h to 7FFFh`.

6.1.2 MBC Banked cartridges (Memory Bank Controllers)

Cartridges with MBCs allow the the Game Boy to work with ROMS up to 8MB in size and with RAM up to 128kB. Each bank is 16K Bytes. The following are *usually* true, with some exceptions:

- Bank `0` of the ROM is located in the region at `0000h - 3FFFh`. It is fixed (non-banked) and cannot be switched out for another bank.
- Banks `1 .. N` can be switched into the upper region at `4000h - 7FFFh`. The upper limit for `N` is determined by the MBC used and available cartridge space.
- It is not necessary to manually assign Bank `0` for source files, that will happen by default if no bank is specified.

See the Pandocs for more details about the individual MBCs and their capabilities.

6.1.3 Recommended MBC type

For most projects we recommend **MBC5**.

- The SWITCH_ROM() / ref SWITCH_RAM() macros work with MBC5 (up to ROM bank 255, SWITCH_ROM_MBC5_8M may be used if a larger size is needed).
- **MBC1 is not recommended**. Some banks in it's range are unavailable. See pandocs for more details. `https://gbdev.io/pandocs/MBC1`

6.1.3.1 Bank 0 Size Limit and Overflows When Using MBCs

When using MBCs and bank switching the space used in the lower fixed Bank `0` **must be <= 16K bytes**. Otherwise it's data will overflow into Bank `1` and may be overwriten or overwrite other data, and can get switched out when banks are changed.
See the FAQ entry about bank overflow errors.

6.1.3.2 Conserving Bank 0 for Important Functions and Data

When using MBCs, Bank `0` is the only bank which is always active and it's code can run regardless of what other banks are active. This means it is a limited resource and should be prioritized for data and functions which must be accessible regardless of which bank is currently active.

6.2 Working with Banks

To assign code and constant data (such as graphics) to a ROM bank and use it:

- Place the code for your ROM bank in one or several source files.
- Specify the ROM bank to use, either in the source file or at compile/link time.
- Specify the number of banks and MBC type during link time.
- When the program is running and wants to use data or call a function that is in a given bank, manually or automatically set the desired bank to active.

6.2.1 Setting the ROM bank for a Source file

The ROM and RAM bank for a source file can be set in a couple different ways. Multiple different banks cannot be assigned inside the same source file (unless the `__addressmod` method is used), but multiple source files can share the same bank.
If no ROM and RAM bank are specified for a file then the default _CODE, _BSS and _DATA segments are used.
Ways to set the ROM bank for a Source file:

- `#pragma bank <N>` at the start of a source file. Example (ROM bank 2): `#pragma bank 2`
- The lcc switch for ROM bank `-Wf-bo<N>`. Example (ROM bank 2): `-Wf-bo2`
- Using rom_autobanking

Note: You can use the `NONBANKED` keyword to define a function as non-banked if it resides in a source file which has been assigned a bank.

6.2.2 Setting the RAM bank for a Source file

- Using the lcc switch for Cartridge SRAM bank `-Wf-ba<N>`. Example (Cartridge SRAM bank 3): `-Wf-ba3`

6.2.3 Setting the MBC and number of ROM & RAM banks available

At the link stage this is done with lcc using pass-through switches for makebin.

- `-Wm-yo<N>` where `<N>` is the number of ROM banks. 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, 64, 128, 256, 512
  - `-Wm-yoA` may be used for automatic bank size.
- `-Wm-ya<N>` where `<N>` is the number of RAM banks. 2, 4, 8, 16, 32
- `-Wm-yt<N>` where `<N>` is the type of MBC cartridge (see chart below).
  - Example: `Wm-yt0x1A`
- If passing the above arguments to makebin directly **without** using lcc, then the `-Wm` part should be omitted.
  - Note: Some makebin switches (such as `-yo A`) require a space when passed directly. See makebin-settings for details.

The MBC settings below are available when using the makebin `-Wl-yt<N>` switch.
Source: Pandocs. Additional details available at Pandocs
For SMS/GG, the ROM file size must be at least 64K to enable mapper support for RAM banks in emulators.

- If the generated ROM is too small then `-yo 4` for makebin (or `-Wm-yo4` for LCC) can be used to set the size to 64K.

6.2.4 MBC Type Chart

```
0147: Cartridge type:
0x00: ROM ONLY                  0x12: ROM+MBC3+RAM
0x01: ROM+MBC1                  0x13: ROM+MBC3+RAM+BATT
0x02: ROM+MBC1+RAM              0x19: ROM+MBC5
0x03: ROM+MBC1+RAM+BATT         0x1A: ROM+MBC5+RAM
0x05: ROM+MBC2                  0x1B: ROM+MBC5+RAM+BATT
0x06: ROM+MBC2+BATTERY          0x1C: ROM+MBC5+RUMBLE
0x08: ROM+RAM                   0x1D: ROM+MBC5+RUMBLE+SRAM
0x09: ROM+RAM+BATTERY           0x1E: ROM+MBC5+RUMBLE+SRAM+BATT
0x0B: ROM+MMM01                 0x1F: Pocket Camera
0x0C: ROM+MMM01+SRAM            0xFD: Bandai TAMA5
0x0D: ROM+MMM01+SRAM+BATT       0xFE: Hudson HuC-3
0x0F: ROM+MBC3+TIMER+BATT       0xFF: Hudson HuC-1
0x10: ROM+MBC3+TIMER+RAM+BATT
0x11: ROM+MBC3
```

Hex Code	MBC Type	SRAM	Battery	RTC	Rumble	Extra	Max ROM Size (1)
0x00	ROM ONLY						32 K
0x01	MBC-1 (2)						2 MB
0x02	MBC-1 (2)	SRAM					2 MB
0x03	MBC-1 (2)	SRAM	BATTERY				2 MB
0x05	MBC-2						256 K
0x06	MBC-2		BATTERY				256 K
0x08	ROM (3)	SRAM					32 K
0x09	ROM (3)	SRAM	BATTERY				32 K

Hex Code	MBC Type	SRAM	Battery	RTC	Rumble	Extra	Max ROM Size (1)
0x0B	MMM01						8 MB / N
0x0C	MMM01	SRAM					8 MB / N
0x0D	MMM01	SRAM	BATTERY				8 MB / N
0x0F	MBC-3		BATTERY	RTC			2 MB
0x10	MBC-3 (4)	SRAM	BATTERY	RTC			2 MB
0x11	MBC-3						2 MB
0x12	MBC-3 (4)	SRAM					2 MB
0x13	MBC-3 (4)	SRAM	BATTERY				2 MB
0x19	MBC-5						8 MB
0x1A	MBC-5	SRAM					8 MB
0x1B	MBC-5	SRAM	BATTERY				8 MB
0x1C	MBC-5				RUMBLE		8 MB
0x1D	MBC-5	SRAM			RUMBLE		8 MB
0x1E	MBC-5	SRAM	BATTERY		RUMBLE		8 MB
0x20	MBC-6						~2MB
0x22	MBC-7	SRAM	BATTERY		RUMBLE	SENSOR	2MB
0xFC	POCKET CAMERA						To Do
0xFD	BANDAI TAMA5						To Do
0xFE	HuC3			RTC			To Do
0xFF	HuC1	SRAM	BATTERY			IR	To Do

1: Max possible size for MBC is shown. When used with generic SWITCH_ROM() the max size may be smaller. For example:

- The max for MBC1 becomes **Bank 31** (512K)
- The max for MBC5 becomes **Bank 255** (4MB). To use the full 8MB size of MBC5 see SWITCH_ROM_MBC5_8M().

2: For MBC1 some banks in it's range are unavailable. See pandocs for more details `https://gbdev.io/pandocs/MBC1`
3: No licensed cartridge makes use of this option. Exact behaviour is unknown.
4: MBC3 with RAM size 64 KByte refers to MBC30, used only in Pocket Monsters Crystal Version for Japan.

6.2.5 Getting Bank Numbers

The bank number for a banked function, variable or source file can be stored and retrieved using the following macros:

- BANKREF(): create a reference for retrieving the bank number of a variable or function
- BANK(): retrieve a bank number using a reference created with BANKREF()
- BANKREF_EXTERN(): Make a BANKREF() reference residing in another source file accessible in the current file for use with BANK().

6.2.6 Banking and Functions

6.2.6.1 BANKED/NONBANKED Keywords for Functions

- `BANKED` (is a calling convention):
  - The function will use banked (`far`) sdcc calls (which switch to the function's ROM bank automatically).
  - Placed in the bank selected by its source file (or compiler switches).
  - This keyword only specifies the **calling convention** for the function, it does not set a bank itself.
- `NONBANKED` (is a storage attribute):
  - Placed in the non-banked lower 16K region (bank 0), regardless of the bank selected by its source file.

  - Forces the .area to _HOME.

- <not-specified>:
  - The function does not use sdcc banked calls (near instead of far/ banked sdcc calls)
  - Placed in the bank selected by its source file (or compiler switches).

6.2.6.2 Banked Function Calls

Functions in banks can be called as follows:

- When defined with the BANKED keyword. Example: `void my_function() BANKED { do stuff }` in a source file which has had its bank set (see above).
- Using far_pointers
- When defined with an area set up using the __addressmod keyword (see the banks_new example project and the SDCC manual for details).
- Using SWITCH_ROM() (and related functions for other MBCs) to manually switch in the required bank and then call the function.

Non-banked functions (either in fixed Bank 0, or in an non-banked ROM with no MBC):

- May call functions in any bank: **YES**
- May use data in any bank: **YES**

Banked functions (located in a switchable ROM bank)

- May call functions in fixed Bank 0: **YES**
- May call BANKED functions in any bank: **YES**
  - The compiler and library will manage the bank switching automatically using the bank switching trampoline.
- May use data in any bank: **NO**
  - May only use data from fixed Bank 0 and the currently active bank.
  - A NONBANKED wrapper function may be used to access data in other banks.
  - Banks cannot be switched manually from inside a BANKED function (otherwise it will switch out it's own function code as it is executing it, likely leading to a crash).

Limitations:

- SDCC banked calls and far_pointers in GBDK only save one byte for the ROM bank. So, for example, they are limited to **bank 31** max for MBC1 and **bank 255** max for MBC5. This is due to the bank switching for those MBCs requiring a second, additional write to select the upper bits for more banks (banks 32+ in MBC1 and banks 256+ in MBC5).

Calling Convention:

- For details see Banked Calling Convention

6.2.7 Const Data (Variables in ROM)

Data declared as const (read only) will be stored in ROM in the bank associated with it's source file (if none is specified it defaults to Bank 0). If that bank is a switchable bank then the data is only accesible while the given bank is active.

6.2.8 Variables in RAM

Todo Variables in RAM

6.2.9 Far Pointers

Far pointers include a segment (bank) selector so they are able to point to addresses (functions or data) outside of the current bank (unlike normal pointers which are not bank-aware). A set of macros is provided by GBDK 2020 for working with far pointers.
Warning: Do not call the far pointer function macros from inside interrupt routines (ISRs). The far pointer function macros use a global variable that would not get restored properly if a function called that way was interrupted by another one called the same way. However, they may be called recursively.
See FAR_CALL, TO_FAR_PTR and the `banks_farptr` example project.

6.2.10 Bank switching

You can manually switch banks using the SWITCH_ROM(), SWITCH_RAM(), and other related macros. See `banks.c` project for an example.
Note: You can only do a switch_rom_bank call from non-banked `_CODE` since otherwise you would switch out the code that was executing. Global routines that will be called without an expectation of bank switching should fit within the limited 16k of non-banked `_CODE`.

6.2.11 Wrapper Function for Accessing Banked Data

In order to load Data in one bank from code running in another bank a `NONBANKED` wrapper function can be used. It can save the current bank, switch to another bank, operate on some data, restore the original bank and then return.
An example function which can :

- Load background data from any bank
- And which can be called from code residing in any bank

```
// This function is NONBANKED so it resides in fixed Bank 0
void set_banked_bkg_data(uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data, uint8_t bank) NONBANKED
{
    uint8_t save = CURRENT_BANK;
    SWITCH_ROM(bank);
    set_bkg_data(first_tile, nb_tiles, data);
    SWITCH_ROM(save);
}
// And then it can be called from any bank:
set_banked_bkg_data(<first tile>, <num tiles>, tile_data, BANK(tile_data));
```

6.2.12 Currently active bank: CURRENT_BANK

The global variable CURRENT_BANK (a macro for _current_bank) is updated automatically when calling SWITCH_ROM(), SWITCH_ROM_MBC1() and SWITCH_ROM_MBC5, or when a `BANKED` function is called.
Normaly banked calls are used and the active bank does not need to be directly managed, but in the case that it does the following shows how to save and restore it.

```
// The current bank can be saved
uint8_t _saved_bank = CURRENT_BANK;
// Call some function which changes the bank but does not restore it
// ...
// And then restored if needed
SWITCH_ROM(_saved_bank);
```

6.3 Auto-Banking

A ROM bank auto-assignment feature was added in GBDK 2020 4.0.2.
Instead of having to manually specify which bank a source file will reside in, the banks can be assigned automatically to make the best use of space. The bank assignment operates on object files, after compiling/assembling and before linking.
To turn on auto-banking, use the `-autobank` argument with lcc.
For a source example see the `banks_autobank` project.
In the source files you want auto-banked, do the following:

- Set the source file to be autobanked `#pragma bank 255` (this sets the temporary bank to `255`, which bankpack then updates when repacking).
- Create a reference to store the bank number for that source file: `BANKREF(<some-bank-reference-name>)`.

  - More than one BANKREF() may be created per file, but they should always have unique names.

In the other source files you want to access the banked data from, do the following:

- Create an extern so the bank reference in another file is accessible: BANKREF_EXTERN(<some-bank-reference-nam
- Obtain the bank number using BANK(<some-bank-reference-name>).

Example: level_1_map.c
```
#pragma bank 255
BANKREF(level_1_map)
...
const uint8_t level_1_map[] = {... some map data here ...};
```
Accessing that data: main.c
```
BANKREF_EXTERN(level_1_map)
...
SWITCH_ROM( BANK(level_1_map) );
// Do something with level_1_map[]
```
Features and Notes:

- Fixed banked source files can be used in the same project as auto-banked source files. The bankpack tool will attempt to pack the auto-banked source files as efficiently as possible around the fixed-bank ones.

Making sure bankpack checks all files:

- In order to correctly calculate the bank for all files every time, it is best to use the -ext= flag and save the auto-banked output to a different extension (such as .rel) and then pass the modified files to the linker. That way all object files will be processed each time the program is compiled.

  ```
  Recommended:
  .c and .s -> (compiler) .o -> (bankpack) -> .rel -> (linker) ... -> .gb
  ```

- It is important because when bankpack assigns a bank for an autobanked (bank=255) object file (.o) it rewrites the bank and will then no longer see the file as one that needs to be auto-banked. That file will then remain in its previously assigned bank until a source change causes the compiler to rebuild it to an object file again which resets its bank to 255.
- For example consider a fixed-bank source file growing too large to share a bank with an auto-banked source file that was previously assigned to it. To avoid a bank overflow it would be important to have the auto-banked file check every time whether it can share that bank or not.
- See bankpack for more options and settings.

6.4 Errors related to banking (overflow, multiple writes to same location)

A *bank overflow* during compile/link time (in makebin) is when more code and data are allocated to a ROM bank than it has capacity for. The address for any overflowed data will be incorrect and the data is potentially unreachable since it now resides at the start of a different bank instead of the end of the expected bank.
See the FAQ entry about bank overflow errors.
The current toolchain can only detect and warn (using ihxcheck) when one bank overflows into another bank that has data at its start. It cannot warn if a bank overflows into an empty one. For more complete detection, you can use the romusage tool.

6.5 Bank space usage

In order to see how much space is used or remains available in a bank you can use the romusage tool.

6.5.1 Other important notes

- The SWITCH_ROM_MBC5 macro is not interrupt-safe. If using less than 256 banks you may always use SWITCH_ROM - that is faster. Even if you use mbc5 hardware chip in the cart.

6.6 Banking example projects

There are several projects in the GBDK 2020 examples folder which demonstrate different ways to use banking.

- `Banks`: a basic banking example
- `Banks_new`: examples of using new bank assignment and calling conventions available in GBDK 2020 and its updated SDCC version.
- `Banks_farptr`: using far pointers which have the bank number built into the pointer.
- `Banks_autobank`: shows how to use the bank auto-assignment feature in GBDK 2020 4.0.2 or later, instead of having to manually specify which bank a source file will reside it.

"SMS/GG Banking" section.

6.7 SMS/Game Gear Banking

The memory banking setup for SMS and Game Gear in GBDK is different than it is for the Game Boy. Instead of a single switchable bank in the `0x4000 - 0x7FFF` range, there are two switchable frames at different address ranges. The configuration is as follows:

- Frame 0: Non-banked, at address `0x0000 - 0x3FFF`
- Frame 1: `CODE_<N>`, at address `0x4000 - 0x7FFF`
  - Use for: Banked Code and Assets
  - Example: `#pragma codeseg CODE_2` or `#pragma codeseg CODE_255` for autobanking (no leading underscore)
  - Select the active bank using: SWITCH_ROM(). The current active bank can be queried using CURRENT_BANK or `MAP_FRAME1`
- Frame 2: `_LIT_<N>`, at address 0x8000- 0xBFFF
  - Use for: Assets
  - `_DATA_N` may also be mapped into Frame 2 (RAM)
  - Example: `#pragma codeseg LIT_2` or `#pragma codeseg LIT_255` for autobanking (no leading underscore)
  - Select the active bank using SWITCH_ROM2(). The current active bank can be queried using `MAP_↩FRAME2`

Banked code and any pointers associated with it will only work correctly when active in Frame 1 (at `0x4000`), so it must use `CODE_<N>`. Graphics and other assets may go in either Frame 1 (at `0x4000`) or, if designed for it then Frame 2 (at `0x8000`).

6.7.1 Auto-Banking

CODE and LIT cannot share the same bank number. For example, if `CODE` is assigned to `bank 3` then `LIT` cannot be in `bank 3` as well.
bankpack is aware of this requirement and will group `CODE` and `LIT` separately when packing for autobanking. It's process is as follows:

1. Note: CODE and LIT are not sorted before packing
2. Assign fixed banks first (for both `CODE` and `LIT`). An error will be generated if both types assigned to the same bank. Banks are marked exclusive to whichever type is assigned in them first.
3. Then autobanked entries (both `CODE` and `LIT`) are assigned to banks, they are only assigned to banks of a matching type or an unused bank. Same as above, the first type to use a bank makes it exclusive to that type.

The bankpack option `-banktype=` may be used to set a bank to use specific type (`CODE` or `LIT`). This will take effect before bankpack tries to perform any bank assignment. For example: `-banktype=2:LIT` (or `-Wb-banktype=2:LIT` when used with lcc) sets bank 2 to exclusively use type `LIT`.

7 GBDK Toolchain

7.1 Overview

GBDK 2020 uses the SDCC compiler along with some custom tools to build Game Boy ROMs.

- All tools are located under `bin/`
- The typical order of tools called is as follows (when using lcc these steps are usually performed automatically).
  1. Compile and assemble source files (.c, .s, .asm) with sdcc and sdasgb
  2. Optional: perform auto banking with bankpack on the object files
  3. Link the object files into .ihx file with sdldgb
  4. Validate the .ihx file with ihxcheck
  5. Convert the .ihx file to a ROM file (.gb, .gbc) with makebin

To see individual arguments and options for a tool, run that tool from the command line with either no arguments or with `-h`.

7.2 Data Types

For data types and special C keywords, see asm/sm83/types.h and asm/types.h.
Also see the SDCC manual (scroll down a little on the linked page): http://sdcc.sourceforge.net/doc/sdccman.pdf#section.1.1

7.3 Changing Important Addresses

It is possible to change some of the important addresses used by the toolchain at link time using the -Wl-g XXX=YYY and =Wl-b XXX=YYY flags (where XXX is the name of the data, and YYY is the new address).
lcc will include the following linker defaults for sdldgb if they are not defined by the user.

- `_shadow_OAM`
  - Location of sprite ram (requires 0xA0 bytes).
  - Default `-Wl-g _shadow_OAM=0xC000`
- `.STACK`
  - Initial stack address
  - Default `-Wl-g .STACK=0xE000`
- `.refresh_OAM`
  - Address to which the routine for refreshing OAM will be copied (must be in HIRAM). Default
  - Default `-Wl-g .refresh_OAM=0xFF80`
- `_DATA`
  - Start of RAM section (starts after Shadow OAM)
  - Default `-Wl-b _DATA=0xc0A0`
- `_CODE`
  - Start of ROM section
  - Default `-Wl-b _CODE=0x0200`

7.4 Compiling programs

The lcc program is the front end compiler driver for the actual compiler, assembler and linker. It works out what you want to do based on command line options and the extensions of the files you give it, computes the order in which the various programs must be called and then executes them in order. Some examples are:

- Compile the C source 'source.c', assemble and link it producing the Gameboy image 'image.gb'

  ```
  lcc -o image.gb source.c
  ```

- Assemble the file 'source.s' and link it producing the Gameboy image 'image.gb'

  ```
  lcc -o image.gb source.s
  ```

- Compile the C program 'source1.c' and assemble it producing the object file 'object1.o' for later linking.

  ```
  lcc -c -o object1.o source1.c
  ```

- Assemble the file 'source2.s' producing the object file 'object2.o' for later linking

  ```
  lcc -c -o object2.o source2.s
  ```

- Link the two object files 'object1.o' and 'object2.o' and produce the Gameboy image 'image.gb'

  ```
  lcc -o image.gb object1.o object2.o
  ```

- Do all sorts of clever stuff by compiling then assembling source1.c, assembling source2.s and then linking them together to produce image.gb.

  ```
  lcc -o image.gb source1.c source2.s
  ```

  Arguments to the assembler, linker, etc can be passed via lcc using -Wp..., -Wf..., -Wa... and -Wl... to pass options to the pre-processor, compiler, assembler and linker respectively. Some common options are:

- To generate an assembler listing file.

  ```
  -Wa-l
  ```

- To generate a linker map file.

  ```
  -Wl-m
  ```

- To bind var to address 'addr' at link time.

  ```
  -Wl-gvar=addr
  ```

  For example, to compile the example in the memory section and to generate a listing and map file you would use the following. Note the leading underscore that C adds to symbol names.

  ```
  lcc -Wa-l -Wl-m -Wl-g_snd_stat=0xff26 -o image.gb hardware.c
  ```

7.4.1 Makefiles

7.4.2 Using Makefiles

Please see the sample projects included with GBDK-2020 for a couple different examples of how to use Makefiles. You may also want to read a tutorial on Makefiles. For example:
https://makefiletutorial.com/
https://www.tutorialspoint.com/makefile/index.htm

7.4.3 Linker Files and ROM Auto Banking

When bankpack is called through lcc it will now always use linkerfile output (`-lkout=`) for passing files to the linker (all input object files and linkerfiles will get get consolidated to a single linkerfile).
Bankpack:

- `lkin=<filename>` : Adds a input linkerfile (can specify multiple ones)
- `-lkout=<filename>` : Enables linkerfile output and sets name (only one can be specified). ALL loaded object files, both from the command line and any loaded from linkerfiles will have their names written to this single output.

LCC + Bankpack:

- `lcc` passes all input linkerfiles (from `-Wl-f<name>`) to bankpack (`-lkin=`)
- Linkerfile output is always used when lcc calls `bankpack` (`-lkout=`)
- A temporary file name is used for bankpack linkerfile output.
- `lcc` clears out the linker object file and linkerfile lists, then uses the single linkerfile generated by `bankpack`

Also see the `linkerfile` example project.

7.5 Build Tools

7.5.1 lcc

lcc is the compiler driver (front end) for the GBDK/sdcc toolchain.
For detailed settings see lcc-settings
It can be used to invoke all the tools needed for building a rom. If preferred, the individual tools can be called directly.

- the `-v` flag can be used to show the exact steps lcc executes for a build
- lcc can compile, link and generate a binary in a single pass: `lcc -o somerom.gb somesource.c`
- lcc now has a `-debug` flag that will turn on the following recommended flags for debugging
  - `--debug` for sdcc (lcc equiv: `-Wf-debug`)
  - `-y` enables .cdb output for sdldgb (lcc equiv: `-Wl-y`)
  - `-j` enables .noi output for sdldgb (lcc equiv: `-Wl-j`)

7.5.2 sdcc

SDCC C Source compiler.
For detailed settings see sdcc-settings

- Arguments can be passed to it through lcc using `-Wf-<argument>` and `-Wp-<argument>` (preprocessor)

7.5.3 sdasgb

SDCC Assembler for the Game Boy.
For detailed settings see sdasgb-settings

- Arguments can be passed to it through lcc using `-Wa-<argument>`

7.5.4 bankpack

Automatic Bank packer.
For detailed settings see bankpack-settings
When enabled, automatically assigns banks for object files where bank has been set to `255`, see rom_autobanking.
Unless an alternative output is specified the given object files are updated with the new bank numbers.

- Can be enabled by using the `-autobank` argument with lcc.
- Must be called after compiling/assembling and before linking.
- Arguments can be passed to it through lcc using `-Wb-<argument>`

7.5.5 sdldgb

The SDCC linker for the gameboy.
For detailed settings see sdldgb-settings
Links object files (.o) into a .ihx file which can be processed by makebin

- Arguments can be passed to it through lcc using `-Wl-<argument>`

7.5.6 ihxcheck

IHX file validator.
For detailed settings see ihxcheck-settings
Checks .ihx files produced by sdldgb for correctness.

- It will warn if there are multiple writes to the same ROM address. This may indicate mistakes in the code or ROM bank overflows
- Arguments can be passed to it through lcc using `-Wi-<argument>`

7.5.7 makebin

IHX to ROM converter.

- For detailed settings see makebin-settings
- For makebin `-yt` MBC values see setting_mbc_and_rom_ram_banks

Converts .ihx files produced by sdldgb into ROM files (.gb, .gbc). Also used for setting some ROM header data.

- Arguments can be passed to it through lcc using `-Wm-<argument>`

7.6 GBDK Utilities

7.6.1 GBCompress

Compression utility.
For detailed settings see gbcompress-settings
Compresses (and decompresses) binary file data with the gbcompress algorithm (also used in GBTD/GBMB).
Decompression support is available in GBDK:

- gb_decompress(), gb_decompress_bkg_data(), gb_decompress_win_data(), gb_decompress_sprite_data()
- The `cross-platform/gbdecompress` example demonstrates how to use this compression

The utility can also compress (and decompress) using block style RLE encoding with the `--alg=rle` flag. Decompression support is available in GBDK:

- rle_init(), rle_decompress()
- The `cross-platform/rle_map` example demonstrates how to use this compression

7.6.2 png2asset

Tool for converting PNGs into GBDK format MetaSprites and Tile Maps.

- Convert single or multiple frames of graphics into metasprite structured data for use with the ...metasprite...() functions.
- When `-map` is used, converts images into Tile Maps and matching Tile Sets
- Supports Game Boy / Color, SGB borders, SMS/GG, NES

For detailed settings see png2asset-settings
For working with sprite properties (including cgb palettes), see metasprite_and_sprite_properties
For API support see move_metasprite() and related functions in metasprites.h

7.6.2.1 Working with png2asset

- The origin (pivot) for the metasprite is not required to be in the upper left-hand corner as with regular hardware sprites. See `-px` and `-py`.
- The conversion process supports using both SPRITES_8x8 (`-spr8x8`) and SPRITES_8x16 mode (`-spr8x16`). If 8x16 mode is used then the height of the metasprite must be a multiple of 16.

7.6.2.1.1 Terminology The following abbreviations are used in this section:

- Original Game Boy and Game Boy Pocket style hardware: `DMG`
- Game Boy Color: `CGB`

7.6.2.1.2 Conversion Process png2asset accepts any png as input, although that does not mean any image will be valid. The program will follow the next steps:

- The image will be subdivided into tiles of 8x8 or 8x16.
- For each tile a palette will be generated.
- If there are more than 4 colors in the palette it will throw an error.
- The palette will be sorted from darkest to lightest. If there is a transparent color that will be the first one (this will create a palette that will also work with `DMG` devices).
- If there are more than 8 palettes the program will throw an error.

With all this, the program will generate a new indexed image (with palette), where each 4 colors define a palette and all colors within a tile can only have colors from one of these palettes
It is also posible to pass a indexed 8-bit png with the palette properly sorted out, using `-keep_palette_order`

- Palettes will be extracted from the image palette in groups of 4 colors.
- Each tile can only have colors from one of these palettes per tile.
- The maximum number of colors is 32.

For indexed color images, sometimes RGB paint programs mix up indexed colors in tiles if the same color exists in multiple palettes.

- `-repair_indexed_pal` can be used to fix this problem, though tiles must still follow the rule of using only one palette per tile.

Using this image a tileset will be created

- Duplicated tiles will be removed.
- Tiles will be matched without mirror, using vertical mirror, horizontal mirror or both (use `-noflip` to turn off matching mirrored tiles).
- The palette won't be taken into account for matching, only the pixel color order, meaning there will be a match between tiles using different palettes but looking identical on grayscale.

7.6.2.1.3 Maps Passing `-map` the png can be converted to a map that can be used in both the background and the window. In this case, png2asset will generate:

- The palettes
- The tileset
- The map
- The color info
  - By default, an array of palette index for each tile. This is not the way the hardware works but it takes less space and will create maps compatibles with both `DMG` and `CGB` devices.
  - Passing `-use_map_attributes` will create an array of map attributes. It will also add mirroring info for each tile and because of that maps created with this won't be compatible with `DMG`.
    * Use `-noflip` to make background maps which are compatible with `DMG` devices.

7.6.2.1.4 Meta sprites By default the png will be converted to metasprites. The image will be subdivided into meta sprites of `-sw` x `-sh`. In this case png2asset will generate:

- The metasprites, containing an array of:
  - tile index
  - y offset
  - x offset
  - flags, containing the mirror info, the palettes for both DMG and GBC and the sprite priority
- The metasprites array

7.6.2.1.5 Super Game Boy Borders (SGB) Screen border assets for the Super Game Boy can be generated using png2asset.
The following flags should be used to perform the conversion:

- `<input_border_file.png> -map -bpp 4 -max_palettes 4 -pack_mode sgb -use_map_attributes -c <output_border_data.c>`
- Where `<input_border_file.png>` is the image of the SGB border (256x224) and `<output_border_data.c>` is the name of the source file to write the assets out to.

See the `sgb_border` example project for more details.

7.6.3 makecom

Converts a binary .rom file to .msxdos com format, including splitting the banks up into separate files.

- For detailed settings see makecom-settings

7.6.4 png2hicolorgb

An updated version of Glen Cook's Windows GUI "hicolour.exe" 1.2 conversion tool for the Game Boy Color. The starting code base was the 1.2 release.

- For detailed settings see Hi Color on the Game Boy Color is a technique for displaying backgrounds with thousands of colors instead being limtied to 32 colors for the entire screen background. It achieves this by changing ~16 colors of the background palette per scanline. The main tradeoffs are that it uses much of the Game Boy's available cpu processing per frame and requires more ROM space. The tile patterns, map, attributes and per-scanline palettes are pre-calculated using the PC based conversion tool.

For the current GBDK example ISR implementation there is a limit of 6 sprites per line before the hi-color timing breaks down and there start to be background artifacts.
Example: `png2hicolorgb myimage.png --csource -o=my_output_filename` Example with higher quality (slower conversion): `png2hicolorgb myimage.png --csource -o=my_output_filename --type=3 -L=2 -R=2`

```
Historical credits and info:
   Original Concept : Icarus Productions
   Original Code : Jeff Frohwein
   Full Screen Modification : Anon
   Adaptive Code : Glen Cook
   Windows Interface : Glen Cook
   Additional Windows Programming : Rob Jones
   Original Quantiser Code : Benny
   Quantiser Conversion : Glen Cook
```

7.6.4.1 Additional Details

For technical details about the conversion process and rendering, see: https://github.com/bbbbbr/png2hicolorgb

7.6.5 romusage

A utility for estimating usage of Game Boy and SMS/GG ROMs from .noi and .map files, binary ROMs and more.

- For detailed settings see romusage-settings

Example: `romusage myprogram.noi -g`

8 Supported Consoles & Cross Compiling

8.1 Consoles Supported by GBDK

As of version `4.2.0` GBDK includes support for other consoles in addition to the Game Boy.

- Game Boy and related clones
  - Nintendo Game Boy / Game Boy Color (GB/GBC)
  - Analogue Pocket (AP)
  - Mega Duck / Cougar Boy (DUCK)
- Sega Consoles
  - Sega Master System (SMS)
  - Sega Game Gear (GG)
- NES/Famicom (NES)
- MSX DOS (MSXDOS) (partial support)

While the GBDK API has many convenience functions that work the same or similar across different consoles, it's important to keep their different capabilities in mind when writing code intended to run on more than one. Some (but not all) of the differences are screen sizes, color capabilities, memory layouts, processor type (z80 vs gbz80/sm83) and speed.

8.2 Cross Compiling for Different Consoles

8.2.1 lcc

When compiling and building through lcc use the `-m<port>:<plat>` flag to select the desired console via its port and platform combination. See below for available settings.

8.2.2 sdcc

When building directly with the sdcc toolchain, the following must be specified manually (when using lcc it will populate these automatically based on `-m<port>:<plat>`).
When compiling with sdcc:

- `-m<port>`, `-D__PORT_<port>` and `-D__TARGET_<plat>`

When assembling select the appropriate include path: `-I<gbdk-path>lib/<plat>`.
The assemblers used are:

- sdasgb (for GB/AP)
- sdasz80 (for SMS/GG)
- sdas6500 (for NES)

When linking:

- Select the appropriate include paths: `-k <gbdk-path>lib/<port>`, `-k <gbdk-path>lib/<plat>`
- Include the appropriate library files `-l <port>.lib`, `-l <plat>.lib`
- The crt will be under `<gbdk-path>lib/<plat>/crt0.o`

The linkers used are:

- sdldgb (for GB/AP)
- sdldz80 (for SMS/GG or MSXDOS)
- sdld6808 (for NES)

MSXDOS requires an additional build step with makecom after makebin to create the final binary:

- `makecom <image.bin> [<image.noi>] <output.com>`

8.2.3 Console Port and Platform Settings

Note: Starting with GBDK-2020 4.1.0 and SDCC 4.2, the Game Boy and related clones use `sm83` for the port instead of `gbz80`

- Nintendo Game Boy / Game Boy Color
  - lcc : `-msm83:gb`
  - port:`sm83`, plat:`gb`
- Analogue Pocket
  - lcc : `-msm83:ap`
  - port:`sm83`, plat:`ap`
- Mega Duck / Cougar Boy
  - lcc : `-msm83:duck`
  - port:`sm83`, plat:`duck`
- Sega Master System
  - lcc : `-mz80:sms`
  - port:`z80`, plat:`sms`
- Sega Game Gear
  - lcc : `-mz80:gg`

  - port:z80, plat:gg

- NES
  - lcc : -mmos6502:nes
  - port:mos6502, plat:nes

- MSX DOS
  - lcc : -mz80:msxdos
  - port:z80, plat:msxdos

8.3 Cross-Platform Constants

There are several constant #defines that can be used to help select console specific code during compile time (with #ifdef, #ifndef) .

8.3.1 Console Identifiers

- When <gb/gb.h> is included (either directly or through <gbdk/platform.h>)
  - When building for Game Boy:
    - NINTENDO will be #defined
    - GAMEBOY will be #defined
  - When building for Analogue Pocket
    - NINTENDO will be #defined
    - ANALOGUEPOCKET will be #defined
  - When building for Mega Duck / Cougar Boy
    - NINTENDO will be #defined
    - MEGADUCK will be #defined
- When <sms/sms.h> is included (either directly or through <gbdk/platform.h>)
  - When building for Master System
    - SEGA will be #defined
    - MASTERSYSTEM will be #defined
  - When building for Game Gear
    - SEGA will be #defined
    - GAMEGEAR will be #defined
- When <nes/nes.h> is included (either directly or through <gbdk/platform.h>)
  - NINTENDO_NES will be #defined
- When <msx/msx.h> is included (either directly or through <gbdk/platform.h>)
  - MSXDOS will be #defined

8.3.2 Console Hardware Properties

Constants that describe properties of the console hardware are listed below. Their values will change to reflect the current console target that is being built.

- DEVICE_SCREEN_X_OFFSET, DEVICE_SCREEN_Y_OFFSET
- DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH, DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT
- DEVICE_SCREEN_BUFFER_WIDTH, DEVICE_SCREEN_BUFFER_HEIGHT
- DEVICE_SCREEN_MAP_ENTRY_SIZE

- DEVICE_SPRITE_PX_OFFSET_X, DEVICE_SPRITE_PX_OFFSET_Y
- DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH, DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT
- MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES
- HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_X, HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_Y

8.4 Using <gbdk/...> headers

Some include files under `<gbdk/..>` are cross platform and others allow the build process to auto-select the correct include file for the current target port and platform (console).
For example, the following can be used

```
#include <gbdk/platform.h>
#include <gbdk/metasprites.h>
```

Instead of

```
#include <gb/gb.h>
#include <gb/metasprites.h>
```

and

```
#include <sms/sms.h>
#include <sms/metasprites.h>
```

8.5 Cross Platform Example Projects

GBDK includes an number of cross platform example projects. These projects show how to write code that can be compiled and run on multiple different consoles (for example Game Boy and Game Gear) with, in some cases, minimal differences.
They also show how to build for multiple target consoles with a single build command and `Makefile`. The `Makefile.targets` allows selecting different `port` and `plat` settings when calling the build stages.

8.5.1 Cross Platform Asset Example

The cross-platform `Logo` example project shows how assets can be managed for multiple different console targets together.
In the example utility_png2asset is used to generate assets in the native format for each console at compile-time from separate source PNG images. The Makefile is set to use the source PNG folder which matches the current console being compiled, and the source code uses set_bkg_native_data() to load the assets tiles in native format to the tile memory used for background tiles on that platform.

8.6 Hardware Summaries

The specs below reflect the typical configuration of hardware when used with GBDK and is not meant as a complete list of their capabilities.
GB/AP/DUCK

- Sprites:
  - 256 tiles (upper 128 are shared with background) (amount is doubled in CGB mode)
  - tile flipping/mirroring: yes
  - 40 total, max 10 per line
  - 2 x 4 color palette (color 0 transparent). 8 x 4 color palettes in CGB mode
- Background: 256 tiles (typical setup: upper 128 are shared with sprites) (amount is doubled in CGB mode)
  - tile grid size: 8x8
  - tile attribute grid size: 8x8 (CGB mode only)
  - tile flipping/mirroring: no (yes in CGB mode)

    - 1 x 4 color palette. 8 x 4 color palettes in CGB mode
- Window "layer": available
- Screen: 160 x 144
- Hardware Map: 256 x 256

SMS/GG

- Sprites:
    - 256 tiles (a bit less in the default setup)
    - tile flipping/mirroring: no
    - 64 total, max 8 per line
    - 1 x 16 color palette (color 0 transparent)
- Background: 512 tiles (upper 256 are shared with sprites)
    - tile grid size: 8x8
    - tile attribute grid size: 8x8
    - tile flipping/mirroring: yes
    - 2 x 16 color palettes
- Window "layer": not available
- SMS
    - Screen: 256 x 192
    - Hardware Map: 256 x 224
- GG
    - Screen: 160 x 144
    - Hardware Map: 256 x 224

NES/Famicom

- Sprites:
    - 8x8 or 8x16
    - 256 tiles
    - tile flipping/mirroring: yes
    - 64 total, max 8 per line
    - 4 x 4 color palette (color 0 transparent)
- Background: 256 tiles
    - tile grid size: 8x8
    - tile attribute grid size: 16x16 (bit packed into 32x32)
    - tile flipping/mirroring: no
    - 4 x 4 color palette (color 0 same for all sub-palettes)
- Window "layer": not available
- Screen: 256 x 240
- Hardware Map: Depends on mirroring mode
    - 256 x 240 (single-screen mirroring)
    - 512 x 240 (vertical mirroring / horizontal scrolling)
    - 256 x 480 (horizontal mirroring / vertical scrolling)
    - 512 x 480 (4-screen layout. Requires additional RAM on cartridge)

8.6.1 Safe VRAM / Display Controller Access

GB/AP

- VRAM / Display Controller (PPU)
  - VRAM and some other display data / registers should only be written to when the STATF_B_BUSY bit of STAT_REG is off. Most GBDK API calls manage this automatically.

SMS/GG

- Display Controller (VDP)
  - Writing to the VDP should not be interrupted while an operation is already in progress (since that will interfere with the internal data pointer causing data to be written to the wrong location).
  - Recommended approach: Avoid writing to the VDP (tiles, map, scrolling, colors, etc) during an interrupt routine (ISR).
  - Alternative (requires careful implementation): Make sure writes to the VDP during an ISR are only performed when the _shadow_OAM_OFF flag indicates it is safe to do so.

NES/Famicom

- See NES technical details

8.7 Using Game Boy Color (GBC/CGB) Features

8.7.1 Differences Versus the Regular Game Boy (DMG/GBP/SGB)

These are some of the main hardware differences between the Regular Game Boy and the Game Boy Color.

- CPU: Optional 2x Speed mode
- Serial Link: Additional Speeds 2KB/s, 32KB/s, 64KB/s
- IR Port
- Sprites:
  - 2 banks x 256 tile patterns (2x as many) (typically upper 128 of each bank shared with background)
  - 8 x 4 color palettes in CGB mode (BGR-555 per color, 32768 color choices)
- Background:
  - 2 banks x 256 tile patterns (2x as many) (typically upper 128 of each bank shared with sprites)
  - Second map bank for tile attributes (color, flipping/mirroring, priority, bank)
  - 8 x 4 color palettes in CGB mode (BGR-555 per color, 32,768 color choices))
  - BG and Window master priority
- WRAM: 8 x 4K WRAM banks in the 0xD000 - 0xDFFF region
- LCD VRAM DMA

8.7.2 Game Boy Color features in GBDK

These are some of the main GBDK API features for the CGB. Many of the items listed below link to additional information.

- ROM header settings:
  - See the FAQ entry How do I set SGB, Color only and Color compatibility in the ROM header?
- Tile and Pattern data:
  - Select VRAM Banks: VBK_REG (used with `set_bkg/win/sprite_*()`)

  - set_bkg_attributes(), set_bkg_submap_attributes()

- Color:
  - set_bkg_palette(), set_bkg_palette_entry()
  - set_sprite_palette(), set_sprite_palette_entry()
  - set_default_palette()
  - RGB(), RGB8(), RGBHTML()
- Detect and change CPU speed: if (_cpu == CGB_TYPE), cpu_fast()
- More details in cgb.h (`#include <gb/cgb.h>`)

8.7.3 CGB Examples

Several examples in GBDK show how to use CGB features, including the following:

- `gb/colorbar`, `gb/dscan`, `cross-platform/large_map`, `cross-platform/logo`, `cross-platform/meta`

8.8 Porting Between Supported Consoles

8.8.1 From Game Boy to Analogue Pocket

The Analogue Pocket operating in `.pocket` mode is (for practical purposes) functionally identical to the Game Boy / Color though it has a couple changes listed below. These are handled automatically in GBDK as long as the practices outlined below are followed.

8.8.1.1 Official differences:

- Altered register flag and address definitions
  - STAT & LCDC: Order of register bits is reversed
    - Example: LCD on/off is LCDC.0 instead of .7
    - Example: LYC Interrupt enable is STAT.1 instead of .6
  - LCDC address is `0xFF4E` instead of `0xFF40`
- Different logo data in the header at address `0x0104`:
  - ```
    0x01, 0x10, 0xCE, 0xEF, 0x00, 0x00, 0x44, 0xAA, 0x00, 0x74, 0x00,
    0x18, 0x11, 0x95, 0x00, 0x34, 0x00, 0x1A, 0x00, 0xD5, 0x00, 0x22,
    0x00, 0x69, 0x6F, 0xF6, 0xF7, 0x73, 0x09, 0x90, 0xE1, 0x10, 0x44,
    0x40, 0x9A, 0x90, 0xD5, 0xD0, 0x44, 0x30, 0xA9, 0x21, 0x5D, 0x48,
    0x22, 0xE0, 0xF8, 0x60
    ```

8.8.1.2 Observed differences:

- MBC1 and MBC5 are supported, MBC3 won't save and RTC doesn't progress when game is not running, the HuC3 isn't supported at all (via JoseJX and sg).
- The Serial Link port does not work
- The IR port in CGB mode does not work as reliably as the Game Boy Color

In order for software to be easily ported to the Analogue Pocket, or to run on both, use the following practices.

8.8.1.3 Registers and Flags

Use API defined registers and register flags instead of hardwired ones.

- LCDC register: LCDC_REG or rLCDC
- STAT register: STAT_REG or rSTAT
- LCDC flags: -> LCDCF_... (example: LCDCF_ON)
- STAT flags: -> STATF_... (example: STATF_LYC)
    ```

8.8.1.4 Boot logo As long as the target console is set during build time then the correct boot logo will be automatically selected.

8.8.2 From Game Boy to SMS/GG

8.8.2.1 RAM Banks

- The SMS/GG ROM file size must be at least 64K to enable mapper support for RAM banks in emulators.
  - If the generated ROM is too small then `-yo 4` for makebin (or `-Wm-yo4` for LCC) can be used to set the size to 64K.

8.8.2.2 Tile Data and Tile Map loading

8.8.2.2.1 Tile and Map Data in 2bpp Game Boy Format

- set_bkg_data() and set_sprite_data() will load 2bpp tile data in "Game Boy" format on both GB and SMS/GG.
- On the SMS/GG set_2bpp_palette() sets 4 colors that will be used when loading 2bpp assets with set_bkg_data(). This allows GB assets to be easily colorized without changing the asset format. There is some performance penalty for using the conversion.
- set_bkg_tiles() loads 1-byte-per-tile tilemaps both for the GB and SMS/GG.

8.8.2.2.2 Tile and Map Data in Native Format Use the following api calls when assets are avaialble in the native format for each platform.
set_native_tile_data()

- GB/AP: loads 2bpp tiles data
- SMS/GG: loads 4bpp tile data

set_tile_map()

- GB/AP: loads 1-byte-per-tile tilemaps
- SMS/GG: loads 2-byte-per-tile tilemaps

There are also bit-depth specific API calls:

- 1bpp: set_1bpp_colors, set_bkg_1bpp_data, set_sprite_1bpp_data
- 2bpp: set_2bpp_palette, set_bkg_2bpp_data, set_sprite_2bpp_data, set_tile_2bpp_data (sms/gg only)
- 2bpp: set_bkg_4bpp_data (sms/gg only), set_sprite_4bpp_data (sms/gg only)

8.8.2.3 Colors and Palettes The SMS/GG have 2 x 16 color palettes:

- The first (0) is just for the background
- The second (1) is shared between sprites and the background (and for sprites a single color 0 of that palette is transparent)

On the Game Gear

- Each Palette is 32 bytes in size: 16 colors x 2 bytes per palette color entry.
- Each color (16 per palette) is packed as BGR-444 format (x:4:4:4, MSBits [15..12] are unused).
- Each component (R, G, B) may have values from 0 - 15 (4 bits), 15 is brightest.

On the SMS

- On SMS each Palette is 16 bytes in size: 16 colors x 1 byte per palette color entry.
- Each color (16 per palette) is packed as BGR-222 format (x:2:2:2, MSBits [7..6] are unused).

- Each component (R, G, B) may have values from 0 - 3 (2 bits), 3 is brightest.

For setting palette data:

- set_palette_entry(): Will set a single color in a palette
- set_palette(): Can set all the colors for one or both palettes
- set_bkg_palette(): Is just an alias for set_palette(). The full 16 colors can be set using this call.
- set_sprite_palette(): Is also an alias for set_palette(), but it offsets to write to the second 16 color palette.
- Also see: RGB(), RGB8(), RGBHTML()

8.8.2.3.1 Emulated Game Boy Color map attributes on the SMS/Game Gear On the Game Boy Color, VBK_REG is used to select between the regular background tile map and the background attribute tile map (for setting tile color palette and other properties).
This behavior is emulated for the SMS/GG when using set_bkg_tiles() and VBK_REG. It allows writing a 1-byte tile map separately from a 1-byte attributes map.

Note

Tile map attributes on SMS/Game Gear use different control bits than the Game Boy Color, so a modified attribute map must be used.

8.8.3 From Game Boy to NES

The NES graphics architecture is similar to the GB's. However, there are a number of design choices in the NES hardware that make the NES a particularly cumbersome platform to develop for, and that will require special attention.
Most notably:

- PPU memory can only be written in a serial fashion using a data port at 0x2007 (PPUDATA)
- PPU memory can only be written to during vblank, or when manually disabling rendering via PPUMASK. Hblank writes to PPU memory are not possible
- PPU memory write address is re-purposed for scrolling coordinates when rendering is enabled which means PPU memory updates / scrolling must cooperate
- PPU internal palette memory is also mapped to external VRAM area making palette updates during rendering very expensive and error-prone
- The base NES system has no support for any scanline interrupts. And cartridge mappers that add scanline interrupts do so using wildly varying solutions
- There's no easy way to determine the current scanline or CPU-to-PPU alignment meaning timed code is often required on the NES
- The PAL variant of the NES has very different CPU / PPU timings, as do the Dendy clone and other clone systems
- The stock 2 kB CPU RAM is just 1/4th the 8kB CPU RAM on a Game Boy
  - Free RAM after accounting for ZP, stack, OAM page and system variables further cuts this in half
  - This means a lot of GB code will need to be carefully optimized for RAM usage when ported to the NES
  - In particular, make sure to use the "const" modifier for arrays that are read-only, to make sure they don't end up in RAM

To provide an easier experience, gbdk-nes attempts to hide most of these quirks so that in theory the programming experience for gbdk-nes should be as close as possible to that of the GB/GBC. However, to avoid surprises it is recommended to familiarize yourself with the NES-specific quirks and implementation choices mentioned here.
This entire section is written as a guide on porting GB projects to NES. If you are new to GBDK, you may wish to familiarize yourself with using GBDK for GB development first as the topics covered will make a lot more sense after gaining experience with GB development.

8.8.3.1 Mapper

Currently the NES support in GBDK uses UNROM-512 (Mapper30) with single-screen mirroring.

8.8.3.2 Buffered mode vs direct mode

On the GB, the vblank period serves as an optimal time to write data to PPU memory, and PPU memory can also be written efficiently with VRAM DMA.
On the NES, writing PPU memory during the vblank period is not optional. Whenever rendering is turned on the PPU is in a state where accessing PPU memory results in undefined behavior outside the short vblank period. The NES also has no VRAM DMA hardware to help with data writes. This makes the vblank period not only more precious, but important to never exceed to avoid glitched games.
To deal with this limitation, all functions in gbdk-nes that write to PPU memory can run in either *Buffered* or *Direct* mode.
The good news is that switching between buffered and direct mode in gbdk-nes is usually done behind-the-scenes and normally shouldn't affect your code too much, as long as you use the portable GBDK functions and macros to do this.

- DISPLAY_ON / SHOW_BG / SHOW_SPR will all switch the system into buffered mode, allowing limited amounts of transfers during vblank, not the display of graphics
- DISPLAY_OFF will switch the system into direct mode, allowing much larger/faster transfers while the screen is blanked

The following sections describe how the buffered / direct modes work in more detail. As buffered / direct mode is mostly hidden by the API calls, feel free to skip these sections if you wish.

8.8.3.2.1 Buffered mode implementation details

To take maximum advantage of the short vblank period, gbdk-nes implements the same system as nearly every other NES engine: An unrolled loop that pulls prepared data bytes from the stack.

```
PLA
STA PPUDATA
...
PLA
STA PPUDATA
RTS
```

The data structure to facilitate this is usually called a vram transfer buffer, often affectionately called a "popslide" buffer after Damian Yerrick's implementation. This buffer essentially forms a list of commands where each comand sets up a new PPU address and then writes a sequence of bytes with an auto-increment of either +1 or +32. Each such command is often called a "stripe" in the nesdev community.
It starts at 0x100 and takes around half of the hardware stack page. You can think of the transfer buffer as a software-implemented DMA that allows writing bytes at the optimal rate of 8 cycles / byte. (ignoring the PPU address setup cost)
The buffer allows writing up to 32 continuous bytes at a time. This allows updating a full screen row / column, or two 8x8 tiles worth of tile data in one command / "stripe".
By doing writes to this buffer during game logic, your game will effectively keep writing data transfer commands for the vblank NMI handler to process in the next vblank period, without having to wait until the vblank.
Given that transfer buffer only has space for around 100 data bytes, it is important to not overfill the buffer, as this will bring code execution to a screeching halt, until the NMI handler empties the old contents of the buffer to free up space to allow new commands to be written.
Buffered mode is typically used for scrolling updates or dynamically animated tiles, where only a small amount of bytes need updating per frame.

8.8.3.2.2 Direct mode implementation details

During direct mode, all graphics routines will write directly to the PPUADDR / PPUDATA ports and the transfer buffer limit is never a concern because the transfer buffer is effectively avoided.
Direct mode is typically used for initializing large amounts of tile data at boot and/or level loading time. Unless you plan to have an animated loading screen and decompress a lot of data, it makes more sense to just fade the screen to black and allow direct mode to write data as fast as possible.

8.8.3.2.3 Caveat: Make sure the transfer buffer is emptied before switching to direct mode

Because the switch to the direct mode is instant and doesn't wait for the next invocation of the vblank, it is possible to create

situations where there is still remaining data in the transfer buffer that would only get written once the system is switched back to buffered mode.
To avoid this situation, make sure to always "drain" the buffer by doing a call to wait_vbl_done when you expect your code to finish.

8.8.3.2.4 Caveat: Only update the PPU palette during buffered mode The oddity that PPU palette values are accessed through the same mechanism as other PPU memory bytes comes with the side effect that the vblank NMI handler will only write the palette values in buffered mode.
The reason for this design choice is two-fold:

- Having the NMI handler keep doing the palette updates when in direct mode would result in a race condition when the NMI handler interrupts the direct mode code and messes with the PPUADDR state that the direct mode code expects to remain unchanged
- Having the palette updates also switch to direct mode would run into another quirk of the system: Pointing PPUADDR at palette registers when display is turned off will make the display output that palette color instead of the common background color. The result would be glitchy artifacts on screen when updating the palette, leading to slightly-glitchy looking game whenever the palette is updated with the screen off

To work around this, you are advised to never fully turn the display off during a palette fade. If you don't follow this advice all your palette updates will get delayed until the screen is turned back on.

8.8.3.3 Shadow PPU registers Like the SMS, the NES hardware is designed to only allow loading the full X/Y scroll on the very first scanline. i.e., under normal operation you are only allowed to change the Y-scroll once.
In contrast to the SMS, this limitation can be circumvented with a specific set of out-of-order writes to the PPUSCROLL/PPUADDR registers, taking advantage of the quirk that the PPUADDR and PPUSCROLL share register bits. But this write sequence is very timing-sensitive as the writes need to fall into (a smaller portion of) the hblank period in order to avoid race conditions when the CPU and PPU both try to update the same register during scanline rendering.
To simplify the programming interface, gbdk-nes functions like move_bkg / scroll_bkg only ever update shadow registers in RAM. The vblank NMI handler will later pick these values up and write them to the actual PPU registers registers.

8.8.3.4 Implementation of (fake) vbl / lcd handlers GBDK provides an API for installing Interrupt Service Routines that execute on start of vblank (VBL handler), or on a specific scanline (LCD handler).
But the base NES system has no suitable scanline interrupts that can provide such functionality. So instead, gbdk-nes API allows *fake* handlers to be installed in the goal of keeping code compatible with other platforms.

- An installed VBL handler will be called immediately when calling wait_vbl_done. This handler should only update PPU shadow registers
- An installed LCD handler for a specific scanline will be called after the vblank NMI handler has finished execution, and will then manually run a delay loop to reach that scanline before calling your installed LCD handler.

Because the LCD "ISR" is actually implemented with a delay loop, it will burn a lot of CPU cycles in the frame - the further down the scanline is the larger the CPU cycle loss. In practice this makes this faked-LCD-ISR functionality only suited for status bars at the top screen, or simple parallax cutscenes where the CPU has little else to do.

Note

The support for VBL and LCD handlers is currently under consideration and subject to change in newer versions of gbdk-nes.

8.8.3.5 Caveat: Make sure to call wait_vbl_done on every frame On the GB, the call to wait_vbl_done is an optional call that serves two purposes:

1. It provides a consistent frame timing for your game
2. It allows future register writes to be synchronized to the screen

On gbdk-nes the second point is no longer true, because writes need to be made to the shadow registers *before* wait_vbl_done is called.
But the wait_vbl_done call serves two other very important purposes:
A. It calls the optional VBL handler, where shadow registers can be written (and will later be picked up by the actual vblank NMI handler) B. It calls flush_shadow_attributes so that updates to background attributes actually get written to PPU memory
For these reasons you should always include a call to wait_vbl_done if you expect to see any graphical updates on the screen.

8.8.3.6 Tile Data and Tile Map loading

8.8.3.6.1 Tile and Map Data in 2bpp Game Boy Format

- set_bkg_data() and set_sprite_data() will load 2bpp tile data in "Game Boy" format on both GB and NES.
- set_bkg_tiles() loads 1-byte-per-tile tilemaps both for the GB and NES.

8.8.3.6.2 Tile and Map Data in Native Format Use the following api calls when assets are avaialble in the native format for each platform.
set_native_tile_data()

- GB/AP: loads 2bpp tiles data
- NES: loads 2bpp tiles data

set_tile_map()

- GB/AP: loads 1-byte-per-tile tilemaps
- NES: loads 1-byte-per-tile tilemaps

Bit-depth specific API calls:

- 1bpp: set_1bpp_colors, set_bkg_1bpp_data, set_sprite_1bpp_data
- 2bpp: set_2bpp_palette, set_bkg_2bpp_data, set_sprite_2bpp_data

Platform specific API calls:

- set_bkg_attributes_nes16x16(), set_bkg_submap_attributes_nes16x16(), set_bkg_attribute_xy_nes16x16()

8.8.3.6.3 Game Boy Color map attributes on the NES On the Game Boy Color, VBK_REG is used to select between the regular background tile map and the background attribute tile map (for setting tile color palette and other properties).
This behavior of setting VBK_REG to specify tile indices/attributes is not supported on the NES platform. Instead the dedicated functions for attribute setting should be used. These will work on other platforms as well and are the preferred way to set attributes.
To maintain API compatibility with other platforms that have attributes on an 8x8 grid specified with a whole byte per attribute, the NES platform supports the dedicated calls for setting attributes on an 8x8 grid:

- set_bkg_attributes()
- set_bkg_submap_attributes()
- set_bkg_attribute_xy()

This allows code to for attribute setting to remain unchanged between platforms. The effect of using these calls is that some attribute setting will be redundant due to the coarser attribute grid. i.e., setting the attribute at coordinates (4, 4), (4,5), (5, 4) and (5, 5) will all set the same attribute.
There is one more platform specific difference to note: While the set_bkg_attribute_xy() function takes coordinates on a 8x8 grid, the set_bkg_attributes() and set_bkg_submap_attributes() functions take a pointer to data in NES packed attribute format, where each byte contains data for 4 16x16 attribute. i.e. a 32x32 region.
While this implementation detail of how the attribute map is encoded is usually hidden by the API functions it does mean that code which manually tries to read the attribute data is *NOT* portable between NES/other platforms, and is not recommended.

Note

Tile map attributes on NES are on a 16x16 grid and use different control bits than the Game Boy Color.

- NES 16x16 Tile Attributes are bit packed into 4 attributes per byte with each 16x16 area of a 32x32 pixel block using the bits as follows:
  - D1-D0: Top-left 16x16 pixels
  - D3-D2: Top-right 16x16 pixels
  - D5-D4: Bottom-left 16x16 pixels
  - D7-D6: Bottom-right 16x16 pixels
  - https://www.nesdev.org/wiki/PPU_attribute_tables

8.8.4 From Game Boy to Mega Duck / Cougar Boy

The Mega Duck is (for practical purposes) functionally identical to the Original Game Boy though it has a couple changes listed below.

8.8.4.1 Summary of Hardware changes:

- Cartridge Boot Logo: not present on Mega Duck
- Cartridge Header data: not present on Mega Duck
- Program Entry Point: `0x0000` (on Game Boy: `0x0100`)
- Display registers and flag definitions: Some changed
- Audio registers and flag definitions: Some changed
- MBC ROM bank switching register address: `0x0001` (many Game Boy MBCs use `0x2000 - 0x3FFF`)

8.8.4.2 Best Practices In order for software to be easily ported to the Mega Duck, or to run on both, use these practices. That will allow GBDK to automatically handle *most* of the differences (for the exceptions see Sound Register Value Changes).

- Set the target console during build time
- Use the GBDK definitions and macros for:
  - Video Registers and Flags (examples: LCDC_REG, LCDCF_BG8000, etc)
  - Audio Registers and Flags (examples: NR12_REG, NR43_REG, etc)
  - Use the default SWITCH_ROM macro for changing ROM banks

8.8.4.3 Sound Register Value Changes There are two hardware changes which will not be handled automatically when following the practices mentioned above.
These changes may be required when using existing Sound Effects and Music Drivers written for the Game Boy.

1. Registers NR12_REG, NR22_REG, NR42_REG, and NR43_REG have their contents nybble swapped.
   - To maintain compatibility the value to write (or the value read) can be converted this way: `((uint8_t)(value << 4) | (uint8_t)(value >> 4))`
2. Register NR32_REG has the volume bit values changed.
   - `Game Boy: Bits:6..5 : 00 = mute, 01 = 100%, 10 = 50%, 11 = 25%`
   - `Mega Duck: Bits:6..5 : 00 = mute, 01 = 25%, 10 = 50%, 11 = 100%`
   - To maintain compatibility the value to write (or the value read) can be converted this way: `(((~(uint8_t)value) + (uint8_t)0x20u) & (uint8_t)0x60u)`

8.8.4.4 Graphics Register Bit Changes These changes are handled automatically when their GBDK definitions are used.

LCDC_REG Flag	Game Boy	Mega Duck		Purpose
LCDCF_B_ON	.7	.7	(same)	Bit for LCD On/Off Select
LCDCF_B_WIN9C00	.6	.3		Bit for Window Tile Map Region Select
LCDCF_B_WINON	.5	.5	(same)	Bit for Window Display On/Off Control
LCDCF_B_BG8000	.4	.4	(same)	Bit for BG & Window Tile Data Region Select
LCDCF_B_BG9C00	.3	.2		Bit for BG Tile Map Region Select
LCDCF_B_OBJ16	.2	.1		Bit for Sprites Size Select
LCDCF_B_OBJON	.1	.0		Bit for Sprites Display Visible/Hidden Select
LCDCF_B_BGON	.0	.6		Bit for Background Display Visible Hidden Select

8.8.4.5 Detailed Register Address Changes These changes are handled automatically when their GBDK definitions are used.

Register	Game Boy	Mega Duck
LCDC_REG	0xFF40	0xFF10
STAT_REG	0xFF41	0xFF11
SCY_REG	0xFF42	0xFF12
SCX_REG	0xFF43	0xFF13
LY_REG	0xFF44	0xFF18
LYC_REG	0xFF45	0xFF19
DMA_REG	0xFF46	0xFF1A
BGP_REG	0xFF47	0xFF1B
OBP0_REG	0xFF48	0xFF14
OBP1_REG	0xFF49	0xFF15
WY_REG	0xFF4A	0xFF16
WX_REG	0xFF4B	0xFF17
-	-	-
NR10_REG	0xFF10	0xFF20
NR11_REG	0xFF11	0xFF22
NR12_REG	0xFF12	0xFF21
NR13_REG	0xFF13	0xFF23
NR14_REG	0xFF14	0xFF24
-	-	-
NR21_REG	0xFF16	0xFF25
NR22_REG	0xFF17	0xFF27
NR23_REG	0xFF18	0xFF28
NR24_REG	0xFF19	0xFF29
-	-	-
NR30_REG	0xFF1A	0xFF2A
NR31_REG	0xFF1B	0xFF2B
NR32_REG	0xFF1C	0xFF2C
NR33_REG	0xFF1D	0xFF2E
NR34_REG	0xFF1E	0xFF2D
-	-	-
NR41_REG	0xFF20	0xFF40
NR42_REG	0xFF21	0xFF42
NR43_REG	0xFF22	0xFF41
NR44_REG	0xFF23	0xFF43
-	-	-
NR50_REG	0xFF24	0xFF44
NR51_REG	0xFF25	0xFF46
NR52_REG	0xFF26	0xFF45

Register	Game Boy	Mega Duck
-	-	-

9 Example Programs

GBDK includes several example programs both in C and in assembly. They are located in the examples directory, and in its subdirectories. They can be built by typing `make` in the correnponding directory.

9.1 banks (various projects)

There are several different projects showing how to use ROM banking with GBDK.

9.2 comm

Illustrates how to use communication routines.

9.3 crash

Demonstrates how to use the optional GBDK crash handler which dumps debug info to the Game Boy screen in the event of a program crash.

9.4 colorbar

The colorbar program, written by Mr. N.U. of TeamKNOx, illustrates the use of colors on a Color GameBoy.

9.5 dscan

Deep Scan is a game written by Mr. N.U. of TeamKNOx that supports the Color GameBoy. Your aim is to destroy the submarines from your boat, and to avoid the projectiles that they send to you. The game should be self-explanatory. The following keys are used:

```
RIGHT/LEFT   : Move your boat
A/B          : Send a bomb from one side of your boat
START        : Start game or pause game

When game is paused:

SELECT       : Invert A and B buttons
RIGHT/LEFT   : Change speed
UP/DOWN      : Change level
```

9.6 filltest

Demonstrates various graphics routines.

9.7 fonts

Examples of how to work with the built in font and printing features.

9.8 galaxy

A C translation of the space.s assembly program.

9.9 gb-dtmf

The gb-dtmf, written by Osamu Ohashi, is a Dual Tone Multi-Frequency (DTMF) generator.

9.10 gbdecompress

Demonstrates using gbdecompress to load a compressed tile set into VRAM.

9.11 irq

Illustrates how to install interrupt handlers.

9.12 large map

Shows how to scroll with maps larger than 32 x 32 tiles using set_bkg_submap(). It fills rows and columns at the edges of the visible viewport (of the hardware Background Map) with the desired sub-region of the large map as it scrolls.

9.13 metasprites

Demonstrates using the metasprite features to move and animate a large sprite.

- Press A button to show / hide the metasprite
- Press B button to cycle through the metasprite animations
- Press SELECT button to cycle the metasprite through Normal / Flip-Y / Flip-XY / Flip-X
- Up / Down / Left / Right to move the metasprite

9.14 lcd isr wobble

An example of how to use the LCD ISR for visual special effects.

9.15 paint

The paint example is a painting program. It supports different painting tools, drawing modes, and colors. At the moment, it only paints individual pixels. This program illustrates the use of the full-screen drawing library. It also illustrates the use of generic structures and big sprites.

```
Arrow keys : Move the cursor
SELECT     : Display/hide the tools palette
A          : Select tool
```

9.16 rand

The rand program, written by Luc Van den Borre, illustrates the use of the GBDK random generator.

9.17 ram_fn

The ram_fn example illustrates how to copy functions to RAM or HIRAM, and how to call them from C.

9.18 rpn

A basic RPN calculator. Try entering expressions like 12 134$*$ and then 1789+.

9.19 samptest

Demonstration of playing a sound sample.

9.20 sgb (various)

A collection of examples showing how to use the Super Game Boy API features.

9.21 sound

The sound example is meant for experimenting with the sound generator of the GameBoy (to use on a real Game↩ Boy). The four different sound modes of the GameBoy are available. It also demonstrates the use of bit fields in C (it's a quick hack, so don't expect too much from the code). The following keys are used:

```
UP/DOWN      : Move the cursor
RIGHT/LEFT   : Increment/decrement the value
RIGHT/LEFT+A : Increment/decrement the value by 10
RIGHT/LEFT+B : Set the value to maximum/minimum
START        : Play the current mode's sound (or all modes if in control screen)
START+A      : Play a little music with the current mode's sound
SELECT       : Change the sound mode (1, 2, 3, 4 and control)
SELECT+A     : Dump the sound registers to the screen
```

9.22 space

The space example is an assembly program that demonstrates the use of sprites, window, background, fixed-point values and more. The following keys are used:

```
Arrow keys     : Change the speed (and direction) of the sprite
Arrow keys + A : Change the speed (and direction) of the window
Arrow keys + B : Change the speed (and direction) of the background
START          : Open/close the door
SELECT         : Basic fading effect
```

9.23 templates

Two basic template examples are provided as a starting place for writing your GBDK programs.

10 Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

10.1 General

- How can sound effects be made?
  - The simplest way is to use the Game Boy sound hardware directly. See the Sound Example for a way to test out sounds on the hardware.
  - Further discussion on using the Sound Example rom can be found in the ZGB wiki. Note that some example code there is ZGB specific and not part of the base GBDK API: https://github.↩ com/Zal0/ZGB/wiki/Sounds

10.2 Licensing

- What license information is required when distributing the compiled ROM (binary) of my game or program?
  - There is no requirement to include or credit any of the GBDK-2020 licenses or authors, although credit of GBDK-2020 is appreciated.
  - This is different and separate from redistributing the GBDK-2020 dev environment itself (or the GBDK-2020 sources) which does require the licenses.

10.3 Graphics and Resources

- How do I use a tile map when its tiles don't start at index zero?
  - The two main options are:
    - Use set_bkg_based_tiles(), set_bkg_based_submap(), set_win_based_tiles(), set_win_based_submap() and provide a tile origin offset.
    - Use utility_png2asset with `-tile_origin` to create a map with the tile index offsets built in.
- Is it normal for sprites to disappear when they reach the left border of the screen? (NES/SMS/MSX)
  - You can hide the leftmost column using HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN to work around this.

  - The behavior is due to NES/SMS/MSX having 8-bit Sprite x coordinates while the screen width is also 256 pixels. GB/GG don't have this problem since their screen is smaller and the x-coordinates are larger than the visible screen.

10.4 ROM Header Settings

- How do I set the ROM's title?
  - Use the makebin `-yn` flag. For example with lcc `-Wm-yn"MYTITLE"` or with makebin directly `-yn "MYTITLE"`. The maximum length is up to 15 characters, but may be shorter.
  - See "0134-0143 - Title" in Pandocs for more details.

- How do I set SGB, Color only and Color compatibility in the ROM header?
  - Use the following makebin flags. Prefix them with `-Wm` if using lcc.
    - `-yc` : GameBoy Color compatible
    - `-yC` : GameBoy Color only
    - `-ys` : Super GameBoy compatible

- How do I set the ROM MBC type, and what MBC values are available to use with the `-yt` makebin flag?
  - See setting_mbc_and_rom_ram_banks

10.5 Editors

- Why is VSCode flagging some GBDK types or functions as unidentified or giving warnings about them?
  - See code_editors_hinting
  - GBDK platform constants can be declared so that header files are parsed more completely in VSCode.

10.6 Errors and Warnings

- What does the error `old "gbz80" SDCC PORT name specified (in "-mgbz80:gb"). Use "sm83" instead. You must update your build settings.` mean?
  - The `PORT` name for the Game Boy and related clones changed from `gbz80` to `sm83` in the SDCC version used in GBDK-2020 4.1.0 and later. You must change your Makefile, Build settings, etc to use the new name. Additional details in the Console Port and Platform Settings section.

- What does the warning `?ASlink-Warning-Conflicting sdcc options: "-msm83" in module "_____" and "-mgbz80" in module "_____".` mean?
  - One object file was compiled with the PORT setting as `gbz80` (meaning a version of SDCC / GBDK-2020 **OLDER than GBDK-2020 4.1.0**).
  - The other had the PORT setting as `sm83` (meaning **GBDK-2020 4.1.0 or LATER**).
  - You must rebuild the object files using `sm83` with GBDK-2020 4.1.0 or later so that the linker is able to use them with the other object files. Additional details in the Console Port and Platform Settings section.

- What does `z80instructionSize() failed to parse line node, assuming 999 bytes` mean?

  - This is a known issue with SDCC Peephole Optimizer parsing and can be ignored. A bug report has been filed for it.

- What do these kinds of warnings / errors mean? `WARNING: possibly wrote twice at addr 4000 (93->3E) Warning: Write from one bank spans into the next. 7ff7 -> 8016 (bank 1 -> 2)`
  - You may have a overflow in one of your ROM banks. If there is more data allocated to a bank than it can hold it then will spill over into the next bank.
    A common problem is when there is too much data in ROM0 (the lower 16K unbanked region) and it spills over into ROM1 (the first upper 16K banked region). Make sure ROM0 has 16K or less in it.
    The warnings are generated by ihxcheck during conversion of an .ihx file into a ROM file.
    See the section ROM/RAM Banking and MBCs for more details about how banks work and what their size is. You may want to use a tool such as romusage to calculate the amount of free and used space.

- What does `error: size of the buffer is too small` mean?
  - Your program is using more banks than you have configured in the toolchain. Either the MBC type was not set, or the number of banks or MBC type should be changed to provide more banks.
    See the section setting_mbc_and_rom_ram_banks for more details.

- What do the following kinds of warnings / errors mean? `info 218: z80instructionSize() failed to parse line node, assuming 999 bytes`
  - This is a known issue with SDCC, it should not cause actual problems and you can ignore the warning.

- Why is the compiler so slow, or why did it suddenly get much slower?
  - This may happen if you have large initialized arrays declared without the `const` keyword. It's important to use the const keyword for read-only data. See const_gbtd_gbmb and const_array_data
  - It can also happen if C source files are `#included` into other C source files, or if there is a very large source file.

- What does `warning 283: function declarator with no prototype` mean?
  - Function forward declarations and definitions which have no arguments should be changed from `func()` to `func(void)`.
  - In C `func()` and `func(void)` do not mean the same thing. `()` means any number of parameters, `(void)` means no parameters. For example if a function with no arguments is declared with `()` then there may not be an error or warning when mistakenly trying to pass arguments to it.

- What do the warnings `warning 126: unreachable code` and `warning 110: conditional flow changed by optimizer: so said EVELYN the modified DOG` mean?
  - There is source code which the compiler has determined will never get executed based on the input values. So either a warning is omitted, or in some cases the optimizer has changed the program so that it skips code that will never run.

- On macOS, what does `... developer cannot be verified, macOS cannot verify that this app is free from malware` mean?
  - It does not mean that GBDK is malware. It just means the GBDK toolchain binaries are not signed by Apple, so it won't run them without an additional step.
  - For the workaround, see the macOS unsigned binary workaround for details.

10.7 Debugging / Compiling / Toolchain

- What flags should be enabled for debugging?
  - You can use the lcc debug flag `-debug`to turn on debug output. It covers most uses and removes the need to specify multiple flags such as `-Wa-l -Wl-m -Wl-j`. Also see tools_debug.

- Is it possible to generate a debug symbol file (`.sym`) compatible with an emulator?
  - Yes, turn on `.noi` output (LCC argument: `-Wl-j` or `-debug` and then use `-Wm-yS` with LCC (or `-yS` with makebin directly).

- How do I move the start of the `DATA` section and the `Shadow OAM` location?
  - The default locations are: `_shadow_OAM=0xC000` and 240 bytes after it `_DATA=0xC0A0`
  - So, for example, if you wanted to move them both to start 256(0x100) bytes later, use these command line arguments for LCC:
    - To change the Shadow OAM address: `-Wl-g_shadow_OAM=0xC100`
    - To change the DATA address (again, 240 bytes after the Shadow OAM): `-Wl-b_DATA=0xc1a0`

- What does this warning mean? `WARNING: overflow in implicit constant conversion`
  - See Constants, Signed-ness and Overflows

- Known issue: SDCC may fail on Windows when run from folder names with spaces on non-C drives.

10.8 API / Utilities

- Is there a list of all functions in the API?
  - `Functions`
  - `Variables`

- Can I use the `float` type to do floating point math?
  - There is no support for 'float' in GBDK-2020.
  - Instead consider some form of `fixed point` math (including the fixed type included in GBDK).

- Why are 8 bit numbers not printing correctly with printf()?
  - To correctly pass chars/uint8s for printing, they must be explicitly re-cast as such when calling the function. See docs_chars_varargs for more details.

- How can maps larger than 32x32 tiles be scrolled? & Why is the map wrapping around to the left side when setting a map wider than 32 tiles with set_bkg_data()?
  - The hardware Background map is 32 x 32 tiles. The screen viewport that can be scrolled around that map is 20 x 18 tiles. In order to scroll around within a much larger map, new tiles must be loaded at the edges of the screen viewport in the direction that it is being scrolled. set_bkg_submap can be used to load those rows and columns of tiles from the desired sub-region of the large map.
  - See the "Large Map" example program and set_bkg_submap().
  - Writes that exceed coordinate 31 of the Background tile map on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.

- When using gbt_player with music in banks, how can the current bank be restored after calling gbt_update()? (since it changes the currently active bank without restoring it).
  - See restoring the current bank

- How can CGB palettes and other sprite properties be used with metasprites?
  - See Metasprites and sprite properties

- Weird things are happening to my sprite colors when I use png2asset and metasprites. What's going on and how does it work?
  - See utility_png2asset for details of how the conversion process works.

11 Migrating to new GBDK Versions

This section contains information that may be useful to know or important when upgrading to a newer GBDK release.

11.1 GBDK-2020 versions

11.1.1 Porting to GBDK-2020 4.3.0

- GBDK now requires ~SDCC 4.4 or higher with GBDK-2020 patches for the z80 and NES
- Changed to new calling convention for printf(), sprintf(), abs()
- Changed to new SDCC calling convention for set_bkg_tile_xy(), set_win_tile_xy()
- Recommend using:
  - CURRENT_BANK instead of `_current_bank`
  - BANKED macro instead of `__banked`

11.1.2 Porting to GBDK-2020 4.2.0

- GBDK now requires ~SDCC 4.3 or higher with GBDK-2020 patches for the z80 and NES
- The following new functions replace old ones:
  - While the old functions will continue to work for now, migration to new versions is strongly encouraged
  - vsync(): replaces wait_vbl_done()
  - set_default_palette(): replaces cgb_compatibility()
  - move_metasprite_flipy(): replaces move_metasprite_hflip()
  - move_metasprite_flipx(): replaces move_metasprite_vflip()
  - move_metasprite_flipxy(): replaces move_metasprite_hvflip()
  - move_metasprite_ex(): replaces move_metasprite()
- The unused `-DINT_16_BITS` argument was removed from the default SDCC compiler and preprocessor arguments (used in pre-GBDK2020 `gbdk/include-gb/types.h`)
- Removed legacy MBC register definitions `.MBC1_ROM_PAGE` and `.MBC_ROM_PAGE`
- SMS/GG
  - Swapped A and B buttons to match game boy buttons

11.1.3 Porting to GBDK-2020 4.1.1

- No significant changes required

11.1.4 Porting to GBDK-2020 4.1.0

- GBDK now requires SDCC 4.2 or higher with GBDK-2020 patches for the z80 linker
- The default calling convention changed in SDCC 4.2, see Calling Conventions for more details.
  - If you are linking to libraries compiled with an older version of SDCC / GBDK then you may have to recompile them.
  - If there are existing functions written in ASM which **receive parameters** they should also be reviewed to make sure they work with the new `__sdcccall(1)` calling convention, or have their header declaration changed to use `OLDCALL`.
  - If there are existing functions written in ASM which **call other functions written in C** the callee C function should be declared OLDCALL.
  - Function pointer declarations should be checked to see if they need OLDCALL added to the declaration.
    - Example (add OLDCALL at the end)
    - FROM: `typedef void (*someFunc)(uint8_t, uint8_t);`
    - TO: `typedef void (*someFunc)(uint8_t, uint8_t) OLDCALL;`
  - If you are using tools such as `rgb2sdas` (from hUGETracker/Driver) you may need to edit the resulting .o file and replace `-mgbz80` with `-msm83` in addition to using `OLDCALL`
- The SDCC `PORT` name for the Game Boy and related clones changed from `gbz80` to `sm83`.
  - Additional details in the Console Port and Platform Settings section and FAQ entry. lcc will error out if the old `PORT` name is passed in.
- The library base path changed from `lib/small/asxxxx/` to `lib/`.
  - For example `lib/small/asxxxx/gb` becomes `lib/gb`
- Allocations for ISR chain lengths were fixed.
  - Now they are VBL: 4 user handlers, LCD: 3 user handlers, SIO/TIM/JOY: 4 user handlers

11.1.5 Porting to GBDK-2020 4.0.6

- Renamed `bgb_emu.h` to `emu_debug.h` and BGB_* functions to EMU_*
  - Aliases for the BGB_* ones and a `bgb_emu.h` shim are present for backward compatibility, but updating to the new naming is recommended

11.1.6 Porting to GBDK-2020 4.0.5

- GBDK now requires SDCC 12259 or higher with GBDK-2020 patches
- Variables in static storage are now initialized to zero per C standard (but remaining WRAM is not cleared)
- png2asset is the new name for the `png2mtspr` utility
- lcc : Changed default output format when not specified from `.ihx` to `.gb` (or other active rom extension)
- The `_BSS` area is deprecated (use `_DATA` instead)
- The `_BASE` area is renamed to `_HOME`
- Variables in static storage are now initialized to zero per C standard (but remaining WRAM is not cleared)
- itoa(), uitoa(), ltoa(), ultoa() all now require a radix value (base) argument to be passed. On the Game Boy and Analogue Pocket the parameter is required but not utilized.
- set_bkg_1bit_data has been renamed to set_bkg_1bpp_data
- The following header files which are now cross platform were moved from `gb/` to `gbdk/`: `bcd.h`, `console.h`, `far_ptr.h`, `font.h`, `gbdecompress.h`, `gbdk-lib.h`, `incbin.h`, `metasprites.h`, `platform.h`, `version.h`
  - When including them use `#include <gbdk/...>` instead of `#include <gb/>`

11.1.7 Porting to GBDK-2020 4.0.4

- GBDK now requires SDCC 12238 or higher
- Made sample.h, cgb.h and sgb.h independent from gb.h

11.1.8 Porting to GBDK-2020 4.0.3

- No significant changes required

11.1.9 Porting to GBDK-2020 4.0.2

- The default font has been reduced from 256 to 96 characters.
  - Code using special characters may need to be updated.
  - The off-by-1 character index offset was removed for fonts. Old fonts with the offset need to be re-adjusted.

11.1.10 Porting to GBDK-2020 4.0.1

- **Important!** : The `WRAM` memory region is no longer automatically initialized to zeros during startup.
  - Any variables which are declared without being initialized may have **indeterminate values instead of 0** on startup. This might reveal previously hidden bugs in your code.
  - Check your code for variables that are not initialized before use.
  - In BGB you can turn on triggering exceptions (options panel) reading from unitialized RAM. This allows for some additional runtime detection of uninitialized vars.
- In .ihx files, multiple writes to the same ROM address are now warned about using ihxcheck.
- `set_*_tiles()` now wrap maps around horizontal and vertical boundaries correctly. Code relying on it not wrapping correctly may be affected.

11.1.11 Porting to GBDK-2020 4.0

- GBDK now requires SDCC 4.0.3 or higher
- The old linker `link-gbz80` has been REMOVED, the linker sdldgb from SDCC is used.
  - Due to the linker change, there are no longer warnings about multiple writes to the same ROM address.
- GBDK now generates .ihx files, those are converted to a ROM using makebin (lcc can do this automatically in some use cases)
- Setting ROM bytes directly with `-Wl-yp0x<address>=0x<value>` is no longer supported. Instead use makebin flags. For example, use `-Wm-yC` instead of `-Wl-yp0x143=0xC0`. See faq_gb_type_header_setting.
- OAM symbol has been renamed to `_shadow_OAM`, that allows accessing shadow OAM directly from C code

11.1.12 Porting to GBDK-2020 3.2

- No significant changes required

11.1.13 Porting to GBDK-2020 3.1.1

- No significant changes required

11.1.14 Porting to GBDK-2020 3.1

- Behavior formerly enabled by USE_SFR_FOR_REG is on by default now (no need to specify it, it isn't a tested `#ifdef` anymore). check here why: https://gbdev.gg8.se/forums/viewtopic.php?id=697

11.1.15 Porting to GBDK-2020 3.0.1

- LCC was upgraded to use SDCC v4.0. Makefile changes may be required
  - The symbol format changed. To get bgb compatible symbols turn on `.noi` output (LCC argument: `-Wl-j` or `-debug`) and use `-Wm-yS`
  - ?? Suggested: With LCC argument: `-Wa-l` (sdasgb:`-a All user symbols made global`)
  - In SDCC 3.6.0, the default for char changed from signed to unsigned.
    - If you want the old behavior use `--fsigned-char`.
    - lcc includes `--fsigned-char` by default
    - Explicit declaration of unsigned vars is encouraged (for example, '15U' instead of '15')
  - `.init` address has been removed

11.2 Historical GBDK versions

11.2.1 GBDK 1.1 to GBDK 2.0

- Change your int variables to long if they have to be bigger than 255. If they should only contain values between 0 and 255, use an unsigned int.
- If your application uses the delay function, you'll have to adapt your delay values.
- Several functions have new names. In particular some of them have been changed to macros (e.g. show_↩ bkg() is now SHOW_BKG).
- You will probably have to change the name of the header files that you include.

12 GBDK Release Notes

The GBDK-2020 releases can be found on Github: `https://github.com/gbdk-2020/gbdk-2020/releases`

12.1 GBDK-2020 Release Notes

12.1.1 GBDK-2020 4.3.0

∼2024/05

- Includes SDCC version ∼4.4 (∼14635) with GBDK-2020 patches for Z80 and NES
  - `Patched SDCC Builds` with support for Sega GG/SMS and the Nintendo NES are used.
  - See the `github workflow` for details.
- Added native GBDK build for Apple ARM cpus
- Known Issues
  - SDCC may fail on Windows when run from folder names with spaces on non-C drives.
- Library
  - Added get_system() which indicates system speed
    - SYSTEM_60HZ, SYSTEM_50HZ, SYSTEM_BITS_DENDY, SYSTEM_BITS_NTSC, SYSTEM_BITS_PAL, SYSTEM_NTSC
  - Changed to new calling convention for printf(), sprintf(), abs()
  - Changed EMU_printf() to remove dependency on stdio.h added similar EMU_fmtbuf()
  - Fixed emu_debug.h macros missing a trailing space
  - NES
    - Added PAL support
    - Fixed `_map_tile_offset` not being applied for set_bkg_based_tiles()

    - Fixed VRAM transfer buffer bug (ensure stack page cleared on reset)
    - Fixed support for 4-player controllers using fourscore
    - Updated libc to latest from sdcc 4.4.0
  - SMS/GG
    - Added SHOW_SPRITES, HIDE_SPRITES (no hiding mid-frame)
    - Added DIV_REG emulation for the Z80 systems, may be useful for seeding RNG (also for MSX)
    - Added S_BANK tile attribute
    - Added 6 button controller support in joypad()
    - Added bcd.h implementation
    - Added ability to move VDP SAT and name table to other locations by writing to VDP R2 and VDP R5.
      - Set name table to 0x1800 and SAT to 0x1F00 by default to free up some sprite tile space
      - Added R5_SAT_0x1F00 definition for the R5 value controlling SAT position in VRAM
    - Added __WRITE_VDP_REG_UNSAFE() VDP macro while interrupts are disabled (such as in ISR handlers)
    - Added Game Gear registers and definitions
      - `GG_STATE`: GGSTATE_STT, GGSTATE_NJAP, GGSTATE_NNTS
      - `GG_EXT_7BIT`
      - `GG_EXT_CTL`: GGEXT_NINIT
      - `GG_SIO_SEND`
      - `GG_SIO_RECV`
      - `GG_SIO_CTL`: SIOCTL_TXFL, SIOCTL_RXRD, SIOCTL_FRER, SIOCTL_INT, SIOCTL_TON, SIOCTL_RON, SIOCTL_BS0, SIOCTL_BS1
      - `GG_SOUND_PAN`: SOUNDPAN_TN1R, SOUNDPAN_TN2R, SOUNDPAN_TN3R, SOUNDPAN_NOSR, SOUNDPAN_TN1L, SOUNDPAN_TN2L, SOUNDPAN_TN3L, SOUNDPAN_NOSL
    - Changed to allow nested locking of the shadow SAT copying on VBlank (also for MSX)
    - Changed VDP to reduce chances of dangerous ISR nesting (see SDCC issue `https://sourceforge.net/p/sdcc/bugs/3721/`) (also for MSX)
    - Optimized native tile data loading routines
    - Fixed tilemap wrapping over the low bound of the VDP name table
    - Fixed waitpad() (also for MSX)
    - Fixed scroll_sprite()
    - Fixed missing sms.h in sms/metasprites.h
    - Fixed return result of "`set_tile x, y`" family functions (also for MSX)
  - Game Boy
    - Added HBlank copy routines: hblank_copy_vram(), hblank_cpy_vram(), hblank_copy()
    - Added SCF_START, SCF_SOURCE, SCF_SPEED aliases for SIO (Serial/Link port) control register control constants
    - Added clamping and changed to new SDCC calling convention for set_bkg_tile_xy(), set_win_tile_xy()
    - Added S_BANK tile attribute
    - Fixed 8-bit signed modulus
  - MegaDuck
    - Fixed ROM bank switching on hardware when trying to enable or switch SRAM banks
- Toolchain / Utilities
  - Added romusage utility for viewing free/used ROM and RAM in compiled programs
  - lcc
    - Changed `-debug` to add the following flags: `-Wa-l -Wl-u -Wl-w`
  - png2asset

    - Added `-sprite_no_optimize`: sprite conversion will keep duplicate and empty sprite tiles
    - Added `-entity_tileset`: mark entity locations on maps during conversion with an entity tileset
    - Added `-rel_paths`: paths to tilesets are relative to the input file path
    - Changed `-keep_palette_order` to round up to at least one palette
    - Changed `-use_structs` + `-source_tileset` behavior
      - Point tile data to external source tileset
      - Add `extra_tiles` struct member pointing to map tiles not found in source tileset (null if none found)
    - Changed `-use_structs` to use designated initializers
    - Fixed garbage in unused colors of palettes (set unused colors to black)
    - Fixed `-bin` mode not honoring `-tiles_only` and `-maps_only`
    - Fixed segfault and wrong data size for `-pack_mode sgb` + `-bin`
    - Fixed missing Palette ID in attributes for multi-palette SMS/GG backgrounds
    - Fixed not taking `-bpp` into account when converting metasprites and emitting `<symbol>_tile_pals[]`
    - Fixed crash when filename for -o and -c not specified
    - Fixed some attributes missing for metasprite export
  - makebin
    - Fixed crash when using `-yS` (`-Wm-yS` with lcc)
  - bankpack
    - Added `-banktype=` to allow forcing a bank type to CODE or LIT before packing starts
    - Changed minimum bank for auto packing from `1` to `0` (required for the NES)

- Examples
  - Added HBlank copy example for GB/AP/Duck
  - Added Reading SNES joypads on NES example
  - Added Game Boy Printer example
  - Added Joypad testing example
  - Added Display System example to demonstrate get_system()
  - Added Platformer example
  - Added `GBDK_DEBUG` Makefile environment var for turning on/off debug flags
  - Changed wav sample: play waveforms on the SMS/GG PSG
  - Changed Random Number example: only call initrand() once
  - Changed Large Map: support modified initial camera position
  - Changed all examples: use BANKED macro instead of `__banked`
    - Also change some to use CURRENT_BANK instead of `_current_bank`
  - Fixes for SMS/GG: Fonts, Large Map, gbdecompress
  - Fixed Simple Physics: joypad input caching was wrong
  - Fixed Banks Non-Intrinsic: mismatched SRAM banks for final calculation, improved naming
  - Removed Analogue Pocket examples that were just duplicates of Game Boy ones

- Docs:
  - Fixed search where some exact matches didn't return a result
  - Various updates and improvements
  - Added more historical release notes

12.1.2 GBDK-2020 4.2.0

2023/08

- Includes SDCC version ~4.3 with GBDK-2020 patches for Z80 and NES
  - `Patched SDCC Builds` with support for Sega GG/SMS and the Nintendo NES are used. See the `github workflow` for details
- Known Issues
  - SDCC may fail on Windows when run from folder names with spaces on non-C drives.
- Library
  - Added `NORETURN` definition (for `_Noreturn`)
  - Added: set_bkg_attributes(), set_bkg_submap_attributes(), set_bkg_attribute_xy()
  - The following new functions replace old ones. The old functions will continue to work for now, but migration to new versions is strongly encouraged.
    - vsync(): replaces wait_vbl_done()
    - set_default_palette(): replaces cgb_compatibility()
  - metasprites: added metasprite functions which can set base sprite property parameter (`__current_base_prop`) for GB/GBC and NES
    - move_metasprite_flipy(): replaces move_metasprite_hflip()
    - move_metasprite_flipx(): replaces move_metasprite_vflip()
    - move_metasprite_flipxy(): replaces move_metasprite_hvflip()
    - move_metasprite_ex(): (replaces move_metasprite()
  - NES
    - Added support for much of the GBDK API
    - Banking support (library and sdcc toolchain)
    - Added set_bkg_attributes_nes16x16(), set_bkg_submap_attributes_nes16x16(), set_bkg_attribute_xy_nes16x16()
  - SMS/GG
    - Swapped A and B buttons to match game boy buttons
    - X coordinate metasprite clipping on the screen edges
  - Game Boy
    - Minor crt0 optimizations
    - Faster vmemcpy(), set_data(), get_data()
    - Fixed hide_sprites_range(39u, 40u); overflow shadow OAM
    - Increased sgb_transfer() maximum packet length to 7 x 16 bytes
    - Convert gb_decompress routines to the new calling convention
    - Convert rle_decompress routines to the new calling convention
    - Removed legacy MBC register definitions `.MBC1_ROM_PAGE` and `.MBC_ROM_PAGE`
    - Workaround for possible HALT bug in Crash Handler
  - Refactored interrupts to use less space
- Toolchain / Utilities
  - Added png2hicolorgb
  - lcc
    - Fixed `--sdccbindir`
    - Removed the unused `-DINT_16_BITS` from the default SDCC compiler and preprocessor arguments
    - Improved improved Game Gear header compatibility (change header region code from 4 to 6)
  - png2asset

    - Added `-o` as a more standard version of the `-c` argument
    - Added `-repair_index_pal`: Tries to repair tile palettes for indexed color pngs (such as when RGB paint programs mix up indexed colors if the same color exists in multiple palettes). Implies `-keep_palette_order`
    - Added `-no_palettes`: Do not export palette data
    - Fixed support for indexed color pngs with less than 8 bits color depth
    - Fixed incorrect palettes when different colors have same luma value (use RGB values as less-significant bits)
    - Fixed `-keep_duplicate_tiles` not working with `-source_tileset`
    - Changed to use cross-platform constants for metasprite properties (S_FLIPX, S_FLIPY and S_↩ PAL)
  - makebin
    - Warn if RAM banks specified and file size of ROM is less than the 64K required to enable them with in emulators
  - Added sdld6808 (for NES)
- Examples
  - Fixed mkdir broken in some compile.bat files (remove unsupported -p flag during bat file conversion)
  - Sound Test: Added MegaDuck support
  - Wav Playback: Improved support on AGB/AGS hardware
  - Metasprites: Added sub-palette switching for GBC and NES, software metasprite flipping for sms/gg
  - Large Map: Added color for supported platforms
  - LCD ISR Wobble: Improved interrupt flag settings
  - Added GB-Type example
  - Added Game Boy Color Hi-Color example using png2hicolorgb
- Docs:
  - Improved search to do partial matches instead of matching start of string only
  - Added SDAS assembler manual (asmlnk_manual.txt)
  - Added section on NES support
  - Added Using Game Boy Color Features
  - Updated MegaDuck hardware documentation
  - Added Banked Calling Convention
  - Added mention of MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES

12.1.3 GBDK-2020 4.1.1

2022/11

- Includes SDCC version 13350 with GBDK-2020 patches for Z80
- Library
  - Fixed RGB() and RGB8() macros

12.1.4 GBDK-2020 4.1.0

2022/10

- Includes SDCC version 13350 with GBDK-2020 patches for Z80
- Known Issues
  - The `compile.bat` batch files for Windows use the an invalid `-p` option for `mkdir`

- Building GBDK
  - The linux port of SDCC is custom built on Ubuntu 16.04 due to reduced GLIBC compatibility issues in more recent SDCC project builds.
  - Added Windows 32-Bit build
- Platforms
  - SDCC has renamed the `gbz80` port to `sm83` see faq_gbz80_sm83_old_port_name_error
  - Added experimental support for MSXDOS (`msxdos`) and NES (`nes`). These platforms are not fully functional at this time. See Supported Consoles & Cross Compiling
- Licensing
  - Clarified licensing status with consent from GBDK original authors, added licensing folder to distribution
- Library
  - SGB: Use longer wait between the SGB packet transfers
  - SMS/GG: less garbage on screen when clearing VRAM in the init code
  - SMS/GG: Added cgb_compatibility() to set default palette with the four shades of gray
  - Fixed: get_sprite_data(), get_bkg_data() , get_win_data() when LCDCF_BG8000 bit of LCDC_REG is set
  - Fixed ISR chain lengths. VBL: 4 user handlers, LCD: 3 user handlers, SIO/TIM/JOY: 4 user handlers
  - Added new constants for the Game Boy Color (CGB):
    - VBK_BANK_0, VBK_BANK_1
    - VBK_TILES, VBK_ATTRIBUTES
    - BKGF_PRI, BKGF_YFLIP, BKGF_XFLIP, BKGF_BANK0, BKGF_BANK1
    - BKGF_CGB_PAL0, BKGF_CGB_PAL1, BKGF_CGB_PAL2, BKGF_CGB_PAL3, BKGF_CGB_PAL4, BKGF_CGB_PAL5, BKGF_CGB_PAL6, BKGF_CGB_PAL7
    - VBK_TILES, VBK_ATTRIBUTES
- Toolchain / Utilities
  - lcc
    - Changed to Error out and warn when `gbz80` port is used instead of `sm83`
  - png2asset
    - Added `-tiles_only`: Export tile data only
    - Added `-maps_only`: Export map tilemap only
    - Added `-metasprites_only`: Export metasprite descriptors only
    - Added `-source_tileset`: Use source tileset image with common tiles
    - Added `-keep_duplicate_tiles`: Do not remove duplicate tiles
    - Added `-bin`: Export to binary format (includes header files)
    - Added `-transposed`: Export transposed (column-by-column instead of row-by-row)
    - Added basic MSXDOS support
      - Added 1bpp packing mode (BPP1)
      - `-spr16x16msx`
    - Added basic NES support
      - `-use_nes_attributes`
      - `-use_nes_colors`
    - Changed to only export `_tile_pals[]` arrays when `-use-structs` is set (ZGB specific)
  - gbcompress
    - Added `--bank=<num>` Add Bank Ref: 1 - 511 (default is none, with `--cout` only)
    - Fixed failure to flush data at end of compression (uncommitted bytes)
    - Fixed `Warning: File read size didn't match expected`

  - lcc
    - When `-autobank` is specified `lcc` will automatically add `-yoA` for makebin if no `-yo*` entry is present
    - Fixed broken `-E` Preprocess only flag
  - makecom
    - Added `makecom` for post-processing msxdos binaries
  - makebin
    - Fixed (via sdcc) bug with `-yp` not always working correctly
      - https://sourceforge.net/p/sdcc/code/12975/
  - bankpack
    - Added support for the Game Boy Camera MBC
    - Added `-reserve=<bank>:<size>` option to reserve space during autobank packing
      - Workaround for libraries that contain objects in banks (such as gbt-player)
  - ihxcheck
    - Check and warn for bank overflows under specific conditions
      - A multiple write to the same address must occur. The address where the overlap ends is used as BANK.
      - There must also be a write which spans multiple banks, the ending address of that must match BANK. The starting addresses is the OVERFLOW-FROM BANK.

- Examples
  - Changed Logo example to use new GBDK logo art from user "Digit"
  - Added example for APA image mode with more than 256 tiles
  - Added SGB Sound Effects example
  - Changed to new WAV sound example

- Docs
  - Added improved MBC Type chart
  - Include SDCC manual in pdf format
  - Various doc updates and improvements

12.1.5 GBDK-2020 4.0.6

2022/02

- Includes SDCC version 12539 with GBDK-2020 patches for Z80

- Building GBDK
  - Changed to target older version of macOS (10.10) when building for better compatibility

- Platforms
  - Added support for Mega Duck / Cougar Boy (`duck`). See Supported Consoles & Cross Compiling

- Library
  - Added memcmp()
  - Added add_low_priority_TIM() function for timer interrupts which allow nesting for GB/CGB
  - Added set_bkg_based_tiles(), set_bkg_based_submap(), set_win_based_tiles(), set_win_based_submap() for when a map's tiles don't start at VRAM index zero
  - Added clock() for SMS/GG
  - Added macro definitions for SDCC features:

    - `#define SFR __sfr`
    - `#define AT(A) __at(A)`
  - Added check for OAM overflow to metasprite calls for GB/CGB
  - Added constant definitions PSG_LATCH, PSG_CH0, PSG_CH1, PSG_CH2, PSG_CH3, PSG_VOLUME for SMS/GG
  - Renamed `bgb_emu.h` to `emu_debug.h` and BGB_* functions to EMU_*.
    - Aliases for the BGB_* ones and a `bgb_emu.h` shim are present for backward compatibility
  - Changed headers to wrap SDCC specific features (such as `NONBANKED`) with `#ifdef __SDCC`
  - Changed rand() and arand() to return `uint8_t` instead of `int8_t` (closer to the standard)
  - Fixed declaration for PCM_SAMPLE and definition for AUD3WAVE
  - Fixed definition of `size_t` to be `unsigned int` instead of `int`
  - Fixed vmemcpy() and memmove() for SMS/GG
  - Fixed random number generation for SMS/GG
  - Fixed letter `U` appearing as `K` for min font
  - Fixed define name in crash_handler.h
  - Exposed __rand_seed
- Toolchain / Utilities
  - png2asset
    - Added SMS/GG graphics format support
    - Added 4bpp and SGB borders
    - Added warning when image size is not an even multiple of tile size
    - Added `-tile_origin` offset option for when map tiles do not start at tile 0 in VRAM
    - Added `*_TILE_COUNT` definition to output
    - Fixed CGB `...s_map_attributes` type definition in output
    - Fixed values for `num_palettes` in output
    - Fixed incorrect `TILE_COUNT` value when not `-using_structs`
  - lcc
    - Changed makebin flags to turn off Nintendo logo copy for GB/CGB (use version in crt instead)
    - Fixed lcc handling of makebin `-x*` arguments
- Examples
  - Added logo example (cross-platform)
  - Added ISR_VECTOR example of a raw ISR vector with no dispatcher for GB/CGB
  - Changed sgb_border example to use png2asset for graphics
  - Changed use of set_interrupts() in examples so it's outside critical sections (since it disables/enables interrupts)
  - Changed cross-platform auto-banks example to use .h header files
  - Changed SGB border example to also work with SGB on PAL SNES
- Docs
  - Added new section: Migrating From Pre-GBDK-2020 Tutorials

12.1.6 GBDK-2020 4.0.5

2021/09

- Includes SDCC version 12539 with GBDK-2020 patches for Z80
- Known Issues
  - SDCC: `z80instructionSize() failed to parse line node, assuming 999 bytes`
    - This is a known issue with the SDCC Peephole Optimizer parsing and can be ignored.
  - `-bo<n>` and `-ba<n>` are not supported by the Windows build of sdcc
  - On macOS the cross platform `banks` example has problems parsing the filename based ROM and RAM bank assignments into `-bo<n>` and `-ba<n>`
- Added support for new consoles. See Supported Consoles & Cross Compiling
  - Analogue Pocket (`ap`)
  - Sega Master System (`sms`) and Game Gear (`gg`)
- Library
  - Fixed error when calling get_bkg_tile_xy: '?ASlink-Warning-Undefined Global '.set_tile_xy' referenced by module ` ?ASlink-Warning-Byte PCR relocation error for symbol .set_tile_xy
  - Variables in static storage are now initialized to zero per C standard (but remaining WRAM is not cleared)
  - Added many new register flag constants and names. For example:
    - rLCDC is a new alias for LCDC_REG
    - LCDCF_WINON, LCDCF_WINOFF, LCDCF_B_WINON
  - Added BANK(), BANKREF(), BANKREF_EXTERN()
  - Added INCBIN(), BANK(), INCBIN_SIZE(), INCBIN_EXTERN()
  - Added generic SWITCH_ROM() and SWITCH_RAM()
  - Added BGB_printf() and updated emulator debug output.
  - Added set_native_tile_data(), set_tile_map(), set_1bpp_colors, set_bkg_1bpp_data, set_sprite_1bpp_data, set_2bpp_palette, set_bkg_2bpp_data, set_sprite_2bpp_data, set_tile_2bpp_data (sms/gg only), set_bkg_4bpp_data (sms/gg only), set_sprite_4bpp_data (sms/gg only)
  - Added RLE decompression support: rle_init(), rle_decompress(),
  - Changed itoa(), uitoa(), ltoa(), ultoa() to now require a radix value (base) argument to be passed. On the Game Boy and Analogue Pocket the parameter is required but not utilized.
- Examples
  - Added cross-platform examples (build for multiple consoles: gb, ap, sms, gg)
  - Added sms, gg, pocket(ap) examples
  - Added incbin example
  - Added simple physics sub-pixel / fixed point math example
  - Added rle decompression example
  - Changed windows make.bat files to compile.bat
  - Bug fixes and updates for existing examples
- Toolchain / Utilities
  - png2asset
    - png2asset is the new name for the `png2mtspr` utility
    - Added collision rectangle width and height (`-pw`, `-ph`)
    - Added option to use the palette from the source png (`-keep_palette_order`)

    - Added option to disable tile flip (`-noflip`)
    - Added export as map: tileset + bg (`-map`)
    - Added option to use CGB BG Map attributes (`-use_map_attributes`)
    - Added option to group the exported info into structs (`-use_structs`)
  - lcc
    - Use `-m` to select target port and platform: "-m[port]:[plat]" ports:`gbz80,z80` plats:`ap,gb,sms,gg`
    - Changed default output format when not specified from `.ihx` to `.gb` (or other active rom extension)
    - Changed lcc to always use the linkerfile `-lkout=` option when calling bankpack
    - Fixed name generation crash when outfile lacks extension
  - bankpack
    - Added linkerfile input and output: `-lkin=<file>`, `-lkout=<file>`
    - Added selector for platform specific behavior `plat=<plat>` (Default:gb, Avaialble:`gb,sms`). sms/gg targets prohibits packing `LIT_N` areas in the same banks as `CODE_N` areas
    - Added randomization for auto-banks (`-random`) for debugging and testing
  - utility_gbcompress
    - Added C source array format output (–cout) (optional variable name argument –varname=)
    - Added C source array format input (–cin) (experimental)
    - Added block style rle compression and decompression mode: `--alg=rle`
    - Fixed comrpession errors when input size was larger than 64k

- Docs
  - Added Supported Consoles & Cross Compiling section
  - Various doc updates and improvements

12.1.7 GBDK-2020 4.0.4

2021/06

- Library
  - Support SDCC INITIALIZER area (SDCC ~12207+)
  - Added get_vram_byte() / get_win_tile_xy() / get_bkg_tile_xy()
  - Added set_tile_data()
  - Fixed SGB detection
  - Fixed broken get_tiles() / set_tiles()
  - Fixed broken token handling in gb_decompress_sprite_data() / gb_decompress_bkg_data() / gb_decompress_win_data()
  - Changed all headers to use standard `stdint.h` types (ex: `uint8_t` instead of `UINT8`/`UBYTE`)
  - Made sample.h, cgb.h and sgb.h independent from gb.h

- Examples
  - Added project using a .lk linkerfile
  - Changed all examples to use standard stdint.h types
  - Moved banks_farptr and banks_new examples to "broken" due to SDCC changes

- Toolchain / Utilities
  - png2mtspr
    - Added option to change default value for sprite property/attributes in (allows CGB palette, BG/WIN priority, etc).

    - Improved: Turn off suppression of "blank" metasprite frames (composed of entirely transparent sprites)
    - Fixed endless loop for png files taller than 255 pixels
  - bankpack
    - Fixed -yt mbc specifier to also accept Decimal
    - Improved: bank ID can be used in same file it is declared. Requires SDCC 12238+ with `-n` option to defer symbol resolution to link time.
  - gbcompress
    - Added C source input (experimental) and output
    - Added size `#defines`
  - lcc
    - Added `-no-libs` and `-no-crt` options
    - Added support for .lk linker files (useful when number of files on lcc command line exceeds max size on windows)
    - Added support for converting .ihx to .gb
    - Added rewrite .o files -> .rel for linking when called with `-autobank` and `-Wb-ext=.rel`
    - Workaround makebin `-Wl-yp` formatting segfault
- Docs
  - Improved utility_png2mtspr documentation
  - Various doc updates and improvements

12.1.8 GBDK-2020 4.0.3

2021/03

- Library
  - Added set_vram_byte()
  - Added set_bkg_tile_xy() / set_win_tile_xy()
  - Added get_bkg_xy_addr() / get_win_xy_addr()
  - Added set_bkg_submap() / set_win_submap()
  - Added metasprite api support
  - Added gb_decompress support
  - Added calloc / malloc / realloc / free and generic memmove
  - Improved printf(): ignore %0 padding and %1-9 width specifier instead of not printing, support upper case X
  - Fixed line(): handle drawing when x1 is less than x2
- Examples
  - Added large_map: showing how to use set_bkg_submap()
  - Added scroller: showing use of get_bkg_xy_addr(), set_bkg_tile_xy() and set_vram_byte
  - Added gbdecompress: de-compressing tile data into vram
  - Added metasprites: show creating a large sprite with the new metasprite api
  - Added template projects
  - Fixed build issue with banks_autobank example
  - Improved sgb_border
- Toolchain / Utilities
  - Added utility_gbcompress utility
  - Added utility_png2mtspr metasprite utility
- Docs
  - Added extensive documentation (some of which is imported and updated from the old gbdk docs)
  - Added PDF version of docs

12.1.9 GBDK-2020 4.0.2

2021/01/17

- Includes SDCC snapshot build version 12016 (has a fix for duplicate debug symbols generated from inlined header functions which GBDK 4.0+ uses)
- Updated documentation
- Library was improved
  - Linking with stdio.h does not require that much ROM now
  - Default font is changed to the smaller one (102 characters), that leaves space for user tiles
  - Fixed broken support for multiplying longs
  - memset/memcpy minor enhancements
  - safer copy-to-VRAM functions
  - loading of 1bit data fixed, also now it is possible to specify pixel color
  - Improved code generation for the GBDK Library with SDCC switch on by default: `--max-allocs-per-node 50000`
  - fixed wrong parameter offsets in hiramcpy() (broken ram_function example)
  - Multiple minor improvements
- New bankpack feature, allows automatic bank allocation for data and code, see banks_autobank example, feature is in beta state, use with care
- Lcc improvements
  - Fixed option to specify alternate base addresses for shadow_OAM, etc
- Examples: Added bgb debug example

12.1.10 GBDK-2020 4.0.1

2020/11/14

- Updated API documentation
- IHX is checked for correctness before the makebin stage. That allows to warn about overwriting the same ROM addresses (SDCC toolchain does not check this anymore).
- Library was improved
  - set_*_tiles() now wrap maps around horizontal and vertical boundaries correctly
  - new fill_*_rect() functions to clear rectangle areas
  - runtime initialization code now does not initialize whole WRAM with zeros anymore, that allows BGB to raise exceptions when code tries to read WRAM that was not written before.
  - enhanced SGB support
    - joypad_init() / joypad_ex() support for multiple joypads
    - SGB border example
  - _current_bank variable is updated when using bank switching macros
  - Reorganized examples: each example is in separate folder now, that simplifies understanding.
  - Lcc improvements
    - Fix -S flag
    - Fix default stack location from 0xDEFF to 0xE000 (end of WRAM1)
    - Fix cleanup of .adb files with -Wf–debug flag
    - Fix output not working if target is -o some_filename.ihx

12.1.11 GBDK-2020 4.0

2020/10/01

- GBDK now requires SDCC 4.0.3 or higher, that has fully working toolchain. Old link-gbz80 linker is not used anymore, sdldgb and makebin are used to link objects and produce binary roms; maccer tool is no longer needed either
  - SDCC 4.0.3 has much better code generator which produces smaller and faster code. Code is twice faster
  - SOURCE LEVEL DEBUGGING is possible now! Native toolchain produces *.CDB files that contain detailed debug info. Look for EMULICIOUS extension for vs.code. It supports breakpoints, watches, inspection of local variables, and more!
  - SDCC 4.0.4 has fixed RGBDS support; library is not updated to support that in full yet, but it is possible to assemble and link code emitted by SDCC with RGDBS
  - New banked trampolines are used, they are faster and smaller
  - New (old) initialization for non-constant arrays do NOT require 5 times larger rom space than initialized array itself, SDCC even tries to compress the data
- Library was improved
  - itoa/ltoa functions were rewritten, div/mod is not required now which is about 10 times faster
  - sprite functions are inline now, which is faster up to 12 times and produces the same or smaller code; .OAM symbol is renamed into _shadow_OAM that allows accessing shadow OAM directly from C code
  - interrupt handling was revised, it is now possible to make dedicated ISR's, that is important for time-sensitive handlers such as HBlank.
  - printf/sprintf were rewritten and splitted, print functions are twice faster now and also requre less rom space if you use sprintf() only, say, in bgb_emu.h
  - crash_handler.h - crash handler that allows to detect problems with ROMs after they are being released (adapted handler, originally written by ISSOtm)
  - improved and fixed string.h
  - many other improvements and fixes - thanks to all contributors!
- Revised examples
- Improved linux support
- Lcc has been updated
  - it works with the latest version of sdcc
  - quoted paths with spaces are working now

12.1.12 GBDK-2020 3.2

2020/06/05

- Fixed OAM initialization that was causing a bad access to VRAM
- Interrupt handlers now wait for lcd controller mode 0 or 1 by default to prevent access to inaccessible VRAM in several functions (like set_bkg_tiles)
- Several optimizations here and there

12.1.13 GBDK-2020 3.1.1

2020/05/17

- Fixed issues with libgcc_s_dw2-1.dll

12.1.14 GBDK-2020 3.1

2020/05/16

- Banked functions are working! The patcher is fully integrated in link-gbz80, no extra tools are needed. It is based on Toxa's work
  - Check this post for more info
  - Check the examples/gb/banked code for basic usage
- Behavior formerly enabled by USE_SFR_FOR_REG is on by default now (no need to specify it, it isn't a tested `#ifdef` anymore). check here why: https://gbdev.gg8.se/forums/viewtopic.↩ php?id=697
- Fixed examples that were not compiling in the previous version and some improvements in a few of them. Removed all warnings caused by changing to the new SDCC
- Fixed bug in lcc that was causing some files in the temp folder not being deleted
- Removed as-gbz80 (the lib is now compiled with sdasgb thanks to this workaround) https↩ ://github.com/gbdk-2020/gbdk-2020/commit/d2caafa4a66eb08998a14b258cb66af041a0e5c8
- Profile support with bgb emulator
  - Basic support including <gb/bgb_emu.h> and using the macros BGB_PROFILE_BEGIN and BGB↩ _PROFILE_END. More info in this post https://gbdev.gg8.se/forums/viewtopic.↩ php?id=703
  - For full profiling check this repo and this post https://github.com/untoxa/bgb_↩ profiling_toolkit/blob/master/readme.md https://gbdev.gg8.se/forums/viewtopic.↩ php?id=710

12.1.15 GBDK-2020 3.0.1

2020/04/12

- Updated SDCC to v.4.0
- Updated LCC to work with the new compiler

12.1.16 GBDK-2020 3.0

2020/04/12

- Initial GBDK-2020 release Updated SDCC to v4.0 The new linker is not working so the old version is still there There is an issue with sdagb compiling drawing.s (the JP in line 32 after ".org .MODE_TABLE+4∗.G_MODE" it's writing more than 4 bytes invading some addresses required by input.s:41) Because of this, all .s files in libc have been assembled with the old as-gbz80 and that's why it is still included

12.2 Historical GBDK Release Notes

12.2.1 GBDK 2.96

17 April, 2000 Many changes.

- Code generated is now much more reliable and passes all of sdcc's regression suite.
- Added support for large sets of local variables (>127 bytes).
- Added full 32 bit long support.
- Still no floating pt support.

12.2.2 GBDK 2.95-3

19th August, 2000

- Stopped lcc with sdcc from leaking .cdb files all across /tmp.
- Optimised $<$ and $>$ for 16 bit varibles.
- Added a new lexer to sdcc. Compiling files with large initalised arrays takes 31% of the time (well, at least samptest.c does :)

This is an experimental release for those who feel keen. The main change is a new lexer (the first part in the compilation process which recognises words and symbols like '!=' and 'char' and turns them into a token number) which speeds up compilation of large initialised arrays like tile data by a factor of three. Please report any bugs that show up - this is a big change.
I have also included a 'minimal' release for win32 users which omits the documentation, library sources, and examples. If this is useful I will keep doing it.

12.2.3 GBDK 2.95-2

5th August, 2000 Just a small update. From the README:

- Added model switching support –model-medium uses near (16 bit) pointers for data, and banked calls for anything not declared as 'nonbanked' –model-small uses near (16 bit) pointers for data and calls. Nothing uses banked calls. 'nonbanked' functions are still placed in HOME. Libraries are under lib/medium and lib/small.
- Added the gbdk version to 'sdcc –version'
- Changed the ways globals are exported, reducing the amount of extra junk linked in.
- Turned on the optimisations in flex. Large constant arrays like tile data should compile a bit faster.

12.2.4 GBDK 2.95

22nd July, 2000

- Fixed 'a $<<$ c' for c = [9..15]
- no$gmb doesn't support labels of $>$ 32 chars. The linker now trims all labels to 31 chars long.
- Fixed wait_vbl for the case where you miss a vbl
- Fixed + and - for any type where sizeof == 2 and one of the terms was on the stack. This includes pointers and ints. Fixes the text output bug in the examples. Should be faster now as well. Note that + and - for longs is still broken.
- Fixed the missing $*$/ in gb.h
- Added basic far function support. Currently only works for isas and rgbasm. See examples/gb/far/$*$
- bc is now only pushed if the function uses it. i.e. something like: int silly(int i) { return i; }
  will not have the push bc; pop bc around it.
- Better rgbasm support. Basically: o Use "sdcc -mgbz80 --asm=rgbds file.c" for each file.c o Use "sdcc -mgbz80 --asm=rgbds crt0.o gbz80.lib gb.lib file1.o file2.o..."

to link everything together. The .lib files are generated using astorgb.pl and sdcc to turn the gbdk libraries into something rgbds compatible. The libraries are *not* fully tested. Trust nothing. But give it a go :)

- Ran a spell checker across the README and ChangeLog

This is a recommended upgrade. Some of the big features are:
Decent rgbds support. All the libraries and most of the examples can now compile with rgbds as the assembler. Banked function support. It is now easier to break the 32k barrier from within C. Functions can live in and be called transparently from any bank. Only works with rgbds Fixed some decent bugs with RSH, LSH, and a nasty bug with + and - for int's and pointers. Various optimisations in the code generator.
7th July, 2000 Information on float and long support. Someone asked about the state of float/long support recently. Heres my reply:
long support is partly there, as is float support. The compiler will correctly recognise the long and float keywords, and will generate the code for most basic ops (+, -, &, | etc) for longs correctly and will generate the function calls for floats and hard long operations (*, /, %) correctly. However it wont generate float constants in the correct format, nor will it 'return' a long or float - gbdk doesn't yet support returning types of 4 bytes. Unfortunately its not going to make it into 2.95 as there's too much else to do, but I should be able to complete long support for 2.96

12.2.5 GBDK 2.94

7th May, 2000 Many fixes - see the README for more.
7th May - Library documentation up. A good size part of the libraries that go with gbdk have been documented - follow the HTML link above to have a look. Thanks to quang for a good chunk of the gb.h documentation. Please report any errors :)

- Fixed #define BLAH 7 // Unterminated ' error in sdcpp
  - Fixed SCY_REG += 2, SCY_REG -= 5 (add and subtract in indirect space) as they were both quite broken.
  - externs and static's now work as expected.
  - You can now specify which bank code should be put into using a #pragma e.g: #pragma bank=HOME Under rgbds and asxxxx putting code in the HOME bank will force the code into bank 0 - useful for library functions. The most recent #pragma bank= will be the one used for the whole file.
  - Fixed an interesting bug in the caching of lit addresses
  - Added support for accessing high registers directly using the 'sfr' directive. See libc/gb/sfr.s and gb/hardware.h for an example. It should be possible with a bit of work to make high ram directly usable by the compiler; at the moment it is experimental. You can test sfr's by enabling USE_SFR_FOR_↩ REG=1
  - Added remove_VBL etc functions.
  - Documented the libs - see the gbdk-doc tarball distributed seperatly.
  - Two dimensional arrays seem to be broken.

12.2.6 GBDK 2.93

6th April, 2000 From the README

- Added multi-bank support into the compiler - The old -Wf-boxx and -Wf-baxx options now work
- Has preliminary support for generating rgbds and ISAS compatible assembler. Try -W–asm=rgbds or -W–asm=isas. The ISAS code is untested as I dont have access to the real assembler.
- RSH is fixed
- AND is fixed
- The missing parts of 2.1.0's libs are there. Note: They are untested.
- The dscan demo now fully works (with a hack :)
- There is a bug with cached computed values which are later used as pointers. When the value is first used as a BYTE arg, then later as a pointer the pointer fails as the high byte was never computed and is now missing. A temporary fix is to declare something appropriate as 'volatile' to stop the value being cached. See dscan.c/bombs() for an example.

12.2.7 GBDK 2.92-2 for win32

26th March, 2000 This is a maintenance release for win32 which fixes some of the niggly install problems, especially:

- win32 only. Takes care of some of the install bugs, including:
  - Now auto detects where it is installed. This can be overridden using set GBDKDIR=...
  - Problems with the installer (now uses WinZip)
  - Problems with the temp directory Now scans TMP, TEMP, TMPDIR and finally c: tmp
  - cygwin1.dll and 'make' are no longer required gbdk is now built using mingw32 which is win32 native make.bat is automagically generated from the Makefile
  - I've reverted to using WORD for signed 16 bit etc. GBDK_2_COMPAT is no longer required.

WORDS are now back to signed. GBDK_2_COMPAT is no longer needed. Temporary files are created in TMP, TEMP, or TMPDIR instead of c: tmp The installer is no more as it's not needed. There is a WinZip wrapped version for those with the extra bandwidth :). gbdk autodetects where it is installed - no more environment variables. cygwin1.dll and make are no longer required - gbdk is now compiled with mingw32.
See the ChangeLog section in the README for more information.
21st March, 2000 Problems with the installer. It seems that the demo of InstallVISE has an unreasonably short time limit. I had planed to use the demo until the license key came through, but there's no sign of the key yet and the 3 day evaluation is up. If anyone knows of a free Windows installer with the ability to modify environment variables, please contact me. I hear that temporarily setting you clock back to the 15th works...
18th March, 2000 libc5 version available / "Error creating temp file" Thanks to Rodrigo Couto there is now a Linux/libc5 version of gbdk3-2.92 available - follow the download link above. At least it will be there when the main sourceforge site comes back up... Also some people have reported a bug where the compiler reports '*** Error creating temp file'. Try typing "mkdir c: tmp" from a DOS prompt and see if that helps.

12.2.8 GBDK 2.92

8th March, 2000 Better than 2.91 :). Can now be installed anywhere. All the demos work. See the README for more.

- All the examples now work (with a little bit of patching :)
  - Fixed problem with registers being cached instead of being marked volatile.
  - More register packing - should be a bit faster.
  - You can now install somewhere except c: gbdk | /usr/lib/gbdk
  - Arrays initialised with constant addresses a'la galaxy.c now work.
  - Fixed minor bug with 104$: labels in as.
  - Up to 167d/s...

12.2.9 GBDK 2.91

27th Feb, 2000 Better than 2.90 and includes Linux, win32 and a source tar ball. Some notes:
Read the README first Linux users need libgc-4 or above. Debian users try apt-get install libgc5. All the types have changed. Again, please read the README first. I prefer release early, release often. The idea is to get the bugs out there so that they can be squashed quickly. I've split up the libs so that they can be used on other platforms and so that the libs can be updated without updating the compiler. One side effect is that gb specific files have been shifted into their own directory i.e. gb.h is now gb/gb.h.
23rd Feb, 2000 First release of gbdk/sdcc. This is an early release - the only binary is for Linux and the source is only available through cvs. If your interested in the source, have a look at the cvs repository gbdk-support first, which will download all the rest of the code. Alternatively, look at gbdk-support and gbdk-lib at cvs.gbdk.sourceforge.net and sdcc at cvs.sdcc.sourceforge.net. I will be working on binaries for Win32 and a source tar ball soon. Please report any bugs through the bugs link above.
31st Jan, 2000 Added Dermot's far pointer spec. It's mainly here for comment. If sdcc is ported to the Gameboy then I will be looking for some way to do far calls.

8th Jan, 2000 Moved over to sourceforge.net. Thanks must go to David Pfeffer for gbdk's previous resting place, www.gbdev.org. The transition is not complete, but cvs and web have been shifted. Note that the cvs download instructions are stale - you should now look to cvs.gbdk.sourceforge.net. I am currently working on porting sdcc over to the Z80. David Nathan is looking at porting it to the GB.
6th Jan, 2000 Icehawk wrote "I did write some rumble pack routines. Just make sure to remind people to add -Wl-yt0x1C or -Wl-yt0x1D or -Wl-yt0x1E depending on sram and battery usage. Find the routines on my site (as usual). =)"
18th Oct, 1999 Bug tracking / FAQ up. Try the link on the left to report any bugs with GBDK. It's also the first place to look if your having problems.

12.2.10 GBDK 2.1.5

17th Oct, 1999
The compiler is the same, but some of the libraries have been improved. memset() and memcpy() are much faster, malloc() is fixed, and a high speed fixed block alternative malloc() was added.

12.2.11 GBDK 2.0b11 (DOS binary only) - 24 November 1997

- Fixed another bug in code generation, that could happen when performing logical operations on 1-byte variables.

12.2.12 GBDK 2.0b10 (DOS binary only) - 6 November 1997

- Fixed a nasty bug in code generation, that could happen when performing arithmetic operations on 1-byte variables.
- Changed the name of same files of the gb-dtmf example so that it compiles on DOS.

12.2.13 GBDK 2.0b9 (DOS binary only)

- Several bug fixes in the compiler and in the libraries.

12.2.14 GBDK 2.0b8 (DOS binary only)

- Limited all file names to 8 characters to solve problems on DOS.
- Added communication routines that enable to send data through the link port of the GameBoy. Unfortunately, these routines do not always work; so use them with care until the next GBDK release.
- Added the comm.c example which illustrates how to use communication routines.
- It is possible to specify the name of the program (to be written in the image header) at link time using the -Wl-yn="XXX" flag (where X is the name of the program, which can contain up to 16 characters in quotes, including spaces; on Unix, depending on your shell, you must add backslashes before quotes and spaces like in -Wl-yn="My\ Game").
- Several bug fixes in the compiler.

12.2.15 GBDK 2.0b7 (DOS binary only)

- GBDK now uses a pre-release of lcc 4.1 (DOS binary only), that fixes a couple of problems in code generation.
- A couple of important points have been documented in the GBDK Programming Guidelines and Known Problems sections.
- Several improvements and optimizations to the code generator.

12.2.16 GBDK 2.0b6

- Added a peephole optimizer (with few rules at the moment).
- Changed the name of the hardware registers to match the "official" names.
- Added support for copying complete functions to RAM or HIRAM (memcpy() and hiramcpy() functions). The compiler now automatically generates two symbol for the start and the end of each function, named start_X and end_X (where X is the name of the function). This enables to calculate the length of a function when copying it to RAM.
- Added the ram_fn.c example which illustrates how to copy functions to RAM and HIRAM.
- Added support for installing IRQ handlers.
- Added the irq.c example which illustrates how to install IRQ handlers.
- Added RAM banks support (switch_ram_bank() function). The switch_bank() function has been renamed to switch_rom_bank(). The banks.c example has been updated. The flags for generating multiple bank images have been modified.
- It is possible to set the sprite ram location at link time using the -Wl-g.OAM=# flag (where # is the address of the sprite ram). The sprite ram address must begin at an address multiple of 0x100, and is 0xA0 bytes long.

12.2.17 GBDK 2.0b5

- New documentation (not finished yet).
- Fixed a bug that could generate wrong code in switch statements.
- Fixed a bug in int comparison.
- Added a DTMF program written by Osamu Ohashi.
- Added a game (Deep Scan) written by a friend of Osamu.
- Modified the delay() function so that it takes a long parameter. It can be used to wait between 1 and 65536 milliseconds (0 = 65536). The pause() function has been removed.

12.2.18 GBDK 2.0b4

- Fixed a bug that could generate wrong code when using hexadecimal constants.
- A new example (galaxy.c) has been added. It is the C version of the space.s example. sprite.c has been removed.
- Most of the libraries have been split into small modules for reducing final code size.

12.2.19 GBDK 2.0b3

- GBDK can generate multiple-banks images, i.e. images greater than 32kB (see the banks example).
- It is possible to set the stack pointer at link time using the -Wl-g.STACK=# flag (where # is the address of the stack pointer). Several functions (e.g. show_bkg()) have been changed into macros (e.g. SHOW_BKG). The delay() function waits exactly 1 millisecond, and the pause() waits 256 milliseconds. Linking with the standard libraries is no more required. The lib/gb.lib (lib\gb.lib on DOS) text file contains a list of modules in which to look for undefined symbols. The linker will parse this file, and link your code with the required modules only. The stdio library has been split in several object files, and only necessary modules will be added to your code, thus reducing its size. The GBDK distribution can be located anywhere in your system if you use the -Wo-lccdir=GBDK-DIR flag when invoking lcc. Bug fixes.

12.2.20 GBDK 2.0b2

- Lots of bug fixes.
- GBDK has to be in the `\GBDK-2.0` directory on DOS machines.

12.2.21 GBDK 2.0b1

- The code generator has been completely rewritten with the new version of lcc. It produces much smaller and more efficient code. The size of the code is generally between 20 and 50% smaller. A number of small optimizations are still to be done.
- The size of basic types has been changed:
  - An int is 8 bits.
  - A long is 16 bits.
- This change was required for the code generator to produce better code, because the Z80 is actually an 8-bit processor.
- The linker generates the complement checksum correctly now.
- The libraries and example programs have been modified for the new code generator.

12.2.22 GBDK 1.1

- Removed Xloadimage from the GBDK distribution. It is now available as a separate archive.
- A compiled DOS version is now available (cross-compiled on my Sun Workstation!).
- The libraries and the example programs have been improved.
- The make script has been improved. Compiling on UNIX should be easier.
- Many bugfixes.

12.2.23 GBDK 1.0-1 1996

13 Toolchain settings

13.1 lcc settings

```
./lcc [ option | file ]...
    except for -l, options are processed left-to-right before files
    unrecognized options are taken to be linker options
-A              warn about nonANSI usage; 2nd -A warns more
-b              emit expression-level profiling code; see bprint(1)
-Bdir/          use the compiler named 'dir/rcc'
-c              compile only
-dn             set switch statement density to 'n'
-debug          Turns on --debug for compiler, -y (.cdb), -j (.noi), -w (wide .map format) for linker
                        -Wa-l (assembler .lst), -Wl-u (.lst -> .rst address update)
-Dname=def      define the preprocessor symbol 'name'
-E              only run preprocessor on named .c and .h files files -> stdout
--save-preproc Use with -E for output to *.i files instead of stdout
-g              produce symbol table information for debuggers
-help or -?     print this message
-Idir           add 'dir' to the beginning of the list of #include directories
-K              don't run ihxcheck test on linker ihx output
-lx             search library 'x'
-m              select port and platform: "-m[port]:[plat]" ports:sm83,z80,mos6502
       plats:ap,duck,gb,sms,gg,nes
-N              do not search the standard directories for #include files
-n              emit code to check for dereferencing zero pointers
-no-crt         do not auto-include the gbdk crt0.o runtime in linker list
-no-libs        do not auto-include the gbdk libs in linker list
-O              is ignored
-o file         leave the output in 'file'
-P              print ANSI-style declarations for globals
-p -pg          emit profiling code; see prof(1) and gprof(1)
-S              compile to assembly language
-autobank       auto-assign banks set to 255 (bankpack)
-static         specify static libraries (default is dynamic)
-t -tname       emit function tracing calls to printf or to 'name'
-target name    is ignored
-tempdir=dir    place temporary files in 'dir/'; default=/tmp
-Uname          undefine the preprocessor symbol 'name'
-v              show commands as they are executed; 2nd -v suppresses execution
-w              suppress warnings
-Woarg          specify system-specific 'arg'
-W[pfablim]arg pass 'arg' to the preprocessor, compiler, assembler, bankpack, linker, ihxcheck, or makebin
```

13.2 sdcc settings

```
SDCC : z80/sm83/mos6502/mos65c02 TD- 4.4.0 #14620 (Linux)
published under GNU General Public License (GPL)
Usage : sdcc [options] filename
Options :-
General options:
      --help                Display this help
  -v  --version             Display sdcc's version
      --verbose             Trace calls to the preprocessor, assembler, and linker
  -V                        Execute verbosely. Show sub commands as they are run
  -d                        Output list of macro definitions in effect. Use with -E
  -D                        Define macro as in -Dmacro
  -I                        Add to the include (*.h) path, as in -Ipath
  -A
  -U                        Undefine macro as in -Umacro
  -M                        Preprocessor option
  -W                        Pass through options to the pre-processor (p), assembler (a) or linker (l)
      --include             Pre-include a file during pre-processing
  -E  --preprocessonly      Preprocess only, do not compile
      --syntax-only         Parse and verify syntax only, do not compile
  -S                        Compile only; do not assemble or link
  -c  --compile-only        Compile and assemble, but do not link
      --clmode              Act in cl mode.  The standard input is preprocessed code, the output is assembly
       code.
  -o                        Place the output into the given path resp. file
  -x                        Optional file type override (c, c-header or none), valid until the next -x
      --print-search-dirs   display the directories in the compiler's search path
      --vc                  messages are compatible with Micro$oft visual studio
      --use-stdout          send errors to stdout instead of stderr
      --nostdlib            Do not include the standard library directory in the search path
      --nostdinc            Do not include the standard include directory in the search path
      --less-pedantic       Disable some of the more pedantic warnings
      --disable-warning     <nnnn> Disable specific warning
      --Werror              Treat the warnings as errors
      --debug               Enable debugging symbol output
      --cyclomatic          Display complexity of compiled functions
      --std                 Determine the language standard (c89, c99, c11, c23, sdcc89 etc.)
      --fdollars-in-identifiers  Permit '$' as an identifier character
      --fsigned-char        Make "char" signed by default
      --use-non-free        Search / include non-free licensed libraries and header files
Code generation options:
  -m                        Set the port to use e.g. -mz80.
  -p                        Select port specific processor e.g. -mpic14 -p16f84
      --stack-auto          Stack automatic variables
      --xstack              Use external stack
      --int-long-reent      Use reentrant calls on the int and long support functions
      --float-reent         Use reentrant calls on the float support functions
      --xram-movc           Use movc instead of movx to read xram (xdata)
      --callee-saves        <func[,func,...]> Cause the called function to save registers instead of the
       caller
      --fomit-frame-pointer  Leave out the frame pointer.
      --all-callee-saves    callee will always save registers used
      --stack-probe         insert call to function __stack_probe at each function prologue
      --no-xinit-opt        don't memcpy initialized xram from code
      --no-c-code-in-asm    don't include c-code as comments in the asm file
      --no-peep-comments    don't include peephole optimizer comments
      --codeseg             <name> use this name for the code segment
      --constseg            <name> use this name for the const segment
      --dataseg             <name> use this name for the data segment
Optimization options:
      --opt-code-speed      Optimize for code speed rather than size
      --opt-code-size       Optimize for code size rather than speed
      --max-allocs-per-node  Maximum number of register assignments considered at each node of the tree
       decomposition
      --no-reg-params       On some ports, disable passing some parameters in registers
      --nostdlibcall        Disable optimization of calls to standard library
      --nooverlay           Disable overlaying leaf function auto variables
      --nogcse              Disable the GCSE optimisation
      --nolospre            Disable lospre
      --nogenconstprop      Disable generalized constant propagation
      --nolabelopt          Disable label optimisation
      --noinvariant         Disable optimisation of invariants
      --noinduction         Disable loop variable induction
      --nooopreverse        Disable the loop reverse optimisation
      --no-peep             Disable the peephole assembly file optimisation
      --peep-asm            Enable peephole optimization on inline assembly
      --peep-return         Enable peephole optimization for return instructions
      --no-peep-return      Disable peephole optimization for return instructions
      --peep-file           <file> use this extra peephole file
      --allow-unsafe-read   Allow optimizations to read any memory location anytime
Internal debugging options:
      --dump-ast            Dump front-end AST before generating i-code
      --dump-i-code         Dump the i-code structure at all stages
      --dump-graphs         Dump graphs (control-flow, conflict, etc)
      --i-code-in-asm       Include i-code as comments in the asm file
      --fverbose-asm        Include code generator comments in the asm output
```

```
Linker options:
  -l                        Include the given library in the link
  -L                        Add the next field to the library search path
      --lib-path            <path> use this path to search for libraries
      --out-fmt-ihx         Output in Intel hex format
      --out-fmt-s19         Output in S19 hex format
      --xram-loc            <nnnn> External Ram start location
      --xram-size           <nnnn> External Ram size
      --iram-size           <nnnn> Internal Ram size
      --xstack-loc          <nnnn> External Stack start location
      --code-loc            <nnnn> Code Segment Location
      --code-size           <nnnn> Code Segment size
      --stack-loc           <nnnn> Stack pointer initial value
      --data-loc            <nnnn> Direct data start location
      --idata-loc
      --no-optsdcc-in-asm   Do not emit .optsdcc in asm
Special options for the z80 port:
      --callee-saves-bc     Force a called function to always save BC
      --portmode=           Determine PORT I/O mode (z80/z180)
      -bo                   <num> use code bank <num>
      -ba                   <num> use data bank <num>
      --asm=                Define assembler name (rgbds/asxxxx/isas/z80asm/gas)
      --codeseg             <name> use this name for the code segment
      --constseg            <name> use this name for the const segment
      --dataseg             <name> use this name for the data segment
      --no-std-crt0         Do not link default crt0.rel
      --reserve-regs-iy     Do not use IY (incompatible with --fomit-frame-pointer)
      --fno-omit-frame-pointer  Do not omit frame pointer
      --emit-externs        Emit externs list in generated asm
      --legacy-banking      Use legacy method to call banked functions
      --nmos-z80            Generate workaround for NMOS Z80 when saving IFF2
      --sdcccall            Set ABI version for default calling convention
      --allow-undocumented-instructions  Allow use of undocumented instructions
Special options for the sm83 port:
      -bo                   <num> use code bank <num>
      -ba                   <num> use data bank <num>
      --asm=                Define assembler name (rgbds/asxxxx/isas/z80asm/gas)
      --callee-saves-bc     Force a called function to always save BC
      --codeseg             <name> use this name for the code segment
      --constseg            <name> use this name for the const segment
      --dataseg             <name> use this name for the data segment
      --no-std-crt0         Do not link default crt0.rel
      --legacy-banking      Use legacy method to call banked functions
      --sdcccall            Set ABI version for default calling convention
Special options for the mos6502 port:
      --model-small         8-bit address space for data
      --model-large         16-bit address space for data (default)
      --no-zp-spill         place register spills in 16-bit address space
      --no-std-crt0         Do not link default crt0.rel
Special options for the mos65c02 port:
      --model-small         8-bit address space for data
      --model-large         16-bit address space for data (default)
      --no-zp-spill         place register spills in 16-bit address space
      --no-std-crt0         Do not link default crt0.rel
```

13.3 sdasgb settings

```
sdas Assembler V02.00 + NoICE + SDCC mods  (GameBoy)
Copyright (C) 2012  Alan R. Baldwin
This program comes with ABSOLUTELY NO WARRANTY.
Usage: [-Options] [-Option with arg] file
Usage: [-Options] [-Option with arg] outfile file1 [file2 ...]
  -h   or NO ARGUMENTS  Show this help list
Input:
  -I   Add the named directory to the include file
       search path.  This option may be used more than once.
       Directories are searched in the order given.
Output:
  -l   Create list   file/outfile[.lst]
  -o   Create object file/outfile[.rel]
  -s   Create symbol file/outfile[.sym]
Listing:
  -d   Decimal listing
  -q   Octal   listing
  -x   Hex     listing (default)
  -b   Display .define substitutions in listing
  -bb  and display without .define substitutions
  -c   Disable instruction cycle count in listing
  -f   Flag relocatable references by  `   in listing file
  -ff  Flag relocatable references by mode in listing file
  -p   Disable automatic listing pagination
  -u   Disable .list/.nlist processing
  -w   Wide listing format for symbol table
Assembly:
  -v   Enable out of range signed / unsigned errors
Symbols:
```

```
  -a   All user symbols made global
  -g   Undefined symbols made global
  -n   Don't resolve global assigned value symbols
  -z   Disable case sensitivity for symbols
Debugging:
  -j   Enable NoICE Debug Symbols
  -y   Enable SDCC  Debug Symbols
```

13.4 sdasz80 settings

```
sdas Assembler V02.00 + NoICE + SDCC mods  (Zilog Z80 / Hitachi HD64180 / ZX-Next / eZ80 / R800)
Copyright (C) 2012  Alan R. Baldwin
This program comes with ABSOLUTELY NO WARRANTY.
Usage: [-Options] [-Option with arg] file
Usage: [-Options] [-Option with arg] outfile file1 [file2 ...]
  -h   or NO ARGUMENTS  Show this help list
Input:
  -I   Add the named directory to the include file
       search path.  This option may be used more than once.
       Directories are searched in the order given.
Output:
  -l   Create list   file/outfile[.lst]
  -o   Create object file/outfile[.rel]
  -s   Create symbol file/outfile[.sym]
Listing:
  -d   Decimal listing
  -q   Octal   listing
  -x   Hex     listing (default)
  -b   Display .define substitutions in listing
  -bb  and display without .define substitutions
  -c   Disable instruction cycle count in listing
  -f   Flag relocatable references by  `   in listing file
  -ff  Flag relocatable references by mode in listing file
  -p   Disable automatic listing pagination
  -u   Disable .list/.nlist processing
  -w   Wide listing format for symbol table
Assembly:
  -v   Enable out of range signed / unsigned errors
Symbols:
  -a   All user symbols made global
  -g   Undefined symbols made global
  -n   Don't resolve global assigned value symbols
  -z   Disable case sensitivity for symbols
Debugging:
  -j   Enable NoICE Debug Symbols
  -y   Enable SDCC  Debug Symbols
```

13.5 sdas6500 settings

```
sdas Assembler V02.00 + NoICE + SDCC mods  (Rockwell 6502/6510/65C02)
Copyright (C) 2012  Alan R. Baldwin
This program comes with ABSOLUTELY NO WARRANTY.
Usage: [-Options] [-Option with arg] file
Usage: [-Options] [-Option with arg] outfile file1 [file2 ...]
  -h   or NO ARGUMENTS  Show this help list
Input:
  -I   Add the named directory to the include file
       search path.  This option may be used more than once.
       Directories are searched in the order given.
Output:
  -l   Create list   file/outfile[.lst]
  -o   Create object file/outfile[.rel]
  -s   Create symbol file/outfile[.sym]
Listing:
  -d   Decimal listing
  -q   Octal   listing
  -x   Hex     listing (default)
  -b   Display .define substitutions in listing
  -bb  and display without .define substitutions
  -c   Disable instruction cycle count in listing
  -f   Flag relocatable references by  `   in listing file
  -ff  Flag relocatable references by mode in listing file
  -p   Disable automatic listing pagination
  -u   Disable .list/.nlist processing
  -w   Wide listing format for symbol table
Assembly:
  -v   Enable out of range signed / unsigned errors
Symbols:
  -a   All user symbols made global
  -g   Undefined symbols made global
  -n   Don't resolve global assigned value symbols
  -z   Disable case sensitivity for symbols
Debugging:
  -j   Enable NoICE Debug Symbols
```

```
  -y   Enable SDCC  Debug Symbols
```

13.6 bankpack settings

```
bankalloc [options] objfile1 objfile2 etc
Use: Read .o files and auto-assign areas with bank=255.
     Typically called by Lcc compiler driver before linker.
Options
-h             : Show this help
-lkin=<file>   : Load object files specified in linker file <file>
-lkout=<file>  : Write list of object files out to linker file <file>
-yt<mbctype>   : Set MBC type per ROM byte 149 in Decimal or Hex (0xNN)
                 ([see pandocs](https://gbdev.io/pandocs/The_Cartridge_Header.html#0147---cartridge-type))
-mbc=N         : Similar to -yt, but sets MBC type directly to N instead
                 of by intepreting ROM byte 149
                 mbc1 will exclude banks {0x20,0x40,0x60} max=127,
                 mbc2 max=15, mbc3 max=127, mbc5 max=255 (not 511!)
-min=N         : Min assigned ROM bank is N (default 1)
-max=N         : Max assigned ROM bank is N, error if exceeded
-ext=<.ext>    : Write files out with <.ext> instead of source extension
-path=<path>   : Write files out to <path> (<path> *MUST* already exist)
-sym=<prefix>  : Add symbols starting with <prefix> to match + update list
                 Default entry is "___bank_" (see below)
-cartsize      : Print min required cart size as "autocartsize:<NNN>"
-plat=<plat>   : Select platform specific behavior (default:gb) (gb,sms)
-random        : Distribute banks randomly for testing (honors -min/-max)
-reserve=<b:n> : Reserve N bytes (hex) in bank B (decimal)
                 Ex: -reserve=105:30F reserves 0x30F bytes in bank 105
-banktype=<b:t>: Set bank B (decimal) to use type T (CODE or LIT). For sms/gg
                 Ex: -banktype=2:LIT sets bank 2 to type LIT
-v             : Verbose output, show assignments
Example: "bankpack -ext=.rel -path=some/newpath/ file1.o file2.o"
Unless -ext or -path specify otherwise, input files are overwritten.
Default MBC type is not set. It *must* be specified by -mbc= or -yt!
The following will have FF and 255 replaced with the assigned bank:
A _CODE_255 size <size> flags <flags> addr <address>
S b_<function name> Def0000FF
S ___bank_<const name> Def0000FF
    (Above can be made by: const void __at(255) __bank_<const name>;
```

13.7 sdldgb settings

```
sdld Linker V03.00/V05.40 + sdld
Usage: [-Options] [-Option with arg] file
Usage: [-Options] [-Option with arg] outfile file1 [file2 ...]
Startup:
  -p   Echo commands to stdout (default)
  -n   No echo of commands to stdout
Alternates to Command Line Input:
  -c                ASlink » prompt input
  -f   file[.lk]    Command File input
Libraries:
  -k   Library path specification, one per -k
  -l   Library file specification, one per -l
Relocation:
  -b   area base address = expression
  -g   global symbol = expression
  -a   (platform) Select platform specific virtual address translation
Map format:
  -m   Map output generated as (out)file[.map]
  -w   Wide listing format for map file
  -x   Hexadecimal (default)
  -d   Decimal
  -q   Octal
Output:
  -i   Intel Hex as (out)file[.ihx]
  -s   Motorola S Record as (out)file[.s19]
  -j   NoICE Debug output as (out)file[.noi]
  -y   SDCDB Debug output as (out)file[.cdb]
List:
  -u   Update listing file(s) with link data as file(s)[.rst]
Case Sensitivity:
  -z   Disable Case Sensitivity for Symbols
End:
  -e   or null line terminates input
```

13.8 sdldz80 settings

```
sdld Linker V03.00/V05.40 + sdld
Usage: [-Options] [-Option with arg] file
Usage: [-Options] [-Option with arg] outfile file1 [file2 ...]
Startup:
  -p   Echo commands to stdout (default)
```

```
  -n   No echo of commands to stdout
Alternates to Command Line Input:
  -c                  ASlink » prompt input
  -f   file[.lk]      Command File input
Libraries:
  -k   Library path specification, one per -k
  -l   Library file specification, one per -l
Relocation:
  -b   area base address = expression
  -g   global symbol = expression
  -a   (platform) Select platform specific virtual address translation
Map format:
  -m   Map output generated as (out)file[.map]
  -w   Wide listing format for map file
  -x   Hexadecimal (default)
  -d   Decimal
  -q   Octal
Output:
  -i   Intel Hex as (out)file[.ihx]
  -s   Motorola S Record as (out)file[.s19]
  -j   NoICE Debug output as (out)file[.noi]
  -y   SDCDB Debug output as (out)file[.cdb]
List:
  -u   Update listing file(s) with link data as file(s)[.rst]
Case Sensitivity:
  -z   Disable Case Sensitivity for Symbols
End:
  -e   or null line terminates input
```

13.9 sdld6808 settings

```
sdld Linker V03.00/V05.40 + sdld
Usage: [-Options] [-Option with arg] file
Usage: [-Options] [-Option with arg] outfile file1 [file2 ...]
Startup:
  -p   Echo commands to stdout (default)
  -n   No echo of commands to stdout
Alternates to Command Line Input:
  -c                  ASlink » prompt input
  -f   file[.lk]      Command File input
Libraries:
  -k   Library path specification, one per -k
  -l   Library file specification, one per -l
Relocation:
  -b   area base address = expression
  -g   global symbol = expression
  -a   (platform) Select platform specific virtual address translation
Map format:
  -m   Map output generated as (out)file[.map]
  -w   Wide listing format for map file
  -x   Hexadecimal (default)
  -d   Decimal
  -q   Octal
Output:
  -i   Intel Hex as (out)file[.ihx]
  -s   Motorola S Record as (out)file[.s19]
  -j   NoICE Debug output as (out)file[.noi]
  -y   SDCDB Debug output as (out)file[.cdb]
List:
  -u   Update listing file(s) with link data as file(s)[.rst]
Case Sensitivity:
  -z   Disable Case Sensitivity for Symbols
End:
  -e   or null line terminates input
```

13.10 ihxcheck settings

```
ihx_check input_file.ihx [options]
Options
-h : Show this help
-e : Treat warnings as errors
Use: Read a .ihx and warn about overlapped areas.
Example: "ihx_check build/MyProject.ihx"
```

13.11 makebin settings

Also see setting_mbc_and_rom_ram_banks

```
makebin: convert a Intel IHX file to binary or GameBoy format binary.
Usage: makebin [options] [<in_file> [<out_file>]]
Options:
  -p             pack mode: the binary file size will be truncated to the last occupied byte
  -s romsize     size of the binary file (default: rom banks * 16384)
```

```
  -Z             generate GameBoy format binary file
  -S             generate Sega Master System format binary file
  -N             generate Famicom/NES format binary file
  -o bytes       skip amount of bytes in binary file
SMS format options (applicable only with -S option):
  -xo n          header rom size (0xa-0x2) (default: 0xc)
  -xj n          set region code (3-7) (default: 4)
  -xv n          version number (0-15) (default: 0)
  -yo n          number of rom banks (default: 2) (autosize: A)
  -ya n          number of ram banks (default: 0)
GameBoy format options (applicable only with -Z option):
  -yo n          number of rom banks (default: 2) (autosize: A)
  -ya n          number of ram banks (default: 0)
  -yt n          MBC type (default: no MBC)
  -yl n          old licensee code (default: 0x33)
  -yk cc         new licensee string (default: 00)
  -yn name       cartridge name (default: none)
  -yc            GameBoy Color compatible
  -yC            GameBoy Color only
  -ys            Super GameBoy
  -yS            Convert .noi file named like input file to .sym
  -yj            set non-Japanese region flag
  -yN            do not copy big N validation logo into ROM header
  -yp addr=value Set address in ROM to given value (address 0x100-0x1FE)
Arguments:
  <in_file>      optional IHX input file, '-' means stdin. (default: stdin)
  <out_file>     optional output file, '-' means stdout. (default: stdout)
```

13.12 makecom settings

```
makecom image.rom image.noi output.com
Use: convert a binary .rom file to .msxdos com format.
```

13.13 gbcompress settings

```
gbcompress [options] infile outfile
Use: compress a binary file and write it out.
Options
-h       : Show this help screen
-d       : Decompress (default is compress)
-v       : Verbose output
--cin    : Read input as .c source format (8 bit char ONLY, uses first array found)
--cout   : Write output in .c / .h source format (8 bit char ONLY)
--varname=<NAME> : specify variable name for c source output
--alg=<type>     : specify compression type: 'rle', 'gb' (default)
--bank=<num>     : Add Bank Ref: 1 - 511 (default is none, with --cout only)
Example: "gbcompress binaryfile.bin compressed.bin"
Example: "gbcompress -d compressedfile.bin decompressed.bin"
Example: "gbcompress --alg=rle binaryfile.bin compressed.bin"
The default compression (gb) is the type used by gbtd/gbmb
The rle compression is Amiga IFF style
```

13.14 png2asset settings

```
usage: png2asset    <file>.png [options]
-o <filename>       ouput file (if not used then default is <png file>.c)
-c <filename>       deprecated, same as -o
-sw <width>         metasprites width size (default: png width)
-sh <height>        metasprites height size (default: png height)
-sp <props>         change default for sprite OAM property bytes (in hex) (default: 0x00)
-px <x coord>       metasprites pivot x coordinate (default: metasprites width / 2)
-py <y coord>       metasprites pivot y coordinate (default: metasprites height / 2)
-pw <width>         metasprites collision rect width (default: metasprites width)
-ph <height>        metasprites collision rect height (default: metasprites height)
-spr8x8             use SPRITES_8x8
-spr8x16            use SPRITES_8x16 (this is the default)
-spr16x16msx        use SPRITES_16x16
-sprite_no_optimize keep empty sprite tiles, do not remove duplicate tiles
-b <bank>           bank (default: fixed bank)
-keep_palette_order use png palette
-repair_indexed_pal try to repair indexed tile palettes (implies "-keep_palette_order")
-noflip             disable tile flip
-map                Export as map (tileset + bg) instead of default metasprite output
-use_map_attributes Use CGB BG Map attributes
-use_nes_attributes Use NES BG Map attributes
-use_nes_colors     Convert RGB color values to NES PPU colors
-use_structs        Group the exported info into structs (default: false) (used by ZGB Game Engine)
-bpp                bits per pixel: 1, 2, 4 (default: 2)
-max_palettes       max number of palettes allowed (default: 8)
                    (note: max colors = max_palettes x num colors per palette)
-pack_mode          gb, nes, sgb, sms, 1bpp (default: gb)
-tile_origin        tile index offset for maps (default: 0)
-tiles_only         export tile data only
```

```
-maps_only          export map tilemap only
-metasprites_only   export metasprite descriptors only
-source_tileset     use source tileset (image with common tiles)
-entity_tileset     (maps only) mark matching tiles counting from 255 down, entity patterns not exported
-keep_duplicate_tiles   do not remove duplicate tiles (default: not enabled)
-no_palettes        do not export palette data
-bin                export to binary format
-transposed         export transposed (column-by-column instead of row-by-row)
-rel_paths          paths to tilesets are relative to the input file path
decoder error empty input buffer given to decoder. Maybe caused by non-existing file?
```

13.15 png2hicolorgb settings

```
png2hicolorgb input_image.png [options]
version 1.4.1: bbbbbr. Based on Glen Cook's Windows GUI "hicolour.exe" 1.2
Convert an image to Game Boy Hi-Color format
Options
-h         : Show this help
-v*        : Set log level: "-v" verbose, "-vQ" quiet, "-vE" only errors, "-vD" debug
-o <file>  : Set base output filename (otherwise from input image)
--csource  : Export C source format with incbins for data files
--bank=N   : Set bank number for C source output where N is decimal bank number 1-511
--type=N   : Set conversion type where N is one of below
             1: Median Cut - No Dither (*Default*)
             2: Median Cut - With Dither
             3: Wu Quantiser
-p         : Show screen attribute pattern options (no processing)
-L=N       : Set Left  screen attribute pattern where N is decimal entry (-p to show patterns)
-R=N       : Set Right screen attribute pattern where N is decimal entry (-p to show patterns)
--vaddrid  : Map uses vram id (128->255->0->127) instead of (*Default*) sequential tile order (0->255)
--nodedupe : Turn off tile pattern deduplication
Example 1: "png2hicolorgb myimage.png"
Example 2: "png2hicolorgb myimage.png --csource -o=my_output_filename"
* Default settings provide good results. Better quality but slower: "--type=3 -L=2 -R=2"
Historical credits and info:
   Original Concept : Icarus Productions
   Original Code : Jeff Frohwein
   Full Screen Modification : Anon
   Adaptive Code : Glen Cook
   Windows Interface : Glen Cook
   Additional Windows Programming : Rob Jones
   Original Quantiser Code : Benny
   Quantiser Conversion : Glen Cook
```

13.16 romusage settings

```
romusage input_file.[map|noi|ihx|cdb|.gb[c]|.pocket|.duck|.gg|.sms] [options]
version 1.2.8, by bbbbbr
Options
-h  : Show this help
-p:SMS_GG : Set platform to GBDK SMS/Game Gear (changes memory map templates)
-a  : Show Areas in each Bank. Optional sort by, address:"-aA" or size:"-aS"
-g  : Show a small usage graph per bank (-gA for ascii style)
-G  : Show a large usage graph per bank (-GA for ascii style)
-B  : Brief (summarized) output for banked regions. Auto scales max bank
      shows [Region]_[Max Used Bank] / [auto-sized Max Bank Num]
-F  : Force Max ROM and SRAM bank num for -B. (0 based) -F:ROM:SRAM (ex: -F:255:15)
-m  : Manually specify an Area -m:NAME:HEXADDR:HEXLENGTH
-e  : Manually specify an Area that should not overlap -e:NAME:HEXADDR:HEXLENGTH
-E  : All areas are exclusive (except HEADERs), warn for any overlaps
-q  : Quiet, no output except warnings and errors
-Q  : Suppress output of warnings and errors
-R  : Return error code for Area warnings and errors
-sR : [Rainbow] Color output (-sRe for Row Ends, -sRd for Center Dimmed, -sRp % based)
-sP : Custom Color Palette. Colon separated entries are decimal VT100 color codes
      -sP:DEFAULT:ROM:VRAM:SRAM:WRAM:HRAM (section based color only)
-sC : Show Compact Output, hide non-essential columns
-sH : Show HEADER Areas (normally hidden)
-smROM  : Show Merged ROM_0  and ROM_1  output (i.e. bare 32K ROM)
-smWRAM : Show Merged WRAM_0 and WRAM_1 output (i.e DMG/MGB not CGB)
          -sm* compatible with banked ROM_x or WRAM_x when used with -B
-sJ : Show JSON output. Some options not applicable. When used, -Q recommended
-nB : Hide warning banner (for .cdb output)
-nA : Hide areas (shown by default in .cdb output)
-z  : Hide areas smaller than SIZE -z:DECSIZE
Use: Read a .map, .noi, .cdb or .ihx file to display area sizes
Example 1: "romusage build/MyProject.map"
Example 2: "romusage build/MyProject.noi -a -e:STACK:DEFF:100 -e:SHADOW_OAM:C000:A0"
Example 3: "romusage build/MyProject.ihx -g"
Example 4: "romusage build/MyProject.map -q -R"
Example 5: "romusage build/MyProject.noi -sR -sP:90:32:90:35:33:36"
Example 6: "romusage build/MyProject.map -sRp -g -B -F:255:15 -smROM -smWRAM"
Notes:
  * GBDK / RGBDS map file format detection is automatic.
```

```
 * Estimates are as close as possible, but may not be complete.
   Unless specified with -m/-e they *do not* factor regions lacking
   complete ranges in the Map/Noi/Ihx file, for example Shadow OAM and Stack.
 * IHX files can only detect overlaps, not detect memory region overflows.
 * CDB file output ONLY counts (most) data from C sources.
   It cannot count functions and data from ASM and LIBs,
   so bank totals may be incorrect/missing.
 * GB/GBC/ROM files are just guessing, no promises.
```

14 Todo List

File far_ptr.h

Add link to a discussion about banking (such as, how to assign code and variables to banks)

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Variables

- uint8_t font_spect [ ]
- uint8_t font_italic [ ]
- uint8_t font_ibm [ ]
- uint8_t font_min [ ]
- uint8_t font_ibm_fixed [ ]

18.1.2 Variable Documentation

18.1.2.1 font_spect `uint8_t font_spect[] [extern]`

The default fonts

18.1.2.2 font_italic `uint8_t font_italic[]`

18.1.2.3 font_ibm `uint8_t font_ibm[]`

18.1.2.4 font_min `uint8_t font_min[]`

18.1.2.5 font_ibm_fixed `uint8_t font_ibm_fixed[] [extern]`

Backwards compatible font

19 Data Structure Documentation

19.1 __far_ptr Union Reference

`#include <gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/far_ptr.h>`

Data Fields

- FAR_PTR ptr
- struct {
  void * ofs
  uint16_t seg
  } segofs

- struct {
  void(* fn)(void)
  uint16_t seg
  } segfn

19.1.1 Detailed Description

Union for working with members of a FAR_PTR

19.1.2 Field Documentation

19.1.2.1 ptr FAR_PTR __far_ptr::ptr

19.1.2.2 ofs void* __far_ptr::ofs

19.1.2.3 seg uint16_t __far_ptr::seg

19.1.2.4 struct { ... } __far_ptr::segofs

19.1.2.5 fn void(* __far_ptr::fn) (void)

19.1.2.6 struct { ... } __far_ptr::segfn

The documentation for this union was generated from the following file:

- gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/far_ptr.h

19.2 _fixed Union Reference

`#include <gbdk-lib/include/asm/types.h>`

Data Fields

- struct {
  UBYTE l
  UBYTE h
  };
- struct {
  UBYTE l
  UBYTE h
  } b
- UWORD w

19.2.1 Detailed Description

Useful definition for working with 8 bit + 8 bit fixed point values
Use `.w` to access the variable as unsigned 16 bit type.
Use `.b.h` and `.b.l` (or just `.h` and `.l`) to directly access it's high and low unsigned 8 bit values.

19.2.2 Field Documentation

19.2.2.1 l UBYTE _fixed::l

19.2.2.2 h UBYTE _fixed::h

19.2.2.3 struct { ... }

19.2.2.4 struct { ... } _fixed::b

19.2.2.5 w UWORD _fixed::w

The documentation for this union was generated from the following file:

- gbdk-lib/include/asm/types.h

19.3 atomic_flag Struct Reference

#include <gbdk-lib/include/stdatomic.h>

Data Fields

- unsigned char flag

19.3.1 Field Documentation

19.3.1.1 flag unsigned char atomic_flag::flag

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- gbdk-lib/include/stdatomic.h

19.4 isr_nested_vector_t Struct Reference

#include <gbdk-lib/include/gb/isr.h>

Data Fields

- uint8_t opcode [2]
- void * func

19.4.1 Field Documentation

19.4.1.1 opcode uint8_t isr_nested_vector_t::opcode[2]

19.4.1.2 func void* isr_nested_vector_t::func

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- gbdk-lib/include/gb/isr.h

19.5 isr_vector_t Struct Reference

#include <gbdk-lib/include/gb/isr.h>

Data Fields

- uint8_t opcode
- void * func

19.5.1 Field Documentation

19.5.1.1 opcode `uint8_t isr_vector_t::opcode`

19.5.1.2 func `void* isr_vector_t::func`

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- gbdk-lib/include/gb/isr.h

19.6 joypads_t Struct Reference

`#include <gbdk-lib/include/gb/gb.h>`

Data Fields

- uint8_t npads
- union {
  struct {
  uint8_t joy0
  uint8_t joy1
  uint8_t joy2
  uint8_t joy3
  }
  uint8_t joypads [4]
  };

- union {
  struct {
  uint8_t joy0
  uint8_t joy1
  uint8_t joy2
  uint8_t joy3
  }
  uint8_t joypads [4]
  };

- union {
  struct {
  uint8_t joy0
  uint8_t joy1
  uint8_t joy2
  uint8_t joy3
  }
  uint8_t joypads [4]
  };

- union {
  struct {
  uint8_t joy0
  uint8_t joy1
  uint8_t joy2
  uint8_t joy3
  }
  uint8_t joypads [4]
  };

19.6.1 Detailed Description

Multiplayer joypad structure.
Must be initialized with joypad_init() first then it may be used to poll all avaliable joypads with joypad_ex()

19.6.2 Field Documentation

19.6.2.1 npads `uint8_t joypads_t::npads`

19.6.2.2 joy0 `uint8_t joypads_t::joy0`

19.6.2.3 joy1 `uint8_t joypads_t::joy1`

19.6.2.4 joy2 `uint8_t joypads_t::joy2`

19.6.2.5 joy3 `uint8_t joypads_t::joy3`

19.6.2.6 joypads `uint8_t joypads_t::joypads[4]`

19.6.2.7 `union { ... }`

19.6.2.8 `union { ... }`

19.6.2.9 `union { ... }`

19.6.2.10 `union { ... }`

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following files:

- gbdk-lib/include/gb/gb.h
- gbdk-lib/include/msx/msx.h
- gbdk-lib/include/nes/nes.h
- gbdk-lib/include/sms/sms.h

19.7 metasprite_t Struct Reference

`#include <gbdk-lib/include/gb/metasprites.h>`

Data Fields

- int8_t dy
- int8_t dx
- uint8_t dtile
- uint8_t props

19.7.1 Detailed Description

Metasprite sub-item structure

Parameters

dy	(int8_t) Y coordinate of the sprite relative to the metasprite origin (pivot)
dx	(int8_t) X coordinate of the sprite relative to the metasprite origin (pivot)
dtile	(uint8_t) Start tile relative to the metasprites own set of tiles
props	(uint8_t) Property Flags

Metasprites are built from multiple metasprite_t items (one for each sub-sprite) and a pool of tiles they reference. If a metasprite has multiple frames then each frame will be built from some number of metasprite_t items (which may vary based on how many sprites are required for that particular frame).
A metasprite frame is terminated with a {metasprite_end} entry.
Metasprite sub-item structure

Parameters

dy	(int8_t) Y coordinate of the sprite relative to the metasprite origin (pivot)
dx	(int8_t) X coordinate of the sprite relative to the metasprite origin (pivot)
dtile	(uint8_t) Start tile relative to the metasprites own set of tiles

Metasprites are built from multiple metasprite_t items (one for each sub-sprite) and a pool of tiles they reference. If a metasprite has multiple frames then each frame will be built from some number of metasprite_t items (which may vary based on how many sprites are required for that particular frame).
A metasprite frame is terminated with a {metasprite_end} entry.

19.7.2 Field Documentation

19.7.2.1 dy `int8_t metasprite_t::dy`

19.7.2.2 dx `int8_t metasprite_t::dx`

19.7.2.3 dtile `uint8_t metasprite_t::dtile`

19.7.2.4 props `uint8_t metasprite_t::props`

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- gbdk-lib/include/gb/metasprites.h

19.8 OAM_item_t Struct Reference

`#include <gbdk-lib/include/gb/gb.h>`

Data Fields

- uint8_t y
- uint8_t x
- uint8_t tile
- uint8_t prop

19.8.1 Detailed Description

Sprite Attributes structure

Parameters

x	X Coordinate of the sprite on screen
y	Y Coordinate of the sprite on screen
tile	Sprite tile number (see set_sprite_tile)
prop	OAM Property Flags (see set_sprite_prop)

Sprite Attributes structure

Parameters

x	X Coordinate of the sprite on screen
y	Y Coordinate of the sprite on screen - 1
tile	Sprite tile number (see set_sprite_tile)
prop	OAM Property Flags (see set_sprite_prop)

19.8.2 Field Documentation

19.8.2.1 y `uint8_t OAM_item_t::y`

19.8.2.2 x `uint8_t OAM_item_t::x`

19.8.2.3 tile `uint8_t OAM_item_t::tile`

19.8.2.4 prop `uint8_t OAM_item_t::prop`

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following files:

- gbdk-lib/include/gb/gb.h
- gbdk-lib/include/msx/msx.h
- gbdk-lib/include/nes/nes.h

19.9 sfont_handle Struct Reference

`#include <gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/font.h>`

Data Fields

- uint8_t first_tile
- void * font

19.9.1 Detailed Description

Font handle structure

19.9.2 Field Documentation

19.9.2.1 first_tile `uint8_t sfont_handle::first_tile`

First tile used for font

19.9.2.2 font `void* sfont_handle::font`

Pointer to the base of the font

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/font.h

20 File Documentation

20.1 docs/pages/01_getting_started.md File Reference

20.2 docs/pages/02_links_and_tools.md File Reference

20.3 docs/pages/03_using_gbdk.md File Reference

20.4 docs/pages/04_coding_guidelines.md File Reference

20.5 docs/pages/05_banking_mbcs.md File Reference

20.6 docs/pages/06_toolchain.md File Reference

20.7 docs/pages/06b_supported_consoles.md File Reference

20.8 docs/pages/07_sample_programs.md File Reference

20.9 docs/pages/08_faq.md File Reference

20.10 docs/pages/09_migrating_new_versions.md File Reference

20.11 docs/pages/10_release_notes.md File Reference

20.12 docs/pages/20_toolchain_settings.md File Reference

20.13 docs/pages/docs_index.md File Reference

20.14 gbdk-lib/include/asm/mos6502/provides.h File Reference

Macros

- #define USE_C_MEMCPY 0
- #define USE_C_STRCPY 0
- #define USE_C_STRCMP 0

20.14.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.14.1.1 USE_C_MEMCPY `#define USE_C_MEMCPY 0`

20.14.1.2 USE_C_STRCPY `#define USE_C_STRCPY 0`

20.14.1.3 USE_C_STRCMP `#define USE_C_STRCMP 0`

20.15 gbdk-lib/include/asm/sm83/provides.h File Reference

Macros

- #define USE_C_MEMCPY 0
- #define USE_C_STRCPY 0
- #define USE_C_STRCMP 0

20.15.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.15.1.1 USE_C_MEMCPY `#define USE_C_MEMCPY 0`

20.15.1.2 USE_C_STRCPY `#define USE_C_STRCPY 0`

20.15.1.3 USE_C_STRCMP `#define USE_C_STRCMP 0`

20.16 gbdk-lib/include/asm/z80/provides.h File Reference

Macros

- #define USE_C_MEMCPY 0
- #define USE_C_STRCPY 0
- #define USE_C_STRCMP 1

20.16.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.16.1.1 USE_C_MEMCPY `#define USE_C_MEMCPY 0`

20.16.1.2 USE_C_STRCPY `#define USE_C_STRCPY 0`

20.16.1.3 USE_C_STRCMP `#define USE_C_STRCMP 1`

20.17 gbdk-lib/include/asm/mos6502/stdarg.h File Reference

Macros

- #define va_start(list, last) list = (unsigned char *)&last + sizeof(last)
- #define va_arg(list, type) *((type *)((list += sizeof(type)) - sizeof(type)))
- #define va_end(list)

Typedefs

- typedef unsigned char * va_list

20.17.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.17.1.1 va_start

```
#define va_start(
    list,
    last ) list = (unsigned char *)&last + sizeof(last)
```

20.17.1.2 va_arg

```
#define va_arg(
    list,
    type ) *((type *)((list += sizeof(type)) - sizeof(type)))
```

20.17.1.3 va_end `#define va_end(`

```
list )
```

20.17.2 Typedef Documentation

20.17.2.1 va_list `typedef unsigned char* va_list`

20.18 gbdk-lib/include/asm/sm83/stdarg.h File Reference

Macros

- #define va_start(list, last) list = (unsigned char *)&last + sizeof(last)
- #define va_arg(list, type) *((type *)((list += sizeof(type)) - sizeof(type)))
- #define va_end(list)

Typedefs

- typedef unsigned char * va_list

20.18.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.18.1.1 va_start `#define va_start(`

```
list,
last ) list = (unsigned char *)&last + sizeof(last)
```

20.18.1.2 va_arg `#define va_arg(`

```
list,
type ) *((type *)((list += sizeof(type)) - sizeof(type)))
```

20.18.1.3 va_end `#define va_end(`

```
list )
```

20.18.2 Typedef Documentation

20.18.2.1 va_list `typedef unsigned char* va_list`

20.19 gbdk-lib/include/asm/z80/stdarg.h File Reference

Macros

- #define va_start(list, last) list = (unsigned char *)&last + sizeof(last)
- #define va_arg(list, type) *((type *)((list += sizeof(type)) - sizeof(type)))
- #define va_end(list)

Typedefs

- typedef unsigned char * va_list

20.19.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.19.1.1 va_start `#define va_start(`

```
list,
last ) list = (unsigned char *)&last + sizeof(last)
```

20.19.1.2 va_arg `#define va_arg(`

```
list,
type ) *((type *)((list += sizeof(type)) - sizeof(type)))
```

20.19.1.3 va_end `#define va_end(`

```
list )
```

20.19.2 Typedef Documentation

20.19.2.1 va_list `typedef unsigned char* va_list`

20.20 gbdk-lib/include/stdarg.h File Reference

`#include <asm/sm83/stdarg.h>`

20.21 gbdk-lib/include/asm/mos6502/string.h File Reference

`#include <types.h>`

Macros

- #define memcpy(dst, src, n) __memcpy(dst, src, n)

Functions

- char * strcpy (char *dest, const char *src) OLDCALL
- int strcmp (const char *s1, const char *s2)
- void * __memcpy (void *dest, const void *src, size_t len)
- void * memmove (void *dest, const void *src, size_t n) OLDCALL
- void * memset (void *s, int c, size_t n)
- char * reverse (char *s) NONBANKED
- char * strcat (char *s1, const char *s2) NONBANKED
- int strlen (const char *s) OLDCALL
- char * strncat (char *s1, const char *s2, int n) NONBANKED
- int strncmp (const char *s1, const char *s2, int n) NONBANKED
- char * strncpy (char *s1, const char *s2, int n) NONBANKED
- int memcmp (const void *buf1, const void *buf2, size_t count)

20.21.1 Detailed Description

Generic string functions.

20.21.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.21.2.1 memcpy

```
#define memcpy(
    dst,
    src,
    n ) __memcpy(dst, src, n)
```

20.21.3 Function Documentation

20.21.3.1 strcpy()

```
char* strcpy (
    char * dest,
    const char * src )
```

Copies the string pointed to by **src** (including the terminating '\0' character) to the array pointed to by **dest**.
The strings may not overlap, and the destination string dest must be large enough to receive the copy.

Parameters

dest	Array to copy into
src	Array to copy from

Returns

A pointer to dest

20.21.3.2 strcmp()

```
int strcmp (
    const char * s1,
    const char * s2 )
```

Compares strings

Parameters

s1	First string to compare
s2	Second string to compare

Returns:

- $>$ 0 if **s1** $>$ **s2**
- 0 if **s1** == **s2**
- $<$ 0 if **s1** $<$ **s2**

20.21.3.3 __memcpy()

```
void* __memcpy (
    void * dest,
    const void * src,
    size_t len )
```

Copies n bytes from memory area src to memory area dest.
The memory areas may not overlap.

Parameters

dest	Buffer to copy into
src	Buffer to copy from
len	Number of Bytes to copy

20.21.3.4 memmove() `void* memmove (`

```
void * dest,
const void * src,
size_t n )
```

Copies n bytes from memory area src to memory area dest, areas may overlap

20.21.3.5 memset() `void* memset (`

```
void * s,
int c,
size_t n )
```

Fills the memory region **s** with **n** bytes using value **c**

Parameters

s	Buffer to fill
c	char value to fill with (truncated from int)
n	Number of bytes to fill

20.21.3.6 reverse() `char* reverse (`

```
char * s )
```

Reverses the characters in a string

Parameters

s	Pointer to string to reverse.

For example 'abcdefg' will become 'gfedcba'.
Banked as the string must be modifiable.
Returns: Pointer to **s**

20.21.3.7 strcat() `char* strcat (`

```
char * s1,
const char * s2 )
```

Concatenate Strings. Appends string **s2** to the end of string **s1**

Parameters

s1	String to append onto
s2	String to copy from

For example 'abc' and 'def' will become 'abcdef'.
String **s1** must be large enough to store both **s1** and **s2**.
Returns: Pointer to **s1**

20.21.3.8 strlen() `int strlen (`

```
const char * s )
```

Calculates the length of a string

Parameters

s	String to calculate length of

Returns: Length of string not including the terminating '\0' character.

20.21.3.9 strncat()

```
char* strncat (
    char * s1,
    const char * s2,
    int n )
```

Concatenate at most **n** characters from string **s2** onto the end of **s1**.

Parameters

s1	String to append onto
s2	String to copy from
n	Max number of characters to copy from **s2**

String **s1** must be large enough to store both **s1** and **n** characters of **s2**
Returns: Pointer to **s1**

20.21.3.10 strncmp()

```
int strncmp (
    const char * s1,
    const char * s2,
    int n )
```

Compare strings (at most n characters):

Parameters

s1	First string to compare
s2	Second string to compare
n	Max number of characters to compare

Returns:

- $>$ 0 if **s1** $>$ **s2**
- 0 if **s1** == **s2**
- $<$ 0 if **s1** $<$ **s2**

20.21.3.11 strncpy()

```
char* strncpy (
    char * s1,
    const char * s2,
    int n )
```

Copy **n** characters from string **s2** to **s1**

Parameters

s1	String to copy into
s2	String to copy from
n	Max number of characters to copy from **s2**

If **s2** is shorter than **n**, the remaining bytes in **s1** are filled with \0.
Warning: If there is no \0 in the first **n** bytes of **s2** then **s1** will not be null terminated.
Returns: Pointer to **s1**

20.21.3.12 memcmp()

```
int memcmp (
```

```
const void * buf1,
const void * buf2,
size_t count )
```

Compares buffers

Parameters

buf1	First buffer to compare
buf2	Second buffer to compare
count	Buffer length

Returns:

- $>$ 0 if **buf1** $>$ **buf2**
- 0 if **buf1** == **buf2**
- $<$ 0 if **buf1** $<$ **buf2**

20.22 gbdk-lib/include/asm/sm83/string.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
```

Functions

- char * strcpy (char *dest, const char *src) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- int strcmp (const char *s1, const char *s2) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void * memcpy (void *dest, const void *src, size_t len)
- void * memmove (void *dest, const void *src, size_t n)
- void * memset (void *s, int c, size_t n) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- char * reverse (char *s) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- char * strcat (char *s1, const char *s2)
- int strlen (const char *s) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- char * strncat (char *s1, const char *s2, int n)
- int strncmp (const char *s1, const char *s2, int n)
- char * strncpy (char *s1, const char *s2, int n)
- int memcmp (const void *buf1, const void *buf2, size_t count) OLDCALL

Variables

- char c

20.22.1 Detailed Description

Generic string functions.

20.22.2 Function Documentation

20.22.2.1 strcpy() `char* strcpy (`

```
char * dest,
const char * src )
```

Copies the string pointed to by **src** (including the terminating '\0' character) to the array pointed to by **dest**. The strings may not overlap, and the destination string dest must be large enough to receive the copy.

Parameters

dest	Array to copy into
src	Array to copy from

Returns

A pointer to dest

20.22.2.2 strcmp()

```
int strcmp (
    const char * s1,
    const char * s2 )
```

Compares strings

Parameters

s1	First string to compare
s2	Second string to compare

Returns:

- $>$ 0 if **s1** $>$ **s2**
- 0 if **s1** == **s2**
- $<$ 0 if **s1** $<$ **s2**

20.22.2.3 memcpy()

```
void* memcpy (
    void * dest,
    const void * src,
    size_t len )
```

Copies n bytes from memory area src to memory area dest.
The memory areas may not overlap.

Parameters

dest	Buffer to copy into
src	Buffer to copy from
len	Number of Bytes to copy

20.22.2.4 memmove()

```
void* memmove (
    void * dest,
    const void * src,
    size_t n )
```

Copies n bytes from memory area src to memory area dest, areas may overlap

20.22.2.5 memset()

```
void* memset (
    void * s,
    int c,
    size_t n )
```

Fills the memory region **s** with **n** bytes using value **c**

Parameters

s	Buffer to fill
c	char value to fill with (truncated from int)
n	Number of bytes to fill

20.22.2.6 reverse() `char* reverse ( char * s )`

Reverses the characters in a string

Parameters

s	Pointer to string to reverse.

For example 'abcdefg' will become 'gfedcba'.
Banked as the string must be modifiable.
Returns: Pointer to **s**

20.22.2.7 strcat() `char* strcat ( char * s1, const char * s2 )`

Concatenate Strings. Appends string **s2** to the end of string **s1**

Parameters

s1	String to append onto
s2	String to copy from

For example 'abc' and 'def' will become 'abcdef'.
String **s1** must be large enough to store both **s1** and **s2**.
Returns: Pointer to **s1**

20.22.2.8 strlen() `int strlen ( const char * s )`

Calculates the length of a string

Parameters

s	String to calculate length of

Returns: Length of string not including the terminating '\0' character.

20.22.2.9 strncat() `char* strncat ( char * s1, const char * s2, int n )`

Concatenate at most **n** characters from string **s2** onto the end of **s1**.

Parameters

s1	String to append onto
s2	String to copy from
n	Max number of characters to copy from **s2**

String **s1** must be large enough to store both **s1** and **n** characters of **s2**
Returns: Pointer to **s1**

20.22.2.10 strncmp() `int strncmp (`

```
const char * s1,
const char * s2,
int n )
```

Compare strings (at most **n** characters):

Parameters

s1	First string to compare
s2	Second string to compare
n	Max number of characters to compare

Returns zero if the strings are identical, or non-zero if they are not (see below).
Returns:

- $>$ 0 if **s1** $>$ **s2** (at first non-matching byte)
- 0 if **s1** == **s2**
- $<$ 0 if **s1** $<$ **s2** (at first non-matching byte)

20.22.2.11 strncpy() `char* strncpy (`

```
char * s1,
const char * s2,
int n )
```

Copy **n** characters from string **s2** to **s1**

Parameters

s1	String to copy into
s2	String to copy from
n	Max number of characters to copy from **s2**

If **s2** is shorter than **n**, the remaining bytes in **s1** are filled with \0.
Warning: If there is no \0 in the first **n** bytes of **s2** then **s1** will not be null terminated.
Returns: Pointer to **s1**

20.22.2.12 memcmp() `int memcmp (`

```
const void * buf1,
const void * buf2,
size_t count )
```

Compare up to **count** bytes in buffers **buf1** and **buf2**

Parameters

buf1	Pointer to First buffer to compare
buf2	Pointer to Second buffer to compare
count	Max number of bytes to compare

Returns zero if the buffers are identical, or non-zero if they are not (see below).
Returns:

- $>$ 0 if **buf1** $>$ **buf2** (at first non-matching byte)
- 0 if **buf1** == **buf2**
- $<$ 0 if **buf1** $<$ **buf2** (at first non-matching byte)

20.22.3 Variable Documentation

20.22.3.1 c `void c`

20.23 gbdk-lib/include/asm/z80/string.h File Reference

`#include <types.h>`

Functions

- char * strcpy (char *dest, const char *src) OLDCALL
- int strcmp (const char *s1, const char *s2)
- void * memcpy (void *dest, const void *src, size_t len)
- void * memmove (void *dest, const void *src, size_t n) OLDCALL
- void * memset (void *s, int c, size_t n) Z88DK_CALLEE
- char * reverse (char *s) NONBANKED
- char * strcat (char *s1, const char *s2) NONBANKED
- int strlen (const char *s) OLDCALL
- char * strncat (char *s1, const char *s2, int n) NONBANKED
- int strncmp (const char *s1, const char *s2, int n) NONBANKED
- char * strncpy (char *s1, const char *s2, int n) NONBANKED
- int memcmp (const void *buf1, const void *buf2, size_t count) Z88DK_CALLEE

20.23.1 Detailed Description

Generic string functions.

20.23.2 Function Documentation

20.23.2.1 strcpy() `char* strcpy ( char * dest, const char * src )`

Copies the string pointed to by **src** (including the terminating '\0' character) to the array pointed to by **dest**. The strings may not overlap, and the destination string dest must be large enough to receive the copy.

Parameters

dest	Array to copy into
src	Array to copy from

Returns

A pointer to dest

20.23.2.2 strcmp() `int strcmp (`

```
const char * s1,
const char * s2 )
```

Compares strings

Parameters

s1	First string to compare
s2	Second string to compare

Returns:

- $>$ 0 if **s1** $>$ **s2**
- 0 if **s1** == **s2**
- $<$ 0 if **s1** $<$ **s2**

20.23.2.3 memcpy()

```
void* memcpy (
    void * dest,
    const void * src,
    size_t len )
```

Copies n bytes from memory area src to memory area dest.
The memory areas may not overlap.

Parameters

dest	Buffer to copy into
src	Buffer to copy from
len	Number of Bytes to copy

20.23.2.4 memmove()

```
void* memmove (
    void * dest,
    const void * src,
    size_t n )
```

Copies n bytes from memory area src to memory area dest, areas may overlap

20.23.2.5 memset()

```
void* memset (
    void * s,
    int c,
    size_t n )
```

Fills the memory region **s** with **n** bytes using value **c**

Parameters

s	Buffer to fill
c	char value to fill with (truncated from int)
n	Number of bytes to fill

20.23.2.6 reverse()

```
char* reverse (
    char * s )
```

Reverses the characters in a string

Parameters

s	Pointer to string to reverse.

For example 'abcdefg' will become 'gfedcba'.
Banked as the string must be modifiable.
Returns: Pointer to **s**

20.23.2.7 strcat()

```
char* strcat (
    char * s1,
    const char * s2 )
```

Concatenate Strings. Appends string **s2** to the end of string **s1**

Parameters

s1	String to append onto
s2	String to copy from

For example 'abc' and 'def' will become 'abcdef'.
String **s1** must be large enough to store both **s1** and **s2**.
Returns: Pointer to **s1**

20.23.2.8 strlen()

```
int strlen (
    const char * s )
```

Calculates the length of a string

Parameters

s	String to calculate length of

Returns: Length of string not including the terminating '\0' character.

20.23.2.9 strncat()

```
char* strncat (
    char * s1,
    const char * s2,
    int n )
```

Concatenate at most **n** characters from string **s2** onto the end of **s1**.

Parameters

s1	String to append onto
s2	String to copy from
n	Max number of characters to copy from **s2**

String **s1** must be large enough to store both **s1** and **n** characters of **s2**
Returns: Pointer to **s1**

20.23.2.10 strncmp()

```
int strncmp (
    const char * s1,
    const char * s2,
    int n )
```

Compare strings (at most n characters):

Parameters

s1	First string to compare

Parameters

s2	Second string to compare
n	Max number of characters to compare

Returns:

- $>$ 0 if **s1** $>$ **s2**
- 0 if **s1** == **s2**
- $<$ 0 if **s1** $<$ **s2**

20.23.2.11 strncpy() `char* strncpy ( char * s1, const char * s2, int n )`

Copy **n** characters from string **s2** to **s1**

Parameters

s1	String to copy into
s2	String to copy from
n	Max number of characters to copy from **s2**

If **s2** is shorter than **n**, the remaining bytes in **s1** are filled with \0.
Warning: If there is no \0 in the first **n** bytes of **s2** then **s1** will not be null terminated.
Returns: Pointer to **s1**

20.23.2.12 memcmp() `int memcmp ( const void * buf1, const void * buf2, size_t count )`

Compares buffers

Parameters

buf1	First buffer to compare
buf2	Second buffer to compare
count	Buffer length

Returns:

- $>$ 0 if **buf1** $>$ **buf2**
- 0 if **buf1** == **buf2**
- $<$ 0 if **buf1** $<$ **buf2**

20.24 gbdk-lib/include/string.h File Reference

`#include <asm/sm83/string.h>`

20.24.1 Detailed Description

Generic string functions.

20.25 gbdk-lib/include/asm/mos6502/types.h File Reference

Macros

- #define __SIZE_T_DEFINED

Typedefs

- typedef signed char INT8
- typedef unsigned char UINT8
- typedef signed int INT16
- typedef unsigned int UINT16
- typedef signed long INT32
- typedef unsigned long UINT32
- typedef unsigned int size_t
- typedef unsigned int clock_t

20.25.1 Detailed Description

Types definitions for the gb.

20.25.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.25.2.1 __SIZE_T_DEFINED `#define __SIZE_T_DEFINED`

20.25.3 Typedef Documentation

20.25.3.1 INT8 `typedef signed char INT8`

Signed eight bit.

20.25.3.2 UINT8 `typedef unsigned char UINT8`

Unsigned eight bit.

20.25.3.3 INT16 `typedef signed int INT16`

Signed sixteen bit.

20.25.3.4 UINT16 `typedef unsigned int UINT16`

Unsigned sixteen bit.

20.25.3.5 INT32 `typedef signed long INT32`

Signed 32 bit.

20.25.3.6 UINT32 `typedef unsigned long UINT32`

Unsigned 32 bit.

20.25.3.7 size_t `typedef unsigned int size_t`

20.25.3.8 clock_t `typedef unsigned int clock_t`

Returned from clock

See also

clock

20.26 gbdk-lib/include/asm/sm83/types.h File Reference

Macros

- #define __SIZE_T_DEFINED

Typedefs

- typedef signed char INT8
- typedef unsigned char UINT8
- typedef signed int INT16
- typedef unsigned int UINT16
- typedef signed long INT32
- typedef unsigned long UINT32
- typedef unsigned int size_t
- typedef unsigned int clock_t

20.26.1 Detailed Description

Types definitions for the gb.

20.26.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.26.2.1 __SIZE_T_DEFINED `#define __SIZE_T_DEFINED`

20.26.3 Typedef Documentation

20.26.3.1 INT8 `typedef signed char INT8`

Signed eight bit.

20.26.3.2 UINT8 `typedef unsigned char UINT8`

Unsigned eight bit.

20.26.3.3 INT16 `typedef signed int INT16`

Signed sixteen bit.

20.26.3.4 UINT16 `typedef unsigned int UINT16`

Unsigned sixteen bit.

20.26.3.5 INT32 `typedef signed long INT32`

Signed 32 bit.

20.26.3.6 UINT32 `typedef unsigned long UINT32`

Unsigned 32 bit.

20.26.3.7 size_t `typedef unsigned int size_t`

20.26.3.8 clock_t `typedef unsigned int clock_t`

Returned from clock

See also

clock

20.27 gbdk-lib/include/asm/types.h File Reference

`#include <asm/sm83/types.h>`

Data Structures

- union _fixed

Macros

- #define OLDCALL
- #define PRESERVES_REGS(...)
- #define NAKED
- #define SFR
- #define AT(A)
- #define NORETURN
- #define NONBANKED
- #define BANKED
- #define CRITICAL
- #define INTERRUPT

Typedefs

- typedef INT8 BOOLEAN
- typedef INT8 BYTE
- typedef UINT8 UBYTE
- typedef INT16 WORD
- typedef UINT16 UWORD
- typedef INT32 LWORD
- typedef UINT32 ULWORD
- typedef INT32 DWORD
- typedef UINT32 UDWORD
- typedef union _fixed fixed

20.27.1 Detailed Description

Shared types definitions.

20.27.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.27.2.1 OLDCALL `#define OLDCALL`

20.27.2.2 PRESERVES_REGS `#define PRESERVES_REGS( ... )`

20.27.2.3 NAKED `#define NAKED`

20.27.2.4 SFR `#define SFR`

20.27.2.5 AT `#define AT( A )`

20.27.2.6 NORETURN `#define NORETURN`

20.27.2.7 NONBANKED `#define NONBANKED`

20.27.2.8 BANKED `#define BANKED`

20.27.2.9 CRITICAL `#define CRITICAL`

20.27.2.10 INTERRUPT `#define INTERRUPT`

20.27.3 Typedef Documentation

20.27.3.1 BOOLEAN `typedef INT8 BOOLEAN`
TRUE or FALSE.

20.27.3.2 BYTE `typedef INT8 BYTE`
Signed 8 bit.

20.27.3.3 UBYTE `typedef UINT8 UBYTE`
Unsigned 8 bit.

20.27.3.4 WORD `typedef INT16 WORD`
Signed 16 bit

20.27.3.5 UWORD `typedef UINT16 UWORD`
Unsigned 16 bit

20.27.3.6 LWORD `typedef INT32 LWORD`
Signed 32 bit

20.27.3.7 ULWORD `typedef UINT32 ULWORD`
Unsigned 32 bit

20.27.3.8 DWORD `typedef INT32 DWORD`
Signed 32 bit

20.27.3.9 UDWORD `typedef UINT32 UDWORD`
Unsigned 32 bit

20.27.3.10 fixed `typedef union _fixed fixed`
Useful definition for working with 8 bit + 8 bit fixed point values
Use `.w` to access the variable as unsigned 16 bit type.
Use `.b.h` and `.b.l` (or just `.h` and `.l`) to directly access it's high and low unsigned 8 bit values.

20.28 gbdk-lib/include/asm/z80/types.h File Reference

Macros

- #define Z88DK_CALLEE
- #define Z88DK_FASTCALL
- #define __SIZE_T_DEFINED

Typedefs

- typedef signed char INT8
- typedef unsigned char UINT8
- typedef signed int INT16
- typedef unsigned int UINT16
- typedef signed long INT32
- typedef unsigned long UINT32
- typedef unsigned int size_t
- typedef unsigned int clock_t

20.28.1 Detailed Description

Types definitions for the gb.

20.28.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.28.2.1 Z88DK_CALLEE `#define Z88DK_CALLEE`

20.28.2.2 Z88DK_FASTCALL `#define Z88DK_FASTCALL`

20.28.2.3 __SIZE_T_DEFINED `#define __SIZE_T_DEFINED`

20.28.3 Typedef Documentation

20.28.3.1 INT8 `typedef signed char INT8`

Signed eight bit.

20.28.3.2 UINT8 `typedef unsigned char UINT8`

Unsigned eight bit.

20.28.3.3 INT16 `typedef signed int INT16`

Signed sixteen bit.

20.28.3.4 UINT16 `typedef unsigned int UINT16`

Unsigned sixteen bit.

20.28.3.5 INT32 `typedef signed long INT32`

Signed 32 bit.

20.28.3.6 UINT32 `typedef unsigned long UINT32`

Unsigned 32 bit.

20.28.3.7 size_t `typedef unsigned int size_t`

20.28.3.8 clock_t `typedef unsigned int clock_t`

Returned from clock

See also

clock

20.29 gbdk-lib/include/types.h File Reference

```
#include <asm/types.h>
```

Macros

- #define NULL 0
- #define FALSE 0
- #define TRUE 1

Typedefs

- typedef void * POINTER

20.29.1 Detailed Description

Basic types.
Directly include the port specific file.

20.29.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.29.2.1 NULL `#define NULL 0`

Good 'ol NULL.

20.29.2.2 FALSE `#define FALSE 0`

A 'false' value.

20.29.2.3 TRUE `#define TRUE 1`

A 'true' value.

20.29.3 Typedef Documentation

20.29.3.1 POINTER `typedef void* POINTER`

No longer used.

20.30 gbdk-lib/include/assert.h File Reference

Macros

- #define assert(x) ((x) ? (void)0 : __assert(#x, __func__, __FILE__, __LINE__))

Functions

- void __assert (const char *expression, const char *functionname, const char *filename, unsigned int linenumber)

20.30.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.30.1.1 assert `#define assert(`

```
x ) ((x) ?  (void)0 :  __assert(#x, __func__, __FILE__, __LINE__))
```

20.30.2 Function Documentation

20.30.2.1 __assert() `void __assert (`

```
const char * expression,
const char * functionname,
const char * filename,
unsigned int linenumber )
```

20.31 gbdk-lib/include/ctype.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdbool.h>
```

Functions

- bool isalpha (char c)
- bool isupper (char c)
- bool islower (char c)
- bool isdigit (char c)
- bool isspace (char c)
- char toupper (char c)
- char tolower (char c)

20.31.1 Detailed Description

Character type functions.

20.31.2 Function Documentation

20.31.2.1 isalpha() `bool isalpha (`

```
char c )
```

Returns TRUE if the character **c** is a letter (a-z, A-Z), otherwise FALSE

Parameters

c	Character to test

20.31.2.2 isupper() `bool isupper (`

```
char c )
```

Returns TRUE if the character **c** is an uppercase letter (A-Z), otherwise FALSE

Parameters

c	Character to test

20.31.2.3 islower() bool islower (

```
char c )
```

Returns TRUE if the character **c** is a lowercase letter (a-z), otherwise FALSE

Parameters

c	Character to test

20.31.2.4 isdigit() bool isdigit (

```
char c )
```

Returns TRUE if the character **c** is a digit (0-9), otherwise FALSE

Parameters

c	Character to test

20.31.2.5 isspace() bool isspace (

```
char c )
```

Returns TRUE if the character **c** is a space (' '), tab (\t), or newline (\n) character, otherwise FALSE

Parameters

c	Character to test

20.31.2.6 toupper() char toupper (

```
char c )
```

Returns uppercase version of character **c** if it is a letter (a-z), otherwise it returns the input value unchanged.

Parameters

c	Character to test

20.31.2.7 tolower() char tolower (

```
char c )
```

Returns lowercase version of character **c** if it is a letter (A-Z), otherwise it returns the input value unchanged.

Parameters

c	Character to test

20.32 gbdk-lib/include/gb/bcd.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Macros

- #define BCD_HEX(v) ((BCD)(v))
- #define MAKE_BCD(v) BCD_HEX(0x ## v)

Typedefs

- typedef uint32_t BCD

Functions

- void uint2bcd (uint16_t i, BCD *value) OLDCALL
- void bcd_add (BCD *sour, const BCD *value) OLDCALL
- void bcd_sub (BCD *sour, const BCD *value) OLDCALL
- uint8_t bcd2text (const BCD *bcd, uint8_t tile_offset, uint8_t *buffer) OLDCALL

20.32.1 Detailed Description

Support for working with BCD (Binary Coded Decimal)
See the example BCD project for additional details.

20.32.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.32.2.1 BCD_HEX

```
#define BCD_HEX(
        v ) ((BCD)(v))
```

20.32.2.2 MAKE_BCD

```
#define MAKE_BCD(
        v ) BCD_HEX(0x ## v)
```

Converts an integer value into BCD format
A maximum of 8 digits may be used

20.32.3 Typedef Documentation

20.32.3.1 BCD

```
typedef uint32_t BCD
```

20.32.4 Function Documentation

20.32.4.1 uint2bcd()

```
void uint2bcd (
    uint16_t i,
    BCD * value )
```

Converts integer **i** into BCD format (Binary Coded Decimal)

Parameters

i	Numeric value to convert
value	Pointer to a BCD variable to store the converted result

20.32.4.2 bcd_add()

```
void bcd_add (
    BCD * sour,
```

```
const BCD * value )
```

Adds two numbers in BCD format: **sour** += **value**

Parameters

sour	Pointer to a BCD value to add to (and where the result is stored)
value	Pointer to the BCD value to add to **sour**

20.32.4.3 bcd_sub()

```
void bcd_sub (
    BCD * sour,
    const BCD * value )
```

Subtracts two numbers in BCD format: **sour** -= **value**

Parameters

sour	Pointer to a BCD value to subtract from (and where the result is stored)
value	Pointer to the BCD value to subtract from **sour**

20.32.4.4 bcd2text()

```
uint8_t bcd2text (
    const BCD * bcd,
    uint8_t tile_offset,
    uint8_t * buffer )
```

Convert a BCD number into an asciiz (null terminated) string and return the length

Parameters

bcd	Pointer to BCD value to convert
tile_offset	Optional per-character offset value to add (use 0 for none)
buffer	Buffer to store the result in

Returns: Length in characters (always 8)
buffer should be large enough to store the converted string (9 bytes: 8 characters + 1 for terminator)
There are a couple different ways to use **tile_offset**. For example:

- It can be the Index of the Font Tile '0' in VRAM to allow the buffer to be used directly with set_bkg_tiles.
- It can also be set to the ascii value for character '0' so that the buffer is a normal string that can be passed to printf.

20.33 gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/bcd.h File Reference

```
#include <gb/bcd.h>
```

20.34 gbdk-lib/include/sms/bcd.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Macros

- #define BCD_HEX(v) ((BCD)(v))
- #define MAKE_BCD(v) BCD_HEX(0x ## v)

Typedefs

- typedef uint32_t BCD

Functions

- void uint2bcd (uint16_t i, BCD *value)
- void bcd_add (BCD *sour, const BCD *value)
- void bcd_sub (BCD *sour, const BCD *value)
- uint8_t bcd2text (const BCD *bcd, uint8_t tile_offset, uint8_t *buffer)

20.34.1 Detailed Description

Support for working with BCD (Binary Coded Decimal)
See the example BCD project for additional details.

20.34.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.34.2.1 BCD_HEX `#define BCD_HEX( v ) ((BCD)(v))`

20.34.2.2 MAKE_BCD `#define MAKE_BCD( v ) BCD_HEX(0x ## v)`

Converts an integer value into BCD format
A maximum of 8 digits may be used

20.34.3 Typedef Documentation

20.34.3.1 BCD `typedef uint32_t BCD`

20.34.4 Function Documentation

20.34.4.1 uint2bcd() `void uint2bcd ( uint16_t i, BCD * value )`

Converts integer **i** into BCD format (Binary Coded Decimal)

Parameters

i	Numeric value to convert
value	Pointer to a BCD variable to store the converted result

20.34.4.2 bcd_add() `void bcd_add ( BCD * sour, const BCD * value )`

Adds two numbers in BCD format: **sour** += **value**

Parameters

sour	Pointer to a BCD value to add to (and where the result is stored)
value	Pointer to the BCD value to add to **sour**

20.34.4.3 bcd_sub()

```
void bcd_sub (
    BCD * sour,
    const BCD * value )
```

Subtracts two numbers in BCD format: **sour** -= **value**

Parameters

sour	Pointer to a BCD value to subtract from (and where the result is stored)
value	Pointer to the BCD value to subtract from **sour**

20.34.4.4 bcd2text()

```
uint8_t bcd2text (
    const BCD * bcd,
    uint8_t tile_offset,
    uint8_t * buffer )
```

Convert a BCD number into an asciiz (null terminated) string and return the length

Parameters

bcd	Pointer to BCD value to convert
tile_offset	Optional per-character offset value to add (use 0 for none)
buffer	Buffer to store the result in

Returns: Length in characters (always 8)
buffer should be large enough to store the converted string (9 bytes: 8 characters + 1 for terminator)
There are a couple different ways to use **tile_offset**. For example:

- It can be the Index of the Font Tile '0' in VRAM to allow the buffer to be used directly with set_bkg_tiles.
- It can also be set to the ascii value for character '0' so that the buffer is a normal string that can be passed to printf.

20.35 gbdk-lib/include/gb/bgb_emu.h File Reference

```
#include <gbdk/emu_debug.h>
```

20.35.1 Detailed Description

Shim for legacy use of bgb_emu.h which has been migrated to emu_debug.h
See the `emu_debug` example project included with gbdk.

20.36 gbdk-lib/include/gb/cgb.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Macros

- #define RGB(r, g, b) ((uint16_t)((((b) & 0x1f) << 10) | ((uint16_t)(((g) & 0x1f) << 5)) | ((r) & 0x1f)))
- #define RGB8(r, g, b) (((uint16_t)((((b) >> 3) & 0x1f) << 10)) | ((uint16_t)((((g) >> 3) & 0x1f) << 5)) | (((r) >> 3) & 0x1f))
- #define RGBHTML(RGB24bit) (RGB8((((RGB24bit) >> 16) & 0xff), (((RGB24bit) >> 8) & 0xff), ((RGB24bit) & 0xff)))
- #define RGB_RED RGB(31, 0, 0)
- #define RGB_DARKRED RGB(15, 0, 0)
- #define RGB_GREEN RGB(0, 31, 0)
- #define RGB_DARKGREEN RGB(0, 15, 0)
- #define RGB_BLUE RGB(0, 0, 31)
- #define RGB_DARKBLUE RGB(0, 0, 15)
- #define RGB_YELLOW RGB(31, 31, 0)
- #define RGB_DARKYELLOW RGB(21, 21, 0)
- #define RGB_CYAN RGB(0, 31, 31)
- #define RGB_AQUA RGB(28, 5, 22)
- #define RGB_PINK RGB(31, 0, 31)
- #define RGB_PURPLE RGB(21, 0, 21)
- #define RGB_BLACK RGB(0, 0, 0)
- #define RGB_DARKGRAY RGB(10, 10, 10)
- #define RGB_LIGHTGRAY RGB(21, 21, 21)
- #define RGB_WHITE RGB(31, 31, 31)
- #define RGB_LIGHTFLESH RGB(30, 20, 15)
- #define RGB_BROWN RGB(10, 10, 0)
- #define RGB_ORANGE RGB(30, 20, 0)
- #define RGB_TEAL RGB(15, 15, 0)

Typedefs

- typedef uint16_t palette_color_t

Functions

- void set_bkg_palette (uint8_t first_palette, uint8_t nb_palettes, const palette_color_t *rgb_data) OLDCALL
- void set_sprite_palette (uint8_t first_palette, uint8_t nb_palettes, const palette_color_t *rgb_data) OLDCALL
- void set_bkg_palette_entry (uint8_t palette, uint8_t entry, uint16_t rgb_data) OLDCALL
- void set_sprite_palette_entry (uint8_t palette, uint8_t entry, uint16_t rgb_data) OLDCALL
- void cpu_slow (void)
- void cpu_fast (void)
- void set_default_palette (void)
- void cgb_compatibility (void)

20.36.1 Detailed Description

Support for the Color GameBoy (CGB).
Enabling CGB features
To unlock and use CGB features and registers you need to change byte 0143h in the cartridge header. Otherwise, the CGB will operate in monochrome "Non CGB" compatibility mode.

- Use a value of **80h** for games that support CGB and monochrome gameboys
  (with Lcc: **-Wm-yc**, or makebin directly: **-yc**)

- Use a value of **C0h** for CGB only games.
  (with Lcc: **-Wm-yC**, or makebin directly: **-yC**)

See the Pan Docs for more information CGB features.

20.36.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.36.2.1 RGB

```
#define RGB(
        r,
        g,
        b ) ((uint16_t)((((b) & 0x1f) << 10) | ((uint16_t)(((g) & 0x1f) << 5)) | ((r) &
0x1f)))
```

Macro to create a CGB palette color entry out of 5-bit color components.

Parameters

r	5-bit Red Component, range 0 - 31 (31 brightest)
g	5-bit Green Component, range 0 - 31 (31 brightest)
b	5-bit Blue Component, range 0 - 31 (31 brightest)

The resulting format is bitpacked BGR-555 in a uint16_t.

See also

set_bkg_palette(), set_sprite_palette(), RGB8(), RGBHTML()

20.36.2.2 RGB8

```
#define RGB8(
        r,
        g,
        b ) (((uint16_t)((((b) >> 3) & 0x1f) << 10)) | ((uint16_t)((((g) >> 3) & 0x1f)
<< 5)) | (((r) >> 3) & 0x1f))
```

Macro to create a CGB palette color entry out of 8-bit color components.

Parameters

r	8-bit Red Component, range 0 - 255 (255 brightest)
g	8-bit Green Component, range 0 - 255 (255 brightest)
b	8-bit Blue Component, range 0 - 255 (255 brightest)

The resulting format is bitpacked BGR-555 in a uint16_t.
The lowest 3 bits of each color component are dropped during conversion.

See also

set_bkg_palette(), set_sprite_palette(), RGB(), RGBHTML()

20.36.2.3 RGBHTML

```
#define RGBHTML(
        RGB24bit ) (RGB8((((RGB24bit) >> 16) & 0xff), (((RGB24bit) >> 8) & 0xff), ((RGB24bit)
& 0xff)))
```

Macro to convert a 24 Bit RGB color to a CGB palette color entry.

Parameters

RGB24bit	Bit packed RGB-888 color (0-255 for each color component).

The resulting format is bitpacked BGR-555 in a uint16_t.
The lowest 3 bits of each color component are dropped during conversion.

See also

set_bkg_palette(), set_sprite_palette(), RGB(), RGB8()

20.36.2.4 RGB_RED

```
#define RGB_RED RGB(31, 0, 0)
```

Common colors based on the EGA default palette.

20.36.2.5 RGB_DARKRED

```
#define RGB_DARKRED RGB(15, 0, 0)
```

20.36.2.6 RGB_GREEN

```
#define RGB_GREEN RGB( 0, 31, 0)
```

20.36.2.7 RGB_DARKGREEN

```
#define RGB_DARKGREEN RGB( 0, 15, 0)
```

20.36.2.8 RGB_BLUE

```
#define RGB_BLUE RGB( 0, 0, 31)
```

20.36.2.9 RGB_DARKBLUE

```
#define RGB_DARKBLUE RGB( 0, 0, 15)
```

20.36.2.10 RGB_YELLOW

```
#define RGB_YELLOW RGB(31, 31, 0)
```

20.36.2.11 RGB_DARKYELLOW

```
#define RGB_DARKYELLOW RGB(21, 21, 0)
```

20.36.2.12 RGB_CYAN

```
#define RGB_CYAN RGB( 0, 31, 31)
```

20.36.2.13 RGB_AQUA

```
#define RGB_AQUA RGB(28, 5, 22)
```

20.36.2.14 RGB_PINK

```
#define RGB_PINK RGB(31, 0, 31)
```

20.36.2.15 RGB_PURPLE

```
#define RGB_PURPLE RGB(21, 0, 21)
```

20.36.2.16 RGB_BLACK

```
#define RGB_BLACK RGB( 0, 0, 0)
```

20.36.2.17 RGB_DARKGRAY

```
#define RGB_DARKGRAY RGB(10, 10, 10)
```

20.36.2.18 RGB_LIGHTGRAY

```
#define RGB_LIGHTGRAY RGB(21, 21, 21)
```

20.36.2.19 RGB_WHITE

```
#define RGB_WHITE RGB(31, 31, 31)
```

20.36.2.20 RGB_LIGHTFLESH `#define RGB_LIGHTFLESH RGB(30, 20, 15)`

20.36.2.21 RGB_BROWN `#define RGB_BROWN RGB(10, 10, 0)`

20.36.2.22 RGB_ORANGE `#define RGB_ORANGE RGB(30, 20, 0)`

20.36.2.23 RGB_TEAL `#define RGB_TEAL RGB(15, 15, 0)`

20.36.3 Typedef Documentation

20.36.3.1 palette_color_t `typedef uint16_t palette_color_t`

16 bit color entry

20.36.4 Function Documentation

20.36.4.1 set_bkg_palette() `void set_bkg_palette (`

```
uint8_t first_palette,
uint8_t nb_palettes,
const palette_color_t * rgb_data )
```

Set CGB background palette(s).

Parameters

first_palette	Index of the first palette to write (0-7)
nb_palettes	Number of palettes to write (1-8, max depends on first_palette)
rgb_data	Pointer to source palette data

Writes **nb_palettes** to background palette data starting at **first_palette**, Palette data is sourced from **rgb_data**.

- Each Palette is 8 bytes in size: 4 colors x 2 bytes per palette color entry.
- Each color (4 per palette) is packed as BGR-555 format (1:5:5:5, MSBit [15] is unused).
- Each component (R, G, B) may have values from 0 - 31 (5 bits), 31 is brightest.

See also

RGB(), set_bkg_palette_entry()

BKGF_CGB_PAL0, BKGF_CGB_PAL1, BKGF_CGB_PAL2, BKGF_CGB_PAL3

BKGF_CGB_PAL4, BKGF_CGB_PAL5, BKGF_CGB_PAL6, BKGF_CGB_PAL7

20.36.4.2 set_sprite_palette() `void set_sprite_palette (`

```
uint8_t first_palette,
uint8_t nb_palettes,
const palette_color_t * rgb_data )
```

Set CGB sprite palette(s).

Parameters

first_palette	Index of the first palette to write (0-7)
nb_palettes	Number of palettes to write (1-8, max depends on first_palette)
rgb_data	Pointer to source palette data

Writes **nb_palettes** to sprite palette data starting at **first_palette**, Palette data is sourced from **rgb_data**.

- Each Palette is 8 bytes in size: 4 colors x 2 bytes per palette color entry.
- Each color (4 per palette) is packed as BGR-555 format (1:5:5:5, MSBit [15] is unused).
- Each component (R, G, B) may have values from 0 - 31 (5 bits), 31 is brightest.

See also

RGB(), set_sprite_palette_entry()

OAMF_CGB_PAL0, OAMF_CGB_PAL1, OAMF_CGB_PAL2, OAMF_CGB_PAL3

OAMF_CGB_PAL4, OAMF_CGB_PAL5, OAMF_CGB_PAL6, OAMF_CGB_PAL7

20.36.4.3 set_bkg_palette_entry()

```
void set_bkg_palette_entry (
    uint8_t palette,
    uint8_t entry,
    uint16_t rgb_data )
```

Sets a single color in the specified CGB background palette.

Parameters

palette	Index of the palette to modify (0-7)
entry	Index of color in palette to modify (0-3)
rgb_data	New color data in BGR 15bpp format.

See also

set_bkg_palette(), RGB()

BKGF_CGB_PAL0, BKGF_CGB_PAL1, BKGF_CGB_PAL2, BKGF_CGB_PAL3

BKGF_CGB_PAL4, BKGF_CGB_PAL5, BKGF_CGB_PAL6, BKGF_CGB_PAL7

20.36.4.4 set_sprite_palette_entry()

```
void set_sprite_palette_entry (
    uint8_t palette,
    uint8_t entry,
    uint16_t rgb_data )
```

Sets a single color in the specified CGB sprite palette.

Parameters

palette	Index of the palette to modify (0-7)
entry	Index of color in palette to modify (0-3)
rgb_data	New color data in BGR 15bpp format.

See also

set_sprite_palette(), RGB()

OAMF_CGB_PAL0, OAMF_CGB_PAL1, OAMF_CGB_PAL2, OAMF_CGB_PAL3

OAMF_CGB_PAL4, OAMF_CGB_PAL5, OAMF_CGB_PAL6, OAMF_CGB_PAL7

20.36.4.5 cpu_slow() `void cpu_slow ( void )`

Set CPU speed to slow (Normal Speed) operation.
Interrupts are temporarily disabled and then re-enabled during this call.
In this mode the CGB operates at the same speed as the DMG/Pocket/SGB models.

- You can check to see if _cpu == CGB_TYPE before using this function.

See also

cpu_fast()

20.36.4.6 cpu_fast() `void cpu_fast ( void ) [inline]`

Set CPU speed to fast (CGB Double Speed) operation.
On startup the CGB operates in Normal Speed Mode and can be switched into Double speed mode (faster processing but also higher power consumption). See the Pan Docs for more information about which hardware features operate faster and which remain at Normal Speed.

- Interrupts are temporarily disabled and then re-enabled during this call.
- You can check to see if _cpu == CGB_TYPE before using this function.

See also

cpu_slow(), _cpu

20.36.4.7 set_default_palette() `void set_default_palette ( void )`

Sets CGB palette 0 to be compatible with the DMG/GBP.
The default/first CGB palettes for sprites and backgrounds are set to a similar default appearance as on the DMG/↩ Pocket/SGB models. (White, Light Gray, Dark Gray, Black)

- You can check to see if _cpu == CGB_TYPE before using this function.

20.36.4.8 cgb_compatibility() `void cgb_compatibility ( void ) [inline]`

Obsolete. This function has been replaced by set_default_palette(), which has identical behavior.

20.37 gbdk-lib/include/gb/crash_handler.h File Reference

Functions

- void __HandleCrash (void)

20.37.1 Detailed Description

When crash_handler.h is included, a crash dump screen will be displayed if the CPU executes uninitalized memory (with a value of 0xFF, the opcode for RST 38). A handler is installed for RST 38 that calls __HandleCrash().
`#include <gb/crash_handler.h>`
Also see the `crash` example project included with gbdk.

20.37.2 Function Documentation

20.37.2.1 __HandleCrash() `void __HandleCrash (void )`

Display the crash dump screen.
See the intro for this file for more details.

20.38 gbdk-lib/include/gb/drawing.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Macros

- #define GRAPHICS_WIDTH 160
- #define GRAPHICS_HEIGHT 144
- #define SOLID 0x00 /∗ Overwrites the existing pixels ∗/
- #define OR 0x01 /∗ Performs a logical OR ∗/
- #define XOR 0x02 /∗ Performs a logical XOR ∗/
- #define AND 0x03 /∗ Performs a logical AND ∗/
- #define WHITE 0
- #define LTGREY 1
- #define DKGREY 2
- #define BLACK 3
- #define M_NOFILL 0
- #define M_FILL 1
- #define SIGNED 1
- #define UNSIGNED 0

Functions

- void gprint (char ∗str) NONBANKED
- void gprintln (int16_t number, int8_t radix, int8_t signed_value) NONBANKED
- void gprintn (int8_t number, int8_t radix, int8_t signed_value) NONBANKED
- int8_t gprintf (char ∗fmt,...) NONBANKED
- void plot (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t colour, uint8_t mode) OLDCALL
- void plot_point (uint8_t x, uint8_t y) OLDCALL
- void switch_data (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t ∗src, uint8_t ∗dst) OLDCALL
- void draw_image (uint8_t ∗data)
- void line (uint8_t x1, uint8_t y1, uint8_t x2, uint8_t y2) OLDCALL
- void box (uint8_t x1, uint8_t y1, uint8_t x2, uint8_t y2, uint8_t style) OLDCALL
- void circle (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t radius, uint8_t style) OLDCALL
- uint8_t getpix (uint8_t x, uint8_t y) OLDCALL
- void wrtchr (char chr) OLDCALL
- void gotogxy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y) OLDCALL
- void color (uint8_t forecolor, uint8_t backcolor, uint8_t mode) OLDCALL

20.38.1 Detailed Description

All Points Addressable (APA) mode drawing library.
Drawing routines originally by Pascal Felber Legendary overhall by Jon Fuge : https://github.com/jf1452 Commenting by Michael Hope
Note: The standard text printf() and putchar() cannot be used in APA mode - use gprintf() and wrtchr() instead.
Note: Using drawing.h will cause it's custom VBL and LCD ISRs (`drawing_vbl` and `drawing_lcd`) to be installed. Changing the mode (`mode(M_TEXT_OUT);`) will cause them to be de-installed.
The valid coordinate ranges are from (x,y) 0,0 to 159,143. There is no built-in clipping, so drawing outside valid coordinates will likely produce undesired results (wrapping/etc).

Important note for the drawing API :
The Game Boy graphics hardware is not well suited to frame-buffer style graphics such as the kind provided in `drawing.h`. Due to that, **most drawing functions (rectangles, circles, etc) will be slow** . When possible it's much faster and more efficient to work with the tiles and tile maps that the Game Boy hardware is built around.

20.38.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.38.2.1 GRAPHICS_WIDTH `#define GRAPHICS_WIDTH 160`
Size of the screen in pixels

20.38.2.2 GRAPHICS_HEIGHT `#define GRAPHICS_HEIGHT 144`

20.38.2.3 SOLID `#define SOLID 0x00 /* Overwrites the existing pixels */`

20.38.2.4 OR `#define OR 0x01 /* Performs a logical OR */`

20.38.2.5 XOR `#define XOR 0x02 /* Performs a logical XOR */`

20.38.2.6 AND `#define AND 0x03 /* Performs a logical AND */`

20.38.2.7 WHITE `#define WHITE 0`
Possible drawing colours

20.38.2.8 LTGREY `#define LTGREY 1`

20.38.2.9 DKGREY `#define DKGREY 2`

20.38.2.10 BLACK `#define BLACK 3`

20.38.2.11 M_NOFILL `#define M_NOFILL 0`
Possible fill styles for box() and circle()

20.38.2.12 M_FILL `#define M_FILL 1`

20.38.2.13 SIGNED `#define SIGNED 1`

Possible values for signed_value in gprintln() and gprintn()

20.38.2.14 UNSIGNED `#define UNSIGNED 0`

20.38.3 Function Documentation

20.38.3.1 gprint() `void gprint (`

```
char * str )
```

Print the string 'str' with no interpretation

See also

gotogxy()

20.38.3.2 gprintln() `void gprintln (`

```
int16_t number,
int8_t radix,
int8_t signed_value )
```

Print 16 bit **number** in **radix** (base) in the default font at the current text position.

Parameters

number	number to print
radix	radix (base) to print with
signed_value	should be set to SIGNED or UNSIGNED depending on whether the number is signed or not

The current position is advanced by the numer of characters printed.

See also

gotogxy()

20.38.3.3 gprintn() `void gprintn (`

```
int8_t number,
int8_t radix,
int8_t signed_value )
```

Print 8 bit **number** in **radix** (base) in the default font at the current text position.

See also

gprintln(), gotogxy()

20.38.3.4 gprintf() `int8_t gprintf (`

```
char * fmt,
 ... )
```

Print the string and arguments given by **fmt** with arguments __...__

Parameters

fmt	The format string as per printf
...	params

Currently supported:

- %c (character)
- %u (int)
- %d (int8_t)
- %o (int8_t as octal)
- %x (int8_t as hex)
- %s (string)

Returns

Returns the number of items printed, or -1 if there was an error.

See also

gotogxy()

20.38.3.5 plot()

```
void plot (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t colour,
    uint8_t mode )
```

Old style plot - try plot_point()

20.38.3.6 plot_point()

```
void plot_point (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y )
```

Plot a point in the current drawing mode and colour at **x,y**

20.38.3.7 switch_data()

```
void switch_data (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t * src,
    uint8_t * dst )
```

Exchanges the tile on screen at x,y with the tile pointed by src, original tile is saved in dst. Both src and dst may be NULL - saving or copying to screen is not performed in this case.

20.38.3.8 draw_image()

```
void draw_image (
    uint8_t * data )
```

Draw a full screen image at **data**

20.38.3.9 line()

```
void line (
    uint8_t x1,
    uint8_t y1,
    uint8_t x2,
    uint8_t y2 )
```

Draw a line in the current drawing mode and colour from **x1,y1** to **x2,y2**

20.38.3.10 box()

```
void box (
    uint8_t x1,
    uint8_t y1,
    uint8_t x2,
    uint8_t y2,
    uint8_t style )
```

Draw a box (rectangle) with corners **x1,y1** and **x2,y2** using fill mode **style** (one of NOFILL or FILL)

20.38.3.11 circle()

```
void circle (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t radius,
    uint8_t style )
```

Draw a circle with centre at **x,y** and **radius** using fill mode **style** (one of NOFILL or FILL)

20.38.3.12 getpix()

```
uint8_t getpix (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y )
```

Returns the current colour of the pixel at **x,y**

20.38.3.13 wrtchr()

```
void wrtchr (
    char chr )
```

Prints the character **chr** in the default font at the current text position.
The current position is advanced by 1 after the character is printed.

See also

gotogxy()

20.38.3.14 gotogxy()

```
void gotogxy (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y )
```

Sets the current text position to **x,y**.
Note: **x** and **y** have units of tiles (8 pixels per unit)

See also

wrtchr()

20.38.3.15 color()

```
void color (
    uint8_t forecolor,
    uint8_t backcolor,
    uint8_t mode )
```

Set the current **forecolor** colour, **backcolor** colour, and draw **mode**

Parameters

forecolor	The primary drawing color (outlines of rectangles with box(), letter color with gprintf(), etc).
backcolor	Secondary or background color where applicable (fill color of rectangles with box() when M_FILL is specifed, background color of text with gprintf(), etc).
mode	Drawing style to use. Several settings are available SOLID, OR, XOR, AND.

In order to completely overwrite existing pixels use SOLID for **mode**

20.39 gbdk-lib/include/gb/emu_debug.h File Reference

```
#include <gbdk/emu_debug.h>
```

20.39.1 Detailed Description

Shim for legacy use of gb/emu_debug.h which has been migrated to gbdk/emu_debug.h
See the emu_debug example project included with gbdk.

20.40 gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/emu_debug.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
```

Macros

- #define EMU_MESSAGE(message_text) EMU_MESSAGE1(EMU_MACRONAME(__LINE__), message_↩ text)
- #define BGB_MESSAGE(message_text) EMU_MESSAGE(message_text)
- #define EMU_PROFILE_BEGIN(MSG) EMU_MESSAGE_SUFFIX(MSG, "%ZEROCLKS%");
- #define BGB_PROFILE_BEGIN(MSG) EMU_PROFILE_BEGIN(MSG)
- #define EMU_PROFILE_END(MSG) EMU_MESSAGE_SUFFIX(MSG,"%-8+LASTCLKS%");
- #define BGB_PROFILE_END(MSG) EMU_PROFILE_END(MSG)
- #define EMU_TEXT(MSG) EMU_MESSAGE(MSG)
- #define BGB_TEXT(MSG) EMU_TEXT(MSG)
- #define BGB_profiler_message EMU_profiler_message()
- #define BGB_printf(...) EMU_printf(__VA_ARGS__)
- #define EMU_BREAKPOINT __asm__("ld b, b");
- #define BGB_BREAKPOINT EMU_BREAKPOINT

Functions

- void EMU_profiler_message (void)
- void EMU_printf (const char *format,...) PRESERVES_REGS(a
- void EMU_fmtbuf (const unsigned char *format, void *data) PRESERVES_REGS(a

Variables

- void b
- void c

20.40.1 Detailed Description

Debug window logging and profiling support for emulators (BGB, Emulicious, etc).
Also see the `emu_debug` example project included with gbdk.
See the BGB Manual for more information ("expressions, breakpoint conditions, and debug messages") http↩ ://bgb.bircd.org/manual.html#expressions

20.40.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.40.2.1 EMU_MESSAGE `#define EMU_MESSAGE(`

message_text `) EMU_MESSAGE1(EMU_MACRONAME(__LINE__), message_text)`

Macro to display a message in the emulator debug message window

Parameters

message_text	Quoted text string to display in the debug message window

The following special parameters can be used when bracketed with "%" characters.

- CPU registers: AF, BC, DE, HL, SP, PC, B, C, D, E, H, L, A, ZERO, ZF, Z, CARRY, CY, IME, ALLREGS
- Other state values: ROMBANK, XRAMBANK, SRAMBANK, WRAMBANK, VRAMBANK, TOTALCLKS, LAST-CLKS, CLKS2VBLANK

Example: print a message along with the currently active ROM bank.

```
EMU_MESSAGE("Current ROM Bank is: %ROMBANK%");
```

See the BGB Manual for more information ("expressions, breakpoint conditions, and debug messages") http://bgb.bircd.org/manual.html#expressions

See also

EMU_PROFILE_BEGIN(), EMU_PROFILE_END()

20.40.2.2 BGB_MESSAGE `#define BGB_MESSAGE( message_text ) EMU_MESSAGE(message_text)`

20.40.2.3 EMU_PROFILE_BEGIN `#define EMU_PROFILE_BEGIN( MSG ) EMU_MESSAGE_SUFFIX(MSG, "%ZEROCLKS%");`

Macro to **Start** a profiling block for the emulator (BGB, Emulicious, etc)

Parameters

MSG	Quoted text string to display in the debug message window along with the result

To complete the profiling block and print the result call EMU_PROFILE_END.

See also

EMU_PROFILE_END(), EMU_MESSAGE()

20.40.2.4 BGB_PROFILE_BEGIN `#define BGB_PROFILE_BEGIN( MSG ) EMU_PROFILE_BEGIN(MSG)`

20.40.2.5 EMU_PROFILE_END `#define EMU_PROFILE_END( MSG ) EMU_MESSAGE_SUFFIX(MSG,"%-8+LASTCLKS%");`

Macro to **End** a profiling block and print the results in the emulator debug message window

Parameters

MSG	Quoted text string to display in the debug message window along with the result

This should only be called after a previous call to EMU_PROFILE_BEGIN()
The results are in Emulator clock units, which are "1 nop in [CGB] doublespeed mode".
So when running in Normal Speed mode (i.e. non-CGB doublespeed) the printed result should be **divided by 2** to get the actual ellapsed cycle count.
If running in CB Double Speed mode use the below call instead, it correctly compensates for the speed difference. In this scenario, the result does **not need to be divided by 2** to get the ellapsed cycle count.

```
EMU_MESSAGE("NOP TIME: %-4+LASTCLKS%");
```

See also

EMU_PROFILE_BEGIN(), EMU_MESSAGE()

20.40.2.6 BGB_PROFILE_END `#define BGB_PROFILE_END( MSG ) EMU_PROFILE_END(MSG)`

20.40.2.7 EMU_TEXT #define EMU_TEXT(MSG) EMU_MESSAGE(MSG)

20.40.2.8 BGB_TEXT #define BGB_TEXT(MSG) EMU_TEXT(MSG)

20.40.2.9 BGB_profiler_message #define BGB_profiler_message EMU_profiler_message()

20.40.2.10 BGB_printf #define BGB_printf(...) EMU_printf(__VA_ARGS__)

20.40.2.11 EMU_BREAKPOINT #define EMU_BREAKPOINT __asm__("ld b, b");

The Emulator will break into debugger when encounters this line

20.40.2.12 BGB_BREAKPOINT #define BGB_BREAKPOINT EMU_BREAKPOINT

20.40.3 Function Documentation

20.40.3.1 EMU_profiler_message() void EMU_profiler_message (void)

Display preset debug information in the Emulator debug messages window.
This function is equivalent to:

```
EMU_MESSAGE("PROFILE,%(SP+$0)%,%(SP+$1)%,%A%,%TOTALCLKS%,%ROMBANK%,%WRAMBANK%");
```

20.40.3.2 EMU_printf() void EMU_printf (const char * format, ...)

Print the string and arguments given by format to the emulator debug message window

Parameters

format	The format string as per printf

Does not return the number of characters printed. Currently supported:

- %hx (char as hex)
- %hu (unsigned char)
- %hd (signed char)
- %c (character)
- %u (unsigned int)
- %d (signed int)
- %x (unsigned int as hex)
- %s (string)

Warning: to correctly pass chars for printing as chars, they *must* be explicitly re-cast as such when calling the function. See docs_chars_varargs for more details.
Currently supported in the Emulicious emulator

20.40.3.3 EMU_fmtbuf()

```
void EMU_fmtbuf (
    const unsigned char * format,
    void * data )
```

Print the string and arguments in the buffer buffer by the pointer given by format to the emulator debug message window

Parameters

format	The format string as per printf
data	Buffer containing arguments, for example some struct

See also

EMU_printf for the format string description

Currently supported in the Emulicious emulator

20.40.4 Variable Documentation

20.40.4.1 b

```
void b
```

20.40.4.2 c

```
void c
```

20.41 gbdk-lib/include/gb/gb.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
#include <gbdk/version.h>
#include <gb/hardware.h>
```

Data Structures

- struct joypads_t
- struct OAM_item_t

Macros

- #define NINTENDO
- #define SYSTEM_60HZ 0x00
- #define SYSTEM_50HZ 0x01
- #define GAMEBOY
- #define J_UP 0x04U
- #define J_DOWN 0x08U
- #define J_LEFT 0x02U
- #define J_RIGHT 0x01U
- #define J_A 0x10U
- #define J_B 0x20U
- #define J_SELECT 0x40U
- #define J_START 0x80U
- #define M_DRAWING 0x01U
- #define M_TEXT_OUT 0x02U
- #define M_TEXT_INOUT 0x03U
- #define M_NO_SCROLL 0x04U

- #define M_NO_INTERP 0x08U
- #define S_BANK 0x08U
- #define S_PALETTE 0x10U
- #define S_FLIPX 0x20U
- #define S_FLIPY 0x40U
- #define S_PRIORITY 0x80U
- #define S_PAL(n) n
- #define EMPTY_IFLAG 0x00U
- #define VBL_IFLAG 0x01U
- #define LCD_IFLAG 0x02U
- #define TIM_IFLAG 0x04U
- #define SIO_IFLAG 0x08U
- #define JOY_IFLAG 0x10U
- #define DMG_BLACK 0x03
- #define DMG_DARK_GRAY 0x02
- #define DMG_LITE_GRAY 0x01
- #define DMG_WHITE 0x00
- #define DMG_PALETTE(C0, C1, C2, C3) ((uint8_t)((((C3) & 0x03) << 6) | (((C2) & 0x03) << 4) | (((C1) & 0x03) << 2) | ((C0) & 0x03)))
- #define SCREENWIDTH DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH
- #define SCREENHEIGHT DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT
- #define MINWNDPOSX DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_X
- #define MINWNDPOSY DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_Y
- #define MAXWNDPOSX (DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_X + DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH - 1)
- #define MAXWNDPOSY (DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_Y + DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT - 1)
- #define DMG_TYPE 0x01
- #define MGB_TYPE 0xFF
- #define CGB_TYPE 0x11
- #define GBA_NOT_DETECTED 0x00
- #define GBA_DETECTED 0x01
- #define DEVICE_SUPPORTS_COLOR (_cpu == CGB_TYPE)
- #define IO_IDLE 0x00U
- #define IO_SENDING 0x01U
- #define IO_RECEIVING 0x02U
- #define IO_ERROR 0x04U
- #define CURRENT_BANK _current_bank
- #define BANK(VARNAME) ((uint8_t) & __bank_ ## VARNAME)
- #define BANKREF(VARNAME)
- #define BANKREF_EXTERN(VARNAME) extern const void __bank_ ## VARNAME;
- #define SWITCH_ROM(b) (_current_bank = (b), rROMB0 = (b))
- #define SWITCH_RAM(b) (rRAMB = (b))
- #define ENABLE_RAM (rRAMG = 0x0A)
- #define DISABLE_RAM (rRAMG = 0x00)
- #define SWITCH_ROM_MEGADUCK(b) SWITCH_ROM(b)
- #define SWITCH_ROM_MBC1(b) SWITCH_ROM(b)
- #define SWITCH_RAM_MBC1(b) SWITCH_RAM(b)
- #define ENABLE_RAM_MBC1 ENABLE_RAM
- #define DISABLE_RAM_MBC1 DISABLE_RAM
- #define SWITCH_16_8_MODE_MBC1 (*(volatile uint8_t *)0x6000 = 0x00)
- #define SWITCH_4_32_MODE_MBC1 (*(volatile uint8_t *)0x6000 = 0x01)
- #define SWITCH_ROM_MBC5(b) (_current_bank = (b), rROMB1 = 0, rROMB0 = (b))
- #define SWITCH_ROM_MBC5_8M(b) (rROMB1 = ((uint16_t)(b) >> 8), rROMB0 = (b))
- #define SWITCH_RAM_MBC5(b) SWITCH_RAM(b)
- #define ENABLE_RAM_MBC5 ENABLE_RAM
- #define DISABLE_RAM_MBC5 DISABLE_RAM

- #define DISPLAY_ON LCDC_REG|=LCDCF_ON
- #define DISPLAY_OFF display_off();
- #define HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN
- #define SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN
- #define SET_BORDER_COLOR(C)
- #define SHOW_BKG LCDC_REG|=LCDCF_BGON
- #define HIDE_BKG LCDC_REG&=~LCDCF_BGON
- #define SHOW_WIN LCDC_REG|=LCDCF_WINON
- #define HIDE_WIN LCDC_REG&=~LCDCF_WINON
- #define SHOW_SPRITES LCDC_REG|=LCDCF_OBJON
- #define HIDE_SPRITES LCDC_REG&=~LCDCF_OBJON
- #define SPRITES_8x16 LCDC_REG|=LCDCF_OBJ16
- #define SPRITES_8x8 LCDC_REG&=~LCDCF_OBJ16
- #define COMPAT_PALETTE(C0, C1, C2, C3) ((uint8_t)(((C3) << 6) | ((C2) << 4) | ((C1) << 2) | (C0)))
- #define set_bkg_2bpp_data set_bkg_data
- #define set_tile_map set_bkg_tiles
- #define set_tile_submap set_bkg_submap
- #define set_tile_xy set_bkg_tile_xy
- #define set_attribute_xy set_bkg_attribute_xy
- #define set_sprite_2bpp_data set_sprite_data
- #define DISABLE_OAM_DMA _shadow_OAM_base = 0
- #define DISABLE_VBL_TRANSFER DISABLE_OAM_DMA
- #define ENABLE_OAM_DMA _shadow_OAM_base = (uint8_t)((uint16_t)&shadow_OAM >> 8)
- #define ENABLE_VBL_TRANSFER ENABLE_OAM_DMA
- #define MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES 40
- #define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_X 1
- #define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_Y 1
- #define fill_rect fill_bkg_rect

Typedefs

- typedef void(* int_handler) (void) NONBANKED
- typedef struct OAM_item_t OAM_item_t

Functions

- void remove_VBL (int_handler h)
- void remove_LCD (int_handler h)
- void remove_TIM (int_handler h)
- void remove_SIO (int_handler h)
- void remove_JOY (int_handler h)
- void add_VBL (int_handler h)
- void add_LCD (int_handler h)
- void add_TIM (int_handler h)
- void add_low_priority_TIM (int_handler h)
- void add_SIO (int_handler h)
- void add_JOY (int_handler h)
- void nowait_int_handler (void)
- void wait_int_handler (void)
- uint8_t cancel_pending_interrupts (void)
- void mode (uint8_t m)
- uint8_t get_mode (void) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- uint8_t get_system (void)
- void send_byte (void)
- void receive_byte (void)

- void delay (uint16_t d) PRESERVES_REGS(h
- uint8_t joypad (void) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- uint8_t waitpad (uint8_t mask) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void waitpadup (void) PRESERVES_REGS(a
- uint8_t joypad_init (uint8_t npads, joypads_t *joypads) OLDCALL
- void joypad_ex (joypads_t *joypads) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void enable_interrupts (void) PRESERVES_REGS(a
- void disable_interrupts (void) PRESERVES_REGS(a
- void set_interrupts (uint8_t flags) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void reset (void)
- void vsync (void) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void wait_vbl_done (void) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void display_off (void) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void refresh_OAM (void) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void hiramcpy (uint8_t dst, const void *src, uint8_t n) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void set_vram_byte (uint8_t *addr, uint8_t v) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- uint8_t get_vram_byte (uint8_t *addr) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- uint8_t * get_bkg_xy_addr (uint8_t x, uint8_t y) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void set_2bpp_palette (uint16_t palette)
- void set_1bpp_colors_ex (uint8_t fgcolor, uint8_t bgcolor, uint8_t mode) OLDCALL
- void set_1bpp_colors (uint8_t fgcolor, uint8_t bgcolor)
- void set_bkg_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void set_bkg_1bpp_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void get_bkg_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, uint8_t *data) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void set_bkg_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void set_bkg_based_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles, uint8_t base_tile)
- void set_bkg_attributes (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles)
- void set_bkg_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w) OLDCALL
- void set_bkg_based_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w, uint8_t base_tile)
- void set_bkg_submap_attributes (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w)
- void get_bkg_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, uint8_t *tiles) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- uint8_t * set_bkg_tile_xy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t t)
- uint8_t * set_bkg_attribute_xy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t a)
- uint8_t get_bkg_tile_xy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void move_bkg (uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- void scroll_bkg (int8_t x, int8_t y)
- uint8_t * get_win_xy_addr (uint8_t x, uint8_t y) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void set_win_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void set_win_1bpp_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void get_win_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, uint8_t *data) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void set_win_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void set_win_based_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles, uint8_t base_tile)
- void set_win_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w) OLDCALL
- void set_win_based_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w, uint8_t base_tile)
- void get_win_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, uint8_t *tiles) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- uint8_t * set_win_tile_xy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t t)
- uint8_t get_win_tile_xy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void move_win (uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- void scroll_win (int8_t x, int8_t y)
- void set_sprite_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void set_sprite_1bpp_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void get_sprite_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, uint8_t *data) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void SET_SHADOW_OAM_ADDRESS (void *address)

- void set_sprite_tile (uint8_t nb, uint8_t tile)
- uint8_t get_sprite_tile (uint8_t nb)
- void set_sprite_prop (uint8_t nb, uint8_t prop)
- uint8_t get_sprite_prop (uint8_t nb)
- void move_sprite (uint8_t nb, uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- void scroll_sprite (uint8_t nb, int8_t x, int8_t y)
- void hide_sprite (uint8_t nb)
- void set_data (uint8_t *vram_addr, const uint8_t *data, uint16_t len)
- void get_data (uint8_t *data, uint8_t *vram_addr, uint16_t len)
- void vmemcpy (uint8_t *dest, uint8_t *sour, uint16_t len)
- void set_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, uint8_t *vram_addr, const uint8_t *tiles) OLDCALL
- void set_tile_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data, uint8_t base) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void get_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, uint8_t *vram_addr, uint8_t *tiles) OLDCALL
- void set_native_tile_data (uint16_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data)
- void set_bkg_native_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data)
- void set_sprite_native_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data)
- void init_win (uint8_t c) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void init_bkg (uint8_t c) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void vmemset (void *s, uint8_t c, size_t n) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void fill_bkg_rect (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, uint8_t tile) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void fill_win_rect (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, uint8_t tile) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b

Variables

- uint8_t c
- uint8_t d
- uint8_t e
- uint8_t h
- uint8_t l
- uint8_t _cpu
- uint8_t _is_GBA
- volatile uint16_t sys_time
- volatile uint8_t _io_status
- volatile uint8_t _io_in
- volatile uint8_t _io_out
- __REG _current_bank
- void b
- uint16_t _current_1bpp_colors
- uint8_t _map_tile_offset
- uint8_t _submap_tile_offset
- volatile struct OAM_item_t shadow_OAM [ ]
- __REG _shadow_OAM_base

20.41.1 Detailed Description

Gameboy specific functions.

20.41.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.41.2.1 NINTENDO `#define NINTENDO`

20.41.2.2 SYSTEM_60HZ `#define SYSTEM_60HZ 0x00`

20.41.2.3 SYSTEM_50HZ `#define SYSTEM_50HZ 0x01`

20.41.2.4 GAMEBOY `#define GAMEBOY`

20.41.2.5 J_UP `#define J_UP 0x04U`

Joypad bits. A logical OR of these is used in the wait_pad and joypad functions. For example, to see if the B button is pressed try
uint8_t keys; keys = joypad(); if (keys & J_B) { ... }

See also

joypad

20.41.2.6 J_DOWN `#define J_DOWN 0x08U`

20.41.2.7 J_LEFT `#define J_LEFT 0x02U`

20.41.2.8 J_RIGHT `#define J_RIGHT 0x01U`

20.41.2.9 J_A `#define J_A 0x10U`

20.41.2.10 J_B `#define J_B 0x20U`

20.41.2.11 J_SELECT `#define J_SELECT 0x40U`

20.41.2.12 J_START `#define J_START 0x80U`

20.41.2.13 M_DRAWING `#define M_DRAWING 0x01U`

Screen modes. Normally used by internal functions only.

See also

mode()

20.41.2.14 M_TEXT_OUT `#define M_TEXT_OUT 0x02U`

20.41.2.15 M_TEXT_INOUT `#define M_TEXT_INOUT 0x03U`

20.41.2.16 M_NO_SCROLL `#define M_NO_SCROLL 0x04U`

Set this in addition to the others to disable scrolling
If scrolling is disabled, the cursor returns to (0,0)

See also

mode()

20.41.2.17 M_NO_INTERP `#define M_NO_INTERP 0x08U`

Set this to disable interpretation

See also

mode()

20.41.2.18 S_BANK `#define S_BANK 0x08U`

If this bit set clear, the tile from the second VRAM bank is used

See also

set_sprite_prop()

20.41.2.19 S_PALETTE `#define S_PALETTE 0x10U`

If this is set, sprite colours come from OBJ1PAL. Else they come from OBJ0PAL

See also

set_sprite_prop().

20.41.2.20 S_FLIPX `#define S_FLIPX 0x20U`

If set the sprite will be flipped horizontally.

See also

set_sprite_prop()

20.41.2.21 S_FLIPY `#define S_FLIPY 0x40U`

If set the sprite will be flipped vertically.

See also

set_sprite_prop()

20.41.2.22 S_PRIORITY `#define S_PRIORITY 0x80U`

If this bit is clear, then the sprite will be displayed on top of the background and window.

See also

set_sprite_prop()

20.41.2.23 S_PAL `#define S_PAL( n ) n`

Defines how palette number is encoded in OAM. Required for the png2asset tool's metasprite output.

20.41.2.24 EMPTY_IFLAG `#define EMPTY_IFLAG 0x00U`

Disable calling of interrupt service routines

20.41.2.25 VBL_IFLAG `#define VBL_IFLAG 0x01U`

VBlank Interrupt occurs at the start of the vertical blank.
During this period the video ram may be freely accessed.

See also

set_interrupts(),
add_VBL

20.41.2.26 LCD_IFLAG `#define LCD_IFLAG 0x02U`

LCD Interrupt when triggered by the STAT register.

See also

set_interrupts(),
add_LCD

20.41.2.27 TIM_IFLAG `#define TIM_IFLAG 0x04U`

Timer Interrupt when the timer TIMA_REG overflows.

See also

set_interrupts(),
add_TIM

20.41.2.28 SIO_IFLAG `#define SIO_IFLAG 0x08U`

Serial Link Interrupt occurs when the serial transfer has completed.

See also

set_interrupts(),
add_SIO

20.41.2.29 JOY_IFLAG `#define JOY_IFLAG 0x10U`

Joypad Interrupt occurs on a transition of the keypad.

See also

set_interrupts(),
add_JOY

20.41.2.30 DMG_BLACK `#define DMG_BLACK 0x03`

20.41.2.31 DMG_DARK_GRAY `#define DMG_DARK_GRAY 0x02`

20.41.2.32 DMG_LITE_GRAY `#define DMG_LITE_GRAY 0x01`

20.41.2.33 DMG_WHITE `#define DMG_WHITE 0x00`

20.41.2.34 DMG_PALETTE `#define DMG_PALETTE(`

```
    C0,
    C1,
    C2,
    C3 ) ((uint8_t)((((C3) & 0x03) << 6) | (((C2) & 0x03) << 4) | (((C1) & 0x03) <<
2) | ((C0) & 0x03)))
```

Macro to create a DMG palette from 4 colors

Parameters

C0	Color for Index 0
C1	Color for Index 1
C2	Color for Index 2
C3	Color for Index 3

The resulting format is four greyscale colors packed into a single unsigned byte.
Example:

```
BGP_REG = DMG_PALETTE(DMG_BLACK, DMG_DARK_GRAY, DMG_LITE_GRAY, DMG_WHITE);
```

See also

OBP0_REG, OBP1_REG, BGP_REG

DMG_BLACK, DMG_DARK_GRAY, DMG_LITE_GRAY, DMG_WHITE

20.41.2.35 SCREENWIDTH `#define SCREENWIDTH DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH`

Width of the visible screen in pixels.

20.41.2.36 SCREENHEIGHT `#define SCREENHEIGHT DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT`

Height of the visible screen in pixels.

20.41.2.37 MINWNDPOSX `#define MINWNDPOSX DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_X`

The Minimum X position of the Window Layer (Left edge of screen)

See also

move_win()

20.41.2.38 MINWNDPOSY `#define MINWNDPOSY DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_Y`

The Minimum Y position of the Window Layer (Top edge of screen)

See also

move_win()

20.41.2.39 MAXWNDPOSX `#define MAXWNDPOSX (DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_X + DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH - 1)`

The Maximum X position of the Window Layer (Right edge of screen)

See also

move_win()

20.41.2.40 MAXWNDPOSY `#define MAXWNDPOSY (DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_Y + DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT - 1)`

The Maximum Y position of the Window Layer (Bottom edge of screen)

See also

move_win()

20.41.2.41 DMG_TYPE `#define DMG_TYPE 0x01`

Hardware Model: Original GB or Super GB.

See also

_cpu

20.41.2.42 MGB_TYPE `#define MGB_TYPE 0xFF`

Hardware Model: Pocket GB or Super GB 2.

See also

_cpu

20.41.2.43 CGB_TYPE `#define CGB_TYPE 0x11`

Hardware Model: Color GB.

See also

_cpu

20.41.2.44 GBA_NOT_DETECTED `#define GBA_NOT_DETECTED 0x00`

Hardware Model: DMG, CGB or MGB.

See also

_cpu, _is_GBA

20.41.2.45 GBA_DETECTED `#define GBA_DETECTED 0x01`

Hardware Model: GBA.

See also

_cpu, _is_GBA

20.41.2.46 DEVICE_SUPPORTS_COLOR `#define DEVICE_SUPPORTS_COLOR (_cpu == CGB_TYPE)`

Macro returns TRUE if device supports color

20.41.2.47 IO_IDLE `#define IO_IDLE 0x00U`

Serial Link IO is completed

20.41.2.48 IO_SENDING `#define IO_SENDING 0x01U`

Serial Link Sending data

20.41.2.49 IO_RECEIVING `#define IO_RECEIVING 0x02U`

Serial Link Receiving data

20.41.2.50 IO_ERROR `#define IO_ERROR 0x04U`

Serial Link Error

20.41.2.51 CURRENT_BANK `#define CURRENT_BANK _current_bank`

20.41.2.52 BANK `#define BANK(`

```
VARNAME ) ( (uint8_t) & __bank_ ## VARNAME )
```

Obtains the **bank number** of VARNAME

Parameters

VARNAME	Name of the variable which has a __bank_VARNAME companion symbol which is adjusted by bankpack

Use this to obtain the bank number from a bank reference created with BANKREF().

See also

BANKREF_EXTERN(), BANKREF()

20.41.2.53 BANKREF `#define BANKREF(`

```
VARNAME )
```

Value:

```
void __func_ ## VARNAME(void) __banked __naked { \
__asm \
    .local b___func_ ## VARNAME \
    ___bank_ ## VARNAME = b___func_ ## VARNAME \
    .globl ___bank_ ## VARNAME \
__endasm; \
}
```

Creates a reference for retrieving the bank number of a variable or function

Parameters

VARNAME	Variable name to use, which may be an existing identifier

See also

BANK() for obtaining the bank number of the included data.

More than one `BANKREF()` may be created per file, but each call should always use a unique VARNAME.
Use BANKREF_EXTERN() within another source file to make the variable and it's data accesible there.

20.41.2.54 BANKREF_EXTERN `#define BANKREF_EXTERN(`

```
VARNAME ) extern const void __bank_ ## VARNAME;
```

Creates extern references for accessing a BANKREF() generated variable.

Parameters

VARNAME	Name of the variable used with BANKREF()

This makes a BANKREF() reference in another source file accessible in the current file for use with BANK().

See also

BANKREF(), BANK()

20.41.2.55 SWITCH_ROM `#define SWITCH_ROM( b ) (_current_bank = (b), rROMB0 = (b))`

Makes default platform MBC switch the active ROM bank

Parameters

b	ROM bank to switch to (max 255)

- When used with MBC1 the max bank is Bank 31 (512K).
- When used with MBC5 the max bank is Bank 255 (4MB).
- To use the full 8MB size of MBC5 see SWITCH_ROM_MBC5_8M().
- For MBC1 some banks in it's range are unavailable (typically 0x20, 0x40, 0x60).

Note

Using SWITCH_ROM_MBC5_8M() should not be mixed with using SWITCH_ROM_MBC5() and SWITCH_ROM().

See also

SWITCH_ROM_MBC1, SWITCH_ROM_MBC5, SWITCH_ROM_MEGADUCK

20.41.2.56 SWITCH_RAM `#define SWITCH_RAM( b ) (rRAMB = (b))`

Switches SRAM bank on MBC1 and other compatible MBCs

Parameters

b	SRAM bank to switch to

Before switching SRAM banks enable it using ENABLE_RAM

See also

SWITCH_RAM_MBC1, SWITCH_RAM_MBC5

20.41.2.57 ENABLE_RAM `#define ENABLE_RAM (rRAMG = 0x0A)`

Enables SRAM on MBC1 and other compatible MBCs

20.41.2.58 DISABLE_RAM `#define DISABLE_RAM (rRAMG = 0x00)`

Disables SRAM on MBC1 and other compatible MBCs

20.41.2.59 SWITCH_ROM_MEGADUCK `#define SWITCH_ROM_MEGADUCK( b ) SWITCH_ROM(b)`

Makes MEGADUCK MBC switch the active ROM bank

Parameters

b	ROM bank to switch to (max 3 for 64K, or 7 for 128K)

20.41.2.60 SWITCH_ROM_MBC1 `#define SWITCH_ROM_MBC1( b ) SWITCH_ROM(b)`

Makes MBC1 and other compatible MBCs switch the active ROM bank

Parameters

b	ROM bank to switch to

For MBC1 some banks in it's range are unavailable (typically 0x20, 0x40, 0x60).
See pandocs for more details https://gbdev.io/pandocs/MBC1

20.41.2.61 SWITCH_RAM_MBC1 `#define SWITCH_RAM_MBC1( b ) SWITCH_RAM(b)`

Switches SRAM bank on MBC1 and other compatible MBCs

Parameters

b	SRAM bank to switch to

Before switching SRAM banks enable it using ENABLE_RAM

See also

SWITCH_RAM, SWITCH_RAM_MBC5

20.41.2.62 ENABLE_RAM_MBC1 `#define ENABLE_RAM_MBC1 ENABLE_RAM`

Enables SRAM on MBC1

20.41.2.63 DISABLE_RAM_MBC1 `#define DISABLE_RAM_MBC1 DISABLE_RAM`

Disables SRAM on MBC1

20.41.2.64 SWITCH_16_8_MODE_MBC1 `#define SWITCH_16_8_MODE_MBC1 (*(volatile uint8_t *)0x6000 = 0x00)`

20.41.2.65 SWITCH_4_32_MODE_MBC1 `#define SWITCH_4_32_MODE_MBC1 (*(volatile uint8_t *)0x6000 = 0x01)`

20.41.2.66 SWITCH_ROM_MBC5 `#define SWITCH_ROM_MBC5( b ) (_current_bank = (b), rROMB1 = 0, rROMB0 = (b))`

Makes MBC5 switch to the active ROM bank

Parameters

b	ROM bank to switch to (max 255)

Supports up to ROM bank 255 (4 MB).
SWITCH_ROM_MBC5_8M may be used if the full 8MB size is needed.

Note

Using SWITCH_ROM_MBC5_8M() should not be mixed with using SWITCH_ROM_MBC5() and SWITCH_ROM().

Note the order used here. Writing the other way around on a MBC1 always selects bank 1

20.41.2.67 SWITCH_ROM_MBC5_8M `#define SWITCH_ROM_MBC5_8M( b ) (rROMB1 = ((uint16_t)(b) >> 8), rROMB0 = (b))`

Makes MBC5 to switch the active ROM bank using the full 8MB size.

See also

CURRENT_BANK

Parameters

b	ROM bank to switch to

This is an alternate to SWITCH_ROM_MBC5 which is limited to 4MB.
Note:

- Banked SDCC calls are not supported if you use this macro.
- The active bank number is not tracked by CURRENT_BANK if you use this macro.
- Using SWITCH_ROM_MBC5_8M() should not be mixed with using SWITCH_ROM_MBC5() and SWITCH_ROM().

Note the order used here. Writing the other way around on a MBC1 always selects bank 1

20.41.2.68 SWITCH_RAM_MBC5 `#define SWITCH_RAM_MBC5( b ) SWITCH_RAM(b)`

Switches SRAM bank on MBC5

Parameters

b	SRAM bank to switch to

Before switching SRAM banks enable it using ENABLE_RAM

20.41.2.69 ENABLE_RAM_MBC5 `#define ENABLE_RAM_MBC5 ENABLE_RAM`

Enables SRAM on MBC5

20.41.2.70 DISABLE_RAM_MBC5 `#define DISABLE_RAM_MBC5 DISABLE_RAM`

Disables SRAM on MBC5

20.41.2.71 DISPLAY_ON `#define DISPLAY_ON LCDC_REG|=LCDCF_ON`

Turns the display back on.

See also

display_off, DISPLAY_OFF

20.41.2.72 DISPLAY_OFF `#define DISPLAY_OFF display_off();`

Turns the display off
Waits until the VBL before turning the display off.

See also

display_off, DISPLAY_ON

20.41.2.73 HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN `#define HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN`

Does nothing for GB

20.41.2.74 SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN `#define SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN`

Does nothing for GB

20.41.2.75 SET_BORDER_COLOR `#define SET_BORDER_COLOR( C )`

Does nothing for GB

20.41.2.76 SHOW_BKG `#define SHOW_BKG LCDC_REG|=LCDCF_BGON`

Turns on the background layer. Sets bit 0 of the LCDC register to 1.

20.41.2.77 HIDE_BKG `#define HIDE_BKG LCDC_REG&=~LCDCF_BGON`

Turns off the background layer. Sets bit 0 of the LCDC register to 0.

20.41.2.78 SHOW_WIN `#define SHOW_WIN LCDC_REG|=LCDCF_WINON`

Turns on the Window layer Sets bit 5 of the LCDC register to 1.
This only controls Window visibility. If either the Background layer (which the window is part of) or the Display are not turned then the Window contents will not be visible. Those can be turned on using SHOW_BKG and DISPLAY_ON.

20.41.2.79 HIDE_WIN `#define HIDE_WIN LCDC_REG&=~LCDCF_WINON`

Turns off the window layer. Clears bit 5 of the LCDC register to 0.

20.41.2.80 SHOW_SPRITES `#define SHOW_SPRITES LCDC_REG|=LCDCF_OBJON`

Turns on the sprites layer. Sets bit 1 of the LCDC register to 1.

20.41.2.81 HIDE_SPRITES `#define HIDE_SPRITES LCDC_REG&=~LCDCF_OBJON`

Turns off the sprites layer. Clears bit 1 of the LCDC register to 0.

See also

hide_sprite, hide_sprites_range

20.41.2.82 SPRITES_8x16 `#define SPRITES_8x16 LCDC_REG|=LCDCF_OBJ16`

Sets sprite size to 8x16 pixels, two tiles one above the other. Sets bit 2 of the LCDC register to 1.

20.41.2.83 SPRITES_8x8 `#define SPRITES_8x8 LCDC_REG&=~LCDCF_OBJ16`

Sets sprite size to 8x8 pixels, one tile. Clears bit 2 of the LCDC register to 0.

20.41.2.84 COMPAT_PALETTE

```
#define COMPAT_PALETTE(
    C0,
    C1,
    C2,
    C3 ) ((uint8_t)(((C3) << 6) | ((C2) << 4) | ((C1) << 2) | (C0)))
```

20.41.2.85 set_bkg_2bpp_data

```
#define set_bkg_2bpp_data set_bkg_data
```

20.41.2.86 set_tile_map

```
#define set_tile_map set_bkg_tiles
```

20.41.2.87 set_tile_submap

```
#define set_tile_submap set_bkg_submap
```

20.41.2.88 set_tile_xy

```
#define set_tile_xy set_bkg_tile_xy
```

20.41.2.89 set_attribute_xy

```
#define set_attribute_xy set_bkg_attribute_xy
```

20.41.2.90 set_sprite_2bpp_data

```
#define set_sprite_2bpp_data set_sprite_data
```

20.41.2.91 DISABLE_OAM_DMA

```
#define DISABLE_OAM_DMA  _shadow_OAM_base = 0
```

20.41.2.92 DISABLE_VBL_TRANSFER

```
#define DISABLE_VBL_TRANSFER DISABLE_OAM_DMA
```

Disable OAM DMA copy each VBlank

20.41.2.93 ENABLE_OAM_DMA

```
#define ENABLE_OAM_DMA  _shadow_OAM_base = (uint8_t)((uint16_t)&shadow_OAM
>> 8)
```

20.41.2.94 ENABLE_VBL_TRANSFER

```
#define ENABLE_VBL_TRANSFER ENABLE_OAM_DMA
```

Enable OAM DMA copy each VBlank and set it to transfer default shadow_OAM array

20.41.2.95 MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES

```
#define MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES 40
```

Amount of hardware sprites in OAM

20.41.2.96 HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_X

```
#define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_X 1
```

True if sprite hardware can flip sprites by X (horizontally)

20.41.2.97 HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_Y

```
#define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_Y 1
```

True if sprite hardware can flip sprites by Y (vertically)

20.41.2.98 fill_rect

```
#define fill_rect fill_bkg_rect
```

20.41.3 Typedef Documentation

20.41.3.1 int_handler

```
typedef void(* int_handler) (void) NONBANKED
```

Interrupt handlers

20.41.3.2 OAM_item_t `typedef struct OAM_item_t OAM_item_t`

Sprite Attributes structure

Parameters

x	X Coordinate of the sprite on screen
y	Y Coordinate of the sprite on screen
tile	Sprite tile number (see set_sprite_tile)
prop	OAM Property Flags (see set_sprite_prop)

20.41.4 Function Documentation

20.41.4.1 remove_VBL() `void remove_VBL ( int_handler h )`

The remove functions will remove any interrupt handler.
A handler of NULL will cause bad things to happen if the given interrupt is enabled.
Removes the VBL interrupt handler.

See also

add_VBL()

Removes the VBL interrupt handler.

See also

add_VBL()

20.41.4.2 remove_LCD() `void remove_LCD ( int_handler h )`

Removes the LCD interrupt handler.

See also

add_LCD(), remove_VBL()

20.41.4.3 remove_TIM() `void remove_TIM ( int_handler h )`

Removes the TIM interrupt handler.

See also

add_TIM(), remove_VBL()

20.41.4.4 remove_SIO() `void remove_SIO ( int_handler h )`

Removes the Serial Link / SIO interrupt handler.

See also

add_SIO(),

remove_VBL()

The default SIO ISR gets installed automatically if any of the standard SIO calls are used (send_byte(), receive_byte()).
Once installed the default SIO ISR cannot be removed. Only secondary chained SIO ISRs (added with add_SIO()) can be removed.

20.41.4.5 remove_JOY() `void remove_JOY (`

`int_handler h )`

Removes the JOY interrupt handler.

See also

add_JOY(), remove_VBL()

20.41.4.6 add_VBL() `void add_VBL (`

`int_handler h )`

Adds a Vertical Blanking interrupt handler.

Parameters

h	The handler to be called whenever a V-blank interrupt occurs.

Up to 4 handlers may be added, with the last added being called last.
Do not use the function definition attributes CRITICAL and INTERRUPT when declaring ISR functions added via add_VBL() (or LCD, etc). Those attributes are only required when constructing a bare jump from the interrupt vector itself (such as with ISR_VECTOR()).
ISR handlers added using add_VBL()/etc are instead called via the GBDK ISR dispatcher which makes the extra function attributes unecessary.

Note

The default GBDK VBL is installed automatically.

See also

ISR_VECTOR()

Adds a V-blank interrupt handler.

20.41.4.7 add_LCD() `void add_LCD (`

`int_handler h )`

Adds a LCD interrupt handler.
Called when the LCD interrupt occurs.
Up to 3 handlers may be added, with the last added being called last.
There are various sources controlled by the STAT_REG register ($FF41) which can trigger this interrupt. Common examples include triggering on specific scanlines using LY_REG == LYC_REG. Another is applying graphics effects on a per-scanline basis such as modifying the X and Y scroll registers (SCX_REG / SCY_REG registers).

Note

LYC may not trigger with scanline 0 in the same way as other scanlines due to particular behavior with scanlines 153 and 0. Instead, using an add_VBL() interrupt handler for start of frame behavior may be more suitable.

Do not use the function definition attributes CRITICAL and INTERRUPT when declaring ISR functions added via add_VBL() (or LCD, etc). Those attributes are only required when constructing a bare jump from the interrupt vector itself (such as with ISR_VECTOR()).
ISR handlers added using add_VBL/LCD/etc are instead called via the GBDK ISR dispatcher which makes the extra function attributes unecessary.
If this ISR is to be called once per each scanline then make sure that the time it takes to execute is less than the duration of a scanline.

See also

add_VBL, nowait_int_handler, ISR_VECTOR()

Adds a LCD interrupt handler.

20.41.4.8 add_TIM() `void add_TIM (`

`int_handler h )`

Adds a timer interrupt handler.
Can not be used together with add_low_priority_TIM
This interrupt occurs when the TIMA_REG register ($FF05) changes from $FF to $00.
Up to 4 handlers may be added, with the last added being called last.

See also

add_VBL

set_interrupts() with TIM_IFLAG, ISR_VECTOR()

20.41.4.9 add_low_priority_TIM() `void add_low_priority_TIM (`

`int_handler h )`

Adds a timer interrupt handler, that could be interrupted by the other interrupts, as well as itself, if it runs too slow.
Can not be used together with add_TIM
This interrupt occurs when the TIMA_REG register ($FF05) changes from $FF to $00.
Up to 4 handlers may be added, with the last added being called last.

See also

add_VBL

set_interrupts() with TIM_IFLAG, ISR_VECTOR()

20.41.4.10 add_SIO() `void add_SIO (`

`int_handler h )`

Adds a Serial Link transmit complete interrupt handler.
This interrupt occurs when a serial transfer has completed on the game link port.
Up to 4 handlers may be added, with the last added being called last.
The default SIO ISR gets installed automatically if any of the standard SIO calls are used (send_byte(), receive_byte()).

See also

send_byte, receive_byte(), add_VBL()

set_interrupts() with SIO_IFLAG

20.41.4.11 add_JOY() `void add_JOY (`

`int_handler h )`

Adds a joypad button change interrupt handler.
This interrupt occurs on a transition of any of the keypad input lines from high to low, if the relevant P1_REG bits 4 or 5 are set.
For details about configuring flags or reading the data see: https://gbdev.io/pandocs/Interrupt_Sources.html#int-60-joypad-interrupt https://gbdev.io/pandocs/Joypad_Input.html#ff00-p1joyp-joypad
Due to the fact that keypad "bounce" is virtually always present, software should expect this interrupt to occur one or more times for every button press and one or more times for every button release.
Up to 4 handlers may be added, with the last added being called last.
An example use of this is allowing the user to trigger an exit from the lower-power STOP cpu state.

See also

joypad(), add_VBL(), IEF_HILO, P1F_5, P1F_4, P1F_3, P1F_2, P1F_1, P1F_0, P1F_GET_DPAD, P1F_GET_BTN, P1F_GET_NONE

20.41.4.12 nowait_int_handler() `void nowait_int_handler (`

`void )`

Interrupt handler chain terminator that does **not** wait for .STAT
You must add this handler last in every interrupt handler chain if you want to change the default interrupt handler behaviour that waits for LCD controller mode to become 1 or 0 before return from the interrupt.
Example:

```
CRITICAL {
    add_SIO(nowait_int_handler); // Disable wait on VRAM state before returning from SIO interrupt
}
```

See also

wait_int_handler()

20.41.4.13 wait_int_handler() `void wait_int_handler (`

`void )`

Default Interrupt handler chain terminator that waits for

See also

STAT_REG and **only** returns at the BEGINNING of either Mode 0 or Mode 1.

Used by default at the end of interrupt chains to help prevent graphical glitches. The glitches are caused when an ISR interrupts a graphics operation in one mode but returns in a different mode for which that graphics operation is not allowed.

See also

nowait_int_handler()

20.41.4.14 cancel_pending_interrupts() `uint8_t cancel_pending_interrupts (`

`void ) [inline]`

Cancel pending interrupts

20.41.4.15 mode() `void mode (`

`uint8_t m )`

Set the current screen mode - one of M_∗ modes
Normally used by internal functions only.

See also

M_DRAWING, M_TEXT_OUT, M_TEXT_INOUT, M_NO_SCROLL, M_NO_INTERP

20.41.4.16 get_mode() `uint8_t get_mode (`

`void )`

Returns the current mode

See also

M_DRAWING, M_TEXT_OUT, M_TEXT_INOUT, M_NO_SCROLL, M_NO_INTERP

20.41.4.17 get_system() `uint8_t get_system (`

`void ) [inline]`

Returns the system gbdk is running on.

See also

SYSTEM_50HZ, SYSTEM_60HZ, SYSTEM_BITS_DENDY, SYSTEM_BITS_NTSC, SYSTEM_BITS_PAL, SYSTEM_NTSC SYSTEM_PAL

20.41.4.18 send_byte() `void send_byte (`

`void )`

Serial Link: Send the byte in _io_out out through the serial port
Make sure to enable interrupts for the Serial Link before trying to transfer data.

See also

add_SIO(), remove_SIO()

set_interrupts() with SIO_IFLAG

20.41.4.19 receive_byte() `void receive_byte (`

`void )`

Serial Link: Receive a byte from the serial port into _io_in
Make sure to enable interrupts for the Serial Link before trying to transfer data.

See also

add_SIO(), remove_SIO()

set_interrupts() with SIO_IFLAG

20.41.4.20 delay() `void delay (`

`uint16_t d )`

Delays the given number of milliseconds. Uses no timers or interrupts, and can be called with interrupts disabled

20.41.4.21 joypad() `uint8_t joypad (`

`void )`

Reads and returns the current state of the joypad. Follows Nintendo's guidelines for reading the pad. Return value is an OR of J_∗
When testing for multiple different buttons, it's best to read the joypad state *once* into a variable and then test using that variable.

See also

J_START, J_SELECT, J_A, J_B, J_UP, J_DOWN, J_LEFT, J_RIGHT

20.41.4.22 waitpad() `uint8_t waitpad (`

`uint8_t mask )`

Waits until at least one of the buttons given in mask are pressed.

Parameters

mask	Bitmask indicating which buttons to wait for

Normally only used for checking one key, but it will support many, even J_LEFT at the same time as J_RIGHT. :)

Note

Checks in a loop that doesn't HALT at all, so the CPU will be maxed out until this call returns.

See also

joypad

J_START, J_SELECT, J_A, J_B, J_UP, J_DOWN, J_LEFT, J_RIGHT

20.41.4.23 waitpadup() `void waitpadup ( void )`

Waits for the directional pad and all buttons to be released.

Note

Checks in a loop that doesn't HALT at all, so the CPU will be maxed out until this call returns.

20.41.4.24 joypad_init() `uint8_t joypad_init ( uint8_t npads, joypads_t * joypads )`

Initializes joypads_t structure for polling multiple joypads (for the GB and ones connected via SGB)

Parameters

npads	number of joypads requested (1, 2 or 4)
joypads	pointer to joypads_t structure to be initialized

Only required for joypad_ex, not required for calls to regular joypad()

Returns

number of joypads avaliable

See also

joypad_ex(), joypads_t

20.41.4.25 joypad_ex() `void joypad_ex ( joypads_t * joypads )`

Polls all avaliable joypads (for the GB and ones connected via SGB)

Parameters

joypads	pointer to joypads_t structure to be filled with joypad statuses, must be previously initialized with joypad_init()

See also

joypad_init(), joypads_t

20.41.4.26 enable_interrupts() `void enable_interrupts ( void ) [inline]`

Enables unmasked interrupts

Note

Use CRITICAL {...} instead for creating a block of of code which should execute with interrupts temporarily turned off.

See also

disable_interrupts, set_interrupts, CRITICAL

20.41.4.27 disable_interrupts() `void disable_interrupts (`

`void ) [inline]`

Disables interrupts

Note

Use CRITICAL {...} instead for creating a block of of code which should execute with interrupts temporarily turned off.

This function may be called as many times as you like; however the first call to enable_interrupts will re-enable them.

See also

enable_interrupts, set_interrupts, CRITICAL

20.41.4.28 set_interrupts() `void set_interrupts (`

`uint8_t flags )`

Clears any pending interrupts and sets the interrupt mask register IO to flags.

Parameters

flags	A logical OR of *_IFLAGS

Note

This disables and then re-enables interrupts so it must be used outside of a critical section.

See also

enable_interrupts(), disable_interrupts()

VBL_IFLAG, LCD_IFLAG, TIM_IFLAG, SIO_IFLAG, JOY_IFLAG

20.41.4.29 reset() `void reset (`

`void )`

Performs a soft reset.
For the Game Boy and related it does this by jumping to address 0x0150 which is in crt0.s (the c-runtime that executes before main() is called).
This performs various startup steps such as resetting the stack, clearing WRAM and OAM, resetting initialized variables and some display registers (scroll, window, LCDC), etc.
This is not the same a hard power reset.

20.41.4.30 vsync() `void vsync (`

`void )`

HALTs the CPU and waits for the vertical blank interrupt and then returns when all registered VBL ISRs have completed.
This is often used in main loops to idle the CPU at low power until it's time to start the next frame. It's also useful for syncing animation with the screen re-draw.
Warning: If the VBL interrupt is disabled, this function will never return. If the screen is off this function returns immediately.

20.41.4.31 wait_vbl_done() `void wait_vbl_done (`

`void )`

Obsolete. This function has been replaced by vsync(), which has identical behavior.

20.41.4.32 display_off() `void display_off (`

```
void )
```

Turns the display off.
Waits until the VBL before turning the display off.

See also

DISPLAY_ON

20.41.4.33 refresh_OAM() `void refresh_OAM (`

```
void )
```

Copies data from shadow OAM to OAM

20.41.4.34 hiramcpy() `void hiramcpy (`

```
uint8_t dst,
const void * src,
uint8_t n )
```

Copies data from somewhere in the lower address space to part of hi-ram.

Parameters

dst	Offset in high ram (0xFF00 and above) to copy to.
src	Area to copy from
n	Number of bytes to copy.

20.41.4.35 set_vram_byte() `void set_vram_byte (`

```
uint8_t * addr,
uint8_t v )
```

Set byte in vram at given memory location

Parameters

addr	address to write to
v	value

20.41.4.36 get_vram_byte() `uint8_t get_vram_byte (`

```
uint8_t * addr )
```

Get byte from vram at given memory location

Parameters

addr	address to read from

Returns

read value

Note

In general **avoid reading from VRAM** since that memory is not accessible at all times. It is also not supported by GBDK on the NES platform. See coding guidelines for more details.

20.41.4.37 get_bkg_xy_addr() uint8_t* get_bkg_xy_addr (

```
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y )
```

Get address of X,Y tile of background map

20.41.4.38 set_2bpp_palette() void set_2bpp_palette (

```
uint16_t palette )  [inline]
```

Sets palette for 2bpp color translation for GG/SMS, does nothing on GB

20.41.4.39 set_1bpp_colors_ex() void set_1bpp_colors_ex (

```
uint8_t fgcolor,
uint8_t bgcolor,
uint8_t mode )
```

Sets the Foreground and Background colors used by the set_*_1bpp_*() functions

Parameters

fgcolor	Foreground color
bgcolor	Background color
mode	Draw Mode

See set_1bpp_colors for details.

20.41.4.40 set_1bpp_colors() void set_1bpp_colors (

```
uint8_t fgcolor,
uint8_t bgcolor )  [inline]
```

Sets the Foreground and Background colors used by the set_*_1bpp_*() functions

Parameters

fgcolor	Foreground color to use
bgcolor	Background color to use

The default colors are:

- Foreground: DMG_BLACK
- Background: DMG_WHITE

Example:

```
// Use DMG_BLACK as the Foreground color and DMG_LITE_GRAY
// as the Background color when loading 1bpp tile data.
set_1bpp_colors(DMG_BLACK, DMG_LITE_GRAY);
```

See also

DMG_BLACK, DMG_DARK_GRAY, DMG_LITE_GRAY, DMG_WHITE

set_bkg_1bpp_data, set_win_1bpp_data, set_sprite_1bpp_data

20.41.4.41 set_bkg_data() void set_bkg_data (

```
uint8_t first_tile,
uint8_t nb_tiles,
const uint8_t * data )
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for the Background / Window

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write

Parameters

nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to (2 bpp) source tile data

Writes **nb_tiles** tiles to VRAM starting at **first_tile**, tile data is sourced from **data**. Each Tile is 16 bytes in size (8x8 pixels, 2 bits-per-pixel).

Note

Sprite Tiles 128-255 share the same memory region as Background Tiles 128-255.

GBC only: VBK_REG determines which bank of tile patterns are written to.

- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_0 indicates the first bank
- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_1 indicates the second

See also

set_win_data, set_tile_data

20.41.4.42 set_bkg_1bpp_data()

```
void set_bkg_1bpp_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    const uint8_t * data )
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for the Background / Window using 1bpp source data

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first Tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of Tiles to write
data	Pointer to (1bpp) source Tile Pattern data

Similar to set_bkg_data, except source data is 1 bit-per-pixel which gets expanded into 2 bits-per-pixel.
For a given bit that represent a pixel:

- 0 will be expanded into the Background color
- 1 will be expanded into the Foreground color

See set_1bpp_colors for details about setting the Foreground and Background colors.

See also

SHOW_BKG, HIDE_BKG, set_bkg_tiles

set_win_1bpp_data, set_sprite_1bpp_data

20.41.4.43 get_bkg_data()

```
void get_bkg_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    uint8_t * data )
```

Copies from Background / Window VRAM Tile Pattern data into a buffer

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first Tile to read from
nb_tiles	Number of Tiles to read
data	Pointer to destination buffer for Tile Pattern data

Note

In general **avoid reading from VRAM** since that memory is not accessible at all times. It is also not supported by GBDK on the NES platform. See coding guidelines for more details.

Copies **nb_tiles** tiles from VRAM starting at **first_tile**, Tile data is copied into **data**.
Each Tile is 16 bytes, so the buffer pointed to by **data** should be at least **nb_tiles** x 16 bytes in size.

See also

get_win_data, get_data

20.41.4.44 set_bkg_tiles()

```
void set_bkg_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles )
```

Sets a rectangular region of Background Tile Map.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
tiles	Pointer to source tile map data

Entries are copied from map at **tiles** to the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles.
Use set_bkg_submap() instead when:

- Source map is wider than 32 tiles.
- Writing a width that does not match the source map width **and** more than one row high at a time.

One byte per source tile map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.

Note

Patterns 128-255 overlap with patterns 128-255 of the sprite Tile Pattern table.

GBC only: VBK_REG determines whether Tile Numbers or Tile Attributes get set.

- VBK_REG = VBK_TILES Tile Numbers are written
- VBK_REG = VBK_ATTRIBUTES Tile Attributes are written

GBC Tile Attributes are defined as:

- Bit 7 - Priority flag. When this is set, it puts the tile above the sprites with colour 0 being transparent.
  0: Below sprites
  1: Above sprites
  Note: SHOW_BKG needs to be set for these priorities to take place.
- Bit 6 - Vertical flip. Dictates which way up the tile is drawn vertically.
  0: Normal
  1: Flipped Vertically
- Bit 5 - Horizontal flip. Dictates which way up the tile is drawn horizontally.
  0: Normal
  1: Flipped Horizontally

- Bit 4 - Not used
- Bit 3 - Character Bank specification. Dictates from which bank of Background Tile Patterns the tile is taken.
  0: Bank 0
  1: Bank 1
- Bit 2 - See bit 0.
- Bit 1 - See bit 0.
- Bit 0 - Bits 0-2 indicate which of the 7 BKG colour palettes the tile is assigned.

See also

SHOW_BKG

set_bkg_data, set_bkg_submap, set_win_tiles, set_tiles

20.41.4.45 set_bkg_based_tiles()

```
void set_bkg_based_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles,
    uint8_t base_tile )  [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular region of Background Tile Map. The offset value in **base_tile** is added to the tile ID for each map entry.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
tiles	Pointer to source tile map data
base_tile	Offset each tile ID entry of the source map by this value. Range 1 - 255

This is identical to set_bkg_tiles() except that it adds the **base_tile** parameter for when a tile map's tiles don't start at index zero. (For example, the tiles used by the map range from 100 -> 120 in VRAM instead of 0 -> 20).

See also

set_bkg_tiles for more details

20.41.4.46 set_bkg_attributes()

```
void set_bkg_attributes (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles )  [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular region of Background Tile Map Attributes.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31

Parameters

w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
tiles	Pointer to source tile map attribute data

Entries are copied from map at **tiles** to the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles.
Use set_bkg_submap_attributes() instead when:

- Source map is wider than 32 tiles.
- Writing a width that does not match the source map width **and** more than one row high at a time.

One byte per source tile map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.
GBC Tile Attributes are defined as:

- Bit 7 - Priority flag. When this is set, it puts the tile above the sprites with colour 0 being transparent.
  0: Below sprites
  1: Above sprites
  Note: SHOW_BKG needs to be set for these priorities to take place.
- Bit 6 - Vertical flip. Dictates which way up the tile is drawn vertically.
  0: Normal
  1: Flipped Vertically
- Bit 5 - Horizontal flip. Dictates which way up the tile is drawn horizontally.
  0: Normal
  1: Flipped Horizontally
- Bit 4 - Not used
- Bit 3 - Character Bank specification. Dictates from which bank of Background Tile Patterns the tile is taken.
  0: Bank 0
  1: Bank 1
- Bit 2 - See bit 0.
- Bit 1 - See bit 0.
- Bit 0 - Bits 0-2 indicate which of the 7 BKG colour palettes the tile is assigned.

See also

SHOW_BKG

set_bkg_data, set_bkg_submap_attributes, set_win_tiles, set_tiles

Note

On the Game Boy this is only usable in Game Boy Color mode

20.41.4.47 set_bkg_submap()

```
void set_bkg_submap (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * map,
    uint8_t map_w )  [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular area of the Background Tile Map using a sub-region from a source tile map. Useful for scrolling implementations of maps larger than 32 x 32 tiles.

Parameters

x	X Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
y	Y Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
map	Pointer to source tile map data
map_w	Width of source tile map in tiles. Range 1 - 255

Entries are copied from **map** to the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles, using **map_w** as the rowstride for the source tile map.
The **x** and **y** parameters are in Source Tile Map tile coordinates. The location tiles will be written to on the hardware Background Map is derived from those, but only uses the lower 5 bits of each axis, for range of 0-31 (they are bit-masked: `x & 0x1F` and `y & 0x1F`). As a result the two coordinate systems are aligned together.
In order to transfer tile map data in a way where the coordinate systems are not aligned, an offset from the Source Tile Map pointer can be passed in: `(map_ptr + x + (y * map_width))`.
For example, if you want the tile id at `1,2` from the source map to show up at `0,0` on the hardware Background Map (instead of at `1,2`) then modify the pointer address that is passed in: `map_ptr + 1 + (2 * map_width)`
Use this instead of set_bkg_tiles when the source map is wider than 32 tiles or when writing a width that does not match the source map width.
One byte per source tile map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.
See set_bkg_tiles for setting CGB attribute maps with VBK_REG.

See also

SHOW_BKG

set_bkg_data, set_bkg_tiles, set_win_submap, set_tiles

20.41.4.48 set_bkg_based_submap()

```
void set_bkg_based_submap (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * map,
    uint8_t map_w,
    uint8_t base_tile )  [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular area of the Background Tile Map using a sub-region from a source tile map. The offset value in **base_tile** is added to the tile ID for each map entry.

Parameters

x	X Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
y	Y Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
map	Pointer to source tile map data
map_w	Width of source tile map in tiles. Range 1 - 255
base_tile	Offset each tile ID entry of the source map by this value. Range 1 - 255

This is identical to set_bkg_submap() except that it adds the **base_tile** parameter for when a tile map's tiles don't start at index zero. (For example, the tiles used by the map range from 100 -> 120 in VRAM instead of 0 -> 20).

See also

set_bkg_submap for more details

20.41.4.49 set_bkg_submap_attributes()

```
void set_bkg_submap_attributes (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * map,
    uint8_t map_w )  [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular area of the Background Tile Map Attributes using a sub-region from a source tile attribute map. Useful for scrolling implementations of maps larger than 32 x 32 tiles.

Parameters

x	X Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
y	Y Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
map	Pointer to source tile map attribute data
map_w	Width of source tile map in tiles. Range 1 - 255

Entries are copied from **map** to the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles, using **map_w** as the rowstride for the source tile map.
The **x** and **y** parameters are in Source Tile Map tile coordinates. The location tiles will be written to on the hardware Background Map is derived from those, but only uses the lower 5 bits of each axis, for range of 0-31 (they are bit-masked: `x & 0x1F` and `y & 0x1F`). As a result the two coordinate systems are aligned together.
In order to transfer tile map data in a way where the coordinate systems are not aligned, an offset from the Source Tile Map pointer can be passed in: `(map_ptr + x + (y * map_width))`.
For example, if you want the tile id at `1,2` from the source map to show up at `0,0` on the hardware Background Map (instead of at `1,2`) then modify the pointer address that is passed in: `map_ptr + 1 + (2 * map_width)`
Use this instead of set_bkg_tiles when the source map is wider than 32 tiles or when writing a width that does not match the source map width.
One byte per source tile map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.
See set_bkg_tiles for setting CGB attribute maps with VBK_REG.

See also

SHOW_BKG

set_bkg_data, set_bkg_attributes, set_win_submap, set_tiles

Note

On the Game Boy this is only usable in Game Boy Color mode

20.41.4.50 get_bkg_tiles()

```
void get_bkg_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
```

```
uint8_t y,
uint8_t w,
uint8_t h,
uint8_t * tiles )
```

Copies a rectangular region of Background Tile Map entries into a buffer.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to copy in tiles. Range 0 - 31
h	Height of area to copy in tiles. Range 0 - 31
tiles	Pointer to destination buffer for Tile Map data

Note

In general **avoid reading from VRAM** since that memory is not accessible at all times. It is also not supported by GBDK on the NES platform. See coding guidelines for more details.

Entries are copied into **tiles** from the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** reading across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles.
One byte per tile.
The buffer pointed to by **tiles** should be at least **x** x **y** bytes in size.

See also

get_win_tiles, get_bkg_tile_xy, get_tiles, get_vram_byte

20.41.4.51 set_bkg_tile_xy()

```
uint8_t* set_bkg_tile_xy (
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y,
uint8_t t )
```

Set single tile t on background layer at x,y

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate
t	tile index

Returns

returns the address of tile, so you may use faster set_vram_byte() later

20.41.4.52 set_bkg_attribute_xy()

```
uint8_t* set_bkg_attribute_xy (
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y,
uint8_t a ) [inline]
```

Set single attribute data a on background layer at x,y

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate
a	tile attributes

Returns

returns the address of tile attribute, so you may use faster set_vram_byte() later

Note

On the Game Boy this is only usable in Game Boy Color mode

20.41.4.53 get_bkg_tile_xy()

```
uint8_t get_bkg_tile_xy (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y )
```

Get single tile t on background layer at x,y

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate

Returns

returns tile index

Note

In general **avoid reading from VRAM** since that memory is not accessible at all times. It is also not supported by GBDK on the NES platform. See coding guidelines for more details.

20.41.4.54 move_bkg()

```
void move_bkg (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves the Background Layer to the position specified in **x** and **y** in pixels.

Parameters

x	X axis screen coordinate for Left edge of the Background
y	Y axis screen coordinate for Top edge of the Background

0,0 is the top left corner of the GB screen. The Background Layer wraps around the screen, so when part of it goes off the screen it appears on the opposite side (factoring in the larger size of the Background Layer versus the screen size).
The background layer is always under the Window Layer.

See also

SHOW_BKG, HIDE_BKG

20.41.4.55 scroll_bkg()

```
void scroll_bkg (
    int8_t x,
    int8_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves the Background relative to it's current position.

Parameters

x	Number of pixels to move the Background on the **X axis** Range: -128 - 127
y	Number of pixels to move the Background on the **Y axis** Range: -128 - 127

See also

move_bkg

20.41.4.56 get_win_xy_addr() `uint8_t* get_win_xy_addr (`

```
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y )
```

Get address of X,Y tile of window map

20.41.4.57 set_win_data() `void set_win_data (`

```
uint8_t first_tile,
uint8_t nb_tiles,
const uint8_t * data )
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for the Window / Background

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to (2 bpp) source Tile Pattern data.

This is the same as set_bkg_data, since the Window Layer and Background Layer share the same Tile pattern data.

See also

set_bkg_data

set_win_tiles, set_bkg_data, set_data

SHOW_WIN, HIDE_WIN

20.41.4.58 set_win_1bpp_data() `void set_win_1bpp_data (`

```
uint8_t first_tile,
uint8_t nb_tiles,
const uint8_t * data )
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for the Window / Background using 1bpp source data

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to (1bpp) source Tile Pattern data

This is the same as set_bkg_1bpp_data, since the Window Layer and Background Layer share the same Tile pattern data.
For a given bit that represent a pixel:

- 0 will be expanded into the Background color

- 1 will be expanded into the Foreground color

See set_1bpp_colors for details about setting the Foreground and Background colors.

See also

set_bkg_data, set_win_data, set_1bpp_colors

set_bkg_1bpp_data, set_sprite_1bpp_data

20.41.4.59 get_win_data()

```
void get_win_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    uint8_t * data )
```

Copies from Window / Background VRAM Tile Pattern data into a buffer

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first Tile to read from
nb_tiles	Number of Tiles to read
data	Pointer to destination buffer for Tile Pattern Data

Note

In general **avoid reading from VRAM** since that memory is not accessible at all times. It is also not supported by GBDK on the NES platform. See coding guidelines for more details.

This is the same as get_bkg_data, since the Window Layer and Background Layer share the same Tile pattern data.

See also

get_bkg_data, get_data

20.41.4.60 set_win_tiles()

```
void set_win_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles )
```

Sets a rectangular region of the Window Tile Map.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
tiles	Pointer to source tile map data

Entries are copied from map at **tiles** to the Window Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles.
Use set_win_submap() instead when:

- Source map is wider than 32 tiles.
- Writing a width that does not match the source map width **and** more than one row high at a time.

One byte per source tile map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.

Note

Patterns 128-255 overlap with patterns 128-255 of the sprite Tile Pattern table.

GBC only: VBK_REG determines whether Tile Numbers or Tile Attributes get set.

- VBK_REG = VBK_TILES Tile Numbers are written
- VBK_REG = VBK_ATTRIBUTES Tile Attributes are written

For more details about GBC Tile Attributes see set_bkg_tiles.

See also

SHOW_WIN, HIDE_WIN, set_win_submap, set_bkg_tiles, set_bkg_data, set_tiles

20.41.4.61 set_win_based_tiles()

```
void set_win_based_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles,
    uint8_t base_tile )  [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular region of the Window Tile Map. The offset value in **base_tile** is added to the tile ID for each map entry.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
tiles	Pointer to source tile map data
base_tile	Offset each tile ID entry of the source map by this value. Range 1 - 255

This is identical to set_win_tiles() except that it adds the **base_tile** parameter for when a tile map's tiles don't start at index zero. (For example, the tiles used by the map range from 100 -> 120 in VRAM instead of 0 -> 20).

See also

set_win_tiles for more details

20.41.4.62 set_win_submap()

```
void set_win_submap (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * map,
    uint8_t map_w )  [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular area of the Window Tile Map using a sub-region from a source tile map.

Parameters

x	X Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255

Parameters

y	Y Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
map	Pointer to source tile map data
map_w	Width of source tile map in tiles. Range 1 - 255

Entries are copied from **map** to the Window Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles, using **map_w** as the rowstride for the source tile map.
The **x** and **y** parameters are in Source Tile Map tile coordinates. The location tiles will be written to on the hardware Background Map is derived from those, but only uses the lower 5 bits of each axis, for range of 0-31 (they are bit-masked: `x & 0x1F` and `y & 0x1F`). As a result the two coordinate systems are aligned together.
In order to transfer tile map data in a way where the coordinate systems are not aligned, an offset from the Source Tile Map pointer can be passed in: `(map_ptr + x + (y * map_width))`.
For example, if you want the tile id at `1,2` from the source map to show up at `0,0` on the hardware Background Map (instead of at `1,2`) then modify the pointer address that is passed in: `map_ptr + 1 + (2 * map_width)`
Use this instead of set_win_tiles when the source map is wider than 32 tiles or when writing a width that does not match the source map width.
One byte per source tile map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.
GBC only: VBK_REG determines whether Tile Numbers or Tile Attributes get set.

- VBK_REG = VBK_TILES Tile Numbers are written
- VBK_REG = VBK_ATTRIBUTES Tile Attributes are written

See set_bkg_tiles for details about CGB attribute maps with VBK_REG.

See also

SHOW_WIN, HIDE_WIN, set_win_tiles, set_bkg_submap, set_bkg_tiles, set_bkg_data, set_tiles

20.41.4.63 set_win_based_submap()

```
void set_win_based_submap (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * map,
    uint8_t map_w,
    uint8_t base_tile ) [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular area of the Window Tile Map using a sub-region from a source tile map. The offset value in **base_tile** is added to the tile ID for each map entry.

Parameters

x	X Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
y	Y Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
map	Pointer to source tile map data
map_w	Width of source tile map in tiles. Range 1 - 255
base_tile	Offset each tile ID entry of the source map by this value. Range 1 - 255

This is identical to set_win_submap() except that it adds the **base_tile** parameter for when a tile map's tiles don't start at index zero. (For example, the tiles used by the map range from 100 -> 120 in VRAM instead of 0 -> 20).

See also

set_win_submap for more details

20.41.4.64 get_win_tiles()

```
void get_win_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    uint8_t * tiles )
```

Copies a rectangular region of Window Tile Map entries into a buffer.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to copy in tiles. Range 0 - 31
h	Height of area to copy in tiles. Range 0 - 31
tiles	Pointer to destination buffer for Tile Map data

Note

In general **avoid reading from VRAM** since that memory is not accessible at all times. It is also not supported by GBDK on the NES platform. See coding guidelines for more details.

Entries are copied into **tiles** from the Window Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** reading across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles.
One byte per tile.
The buffer pointed to by **tiles** should be at least **x** x **y** bytes in size.

See also

get_bkg_tiles, get_bkg_tile_xy, get_tiles, get_vram_byte

20.41.4.65 set_win_tile_xy()

```
uint8_t* set_win_tile_xy (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t t )
```

Set single tile t on window layer at x,y

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate
t	tile index

Returns

returns the address of tile, so you may use faster set_vram_byte() later

20.41.4.66 get_win_tile_xy() `uint8_t get_win_tile_xy (`

```
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y )
```

Get single tile t on window layer at x,y

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate

Returns

returns the tile index

Note

In general **avoid reading from VRAM** since that memory is not accessible at all times. It is also not supported by GBDK on the NES platform. See coding guidelines for more details.

20.41.4.67 move_win() `void move_win (`

```
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves the Window to the **x**, **y** position on the screen.

Parameters

x	X coordinate for Left edge of the Window (actual displayed location will be X - 7)
y	Y coordinate for Top edge of the Window

7,0 is the top left corner of the screen in Window coordinates. The Window is locked to the bottom right corner. The Window is always over the Background layer.

See also

SHOW_WIN, HIDE_WIN

20.41.4.68 scroll_win() `void scroll_win (`

```
int8_t x,
int8_t y )  [inline]
```

Move the Window relative to its current position.

Parameters

x	Number of pixels to move the window on the **X axis** Range: -128 - 127
y	Number of pixels to move the window on the **Y axis** Range: -128 - 127

See also

move_win

20.41.4.69 set_sprite_data()

```
void set_sprite_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    const uint8_t * data )
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for Sprites

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to (2 bpp) source Tile Pattern data

Writes **nb_tiles** tiles to VRAM starting at **first_tile**, tile data is sourced from **data**. Each Tile is 16 bytes in size (8x8 pixels, 2 bits-per-pixel).

Note

Sprite Tiles 128-255 share the same memory region as Background Tiles 128-255.

GBC only: VBK_REG determines which bank of tile patterns are written to.

- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_0 indicates the first bank
- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_1 indicates the second

20.41.4.70 set_sprite_1bpp_data()

```
void set_sprite_1bpp_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    const uint8_t * data )
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for Sprites using 1bpp source data

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to (1bpp) source Tile Pattern data

Similar to set_sprite_data, except source data is 1 bit-per-pixel which gets expanded into 2 bits-per-pixel.
For a given bit that represent a pixel:

- 0 will be expanded into the Background color
- 1 will be expanded into the Foreground color

See set_1bpp_colors for details about setting the Foreground and Background colors.

See also

SHOW_SPRITES, HIDE_SPRITES, set_sprite_tile
set_bkg_1bpp_data, set_win_1bpp_data

20.41.4.71 get_sprite_data()

```
void get_sprite_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    uint8_t * data )
```

Copies from Sprite VRAM Tile Pattern data into a buffer

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to read from
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to read
data	Pointer to destination buffer for Tile Pattern data

Note

In general **avoid reading from VRAM** since that memory is not accessible at all times. It is also not supported by GBDK on the NES platform. See coding guidelines for more details.

Copies **nb_tiles** tiles from VRAM starting at **first_tile**, tile data is copied into **data**.
Each Tile is 16 bytes, so the buffer pointed to by **data** should be at least **nb_tiles** x 16 bytes in size.

20.41.4.72 SET_SHADOW_OAM_ADDRESS()

```
void SET_SHADOW_OAM_ADDRESS (
    void * address ) [inline]
```

Enable OAM DMA copy each VBlank and set it to transfer any 256-byte aligned array

20.41.4.73 set_sprite_tile()

```
void set_sprite_tile (
    uint8_t nb,
    uint8_t tile ) [inline]
```

Sets sprite number **nb__in the OAM to display tile number __tile**.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
tile	Selects a tile (0 - 255) from memory at 8000h - 8FFFh In CGB Mode this could be either in VRAM Bank 0 or 1, depending on Bit 3 of the OAM Attribute Flag (see set_sprite_prop)

In 8x16 mode:

- The sprite will also display the next tile (**tile** + 1) directly below (y + 8) the first tile.
- The lower bit of the tile number is ignored: the upper 8x8 tile is (**tile** & 0xFE), and the lower 8x8 tile is (**tile** | 0x01).
- See: SPRITES_8x16

20.41.4.74 get_sprite_tile()

```
uint8_t get_sprite_tile (
    uint8_t nb ) [inline]
```

Returns the tile number of sprite number **nb** in the OAM.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39

See also

set_sprite_tile for more details

20.41.4.75 set_sprite_prop()

```
void set_sprite_prop (
    uint8_t nb,
    uint8_t prop ) [inline]
```

Sets the OAM Property Flags of sprite number **nb** to those defined in **prop**.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
prop	Property setting (see bitfield description)

The bits in **prop** represent:

- Bit 7 - Priority flag. When this is set the sprites appear behind the background and window layer.
  0: infront
  1: behind
- Bit 6 - Vertical flip. Dictates which way up the sprite is drawn vertically.
  0: normal
  1:upside down
- Bit 5 - Horizontal flip. Dictates which way up the sprite is drawn horizontally.
  0: normal
  1:back to front
- Bit 4 - DMG/Non-CGB Mode Only. Assigns either one of the two b/w palettes to the sprite.
  0: OBJ palette 0
  1: OBJ palette 1
- Bit 3 - GBC only. Dictates from which bank of Sprite Tile Patterns the tile is taken.
  0: Bank 0
  1: Bank 1
- Bit 2 - See bit 0.
- Bit 1 - See bit 0.
- Bit 0 - GBC only. Bits 0-2 indicate which of the 7 OBJ colour palettes the sprite is assigned.

It's recommended to use GBDK constants (eg: S_FLIPY) to configure sprite properties as these are crossplatform.

```
// Load palette data into the first palette
set_sprite_palette(4, 1, exampleSprite_palettes)
// Set the OAM value for the sprite
// These flags tell the sprite to flip both vertically and horizontally.
set_sprite_prop(0, S_FLIPY | S_FLIPX);
```

See also

S_PALETTE, S_FLIPX, S_FLIPY, S_PRIORITY

20.41.4.76 get_sprite_prop() `uint8_t get_sprite_prop ( uint8_t nb ) [inline]`

Returns the OAM Property Flags of sprite number **nb**.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39

See also

set_sprite_prop for property bitfield settings

20.41.4.77 move_sprite() `void move_sprite ( uint8_t nb,`

```
            uint8_t x,
            uint8_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves sprite number **nb** to the **x**, **y** position on the screen.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
x	X Position. Specifies the sprites horizontal position on the screen (minus 8). An offscreen value (X=0 or X>=168) hides the sprite, but the sprite still affects the priority ordering - a better way to hide a sprite is to set its Y-coordinate offscreen.
y	Y Position. Specifies the sprites vertical position on the screen (minus 16). An offscreen value (for example, Y=0 or Y>=160) hides the sprite.

Moving the sprite to 0,0 (or similar off-screen location) will hide it.

20.41.4.78 scroll_sprite() `void scroll_sprite (`

```
            uint8_t nb,
            int8_t x,
            int8_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves sprite number **nb** relative to its current position.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
x	Number of pixels to move the sprite on the **X axis** Range: -128 - 127
y	Number of pixels to move the sprite on the **Y axis** Range: -128 - 127

See also

move_sprite for more details about the X and Y position

20.41.4.79 hide_sprite() `void hide_sprite (`

```
            uint8_t nb )  [inline]
```

Hides sprite number **nb** by moving it to zero position by Y.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39

See also

hide_sprites_range, HIDE_SPRITES

20.41.4.80 set_data() `void set_data (`

```
            uint8_t * vram_addr,
            const uint8_t * data,
            uint16_t len )
```

Copies arbitrary data to an address in VRAM without taking into account the state of LCDC bits 3 or 4.

Parameters

vram_addr	Pointer to destination VRAM Address
data	Pointer to source buffer
len	Number of bytes to copy

Copies **len** bytes from a buffer at **data** to VRAM starting at **vram_addr**.
GBC only: VBK_REG determines which bank of tile patterns are written to.

- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_0 indicates the first bank
- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_1 indicates the second

See also

set_bkg_data, set_win_data, set_bkg_tiles, set_win_tiles, set_tile_data, set_tiles

20.41.4.81 get_data()

```
void get_data (
    uint8_t * data,
    uint8_t * vram_addr,
    uint16_t len )
```

Copies arbitrary data from an address in VRAM into a buffer without taking into account the state of LCDC bits 3 or 4.

Parameters

vram_addr	Pointer to source VRAM Address
data	Pointer to destination buffer
len	Number of bytes to copy

Note

In general **avoid reading from VRAM** since that memory is not accessible at all times. It is also not supported by GBDK on the NES platform. See coding guidelines for more details.

Copies **len** bytes from VRAM starting at **vram_addr** into a buffer at **data**.
GBC only: VBK_REG determines which bank of tile patterns are written to.

- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_0 indicates the first bank
- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_1 indicates the second

See also

get_bkg_data, get_win_data, get_bkg_tiles, get_win_tiles, get_tiles

20.41.4.82 vmemcpy()

```
void vmemcpy (
    uint8_t * dest,
    uint8_t * sour,
    uint16_t len )
```

Copies arbitrary data from an address in VRAM into a buffer

Parameters

dest	Pointer to destination buffer (may be in VRAM)
sour	Pointer to source buffer (may be in VRAM)
len	Number of bytes to copy

Copies **len** bytes from or to VRAM starting at **sour** into a buffer or to VRAM at **dest**.
GBC only: VBK_REG determines which bank of tile patterns are written to.

- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_0 indicates the first bank
- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_1 indicates the second

20.41.4.83 set_tiles()

```
void set_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    uint8_t * vram_addr,
    const uint8_t * tiles )
```

Sets a rectangular region of Tile Map entries at a given VRAM Address without taking into account the state of LCDC bit 3.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
vram_addr	Pointer to destination VRAM Address
tiles	Pointer to source Tile Map data

Entries are copied from **tiles** to Tile Map at address vram_addr starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles.
One byte per source tile map entry.
There are two 32x32 Tile Maps in VRAM at addresses 9800h-9BFFh and 9C00h-9FFFh.
GBC only: VBK_REG determines whether Tile Numbers or Tile Attributes get set.

- VBK_REG = VBK_TILES Tile Numbers are written
- VBK_REG = VBK_ATTRIBUTES Tile Attributes are written

See also

set_bkg_tiles, set_win_tiles

20.41.4.84 set_tile_data()

```
void set_tile_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    const uint8_t * data,
    uint8_t base )
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data starting from given base address without taking into account the state of LCDC bit 4.

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to (2 bpp) source Tile Pattern data.
base	MSB of the destination address in VRAM (usually 0x80 or 0x90 which gives 0x8000 or 0x9000)

See also

set_bkg_data, set_win_data, set_data

20.41.4.85 get_tiles()

```
void get_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    uint8_t * vram_addr,
    uint8_t * tiles )
```

Copies a rectangular region of Tile Map entries from a given VRAM Address into a buffer without taking into account the state of LCDC bit 3.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to copy in tiles. Range 0 - 31
h	Height of area to copy in tiles. Range 0 - 31
vram_addr	Pointer to source VRAM Address
tiles	Pointer to destination buffer for Tile Map data

Note

In general **avoid reading from VRAM** since that memory is not accessible at all times. It is also not supported by GBDK on the NES platform. See coding guidelines for more details.

Entries are copied into **tiles** from the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** reading across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles.
One byte per tile.
There are two 32x32 Tile Maps in VRAM at addresses 9800h - 9BFFh and 9C00h - 9FFFh.
The buffer pointed to by **tiles** should be at least **x** x **y** bytes in size.

See also

get_bkg_tiles, get_win_tiles

20.41.4.86 set_native_tile_data()

```
void set_native_tile_data (
    uint16_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    const uint8_t * data )  [inline]
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data in the native format

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write (0 - 511)
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to source Tile Pattern data.

When `first_tile` is larger than 256 on the GB/AP, it will write to sprite data instead of background data.
The bit depth of the source Tile Pattern data depends on which console is being used:

- Game Boy/Analogue Pocket: loads 2bpp tiles data
- SMS/GG: loads 4bpp tile data

20.41.4.87 set_bkg_native_data()

```
void set_bkg_native_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    const uint8_t * data ) [inline]
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for the Background / Window in the native format

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to source tile data

Writes **nb_tiles** tiles to VRAM starting at **first_tile**, tile data is sourced from **data**.
GBC only: VBK_REG determines which bank of tile patterns are written to.

- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_0 indicates the first bank
- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_1 indicates the second

See also

set_win_data, set_tile_data

20.41.4.88 set_sprite_native_data()

```
void set_sprite_native_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    const uint8_t * data ) [inline]
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for Sprites in the native format

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to source tile data

Writes **nb_tiles** tiles to VRAM starting at **first_tile**, tile data is sourced from **data**.
GBC only: VBK_REG determines which bank of tile patterns are written to.

- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_0 indicates the first bank
- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_1 indicates the second

20.41.4.89 init_win()

```
void init_win (
    uint8_t c )
```

Initializes the entire Window Tile Map with Tile Number **c**

Parameters

c	Tile number to fill with

Note

This function avoids writes during modes 2 & 3

20.41.4.90 init_bkg() `void init_bkg (`

```
uint8_t c )
```

Initializes the entire Background Tile Map with Tile Number **c**

Parameters

c	Tile number to fill with

Note

This function avoids writes during modes 2 & 3

20.41.4.91 vmemset() `void vmemset (`

```
void * s,
uint8_t c,
size_t n )
```

Fills the VRAM memory region **s** of size **n** with Tile Number **c**

Parameters

s	Start address in VRAM
c	Tile number to fill with
n	Size of memory region (in bytes) to fill

Note

This function avoids writes during modes 2 & 3

20.41.4.92 fill_bkg_rect() `void fill_bkg_rect (`

```
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y,
uint8_t w,
uint8_t h,
uint8_t tile )
```

Fills a rectangular region of Tile Map entries for the Background layer with tile.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 0 - 31
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 0 - 31
tile	Fill value

20.41.4.93 fill_win_rect() `void fill_win_rect (`

```
            uint8_t x,
            uint8_t y,
            uint8_t w,
            uint8_t h,
            uint8_t tile )
```

Fills a rectangular region of Tile Map entries for the Window layer with tile.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 0 - 31
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 0 - 31
tile	Fill value

20.41.5 Variable Documentation

20.41.5.1 c `void c`

20.41.5.2 d `void d`

20.41.5.3 e `void e`

20.41.5.4 h `void h`

20.41.5.5 l `void l`

Initial value:

```
{
    __asm__("ei")
```

20.41.5.6 _cpu `uint8_t _cpu [extern]`

GB CPU type

See also

DMG_TYPE, MGB_TYPE, CGB_TYPE, cpu_fast(), cpu_slow(), _is_GBA

20.41.5.7 _is_GBA `uint8_t _is_GBA [extern]`

GBA detection

See also

GBA_DETECTED, GBA_NOT_DETECTED, _cpu

20.41.5.8 sys_time `volatile uint16_t sys_time [extern]`

Global Time Counter in VBL periods (60Hz)
Increments once per Frame
Will wrap around every ~18 minutes (unsigned 16 bits = 65535 / 60 / 60 = 18.2)

20.41.5.9 _io_status volatile uint8_t _io_status [extern]

Serial Link: Current IO Status. An OR of IO_*

20.41.5.10 _io_in volatile uint8_t _io_in [extern]

Serial Link: Byte just read after calling receive_byte()

20.41.5.11 _io_out volatile uint8_t _io_out [extern]

Serial Link: Write byte to send here before calling send_byte()

20.41.5.12 _current_bank __REG _current_bank

Tracks current active ROM bank
In most cases the CURRENT_BANK macro for this variable is recommended for use instead of the variable itself.
The active bank number is not tracked by _current_bank when SWITCH_ROM_MBC5_8M is used.
This variable is updated automatically when you call SWITCH_ROM_MBC1 or SWITCH_ROM_MBC5, SWITCH_ROM(), or call a BANKED function.

See also

SWITCH_ROM_MBC1(), SWITCH_ROM_MBC5(), SWITCH_ROM()

20.41.5.13 b void b

20.41.5.14 _current_1bpp_colors uint16_t _current_1bpp_colors [extern]

20.41.5.15 _map_tile_offset uint8_t _map_tile_offset [extern]

20.41.5.16 _submap_tile_offset uint8_t _submap_tile_offset [extern]

20.41.5.17 shadow_OAM volatile struct OAM_item_t shadow_OAM[] [extern]

Shadow OAM array in WRAM, that is DMA-transferred into the real OAM each VBlank

20.41.5.18 _shadow_OAM_base __REG _shadow_OAM_base

MSB of shadow_OAM address is used by OAM DMA copying routine

20.42 gbdk-lib/include/gb/gbdecompress.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Functions

- uint16_t gb_decompress (const uint8_t *sour, uint8_t *dest)
- void gb_decompress_bkg_data (uint8_t first_tile, const uint8_t *sour)
- void gb_decompress_win_data (uint8_t first_tile, const uint8_t *sour)
- void gb_decompress_sprite_data (uint8_t first_tile, const uint8_t *sour)

20.42.1 Detailed Description

GB-Compress decompressor Compatible with the compression used in GBTD

See also

utility_gbcompress "gbcompress"

GB-Compress decompressor Compatible with the compression used in GBTD

20.42.2 Function Documentation

20.42.2.1 gb_decompress() `uint16_t gb_decompress (`

```
const uint8_t * sour,
uint8_t * dest )
```

gb-decompress data from sour into dest

Parameters

sour	Pointer to source gb-compressed data
dest	Pointer to destination buffer/address

Will decompress **all** of it's data to destination without stopping until the end of compressed data is reached. It is not possible to set a limit, so ensure the destination buffer has sufficient space to avoid an overflow.

See also

gb_decompress_bkg_data, gb_decompress_win_data, gb_decompress_sprite_data, rle_decompress

gb-decompress data from sour into dest

Parameters

sour	Pointer to source gb-compressed data
dest	Pointer to destination buffer/address

Returns

Return value is number of bytes decompressed

See also

gb_decompress_bkg_data, gb_decompress_win_data, gb_decompress_sprite_data

20.42.2.2 gb_decompress_bkg_data() `void gb_decompress_bkg_data (`

```
uint8_t first_tile,
const uint8_t * sour )
```

gb-decompress background tiles into VRAM

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
sour	Pointer to (gb-compressed 2 bpp) source Tile Pattern data.

Note: This function avoids writes during modes 2 & 3

Will decompress **all** of it's data to destination without stopping until the end of compressed data is reached. It is not possible to set a limit, so ensure the destination buffer has sufficient space to avoid an overflow.

See also

gb_decompress_bkg_data, gb_decompress_win_data, gb_decompress_sprite_data

20.42.2.3 gb_decompress_win_data()

```
void gb_decompress_win_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    const uint8_t * sour )
```

gb-decompress window tiles into VRAM

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
sour	Pointer to (gb-compressed 2 bpp) source Tile Pattern data.

This is the same as gb_decompress_bkg_data, since the Window Layer and Background Layer share the same Tile pattern data.
Note: This function avoids writes during modes 2 & 3
Will decompress **all** of it's data to destination without stopping until the end of compressed data is reached. It is not possible to set a limit, so ensure the destination buffer has sufficient space to avoid an overflow.

See also

gb_decompress, gb_decompress_bkg_data, gb_decompress_sprite_data

20.42.2.4 gb_decompress_sprite_data()

```
void gb_decompress_sprite_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    const uint8_t * sour )
```

gb-decompress sprite tiles into VRAM

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
sour	Pointer to source compressed data

Note: This function avoids writes during modes 2 & 3
Will decompress **all** of it's data to destination without stopping until the end of compressed data is reached. It is not possible to set a limit, so ensure the destination buffer has sufficient space to avoid an overflow.

See also

gb_decompress, gb_decompress_bkg_data, gb_decompress_win_data

20.43 gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/gbdecompress.h File Reference

```
#include <gb/gbdecompress.h>
```

20.44 gbdk-lib/include/sms/gbdecompress.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Functions

- uint16_t gb_decompress (const uint8_t ∗sour, uint8_t ∗dest) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(b

Variables

- uint16_t c

20.44.1 Function Documentation

20.44.1.1 gb_decompress() `uint16_t gb_decompress ( const uint8_t * sour, uint8_t * dest )`

gb-decompress data from sour into dest

Parameters

sour	Pointer to source gb-compressed data
dest	Pointer to destination buffer/address

Returns

Return value is number of bytes decompressed

See also

gb_decompress_bkg_data, gb_decompress_win_data, gb_decompress_sprite_data

20.44.2 Variable Documentation

20.44.2.1 c `uint16_t c`

20.45 gbdk-lib/include/gb/hardware.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
```

Macros

- #define __BYTES extern UBYTE
- #define __BYTE_REG extern volatile UBYTE
- #define __REG extern volatile SFR
- #define rP1 P1_REG
- #define P1F_5 0b00100000
- #define P1F_4 0b00010000
- #define P1F_3 0b00001000
- #define P1F_2 0b00000100
- #define P1F_1 0b00000010
- #define P1F_0 0b00000001
- #define P1F_GET_DPAD P1F_5
- #define P1F_GET_BTN P1F_4
- #define P1F_GET_NONE (P1F_4 | P1F_5)
- #define rSB SB_REG
- #define rSC SC_REG

- #define SIOF_XFER_START 0b10000000
- #define SIOF_CLOCK_INT 0b00000001
- #define SIOF_CLOCK_EXT 0b00000000
- #define SIOF_SPEED_1X 0b00000000
- #define SIOF_SPEED_32X 0b00000010
- #define SIOF_B_CLOCK 0
- #define SIOF_B_SPEED 1
- #define SIOF_B_XFER_START 7
- #define SCF_START SIOF_XFER_START
- #define SCF_SOURCE SIOF_CLOCK_INT
- #define SCF_SPEED SIOF_SPEED_32X
- #define rDIV DIV_REG
- #define rTIMA TIMA_REG
- #define rTMA TMA_REG
- #define rTAC TAC_REG
- #define TACF_START 0b00000100
- #define TACF_STOP 0b00000000
- #define TACF_4KHZ 0b00000000
- #define TACF_16KHZ 0b00000011
- #define TACF_65KHZ 0b00000010
- #define TACF_262KHZ 0b00000001
- #define rIF IF_REG
- #define rAUD1SWEEP NR10_REG
- #define AUD1SWEEP_UP 0b00000000
- #define AUD1SWEEP_DOWN 0b00001000
- #define AUD1SWEEP_TIME(x) ((x) << 4)
- #define AUD1SWEEP_LENGTH(x) (x)
- #define rAUD1LEN NR11_REG
- #define rAUD1ENV NR12_REG
- #define rAUD1LOW NR13_REG
- #define rAUD1HIGH NR14_REG
- #define rAUD2LEN NR21_REG
- #define rAUD2ENV NR22_REG
- #define rAUD2LOW NR23_REG
- #define rAUD2HIGH NR24_REG
- #define rAUD3ENA NR30_REG
- #define rAUD3LEN NR31_REG
- #define rAUD3LEVEL NR32_REG
- #define rAUD3LOW NR33_REG
- #define rAUD3HIGH NR34_REG
- #define rAUD4LEN NR41_REG
- #define rAUD4ENV NR42_REG
- #define rAUD4POLY NR43_REG
- #define AUD4POLY_WIDTH_15BIT 0x00
- #define AUD4POLY_WIDTH_7BIT 0x08
- #define rAUD4GO NR44_REG
- #define rAUDVOL NR50_REG
- #define AUDVOL_VOL_LEFT(x) ((x) << 4)
- #define AUDVOL_VOL_RIGHT(x) ((x))
- #define AUDVOL_VIN_LEFT 0b10000000
- #define AUDVOL_VIN_RIGHT 0b00001000
- #define rAUDTERM NR51_REG
- #define AUDTERM_4_LEFT 0b10000000
- #define AUDTERM_3_LEFT 0b01000000
- #define AUDTERM_2_LEFT 0b00100000

- #define AUDTERM_1_LEFT 0b00010000
- #define AUDTERM_4_RIGHT 0b00001000
- #define AUDTERM_3_RIGHT 0b00000100
- #define AUDTERM_2_RIGHT 0b00000010
- #define AUDTERM_1_RIGHT 0b00000001
- #define rAUDENA NR52_REG
- #define AUDENA_ON 0b10000000
- #define AUDENA_OFF 0b00000000
- #define rLCDC LCDC_REG
- #define LCDCF_OFF 0b00000000
- #define LCDCF_ON 0b10000000
- #define LCDCF_WIN9800 0b00000000
- #define LCDCF_WIN9C00 0b01000000
- #define LCDCF_WINOFF 0b00000000
- #define LCDCF_WINON 0b00100000
- #define LCDCF_BG8800 0b00000000
- #define LCDCF_BG8000 0b00010000
- #define LCDCF_BG9800 0b00000000
- #define LCDCF_BG9C00 0b00001000
- #define LCDCF_OBJ8 0b00000000
- #define LCDCF_OBJ16 0b00000100
- #define LCDCF_OBJOFF 0b00000000
- #define LCDCF_OBJON 0b00000010
- #define LCDCF_BGOFF 0b00000000
- #define LCDCF_BGON 0b00000001
- #define LCDCF_B_ON 7
- #define LCDCF_B_WIN9C00 6
- #define LCDCF_B_WINON 5
- #define LCDCF_B_BG8000 4
- #define LCDCF_B_BG9C00 3
- #define LCDCF_B_OBJ16 2
- #define LCDCF_B_OBJON 1
- #define LCDCF_B_BGON 0
- #define rSTAT STAT_REG
- #define STATF_LYC 0b01000000
- #define STATF_MODE10 0b00100000
- #define STATF_MODE01 0b00010000
- #define STATF_MODE00 0b00001000
- #define STATF_LYCF 0b00000100
- #define STATF_HBL 0b00000000
- #define STATF_VBL 0b00000001
- #define STATF_OAM 0b00000010
- #define STATF_LCD 0b00000011
- #define STATF_BUSY 0b00000010
- #define STATF_B_LYC 6
- #define STATF_B_MODE10 5
- #define STATF_B_MODE01 4
- #define STATF_B_MODE00 3
- #define STATF_B_LYCF 2
- #define STATF_B_VBL 0
- #define STATF_B_OAM 1
- #define STATF_B_BUSY 1
- #define rSCY
- #define rSCX SCX_REG
- #define rLY LY_REG

- #define rLYC LYC_REG
- #define rDMA DMA_REG
- #define rBGP BGP_REG
- #define rOBP0 OBP0_REG
- #define rOBP1 OBP1_REG
- #define rWY WY_REG
- #define rWX WX_REG
- #define rKEY1 KEY1_REG
- #define rSPD KEY1_REG
- #define KEY1F_DBLSPEED 0b10000000
- #define KEY1F_PREPARE 0b00000001
- #define rVBK VBK_REG
- #define VBK_BANK_0 0
- #define VBK_TILES 0
- #define VBK_BANK_1 1
- #define VBK_ATTRIBUTES 1
- #define BKGF_PRI 0b10000000
- #define BKGF_YFLIP 0b01000000
- #define BKGF_XFLIP 0b00100000
- #define BKGF_BANK0 0b00000000
- #define BKGF_BANK1 0b00001000
- #define BKGF_CGB_PAL0 0b00000000
- #define BKGF_CGB_PAL1 0b00000001
- #define BKGF_CGB_PAL2 0b00000010
- #define BKGF_CGB_PAL3 0b00000011
- #define BKGF_CGB_PAL4 0b00000100
- #define BKGF_CGB_PAL5 0b00000101
- #define BKGF_CGB_PAL6 0b00000110
- #define BKGF_CGB_PAL7 0b00000111
- #define rHDMA1 HDMA1_REG
- #define rHDMA2 HDMA2_REG
- #define rHDMA3 HDMA3_REG
- #define rHDMA4 HDMA4_REG
- #define rHDMA5 HDMA5_REG
- #define HDMA5F_MODE_GP 0b00000000
- #define HDMA5F_MODE_HBL 0b10000000
- #define HDMA5F_BUSY 0b10000000
- #define rRP RP_REG
- #define RPF_ENREAD 0b11000000
- #define RPF_DATAIN 0b00000010
- #define RPF_WRITE_HI 0b00000001
- #define RPF_WRITE_LO 0b00000000
- #define rBCPS BCPS_REG
- #define BCPSF_AUTOINC 0b10000000
- #define rBCPD BCPD_REG
- #define rOCPS OCPS_REG
- #define OCPSF_AUTOINC 0b10000000
- #define rOCPD OCPD_REG
- #define rSVBK SVBK_REG
- #define rSMBK SVBK_REG
- #define rPCM12 PCM12_REG
- #define rPCM34 PCM34_REG
- #define rIE IE_REG
- #define IEF_HILO 0b00010000
- #define IEF_SERIAL 0b00001000

- #define IEF_TIMER 0b00000100
- #define IEF_STAT 0b00000010
- #define IEF_VBLANK 0b00000001
- #define AUDLEN_DUTY_12_5 0b00000000
- #define AUDLEN_DUTY_25 0b01000000
- #define AUDLEN_DUTY_50 0b10000000
- #define AUDLEN_DUTY_75 0b11000000
- #define AUDLEN_LENGTH(x) (x)
- #define AUDENV_VOL(x) ((x) << 4)
- #define AUDENV_UP 0b00001000
- #define AUDENV_DOWN 0b00000000
- #define AUDENV_LENGTH(x) (x)
- #define AUDHIGH_RESTART 0b10000000
- #define AUDHIGH_LENGTH_ON 0b01000000
- #define AUDHIGH_LENGTH_OFF 0b00000000
- #define OAMF_PRI 0b10000000
- #define OAMF_YFLIP 0b01000000
- #define OAMF_XFLIP 0b00100000
- #define OAMF_PAL0 0b00000000
- #define OAMF_PAL1 0b00010000
- #define OAMF_BANK0 0b00000000
- #define OAMF_BANK1 0b00001000
- #define OAMF_CGB_PAL0 0b00000000
- #define OAMF_CGB_PAL1 0b00000001
- #define OAMF_CGB_PAL2 0b00000010
- #define OAMF_CGB_PAL3 0b00000011
- #define OAMF_CGB_PAL4 0b00000100
- #define OAMF_CGB_PAL5 0b00000101
- #define OAMF_CGB_PAL6 0b00000110
- #define OAMF_CGB_PAL7 0b00000111
- #define OAMF_PALMASK 0b00000111
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_X_OFFSET 0
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_Y_OFFSET 0
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH 20
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT 18
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_BUFFER_WIDTH 32
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_BUFFER_HEIGHT 32
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_MAP_ENTRY_SIZE 1
- #define DEVICE_SPRITE_PX_OFFSET_X 8
- #define DEVICE_SPRITE_PX_OFFSET_Y 16
- #define DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_X 7
- #define DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_Y 0
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH (DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH * 8)
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT (DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT * 8)

Variables

- __BYTES _VRAM []
- __BYTES _VRAM8000 []
- __BYTES _VRAM8800 []
- __BYTES _VRAM9000 []
- __BYTES _SCRN0 []
- __BYTES _SCRN1 []
- __BYTES _SRAM []
- __BYTES _RAM []

- __BYTES _RAMBANK [ ]
- __BYTES _OAMRAM [ ]
- __BYTE_REG _IO [ ]
- __BYTE_REG _AUD3WAVERAM [ ]
- __BYTE_REG _HRAM [ ]
- __BYTE_REG rRAMG
- __BYTE_REG rROMB0
- __BYTE_REG rROMB1
- __BYTE_REG rRAMB
- __REG P1_REG
- __REG SB_REG
- __REG SC_REG
- __REG DIV_REG
- __REG TIMA_REG
- __REG TMA_REG
- __REG TAC_REG
- __REG IF_REG
- __REG NR10_REG
- __REG NR11_REG
- __REG NR12_REG
- __REG NR13_REG
- __REG NR14_REG
- __REG NR21_REG
- __REG NR22_REG
- __REG NR23_REG
- __REG NR24_REG
- __REG NR30_REG
- __REG NR31_REG
- __REG NR32_REG
- __REG NR33_REG
- __REG NR34_REG
- __REG NR41_REG
- __REG NR42_REG
- __REG NR43_REG
- __REG NR44_REG
- __REG NR50_REG
- __REG NR51_REG
- __REG NR52_REG
- __BYTE_REG AUD3WAVE [16]
- __BYTE_REG PCM_SAMPLE [16]
- __REG LCDC_REG
- __REG STAT_REG
- __REG SCY_REG
- __REG SCX_REG
- __REG LY_REG
- __REG LYC_REG
- __REG DMA_REG
- __REG BGP_REG
- __REG OBP0_REG
- __REG OBP1_REG
- __REG WY_REG
- __REG WX_REG
- __REG KEY1_REG
- __REG VBK_REG
- __REG HDMA1_REG

- __REG HDMA2_REG
- __REG HDMA3_REG
- __REG HDMA4_REG
- __REG HDMA5_REG
- __REG RP_REG
- __REG BCPS_REG
- __REG BCPD_REG
- __REG OCPS_REG
- __REG OCPD_REG
- __REG SVBK_REG
- __REG PCM12_REG
- __REG PCM34_REG
- __REG IE_REG

20.45.1 Detailed Description

Defines that let the GB's hardware registers be accessed from C.
See the Pandocs for more details on each register.

20.45.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.45.2.1 __BYTES `#define __BYTES extern UBYTE`

20.45.2.2 __BYTE_REG `#define __BYTE_REG extern volatile UBYTE`

20.45.2.3 __REG `#define __REG extern volatile SFR`

20.45.2.4 rP1 `#define rP1 P1_REG`

20.45.2.5 P1F_5 `#define P1F_5 0b00100000`

20.45.2.6 P1F_4 `#define P1F_4 0b00010000`

20.45.2.7 P1F_3 `#define P1F_3 0b00001000`

20.45.2.8 P1F_2 `#define P1F_2 0b00000100`

20.45.2.9 P1F_1 `#define P1F_1 0b00000010`

20.45.2.10 P1F_0 `#define P1F_0 0b00000001`

20.45.2.11 P1F_GET_DPAD `#define P1F_GET_DPAD P1F_5`

20.45.2.12 P1F_GET_BTN

```
#define P1F_GET_BTN P1F_4
```

20.45.2.13 P1F_GET_NONE

```
#define P1F_GET_NONE (P1F_4 | P1F_5)
```

20.45.2.14 rSB

```
#define rSB SB_REG
```

20.45.2.15 rSC

```
#define rSC SC_REG
```

20.45.2.16 SIOF_XFER_START

```
#define SIOF_XFER_START 0b10000000
```

Serial IO: Start Transfer. Automatically cleared at the end of transfer

20.45.2.17 SIOF_CLOCK_INT

```
#define SIOF_CLOCK_INT 0b00000001
```

Serial IO: Use Internal clock

20.45.2.18 SIOF_CLOCK_EXT

```
#define SIOF_CLOCK_EXT 0b00000000
```

Serial IO: Use External clock

20.45.2.19 SIOF_SPEED_1X

```
#define SIOF_SPEED_1X 0b00000000
```

Serial IO: If internal clock then 8KHz mode, 1KB/s (16Khz in CGB high-speed mode, 2KB/s)

20.45.2.20 SIOF_SPEED_32X

```
#define SIOF_SPEED_32X 0b00000010
```

Serial IO: **CGB-Mode ONLY** If internal clock then 256KHz mode, 32KB/s (512KHz in CGB high-speed mode, 64KB/s)

20.45.2.21 SIOF_B_CLOCK

```
#define SIOF_B_CLOCK 0
```

20.45.2.22 SIOF_B_SPEED

```
#define SIOF_B_SPEED 1
```

20.45.2.23 SIOF_B_XFER_START

```
#define SIOF_B_XFER_START 7
```

20.45.2.24 SCF_START

```
#define SCF_START SIOF_XFER_START
```

20.45.2.25 SCF_SOURCE

```
#define SCF_SOURCE SIOF_CLOCK_INT
```

20.45.2.26 SCF_SPEED

```
#define SCF_SPEED SIOF_SPEED_32X
```

20.45.2.27 rDIV

```
#define rDIV DIV_REG
```

20.45.2.28 rTIMA

```
#define rTIMA TIMA_REG
```

20.45.2.29 rTMA

```
#define rTMA TMA_REG
```

20.45.2.30 rTAC `#define rTAC TAC_REG`

20.45.2.31 TACF_START `#define TACF_START 0b00000100`

20.45.2.32 TACF_STOP `#define TACF_STOP 0b00000000`

20.45.2.33 TACF_4KHZ `#define TACF_4KHZ 0b00000000`

20.45.2.34 TACF_16KHZ `#define TACF_16KHZ 0b00000011`

20.45.2.35 TACF_65KHZ `#define TACF_65KHZ 0b00000010`

20.45.2.36 TACF_262KHZ `#define TACF_262KHZ 0b00000001`

20.45.2.37 rIF `#define rIF IF_REG`

20.45.2.38 rAUD1SWEEP `#define rAUD1SWEEP NR10_REG`
Sound Channel 1, NR10: Sweep

20.45.2.39 AUD1SWEEP_UP `#define AUD1SWEEP_UP 0b00000000`
For Sound Channel 1, NR10: Sweep Addition, period increases

20.45.2.40 AUD1SWEEP_DOWN `#define AUD1SWEEP_DOWN 0b00001000`
For Sound Channel 1, NR10: Sweep Subtraction, period decreases

20.45.2.41 AUD1SWEEP_TIME `#define AUD1SWEEP_TIME( x ) ((x) << 4)`
For Sound Channel 1, NR10: Sweep Time/Pace, Range: 0-7

20.45.2.42 AUD1SWEEP_LENGTH `#define AUD1SWEEP_LENGTH( x ) (x)`
For Sound Channel 1, NR10: Sweep Length/Individual step, Range: 0-7

20.45.2.43 rAUD1LEN `#define rAUD1LEN NR11_REG`
Sound Channel 1, NR11: Sound length/Wave pattern duty

20.45.2.44 rAUD1ENV `#define rAUD1ENV NR12_REG`
Sound Channel 1, NR12: Volume Envelope

20.45.2.45 rAUD1LOW `#define rAUD1LOW NR13_REG`
Sound Channel 1, NR13: Frequency Low

20.45.2.46 rAUD1HIGH `#define rAUD1HIGH NR14_REG`
Sound Channel 1, NR14: Frequency High

20.45.2.47 rAUD2LEN `#define rAUD2LEN NR21_REG`
Sound Channel 2, NR21_REG: Tone

20.45.2.48 rAUD2ENV `#define rAUD2ENV NR22_REG`
Sound Channel 2, NR22_REG: Volume Envelope

20.45.2.49 rAUD2LOW `#define rAUD2LOW NR23_REG`
Sound Channel 2, NR23_REG: Frequency data Low

20.45.2.50 rAUD2HIGH `#define rAUD2HIGH NR24_REG`
Sound Channel 2, NR24_REG: Frequency data High

20.45.2.51 rAUD3ENA `#define rAUD3ENA NR30_REG`
Sound Channel 3, NR30_REG: Sound on/off

20.45.2.52 rAUD3LEN `#define rAUD3LEN NR31_REG`
Sound Channel 3, NR31_REG: Sound Length

20.45.2.53 rAUD3LEVEL `#define rAUD3LEVEL NR32_REG`
Sound Channel 3, NR32_REG: Select output level

20.45.2.54 rAUD3LOW `#define rAUD3LOW NR33_REG`
Sound Channel 3, NR33_REG: Frequency data Low

20.45.2.55 rAUD3HIGH `#define rAUD3HIGH NR34_REG`
Sound Channel 3, NR34_REG: Frequency data High

20.45.2.56 rAUD4LEN `#define rAUD4LEN NR41_REG`
Sound Channel 4, NR41_REG: Sound Length

20.45.2.57 rAUD4ENV `#define rAUD4ENV NR42_REG`
Sound Channel 4, NR42_REG: Volume Envelope

20.45.2.58 rAUD4POLY `#define rAUD4POLY NR43_REG`
Sound Channel 4, NR43_REG: Polynomial Counter

20.45.2.59 AUD4POLY_WIDTH_15BIT `#define AUD4POLY_WIDTH_15BIT 0x00`
For Sound Channel 4, NR43_REG: Polynomial counter use 15 steps

20.45.2.60 AUD4POLY_WIDTH_7BIT `#define AUD4POLY_WIDTH_7BIT 0x08`
For Sound Channel 4, NR43_REG: Polynomial counter use 7 steps

20.45.2.61 rAUD4GO `#define rAUD4GO NR44_REG`
Sound Channel 4, NR44_REG: Counter / Consecutive and Initial

20.45.2.62 rAUDVOL `#define rAUDVOL NR50_REG`
Sound Master Volume, NR50: Volume and Cart external sound input (VIN)

20.45.2.63 AUDVOL_VOL_LEFT `#define AUDVOL_VOL_LEFT( x ) ((x) << 4)`
For Sound Master Volume, NR50: Left Volume, Range: 0-7

20.45.2.64 AUDVOL_VOL_RIGHT `#define AUDVOL_VOL_RIGHT( x ) ((x))`

For Sound Master Volume, NR50: Right Volume, Range: 0-7

20.45.2.65 AUDVOL_VIN_LEFT `#define AUDVOL_VIN_LEFT 0b10000000`

For Sound Master Volume, NR50: Cart external sound input (VIN) Left bit, 1 = ON, 0 = OFF

20.45.2.66 AUDVOL_VIN_RIGHT `#define AUDVOL_VIN_RIGHT 0b00001000`

For Sound Master Volume, NR50: Cart external sound input (VIN) Right bit, 1 = ON, 0 = OFF

20.45.2.67 rAUDTERM `#define rAUDTERM NR51_REG`

Sound Panning, NR51: Enable/disable left and right output for sound channels

20.45.2.68 AUDTERM_4_LEFT `#define AUDTERM_4_LEFT 0b10000000`

For Sound Panning, NR51: Channel 4 Left bit, 1 = ON, 0 = OFF

20.45.2.69 AUDTERM_3_LEFT `#define AUDTERM_3_LEFT 0b01000000`

For Sound Panning, NR51: Channel 3 Left bit, 1 = ON, 0 = OFF

20.45.2.70 AUDTERM_2_LEFT `#define AUDTERM_2_LEFT 0b00100000`

For Sound Panning, NR51: Channel 2 Left bit, 1 = ON, 0 = OFF

20.45.2.71 AUDTERM_1_LEFT `#define AUDTERM_1_LEFT 0b00010000`

For Sound Panning, NR51: Channel 1 Left bit, 1 = ON, 0 = OFF

20.45.2.72 AUDTERM_4_RIGHT `#define AUDTERM_4_RIGHT 0b00001000`

For Sound Panning, NR51: Channel 4 Right bit, 1 = ON, 0 = OFF

20.45.2.73 AUDTERM_3_RIGHT `#define AUDTERM_3_RIGHT 0b00000100`

For Sound Panning, NR51: Channel 4 Right bit, 1 = ON, 0 = OFF

20.45.2.74 AUDTERM_2_RIGHT `#define AUDTERM_2_RIGHT 0b00000010`

For Sound Panning, NR51: Channel 4 Right bit, 1 = ON, 0 = OFF

20.45.2.75 AUDTERM_1_RIGHT `#define AUDTERM_1_RIGHT 0b00000001`

For Sound Panning, NR51: Channel 4 Right bit, 1 = ON, 0 = OFF

20.45.2.76 rAUDENA `#define rAUDENA NR52_REG`

Sound Master Control, NR52: ON / OFF

20.45.2.77 AUDENA_ON `#define AUDENA_ON 0b10000000`

For Sound Master Control, NR52: Sound ON

20.45.2.78 AUDENA_OFF `#define AUDENA_OFF 0b00000000`

For Sound Master Control, NR52: Sound OFF

20.45.2.79 rLCDC `#define rLCDC LCDC_REG`

20.45.2.80 LCDCF_OFF `#define LCDCF_OFF 0b00000000`

LCD Control: Off

20.45.2.81 LCDCF_ON `#define LCDCF_ON 0b10000000`

LCD Control: On

20.45.2.82 LCDCF_WIN9800 `#define LCDCF_WIN9800 0b00000000`
Window Tile Map: Use 9800 Region

20.45.2.83 LCDCF_WIN9C00 `#define LCDCF_WIN9C00 0b01000000`
Window Tile Map: Use 9C00 Region

20.45.2.84 LCDCF_WINOFF `#define LCDCF_WINOFF 0b00000000`
Window Display: Hidden

20.45.2.85 LCDCF_WINON `#define LCDCF_WINON 0b00100000`
Window Display: Visible

20.45.2.86 LCDCF_BG8800 `#define LCDCF_BG8800 0b00000000`
BG & Window Tile Data: Use 8800 Region

20.45.2.87 LCDCF_BG8000 `#define LCDCF_BG8000 0b00010000`
BG & Window Tile Data: Use 8000 Region

20.45.2.88 LCDCF_BG9800 `#define LCDCF_BG9800 0b00000000`
BG Tile Map: use 9800 Region

20.45.2.89 LCDCF_BG9C00 `#define LCDCF_BG9C00 0b00001000`
BG Tile Map: use 9C00 Region

20.45.2.90 LCDCF_OBJ8 `#define LCDCF_OBJ8 0b00000000`
Sprites Size: 8x8 pixels

20.45.2.91 LCDCF_OBJ16 `#define LCDCF_OBJ16 0b00000100`
Sprites Size: 8x16 pixels

20.45.2.92 LCDCF_OBJOFF `#define LCDCF_OBJOFF 0b00000000`
Sprites Display: Hidden

20.45.2.93 LCDCF_OBJON `#define LCDCF_OBJON 0b00000010`
Sprites Display: Visible

20.45.2.94 LCDCF_BGOFF `#define LCDCF_BGOFF 0b00000000`
Background Display: Hidden

20.45.2.95 LCDCF_BGON `#define LCDCF_BGON 0b00000001`
Background Display: Visible

20.45.2.96 LCDCF_B_ON `#define LCDCF_B_ON 7`
Bit for LCD On/Off Select

20.45.2.97 LCDCF_B_WIN9C00 `#define LCDCF_B_WIN9C00 6`
Bit for Window Tile Map Region Select

20.45.2.98 LCDCF_B_WINON `#define LCDCF_B_WINON 5`
Bit for Window Display On/Off Control

20.45.2.99 LCDCF_B_BG8000 `#define LCDCF_B_BG8000 4`
Bit for BG & Window Tile Data Region Select

20.45.2.100 LCDCF_B_BG9C00 `#define LCDCF_B_BG9C00 3`
Bit for BG Tile Map Region Select

20.45.2.101 LCDCF_B_OBJ16 `#define LCDCF_B_OBJ16 2`
Bit for Sprites Size Select

20.45.2.102 LCDCF_B_OBJON `#define LCDCF_B_OBJON 1`
Bit for Sprites Display Visible/Hidden Select

20.45.2.103 LCDCF_B_BGON `#define LCDCF_B_BGON 0`
Bit for Background Display Visible/Hidden Select

20.45.2.104 rSTAT `#define rSTAT STAT_REG`

20.45.2.105 STATF_LYC `#define STATF_LYC 0b01000000`
STAT Interrupt: LYC=LY Coincidence Source Enable

20.45.2.106 STATF_MODE10 `#define STATF_MODE10 0b00100000`
STAT Interrupt: Mode 2 OAM Source Enable

20.45.2.107 STATF_MODE01 `#define STATF_MODE01 0b00010000`
STAT Interrupt: Mode 1 VBlank Source Enable

20.45.2.108 STATF_MODE00 `#define STATF_MODE00 0b00001000`
STAT Interrupt: Mode 0 HBlank Source Enable

20.45.2.109 STATF_LYCF `#define STATF_LYCF 0b00000100`
LYC=LY Coincidence Status Flag, Set when LY contains the same value as LYC

20.45.2.110 STATF_HBL `#define STATF_HBL 0b00000000`
Current LCD Mode is: 0, in H-Blank

20.45.2.111 STATF_VBL `#define STATF_VBL 0b00000001`
Current LCD Mode is: 1, in V-Blank

20.45.2.112 STATF_OAM `#define STATF_OAM 0b00000010`
Current LCD Mode is: 2, in OAM-RAM is used by system (Searching OAM)

20.45.2.113 STATF_LCD `#define STATF_LCD 0b00000011`
Current LCD Mode is: 3, both OAM and VRAM used by system (Transferring Data to LCD Controller)

20.45.2.114 STATF_BUSY `#define STATF_BUSY 0b00000010`
When set, VRAM access is unsafe

20.45.2.115 STATF_B_LYC `#define STATF_B_LYC 6`
Bit for STAT Interrupt: LYC=LY Coincidence Source Enable

20.45.2.116 STATF_B_MODE10 `#define STATF_B_MODE10 5`
Bit for STAT Interrupt: Mode 2 OAM Source Enable

20.45.2.117 STATF_B_MODE01 `#define STATF_B_MODE01 4`
Bit for STAT Interrupt: Mode 1 VBlank Source Enable

20.45.2.118 STATF_B_MODE00 #define STATF_B_MODE00 3

Bit for STAT Interrupt: Mode 0 HBlank Source Enable

20.45.2.119 STATF_B_LYCF #define STATF_B_LYCF 2

Bit for LYC=LY Coincidence Status Flag

20.45.2.120 STATF_B_VBL #define STATF_B_VBL 0

20.45.2.121 STATF_B_OAM #define STATF_B_OAM 1

20.45.2.122 STATF_B_BUSY #define STATF_B_BUSY 1

Bit for when VRAM access is unsafe

20.45.2.123 rSCY #define rSCY

20.45.2.124 rSCX #define rSCX SCX_REG

20.45.2.125 rLY #define rLY LY_REG

20.45.2.126 rLYC #define rLYC LYC_REG

20.45.2.127 rDMA #define rDMA DMA_REG

20.45.2.128 rBGP #define rBGP BGP_REG

20.45.2.129 rOBP0 #define rOBP0 OBP0_REG

20.45.2.130 rOBP1 #define rOBP1 OBP1_REG

20.45.2.131 rWY #define rWY WY_REG

20.45.2.132 rWX #define rWX WX_REG

20.45.2.133 rKEY1 #define rKEY1 KEY1_REG

20.45.2.134 rSPD #define rSPD KEY1_REG

20.45.2.135 KEY1F_DBLSPEED #define KEY1F_DBLSPEED 0b10000000

20.45.2.136 KEY1F_PREPARE `#define KEY1F_PREPARE 0b00000001`

20.45.2.137 rVBK `#define rVBK VBK_REG`

20.45.2.138 VBK_BANK_0 `#define VBK_BANK_0 0`
Select Regular Map and Normal Tiles (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.139 VBK_TILES `#define VBK_TILES 0`
Select Regular Map and Normal Tiles (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.140 VBK_BANK_1 `#define VBK_BANK_1 1`
Select Map Attributes and Extra Tile Bank (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.141 VBK_ATTRIBUTES `#define VBK_ATTRIBUTES 1`
Select Map Attributes and Extra Tile Bank (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.142 BKGF_PRI `#define BKGF_PRI 0b10000000`
Background CGB BG and Window over Sprite priority Enabled

20.45.2.143 BKGF_YFLIP `#define BKGF_YFLIP 0b01000000`
Background CGB Y axis flip: Vertically mirrored

20.45.2.144 BKGF_XFLIP `#define BKGF_XFLIP 0b00100000`
Background CGB X axis flip: Horizontally mirrored

20.45.2.145 BKGF_BANK0 `#define BKGF_BANK0 0b00000000`
Background CGB Tile VRAM-Bank: Use Bank 0 (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.146 BKGF_BANK1 `#define BKGF_BANK1 0b00001000`
Background CGB Tile VRAM-Bank: Use Bank 1 (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.147 BKGF_CGB_PAL0 `#define BKGF_CGB_PAL0 0b00000000`
Background CGB Palette number (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.148 BKGF_CGB_PAL1 `#define BKGF_CGB_PAL1 0b00000001`
Background CGB Palette number (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.149 BKGF_CGB_PAL2 `#define BKGF_CGB_PAL2 0b00000010`
Background CGB Palette number (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.150 BKGF_CGB_PAL3 `#define BKGF_CGB_PAL3 0b00000011`
Background CGB Palette number (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.151 BKGF_CGB_PAL4 `#define BKGF_CGB_PAL4 0b00000100`
Background CGB Palette number (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.152 BKGF_CGB_PAL5 `#define BKGF_CGB_PAL5 0b00000101`
Background CGB Palette number (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.153 BKGF_CGB_PAL6 `#define BKGF_CGB_PAL6 0b00000110`
Background CGB Palette number (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.154 BKGF_CGB_PAL7 #define BKGF_CGB_PAL7 0b00000111

Background CGB Palette number (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.155 rHDMA1 #define rHDMA1 HDMA1_REG

20.45.2.156 rHDMA2 #define rHDMA2 HDMA2_REG

20.45.2.157 rHDMA3 #define rHDMA3 HDMA3_REG

20.45.2.158 rHDMA4 #define rHDMA4 HDMA4_REG

20.45.2.159 rHDMA5 #define rHDMA5 HDMA5_REG

20.45.2.160 HDMA5F_MODE_GP #define HDMA5F_MODE_GP 0b00000000

20.45.2.161 HDMA5F_MODE_HBL #define HDMA5F_MODE_HBL 0b10000000

20.45.2.162 HDMA5F_BUSY #define HDMA5F_BUSY 0b10000000

20.45.2.163 rRP #define rRP RP_REG

20.45.2.164 RPF_ENREAD #define RPF_ENREAD 0b11000000

20.45.2.165 RPF_DATAIN #define RPF_DATAIN 0b00000010

20.45.2.166 RPF_WRITE_HI #define RPF_WRITE_HI 0b00000001

20.45.2.167 RPF_WRITE_LO #define RPF_WRITE_LO 0b00000000

20.45.2.168 rBCPS #define rBCPS BCPS_REG

20.45.2.169 BCPSF_AUTOINC #define BCPSF_AUTOINC 0b10000000

20.45.2.170 rBCPD #define rBCPD BCPD_REG

20.45.2.171 rOCPS #define rOCPS OCPS_REG

20.45.2.172 OCPSF_AUTOINC

```
#define OCPSF_AUTOINC 0b10000000
```

20.45.2.173 rOCPD

```
#define rOCPD OCPD_REG
```

20.45.2.174 rSVBK

```
#define rSVBK SVBK_REG
```

20.45.2.175 rSMBK

```
#define rSMBK SVBK_REG
```

20.45.2.176 rPCM12

```
#define rPCM12 PCM12_REG
```

20.45.2.177 rPCM34

```
#define rPCM34 PCM34_REG
```

20.45.2.178 rIE

```
#define rIE IE_REG
```

20.45.2.179 IEF_HILO

```
#define IEF_HILO 0b00010000
```

Joypad interrupt enable flag

20.45.2.180 IEF_SERIAL

```
#define IEF_SERIAL 0b00001000
```

Serial interrupt enable flag

20.45.2.181 IEF_TIMER

```
#define IEF_TIMER 0b00000100
```

Timer interrupt enable flag

20.45.2.182 IEF_STAT

```
#define IEF_STAT 0b00000010
```

Stat interrupt enable flag

20.45.2.183 IEF_VBLANK

```
#define IEF_VBLANK 0b00000001
```

VBlank interrupt enable flag

20.45.2.184 AUDLEN_DUTY_12_5

```
#define AUDLEN_DUTY_12_5 0b00000000
```

20.45.2.185 AUDLEN_DUTY_25

```
#define AUDLEN_DUTY_25 0b01000000
```

20.45.2.186 AUDLEN_DUTY_50

```
#define AUDLEN_DUTY_50 0b10000000
```

20.45.2.187 AUDLEN_DUTY_75

```
#define AUDLEN_DUTY_75 0b11000000
```

20.45.2.188 AUDLEN_LENGTH

```
#define AUDLEN_LENGTH(
    x ) (x)
```

20.45.2.189 AUDENV_VOL

```
#define AUDENV_VOL(
    x ) ((x) << 4)
```

20.45.2.190 AUDENV_UP

```
#define AUDENV_UP 0b00001000
```

20.45.2.191 AUDENV_DOWN

```
#define AUDENV_DOWN 0b00000000
```

20.45.2.192 AUDENV_LENGTH

```
#define AUDENV_LENGTH(
    x ) (x)
```

20.45.2.193 AUDHIGH_RESTART

```
#define AUDHIGH_RESTART 0b10000000
```

20.45.2.194 AUDHIGH_LENGTH_ON

```
#define AUDHIGH_LENGTH_ON 0b01000000
```

20.45.2.195 AUDHIGH_LENGTH_OFF

```
#define AUDHIGH_LENGTH_OFF 0b00000000
```

20.45.2.196 OAMF_PRI

```
#define OAMF_PRI 0b10000000
```

BG and Window over Sprite Enabled

20.45.2.197 OAMF_YFLIP

```
#define OAMF_YFLIP 0b01000000
```

Sprite Y axis flip: Vertically mirrored

20.45.2.198 OAMF_XFLIP

```
#define OAMF_XFLIP 0b00100000
```

Sprite X axis flip: Horizontally mirrored

20.45.2.199 OAMF_PAL0

```
#define OAMF_PAL0 0b00000000
```

Sprite Palette number: use OBP0 (Non-CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.200 OAMF_PAL1

```
#define OAMF_PAL1 0b00010000
```

Sprite Palette number: use OBP1 (Non-CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.201 OAMF_BANK0

```
#define OAMF_BANK0 0b00000000
```

Sprite Tile VRAM-Bank: Use Bank 0 (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.202 OAMF_BANK1

```
#define OAMF_BANK1 0b00001000
```

Sprite Tile VRAM-Bank: Use Bank 1 (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.203 OAMF_CGB_PAL0

```
#define OAMF_CGB_PAL0 0b00000000
```

Sprite CGB Palette number: use OCP0 (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.204 OAMF_CGB_PAL1

```
#define OAMF_CGB_PAL1 0b00000001
```

Sprite CGB Palette number: use OCP1 (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.205 OAMF_CGB_PAL2

```
#define OAMF_CGB_PAL2 0b00000010
```

Sprite CGB Palette number: use OCP2 (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.206 OAMF_CGB_PAL3 `#define OAMF_CGB_PAL3 0b00000011`
Sprite CGB Palette number: use OCP3 (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.207 OAMF_CGB_PAL4 `#define OAMF_CGB_PAL4 0b00000100`
Sprite CGB Palette number: use OCP4 (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.208 OAMF_CGB_PAL5 `#define OAMF_CGB_PAL5 0b00000101`
Sprite CGB Palette number: use OCP5 (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.209 OAMF_CGB_PAL6 `#define OAMF_CGB_PAL6 0b00000110`
Sprite CGB Palette number: use OCP6 (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.210 OAMF_CGB_PAL7 `#define OAMF_CGB_PAL7 0b00000111`
Sprite CGB Palette number: use OCP7 (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.211 OAMF_PALMASK `#define OAMF_PALMASK 0b00000111`
Mask for Sprite CGB Palette number (CGB Mode Only)

20.45.2.212 DEVICE_SCREEN_X_OFFSET `#define DEVICE_SCREEN_X_OFFSET 0`
Offset of visible screen (in tile units) from left edge of hardware map

20.45.2.213 DEVICE_SCREEN_Y_OFFSET `#define DEVICE_SCREEN_Y_OFFSET 0`
Offset of visible screen (in tile units) from top edge of hardware map

20.45.2.214 DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH `#define DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH 20`
Width of visible screen in tile units

20.45.2.215 DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT `#define DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT 18`
Height of visible screen in tile units

20.45.2.216 DEVICE_SCREEN_BUFFER_WIDTH `#define DEVICE_SCREEN_BUFFER_WIDTH 32`
Width of hardware map buffer in tile units

20.45.2.217 DEVICE_SCREEN_BUFFER_HEIGHT `#define DEVICE_SCREEN_BUFFER_HEIGHT 32`
Height of hardware map buffer in tile units

20.45.2.218 DEVICE_SCREEN_MAP_ENTRY_SIZE `#define DEVICE_SCREEN_MAP_ENTRY_SIZE 1`
Number of bytes per hardware map entry

20.45.2.219 DEVICE_SPRITE_PX_OFFSET_X `#define DEVICE_SPRITE_PX_OFFSET_X 8`
Offset of sprite X coordinate origin (in pixels) from left edge of visible screen

20.45.2.220 DEVICE_SPRITE_PX_OFFSET_Y `#define DEVICE_SPRITE_PX_OFFSET_Y 16`
Offset of sprite Y coordinate origin (in pixels) from top edge of visible screen

20.45.2.221 DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_X `#define DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_X 7`
Minimal X coordinate of the window layer

20.45.2.222 DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_Y `#define DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_Y 0`
Minimal Y coordinate of the window layer

20.45.2.223 DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH `#define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH (DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH * 8)`
Width of visible screen in pixels

20.45.2.224 DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT `#define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT (DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT * 8)`

Height of visible screen in pixels

20.45.3 Variable Documentation

20.45.3.1 _VRAM `__BYTES _VRAM[]`

Memory map

20.45.3.2 _VRAM8000 `__BYTES _VRAM8000[]`

20.45.3.3 _VRAM8800 `__BYTES _VRAM8800[]`

20.45.3.4 _VRAM9000 `__BYTES _VRAM9000[]`

20.45.3.5 _SCRN0 `__BYTES _SCRN0[]`

20.45.3.6 _SCRN1 `__BYTES _SCRN1[]`

20.45.3.7 _SRAM `__BYTES _SRAM[]`

20.45.3.8 _RAM `__BYTES _RAM[]`

20.45.3.9 _RAMBANK `__BYTES _RAMBANK[]`

20.45.3.10 _OAMRAM `__BYTES _OAMRAM[]`

20.45.3.11 _IO `__BYTE_REG _IO[]`

20.45.3.12 _AUD3WAVERAM `__BYTE_REG _AUD3WAVERAM[]`

20.45.3.13 _HRAM `__BYTE_REG _HRAM[]`

20.45.3.14 rRAMG `__BYTE_REG rRAMG`

MBC5 registers

20.45.3.15 rROMB0 `__BYTE_REG rROMB0`

20.45.3.16 rROMB1 `__BYTE_REG rROMB1`

20.45.3.17 rRAMB __BYTE_REG rRAMB

20.45.3.18 P1_REG __REG P1_REG
IO Registers Joystick register

See also

joypad(), add_JOY(), IEF_HILO, P1F_5, P1F_4, P1F_3, P1F_2, P1F_1, P1F_0, P1F_GET_DPAD, P1F_GET_BTN, P1F_GET_NONE

20.45.3.19 SB_REG __REG SB_REG
Serial IO data buffer

20.45.3.20 SC_REG __REG SC_REG
Serial IO control register

20.45.3.21 DIV_REG __REG DIV_REG
Divider register

20.45.3.22 TIMA_REG __REG TIMA_REG
Timer counter

20.45.3.23 TMA_REG __REG TMA_REG
Timer modulo

20.45.3.24 TAC_REG __REG TAC_REG
Timer control

20.45.3.25 IF_REG __REG IF_REG
Interrupt flags: IEF_HILO, IEF_SERIAL, IEF_TIMER, IEF_STAT, IEF_VBLANK

20.45.3.26 NR10_REG __REG NR10_REG
Sound Channel 1, NR10: Sweep

20.45.3.27 NR11_REG __REG NR11_REG
Sound Channel 1, NR11: Sound length/Wave pattern duty

20.45.3.28 NR12_REG __REG NR12_REG
Sound Channel 1, NR12: Volume Envelope

20.45.3.29 NR13_REG __REG NR13_REG
Sound Channel 1, NR13: Frequency Low

20.45.3.30 NR14_REG __REG NR14_REG
Sound Channel 1, NR14: Frequency High

20.45.3.31 NR21_REG __REG NR21_REG
Sound Channel 2, NR21_REG: Tone

20.45.3.32 NR22_REG __REG NR22_REG
Sound Channel 2, NR22_REG: Volume Envelope

20.45.3.33 NR23_REG __REG NR23_REG
Sound Channel 2, NR23_REG: Frequency data Low

20.45.3.34 NR24_REG __REG NR24_REG
Sound Channel 2, NR24_REG: Frequency data High

20.45.3.35 NR30_REG __REG NR30_REG
Sound Channel 3, NR30_REG: Sound on/off

20.45.3.36 NR31_REG __REG NR31_REG
Sound Channel 3, NR31_REG: Sound Length

20.45.3.37 NR32_REG __REG NR32_REG
Sound Channel 3, NR32_REG: Select output level

20.45.3.38 NR33_REG __REG NR33_REG
Sound Channel 3, NR33_REG: Frequency data Low

20.45.3.39 NR34_REG __REG NR34_REG
Sound Channel 3, NR34_REG: Frequency data High

20.45.3.40 NR41_REG __REG NR41_REG
Sound Channel 4, NR41_REG: Sound Length

20.45.3.41 NR42_REG __REG NR42_REG
Sound Channel 4, NR42_REG: Volume Envelope

20.45.3.42 NR43_REG __REG NR43_REG
Sound Channel 4, NR43_REG: Polynomial Counter

20.45.3.43 NR44_REG __REG NR44_REG
Sound Channel 4, NR44_REG: Counter / Consecutive and Initial

20.45.3.44 NR50_REG __REG NR50_REG
Sound Master Volume, NR50: Volume and Cart external sound input (VIN)

20.45.3.45 NR51_REG __REG NR51_REG
Sound Panning, NR51: Enable/disable left and right output for sound channels

20.45.3.46 NR52_REG __REG NR52_REG
Sound Master Control, NR52: ON / OFF

20.45.3.47 AUD3WAVE __BYTE_REG AUD3WAVE[16]

20.45.3.48 PCM_SAMPLE __BYTE_REG PCM_SAMPLE[16]

20.45.3.49 LCDC_REG __REG LCDC_REG
LCD control

20.45.3.50 STAT_REG __REG STAT_REG
LCD status

20.45.3.51 SCY_REG __REG SCY_REG
Scroll Y

20.45.3.52 SCX_REG __REG SCX_REG
Scroll X

20.45.3.53 LY_REG __REG LY_REG
LCDC Y-coordinate

20.45.3.54 LYC_REG __REG LYC_REG
LY compare

20.45.3.55 DMA_REG __REG DMA_REG
DMA transfer

20.45.3.56 BGP_REG __REG BGP_REG
Set and Read the Background palette.

Example with the DMG_PALETTE() helper function and constants:
BGP_REG = DMG_PALETTE(DMG_BLACK, DMG_DARK_GRAY, DMG_LITE_GRAY, DMG_WHITE);

20.45.3.57 OBP0_REG __REG OBP0_REG
Set and Read the OBJ (Sprite) palette 0.

The first color entry is always transparent.

Example with the DMG_PALETTE() helper function and constants:
OBP0_REG = DMG_PALETTE(DMG_BLACK, DMG_DARK_GRAY, DMG_LITE_GRAY, DMG_WHITE);

20.45.3.58 OBP1_REG __REG OBP1_REG
Set and Read the OBJ (Sprite) palette 1.

The first color entry is always transparent.

Example with the DMG_PALETTE() helper function and constants:
OBP1_REG = DMG_PALETTE(DMG_BLACK, DMG_DARK_GRAY, DMG_LITE_GRAY, DMG_WHITE);

20.45.3.59 WY_REG __REG WY_REG
Window Y coordinate

20.45.3.60 WX_REG __REG WX_REG
Window X coordinate

20.45.3.61 KEY1_REG __REG KEY1_REG
CPU speed

20.45.3.62 VBK_REG __REG VBK_REG
VRAM bank select (CGB only)

See also

VBK_BANK_0, VBK_TILES, VBK_BANK_1, VBK_ATTRIBUTES

20.45.3.63 HDMA1_REG __REG HDMA1_REG
DMA control 1

20.45.3.64 HDMA2_REG __REG HDMA2_REG

DMA control 2

20.45.3.65 HDMA3_REG __REG HDMA3_REG

DMA control 3

20.45.3.66 HDMA4_REG __REG HDMA4_REG

DMA control 4

20.45.3.67 HDMA5_REG __REG HDMA5_REG

DMA control 5

20.45.3.68 RP_REG __REG RP_REG

IR port

20.45.3.69 BCPS_REG __REG BCPS_REG

BG color palette specification

20.45.3.70 BCPD_REG __REG BCPD_REG

BG color palette data

20.45.3.71 OCPS_REG __REG OCPS_REG

OBJ color palette specification

20.45.3.72 OCPD_REG __REG OCPD_REG

OBJ color palette data

20.45.3.73 SVBK_REG __REG SVBK_REG

Selects the WRAM upper region bank (CGB Only). WRAM Banking is NOT officially supported in GBDK and SDCC. The stack must be moved and other special care taken.

20.45.3.74 PCM12_REG __REG PCM12_REG

Sound channel 1&2 PCM amplitude (R)

20.45.3.75 PCM34_REG __REG PCM34_REG

Sound channel 3&4 PCM amplitude (R)

20.45.3.76 IE_REG __REG IE_REG

Interrupt enable

20.46 gbdk-lib/include/msx/hardware.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
```

Macros

- #define __BYTES extern UBYTE
- #define __BYTE_REG extern volatile UBYTE
- #define PSG_LATCH 0x80
- #define PSG_CH0 0b00000000
- #define PSG_CH1 0b00100000
- #define PSG_CH2 0b01000000
- #define PSG_CH3 0b01100000
- #define PSG_VOLUME 0b00010000

- #define STATF_INT_VBL 0b10000000
- #define STATF_9_SPR 0b01000000
- #define STATF_SPR_COLL 0b00100000
- #define VDP_REG_MASK 0b10000000
- #define VDP_R0 0b10000000
- #define R0_DEFAULT 0b00000000
- #define R0_CB_OUTPUT 0b00000000
- #define R0_CB_INPUT 0b01000000
- #define R0_IE2_OFF 0b00000000
- #define R0_IE2 0b00100000
- #define R0_IE1_OFF 0b00000000
- #define R0_IE1 0b00010000
- #define R0_SCR_MODE1 0b00000000
- #define R0_SCR_MODE2 0b00000010
- #define R0_SCR_MODE3 0b00000100
- #define R0_ES_OFF 0b00000000
- #define R0_ES 0b00000001
- #define VDP_R1 0b10000001
- #define R1_DEFAULT 0b10000000
- #define R1_DISP_OFF 0b00000000
- #define R1_DISP_ON 0b01000000
- #define R1_IE_OFF 0b00000000
- #define R1_IE 0b00100000
- #define R1_SCR_MODE1 0b00010000
- #define R1_SCR_MODE2 0b00000000
- #define R1_SCR_MODE3 0b00000000
- #define R1_SPR_8X8 0b00000000
- #define R1_SPR_16X16 0b00000010
- #define R1_SPR_MAG 0b00000001
- #define R1_SPR_MAG_OFF 0b00000000
- #define VDP_R2 0b10000010
- #define R2_MAP_0x3800 0xFF
- #define R2_MAP_0x3000 0xFD
- #define R2_MAP_0x2800 0xFB
- #define R2_MAP_0x2000 0xF9
- #define R2_MAP_0x1800 0xF7
- #define R2_MAP_0x1000 0xF5
- #define R2_MAP_0x0800 0xF3
- #define R2_MAP_0x0000 0xF1
- #define VDP_R3 0b10000011
- #define VDP_R4 0b10000100
- #define VDP_R5 0b10000101
- #define R5_SAT_0x3F00 0xFF
- #define R5_SAT_MASK 0b10000001
- #define VDP_R6 0b10000110
- #define R6_BANK0 0xFB
- #define R6_DATA_0x0000 0xFB
- #define R6_BANK1 0xFF
- #define R6_DATA_0x2000 0xFF
- #define VDP_R7 0b10000111
- #define VDP_RBORDER 0b10000111
- #define R7_COLOR_MASK 0b11110000
- #define VDP_R8 0b10001000
- #define VDP_RSCX 0b10001000
- #define VDP_R9 0b10001001

- #define VDP_RSCY 0b10001001
- #define VDP_R10 0b10001010
- #define R10_INT_OFF 0xFF
- #define R10_INT_EVERY 0x00
- #define SYSTEM_PAL 0x00
- #define SYSTEM_NTSC 0x01
- #define VBK_TILES 0
- #define VBK_ATTRIBUTES 1
- #define VDP_SAT_TERM 0xD0
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH (DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH * 8)
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT (DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT * 8)

Variables

- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R0
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R1
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R2
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R3
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R4
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R5
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R6
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R7
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_RBORDER
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R8
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_RSCX
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R9
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_RSCY
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R10
- const UBYTE _SYSTEM
- volatile UBYTE VDP_ATTR_SHIFT

20.46.1 Detailed Description

Defines that let the MSX hardware registers be accessed from C.

20.46.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.46.2.1 __BYTES `#define __BYTES extern UBYTE`

20.46.2.2 __BYTE_REG `#define __BYTE_REG extern volatile UBYTE`

20.46.2.3 PSG_LATCH `#define PSG_LATCH 0x80`

20.46.2.4 PSG_CH0 `#define PSG_CH0 0b00000000`

20.46.2.5 PSG_CH1 `#define PSG_CH1 0b00100000`

20.46.2.6 PSG_CH2 `#define PSG_CH2 0b01000000`

20.46.2.7 PSG_CH3

```
#define PSG_CH3 0b01100000
```

20.46.2.8 PSG_VOLUME

```
#define PSG_VOLUME 0b00010000
```

20.46.2.9 STATF_INT_VBL

```
#define STATF_INT_VBL 0b10000000
```

20.46.2.10 STATF_9_SPR

```
#define STATF_9_SPR 0b01000000
```

20.46.2.11 STATF_SPR_COLL

```
#define STATF_SPR_COLL 0b00100000
```

20.46.2.12 VDP_REG_MASK

```
#define VDP_REG_MASK 0b10000000
```

20.46.2.13 VDP_R0

```
#define VDP_R0 0b10000000
```

20.46.2.14 R0_DEFAULT

```
#define R0_DEFAULT 0b00000000
```

20.46.2.15 R0_CB_OUTPUT

```
#define R0_CB_OUTPUT 0b00000000
```

20.46.2.16 R0_CB_INPUT

```
#define R0_CB_INPUT 0b01000000
```

20.46.2.17 R0_IE2_OFF

```
#define R0_IE2_OFF 0b00000000
```

20.46.2.18 R0_IE2

```
#define R0_IE2 0b00100000
```

20.46.2.19 R0_IE1_OFF

```
#define R0_IE1_OFF 0b00000000
```

20.46.2.20 R0_IE1

```
#define R0_IE1 0b00010000
```

20.46.2.21 R0_SCR_MODE1

```
#define R0_SCR_MODE1 0b00000000
```

20.46.2.22 R0_SCR_MODE2

```
#define R0_SCR_MODE2 0b00000010
```

20.46.2.23 R0_SCR_MODE3

```
#define R0_SCR_MODE3 0b00000100
```

20.46.2.24 R0_ES_OFF

```
#define R0_ES_OFF 0b00000000
```

20.46.2.25 R0_ES

```
#define R0_ES 0b00000001
```

20.46.2.26 VDP_R1

```
#define VDP_R1 0b10000001
```

20.46.2.27 R1_DEFAULT

```
#define R1_DEFAULT 0b10000000
```

20.46.2.28 R1_DISP_OFF

```
#define R1_DISP_OFF 0b00000000
```

20.46.2.29 R1_DISP_ON

```
#define R1_DISP_ON 0b01000000
```

20.46.2.30 R1_IE_OFF

```
#define R1_IE_OFF 0b00000000
```

20.46.2.31 R1_IE

```
#define R1_IE 0b00100000
```

20.46.2.32 R1_SCR_MODE1

```
#define R1_SCR_MODE1 0b00010000
```

20.46.2.33 R1_SCR_MODE2

```
#define R1_SCR_MODE2 0b00000000
```

20.46.2.34 R1_SCR_MODE3

```
#define R1_SCR_MODE3 0b00000000
```

20.46.2.35 R1_SPR_8X8

```
#define R1_SPR_8X8 0b00000000
```

20.46.2.36 R1_SPR_16X16

```
#define R1_SPR_16X16 0b00000010
```

20.46.2.37 R1_SPR_MAG

```
#define R1_SPR_MAG 0b00000001
```

20.46.2.38 R1_SPR_MAG_OFF

```
#define R1_SPR_MAG_OFF 0b00000000
```

20.46.2.39 VDP_R2

```
#define VDP_R2 0b10000010
```

20.46.2.40 R2_MAP_0x3800

```
#define R2_MAP_0x3800 0xFF
```

20.46.2.41 R2_MAP_0x3000

```
#define R2_MAP_0x3000 0xFD
```

20.46.2.42 R2_MAP_0x2800

```
#define R2_MAP_0x2800 0xFB
```

20.46.2.43 R2_MAP_0x2000

```
#define R2_MAP_0x2000 0xF9
```

20.46.2.44 R2_MAP_0x1800

```
#define R2_MAP_0x1800 0xF7
```

20.46.2.45 R2_MAP_0x1000

```
#define R2_MAP_0x1000 0xF5
```

20.46.2.46 R2_MAP_0x0800

```
#define R2_MAP_0x0800 0xF3
```

20.46.2.47 R2_MAP_0x0000

```
#define R2_MAP_0x0000 0xF1
```

20.46.2.48 VDP_R3

```
#define VDP_R3 0b10000011
```

20.46.2.49 VDP_R4

```
#define VDP_R4 0b10000100
```

20.46.2.50 VDP_R5

```
#define VDP_R5 0b10000101
```

20.46.2.51 R5_SAT_0x3F00

```
#define R5_SAT_0x3F00 0xFF
```

20.46.2.52 R5_SAT_MASK

```
#define R5_SAT_MASK 0b10000001
```

20.46.2.53 VDP_R6

```
#define VDP_R6 0b10000110
```

20.46.2.54 R6_BANK0

```
#define R6_BANK0 0xFB
```

20.46.2.55 R6_DATA_0x0000

```
#define R6_DATA_0x0000 0xFB
```

20.46.2.56 R6_BANK1

```
#define R6_BANK1 0xFF
```

20.46.2.57 R6_DATA_0x2000

```
#define R6_DATA_0x2000 0xFF
```

20.46.2.58 VDP_R7

```
#define VDP_R7 0b10000111
```

20.46.2.59 VDP_RBORDER

```
#define VDP_RBORDER 0b10000111
```

20.46.2.60 R7_COLOR_MASK

```
#define R7_COLOR_MASK 0b11110000
```

20.46.2.61 VDP_R8 #define VDP_R8 0b10001000

20.46.2.62 VDP_RSCX #define VDP_RSCX 0b10001000

20.46.2.63 VDP_R9 #define VDP_R9 0b10001001

20.46.2.64 VDP_RSCY #define VDP_RSCY 0b10001001

20.46.2.65 VDP_R10 #define VDP_R10 0b10001010

20.46.2.66 R10_INT_OFF #define R10_INT_OFF 0xFF

20.46.2.67 R10_INT_EVERY #define R10_INT_EVERY 0x00

20.46.2.68 SYSTEM_PAL #define SYSTEM_PAL 0x00

20.46.2.69 SYSTEM_NTSC #define SYSTEM_NTSC 0x01

20.46.2.70 VBK_TILES #define VBK_TILES 0

20.46.2.71 VBK_ATTRIBUTES #define VBK_ATTRIBUTES 1

20.46.2.72 VDP_SAT_TERM #define VDP_SAT_TERM 0xD0

20.46.2.73 DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH #define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH (DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH * 8)

20.46.2.74 DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT #define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT (DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT * 8)

20.46.3 Variable Documentation

20.46.3.1 shadow_VDP_R0 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R0 [extern]

20.46.3.2 shadow_VDP_R1 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R1 [extern]

20.46.3.3 shadow_VDP_R2 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R2 [extern]

20.46.3.4 shadow_VDP_R3 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R3 [extern]

20.46.3.5 shadow_VDP_R4 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R4 [extern]

20.46.3.6 shadow_VDP_R5 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R5 [extern]

20.46.3.7 shadow_VDP_R6 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R6 [extern]

20.46.3.8 shadow_VDP_R7 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R7 [extern]

20.46.3.9 shadow_VDP_RBORDER UBYTE shadow_VDP_RBORDER [extern]

20.46.3.10 shadow_VDP_R8 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R8 [extern]

20.46.3.11 shadow_VDP_RSCX UBYTE shadow_VDP_RSCX [extern]

20.46.3.12 shadow_VDP_R9 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R9 [extern]

20.46.3.13 shadow_VDP_RSCY UBYTE shadow_VDP_RSCY [extern]

20.46.3.14 shadow_VDP_R10 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R10 [extern]

20.46.3.15 _SYSTEM const UBYTE _SYSTEM [extern]

20.46.3.16 VDP_ATTR_SHIFT volatile UBYTE VDP_ATTR_SHIFT [extern]

20.47 gbdk-lib/include/nes/hardware.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
```

Macros

- #define __SHADOW_REG extern volatile uint8_t
- #define __REG(addr) volatile __at (addr) uint8_t
- #define PPUCTRL_NMI 0b10000000
- #define PPUCTRL_SPR_8X8 0b00000000
- #define PPUCTRL_SPR_8X16 0b00100000
- #define PPUCTRL_BG_CHR 0b00010000
- #define PPUCTRL_SPR_CHR 0b00001000
- #define PPUCTRL_INC32 0b00000100
- #define PPUMASK_BLUE 0b10000000
- #define PPUMASK_RED 0b01000000

- #define PPUMASK_GREEN 0b00100000
- #define PPUMASK_SHOW_SPR 0b00010000
- #define PPUMASK_SHOW_BG 0b00001000
- #define PPUMASK_SHOW_SPR_LC 0b00000100
- #define PPUMASK_SHOW_BG_LC 0b00000010
- #define PPUMASK_MONOCHROME 0b00000001
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_X_OFFSET 0
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_Y_OFFSET 0
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH 32
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT 30
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_BUFFER_WIDTH 32
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_BUFFER_HEIGHT 30
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_MAP_ENTRY_SIZE 1
- #define DEVICE_SPRITE_PX_OFFSET_X 0
- #define DEVICE_SPRITE_PX_OFFSET_Y -1
- #define DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_X 0
- #define DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_Y 0
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH (DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH ∗ 8)
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT (DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT ∗ 8)

Functions

- __REG (0x2000) PPUCTRL
- __REG (0x2001) PPUMASK
- __REG (0x2002) PPUSTATUS
- __REG (0x2003) OAMADDR
- __REG (0x2004) OAMDATA
- __REG (0x2005) PPUSCROLL
- __REG (0x2006) PPUADDR
- __REG (0x2007) PPUDATA
- __REG (0x4014) OAMDMA

Variables

- __SHADOW_REG shadow_PPUCTRL
- __SHADOW_REG shadow_PPUMASK
- __SHADOW_REG bkg_scroll_x
- __SHADOW_REG bkg_scroll_y

20.47.1 Detailed Description

Defines that let the NES hardware registers be accessed from C.

20.47.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.47.2.1 __SHADOW_REG `#define __SHADOW_REG extern volatile uint8_t`

20.47.2.2 __REG

```
#define __REG(
    addr ) volatile __at (addr) uint8_t
```

20.47.2.3 PPUCTRL_NMI `#define PPUCTRL_NMI 0b10000000`

20.47.2.4 PPUCTRL_SPR_8X8 #define PPUCTRL_SPR_8X8 0b00000000

20.47.2.5 PPUCTRL_SPR_8X16 #define PPUCTRL_SPR_8X16 0b00100000

20.47.2.6 PPUCTRL_BG_CHR #define PPUCTRL_BG_CHR 0b00010000

20.47.2.7 PPUCTRL_SPR_CHR #define PPUCTRL_SPR_CHR 0b00001000

20.47.2.8 PPUCTRL_INC32 #define PPUCTRL_INC32 0b00000100

20.47.2.9 PPUMASK_BLUE #define PPUMASK_BLUE 0b10000000

20.47.2.10 PPUMASK_RED #define PPUMASK_RED 0b01000000

20.47.2.11 PPUMASK_GREEN #define PPUMASK_GREEN 0b00100000

20.47.2.12 PPUMASK_SHOW_SPR #define PPUMASK_SHOW_SPR 0b00010000

20.47.2.13 PPUMASK_SHOW_BG #define PPUMASK_SHOW_BG 0b00001000

20.47.2.14 PPUMASK_SHOW_SPR_LC #define PPUMASK_SHOW_SPR_LC 0b00000100

20.47.2.15 PPUMASK_SHOW_BG_LC #define PPUMASK_SHOW_BG_LC 0b00000010

20.47.2.16 PPUMASK_MONOCHROME #define PPUMASK_MONOCHROME 0b00000001

20.47.2.17 DEVICE_SCREEN_X_OFFSET #define DEVICE_SCREEN_X_OFFSET 0

20.47.2.18 DEVICE_SCREEN_Y_OFFSET #define DEVICE_SCREEN_Y_OFFSET 0

20.47.2.19 DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH #define DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH 32

20.47.2.20 DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT #define DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT 30

20.47.2.21 DEVICE_SCREEN_BUFFER_WIDTH #define DEVICE_SCREEN_BUFFER_WIDTH 32

20.47.2.22 DEVICE_SCREEN_BUFFER_HEIGHT

```
#define DEVICE_SCREEN_BUFFER_HEIGHT 30
```

20.47.2.23 DEVICE_SCREEN_MAP_ENTRY_SIZE

```
#define DEVICE_SCREEN_MAP_ENTRY_SIZE 1
```

20.47.2.24 DEVICE_SPRITE_PX_OFFSET_X

```
#define DEVICE_SPRITE_PX_OFFSET_X 0
```

20.47.2.25 DEVICE_SPRITE_PX_OFFSET_Y

```
#define DEVICE_SPRITE_PX_OFFSET_Y -1
```

20.47.2.26 DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_X

```
#define DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_X 0
```

20.47.2.27 DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_Y

```
#define DEVICE_WINDOW_PX_OFFSET_Y 0
```

20.47.2.28 DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH

```
#define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH (DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH *
8)
```

20.47.2.29 DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT

```
#define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT (DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT *
8)
```

20.47.3 Function Documentation

20.47.3.1 __REG() [1/9]

```
__REG (
    0x2000  )
```

20.47.3.2 __REG() [2/9]

```
__REG (
    0x2001  )
```

20.47.3.3 __REG() [3/9]

```
__REG (
    0x2002  )
```

20.47.3.4 __REG() [4/9]

```
__REG (
    0x2003  )
```

20.47.3.5 __REG() [5/9]

```
__REG (
    0x2004  )
```

20.47.3.6 __REG() [6/9]

```
__REG (
    0x2005  )
```

20.47.3.7 __REG() [7/9] __REG (

```
0x2006 )
```

20.47.3.8 __REG() [8/9] __REG (

```
0x2007 )
```

20.47.3.9 __REG() [9/9] __REG (

```
0x4014 )
```

20.47.4 Variable Documentation

20.47.4.1 shadow_PPUCTRL __SHADOW_REG shadow_PPUCTRL

20.47.4.2 shadow_PPUMASK __SHADOW_REG shadow_PPUMASK

20.47.4.3 bkg_scroll_x __SHADOW_REG bkg_scroll_x

20.47.4.4 bkg_scroll_y __SHADOW_REG bkg_scroll_y

20.48 gbdk-lib/include/sms/hardware.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
```

Macros

- #define __BYTES extern UBYTE
- #define __BYTE_REG extern volatile UBYTE
- #define GGSTATE_STT 0b10000000
- #define GGSTATE_NJAP 0b01000000
- #define GGSTATE_NNTS 0b00100000
- #define GGEXT_NINIT 0b10000000
- #define SIOCTL_TXFL 0b00000001
- #define SIOCTL_RXRD 0b00000010
- #define SIOCTL_FRER 0b00000100
- #define SIOCTL_INT 0b00001000
- #define SIOCTL_TON 0b00010000
- #define SIOCTL_RON 0b00100000
- #define SIOCTL_BS0 0b01000000
- #define SIOCTL_BS1 0b10000000
- #define SOUNDPAN_TN1R 0b00000001
- #define SOUNDPAN_TN2R 0b00000010
- #define SOUNDPAN_TN3R 0b00000100
- #define SOUNDPAN_NOSR 0b00001000
- #define SOUNDPAN_TN1L 0b00010000
- #define SOUNDPAN_TN2L 0b00100000
- #define SOUNDPAN_TN3L 0b01000000
- #define SOUNDPAN_NOSL 0b10000000

- #define MEMCTL_JOYON 0b00000000
- #define MEMCTL_JOYOFF 0b00000100
- #define MEMCTL_BASEON 0b00000000
- #define MEMCTL_BASEOFF 0b00001000
- #define MEMCTL_RAMON 0b00000000
- #define MEMCTL_RAMOFF 0b00010000
- #define MEMCTL_CROMON 0b00000000
- #define MEMCTL_CROMOFF 0b00100000
- #define MEMCTL_ROMON 0b00000000
- #define MEMCTL_ROMOFF 0b01000000
- #define MEMCTL_EXTON 0b00000000
- #define MEMCTL_EXTOFF 0b10000000
- #define JOY_P1_TR_DIR_IN 0b00000001
- #define JOY_P1_TR_DIR_OUT 0b00000000
- #define JOY_P1_TH_DIR_IN 0b00000010
- #define GUN_P1_LATCH JOY_P1_TH_DIR_IN
- #define JOY_P1_TH_DIR_OUT 0b00000000
- #define JOY_P2_TR_DIR_IN 0b00000100
- #define JOY_P2_TR_DIR_OUT 0b00000000
- #define JOY_P2_TH_DIR_IN 0b00001000
- #define GUN_P2_LATCH JOY_P2_TH_DIR_IN
- #define JOY_P2_TH_DIR_OUT 0b00000000
- #define JOY_P1_TR_OUT_HI 0b00010000
- #define JOY_P1_TR_OUT_LO 0b00000000
- #define JOY_P1_TH_OUT_HI 0b00100000
- #define JOY_P1_TH_OUT_LO 0b00000000
- #define JOY_P2_TR_OUT_HI 0b01000000
- #define JOY_P2_TR_OUT_LO 0b00000000
- #define JOY_P2_TH_OUT_HI 0b10000000
- #define JOY_P2_TH_OUT_LO 0b00000000
- #define JOY_TH_HI (JOY_P1_TR_DIR_IN | JOY_P1_TH_DIR_OUT | JOY_P2_TR_DIR_IN | JOY_P2_TH_DIR_OUT | JOY_P1_TR_OUT_HI | JOY_P1_TH_OUT_HI | JOY_P2_TR_OUT_HI | JOY_P2_TH_OUT_HI)
- #define JOY_TH_LO (JOY_P1_TR_DIR_IN | JOY_P1_TH_DIR_OUT | JOY_P2_TR_DIR_IN | JOY_P2_TH_DIR_OUT | JOY_P1_TR_OUT_HI | JOY_P1_TH_OUT_LO | JOY_P2_TR_OUT_HI | JOY_P2_TH_OUT_LO)
- #define PSG_LATCH 0b10000000
- #define PSG_CH0 0b00000000
- #define PSG_CH1 0b00100000
- #define PSG_CH2 0b01000000
- #define PSG_CH3 0b01100000
- #define PSG_VOLUME 0b00010000
- #define STATF_INT_VBL 0b10000000
- #define STATF_9_SPR 0b01000000
- #define STATF_SPR_COLL 0b00100000
- #define VDP_REG_MASK 0b10000000
- #define VDP_R0 0b10000000
- #define R0_VSCRL 0b00000000
- #define R0_VSCRL_INH 0b10000000
- #define R0_HSCRL 0b00000000
- #define R0_HSCRL_INH 0b01000000
- #define R0_NO_LCB 0b00000000
- #define R0_LCB 0b00100000
- #define R0_IE1_OFF 0b00000000
- #define R0_IE1 0b00010000
- #define R0_SS_OFF 0b00000000
- #define R0_SS 0b00001000

- #define R0_DEFAULT 0b00000110
- #define R0_ES_OFF 0b00000000
- #define R0_ES 0b00000001
- #define VDP_R1 0b10000001
- #define R1_DEFAULT 0b10000000
- #define R1_DISP_OFF 0b00000000
- #define R1_DISP_ON 0b01000000
- #define R1_IE_OFF 0b00000000
- #define R1_IE 0b00100000
- #define R1_SPR_8X8 0b00000000
- #define R1_SPR_8X16 0b00000010
- #define VDP_R2 0b10000010
- #define R2_MAP_0x3800 0xFF
- #define R2_MAP_0x3000 0xFD
- #define R2_MAP_0x2800 0xFB
- #define R2_MAP_0x2000 0xF9
- #define R2_MAP_0x1800 0xF7
- #define R2_MAP_0x1000 0xF5
- #define R2_MAP_0x0800 0xF3
- #define R2_MAP_0x0000 0xF1
- #define VDP_R3 0b10000011
- #define VDP_R4 0b10000100
- #define VDP_R5 0b10000101
- #define R5_SAT_0x3F00 0xFF
- #define R5_SAT_0x1F00 0xBF
- #define R5_SAT_MASK 0b10000001
- #define VDP_R6 0b10000110
- #define R6_BANK0 0xFB
- #define R6_DATA_0x0000 0xFB
- #define R6_BANK1 0xFF
- #define R6_DATA_0x2000 0xFF
- #define VDP_R7 0b10000111
- #define VDP_RBORDER 0b10000111
- #define R7_COLOR_MASK 0b11110000
- #define VDP_R8 0b10001000
- #define VDP_RSCX 0b10001000
- #define VDP_R9 0b10001001
- #define VDP_RSCY 0b10001001
- #define VDP_R10 0b10001010
- #define R10_INT_OFF 0xFF
- #define R10_INT_EVERY 0x00
- #define JOY_P1_UP 0b00000001
- #define JOY_P1_MD_Z JOY_P1_UP
- #define JOY_P1_DOWN 0b00000010
- #define JOY_P1_MD_Y JOY_P1_DOWN
- #define JOY_P1_LEFT 0b00000100
- #define JOY_P1_MD_X JOY_P1_LEFT
- #define JOY_P1_RIGHT 0b00001000
- #define JOY_P1_MD_MODE JOY_P1_RIGHT
- #define JOY_P1_SW1 0b00010000
- #define JOY_P1_TRIGGER JOY_P1_SW1
- #define JOY_P1_MD_A JOY_P1_SW1
- #define JOY_P1_SW2 0b00100000
- #define JOY_P1_MD_START JOY_P1_SW2
- #define JOY_P2_UP 0b01000000

- #define JOY_P2_MD_Z JOY_P2_UP
- #define JOY_P2_DOWN 0b10000000
- #define JOY_P2_MD_Y JOY_P2_DOWN
- #define JOY_P2_LEFT 0b00000001
- #define JOY_P2_MD_X JOY_P2_LEFT
- #define JOY_P2_RIGHT 0b00000010
- #define JOY_P2_MD_MODE JOY_P2_RIGHT
- #define JOY_P2_SW1 0b00000100
- #define JOY_P2_TRIGGER JOY_P2_SW1
- #define JOY_P2_MD_A JOY_P2_SW1
- #define JOY_P2_SW2 0b00001000
- #define JOY_P2_MD_START JOY_P2_SW2
- #define JOY_RESET 0b00010000
- #define JOY_P1_LIGHT 0b01000000
- #define JOY_P2_LIGHT 0b10000000
- #define RAMCTL_BANK 0b00000100
- #define RAMCTL_ROM 0b00000000
- #define RAMCTL_RAM 0b00001000
- #define RAMCTL_RO 0b00010000
- #define RAMCTL_PROT 0b10000000
- #define VBK_TILES 0
- #define VBK_ATTRIBUTES 1
- #define VDP_SAT_TERM 0xD0
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH (DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH * 8)
- #define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT (DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT * 8)

Variables

- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R0
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R1
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R2
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R3
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R4
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R5
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R6
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R7
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_RBORDER
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R8
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_RSCX
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R9
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_RSCY
- UBYTE shadow_VDP_R10
- volatile UBYTE VDP_ATTR_SHIFT

20.48.1 Detailed Description

Defines that let the SMS/GG hardware registers be accessed from C.

20.48.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.48.2.1 __BYTES `#define __BYTES extern UBYTE`

20.48.2.2 __BYTE_REG

```
#define __BYTE_REG extern volatile UBYTE
```

20.48.2.3 GGSTATE_STT

```
#define GGSTATE_STT 0b10000000
```

20.48.2.4 GGSTATE_NJAP

```
#define GGSTATE_NJAP 0b01000000
```

20.48.2.5 GGSTATE_NNTS

```
#define GGSTATE_NNTS 0b00100000
```

20.48.2.6 GGEXT_NINIT

```
#define GGEXT_NINIT 0b10000000
```

20.48.2.7 SIOCTL_TXFL

```
#define SIOCTL_TXFL 0b00000001
```

20.48.2.8 SIOCTL_RXRD

```
#define SIOCTL_RXRD 0b00000010
```

20.48.2.9 SIOCTL_FRER

```
#define SIOCTL_FRER 0b00000100
```

20.48.2.10 SIOCTL_INT

```
#define SIOCTL_INT 0b00001000
```

20.48.2.11 SIOCTL_TON

```
#define SIOCTL_TON 0b00010000
```

20.48.2.12 SIOCTL_RON

```
#define SIOCTL_RON 0b00100000
```

20.48.2.13 SIOCTL_BS0

```
#define SIOCTL_BS0 0b01000000
```

20.48.2.14 SIOCTL_BS1

```
#define SIOCTL_BS1 0b10000000
```

20.48.2.15 SOUNDPAN_TN1R

```
#define SOUNDPAN_TN1R 0b00000001
```

20.48.2.16 SOUNDPAN_TN2R

```
#define SOUNDPAN_TN2R 0b00000010
```

20.48.2.17 SOUNDPAN_TN3R

```
#define SOUNDPAN_TN3R 0b00000100
```

20.48.2.18 SOUNDPAN_NOSR

```
#define SOUNDPAN_NOSR 0b00001000
```

20.48.2.19 SOUNDPAN_TN1L

```
#define SOUNDPAN_TN1L 0b00010000
```

20.48.2.20 SOUNDPAN_TN2L

```
#define SOUNDPAN_TN2L 0b00100000
```

20.48.2.21 SOUNDPAN_TN3L

```
#define SOUNDPAN_TN3L 0b01000000
```

20.48.2.22 SOUNDPAN_NOSL

```
#define SOUNDPAN_NOSL 0b10000000
```

20.48.2.23 MEMCTL_JOYON

```
#define MEMCTL_JOYON 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.24 MEMCTL_JOYOFF

```
#define MEMCTL_JOYOFF 0b00000100
```

20.48.2.25 MEMCTL_BASEON

```
#define MEMCTL_BASEON 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.26 MEMCTL_BASEOFF

```
#define MEMCTL_BASEOFF 0b00001000
```

20.48.2.27 MEMCTL_RAMON

```
#define MEMCTL_RAMON 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.28 MEMCTL_RAMOFF

```
#define MEMCTL_RAMOFF 0b00010000
```

20.48.2.29 MEMCTL_CROMON

```
#define MEMCTL_CROMON 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.30 MEMCTL_CROMOFF

```
#define MEMCTL_CROMOFF 0b00100000
```

20.48.2.31 MEMCTL_ROMON

```
#define MEMCTL_ROMON 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.32 MEMCTL_ROMOFF

```
#define MEMCTL_ROMOFF 0b01000000
```

20.48.2.33 MEMCTL_EXTON

```
#define MEMCTL_EXTON 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.34 MEMCTL_EXTOFF

```
#define MEMCTL_EXTOFF 0b10000000
```

20.48.2.35 JOY_P1_TR_DIR_IN

```
#define JOY_P1_TR_DIR_IN 0b00000001
```

20.48.2.36 JOY_P1_TR_DIR_OUT

```
#define JOY_P1_TR_DIR_OUT 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.37 JOY_P1_TH_DIR_IN

```
#define JOY_P1_TH_DIR_IN 0b00000010
```

20.48.2.38 GUN_P1_LATCH

```
#define GUN_P1_LATCH JOY_P1_TH_DIR_IN
```

20.48.2.39 JOY_P1_TH_DIR_OUT

```
#define JOY_P1_TH_DIR_OUT 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.40 JOY_P2_TR_DIR_IN

```
#define JOY_P2_TR_DIR_IN 0b00000100
```

20.48.2.41 JOY_P2_TR_DIR_OUT

```
#define JOY_P2_TR_DIR_OUT 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.42 JOY_P2_TH_DIR_IN

```
#define JOY_P2_TH_DIR_IN 0b00001000
```

20.48.2.43 GUN_P2_LATCH

```
#define GUN_P2_LATCH JOY_P2_TH_DIR_IN
```

20.48.2.44 JOY_P2_TH_DIR_OUT

```
#define JOY_P2_TH_DIR_OUT 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.45 JOY_P1_TR_OUT_HI

```
#define JOY_P1_TR_OUT_HI 0b00010000
```

20.48.2.46 JOY_P1_TR_OUT_LO

```
#define JOY_P1_TR_OUT_LO 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.47 JOY_P1_TH_OUT_HI

```
#define JOY_P1_TH_OUT_HI 0b00100000
```

20.48.2.48 JOY_P1_TH_OUT_LO

```
#define JOY_P1_TH_OUT_LO 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.49 JOY_P2_TR_OUT_HI

```
#define JOY_P2_TR_OUT_HI 0b01000000
```

20.48.2.50 JOY_P2_TR_OUT_LO

```
#define JOY_P2_TR_OUT_LO 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.51 JOY_P2_TH_OUT_HI

```
#define JOY_P2_TH_OUT_HI 0b10000000
```

20.48.2.52 JOY_P2_TH_OUT_LO

```
#define JOY_P2_TH_OUT_LO 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.53 JOY_TH_HI

```
#define JOY_TH_HI (JOY_P1_TR_DIR_IN | JOY_P1_TH_DIR_OUT | JOY_P2_TR_DIR_IN
| JOY_P2_TH_DIR_OUT | JOY_P1_TR_OUT_HI | JOY_P1_TH_OUT_HI | JOY_P2_TR_OUT_HI | JOY_P2_TH_OUT_HI)
```

20.48.2.54 JOY_TH_LO

```
#define JOY_TH_LO (JOY_P1_TR_DIR_IN | JOY_P1_TH_DIR_OUT | JOY_P2_TR_DIR_IN
| JOY_P2_TH_DIR_OUT | JOY_P1_TR_OUT_HI | JOY_P1_TH_OUT_LO | JOY_P2_TR_OUT_HI | JOY_P2_TH_OUT_LO)
```

20.48.2.55 PSG_LATCH

```
#define PSG_LATCH 0b10000000
```

20.48.2.56 PSG_CH0

```
#define PSG_CH0 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.57 PSG_CH1

```
#define PSG_CH1 0b00100000
```

20.48.2.58 PSG_CH2

```
#define PSG_CH2 0b01000000
```

20.48.2.59 PSG_CH3

```
#define PSG_CH3 0b01100000
```

20.48.2.60 PSG_VOLUME

```
#define PSG_VOLUME 0b00010000
```

20.48.2.61 STATF_INT_VBL

```
#define STATF_INT_VBL 0b10000000
```

20.48.2.62 STATF_9_SPR

```
#define STATF_9_SPR 0b01000000
```

20.48.2.63 STATF_SPR_COLL

```
#define STATF_SPR_COLL 0b00100000
```

20.48.2.64 VDP_REG_MASK

```
#define VDP_REG_MASK 0b10000000
```

20.48.2.65 VDP_R0

```
#define VDP_R0 0b10000000
```

20.48.2.66 R0_VSCRL

```
#define R0_VSCRL 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.67 R0_VSCRL_INH

```
#define R0_VSCRL_INH 0b10000000
```

20.48.2.68 R0_HSCRL

```
#define R0_HSCRL 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.69 R0_HSCRL_INH

```
#define R0_HSCRL_INH 0b01000000
```

20.48.2.70 R0_NO_LCB

```
#define R0_NO_LCB 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.71 R0_LCB

```
#define R0_LCB 0b00100000
```

20.48.2.72 R0_IE1_OFF

```
#define R0_IE1_OFF 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.73 R0_IE1 `#define R0_IE1 0b00010000`

20.48.2.74 R0_SS_OFF `#define R0_SS_OFF 0b00000000`

20.48.2.75 R0_SS `#define R0_SS 0b00001000`

20.48.2.76 R0_DEFAULT `#define R0_DEFAULT 0b00000110`

20.48.2.77 R0_ES_OFF `#define R0_ES_OFF 0b00000000`

20.48.2.78 R0_ES `#define R0_ES 0b00000001`

20.48.2.79 VDP_R1 `#define VDP_R1 0b10000001`

20.48.2.80 R1_DEFAULT `#define R1_DEFAULT 0b10000000`

20.48.2.81 R1_DISP_OFF `#define R1_DISP_OFF 0b00000000`

20.48.2.82 R1_DISP_ON `#define R1_DISP_ON 0b01000000`

20.48.2.83 R1_IE_OFF `#define R1_IE_OFF 0b00000000`

20.48.2.84 R1_IE `#define R1_IE 0b00100000`

20.48.2.85 R1_SPR_8X8 `#define R1_SPR_8X8 0b00000000`

20.48.2.86 R1_SPR_8X16 `#define R1_SPR_8X16 0b00000010`

20.48.2.87 VDP_R2 `#define VDP_R2 0b10000010`

20.48.2.88 R2_MAP_0x3800 `#define R2_MAP_0x3800 0xFF`

20.48.2.89 R2_MAP_0x3000 `#define R2_MAP_0x3000 0xFD`

20.48.2.90 R2_MAP_0x2800 `#define R2_MAP_0x2800 0xFB`

20.48.2.91 R2_MAP_0x2000 `#define R2_MAP_0x2000 0xF9`

20.48.2.92 R2_MAP_0x1800 `#define R2_MAP_0x1800 0xF7`

20.48.2.93 R2_MAP_0x1000 `#define R2_MAP_0x1000 0xF5`

20.48.2.94 R2_MAP_0x0800 `#define R2_MAP_0x0800 0xF3`

20.48.2.95 R2_MAP_0x0000 `#define R2_MAP_0x0000 0xF1`

20.48.2.96 VDP_R3 `#define VDP_R3 0b10000011`

20.48.2.97 VDP_R4 `#define VDP_R4 0b10000100`

20.48.2.98 VDP_R5 `#define VDP_R5 0b10000101`

20.48.2.99 R5_SAT_0x3F00 `#define R5_SAT_0x3F00 0xFF`

20.48.2.100 R5_SAT_0x1F00 `#define R5_SAT_0x1F00 0xBF`

20.48.2.101 R5_SAT_MASK `#define R5_SAT_MASK 0b10000001`

20.48.2.102 VDP_R6 `#define VDP_R6 0b10000110`

20.48.2.103 R6_BANK0 `#define R6_BANK0 0xFB`

20.48.2.104 R6_DATA_0x0000 `#define R6_DATA_0x0000 0xFB`

20.48.2.105 R6_BANK1 `#define R6_BANK1 0xFF`

20.48.2.106 R6_DATA_0x2000 `#define R6_DATA_0x2000 0xFF`

20.48.2.107 VDP_R7 `#define VDP_R7 0b10000111`

20.48.2.108 VDP_RBORDER `#define VDP_RBORDER 0b10000111`

20.48.2.109 R7_COLOR_MASK

```
#define R7_COLOR_MASK 0b11110000
```

20.48.2.110 VDP_R8

```
#define VDP_R8 0b10001000
```

20.48.2.111 VDP_RSCX

```
#define VDP_RSCX 0b10001000
```

20.48.2.112 VDP_R9

```
#define VDP_R9 0b10001001
```

20.48.2.113 VDP_RSCY

```
#define VDP_RSCY 0b10001001
```

20.48.2.114 VDP_R10

```
#define VDP_R10 0b10001010
```

20.48.2.115 R10_INT_OFF

```
#define R10_INT_OFF 0xFF
```

20.48.2.116 R10_INT_EVERY

```
#define R10_INT_EVERY 0x00
```

20.48.2.117 JOY_P1_UP

```
#define JOY_P1_UP 0b00000001
```

20.48.2.118 JOY_P1_MD_Z

```
#define JOY_P1_MD_Z JOY_P1_UP
```

20.48.2.119 JOY_P1_DOWN

```
#define JOY_P1_DOWN 0b00000010
```

20.48.2.120 JOY_P1_MD_Y

```
#define JOY_P1_MD_Y JOY_P1_DOWN
```

20.48.2.121 JOY_P1_LEFT

```
#define JOY_P1_LEFT 0b00000100
```

20.48.2.122 JOY_P1_MD_X

```
#define JOY_P1_MD_X JOY_P1_LEFT
```

20.48.2.123 JOY_P1_RIGHT

```
#define JOY_P1_RIGHT 0b00001000
```

20.48.2.124 JOY_P1_MD_MODE

```
#define JOY_P1_MD_MODE JOY_P1_RIGHT
```

20.48.2.125 JOY_P1_SW1

```
#define JOY_P1_SW1 0b00010000
```

20.48.2.126 JOY_P1_TRIGGER

```
#define JOY_P1_TRIGGER JOY_P1_SW1
```

20.48.2.127 JOY_P1_MD_A

```
#define JOY_P1_MD_A JOY_P1_SW1
```

20.48.2.128 JOY_P1_SW2

```
#define JOY_P1_SW2 0b00100000
```

20.48.2.129 JOY_P1_MD_START

```
#define JOY_P1_MD_START JOY_P1_SW2
```

20.48.2.130 JOY_P2_UP

```
#define JOY_P2_UP 0b01000000
```

20.48.2.131 JOY_P2_MD_Z

```
#define JOY_P2_MD_Z JOY_P2_UP
```

20.48.2.132 JOY_P2_DOWN

```
#define JOY_P2_DOWN 0b10000000
```

20.48.2.133 JOY_P2_MD_Y

```
#define JOY_P2_MD_Y JOY_P2_DOWN
```

20.48.2.134 JOY_P2_LEFT

```
#define JOY_P2_LEFT 0b00000001
```

20.48.2.135 JOY_P2_MD_X

```
#define JOY_P2_MD_X JOY_P2_LEFT
```

20.48.2.136 JOY_P2_RIGHT

```
#define JOY_P2_RIGHT 0b00000010
```

20.48.2.137 JOY_P2_MD_MODE

```
#define JOY_P2_MD_MODE JOY_P2_RIGHT
```

20.48.2.138 JOY_P2_SW1

```
#define JOY_P2_SW1 0b00000100
```

20.48.2.139 JOY_P2_TRIGGER

```
#define JOY_P2_TRIGGER JOY_P2_SW1
```

20.48.2.140 JOY_P2_MD_A

```
#define JOY_P2_MD_A JOY_P2_SW1
```

20.48.2.141 JOY_P2_SW2

```
#define JOY_P2_SW2 0b00001000
```

20.48.2.142 JOY_P2_MD_START

```
#define JOY_P2_MD_START JOY_P2_SW2
```

20.48.2.143 JOY_RESET

```
#define JOY_RESET 0b00010000
```

20.48.2.144 JOY_P1_LIGHT

```
#define JOY_P1_LIGHT 0b01000000
```

20.48.2.145 JOY_P2_LIGHT

```
#define JOY_P2_LIGHT 0b10000000
```

20.48.2.146 RAMCTL_BANK

```
#define RAMCTL_BANK 0b00000100
```

20.48.2.147 RAMCTL_ROM

```
#define RAMCTL_ROM 0b00000000
```

20.48.2.148 RAMCTL_RAM

```
#define RAMCTL_RAM 0b00001000
```

20.48.2.149 RAMCTL_RO

```
#define RAMCTL_RO 0b00010000
```

20.48.2.150 RAMCTL_PROT

```
#define RAMCTL_PROT 0b10000000
```

20.48.2.151 VBK_TILES

```
#define VBK_TILES 0
```

20.48.2.152 VBK_ATTRIBUTES

```
#define VBK_ATTRIBUTES 1
```

20.48.2.153 VDP_SAT_TERM

```
#define VDP_SAT_TERM 0xD0
```

20.48.2.154 DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH

```
#define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH (DEVICE_SCREEN_WIDTH * 8)
```

20.48.2.155 DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT

```
#define DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT (DEVICE_SCREEN_HEIGHT * 8)
```

20.48.3 Variable Documentation

20.48.3.1 shadow_VDP_R0

```
UBYTE shadow_VDP_R0 [extern]
```

20.48.3.2 shadow_VDP_R1

```
UBYTE shadow_VDP_R1 [extern]
```

20.48.3.3 shadow_VDP_R2

```
UBYTE shadow_VDP_R2 [extern]
```

20.48.3.4 shadow_VDP_R3

```
UBYTE shadow_VDP_R3 [extern]
```

20.48.3.5 shadow_VDP_R4

```
UBYTE shadow_VDP_R4 [extern]
```

20.48.3.6 shadow_VDP_R5

```
UBYTE shadow_VDP_R5 [extern]
```

20.48.3.7 shadow_VDP_R6 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R6 [extern]

20.48.3.8 shadow_VDP_R7 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R7 [extern]

20.48.3.9 shadow_VDP_RBORDER UBYTE shadow_VDP_RBORDER [extern]

20.48.3.10 shadow_VDP_R8 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R8 [extern]

20.48.3.11 shadow_VDP_RSCX UBYTE shadow_VDP_RSCX [extern]

20.48.3.12 shadow_VDP_R9 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R9 [extern]

20.48.3.13 shadow_VDP_RSCY UBYTE shadow_VDP_RSCY [extern]

20.48.3.14 shadow_VDP_R10 UBYTE shadow_VDP_R10 [extern]

20.48.3.15 VDP_ATTR_SHIFT volatile UBYTE VDP_ATTR_SHIFT [extern]

20.49 gbdk-lib/include/gb/hblankcpy.h File Reference

```
#include <stdint.h>
```

Functions

- void hblank_copy_vram (const uint8_t *sour, uint8_t count)
- void hblank_cpy_vram (const uint8_t *sour, uint8_t count)
- void hblank_copy (uint8_t *dest, const uint8_t *sour, uint16_t size)

Variables

- uint8_t * hblank_copy_destination

20.49.1 Function Documentation

20.49.1.1 hblank_copy_vram() void hblank_copy_vram (const uint8_t * *sour*, uint8_t *count*)

HBlank stack copy routine

Parameters

sour	Source address to copy from
count	Number of 16 byte chunks to copy

Performs the required STAT_REG, IE_REG, IF_REG manipulation when called and restores STAT_REG and IE_↩

REG on exit (unlike hblank_cpy_vram()).
Before calling:

- Set the destination using hblank_copy_destination
- Interrupts must be disabled

See also

hblank_cpy_vram, hblank_copy_destination, hblank_copy

20.49.1.2 hblank_cpy_vram()

```
void hblank_cpy_vram (
    const uint8_t * sour,
    uint8_t count )
```

HBlank stack copy routine

Parameters

sour	Source address to copy from
count	Number of 16 byte chunks to copy

Unlike hblank_copy_vram() does not perform the required STAT_REG, IE_REG, IF_REG manipulation, nor does it restore STAT_REG and IE_REG on exit.
Before calling:

- Set the destination using hblank_copy_destination
- Interrupts must be properly configured
- Interrupts must be disabled

See also

hblank_copy_vram, hblank_copy_destination, hblank_copy

20.49.1.3 hblank_copy()

```
void hblank_copy (
    uint8_t * dest,
    const uint8_t * sour,
    uint16_t size )  [inline]
```

HBlank stack copy routine (must be called with interrupts disabled!)

Parameters

dest	destination pointer
sour	source pointer
size	number of bytes to copy (rounded to 16-byte chunks)

Performs a fast vram safe copy of data during HBlank.

20.49.2 Variable Documentation

20.49.2.1 hblank_copy_destination

```
uint8_t* hblank_copy_destination  [extern]
```

Destination address for hblank copy routine

20.50 gbdk-lib/include/gb/isr.h File Reference

```
#include <stdint.h>
#include <types.h>
```

Data Structures

- struct isr_vector_t
- struct isr_nested_vector_t

Macros

- #define VECTOR_STAT 0x48
- #define VECTOR_TIMER 0x50
- #define VECTOR_SERIAL 0x58
- #define VECTOR_JOYPAD 0x60
- #define ISR_VECTOR(ADDR, FUNC) static const isr_vector_t AT((ADDR)) __ISR_ ## ADDR = {0xc3, (void ∗)&(FUNC)};
- #define ISR_NESTED_VECTOR(ADDR, FUNC) static const isr_nested_vector_t AT((ADDR)) __ISR_ ## ADDR = {{0xfb, 0xc3}, (void ∗)&(FUNC)};

Typedefs

- typedef struct isr_vector_t isr_vector_t
- typedef struct isr_nested_vector_t isr_nested_vector_t

20.50.1 Detailed Description

Macros for creating raw interrupt service routines (ISRs) which do not use the default GBDK ISR dispatcher. Handlers installed this way will have less overhead than ones which use the GBDK ISR dispatcher.

20.50.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.50.2.1 VECTOR_STAT `#define VECTOR_STAT 0x48`

Address for the STAT interrupt vector

20.50.2.2 VECTOR_TIMER `#define VECTOR_TIMER 0x50`

Address for the TIMER interrupt vector

20.50.2.3 VECTOR_SERIAL `#define VECTOR_SERIAL 0x58`

Address for the SERIAL interrupt vector

20.50.2.4 VECTOR_JOYPAD `#define VECTOR_JOYPAD 0x60`

Address for the JOYPAD interrupt vector

20.50.2.5 ISR_VECTOR

```
#define ISR_VECTOR(
        ADDR,
        FUNC ) static const isr_vector_t AT((ADDR)) __ISR_ ## ADDR = {0xc3, (void *)&(FUNC)};
```

Creates an interrupt vector at the given address for a raw interrupt service routine (which does not use the GBDK ISR dispatcher)

Parameters

ADDR	Address of the interrupt vector, any of: VECTOR_STAT, VECTOR_TIMER, VECTOR_SERIAL, VECTOR_JOYPAD
FUNC	ISR function supplied by the user

This cannot be used with the VBLANK interrupt.
Do not use this in combination with interrupt installers that rely on the default GBDK ISR dispatcher such as add_TIM(), remove_TIM() (and the same for all other interrupts).
Example:

```
#include <gb/isr.h>
void TimerISR() __critical __interrupt {
// some ISR code here
}
ISR_VECTOR(VECTOR_TIMER, TimerISR)
```

See also

ISR_NESTED_VECTOR, set_interrupts

20.50.2.6 ISR_NESTED_VECTOR `#define ISR_NESTED_VECTOR( ADDR, FUNC ) static const isr_nested_vector_t AT((ADDR)) __ISR_ ## ADDR = {{0xfb, 0xc3}, (void *)&(FUNC)};`

Creates an interrupt vector at the given address for a raw interrupt service routine allowing nested interrupts

Parameters

ADDR	Address of the interrupt vector, any of: VECTOR_STAT, VECTOR_TIMER, VECTOR_SERIAL, VECTOR_JOYPAD
FUNC	ISR function

This cannot be used with the VBLANK interrupt
The LCD STAT vector (VECTOR_STAT) cannot be used in the same program as `stdio.h` since they install an ISR vector to the same location.

See also

ISR_VECTOR

20.50.3 Typedef Documentation

20.50.3.1 isr_vector_t `typedef struct isr_vector_t isr_vector_t`

20.50.3.2 isr_nested_vector_t `typedef struct isr_nested_vector_t isr_nested_vector_t`

20.51 gbdk-lib/include/gb/metasprites.h File Reference

```
#include <gb/hardware.h>
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Data Structures

- struct metasprite_t

Macros

- #define metasprite_end -128
- #define METASPR_ITEM(dy, dx, dt, a) {(dy),(dx),(dt),(a)}
- #define METASPR_TERM {metasprite_end}

Typedefs

- typedef struct metasprite_t metasprite_t

Functions

- void hide_sprites_range (uint8_t from, uint8_t to)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_ex (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_prop, uint8_t base_sprite, uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_sprite, uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_flipx (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_prop, uint8_t base_sprite, uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_vflip (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_sprite, uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_flipy (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_prop, uint8_t base_sprite, uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_hflip (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_sprite, uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_flipxy (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_prop, uint8_t base_sprite, uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_hvflip (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_sprite, uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- void hide_metasprite (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_sprite)

Variables

- const void * __current_metasprite
- uint8_t __current_base_tile
- uint8_t __current_base_prop
- uint8_t __render_shadow_OAM

20.51.1 Detailed Description

20.51.2 Metasprite support

A metasprite is a larger sprite made up from a collection of smaller individual hardware sprites. Different frames of the same metasprites can share tile data.
The api supports metasprites in both SPRITES_8x8 and SPRITES_8x16 mode. If 8x16 mode is used then the height of the metasprite must be a multiple of 16.
The origin (pivot) for the metasprite is not required to be in the upper left-hand corner as with regular hardware sprites.
Use the utility_png2asset tool to convert single or multiple frames of graphics into metasprite structured data for use with the ...metasprite...() functions.

20.51.3 Metasprites composed of variable numbers of sprites

When using png2asset, it's common for the output of different frames to be composed of different numbers of hardware sprites (since it's trying to create each frame as efficiently as possible). Due to that, it's good practice to clear out (hide) unused sprites in the shadow_OAM that have been set by previous frames.

```
// Example:
// Hide rest of the hardware sprites, because amount
// of sprites differ between animation frames.
// (where hiwater == last hardware sprite used + 1)
hide_sprites_range(hiwater, MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES);
```

20.51.4 Metasprites and sprite properties (including cgb palette)

When the move_metasprite_*() functions are called they update all properties for the affected sprites in the Shadow OAM. This means any existing property flags set for a sprite (CGB palette, BG/WIN priority, Tile VRAM Bank) will get overwritten.
How to use sprite property flags with metasprites:

- Primary method: Use the `base_prop` parameter for the move_metasprite_*() functions.
  - For more details about the properties on the Game Boy see: https://gbdev.io/pandocs/↩OAM.html#byte-3-attributesflags
  - This can be left at zero for defaults
  - Various `OAMF_*` flags can be used depending on the platform:
    - OAMF_BANK0, OAMF_BANK1
    - OAMF_CGB_PAL0, OAMF_CGB_PAL1, OAMF_CGB_PAL2, OAMF_CGB_PAL3, OAMF_CGB_PAL4, OAMF_CGB_PAL5, OAMF_CGB_PAL6, OAMF_CGB_PAL7,
    - OAMF_PAL0, OAMF_PAL1,
    - OAMF_PALMASK, OAMF_PRI, OAMF_XFLIP, OAMF_YFLIP
- Alternate method: The metasprite structures can have the property flags modified before compilation (such as with `-sp <props>` in the png2asset tool).

The following functions only support hardware sprite flipping on the Game Boy / Mega Duck and NES. For other consoles which do not have hardware sprite flipping see the cross-platform metasprite example for a workaround (with some performance penalty).

- move_metasprite_flipx()
- move_metasprite_flipy()
- move_metasprite_flipxy()

To test for hardware support see HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_X and HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_Y. Also see docs_consoles_supported_list for a brief summary of console capabilities.

20.51.5 Macro Definition Documentation

20.51.5.1 metasprite_end `#define metasprite_end -128`

20.51.5.2 METASPR_ITEM `#define METASPR_ITEM(`

```
dy,
dx,
dt,
a ) {(dy),(dx),(dt),(a)}
```

20.51.5.3 METASPR_TERM `#define METASPR_TERM {metasprite_end}`

20.51.6 Typedef Documentation

20.51.6.1 metasprite_t `typedef struct metasprite_t metasprite_t`

Metasprite sub-item structure

Parameters

dy	(int8_t) Y coordinate of the sprite relative to the metasprite origin (pivot)
dx	(int8_t) X coordinate of the sprite relative to the metasprite origin (pivot)
dtile	(uint8_t) Start tile relative to the metasprites own set of tiles
props	(uint8_t) Property Flags

Metasprites are built from multiple metasprite_t items (one for each sub-sprite) and a pool of tiles they reference. If a metasprite has multiple frames then each frame will be built from some number of metasprite_t items (which may vary based on how many sprites are required for that particular frame).
A metasprite frame is terminated with a {metasprite_end} entry.

20.51.7 Function Documentation

20.51.7.1 hide_sprites_range()

```
void hide_sprites_range (
        uint8_t from,
        uint8_t to )
```

Hides all hardware sprites in range from <= X < to

Parameters

from	start OAM index
to	finish OAM index (must be <= MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES)

See also

hide_sprite, MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES

Hides all hardware sprites in range from <= X < to

Parameters

from	start OAM index
to	finish OAM index

20.51.7.2 move_metasprite_ex()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_ex (
        const metasprite_t * metasprite,
        uint8_t base_tile,
        uint8_t base_prop,
        uint8_t base_sprite,
        uint8_t x,
        uint8_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves metasprite to the absolute position x and y

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to the first struct of the metasprite (for the desired frame)
base_tile	Number of the first tile where the metasprite's tiles start
base_prop	Base sprite property flags (can be used to set palette, etc)
base_sprite	Number of the first hardware sprite to be used by the metasprite
x	Absolute x coordinate of the sprite
y	Absolute y coordinate of the sprite

Moves **metasprite** to the absolute position **x** and **y** (with **no flip** on the X or Y axis). Hardware sprites are allocated starting from **base_sprite**, using tiles starting from **base_tile**.
Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;
- __current_base_tile = base_tile;

Note: Overwrites OAM sprite properties (such as CGB Palette), see Metasprites and sprite properties.

Returns

Number of hardware sprites used to draw this metasprite

20.51.7.3 move_metasprite()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y )  [inline]
```

Obsolete. This function has been replaced by move_metasprite_ex()

20.51.7.4 move_metasprite_flipx()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_flipx (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_prop,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves metasprite to the absolute position x and y, **flipped by X (horizontally)**

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to the first struct of the metasprite (for the desired frame)
base_tile	Number of the first tile where the metasprite's tiles start
base_prop	Base sprite property flags (can be used to set palette, etc)
base_sprite	Number of the first hardware sprite to be used by the metasprite
x	Absolute x coordinate of the sprite
y	Absolute y coordinate of the sprite

Same as move_metasprite(), but with the metasprite flipped by X (horizontally).
Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;
- __current_base_tile = base_tile;

Note: Overwrites OAM sprite properties (such as CGB palette), see Metasprites and sprite properties.
This function is only available on Game Boy and related clone consoles.

Returns

Number of hardware sprites used to draw this metasprite

See also

move_metasprite()

20.51.7.5 move_metasprite_vflip()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_vflip (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y ) [inline]
```

Obsolete. This function has been replaced by move_metasprite_flipx()

20.51.7.6 move_metasprite_flipy()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_flipy (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_prop,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y ) [inline]
```

Moves metasprite to the absolute position x and y, **flipped by Y (vertically)**

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to the first struct of the metasprite (for the desired frame)
base_tile	Number of the first tile where the metasprite's tiles start
base_prop	Base sprite property flags (can be used to set palette, etc)
base_sprite	Number of the first hardware sprite to be used by the metasprite
x	Absolute x coordinate of the sprite
y	Absolute y coordinate of the sprite

Same as move_metasprite(), but with the metasprite flipped by Y (vertically).
Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;
- __current_base_tile = base_tile;

Note: Overwrites OAM sprite properties (such as CGB palette), see Metasprites and sprite properties.
This function is only available on Game Boy and related clone consoles.

Returns

Number of hardware sprites used to draw this metasprite

See also

move_metasprite()

20.51.7.7 move_metasprite_hflip()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_hflip (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y ) [inline]
```

Obsolete. This function has been replaced by move_metasprite_flipy()

20.51.7.8 move_metasprite_flipxy()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_flipxy (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_prop,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
```

```
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves metasprite to the absolute position x and y, **flipped by X and Y (horizontally and vertically)**

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to the first struct of the metasprite (for the desired frame)
base_tile	Number of the first tile where the metasprite's tiles start
base_prop	Base sprite property flags (can be used to set palette, etc)
base_sprite	Number of the first hardware sprite to be used by the metasprite
x	Absolute x coordinate of the sprite
y	Absolute y coordinate of the sprite

Same as move_metasprite(), but with the metasprite flipped by X and Y (horizontally and vertically).
Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;
- __current_base_tile = base_tile;

Note: Overwrites OAM sprite properties (such as CGB palette), see Metasprites and sprite properties.
This function is only available on Game Boy and related clone consoles.

Returns

Number of hardware sprites used to draw this metasprite

See also

move_metasprite()

20.51.7.9 move_metasprite_hvflip()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_hvflip (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y )  [inline]
```

Obsolete. This function has been replaced by move_metasprite_flipxy()

20.51.7.10 hide_metasprite()

```
void hide_metasprite (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_sprite )  [inline]
```

Hides a metasprite from the screen

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to first struct of the desired metasprite frame
base_sprite	Number of hardware sprite to start with

Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;

20.51.8 Variable Documentation

20.51.8.1 __current_metasprite const void* __current_metasprite [extern]

20.51.8.2 __current_base_tile uint8_t __current_base_tile [extern]

20.51.8.3 __current_base_prop uint8_t __current_base_prop [extern]

20.51.8.4 __render_shadow_OAM uint8_t __render_shadow_OAM [extern]

20.52 gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/metasprites.h File Reference

```
#include <gb/metasprites.h>
```

20.53 gbdk-lib/include/msx/metasprites.h File Reference

```
#include <msx/hardware.h>
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Data Structures

- struct metasprite_t

Macros

- #define metasprite_end -128
- #define METASPR_ITEM(dy, dx, dt, a) {(dy),(dx),(dt),(a)}
- #define METASPR_TERM {metasprite_end}

Typedefs

- typedef struct metasprite_t metasprite_t

Functions

- void hide_sprites_range (uint8_t from, uint8_t to) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- uint8_t move_metasprite_ex (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_prop, uint8_t base_sprite, uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_sprite, uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- void hide_metasprite (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_sprite)

Variables

- const void * __current_metasprite
- uint8_t __current_base_tile
- uint8_t __render_shadow_OAM
- static uint8_t iyl

20.53.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.53.1.1 metasprite_end `#define metasprite_end -128`

20.53.1.2 METASPR_ITEM `#define METASPR_ITEM(`

```
dy,
dx,
dt,
a ) {(dy),(dx),(dt),(a)}
```

20.53.1.3 METASPR_TERM `#define METASPR_TERM {metasprite_end}`

20.53.2 Typedef Documentation

20.53.2.1 metasprite_t `typedef struct metasprite_t metasprite_t`

Metasprite sub-item structure

Parameters

dy	(int8_t) Y coordinate of the sprite relative to the metasprite origin (pivot)
dx	(int8_t) X coordinate of the sprite relative to the metasprite origin (pivot)
dtile	(uint8_t) Start tile relative to the metasprites own set of tiles
props	(uint8_t) Property Flags

Metasprites are built from multiple metasprite_t items (one for each sub-sprite) and a pool of tiles they reference. If a metasprite has multiple frames then each frame will be built from some number of metasprite_t items (which may vary based on how many sprites are required for that particular frame).
A metasprite frame is terminated with a {metasprite_end} entry.

20.53.3 Function Documentation

20.53.3.1 hide_sprites_range() `void hide_sprites_range (`

```
uint8_t from,
uint8_t to )
```

Hides all hardware sprites in range from <= X < to

Parameters

from	start OAM index
to	finish OAM index

20.53.3.2 move_metasprite_ex() `uint8_t move_metasprite_ex (`

```
const metasprite_t * metasprite,
uint8_t base_tile,
uint8_t base_prop,
uint8_t base_sprite,
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves metasprite to the absolute position x and y

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to the first struct of the metasprite (for the desired frame)
base_tile	Number of the first tile where the metasprite's tiles start
base_prop	Base sprite property flags (unused on this platform)
base_sprite	Number of the first hardware sprite to be used by the metasprite
x	Absolute x coordinate of the sprite
y	Absolute y coordinate of the sprite

Moves **metasprite** to the absolute position **x** and **y** (with **no flip** on the X or Y axis). Hardware sprites are allocated starting from **base_sprite**, using tiles starting from **base_tile**.
Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;
- __current_base_tile = base_tile;

Returns

Number of hardware sprites used to draw this metasprite

20.53.3.3 move_metasprite()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y )  [inline]
```

Obsolete

20.53.3.4 hide_metasprite()

```
void hide_metasprite (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_sprite )  [inline]
```

Hides a metasprite from the screen

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to first struct of the desired metasprite frame
base_sprite	Number of hardware sprite to start with

Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;

20.53.4 Variable Documentation

20.53.4.1 __current_metasprite

```
const void* __current_metasprite  [extern]
```

20.53.4.2 __current_base_tile

```
uint8_t __current_base_tile  [extern]
```

20.53.4.3 __render_shadow_OAM

```
uint8_t __render_shadow_OAM  [extern]
```

20.53.4.4 iyl `uint8_t iyl`

Initial value:

```
{
    __asm__("ei")
```

20.54 gbdk-lib/include/nes/metasprites.h File Reference

```
#include <nes/hardware.h>
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Data Structures

- struct metasprite_t

Macros

- #define metasprite_end -128
- #define METASPR_ITEM(dy, dx, dt, a) {(dy),(dx),(dt),(a)}
- #define METASPR_TERM {metasprite_end}

Typedefs

- typedef struct metasprite_t metasprite_t

Functions

- void hide_sprites_range (uint8_t from, uint8_t to) OLDCALL
- uint8_t move_metasprite_ex (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_prop, uint8_t base_sprite, int16_t x, int16_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_sprite, int16_t x, int16_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_flipx (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_prop, uint8_t base_sprite, int16_t x, int16_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_vflip (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_sprite, int16_t x, int16_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_flipy (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_prop, uint8_t base_sprite, int16_t x, int16_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_hflip (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_sprite, int16_t x, int16_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_flipxy (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_prop, uint8_t base_sprite, int16_t x, int16_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_hvflip (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_sprite, int16_t x, int16_t y)
- void hide_metasprite (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_sprite)

Variables

- const void * __current_metasprite
- uint8_t __current_base_tile
- uint8_t __current_base_prop
- uint8_t __render_shadow_OAM

20.54.1 Detailed Description

20.54.2 Metasprite support

A metasprite is a larger sprite made up from a collection of smaller individual hardware sprites. Different frames of the same metasprites can share tile data.
See the main metasprite docs under the game Boy platform for additional details.

20.54.3 Macro Definition Documentation

20.54.3.1 metasprite_end `#define metasprite_end -128`

20.54.3.2 METASPR_ITEM `#define METASPR_ITEM(`

```
dy,
dx,
dt,
a ) {(dy),(dx),(dt),(a)}
```

20.54.3.3 METASPR_TERM `#define METASPR_TERM {metasprite_end}`

20.54.4 Typedef Documentation

20.54.4.1 metasprite_t `typedef struct metasprite_t metasprite_t`

Metasprite sub-item structure

Parameters

dy	(int8_t) Y coordinate of the sprite relative to the metasprite origin (pivot)
dx	(int8_t) X coordinate of the sprite relative to the metasprite origin (pivot)
dtile	(uint8_t) Start tile relative to the metasprites own set of tiles
props	(uint8_t) Property Flags

Metasprites are built from multiple metasprite_t items (one for each sub-sprite) and a pool of tiles they reference. If a metasprite has multiple frames then each frame will be built from some number of metasprite_t items (which may vary based on how many sprites are required for that particular frame).
A metasprite frame is terminated with a {metasprite_end} entry.

20.54.5 Function Documentation

20.54.5.1 hide_sprites_range() `void hide_sprites_range (`

```
uint8_t from,
uint8_t to )
```

Hides all hardware sprites in range from <= X < to

Parameters

from	start OAM index
to	finish OAM index

20.54.5.2 move_metasprite_ex() `uint8_t move_metasprite_ex (`

```
const metasprite_t * metasprite,
uint8_t base_tile,
uint8_t base_prop,
uint8_t base_sprite,
```

```
            int16_t x,
            int16_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves metasprite to the absolute position x and y

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to the first struct of the metasprite (for the desired frame)
base_tile	Number of the first tile where the metasprite's tiles start
base_prop	Base sprite property flags
base_sprite	Number of the first hardware sprite to be used by the metasprite
x	Absolute x coordinate of the sprite
y	Absolute y coordinate of the sprite

Moves **metasprite** to the absolute position **x** and **y** (with **no flip** on the X or Y axis). Hardware sprites are allocated starting from **base_sprite**, using tiles starting from **base_tile**.
Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;
- __current_base_tile = base_tile;

Note: Overwrites OAM sprite properties (such as palette), see Metasprites and sprite properties.

Returns

Number of hardware sprites used to draw this metasprite

20.54.5.3 move_metasprite()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite (
            const metasprite_t * metasprite,
            uint8_t base_tile,
            uint8_t base_sprite,
            int16_t x,
            int16_t y )  [inline]
```

Obsolete. Replaced by move_metasprite_ex()

20.54.5.4 move_metasprite_flipx()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_flipx (
            const metasprite_t * metasprite,
            uint8_t base_tile,
            uint8_t base_prop,
            uint8_t base_sprite,
            int16_t x,
            int16_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves metasprite to the absolute position x and y, **flipped by X (horizontally)**

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to the first struct of the metasprite (for the desired frame)
base_tile	Number of the first tile where the metasprite's tiles start
base_prop	Base sprite property flags
base_sprite	Number of the first hardware sprite to be used by the metasprite
x	Absolute x coordinate of the sprite
y	Absolute y coordinate of the sprite

Same as move_metasprite(), but with the metasprite flipped by X (horizontally).
Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;
- __current_base_tile = base_tile;

Note: Overwrites OAM sprite properties (such as palette), see Metasprites and sprite properties.

Returns

Number of hardware sprites used to draw this metasprite

See also

move_metasprite()

20.54.5.5 move_metasprite_vflip()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_vflip (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    int16_t x,
    int16_t y ) [inline]
```

Obsolete. Replaced by move_metasprite_flipx()

20.54.5.6 move_metasprite_flipy()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_flipy (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_prop,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    int16_t x,
    int16_t y ) [inline]
```

Moves metasprite to the absolute position x and y, **flipped by Y (vertically)**

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to the first struct of the metasprite (for the desired frame)
base_tile	Number of the first tile where the metasprite's tiles start
base_prop	Base sprite property flags
base_sprite	Number of the first hardware sprite to be used by the metasprite
x	Absolute x coordinate of the sprite
y	Absolute y coordinate of the sprite

Same as move_metasprite(), but with the metasprite flipped by Y (vertically).
Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;
- __current_base_tile = base_tile;

Note: Overwrites OAM sprite properties (such as palette), see Metasprites and sprite properties.

Returns

Number of hardware sprites used to draw this metasprite

See also

move_metasprite()

20.54.5.7 move_metasprite_hflip()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_hflip (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    int16_t x,
    int16_t y )  [inline]
```

Obsolete. Replaced by move_metasprite_flipy()

20.54.5.8 move_metasprite_flipxy()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_flipxy (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_prop,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    int16_t x,
    int16_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves metasprite to the absolute position x and y, **flipped by X and Y (horizontally and vertically)**

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to the first struct of the metasprite (for the desired frame)
base_tile	Number of the first tile where the metasprite's tiles start
base_prop	Base sprite property flags
base_sprite	Number of the first hardware sprite to be used by the metasprite
x	Absolute x coordinate of the sprite
y	Absolute y coordinate of the sprite

Same as move_metasprite(), but with the metasprite flipped by X and Y (horizontally and vertically).
Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;
- __current_base_tile = base_tile;

Note: Overwrites OAM sprite properties (such as palette), see Metasprites and sprite properties.

Returns

Number of hardware sprites used to draw this metasprite

See also

move_metasprite()

20.54.5.9 move_metasprite_hvflip()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_hvflip (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    int16_t x,
    int16_t y )  [inline]
```

Obsolete. Replaced by move_metasprite_flipxy()

20.54.5.10 hide_metasprite()

```
void hide_metasprite (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_sprite )  [inline]
```

Hides a metasprite from the screen

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to first struct of the desired metasprite frame
base_sprite	Number of hardware sprite to start with

Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;

20.54.6 Variable Documentation

20.54.6.1 __current_metasprite `const void* __current_metasprite [extern]`

20.54.6.2 __current_base_tile `uint8_t __current_base_tile [extern]`

20.54.6.3 __current_base_prop `uint8_t __current_base_prop [extern]`

20.54.6.4 __render_shadow_OAM `uint8_t __render_shadow_OAM [extern]`

20.55 gbdk-lib/include/sms/metasprites.h File Reference

```
#include <sms/sms.h>
#include <sms/hardware.h>
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Data Structures

- struct metasprite_t

Macros

- #define metasprite_end -128
- #define METASPR_ITEM(dy, dx, dt, a) {(dy),(dx),(dt)}
- #define METASPR_TERM {metasprite_end}

Typedefs

- typedef struct metasprite_t metasprite_t

Functions

- void hide_sprites_range (uint8_t from, uint8_t to) PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- uint8_t move_metasprite_ex (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_prop, uint8_t base_sprite, uint16_t x, uint16_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_sprite, uint16_t x, uint16_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_flipx (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_prop, uint8_t base_sprite, uint16_t x, uint16_t y)
- uint8_t move_metasprite_flipy (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_prop, uint8_t base_sprite, uint16_t x, uint16_t y)

- uint8_t move_metasprite_flipxy (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_tile, uint8_t base_prop, uint8_t base_sprite, uint16_t x, uint16_t y)
- void hide_metasprite (const metasprite_t *metasprite, uint8_t base_sprite)

Variables

- const void * __current_metasprite
- uint8_t __current_base_tile
- uint8_t __render_shadow_OAM
- static void iyl

20.55.1 Detailed Description

20.55.2 Metasprite support

A metasprite is a larger sprite made up from a collection of smaller individual hardware sprites. Different frames of the same metasprites can share tile data.
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20.55.4 Macro Definition Documentation

20.55.4.1 metasprite_end `#define metasprite_end -128`

20.55.4.2 METASPR_ITEM `#define METASPR_ITEM(`

```
dy,
dx,
dt,
a ) {(dy),(dx),(dt)}
```

20.55.4.3 METASPR_TERM `#define METASPR_TERM {metasprite_end}`

20.55.5 Typedef Documentation

20.55.5.1 metasprite_t `typedef struct metasprite_t metasprite_t`

Metasprite sub-item structure

Parameters

dy	(int8_t) Y coordinate of the sprite relative to the metasprite origin (pivot)
dx	(int8_t) X coordinate of the sprite relative to the metasprite origin (pivot)
dtile	(uint8_t) Start tile relative to the metasprites own set of tiles

Metasprites are built from multiple metasprite_t items (one for each sub-sprite) and a pool of tiles they reference. If a metasprite has multiple frames then each frame will be built from some number of metasprite_t items (which may vary based on how many sprites are required for that particular frame).

A metasprite frame is terminated with a {metasprite_end} entry.

20.55.6 Function Documentation

20.55.6.1 hide_sprites_range() `void hide_sprites_range (`

```
uint8_t from,
uint8_t to )
```

Hides all hardware sprites in range from <= X < to

Parameters

from	start OAM index
to	finish OAM index

20.55.6.2 move_metasprite_ex() `uint8_t move_metasprite_ex (`

```
const metasprite_t * metasprite,
uint8_t base_tile,
uint8_t base_prop,
uint8_t base_sprite,
uint16_t x,
uint16_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves metasprite to the absolute position x and y

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to the first struct of the metasprite (for the desired frame)
base_tile	Number of the first tile where the metasprite's tiles start
base_prop	Base sprite property flags (unused on this platform)
base_sprite	Number of the first hardware sprite to be used by the metasprite
x	Absolute x coordinate of the sprite
y	Absolute y coordinate of the sprite

Moves **metasprite** to the absolute position **x** and **y** (with **no flip** on the X or Y axis). Hardware sprites are allocated starting from **base_sprite**, using tiles starting from **base_tile**.
Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;
- __current_base_tile = base_tile;

Returns

Number of hardware sprites used to draw this metasprite

20.55.6.3 move_metasprite() `uint8_t move_metasprite (`

```
const metasprite_t * metasprite,
uint8_t base_tile,
uint8_t base_sprite,
uint16_t x,
uint16_t y )  [inline]
```

Obsolete. This function has been replaced by move_metasprite_ex()

20.55.6.4 move_metasprite_flipx()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_flipx (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_prop,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    uint16_t x,
    uint16_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves metasprite to the absolute position x and y, **flipped by X (horizontally)**

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to the first struct of the metasprite (for the desired frame)
base_tile	Number of the first tile where the metasprite's tiles start
base_prop	Base sprite property flags (unused on this platform)
base_sprite	Number of the first hardware sprite to be used by the metasprite
x	Absolute x coordinate of the sprite
y	Absolute y coordinate of the sprite

Same as move_metasprite(), but with the metasprite flipped by X (horizontally).
Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;
- __current_base_tile = base_tile;

Note: Overwrites OAM sprite properties (such as palette), see Metasprites and sprite properties.

Returns

Number of hardware sprites used to draw this metasprite

See also

move_metasprite()

20.55.6.5 move_metasprite_flipy()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_flipy (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_prop,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    uint16_t x,
    uint16_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves metasprite to the absolute position x and y, **flipped by Y (vertically)**

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to the first struct of the metasprite (for the desired frame)
base_tile	Number of the first tile where the metasprite's tiles start
base_prop	Base sprite property flags (unused on this platform)
base_sprite	Number of the first hardware sprite to be used by the metasprite
x	Absolute x coordinate of the sprite
y	Absolute y coordinate of the sprite

Same as move_metasprite(), but with the metasprite flipped by Y (vertically).
Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;
- __current_base_tile = base_tile;

Note: Overwrites OAM sprite properties (such as palette), see Metasprites and sprite properties.

Returns

Number of hardware sprites used to draw this metasprite

See also

move_metasprite()

20.55.6.6 move_metasprite_flipxy()

```
uint8_t move_metasprite_flipxy (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_tile,
    uint8_t base_prop,
    uint8_t base_sprite,
    uint16_t x,
    uint16_t y ) [inline]
```

Moves metasprite to the absolute position x and y, **flipped by X and Y (horizontally and vertically)**

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to the first struct of the metasprite (for the desired frame)
base_tile	Number of the first tile where the metasprite's tiles start
base_prop	Base sprite property flags (unused on this platform)
base_sprite	Number of the first hardware sprite to be used by the metasprite
x	Absolute x coordinate of the sprite
y	Absolute y coordinate of the sprite

Same as move_metasprite(), but with the metasprite flipped by X and Y (horizontally and vertically).
Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;
- __current_base_tile = base_tile;

Note: Overwrites OAM sprite properties (such as palette), see Metasprites and sprite properties.

Returns

Number of hardware sprites used to draw this metasprite

See also

move_metasprite()

20.55.6.7 hide_metasprite()

```
void hide_metasprite (
    const metasprite_t * metasprite,
    uint8_t base_sprite ) [inline]
```

Hides a metasprite from the screen

Parameters

metasprite	Pointer to first struct of the desired metasprite frame
base_sprite	Number of hardware sprite to start with

Sets:

- __current_metasprite = metasprite;

20.55.7 Variable Documentation

20.55.7.1 __current_metasprite `const void* __current_metasprite [extern]`

20.55.7.2 __current_base_tile `uint8_t __current_base_tile [extern]`

20.55.7.3 __render_shadow_OAM `uint8_t __render_shadow_OAM [extern]`

20.55.7.4 iyl `void iyl`

20.56 gbdk-lib/include/gb/sgb.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Macros

- #define SGB_PAL_01 0x00U
- #define SGB_PAL_23 0x01U
- #define SGB_PAL_03 0x02U
- #define SGB_PAL_12 0x03U
- #define SGB_ATTR_BLK 0x04U
- #define SGB_ATTR_LIN 0x05U
- #define SGB_ATTR_DIV 0x06U
- #define SGB_ATTR_CHR 0x07U
- #define SGB_SOUND 0x08U
- #define SGB_SOU_TRN 0x09U
- #define SGB_PAL_SET 0x0AU
- #define SGB_PAL_TRN 0x0BU
- #define SGB_ATRC_EN 0x0CU
- #define SGB_TEST_EN 0x0DU
- #define SGB_ICON_EN 0x0EU
- #define SGB_DATA_SND 0x0FU
- #define SGB_DATA_TRN 0x10U
- #define SGB_MLT_REQ 0x11U
- #define SGB_JUMP 0x12U
- #define SGB_CHR_TRN 0x13U
- #define SGB_PCT_TRN 0x14U
- #define SGB_ATTR_TRN 0x15U
- #define SGB_ATTR_SET 0x16U
- #define SGB_MASK_EN 0x17U
- #define SGB_OBJ_TRN 0x18U

Functions

- uint8_t sgb_check (void) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void sgb_transfer (uint8_t *packet) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b

Variables

- uint8_t c

20.56.1 Detailed Description

Super Gameboy definitions.
See the example SGB project for additional details.

20.56.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.56.2.1 SGB_PAL_01 `#define SGB_PAL_01 0x00U`
SGB Command: Set SGB Palettes 0 & 1

20.56.2.2 SGB_PAL_23 `#define SGB_PAL_23 0x01U`
SGB Command: Set SGB Palettes 2 & 3

20.56.2.3 SGB_PAL_03 `#define SGB_PAL_03 0x02U`
SGB Command: Set SGB Palettes 0 & 3

20.56.2.4 SGB_PAL_12 `#define SGB_PAL_12 0x03U`
SGB Command: Set SGB Palettes 1 & 2

20.56.2.5 SGB_ATTR_BLK `#define SGB_ATTR_BLK 0x04U`
SGB Command: Set color attributes for rectangular regions

20.56.2.6 SGB_ATTR_LIN `#define SGB_ATTR_LIN 0x05U`
SGB Command: Set color attributes for horizontal or vertical character lines

20.56.2.7 SGB_ATTR_DIV `#define SGB_ATTR_DIV 0x06U`
SGB Command: Split screen in half and assign separate color attribes to each side and the divider

20.56.2.8 SGB_ATTR_CHR `#define SGB_ATTR_CHR 0x07U`
SGB Command: Set color attributes for separate charactersSet SGB Palette 0,1 Data

20.56.2.9 SGB_SOUND `#define SGB_SOUND 0x08U`
SGB Command: Start and stop a internal sound effect, and sounds using internal tone data

20.56.2.10 SGB_SOU_TRN `#define SGB_SOU_TRN 0x09U`
SGB Command: Transfer sound code or data to the SNES APU RAM

20.56.2.11 SGB_PAL_SET `#define SGB_PAL_SET 0x0AU`
SGB Command: Apply (previously transferred) SGB system color palettes to actual SNES palettes

20.56.2.12 SGB_PAL_TRN `#define SGB_PAL_TRN 0x0BU`
SGB Command: Transfer palette data into SGB system color palettes

20.56.2.13 SGB_ATRC_EN `#define SGB_ATRC_EN 0x0CU`
SGB Command: Enable/disable Attraction mode. It is enabled by default

20.56.2.14 SGB_TEST_EN `#define SGB_TEST_EN 0x0DU`
SGB Command: Enable/disable test mode for "SGB-CPU variable clock speed function"

20.56.2.15 SGB_ICON_EN `#define SGB_ICON_EN 0x0EU`
SGB Command: Enable/disable ICON functionality

20.56.2.16 SGB_DATA_SND `#define SGB_DATA_SND 0x0FU`
SGB Command: Write one or more bytes into SNES Work RAM

20.56.2.17 SGB_DATA_TRN `#define SGB_DATA_TRN 0x10U`
SGB Command: Transfer code or data into SNES RAM

20.56.2.18 SGB_MLT_REQ `#define SGB_MLT_REQ 0x11U`
SGB Command: Request multiplayer mode (input from more than one joypad)

20.56.2.19 SGB_JUMP `#define SGB_JUMP 0x12U`
SGB Command: Set the SNES program counter and NMI (vblank interrupt) handler to specific addresses

20.56.2.20 SGB_CHR_TRN `#define SGB_CHR_TRN 0x13U`
SGB Command: Transfer tile data (characters) to SNES Tile memory

20.56.2.21 SGB_PCT_TRN `#define SGB_PCT_TRN 0x14U`
SGB Command: Transfer tile map and palette data to SNES BG Map memory

20.56.2.22 SGB_ATTR_TRN `#define SGB_ATTR_TRN 0x15U`
SGB Command: Transfer data to (color) Attribute Files (ATFs) in SNES RAM

20.56.2.23 SGB_ATTR_SET `#define SGB_ATTR_SET 0x16U`
SGB Command: Transfer attributes from (color) Attribute Files (ATF) to the Game Boy window

20.56.2.24 SGB_MASK_EN `#define SGB_MASK_EN 0x17U`
SGB Command: Modify Game Boy window mask settings

20.56.2.25 SGB_OBJ_TRN `#define SGB_OBJ_TRN 0x18U`
SGB Command: Transfer OBJ attributes to SNES OAM memory

20.56.3 Function Documentation

20.56.3.1 sgb_check() `uint8_t sgb_check ( void )`
Returns a non-zero value if running on a Super GameBoy
Since sgb_check() uses sgb_transfer(), the same delay at startup requirement applies to ensure correct operation on PAL SNES. See sgb_transfer() for details.

20.56.3.2 sgb_transfer() `void sgb_transfer ( uint8_t * packet )`
Transfer a SGB packet

Parameters

packet	Pointer to buffer with SGB packet data.

The first byte of **packet** should be a SGB command, then up to 15 bytes of command parameter data.
See the `sgb_border` GBDK example project for a demo of how to use these the sgb functions.
When using the SGB with a PAL SNES, a delay should be added just after program startup such as:

```
// Wait 4 frames
// For PAL SNES this delay is required on startup
```

```
for (uint8_t i = 4; i != 0; i--) wait_vbl_done();
```

See also

sgb_check()

20.56.4 Variable Documentation

20.56.4.1 c `void c`

20.57 gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/console.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Functions

- void gotoxy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y) OLDCALL
- uint8_t posx (void) OLDCALL
- uint8_t posy (void) OLDCALL
- void setchar (char c) OLDCALL
- void cls (void)

20.57.1 Detailed Description

Console functions that work like Turbo C's.
The font is 8x8, making the screen 20x18 characters.

20.57.2 Function Documentation

20.57.2.1 gotoxy() `void gotoxy (`

```
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y )
```

Move the cursor to an absolute position at **x, y**.
x and **y** have units of tiles (8 pixels per unit)

See also

setchar()

20.57.2.2 posx() `uint8_t posx (`

```
void  )
```

Returns the current X position of the cursor.

See also

gotoxy()

20.57.2.3 posy() `uint8_t posy (`

```
    void  )
```

Returns the current Y position of the cursor.

See also

gotoxy()

20.57.2.4 setchar() `void setchar (`

```
    char c )
```

Writes out a single character at the current cursor position.
Does not update the cursor or interpret the character.

See also

gotoxy()

20.57.2.5 cls() `void cls (`

```
    void  )
```

Clears the screen

20.58 gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/far_ptr.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Data Structures

- union __far_ptr

Macros

- #define TO_FAR_PTR(ofs, seg) (((FAR_PTR)seg << 16) | (FAR_PTR)ofs)
- #define FAR_SEG(ptr) (((union __far_ptr *)&ptr)->segofs.seg)
- #define FAR_OFS(ptr) (((union __far_ptr *)&ptr)->segofs.ofs)
- #define FAR_FUNC(ptr, typ) ((typ)(((union __far_ptr *)&ptr)->segfn.fn))
- #define FAR_CALL(ptr, typ, ...) (__call_banked_ptr=ptr,((typ)(&__call__banked))(__VA_ARGS__))

Typedefs

- typedef uint32_t FAR_PTR

Functions

- void __call__banked (void)
- uint32_t to_far_ptr (void *ofs, uint16_t seg)

Variables

- volatile FAR_PTR __call_banked_ptr
- volatile void * __call_banked_addr
- volatile uint8_t __call_banked_bank

20.58.1 Detailed Description

Far pointers include a segment (bank) selector so they are able to point to addresses (functions or data) outside of the current bank (unlike normal pointers which are not bank-aware).
See the `banks_farptr` example project included with gbdk.

Todo Add link to a discussion about banking (such as, how to assign code and variables to banks)

20.58.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.58.2.1 TO_FAR_PTR

```
#define TO_FAR_PTR(
        ofs,
        seg ) (((FAR_PTR)seg << 16) | (FAR_PTR)ofs)
```

Macro to obtain a far pointer at compile-time

Parameters

ofs	Memory address within the given Segment (Bank)
seg	Segment (Bank) number

Returns

A far pointer (type FAR_PTR)

20.58.2.2 FAR_SEG

```
#define FAR_SEG(
        ptr ) (((union __far_ptr *)&ptr)->segofs.seg)
```

Macro to get the Segment (Bank) number of a far pointer

Parameters

ptr	A far pointer (type FAR_PTR)

Returns

Segment (Bank) of the far pointer (type uint16_t)

20.58.2.3 FAR_OFS

```
#define FAR_OFS(
        ptr ) (((union __far_ptr *)&ptr)->segofs.ofs)
```

Macro to get the Offset (address) of a far pointer

Parameters

ptr	A far pointer (type FAR_PTR)

Returns

Offset (address) of the far pointer (type void *)

20.58.2.4 FAR_FUNC

```
#define FAR_FUNC(
        ptr,
```

```
typ ) ((typ)(((union __far_ptr *)&ptr)->segfn.fn))
```

20.58.2.5 FAR_CALL

```
#define FAR_CALL(
    ptr,
    typ,
    ... ) (__call_banked_ptr=ptr,((typ)(&__call__banked))(__VA_ARGS__))
```

Macro to call a function at far pointer **ptr** of type **typ**

Parameters

ptr	Far pointer of a function to call (type FAR_PTR)
typ	Type to cast the function far pointer to.
...	VA Args list of parameters for the function

type should match the definition of the function being called. For example:

```
// A function in bank 2
#pragma bank 2
uint16_t some_function(uint16_t param1, uint16_t param2) __banked {  return 1; };
...
// Code elsewhere, such as unbanked main()
// This type declaration should match the above function
typedef uint16_t (*some_function_t)(uint16_t, uint16_t) __banked;
// Using FAR_CALL() with the above as *ptr*, *typ*, and two parameters.
result = FAR_CALL(some_function, some_function_t, 100, 50);
```

Returns

Value returned by the function (if present)

20.58.3 Typedef Documentation

20.58.3.1 FAR_PTR

```
typedef uint32_t FAR_PTR
```

Type for storing a FAR_PTR

20.58.4 Function Documentation

20.58.4.1 __call__banked()

```
void __call__banked (
    void  )
```

20.58.4.2 to_far_ptr()

```
uint32_t to_far_ptr (
    void * ofs,
    uint16_t seg )
```

Obtain a far pointer at runtime

Parameters

ofs	Memory address within the given Segment (Bank)
seg	Segment (Bank) number

Returns

A far pointer (type FAR_PTR)

20.58.5 Variable Documentation

20.58.5.1 __call_banked_ptr `volatile FAR_PTR __call_banked_ptr [extern]`

20.58.5.2 __call_banked_addr `volatile void* __call_banked_addr [extern]`

20.58.5.3 __call_banked_bank `volatile uint8_t __call_banked_bank [extern]`

20.59 gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/font.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Data Structures

- struct sfont_handle

Macros

- #define FONT_256ENCODING 0
- #define FONT_128ENCODING 1
- #define FONT_NOENCODING 2
- #define FONT_COMPRESSED 4

Typedefs

- typedef uint16_t font_t
- typedef struct sfont_handle mfont_handle
- typedef struct sfont_handle * pmfont_handle

Functions

- void font_init (void)
- font_t font_load (void *font) OLDCALL
- font_t font_set (font_t font_handle) OLDCALL
- void font_color (uint8_t forecolor, uint8_t backcolor) OLDCALL

Variables

- uint8_t font_spect [ ]
- uint8_t font_italic [ ]
- uint8_t font_ibm [ ]
- uint8_t font_min [ ]
- uint8_t font_ibm_fixed [ ]

20.59.1 Detailed Description

Multiple font support for the GameBoy Michael Hope, 1999 michaelh@earthling.net

20.59.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.59.2.1 FONT_256ENCODING `#define FONT_256ENCODING 0`

Various flags in the font header.

20.59.2.2 FONT_128ENCODING `#define FONT_128ENCODING 1`

20.59.2.3 FONT_NOENCODING `#define FONT_NOENCODING 2`

20.59.2.4 FONT_COMPRESSED `#define FONT_COMPRESSED 4`

20.59.3 Typedef Documentation

20.59.3.1 font_t `typedef uint16_t font_t`

font_t is a handle to a font loaded by font_load(). It can be used with font_set()

20.59.3.2 mfont_handle `typedef struct sfont_handle mfont_handle`

Internal representation of a font. What a font_t really is

20.59.3.3 pmfont_handle `typedef struct sfont_handle* pmfont_handle`

20.59.4 Function Documentation

20.59.4.1 font_init() `void font_init ( void )`

Initializes the font system. Should be called before other font functions.

20.59.4.2 font_load() `font_t font_load ( void * font )`

Load a font and set it as the current font.

Parameters

font	Pointer to a font to load (usually a gbdk font)

Returns

Handle to the loaded font, which can be used with font_set()

See also

font_init(), font_set(), List of gbdk fonts

20.59.4.3 font_set() `font_t font_set ( font_t font_handle )`

Set the current font.

Parameters

font_handle	handle of a font returned by font_load()

Returns

The previously used font handle.

See also

font_init(), font_load()

20.59.4.4 font_color() `void font_color ( uint8_t forecolor, uint8_t backcolor )`

Set the current **foreground** colour (for pixels), **background** colour

20.60 gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/gbdk-lib.h File Reference

`#include <asm/sm83/provides.h>`

20.60.1 Detailed Description

Settings for the greater library system.

20.61 gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/incbin.h File Reference

`#include <stdint.h>`

Macros

- #define INCBIN_EXTERN(VARNAME)
- #define INCBIN_SIZE(VARNAME) ((uint16_t) & __size_ ## VARNAME)
- #define BANK(VARNAME) ((uint8_t) & __bank_ ## VARNAME)
- #define INCBIN(VARNAME, FILEPATH)

20.61.1 Detailed Description

Allows binary data from other files to be included into a C source file.
It is implemented using asm .incbin and macros.
See the `incbin` example project for a demo of how to use it.

20.61.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.61.2.1 INCBIN_EXTERN `#define INCBIN_EXTERN( VARNAME )`

Value:

```
extern const uint8_t VARNAME[]; \
extern const void __size_ ## VARNAME; \
extern const void __bank_ ## VARNAME;
```

Creates extern entries for accessing a INCBIN() generated variable and it's size in another source file.

Parameters

VARNAME	Name of the variable used with INCBIN

An entry is created for the variable and it's size variable.
INCBIN(), INCBIN_SIZE()

20.61.2.2 INCBIN_SIZE

```
#define INCBIN_SIZE(
        VARNAME ) ( (uint16_t) & __size_ ## VARNAME )
```

Obtains the **size in bytes** of the INCBIN() generated data

Parameters

VARNAME	Name of the variable used with INCBIN

Requires INCBIN_EXTERN() to have been called earlier in the source file
INCBIN(), INCBIN_EXTERN()

20.61.2.3 BANK

```
#define BANK(
        VARNAME ) ( (uint8_t) & __bank_ ## VARNAME )
```

Obtains the **bank number** of the INCBIN() generated data

Parameters

VARNAME	Name of the variable used with INCBIN

Requires INCBIN_EXTERN() to have been called earlier in the source file
INCBIN(), INCBIN_EXTERN()

20.61.2.4 INCBIN

```
#define INCBIN(
        VARNAME,
        FILEPATH )
```

Value:

```
void __func_ ## VARNAME(void) __banked __naked { \
__asm \
_ ## VARNAME:: \
1$: \
    .incbin FILEPATH \
2$: \
    ___size_ ## VARNAME = (2$-1$) \
    .globl ___size_ ## VARNAME \
    .local b___func_ ## VARNAME \
    ___bank_ ## VARNAME = b___func_ ## VARNAME \
    .globl ___bank_ ## VARNAME \
__endasm; \
}
```

Includes binary data into a C source file

Parameters

VARNAME	Variable name to use
FILEPATH	Path to the file which will be binary included into the C source file

filepath is relative to the working directory of the tool that is calling it (often a makefile's working directory), **NOT** to the file it's being included into.
The variable name is not modified and can be used as-is.
The INCBIN() macro will declare the BANK() and INCBIN_SIZE() helper symbols. Then if INCBIN_EXTERN() is used in the header then those helper macros can be used in the application code.

- INCBIN_SIZE() for obtaining the size of the included data.
- BANK() for obtaining the bank number of the included data.

Use INCBIN_EXTERN() within another source file to make the variable and it's data accessible there.

20.62 gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/platform.h File Reference

```
#include <gb/gb.h>
#include <gb/cgb.h>
#include <gb/sgb.h>
```

20.63 gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/rledecompress.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Macros

- #define RLE_STOP 0

Functions

- uint8_t rle_init (void *data)
- uint8_t rle_decompress (void *dest, uint8_t len)

20.63.1 Detailed Description

Decompressor for RLE encoded data
Decompresses data which has been compressed with gbcompress using the `--alg=rle` argument.

20.63.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.63.2.1 RLE_STOP `#define RLE_STOP 0`

20.63.3 Function Documentation

20.63.3.1 rle_init() `uint8_t rle_init (void * data )`

Initialize the RLE decompressor with RLE data at address **data**

Parameters

data	Pointer to start of RLE compressed data

See also

rle_decompress

20.63.3.2 rle_decompress() `uint8_t rle_decompress (void * dest, uint8_t len )`

Decompress RLE compressed data into **dest** for length **len** bytes

Parameters

dest	Pointer to destination buffer/address
len	Number of bytes to decompress

Returns

Returns `0` if compression is complete, `1` if there is more data to decompress

Before calling this function rle_init must be called one time to initialize the RLE decompressor.
Decompresses data which has been compressed with gbcompress using the `--alg=rle` argument.

See also

rle_init

20.64 gbdk-lib/include/gbdk/version.h File Reference

Macros

- #define __GBDK_VERSION 430

20.64.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.64.1.1 __GBDK_VERSION `#define __GBDK_VERSION 430`

20.65 gbdk-lib/include/limits.h File Reference

Macros

- #define CHAR_BIT 8 /* bits in a char */
- #define SCHAR_MAX 127
- #define SCHAR_MIN -128
- #define UCHAR_MAX 0xff
- #define CHAR_MAX SCHAR_MAX
- #define CHAR_MIN SCHAR_MIN
- #define INT_MIN (-32767 - 1)
- #define INT_MAX 32767
- #define SHRT_MAX INT_MAX
- #define SHRT_MIN INT_MIN
- #define UINT_MAX 0xffff
- #define UINT_MIN 0
- #define USHRT_MAX UINT_MAX
- #define USHRT_MIN UINT_MIN
- #define LONG_MIN (-2147483647L-1)
- #define LONG_MAX 2147483647L
- #define ULONG_MAX 0xffffffff
- #define ULONG_MIN 0

20.65.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.65.1.1 CHAR_BIT `#define CHAR_BIT 8 /* bits in a char */`

20.65.1.2 SCHAR_MAX

```
#define SCHAR_MAX 127
```

20.65.1.3 SCHAR_MIN

```
#define SCHAR_MIN -128
```

20.65.1.4 UCHAR_MAX

```
#define UCHAR_MAX 0xff
```

20.65.1.5 CHAR_MAX

```
#define CHAR_MAX SCHAR_MAX
```

20.65.1.6 CHAR_MIN

```
#define CHAR_MIN SCHAR_MIN
```

20.65.1.7 INT_MIN

```
#define INT_MIN (-32767 - 1)
```

20.65.1.8 INT_MAX

```
#define INT_MAX 32767
```

20.65.1.9 SHRT_MAX

```
#define SHRT_MAX INT_MAX
```

20.65.1.10 SHRT_MIN

```
#define SHRT_MIN INT_MIN
```

20.65.1.11 UINT_MAX

```
#define UINT_MAX 0xffff
```

20.65.1.12 UINT_MIN

```
#define UINT_MIN 0
```

20.65.1.13 USHRT_MAX

```
#define USHRT_MAX UINT_MAX
```

20.65.1.14 USHRT_MIN

```
#define USHRT_MIN UINT_MIN
```

20.65.1.15 LONG_MIN

```
#define LONG_MIN (-2147483647L-1)
```

20.65.1.16 LONG_MAX

```
#define LONG_MAX 2147483647L
```

20.65.1.17 ULONG_MAX

```
#define ULONG_MAX 0xffffffff
```

20.65.1.18 ULONG_MIN

```
#define ULONG_MIN 0
```

20.66 gbdk-lib/include/msx/msx.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
#include <gbdk/version.h>
#include <msx/hardware.h>
```

Data Structures

- struct joypads_t
- struct OAM_item_t

Macros

- #define MSX
- #define SYSTEM_60HZ 0x00
- #define SYSTEM_50HZ 0x01
- #define VBK_REG VDP_ATTR_SHIFT
- #define J_UP 0b00100000
- #define J_DOWN 0b01000000
- #define J_LEFT 0b00010000
- #define J_RIGHT 0b10000000
- #define J_A 0b00000001
- #define J_B 0b00000100
- #define J_SELECT 0b00001000
- #define J_START 0b00000010
- #define M_TEXT_OUT 0x02U
- #define M_TEXT_INOUT 0x03U
- #define M_NO_SCROLL 0x04U
- #define M_NO_INTERP 0x08U
- #define S_BANK 0x01U
- #define S_FLIPX 0x02U
- #define S_FLIPY 0x04U
- #define S_PALETTE 0x08U
- #define S_PRIORITY 0x10U
- #define S_PAL(n) (((n) & 0x01U) << 3)
- #define __WRITE_VDP_REG_UNSAFE(REG, v) shadow_##REG=(v),VDP_CMD=(shadow_##REG),VDP↩_CMD=REG
- #define __WRITE_VDP_REG(REG, v) shadow_##REG=(v);__asm__("di");VDP_CMD=(shadow_↩##REG);VDP_CMD=REG;__asm__("ei")
- #define __READ_VDP_REG(REG) shadow_##REG
- #define EMPTY_IFLAG 0x00U
- #define VBL_IFLAG 0x01U
- #define LCD_IFLAG 0x02U
- #define TIM_IFLAG 0x04U
- #define SIO_IFLAG 0x08U
- #define JOY_IFLAG 0x10U
- #define SCREENWIDTH DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH
- #define SCREENHEIGHT DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT
- #define MINWNDPOSX 0x00U
- #define MINWNDPOSY 0x00U
- #define MAXWNDPOSX 0x00U
- #define MAXWNDPOSY 0x00U
- #define DISPLAY_ON __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R1, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R1) |= R1_DISP_ON)
- #define DISPLAY_OFF display_off();

- #define HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R0, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R0) |= R0_LCB)
- #define SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R0, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R0) &= (∼R0_LCB))
- #define SET_BORDER_COLOR(C) __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R7, ((C) | 0xf0u))
- #define SHOW_BKG
- #define HIDE_BKG
- #define SHOW_WIN
- #define HIDE_WIN
- #define SHOW_SPRITES
- #define HIDE_SPRITES
- #define SPRITES_16x16 __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R1, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R1) |= R1_SPR_16X16)
- #define SPRITES_8x8 __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R1, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R1) &= (∼R1_SPR_16X16))
- #define DEVICE_SUPPORTS_COLOR (TRUE)
- #define DIV_REG get_r_reg()
- #define CURRENT_BANK _current_bank
- #define BANK(VARNAME) ((uint8_t) & __bank_ ## VARNAME)
- #define BANKREF(VARNAME)
- #define BANKREF_EXTERN(VARNAME) extern const void __bank_ ## VARNAME;
- #define SWITCH_ROM1 SWITCH_ROM
- #define SWITCH_ROM2(b) MAP_FRAME2=(b)
- #define SWITCH_RAM(b) RAM_CONTROL=((b)&1)?RAM_CONTROL|RAMCTL_BANK:RAM_CONTROL&(∼RAMCTL_BANK
- #define ENABLE_RAM RAM_CONTROL|=RAMCTL_RAM
- #define DISABLE_RAM RAM_CONTROL&=(∼RAMCTL_RAM)
- #define set_bkg_palette_entry set_palette_entry
- #define set_sprite_palette_entry(palette, entry, rgb_data) set_palette_entry(1,entry,rgb_data)
- #define set_bkg_palette set_palette
- #define set_sprite_palette(first_palette, nb_palettes, rgb_data) set_palette(1,1,rgb_data)
- #define COMPAT_PALETTE(C0, C1, C2, C3) (((uint16_t)(C3) << 12) | ((uint16_t)(C2) << 8) | ((uint16_t)(C1) << 4) | (uint16_t)(C0))
- #define set_bkg_tiles set_tile_map
- #define set_win_tiles set_tile_map
- #define fill_bkg_rect fill_rect
- #define fill_win_rect fill_rect
- #define DISABLE_VBL_TRANSFER _shadow_OAM_base = 0
- #define ENABLE_VBL_TRANSFER _shadow_OAM_base = (uint8_t)((uint16_t)&shadow_OAM >> 8)
- #define MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES 32
- #define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_X 0
- #define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_Y 0
- #define set_bkg_tile_xy set_tile_xy
- #define set_win_tile_xy set_tile_xy
- #define get_win_xy_addr get_bkg_xy_addr

Typedefs

- typedef void(∗ int_handler) (void) NONBANKED
- typedef struct OAM_item_t OAM_item_t

Functions

- void WRITE_VDP_CMD (uint16_t cmd) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void WRITE_VDP_DATA (uint16_t data) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void mode (uint8_t m) OLDCALL
- uint8_t get_mode (void) OLDCALL
- uint8_t get_system (void)
- void set_interrupts (uint8_t flags) Z88DK_FASTCALL

- void remove_VBL (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void remove_LCD (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void remove_TIM (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- void remove_SIO (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- void remove_JOY (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- void add_VBL (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(d
- void add_LCD (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void add_TIM (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- void add_SIO (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- void add_JOY (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- uint8_t cancel_pending_interrupts (void)
- void move_bkg (uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- void scroll_bkg (int8_t x, int8_t y)
- void vsync (void) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void wait_vbl_done (void) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void display_off (void)
- void refresh_OAM (void)
- uint8_t get_r_reg (void) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void SWITCH_ROM (uint8_t bank) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void delay (uint16_t d) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- uint8_t joypad (void) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- uint8_t waitpad (uint8_t mask) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void waitpadup (void) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- uint8_t joypad_init (uint8_t npads, joypads_t *joypads) Z88DK_CALLEE
- void joypad_ex (joypads_t *joypads) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void enable_interrupts (void) PRESERVES_REGS(a
- void disable_interrupts (void) PRESERVES_REGS(a
- void set_default_palette (void)
- void cpu_fast (void)
- void set_palette_entry (uint8_t palette, uint8_t entry, uint16_t rgb_data) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_palette (uint8_t first_palette, uint8_t nb_palettes, const palette_color_t *rgb_data) Z88DK_CALLEE
- void set_native_tile_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src) Z88DK_CALLEE
- void set_bkg_4bpp_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src)
- void set_sprite_1bpp_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src) Z88DK_CALLEE
- void set_native_sprite_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src)
- void set_2bpp_palette (uint16_t palette)
- void set_bkg_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src)
- void set_sprite_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src)
- void set_1bpp_colors (uint8_t fgcolor, uint8_t bgcolor)
- void set_tile_1bpp_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src, uint16_t colors) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_bkg_1bpp_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src)
- void set_data (uint16_t dst, const void *src, uint16_t size) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void vmemcpy (uint16_t dst, const void *src, uint16_t size) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_tile_map (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_bkg_based_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles, uint8_t base_tile)
- void set_win_based_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles, uint8_t base_tile)
- void set_tile_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, uint8_t map_w, const uint8_t *map) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_tile_submap_compat (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, uint8_t map_w, const uint8_t *map) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_bkg_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w)
- void set_win_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w)

- void set_bkg_based_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w, uint8_t base_tile)
- void set_win_based_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w, uint8_t base_tile)
- void fill_rect (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint16_t tile) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void SET_SHADOW_OAM_ADDRESS (void *address)
- void set_sprite_tile (uint8_t nb, uint8_t tile)
- uint8_t get_sprite_tile (uint8_t nb)
- void set_sprite_prop (uint8_t nb, uint8_t prop)
- uint8_t get_sprite_prop (uint8_t nb)
- void move_sprite (uint8_t nb, uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- void scroll_sprite (uint8_t nb, int8_t x, int8_t y)
- void hide_sprite (uint8_t nb)
- void set_vram_byte (uint8_t *addr, uint8_t v) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- uint8_t * set_attributed_tile_xy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint16_t t) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- uint8_t * set_tile_xy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t t) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- uint8_t * get_bkg_xy_addr (uint8_t x, uint8_t y) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh

Variables

- const uint8_t _SYSTEM
- void c
- void d
- void e
- void iyh
- void iyl
- void h
- void l
- volatile uint16_t sys_time
- volatile uint8_t _current_bank
- void b
- uint16_t _current_2bpp_palette
- uint16_t _current_1bpp_colors
- uint8_t _map_tile_offset
- uint8_t _submap_tile_offset
- volatile struct OAM_item_t shadow_OAM [ ]
- volatile uint8_t _shadow_OAM_base
- volatile uint8_t _shadow_OAM_OFF

20.66.1 Detailed Description

MSX specific functions.

20.66.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.66.2.1 MSX `#define MSX`

20.66.2.2 SYSTEM_60HZ `#define SYSTEM_60HZ 0x00`

20.66.2.3 SYSTEM_50HZ `#define SYSTEM_50HZ 0x01`

20.66.2.4 VBK_REG `#define VBK_REG VDP_ATTR_SHIFT`

20.66.2.5 J_UP `#define J_UP 0b00100000`

Joypad bits. A logical OR of these is used in the wait_pad and joypad functions. For example, to see if the B button is pressed try
uint8_t keys; keys = joypad(); if (keys & J_B) { ... }

See also

joypad

20.66.2.6 J_DOWN `#define J_DOWN 0b01000000`

20.66.2.7 J_LEFT `#define J_LEFT 0b00010000`

20.66.2.8 J_RIGHT `#define J_RIGHT 0b10000000`

20.66.2.9 J_A `#define J_A 0b00000001`

20.66.2.10 J_B `#define J_B 0b00000100`

20.66.2.11 J_SELECT `#define J_SELECT 0b00001000`

20.66.2.12 J_START `#define J_START 0b00000010`

20.66.2.13 M_TEXT_OUT `#define M_TEXT_OUT 0x02U`

Screen modes. Normally used by internal functions only.

See also

mode()

20.66.2.14 M_TEXT_INOUT `#define M_TEXT_INOUT 0x03U`

20.66.2.15 M_NO_SCROLL `#define M_NO_SCROLL 0x04U`

Set this in addition to the others to disable scrolling
If scrolling is disabled, the cursor returns to (0,0)

See also

mode()

20.66.2.16 M_NO_INTERP `#define M_NO_INTERP 0x08U`

Set this to disable interpretation

See also

mode()

20.66.2.17 S_BANK `#define S_BANK 0x01U`

The nineth bit of the tile id

20.66.2.18 S_FLIPX `#define S_FLIPX 0x02U`

If set the background tile will be flipped horizontally.

20.66.2.19 S_FLIPY `#define S_FLIPY 0x04U`

If set the background tile will be flipped vertically.

20.66.2.20 S_PALETTE `#define S_PALETTE 0x08U`

If set the background tile palette.

20.66.2.21 S_PRIORITY `#define S_PRIORITY 0x10U`

If set the background tile priority.

20.66.2.22 S_PAL `#define S_PAL(`

```
n ) (((n) & 0x01U) << 3)
```

Defines how palette number is encoded in OAM. Required for the png2asset tool's metasprite output.

20.66.2.23 __WRITE_VDP_REG_UNSAFE `#define __WRITE_VDP_REG_UNSAFE(`

```
REG,
v ) shadow_##REG=(v),VDP_CMD=(shadow_##REG),VDP_CMD=REG
```

20.66.2.24 __WRITE_VDP_REG `#define __WRITE_VDP_REG(`

```
REG,
v ) shadow_##REG=(v);__asm__("di");VDP_CMD=(shadow_##REG);VDP_CMD=REG;__asm__↩
("ei")
```

20.66.2.25 __READ_VDP_REG `#define __READ_VDP_REG(`

```
REG ) shadow_##REG
```

20.66.2.26 EMPTY_IFLAG `#define EMPTY_IFLAG 0x00U`

Disable calling of interrupt service routines

20.66.2.27 VBL_IFLAG `#define VBL_IFLAG 0x01U`

VBlank Interrupt occurs at the start of the vertical blank.
During this period the video ram may be freely accessed.

See also

set_interrupts(),

add_VBL

20.66.2.28 LCD_IFLAG `#define LCD_IFLAG 0x02U`

LCD Interrupt when triggered by the STAT register.

See also

set_interrupts(),

add_LCD

20.66.2.29 TIM_IFLAG `#define TIM_IFLAG 0x04U`

Does nothing on MSX

20.66.2.30 SIO_IFLAG `#define SIO_IFLAG 0x08U`

Does nothing on MSX

20.66.2.31 JOY_IFLAG `#define JOY_IFLAG 0x10U`

Does nothing on MSX

20.66.2.32 SCREENWIDTH `#define SCREENWIDTH DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH`

Width of the visible screen in pixels.

20.66.2.33 SCREENHEIGHT `#define SCREENHEIGHT DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT`

Height of the visible screen in pixels.

20.66.2.34 MINWNDPOSX `#define MINWNDPOSX 0x00U`

The Minimum X position of the Window Layer (Left edge of screen)

See also

move_win()

20.66.2.35 MINWNDPOSY `#define MINWNDPOSY 0x00U`

The Minimum Y position of the Window Layer (Top edge of screen)

See also

move_win()

20.66.2.36 MAXWNDPOSX `#define MAXWNDPOSX 0x00U`

The Maximum X position of the Window Layer (Right edge of screen)

See also

move_win()

20.66.2.37 MAXWNDPOSY `#define MAXWNDPOSY 0x00U`

The Maximum Y position of the Window Layer (Bottom edge of screen)

See also

move_win()

20.66.2.38 DISPLAY_ON

```
#define DISPLAY_ON  __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R1, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R1) |=
R1_DISP_ON)
```

Turns the display back on.

See also

display_off, DISPLAY_OFF

20.66.2.39 DISPLAY_OFF

```
#define DISPLAY_OFF  display_off();
```

Turns the display off immediately.

See also

display_off, DISPLAY_ON

20.66.2.40 HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN

```
#define HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN  __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R0, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R0)
|= R0_LCB)
```

Blanks leftmost column, so it is not garbaged when you use horizontal scroll

See also

SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN

20.66.2.41 SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN

```
#define SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN  __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R0, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R0)
&= (~R0_LCB))
```

Shows leftmost column

See also

HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN

20.66.2.42 SET_BORDER_COLOR

```
#define SET_BORDER_COLOR(
        C ) __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R7, ((C) | 0xf0u))
```

Sets border color

20.66.2.43 SHOW_BKG

```
#define SHOW_BKG
```

Turns on the background layer. Not yet implemented

20.66.2.44 HIDE_BKG

```
#define HIDE_BKG
```

Turns off the background layer. Not yet implemented

20.66.2.45 SHOW_WIN

```
#define SHOW_WIN
```

Turns on the window layer Not yet implemented

20.66.2.46 HIDE_WIN

```
#define HIDE_WIN
```

Turns off the window layer. Not yet implemented

20.66.2.47 SHOW_SPRITES

```
#define SHOW_SPRITES
```

Turns on the sprites layer. Not yet implemented

20.66.2.48 HIDE_SPRITES

```
#define HIDE_SPRITES
```

Turns off the sprites layer. Not yet implemented

20.66.2.49 SPRITES_16x16 `#define SPRITES_16x16 __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R1, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R1) |= R1_SPR_16X16)`

Sets sprite size to 8x16 pixels, two tiles one above the other.

20.66.2.50 SPRITES_8x8 `#define SPRITES_8x8 __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R1, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R1) &= (~R1_SPR_16X16))`

Sets sprite size to 8x8 pixels, one tile.

20.66.2.51 DEVICE_SUPPORTS_COLOR `#define DEVICE_SUPPORTS_COLOR (TRUE)`

Macro returns TRUE if device supports color (it always does on MSX)

20.66.2.52 DIV_REG `#define DIV_REG get_r_reg()`

20.66.2.53 CURRENT_BANK `#define CURRENT_BANK _current_bank`

20.66.2.54 BANK `#define BANK( VARNAME ) ( (uint8_t) & __bank_ ## VARNAME )`

Obtains the **bank number** of VARNAME

Parameters

VARNAME	Name of the variable which has a __bank_VARNAME companion symbol which is adjusted by bankpack

Use this to obtain the bank number from a bank reference created with BANKREF().

See also

BANKREF_EXTERN(), BANKREF()

20.66.2.55 BANKREF `#define BANKREF( VARNAME )`

Value:

```
void __func_ ## VARNAME(void) __banked __naked { \
__asm \
    .local b___func_ ## VARNAME \
    ___bank_ ## VARNAME = b___func_ ## VARNAME \
    .globl ___bank_ ## VARNAME \
__endasm; \
}
```

Creates a reference for retrieving the bank number of a variable or function

Parameters

VARNAME	Variable name to use, which may be an existing identifier

See also

BANK() for obtaining the bank number of the included data.

More than one `BANKREF()` may be created per file, but each call should always use a unique VARNAME.
Use BANKREF_EXTERN() within another source file to make the variable and it's data accesible there.

20.66.2.56 BANKREF_EXTERN `#define BANKREF_EXTERN( VARNAME ) extern const void __bank_ ## VARNAME;`

Creates extern references for accessing a BANKREF() generated variable.

Parameters

VARNAME	Name of the variable used with BANKREF()

This makes a BANKREF() reference in another source file accessible in the current file for use with BANK().

See also

BANKREF(), BANK()

20.66.2.57 SWITCH_ROM1 `#define SWITCH_ROM1 SWITCH_ROM`

20.66.2.58 SWITCH_ROM2 `#define SWITCH_ROM2(`

```
b ) MAP_FRAME2=(b)
```

Makes switch the active ROM bank in frame 2

Parameters

b	ROM bank to switch to

20.66.2.59 SWITCH_RAM `#define SWITCH_RAM(`

```
b ) RAM_CONTROL=((b)&1)?RAM_CONTROL|RAMCTL_BANK:RAM_CONTROL&(~RAMCTL_BANK)
```

Switches RAM bank

Parameters

b	SRAM bank to switch to

20.66.2.60 ENABLE_RAM `#define ENABLE_RAM RAM_CONTROL|=RAMCTL_RAM`

Enables RAM

20.66.2.61 DISABLE_RAM `#define DISABLE_RAM RAM_CONTROL&=(~RAMCTL_RAM)`

Disables RAM

20.66.2.62 set_bkg_palette_entry `#define set_bkg_palette_entry set_palette_entry`

20.66.2.63 set_sprite_palette_entry `#define set_sprite_palette_entry(`

```
palette,
entry,
rgb_data ) set_palette_entry(1,entry,rgb_data)
```

20.66.2.64 set_bkg_palette `#define set_bkg_palette set_palette`

20.66.2.65 set_sprite_palette `#define set_sprite_palette(`

```
first_palette,
nb_palettes,
rgb_data ) set_palette(1,1,rgb_data)
```

20.66.2.66 COMPAT_PALETTE

```
#define COMPAT_PALETTE(
    C0,
    C1,
    C2,
    C3 ) (((uint16_t)(C3) << 12) | ((uint16_t)(C2) << 8) | ((uint16_t)(C1) << 4) |
(uint16_t)(C0))
```

20.66.2.67 set_bkg_tiles

```
#define set_bkg_tiles set_tile_map
```

20.66.2.68 set_win_tiles

```
#define set_win_tiles set_tile_map
```

20.66.2.69 fill_bkg_rect

```
#define fill_bkg_rect fill_rect
```

20.66.2.70 fill_win_rect

```
#define fill_win_rect fill_rect
```

20.66.2.71 DISABLE_VBL_TRANSFER

```
#define DISABLE_VBL_TRANSFER  _shadow_OAM_base = 0
```

Disable shadow OAM to VRAM copy on each VBlank

20.66.2.72 ENABLE_VBL_TRANSFER

```
#define ENABLE_VBL_TRANSFER  _shadow_OAM_base = (uint8_t)((uint16_t)&shado
>> 8)
```

Enable shadow OAM to VRAM copy on each VBlank

20.66.2.73 MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES

```
#define MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES 32
```

Amount of hardware sprites in OAM

20.66.2.74 HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_X

```
#define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_X 0
```

True if sprite hardware can flip sprites by X (horizontally)

20.66.2.75 HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_Y

```
#define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_Y 0
```

True if sprite hardware can flip sprites by Y (vertically)

20.66.2.76 set_bkg_tile_xy

```
#define set_bkg_tile_xy set_tile_xy
```

20.66.2.77 set_win_tile_xy

```
#define set_win_tile_xy set_tile_xy
```

20.66.2.78 get_win_xy_addr

```
#define get_win_xy_addr get_bkg_xy_addr
```

20.66.3 Typedef Documentation

20.66.3.1 int_handler

```
typedef void(* int_handler) (void) NONBANKED
```

Interrupt handlers

20.66.3.2 OAM_item_t

```
typedef struct OAM_item_t OAM_item_t
```

Sprite Attributes structure

Parameters

x	X Coordinate of the sprite on screen
y	Y Coordinate of the sprite on screen
tile	Sprite tile number (see set_sprite_tile)
prop	OAM Property Flags (see set_sprite_prop)

20.66.4 Function Documentation

20.66.4.1 WRITE_VDP_CMD() `void WRITE_VDP_CMD (`

`uint16_t cmd )`

20.66.4.2 WRITE_VDP_DATA() `void WRITE_VDP_DATA (`

`uint16_t data )`

20.66.4.3 mode() `void mode (`

`uint8_t m )`

Set the current screen mode - one of M_∗ modes
Normally used by internal functions only.

See also

M_TEXT_OUT, M_TEXT_INOUT, M_NO_SCROLL, M_NO_INTERP

20.66.4.4 get_mode() `uint8_t get_mode (`

`void )`

Returns the current mode

See also

M_TEXT_OUT, M_TEXT_INOUT, M_NO_SCROLL, M_NO_INTERP

Returns the current mode

See also

M_DRAWING, M_TEXT_OUT, M_TEXT_INOUT, M_NO_SCROLL, M_NO_INTERP

20.66.4.5 get_system() `uint8_t get_system (`

`void ) [inline]`

Returns the system gbdk is running on.

20.66.4.6 set_interrupts() `void set_interrupts (`

`uint8_t flags )`

Clears any pending interrupts and sets the interrupt mask register IO to flags.

Parameters

flags	A logical OR of ∗_IFLAGS

Note

This disables and then re-enables interrupts so it must be used outside of a critical section.

See also

enable_interrupts(), disable_interrupts()

VBL_IFLAG, LCD_IFLAG, TIM_IFLAG, SIO_IFLAG, JOY_IFLAG

20.66.4.7 remove_VBL() `void remove_VBL (`

`int_handler h )`

Removes the VBL interrupt handler.

See also

add_VBL()

20.66.4.8 remove_LCD() `void remove_LCD (`

`int_handler h )`

Removes the LCD interrupt handler.

See also

add_LCD(), remove_VBL()

20.66.4.9 remove_TIM() `void remove_TIM (`

`int_handler h )`

20.66.4.10 remove_SIO() `void remove_SIO (`

`int_handler h )`

20.66.4.11 remove_JOY() `void remove_JOY (`

`int_handler h )`

20.66.4.12 add_VBL() `void add_VBL (`

`int_handler h )`

Adds a V-blank interrupt handler.

20.66.4.13 add_LCD() `void add_LCD (`

`int_handler h )`

Adds a LCD interrupt handler.

20.66.4.14 add_TIM() `void add_TIM (`

`int_handler h )`

Does nothing on MSX

20.66.4.15 add_SIO() `void add_SIO (`

`int_handler h )`

Does nothing on MSX

20.66.4.16 add_JOY() void add_JOY (int_handler h)

Does nothing on MSX

20.66.4.17 cancel_pending_interrupts() uint8_t cancel_pending_interrupts (void) [inline]

Cancel pending interrupts

20.66.4.18 move_bkg() void move_bkg (uint8_t x, uint8_t y) [inline]

20.66.4.19 scroll_bkg() void scroll_bkg (int8_t x, int8_t y) [inline]

20.66.4.20 vsync() void vsync (void)

HALTs the CPU and waits for the vertical blank interrupt.
This is often used in main loops to idle the CPU at low power until it's time to start the next frame. It's also useful for syncing animation with the screen re-draw.
Warning: If the VBL interrupt is disabled, this function will never return. If the screen is off this function returns immediately.

20.66.4.21 wait_vbl_done() void wait_vbl_done (void)

Obsolete. This function has been replaced by vsync(), which has identical behavior.

20.66.4.22 display_off() void display_off (void) [inline]

Turns the display off.

See also

DISPLAY_ON

20.66.4.23 refresh_OAM() void refresh_OAM (void)

Copies data from shadow OAM to OAM

20.66.4.24 get_r_reg() uint8_t get_r_reg (void)

Return R register for the DIV_REG emulation
Increments once per CPU instruction (fetches the Z80 CPU R register)

20.66.4.25 SWITCH_ROM() void SWITCH_ROM (uint8_t bank)

Makes switch the active ROM bank in frame 1

Parameters

bank	ROM bank to switch to

20.66.4.26 delay() `void delay (`

```
uint16_t d )
```

Delays the given number of milliseconds. Uses no timers or interrupts, and can be called with interrupts disabled

20.66.4.27 joypad() `uint8_t joypad (`

```
void  )
```

Reads and returns the current state of the joypad.

20.66.4.28 waitpad() `uint8_t waitpad (`

```
uint8_t mask )
```

Waits until at least one of the buttons given in mask are pressed.

20.66.4.29 waitpadup() `void waitpadup (`

```
void  )
```

Waits for the directional pad and all buttons to be released.
Note: Checks in a loop that doesn't HALT at all, so the CPU will be maxed out until this call returns.

20.66.4.30 joypad_init() `uint8_t joypad_init (`

```
uint8_t npads,
joypads_t * joypads )
```

Initializes joypads_t structure for polling multiple joypads

Parameters

npads	number of joypads requested (1, 2 or 4)
joypads	pointer to joypads_t structure to be initialized

Only required for joypad_ex, not required for calls to regular joypad()

Returns

number of joypads avaliable

See also

joypad_ex(), joypads_t

20.66.4.31 joypad_ex() `void joypad_ex (`

```
joypads_t * joypads )
```

Polls all avaliable joypads

Parameters

joypads	pointer to joypads_t structure to be filled with joypad statuses, must be previously initialized with joypad_init()

See also

joypad_init(), joypads_t

20.66.4.32 enable_interrupts() `void enable_interrupts (`

```
void  )  [inline]
```

Enables unmasked interrupts

Note

Use CRITICAL {...} instead for creating a block of of code which should execute with interrupts temporarily turned off.

See also

disable_interrupts, set_interrupts, CRITICAL

20.66.4.33 disable_interrupts() `void disable_interrupts ( void ) [inline]`

Disables interrupts

Note

Use CRITICAL {...} instead for creating a block of of code which should execute with interrupts temporarily turned off.

This function may be called as many times as you like; however the first call to enable_interrupts will re-enable them.

See also

enable_interrupts, set_interrupts, CRITICAL

20.66.4.34 set_default_palette() `void set_default_palette ( void )`

20.66.4.35 cpu_fast() `void cpu_fast ( void ) [inline]`

Set CPU speed to fast (CGB Double Speed) operation.
On startup the CGB operates in Normal Speed Mode and can be switched into Double speed mode (faster processing but also higher power consumption). See the Pan Docs for more information about which hardware features operate faster and which remain at Normal Speed.

- Interrupts are temporarily disabled and then re-enabled during this call.
- You can check to see if _cpu == CGB_TYPE before using this function.

See also

cpu_slow(), _cpu

20.66.4.36 set_palette_entry() `void set_palette_entry ( uint8_t palette, uint8_t entry, uint16_t rgb_data )`

20.66.4.37 set_palette() `void set_palette ( uint8_t first_palette, uint8_t nb_palettes, const palette_color_t * rgb_data )`

20.66.4.38 set_native_tile_data()

```
void set_native_tile_data (
    uint16_t start,
    uint16_t ntiles,
    const void * src )
```

20.66.4.39 set_bkg_4bpp_data()

```
void set_bkg_4bpp_data (
    uint16_t start,
    uint16_t ntiles,
    const void * src )  [inline]
```

20.66.4.40 set_sprite_1bpp_data()

```
void set_sprite_1bpp_data (
    uint16_t start,
    uint16_t ntiles,
    const void * src )  [inline]
```

20.66.4.41 set_native_sprite_data()

```
void set_native_sprite_data (
    uint16_t start,
    uint16_t ntiles,
    const void * src )  [inline]
```

20.66.4.42 set_2bpp_palette()

```
void set_2bpp_palette (
    uint16_t palette )  [inline]
```

20.66.4.43 set_bkg_data()

```
void set_bkg_data (
    uint16_t start,
    uint16_t ntiles,
    const void * src )  [inline]
```

20.66.4.44 set_sprite_data()

```
void set_sprite_data (
    uint16_t start,
    uint16_t ntiles,
    const void * src )  [inline]
```

20.66.4.45 set_1bpp_colors()

```
void set_1bpp_colors (
    uint8_t fgcolor,
    uint8_t bgcolor )  [inline]
```

20.66.4.46 set_tile_1bpp_data()

```
void set_tile_1bpp_data (
    uint16_t start,
    uint16_t ntiles,
    const void * src,
    uint16_t colors )
```

20.66.4.47 set_bkg_1bpp_data()

```
void set_bkg_1bpp_data (
    uint16_t start,
    uint16_t ntiles,
    const void * src )  [inline]
```

20.66.4.48 set_data()

```
void set_data (
    uint16_t dst,
    const void * src,
    uint16_t size )
```

Copies arbitrary data to an address in VRAM

Parameters

dst	destination VRAM Address
src	Pointer to source buffer
size	Number of bytes to copy

Copies **size** bytes from a buffer at _src__ to VRAM starting at **dst**.

20.66.4.49 vmemcpy()

```
void vmemcpy (
    uint16_t dst,
    const void * src,
    uint16_t size )
```

20.66.4.50 set_tile_map()

```
void set_tile_map (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles )
```

20.66.4.51 set_bkg_based_tiles()

```
void set_bkg_based_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles,
    uint8_t base_tile )  [inline]
```

20.66.4.52 set_win_based_tiles()

```
void set_win_based_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles,
    uint8_t base_tile )  [inline]
```

20.66.4.53 set_tile_submap()

```
void set_tile_submap (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    uint8_t map_w,
    const uint8_t * map )
```

20.66.4.54 set_tile_submap_compat() void set_tile_submap_compat (

```
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y,
uint8_t w,
uint8_t h,
uint8_t map_w,
const uint8_t * map )
```

20.66.4.55 set_bkg_submap() void set_bkg_submap (

```
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y,
uint8_t w,
uint8_t h,
const uint8_t * map,
uint8_t map_w )  [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular area of the Background Tile Map using a sub-region from a source tile map. Useful for scrolling implementations of maps larger than 32 x 32 tiles.

Parameters

x	X Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
y	Y Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
map	Pointer to source tile map data
map_w	Width of source tile map in tiles. Range 1 - 255

Entries are copied from **map** to the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles, using **map_w** as the rowstride for the source tile map.
The **x** and **y** parameters are in Source Tile Map tile coordinates. The location tiles will be written to on the hardware Background Map is derived from those, but only uses the lower 5 bits of each axis, for range of 0-31 (they are bit-masked: `x & 0x1F` and `y & 0x1F`). As a result the two coordinate systems are aligned together.
In order to transfer tile map data in a way where the coordinate systems are not aligned, an offset from the Source Tile Map pointer can be passed in: `(map_ptr + x + (y * map_width))`.
For example, if you want the tile id at `1,2` from the source map to show up at `0,0` on the hardware Background Map (instead of at `1,2`) then modify the pointer address that is passed in: `map_ptr + 1 + (2 * map_width)`
Use this instead of set_bkg_tiles when the source map is wider than 32 tiles or when writing a width that does not match the source map width.
One byte per source tile map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.
See set_bkg_tiles for setting CGB attribute maps with VBK_REG.

See also

SHOW_BKG

set_bkg_data, set_bkg_tiles, set_win_submap, set_tiles

20.66.4.56 set_win_submap() void set_win_submap (

```
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y,
uint8_t w,
uint8_t h,
```

```
const uint8_t * map,
uint8_t map_w ) [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular area of the Window Tile Map using a sub-region from a source tile map.

Parameters

x	X Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
y	Y Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
map	Pointer to source tile map data
map_w	Width of source tile map in tiles. Range 1 - 255

Entries are copied from **map** to the Window Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles, using **map_w** as the rowstride for the source tile map.
The **x** and **y** parameters are in Source Tile Map tile coordinates. The location tiles will be written to on the hardware Background Map is derived from those, but only uses the lower 5 bits of each axis, for range of 0-31 (they are bit-masked: `x & 0x1F` and `y & 0x1F`). As a result the two coordinate systems are aligned together.
In order to transfer tile map data in a way where the coordinate systems are not aligned, an offset from the Source Tile Map pointer can be passed in: `(map_ptr + x + (y * map_width))`.
For example, if you want the tile id at `1,2` from the source map to show up at `0,0` on the hardware Background Map (instead of at `1,2`) then modify the pointer address that is passed in: `map_ptr + 1 + (2 * map_width)`
Use this instead of set_win_tiles when the source map is wider than 32 tiles or when writing a width that does not match the source map width.
One byte per source tile map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.
GBC only: VBK_REG determines whether Tile Numbers or Tile Attributes get set.

- VBK_REG = VBK_TILES Tile Numbers are written
- VBK_REG = VBK_ATTRIBUTES Tile Attributes are written

See set_bkg_tiles for details about CGB attribute maps with VBK_REG.

See also

SHOW_WIN, HIDE_WIN, set_win_tiles, set_bkg_submap, set_bkg_tiles, set_bkg_data, set_tiles

20.66.4.57 set_bkg_based_submap()

```
void set_bkg_based_submap (
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y,
uint8_t w,
uint8_t h,
const uint8_t * map,
uint8_t map_w,
uint8_t base_tile ) [inline]
```

20.66.4.58 set_win_based_submap()

```
void set_win_based_submap (
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y,
uint8_t w,
uint8_t h,
const uint8_t * map,
uint8_t map_w,
uint8_t base_tile ) [inline]
```

20.66.4.59 fill_rect()

```
void fill_rect (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint16_t tile )
```

20.66.4.60 SET_SHADOW_OAM_ADDRESS()

```
void SET_SHADOW_OAM_ADDRESS (
    void * address )  [inline]
```

Sets address of 256-byte aligned array of shadow OAM to be transferred on each VBlank

20.66.4.61 set_sprite_tile()

```
void set_sprite_tile (
    uint8_t nb,
    uint8_t tile )  [inline]
```

Sets sprite number **nb__in the OAM to display tile number __tile**.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
tile	Selects a tile (0 - 255) from memory at 8000h - 8FFFh In CGB Mode this could be either in VRAM Bank 0 or 1, depending on Bit 3 of the OAM Attribute Flag (see set_sprite_prop)

In 8x16 mode:

- The sprite will also display the next tile (**tile** + 1) directly below (y + 8) the first tile.
- The lower bit of the tile number is ignored: the upper 8x8 tile is (**tile** & 0xFE), and the lower 8x8 tile is (**tile** | 0x01).
- See: SPRITES_8x16

20.66.4.62 get_sprite_tile()

```
uint8_t get_sprite_tile (
    uint8_t nb )  [inline]
```

Returns the tile number of sprite number **nb** in the OAM.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39

See also

set_sprite_tile for more details

20.66.4.63 set_sprite_prop()

```
void set_sprite_prop (
    uint8_t nb,
    uint8_t prop )  [inline]
```

Sets the OAM Property Flags of sprite number **nb** to those defined in **prop**.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
prop	Property setting (see bitfield description)

The bits in **prop** represent:

- Bit 7 - Vertical flip. Dictates which way up the sprite is drawn vertically.
  0: normal
  1: upside down
- Bit 6 - Horizontal flip. Dictates which way up the sprite is drawn horizontally.
  0: normal
  1: back to front
- Bit 5 - Priority flag. When this is set, the sprites appear behind the background and window layer.
  0: infront
  1: behind
- Bit 4 - Unimplemented
- Bit 3 - Unimplemented
- Bit 2 - Unimplemented
- Bit 1 - See bit 0.
- Bit 0 - Bits 0-1 indicate which color palette the sprite should use. Note: only palettes 4 to 7 will be available for NES sprites.

It's recommended to use GBDK constants (eg: S_FLIPY) to configure sprite properties as these are crossplatform.

```
// Load palette data into the first palette
set_sprite_palette(4, 1, exampleSprite_palettes)
// Set the OAM value for the sprite
// These flags tell the sprite to use the first sprite palette (palette 4) and to flip the sprite both
      vertically and horizontally.
set_sprite_prop(0, S_FLIPY | S_FLIPX);
```

See also

S_PALETTE, S_FLIPX, S_FLIPY, S_PRIORITY

Sets the OAM Property Flags of sprite number **nb** to those defined in **prop**.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
prop	Property setting (see bitfield description)

The bits in **prop** represent:

- Bit 7 - Priority flag. When this is set the sprites appear behind the background and window layer.
  0: infront
  1: behind
- Bit 6 - Vertical flip. Dictates which way up the sprite is drawn vertically.
  0: normal
  1:upside down
- Bit 5 - Horizontal flip. Dictates which way up the sprite is drawn horizontally.
  0: normal
  1:back to front
- Bit 4 - DMG/Non-CGB Mode Only. Assigns either one of the two b/w palettes to the sprite.
  0: OBJ palette 0
  1: OBJ palette 1
- Bit 3 - GBC only. Dictates from which bank of Sprite Tile Patterns the tile is taken.
  0: Bank 0
  1: Bank 1

- Bit 2 - See bit 0.
- Bit 1 - See bit 0.
- Bit 0 - GBC only. Bits 0-2 indicate which of the 7 OBJ colour palettes the sprite is assigned.

It's recommended to use GBDK constants (eg: S_FLIPY) to configure sprite properties as these are crossplatform.

```
// Load palette data into the first palette
set_sprite_palette(4, 1, exampleSprite_palettes)
// Set the OAM value for the sprite
// These flags tell the sprite to flip both vertically and horizontally.
set_sprite_prop(0, S_FLIPY | S_FLIPX);
```

See also

S_PALETTE, S_FLIPX, S_FLIPY, S_PRIORITY

20.66.4.64 get_sprite_prop() `uint8_t get_sprite_prop ( uint8_t nb ) [inline]`

Returns the OAM Property Flags of sprite number **nb**.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39

See also

set_sprite_prop for property bitfield settings

20.66.4.65 move_sprite() `void move_sprite ( uint8_t nb, uint8_t x, uint8_t y ) [inline]`

Moves sprite number **nb** to the **x**, **y** position on the screen.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
x	X Position. Specifies the sprites horizontal position on the screen (minus 8). An offscreen value (X=0 or X>=168) hides the sprite, but the sprite still affects the priority ordering - a better way to hide a sprite is to set its Y-coordinate offscreen.
y	Y Position. Specifies the sprites vertical position on the screen (minus 16). An offscreen value (for example, Y=0 or Y>=160) hides the sprite.

Moving the sprite to 0,0 (or similar off-screen location) will hide it.

20.66.4.66 scroll_sprite() `void scroll_sprite ( uint8_t nb, int8_t x, int8_t y ) [inline]`

Moves sprite number **nb** relative to its current position.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
x	Number of pixels to move the sprite on the **X axis** Range: -128 - 127

Parameters

y	Number of pixels to move the sprite on the **Y axis** Range: -128 - 127

See also

move_sprite for more details about the X and Y position

20.66.4.67 hide_sprite() `void hide_sprite ( uint8_t nb ) [inline]`

Hides sprite number **nb** by moving it to zero position by Y.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39

20.66.4.68 set_vram_byte() `void set_vram_byte ( uint8_t * addr, uint8_t v )`

Set byte in vram at given memory location

Parameters

addr	address to write to
v	value

20.66.4.69 set_attributed_tile_xy() `uint8_t* set_attributed_tile_xy ( uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint16_t t )`

Set single tile t with attributes on background layer at x,y

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate
t	tile index

Returns

returns the address of tile, so you may use faster set_vram_byte() later

20.66.4.70 set_tile_xy() `uint8_t* set_tile_xy ( uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t t )`

Set single tile t on background layer at x,y

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate
t	tile index

Returns

returns the address of tile, so you may use faster set_vram_byte() later

20.66.4.71 get_bkg_xy_addr() `uint8_t* get_bkg_xy_addr (`

```
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y )
```

Get address of X,Y tile of background map

20.66.5 Variable Documentation

20.66.5.1 _SYSTEM `const uint8_t _SYSTEM [extern]`

20.66.5.2 c `void c`

20.66.5.3 d `void d`

20.66.5.4 e `void e`

20.66.5.5 iyh `void iyh`

20.66.5.6 iyl `uint8_t iyl`

Initial value:

```
{
    __asm__("ei")
```

20.66.5.7 h `void h`

20.66.5.8 l `void l`

20.66.5.9 sys_time `volatile uint16_t sys_time [extern]`

Global Time Counter in VBL periods (60Hz)
Increments once per Frame
Will wrap around every ~18 minutes (unsigned 16 bits = 65535 / 60 / 60 = 18.2)

20.66.5.10 _current_bank volatile uint8_t _current_bank [extern]

Tracks current active ROM bank in frame 1
Tracks current active ROM bank
In most cases the CURRENT_BANK macro for this variable is recommended for use instead of the variable itself.
The active bank number is not tracked by _current_bank when SWITCH_ROM_MBC5_8M is used.
This variable is updated automatically when you call SWITCH_ROM_MBC1 or SWITCH_ROM_MBC5, SWITCH_ROM(), or call a BANKED function.

See also

SWITCH_ROM_MBC1(), SWITCH_ROM_MBC5(), SWITCH_ROM()

20.66.5.11 b void b

20.66.5.12 _current_2bpp_palette uint16_t _current_2bpp_palette [extern]

20.66.5.13 _current_1bpp_colors uint16_t _current_1bpp_colors [extern]

20.66.5.14 _map_tile_offset uint8_t _map_tile_offset [extern]

20.66.5.15 _submap_tile_offset uint8_t _submap_tile_offset [extern]

20.66.5.16 shadow_OAM volatile struct OAM_item_t shadow_OAM[] [extern]

Shadow OAM array in WRAM, that is DMA-transferred into the real OAM each VBlank

20.66.5.17 _shadow_OAM_base volatile uint8_t _shadow_OAM_base [extern]

MSB of shadow_OAM address is used by OAM copying routine
MSB of shadow_OAM address is used by OAM DMA copying routine

20.66.5.18 _shadow_OAM_OFF volatile uint8_t _shadow_OAM_OFF [extern]

Flag for disabling of OAM copying routine
Values:

- 1: OAM copy routine is disabled (non-isr VDP operation may be in progress)
- 0: OAM copy routine is enabled

This flag is modified by all MSX GBDK API calls that write to the VDP. It is set to DISABLED when they start and ENABLED when they complete.

Note

It is recommended to avoid writing to the Video Display Processor (VDP) during an interrupt service routine (ISR) since it can corrupt the VDP pointer of an VDP operation already in progress.

If it is necessary, this flag can be used during an ISR to determine whether a VDP operation is already in progress. If the value is 1 then avoid writing to the VDP (tiles, map, scrolling, colors, etc).

```
// at the beginning of and ISR that would write to the VDP
if (_shadow_OAM_OFF) return;
```

See also

docs_consoles_safe_display_controller_access

20.67 gbdk-lib/include/nes/nes.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
#include <gbdk/version.h>
#include <nes/hardware.h>
#include <nes/rgb_to_nes_macro.h>
```

Data Structures

- struct joypads_t
- struct OAM_item_t

Macros

- #define NINTENDO_NES
- #define SYSTEM_BITS_NTSC 0x00
- #define SYSTEM_BITS_PAL 0x40
- #define SYSTEM_BITS_DENDY 0x80
- #define SYSTEM_60HZ 0x00
- #define SYSTEM_50HZ 0x01
- #define RGB(r, g, b) RGB_TO_NES(((r) | ((g) << 2) | ((b) << 4)))
- #define RGB8(r, g, b) RGB_TO_NES((((r) >> 6) | (((g) >> 6) << 2) | (((b) >> 6) << 4)))
- #define RGBHTML(RGB24bit) RGB_TO_NES((((RGB24bit) >> 22) | ((((RGB24bit) & 0xFFFF) >> 14) << 2) | ((((RGB24bit) & 0xFF) >> 6) << 4)))
- #define RGB_RED 0x16
- #define RGB_DARKRED 0x06
- #define RGB_GREEN 0x2A
- #define RGB_DARKGREEN 0x1A
- #define RGB_BLUE 0x12
- #define RGB_DARKBLUE 0x02
- #define RGB_YELLOW 0x28
- #define RGB_DARKYELLOW 0x18
- #define RGB_CYAN 0x2C
- #define RGB_AQUA 0x1C
- #define RGB_PINK 0x24
- #define RGB_PURPLE 0x14
- #define RGB_BLACK 0x0F
- #define RGB_DARKGRAY 0x00
- #define RGB_LIGHTGRAY 0x10
- #define RGB_WHITE 0x30
- #define J_UP 0x08U
- #define J_DOWN 0x04U
- #define J_LEFT 0x02U
- #define J_RIGHT 0x01U
- #define J_A 0x80U
- #define J_B 0x40U
- #define J_SELECT 0x20U
- #define J_START 0x10U
- #define M_DRAWING 0x01U
- #define M_TEXT_OUT 0x02U
- #define M_TEXT_INOUT 0x03U
- #define M_NO_SCROLL 0x04U
- #define M_NO_INTERP 0x08U
- #define S_PALETTE 0x10U

- #define S_FLIPX 0x40U
- #define S_FLIPY 0x80U
- #define S_PRIORITY 0x20U
- #define S_PAL(n) n
- #define DMG_BLACK 0x03
- #define DMG_DARK_GRAY 0x02
- #define DMG_LITE_GRAY 0x01
- #define DMG_WHITE 0x00
- #define DMG_PALETTE(C0, C1, C2, C3) ((uint8_t)((((C3) & 0x03) << 6) | (((C2) & 0x03) << 4) | (((C1) & 0x03) << 2) | ((C0) & 0x03)))
- #define SCREENWIDTH DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH
- #define SCREENHEIGHT DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT
- #define CURRENT_BANK _current_bank
- #define BANK(VARNAME) ((uint8_t) & __bank_ ## VARNAME)
- #define BANKREF(VARNAME)
- #define BANKREF_EXTERN(VARNAME) extern const void __bank_ ## VARNAME;
- #define SWITCH_ROM_DUMMY(b)
- #define SWITCH_ROM_UNROM(b) _switch_prg0(b)
- #define SWITCH_ROM SWITCH_ROM_UNROM
- #define SWITCH_RAM(b) 0
- #define ENABLE_RAM
- #define DISABLE_RAM
- #define DISPLAY_ON display_on();
- #define DISPLAY_OFF display_off();
- #define HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN shadow_PPUMASK &= ~(PPUMASK_SHOW_BG_LC | PPUMASK_SHOW_SPR_LC); \
- #define SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN shadow_PPUMASK |= (PPUMASK_SHOW_BG_LC | PPUMASK_SHOW_SPR_LC);
- #define SET_BORDER_COLOR(C)
- #define SHOW_BKG shadow_PPUMASK |= PPUMASK_SHOW_BG;
- #define HIDE_BKG shadow_PPUMASK &= ~PPUMASK_SHOW_BG;
- #define SHOW_SPRITES shadow_PPUMASK |= PPUMASK_SHOW_SPR;
- #define HIDE_SPRITES shadow_PPUMASK &= ~PPUMASK_SHOW_SPR;
- #define SPRITES_8x16 shadow_PPUCTRL |= PPUCTRL_SPR_8X16;
- #define SPRITES_8x8 shadow_PPUCTRL &= ~PPUCTRL_SPR_8X16;
- #define COMPAT_PALETTE(C0, C1, C2, C3) ((uint8_t)((((C3) << 6) | ((C2) << 4) | ((C1) << 2) | (C0)))
- #define set_bkg_2bpp_data set_bkg_data
- #define set_tile_map set_bkg_tiles
- #define set_tile_submap set_bkg_submap
- #define set_tile_xy set_bkg_tile_xy
- #define set_attribute_xy set_bkg_attribute_xy
- #define set_sprite_2bpp_data set_sprite_data
- #define DISABLE_OAM_DMA _shadow_OAM_base = 0
- #define DISABLE_VBL_TRANSFER DISABLE_OAM_DMA
- #define ENABLE_OAM_DMA _shadow_OAM_base = (uint8_t)((uint16_t)&shadow_OAM >> 8)
- #define ENABLE_VBL_TRANSFER ENABLE_OAM_DMA
- #define MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES 64
- #define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_X 1
- #define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_Y 1
- #define fill_rect fill_bkg_rect

Typedefs

- typedef uint8_t palette_color_t
- typedef void(* int_handler) (void) NONBANKED
- typedef struct OAM_item_t OAM_item_t

Functions

- void set_bkg_palette (uint8_t first_palette, uint8_t nb_palettes, const palette_color_t *rgb_data) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_sprite_palette (uint8_t first_palette, uint8_t nb_palettes, const palette_color_t *rgb_data) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_bkg_palette_entry (uint8_t palette, uint8_t entry, palette_color_t rgb_data) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_sprite_palette_entry (uint8_t palette, uint8_t entry, palette_color_t rgb_data) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void remove_VBL (int_handler h) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void remove_LCD (int_handler h) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void add_VBL (int_handler h) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void add_LCD (int_handler h) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void mode (uint8_t m) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- uint8_t get_mode (void) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- uint8_t get_system (void)
- void delay (uint16_t d) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- uint8_t joypad (void) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- uint8_t waitpad (uint8_t mask) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void waitpadup (void) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- uint8_t joypad_init (uint8_t npads, joypads_t *joypads) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void joypad_ex (joypads_t *joypads) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void enable_interrupts (void)
- void disable_interrupts (void)
- void vsync (void) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void wait_vbl_done (void) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void display_on (void) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void display_off (void) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void refresh_OAM (void) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_vram_byte (uint8_t *addr, uint8_t v) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- uint8_t * get_bkg_xy_addr (uint8_t x, uint8_t y) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_2bpp_palette (uint16_t palette)
- void set_1bpp_colors_ex (uint8_t fgcolor, uint8_t bgcolor, uint8_t mode) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_1bpp_colors (uint8_t fgcolor, uint8_t bgcolor)
- void set_bkg_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_bkg_1bpp_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_bkg_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_bkg_attributes_nes16x16 (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *attributes) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_bkg_attributes (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *attributes)
- void set_bkg_submap_attributes_nes16x16 (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_bkg_submap_attributes (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *attributes, uint8_t map_w)
- void set_bkg_based_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles, uint8_t base_tile)
- void set_bkg_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_bkg_based_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w, uint8_t base_tile)
- void get_bkg_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, uint8_t *tiles) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- uint8_t * set_bkg_tile_xy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t t) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_bkg_attribute_xy_nes16x16 (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t a) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_bkg_attribute_xy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t a)
- uint8_t get_bkg_tile_xy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void move_bkg (uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- void scroll_bkg (int8_t x, int8_t y)

- void set_sprite_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_sprite_1bpp_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void SET_SHADOW_OAM_ADDRESS (void *address)
- void set_sprite_tile (uint8_t nb, uint8_t tile) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- uint8_t get_sprite_tile (uint8_t nb) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_sprite_prop (uint8_t nb, uint8_t prop) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- uint8_t get_sprite_prop (uint8_t nb) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void move_sprite (uint8_t nb, uint8_t x, uint8_t y) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void scroll_sprite (uint8_t nb, int8_t x, int8_t y) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void hide_sprite (uint8_t nb) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_data (uint8_t *vram_addr, const uint8_t *data, uint16_t len) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, uint8_t *vram_addr, const uint8_t *tiles) NO_↩ OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_tile_data (uint16_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data)
- void set_bkg_native_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_sprite_native_data (uint8_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void set_native_tile_data (uint16_t first_tile, uint8_t nb_tiles, const uint8_t *data)
- void init_bkg (uint8_t c) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void vmemset (void *s, uint8_t c, size_t n) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void fill_bkg_rect (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, uint8_t tile) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- void flush_shadow_attributes (void) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS
- uint8_t _switch_prg0 (uint8_t bank) NO_OVERLAY_LOCALS

Variables

- const uint8_t _SYSTEM
- volatile uint16_t sys_time
- volatile uint8_t _current_bank
- uint16_t _current_1bpp_colors
- uint8_t _map_tile_offset
- uint8_t _submap_tile_offset
- volatile struct OAM_item_t shadow_OAM [ ]
- uint8_t _shadow_OAM_base

20.67.1 Detailed Description

NES specific functions.

20.67.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.67.2.1 NINTENDO_NES `#define NINTENDO_NES`

20.67.2.2 SYSTEM_BITS_NTSC `#define SYSTEM_BITS_NTSC 0x00`

20.67.2.3 SYSTEM_BITS_PAL `#define SYSTEM_BITS_PAL 0x40`

20.67.2.4 SYSTEM_BITS_DENDY `#define SYSTEM_BITS_DENDY 0x80`

20.67.2.5 SYSTEM_60HZ `#define SYSTEM_60HZ 0x00`

20.67.2.6 SYSTEM_50HZ `#define SYSTEM_50HZ 0x01`

20.67.2.7 RGB `#define RGB(`

```
r,
g,
b ) RGB_TO_NES(((r) | ((g) << 2) | ((b) << 4)))
```

20.67.2.8 RGB8 `#define RGB8(`

```
r,
g,
b ) RGB_TO_NES((((r) >> 6) | (((g) >> 6) << 2) | (((b) >> 6) << 4)))
```

20.67.2.9 RGBHTML `#define RGBHTML(`

```
RGB24bit ) RGB_TO_NES((((RGB24bit) >> 22) | ((((RGB24bit) & 0xFFFF) >> 14) <<
2) | ((((RGB24bit) & 0xFF) >> 6) << 4)))
```

20.67.2.10 RGB_RED `#define RGB_RED 0x16`

Common colors based on the EGA default palette.
Manually entered from https://www.nesdev.org/wiki/PPU_palettes#RGBI

20.67.2.11 RGB_DARKRED `#define RGB_DARKRED 0x06`

20.67.2.12 RGB_GREEN `#define RGB_GREEN 0x2A`

20.67.2.13 RGB_DARKGREEN `#define RGB_DARKGREEN 0x1A`

20.67.2.14 RGB_BLUE `#define RGB_BLUE 0x12`

20.67.2.15 RGB_DARKBLUE `#define RGB_DARKBLUE 0x02`

20.67.2.16 RGB_YELLOW `#define RGB_YELLOW 0x28`

20.67.2.17 RGB_DARKYELLOW `#define RGB_DARKYELLOW 0x18`

20.67.2.18 RGB_CYAN `#define RGB_CYAN 0x2C`

20.67.2.19 RGB_AQUA `#define RGB_AQUA 0x1C`

20.67.2.20 RGB_PINK `#define RGB_PINK 0x24`

20.67.2.21 RGB_PURPLE `#define RGB_PURPLE 0x14`

20.67.2.22 RGB_BLACK `#define RGB_BLACK 0x0F`

20.67.2.23 RGB_DARKGRAY `#define RGB_DARKGRAY 0x00`

20.67.2.24 RGB_LIGHTGRAY `#define RGB_LIGHTGRAY 0x10`

20.67.2.25 RGB_WHITE `#define RGB_WHITE 0x30`

20.67.2.26 J_UP `#define J_UP 0x08U`

Joypad bits. A logical OR of these is used in the wait_pad and joypad functions. For example, to see if the B button is pressed try
uint8_t keys; keys = joypad(); if (keys & J_B) { ... }

See also

joypad

20.67.2.27 J_DOWN `#define J_DOWN 0x04U`

20.67.2.28 J_LEFT `#define J_LEFT 0x02U`

20.67.2.29 J_RIGHT `#define J_RIGHT 0x01U`

20.67.2.30 J_A `#define J_A 0x80U`

20.67.2.31 J_B `#define J_B 0x40U`

20.67.2.32 J_SELECT `#define J_SELECT 0x20U`

20.67.2.33 J_START `#define J_START 0x10U`

20.67.2.34 M_DRAWING `#define M_DRAWING 0x01U`

Screen modes. Normally used by internal functions only.

See also

mode()

20.67.2.35 M_TEXT_OUT `#define M_TEXT_OUT 0x02U`

20.67.2.36 M_TEXT_INOUT `#define M_TEXT_INOUT 0x03U`

20.67.2.37 M_NO_SCROLL `#define M_NO_SCROLL 0x04U`

Set this in addition to the others to disable scrolling
If scrolling is disabled, the cursor returns to (0,0)

See also

mode()

20.67.2.38 M_NO_INTERP `#define M_NO_INTERP 0x08U`

Set this to disable interpretation

See also

mode()

20.67.2.39 S_PALETTE `#define S_PALETTE 0x10U`

If this is set, sprite colours come from OBJ1PAL. Else they come from OBJ0PAL

See also

set_sprite_prop().

20.67.2.40 S_FLIPX `#define S_FLIPX 0x40U`

If set the sprite will be flipped horizontally.

See also

set_sprite_prop()

20.67.2.41 S_FLIPY `#define S_FLIPY 0x80U`

If set the sprite will be flipped vertically.

See also

set_sprite_prop()

20.67.2.42 S_PRIORITY `#define S_PRIORITY 0x20U`

If this bit is clear, then the sprite will be displayed on top of the background and window.

See also

set_sprite_prop()

20.67.2.43 S_PAL `#define S_PAL(`

n) n

Defines how palette number is encoded in OAM. Required for the png2asset tool's metasprite output.

20.67.2.44 DMG_BLACK `#define DMG_BLACK 0x03`

20.67.2.45 DMG_DARK_GRAY #define DMG_DARK_GRAY 0x02

20.67.2.46 DMG_LITE_GRAY #define DMG_LITE_GRAY 0x01

20.67.2.47 DMG_WHITE #define DMG_WHITE 0x00

20.67.2.48 DMG_PALETTE #define DMG_PALETTE(

C0,
C1,
C2,
C3) ((uint8_t)((((C3) & 0x03) << 6) | (((C2) & 0x03) << 4) | (((C1) & 0x03) << 2) | ((C0) & 0x03)))

Macro to create a DMG palette from 4 colors

Parameters

C0	Color for Index 0
C1	Color for Index 1
C2	Color for Index 2
C3	Color for Index 3

The resulting format is four greyscale colors packed into a single unsigned byte.
Example:

```
REG_BGP = DMG_PALETTE(DMG_BLACK, DMG_DARK_GRAY, DMG_LITE_GRAY, DMG_WHITE);
```

See also

OBP0_REG, OBP1_REG, BGP_REG

DMG_BLACK, DMG_DARK_GRAY, DMG_LITE_GRAY, DMG_WHITE

20.67.2.49 SCREENWIDTH #define SCREENWIDTH DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH

Width of the visible screen in pixels.

20.67.2.50 SCREENHEIGHT #define SCREENHEIGHT DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT

Height of the visible screen in pixels.

20.67.2.51 CURRENT_BANK #define CURRENT_BANK _current_bank

20.67.2.52 BANK #define BANK(

VARNAME) ((uint8_t) & __bank_ ## VARNAME)

Obtains the **bank number** of VARNAME

Parameters

VARNAME	Name of the variable which has a __bank_VARNAME companion symbol which is adjusted by bankpack

Use this to obtain the bank number from a bank reference created with BANKREF().

See also

BANKREF_EXTERN(), BANKREF()

20.67.2.53 BANKREF `#define BANKREF( VARNAME )`

Value:

```
void __func_ ## VARNAME(void) __banked __naked { \
__asm \
    .local b___func_ ## VARNAME \
    ___bank_ ## VARNAME = b___func_ ## VARNAME \
    .globl ___bank_ ## VARNAME \
__endasm; \
}
```

Creates a reference for retrieving the bank number of a variable or function

Parameters

VARNAME	Variable name to use, which may be an existing identifier

See also

BANK() for obtaining the bank number of the included data.

More than one `BANKREF()` may be created per file, but each call should always use a unique VARNAME. Use BANKREF_EXTERN() within another source file to make the variable and it's data accesible there.

20.67.2.54 BANKREF_EXTERN `#define BANKREF_EXTERN( VARNAME ) extern const void __bank_ ## VARNAME;`

Creates extern references for accessing a BANKREF() generated variable.

Parameters

VARNAME	Name of the variable used with BANKREF()

This makes a BANKREF() reference in another source file accessible in the current file for use with BANK().

See also

BANKREF(), BANK()

20.67.2.55 SWITCH_ROM_DUMMY `#define SWITCH_ROM_DUMMY( b )`

Dummy macro for no-bank-switching WIP prototype

Parameters

b	ROM bank to switch to

20.67.2.56 SWITCH_ROM_UNROM `#define SWITCH_ROM_UNROM( b ) _switch_prg0(b)`

Macro for simple UNROM-like switching (write bank# to single 8-bit register)

Parameters

b	ROM bank to switch to

20.67.2.57 SWITCH_ROM `#define SWITCH_ROM SWITCH_ROM_UNROM`

Makes default mapper switch the active ROM bank

Parameters

b	ROM bank to switch to (max 255)

See also

SWITCH_ROM_UNROM

20.67.2.58 SWITCH_RAM `#define SWITCH_RAM( b ) 0`

No-op at the moment. Placeholder for future mappers / test compatibility.

Parameters

b	SRAM bank to switch to

20.67.2.59 ENABLE_RAM `#define ENABLE_RAM`

No-op at the moment. Placeholder for future mappers / test compatibility.

20.67.2.60 DISABLE_RAM `#define DISABLE_RAM`

No-op at the moment. Placeholder for future mappers / test compatibility.

20.67.2.61 DISPLAY_ON `#define DISPLAY_ON display_on();`

Turns the display back on.

See also

display_off, DISPLAY_OFF

20.67.2.62 DISPLAY_OFF `#define DISPLAY_OFF display_off();`

Turns the display off immediately.

See also

display_off, DISPLAY_ON

20.67.2.63 HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN `#define HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN shadow_PPUMASK &= ~(PPUMASK_SHOW_BG_LC | PPUMASK_SHOW_SPR_LC); \`

Blanks leftmost column, so it is not garbaged when you use horizontal scroll

See also

SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN

20.67.2.64 SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN

```
#define SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN  shadow_PPUMASK |= (PPUMASK_SHOW_BG_LC
| PPUMASK_SHOW_SPR_LC);
```

Shows leftmost column

See also

HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN

20.67.2.65 SET_BORDER_COLOR

```
#define SET_BORDER_COLOR(
        C )
```

Does nothing for NES not implemented yet

20.67.2.66 SHOW_BKG

```
#define SHOW_BKG  shadow_PPUMASK |= PPUMASK_SHOW_BG;
```

Turns on the background layer. Sets bit 0 of the LCDC register to 1.

20.67.2.67 HIDE_BKG

```
#define HIDE_BKG  shadow_PPUMASK &= ~PPUMASK_SHOW_BG;
```

Turns off the background layer. Sets bit 0 of the LCDC register to 0.

20.67.2.68 SHOW_SPRITES

```
#define SHOW_SPRITES  shadow_PPUMASK |= PPUMASK_SHOW_SPR;
```

Turns on the sprites layer. Sets bit 1 of the LCDC register to 1.

20.67.2.69 HIDE_SPRITES

```
#define HIDE_SPRITES  shadow_PPUMASK &= ~PPUMASK_SHOW_SPR;
```

Turns off the sprites layer. Clears bit 1 of the LCDC register to 0.

20.67.2.70 SPRITES_8x16

```
#define SPRITES_8x16  shadow_PPUCTRL |= PPUCTRL_SPR_8X16;
```

Sets sprite size to 8x16 pixels, two tiles one above the other. Sets bit 2 of the LCDC register to 1.

20.67.2.71 SPRITES_8x8

```
#define SPRITES_8x8  shadow_PPUCTRL &= ~PPUCTRL_SPR_8X16;
```

Sets sprite size to 8x8 pixels, one tile. Clears bit 2 of the LCDC register to 0.

20.67.2.72 COMPAT_PALETTE

```
#define COMPAT_PALETTE(
        C0,
        C1,
        C2,
        C3 ) ((uint8_t)(((C3) << 6) | ((C2) << 4) | ((C1) << 2) | (C0)))
```

20.67.2.73 set_bkg_2bpp_data

```
#define set_bkg_2bpp_data set_bkg_data
```

20.67.2.74 set_tile_map

```
#define set_tile_map set_bkg_tiles
```

20.67.2.75 set_tile_submap

```
#define set_tile_submap set_bkg_submap
```

20.67.2.76 set_tile_xy

```
#define set_tile_xy set_bkg_tile_xy
```

20.67.2.77 set_attribute_xy

```
#define set_attribute_xy set_bkg_attribute_xy
```

20.67.2.78 set_sprite_2bpp_data

```
#define set_sprite_2bpp_data set_sprite_data
```

20.67.2.79 DISABLE_OAM_DMA `#define DISABLE_OAM_DMA _shadow_OAM_base = 0`

20.67.2.80 DISABLE_VBL_TRANSFER `#define DISABLE_VBL_TRANSFER DISABLE_OAM_DMA`

Disable OAM DMA copy each VBlank

20.67.2.81 ENABLE_OAM_DMA `#define ENABLE_OAM_DMA _shadow_OAM_base = (uint8_t)((uint16_t)&shadow_OAM >> 8)`

20.67.2.82 ENABLE_VBL_TRANSFER `#define ENABLE_VBL_TRANSFER ENABLE_OAM_DMA`

Enable OAM DMA copy each VBlank and set it to transfer default shadow_OAM array

20.67.2.83 MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES `#define MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES 64`

Amount of hardware sprites in OAM

20.67.2.84 HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_X `#define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_X 1`

True if sprite hardware can flip sprites by X (horizontally)

20.67.2.85 HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_Y `#define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_Y 1`

True if sprite hardware can flip sprites by Y (vertically)

20.67.2.86 fill_rect `#define fill_rect fill_bkg_rect`

20.67.3 Typedef Documentation

20.67.3.1 palette_color_t `typedef uint8_t palette_color_t`

20.67.3.2 int_handler `typedef void(* int_handler) (void) NONBANKED`

Interrupt handlers

20.67.3.3 OAM_item_t `typedef struct OAM_item_t OAM_item_t`

Sprite Attributes structure

Parameters

x	X Coordinate of the sprite on screen
y	Y Coordinate of the sprite on screen - 1
tile	Sprite tile number (see set_sprite_tile)
prop	OAM Property Flags (see set_sprite_prop)

20.67.4 Function Documentation

20.67.4.1 set_bkg_palette() `void set_bkg_palette (`

```
uint8_t first_palette,
uint8_t nb_palettes,
const palette_color_t * rgb_data )
```

20.67.4.2 set_sprite_palette()

```
void set_sprite_palette (
    uint8_t first_palette,
    uint8_t nb_palettes,
    const palette_color_t * rgb_data )
```

20.67.4.3 set_bkg_palette_entry()

```
void set_bkg_palette_entry (
    uint8_t palette,
    uint8_t entry,
    palette_color_t rgb_data )
```

20.67.4.4 set_sprite_palette_entry()

```
void set_sprite_palette_entry (
    uint8_t palette,
    uint8_t entry,
    palette_color_t rgb_data )
```

20.67.4.5 remove_VBL()

```
void remove_VBL (
    int_handler h )
```

The remove functions will remove any interrupt handler.
A handler of NULL will cause bad things to happen if the given interrupt is enabled.
Removes the VBL interrupt handler.

See also

add_VBL()

Removes the VBL interrupt handler.

See also

add_VBL()

20.67.4.6 remove_LCD()

```
void remove_LCD (
    int_handler h )
```

Removes the LCD interrupt handler.

See also

add_LCD(), remove_VBL()

20.67.4.7 add_VBL()

```
void add_VBL (
    int_handler h )
```

Adds a Vertical Blanking interrupt handler.

Parameters

h	The handler to be called whenever a V-blank interrupt occurs.

Only a single handler is currently supported for NES.
Do not use the function definition attributes CRITICAL and INTERRUPT when declaring ISR functions added via add_VBL() (or LCD, etc). Those attributes are only required when constructing a bare jump from the interrupt vector itself (such as with ISR_VECTOR()).
ISR handlers added using add_VBL()/etc are instead called via the GBDK ISR dispatcher which makes the extra function attributes unecessary.

Note

The default GBDK VBL is installed automatically.

On the current NES implementation, this handler is actually faked, and called before vblank occurs, by vsync(). Writes to PPU registers should be done to the shadow_ versions, so they are updated by the default VBL handler only when vblank actually occurs.

See also

ISR_VECTOR()

Adds a V-blank interrupt handler.

20.67.4.8 add_LCD() `void add_LCD (`

`int_handler h )`

Adds a LCD interrupt handler.
Called when the scanline matches the _lcd_scanline variables.
Only a single handler is currently supported for NES.
The use-case is to indicate to the user when the video hardware is about to redraw a given LCD line. This can be useful for dynamically controlling the scrolling registers to perform special video effects.
Do not use the function definition attributes CRITICAL and INTERRUPT when declaring ISR functions added via add_VBL() (or LCD, etc). Those attributes are only required when constructing a bare jump from the interrupt vector itself (such as with ISR_VECTOR()).
ISR handlers added using add_VBL()/etc are instead called via the GBDK ISR dispatcher which makes the extra function attributes unecessary.

Note

On the current NES implementation, this handler is actually faked, and called by the default VBL handler after a manual delay loop. Only one such faked "interrupt" is possible per frame. This means the CPU cycles wasted in the delay loop increase with higher values of _lcd_scanline. In practice, it makes this functionality mostly suited for a top status bar.

See also

add_VBL, nowait_int_handler, ISR_VECTOR()

Adds a LCD interrupt handler.

20.67.4.9 mode() `void mode (`

`uint8_t m )`

Set the current screen mode - one of M_∗ modes
Normally used by internal functions only.

See also

M_DRAWING, M_TEXT_OUT, M_TEXT_INOUT, M_NO_SCROLL, M_NO_INTERP

20.67.4.10 get_mode() `uint8_t get_mode (`

`void )`

Returns the current mode

See also

M_DRAWING, M_TEXT_OUT, M_TEXT_INOUT, M_NO_SCROLL, M_NO_INTERP

20.67.4.11 get_system() `uint8_t get_system (`

`void ) [inline]`

Returns the system gbdk is running on.

20.67.4.12 delay() void delay (uint16_t d)

Delays the given number of milliseconds. Uses no timers or interrupts, and can be called with interrupts disabled

20.67.4.13 joypad() uint8_t joypad (void)

Reads and returns the current state of the joypad. Return value is an OR of J_∗
When testing for multiple different buttons, it's best to read the joypad state *once* into a variable and then test using that variable.

See also

J_START, J_SELECT, J_A, J_B, J_UP, J_DOWN, J_LEFT, J_RIGHT

Reads and returns the current state of the joypad. Follows Nintendo's guidelines for reading the pad. Return value is an OR of J_∗
When testing for multiple different buttons, it's best to read the joypad state *once* into a variable and then test using that variable.

See also

J_START, J_SELECT, J_A, J_B, J_UP, J_DOWN, J_LEFT, J_RIGHT

Reads and returns the current state of the joypad.

20.67.4.14 waitpad() uint8_t waitpad (uint8_t mask)

Waits until at least one of the buttons given in mask are pressed.
Normally only used for checking one key, but it will support many, even J_LEFT at the same time as J_RIGHT. :)

See also

joypad

J_START, J_SELECT, J_A, J_B, J_UP, J_DOWN, J_LEFT, J_RIGHT

Waits until at least one of the buttons given in mask are pressed.

Parameters

mask	Bitmask indicating which buttons to wait for

Normally only used for checking one key, but it will support many, even J_LEFT at the same time as J_RIGHT. :)

Note

Checks in a loop that doesn't HALT at all, so the CPU will be maxed out until this call returns.

See also

joypad

J_START, J_SELECT, J_A, J_B, J_UP, J_DOWN, J_LEFT, J_RIGHT

Waits until at least one of the buttons given in mask are pressed.

20.67.4.15 waitpadup() void waitpadup (void)

Waits for the directional pad and all buttons to be released.
Waits for the directional pad and all buttons to be released.

Note

Checks in a loop that doesn't HALT at all, so the CPU will be maxed out until this call returns.

Waits for the directional pad and all buttons to be released.
Note: Checks in a loop that doesn't HALT at all, so the CPU will be maxed out until this call returns.

20.67.4.16 joypad_init() `uint8_t joypad_init ( uint8_t npads, joypads_t * joypads )`

Initializes joypads_t structure for polling multiple joypads

Parameters

npads	number of joypads requested (1, 2 or 4)
joypads	pointer to joypads_t structure to be initialized

Only required for joypad_ex, not required for calls to regular joypad()

Returns

number of joypads avaliable

See also

joypad_ex(), joypads_t

20.67.4.17 joypad_ex() `void joypad_ex ( joypads_t * joypads )`

Polls all avaliable joypads

See also

joypad_init(), joypads_t

Polls all avaliable joypads (for the GB and ones connected via SGB)

Parameters

joypads	pointer to joypads_t structure to be filled with joypad statuses, must be previously initialized with joypad_init()

See also

joypad_init(), joypads_t

Polls all avaliable joypads

Parameters

joypads	pointer to joypads_t structure to be filled with joypad statuses, must be previously initialized with joypad_init()

See also

joypad_init(), joypads_t

20.67.4.18 enable_interrupts() `void enable_interrupts ( void ) [inline]`

Enables unmasked interrupts

Note

Use CRITICAL {...} instead for creating a block of of code which should execute with interrupts temporarily turned off.

See also

disable_interrupts, set_interrupts, CRITICAL

20.67.4.19 disable_interrupts() `void disable_interrupts ( void ) [inline]`

Disables interrupts

Note

Use CRITICAL {...} instead for creating a block of of code which should execute with interrupts temporarily turned off.

This function may be called as many times as you like; however the first call to enable_interrupts will re-enable them.

See also

enable_interrupts, set_interrupts, CRITICAL

20.67.4.20 vsync() `void vsync ( void )`

Waits for the vertical blank interrupt.
This is often used in main loops to idle the CPU until it's time to start the next frame. It's also useful for syncing animation with the screen re-draw.
Warning: If the VBL interrupt is disabled, this function will never return.
HALTs the CPU and waits for the vertical blank interrupt and then returns when all registered VBL ISRs have completed.
This is often used in main loops to idle the CPU at low power until it's time to start the next frame. It's also useful for syncing animation with the screen re-draw.
Warning: If the VBL interrupt is disabled, this function will never return. If the screen is off this function returns immediately.
HALTs the CPU and waits for the vertical blank interrupt.
This is often used in main loops to idle the CPU at low power until it's time to start the next frame. It's also useful for syncing animation with the screen re-draw.
Warning: If the VBL interrupt is disabled, this function will never return. If the screen is off this function returns immediately.

20.67.4.21 wait_vbl_done() `void wait_vbl_done ( void )`

Obsolete. This function has been replaced by vsync(), which has identical behavior.

20.67.4.22 display_on() `void display_on ( void )`

Turns the display on.

See also

DISPLAY_ON

20.67.4.23 display_off() void display_off (void) [inline]

Turns the display off immediately.

See also

DISPLAY_ON

Turns the display off.
Waits until the VBL before turning the display off.

See also

DISPLAY_ON

Turns the display off.

See also

DISPLAY_ON

20.67.4.24 refresh_OAM() void refresh_OAM (void)

Copies data from shadow OAM to OAM

20.67.4.25 set_vram_byte() void set_vram_byte (uint8_t * *addr*, uint8_t *v*)

Set byte in vram at given memory location

Parameters

addr	address to write to
v	value

20.67.4.26 get_bkg_xy_addr() uint8_t* get_bkg_xy_addr (uint8_t *x*, uint8_t *y*)

Get address of X,Y tile of background map

20.67.4.27 set_2bpp_palette() void set_2bpp_palette (uint16_t *palette*) [inline]

Sets palette for 2bpp color translation for GG/SMS, does nothing on GB

20.67.4.28 set_1bpp_colors_ex() void set_1bpp_colors_ex (uint8_t *fgcolor*, uint8_t *bgcolor*, uint8_t *mode*)

20.67.4.29 set_1bpp_colors() void set_1bpp_colors (uint8_t *fgcolor*, uint8_t *bgcolor*) [inline]

20.67.4.30 set_bkg_data() `void set_bkg_data (`

```
uint8_t first_tile,
uint8_t nb_tiles,
const uint8_t * data )
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for the Background
Writes **nb_tiles** tiles to VRAM starting at **first_tile**, tile data is sourced from **data**. Each Tile is 16 bytes in size (8x8 pixels, 2 bits-per-pixel).
Note: Sprite Tiles 128-255 share the same memory region as Background Tiles 128-255.

See also

set_tile_data

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for the Background / Window

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to (2 bpp) source tile data

Writes **nb_tiles** tiles to VRAM starting at **first_tile**, tile data is sourced from **data**. Each Tile is 16 bytes in size (8x8 pixels, 2 bits-per-pixel).

Note

Sprite Tiles 128-255 share the same memory region as Background Tiles 128-255.

GBC only: VBK_REG determines which bank of tile patterns are written to.

- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_0 indicates the first bank
- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_1 indicates the second

See also

set_win_data, set_tile_data

20.67.4.31 set_bkg_1bpp_data() `void set_bkg_1bpp_data (`

```
uint8_t first_tile,
uint8_t nb_tiles,
const uint8_t * data )
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for the Background using 1bpp source data
Similar to set_bkg_data, except source data is 1 bit-per-pixel which gets expanded into 2 bits-per-pixel.
For a given bit that represent a pixel:

- 0 will be expanded into color 0
- 1 will be expanded into color 1, 2 or 3 depending on color argument

See also

SHOW_BKG, HIDE_BKG, set_bkg_tiles

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for the Background / Window using 1bpp source data

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first Tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of Tiles to write
data	Pointer to (1bpp) source Tile Pattern data

Similar to set_bkg_data, except source data is 1 bit-per-pixel which gets expanded into 2 bits-per-pixel.
For a given bit that represent a pixel:

- 0 will be expanded into the Background color
- 1 will be expanded into the Foreground color

See set_1bpp_colors for details about setting the Foreground and Background colors.

See also

SHOW_BKG, HIDE_BKG, set_bkg_tiles

set_win_1bpp_data, set_sprite_1bpp_data

20.67.4.32 set_bkg_tiles()

```
void set_bkg_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles )
```

Sets a rectangular region of Background Tile Map.
Entries are copied from map at **tiles** to the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles.
Use set_bkg_submap() instead when:

- Source map is wider than 32 tiles.
- Writing a width that does not match the source map width **and** more than one row high at a time.

One byte per source tile map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.

See also

SHOW_BKG

set_bkg_data, set_bkg_submap, set_win_tiles, set_tiles

Sets a rectangular region of Background Tile Map.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
tiles	Pointer to source tile map data

Entries are copied from map at **tiles** to the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles.
Use set_bkg_submap() instead when:

- Source map is wider than 32 tiles.
- Writing a width that does not match the source map width **and** more than one row high at a time.

One byte per source tile map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.

Note

Patterns 128-255 overlap with patterns 128-255 of the sprite Tile Pattern table.

GBC only: VBK_REG determines whether Tile Numbers or Tile Attributes get set.

- VBK_REG = VBK_TILES Tile Numbers are written
- VBK_REG = VBK_ATTRIBUTES Tile Attributes are written

GBC Tile Attributes are defined as:

- Bit 7 - Priority flag. When this is set, it puts the tile above the sprites with colour 0 being transparent.
  0: Below sprites
  1: Above sprites
  Note: SHOW_BKG needs to be set for these priorities to take place.
- Bit 6 - Vertical flip. Dictates which way up the tile is drawn vertically.
  0: Normal
  1: Flipped Vertically
- Bit 5 - Horizontal flip. Dictates which way up the tile is drawn horizontally.
  0: Normal
  1: Flipped Horizontally
- Bit 4 - Not used
- Bit 3 - Character Bank specification. Dictates from which bank of Background Tile Patterns the tile is taken.
  0: Bank 0
  1: Bank 1
- Bit 2 - See bit 0.
- Bit 1 - See bit 0.
- Bit 0 - Bits 0-2 indicate which of the 7 BKG colour palettes the tile is assigned.

See also

SHOW_BKG

set_bkg_data, set_bkg_submap, set_win_tiles, set_tiles

20.67.4.33 set_bkg_attributes_nes16x16()

```
void set_bkg_attributes_nes16x16 (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * attributes )
```

Sets a rectangular region of Background Tile Map Attributes.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 15
y	Y Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 14
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 16
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 15
attributes	Pointer to source tile map attribute data

Entries are copied from map at **tiles** to the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles.

NES 16x16 Tile Attributes are tightly packed into 4 attributes per byte, with each 16x16 area of a 32x32 pixel block using the bits as follows: D1-D0: Top-left 16x16 pixels D3-D2: Top-right 16x16 pixels D5-D4: Bottom-left 16x16 pixels D7-D6: Bottom-right 16x16 pixels
https://www.nesdev.org/wiki/PPU_attribute_tables

See also

SHOW_BKG

set_bkg_data, set_bkg_submap_attributes, set_win_tiles, set_tiles

20.67.4.34 set_bkg_attributes()

```
void set_bkg_attributes (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * attributes ) [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular region of Background Tile Map Attributes.
Entries are copied from map at **tiles** to the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles.
Use set_bkg_submap_attributes() instead when:

- Source map is wider than 32 tiles.
- Writing a width that does not match the source map width **and** more than one row high at a time.

One byte per source tile map attribute entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.
Please note that this is just a wrapper function for set_bkg_attributes_nes16x16() and divides the coordinates and dimensions by 2 to achieve this. It is intended to make code more portable by using the same coordinate system that systems with the much more common 8x8 attribute resolution would use.

See also

SHOW_BKG

set_bkg_data, set_bkg_submap_attributes, set_win_tiles, set_tiles

20.67.4.35 set_bkg_submap_attributes_nes16x16()

```
void set_bkg_submap_attributes_nes16x16 (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * map,
    uint8_t map_w )
```

Sets a rectangular area of the Background Tile Map using a sub-region from a source tile map. Useful for scrolling implementations of maps larger than 32 x 30 tiles / 16x15 attributes.

Parameters

x	X Start position in both the Source Attribute Map and hardware Background Map attribute coordinates. Range 0 - 255
y	Y Start position in both the Source Attribute Map and hardware Background Map attribute coordinates. Range 0 - 255
w	Width of area to set in Attributes. Range 1 - 127
h	Height of area to set in Attributes. Range 1 - 127
map	Pointer to source tile map data
map_w	Width of source tile map in tiles. Range 1 - 127

Entries are copied from **map** to the Background Attribute Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** attributes, using **map_w** as the rowstride for the source attribute map.
The **x** and **y** parameters are in Source Attribute Map Attribute coordinates. The location tiles will be written to on the hardware Background Map is derived from those, but only uses the lower 5 bits of each axis, for range of 0-15 (they are bit-masked: `x & 0xF` and `y & 0xF`). As a result the two coordinate systems are aligned together.
In order to transfer tile map data in a way where the coordinate systems are not aligned, an offset from the Source Attribute Map pointer can be passed in: `(map_ptr + x + (y * map_width))`.
For example, if you want the tile id at `1,2` from the source map to show up at `0,0` on the hardware Background Map (instead of at `1,2`) then modify the pointer address that is passed in: `map_ptr + 1 + (2 * map_width)`
Use this instead of set_bkg_tiles when the source map is wider than 32 tiles or when writing a width that does not match the source map width.
One byte per source attribute map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 15/14 on the x / y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.
See set_bkg_tiles for setting CGB attribute maps with VBK_REG.

See also

SHOW_BKG

set_bkg_data, set_bkg_tiles, set_win_submap, set_tiles

20.67.4.36 set_bkg_submap_attributes()

```
void set_bkg_submap_attributes (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * attributes,
    uint8_t map_w ) [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular area of the Background Tile Map attributes using a sub-region from a source tile map. Useful for scrolling implementations of maps larger than 32 x 30 tiles.
Please note that this is just a wrapper function for set_bkg_submap_attributes_nes16x16() and divides the coordinates and dimensions by 2 to achieve this. It is intended to make code more portable by using the same coordinate system that systems with the much more common 8x8 attribute resolution would use.

See also

SHOW_BKG

set_bkg_data, set_bkg_tiles, set_win_submap, set_tiles

20.67.4.37 set_bkg_based_tiles()

```
void set_bkg_based_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles,
    uint8_t base_tile ) [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular region of Background Tile Map. The offset value in **base_tile** is added to the tile ID for each map entry.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
tiles	Pointer to source tile map data
base_tile	Offset each tile ID entry of the source map by this value. Range 1 - 255

This is identical to set_bkg_tiles() except that it adds the **base_tile** parameter for when a tile map's tiles don't start at index zero. (For example, the tiles used by the map range from 100 -> 120 in VRAM instead of 0 -> 20).

See also

set_bkg_tiles for more details

20.67.4.38 set_bkg_submap()

```
void set_bkg_submap (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * map,
    uint8_t map_w ) [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular area of the Background Tile Map using a sub-region from a source tile map. Useful for scrolling implementations of maps larger than 32 x 32 tiles.
@ param x X Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31 @ param y Y Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31 @ param w Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255 @ param h Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255 @ param map Pointer to source tile map data @ param map_w Width of source tile map in tiles. Range 1 - 255
Entries are copied from **map** to the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles, using **map_w** as the rowstride for the source tile map.
Use this instead of set_bkg_tiles when the source map is wider than 32 tiles or when writing a width that does not match the source map width.
One byte per source tile map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.
See set_bkg_tiles for setting CGB attribute maps with VBK_REG.

See also

SHOW_BKG

set_bkg_data, set_bkg_tiles, set_win_submap, set_tiles

Sets a rectangular area of the Background Tile Map using a sub-region from a source tile map. Useful for scrolling implementations of maps larger than 32 x 32 tiles.

Parameters

x	X Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
y	Y Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
map	Pointer to source tile map data
map_w	Width of source tile map in tiles. Range 1 - 255

Entries are copied from **map** to the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles, using **map_w** as the rowstride for the source tile map.
The **x** and **y** parameters are in Source Tile Map tile coordinates. The location tiles will be written to on the hardware Background Map is derived from those, but only uses the lower 5 bits of each axis, for range of 0-31 (they are bit-masked: `x & 0x1F` and `y & 0x1F`). As a result the two coordinate systems are aligned together.
In order to transfer tile map data in a way where the coordinate systems are not aligned, an offset from the Source Tile Map pointer can be passed in: `(map_ptr + x + (y * map_width))`.
For example, if you want the tile id at `1,2` from the source map to show up at `0,0` on the hardware Background Map (instead of at `1,2`) then modify the pointer address that is passed in: `map_ptr + 1 + (2 * map_width)`

Use this instead of set_bkg_tiles when the source map is wider than 32 tiles or when writing a width that does not match the source map width.
One byte per source tile map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.
See set_bkg_tiles for setting CGB attribute maps with VBK_REG.

See also

SHOW_BKG

set_bkg_data, set_bkg_tiles, set_win_submap, set_tiles

20.67.4.39 set_bkg_based_submap()

```
void set_bkg_based_submap (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * map,
    uint8_t map_w,
    uint8_t base_tile )  [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular area of the Background Tile Map using a sub-region from a source tile map. The offset value in **base_tile** is added to the tile ID for each map entry.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
map	Pointer to source tile map data
map_w	Width of source tile map in tiles. Range 1 - 255
base_tile	Offset each tile ID entry of the source map by this value. Range 1 - 255

This is identical to set_bkg_submap() except that it adds the **base_tile** parameter for when a tile map's tiles don't start at index zero. (For example, the tiles used by the map range from 100 -> 120 in VRAM instead of 0 -> 20).

See also

set_bkg_submap for more details

20.67.4.40 get_bkg_tiles()

```
void get_bkg_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    uint8_t * tiles )
```

Copies a rectangular region of Background Tile Map entries into a buffer.
Entries are copied into **tiles** from the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** reading across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles.
One byte per tile.
The buffer pointed to by **tiles** should be at least **x** x **y** bytes in size.

See also

get_bkg_tile_xy, get_tiles

Copies a rectangular region of Background Tile Map entries into a buffer.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to copy in tiles. Range 0 - 31
h	Height of area to copy in tiles. Range 0 - 31
tiles	Pointer to destination buffer for Tile Map data

Note

In general **avoid reading from VRAM** since that memory is not accessible at all times. It is also not supported by GBDK on the NES platform. See coding guidelines for more details.

Entries are copied into **tiles** from the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** reading across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles.
One byte per tile.
The buffer pointed to by **tiles** should be at least **x** x **y** bytes in size.

See also

get_win_tiles, get_bkg_tile_xy, get_tiles, get_vram_byte

20.67.4.41 set_bkg_tile_xy()

```
uint8_t* set_bkg_tile_xy (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t t )
```

Set single tile t on background layer at x,y

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate
t	tile index

Returns

returns the address of tile, so you may use faster set_vram_byte() later

20.67.4.42 set_bkg_attribute_xy_nes16x16()

```
void set_bkg_attribute_xy_nes16x16 (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t a )
```

Set single attribute data a on background layer at x,y

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate
a	tile attributes

20.67.4.43 set_bkg_attribute_xy()

```
void set_bkg_attribute_xy (
```

```
            uint8_t x,
            uint8_t y,
            uint8_t a )  [inline]
```

Set single attribute data a on background layer at x,y
Please note that this is just a wrapper function for set_bkg_submap_attributes_nes16x16() and divides the coordinates and dimensions by 2 to achieve this. It is intended to make code more portable by using the same coordinate system that systems with the much more common 8x8 attribute resolution would use.

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate
a	tile attributes

20.67.4.44 get_bkg_tile_xy() `uint8_t get_bkg_tile_xy (`

```
            uint8_t x,
            uint8_t y )
```

Get single tile t on background layer at x,y

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate

Returns

returns tile index

Get single tile t on background layer at x,y

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate

Returns

returns tile index

Note

In general **avoid reading from VRAM** since that memory is not accessible at all times. It is also not supported by GBDK on the NES platform. See coding guidelines for more details.

20.67.4.45 move_bkg() `void move_bkg (`

```
            uint8_t x,
            uint8_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves the Background Layer to the position specified in **x** and **y** in pixels.

Parameters

x	X axis screen coordinate for Left edge of the Background
y	Y axis screen coordinate for Top edge of the Background

0,0 is the top left corner of the GB screen. The Background Layer wraps around the screen, so when part of it goes off the screen it appears on the opposite side (factoring in the larger size of the Background Layer versus the screen size).
The background layer is always under the Window Layer.

See also

SHOW_BKG, HIDE_BKG

20.67.4.46 scroll_bkg()

```
void scroll_bkg (
    int8_t x,
    int8_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves the Background relative to it's current position.

Parameters

x	Number of pixels to move the Background on the **X axis** Range: -128 - 127
y	Number of pixels to move the Background on the **Y axis** Range: -128 - 127

See also

move_bkg

20.67.4.47 set_sprite_data()

```
void set_sprite_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    const uint8_t * data )
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for Sprites
Writes **nb_tiles** tiles to VRAM starting at **first_tile**, tile data is sourced from **data**. Each Tile is 16 bytes in size (8x8 pixels, 2 bits-per-pixel).
Note: Sprite Tiles 128-255 share the same memory region as Background Tiles 128-255.
GBC only: VBK_REG determines which bank of tile patterns are written to.

- VBK_REG=0 indicates the first bank
- VBK_REG=1 indicates the second

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for Sprites

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to (2 bpp) source Tile Pattern data

Writes **nb_tiles** tiles to VRAM starting at **first_tile**, tile data is sourced from **data**. Each Tile is 16 bytes in size (8x8 pixels, 2 bits-per-pixel).

Note

Sprite Tiles 128-255 share the same memory region as Background Tiles 128-255.

GBC only: VBK_REG determines which bank of tile patterns are written to.

- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_0 indicates the first bank

- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_1 indicates the second

20.67.4.48 set_sprite_1bpp_data()

```
void set_sprite_1bpp_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    const uint8_t * data )
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for Sprites using 1bpp source data
Similar to set_sprite_data, except source data is 1 bit-per-pixel which gets expanded into 2 bits-per-pixel.
For a given bit that represent a pixel:

- 0 will be expanded into color 0
- 1 will be expanded into color 3

See also

SHOW_SPRITES, HIDE_SPRITES, set_sprite_tile

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for Sprites using 1bpp source data

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to (1bpp) source Tile Pattern data

Similar to set_sprite_data, except source data is 1 bit-per-pixel which gets expanded into 2 bits-per-pixel.
For a given bit that represent a pixel:

- 0 will be expanded into the Background color
- 1 will be expanded into the Foreground color

See set_1bpp_colors for details about setting the Foreground and Background colors.

See also

SHOW_SPRITES, HIDE_SPRITES, set_sprite_tile

set_bkg_1bpp_data, set_win_1bpp_data

20.67.4.49 SET_SHADOW_OAM_ADDRESS()

```
void SET_SHADOW_OAM_ADDRESS (
    void * address )  [inline]
```

Enable OAM DMA copy each VBlank and set it to transfer any 256-byte aligned array

20.67.4.50 set_sprite_tile()

```
void set_sprite_tile (
    uint8_t nb,
    uint8_t tile )  [inline]
```

Sets sprite number **nb__in the OAM to display tile number __tile**.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 63
tile	Selects a tile (0 - 255) from PPU memory at 0000h - 0FFFh / 1000h - 1FFFh

In 8x16 mode:

- The sprite will also display the next tile (**tile** + 1) directly below (y + 8) the first tile.
- The lower bit of the tile number is ignored: the upper 8x8 tile is (**tile** & 0xFE), and the lower 8x8 tile is (**tile** | 0x01).
- See: SPRITES_8x16

Sets sprite number **nb__in the OAM to display tile number __tile**.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
tile	Selects a tile (0 - 255) from memory at 8000h - 8FFFh In CGB Mode this could be either in VRAM Bank 0 or 1, depending on Bit 3 of the OAM Attribute Flag (see set_sprite_prop)

In 8x16 mode:

- The sprite will also display the next tile (**tile** + 1) directly below (y + 8) the first tile.
- The lower bit of the tile number is ignored: the upper 8x8 tile is (**tile** & 0xFE), and the lower 8x8 tile is (**tile** | 0x01).
- See: SPRITES_8x16

20.67.4.51 get_sprite_tile() `uint8_t get_sprite_tile ( uint8_t nb ) [inline]`

Returns the tile number of sprite number **nb** in the OAM.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 63

See also

set_sprite_tile for more details

Returns the tile number of sprite number **nb** in the OAM.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39

See also

set_sprite_tile for more details

20.67.4.52 set_sprite_prop() `void set_sprite_prop ( uint8_t nb, uint8_t prop ) [inline]`

Sets the OAM Property Flags of sprite number **nb** to those defined in **prop**.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
prop	Property setting (see bitfield description)

The bits in **prop** represent:

- Bit 7 - Vertical flip. Dictates which way up the sprite is drawn vertically.
  0: normal
  1: upside down
- Bit 6 - Horizontal flip. Dictates which way up the sprite is drawn horizontally.
  0: normal
  1: back to front
- Bit 5 - Priority flag. When this is set, the sprites appear behind the background and window layer.
  0: infront
  1: behind
- Bit 4 - Unimplemented
- Bit 3 - Unimplemented
- Bit 2 - Unimplemented
- Bit 1 - See bit 0.
- Bit 0 - Bits 0-1 indicate which color palette the sprite should use. Note: only palettes 4 to 7 will be available for NES sprites.

It's recommended to use GBDK constants (eg: S_FLIPY) to configure sprite properties as these are crossplatform.

```
// Load palette data into the first palette
set_sprite_palette(4, 1, exampleSprite_palettes)
// Set the OAM value for the sprite
// These flags tell the sprite to use the first sprite palette (palette 4) and to flip the sprite both
      vertically and horizontally.
set_sprite_prop(0, S_FLIPY | S_FLIPX);
```

See also

S_PALETTE, S_FLIPX, S_FLIPY, S_PRIORITY

Sets the OAM Property Flags of sprite number **nb** to those defined in **prop**.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
prop	Property setting (see bitfield description)

The bits in **prop** represent:

- Bit 7 - Priority flag. When this is set the sprites appear behind the background and window layer.
  0: infront
  1: behind
- Bit 6 - Vertical flip. Dictates which way up the sprite is drawn vertically.
  0: normal
  1:upside down
- Bit 5 - Horizontal flip. Dictates which way up the sprite is drawn horizontally.
  0: normal
  1:back to front
- Bit 4 - DMG/Non-CGB Mode Only. Assigns either one of the two b/w palettes to the sprite.
  0: OBJ palette 0
  1: OBJ palette 1
- Bit 3 - GBC only. Dictates from which bank of Sprite Tile Patterns the tile is taken.
  0: Bank 0
  1: Bank 1

- Bit 2 - See bit 0.
- Bit 1 - See bit 0.
- Bit 0 - GBC only. Bits 0-2 indicate which of the 7 OBJ colour palettes the sprite is assigned.

It's recommended to use GBDK constants (eg: S_FLIPY) to configure sprite properties as these are crossplatform.

```
// Load palette data into the first palette
set_sprite_palette(4, 1, exampleSprite_palettes)
// Set the OAM value for the sprite
// These flags tell the sprite to flip both vertically and horizontally.
set_sprite_prop(0, S_FLIPY | S_FLIPX);
```

See also

S_PALETTE, S_FLIPX, S_FLIPY, S_PRIORITY

Function has no affect on sms.
This function is only here to enable game portability

20.67.4.53 get_sprite_prop() `uint8_t get_sprite_prop ( uint8_t nb ) [inline]`

Returns the OAM Property Flags of sprite number **nb**.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39

See also

set_sprite_prop for property bitfield settings

20.67.4.54 move_sprite() `void move_sprite ( uint8_t nb, uint8_t x, uint8_t y ) [inline]`

Moves sprite number **nb** to the **x**, **y** position on the screen.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 63
x	X Position. Specifies the sprites horizontal position on the screen (minus 8).
y	Y Position. Specifies the sprites vertical position on the screen (minus 16). An offscreen value (Y>=240) hides the sprite.

Moving the sprite to 0,0 (or similar off-screen location) will hide it.
Moves sprite number **nb** to the **x**, **y** position on the screen.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
x	X Position. Specifies the sprites horizontal position on the screen (minus 8). An offscreen value (X=0 or X>=168) hides the sprite, but the sprite still affects the priority ordering - a better way to hide a sprite is to set its Y-coordinate offscreen.
y	Y Position. Specifies the sprites vertical position on the screen (minus 16). An offscreen value (for example, Y=0 or Y>=160) hides the sprite.

Moving the sprite to 0,0 (or similar off-screen location) will hide it.

20.67.4.55 scroll_sprite()

```
void scroll_sprite (
    uint8_t nb,
    int8_t x,
    int8_t y ) [inline]
```

Moves sprite number **nb** relative to its current position.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 63
x	Number of pixels to move the sprite on the **X axis** Range: -128 - 127
y	Number of pixels to move the sprite on the **Y axis** Range: -128 - 127

See also

move_sprite for more details about the X and Y position

Moves sprite number **nb** relative to its current position.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
x	Number of pixels to move the sprite on the **X axis** Range: -128 - 127
y	Number of pixels to move the sprite on the **Y axis** Range: -128 - 127

See also

move_sprite for more details about the X and Y position

20.67.4.56 hide_sprite()

```
void hide_sprite (
    uint8_t nb ) [inline]
```

Hides sprite number **nb** by moving it to Y position 240.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 63

Hides sprite number **nb** by moving it to zero position by Y.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39

See also

hide_sprites_range, HIDE_SPRITES

Hides sprite number **nb** by moving it to zero position by Y.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39

20.67.4.57 set_data()

```
void set_data (
    uint8_t * vram_addr,
    const uint8_t * data,
    uint16_t len )
```

Copies arbitrary data to an address in VRAM without taking into account the state of LCDC bits 3 or 4.
Copies **len** bytes from a buffer at **data** to VRAM starting at **vram_addr**.

See also

set_bkg_data, set_win_data, set_bkg_tiles, set_win_tiles, set_tile_data, set_tiles

20.67.4.58 set_tiles()

```
void set_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    uint8_t * vram_addr,
    const uint8_t * tiles )
```

Sets a rectangular region of Tile Map entries at a given VRAM Address.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 32
vram_addr	Pointer to destination VRAM Address
tiles	Pointer to source Tile Map data

Entries are copied from **tiles** to Tile Map at address vram_addr starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles.
One byte per source tile map entry.
There are two 32x30 Tile Maps in VRAM at addresses 2000h-23FFh and 2400h-27FFh.

See also

set_bkg_tiles

20.67.4.59 set_tile_data()

```
void set_tile_data (
    uint16_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    const uint8_t * data ) [inline]
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data starting from given base address without taking into account the state of PPUMASK.

See also

set_bkg_data, set_data

20.67.4.60 set_bkg_native_data()

```
void set_bkg_native_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    const uint8_t * data ) [inline]
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for the Background in the native format

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to source tile data

Writes **nb_tiles** tiles to VRAM starting at **first_tile**, tile data is sourced from **data**.

See also

set_tile_data

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for the Background / Window in the native format

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to source tile data

Writes **nb_tiles** tiles to VRAM starting at **first_tile**, tile data is sourced from **data**.
GBC only: VBK_REG determines which bank of tile patterns are written to.

- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_0 indicates the first bank
- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_1 indicates the second

See also

set_win_data, set_tile_data

20.67.4.61 set_sprite_native_data()

```
void set_sprite_native_data (
    uint8_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    const uint8_t * data ) [inline]
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for Sprites in the native format

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to source tile data

Writes **nb_tiles** tiles to VRAM starting at **first_tile**, tile data is sourced from **data**.
Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data for Sprites in the native format

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to source tile data

Writes **nb_tiles** tiles to VRAM starting at **first_tile**, tile data is sourced from **data**.
GBC only: VBK_REG determines which bank of tile patterns are written to.

- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_0 indicates the first bank

- VBK_REG = VBK_BANK_1 indicates the second

20.67.4.62 set_native_tile_data()

```
void set_native_tile_data (
    uint16_t first_tile,
    uint8_t nb_tiles,
    const uint8_t * data )  [inline]
```

Sets VRAM Tile Pattern data in the native format

Parameters

first_tile	Index of the first tile to write (0 - 511)
nb_tiles	Number of tiles to write
data	Pointer to source Tile Pattern data.

When `first_tile` is larger than 256 on the GB/AP, it will write to sprite data instead of background data.
The bit depth of the source Tile Pattern data depends on which console is being used:

- NES: loads 2bpp tiles data

20.67.4.63 init_bkg()

```
void init_bkg (
    uint8_t c )
```

Initializes the entire Background Tile Map with Tile Number **c**

Parameters

c	Tile number to fill with

Note: This function avoids writes during modes 2 & 3
Initializes the entire Background Tile Map with Tile Number **c**

Parameters

c	Tile number to fill with

Note

This function avoids writes during modes 2 & 3

20.67.4.64 vmemset()

```
void vmemset (
    void * s,
    uint8_t c,
    size_t n )
```

Fills the VRAM memory region **s** of size **n** with Tile Number **c**

Parameters

s	Start address in VRAM
c	Tile number to fill with
n	Size of memory region (in bytes) to fill

Note: This function avoids writes during modes 2 & 3

Fills the VRAM memory region **s** of size **n** with Tile Number **c**

Parameters

s	Start address in VRAM
c	Tile number to fill with
n	Size of memory region (in bytes) to fill

Note

This function avoids writes during modes 2 & 3

20.67.4.65 fill_bkg_rect()

```
void fill_bkg_rect (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    uint8_t tile )
```

Fills a rectangular region of Tile Map entries for the Background layer with tile.

Parameters

x	X Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
y	Y Start position in Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 31
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 0 - 31
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 0 - 31
tile	Fill value

20.67.4.66 flush_shadow_attributes()

```
void flush_shadow_attributes (
    void )
```

"Flushes" the updates to the shadow attributes so they are written to the transfer buffer, and then written to PPU memory on next vblank.
This function must be called to see visible changes to attributes on the NES target. But it will automatically be called by vsync(), so the use-cases for calling it manually are rare in practice.

20.67.4.67 _switch_prg0()

```
uint8_t _switch_prg0 (
    uint8_t bank )
```

20.67.5 Variable Documentation

20.67.5.1 _SYSTEM

```
const uint8_t _SYSTEM [extern]
```

20.67.5.2 sys_time

```
volatile uint16_t sys_time [extern]
```

Global Time Counter in VBL periods (60Hz)
Increments once per Frame
Will wrap around every ~18 minutes (unsigned 16 bits = 65535 / 60 / 60 = 18.2)

20.67.5.3 _current_bank volatile uint8_t _current_bank [extern]

Tracks current active ROM bank
The active bank number is not tracked by _current_bank when SWITCH_ROM_MBC5_8M is used.
This variable is updated automatically when you call SWITCH_ROM_MBC1 or SWITCH_ROM_MBC5, SWITCH_ROM(), or call a BANKED function.

See also

SWITCH_ROM_MBC1(), SWITCH_ROM_MBC5(), SWITCH_ROM()

Tracks current active ROM bank
In most cases the CURRENT_BANK macro for this variable is recommended for use instead of the variable itself.
The active bank number is not tracked by _current_bank when SWITCH_ROM_MBC5_8M is used.
This variable is updated automatically when you call SWITCH_ROM_MBC1 or SWITCH_ROM_MBC5, SWITCH_ROM(), or call a BANKED function.

See also

SWITCH_ROM_MBC1(), SWITCH_ROM_MBC5(), SWITCH_ROM()

20.67.5.4 _current_1bpp_colors uint16_t _current_1bpp_colors [extern]

20.67.5.5 _map_tile_offset uint8_t _map_tile_offset [extern]

20.67.5.6 _submap_tile_offset uint8_t _submap_tile_offset [extern]

20.67.5.7 shadow_OAM volatile struct OAM_item_t shadow_OAM[] [extern]

Shadow OAM array in WRAM, that is DMA-transferred into the real OAM each VBlank

20.67.5.8 _shadow_OAM_base uint8_t _shadow_OAM_base [extern]

MSB of shadow_OAM address is used by OAM DMA copying routine

20.68 gbdk-lib/include/nes/rgb_to_nes_macro.h File Reference

Macros

- #define RGB_TO_NES(c)

20.68.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.68.1.1 RGB_TO_NES #define RGB_TO_NES(c)

20.69 gbdk-lib/include/rand.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Macros

- #define RAND_MAX 255
- #define RANDW_MAX 65535

Functions

- void initrand (uint16_t seed) OLDCALL
- uint8_t rand (void) OLDCALL
- uint16_t randw (void) OLDCALL
- void initarand (uint16_t seed) OLDCALL
- uint8_t arand (void) OLDCALL

Variables

- uint16_t __rand_seed

20.69.1 Detailed Description

Random generator using the linear congruential method

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20.69.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.69.2.1 RAND_MAX `#define RAND_MAX 255`

20.69.2.2 RANDW_MAX `#define RANDW_MAX 65535`

20.69.3 Function Documentation

20.69.3.1 initrand() `void initrand ( uint16_t seed )`

Initalise the pseudo-random number generator.

Parameters

seed	The value for initializing the random number generator.

The seed should be different each time, otherwise the same pseudo-random sequence will be generated.
One way to do this is sampling (DIV_REG) up to 2 times (high byte of seed value then the low byte) at variable, non-deterministic points in time (such as when the player presses buttons on the title screen or in a menu).
It only needs to be called once to be initialized.

See also

rand(), randw()

20.69.3.2 rand() `uint8_t rand ( void )`

Returns a random byte (8 bit) value.
initrand() should be used to initialize the random number generator before using rand()

20.69.3.3 randw() `uint16_t randw ( void )`

Returns a random word (16 bit) value.
initrand() should be used to initialize the random number generator before using rand()

20.69.3.4 initarand() `void initarand ( uint16_t seed )`

Random generator using the linear lagged additive method

Parameters

seed	The value for initializing the random number generator.

Note: initarand() calls initrand() with the same seed value, and uses rand() to initialize the random generator.

See also

initrand() for suggestions about seed values, arand()

20.69.3.5 arand() `uint8_t arand ( void )`

Returns a random number generated with the linear lagged additive method.
initarand() should be used to initialize the random number generator before using arand()

20.69.4 Variable Documentation

20.69.4.1 __rand_seed `uint16_t __rand_seed [extern]`

The random number seed is stored in __rand_seed and can be saved and restored if needed.

```
// Save
some_uint16 = __rand_seed;
...
// Restore
__rand_seed = some_uint16;
```

20.70 gbdk-lib/include/setjmp.h File Reference

Macros

- #define SP_SIZE 1
- #define BP_SIZE 0
- #define SPX_SIZE 0
- #define BPX_SIZE SPX_SIZE
- #define RET_SIZE 2
- #define setjmp(jump_buf) __setjmp(jump_buf)

Typedefs

- typedef unsigned char jmp_buf[RET_SIZE+SP_SIZE+BP_SIZE+SPX_SIZE+BPX_SIZE]

Functions

- int __setjmp (jmp_buf) OLDCALL
- _Noreturn void longjmp (jmp_buf, int) OLDCALL

20.70.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.70.1.1 SP_SIZE #define SP_SIZE 1

20.70.1.2 BP_SIZE #define BP_SIZE 0

20.70.1.3 SPX_SIZE #define SPX_SIZE 0

20.70.1.4 BPX_SIZE #define BPX_SIZE SPX_SIZE

20.70.1.5 RET_SIZE #define RET_SIZE 2

20.70.1.6 setjmp #define setjmp(
jump_buf) __setjmp(jump_buf)

20.70.2 Typedef Documentation

20.70.2.1 jmp_buf typedef unsigned char jmp_buf[RET_SIZE+SP_SIZE+BP_SIZE+SPX_SIZE+BPX_SIZE]

20.70.3 Function Documentation

20.70.3.1 __setjmp() int __setjmp (
jmp_buf)

20.70.3.2 longjmp() _Noreturn void longjmp (
jmp_buf ,
int)

20.71 gbdk-lib/include/sms/sms.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
#include <gbdk/version.h>
#include <sms/hardware.h>
```

Data Structures

- struct joypads_t

Macros

- #define SEGA
- #define SYSTEM_60HZ 0x00
- #define SYSTEM_50HZ 0x01
- #define VBK_REG VDP_ATTR_SHIFT
- #define J_UP 0b00000001
- #define J_DOWN 0b00000010

- #define J_LEFT 0b00000100
- #define J_RIGHT 0b00001000
- #define J_B 0b00010000
- #define J_A 0b00100000
- #define J_START 0b01000000
- #define J_SELECT 0b10000000
- #define M_TEXT_OUT 0x02U
- #define M_TEXT_INOUT 0x03U
- #define M_NO_SCROLL 0x04U
- #define M_NO_INTERP 0x08U
- #define S_BANK 0x01U
- #define S_FLIPX 0x02U
- #define S_FLIPY 0x04U
- #define S_PALETTE 0x08U
- #define S_PRIORITY 0x10U
- #define S_PAL(n) (((n) & 0x01U) << 3)
- #define __WRITE_VDP_REG_UNSAFE(REG, v) shadow_##REG=(v),VDP_CMD=(shadow_##REG),VDP↩_CMD=REG
- #define __WRITE_VDP_REG(REG, v) shadow_##REG=(v);__asm__("di");VDP_CMD=(shadow_↩##REG);VDP_CMD=REG;__asm__("ei")
- #define __READ_VDP_REG(REG) shadow_##REG
- #define EMPTY_IFLAG 0x00U
- #define VBL_IFLAG 0x01U
- #define LCD_IFLAG 0x02U
- #define TIM_IFLAG 0x04U
- #define SIO_IFLAG 0x08U
- #define JOY_IFLAG 0x10U
- #define SCREENWIDTH DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH
- #define SCREENHEIGHT DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT
- #define MINWNDPOSX 0x00U
- #define MINWNDPOSY 0x00U
- #define MAXWNDPOSX 0x00U
- #define MAXWNDPOSY 0x00U
- #define DISPLAY_ON __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R1, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R1) |= R1_DISP_ON)
- #define DISPLAY_OFF display_off();
- #define HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R0, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R0) |= R0_LCB)
- #define SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R0, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R0) &= (∼R0_LCB))
- #define SET_BORDER_COLOR(C) __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R7, ((C) | 0xf0u))
- #define SHOW_BKG
- #define HIDE_BKG
- #define SHOW_WIN
- #define HIDE_WIN
- #define SHOW_SPRITES (_sprites_OFF = 0)
- #define HIDE_SPRITES (_sprites_OFF = 1)
- #define SPRITES_8x16 __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R1, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R1) |= R1_SPR_8X16)
- #define SPRITES_8x8 __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R1, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R1) &= (∼R1_SPR_8X16))
- #define DEVICE_SUPPORTS_COLOR (TRUE)
- #define DIV_REG get_r_reg()
- #define _current_bank MAP_FRAME1
- #define CURRENT_BANK MAP_FRAME1
- #define BANK(VARNAME) ((uint8_t) & __bank_ ## VARNAME)
- #define BANKREF(VARNAME)
- #define BANKREF_EXTERN(VARNAME) extern const void __bank_ ## VARNAME;
- #define SWITCH_ROM(b) MAP_FRAME1=(b)

- #define SWITCH_ROM1 SWITCH_ROM
- #define SWITCH_ROM2(b) MAP_FRAME2=(b)
- #define SWITCH_RAM(b) RAM_CONTROL=((b)&1)?RAM_CONTROL|RAMCTL_BANK:RAM_CONTROL&(~RAMCTL_BANK
- #define ENABLE_RAM RAM_CONTROL|=RAMCTL_RAM
- #define DISABLE_RAM RAM_CONTROL&=(~RAMCTL_RAM)
- #define set_bkg_palette_entry set_palette_entry
- #define set_sprite_palette_entry(palette, entry, rgb_data) set_palette_entry(1,entry,rgb_data)
- #define set_bkg_palette set_palette
- #define set_sprite_palette(first_palette, nb_palettes, rgb_data) set_palette(1,1,rgb_data)
- #define COMPAT_PALETTE(C0, C1, C2, C3) (((uint16_t)(C3) << 12) | ((uint16_t)(C2) << 8) | ((uint16_t)(C1) << 4) | (uint16_t)(C0))
- #define set_bkg_tiles set_tile_map_compat
- #define set_win_tiles set_tile_map_compat
- #define fill_bkg_rect fill_rect_compat
- #define fill_win_rect fill_rect_compat
- #define DISABLE_VBL_TRANSFER _shadow_OAM_base = 0
- #define ENABLE_VBL_TRANSFER _shadow_OAM_base = (uint8_t)((uint16_t)&shadow_OAM >> 8)
- #define MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES 64
- #define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_X 0
- #define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_Y 0
- #define set_bkg_tile_xy set_tile_xy
- #define set_win_tile_xy set_tile_xy
- #define set_bkg_attribute_xy set_attribute_xy
- #define set_win_attribute_xy set_attribute_xy
- #define get_win_xy_addr get_bkg_xy_addr

Typedefs

- typedef void(* int_handler) (void) NONBANKED

Functions

- void WRITE_VDP_CMD (uint16_t cmd) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void WRITE_VDP_DATA (uint16_t data) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void mode (uint8_t m) OLDCALL
- uint8_t get_mode (void) OLDCALL
- uint8_t get_system (void)
- void set_interrupts (uint8_t flags) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- void remove_VBL (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void remove_LCD (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void remove_TIM (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- void remove_SIO (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- void remove_JOY (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- void add_VBL (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(d
- void add_LCD (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void add_TIM (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- void add_SIO (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- void add_JOY (int_handler h) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- uint8_t cancel_pending_interrupts (void)
- void move_bkg (uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- void scroll_bkg (int8_t x, int8_t y)
- void vsync (void) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void wait_vbl_done (void) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void display_off (void)
- void refresh_OAM (void)

- uint8_t get_r_reg (void) PRESERVES_REGS(b
- void delay (uint16_t d) Z88DK_FASTCALL
- uint8_t joypad (void) OLDCALL PRESERVES_REGS(b
- uint8_t waitpad (uint8_t mask) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(d
- void waitpadup (void) PRESERVES_REGS(d
- uint8_t joypad_init (uint8_t npads, joypads_t *joypads) Z88DK_CALLEE
- void joypad_ex (joypads_t *joypads) Z88DK_FASTCALL PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void enable_interrupts (void) PRESERVES_REGS(a
- void disable_interrupts (void) PRESERVES_REGS(a
- void set_default_palette (void)
- void cgb_compatibility (void)
- void cpu_fast (void)
- void set_palette_entry (uint8_t palette, uint8_t entry, uint16_t rgb_data) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_palette (uint8_t first_palette, uint8_t nb_palettes, const palette_color_t *rgb_data) Z88DK_CALLEE
- void set_native_tile_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src) PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_bkg_4bpp_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src) PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_bkg_native_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src) PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_sprite_4bpp_data (uint8_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src) PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_sprite_native_data (uint8_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src) PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_2bpp_palette (uint16_t palette)
- void set_tile_2bpp_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src, uint16_t palette) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_bkg_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src)
- void set_sprite_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src)
- void set_bkg_2bpp_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src)
- void set_sprite_2bpp_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src)
- void set_1bpp_colors (uint8_t fgcolor, uint8_t bgcolor)
- void set_tile_1bpp_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src, uint16_t colors) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_bkg_1bpp_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src)
- void set_sprite_1bpp_data (uint16_t start, uint16_t ntiles, const void *src)
- void set_data (uint16_t dst, const void *src, uint16_t size) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void vmemcpy (uint16_t dst, const void *src, uint16_t size) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- void set_tile_map (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles) Z88DK_CALLEE
- void set_tile_map_compat (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles) Z88DK_CALLEE
- void set_bkg_based_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles, uint8_t base_tile)
- void set_win_based_tiles (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles, uint8_t base_tile)
- void set_bkg_attributes (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *tiles)
- void set_tile_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, uint8_t map_w, const uint8_t *map) Z88DK_CALLEE
- void set_tile_submap_compat (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, uint8_t map_w, const uint8_t *map) Z88DK_CALLEE
- void set_bkg_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w)
- void set_win_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w)
- void set_bkg_based_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w, uint8_t base_tile)
- void set_win_based_submap (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w, uint8_t base_tile)
- void set_bkg_submap_attributes (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint8_t *map, uint8_t map_w)
- void fill_rect (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint16_t tile) Z88DK_CALLEE
- void fill_rect_compat (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t w, uint8_t h, const uint16_t tile) Z88DK_CALLEE
- void SET_SHADOW_OAM_ADDRESS (void *address)
- void set_sprite_tile (uint8_t nb, uint8_t tile)
- uint8_t get_sprite_tile (uint8_t nb)
- void set_sprite_prop (uint8_t nb, uint8_t prop)

- uint8_t get_sprite_prop (uint8_t nb)
- void move_sprite (uint8_t nb, uint8_t x, uint8_t y)
- void scroll_sprite (uint8_t nb, int8_t x, int8_t y)
- void hide_sprite (uint8_t nb)
- void set_vram_byte (uint8_t *addr, uint8_t v) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- uint8_t * set_attributed_tile_xy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint16_t t) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- uint8_t * set_tile_xy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t t) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- uint8_t * set_attribute_xy (uint8_t x, uint8_t y, uint8_t a) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh
- uint8_t * get_bkg_xy_addr (uint8_t x, uint8_t y) Z88DK_CALLEE PRESERVES_REGS(iyh

Variables

- const UBYTE _BIOS
- const uint8_t _SYSTEM
- void c
- void d
- void e
- void iyh
- void iyl
- void h
- void l
- volatile uint16_t sys_time
- void b
- uint16_t _current_2bpp_palette
- uint16_t _current_1bpp_colors
- uint8_t _map_tile_offset
- uint8_t _submap_tile_offset
- volatile uint8_t shadow_OAM [ ]
- volatile uint8_t _shadow_OAM_base
- volatile uint8_t _shadow_OAM_OFF
- volatile uint8_t _sprites_OFF

20.71.1 Detailed Description

SMS/GG specific functions.

20.71.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.71.2.1 SEGA `#define SEGA`

20.71.2.2 SYSTEM_60HZ `#define SYSTEM_60HZ 0x00`

20.71.2.3 SYSTEM_50HZ `#define SYSTEM_50HZ 0x01`

20.71.2.4 VBK_REG `#define VBK_REG VDP_ATTR_SHIFT`

20.71.2.5 J_UP `#define J_UP 0b00000001`

Joypad bits. A logical OR of these is used in the wait_pad and joypad functions. For example, to see if the B button is pressed try
uint8_t keys; keys = joypad(); if (keys & J_B) { ... }

See also

joypad

20.71.2.6 J_DOWN `#define J_DOWN 0b00000010`

20.71.2.7 J_LEFT `#define J_LEFT 0b00000100`

20.71.2.8 J_RIGHT `#define J_RIGHT 0b00001000`

20.71.2.9 J_B `#define J_B 0b00010000`

20.71.2.10 J_A `#define J_A 0b00100000`

20.71.2.11 J_START `#define J_START 0b01000000`

20.71.2.12 J_SELECT `#define J_SELECT 0b10000000`

20.71.2.13 M_TEXT_OUT `#define M_TEXT_OUT 0x02U`

Screen modes. Normally used by internal functions only.

See also

mode()

20.71.2.14 M_TEXT_INOUT `#define M_TEXT_INOUT 0x03U`

20.71.2.15 M_NO_SCROLL `#define M_NO_SCROLL 0x04U`

Set this in addition to the others to disable scrolling
If scrolling is disabled, the cursor returns to (0,0)

See also

mode()

20.71.2.16 M_NO_INTERP `#define M_NO_INTERP 0x08U`

Set this to disable interpretation

See also

mode()

20.71.2.17 S_BANK `#define S_BANK 0x01U`

The nineth bit of the tile id

20.71.2.18 S_FLIPX `#define S_FLIPX 0x02U`

If set the background tile will be flipped horizontally.

20.71.2.19 S_FLIPY `#define S_FLIPY 0x04U`

If set the background tile will be flipped vertically.

20.71.2.20 S_PALETTE `#define S_PALETTE 0x08U`

If set the background tile palette.

20.71.2.21 S_PRIORITY `#define S_PRIORITY 0x10U`

If set the background tile priority.

20.71.2.22 S_PAL `#define S_PAL(`

```
n ) (((n) & 0x01U) << 3)
```

Dummy function used by other platforms. Required for the png2asset tool's metasprite output.

20.71.2.23 __WRITE_VDP_REG_UNSAFE `#define __WRITE_VDP_REG_UNSAFE(`

```
REG,
v ) shadow_##REG=(v),VDP_CMD=(shadow_##REG),VDP_CMD=REG
```

20.71.2.24 __WRITE_VDP_REG `#define __WRITE_VDP_REG(`

```
REG,
v ) shadow_##REG=(v);__asm__("di");VDP_CMD=(shadow_##REG);VDP_CMD=REG;__asm__↩
("ei")
```

20.71.2.25 __READ_VDP_REG `#define __READ_VDP_REG(`

```
REG ) shadow_##REG
```

20.71.2.26 EMPTY_IFLAG `#define EMPTY_IFLAG 0x00U`

Disable calling of interrupt service routines

20.71.2.27 VBL_IFLAG `#define VBL_IFLAG 0x01U`

VBlank Interrupt occurs at the start of the vertical blank.
During this period the video ram may be freely accessed.

See also

set_interrupts(),

add_VBL

20.71.2.28 LCD_IFLAG `#define LCD_IFLAG 0x02U`

LCD Interrupt when triggered by the STAT register.

See also

set_interrupts(),

add_LCD

20.71.2.29 TIM_IFLAG `#define TIM_IFLAG 0x04U`
Does nothing on SMS/GG

20.71.2.30 SIO_IFLAG `#define SIO_IFLAG 0x08U`
Does nothing on SMS/GG

20.71.2.31 JOY_IFLAG `#define JOY_IFLAG 0x10U`
Does nothing on SMS/GG

20.71.2.32 SCREENWIDTH `#define SCREENWIDTH DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_WIDTH`
Width of the visible screen in pixels.

20.71.2.33 SCREENHEIGHT `#define SCREENHEIGHT DEVICE_SCREEN_PX_HEIGHT`
Height of the visible screen in pixels.

20.71.2.34 MINWNDPOSX `#define MINWNDPOSX 0x00U`
The Minimum X position of the Window Layer (Left edge of screen)

See also

move_win()

20.71.2.35 MINWNDPOSY `#define MINWNDPOSY 0x00U`
The Minimum Y position of the Window Layer (Top edge of screen)

See also

move_win()

20.71.2.36 MAXWNDPOSX `#define MAXWNDPOSX 0x00U`
The Maximum X position of the Window Layer (Right edge of screen)

See also

move_win()

20.71.2.37 MAXWNDPOSY `#define MAXWNDPOSY 0x00U`
The Maximum Y position of the Window Layer (Bottom edge of screen)

See also

move_win()

20.71.2.38 DISPLAY_ON `#define DISPLAY_ON __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R1, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R1) |= R1_DISP_ON)`
Turns the display back on.

See also

display_off, DISPLAY_OFF

20.71.2.39 DISPLAY_OFF `#define DISPLAY_OFF display_off();`

Turns the display off immediately.

See also

display_off, DISPLAY_ON

20.71.2.40 HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN `#define HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R0, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R0) |= R0_LCB)`

Blanks leftmost column, so it is not garbaged when you use horizontal scroll

See also

SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN

20.71.2.41 SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN `#define SHOW_LEFT_COLUMN __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R0, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R0) &= (~R0_LCB))`

Shows leftmost column

See also

HIDE_LEFT_COLUMN

20.71.2.42 SET_BORDER_COLOR `#define SET_BORDER_COLOR( C ) __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R7, ((C) | 0xf0u))`

Sets border color

20.71.2.43 SHOW_BKG `#define SHOW_BKG`

Turns on the background layer. Not yet implemented

20.71.2.44 HIDE_BKG `#define HIDE_BKG`

Turns off the background layer. Not yet implemented

20.71.2.45 SHOW_WIN `#define SHOW_WIN`

Turns on the window layer Not yet implemented

20.71.2.46 HIDE_WIN `#define HIDE_WIN`

Turns off the window layer. Not yet implemented

20.71.2.47 SHOW_SPRITES `#define SHOW_SPRITES (_sprites_OFF = 0)`

Turns on the sprites layer.

20.71.2.48 HIDE_SPRITES `#define HIDE_SPRITES (_sprites_OFF = 1)`

Turns off the sprites layer.

20.71.2.49 SPRITES_8x16 `#define SPRITES_8x16 __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R1, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R1) |= R1_SPR_8X16)`

Sets sprite size to 8x16 pixels, two tiles one above the other.

20.71.2.50 SPRITES_8x8 `#define SPRITES_8x8 __WRITE_VDP_REG(VDP_R1, __READ_VDP_REG(VDP_R1) &= (~R1_SPR_8X16))`

Sets sprite size to 8x8 pixels, one tile.

20.71.2.51 DEVICE_SUPPORTS_COLOR `#define DEVICE_SUPPORTS_COLOR (TRUE)`

Macro returns TRUE if device supports color (it always does on SMS/GG)

20.71.2.52 DIV_REG `#define DIV_REG get_r_reg()`

20.71.2.53 _current_bank `#define _current_bank MAP_FRAME1`

Tracks current active ROM bank in frame 1

20.71.2.54 CURRENT_BANK `#define CURRENT_BANK MAP_FRAME1`

20.71.2.55 BANK `#define BANK( VARNAME ) ( (uint8_t) & __bank_ ## VARNAME )`

Obtains the **bank number** of VARNAME

Parameters

VARNAME	Name of the variable which has a __bank_VARNAME companion symbol which is adjusted by bankpack

Use this to obtain the bank number from a bank reference created with BANKREF().

See also

BANKREF_EXTERN(), BANKREF()

20.71.2.56 BANKREF `#define BANKREF( VARNAME )`

Value:

```
void __func_ ## VARNAME(void) __banked __naked { \
__asm \
    .local b___func_ ## VARNAME \
    ___bank_ ## VARNAME = b___func_ ## VARNAME \
    .globl ___bank_ ## VARNAME \
__endasm; \
}
```

Creates a reference for retrieving the bank number of a variable or function

Parameters

VARNAME	Variable name to use, which may be an existing identifier

See also

BANK() for obtaining the bank number of the included data.

More than one `BANKREF()` may be created per file, but each call should always use a unique VARNAME.
Use BANKREF_EXTERN() within another source file to make the variable and it's data accesible there.

20.71.2.57 BANKREF_EXTERN `#define BANKREF_EXTERN( VARNAME ) extern const void __bank_ ## VARNAME;`

Creates extern references for accessing a BANKREF() generated variable.

Parameters

VARNAME	Name of the variable used with BANKREF()

This makes a BANKREF() reference in another source file accessible in the current file for use with BANK().

See also

BANKREF(), BANK()

20.71.2.58 SWITCH_ROM #define SWITCH_ROM(

```
b ) MAP_FRAME1=(b)
```

Makes switch the active ROM bank in frame 1

Parameters

b	ROM bank to switch to

20.71.2.59 SWITCH_ROM1 #define SWITCH_ROM1 SWITCH_ROM

20.71.2.60 SWITCH_ROM2 #define SWITCH_ROM2(

```
b ) MAP_FRAME2=(b)
```

Makes switch the active ROM bank in frame 2

Parameters

b	ROM bank to switch to

20.71.2.61 SWITCH_RAM #define SWITCH_RAM(

```
b ) RAM_CONTROL=((b)&1)?RAM_CONTROL|RAMCTL_BANK:RAM_CONTROL&(~RAMCTL_BANK)
```

Switches RAM bank

Parameters

b	SRAM bank to switch to

20.71.2.62 ENABLE_RAM #define ENABLE_RAM RAM_CONTROL|=RAMCTL_RAM

Enables RAM

20.71.2.63 DISABLE_RAM #define DISABLE_RAM RAM_CONTROL&=(~RAMCTL_RAM)

Disables RAM

20.71.2.64 set_bkg_palette_entry #define set_bkg_palette_entry set_palette_entry

20.71.2.65 set_sprite_palette_entry #define set_sprite_palette_entry(

```
palette,
entry,
rgb_data ) set_palette_entry(1,entry,rgb_data)
```

20.71.2.66 set_bkg_palette

```
#define set_bkg_palette set_palette
```

20.71.2.67 set_sprite_palette

```
#define set_sprite_palette(
    first_palette,
    nb_palettes,
    rgb_data ) set_palette(1,1,rgb_data)
```

20.71.2.68 COMPAT_PALETTE

```
#define COMPAT_PALETTE(
    C0,
    C1,
    C2,
    C3 ) (((uint16_t)(C3) << 12) | ((uint16_t)(C2) << 8) | ((uint16_t)(C1) << 4) |
(uint16_t)(C0))
```

20.71.2.69 set_bkg_tiles

```
#define set_bkg_tiles set_tile_map_compat
```

20.71.2.70 set_win_tiles

```
#define set_win_tiles set_tile_map_compat
```

20.71.2.71 fill_bkg_rect

```
#define fill_bkg_rect fill_rect_compat
```

20.71.2.72 fill_win_rect

```
#define fill_win_rect fill_rect_compat
```

20.71.2.73 DISABLE_VBL_TRANSFER

```
#define DISABLE_VBL_TRANSFER  _shadow_OAM_base = 0
```

Disable shadow OAM to VRAM copy on each VBlank

20.71.2.74 ENABLE_VBL_TRANSFER

```
#define ENABLE_VBL_TRANSFER  _shadow_OAM_base = (uint8_t)((uint16_t)&shado
>> 8)
```

Enable shadow OAM to VRAM copy on each VBlank

20.71.2.75 MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES

```
#define MAX_HARDWARE_SPRITES 64
```

Amount of hardware sprites in OAM

20.71.2.76 HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_X

```
#define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_X 0
```

True if sprite hardware can flip sprites by X (horizontally)

20.71.2.77 HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_Y

```
#define HARDWARE_SPRITE_CAN_FLIP_Y 0
```

True if sprite hardware can flip sprites by Y (vertically)

20.71.2.78 set_bkg_tile_xy

```
#define set_bkg_tile_xy set_tile_xy
```

20.71.2.79 set_win_tile_xy

```
#define set_win_tile_xy set_tile_xy
```

20.71.2.80 set_bkg_attribute_xy

```
#define set_bkg_attribute_xy set_attribute_xy
```

20.71.2.81 set_win_attribute_xy `#define set_win_attribute_xy set_attribute_xy`

20.71.2.82 get_win_xy_addr `#define get_win_xy_addr get_bkg_xy_addr`

20.71.3 Typedef Documentation

20.71.3.1 int_handler `typedef void(* int_handler) (void) NONBANKED`

Interrupt handlers

20.71.4 Function Documentation

20.71.4.1 WRITE_VDP_CMD() `void WRITE_VDP_CMD (`

```
uint16_t cmd )
```

20.71.4.2 WRITE_VDP_DATA() `void WRITE_VDP_DATA (`

```
uint16_t data )
```

20.71.4.3 mode() `void mode (`

```
uint8_t m )
```

Set the current screen mode - one of M_∗ modes
Normally used by internal functions only.

See also

M_TEXT_OUT, M_TEXT_INOUT, M_NO_SCROLL, M_NO_INTERP

20.71.4.4 get_mode() `uint8_t get_mode (`

```
void )
```

Returns the current mode

See also

M_TEXT_OUT, M_TEXT_INOUT, M_NO_SCROLL, M_NO_INTERP

Returns the current mode

See also

M_DRAWING, M_TEXT_OUT, M_TEXT_INOUT, M_NO_SCROLL, M_NO_INTERP

20.71.4.5 get_system() `uint8_t get_system (`

```
void ) [inline]
```

Returns the system gbdk is running on.

20.71.4.6 set_interrupts() `void set_interrupts (`

```
uint8_t flags )
```

Clears any pending interrupts and sets the interrupt mask register IO to flags.

Parameters

flags	A logical OR of *_IFLAGS

Note

This disables and then re-enables interrupts so it must be used outside of a critical section.

See also

enable_interrupts(), disable_interrupts()

VBL_IFLAG, LCD_IFLAG, TIM_IFLAG, SIO_IFLAG, JOY_IFLAG

20.71.4.7 remove_VBL() `void remove_VBL (`

`int_handler h )`

Removes the VBL interrupt handler.

See also

add_VBL()

20.71.4.8 remove_LCD() `void remove_LCD (`

`int_handler h )`

Removes the LCD interrupt handler.

See also

add_LCD(), remove_VBL()

20.71.4.9 remove_TIM() `void remove_TIM (`

`int_handler h )`

20.71.4.10 remove_SIO() `void remove_SIO (`

`int_handler h )`

20.71.4.11 remove_JOY() `void remove_JOY (`

`int_handler h )`

20.71.4.12 add_VBL() `void add_VBL (`

`int_handler h )`

Adds a V-blank interrupt handler.

20.71.4.13 add_LCD() `void add_LCD (`

`int_handler h )`

Adds a LCD interrupt handler.

20.71.4.14 add_TIM() `void add_TIM (`

`int_handler h )`

Does nothing on SMS/GG

20.71.4.15 add_SIO() void add_SIO (

```
int_handler h )
```

Does nothing on SMS/GG

20.71.4.16 add_JOY() void add_JOY (

```
int_handler h )
```

Does nothing on SMS/GG

20.71.4.17 cancel_pending_interrupts() uint8_t cancel_pending_interrupts (

```
void ) [inline]
```

Cancel pending interrupts

20.71.4.18 move_bkg() void move_bkg (

```
uint8_t x,
uint8_t y ) [inline]
```

20.71.4.19 scroll_bkg() void scroll_bkg (

```
int8_t x,
int8_t y ) [inline]
```

20.71.4.20 vsync() void vsync (

```
void )
```

HALTs the CPU and waits for the vertical blank interrupt.
This is often used in main loops to idle the CPU at low power until it's time to start the next frame. It's also useful for syncing animation with the screen re-draw.
Warning: If the VBL interrupt is disabled, this function will never return. If the screen is off this function returns immediately.

20.71.4.21 wait_vbl_done() void wait_vbl_done (

```
void )
```

Obsolete. This function has been replaced by vsync(), which has identical behavior.

20.71.4.22 display_off() void display_off (

```
void ) [inline]
```

Turns the display off.

See also

DISPLAY_ON

20.71.4.23 refresh_OAM() void refresh_OAM (

```
void )
```

Copies data from shadow OAM to OAM

20.71.4.24 get_r_reg() uint8_t get_r_reg (

```
void )
```

Return R register for the DIV_REG emulation
Increments once per CPU instruction (fetches the Z80 CPU R register)

20.71.4.25 delay() void delay (

```
uint16_t d )
```

Delays the given number of milliseconds. Uses no timers or interrupts, and can be called with interrupts disabled

20.71.4.26 joypad() `uint8_t joypad (`

```
void  )
```

Reads and returns the current state of the joypad.

20.71.4.27 waitpad() `uint8_t waitpad (`

```
uint8_t mask )
```

Waits until at least one of the buttons given in mask are pressed.

20.71.4.28 waitpadup() `void waitpadup (`

```
void  )
```

Waits for the directional pad and all buttons to be released.
Note: Checks in a loop that doesn't HALT at all, so the CPU will be maxed out until this call returns.

20.71.4.29 joypad_init() `uint8_t joypad_init (`

```
uint8_t npads,
joypads_t * joypads )
```

Initializes joypads_t structure for polling multiple joypads

Parameters

npads	number of joypads requested (1, 2 or 4)
joypads	pointer to joypads_t structure to be initialized

Only required for joypad_ex, not required for calls to regular joypad()

Returns

number of joypads avaliable

See also

joypad_ex(), joypads_t

20.71.4.30 joypad_ex() `void joypad_ex (`

```
joypads_t * joypads )
```

Polls all avaliable joypads

Parameters

joypads	pointer to joypads_t structure to be filled with joypad statuses, must be previously initialized with joypad_init()

See also

joypad_init(), joypads_t

20.71.4.31 enable_interrupts() `void enable_interrupts (`

```
void  )  [inline]
```

Enables unmasked interrupts

Note

Use CRITICAL {...} instead for creating a block of of code which should execute with interrupts temporarily turned off.

See also

disable_interrupts, set_interrupts, CRITICAL

20.71.4.32 disable_interrupts() `void disable_interrupts ( void ) [inline]`

Disables interrupts

Note

Use CRITICAL {...} instead for creating a block of of code which should execute with interrupts temporarily turned off.

This function may be called as many times as you like; however the first call to enable_interrupts will re-enable them.

See also

enable_interrupts, set_interrupts, CRITICAL

20.71.4.33 set_default_palette() `void set_default_palette ( void )`

20.71.4.34 cgb_compatibility() `void cgb_compatibility ( void ) [inline]`

Obsolete. This function has been replaced by set_default_palette(), which has identical behavior.

20.71.4.35 cpu_fast() `void cpu_fast ( void ) [inline]`

Set CPU speed to fast (CGB Double Speed) operation.
On startup the CGB operates in Normal Speed Mode and can be switched into Double speed mode (faster processing but also higher power consumption). See the Pan Docs for more information about which hardware features operate faster and which remain at Normal Speed.

- Interrupts are temporarily disabled and then re-enabled during this call.
- You can check to see if _cpu == CGB_TYPE before using this function.

See also

cpu_slow(), _cpu

20.71.4.36 set_palette_entry() `void set_palette_entry ( uint8_t palette, uint8_t entry, uint16_t rgb_data )`

20.71.4.37 set_palette() `void set_palette ( uint8_t first_palette, uint8_t nb_palettes, const palette_color_t * rgb_data )`

Set color palette(s)

Parameters

first_palette	Index of the first 16 color palette to write (0-1)
nb_palettes	Number of palettes to write (1-2, max depends on first_palette)
rgb_data	Pointer to source palette data

Writes **nb_palettes** to palette data starting at **first_palette**, Palette data is sourced from **rgb_data**.

- Palette 0 can be used for the Background.
- Palette 1 is shared between Background and Sprites.

On the Game Gear

- Each Palette is 32 bytes in size: 16 colors x 2 bytes per palette color entry.
- Each color (16 per palette) is packed as BGR-444 format (x:4:4:4, MSBits [15..12] are unused).
- Each component (R, G, B) may have values from 0 - 15 (4 bits), 15 is brightest.

On the SMS

- On SMS each Palette is 16 bytes in size: 16 colors x 1 byte per palette color entry.
- Each color (16 per palette) is packed as BGR-222 format (x:2:2:2, MSBits [7..6] are unused).
- Each component (R, G, B) may have values from 0 - 3 (2 bits), 3 is brightest.

See also

RGB(), set_sprite_palette(), set_bkg_palette(), set_palette_entry(), set_sprite_palette_entry(), set_bkg_palette_entry(), set_sprite_palette()

20.71.4.38 set_native_tile_data()

```
void set_native_tile_data (
  uint16_t start,
  uint16_t ntiles,
  const void * src )
```

20.71.4.39 set_bkg_4bpp_data()

```
void set_bkg_4bpp_data (
  uint16_t start,
  uint16_t ntiles,
  const void * src )
```

20.71.4.40 set_bkg_native_data()

```
void set_bkg_native_data (
  uint16_t start,
  uint16_t ntiles,
  const void * src )
```

20.71.4.41 set_sprite_4bpp_data()

```
void set_sprite_4bpp_data (
  uint8_t start,
  uint16_t ntiles,
  const void * src )
```

20.71.4.42 set_sprite_native_data()

```
void set_sprite_native_data (
  uint8_t start,
  uint16_t ntiles,
  const void * src )
```

20.71.4.43 set_2bpp_palette()

```
void set_2bpp_palette (
  uint16_t palette )  [inline]
```

20.71.4.44 set_tile_2bpp_data()

```
void set_tile_2bpp_data (
  uint16_t start,
  uint16_t ntiles,
  const void * src,
  uint16_t palette )
```

20.71.4.45 set_bkg_data()

```
void set_bkg_data (
  uint16_t start,
  uint16_t ntiles,
  const void * src )  [inline]
```

20.71.4.46 set_sprite_data()

```
void set_sprite_data (
  uint16_t start,
  uint16_t ntiles,
  const void * src )  [inline]
```

20.71.4.47 set_bkg_2bpp_data()

```
void set_bkg_2bpp_data (
  uint16_t start,
  uint16_t ntiles,
  const void * src )  [inline]
```

20.71.4.48 set_sprite_2bpp_data()

```
void set_sprite_2bpp_data (
  uint16_t start,
  uint16_t ntiles,
  const void * src )  [inline]
```

20.71.4.49 set_1bpp_colors()

```
void set_1bpp_colors (
  uint8_t fgcolor,
  uint8_t bgcolor )  [inline]
```

20.71.4.50 set_tile_1bpp_data()

```
void set_tile_1bpp_data (
  uint16_t start,
  uint16_t ntiles,
  const void * src,
  uint16_t colors )
```

20.71.4.51 set_bkg_1bpp_data()

```
void set_bkg_1bpp_data (
    uint16_t start,
    uint16_t ntiles,
    const void * src )  [inline]
```

20.71.4.52 set_sprite_1bpp_data()

```
void set_sprite_1bpp_data (
    uint16_t start,
    uint16_t ntiles,
    const void * src )  [inline]
```

20.71.4.53 set_data()

```
void set_data (
    uint16_t dst,
    const void * src,
    uint16_t size )
```

Copies arbitrary data to an address in VRAM

Parameters

dst	destination VRAM Address
src	Pointer to source buffer
size	Number of bytes to copy

Copies **size** bytes from a buffer at _src__ to VRAM starting at **dst**.

20.71.4.54 vmemcpy()

```
void vmemcpy (
    uint16_t dst,
    const void * src,
    uint16_t size )
```

20.71.4.55 set_tile_map()

```
void set_tile_map (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles )
```

20.71.4.56 set_tile_map_compat()

```
void set_tile_map_compat (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles )
```

20.71.4.57 set_bkg_based_tiles()

```
void set_bkg_based_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles,
    uint8_t base_tile )  [inline]
```

20.71.4.58 set_win_based_tiles()

```
void set_win_based_tiles (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles,
    uint8_t base_tile )  [inline]
```

20.71.4.59 set_bkg_attributes()

```
void set_bkg_attributes (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * tiles )  [inline]
```

20.71.4.60 set_tile_submap()

```
void set_tile_submap (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    uint8_t map_w,
    const uint8_t * map )
```

20.71.4.61 set_tile_submap_compat()

```
void set_tile_submap_compat (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    uint8_t map_w,
    const uint8_t * map )
```

20.71.4.62 set_bkg_submap()

```
void set_bkg_submap (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * map,
    uint8_t map_w )  [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular area of the Background Tile Map using a sub-region from a source tile map. Useful for scrolling implementations of maps larger than 32 x 32 tiles.

Parameters

x	X Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
y	Y Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Background Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
map	Pointer to source tile map data
map_w	Width of source tile map in tiles. Range 1 - 255

Entries are copied from **map** to the Background Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles, using **map_w** as the rowstride for the source tile map.
The **x** and **y** parameters are in Source Tile Map tile coordinates. The location tiles will be written to on the hardware Background Map is derived from those, but only uses the lower 5 bits of each axis, for range of 0-31 (they are bit-masked: `x & 0x1F` and `y & 0x1F`). As a result the two coordinate systems are aligned together.
In order to transfer tile map data in a way where the coordinate systems are not aligned, an offset from the Source Tile Map pointer can be passed in: `(map_ptr + x + (y * map_width))`.
For example, if you want the tile id at `1,2` from the source map to show up at `0,0` on the hardware Background Map (instead of at `1,2`) then modify the pointer address that is passed in: `map_ptr + 1 + (2 * map_width)`
Use this instead of set_bkg_tiles when the source map is wider than 32 tiles or when writing a width that does not match the source map width.
One byte per source tile map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.
See set_bkg_tiles for setting CGB attribute maps with VBK_REG.

See also

SHOW_BKG

set_bkg_data, set_bkg_tiles, set_win_submap, set_tiles

20.71.4.63 set_win_submap()

```
void set_win_submap (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * map,
    uint8_t map_w ) [inline]
```

Sets a rectangular area of the Window Tile Map using a sub-region from a source tile map.

Parameters

x	X Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
y	Y Start position in both the Source Tile Map and hardware Window Map tile coordinates. Range 0 - 255
w	Width of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
h	Height of area to set in tiles. Range 1 - 255
map	Pointer to source tile map data
map_w	Width of source tile map in tiles. Range 1 - 255

Entries are copied from **map** to the Window Tile Map starting at **x**, **y** writing across for **w** tiles and down for **h** tiles, using **map_w** as the rowstride for the source tile map.
The **x** and **y** parameters are in Source Tile Map tile coordinates. The location tiles will be written to on the hardware Background Map is derived from those, but only uses the lower 5 bits of each axis, for range of 0-31 (they are bit-masked: `x & 0x1F` and `y & 0x1F`). As a result the two coordinate systems are aligned together.
In order to transfer tile map data in a way where the coordinate systems are not aligned, an offset from the Source Tile Map pointer can be passed in: `(map_ptr + x + (y * map_width))`.
For example, if you want the tile id at `1,2` from the source map to show up at `0,0` on the hardware Background Map (instead of at `1,2`) then modify the pointer address that is passed in: `map_ptr + 1 + (2 * map_width)`
Use this instead of set_win_tiles when the source map is wider than 32 tiles or when writing a width that does not match the source map width.
One byte per source tile map entry.
Writes that exceed coordinate 31 on the x or y axis will wrap around to the Left and Top edges.
GBC only: VBK_REG determines whether Tile Numbers or Tile Attributes get set.

- VBK_REG = VBK_TILES Tile Numbers are written
- VBK_REG = VBK_ATTRIBUTES Tile Attributes are written

See set_bkg_tiles for details about CGB attribute maps with VBK_REG.

See also

SHOW_WIN, HIDE_WIN, set_win_tiles, set_bkg_submap, set_bkg_tiles, set_bkg_data, set_tiles

20.71.4.64 set_bkg_based_submap()

```
void set_bkg_based_submap (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * map,
    uint8_t map_w,
    uint8_t base_tile )  [inline]
```

20.71.4.65 set_win_based_submap()

```
void set_win_based_submap (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * map,
    uint8_t map_w,
    uint8_t base_tile )  [inline]
```

20.71.4.66 set_bkg_submap_attributes()

```
void set_bkg_submap_attributes (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint8_t * map,
    uint8_t map_w )  [inline]
```

20.71.4.67 fill_rect()

```
void fill_rect (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint16_t tile )
```

20.71.4.68 fill_rect_compat()

```
void fill_rect_compat (
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y,
    uint8_t w,
    uint8_t h,
    const uint16_t tile )
```

20.71.4.69 SET_SHADOW_OAM_ADDRESS()

```
void SET_SHADOW_OAM_ADDRESS (
    void * address )  [inline]
```

Sets address of 256-byte aligned array of shadow OAM to be transferred on each VBlank

20.71.4.70 set_sprite_tile() `void set_sprite_tile (`

```
uint8_t nb,
uint8_t tile ) [inline]
```

Sets sprite number **nb__in the OAM to display tile number __tile**.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
tile	Selects a tile (0 - 255) from memory at 8000h - 8FFFh In CGB Mode this could be either in VRAM Bank 0 or 1, depending on Bit 3 of the OAM Attribute Flag (see set_sprite_prop)

In 8x16 mode:

- The sprite will also display the next tile (**tile** + 1) directly below (y + 8) the first tile.
- The lower bit of the tile number is ignored: the upper 8x8 tile is (**tile** & 0xFE), and the lower 8x8 tile is (**tile** | 0x01).
- See: SPRITES_8x16

20.71.4.71 get_sprite_tile() `uint8_t get_sprite_tile (`

```
uint8_t nb ) [inline]
```

Returns the tile number of sprite number **nb** in the OAM.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39

See also

set_sprite_tile for more details

20.71.4.72 set_sprite_prop() `void set_sprite_prop (`

```
uint8_t nb,
uint8_t prop ) [inline]
```

Function has no affect on sms.
This function is only here to enable game portability

20.71.4.73 get_sprite_prop() `uint8_t get_sprite_prop (`

```
uint8_t nb ) [inline]
```

Returns the OAM Property Flags of sprite number **nb**.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39

See also

set_sprite_prop for property bitfield settings

20.71.4.74 move_sprite()

```
void move_sprite (
    uint8_t nb,
    uint8_t x,
    uint8_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves sprite number **nb** to the **x**, **y** position on the screen.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
x	X Position. Specifies the sprites horizontal position on the screen (minus 8). An offscreen value (X=0 or X>=168) hides the sprite, but the sprite still affects the priority ordering - a better way to hide a sprite is to set its Y-coordinate offscreen.
y	Y Position. Specifies the sprites vertical position on the screen (minus 16). An offscreen value (for example, Y=0 or Y>=160) hides the sprite.

Moving the sprite to 0,0 (or similar off-screen location) will hide it.

20.71.4.75 scroll_sprite()

```
void scroll_sprite (
    uint8_t nb,
    int8_t x,
    int8_t y )  [inline]
```

Moves sprite number **nb** relative to its current position.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39
x	Number of pixels to move the sprite on the **X axis** Range: -128 - 127
y	Number of pixels to move the sprite on the **Y axis** Range: -128 - 127

See also

move_sprite for more details about the X and Y position

20.71.4.76 hide_sprite()

```
void hide_sprite (
    uint8_t nb )  [inline]
```

Hides sprite number **nb** by moving it to zero position by Y.

Parameters

nb	Sprite number, range 0 - 39

20.71.4.77 set_vram_byte()

```
void set_vram_byte (
    uint8_t * addr,
    uint8_t v )
```

Set byte in vram at given memory location

Parameters

addr	address to write to
v	value

20.71.4.78 set_attributed_tile_xy()

```
uint8_t* set_attributed_tile_xy (
        uint8_t x,
        uint8_t y,
        uint16_t t )
```

Set single tile t with attributes on background layer at x,y

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate
t	tile index

Returns

returns the address of tile, so you may use faster set_vram_byte() later

20.71.4.79 set_tile_xy()

```
uint8_t* set_tile_xy (
        uint8_t x,
        uint8_t y,
        uint8_t t )
```

Set single tile t on background layer at x,y

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate
t	tile index

Returns

returns the address of tile, so you may use faster set_vram_byte() later

20.71.4.80 set_attribute_xy()

```
uint8_t* set_attribute_xy (
        uint8_t x,
        uint8_t y,
        uint8_t a )  [inline]
```

Set single attribute data a on background layer at x,y

Parameters

x	X-coordinate
y	Y-coordinate
a	tile attributes

Returns

returns the address of tile attribute, so you may use faster set_vram_byte() later

20.71.4.81 get_bkg_xy_addr()

```
uint8_t* get_bkg_xy_addr (
```

```
            uint8_t x,
            uint8_t y )
```

Get address of X,Y tile of background map

20.71.5 Variable Documentation

20.71.5.1 _BIOS `const UBYTE _BIOS [extern]`

20.71.5.2 _SYSTEM `const uint8_t _SYSTEM [extern]`

20.71.5.3 c `void c`

20.71.5.4 d `void d`

20.71.5.5 e `void e`

20.71.5.6 iyh `void iyh`

20.71.5.7 iyl `uint8_t iyl`

Initial value:

```
{
    __asm__("ei")
```

20.71.5.8 h `void h`

20.71.5.9 l `void l`

20.71.5.10 sys_time `volatile uint16_t sys_time [extern]`

Global Time Counter in VBL periods (60Hz)
Increments once per Frame
Will wrap around every ~18 minutes (unsigned 16 bits = 65535 / 60 / 60 = 18.2)

20.71.5.11 b `void b`

20.71.5.12 _current_2bpp_palette `uint16_t _current_2bpp_palette [extern]`

20.71.5.13 _current_1bpp_colors `uint16_t _current_1bpp_colors [extern]`

20.71.5.14 _map_tile_offset `uint8_t _map_tile_offset [extern]`

20.71.5.15 _submap_tile_offset uint8_t _submap_tile_offset [extern]

20.71.5.16 shadow_OAM volatile uint8_t shadow_OAM[] [extern]

Shadow OAM array in WRAM, that is transferred into the real OAM each VBlank

20.71.5.17 _shadow_OAM_base volatile uint8_t _shadow_OAM_base [extern]

MSB of shadow_OAM address is used by OAM copying routine
MSB of shadow_OAM address is used by OAM DMA copying routine

20.71.5.18 _shadow_OAM_OFF volatile uint8_t _shadow_OAM_OFF [extern]

Flag for disabling of OAM copying routine
Values:

- 1: OAM copy routine is disabled (non-isr VDP operation may be in progress)
- 0: OAM copy routine is enabled

This flag is modified by all sms/gg GBDK API calls that write to the VDP. It is set to DISABLED when they start and ENABLED when they complete.

Note

It is recommended to avoid writing to the Video Display Processor (VDP) during an interrupt service routine (ISR) since it can corrupt the VDP pointer of an VDP operation already in progress.

If it is necessary, this flag can be used during an ISR to determine whether a VDP operation is already in progress. If the value is `1` then avoid writing to the VDP (tiles, map, scrolling, colors, etc).

```
// at the beginning of and ISR that would write to the VDP
if (_shadow_OAM_OFF) return;
```

See also

docs_consoles_safe_display_controller_access

20.71.5.19 _sprites_OFF volatile uint8_t _sprites_OFF [extern]

20.72 gbdk-lib/include/stdatomic.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
```

Data Structures

- struct atomic_flag

Functions

- _Bool atomic_flag_test_and_set (volatile atomic_flag *object) OLDCALL
- void atomic_flag_clear (volatile atomic_flag *object)

20.72.1 Function Documentation

20.72.1.1 atomic_flag_test_and_set() _Bool atomic_flag_test_and_set (volatile atomic_flag * object)

20.72.1.2 atomic_flag_clear() `void atomic_flag_clear ( volatile atomic_flag * object )`

20.73 gbdk-lib/include/stdbool.h File Reference

Macros

- #define true ((_Bool)+1)
- #define false ((_Bool)+0)
- #define bool _Bool
- #define __bool_true_false_are_defined 1

20.73.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.73.1.1 true `#define true ((_Bool)+1)`

20.73.1.2 false `#define false ((_Bool)+0)`

20.73.1.3 bool `#define bool _Bool`

20.73.1.4 __bool_true_false_are_defined `#define __bool_true_false_are_defined 1`

20.74 gbdk-lib/include/stddef.h File Reference

Macros

- #define NULL (void *)0
- #define __PTRDIFF_T_DEFINED
- #define __SIZE_T_DEFINED
- #define __WCHAR_T_DEFINED
- #define offsetof(s, m) __builtin_offsetof (s, m)

Typedefs

- typedef int ptrdiff_t
- typedef unsigned int size_t
- typedef unsigned long int wchar_t

20.74.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.74.1.1 NULL `#define NULL (void *)0`

20.74.1.2 __PTRDIFF_T_DEFINED `#define __PTRDIFF_T_DEFINED`

20.74.1.3 __SIZE_T_DEFINED `#define __SIZE_T_DEFINED`

20.74.1.4 __WCHAR_T_DEFINED #define __WCHAR_T_DEFINED

20.74.1.5 offsetof #define offsetof(
s,
m) __builtin_offsetof (s, m)

20.74.2 Typedef Documentation

20.74.2.1 ptrdiff_t typedef int ptrdiff_t

20.74.2.2 size_t typedef unsigned int size_t

20.74.2.3 wchar_t typedef unsigned long int wchar_t

20.75 gbdk-lib/include/stdint.h File Reference

Macros

- #define INT8_MIN (-128)
- #define INT16_MIN (-32767-1)
- #define INT32_MIN (-2147483647L-1)
- #define INT8_MAX (127)
- #define INT16_MAX (32767)
- #define INT32_MAX (2147483647L)
- #define UINT8_MAX (255)
- #define UINT16_MAX (65535)
- #define UINT32_MAX (4294967295UL)
- #define INT_LEAST8_MIN INT8_MIN
- #define INT_LEAST16_MIN INT16_MIN
- #define INT_LEAST32_MIN INT32_MIN
- #define INT_LEAST8_MAX INT8_MAX
- #define INT_LEAST16_MAX INT16_MAX
- #define INT_LEAST32_MAX INT32_MAX
- #define UINT_LEAST8_MAX UINT8_MAX
- #define UINT_LEAST16_MAX UINT16_MAX
- #define UINT_LEAST32_MAX UINT32_MAX
- #define INT_FAST8_MIN INT8_MIN
- #define INT_FAST16_MIN INT16_MIN
- #define INT_FAST32_MIN INT32_MIN
- #define INT_FAST8_MAX INT8_MAX
- #define INT_FAST16_MAX INT16_MAX
- #define INT_FAST32_MAX INT32_MAX
- #define UINT_FAST8_MAX UINT8_MAX
- #define UINT_FAST16_MAX UINT16_MAX
- #define UINT_FAST32_MAX UINT32_MAX
- #define INTPTR_MIN (-32767-1)
- #define INTPTR_MAX (32767)
- #define UINTPTR_MAX (65535)
- #define INTMAX_MIN (-2147483647L-1)
- #define INTMAX_MAX (2147483647L)
- #define UINTMAX_MAX (4294967295UL)

- #define PTRDIFF_MIN (-32767-1)
- #define PTRDIFF_MAX (32767)
- #define SIG_ATOMIC_MIN (0)
- #define SIG_ATOMIC_MAX (255)
- #define SIZE_MAX (65535u)
- #define INT8_C(c) c
- #define INT16_C(c) c
- #define INT32_C(c) c ## L
- #define UINT8_C(c) c ## U
- #define UINT16_C(c) c ## U
- #define UINT32_C(c) c ## UL
- #define WCHAR_MIN 0
- #define WCHAR_MAX 0xffffffff
- #define WINT_MIN 0
- #define WINT_MAX 0xffffffff
- #define INTMAX_C(c) c ## L
- #define UINTMAX_C(c) c ## UL

Typedefs

- typedef signed char int8_t
- typedef short int int16_t
- typedef long int int32_t
- typedef unsigned char uint8_t
- typedef unsigned short int uint16_t
- typedef unsigned long int uint32_t
- typedef signed char int_least8_t
- typedef short int int_least16_t
- typedef long int int_least32_t
- typedef unsigned char uint_least8_t
- typedef unsigned short int uint_least16_t
- typedef unsigned long int uint_least32_t
- typedef signed char int_fast8_t
- typedef int int_fast16_t
- typedef long int int_fast32_t
- typedef unsigned char uint_fast8_t
- typedef unsigned int uint_fast16_t
- typedef unsigned long int uint_fast32_t
- typedef int intptr_t
- typedef unsigned int uintptr_t
- typedef long int intmax_t
- typedef unsigned long int uintmax_t

20.75.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.75.1.1 INT8_MIN `#define INT8_MIN (-128)`

20.75.1.2 INT16_MIN `#define INT16_MIN (-32767-1)`

20.75.1.3 INT32_MIN `#define INT32_MIN (-2147483647L-1)`

20.75.1.4 INT8_MAX

```
#define INT8_MAX (127)
```

20.75.1.5 INT16_MAX

```
#define INT16_MAX (32767)
```

20.75.1.6 INT32_MAX

```
#define INT32_MAX (2147483647L)
```

20.75.1.7 UINT8_MAX

```
#define UINT8_MAX (255)
```

20.75.1.8 UINT16_MAX

```
#define UINT16_MAX (65535)
```

20.75.1.9 UINT32_MAX

```
#define UINT32_MAX (4294967295UL)
```

20.75.1.10 INT_LEAST8_MIN

```
#define INT_LEAST8_MIN INT8_MIN
```

20.75.1.11 INT_LEAST16_MIN

```
#define INT_LEAST16_MIN INT16_MIN
```

20.75.1.12 INT_LEAST32_MIN

```
#define INT_LEAST32_MIN INT32_MIN
```

20.75.1.13 INT_LEAST8_MAX

```
#define INT_LEAST8_MAX INT8_MAX
```

20.75.1.14 INT_LEAST16_MAX

```
#define INT_LEAST16_MAX INT16_MAX
```

20.75.1.15 INT_LEAST32_MAX

```
#define INT_LEAST32_MAX INT32_MAX
```

20.75.1.16 UINT_LEAST8_MAX

```
#define UINT_LEAST8_MAX UINT8_MAX
```

20.75.1.17 UINT_LEAST16_MAX

```
#define UINT_LEAST16_MAX UINT16_MAX
```

20.75.1.18 UINT_LEAST32_MAX

```
#define UINT_LEAST32_MAX UINT32_MAX
```

20.75.1.19 INT_FAST8_MIN

```
#define INT_FAST8_MIN INT8_MIN
```

20.75.1.20 INT_FAST16_MIN

```
#define INT_FAST16_MIN INT16_MIN
```

20.75.1.21 INT_FAST32_MIN

```
#define INT_FAST32_MIN INT32_MIN
```

20.75.1.22 INT_FAST8_MAX

```
#define INT_FAST8_MAX INT8_MAX
```

20.75.1.23 INT_FAST16_MAX

```
#define INT_FAST16_MAX INT16_MAX
```

20.75.1.24 INT_FAST32_MAX

```
#define INT_FAST32_MAX INT32_MAX
```

20.75.1.25 UINT_FAST8_MAX

```
#define UINT_FAST8_MAX UINT8_MAX
```

20.75.1.26 UINT_FAST16_MAX

```
#define UINT_FAST16_MAX UINT16_MAX
```

20.75.1.27 UINT_FAST32_MAX

```
#define UINT_FAST32_MAX UINT32_MAX
```

20.75.1.28 INTPTR_MIN

```
#define INTPTR_MIN (-32767-1)
```

20.75.1.29 INTPTR_MAX

```
#define INTPTR_MAX (32767)
```

20.75.1.30 UINTPTR_MAX

```
#define UINTPTR_MAX (65535)
```

20.75.1.31 INTMAX_MIN

```
#define INTMAX_MIN (-2147483647L-1)
```

20.75.1.32 INTMAX_MAX

```
#define INTMAX_MAX (2147483647L)
```

20.75.1.33 UINTMAX_MAX

```
#define UINTMAX_MAX (4294967295UL)
```

20.75.1.34 PTRDIFF_MIN

```
#define PTRDIFF_MIN (-32767-1)
```

20.75.1.35 PTRDIFF_MAX

```
#define PTRDIFF_MAX (32767)
```

20.75.1.36 SIG_ATOMIC_MIN

```
#define SIG_ATOMIC_MIN (0)
```

20.75.1.37 SIG_ATOMIC_MAX

```
#define SIG_ATOMIC_MAX (255)
```

20.75.1.38 SIZE_MAX

```
#define SIZE_MAX (65535u)
```

20.75.1.39 INT8_C

```
#define INT8_C(
    c ) c
```

20.75.1.40 INT16_C #define INT16_C(
c) c

20.75.1.41 INT32_C #define INT32_C(
c) c ## L

20.75.1.42 UINT8_C #define UINT8_C(
c) c ## U

20.75.1.43 UINT16_C #define UINT16_C(
c) c ## U

20.75.1.44 UINT32_C #define UINT32_C(
c) c ## UL

20.75.1.45 WCHAR_MIN #define WCHAR_MIN 0

20.75.1.46 WCHAR_MAX #define WCHAR_MAX 0xffffffff

20.75.1.47 WINT_MIN #define WINT_MIN 0

20.75.1.48 WINT_MAX #define WINT_MAX 0xffffffff

20.75.1.49 INTMAX_C #define INTMAX_C(
c) c ## L

20.75.1.50 UINTMAX_C #define UINTMAX_C(
c) c ## UL

20.75.2 Typedef Documentation

20.75.2.1 int8_t typedef signed char int8_t

20.75.2.2 int16_t typedef short int int16_t

20.75.2.3 int32_t typedef long int int32_t

20.75.2.4 uint8_t typedef unsigned char uint8_t

20.75.2.5 uint16_t

```
typedef unsigned short int uint16_t
```

20.75.2.6 uint32_t

```
typedef unsigned long int uint32_t
```

20.75.2.7 int_least8_t

```
typedef signed char int_least8_t
```

20.75.2.8 int_least16_t

```
typedef short int int_least16_t
```

20.75.2.9 int_least32_t

```
typedef long int int_least32_t
```

20.75.2.10 uint_least8_t

```
typedef unsigned char uint_least8_t
```

20.75.2.11 uint_least16_t

```
typedef unsigned short int uint_least16_t
```

20.75.2.12 uint_least32_t

```
typedef unsigned long int uint_least32_t
```

20.75.2.13 int_fast8_t

```
typedef signed char int_fast8_t
```

20.75.2.14 int_fast16_t

```
typedef int int_fast16_t
```

20.75.2.15 int_fast32_t

```
typedef long int int_fast32_t
```

20.75.2.16 uint_fast8_t

```
typedef unsigned char uint_fast8_t
```

20.75.2.17 uint_fast16_t

```
typedef unsigned int uint_fast16_t
```

20.75.2.18 uint_fast32_t

```
typedef unsigned long int uint_fast32_t
```

20.75.2.19 intptr_t

```
typedef int intptr_t
```

20.75.2.20 uintptr_t

```
typedef unsigned int uintptr_t
```

20.75.2.21 intmax_t

```
typedef long int intmax_t
```

20.75.2.22 uintmax_t

```
typedef unsigned long int uintmax_t
```

20.76 gbdk-lib/include/stdio.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
```

Functions

- void putchar (char c) OLDCALL REENTRANT
- void printf (const char *format,...)
- void sprintf (char *str, const char *format,...)
- void puts (const char *s)
- char * gets (char *s) OLDCALL
- char getchar (void) OLDCALL

20.76.1 Detailed Description

Basic file/console input output functions.
Including stdio.h will use a large number of the background tiles for font characters. If stdio.h is not included then that space will be available for use with other tiles instead.

20.76.2 Function Documentation

20.76.2.1 putchar() `void putchar ( char c )`

Print char to stdout.

Parameters

c	Character to print

20.76.2.2 printf() `void printf ( const char * format, ... )`

Print the string and arguments given by format to stdout.

Parameters

format	The format string as per printf

Does not return the number of characters printed.
Currently supported:

- %hx (char as hex)
- %hu (unsigned char)
- %hd (signed char)
- %c (character)
- %u (unsigned int)
- %d (signed int)
- %x (unsigned int as hex)
- %s (string)

Warning: to correctly pass parameters (such as chars, ints, etc) **all of them should always be explicitly cast** as when calling the function. See docs_chars_varargs for more details.

20.76.2.3 sprintf()

```
void sprintf (
    char * str,
    const char * format,
    ... )
```

Print the string and arguments given by format to a buffer.

Parameters

str	The buffer to print into
format	The format string as per printf

Does not return the number of characters printed.
Warning: to correctly pass parameters (such as chars, ints, etc) **all of them should always be explicitly cast** as when calling the function. See docs_chars_varargs for more details.

20.76.2.4 puts()

```
void puts (
    const char * s )
```

puts() writes the string **s** and a trailing newline to stdout.

20.76.2.5 gets()

```
char* gets (
    char * s )
```

gets() Reads a line from stdin into a buffer pointed to by **s**.

Parameters

s	Buffer to store string in

Reads until either a terminating newline or an EOF, which it replaces with '\0'. No check for buffer overrun is performed.
Returns: Buffer pointed to by **s**

20.76.2.6 getchar()

```
char getchar (
    void )
```

getchar() Reads and returns a single character from stdin.

20.77 gbdk-lib/include/stdlib.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
```

Functions

- void exit (int status) OLDCALL
- int abs (int i)
- long labs (long num) OLDCALL
- int atoi (const char *s)
- long atol (const char *s)
- char * itoa (int n, char *s, unsigned char radix) OLDCALL
- char * uitoa (unsigned int n, char *s, unsigned char radix) OLDCALL
- char * ltoa (long n, char *s, unsigned char radix) OLDCALL
- char * ultoa (unsigned long n, char *s, unsigned char radix) OLDCALL
- void * calloc (size_t nmemb, size_t size)
- void * malloc (size_t size)

- void * realloc (void *ptr, size_t size)
- void free (void *ptr)
- void * bsearch (const void *key, const void *base, size_t nmemb, size_t size, int(*compar)(const void *, const void *) REENTRANT)
- void qsort (void *base, size_t nmemb, size_t size, int(*compar)(const void *, const void *) REENTRANT)

20.77.1 Function Documentation

20.77.1.1 exit() `void exit ( int status )`

file stdlib.h 'Standard library' functions, for whatever that means. Causes normal program termination and the value of status is returned to the parent. All open streams are flushed and closed.

20.77.1.2 abs() `int abs ( int i )`

Returns the absolute value of int **i**

Parameters

i	Int to obtain absolute value of

If i is negative, returns -i; else returns i.

20.77.1.3 labs() `long labs ( long num )`

Returns the absolute value of long int **num**

Parameters

num	Long integer to obtain absolute value of

20.77.1.4 atoi() `int atoi ( const char * s )`

Converts an ASCII string to an int

Parameters

s	String to convert to an int

The string may be of the format
`[\s]*[+-][\d]+[\D]*`
i.e. any number of spaces, an optional + or -, then an arbitrary number of digits.
The result is undefined if the number doesnt fit in an int.
Returns: Int value of string

20.77.1.5 atol() `long atol ( const char * s )`

Converts an ASCII string to a long.

Parameters

s	String to convert to an long int

See also

atoi()

Returns: Long int value of string

20.77.1.6 itoa()

```
char* itoa (
    int n,
    char * s,
    unsigned char radix )
```

Converts an int into a base 10 ASCII string.

Parameters

n	Int to convert to a string
s	String to store the converted number
radix	Numerical base for converted number, ex: 10 is decimal base (parameter is required but not utilized on Game Boy and Analogue Pocket)

Can be used with set_bkg_based_tiles() for printing if the digit character tiles are not ascii-mapped.
Returns: Pointer to converted string

20.77.1.7 uitoa()

```
char* uitoa (
    unsigned int n,
    char * s,
    unsigned char radix )
```

Converts an unsigned int into a base 10 ASCII string.

Parameters

n	Unsigned Int to convert to a string
s	String to store the converted number
radix	Numerical base for converted number, ex: 10 is decimal base (parameter is required but not utilized on Game Boy and Analogue Pocket)

Can be used with set_bkg_based_tiles() for printing if the digit character tiles are not ascii-mapped.
Returns: Pointer to converted string

20.77.1.8 ltoa()

```
char* ltoa (
    long n,
    char * s,
    unsigned char radix )
```

Converts a long into a base 10 ASCII string.

Parameters

n	Long int to convert to a string
s	String to store the converted number
radix	Numerical base for converted number, ex: 10 is decimal base (parameter is required but not utilized on Game Boy and Analogue Pocket)

Can be used with set_bkg_based_tiles() for printing if the digit character tiles are not ascii-mapped.
Returns: Pointer to converted string

20.77.1.9 ultoa()

```
char* ultoa (
    unsigned long n,
```

```
char * s,
unsigned char radix )
```

Converts an unsigned long into a base 10 ASCII string.

Parameters

n	Unsigned Long Int to convert to a string
s	String to store the converted number
radix	Numerical base for converted number, ex: 10 is decimal base (parameter is required but not utilized on Game Boy and Analogue Pocket)

Can be used with set_bkg_based_tiles() for printing if the digit character tiles are not ascii-mapped.
Returns: Pointer to converted string

20.77.1.10 calloc()

```
void* calloc (
  size_t nmemb,
  size_t size )
```

Memory allocation functions

20.77.1.11 malloc()

```
void* malloc (
  size_t size )
```

20.77.1.12 realloc()

```
void* realloc (
  void * ptr,
  size_t size )
```

20.77.1.13 free()

```
void free (
  void * ptr )
```

20.77.1.14 bsearch()

```
void* bsearch (
  const void * key,
  const void * base,
  size_t nmemb,
  size_t size,
  int(*)(const void *, const void *) REENTRANT compar )
```

search a sorted array of **nmemb** items

Parameters

key	Pointer to object that is the key for the search
base	Pointer to first object in the array to search
nmemb	Number of elements in the array
size	Size in bytes of each element in the array
compar	Function used to compare two elements of the array

Returns: Pointer to array entry that matches the search key. If key is not found, NULL is returned.

20.77.1.15 qsort()

```
void qsort (
  void * base,
  size_t nmemb,
  size_t size,
  int(*)(const void *, const void *) REENTRANT compar )
```

Sort an array of **nmemb** items

Parameters

base	Pointer to first object in the array to sort
nmemb	Number of elements in the array
size	Size in bytes of each element in the array
compar	Function used to compare and sort two elements of the array

20.78 gbdk-lib/include/stdnoreturn.h File Reference

Macros

- #define noreturn _Noreturn

20.78.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.78.1.1 noreturn `#define noreturn _Noreturn`

20.79 gbdk-lib/include/time.h File Reference

```
#include <types.h>
#include <stdint.h>
```

Macros

- #define CLOCKS_PER_SEC 60

Typedefs

- typedef uint16_t time_t

Functions

- clock_t clock (void) OLDCALL
- time_t time (time_t *t)

20.79.1 Detailed Description

Sort of ANSI compliant time functions.

20.79.2 Macro Definition Documentation

20.79.2.1 CLOCKS_PER_SEC `#define CLOCKS_PER_SEC 60`

20.79.3 Typedef Documentation

20.79.3.1 time_t `typedef uint16_t time_t`

20.79.4 Function Documentation

20.79.4.1 clock() `clock_t clock ( void )`

Returns an approximation of processor time used by the program in Clocks
The value returned is the CPU time (ticks) used so far as a clock_t.
To get the number of seconds used, divide by CLOCKS_PER_SEC.
This is based on sys_time, which will wrap around every ~18 minutes. (unsigned 16 bits = 65535 / 60 / 60 = 18.2)

See also

sys_time, time()

20.79.4.2 time() `time_t time ( time_t * t )`

Converts clock() time to Seconds

Parameters

t	If pointer **t** is not NULL, it's value will be set to the same seconds calculation as returned by the function.

The calculation is clock() / CLOCKS_PER_SEC
Returns: time in seconds

See also

sys_time, clock()

20.80 gbdk-lib/include/typeof.h File Reference

Macros

- #define TYPEOF_INT 1
- #define TYPEOF_SHORT 2
- #define TYPEOF_CHAR 3
- #define TYPEOF_LONG 4
- #define TYPEOF_FLOAT 5
- #define TYPEOF_FIXED16X16 6
- #define TYPEOF_BIT 7
- #define TYPEOF_BITFIELD 8
- #define TYPEOF_SBIT 9
- #define TYPEOF_SFR 10
- #define TYPEOF_VOID 11
- #define TYPEOF_STRUCT 12
- #define TYPEOF_ARRAY 13
- #define TYPEOF_FUNCTION 14
- #define TYPEOF_POINTER 15
- #define TYPEOF_FPOINTER 16
- #define TYPEOF_CPOINTER 17
- #define TYPEOF_GPOINTER 18
- #define TYPEOF_PPOINTER 19
- #define TYPEOF_IPOINTER 20
- #define TYPEOF_EEPPOINTER 21

20.80.1 Macro Definition Documentation

20.80.1.1 TYPEOF_INT `#define TYPEOF_INT 1`

20.80.1.2 TYPEOF_SHORT `#define TYPEOF_SHORT 2`

20.80.1.3 TYPEOF_CHAR `#define TYPEOF_CHAR 3`

20.80.1.4 TYPEOF_LONG `#define TYPEOF_LONG 4`

20.80.1.5 TYPEOF_FLOAT `#define TYPEOF_FLOAT 5`

20.80.1.6 TYPEOF_FIXED16X16 `#define TYPEOF_FIXED16X16 6`

20.80.1.7 TYPEOF_BIT `#define TYPEOF_BIT 7`

20.80.1.8 TYPEOF_BITFIELD `#define TYPEOF_BITFIELD 8`

20.80.1.9 TYPEOF_SBIT `#define TYPEOF_SBIT 9`

20.80.1.10 TYPEOF_SFR `#define TYPEOF_SFR 10`

20.80.1.11 TYPEOF_VOID `#define TYPEOF_VOID 11`

20.80.1.12 TYPEOF_STRUCT `#define TYPEOF_STRUCT 12`

20.80.1.13 TYPEOF_ARRAY `#define TYPEOF_ARRAY 13`

20.80.1.14 TYPEOF_FUNCTION `#define TYPEOF_FUNCTION 14`

20.80.1.15 TYPEOF_POINTER `#define TYPEOF_POINTER 15`

20.80.1.16 TYPEOF_FPOINTER `#define TYPEOF_FPOINTER 16`

20.80.1.17 TYPEOF_CPOINTER `#define TYPEOF_CPOINTER 17`

20.80.1.18 TYPEOF_GPOINTER

```
#define TYPEOF_GPOINTER 18
```

20.80.1.19 TYPEOF_PPOINTER

```
#define TYPEOF_PPOINTER 19
```

20.80.1.20 TYPEOF_IPOINTER

```
#define TYPEOF_IPOINTER 20
```

20.80.1.21 TYPEOF_EEPPOINTER

```
#define TYPEOF_EEPPOINTER 21
```

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