Barco Device Interface



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Glossary

Device Interface This represents the external interface to a device.

Service The device provides the following services: DeviceAdminAgent, Media, Layout,

MediaStoreAgent

Handler The code that handles a specific API message for a given service

Agent The Handler invokes methods on the Agent for the accepted by the device on its

external interface

Engine The Agent invokes methods on the Engine that implement the services on the

device

Introduction

This document contains the description of the generic device interface API.

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Chapter 1. Service Overview

A service is a software/firmware/hardware capability of a device that is made available to a user The scope of this document is limited to 4 types of services within namely device administration, media, layout and media storage services DeviceAdmin - Device management including configuration, monitoring, diagnostics Media - Sending and receiving media streams Layout - Rendering media in specific layouts MediaStore - Managing the storage of recordings and file systems

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Version

Document Version = 0.0.1 Service Version = x.x.x Software Version = 4.0.x.x

Device Overview

The Device is capable of providing services These services are available thru an API The API is handled by code modules called "handlers" which are organized on the same lines as the service The handlers invoke methods on "agents" which are organized on the same lines as the service The agents have direct access to the software/firmware services which are called Engines In general the handler for a service will invoke methods on agents for the same service However there may be cases where the handlers can invoke methods on agents that are in a different service The message used to access a service is called an AgentMessage This chapter provides an overview of the AgentMessage used to invoke the API

Chapter 2. Agent Message Overview

The messages have been described here are as extensions of standard "XMPP Message" packets. However the AgentMessage itself can be sent over HTTP or any other messaging bus

All agent message payloads will use the namespace "com.ipvs.session"

Generic Agent Message API

The messaging between the agents is realized as a set of XML messages over an XMPP message bus. These messages constitute the Barco Device API. Handlers will need to implement the relevant sub-set of this API based on their intended MediaRoom Role.

Example 2.1. Message

Generic Agent Message Data For Request Type Agent Messages

Example 2.2. Request

servicename - The service being requested i.e. DeviceAdmin, Media, Layout, MediaStore requestname - The request within the service userJID - The original user making the request(could be different than the fromJID requestNID - unique ID for the request clientdata - data provided by the requestor which needs to be returned in the response as is

Generic Agent Message Data For Response Type Agent Messages

Example 2.3. Response

The servicename, requestname, userJID, requestNID, clientdata are same as those passed in the request The ResponseData may be replaced by an error element in case there is an error

Example 2.4. Response

Generic Agent Message Data For Event Type Agent Messages

An notification can be an info event or an error event. This is indicated by the state element in the payload

Example 2.5. Event

servicename - The service within which this event is being generated i.e. DeviceAdmin, Media, Layout, MediaStore eventname - The request within the service eventAgentJID - The original user making the request(could be different than the fromJID) eventWallclock - wallclock at which this eveny was generated eventLevel - ERROR/INFO

Chapter 3. Generic Agent API Overview

The following set of operations will be typically performed by the devices hosting the agents outside of the agent API

Startup Operations

XMPP Login

First the Client does a standard XMPP Login. The credentials needed for this need to be provided to the Client by the Administrator by some out-of-band means.

- Username@DomainName.com (Who)
- Password
- XMPPResourceID (From Where)

DeviceLogin

After the base XMPP login the device has to discover the contactJID for the Central Server The Device then does a "DeviceLogin" which registers the Device with the Server.

- The registration process includes publishing its userJID as the contactJID for the XMPPResource
- Device version number and licensing is also checked at this time
- The Device version number can be obtained from the Version section of the API document corresponding to the client implementation

This will change the status to not ready indicating that it has logged in but cannot participate in a session as a source or destination.

Example 3.1. DevciceLoginRequest extended from AgentRequest

```
<DeviceLoginRequestData>
            <AssetTemplateTitle>dcpc1</AssetTemplateTitle>
            <AssetPrivateData></AssetPrivateData>
            <AssetPrivateKeyData></AssetPrivateKeyData>
            <ServiceVersion>2.25</ServiceVersion>
            <PortList>
               <Port type='SrcPort/DstPort/NetworkPort/RelayPort/</pre>
StorePort' id='1/2' state='Ready'>
                  <NetworkStatus/>
                  <DisplayConfig/>
                  <DisplayStatus/>
                  <DirList>
                     <Dir uuid='' storeRevision=''/>
               </Port>
            </PortList>
            <Ready>true</Ready>
  </DeviceLoginRequestData>
```

- AssetTemplateTitle used if the device is to be dynamically created using a template
- AssetPrivateData data that is private to the device used to cache information to be retrieved on reboot
- AssetPrivateKeyData the private key for the device which is used for authentication
- ServiceVersion The service version of the software on the device (note this is different from software version)
- Ready Flag indicating if all the resources are to be marked ready
- PortList Sends the list of ports device owns
 - Port: type type of the port. SrcPort/DstPort/StorePort/RelayPort/ NetworkPort
 - Port: id Id of the port
 - Port: state flag indicates mark the port state as Ready/NotReady
 - Port: NetworkStatus Flag includes the status of network (ipaddress/nat etc etc). Applicable for NetworkPort
 - Port: DisplayConfig Flag icludes the display configuration information. Applicable for DstPort
 - Port: DisplayStatus Flag icludes the display status information. Applicable for DstPort []
 - Port: DirList List of the direcotries owned by StorePort
 - Dir: UUID Unique id to associate DB and Store entry
 - Dir: storeRevision indicates store at this revision. used in directory sync

If all is well, the response will contain the Device's private data(preferences) that has been configured/stored on the server.

- The current date/time is also returned

Example 3.2. Service Login Response extended from AgentResponse

```
<DeviceLoginResponseData>
    <AssetResource NID="default.assetresourcelist.arl_a3f6cdf7-</pre>
be03-416d-8e0f-1a964edb60b0" Persistence="Temporary" Rev="1" Ver="1.7"
 parentNID="default.assetresourcelist" serviceVer="2.25">^M
    <Contact>
        <OwnerUserJID/>
        <Presence>unavailable</presence>
    </Contact>
    <State>
        <StateFlag>Offline</StateFlag>
        <StateMsg/>
    </State>
    <TemplateAssetResourceNID/>
    <Info>
        <Groups>
            <Tag Name="Department" Value="Engineering"/>
        </Groups>
        <Title>dcpc1</Title>
        <Description/>
        <Type>IPVSClient-Device</Type>
        <AssetPrivateKey>
            <KeyScheme/>
            <KeyData/>
        </AssetPrivateKey>
        <AssetPrivateData/>
        <FeatureList>
            <Feature Name=""/>
        </FeatureList>
    </Info>
    </AssetResource>
    <PortResourceNIDList>
      <resourceNID
 type="MediaStreamDstPortResource">default.mediastreamdstportresourcelist.msdprl_4
ac35-4c46d3dc0177</resourceNID>
    </PortResourceNIDList>
    <deviceNID>default.devicelist.dl_236f39ca-2935-4365-
a624-95637cbcf4f9</deviceNID>
    <appServerAgentJID>srcrelay1@localhost/srcrelay1/
appServerAgentJID>
  </DeviceLoginResponseData>
```

Example 3.3. Service Login Response error extended from AgentResponse