# VirtualGrasp Unity API

[ENUMS] describe VirtualGrasp enums and are listed first only to allow other parts of this pdf to link back to them.

[EVENTS] describe VirtualGrasp events and are very useful to listen to for your own application.

Any of the (124) API functions from an \_API section can be accessed typing 'VG\_Controller.' from C# scripts. They are grouped in different sections for readability.

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[ENUMS] (Unity API)

#### VG\_BoneType

An enum to describe a bone type, used for accessing of bones from outside the library.

WRIST: The wrist bone of a hand ELBOW: The elbow bone of an arm

**SHOULDER:** The shoulder bone of an arm **CLAVICLE:** The clavicle bone of an arm

APPROACH: The approach handle of a grasp

#### **VG** EditorAction

Action towards the grasp editor, see EditGrasp()

PRIMARY\_CURRENT: Label the current grasp as primary, so it will be the only grasp for this object

**DISABLE\_CURRENT:** Label the current grasp as disabled, so it will not be accessible for static grasping.

**DELETE\_CURRENT:** Currently the same as DISABLE\_CURRENT, since we do not really want to remove grasps.

**DELETE\_ALL\_HAND\_GRASPS:** Delete the HandGrasp entry for a given object and hand hash

ADD\_CURRENT: Add the current grasp as a valid one, so it becomes accessible for static grasping.

**CLEAR\_PRIMARY:** Remove the label of the current object's primary grasp, so all grasps will be valid again. **CLEAR\_DISABLED:** Remove the label of the current object's disabled grasps, so all grasps will be valid again.

#### VG\_FingerControlType

An enum to describe how fingers are controlled.

BY\_NOTHING: When not grasping, fingers are not controlled at all.

BY\_SENSOR\_FULL\_DOFS: When not grasping, fingers are fully controlled by sensor

BY\_SENSOR\_LOW\_DOFS: When not grasping, fingers are controlled by sensor, but less DOF.

BY\_ANIMATION: When not grasping, fingers are controlled by animation.

BY\_OSCILLATED\_ANIMATION: When not grasping, fingers are controlled by oscillating between two state of

animations

## VG\_GestureType

A humanoid hand gesture type enum.

**UNKNOWN\_GESTURETYPE:** Unknown type **PUSH\_GESTURE:** Index finger push gesture

FIST\_GESTURE: Fist gesture

#### VG\_GraspLabel

For labeling grasps (grasp editor functionality).

**DISABLED:** Labels a grasp as disabled **PRIMARY:** Labels a grasp as primary

SUCCEEDED: Labels a grasp as succeeded

FAILED: Labels a grasp as failed

**RANK:** TBD

#### VG\_GraspType

Animation grasp type enum.

**UNKNOWN\_GRASPTYPE:** Unknown type

POWER: Humanoid power grasp PINCH: Humanoid pinch grasp OPENING: Robotic opening grasp CLOSING: Robotic closing grasp

SUCTION\_PIN: Robotic suction pin grasp

#### VG\_HandSide

We support two hands per avatar, left and right in this enum.

**LEFT:** Left hand

UNKNOWN\_HANDSIDE: Unknown hand side

RIGHT: Right hand

### VG\_InteractionMode

Enum that defines at what state the hand is in and you can access a specific hand's mode through its VG\_HandStatus.

**RELEASE:** when wrist and finger toward sensor pose

**GRASP:** when wrist and finger towards target grasp pose

HOLD: when hand hold the object, and wrist towards following sensor pose

EMPTY: when hand not hold the object, wrist and finger fully follow sensor pose

PREVIEW: when grasp is to be previewed before change to HOLD by grasp trigger

MANIPULATE: when wrist is controlled by sensor relative pose

HOLD\_MULTIHAND: when doing multi-hands holding

MANIPULATE\_MULTIHAND: when doing multi-hands manipulation

PREVIEW\_RELEASE: when release from PREVIEW mode, wrist and finger interpolate toward sensor pose

GRASP\_TO\_PREVIEW: when wrist and finger interpolate towards target grasp pose synthesized once a new object is

selected

PUSHING: when index finger tip do push on object

PUSHING\_MULTIHAND: when both hand's index finger tip do push on same object

### VG\_InteractionType

An enum to describe a hand interaction type (i.e. a mode on grasp visualization).

TRIGGER\_GRASP: Default, hand goes to object at grasp position

PREVIEW\_GRASP: Grasp is always previewed once object is selected, trigger will pick up the object

PREVIEW\_ONLY: like PREVIEW\_GRASP, but trigger will not allow pick up the object

JUMP\_GRASP: Object jumps to hand when grasp is triggered

STICKY\_HAND: Object sticks to hand without forming grasp pose when grasp is triggered

JUMP\_PRIMARY\_GRASP: Using mechanism like JUMP\_GRASP, but use a primary grasp in grasp DB

### VG\_JointType

Different articulated joint types supported by VG.

**REVOLUTE:** revolute joint with constrained rotational movement around an axis **PRISMATIC:** prismatic joint with constrained translational movement along an axis

FIXED: fixed, non-moveable joint

FLOATING: floating, unconstrained joint

PLANAR: planar joint with constrained translational movement on a plane

CONE: 3-DOF ball and socket joint modeled with cone joint limit

### VG\_MotionType

Whether the motion is free or limited

Limited: If motion is limited by the limits in the joint's degree of freedom(s)

Free: If motion is free in the joint's degree of freedom(s)

### VG\_NetworkSignal

Enum bitmask to compose parts of a NetworkSignal

None: Empty signal

ControllerSignal: Flag for the controller part of the network signal.

SensorSignal: Flag for the sensor part of the network signal.

TriggerSignal: Flag for the trigger part of the network signal.

ObjectSignal: Flag for the object part of the network signal.

#### VG\_QueryGraspMethod

The query grasp method for GetGrasp() function

BY\_INDEX: get grasp by index

**BY\_ID:** get grasp by ID **BY\_TCP:** get grasp by TCP

#### VG\_QueryGraspMode

Decide when query grasp if hand moves and how to move hand.

NO\_MOVE: will not move internal object and hand

MOVE\_HAND\_SMOOTHLY: will move object and hand moves smoothly with a transition period

MOVE\_HAND\_DIRECTLY: will move object and hand move directly to target grasp pose

#### VG ReturnCode

ReturnCode for various VirtualGrasp functions. Most functions in this API provide such a return code.

**SUCCESS:** Succeeded in processing function

**DLL\_NOT\_INITIALIZED:** Failed in processing function because library has not been initialized. **DLL\_FUNCTION\_FAILED:** Failed in processing function because library has not been initialized.

INVALID\_AVATAR: Failed in processing function because the provided avatar is invalid.

INVALID\_LIMB: Failed in processing function because the provided limb or object is invalid.

INVALID\_GRASP: Failed in processing function because the provided grasp is invalid.

**INVALID\_TARGET:** Failed in processing function because the provided target is invalid.

ARGUMENT\_ERROR: Failed in processing function because a provided argument is invalid.

UNSUPPORTED\_FUNCTION: Failed in processing function because it is unsupported.

OBJECT\_NO\_GRASPS: Failed in processing function because there are no static grasps baked.

OBJECT\_NO\_BAKE: Failed in processing function because a baking process failed / there is no bake at all.

LOAD\_GRASP\_DB\_FAILED: Failed to pass a grasp db file into the library and process it.

SAVE\_GRASP\_DB\_FAILED: Failed to export the internal grasp db to a file.

**UNKNOWN\_AVATAR:** 

AVATAR\_BLOCKED:

ARTICULATION\_SETUP\_FAILED:

NO SENSOR DB:

ARTICULATION\_NO\_CHANGE:

**INVALID\_OBJECT:** 

**AVATAR ALREADY REGISTERED:** 

NO\_GRABER\_WRIST\_FOUND:

INVALID\_FIRST\_GRABBER:

#### VG\_SensorControlFlags

Enum flag to describe what controller signals a sensor should cover.

**POSITION:** Enable wrist position signal **ROTATION:** Enable wrist rotation signal

FINGERS: Enable finger configuration signals

**GRASP:** Enable grasp trigger signal **HAPTICS:** Enable haptics signals

#### VG\_SensorType

Different sensor (or controller) types that can be used by VirtualGrasp. Note only External Controller is supported.

NO\_CONTROLLER: no controller

LEAP: Internal Controller (not supported), Leap motion 3D camera

RAZER\_HYDRA: Internal Controller (not supported), Razer Hydra controllers

INTEL\_REALSENSE: Internal Controller (not supported), Intel Realsense 3D camera

MANUS: Internal Controller (not supported), Manus VR gloves

KNUCKLES: Internal Controller (not supported), Valve Knuckles controller

VIVE: Internal Controller (not supported), HTC Vive controllers, supported through OpenVR

OCULUS\_TOUCH\_OPENVR: Internal Controller (not supported), Oculus Touch controllers, supported through

OpenVR

VIVE\_TRACKER: Internal Controller (not supported), A ViveTracker

OCULUS\_TOUCH\_OVR: Internal Controller (not supported), Oculus Touch controllers, through OculusVR.

EXTERNAL\_CONTROLLER: External Controller, customized controller

BEBOP: Internal Controller (not supported), Bebop VR gloves

## VG\_VrButton

Enum for setting which (VR) controller buttons.

TRIGGER: Use the trigger button (usually index finger on the controller) to grasp.

**GRIP:** Use the grip button (usually middle finger on the controller) to grasp.

GRIP\_OR\_TRIGGER: Use both the trigger and the grip button (logical OR) to grasp.

[EVENTS] (Unity API)

### VG\_Controller.OnAvatarSpecificObjectSelectionWeightChanged

This event is invoked when an avatar-specific object selection weight is changed. The event carries the object and avatarID for which the weight has been changed and the new weight.

### VG\_Controller.OnGraspTriggered

This event is invoked in the frame when a hand is starting to grasp an object. The VG\_HandStatus it carries includes more information about the interaction.

### VG\_Controller.OnObjectCollided

This event is invoked when a grasped object is colliding with another object. The VG\_HandStatus it carries includes more information about the interaction.

### VG\_Controller.OnObjectDeselected

This event is invoked in the frame when a hand is starting to deselect an object. The VG\_HandStatus it carries includes more information about the interaction.

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## VG\_Controller.OnObjectFullyReleased

This event is invoked in the frame when an object is fully release by all hands. The HandStatus it carries is the last hand that releases the object.

#### VG\_Controller.OnObjectGrasped

This event is invoked in the frame when a hand has fully grasped an object. The VG\_HandStatus it carries includes more information about the interaction.

### VG\_Controller.OnObjectJointChanged

This event is invoked when an object's articulation / joint is changed. The VG\_Articulation it carries includes more information about the joint.

#### VG\_Controller.OnObjectJointChangedOnJointConfig

This event is invoked when an object's articulation / joint is changed. The VG\_ObjectJointConfig carries the new joint configuration after joint change.

#### VG\_Controller.OnObjectPushStopped

This event is invoked in the frame when a hand releases push on an object. The VG\_HandStatus it carries includes more information about the interaction.

### VG\_Controller.OnObjectPushed

This event is invoked in the frame when a hand pushing an object. The VG\_HandStatus it carries includes more information about the interaction.

### VG\_Controller.OnObjectReleased

This event is invoked in the frame when a hand is starting to release an object. The VG\_HandStatus it carries includes more information about the interaction.

### VG\_Controller.OnObjectSelected

This event is invoked in the frame when a hand is starting to select an object. The VG\_HandStatus it carries includes more information about the interaction.

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### VG\_Controller.OnObjectSelectionWeightChanged

This event is invoked when an object's selection weight is changed. The event carries the object for which the weight has been changed and the new weight.

## **OBJECT\_SELECTION\_API**

(Unity API)

### VG\_Controller.ChangeObjectJoint

Change a set of parameters of an object's joint in runtime.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to change the object joint parameters.

VG\_JointType jointType: The new joint type.

VG\_MotionType motionType: The new motion type specifying if motion should be limited or free.

**Transform anchorTransform:** The new anchor transform.

Vector2 limit: The new limit of the new joint type. For planar joint this is the limit along xaxis of the anchor transform.

float screwRate: The new screw rate (>=0, in cm per degree) for revolute joint.

Vector2 limit2: The new limit along y-axis of the anchor transform for planar joint.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Remark: If screwRate is set to 0 then rotating of revolute object will not move object position along the joint axis.

Remark: Recommend to use this in LateUpdate to guarantee object pose is in sync with VirtualGrasp library.

<u>Remark:</u> Should not be called on a Game Object that has [RequireComponent(typeof(Rigidbody))] attribute since VG needs to destroy Rigidbody when change to constrained joint type.

### VG\_Controller.ChangeObjectJoint

Change an object's joint and all other articulation parameters in runtime.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to change the joint for.

**VG\_Articulation articulation:** An articulation describing the new articulation parameters.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Remark: Recommend to use this in LateUpdate to guarantee object pose is in sync with VirtualGrasp library.

Remark: Should not be called on a Game Object that has [RequireComponent(typeof(Rigidbody))] attribute since VG needs to destroy Rigidbody when change to constrained joint type.

### VG\_Controller.ClearAvatarSpecificObjectSelectionWeights

Clear all avatar specific object selection weights.

int avatarID: The avatar id

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

#### VG\_Controller.GetAvatarSpecificObjectSelectionWeight

Returns the avatar specific object selection weight of an object for interaction.

int avatarID: The avatar id

**Transform obj:** Which object to specify weight **out float weight:** The corresponding weight

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Remark: Note by default this weight is equal to the object's selection weight for all avatars.

Remark: Use case is mainly to specify relative selection preferences for cluttered objects.

#### VG\_Controller.GetGraspButton

Return the currently selected GraspButton.

#### VG\_Controller.GetGraspingAvatars

Return the avatar/hand pairs that are currently grasping a specified object.

**Transform objectToCheck:** The object to be checked if it is currently grasped.

**out List<KeyValuePair<int, VG\_HandSide>> hands:** An output list of avatar-hand-side-pairs describing which hands are currently grasping that object.

returns int: Number of hands grasping the object.

### VG\_Controller.GetObjectJointState

Get the current joint state of a single-dof articulated object. For planar joint, the joint state along x-axis of the joint anchor.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to get the current joint state value for.

out float jointState: The returned joint state. Will be set to 0.0f upon error

**returns** VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call. when selectedObject is null, or VG\_ReturnCode.DLL\_FUNCTION\_FAILED on an unexpected error.

### VG\_Controller.GetObjectJointType

Get object's original or current joint type.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to get the current joint state value for.

**bool original:** If true, get the original joint type, otherwise the current type.

out VG\_JointType jointType: The returned joint type. Will be set to FLOATING upon error.

**returns** VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call. when selectedObject is null, or VG\_ReturnCode.DLL\_FUNCTION\_FAILED on an unexpected error.

### VG\_Controller.GetObjectSecondaryJointState

Get the current secondary joint state along y-axis of joint anchor for planar articulated object.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to get the current joint state value for.

out float secondaryJointState: The returned secondary joint state. Will be set to 0.0f upon error.

**returns** <u>VG\_ReturnCode</u>: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call. when selectedObject is null, or VG\_ReturnCode.DLL\_FUNCTION\_FAILED on an unexpected error.

## VG\_Controller.GetObjectSelectionWeight

Returns the object selection weight for grasping interaction.

Transform obj: Which object to specify weight

out float weight: The corresponding weight

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Remark: Note by default this weight is 1 for all objects.

Remark: Use case is mainly to specify relative selection preferences for cluttered objects.

### VG\_Controller.GetObjectZeroPose

Receive the zero pose of the object or its joint anchor.

int objectID: The avatar to get the zero pose.

**out Vector3 p:** The returned position.

out Quaternion q: The returned rotation.

bool isJointAnchor: Set True (default) to get zero pose of object's joint center (anchor)s, and False to return the zero

pose of object.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

#### VG\_Controller.GetSelectableObjects

Return all interactable objects.

bool excludeHidden: If to exclude objects that have been hidden in the scene.

bool excludeUntagged: If to exclude objects that have been untagged in the scene.

returns IEnumerable<Transform>: All interactable objects in the scene.

### VG\_Controller.GetSelectableObjectsFromScene

Return all interactable objects from the editor scene.

bool excludeHidden: If to exclude objects that have been hidden in the scene.

bool excludeUntagged: If to exclude objects that have been untagged in the scene.

returns List<Transform>: All interactable objects in the editor scene.

#### VG\_Controller.GetSensorPose

Receive the sensor pose of a given avatar and hand.

int avatarID: The avatar to get the pose from.

VG\_HandSide handSide: The hand side to get the pose from.

out Vector3 p: The returned position.

out Quaternion q: The returned rotation.

bool absolute: Set True (default) to return the absolute pose, and False to return the relative pose.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

### VG\_Controller.GetUnbakedObjects

Return all unbaked objects.

returns List<Transform>: A list of all unbaked objects in the scene as Unity Transforms.

#### VG\_Controller.IsLiftingObject

Check if an object with simulated weight is at the phase of "heavy lifting"

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to check if is in lifting phase.

returns bool: If the object is currently in lifting phase.

Remark: If true object is interpolating towards sensor controlled position.

#### VG\_Controller.JumpGraspObject

Specify an object to be grasped by a hand no matter how far the object is.

int avatarID: The avatar id

VG\_HandSide handSide: The side of the hand

Transform obj: The transform of the object that will be grasped by this hand

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

<u>Remark:</u> Recommend to use "Jump Primary Grasp" interaction type on the object since otherwise dynamically generated grasp can be unnatural due to suboptimal hand placement.

### VG\_Controller.RecoverObjectJoint

Recover an object's original joint, after it has been changed by ChangeObjectJoint().

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to recover the joint for.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Remark: Recommend to use this in LateUpdate to guarantee object pose is in sync with VirtualGrasp library.

### VG\_Controller.SetAvatarSpecificObjectSelectionWeight

Specify the avatar specific object selection weight of an object for interaction.

int avatarID: The avatar id

Transform obj: Which object to specify weight

**float weight:** Should be >=0 value to specify the preferences to select this object. If 0 exclude this object in selection process

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Remark: Note by default this weight is equal to the object's selection weight for all avatars.

Remark: Use case is mainly to specify different grasp preferences for avatars e.g. master vs. student grasp abilities.

#### VG\_Controller.SetDualHandsOnly

Set if an object can only be manipulated by two or more hands from same or different avatars.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to change the dual hand type for.

bool dualHandsOnly: If dual hand only.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

#### VG\_Controller.SetGraspButton

Set the currently selected GraspButton.

#### VG\_Controller.SetObjectJointState

Set the current joint to desired state for a single-dof articulated object or planar joint object.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to set the joint state value for.

float jointState: The target joint state. If exceed joint limit will be constrained within limit.

float jointState2: The target secondary joint state for Planar joint. If exceed joint limit will be constrained within limit. returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call. <remarks> After once this is called on object that are grasped by a hand, this will turn off hand control on the object pose. The hand control on this object will be allowed again when either release grasp on this object or call StopSettingObjectJointState()</re>

### VG\_Controller.SetObjectSelectionWeight

Specify the object selection weights for grasping interaction.

Transform obj: Which object to specify weight

**float weight:** Should be >=0 value to specify the preferences to select this object. If 0 exclude this object in selection process

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Remark: Note by default this weight is 1 for all objects.

Remark: Use case is mainly to specify different grasp preferences for avatars e.g. master vs. student grasp abilities.

### VG\_Controller.SetSimulatedWeight

Set simulated weight for an object (physical or not) to simulate heavy lifting effect when grasped.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to change the dual hand type for.

**float simulatedWeight:** The weight (kg) that determines the "delayed" effect of heavy lifting. If 0 means no delay to pick up.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

## $VG\_Controller. Stop Setting Object Joint State$

Stop setting the current joint to desired state for a single-dof articulated object or planar joint object.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to set the joint state value for.

**returns** <u>VG\_ReturnCode</u>: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call. <remarks> Should call this function to enable hand control on object pose after SetObjectJointState is finished. </remarks>

### VG\_Controller.SwitchGraspObject

Instantaneously switch the grasped object to specified object in the function.

int avatarID: The avatar id

VG\_HandSide handSide: The side of the hand

Transform obj: The transform of the object to switch to grasp

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

<u>Remark:</u> Recommend to use "Jump Primary Grasp" interaction type on the object since otherwise dynamically generated grasp can be unnatural due to suboptimal hand placement.

#### VG\_Controller.TogglePrimaryGraspOnObject

Instantaneously switch the grasped object, and continuously calling also toggle through primary grasps on this object.

int avatarID: The avatar id

VG\_HandSide handSide: The side of the hand

**Transform obj:** The transform of the object to switch to grasp and toggle primary grasps.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

<u>Remark:</u> The specified object should have JUMP\_PRIMARY\_GRASP interaction type and has added primary grasps in the grasp db.

## VIRTUALGRASP\_CONTROLLER\_FUNCTIONS

(Unity API)

### VG\_Controller.Clear

Reset the plugin.

#### VG\_Controller.GetAvatarID

Get the AvatarID of the given skinned mesh renderer

out int avatarID: The returned AvatarID.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode.SUCCESS on successful avatar id fetch, or

VG\_ReturnCode.INVALID\_AVATAR if avatar is null.

#### VG\_Controller.GetHand

Receive a specific hand and its status.

int avatarID: The avatar to get the hand status for.

VG\_HandSide side: The hand side to get the avatar from.

returns VG\_HandStatus: A VG\_HandStatus.

#### VG\_Controller.GetHand

Receive a specific hand and its status.

**Transform wrist:** The wrist transform corresponding to the gueried hand status.

returns VG\_HandStatus: A VG\_HandStatus.

#### VG\_Controller.GetHands

Receive an enumerator of all registered hands and their status.

returns List<VG\_HandStatus>: Enumerator over VG\_HandStatus.

#### VG\_Controller.GetSensorControlledAvatarID

Get the AvatarID of the sensor controlled avatar when the avatar represents both left and right hands.

out int avatarID: The returned AvatarID. Will be set to -1 upon error.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode.SUCCESS on successful avatar id fetch, or

VG\_ReturnCode.DLL\_FUNCTION\_FAILED on an unexpected error.

Remark: No guarantee on returning the one that was first sensor controlled avatar

### VG\_Controller.GetSensorControlledAvatarID

Get the AvatarID(s) of the sensor controlled avatar(s) when each avatar represents both hand sides or just one hand side. If the avatar represents both hand sides then avatarIDLeft and avatarIDRight are identical.

**out int avatarIDLeft:** The ID of sensor avatar that include left hand. Will be set to -1 upon error or if there is no sensor avatar representing left hand.

**out int avatarIDRight:** The ID of sensor avatar that include right hand. Will be set to -1 upon error or if there is no sensor avatar representing right hand.

#### VG\_Controller.Initialize

Initialize the plugin.

#### VG\_Controller.IsEnabled

Check if the plugin has been initialized and is ready to use.

### VG\_Controller.IsolatedUpdate

The Update() method has been divided into three parts: IsolatedUpdateDataIn(), IsolatedUpdate() and IsolatedUpdateDataOut() for application of the Burst compiler. IsolatedUpdate() runs the main update loop in VG.

### VG\_Controller.IsolatedUpdateDataIn

The FixedUpdate() method has been divided into three parts: IsolatedUpdateDataIn(), IsolatedUpdate() and IsolatedUpdateDataOut() for application of the Burst compiler. IsolatedUpdateDataIn() isolates data communication from Unity to VG.

### VG\_Controller.IsolatedUpdateDataOut

The Update() method has been divided into three parts: IsolatedUpdateDataIn(), IsolatedUpdate() and IsolatedUpdateDataOut() for application of the Burst compiler. IsolatedUpdateDataOut() isolates data communication from VG to Unity.

### VG\_Controller.RegisterRemoteAvatar

Register a new remote avatar during runtime.

**SkinnedMeshRenderer avatar:** The skinned mesh renderer of the model that should be registered to VG.

out int id: The new avatar ID will be assigned to this value after registration; -1 if it failed.

VG\_HandProfile handProfile: Optional, provide the hand profile for this avatar registration.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

#### VG\_Controller.RegisterReplayAvatar

Register a new avatar during runtime.

SkinnedMeshRenderer avatar: The skinned mesh renderer of the model that should be registered to VG.

out int id: The new avatar ID will be assigned to this value after registration; -1 if it failed.

**VG\_HandProfile handProfile:** Optional, provide the hand profile for this avatar registration.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

#### VG\_Controller.RegisterSensorAvatar

Register a new avatar during runtime. Single sensor controlling each hand.

SkinnedMeshRenderer avatar: The skinned mesh renderer of the model that should be registered to VG.

out int id: The new avatar ID will be assigned to this value after registration; -1 if it failed.

VG\_SensorSetup primarySetup: The primary sensor setup used to control the avatar.

**VG\_HandProfile** HandProfile: Optional, provide the hand profile for this avatar registration.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

### VG\_Controller.RegisterSensorAvatar

Register a new avatar during runtime. Double sensor for each hand.

SkinnedMeshRenderer avatar: The skinned mesh renderer of the model that should be registered to VG.

out int id: The new avatar ID will be assigned to this value after registration; -1 if it failed.

VG\_SensorSetup primarySetup: The primary sensor setup used to control the avatar.

**VG\_SensorSetup secondarySetup:** The secondary sensor setup used to control the avatar.

VG\_HandProfile handProfile: Optional, provide the hand profile for this avatar registration.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

#### VG\_Controller.Release

Release the plugin.

### VG\_Controller.SaveState

Save the object hierarchy debug state. This is done automatically when closing VirtualGrasp.

#### VG\_Controller.SetAvatarMirrorHandControl

Set for a sensor avatar if has mirror hand control

int avatarID: The id of the avatar to be unregistered.

bool mirrorHand: Specify if sensor will control avatar hand of the opposite side.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

#### VG\_Controller.SetRecordingStatesOnAvatar

Set if use the avatar for recording response states during sensor recording or replay.

int avatarID: The avatar id.

bool recordingStates: If use this avatar to record response states in sensor db.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

<u>Remark:</u> When recordingStates is true, if avatar is used for sensor recording, then recording will also include response states, while if avatar is used for replay sensor db, then replay will update response states in the sensor db.

### VG\_Controller.UnRegisterAvatar

Unregister avatar during runtime.

int avatarID: The id of the avatar to be unregistered.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

### VG\_Controller.new

The event to call when we have successfully initialized the library.

#### VG\_Controller.new

This event is invoked in the update loop before VG runs its update. Thus, all other scripts that should update before the VG cycle should listen to this event.

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## RECORDING\_INTERFACE\_API

(Unity API)

### VG\_Controller.CollectRecording

Collect recording sensor data.

out VG\_Recording recording: [output] vg sensor recording.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_Recorder

### VG\_Controller.CollectRecording

Collect recording sensor data.

out byte[] recording: [output] byte array containing the sensor recording.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_Recorder

### VG\_Controller.GetReplayAvatarID

Get the AvatarID of the replay avatar when the avatar represents both left and right hands.

out int avatarID: The returned AvatarID. Will be set to -1 upon error.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Remark: No guarantee on returning the one that was first registered as replay avatar

### VG\_Controller.GetReplayAvatarID

Get the AvatarID(s) of the replay avatar(s) when each avatar represents both hand sides or just one hand side. If the avatar represents both hand sides then avatarIDLeft and avatarIDRight are identical.

**out int avatarIDLeft:** The ID of replay avatar that include left hand. Will be set to -1 upon error or if there is no replay avatar representing left hand.

out int avatarIDRight: The ID of replay avatar that include right hand. Will be set to -1 upon error or if there is no replay avatar representing right hand.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

### VG\_Controller.GetReplayStartWristPose

Get the starting wrist poses for full replay of the whole interaction sequence.

int avatarID: The ID of the avatar to play the recording on (note: it has to be an avatar enabled for replay).

**Transform selectedObject:** If provided, the entire sensor recording will transformed in to object's frame. If not, in global frame.

out Vector3 p\_left: The position of the left wrist.

**out Quaternion q\_left:** The orientation of the left wrist.

out Vector3 p\_right: The position of the right wrist.

out Quaternion q\_right: The orientation of the right wrist.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Remark: LoadRecording need to be called before this to load recorded sensor data.

Remark: SetProcessByRecordedFrame need to be called before this to set this avatar to be enabled for replay.

<u>Tutorial</u>: VG\_Recorder

#### VG\_Controller.IsReplaySuccess

Check if finished replay had identical response as recorded

returns bool: True if replay was identical, False otherwise.

Tutorial: VG\_Recorder

#### VG\_Controller.IsReplaying

Check if a hand is currently replaying a recorded sensor data.

int avatarID: The avatar to check.

VG\_HandSide handSide: The hand to check.returns bool: True if replaying, False otherwise.

Tutorial: VG\_Recorder

### VG\_Controller.IsReplaying

Check if avatar is currently replaying a recorded sensor data.

int avatarID: The avatar to check.

returns bool: True if replaying, False otherwise.

<u>Tutorial</u>: VG\_Recorder

### VG\_Controller.LoadRecording

Load recorded sensor data from a file, but do not start replay

**string fullPath:** The full path to load the recording from.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG Recorder

### VG\_Controller.LoadRecording

Load recorded sensor data from a byte array.

**VG\_Recording recording:** The byte array to load the recording from.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_Recorder

#### VG\_Controller.ResumeReplay

Resume replaying of an avatar.

int avatarID: The ID of the avatar to resume replaying the recording on (note: it has to be an avatar enabled for replay).

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_Recorder

#### VG\_Controller.SaveRecording

Save recording sensor data and store the whole sequence to a file

string fullPath: The full path of the filename to save the recording to.

Tutorial: VG\_Recorder

### VG\_Controller.StartRecording

Start recording sensor data.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_Recorder

### VG\_Controller.StartReplay

Start full replay of the whole interaction sequence on an avatar.

int avatarID: The ID of the avatar to play the recording on (note: it has to be an avatar enabled for replay).

**Transform selectedObject:** If provided, the entire sensor recording will be replayed in this object's frame. If not, in global frame.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_Recorder

### VG\_Controller.StartReplayOnObject

Start replaying a specific interaction segment on one object.

**Transform obj:** The object to play the interaction on.

int avatarID: The avatar to play the interaction with.

VG\_HandSide handSide: The hand to play the interaction with.

int interactionId: The ID of the interaction segment to be played on this object.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_Recorder

### VG\_Controller.StopRecording

Stop recording sensor data.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_Recorder

### VG\_Controller.StopReplay

Stop replay of the recorded interaction sequence on an avatar.

int avatarID: The ID of the avatar to play the recording on (note: it has to be an avatar enabled for replay).

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_Recorder

## GRASP\_EDITOR\_API

(Unity API)

### VG\_Controller.EditGrasp

Call grasp editor functionality on a currently selected object and grasp.

int avatarID: The avatar to call grasp editor functionality on.

VG\_HandSide handSide: The hand side to call grasp editor functionality on.

VG\_EditorAction action: The grasp editor function / action to call.

**Transform obj:** The object to call the action on (if not provided, the object in the hand).

int grasp: The grasp ID to call the action on (if not provided, the current grasp of the hand).

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_GraspStudio

#### VG\_Controller.GetGrasp

Receive a grasp in the grasp DB by index.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to receive a grasp for.

int avatarID: The avatar to receive a grasp for.

VG\_HandSide handSide: The hand side to receive a grasp for.

int graspIndex: The index of grasp to receive.

out Vector3 p: The received wrist position of the grasp.

out Quaternion q: The received wrist orientation of the grasp.

out VG\_GraspType type: The received VG\_GraspType of the grasp.

out VG\_GraspLabel label: The received VG\_GraspLabel of the grasp.

VG\_QueryGraspMode: Can be used to define if and how the grasp should be applied also.

VG\_QueryGraspMethod queryGraspMethod: Can be used to define how the graspIndex should be interpreted.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_GraspStudio

### VG\_Controller.GetInteractionTypeForObject

Get the current interaction type assigned to an object.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to receive the interaction type for.

returns VG\_InteractionType: VG\_InteractionType describing the current interaction type of the object.

#### VG\_Controller.GetNumGraspsInDB

Receive the number of saved grasps in the grasp db for a specific object, and optionally a specified hand.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to get the number of available grasps for.

int avatarID: If a valid avatarID together with handSide, receive only the available grasps for this hand (otherwise all available grasps).

<u>VG\_HandSide</u> handSide: If a valid handSide together with avatarID, receive only the available grasps for this hand (otherwise all available grasps).

returns int: The number of saved grasps in the grasp db for the selected object (either all or for the specified hand).

<u>Tutorial:</u> VG\_HintVisualizer

### VG\_Controller.GetNumPrimaryGraspsInDB

Receive the number of primary grasps in the grasp db for a specific object, and optionally a specified hand.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to get the number of available grasps for.

int avatarID: If a valid avatarID together with handSide, receive only the primary grasps for this hand (otherwise all available grasps).

<u>VG\_HandSide</u> handSide: If a valid handSide together with avatarID, receive only the primary grasps for this hand (otherwise all available grasps).

returns int: The number of primary grasps in the grasp db for the selected object (either all or for the specified hand).

Tutorial: VG\_HintVisualizer

## **GRASP\_SELECTION\_API**

(Unity API)

### VG\_Controller.ForceReleaseObject

Force the release of a grasp.

int avatarID: The avatar to release grasps on all its hands.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

### VG\_Controller.ForceReleaseObject

Force the release of a grasp.

int avatarID: The avatar to release a grasp for.

VG\_HandSide side: The hand which to release the grasp for.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

### VG\_Controller.ForceReleaseObject

Force the release of the selected object by all grasping hands.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to be released.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

#### VG Controller.GetBone

Return the pose (i.e. position and orientation) of a specific bone.

int avatarID: The avatar to get the bone pose from.

**VG\_HandSide** handSide: The hand side to get the bone pose from.

<u>VG\_BoneType</u> boneType: The BoneType to get. out Transform t: The returned pose of the bone.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_HandVisualizer

### VG\_Controller.GetBone

Return the Transform that corresponds to a provided instance ID.

int transformID: The instance ID.

returns Transform: The Transform that corresponds to the transformID.

Tutorial: VG\_HandVisualizer

### VG\_Controller.GetBone

Return the pose (i.e. position and orientation) of a specific bone.

int avatarID: The avatar to get the bone pose from.

VG\_HandSide handSide: The hand side to get the bone pose from.

VG\_BoneType boneType: The BoneType to get.

out int instanceID: The returned ID of the bone transform.

out Vector3 p: The returned position of the bone.

out Quaternion q: The returned rotation of the bone.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_HandVisualizer

#### VG\_Controller.GetBone

Return the pose matrix of a specific bone.

int avatarID: The avatar to get the bone pose from.

VG\_HandSide handSide: The hand side to get the bone pose from.

VG\_BoneType boneType: The BoneType to get.

**out int instanceID:** The returned ID of the bone transform.

out Matrix4x4 m: The returned pose matrix of the bone.

returns Transform: The Unity Transform that corresponds to the requested bone.

Tutorial: VG\_HandVisualizer

#### VG\_Controller.GetCurrentGesture

Query what is the gesture a hand is forming, holding or releasing at the moment.

int avatarID: The avatar to query gesture status for.

VG\_HandSide side: The hand on which to query gesture status.

out VG\_GestureType gesture: Output, the current gesture type the hand is in.

<u>Remark:</u> If gesture output is UNKNOWN\_GESTURETYPE, that means the hand is not forming, holding or releasing any gesture, but at a complete gesture-empty state.

#### VG\_Controller.GetFingerBone

Return the pose of a specific finger bone as a matrix.

int avatarID: The avatar to get the bone pose from.

VG\_HandSide handSide: The hand side to get the bone pose from.

int fingerID: The finger to get the bone pose from (from 0 as thumb to 4 as pinky).

int bonelD: The bone index (from 0 as proximal to N as distal) to get the bone pose from. Use -1 for fingertip.

out int instanceID: The returned ID of the bone transform.

out Matrix4x4 m: The returned pose of the bone.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_HandVisualizer

### VG\_Controller.GetFingerBone

Return the pose of a specific finger bone as a matrix.

Transform wrist: The wrist transform of the hand to get bone pose from.

int fingerID: The finger to get the bone pose from (from 0 as thumb to 4 as pinky).

int bonelD: The bone index (from 0 as proximal to N as distal) to get the bone pose from. Use -1 for fingertip.

out int instanceID: The returned ID of the bone transform.

out Matrix4x4 m: The returned pose of the bone.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_HandVisualizer

#### VG\_Controller.GetFingerBone

Return the pose (i.e. position and orientation) of a specific finger bone.

int avatarID: The avatar to get the bone pose from.

**VG\_HandSide** handSide: The hand side to get the bone pose from.

int fingerID: The finger to get the bone pose from (from 0 as thumb to 4 as pinky).

**int boneID:** The bone index (from 0 as proximal to N as distal) to get the bone pose from. Use -1 for fingertip if there is original rig has no finger tip transform.

out int instanceID: The returned ID of the bone transform.

out Vector3 p: The returned position of the bone.

**out Quaternion q:** The returned rotation of the bone.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_HandVisualizer

### VG\_Controller.GetFingerBone

Return the pose (i.e. position and orientation) of a specific finger bone.

**Transform wrist:** The wrist transform of the hand to get bone pose from.

int fingerID: The finger to get the bone pose from (from 0 as thumb to 4 as pinky).

**int boneID:** The bone index (from 0 as proximal to N as distal) to get the bone pose from. Use -1 for fingertip if there is original rig has no finger tip transform.

out int instanceID: The returned ID of the bone transform.

out Vector3 p: The returned position of the bone.

**out Quaternion q:** The returned rotation of the bone.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_HandVisualizer

#### VG\_Controller.GetFingerBone

Reflect the pose of a specific bone on a Transform.

int avatarID: The avatar to get the bone pose from.

VG\_HandSide handSide: The hand side to get the bone pose from.

int fingerID: The finger to get the bone pose from (from 0 as thumb to 4 as pinky).

**int boneID:** The bone index (from 0 as proximal to N as distal) to get the bone pose from. Use -1 for fingertip if there is original rig has no finger tip transform.

**out Transform t:** The returned pose of the bone.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

Tutorial: VG\_HandVisualizer

### VG\_Controller.MakeGesture

Make a gesture with a hand.

int avatarID: The avatar to make gesture for.

VG\_HandSide side: The hand which to make gesture for.

VG\_GestureType gesture: The gesture to make with the [side] hand of avatar [avatarID].

#### VG\_Controller.ReleaseGesture

Release a gesture on a hand.

int avatarID: The avatar to release a grasp for.

VG\_HandSide side: The hand which to release the grasp for.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

### VG\_Controller.SetBlockReleaseObject

Specify if on all hands of this avatar should block releasing the interaction (grasp or push) with an object or not in runtime.

int avatarID: The avatar to block release for.

**bool block:** If block release signal or not on this avatar.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

### VG\_Controller.SetBlockReleaseObject

Specify if on this hand should block releasing the interaction (grasp or push) with an object or not in runtime.

int avatarID: The avatar to block release for.

VG\_HandSide side: The hand of the avatar to block release for.

**bool block:** If block release signal or not on this hand.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

#### VG\_Controller.SetGlobalInteractionType

Set the global interaction type method. The interaction type defines how the hand and the object should get together during a grasp.

Remark: This will overwrite the specific grasp interaction type (see SetInteractionTypeForObject) for all objects.

**VG\_InteractionType interactionType**: The method to switch to for all objects.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

#### VG\_Controller.SetGlobalThrowAngularVelocityScale

Set the global throw angular velocity scale. The throw angular velocity scale defines how powerful the throw is in terms of rotation movement.

<u>Remark:</u> This will overwrite the specific throw angular velocity scale (see SetThrowAngularVelocityScaleForObject) for all objects.

float throwAngularVelocityScale: The throw angular velocity scale.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

#### VG\_Controller.SetGlobalThrowVelocityScale

Set the global throw velocity scale. The throw velocity scale defines how powerful the throw is in terms of linear movement.

Remark: This will overwrite the specific throw velocity scale (see SetThrowVelocityScaleForObject) for all objects.

float throwVelocityScale: The throw translational velocity scale.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

## VG\_Controller.SetInteractionTypeForObject

Set the interaction type for a selected object. The interaction type defines how the hand and the object should get together during a grasp.

Remark: This will overwrite the global interaction type (see SetGlobalInteractionType) for that object.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to modify the interaction type for.

<u>VG\_InteractionType</u> interactionType: The interaction type to switch to for the object.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

### VG\_Controller.SetInteractionTypeForSelectedObject

Set the interaction type for a selected object. The interaction type defines how the hand and the object should get together during a grasp.

Remark: This will overwrite the global interaction type (see SetGlobalInteractionType) for that object.

int avatarID: The avatar which is selecting an object.

VG\_HandSide side: The hand which is selecting an object.

<u>VG\_InteractionType</u> interactionType: The interaction type to switch to for the object that is selected by the [side] hand of avatar [avatarID].

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

### VG\_Controller.SetThrowAngularVelocityScaleForObject

Set the throw angular velocity scale for a selected object. The throw angular velocity scale defines how powerful the throw is in terms of rotation movement.

<u>Remark:</u> This will overwrite the global throw angular velocity scale (see SetGlobalThrowAngularVelocityScale) for that object.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to modify the throw velocity scale for.

float throwAngularVelocityScale: The throw angular velocity scale.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

### VG\_Controller.SetThrowAngularVelocityScaleForSelectedObject

Set the throw angular velocity scale for a selected object. The throw angular velocity scale defines how powerful the throw is in terms of rotation movement.

<u>Remark:</u> This will overwrite the global throw angular velocity scale (see SetGlobalThrowAngularVelocityScale) for that object.

int avatarID: The avatar which is selecting an object.

VG\_HandSide side: The hand which is selecting an object.

float throwAngularVelocityScale: The throw angular velocity scale.

returns VG\_ReturnCode: VG\_ReturnCode describing the error state of the function call.

### VG\_Controller.SetThrowVelocityScaleForObject

Set the throw velocity scale for a selected object. The throw velocity scale defines how powerful the throw is in terms of linear movement.

Remark: This will overwrite the global throw velocity scale (see SetGlobalThrowVelocityScale) for that object.

**Transform selectedObject:** The object to modify the throw velocity scale for.

float throwVelocityScale: The throw translational velocity scale.

### $VG\_Controller. Set Throw Velocity Scale For Selected Object$

Set the throw velocity scale for a selected object. The throw velocity scale defines how powerful the throw is in terms of linear movement.

Remark: This will overwrite the global throw velocity scale (see SetGlobalThrowVelocityScale) for that object.

int avatarID: The avatar which is selecting an object.

VG\_HandSide side: The hand which is selecting an object.

**float throwVelocityScale:** The throw translational velocity scale.

# SENSOR\_INTERFACE\_API

(Unity API)

### VG\_Controller.GetGrabStrength

Returns the current grab strength of a hand. The grab strength is 0 for a fully open hand, 1 for a fully closed hand.

int avatarID: The avatar to receive the grab strength for.

<u>VG\_HandSide</u> handSide: The hand side to receive the grab strength for.

returns float: The current grab strength of the [side] hand.

## VG\_Controller.GetGrabStrength

Returns the current grab strength of a hand. The grab strength is 0 for a fully open hand, 1 for a fully closed hand.

int wristID: The id of wrist corresponding to the hand to receive the grab strength for.

**returns float:** The current grab strength of the [side] hand.

### VG\_Controller.GetGrabVelocity

Returns the current grab velocity of a hand. The current velocity of the grab strength (see GetGrabStrength), so negative when the hand is opening, and positive when the hand is closing.

int avatarID: The avatar to receive the grab velocity for.

VG\_HandSide handSide: The hand side to receive the grab velocity for.

returns float: The current grab velocity of the [side] hand.

### VG\_Controller.GetPushCircle

Get the push circle for this hand side of an avatar as a visual hint for object selection for push without physics.

int avatarID: The avatar to get the push circle for.

VG\_HandSide handSide: The hand to get the push circle for.

out Vector3 p: The push circle's position.

out Quaternion r: The push circle's rotation (z-axis is normal).

out float radius: Radius of the push circle,

out bool inContact: True if contact (i.e. pushing), False otherwise.

returns Transform: The selected object's Unity Transform, or null if none.

Tutorial: VG\_HintVisualizer

### VG\_Controller.IsMissingSensorData

Check if a hand has invalid sensor data.

int avatarID: The avatar to check for.

VG\_HandSide handSide: The hand side to check for.

returns bool: True if sensor data is invalid, False otherwise.

#### VG\_Controller.SetAvatarActive

Set the active state of the avatar sensor(s) and mesh.

int avatarID: The avatar id.

bool enableSensors: If the sensor(s) that control this hand should be active or not.

bool enableMesh: If the mesh of this hand should be visible or not.

**Vector3 resetPos:** If an avatar is deactivated, hand positions will be reset to here (default (0,0,0)).

#### VG\_Controller.SetCalibrationMode

Enable or disable wrist calibration mode (WCM). During enabled WCM, different ranges of motion of the wrist or grab strength will be calibrated.

Remark: untested

int avatarID: The avatar for which to enable/disable WCM. bool enabled: True for enabling WCM, False for disabling it.

## $VG\_Controller. SetExternal Grab Strength$

Send an external controller grab signal to the plugin (for EXTERNAL\_CONTROLLER sensors).

int avatarID: The avatar to set external sensor pose for.

VG\_HandSide handSide: The hand side to set external sensor pose for.

float strength: The grab strength signal to set.

Tutorial: VG\_ExternalControllerManager

#### VG\_Controller.SetFingerCalibrationMode

Enable or disable finger calibration mode (FCM). During enabled FCM, the hand opening range will be calibrated. After disabling it, grasp and release signals will work in this range.

int avatarID: The avatar for which to enable/disable FCM.

bool enabled: True for enabling FCM, False for disabling it.

#### VG\_Controller.SetSensorActive

Set the active state of the sensor(s) that control the specified hand of an instance avatar.

int avatarID: The avatar id.

VG\_HandSide handSide: The side of the hand (remark: UNKNOWN will not have any effect).

bool active: If the sensor(s) that control this hand should be active or not.

Vector3 resetPos: If a hand is deactivated, its position will be reset to here (default (0,0,0)).

Remark: By default sensors are all active, and this function can be used in runtime to change this.

#### VG\_Controller.SetSensorOffset

Change the sensor offset in runtime. The sensor offset is the offset between the pose that the current sensor is measuring and where the virtual hand is appearing in the scene.

Remark: Also treating left hand (LHS) and right hand (RHS) is considered, so the offset is applied symmetrically.

int avatarID: The avatar to set the offset for.

**VG\_SensorType sensor:** The sensor type to change the offset for.

Vector3? position: The offset position. Set to null if position should not be modified.

Vector3? rotation: The offset rotation. Set to null if rotation should not be modified.