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# 1 Main Page

ofxCX (hereafter referred to as CX) is a "total conversion mod" for openFrameworks (often abbreviated oF) that is designed to be used used for creating psychology experiments.

The most well-organized way to access the documentation is go to the Modules page. The best way to get an overview of how CX works is to look at the Examples and Tutorials.

To learn about presenting visual stimuli, go to the Video page.

To learn about auditory stimuli, go to the Sound page.

To learn how to store and output experiment data, see the Data page.

To learn about random number generation, see the Randomization page.

To learn about how CX logs errors and other runtime information, see the Error Logging page.

### 1.1 Installation

In order to use CX, you must have openFrameworks installed. See http://openframeworks.cc/download/to download openFrameworks. On that page, you can algo find installation guides for some of the most popular development environments. Currently only version 0.8.0 of openFrameworks is supported by CX.

Once you have installed openFrameworks, you can install CX by putting the contents of the CX repository into a subdirectory under openFrameworksDirectory/addons (typically openFrameworksDirectory/addons/ofxCX), where open-FrameworksDirectory is where you put openFramworks when you installed it.

To use CX in a project, use the openFrameworks project generator and select ofxCX as an addon. The project generator can be found in openFrameworksDirectory/projectGenerator.

In order to use the examples, do the following:

1. Use the oF project generator (in openFrameworksDirectory/projectGenerator) to create a new project that uses the ofxCX addon.

- 2. Go to the newly-created project directory (that you chose when creating the project in step 1) and go into the src subdirectory.
- 3. Delete all of the files in the src directory (main.cpp, testApp.h, and testApp.cpp). 4a. Copy the example .cpp file into this directory. 4b. If the example has a data folder, copy the contents of that folder into yourProject-Directory/bin/data. bin/data folders probably won't exist at this point. You can create them.
- 4. This step depends on your compiler, but you'll need to tell it to use the example source file that you copied in step 4a when it compiles the project (and possibly to specifically not use the files you deleted from the src directory in step 3).
- 5. Compile and run the project.

# 1.2 Examples and Tutorials

There are several examples that serve as tutorials for CX. Some of the examples are on a specific topic and others are sample experiments that integrate together different features of CX. The example files can be found in the CX directory (see Installation) in subfolders with names beginning with "example-".

#### **Tutorials:**

- soundObject Tutorial covering a number of things that you can do with CX\_SoundObjects, including loading sound files, combining sounds, and playing them.
- dataFrame Tutorial covering use of CX\_DataFrame, which is a container for storing data that is collected in an
  experiment.
- logging Tutoral explaining how the error logging system of CX works and how you can use it in your experiments.

### **Experiments:**

- basicChangeDetection A very straightforward change-detection task demonstrating some of the features of CX like presentation of time-locked stimuli, keyboard response collection, and use of the CX\_RandomNumber-Generator.
- advancedChangeDetection This example expands on basicChangeDetection, including CX\_DataFrame and C-X TrialController in order to simplify the experiment.
- nBack Demonstrates advanced use of CX\_SlidePresenter in the implementation of an N-Back task.

# Misc.:

- helloWorld A very basic getting started program.
- animation A simple example of the most simple way to draw moving things in CX. Also includes some mouse stuff: cursor movement, clicks, and scroll wheel activity.
- renderingTest Includes several examples of how to draw stuff using ofPath (arbitrary lines), ofTexture (a kind of pixel buffer), ofImage (for opening image files: .png, .jpg, etc.), a variety of basic oF drawing functions (ofCircle, ofRect, ofTriangle, etc.), and a number of CX drawing functions from the CX::Draw namespace.

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# 2 Blocking Code

Blocking code is code that either takes a long time to complete or that waits until some event occurs before allowing code execution to continue. An example of blocking code that waits is

```
do {
    Input.pollEvents();
} while (Input.Keyboard.availbleEvents() == 0);
```

This code waits until the keyboard has been used in some way. No code past it can be executed until the keyboard is used, which could take a long time. Any code that blocks while waiting for a human to do something is blocking.

An example of blocking code that takes a long time (or at least could take a long time) is

```
vector<double> d = CX::Util::sequence<double>(0, 1000000, .033);
```

which requires the allocation of about 300 MB of RAM. This code doesn't wait for anything to happen, it just takes a long time to execute.

Blocking code is potentially harmful because it prevents some parts of CX from working in some situations. It is not a cardinal sin and there are times when using blocking code is acceptable. However, blocking code should not be used when trying to present stimuli or when responses are being made. The reason for this is that CX expects to be able to repeatedly check information related to stimulus presentation and input at very short intervals (at least every millisecond), but that cannot happen if a piece of code is blocking. There is of course an exception to the "no blocking while waiting for responses" rule, which is when your blocking code is doing nothing but waiting for a response and constantly polling for user input. For example, the following code waits until any response is made:

```
while(!Input.pollEvents())
:
```

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# 4 Program Model

#### **Program Flow**

One of the foundational aspects of CX is the design of the overall program flow, which includes things such as how responses are collected, how stimuli are drawn to the screen, and other similar concepts. The best way to learn about program flow is to examine the examples. The examples cover most of the critical topics and introduce the major components of CX.

The most important thing to understand is that in CX, nothing happens that your code does not explicitly ask for, with the exception of a small amount of setup, which is discussed below (see Pre-experiment Setup). For example, CX does not magically collect and timestamp user responses for you. Your code must poll for user input in order to get timestamps for input. This is explained more in the input section. In CX, there is no code running in the background that makes everything work out for your experiment, you have to design your experiment in such a way that you are covering all of your bases. That said, CX is specifically designed to make doing that as easy and painless as possible, while still giving you as much control over your experiment as is reasonably possible.

#### Internals/Attributions

CX is not a monolithic entity. It is based on a huge amount of open source software written by many different authors over the years. Clearly, CX is based on openFrameworks, but openFramworks itself is based on many different libraries.

Window handling, which involves creating a window that can be rendered to and receiving user input events from the operating system, is managed by GLFW (http://www.glfw.org/). The actual rendering is visual stimuli is done using OpenGL (http://www.opengl.org/), which is wrapped by several openFrameworks abstractions (e.g. of-GLProgrammableRenderer at a lower level, e.g. ofPath at the level at which a typical user would use).

Audio is processed in different ways depending on the type of audio player used. CX\_SoundObjectPlayer wraps CX\_SoundStream which wraps RtAudio (https://www.music.mcgill.ca/~gary/rtaudio/). If you are using ofSoundPlayer, depending on your operating system it might eventually use FMOD on Windows or OSx (http-://www.fmod.org/; although the openFrameworks maintainers are considering moving away from FMOD) or OpenAL on Linux (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/OpenAL). However, you should check that this information is correct.

There are other libraries that are a part of openFrameworks that I am not as familiar with, including Poco (http-://pocoproject.org/), which provides a variety of very useful utility functions and networking, FreeType (http-://www.freetype.org/) which does font rendering, and many others.

CX would not have been possible without the existence of these high-quality open-source projects.

## Overriding openFrameworks

Although CX is technically an addon to openFrameworks, there are a number of ways in which CX hijacks normal of functionality in order to work better. As such, you cannot assume that all of functionality is available to you.

Generally, drawing visual stimuli using oF classes and functions is fully supported. See the renderingTest example to see a pletora of ways to put things on the screen.

Audio output using ofSoundPlayer is supported, although no timing guarantees are made. Prefer CX::CX\_SoundObject-Player.

The input events (e.g. ofEvents().mousePressed) technically work, but with two serious limitations. 1) The events only fire when CX\_InputManager::pollEvents() is called (which internally calls glfwPollEvents() to actually kick off the events firing). 2) The standard oF events do not have timestamps, which limits their usefulness.

The following functions' behavior is superseded by functionality provided by CX\_Display (see also CX::Instances::-Display): ofGetFrameNum() is replaced by CX\_Display::getFrameNumber() ofGetLastFrameTime() is replaced by CX\_Display::getLastSwapTime()

The following functions do nothing: ofGetFrameRate(), ofSetFrameRate(), ofGetTargetFrameRate()

A variety of behaviors related to ofBaseApp do not function because CX is not based on a class derived from ofBaseApp nor does it use ofRunApp() to begin the program. For example, a standard oF app class should have steup(), update(), and draw() functions that will be called by oF during program execution. CX has a different model that is not as object-oriented (at least at some levels).

#### **Pre-experiment Setup**

There is very little that CX does without you asking for it. The one major exception is pre-experiment setup, in which a number of basic operations are performed in order to set up a platform on which the rest of the experiment can run. The most significant step is to open a window and set up the OpenGL rendering environment. The main pseudorandom number generator (CX::Instances::RNG) is seeded. The logging system is prepared for use. The main clock (CX::Instances::Clock) is prepared for use.

#### **Input Timing**

The way user input is handled by CX is easily explained by giving the process of receiving a mouse click. Assume that a CX program is running in a window. The user clicks inside of the window. At this point, the operating system (or at least

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the windowing subsystem of the operating system, but I will choose to conflate them) detects that the click has occured and notes that the location of the click is within the window. The operating system then attempts to tell the program that a mouse click has occured. In order to be notified about input events like mouse click, the program has previously set up a message queue for incoming messages from the operating system. The OS puts the mouse event into the message queue. In order for the program to find out about the message it needs to check to message queue. This is what happens when CX::CX\_InputManager::pollEvents() is called: The message queue is checked and all messages in the queue are processed, given timestamps, and routed to the next queue (e.g. the message queue in CX::CX\_Mouse that is accessed with CX::CX\_Mouse::availableEvents() and CX::CX\_Mouse::getNextEvent()). The timestamps are not given by the operating system\*, so if pollEvents is not called regularly, input events will be received and everything will appear to be working correctly, but the timestamps will be wrong.

Of course, the actual process extends all the way back to the input device itself. The user presses the button and the microcontroller in the input device senses that a button has been pressed. It places this button press event into its outgoing message queue. At the next polling interval (typically 1 ms), the USB host controller on the computer polls the device for messages, discovers that a message is waiting and copies the message to the computer. At some point, the operating system checks to see if the USB host controller has received messages from any devices. It discovers the message and moves the message into the message queue of the program. At each step in which the message moves from one message queue to the next, the data contained in the message likely changes a little. At the start in the mouse, the message might just be "button 1 pressed". At the next step in the USB host controller, the message might be "input device 1 (type is mouse) button 1 pressed". Once the operating system gets the message it might be "mouse button 1 pressed while cursor at (367, 200) relative to clicked window". Eventually, the message gets into the message queue that users of CX work with, in CX::CX\_Mouse, for example.

This process sounds very long and complicated, suggesting that it might take a long time to complete, throwing off timing data. That is true: Input timing data collected by CX is not veridical, there are invariably delays, including non-systematic delays. However, there are several steps in the process that no experiment software can get around, so the problems with timing data are not unique to CX. It might be possible to write a custom driver for the mouse or keyboard that allows the software to bypass the operating system's message queue, but it is very difficult to avoid the USB hardware delays, which can be on the order of milliseconds for many kinds of standard input devices. The next layer of the problem is that we are really interested in response time to a specific stimulus, but the time at which the stimulus was actually presented may be misreported by audio or video hardware/software, so even if the response timestamp had no error whatsoever, when it is compared with the stimulus presentation time, the response latency would be wrong due to errors in measures stimulus presentation time. Based on this large set of problems with collecting accurate response latency data, it is my firm belief that the only way to accurately measure response latency is with a button box that measures actual stimulus onset time with a light or sound sensor and also measures the time of a button press or other response. If you don't use such a system, the expectation is that you simply allow any error in response latencies to be dealt with statistically. Typically, any systematic error in response times will be subtracted out when conditions are compared with one another. Any random error will simply slightly inflate the estimated variance, but probably not to any meaningful extent.

If you would like to learn more about the internals of how input is handled in CX, you can see how GLFW and open-Framworks manage input by examining the source code in the respective repositories.

\*Technically, on Windows the messages that are given to a program do have a timestamp. However, the documentation doesn't actually say what the timestamp represents. My searching turns up the suggestion that it is a timestamp in milliseconds from system boot, but that the timestamp is set using the GetTickCount function, which typically has worse than 10 ms precision. This makes the timestamp attached to the message of very little value. See this page for documentation of what information comes with a Windows message: http://msdn.microsoft.com/en-us/library/windows/desktop/ms644958%28v=vs.85%29.aspx. The only page on which I actually found a definition of what the time member stores is this page http://msdn.-microsoft.com/en-us/library/aa929818.aspx, which gives information pertaining to Windows Mobile 6.5, which is an obsolete smartphone operating system.

## **Stimulus Timing**

Although the kinds of error introduced into response time data can often be dealt with statistically, errors in stimulus presentation can be more serious. For example, if a visual stimulus is systematically presented for an extra frame throughout an experiment, then the method of the experiment has been altered without the experimenter learning about the alteration. Even if the extra frame does not always happen, on average participants are seeing more of that stimulus than they should be. An error on the magnitude of an extra frame is nearly impossible to detect by eye in most cases, so it is important that there is some way to detect errors in stimulus presentation. The primary method of presenting time-locked visual stimuli is the CX\_SlidePresenter. It has built in error-detection features that pick up on certain kinds of errors. Information about presentation errors can be found by using CX::CX\_SlidePresenter::checkForPresentation-Errors().

Although it is nice to be made aware of errors when they occur, it is better to not have the errors happen in the first place. For this reason, stimulus presentation in CX is designed around avoiding errors. For visual stimuli, the CX\_SlidePresenter provides a very easy-to-use way to present visual stimuli. Because the interface is so simple, user error is minimized. The backend code of the CX\_SlidePresenter is designed to minimize the potential for timing errors by carefully tracking the passage of time, monitor refreshes, and timing of stimulus rendering.

On the audio front, CX provides the CX\_SoundObjectPlayer, which plays CX::CX\_SoundObject "CX\_SoundObjects". If several sounds are to be presented in a time-locked sequence, playing the sounds individually at their intended onset time can result in unequal startup delays for each sound, but if all of the sounds are combined together into a single audio buffer this possibility is eliminated. CX\_SoundObjects are designed to make combining multiple sound stimuli together easy, which helps to prevent timing errors that could have otherwise occurred between sounds. CX also includes CX\_SoundStream, which provides a method for directly acessing and manipulating the contents of audio buffers that are received from or sent to audio hardware.

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# 11.1 Data

## Classes

- class CX::CX\_DataFrame
- class CX::CX\_DataFrameColumn
- class CX::CX\_DataFrameRow
- class CX::CX\_DataFrameCell

# 11.1.1 Detailed Description

This module is related to storing experimental data. CX\_DataFrame is the most important class in this module.

# 11.2 Entry Point

#### **Functions**

void runExperiment (void)

#### **Variables**

- CX\_Display CX::Instances::Display
- CX\_InputManager CX::Instances::Input
- CX Logger CX::Instances::Log
- CX\_RandomNumberGenerator CX::Instances::RNG

### 11.2.1 Detailed Description

The entry point provides access to a few instances of classes that can be used by user code. It also provides declarations (but not definitions) of a function which the user should define (see <a href="runExperiment">runExperiment</a>()).

#### 11.2.2 Function Documentation

```
11.2.2.1 runExperiment (void)
```

The user code should define a function with this name and type signature (takes no arguments and returns nothing). This function will be called once setup is done for CX. When runExperiment returns, the program will exit.

# 11.2.3 Variable Documentation

# 11.2.3.1 CX::CX\_Display CX::Instances::Display

An instance of CX::CX\_Display that is lightly hooked into the CX backend. setup() is called for Display before run-Experiment() is called.

```
11.2.3.2 CX::CX_InputManager CX::Instances::Input
```

An instance of CX\_InputManager that is very lightly hooked into the CX backend.

```
11.2.3.3 CX_Logger CX::Instances::Log
```

This is an instance of CX::CX\_Logger that is hooked into the CX backend. All log messages generated by CX and openFrameworks go through this instance.

```
11.2.3.4 CX::CX RandomNumberGenerator CX::Instances::RNG
```

An instance of CX RandomNumberGenerator that is (lightly) hooked into the CX backend.

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# 11.3 Error Logging

#### Classes

· class CX::CX\_Logger

#### **Enumerations**

enum CX::CX\_LogLevel {
 LOG\_ALL, LOG\_VERBOSE, LOG\_NOTICE, LOG\_WARNING,
 LOG\_ERROR, LOG\_FATAL\_ERROR, LOG\_NONE }

- 11.3.1 Detailed Description
- 11.3.2 Enumeration Type Documentation

11.3.2.1 enum CX::CX\_LogLevel [strong]

Log levels for log messages. Depending on the log level chosen, the name of the level will be printed before the message. Depending on the settings set using level(), levelForConsole(), or levelForFile(), if the log level of a message is below the level set for the module or logging target it will not be printed. For example, if LOG\_ERROR is the level for the console and LOG\_NOTICE is the level for the module "test", then messages logged to the "test" module will be completely ignored if at verbose level (because of the module setting) and will not be printed to the console if they are below the level of an error (because of the console setting).

# 11.4 Input Devices

#### Classes

- class CX::CX\_InputManager
- class CX::CX\_Joystick
- · class CX::CX\_Keyboard
- class CX::CX\_Mouse

# 11.4.1 Detailed Description

There are a number of different classes that together perform the input handling functions of CX. Start by looking at CX::CX\_InputManager and the instance of that class that is created for you: CX::Instances::Input.

For interfacing with serial ports, use of Serial (http://www.openframeworks.cc/documentation/communication/of-Serial.html).

#### See Also

CX::CX\_InputManager for the primary interface to input devices.

CX::CX\_Keyboard for keyboard specific information.

CX::CX\_Mouse for mouse specific information.

CX::CX Joystick for joystick specific information.

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# 11.5 Randomization

# Classes

• class CX::CX\_RandomNumberGenerator

# 11.5.1 Detailed Description

This module provides a class that is used for random number generation.

# 11.6 Sound

# Namespaces

• CX::Synth

## Classes

- class CX::CX\_SoundObjectRecorder
- class CX::CX\_SoundObject
- class CX::CX\_SoundObjectPlayer
- class CX::CX\_SoundStream

# 11.6.1 Detailed Description

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# 11.7 Timing

#### Classes

- class CX::CX\_Clock
- class CX::CX\_LapTimer
- class CX::CX\_BaseClock
- class CX::CX\_Time\_t< TimeUnit >

# **Variables**

• CX\_Clock CX::Instances::Clock

# 11.7.1 Detailed Description

This module provides methods for timestamping events in experiments.

## 11.7.2 Variable Documentation

# 11.7.2.1 CX\_Clock CX::Instances::Clock

An instance of CX::CX\_Clock that is hooked into the CX backend. Anything in CX that requires timing information uses this instance. You should use this instance in your code and not make your own instance of CX\_Clock. You should never need another instance. You should never use another instance, as the experiment start times will not agree between instances.

# 11.8 Utility

# Namespaces

• CX::Util

## Classes

- class CX::Util::CX\_TrialController
- class CX::Util::CX\_DegreeToPixelConverter
- class CX::Util::CX\_LengthToPixelConverter
- class CX::Util::CX\_CoordinateConverter

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### Namespaces

• CX::Draw

#### Classes

- class CX::CX\_Display
- class CX::CX\_SlidePresenter

### 11.9.1 Detailed Description

This module is related to creating and presenting visual stimuli.

The CX::Draw namespace contains some more complex drawing functions. However, almost all of the drawing of stimuli is done using openFrameworks functions. A lot of the common functions can be found in ofGraphics.h (http-://www.openframeworks.cc/documentation/graphics/ofGraphics.html), but there are a lot of other ways to draw stimuli: see the graphics and 3d sections if this page: http://www.openframeworks.-cc/documentation/.

# 12 Namespace Documentation

## 12.1 CX Namespace Reference

#### **Namespaces**

- Algo
- Draw
- Instances
- Private
- Synth
- Util

#### Classes

- class CX Clock
- class CX LapTimer
- class CX BaseClock
- class CX DataFrame
- class CX\_DataFrameColumn
- class CX DataFrameRow
- class CX\_DataFrameCell
- class CX\_Display
- class CX\_InputManager
- class CX\_Joystick
- · class CX\_Keyboard
- class CX\_Logger
- · class CX Mouse
- class CX RandomNumberGenerator
- class CX SlidePresenter
- class CX\_SoundObject
- class CX\_SoundObjectPlayer
- class CX\_SoundObjectRecorder
- class CX SoundStream
- class CX\_Time\_t

# **Typedefs**

- typedef int64\_t CX\_RandomInt\_t
- · typedef

CX\_SoundStream::Configuration CX\_SoundObjectPlayerConfiguration\_t

This is typedef'ed to CX::CX\_SoundStream::Configuration.

- typedef CX\_Time\_t< std::ratio< 3600, 1 >> CX\_Hours
- typedef CX Time t< std::ratio< 60, 1 >> CX Minutes
- typedef CX\_Time\_t< std::ratio< 1, 1 >> CX\_Seconds
- typedef CX\_Time\_t< std::ratio< 1, 1000 >> CX\_Millis
- typedef CX\_Time\_t< std::ratio< 1, 1000000 >> CX\_Micros
- typedef CX\_Time\_t< std::ratio< 1, 1000000000 >> CX\_Nanos

#### **Enumerations**

- enum CX\_LogLevel {
   LOG\_ALL, LOG\_VERBOSE, LOG\_NOTICE, LOG\_WARNING,
   LOG\_ERROR, LOG\_FATAL\_ERROR, LOG\_NONE }
- enum CX\_MouseButtons: int { LEFT\_MOUSE = OF\_MOUSE\_BUTTON\_LEFT, MIDDLE\_MOUSE = OF\_MOUSE\_BUTTON\_RIGHT }

#### **Functions**

- std::ostream & operator<< (std::ostream &os, const CX DataFrameCell &cell)</li>
- void relaunchWindow (CX\_WindowConfiguration\_t config)
- std::ostream & operator<< (std::ostream &os, const CX\_Joystick::Event &ev)
- std::istream & operator>> (std::istream &is, CX\_Joystick::Event &ev)
- std::ostream & operator<< (std::ostream &os, const CX\_Keyboard::Event &ev)
- std::istream & operator>> (std::istream &is, CX\_Keyboard::Event &ev)
- std::ostream & operator<< (std::ostream &os, const CX\_Mouse::Event &ev)
- std::istream & operator>> (std::istream &is, CX Mouse::Event &ev)
- template<typename TimeUnit >
   std::ostream & operator<< (std::ostream &os, const CX\_Time\_t< TimeUnit > &t)
- template<typename TimeUnit > std::istream & operator>> (std::istream &is, CX\_Time\_t< TimeUnit > &t)

### 12.1.1 Detailed Description

This namespace contains all of the symbols related to CX.

#### 12.1.2 Function Documentation

```
12.1.2.1 template < typename TimeUnit > std::ostream & CX::operator << ( std::ostream & os, const CX_Time_t < TimeUnit > & t )
```

If operator << and operator>> are used to convert to/from string representation, you MUST use the same time type on both ends of the conversion.

# 12.2 CX::Algo Namespace Reference

#### Classes

class LatinSquare

#### **Functions**

- template<typename T >
   std::vector< T > generateSeparatedValues (int count, double minDistance, std::function< double(T, T)>
   distanceFunction, std::function< T(void)> randomDeviate, int maxSequentialFailures=200)
- template<typename T >
   std::vector< std::vector< T > > fullyCross (std::vector< std::vector< T > > factors)

## 12.2.1 Detailed Description

This namespace contains a few complex algorithms that can be difficult to properly implement or are very experimentspecific.

#### 12.2.2 Function Documentation

```
12.2.2.1 template < typename T > std::vector < T > > CX::Algo::fullyCross ( std::vector < std::vector < T > > factors )
```

This function fully crosses the levels of the factors of a design. For example, for a 2X3 design, it would give you all 6 combinations of the levels of the design.

#### **Parameters**

factors A vector of factors, each factor being a vector containing all the levels of that factor.

#### Returns

A vector of crossed factor levels. It's length is equal to the product of the levels of the factors. The length of each "row" is equal to the number of factors.

### Example use:

```
std::vector< std::vector<int> > levels(2); //Two factors
levels[0].push_back(1); //The first factor has two levels (1 and 2)
levels[0].push_back(2);
levels[1].push_back(3); //The second factor has three levels (3, 4, and 5)
levels[1].push_back(4);
levels[1].push_back(5);
auto crossed = fullyCross(levels);
```

crossed should contain a vector with six subvectors with the contents:

```
\{ \{1,3\}, \{1,4\}, \{1,5\}, \{2,3\}, \{2,4\}, \{2,5\} \}
```

### where

```
crossed[3][0] == 2
crossed[3][1] == 3
crossed[0][1] == 3
```

12.2.2.2 template < typename T > std::vector < T > CX::Algo::generateSeparatedValues ( int count, double minDistance, std::function < double(T, T) > distanceFunction, std::function < T(void) > randomDeviate, int maxSequentialFailures = 200 )

This algorithm is designed to deal with the situation in which a number of random values must be generated that are each at least some distance from every other random value. This is a very generic implementation of this algorithm. It works by taking pointers to two functions that work on whatever type of data you are using. The first function is a distance function: it returns the distance between two values of the type. You can define distance in whatever way you would like. The second function generates random values of the type.

#### **Template Parameters**

< T>	The type of data you are working with.
\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	The type of data you are working with.

#### **Parameters**

count	The number of values you want to be generated.
minDistance	The minimum distance between any two values. This will be compared to the result of distance-
	Function.
distanceFunction	A function that computes the distance, in whatever units you want, between two values of type T.
randomDeviate	A function that generates random values of type T.
maxSequential-	The maximum number of times in a row that a newly-generated value is less than minDistance
Failures	from at least one other value. This essentially makes sure that if it is not possible to generate a
	random value that is at least some distance from the others, the algorithm will terminate.

#### Returns

A vector of values. If the function terminated prematurely due to maxSequentialFailures being reached, the returned vector will have 0 elements.

```
//This example function generates locCount points with both x and y values bounded by minimumValues and
    maximumValues that

//are at least minDistance pixels from each other.

std::vector<ofPoint> getObjectLocations(int locCount, double minDistance, ofPoint minimumValues, ofPoint
    maximumValues) {
    auto pointDistance = [] (ofPoint a, ofPoint b) {
        return sqrt(pow(a.x - b.x, 2) + pow(a.y - b.y, 2));
    };

    auto randomPoint = [&]() {
        ofPoint rval;
        rval.x = RNG.randomInt(minimumValues.x, maximumValues.x);
        rval.y = RNG.randomInt(minimumValues.y, maximumValues.y);
        return rval;
    };

    return CX::Algo::generateSeparatedValues<ofPoint>(locCount, minDistance, pointDistance, randomPoint,
        1000);
}

//Call of example function
vector<ofPoint> v = getObjectLocations(5, 50, ofPoint(0, 0), ofPoint(400, 400));
```

# 12.3 CX::Draw Namespace Reference

## **Functions**

- ofPath squircleToPath (double radius, double amount=0.9)
- ofPath starToPath (int numberOfPoints, double innerRadius, double outerRadius)
- void star (ofPoint center, int numberOfPoints, float innerRadius, float outerRadius, ofColor lineColor, ofColor fill-Color, float lineWidth=1, float rotationDeg=0)
- void centeredString (int x, int y, std::string s, ofTrueTypeFont &font)
- void centeredString (ofPoint center, std::string s, ofTrueTypeFont &font)
- ofPixels greyscalePattern (const CX\_PatternProperties\_t &patternProperties)
- ofPixels gaborToPixels (const CX\_GaborProperties\_t &properties)
- ofTexture **gaborToTexture** (const CX\_GaborProperties\_t &properties)
- void gabor (int x, int y, const CX\_GaborProperties\_t &properties)

#### 12.3.1 Detailed Description

This namespace contains functions for drawing certain complex stimuli.

## 12.3.2 Function Documentation

12.3.2.1 void CX::Draw::centeredString ( int x, int y, std::string s, ofTrueTypeFont & font )

Equivalent to a call to CX::Draw::centeredString(ofPoint(x, y), s, font).

12.3.2.2 void CX::Draw::centeredString ( ofPoint center, std::string s, ofTrueTypeFont & font )

Draws a string centered on a given location using the given font. Strings are normally drawn such that the x coordinate gives the left edge of the string and the y coordinate gives the line above which the letters will be drawn, where some characters (like y or g) can descend below the line.

### **Parameters**

center	The coordinates of the center of the string.
S	The string to draw.
font	A font that has already been prepared for use.

12.3.2.3 of Path CX::Draw::squircleToPath ( double radius, double amount = 0 . 9 )

This function draws an approximation of a squircle (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Squircle) using Bezier curves. The squircle will be centered on (0,0) in the ofPath.

#### **Parameters**

	radius	The radius of the largest circle that can be enclosed in the squircle.
ĺ	amount	The "squircliness" of the squircle. The default (0.9) seems like a pretty good amount for a good
		approximation of a squircle, but different amounts can give different sorts of shapes.

### Returns

An ofPath containing the squircle.

12.3.2.4 void CX::Draw::star ( ofPoint center, int numberOfPoints, float innerRadius, float outerRadius, ofColor lineColor, ofColor fillColor, float lineWidth = 1, float rotationDeg = 0 )

This draws an N-pointed star.

## **Parameters**

center	The point at the center of the star.
numberOfPoints	The number of points in the star.
innerRadius	The distance from the center of the star to where the inner points of the star hit.
outerRadius	The distance from the center of the star to the outer points of the star.
lineColor	The color of the lines going around the edge of the star.
fillColor	The color used to fill in the center of the star.
lineWidth	The width of the lines.
rotationDeg	The number of degrees to rotate the star. 0 degrees has one point of the star pointing up. Positive
	values rotate the star counter-clockwise.

### Returns

An ofPath containing the star.

12.3.2.5 ofPath CX::Draw::starToPath ( int numberOfPoints, double innerRadius, double outerRadius )

This draws an N-pointed star to an ofPath. The star will be centered on (0,0) in the ofPath.

## **Parameters**

numberOfPoints	The number of points in the star.
innerRadius	The distance from the center of the star at which the inner points of the star hit.
outerRadius	The distance from the center of the star to the outer points of the star.

## Returns

An ofPath containing the star.

# 12.4 CX::Instances Namespace Reference

#### Variables

- CX Clock Clock
- CX\_Display Display
- CX\_InputManager Input
- CX\_Logger Log
- CX\_RandomNumberGenerator RNG

#### 12.4.1 Detailed Description

This namespace contains instances of some classes that are fundamental to the functioning of CX.

## 12.5 CX::Private Namespace Reference

### **Functions**

- CX Events & getEvents (void)
- CX\_GLVersion getOpenGLVersion (void)
- CX\_GLVersion getGLSLVersion (void)
- bool glFenceSyncSupported (void)
- bool glVersionAtLeast (int desiredMajor, int desiredMinor, int desiredRelease=0)
- int glCompareVersions (CX\_GLVersion a, CX\_GLVersion b)
- CX\_GLVersion getGLSLVersionFromGLVersion (CX\_GLVersion glVersion)

## **Variables**

- GLFWwindow \* glfwContext = NULL
- ofPtr< CX\_AppWindow > window

# 12.5.1 Detailed Description

This namespace contains symbols that may be visible in user code but which should not be used by user code.

# 12.6 CX::Synth Namespace Reference

#### Classes

- class ModuleBase
- · class AdditiveSynth
- · class Adder
- · class Clamper
- class Envelope
- · class Mixer
- · class Multiplier
- · class Splitter
- class SoundObjectInput
- · class Oscillator
- class StreamOutput
- · class StereoStreamOutput
- class SoundObjectOutput
- class StereoSoundObjectOutput
- class FIRFilter
- · class RecursiveFilter
- class RCFilter

### **Functions**

- double sinc (double x)
- double relativeFrequency (double f, double semitoneDifference)

## 12.6.1 Detailed Description

This namespace contains a number of classes that can be combined together to form a modular synth that can be used to generate sound stimuli.

# 12.7 CX::Util Namespace Reference

### Classes

- class CX\_TrialController
- class CX\_DegreeToPixelConverter
- class CX LengthToPixelConverter
- class CX\_CoordinateConverter

#### **Enumerations**

enum CX\_RoundingConfiguration { ROUND\_TO\_NEAREST, ROUND\_UP, ROUND\_DOWN, ROUND\_TOW-ARD\_ZERO }

#### **Functions**

- float degreesToPixels (float degrees, float pixelsPerUnit, float viewingDistance)
- float pixelsToDegrees (float pixels, float pixelsPerUnit, float viewingDistance)
- bool checkOFVersion (int versionMajor, int versionMinor, int versionPatch)
- int getSampleCount (void)
- template<typename T >

std::vector < T > arrayToVector (T arr[], unsigned int arraySize)

• template<typename T >

std::vector< T > sequence (T start, T end, T stepSize)

template<typename T >

std::vector< T > sequenceSteps (T start, unsigned int steps, T stepSize)

 $\bullet \ \ template{<} typename \ T>$ 

std::vector< T > sequenceAlong (T start, T end, unsigned int steps)

• template<typename T >

std::vector < T > intVector (T start, T end)

• template<typename T >

std::vector< T > repeat (T value, unsigned int times)

template<typename T >

std::vector< T > repeat (std::vector< T > values, unsigned int times, unsigned int each=1)

• template<typename T >

std::vector< T > repeat (std::vector< T > values, std::vector< unsigned int > each, unsigned int times=1)

template<typename T >

std::string vectorToString (std::vector< T > values, std::string delimiter=",", int significantDigits=8)

- bool writeToFile (std::string filename, std::string data, bool append=true)
- double round (double d, int roundingPower, CX RoundingConfiguration c)
- template<typename T >

T clamp (T val, T minimum, T maximum)

void saveFboToFile (ofFbo &fbo, std::string filename)

#### 12.7.1 Detailed Description

This namespace contains a variety of utility functions.

## 12.7.2 Function Documentation

12.7.2.1 template < typename T > std::vector < T > CX::Util::arrayToVector ( T arr[], unsigned int arraySize )

Copies arraySize elements of an array of T to a vector<T>.

#### **Template Parameters**

<t> The type of the array. Is often inferred by the compiler.</t>
---

## **Parameters**

arr	The array of data to put into the vector.
arraySize	The length of the array, or the number of elements to copy from the array if not all of the elements
	are wanted.

#### Returns

The elements in a vector.

12.7.2.2 bool CX::Util::checkOFVersion (int versionMajor, int versionMinor, int versionPatch)

Checks that the version of oF that is used during compilation matches the requested version. If the desired version was 0.7.1, simply input (0, 7, 1) as the arguments. A warning will be logged if the versions don't match.

#### Returns

True if the versions match, false otherwise.

12.7.2.3 template < typename T > T CX::Util::clamp ( T val, T minimum, T maximum )

Clamps a value (i.e. forces the value to be between two bounds). If the value is outside of the bounds, it is set to be equal to the nearest bound.

#### **Parameters**

	val	The value to clamp.
	minimum	The lower bound. Must be less than or equal to maximum.
Ī	maximum	The upper bound. Must be greater than or equal to minimum.

### Returns

The clamped value.

12.7.2.4 float CX::Util::degreesToPixels ( float degrees, float pixelsPerUnit, float viewingDistance )

Returns the number of pixels needed to subtend deg degrees of visual angle. You might want to round this if you want to align to pixel boundaries. However, if you are antialiasing your stimuli you might want to use floating point values to get precise subpixel rendering.

### **Parameters**

deg	Number of degrees.

#### Returns

The number of pixels needed.

12.7.2.5 template<typename T > std::vector< T > CX::Util::intVector ( T start, T end )

Creates a vector of integers going from start to end. start may be greater than end, in which case the returned values will be in descending order. This is similar to using CX::sequence, but the step size is fixed to 1 and it works properly when trying to create a descending sequence of unsigned integers.

### Returns

A vector of the values int the sequence.

12.7.2.6 float CX::Util::pixelsToDegrees ( float pixels, float pixelsPerUnit, float viewingDistance )

The inverse of CX::Util::degreesToPixels().

12.7.2.7 template < typename T > std::vector < T > CX::Util::repeat ( T value, unsigned int times )

Repeats value "times" times.

### **Parameters**

ſ	value	The value to be repeated.
	times	The number of times to repeat the value.

### Returns

A vector containing times copies of the repeated value.

12.7.2.8 template < typename T > std::vector < T > CX::Util::repeat ( std::vector < T > values, unsigned int times, unsigned int each = 1 )

Repeats the elements of values. Each element of values is repeated "each" times and then the process of repeating the elements is repeated "times" times.

### **Parameters**

values	Vector of values to be repeated.
times	The number of times the process should be performed.
each	Number of times each element of values should be repeated.

### Returns

A vector of the repeated values.

12.7.2.9 template < typename T > std::vector < T > CX::Util::repeat ( std::vector < T > values, std::vector < unsigned int > each, unsigned int times = 1 )

Repeats the elements of values. Each element of values is repeated "each" times and then the process of repeating the elements is repeated "times" times.

### **Parameters**

values	Vector of values to be repeated.
each	Number of times each element of values should be repeated. Must be the same length as values.
	If not, an error is logged and an empty vector is returned.
times	The number of times the process should be performed.

## Returns

A vector of the repeated values.

12.7.2.10 double CX::Util::round ( double d, int roundingPower, CX\_RoundingConfiguration c )

Rounds the given double to the given power of 10.

### **Parameters**

d	The number to be rounded.
roundingPower	The power of 10 to round d to. For example, if roundingPower is 0, d is rounded to the one's
	place ( $10^{\circ}0 == 1$ ). If roundingPower is -3, d is rounded to the thousandth's place ( $10^{\circ}-3 = .001$ ).
	If roundingPower is 1, d is rounded to the ten's place.

С	The type of rounding to do, from the CX::Util::CX_RoundingConfiguration enum. You can round
	up, down, to nearest, and toward zero.

#### Returns

The rounded value.

12.7.2.11 void CX::Util::saveFboToFile ( ofFbo & fbo, std::string filename )

Saves the contents of an ofFbo to a file. The file type is hinted by the file extension you provide as part of the file name.

#### **Parameters**

fbo	The framebuffer to save.
filename	The path of the file to save. The file extension determines the type of file that is saved. Many
	standard file types are supported: png, bmp, jpg, gif, etc. However, if the fbo has an alpha channel, only png works properly (at least of those I have tested).

12.7.2.12 template < typename T > std::vector < T > CX::Util::sequence ( T start, T end, T stepSize )

Creates a sequence of numbers from start to end by steps of size stepSize. start may be geater than end, but only if stepSize is less than 0. If start is less than end, stepSize must be greater than 0.

Example call: sequence<double>(1, 3.3, 2) results in a vector containing {1, 3}

### **Parameters**

start	The start of the sequence. You are guaranteed to get this value in the sequence.
end	The number past which the sequence should end. You are not guaranteed to get this value.
stepSize	A nonzero number.

#### Returns

A vector containing the sequence.

12.7.2.13 template < typename T > std::vector < T > CX::Util::sequenceAlong ( T start, T end, unsigned int outputLength )

Creates a sequence from start to end, where the size of each step is chosen so that the length of the sequence if equal to outputLength.

### **Parameters**

start	The value at which to start the sequence.
end	The value to which to end the sequence.
outputLength	The number of elements in the returned sequence.

### Returns

A vector containing the sequence.

12.7.2.14 template<typename T > std::vector< T > CX::Util::sequenceSteps ( T start, unsigned int steps, T stepSize )

Make a sequence starting from start and taking steps of stepSize.

sequenceSteps(1.5, 4, 2.5);

Creates the sequence {1.5, 4, 6.5, 9, 11.5}

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### **Parameters**

start	Value from which to start.
steps	The number of steps to take.
stepSize	The size of each step.

### Returns

A vector containing the sequence.

12.7.2.15 template < typename T > std::string CX::Util::vectorToString ( std::vector< T > values, std::string delimiter = " , ", int significantDigits = 8 )

This function converts a vector of values to a string representation of the values.

### **Parameters**

values	The vector of values to convert.
delimiter	A string that is used to separate the elements of value in the final string.
significantDigits	Only for floating point types. The number of significant digits in the value.

#### Returns

A string containing a representation of the vector of values.

12.7.2.16 bool CX::Util::writeToFile ( std::string filename, std::string data, bool append = true )

Writes data to a file, either appending the data to an existing file or creating a new file, overwriting any existing file with the given filename.

#### **Parameters**

filename	Name of the file to write to. If it is a relative file name, it will be placed relative the the data
	directory.
data	The data to write
append	If true, data will be appended to an existing file, if it exists. If append is false, any existing file will
	be overwritten and a warning will be logged. If no file exists, a new one will be created.

### Returns

True if an error was encountered while writing the file, true otherwise. If there was an error, an error message will be logged.

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# 13.1 CX::Synth::Adder Class Reference

#include <CX\_ModularSynth.h>

Inherits CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

### **Public Member Functions**

• double getNextSample (void) override

### **Public Attributes**

ModuleParameter amount

### **Additional Inherited Members**

### 13.1.1 Detailed Description

This class simply takes an input and adds an amount to it. The amount can be negative, in which case this class is a subtracter.

#### 13.1.2 Member Function Documentation

```
13.1.2.1 double Adder::getNextSample(void) [override], [virtual]
```

This function should be overloaded for any derived class that produces values (outputs do not produce values, they produce sound via sound hardware).

Reimplemented from CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

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

- CX\_ModularSynth.h
- CX ModularSynth.cpp

## 13.2 CX::Synth::AdditiveSynth Class Reference

```
#include <CX_ModularSynth.h>
```

Inherits CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

### **Public Types**

- enum HarmonicSeriesType { HS\_MULTIPLE, HS\_SEMITONE, HS\_USER\_FUNCTION }
- enum HarmonicAmplitudeType { SINE, SQUARE, SAW, TRIANGLE }
- typedef float wavePos\_t
- · typedef float amplitude\_t

### **Public Member Functions**

- void configure (unsigned int harmonicCount, HarmonicSeriesType hs, HarmonicAmplitudeType aType)
- void setFundamentalFrequency (double f)
- void setStandardHarmonicSeries (unsigned int harmonicCount)
- void setHarmonicSeries (unsigned int harmonicCount, HarmonicSeriesType type, double controlParameter)
- void setHarmonicSeries (unsigned int harmonicCount, std::function< double(unsigned int)> userFunction)
- void setAmplitudes (HarmonicAmplitudeType type)
- void setAmplitudes (HarmonicAmplitudeType t1, HarmonicAmplitudeType t2, double mixture)
- void setAmplitudes (std::vector< amplitude t > amps)
- std::vector< amplitude t > calculateAmplitudes (HarmonicAmplitudeType type, unsigned int count)
- void pruneLowAmplitudeHarmonics (double tol)
- double getNextSample (void) override

### **Additional Inherited Members**

#### 13.2.1 Detailed Description

This class is an implementation of an additive synthesizer. Additive synthesizers are essentially an inverse fourier transform. You specify at which frequencies you want to have a sine wave and the amplitudes of those waves, and they are combined together into a single waveform.

The frequencies are referred to as harmonics, due to the fact that typical audio applications of additive synths use the standard harmonic series ( $f(i) = f_{\text{fundamental}} * i$ ). However, setting the harmonics to values not found in the standard harmonic series can result in really unusual and interesting sounds.

The output of the additive synth is not easily bounded between -1 and 1 due to various oddities of additive synthesis. For example, although in the limit as the number of harmonics goes to infinity square and sawtooth waves made with additive synthesis are bounded between -1 and 1, with smaller numbers of harmonics the amplitudes actually overshoot these bounds slightly. Of course, if an unusual harmonic series is used with arbitrary amplitudes, it can be hard to know if the output of the synth will be within the bounds. A Synth::Multiplier can help deal with this.

#### 13.2.2 Member Function Documentation

### 13.2.2.1 double AdditiveSynth::getNextSample (void ) [override], [virtual]

This function should be overloaded for any derived class that produces values (outputs do not produce values, they produce sound via sound hardware).

Reimplemented from CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

13.2.2.2 void AdditiveSynth::pruneLowAmplitudeHarmonics ( double tol )

This function removes all harmonics that have an amplitude that is less than or equal to a tolerance times the amplitude of the frequency with the greatest absolute amplitude.

The result of this pruning is that the synthesizer will be more computationally efficient but provide a possibly worse approximation of the desired waveform.

#### **Parameters**

	tol	tol is interpreted differently depending on its value. If tol is greater than or equal to 0, it is
		treated as a proportion of the amplitude of the frequency with the greatest amplitude. If tol is
		less than 0, it is treated as the difference in decibels between the frequency with the greatest amplitude and the tolerance.
L		amplitude and the tolerance.

### Note

Because harmonics with an amplitude equal to the tolerance times an amplitude, setting tolerance to 0 will remove harmonics with 0 amplitude, but no others.

### 13.2.2.3 void AdditiveSynth::setAmplitudes ( HarmonicAmplitudeType type )

This function sets the amplitudes of the harmonics based on the chosen type. The resulting waveform will only be correct if the harmonic series is the standard harmonic series (see setStandardHarmonicSeries()).

#### **Parameters**

type	The type of wave calculate amplitudes for.

13.2.2.4 void AdditiveSynth::setAmplitudes ( HarmonicAmplitudeType t1, HarmonicAmplitudeType t2, double mixture )

This function sets the amplitudes of the harmonics based on a mixture of the chosen types. The resulting waveform will only be correct if the harmonic series is the standard harmonic series (see <a href="setStandardHarmonicSeries">setStandardHarmonicSeries</a>()). This is a convenient way to morph between waveforms.

13.2.2.5 void AdditiveSynth::setAmplitudes ( std::vector< amplitude\_t > amps )

This function sets the amplitudes of the harmonics to arbitrary values as specified in amps.

#### **Parameters**

amps	The amplitudes of the harmonics. If this vector does not contain as many values as there are
	harmonics, the unspecified amplitudes will be set to 0.

13.2.2.6 void AdditiveSynth::setHarmonicSeries ( unsigned int *harmonicCount*, HarmonicSeriesType *type*, double *controlParameter* )

#### **Parameters**

type	The type of harmonic series to generate. Can be either HS_MULTIPLE or HS_SEMITONE.
	For HS_MULTIPLE, each harmonic's frequency will be some multiple of the fundamental fre-
	quency, depending on the harmonic number and controlParameter. For HS_SEMITONE, each
	harmonic's frequency will be some number of semitones above the previous frequency, based
	on controlParameter (specifying the number of semitones).
controlParameter	If type == HS_MULTIPLE, the frequency for harmonic i will be i * controlParameter, where the
	fundamental gives the value 1 for i. If type == HS_SEMITONE, the frequency for harmonic
	i will be pow(2, (i - 1) * controlParameter/12), where the fundamental gives
	the value 1 for i.

### Note

```
If type == HS\_MULTIPLE and controlParameter == 1, then the standard harmonic series will be generated.
```

If type == HS\_SEMITONE, controlParameter does not need to be an integer.

13.2.2.7 void AdditiveSynth::setHarmonicSeries ( unsigned int *harmonicCount*, std::function< double(unsigned int)> userFunction )

This function calculates the harmonic series from a function supplied by the user.

### **Parameters**

harmonicCount	The number of harmonics to generate.
userFunction	The user function takes an integer representing the harmonic number, where the fundamental
	has the value 1, and returns the frequency that should be used for that harmonic.

### 13.2.2.8 void AdditiveSynth::setStandardHarmonicSeries ( unsigned int harmonicCount )

The standard harmonic series begins with the fundamental frequency f1 and each seccuessive harmonic has a frequency equal to f1 \* n, where n is the harmonic number for the harmonic. This is the natural harmonic series, one that occurs, e.g., in a vibrating string.

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

- · CX\_ModularSynth.h
- CX\_ModularSynth.cpp

# 13.3 CX::Synth::Clamper Class Reference

```
#include <CX_ModularSynth.h>
```

Inherits CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

**Public Member Functions** 

• double getNextSample (void) override

**Public Attributes** 

- ModuleParameter low
- · ModuleParameter high

**Additional Inherited Members** 

13.3.1 Detailed Description

This class clamps inputs to be in the interval [low, high], where low and high are the members of this class.

13.3.2 Member Function Documentation

```
13.3.2.1 double Clamper::getNextSample ( void ) [override], [virtual]
```

This function should be overloaded for any derived class that produces values (outputs do not produce values, they produce sound via sound hardware).

Reimplemented from CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

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

- · CX ModularSynth.h
- CX\_ModularSynth.cpp

# 13.4 CX::CX\_SlidePresenter::Configuration Struct Reference

```
#include <CX_SlidePresenter.h>
```

**Public Types** 

 enum SwappingMode { SINGLE\_CORE\_BLOCKING\_SWAPS, SINGLE\_CORE\_THREADED\_SWAPS, MUL-TI\_CORE }

### **Public Attributes**

CX\_Display \* display

A pointer to the display to use.

std::function< void(CX\_SlidePresenter::FinalSlideFunctionArgs &)> finalSlideCallback

A pointer to a user function that will be called as soon as the final slide is presented.

- CX SlidePresenter::ErrorMode errorMode
- bool deallocateCompletedSlides

If true, once a slide has been presented, its framebuffer will be deallocated to conserve memory.

CX Millis preSwapCPUHoggingDuration

Only used if swappingMode is a single core mode. The amount of time, before a slide is swapped from the back buffer to the front buffer, that the CPU is put into a spinloop waiting for the buffers to swap.

enum

CX::CX\_SlidePresenter::Configuration::SwappingMode swappingMode

bool useFenceSync

Hint that fence sync should be used to check that slides are fully copied to the back buffer before they are swapped in.

bool waitUntilFenceSyncComplete

If useFenceSync is false, this is also forced to false. If this is true, new slides will not be swapped in until there is confirmation that the slide has been fully copied into the back buffer. This prevents vertical tearing, but may cause slides to be swapped in late if the copy confirmation is delayed but the copy has actually occurred. Does nothing if swappingMode == MULTI CORE.

### 13.4.1 Detailed Description

This struct is used for configuring a CX\_SlidePresenter.

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

• CX\_SlidePresenter.h

## 13.5 CX::CX SoundStream::Configuration Struct Reference

```
#include <CX_SoundStream.h>
```

### **Public Attributes**

int inputChannels

The number of input (e.g. microphone) channels to use. If 0, no input will be used.

· int outputChannels

The number of output channels to use. Currently only stereo and mono are well-supported. If 0, no output will be used.

- int sampleRate
- unsigned int bufferSize
- RtAudio::Api api
- RtAudio::StreamOptions streamOptions
- · int inputDeviceId

The ID of the desired input device. A value of -1 will cause the system default input device to be used.

· int outputDeviceId

The ID of the desired output device. A value of -1 will cause the system default output device to be used.

### 13.5.1 Detailed Description

This struct controls the configuration of the CX SoundStream.

#### 13.5.2 Member Data Documentation

### 13.5.2.1 RtAudio::Api CX::CX\_SoundStream::Configuration::api

This argument depends on your operating system. Using RtAudio::Api::UNSPECIFIED will attempt to pick a working API from those that are available on your system. The API means the type of software interface to use. For example, on Windows, you can choose from Windows Direct Sound (DS) and ASIO. ASIO is commonly used with audio recording equipment because it has lower latency whereas DS is more of a consumer-grade interface. The choice of API does not affect how you use this class, but it may affect the performance of sound playback.

See http://www.music.mcgill.ca/~gary/rtaudio/classRtAudio.html#ac9b6f625da88249d08a8409a9db for a listing of the APIs. See http://www.music.mcgill.ca/~gary/rtaudio/classRtAudio.-html#afd0bfa26deae9804e18faff59d0273d9 for the default ordering of the APIs if RtAudio::Api::UNSPEC-IFIED is used.

### 13.5.2.2 unsigned int CX::CX\_SoundStream::Configuration::bufferSize

The size of the audio data buffer to use. A larger buffer size means more latency but also a greater potential for audio glitches (clicks and pops). Buffer size is per channel (i.e. if there are two channels and buffer size is set to 256, the actual buffer size will be 512 samples). Defaults to 4096 samples.

### 13.5.2.3 int CX::CX\_SoundStream::Configuration::sampleRate

The requested sample rate for the input and output channels. If, for the selected device(s), this sample cannot be used, the nearest greater sample rate will be chosen. If there is no greater sample rate, the next lower sample rate will be used.

## 13.5.2.4 RtAudio::StreamOptions CX::CX\_SoundStream::Configuration::streamOptions

See http://www.music.mcgill.ca/~gary/rtaudio/structRtAudio\_1\_1StreamOptions.html for more information.

flags must not include RTAUDIO NONINTERLEAVED: The audio data used by CX is interleaved.

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

CX\_SoundStream.h

### 13.6 CX::CX BaseClock Class Reference

#include <CX\_ClockImplementations.h>
Inherited by CX::CX\_StdClockWrapper< stdClock >.

### **Public Member Functions**

- virtual long long nanos (void)=0
- virtual void resetStartTime (void)=0
- virtual std::string getName (void)

### 13.6.1 Detailed Description

CX Clock uses classes that are derived from this class for timing.

nanos() should return the current time in nanoseconds. If the implementation does not have nanosecond precision, it should still return time in nanoseconds, which might just involve a multiplication (clock ticks are in microseconds, so multiply by 1000 to make each value equal to a nanosecond).

It is assumed that the implementation has some way to subtract off a start time so that nanos() counts up from 0 and that resetStartTime can reset the start time.

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

CX ClockImplementations.h

# 13.7 CX::CX\_Clock Class Reference

```
#include <CX_Clock.h>
```

#### **Public Member Functions**

- void setImplementation (CX::CX\_BaseClock \*impl)
- void precisionTest (unsigned int iterations)
- CX Millis now (void)
- void resetExperimentStartTime (void)
- std::string getExperimentStartDateTimeString (std::string format="%Y-%b-%e %h-%M-%S %a")

#### **Static Public Member Functions**

• static std::string getDateTimeString (std::string format="%Y-%b-%e %h-%M-%S %a")

### 13.7.1 Detailed Description

This class is responsible for getting timestamps for anything requiring timestamps. The way to get timing information is the function now(). It returns the current time relative to the start of the experiment in microseconds (on most systems, see getTickPeriod() to check the actual precision).

An instance of this class is preinstantiated for you. See CX::Instances::Clock.

## 13.7.2 Member Function Documentation

13.7.2.1 std::string CX\_Clock::getDateTimeString ( std::string format = "%Y-%b-%e %h-%M-%S %a" ) [static]

This function returns a string containing the local time encoded according to some format.

#### **Parameters**

format	See http://pocoproject.org/docs/Poco.DateTimeFormatter.html#4684
	for documentation of the format. E.g. "%Y/%m/%d %H:%M:%S" gives "year/month/day 24Hour-
	Clock:minute:second" with some zero-padding for most things. The default "%Y-%b-%e %h-
	%M-%S %a" is "yearWithCentury-abbreviatedMonthName-nonZeroPaddedDay 12HourClock-
	minuteZeroPadded-secondZeroPadded am/pm".

13.7.2.2 std::string CX\_Clock::getExperimentStartDateTimeString ( std::string format = "%Y-%b-%e %h-%M-%S %a" )

Get a string representing the date/time of the start of the experiment encoded according to a format.

#### **Parameters**

format | See getDateTimeString() for the definition of the format.

13.7.2.3 CX Millis CX\_Clock::now (void )

This function returns the current time relative to the start of the experiment in milliseconds. The start of the experiment is defined by default as when the CX\_Clock instance named Clock (instantiated in this file) is constructed (typically the beginning of program execution).

### Returns

A CX Millis object containing the time.

#### Note

This cannot be converted to time/day in any meaningful way. Use getDateTimeString() for that.

13.7.2.4 void CX\_Clock::precisionTest ( unsigned int iterations )

This function tests the precision of the clock used by CX. The results are computer-specific. If the precision of the clock is worse than microsecond accuracy, a warning is logged including information about the actual precision of the clock.

Depending on the number of iterations, this function may be considered blocking. See Blocking Code.

#### **Parameters**

iterations Number of time duration samples to take. More iterations should give a better estimate.

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

- · CX Clock.h
- CX\_Clock.cpp

### 13.8 CX::Util::CX CoordinateConverter Class Reference

#include <CX\_UnitConversion.h>

### **Public Member Functions**

- CX\_CoordinateConverter (ofPoint origin, bool invertX, bool invertY, bool invertZ=false)
- ofPoint operator() (ofPoint p)
- ofPoint operator() (float x, float y, float z=0)
- void setAxisInversion (bool invertX, bool invertY, bool invertZ=false)
- void setOrigin (ofPoint newOrigin)
- void setMultiplier (float multiplier)
- void setUnitConverter (CX\_BaseUnitConverter \*converter)

### 13.8.1 Detailed Description

This helper class is used for converting from a somewhat user-defined coordinate system into the standard computer monitor coordinate system. When user coordinates are input into this class, they will be converted into the standard

monitor coordinate system. This lets you use this class to allow you to use coordinates in your own system and convert those coordinates into the standard coordinates that are used by the drawing functions of openFrameworks.

See setUnitConverter() for a way to do change the units of the coordinate system to, for example, inches or degrees of visual angle.

### Example use:

Another example can be found in the advancedChangeDetectionTask example experiment.

#### 13.8.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

13.8.2.1 CX::Util::CX\_CoordinateConverter::CX\_CoordinateConverter ( ofPoint *origin*, bool *invertX*, bool *invertY*, bool *invertY*, bool *invertZ* = false )

Constructs a coordinate converter with the given settings.

#### **Parameters**

origin	The location within the standard coordinate system at which the origin (the point at which the x,
	y, and z values are 0) of the user-defined coordinate system is located. If, for example, you want
	the center of the display to be the origin within your user-defined coordinate system, you could
	use CX_Display::getCenterOfDisplay() as the value for this argument.
invertX	Invert the x-axis from the default, which is that x increases to the right.
invertY	Invert the y-axis from the default, which is that y increases downward.
invertZ	Invert the z-axis from the default, which is that z increases toward the user (i.e. pointing out of
	the front of the screen).

### 13.8.3 Member Function Documentation

# 13.8.3.1 ofPoint CX::Util::CX\_CoordinateConverter::operator() ( ofPoint p )

The primary method of conversion between coordinate systems. You supply a point in user coordinates and get in return a point in standard coordinates.

### Example use:

```
CX_CoordinateConverter cc(ofPoint(200,200), false, true); ofPoint p(-50, 100); //P is in user-defined coordinates, 50 units left and 100 units above the origin. ofPoint res = cc(p); //Use operator() to convert from the user system to the standard system. //res should contain (150, 100) due to the inverted y axis.
```

#### **Parameters**

р	The point in user coordinates that should be converted to standard coordinates.

#### Returns

The point in standard coordinates.

13.8.3.2 of Point CX::Util::CX\_CoordinateConverter::operator() ( float x, float y, float z = 0 )

Equivalent to a call to operator()(ofPoint(x, y, z)).

13.8.3.3 void CX::Util::CX\_CoordinateConverter::setAxisInversion ( bool invertX, bool invertY, bool invertZ = false )

Sets whether each axis within the user-defined system is inverted from the standard coordinate system.

### **Parameters**

invertX	Invert the x-axis from the default, which is that x increases to the right.
invertY	Invert the y-axis from the default, which is that y increases downward.
invertZ	Invert the z-axis from the default, which is that z increases toward the viewer (i.e. pointing out of
	the front of the screen).

13.8.3.4 void CX::Util::CX\_CoordinateConverter::setMultiplier ( float multiplier )

This function sets the amount by which user coordinates are multiplied before they are converted to standard coordinates. This allows you to easily scale stimuli. The multiplier is 1 by default.

#### **Parameters**

multiplier	The amount to multiply user coordinates by.
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13.8.3.5 void CX::Util::CX\_CoordinateConverter::setOrigin ( ofPoint newOrigin )

Sets the location within the standard coordinate system at which the origin of the user-defined coordinate system is located.

### **Parameters**

newOrigin	The location within the standard coordinate system at which the origin (the point at which the x,
	y, and z values are 0) of the user-defined coordinate system is located. If, for example, you want
	the center of the display to be the origin within your user-defined coordinate system, you could
	use CX_Display::getCenterOfDisplay() as the value for this argument.

13.8.3.6 void CX::Util::CX\_CoordinateConverter::setUnitConverter ( CX\_BaseUnitConverter \* converter )

Sets the unit converter that will be used when converting the coordinate system. In this way you can convert both the coordinate system in use and the units used by the coordinate system in one step. See CX\_DegreeToPixelConverter and CX\_LengthToPixelConverter for examples of the converters that can be used.

### Example use:

```
conv.setUnitConverter(&d2p); //Use degrees of visual angle as the units of the user coordinate system.
//Draw a blue circle 2 degrees of visual angle to the left of the origin and 3 degrees above (inverted y-axis) the origin.
ofSetColor(0, 0, 255);
ofCircle(conv(-2, 3), 20);
```

#### **Parameters**

converter	A pointer to an instance of a class that is a CX_BaseUnitConverter or which has inherited from
	that class. See CX_UnitConversion.h/cpp for the implementation of CX_LengthToPixelConverter
	to see an example of how to create you own converter.

#### Note

The origin of the coordinate converter must be in the units that result from the unit conversion. E.g. if you are converting the units from degrees to pixels, the origin must be in pixels. See <a href="setOrigin()">setOrigin()</a>.

The unit converter passed to this function must continue to exist throughout the lifetime of the coordinate converter. It is not copied.

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

- · CX UnitConversion.h
- CX\_UnitConversion.cpp

## 13.9 CX::CX DataFrame Class Reference

```
#include <CX_DataFrame.h>
```

## **Public Types**

typedef std::vector
 CX\_DataFrameCell >
 ::size\_type rowIndex\_t

## **Public Member Functions**

- CX DataFrame & operator= (CX DataFrame &df)
- CX DataFrameCell operator() (std::string column, rowIndex t row)
- CX\_DataFrameCell operator() (rowIndex\_t row, std::string column)
- CX\_DataFrameCell at (rowIndex\_t row, std::string column)
- CX\_DataFrameCell at (std::string column, rowIndex\_t row)
- CX DataFrameColumn operator[] (std::string column)
- CX\_DataFrameRow operator[] (rowIndex\_t row)
- void appendRow (CX\_DataFrameRow row)
- void setRowCount (rowIndex t rowCount)
- void addColumn (std::string columnName)
- std::string print (std::string delimiter="\t", bool printRowNumbers=true)
- std::string print (const std::set< std::string > &columns, std::string delimiter="\t", bool printRowNumbers=true)
- std::string print (const std::vector< rowlndex\_t > &rows, std::string delimiter="\t", bool printRowNumbers=true)
- std::string print (const std::set< std::string > &columns, const std::vector< rowIndex\_t > &rows, std::string delimiter="\t", bool printRowNumbers=true)

- bool printToFile (std::string filename, std::string delimiter="\t", bool printRowNumbers=true)
- bool printToFile (std::string filename, const std::set< std::string > &columns, std::string delimiter="\t", bool print-RowNumbers=true)
- bool printToFile (std::string filename, const std::vector< rowIndex\_t > &rows, std::string delimiter="\t", bool print-RowNumbers=true)
- bool printToFile (std::string filename, const std::set< std::string > &columns, const std::vector< rowIndex\_t > &rows, std::string delimiter="\t", bool printRowNumbers=true)
- bool readFromFile (std::string filename, std::string cellDelimiter="\t", std::string vectorEncloser="\"")
- void clear (void)
- bool deleteColumn (std::string columnName)
- bool deleteRow (rowIndex t row)
- std::vector< std::string > columnNames (void)
- rowIndex\_t getRowCount (void)

Returns the number of rows in the data frame.

- bool reorderRows (const vector < CX\_DataFrame::rowIndex\_t > &newOrder)
- CX DataFrame copyRows (vector < CX DataFrame::rowIndex t > rowOrder)
- CX DataFrame copyColumns (vector < std::string > columns)
- void shuffleRows (void)
- void shuffleRows (CX\_RandomNumberGenerator &rng)
- template < typename T >
   std::vector < T > copyColumn (std::string column)

#### **Protected Member Functions**

- void \_resizeToFit (std::string column, rowIndex t row)
- void \_resizeToFit (rowIndex\_t row)
- void \_resizeToFit (std::string column)
- · void equalizeRowLengths (void)

### **Protected Attributes**

- std::map< std::string, vector</li>CX DataFrameCell >> \_ data
- rowIndex t rowCount

### Friends

- class CX\_DataFrameRow
- class CX\_DataFrameColumn

### 13.9.1 Detailed Description

This class provides and easy way to store data from an experiment and output that data to a file at the end of the experiment. A CX\_DataFrame is a square two-dimensional array of cells, but each cell is capable of holding a vector of data. Each cell is indexed with a column name (a string) and a row number. Cells can store many different kinds of data and the data can be inserted or extracted easily. The standard method of storing data is to use operator(), which dynamically resizes the data frame. When an experimental session is complete, the data can be written to a file using printToFile().

See the example dataFrame.cpp for thorough examples of how to use a CX\_DataFrame.

Several of the member functions of this class could be blocking if the amount of data in the data frame is large enough.

### 13.9.2 Member Function Documentation

### 13.9.2.1 void CX\_DataFrame::addColumn ( std::string columnName )

Adds a column to the data frame.

#### **Parameters**

columnName	The name of the column to add. If a column with that name already exists in the data frame, a
	warning will be logged.

### 13.9.2.2 void CX\_DataFrame::appendRow ( CX\_DataFrameRow row )

Appends the row to the end of the data frame.

### **Parameters**

row	The row to add.

### Note

If the row has columns that do not exist in the data frame, those columns will be added to the data frame.

### 13.9.2.3 CX\_DataFrameCell CX\_DataFrame::at ( rowIndex\_t row, std::string column )

Access the cell at the given row and column with bounds checking. Throws a std::out\_of\_range exception and logs an error if either the row or column is out of bounds.

### **Parameters**

row	The row number.
column	The column name.

## Returns

A CX\_DataFrameCell that can be read from or written to.

# 13.9.2.4 void CX\_DataFrame::clear (void)

Deletes the contents of the data frame. Resizes the data frame to have no rows and no columns.

```
13.9.2.5 std::vector< std::string > CX_DataFrame::columnNames ( void )
```

Returns a vector containing the names of the columns in the data frame.

### Returns

Vector of strings with the column names.

### 13.9.2.6 template < typename T > std::vector < T > CX::CX\_DataFrame::copyColumn ( std::string column )

Makes a copy of the data contained in the named column, converting it to the specified type (such a conversion must be possible).

### **Parameters**

column	The name of the column to copy data from.

#### Returns

A vector containing the copied data.

13.9.2.7 CX\_DataFrame CX\_DataFrame::copyColumns ( vector < std::string > columns )

Copies the specified columns into a new data frame.

#### **Parameters**

columns	A vector of column names to copy out. If a requested column is not found, a warning will be
	logged, but the function will otherwise complete successfully.

#### Returns

A CX\_DataFrame containing the specified columns.

#### Note

This function may be Blocking Code if the amount of copied data is large.

13.9.2.8 CX DataFrame CX\_DataFrame::copyRows ( vector < CX\_DataFrame::rowIndex\_t > rowOrder )

Creates CX\_DataFrame containing a copy of the rows specified in rowOrder. The new data frame is not linked to the existing data frame.

#### **Parameters**

rowOrder	A vector of CX_DataFrame::rowIndex_t containing the rows from this data frame to be copied out.
	The indices in rowOrder may be in any order: They don't need to be ascending. Additionally, the
	same row to be copied may be specified multiple times.

### Returns

A CX\_DataFrame containing the rows specified in rowOrder.

#### Note

This function may be Blocking Code if the amount of copied data is large.

13.9.2.9 bool CX\_DataFrame::deleteColumn ( std::string columnName )

Deletes the given column of the data frame.

## **Parameters**

columnName	The name of the column to delete.	If the column is not in the data frame, a warning will be
	logged.	

#### Returns

True if the column was found and deleted, false if it was not found.

13.9.2.10 bool CX\_DataFrame::deleteRow ( rowIndex\_t row )

Deletes the given row of the data frame.

#### **Parameters**

row	The row to delete (0 indexed). If row is greater than or equal to the number of rows in the data
	frame, a warning will be logged.

#### Returns

True if the row was in bounds and was deleted, false if the row was out of bounds.

13.9.2.11 CX\_DataFrameCell CX\_DataFrame::operator() ( std::string column, rowIndex\_t row )

Access the cell at the given row and column. If the row or column is out of bounds, the data frame will be dynamically resized in order to fit the row or column.

#### **Parameters**

row	The row number.
column	The column name.

#### Returns

A CX\_DataFrameCell that can be read from or written to.

13.9.2.12 CX DataFrame & CX\_DataFrame::operator= ( CX\_DataFrame & df )

Copy the contents of another CX\_DataFrame to this data frame. Because this is a copy operation, this may be Blocking Code if the copied data frame is large enough.

### **Parameters**

df	The data frame to copy.

#### Returns

A reference to this data frame.

## Note

The contents of this data frame are deleted during the copy.

13.9.2.13 std::string CX\_DataFrame::print ( std::string delimiter = "\t", bool printRowNumbers = true )

Reduced argument version of print(). Prints all rows and columns.

13.9.2.14 std::string CX\_DataFrame::print ( const std::set< std::string > & columns, std::string delimiter = "\t", bool printRowNumbers = true )

Reduced argument version of print(). Prints all rows and the selected columns.

13.9.2.15 std::string CX\_DataFrame::print ( const std::vector < rowlndex\_t > & rows, std::string delimiter = " \t ", bool printRowNumbers = t rue )

Reduced argument version of print(). Prints all columns and the selected rows.

13.9.2.16 std::string CX\_DataFrame::print ( const std::set< std::string > & columns, const std::vector< rowlndex\_t > & rows, std::string delimiter = "\t", bool printRowNumbers = true )

Prints the selected rows and columns of the data frame to a string. Each cell of the data frame will be separated with the selected delimiter.

Each row of the data frame will be ended with a new line (whatever std::endl evaluates to, typically "\r\n").

#### Parameters 4 8 1

columns	Columns to print. Column names not found in the data frame will be ignored with a warning.
rows	Rows to print. Row indices not found in the data frame will be ignored with a warning.
delimiter	Delimiter to be used between cells of the data frame. Using comma or semicolon for the delimiter
	is not recommended because semicolons are used as element delimiters in the string-encoded
	vectors stored in the data frame and commas are used for element delimiters within each element
	of the string-encoded vectors.
printRow-	If true, a column will be printed with the header "rowNumber" with the contents of the column
Numbers	being the selected row indices. If false, no row numbers will be printed.

#### Returns

A string containing the printed version of the data frame.

#### Note

This function may be Blocking Code if the data frame is large enough.

13.9.2.17 bool CX\_DataFrame::printToFile ( std::string filename, std::string delimiter = "\t", bool printRowNumbers = true )

Reduced argument version of printToFile(). Prints all rows and columns.

13.9.2.18 bool CX\_DataFrame::printToFile ( std::string filename, const std::set< std::string > & columns, std::string delimiter = "\t", bool printRowNumbers = true )

Reduced argument version of printToFile(). Prints all rows and the selected columns.

13.9.2.19 bool CX\_DataFrame::printToFile ( std::string filename, const std::vector< rowIndex\_t > & rows, std::string delimiter = "\t", bool printRowNumbers = true )

Reduced argument version of printToFile(). Prints all columns and the selected rows.

13.9.2.20 bool CX\_DataFrame::printToFile ( std::string *filename*, const std::set< std::string > & *columns*, const std::vector< rowlndex\_t > & *rows*, std::string *delimiter* = "\t", bool *printRowNumbers* = true )

This function is equivalent in behavior to print() except that instead of returning a string containing the printed contents of the data frame, the string is printed to a file. If the file exists, it will be overwritten.

## **Parameters**

filename	Name of the file to print to. If it is an absolute path, the file will be put there. If it is a local path,
	the file will be placed relative to the data directory of the project.

# Returns

True for success, false if there was some problem writing to the file (insufficient permissions, etc.)

13.9.2.21 bool CX\_DataFrame::readFromFile ( std::string *filename*, std::string *cellDelimiter* = "\t", std::string *vectorEncloser* = "\"")

Reads data from the given file into the data frame. This function assumes that there will be a row of column names as the first row of the file. It does not treat consecutive delimiters as a single delimiter.

### **Parameters**

filename	The name of the file to read data from. If it is a relative path, the file will be read relative to the
	data directory.
cellDelimiter	A string containing the delimiter between cells of the data frame.
vectorEncloser	A string containing the characters that surround cell that contain a vector of data. By default, vectors are enclosed in double quotes. This indicates to most software that it should treat the contents of the quotes "as-is", i.e. if it finds a delimiter within the quotes, it should not split there, but wait until out of the quotes.

### Returns

False if an error occurred, true otherwise.

### Note

The contents of the data frame will be deleted before attempting to read in the file.

If the data is read in from a file written with a row numbers column, that column will be read into the data frame. You can remove it using deleteColumn("rowNumber").

This function may be Blocking Code if the read in data frame is large enough.

13.9.2.22 bool CX\_DataFrame::reorderRows ( const vector < CX\_DataFrame::rowIndex\_t > & newOrder )

Re-orders the rows in the data frame.

#### **Parameters**

newOrder	Vector of row indices. newOrder.size() must equal this->getRowCount(). newOrder must not	_
	contain any out-of-range indices (i.e. they must be < getRowCount()). Both of these error	
	conditions are checked for in the function call and errors are logged.	

### Returns

true if all of the conditions of newOrder are met, false otherwise.

13.9.2.23 void CX\_DataFrame::setRowCount ( rowIndex\_t rowCount )

Sets the number of rows in the data frame.

## **Parameters**

rowCount	The new number of rows in the data frame.

## Note

If the row count is less than the number of rows already in the data frame, it will delete those rows with a warning.

13.9.2.24 void CX\_DataFrame::shuffleRows ( void )

Randomly re-orders the rows of the data frame using CX::Instances::RNG as the random number generator for the shuffling.

# Note

This function may be Blocking Code if the data frame is large.

13.9.2.25 void CX\_DataFrame::shuffleRows ( CX\_RandomNumberGenerator & rng )

Randomly re-orders the rows of the data frame.

#### **Parameters**

rng Reference to a CX\_RandomNumberGenerator to be used for the shuffling.

### Note

This function may be Blocking Code if the data frame is large.

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

- · CX DataFrame.h
- CX\_DataFrame.cpp

# 13.10 CX::CX\_DataFrameCell Class Reference

```
#include <CX_DataFrameCell.h>
```

#### **Public Member Functions**

- CX\_DataFrameCell (const char \*c)
- template<typename T >

CX DataFrameCell (const T &value)

Construct the cell, assigning the value to it.

• template<typename T >

CX\_DataFrameCell (const std::vector< T > &values)

Construct the cell, assigning the values to it.

- CX\_DataFrameCell & operator= (const char \*c)
- template<typename T >

CX\_DataFrameCell & operator= (const T &value)

Assigns a value to the cell.

• template<typename T >

CX\_DataFrameCell & operator= (const std::vector < T > &values)

Assigns a vector of values to the cell.

• template<typename T >

```
operator T (void) const
```

Attempts to convert the contents of the cell to T using to().

• template<typename T >

```
operator std::vector< T > (void) const
```

Attempts to convert the contents of the cell to vector<T> using to Vector<T>().

template<typename T >

void store (const T &value)

 $\bullet \ \ template {<} typename \ T >$ 

T to (void) const

• std::string toString (void) const

Returns a copy of the stored data in the internal string representation. Type checking is not done because this is a lossless operation.

• bool toBool (void) const

Returns a copy of the stored data converted to bool. Equivalent to to<bool>().

int tolnt (void) const

Returns a copy of the stored data converted to int. Equivalent to to<int>().

• double toDouble (void) const

Returns a copy of the stored data converted to double. Equivalent to to<double>().

template<typename T >
 std::vector< T > toVector (void) const

template<typename T > void storeVector (std::vector< T > values)

- void copyCellTo (CX\_DataFrameCell \*targetCell)
- std::string getStoredType (void)
- template<>
   std::string to (void) const

#### 13.10.1 Detailed Description

This class manages the contents of a single cell in a CX\_DataFrame. It handles all of the type conversion nonsense that goes on when data is inserted into or extracted from a data frame. It tracks the type of the data that is inserted or extracted and logs warnings if the inserted type does not match the extracted type, with a few exceptions (see notes).

### Note

There are a few exceptions to the type tracking. If the inserted type is const char\*, it is treated as a string. Additionally, you can extract anything as string without a warning. This is because the data is stored as a string internally so extracting the data as a string is a lossless operation.

13.10.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

13.10.2.1 CX\_DataFrameCell::CX\_DataFrameCell ( const char \* c )

Constructs the cell with a string literal, treating it as a std::string.

13.10.3 Member Function Documentation

13.10.3.1 void CX\_DataFrameCell::copyCellTo ( CX\_DataFrameCell \* targetCell )

Copies the contents of this cell to targetCell, including type information.

Parameters

targetCell A pointer to the cell to copy data to.

13.10.3.2 std::string CX\_DataFrameCell::getStoredType ( void )

Gets a string representing the type of data stored within the cell. This string is implementation-defined (which is the C++ standards committee way of saying "It can be anything at all"). It is only guranteed to be the same for the same type, but not neccessarily be different for different types.

#### Returns

A string containing the name of the stored type as given by typeid(typename).name().

13.10.3.3 CX\_DataFrameCell & CX\_DataFrameCell::operator= ( const char \* c )

Assigns a string literal to the cell, treating it as a std::string.

13.10.3.4 template < typename T > void CX::CX\_DataFrameCell::store ( const T & value )

Stores the given value with the given type. This function is a good way to explicitly state the type of the data you are storing into the cell if, for example, it is a literal.

### **Template Parameters**

< <i>T</i> >	The type to store the value as. If T is not specified, this function is essentially equiv-
	alent to using operator=.

#### **Parameters**

value	The value to store.

13.10.3.5 template < typename T > void CX::CX\_DataFrameCell::storeVector ( std::vector < T > values )

Stores a vector of data in the cell. The data is stored as a string with each element delimited by a semicolon. If the data to be stored are strings containing semicolons, the data will not be extracted properly.

### **Parameters**

values	A vector of values to store.

13.10.3.6 template<typename T > T CX::CX\_DataFrameCell::to ( void ) const

Attempts to convert the contents of the cell to type T. There are a variety of reasons why this conversion can fail and they all center on the user inserting data of one type and then attempting to extract data of a different type. Regardless of whether the conversion is possible, if you try to extract a type that is different from the type that is stored in the cell, a warning will be logged.

### **Template Parameters**

< <i>T&gt;</i>	The type to convert to.
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#### Returns

The data in the cell converted to T.

13.10.3.7 std::string CX::CX\_DataFrameCell::to ( void ) const

Equivalent to a call to to String(). This is specialized because it skips the type checks of to <T>.

### Returns

A copy of the stored data encoded as a string.

13.10.3.8 template < typename T > std::vector < T > CX::CX\_DataFrameCell::toVector (void) const

Returns a copy of the contents of the cell converted to a vector of the given type. If the type of data stored in the cell was not a vector of the given type or the type does match but it was a scalar that is stored, the logs a warning but attempts the conversion anyway.

## **Template Parameters**

< <i>T</i> >	The type of the elements of the returned vector.

#### Returns

A vector containing the converted data.

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

- CX\_DataFrameCell.h
- CX\_DataFrameCell.cpp

# 13.11 CX::CX\_DataFrameColumn Class Reference

**Public Member Functions** 

- CX\_DataFrameCell operator[] (CX\_DataFrame::rowIndex\_t row)
- CX\_DataFrame::rowIndex\_t size (void)

### Friends

· class CX DataFrame

# 13.11.1 Detailed Description

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

- · CX\_DataFrame.h
- CX\_DataFrame.cpp

# 13.12 CX::CX\_DataFrameRow Class Reference

**Public Member Functions** 

- CX\_DataFrameCell operator[] (std::string column)
- vector< std::string > names (void)
- · void clear (void)

## Friends

class CX DataFrame

### 13.12.1 Detailed Description

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

- · CX DataFrame.h
- CX\_DataFrame.cpp

# 13.13 CX::Util::CX\_DegreeToPixelConverter Class Reference

#include <CX\_UnitConversion.h>

Inherits CX::Util::CX BaseUnitConverter.

### **Public Member Functions**

- CX\_DegreeToPixelConverter (float pixelsPerUnit, float viewingDistance, bool roundResult=false)
- float operator() (float degrees)

### 13.13.1 Detailed Description

This simple utility class is used for converting degrees of visual angle to pixels on a monitor. This class uses CX::Util:::degreesToPixels() internally. See also CX::Util::CX\_CoordinateConverter for a way to also convert from one coordinate system to another.

# Example use:

### 13.13.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

13.13.2.1 CX::Util::CX\_DegreeToPixelConverter::CX\_DegreeToPixelConverter ( float pixelsPerUnit, float viewingDistance, bool roundResult = false )

Constructs an instance of a CX\_DegreeToPixelConverter using the given settings.

### **Parameters**

pixelsPerUnit	The number of pixels within one length unit (e.g. inches, centimeters). This can be measured by drawing a $\sim$ 100-1000 pixel square on the screen and measuring the length of a side and dividing the number of pixels by the total length measured.
viewingDistance	The distance from the monitor that the participant will be viewing the screen from.
roundResult	If true, the result of conversions will be rounded to the nearest integer (i.e. pixel). For drawing certain kinds of stimuli (especially text) it can be helpful to draw on pixel boundaries.

## 13.13.3 Member Function Documentation

13.13.3.1 float CX::Util::CX\_DegreeToPixelConverter::operator() ( float degrees )

Converts the degrees to pixels based on the settings given during construction.

### **Parameters**

degrees	The number of degrees of visual angle to convert to pixels.

# Returns

The number of pixels corresponding to the number of degrees of visual angle.

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

- · CX UnitConversion.h
- CX\_UnitConversion.cpp

# 13.14 CX::CX\_Display Class Reference

#include <CX\_Display.h>

#### **Public Member Functions**

- void setup (void)
- · void setFullScreen (bool fullScreen)
- void copyFboToBackBuffer (ofFbo &fbo)
- void copyFboToBackBuffer (ofFbo &fbo, ofPoint destination)
- void copyFboToBackBuffer (ofFbo &fbo, ofRectangle source, ofPoint destination)
- void beginDrawingToBackBuffer (void)
- void endDrawingToBackBuffer (void)
- void BLOCKING swapFrontAndBackBuffers (void)
- void swapFrontAndBackBuffers (void)
- void BLOCKING\_setAutoSwapping (bool autoSwap)
- bool isAutomaticallySwapping (void)
- bool hasSwappedSinceLastCheck (void)
- CX Millis getLastSwapTime (void)
- CX Millis estimateNextSwapTime (void)
- void BLOCKING\_estimateFramePeriod (CX\_Millis estimationInterval)
- CX\_Millis getFramePeriod (void)
- void setWindowResolution (int width, int height)
- void setWindowTitle (std::string title)
- ofRectangle getResolution (void)
- ofPoint getCenterOfDisplay (void)
- uint64\_t getFrameNumber (void)
- void BLOCKING waitForOpenGL (void)

## 13.14.1 Detailed Description

This class represents an abstract visual display surface, which is my way of saying that it doesn't necessarily represent a monitor. The display surface can either be a window or, if full screen, the whole monitor. It is also a bit abstract in that it does not draw anything, but only creates an context in which things can be drawn.

## 13.14.2 Member Function Documentation

13.14.2.1 void CX\_Display::beginDrawingToBackBuffer (void)

Prepares a rendering context for using drawing functions. Must be paired with a call to endDrawingToBackBuffer().

13.14.2.2 void CX\_Display::BLOCKING\_estimateFramePeriod ( CX\_Millis estimationInterval )

This function estimates the typical period of the display refresh. This function blocks for estimationInterval while the swapping thread swaps in the background. This function is called with an argument of 300 ms during construction of this class, so there will always be some information about the frame period. If more precision of the estimate is desired, this function can be called again with a longer wait duration.

#### **Parameters**

estimationInterval	The length of time to spend estimating the frame period.

### See Also

**Blocking Code** 

13.14.2.3 void CX\_Display::BLOCKING\_setAutoSwapping ( bool autoSwap )

Set whether the front and buffers of the display will swap automatically every frame or not. You can check to see if a swap has occured by calling hasSwappedSinceLastCheck(). You can check to see if the display is automatically swapping by calling isAutomaticallySwapping().

#### **Parameters**

autoSwap	If true, the front and back buffer will swap automatically every frame.
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### See Also

**Blocking Code** 

13.14.2.4 void CX\_Display::BLOCKING\_swapFrontAndBackBuffers (void)

This function queues up a swap of the front and back buffers then blocks until the swap occurs. It does nothing if isAutomaticallySwapping() == true.

### See Also

**Blocking Code** 

13.14.2.5 void CX\_Display::BLOCKING\_waitForOpenGL (void )

Wait until all OpenGL instructions that were given before this was called to complete. This can be useful if you are trying to determine how long a set of rendering commands takes or need to make sure that all rendering is complete before moving on.

# See Also

**Blocking Code** 

13.14.2.6 void CX\_Display::copyFboToBackBuffer ( ofFbo & fbo )

Copies an ofFbo to the back buffer using a highly efficient blitting operation. This copies over the contents of the back buffer, it does not draw over them. For this reason, transparaency is ignored.

# **Parameters**

fbo	The framebuffer to copy. It will be drawn starting from (0, 0) and will be drawn at the full dimen-
	sions of the fbo (whatever size was chosen at allocation of the fbo).

13.14.2.7 void CX\_Display::copyFboToBackBuffer ( ofFbo & fbo, ofPoint destination )

Copies an ofFbo to the back buffer using a highly efficient blitting operation.

#### **Parameters**

fbo	The framebuffer to copy.
destination	The point on the back buffer where the fbo will be placed.

13.14.2.8 void CX\_Display::copyFboToBackBuffer ( ofFbo & fbo, ofRectangle source, ofPoint destination )

Copies an ofFbo to the back buffer using a highly efficient blitting operation.

#### **Parameters**

fbo	The framebuffer to copy.
source	A rectangle giving an area of the fbo to copy.
destination	The point on the back buffer where the area of the fbo will be placed.

If this function does not provide enough flexibility, you can always draw of Fbo's using the following technique:

13.14.2.9 void CX\_Display::endDrawingToBackBuffer (void)

Finish rendering to the back buffer. Must be paired with a call to beginDrawingToBackBuffer().

13.14.2.10 CX\_Millis CX\_Display::estimateNextSwapTime (void)

Get an estimate of the next time the front and back buffers will be swapped. This function depends on the precision of the frame period as estimated using BLOCKING\_estimateFramePeriod().

#### Returns

A time value that can be compared to CX::Instances::Clock.now().

```
13.14.2.11 ofPoint CX_Display::getCenterOfDisplay ( void )
```

Returns an ofPoint representing the center of the display. Works in either windowed or full screen mode.

```
13.14.2.12 uint64_t CX_Display::getFrameNumber ( void )
```

This function returns the number of the last frame presented, as determined by number of front and back buffer swaps. It tracks buffer swaps that result from 1) the front and back buffer swapping automatically (as a result of BLOCKING\_setAutoSwapping() with true as the argument) and 2) manual swaps resulting from a call to BLOCKING\_swapFrontAnd-BackBuffers() or swapFrontAndBackBuffers().

### Returns

The number of the last frame. This value can only be compared with other values returned by this function.

```
13.14.2.13 CX_Millis CX_Display::getFramePeriod ( void )
```

Gets the estimate of the frame period calculated with BLOCKING\_estimateFramePeriod().

```
13.14.2.14 CX_Millis CX_Display::getLastSwapTime ( void )
```

Get the last time at which the front and back buffers were swapped.

#### Returns

A time value that can be compared with CX::Instances::Clock.now().

13.14.2.15 ofRectangle CX\_Display::getResolution (void)

Returns the resolution of the current window, not the resolution of the monitor (unless you are in full screen mode).

### Returns

An ofRectangle containing the resolution. The width in pixels is stored in both the width and x members and the height in pixles is stored in both the height and y members, so you can use whichever makes the most sense to you.

13.14.2.16 bool CX\_Display::hasSwappedSinceLastCheck (void)

Check to see if the display has swapped the front and back buffers since the last call to this function. This is generally used in conjuction with automatic swapping of the buffers (BLOCKING\_setAutoSwapping()) or with an individual threaded swap of the buffers (swapFrontAndBackBuffers()). This technically works with BLOCKING\_swapFrontAndBackBuffers(), but given that that function only returns once the buffers have swapped, checking that the buffers have swapped is redundant.

### Returns

True if a swap has been made since the last call to this function, false otherwise.

13.14.2.17 bool CX\_Display::isAutomaticallySwapping (void )

Determine whether the display is configured to automatically swap the front and back buffers every frame. See BLOC-KING setAutoSwapping for more information.

13.14.2.18 void CX\_Display::setFullScreen ( bool fullScreen )

Set whether the display is full screen or not. If the display is set to full screen, the resolution may not be the same as the resolution of display in windowed mode, and vice versa.

13.14.2.19 void CX\_Display::setup (void)

Set up the display. Must be called for the display to function correctly.

13.14.2.20 void CX\_Display::setWindowResolution ( int width, int height )

Sets the resolution of the window. Has no effect if called while in full screen mode.

#### **Parameters**

width	The desired width of the window, in pixels.
height	The desired height of the window, in pixels.

13.14.2.21 void CX\_Display::setWindowTitle ( std::string title )

Sets the title of the experiment window.

#### **Parameters**

title	The new window title.

### 13.14.2.22 void CX\_Display::swapFrontAndBackBuffers (void )

This function cues a swap of the front and back buffers. It avoids blocking (like BLOCKING\_swapFrontAndBackBuffers()) by spawning a thread in which the swap is waited for.

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

- · CX Display.h
- CX\_Display.cpp

## 13.15 CX::CX\_InputManager Class Reference

```
#include <CX_InputManager.h>
```

#### **Public Member Functions**

- bool setup (bool useKeyboard, bool useMouse, int joystickIndex=-1)
- bool pollEvents (void)

#### **Public Attributes**

• CX\_Keyboard Keyboard

An instance of CX::CX\_Keyboard. Enabled or disabled with CX::CX\_InputManager::setup().

CX Mouse Mouse

An instance of CX::CX\_Mouse. Enabled or disabled with CX::CX\_InputManager::setup().

CX\_Joystick Joystick

An instance of CX::CX\_Joystick. Enabled or disabled with CX::CX\_InputManager::setup().

### 13.15.1 Detailed Description

This class is responsible for managing three basic input devices: a keyboard, mouse, and joystick. You access each of these devices with the corresponding member class: Keyboard, Mouse, and Joystick. See CX::CX\_Keyboard, CX::CX\_Mouse, and CX::CX\_Joystick for more information about each specific device.

By default, all three input devices are disabled. Call setup() to enable specific devices.

### 13.15.2 Member Function Documentation

### 13.15.2.1 bool CX\_InputManager::pollEvents ( void )

It is not typically neccessary for the user to call this function directly, although there is no harm in doing so. This function polls for new events on all of the configured input devices (see <a href="setup">setup</a>()). After a call to this function, new events for the input devices can be found by checking the available Events() function for each device.

#### Returns

True if there are any events available for enabled devices, false otherwise. The events do not neccessarily need to be new events. If there are events that were already stored in Mouse, Keyboard, or Joystick but had not been processed by user code, this function will return true.

13.15.2.2 bool CX\_InputManager::setup ( bool useKeyboard, bool useMouse, int joystickIndex = -1 )

Setup the input manager to use the requested devices. You may call this function multiple times if you want to change the configuration over the course of the experiment. Every time this function is called, all input device events are cleared.

#### **Parameters**

useKeyboard	Enable or disable the keyboard.
useMouse	Enable or disable the mouse.
joystickIndex	Optional. If $\geq$ = 0, an attempt will be made to set up the joystick at that index. If $<$ 0, no attempt
	will be made to set up the joystick.

#### Returns

False if the requested joystick could not be set up correctly, true otherwise.

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

- · CX InputManager.h
- CX InputManager.cpp

# 13.16 CX::CX\_Joystick Class Reference

#include <CX\_Joystick.h>

# Classes

• struct Event

## **Public Member Functions**

- bool setup (int joystickIndex)
- std::string getJoystickName (void)
- bool pollEvents (void)
- int availableEvents (void)
- CX Joystick::Event getNextEvent (void)
- void clearEvents (void)
- std::vector< float > getAxisPositions (void)
- std::vector< unsigned char > getButtonStates (void)

## 13.16.1 Detailed Description

This class manages a joystick that is attached to the system (if any). If more than one joystick is needed for the experiment, you can create more instances of CX Joystick other than the one in CX::Instances::Input.

13.16.2 Member Function Documentation

13.16.2.1 int CX\_Joystick::availableEvents ( void )

Get the number of new events available for this input device.

13.16.2.2 void CX\_Joystick::clearEvents ( void )

Clear (delete) all events from this input device.

13.16.2.3 vector < float > CX\_Joystick::getAxisPositions (void)

This function is to be used for direct access to the axis positions of the joystick. It does not generate events (i.e. CX\_Joystick::Event), nor does it do any timestamping. If timestamps and uncertainies are desired, you MUST use pollEvents() and the associated event functions (e.g. getNextEvent()).

```
13.16.2.4 vector < unsigned char > CX_Joystick::getButtonStates (void)
```

This function is to be used for direct access to the button states of the joystick. It does not generate events (i.e. CX\_Joystick::Event), nor does it do any timestamping. If timestamps and uncertainies are desired, you MUST use pollEvents() and the associated event functions (e.g. getNextEvent()).

```
13.16.2.5 std::string CX_Joystick::getJoystickName ( void )
```

Get the name of the joystick, presumably as set by the joystick driver. The name may not be very meaningful.

```
13.16.2.6 CX_Joystick::Event CX_Joystick::getNextEvent ( void )
```

Get the next event available for this input device. This is a destructive operation: the returned event is deleted from the input device.

```
13.16.2.7 bool CX_Joystick::pollEvents ( void )
```

Check to see if there are any new joystick events. If there are new events, they can be accessed with availableEvents() and getNextEvent().

### Returns

True if there are new events.

```
13.16.2.8 bool CX_Joystick::setup ( int joystickIndex )
```

Set up the joystick by attempting to initialize the joystick at the given index. If the joystick is present on the system, it will be initialized and its name can be accessed by calling getJoystickName().

If the set up is successful (i.e. if the selected joystick is present on the system), this function will return true. If the joystick is not present, it will return false.

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

- · CX Joystick.h
- · CX\_Joystick.cpp

# 13.17 CX::CX\_Keyboard Class Reference

#include <CX\_Keyboard.h>

## Classes

struct Event

## **Public Member Functions**

- int availableEvents (void)
- CX\_Keyboard::Event getNextEvent (void)
- void clearEvents (void)
- bool isKeyPressed (int key)

## **Friends**

· class CX\_InputManager

## 13.17.1 Detailed Description

This class is responsible for managing the mouse.

13.17.2 Member Function Documentation

```
13.17.2.1 int CX_Keyboard::availableEvents ( void )
```

Get the number of new events available for this input device.

```
13.17.2.2 void CX_Keyboard::clearEvents ( void )
```

Clear (delete) all events from this input device.

```
13.17.2.3 CX_Keyboard::Event CX_Keyboard::getNextEvent ( void )
```

Get the next event available for this input device. This is a destructive operation: the returned event is deleted from the input device.

```
13.17.2.4 bool CX::CX_Keyboard::isKeyPressed (int key ) [inline]
```

This function checks to see if the given key is pressed.

## **Parameters**

key	The key code for key you are interested in. See the documentation for the key member of
	CX_Keyboard::Event for more information about this value.

### Returns

True if the given key is held.

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

- · CX Keyboard.h
- CX\_Keyboard.cpp

# 13.18 CX::CX\_LapTimer Class Reference

```
#include <CX_Clock.h>
```

### **Public Member Functions**

- void setup (CX Clock \*clock, unsigned int samples)
- · void reset (void)
- void takeSample (void)
- CX Millis getAverage (void)
- CX Millis getMinimum (void)
- CX\_Millis getMaximum (void)
- std::string getStatString (void)

### 13.18.1 Detailed Description

This class can be used for profiling event loops.

```
//Set up collection:
CX_LapTimer lt;
lt.setup(&Clock, 1000); //Every 1000 samples, the results of those samples will be logged.

//In the loop:
while (whatever) {
    //other code...
    lt.takeSample();
    //other code...
}
Log.flush(); //Check the results of the profiling.
```

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

- · CX Clock.h
- CX\_Clock.cpp

## 13.19 CX::Util::CX LengthToPixelConverter Class Reference

```
#include <CX_UnitConversion.h>
```

Inherits CX::Util::CX\_BaseUnitConverter.

### **Public Member Functions**

- CX\_LengthToPixelConverter (float pixelsPerUnit, bool roundResult=false)
- float operator() (float length)

## 13.19.1 Detailed Description

This simple utility class is used for converting lengths (perhaps of objects drawn on the monitor) to pixels on a monitor. See also CX::Util::CX\_CoordinateConverter for a way to also convert from one coordinate system to another.

Example use:

### 13.19.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

13.19.2.1 CX::Util::CX\_LengthToPixelConverter::CX\_LengthToPixelConverter (float pixelsPerUnit, bool roundResult = false)

Constructs a CX LengthToPixelConverter with the given configuration.

#### **Parameters**

pixelsPerUnit	The number of pixels per one length unit. This can be measured by drawing a $\sim$ 100-1000 pixel
	square on the screen and measuring the length of a side and dividing the number of pixels by
	the total length measured.
roundResult	If true, the result of conversions will be rounded to the nearest integer (i.e. pixel). For drawing
	certain kinds of stimuli (especially text) it can be helpful to draw on pixel boundaries.

#### 13.19.3 Member Function Documentation

13.19.3.1 float CX::Util::CX\_LengthToPixelConverter::operator() ( float length )

Converts the length to pixels based on the settings given during construction.

### **Parameters**

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### Returns

The number of pixels corresponding to the length.

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

- CX\_UnitConversion.h
- CX\_UnitConversion.cpp

# 13.20 CX::CX\_Logger Class Reference

```
#include <CX_Logger.h>
```

### **Public Member Functions**

- std::stringstream & log (CX\_LogLevel level, std::string module="")
- std::stringstream & verbose (std::string module="")
- std::stringstream & notice (std::string module="")
- std::stringstream & warning (std::string module="")
- std::stringstream & error (std::string module="")
- std::stringstream & fatalError (std::string module="")
- void level (CX\_LogLevel level, std::string module="")
- void levelForConsole (CX LogLevel level)

- void levelForFile (CX\_LogLevel level, std::string filename="CX\_DEFERRED\_LOGGER\_DEFAULT")
- void levelForAllModules (CX\_LogLevel level)
- void flush (void)
- void timestamps (bool logTimestamps, std::string format="%H:%M:%S.%i")
- void setMessageFlushCallback (std::function < void(CX\_MessageFlushData &) > f)
- void captureOFLogMessages (void)

### 13.20.1 Detailed Description

This class is used for logging messages throughout the CX backend code. It can also be used in user code to log messages. Rather than instantiating your own copy of CX\_Logger, it is probably better to use the preinstantiated CX::Instances::Log.

There is an example showing a number of the features of CX Logger named example-logging.

#### 13.20.2 Member Function Documentation

```
13.20.2.1 void CX_Logger::captureOFLogMessages ( void )
```

Set this instance of CX Logger to be the target of any messages created by oF logging functions.

```
13.20.2.2 std::stringstream & CX_Logger::error ( std::string module = " " )
```

This function is equivalent to a call to log(CX\_LogLevel::LOG\_ERROR, module).

```
13.20.2.3 std::stringstream & CX_Logger::fatalError ( std::string module = " " )
```

This function is equivalent to a call to log(CX\_LogLevel::LOG\_FATAL\_ERROR, module).

```
13.20.2.4 void CX_Logger::flush ( void )
```

Log all of the messages stored since the last call to flush() to the selected logging targets. This is a BLOCKING operation.

```
13.20.2.5 void CX_Logger::level ( CX LogLevel level, std::string module = " " )
```

Sets the log level for the given module. Messages from that module that are at a lower level than level will be ignored.

#### **Parameters**

level	See the CX::CX_LogLevel enum for valid values.
module	A string representing one of the modules from which log messages are generated.

```
13.20.2.6 void CX_Logger::levelForAllModules ( CX_LogLevel level )
```

Set the log level for all modules. This works both retroactively and proactively: All currently known modules are given the log level and the default log level for new modules as set to the level.

```
13.20.2.7 void CX_Logger::levelForConsole ( CX_LogLevel level )
```

Set the log level for messages to be printed to the console.

```
13.20.2.8 void CX_Logger::levelForFile ( CX_LogLevel level, std::string filename = "CX_DEFERRED_LOGGER_-DEFAULT" )
```

Sets the log level for the file with given file name. If the file does not exist, it will be created. If the file does exist, it will be overwritten with a warning logged to cerr.

#### **Parameters**

level	See the CX_LogLevel enum for valid values.
filename	Optional. If no file name is given, a file with name generated from a date/time from the start time
	of the experiment will be used.

13.20.2.9 std::stringstream & CX\_Logger::log ( CX\_LogLevel level, std::string module = " " )

This is the basic logging function for this class. Example use:

Log.log(CX\_LogLevel::LOG\_WARNING, "myModule") << "My message number " << 20;

Possible output: "[warning] <myModule> My message number 20"

### **Parameters**

level	Log level for this message. This has implications for message filtering. See level(). This should
	not be LOG_ALL or LOG_NONE, because that would be weird, wouldn't it?
module	Name of the module that this log message is related to. This has implications for message
	filtering. See level().

### Returns

A reference to a std::stringstream that the log message data should be streamed into.

13.20.2.10 std::stringstream & CX\_Logger::notice ( std::string module = " " )

This function is equivalent to a call to log(CX\_LogLevel::LOG\_NOTICE, module).

13.20.2.11 void CX\_Logger::setMessageFlushCallback ( std::function < void(CX\_MessageFlushData &) > f )

Sets the user function that will be called on each message flush event. For every message that has been logged, the user function will be called. No filtering is performed: All messages regardless of the module log level will be sent to the user function.

### **Parameters**

f	A pointer to a user function that takes a reference to a CX_MessageFlushData struct and returns
	nothing.

13.20.2.12 void CX Logger::timestamps ( bool logTimestamps, std::string format = "%H:%M:%S.%i")

Set whether or not to log timestamps and the format for the timestamps.

### **Parameters**

logTimestamps	Does what it says.
format	Timestamp format string. See http://pocoproject.org/docs/Poco.DateTime-
	Formatter.html#4684 for documentation of the format. Defaults to H:M:S.i (24-hour clock
	with milliseconds at the end).

13.20.2.13 std::stringstream & CX\_Logger::verbose ( std::string module = " " )

This function is equivalent to a call to log(CX\_LogLevel::LOG\_VERBOSE, module).

13.20.2.14 std::stringstream & CX\_Logger::warning ( std::string module = " " )

This function is equivalent to a call to log(CX LogLevel::LOG WARNING, module).

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

- · CX\_Logger.h
- CX\_Logger.cpp

## 13.21 CX::CX Mouse Class Reference

```
#include <CX_Mouse.h>
```

#### Classes

struct Event

### **Public Member Functions**

- int availableEvents (void)
- CX\_Mouse::Event getNextEvent (void)
- void clearEvents (void)
- void showCursor (bool show)
- void setCursorPosition (ofPoint pos)
- ofPoint getCursorPosition (void)

## **Friends**

class CX\_InputManager

## 13.21.1 Detailed Description

This class is responsible for managing the mouse.

## 13.21.2 Member Function Documentation

```
13.21.2.1 int CX_Mouse::availableEvents ( void )
```

Get the number of new events available for this input device.

```
13.21.2.2 void CX_Mouse::clearEvents (void)
```

Clear (delete) all events from this input device.

```
13.21.2.3 ofPoint CX_Mouse::getCursorPosition ( void )
```

Get the cursor position within the program window. If the mouse has left the window, this will return the last known position of the cursor within the window.

### Returns

An ofPoint with the last cursor position.

13.21.2.4 CX\_Mouse::Event CX\_Mouse::getNextEvent ( void )

Get the next event available for this input device. This is a destructive operation: the returned event is deleted from the input device.

13.21.2.5 void CX\_Mouse::setCursorPosition ( ofPoint pos )

Sets the position of the cursor, relative to the program the window. The window must be focused.

#### **Parameters**

pos	The location within the window to set the cursor.
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13.21.2.6 void CX\_Mouse::showCursor ( bool show )

Show or hide the mouse cursor within the program window. If in windowed mode, the cursor will be visible outside of the window.

#### **Parameters**

show	If true, the cursor will be shown, if false it will not be shown.
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The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- · CX Mouse.h
- CX Mouse.cpp

## 13.22 CX::CX RandomNumberGenerator Class Reference

#include <CX RandomNumberGenerator.h>

## **Public Member Functions**

- CX\_RandomNumberGenerator (void)
- void setSeed (unsigned long seed)
- unsigned long getSeed (void)
- CX\_RandomInt\_t getMinimumRandomInt (void)
- CX\_RandomInt\_t getMaximumRandomInt (void)
- CX\_RandomInt\_t randomInt (void)
- CX\_RandomInt\_t randomInt\_t rangeUpper)
- double randomDouble (double lowerBound\_closed, double upperBound\_open)
- template<typename stdDist >
  - std::vector< typename
  - stdDist::result\_type > sampleRealizations (unsigned int count, stdDist dist)
- std::vector< double > sampleUniformRealizations (unsigned int count, double lowerBound\_closed, double upper-Bound open)
- std::vector< unsigned int > sampleBinomialRealizations (unsigned int count, unsigned int trials, double prob-
- std::vector< double > sampleNormalRealizations (unsigned int count, double mean, double standardDeviation)
- template<typename T > void shuffleVector (std::vector< T > \*v)
- template<typename T >
   std::vector< T > shuffleVector (std::vector< T > v)

```
    template<typename T >
        T sample (std::vector< T > values)
    template<typename T >
        std::vector< T > sample (unsigned int count, const std::vector< T > &source, bool withReplacement)
    std::vector< int > sample (unsigned int count, int lowerBound, int upperBound, bool withReplacement)
    template<typename T >
        T randomExclusive (const std::vector< T > &values, const T &exclude)
    template<typename T >
        T randomExclusive (const std::vector< T > &values, const std::vector< T > &exclude)
    std::mt19937_64 & getGenerator (void)
```

## 13.22.1 Detailed Description

This class is used for generating random values from a pseudo-random number generator. If uses a version of the Mersenne Twister algorithm, in particular std::mt19937\_64 (see http://en.cppreference.-com/w/cpp/numeric/random/mersenne\_twister\_engine for the parameters used with this algorithm).

The monolithic structure of CX\_RandomNumberGenerator provides a certain important feature that a collection of loose function does not have, which is the ability to trivially track the random seed being used for the random number generator. The function CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::setSeed() sets the seed for all random number generation tasks performed by this class. Likewise, CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::getSeed() allows you to easily find the seed that is being used for random number generation. Due to this structure, you can easily save the seed that was used for each participant, which allows you to repeat the exact randomizations used for that participant (unless random number generation varies as a function of the responses given by a participant).

An instance of this class is preinstantiated for you. See CX::Instances::RNG for information about the instance.

### 13.22.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

```
13.22.2.1 CX_RandomNumberGenerator::CX_RandomNumberGenerator (void )
```

Constructs an instance of a CX\_RandomNumberGenerator. Seeds the CX\_RandomNumberGenerator using a std::random\_device.

By the C++11 specification, std::random\_device is supposed to be a non-deterministic (hardware) RNG. However, from http://en.cppreference.com/w/cpp/numeric/random/random\_device: "Note that std::random\_device may be implemented in terms of a pseudo-random number engine if a non-deterministic source (e.g. a hardware device) is not available to the implementation." According to a Stack Overflow comment, Microsoft's implementation of std::random\_device is based on a ton of stuff, which should result in a fairly random result to be used as a seed for our Mersenne Twister. See the comment: http://stackoverflow.-com/questions/9549357/the-implementation-of-random-device-in-vs2010/9575747#9575747

Although this data should have high entropy, it is not a hardware RNG. The random\_device is only used to seed the Mersenne Twister, so as long as the initial value is random enough, it should be fine.

### 13.22.3 Member Function Documentation

```
13.22.3.1 std::mt19937_64 & CX_RandomNumberGenerator::getGenerator (void)
```

This function returns a reference to the PRNG used by the CX\_RandomNumberGenerator. This can be used for various things, including sampling from some of the other distributions provided by the standard library: http://en.-cppreference.com/w/cpp/numeric/random

```
std::poisson_distribution<int> pois(4);
int deviate = pois(RNG.getGenerator());
```

13.22.3.2 CX\_RandomInt\_t CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::getMaximumRandomInt (void )

Get the maximum possible value that can be returned by randomInt().

Returns

The maximum value.

13.22.3.3 CX\_RandomInt\_t CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::getMinimumRandomInt ( void )

Get the minimum value that can be returned by randomInt().

Returns

The minimum value.

13.22.3.4 unsigned long CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::getSeed ( void )

Get the seed used to seed the random number generator.

Returns

The seed. May have been set by the user with setSeed() or during construction of the CX\_RandomNumber-Generator.

13.22.3.5 double CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::randomDouble ( double lowerBound\_closed, double upperBound\_open )

Samples a realization from a uniform distribution with the range [lowerBound closed, upperBound open).

#### **Parameters**

lowerBound	The lower bound of the distribution. This bound is closed, meaning that you can observe this
closed	value.
upperBound	The upper bound of the distribution. This bound is open, meaning that you cannot observe this
open	value.

#### Returns

The realization.

13.22.3.6 template<typename T > T CX::CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::randomExclusive ( const std::vector< T > & values, const T & exclude )

Get a random value from a vector, without the possibility of getting the excluded value.

### **Parameters**

values	The vectors of values to sample from.
exclude	The value to exclude from sampling.

## Returns

The sampled value.

Note

If all of the values are excluded, an error will be logged and T() will be returned.

13.22.3.7 template < typename T > T CX::CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::randomExclusive ( const std::vector < T > & values, const std::vector < T > & exclude )

Get a random value from a vector without the possibility of getting any of the excluded values.

#### **Parameters**

values	The vector of values to sample from.
exclude	The vector of values to exclude from sampling.

#### Returns

The sampled value.

Note

If all of the values are excluded, an error will be logged and T() will be returned.

13.22.3.8 CX\_RandomInt\_t CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::randomInt ( void )

Get a random integer in the range getMinimumRandomInt(), getMaximumRandomInt(), inclusive.

Returns

The int.

13.22.3.9 CX\_RandomInt\_t CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::randomInt ( CX\_RandomInt\_t min, CX\_RandomInt\_t max )

This function returns an integer from the range [rangeLower, rangeUpper]. The minimum and maximum values for the int returned from this function are given by <a href="mailto:getMinimumRandomInt">getMinimumRandomInt</a>() and <a href="mailto:getMaximumRandomInt">getMaximumRandomInt</a>().

If rangeLower > rangeUpper, the lower and upper ranges are swapped. If rangeLower == rangeUpper, it returns range-Lower.

13.22.3.10 template < typename T > T CX::CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::sample ( std::vector < T > values )

Returns a single value sampled randomly from values.

Returns

The sampled value.

Note

If values.size() == 0, an error will be logged and T() will be returned.

13.22.3.11 template < typename T > std::vector < T > CX::CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::sample (unsigned int *count*, const std::vector < T > & source, bool withReplacement)

Returns a vector of count values drawn randomly from source, with or without replacement. The returned values are in a random order.

### **Parameters**

count	The number of samples to draw.
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source	A vector to be sampled from.
withReplacement	Sample with or without replacement.

### Returns

A vector of the sampled values.

#### Note

If (count > source.size() && withReplacement == false), an empty vector is returned.

13.22.3.12 std::vector< int > CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::sample ( unsigned int *count*, int *lowerBound*, int *upperBound*, bool withReplacement )

Returns a vector of count integers drawn randomly from the range [lowerBound, upperBound] with or without replacement.

## **Parameters**

count	The number of samples to draw.
IowerBound	The lower bound of the range to sample from. It is possible to sample this value.
upperBound	The upper bound of the range to sample from. It is possible to sample this value.
withReplacement	Sample with or without replacement.

## Returns

A vector of the samples.

13.22.3.13 std::vector< unsigned int > CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::sampleBinomialRealizations ( unsigned int *count*, unsigned int *trials*, double *probSuccess* )

Samples count realizations from a binomial distribution with the given number of trials and probability of success on each trial.

### **Parameters**

count	The number of deviates to generate.
trials	The number of trials. Must be a non-negative integer.
probSuccess	The probability of a success on a given trial, where a success is the value 1.

### Returns

A vector of the realizations.

13.22.3.14 std::vector< double > CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::sampleNormalRealizations ( unsigned int *count*, double *mean*, double *standardDeviation* )

Samples count realizations from a normal distribution with the given mean and standard deviation.

#### **Parameters**

count	The number of deviates to generate.
mean	The mean of the distribution.
standard-	The standard deviation of the distribution.
Deviation	

#### Returns

A vector of the realizations.

13.22.3.15 template < typename stdDist > std::vector < typename stdDist::result\_type > CX::CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::sampleRealizations ( unsigned int *count*, stdDist *dist* )

Draws count samples from a distribution dist that is provided by the user.

### **Parameters**

count	The number of samples to take.
dist	A configured instance of a distribution class that has operator()(Generator&g), where Generator
	is a random number generator that has operator() that returns a random value. Basically, just
	<pre>look at this page: http://en.cppreference.com/w/cpp/numeric/random and</pre>
	pick one of the random number distributions.

### Returns

A vector of stdDist::result\_type, where stdDist::result\_type is the type of data that is returned by the distribution (e.g. int, double, etc.). You can usually set this when creating the distribution object.

```
//Take 100 samples from a poisson distribution with lamda (mean result value) of 4.2.
//stdDist::result_type is unsigned int in this example.
vector<unsigned int> rpois = RNG.sampleFrom(100, std::poisson_distribution<unsigned int>(4.2));
```

13.22.3.16 std::vector < double > CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::sampleUniformRealizations ( unsigned int *count,* double lowerBound\_closed, double upperBound\_open )

Samples count deviates from a uniform distribution with the range [lowerBound\_closed, upperBound\_open).

#### **Parameters**

count	The number of deviates to generate.
lowerBound	The lower bound of the distribution. This bound is closed, meaning that you can observe deviates
closed	with this value.
upperBound	The upper bound of the distribution. This bound is open, meaning that you cannot observe
open	deviates with this value.

### Returns

A vector of the realizations.

13.22.3.17 void CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::setSeed ( unsigned long seed )

Set the seed for the random number generator. You can retrieve the seed with getSeed().

### **Parameters**

13.22.3.18 template < typename T > void CX::CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::shuffle Vector ( std::vector < T > \*  $\nu$  )

Randomizes the order of the given vector.

### **Parameters**

```
v A pointer to the vector to be shuffled.
```

13.22.3.19 template < typename T > std::vector < T > CX::CX\_RandomNumberGenerator::shuffleVector ( std::vector < T >  $\nu$  )

Makes a copy of the given vector, randomizes the order of its elements, and returns the shuffled copy.

#### **Parameters**

```
v The vector to be operated on.
```

### Returns

A shuffled copy of v.

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

- CX\_RandomNumberGenerator.h
- CX\_RandomNumberGenerator.cpp

# 13.23 CX::CX\_SlidePresenter Class Reference

```
#include <CX_SlidePresenter.h>
```

# Classes

- struct Configuration
- struct FinalSlideFunctionArgs
- struct PresentationErrorInfo
- struct Slide
- struct SlideTimingInfo

## **Public Types**

• enum ErrorMode { ErrorMode::PROPAGATE\_DELAYS, ErrorMode::FIX\_TIMING\_FROM\_FIRST\_SLIDE }

## **Public Member Functions**

- bool setup (CX Display \*display)
- bool setup (const CX\_SlidePresenter::Configuration &config)
- virtual void update (void)
- void appendSlide (CX SlidePresenter::Slide slide)

- void appendSlideFunction (std::function < void(void) > drawingFunction, CX\_Millis slideDuration, std::string slide-Name="")
- void beginDrawingNextSlide (CX Millis slideDuration, std::string slideName="")
- void endDrawingCurrentSlide (void)
- · bool startSlidePresentation (void)
- void stopSlidePresentation (void)

Stops slide presentation.

· bool isPresentingSlides (void) const

Returns true if slide presentation is in progress, even if the first slide has not yet been presented.

- void clearSlides (void)
- std::vector

< CX\_SlidePresenter::Slide > & getSlides (void)

- std::vector< CX\_Millis > getActualPresentationDurations (void)
- std::vector< unsigned int > getActualFrameCounts (void)
- CX\_SlidePresenter::PresentationErrorInfo checkForPresentationErrors (void) const
- std::string printLastPresentationInformation (void) const

### **Protected Member Functions**

- unsigned int \_calculateFrameCount (CX\_Millis duration)
- void \_singleCoreBlockingUpdate (void)
- void \_singleCoreThreadedUpdate (void)
- void \_multiCoreUpdate (void)
- void \_renderCurrentSlide (void)
- void waitSyncCheck (void)
- void \_finishPreviousSlide (void)
- void \_handleFinalSlide (void)
- void \_prepareNextSlide (void)

## **Protected Attributes**

- CX SlidePresenter::Configuration \_config
- CX\_Millis \_hoggingStartTime
- bool \_presentingSlides
- bool \_synchronizing
- unsigned int \_currentSlide
- std::vector

< CX\_SlidePresenter::Slide > \_slides

- · bool lastFramebufferActive
- bool \_useFenceSync
- bool \_awaitingFenceSync
- GLsync \_fenceSyncObject

### 13.23.1 Detailed Description

This class is a very useful abstraction that presents slides (typically a full display) of visual stimuli for fixed durations. See the basicChangeDetectionTask.cpp, advancedChangeDetectionTask.cpp, and nBack.cpp examples for the usage of this class.

### A brief example:

```
CX SlidePresenter slidePresenter;
slidePresenter.setup(&Display);
slidePresenter.beginDrawingNextSlide(2000 * 1000, "circle");
ofBackground(50);
ofSetColor(ofColor::red):
ofCircle(Display.getCenterOfDisplay(), 40);
\verb|slidePresenter.beginDrawingNextSlide(1000 * 1000, "rectangle");|\\
ofBackground(50);
ofSetColor(ofColor::green):
ofRect(Display.getCenterOfDisplay() - ofPoint(100, 100), 200, 200);
slidePresenter.beginDrawingNextSlide(1, "off");
ofBackground(50);
slidePresenter.endDrawingCurrentSlide();
slidePresenter.startSlidePresentation();
//Update the slide presenter while waiting for slide presentation to complete
while (slidePresenter.isPresentingSlides()) {
    slidePresenter.update(); //You must remember to call update() regularly while slides are being
       presented!
```

#### 13.23.2 Member Enumeration Documentation

```
13.23.2.1 enum CX::CX_SlidePresenter::ErrorMode [strong]
```

The settings in this enum are related to what a CX\_SlidePresenter does when it encounters a timing error. Timing errors are probably almost exclusively related to one slide being presented for too long.

The PROPAGATE\_DELAYS setting causes the slide presenter to handle these errors by moving the start time of all future stimuli back by the number of extra frame that the erroneous slide used. This makes the durations of all future stimuli correct, so that there is only an error in the duration of one slide.

An alternative option is to try to keep the onsets of all slides as constant as possible relative to each other. This means that if one slide is presented for an extra frame, the next slide will be presented for one frame less than it should have been. If one slide is presented for several extra frames (this should almost never happen), the next slide may be skipped altogether. However, this mode (FIX\_TIMING\_FROM\_FIRST\_SLIDE) does not completely work currently so it should not be used.

#### Enumerator

**PROPAGATE\_DELAYS** This mode handles timing errors by changing the onset times of future stimuli so. **FIX\_TIMING\_FROM\_FIRST\_SLIDE** This does not work currently.

## 13.23.3 Member Function Documentation

```
13.23.3.1 void CX_SlidePresenter::appendSlide ( CX SlidePresenter::Slide slide )
```

Add a fully configured slide to the end of the list of slides. The user code must configure several components of the slide:

• If the framebuffer will be used, the framebuffer must be allocated and drawn to.

- If the drawing function will be used, a valid function pointer must be given. A check is made that either the drawing function is set or the framebuffer is allocated and an error is logged if neither is configured.
- · The intended duration must be set.
- The name may be set (optional).

#### **Parameters**

slide	The slide to append.

13.23.3.2 void CX\_SlidePresenter::appendSlideFunction ( std::function < void(void) > drawingFunction, CX\_Millis slideDuration, std::string slideName = " " )

Appends a slide to the slide presenter that will call the given drawing function when it comes time to render the slide to the back buffer. Essentially, the drawing function will be called one frame before the front and back buffers are swapped.

#### **Parameters**

drawingFunction	A pointer to a function that will draw the data to the slide. The contents of the back buffer are not clear before this function is called, so the function must clear the background to the desired color.
slideDuration	The amount of time to present the slide for. If this is less than or equal to 0, the slide will be
	ignored.
slideName	The name of the slide. This can be anything and is purely for the user to use to help identify the
	slide.

13.23.3.3 void CX\_SlidePresenter::beginDrawingNextSlide ( CX Millis slideDuration, std::string slideName = " " )

Prepares the framebuffer of the next slide for drawing so that any drawing commands given between a call to begin-DrawingNextSlide() and endDrawingCurrentSlide() will cause stimuli to be drawn to the framebuffer of the slide.

#### **Parameters**

slideDuration	The amount of time to present the slide for. If this is less than or equal to 0, the slide will be
	ignored.
slideName	The name of the slide. This can be anything and is purely for the user to use to help identify the
	slide.

## 13.23.3.4 CX SlidePresenter::PresentationErrorInfo CX SlidePresenter::checkForPresentationErrors (void) const

Checks the timing data from the last presentation of slides for presentation errors. Currently it checks to see if the intended frame count matches the actual frame count of each slide, which indicates if the duration was correct. It also checks to make sure that the framebuffer was copied to the back buffer before the onset of the slide. If not, vertical tearing might have occurred when the back buffer, containing a partially copied slide, was swapped in.

#### Returns

A struct with information about the errors that occurred on the last presentation of slides.

### Note

If clearSlides() has been called since the end of the presentation, this does nothing as its data has been cleared. If this function is called during slide presentation, the returned struct will have the presentationErrorsSuccessfully-Checked member set to false and an error will be logged.

```
13.23.3.5 void CX_SlidePresenter::clearSlides (void)
```

Clears (deletes) all of the slides contained in the slide presenter and stops presentation, if it was in progress.

```
13.23.3.6 void CX_SlidePresenter::endDrawingCurrentSlide (void)
```

Ends drawing to the framebuffer of the slide that is currently being drawn to. See beginDrawingNextSlide().

```
13.23.3.7 std::vector < unsigned int > CX SlidePresenter::getActualFrameCounts ( void )
```

Gets a vector containing the number of frames that each of the slides from the last presentation of slides was presented for. Note that these frame counts may be wrong. If checkForPresentationErrors() not detect any errors, the frame counts are likely to be right, but there is no guarantee.

#### Returns

A vector containing the frame counts. The frame count corresponding to the first slide added to the slide presenter will be at index 0.

#### Note

The frame count of the last slide is meaningless. As far as the slide presenter is concerned, as soon as the last slide is put on the screen, it is done presenting the slides. Because the slide presenter is not responsible for removing the last slide from the screen, it has no idea about the duration of that slide.

```
13.23.3.8 std::vector < CX Millis > CX SlidePresenter::getActualPresentationDurations ( void )
```

Gets a vector containing the durations of the slides from the last presentation of slides. Note that these durations may be wrong. If <a href="https://checkForPresentationErrors">checkForPresentationErrors</a>() does not detect any errors, the durations are likely to be right, but there is no guarantee.

#### Returns

A vector containing the durations. The duration corresponding to the first slide added to the slide presenter will be at index 0.

## Note

The duration of the last slide is meaningless. As far as the slide presenter is concerned, as soon as the last slide is put on the screen, it is done presenting the slides. Because the slide presenter is not responsible for removing the last slide from the screen, it has no idea about the duration of that slide.

```
13.23.3.9 std::vector < CX SlidePresenter::Slide > & CX_SlidePresenter::getSlides ( void )
```

Get a reference to the vector of slides held by the slide presenter. If you modify any of the memebers of any of the slides, you do so at your own risk. This data is mostly useful in a read-only sort of way (when was that slide presented?).

## Returns

A reference to the vector of slides.

```
13.23.3.10 bool CX_SlidePresenter::setup ( CX_Display * display )
```

Set up the slide presenter with the given CX\_Display as the display.

#### **Parameters**

display	Pointer to the display to use.	
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#### Returns

False if there was an error during setup, in which case a message will be logged.

13.23.3.11 bool CX\_SlidePresenter::setup ( const CX\_SlidePresenter::Configuration & config )

Set up the slide presenter using the given configuration.

#### **Parameters**

config	The configuration to use.
	-

### Returns

False if there was an error during setup, in which case a message will be logged.

13.23.3.12 bool CX\_SlidePresenter::startSlidePresentation (void)

Start presenting the slides that are stored in the slide presenter. After this function is called, calls to update() will advance the state of the slide presentation.

### Returns

False if an error was encountered while starting presentation, in which case messages will be logged, true otherwise.

13.23.3.13 void CX\_SlidePresenter::update(void) [virtual]

Updates the state of the slide presenter. If the slide presenter is presenting stimuli, update() must be called very regularly (at least once per millisecond) in order for the slide presenter to function.

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

- CX\_SlidePresenter.h
- CX\_SlidePresenter.cpp

# 13.24 CX::CX\_SoundObject Class Reference

#include <CX\_SoundObject.h>

## **Public Member Functions**

- bool loadFile (std::string fileName)
- bool addSound (std::string fileName, CX\_Millis timeOffset)
- bool addSound (CX SoundObject so, CX Millis timeOffset)
- bool setFromVector (const std::vector< float > &data, int channels, float sampleRate)
- · void clear (void)
- bool isReadyToPlay (void)
- bool isLoadedSuccessfully (void)

- bool applyGain (float gain, int channel=-1)
- bool multiplyAmplitudeBy (float amount, int channel=-1)
- void normalize (float amount=1.0)
- float getPositivePeak (void)
- float getNegativePeak (void)
- · void setLength (CX\_Millis length)
- CX Millis getLength (void)
- void stripLeadingSilence (float tolerance)
- void addSilence (CX\_Millis duration, bool atBeginning)
- void deleteAmount (CX\_Millis duration, bool fromBeginning)
- void reverse (void)
- void multiplySpeed (float speedMultiplier)
- void resample (float newSampleRate)
- float getSampleRate (void)

Returns the sample rate of the sound data stored in this CX\_SoundObject.

- bool setChannelCount (int channels)
- int getChannelCount (void)

Returns the number of channels in the sound data stored in this CX\_SoundObject.

- uint64\_t getTotalSampleCount (void)
- uint64\_t getSampleFrameCount (void)
- std::vector< float > & getRawDataReference (void)
- bool writeToFile (std::string path)

### **Public Attributes**

· std::string name

This stores the name of the file from which data was read, if any. It can be set by the user with no side effects.

## 13.24.1 Detailed Description

This class is a container for a sound. It can load sound files, manipulate the contents of the sound data, add other sounds to an existing sound at specified offsets.

In order to play a CX\_SoundObject, you use a CX::CX\_SoundObjectPlayer.

See the soundObject example for an introduction on how to use this class along with a CX SoundObjectPlayer.

### Note

Nearly all functions of this class should be considered Blocking Code. Many of the operations take quite a while to complete because they are performed on a potentially large vector of sound samples.

## 13.24.2 Member Function Documentation

13.24.2.1 void CX\_SoundObject::addSilence ( CX Millis duration, bool atBeginning )

Adds the specified amount of silence to the CX\_SoundObject at either the beginning or end.

#### **Parameters**

duration	Duration of added silence in microseconds. Dependent on the sample rate of the sound. If the
	sample rate changes, so does the duration of silence.
atBeginning	If true, silence is added at the beginning of the CX_SoundObject. If false, the silence is added at
	the end.

## 13.24.2.2 bool CX\_SoundObject::addSound ( CX\_SoundObject nso, CX\_Millis timeOffset )

Adds the sound data in nso at the time offset. If the sample rates of the sounds differ, nso will be resampled to the sample rate of this CX\_SoundObject. If the number of channels of nso does not equal the number of channels of this, an attempt will be made to set the number of channels of nso equal to the number of channels of this CX\_SoundObject. The data from nso and this CX\_SoundObject are merged by adding the amplitudes of the sounds. The result of the addition is clamped between -1 and 1.

#### **Parameters**

nso	A sound object. Must be successfully loaded.
timeOffset	Time at which to add the new sound data in microseconds. Dependent on sample rate.

### Returns

True if nso was successfully added to this CX SoundObject, false otherwise.

### 13.24.2.3 bool CX\_SoundObject::applyGain (float decibels, int channel = -1)

Apply gain to the channel in terms of decibels.

## **Parameters**

decibels	Gain to apply. 0 does nothing. Positive values increase volume, negative values decrease volume. Negative infinity is essentially mute, although see multiplyAmplitudeBy() for a more obvious way to do that same operation.
channel	The channel that the gain should be applied to. If channel is less than 0, the gain is applied to all channels.

### 13.24.2.4 void CX\_SoundObject::clear ( void )

Clears all data stored in the sound object and returns it to an uninitialized state.

### 13.24.2.5 void CX\_SoundObject::deleteAmount ( CX Millis duration, bool fromBeginning )

Deletes the specified amount of sound from the CX\_SoundObject from either the beginning or end.

### **Parameters**

duration	Duration of removed sound in microseconds. If this is greater than the duration of the sound, the
	whole sound is deleted.
fromBeginning	If true, sound is deleted from the beginning of the CX_SoundObject's buffer. If false, the sound
	is deleted from the end, toward the beginning.

## 13.24.2.6 CX\_Millis CX\_SoundObject::getLength ( void )

Gets the length, in time, of the sound object.

```
Returns
```

The length.

13.24.2.7 float CX\_SoundObject::getNegativePeak ( void )

Finds the minimum amplitude in the sound object.

#### Returns

The minimum amplitude.

#### Note

Amplitudes are between -1 and 1, inclusive.

13.24.2.8 float CX\_SoundObject::getPositivePeak ( void )

Finds the maximum amplitude in the sound object.

### Returns

The maximum amplitude.

#### Note

Amplitudes are between -1 and 1, inclusive.

13.24.2.9 std::vector<float>& CX::CX\_SoundObject::getRawDataReference ( void ) [inline]

This function returns a reference to the raw data underlying the sound object.

### Returns

A reference to the data. Modify at your own risk!

```
13.24.2.10 uint64_t CX::CX_SoundObject::getSampleFrameCount(void) [inline]
```

This function returns the number of sample frames in the sound data held by the CX\_SoundObject, which is equal to the total number of samples divided by the number of channels.

```
13.24.2.11 uint64_t CX::CX_SoundObject::getTotalSampleCount(void) [inline]
```

This function returns the total number of samples in the sound data held by the CX\_SoundObject, which is equal to the number of sample frames times the number of channels.

```
13.24.2.12 bool CX::CX_SoundObject::isLoadedSuccessfully(void) [inline]
```

Checks to see if sound data has been successfully loaded into this CX\_SoundObject from a file.

```
13.24.2.13 bool CX_SoundObject::isReadyToPlay ( void )
```

Checks to see if the CX\_SoundObject is ready to play. It basically just checks if there is sound data available and that the number of channels is set to a sane value.

13.24.2.14 bool CX\_SoundObject::loadFile ( std::string fileName )

Loads a sound file with the given file name into the CX\_SoundObject. Any pre-existing data in the sound object is deleted. Some sound file types are supported. Others are not. In the limited testing, mp3 and wav files seem to work well. If the file cannot be loaded, descriptive error messages will be logged.

#### **Parameters**

fileName	Name of the sound file to load.

#### Returns

True if the sound given in the fileName was loaded successfuly, false otherwise.

13.24.2.15 bool CX\_SoundObject::multiplyAmplitudeBy (float amount, int channel = -1)

Apply gain to the sound. The original value is simply multiplied by the amount and then clamped to be within [-1, 1].

#### **Parameters**

	amount	The gain that should be applied. A value of 0 mutes the channel. 1 does nothing. 2 doubles the amplitude1 inverts the waveform.
Ì	channel	The channel that the given multiplier should be applied to. If channel is less than 0, the amplitude
		multiplier is applied to all channels.

13.24.2.16 void CX\_SoundObject::multiplySpeed ( float speedMultiplier )

This function changes the speed of the sound by some multiple.

#### **Parameters**

speedMultiplier	Amount to multiply the speed by. Must be greater than 0.
-----------------	--

### Note

If you would like to use a negative value to reverse the direction of playback, see reverse().

13.24.2.17 void CX\_SoundObject::normalize (float amount = 1.0)

Normalizes the contents of the sound object.

## **Parameters**

amount	Must be in the interval [0,1]. If 1, normalize will normalize in the standard way: The peak with
	the greatest magnitude will be set to +/-1 and everything else will be scaled relative to the peak.
	If amount is less than 1, the greatest peak will be set to that value.

13.24.2.18 void CX\_SoundObject::resample ( float newSampleRate )

Resamples the audio data stored in the CX\_SoundObject by linear interpolation. Linear interpolation is not the ideal way to resample audio data; some audio fidelity is lost, more so than with other resampling techinques. It is, however, very fast compared to higher-quality methods both in terms of run time and programming time. It has acceptable results, at least when the new sample rate is similar to the old sample rate.

#### **Parameters**

newSampleRate	The requested sample rate.

13.24.2.19 void CX\_SoundObject::reverse ( void )

This function reverses the sound data stored in the CX SoundObject so that if it is played, it will play in reverse.

## 13.24.2.20 bool CX\_SoundObject::setChannelCount ( int newChannelCount )

Sets the number of channels of the sound. Depending on the old number of channels (N) and the new number of channels (M), the conversion is performed in different ways. If N = M, nothing happens. If N = 1, each of the M new channels is set equal to the value of the single old channel. If M = 1, the new channel is set equal to the arithmetic average of the N old channels. If (N != 1 && M > N), the first N channels are preserved unchanged and the M - N new channels are set to the arithmetic average of the N old channels. Any other combination of M and N is an error condition.

#### **Parameters**

newChannel-	The number of channels the CX_SoundObject will have after the conversion.
Count	

#### Returns

True if the conversion was successful, false if the attempted conversion is unsupported.

13.24.2.21 bool CX SoundObject::setFromVector ( const std::vector < float > & data, int channels, float sampleRate )

Set the contents of the sound object from a vector of float data.

#### **Parameters**

data	A vector of sound samples. These values should go from -1 to 1. This requirement is not checked
	for. If there is more than once channel of data, the data must be interleaved. This means that
	if, for example, there are two channels, the ordering of the samples is 12121212 where 1
	represents a sample for channel 1 and 2 represents a sample for channel 2. This requirement is
	not checked for. The number of samples in this vector must be evenly divisible by the number of
	channels set with the channels argument.
channels	The number of channels worth of data that is stored in data.
sampleRate	The sample rate of the samples. If data contains, for example, a sine wave, that wave was
	sampled at some rate (e.g. 48000 samples per second of waveform). sampleRate should be
	that rate. return True in all cases. No checking is done on any of the arguments.

### 13.24.2.22 void CX\_SoundObject::setLength ( CX Millis length )

Set the length of the sound to the specified length in microseconds. If the new length is longer than the old length, the new data is zeroed (i.e. set to silence).

## 13.24.2.23 void CX\_SoundObject::stripLeadingSilence ( float tolerance )

Removes leading "silence" from the sound, where silence is defined by the given tolerance. It is unlikely that the beginning of a sound, even if perceived as silent relative to the rest of the sound, has an amplitude of 0. Therefore, a tolerance of 0 is unlikely to prove useful. Using getPositivePeak() and/or getNegativePeak() can help to give a reference amplitude of which some small fraction is perceived as "silent".

## **Parameters**

tolerance	All sound data up to and including the first instance of a sample with an amplitude with an
	absolute value greater than or equal to tolerance is removed from the sound.

### 13.24.2.24 bool CX\_SoundObject::writeToFile ( std::string filename )

Writes the contents of the sound object to a file with the given file name. The data will be encoded as 16-bit PCM. The sample rate is determined by the sample rate of the sound object.

### **Parameters**

filename	The name of the file to save the sound data to. filename should have a .wav extension. If it
	does not, ".wav" will be appended to the file name and a warning will be logged.

## Returns

False if there was an error while opening the file. If so, an error will be logged.

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

- · CX\_SoundObject.h
- CX\_SoundObject.cpp

# 13.25 CX::CX\_SoundObjectPlayer Class Reference

#include <CX\_SoundObjectPlayer.h>

### **Public Member Functions**

- bool setup (CX\_SoundObjectPlayerConfiguration\_t config)
- bool play (void)
- bool startPlayingAt (CX Millis experimentTime, CX Millis offset)
- bool stop (void)
- bool isPlaying (void)

Check if the sound is currently playing.

• bool isQueuedToStart (void)

Check if the sound is queued to play.

CX\_SoundObjectPlayerConfiguration\_t getConfiguration (void)

Returns the configuration used for this CX\_SoundObjectPlayer.

- bool BLOCKING\_setSound (CX\_SoundObject \*sound)
- void setTime (CX\_Millis time)

## 13.25.1 Detailed Description

This class is used for playing CX\_SoundObjects. See the soundObject example for an example of how to use this class.

### 13.25.2 Member Function Documentation

13.25.2.1 bool CX SoundObjectPlayer::BLOCKING setSound ( CX SoundObject \* sound )

This function is blocking because the sample rate and number of channels of sound are changed to those of the currently open stream.

**Parameters** 

sound	A pointer to a CX_SoundObject that will be set as the current sound for the CX_SoundObject-
	Player. There are a variety of reasons why the sound could fail to be set as the current sound for
	the player. If sound was not loaded successfully, this function call fails and an error is logged. If
	it is not possible to convert the number of channels of sound to the number of channels that the
	CX_SoundObjectPlayer is configured to use, this function call fails and an error is logged.

This function call is not blocking if the same rate and channel count of the CX\_SoundObject are the same as those in use by the CX\_SoundObjectPlayer. See Blocking Code for more information.

### Returns

True if sound was successfully set to be the current sound, false otherwise.

13.25.2.2 bool CX\_SoundObjectPlayer::play ( void )

Attempts to start playing the current CX\_SoundObject associated with the player.

### Returns

True if the sound object associated with the player is ReadyToPlay(), false otherwise.

13.25.2.3 void CX\_SoundObjectPlayer::setTime ( CX\_Millis time )

Set the current time in the active sound. When playback starts, it will begin from that time in the sound. If the sound object is currently playing, this will jump to that point in the sound.

### **Parameters**

time	The time in the sound to seek to.
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13.25.2.4 bool CX\_SoundObjectPlayer::setup ( CX\_SoundObjectPlayerConfiguration\_t config )

Configures the CX\_SoundObjectPlayer with the given configuration.

13.25.2.5 bool CX\_SoundObjectPlayer::startPlayingAt ( CX\_Millis experimentTime, CX\_Millis latencyOffset )

Queue the start time of the sound in experiment time with an offset to account for latency.

### **Parameters**

experimentTime	The desired experiment time at which the sound should start playing. This time plus the offset
	should be in the future. If it is not, the sound will start playing immediately.
latencyOffset	An offset that accounts for latency. If, for example, you called this function with an offset of 0 and
	discovered that the sound played 200 ms later than you were expecting it to, you would set offset
	to -200 in order to queue the start time 200 ms earlier than the desired experiment time.

### Returns

False if the start time plus the offset is in the past. True otherwise.

### Note

See setTime() for a way to choose the current time point within the sound.

```
13.25.2.6 bool CX_SoundObjectPlayer::stop ( void )
```

Stop the currently playing sound object, or, if a playback start was cued, cancel the cued playback.

#### Returns

Always returns true currently.

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

- · CX\_SoundObjectPlayer.h
- CX\_SoundObjectPlayer.cpp

# 13.26 CX::CX\_SoundObjectRecorder Class Reference

```
#include <CX_SoundObjectRecorder.h>
```

### **Public Types**

· typedef

CX\_SoundStream::Configuration Configuration

This is typedef'ed to CX::CX\_SoundStream::Configuration.

### **Public Member Functions**

- bool setup (CX\_SoundObjectRecorder::Configuration &config)
- void setSoundObject (CX SoundObject \*so)
- CX\_SoundObject \* getSoundObject (void)
- void startRecording (bool clearExistingData=false)
- · void stopRecording (void)

## 13.26.1 Detailed Description

This class is used for recording audio data from, e.g., a microphone. The recorded data is stored in a CX\_SoundObject for further use.

```
CX_SoundObjectRecorder recorder;

CX_SoundObjectRecorder::Configuration recorderConfig;
recorderConfig.inputChannels = 1; //You will probably need to configure more than just this recorder.setup(recorderConfig);

CX_SoundObject recording;
recorder.setSoundObject(&recording); //Associate a CX_SoundObject with the recorder so that it can be recorded to.

//Record for 5 seconds
recorder.startRecording();
ofSleepMillis(5000);
recorder.stopRecording();
//Write the recording to a file
recording.writeToFile("recording.wav");
```

13.26.2 Member Function Documentation

13.26.2.1 CX\_SoundObject \* CX\_SoundObjectRecorder::getSoundObject ( void )

This function returns a pointer to the CX\_SoundObject that is currently associated with this CX\_SoundObjectRecorder.

13.26.2.2 void CX\_SoundObjectRecorder::setSoundObject ( CX\_SoundObject \* so )

This function associates a CX\_SoundObject with the CX\_SoundObjectRecorder. The CX\_SoundObject will be recorded to when startRecording() is called.

### **Parameters**

so The CX\_SoundObject to associate with the CX\_SoundObjectRecorder. The sound object will be cleared and it will be configured to have the same number of channels and sample rate that the CX\_SoundObjectRecorder was configured to use.

13.26.2.3 bool CX\_SoundObjectRecorder::setup ( CX\_SoundObjectRecorder::Configuration & config )

This function sets up the CX\_SoundStream that CX\_SoundObjectRecorder uses to record audio data.

### Returns

True if configuration of the CX\_SoundStream was successful, false otherwise.

13.26.2.4 void CX\_SoundObjectRecorder::startRecording ( bool clearExistingData = false )

Begins recording data to the CX\_SoundObject that was associated with this CX\_SoundObjectRecorder with setSound-Object().

### **Parameters**

clearExistingData If true, any data in the CX\_SoundObject will be deleted before recording starts.

13.26.2.5 void CX\_SoundObjectRecorder::stopRecording (void)

Stop recording sound data.

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

- · CX SoundObjectRecorder.h
- CX\_SoundObjectRecorder.cpp

## 13.27 CX::CX\_SoundStream Class Reference

#include <CX\_SoundStream.h>

## Classes

- struct Configuration
- struct InputEventArgs
- struct OutputEventArgs

### **Public Member Functions**

- bool setup (CX SoundStream::Configuration &config)
- · bool closeStream (void)
- · bool start (void)
- bool stop (void)
- · const
  - CX\_SoundStream::Configuration & getConfiguration (void)
- uint64\_t getSampleFrameNumber (void)
- CX Millis getStreamLatency (void)
- bool hasSwappedSinceLastCheck (void)
- CX\_Millis getLastSwapTime (void)
- CX Millis estimateNextSwapTime (void)
- RtAudio \* getRtAudioInstance (void)

#### Static Public Member Functions

- static std::vector< RtAudio::Api > getCompiledApis (void)
- static std::vector < std::string > convertApisToStrings (vector < RtAudio::Api > apis)
- static std::string convertApisToString (vector < RtAudio::Api > apis, std::string delim="\r\n")
- static std::string convertApiToString (RtAudio::Api api)
- static std::vector< std::string > **formatsToStrings** (RtAudioFormat formats)
- static std::string formatsToString (RtAudioFormat formats, std::string delim="\r\n")
- static std::vector
  - < RtAudio::DeviceInfo > getDeviceList (RtAudio::Api api)
- static std::string listDevices (RtAudio::Api api)

## **Public Attributes**

- ofEvent
  - < CX SoundStream::OutputEventArgs > outputEvent

This event is triggered every time the CX\_SoundStream needs to feed more data to the output buffer of the sound card.

- ofEvent
  - < CX SoundStream::InputEventArgs > inputEvent

This event is triggered every time the CX SoundStream hsa gotten some data from the input buffer of the sound card.

### 13.27.1 Detailed Description

This class provides a method for directly accessing and manipulating sound data that is sent/received from sound hardware. To use this class, you should set up the stream (see setup()), set a user function that will be called when either the outputEvent or inputEvent is triggered, and start the stream with start().

If the stream in configured for output, the output event will be triggered whenever the sound card needs more sound data. If the stream is configured for input, the input event will be triggered whenever some amount of sound data has been recorded.

CX\_SoundStream uses RtAudio internally, so you are having problems, you might be able to figure out what is going wrong by checking out the page for RtAudio: http://www.music.mcgill.ca/~gary/rtaudio/index.-html

13.27.2 Member Function Documentation

13.27.2.1 bool CX\_SoundStream::closeStream ( void )

Closes the sound stream.

#### Returns

False if an error was encountered while closing the stream, true otherwise.

13.27.2.2 std::string CX\_SoundStream::convertApisToString ( vector < RtAudio::Api > apis, std::string delim = " $\r$ " ) [static]

This helper function converts a vector of RtAudio::Api to a string, with the specified delimiter between API names.

#### **Parameters**

apis	The vector of RtAudio::Api to convert to string.
delim	The delimiter between elements of the string.

#### Returns

A string containing the names of the APIs.

13.27.2.3 std::vector < std::string > CX\_SoundStream::convertApisToStrings ( vector < RtAudio::Api > apis ) [static]

This helper function converts a vector of RtAudio::Api to a vector of strings, using convertApiToString() for the conversion. Parameters

apis	A vector of apis to convert to strings.

## Returns

A vector of string names of the apis.

13.27.2.4 std::string CX SoundStream::convertApiToString ( RtAudio::Api api ) [static]

This helper function converts an RtAudio::Api to a string.

### **Parameters**

api	The api to get a string of.

#### Returns

A string of the api name.

13.27.2.5 CX\_Millis CX\_SoundStream::estimateNextSwapTime (void)

Estimate the time at which the next buffer swap will occur.

## Returns

The estimated time of next swap. This value can be compared with the result of CX::Instances::Clock.now().

```
13.27.2.6 std::vector < RtAudio::Api > CX_SoundStream::getCompiledApis(void) [static]
```

Get a vector containing a list of all of the APIs for which the RtAudio driver has been compiled to use. If the API you want is not available, you might be able to get it by using a different version of RtAudio.

```
13.27.2.7 const CX SoundStream::Configuration& CX::CX_SoundStream::getConfiguration(void) [inline]
```

Gets the configuration that was used on the last call to open(). Because some of the configuration options are only suggestions, this function allows you to check what the actual configuration was.

#### Returns

A const reference to the configuration struct.

```
13.27.2.8 std::vector < RtAudio::DeviceInfo > CX SoundStream::getDeviceList ( RtAudio::Api api ) [static]
```

For the given api, lists all of the devices on the system that support that api.

#### **Parameters**

	D : II I III ADI
api	Devices that support this API are scanned.
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#### Returns

A machine-readable list of information. See http://www.music.mcgill.ca/~gary/rtaudio/struct-RtAudio 1 1DeviceInfo.html for information about the members of the RtAudio::DeviceInfo struct.

```
13.27.2.9 CX_Millis CX::CX_SoundStream::getLastSwapTime(void) [inline]
```

Gets the time at which the last buffer swap occurred.

## Returns

This time value can be compared with the result of CX::Instances::Clock.getTime().

```
13.27.2.10 RtAudio * CX_SoundStream::getRtAudioInstance (void)
```

This function returns a pointer to the RtAudio instance that this CX\_SoundStream is using. This should not be needed most of the time, but there may be cases in which you need to directly access RtAudio. Here is the documentation for RtAudio: https://www.music.mcgill.ca/~gary/rtaudio/

```
13.27.2.11 uint64_t CX::CX SoundStream::getSampleFrameNumber(void) [inline]
```

Returns the number of the sample frame that

```
13.27.2.12 CX_Millis CX_SoundStream::getStreamLatency ( void )
```

This function gets an estimate of the stream latency. However, it should not be relied on as it is based on what the sound card driver reports, which is often false.

### Returns

The stream latency in microseconds.

13.27.2.13 bool CX\_SoundStream::hasSwappedSinceLastCheck (void)

This function checks to see if the audio buffers have been swapped since the last time this function was called.

#### Returns

True if at least one audio buffer has been swapped out, false if no buffers have been swapped.

13.27.2.14 std::string CX\_SoundStream::listDevices ( RtAudio::Api api ) [static]

For the given api, lists all of the devices on the system that support that api. Lots of information about each device is given, like supported sample rates, number of input and output channels, etc.

#### **Parameters**

api	Devices that support this API are scanned.
αρι	Devices that support this Arrare scanned.

#### Returns

A human-readable formatted string containing the scanned information. Can be printed directly to std::cout or elsewhere.

13.27.2.15 bool CX\_SoundStream::setup ( CX\_SoundStream::Configuration & config )

Opens the sound stream with the specified configuration. If there was an error during configuration, messages will be logged.

#### **Parameters**

config	The configuration settings that are desired. Some of the configuration options are only sugges-
	tions, so some of the values that are used may differ from the values that are chosen. In those
	cases, config is updated based on the actually used settings. You can check the configuration
	later using getConfiguration().

### Returns

True if configuration appeared to be successful, false otherwise.

### Note

Opening the stream does not start it. See start().

13.27.2.16 bool CX\_SoundStream::start (void)

Starts the sound stream. The stream must already be open().

## Returns

False if the stream was not started, true if the stream was started or if it was already running.

13.27.2.17 bool CX\_SoundStream::stop (void )

Stop the stream, if is running. If there is an error, a message will be logged.

#### Returns

False if there was an error, true otherwise.

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

- CX SoundStream.h
- CX SoundStream.cpp

### 13.28 CX::CX\_Time\_t < TimeUnit > Class Template Reference

```
#include <CX Time t.h>
```

### **Public Member Functions**

- PartitionedTime getPartitionedTime (void)
- CX Time t (double t)
- CX\_Time\_t (int t)
- CX\_Time\_t (long long t)
- template<typename tArg >

- double value (void) const
- · double hours (void) const
- · double minutes (void) const
- · double seconds (void) const
- · double millis (void) const
- · double micros (void) const
- · long long nanos (void) const
- template<typename RT >

```
CX_Time_t< TimeUnit > operator+ (const CX_Time_t< RT > &rhs) const
```

• template<typename RT >

```
CX Time t < TimeUnit > operator- (const CX Time t < RT > &rhs) const
```

 $\bullet \ \ template\!<\!typename\ RT>$ 

```
double operator/ (const CX_Time_t< RT > &rhs) const
```

Divides a CX\_Time\_t by another CX\_Time\_t, resulting in a unitless ratio.

 $\bullet \ \ \mathsf{CX\_Time\_t} < \mathsf{TimeUnit} > \mathsf{operator/} \ (\mathsf{double} \ \mathsf{rhs}) \ \mathsf{const}$ 

Divides a CX\_Time\_t by a unitless value, resulting in a CX\_Time\_t of the same type.

 $\bullet \ \ \mathsf{CX\_Time\_t} < \mathsf{TimeUnit} > \mathsf{operator*} \ (\mathsf{const} \ \mathsf{double} \ \mathsf{rhs}) \ \mathsf{const} \\$ 

Multiplies a CX\_Time\_t by a unitless value, resulting in a CX\_Time\_t of the same type. You cannot multiply a time by another time because that would result in units of time squared.

• CX\_Time\_t< TimeUnit > & operator\*= (const double rhs)

Multiplies a CX\_Time\_t by a unitless value, storing the result in the CX\_Time\_t. You cannot multiply a time by another time because that would result in units of time squared.

• template<typename RT >

```
CX_Time_t< TimeUnit > & operator+= (const CX_Time_t< RT > &rhs)
```

• template<typename RT >

```
CX Time t < TimeUnit > & operator-= (const CX Time t < RT > &rhs)
```

• template<typename RT >

```
bool operator< (const CX_Time_t< RT > &rhs) const
```

template<typename RT >

```
bool operator <= (const CX Time t < RT > &rhs) const
```

```
    template<typename RT > bool operator> (const CX_Time_t< RT > &rhs) const
    template<typename RT > bool operator>= (const CX_Time_t< RT > &rhs) const
    template<typename RT > bool operator== (const CX_Time_t< RT > &rhs) const
    template<typename RT > bool operator!= (const CX_Time_t< RT > &rhs) const
```

#### Static Public Member Functions

```
    static CX_Time_t< TimeUnit > min (void)
    static CX_Time_t< TimeUnit > max (void)
```

### 13.28.1 Detailed Description

template<typename TimeUnit>class CX::CX\_Time\_t< TimeUnit>

This class provides a convenient way to deal with time in various units. It has at most nanosecond accuracy. The contents of any of the templated versions of CX\_Time\_t are stored in nanoseconds, so most conversions between time types is lossless.

```
CX_Millis mil = 100;
CX_Micros mic = mil; //mic now contains 100000 microseconds == 100 milliseconds.
//Really, they both contain 100,000,000 nanoseconds.
//You can add times together.
CX Seconds sec = CX Minutes(.1) + CX Millis(100); //sec contains 6.1 seconds.
//You can take the ratio of times.
double secondsPerMinute = CX Seconds(1)/CX Minutes(1);
//You can compare times using the standard comparison operators (==, !=, <, >, <=, >=).
if (CX Minutes(60) == CX Hours(1)) {
    cout << "There are 60 minutes in an hour." << endl;
if (CX Millis(12.3456) == CX Micros(12345.6)) {
    \verb|cout| << \verb|mim| can be represented as a floating point value with sub-time-unit precision." << \verb|end|; \\
//If you want to be explicit about what time unit you want out, you can use the seconds(), millis(), etc.,
       functions:
sec = CX_Seconds(6);
cout << \bar{\text{"In "}} << sec.seconds() << \bar{\text{"}} seconds there are " << sec.millis() << \bar{\text{"}} milliseconds and " << sec.
      minutes() << " minutes." << endl;
//You can alternately do a typecast if you're about to print the result:
cout << "In " << sec << " seconds there are " << (CX_Millis)sec << " milliseconds and " << (CX_Minutes)sec
      << " minutes." << endl;
//The difference between the above examples is the resulting type.
//double minutes = (CX_Minutes)sec; //This does not work: A CX_Minutes cannot be assigned to a double
double minutes = sec.minutes(); //minutes() returns a double.
//You can construct a time with the result of the construction of a time object with a different time unit.
CX_Minutes min = CX_Hours(.05); //3 minutes
//You can get the whole number amounts of different time units.
CX_Seconds longTime = CX_Hours(2) + CX_Minutes(16) + CX_Seconds(40) + CX_Millis(123) + CX_Micros(456) +
CX_Seconds::PartitionedTime parts = longTime.getPartitionedTime();
```

### 13.28.2 Member Function Documentation

```
13.28.2.1 template<typename TimeUnit> PartitionedTime CX::CX_Time_t< TimeUnit>::getPartitionedTime ( void ) [inline]
```

Partitions a CX\_Time\_t into component parts containing the number of whole time units that are stored in the CX\_Time\_t. This is different from seconds(), millis(), etc., because those functions return the fractional part (e.g. 5.340 seconds) whereas this returns only whole numbers (e.g. 5 seconds and 340 milliseconds).

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

· CX Time t.h

### 13.29 CX::Util::CX TrialController Class Reference

```
#include <CX TrialController.h>
```

#### **Public Member Functions**

- int update (void)
- void start (void)

"Arm" the trial controller. Before this is called, update() will do nothing.

void stop (void)

"Disarm" the trial controller. After this is called, update() will do nothing.

bool isActive (void)

Check to see if the trial controller is active. See start() and stop().

- void appendFunction (std::function< int(void)> userFunction)
- void reset (void)
- bool setCurrentFunction (int currentFunction)
- int getCurrentFunction (void)

Get the index of the current function (i.e. the function that will be called the next time update() is called).

unsigned int getFunctionCount (void)

Get the number of user functions stored by this trial controller.

### 13.29.1 Detailed Description

This class is used to help with the fact that most psychology experiments are by nature more or less linear, but that CX works better if code does not block (see Blocking Code).

The way this works is that segments of user code, each representing one part of a trial, are put into functions. Those functions are added to the trial controller with appendFunction(), which puts the function at the end of the list of functions. User functions take no arguments and return an int.

When you want to use the trial controller, call start() and it will be "armed". When it is armed and update() is called, it will call the current function in the list of user functions. If the user function is done with whatever it needs to do, it should return 1. This will cause the trial controller to move on to the next user function. If the user function is not done with its task, it should return 0. If it returns 0, it will be called again the next time update() is called.

#### 13.29.2 Member Function Documentation

```
13.29.2.1 void CX_TrialController::appendFunction ( std::function < int(void) > userFunction )
```

Adds a user function to the end of the list of functions to be called by the trial controller.

#### **Parameters**

userFunction	Typically a pointer to a function that takes no arguments and returns an int. Because it is a
	std::function, it can also be a lamda.

### 13.29.2.2 void CX\_TrialController::reset ( void )

Clear the user functions and otherwise reset to default state.

#### Note

This function stops the trial controller (isActive() will return false).

### 13.29.2.3 bool CX\_TrialController::setCurrentFunction ( int currentFunction )

Sets the current user function by index, which allows you to skip over functions or go back to a previous function.

#### **Parameters**

currentFunction	The new current function index. If this is out of range, an error will be logged and the function
	will return false.

#### Returns

False if the index was out of range, true otherwise.

#### Note

If this is called from within a user function that has been called from this instance of the CX\_TrialController, that function should return 0. If it does not, setCurrentFunction() will set the function index and then that index will be incremented after the user function completes. However, if 0 is returned, the function index is not incremented.

### 13.29.2.4 int CX\_TrialController::update ( void )

Updates the trial controller state. Each time this function is called, the user function at the current function index is called. If that function returns a nonzero value, the trial controller will increment the current function index and that function will be called the next time update() is called. If the current function index is incremented past the end of the list of functions, it will wrap around to the beginning of the list.

#### Returns

The value returned by the user function that was called.

# Note

This function should probably be called every time updateExperiment() is called, although there are other use cases.

If not isActive(), this function does nothing and returns 0.

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

- CX\_TrialController.h
- · CX\_TrialController.cpp

# 13.30 CX::Synth::Envelope Class Reference

```
#include <CX_ModularSynth.h>
```

Inherits CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

#### **Public Member Functions**

- double getNextSample (void) override
- · void attack (void)
- void release (void)

#### **Public Attributes**

- double a
- · double d
- double s
- double r

#### **Additional Inherited Members**

### 13.30.1 Detailed Description

This class is an ADSR envelope: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Synthesizer#ADSR\_envelope Setting the a, d, s, and r parameters works in the standard way. s should be in the interval [0,1]. a, d, and r are expressed in seconds. Call attack() to start the envelope. Once the attack and decay are finished, the envelope will stay at the sustain level until release() is called.

### 13.30.2 Member Function Documentation

```
13.30.2.1 double Envelope::getNextSample(void) [override], [virtual]
```

This function should be overloaded for any derived class that produces values (outputs do not produce values, they produce sound via sound hardware).

Reimplemented from CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

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

- · CX ModularSynth.h
- CX\_ModularSynth.cpp

### 13.31 CX::CX\_Mouse::Event Struct Reference

```
#include <CX_Mouse.h>
```

### **Public Types**

enum MouseEventType {
 MOVED, PRESSED, RELEASED, DRAGGED,
 SCROLLED }

### **Public Attributes**

int button

The relevant mouse button if the eventType is PRESSED, RELEASED, or DRAGGED. Can be compared with elements of enum CX\_MouseButtons to find out about the primary buttons.

int x

The x position of the cursor at the time of the event, or the change in the x-axis scroll if the eventType is SCROLLED.

int y

The y position of the cursor at the time of the event, or the change in the y-axis scroll if the eventType is SCROLLED.

· CX Millis eventTime

The time at which the event was registered. Can be compared to the result of CX::Clock::getTime().

CX\_Millis uncertainty

The uncertainty in eventTime. The event occured some time between eventTime and eventTime minus uncertainty.

enum

CX::CX\_Mouse::Event::MouseEventType eventType

The type of the event.

### 13.31.1 Detailed Description

This struct contains the results of a mouse event, which is any type of interaction with the mouse, be it simply movement, a button press or release, a drag event (mouse button held while mouse is moved), or movement of the scroll wheel.

13.31.2 Member Enumeration Documentation

13.31.2.1 enum CX::CX Mouse::Event::MouseEventType

### Enumerator

MOVED The mouse has been moved without a button being held. button should be -1 (meaningless).

**PRESSED** A mouse button has been pressed. Check button for the button index and x and y for the location.

**RELEASED** A mouse button has been released. Check button for the button index and x and y for the location.

**DRAGGED** can be changed during a drag, or multiple buttons may be held at once during a drag. The mouse has been moved while at least one button was held. button may not be meaningful because the held button

**SCROLLED** mouse has a wheel that can move horizontally. The mouse wheel has been scrolled. Check y to get the change in the standard mouse wheel, or x if your

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

· CX Mouse.h

## 13.32 CX::CX\_Joystick::Event Struct Reference

#include <CX\_Joystick.h>

### **Public Types**

enum JoystickEventType { BUTTON\_PRESS, BUTTON\_RELEASE, AXIS\_POSITION\_CHANGE }

### **Public Attributes**

int buttonIndex

If eventType is BUTTON\_PRESS or BUTTON\_RELEASE, this contains the index of the button that was changed.

· unsigned char buttonState

If eventType is BUTTON\_PRESS or BUTTON\_RELEASE, this contains the current state of the button.

int axisIndex

If eventType is AXIS\_POSITION\_CHANGE, this contains the index of the axis which changed.

float axisPosition

If eventType is AXIS\_POSITION\_CHANGE, this contains the amount by which the axis changed.

CX Millis eventTime

The time at which the event was registered. Can be compared to the result of CX::Clock::getTime().

CX Millis uncertainty

The uncertainty in eventTime. The event occured some time between eventTime and eventTime minus uncertainty.

• enum

CX::CX\_Joystick::Event::JoystickEventType eventType

The type of the event.

### 13.32.1 Detailed Description

This struct contains information about joystick events. Joystick events are either a button press or release or a change in the axes of the joystick.

13.32.2 Member Enumeration Documentation

13.32.2.1 enum CX::CX\_Joystick::Event::JoystickEventType

**Enumerator** 

BUTTON\_PRESS A button on the joystick has been pressed. See buttonIndex and buttonState for the event data.

**BUTTON\_RELEASE** A button on the joystick has been released. See buttonIndex and buttonState for the event data.

**AXIS\_POSITION\_CHANGE** The joystick has been moved in one of its axes. See axisIndex and axisPosition for the event data.

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

· CX\_Joystick.h

# 13.33 CX::CX\_Keyboard::Event Struct Reference

#include <CX\_Keyboard.h>

### **Public Types**

enum KeyboardEventType { PRESSED, RELEASED, REPEAT }

### **Public Attributes**

- · int key
- CX Millis eventTime

The time at which the event was registered. Can be compared to the result of CX::Clock::getTime().

CX Millis uncertainty

The uncertainty in eventTime. The event occured some time between eventTime and eventTime minus uncertainty.

enum

CX::CX Keyboard::Event::KeyboardEventType eventType

The type of the event.

### 13.33.1 Detailed Description

This struct contains the results of a keyboard event, whether it be a key press or release, or key repeat.

13.33.2 Member Enumeration Documentation

13.33.2.1 enum CX::CX Keyboard::Event::KeyboardEventType

Enumerator

PRESSED A key has been pressed.

**RELEASED** A key has been released.

**REPEAT** A key has been held for some time and automatic key repeat has kicked in, causing multiple keypresses to be rapidly sent. This event is one of the many repeats.

13.33.3 Member Data Documentation

13.33.3.1 int CX::CX\_Keyboard::Event::key

The key involved in this event. The value of this can be compared with character literals for many of the standard keyboard keys. For example, you could use '(myKeyEvent.key == 'e')' to test if the key was the E key. Note that if shift is held when the key is pressed, the letter will be uppercase, so you may want to check for both 'e' and 'E'.

For special keys, key can be compared with the key constant values defined in of Constants.h (e.g. OF\_KEY\_ESC).

Note that for the modifier keys (shift, ctrl, alt, and super) are treated a little unusually. For those keys, you can check for a specific key using, for example, OF\_KEY\_RIGHT\_CONTROL or OF\_KEY\_LEFT\_CONTROL. However, you can alternately check to see if key is any of the control keys by performing a bitwise AND with OF\_KEY\_CONTROL and checking that the result of the AND is still OF\_KEY\_CONTROL. For example:

```
if ((myKeyEvent.key & OF_KEY_CONTROL) == OF_KEY_CONTROL) {
//...
}
```

This works the same way for all of the modifier keys.

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

· CX\_Keyboard.h

### 13.34 CX::CX\_SlidePresenter::FinalSlideFunctionArgs Struct Reference

#include <CX SlidePresenter.h>

### **Public Attributes**

CX SlidePresenter \* instance

A pointer to the CX\_SlidePresenter that called the user function.

· unsigned int currentSlideIndex

The index of the slide that is currently being presented.

### 13.34.1 Detailed Description

The final slide function takes a reference to a struct of this type.

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

· CX SlidePresenter.h

### 13.35 CX::Synth::FIRFilter Class Reference

```
#include <CX_ModularSynth.h>
```

Inherits CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

### **Public Types**

- enum FilterType { LOW\_PASS, HIGH\_PASS, USER\_DEFINED }
- enum WindowType { RECTANGULAR, HANNING, BLACKMAN }

### **Public Member Functions**

- void **setup** (FilterType filterType, unsigned int coefficientCount)
- void setup (std::vector< double > coefficients)
- void setCutoff (double cutoff)
- double getNextSample (void)

### **Additional Inherited Members**

### 13.35.1 Detailed Description

This class is a start at implementing a Finite Impulse Response (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Finite\_\_impulse\_response) filter. You can use it as a basic low-pass or high-pass filter, or, if you supply your own coefficients, which cause the filter to do filtering in whatever way you want. See the "signal" package for R for a method of constructing your own coefficients.

### 13.35.2 Member Function Documentation

```
13.35.2.1 double CX::Synth::FIRFilter::getNextSample(void) [inline], [virtual]
```

This function should be overloaded for any derived class that produces values (outputs do not produce values, they produce sound via sound hardware).

Reimplemented from CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

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

· CX\_ModularSynth.h

### 13.36 CX::CX\_SoundStream::InputEventArgs Struct Reference

#include <CX\_SoundStream.h>

### **Public Attributes**

· bool bufferOverflow

This is set to true if there was a buffer overflow, which means that the sound hardware recorded data that was not processed.

float \* inputBuffer

A pointer to an array of sound data that should be processed by the event handler function.

unsigned int bufferSize

The number of sample frames that are in inputBuffer. The total number of samples is bufferSize \* input-Channels.

· int inputChannels

The number of channels worth of data in inputBuffer.

CX\_SoundStream \* instance

A pointer to the CX\_SoundStream instance that contains the input event.

### 13.36.1 Detailed Description

The audio input event of the CX\_SoundStream sends a copy of this structure with the fields filled out when the event is called.

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

· CX\_SoundStream.h

### 13.37 CX::Algo::LatinSquare Class Reference

#include <CX\_Algorithm.h>

### **Public Member Functions**

- LatinSquare (unsigned int dimensions)
- void generate (unsigned int dimensions)
- void reorderRight (void)
- void reorderLeft (void)
- void reorderUp (void)
- void reorderDown (void)
- · void reverseColumns (void)
- void reverseRows (void)
- void swapColumns (unsigned int c1, unsigned int c2)
- void swapRows (unsigned int r1, unsigned int r2)
- bool appendRight (const LatinSquare &ls)
- bool appendBelow (const LatinSquare &ls)

- LatinSquare & operator+= (unsigned int value)
- std::string print (std::string delim=",")
- · bool validate (void) const
- · unsigned int columns (void) const
- · unsigned int rows (void) const
- std::vector< unsigned int > getColumn (unsigned int col) const
- std::vector< unsigned int > getRow (unsigned int row) const

### **Public Attributes**

std::vector < std::vector</li>< unsigned int > > square

#### 13.37.1 Detailed Description

This class provides a way to work with Latin squares in an easy way.

13.37.2 Member Function Documentation

13.37.2.1 bool LatinSquare::appendBelow (const LatinSquare & Is)

Appends another LatinSquare (Is) below of this one. If the number of columns of both latin squares is not equal, this has no effect and returns false.

13.37.2.2 bool LatinSquare::appendRight ( const LatinSquare & Is )

Appends another LatinSquare (Is) to the right of this one. If the number of rows of both latin squares is not equal, this has no effect and returns false.

13.37.2.3 unsigned int LatinSquare::columns (void) const

Returns the number of columns.

13.37.2.4 void LatinSquare::generate ( unsigned int dimensions )

Generate a latin square with the given dimensions. This deletes any previous contents of the latin square.

13.37.2.5 std::vector< unsigned int > LatinSquare::getColumn ( unsigned int col ) const

Returns a copy of the given column. Throws std::out\_of\_range if the column is out of range.

13.37.2.6 std::vector< unsigned int > LatinSquare::getRow ( unsigned int row ) const

Returns a copy of the given row. Throws std::out of range if the row is out of range.

13.37.2.7 LatinSquare & LatinSquare::operator+= ( unsigned int value )

Adds the given value to all of the values in the latin square.

13.37.2.8 std::string LatinSquare::print ( std::string delim = " , " )

Prints the contents of the latin square to a string with the given delimiter between elements of the latin square.

13.37.2.9 void LatinSquare::reorderLeft ( void )

This function shifts the columns to the left and the first column is moved to be the last column.

13.37.2.10 void LatinSquare::reorderRight ( void )

This function shifts the columns to the right and the last column is moved to be the first column.

13.37.2.11 void LatinSquare::reverseColumns (void)

Reverses the order of the columns in the latin square.

13.37.2.12 void LatinSquare::reverseRows (void)

Reverses the order of the rows in the latin square.

13.37.2.13 unsigned int LatinSquare::rows (void) const

Returns the number of rows.

13.37.2.14 void LatinSquare::swapColumns (unsigned int c1, unsigned int c2)

Swap the given columns. If either column is out of range, this function has no effect.

13.37.2.15 void LatinSquare::swapRows (unsigned int r1, unsigned int r2)

Swap the given rows. If either row is out of range, this function has no effect.

13.37.2.16 bool LatinSquare::validate (void) const

Checks to make sure that the latin square held by this instance is a valid latin square.

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

- · CX Algorithm.h
- CX Algorithm.cpp

### 13.38 CX::Synth::Mixer Class Reference

#include <CX\_ModularSynth.h>

Inherits CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

**Public Member Functions** 

• double getNextSample (void) override

**Additional Inherited Members** 

13.38.1 Detailed Description

This class mixes together a number of inputs. It does no mixing in the usual sense of setting levels of the inputs. Use Multipliers on the inputs for that. This class simply adds together all of the inputs with no amplitude correction, so it is possible for the output of the mixer to have very large amplitudes.

This class is special in that it can have more than one input.

### 13.38.2 Member Function Documentation

```
13.38.2.1 double Mixer::getNextSample (void ) [override], [virtual]
```

This function should be overloaded for any derived class that produces values (outputs do not produce values, they produce sound via sound hardware).

Reimplemented from CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

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

- · CX ModularSynth.h
- CX ModularSynth.cpp

### 13.39 CX::Synth::ModuleBase Class Reference

```
#include <CX_ModularSynth.h>
```

Inherited by CX::Synth::Adder, CX::Synth::AdditiveSynth, CX::Synth::Clamper, CX::Synth::Envelope, CX::Synth::FIR-Filter, CX::Synth::GenericOutput, CX::Synth::Mixer, CX::Synth::Multiplier, CX::Synth::Oscillator, CX::Synth::RCFilter, CX::Synth::RecursiveFilter, CX::Synth::SoundObjectInput, CX::Synth::SundObjectOutput, CX::Synth::Splitter, CX::Synth::StreamOutput, and CX::Synth::TrivialGenerator.

#### **Public Member Functions**

- virtual double getNextSample (void)
- void setData (ModuleControlData\_t d)
- ModuleControlData t getData (void)
- void disconnectInput (ModuleBase \*in)
- void disconnectOutput (ModuleBase \*out)

### **Protected Member Functions**

- virtual void \_dataSetEvent (void)
- void \_dataSet (ModuleBase \*caller)
- void \_setDatalfNotSet (ModuleBase \*target)
- void \_registerParameter (ModuleParameter \*p)
- virtual void \_assignInput (ModuleBase \*in)
- virtual void \_assignOutput (ModuleBase \*out)
- virtual int \_maxInputs (void)
- virtual int \_maxOutputs (void)
- virtual void \_inputAssignedEvent (ModuleBase \*in)
- virtual void \_outputAssignedEvent (ModuleBase \*out)

### **Protected Attributes**

- vector< ModuleBase \*> \_inputs
- vector< ModuleBase \*> \_outputs
- vector< ModuleParameter \* > \_parameters
- ModuleControlData\_t \* \_data

### Friends

ModuleBase & operator>> (ModuleBase &I, ModuleBase &r)

### 13.39.1 Detailed Description

All modules of the modular synth inherit from this class.

13.39.2 Member Function Documentation

```
13.39.2.1 void ModuleBase::disconnectInput ( ModuleBase * in )
```

This is a reciprocal operation: This module's input is removed and in's output to this module is removed.

```
13.39.2.2 virtual double CX::Synth::ModuleBase::getNextSample(void) [inline], [virtual]
```

This function should be overloaded for any derived class that produces values (outputs do not produce values, they produce sound via sound hardware).

Reimplemented in CX::Synth::RCFilter, CX::Synth::RecursiveFilter, CX::Synth::FIRFilter, CX::Synth::Oscillator, CX::Synth::SoundObjectInput, CX::Synth::Splitter, CX::Synth::Multiplier, CX::Synth::Mixer, CX::Synth::Envelope, CX::Synth::Clamper, CX::Synth::Adder, and CX::Synth::AdditiveSynth.

```
13.39.2.3 void CX::Synth::ModuleBase::setData ( ModuleControlData t d ) [inline]
```

This function sets the data needed by this module in order to function properly. Many modules need this data, specifically the sample rate that the synth using. If several modules are connected together, you will only need to set the data for one module and the change will propagate to the other connected modules automatically.

This function does not usually need to be called driectly by the user. If an appropriate input or output is connected, the data will be set from that module.

**Parameters** 

```
d The data to set.
```

13.39.3 Friends And Related Function Documentation

```
13.39.3.1 ModuleBase&operator>>( ModuleBase&l, ModuleBase&r) [friend]
```

This operator is used to connect modules together.  $\ensuremath{\mathtt{l}}$  is set as the input for  $\ensuremath{\mathtt{r}}.$ 

```
Oscillator osc;
StreamOutput out;
osc >> out; //Connect osc as the input for out.
```

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

- CX ModularSynth.h
- CX ModularSynth.cpp

### 13.40 CX::Synth::Multiplier Class Reference

```
#include <CX_ModularSynth.h>
```

Inherits CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

### **Public Member Functions**

- double getNextSample (void) override
- void setGain (double decibels)

#### **Public Attributes**

· ModuleParameter amount

### **Additional Inherited Members**

### 13.40.1 Detailed Description

This class multiplies an input by an amount. You can set the amount in terms of decibels of gain by using the setGain() function.

### 13.40.2 Member Function Documentation

```
13.40.2.1 double Multiplier::getNextSample(void) [override], [virtual]
```

This function should be overloaded for any derived class that produces values (outputs do not produce values, they produce sound via sound hardware).

Reimplemented from CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

```
13.40.2.2 void Multiplier::setGain ( double decibels )
```

Sets the amount of the multiplier based on gain in decibels.

### **Parameters**

decibels	The gain to apply. If greater than 0, amount will be greater than 1. If less than 0, amount will
	be less than 1. After calling this function, amount will never be negative.

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

- CX\_ModularSynth.h
- CX\_ModularSynth.cpp

# 13.41 CX::Synth::Oscillator Class Reference

```
#include <CX_ModularSynth.h>
```

Inherits CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

### **Public Member Functions**

- double getNextSample (void) override
- void **setGeneratorFunction** (std::function< double(double)> f)

**Static Public Member Functions** 

- static double saw (double wp)
- static double **sine** (double wp)
- static double **square** (double wp)
- static double **triangle** (double wp)
- static double whiteNoise (double wp)

### **Public Attributes**

· ModuleParameter frequency

### **Additional Inherited Members**

### 13.41.1 Detailed Description

This class provides one of the simplest ways of generating waveforms.

```
//Configure the oscillator to produce a square wave with a fundamental frequency of 200 Hz.
Oscillator osc;
osc.frequency = 200;
osc.setGeneratorFunction(Oscillator::square);
```

### 13.41.2 Member Function Documentation

```
13.41.2.1 double Oscillator::getNextSample (void ) [override], [virtual]
```

This function should be overloaded for any derived class that produces values (outputs do not produce values, they produce sound via sound hardware).

Reimplemented from CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

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

- · CX ModularSynth.h
- CX\_ModularSynth.cpp

### 13.42 CX::CX\_SoundStream::OutputEventArgs Struct Reference

```
#include <CX_SoundStream.h>
```

### **Public Attributes**

· bool bufferUnderflow

This is set to true if there was a buffer underflow, which means that the sound hardware ran out of data to output.

float \* outputBuffer

A pointer to an array that should be filled with sound data.

· unsigned int bufferSize

The number of sample frames that are in outputBuffer. The total number of samples is bufferSize \* output-Channels.

int outputChannels

The number of channels worth of data in outputBuffer.

CX SoundStream \* instance

A pointer to the CX\_SoundStream instance that contains the output event.

### 13.42.1 Detailed Description

The audio output event of the CX\_SoundStream sends a copy of this structure with the fields filled out when the event is called.

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

· CX SoundStream.h

### 13.43 CX::CX\_SlidePresenter::PresentationErrorInfo Struct Reference

```
#include <CX_SlidePresenter.h>
```

#### **Public Member Functions**

unsigned int totalErrors (void)

Returns the sum of the different types of errors that are measured.

### **Public Attributes**

· bool presentationErrorsSuccessfullyChecked

True if presentation errors were successfully checked for. This does not mean that there were no presentation errors, but that there were no presentation error checking errors.

- unsigned int incorrectFrameCounts
- · unsigned int lateCopiesToBackBuffer

The number of slides for which the time at which the slide finished being copied to the back buffer was after the actual start time of the slide.

### 13.43.1 Detailed Description

This struct contains information about errors that were detected during slide presentation. See CX\_SlidePresenter:::checkForPresentationErrors().

#### 13.43.2 Member Data Documentation

### 13.43.2.1 unsigned int CX::CX\_SlidePresenter::PresentationErrorInfo::incorrectFrameCounts

The number of slides for which the actual and intended frame counts did not match, indicating that the slide was presented for too many or too few frames.

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

CX\_SlidePresenter.h

### 13.44 CX::Synth::RCFilter Class Reference

```
#include <CX_ModularSynth.h>
```

Inherits CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

#### **Public Member Functions**

double getNextSample (void) override

#### **Public Attributes**

• ModuleParameter breakpoint

**Additional Inherited Members** 

### 13.44.1 Detailed Description

This class emulates an analog RC low-pass filter (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Low-pass\_filter#-Electronic\_low-pass\_filters). Setting the breakpoint affects the frequency at which the filter starts to have an effect.

#### 13.44.2 Member Function Documentation

```
13.44.2.1 double CX::Synth::RCFilter::getNextSample(void) [inline], [override], [virtual]
```

This function should be overloaded for any derived class that produces values (outputs do not produce values, they produce sound via sound hardware).

Reimplemented from CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

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

CX\_ModularSynth.h

### 13.45 CX::Synth::RecursiveFilter Class Reference

```
#include <CX_ModularSynth.h>
Inherits CX::Synth::ModuleBase.
```

### **Public Types**

enum FilterType { LOW\_PASS, HIGH\_PASS, BAND\_PASS, NOTCH }

### **Public Member Functions**

- void setup (RecursiveFilter::FilterType type)
- double getNextSample (void) override

### **Public Attributes**

- ModuleParameter frequency
- · ModuleParameter bandwidth

**Additional Inherited Members** 

### 13.45.1 Detailed Description

This class implements some simple IIR filters. They may not be stable at all frequencies. They are computationally very efficient. They are not highly configurable. They may be chained for sharper frequency response. This class is based on http://www.dspguide.com/ch19.htm.

13.45.2 Member Enumeration Documentation

13.45.2.1 enum CX::Synth::RecursiveFilter::FilterType

The type of filter to use.

13.45.3 Member Function Documentation

13.45.3.1 double RecursiveFilter::getNextSample(void) [override], [virtual]

This function should be overloaded for any derived class that produces values (outputs do not produce values, they produce sound via sound hardware).

Reimplemented from CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

13.45.4 Member Data Documentation

13.45.4.1 ModuleParameter CX::Synth::RecursiveFilter::bandwidth

Only used for BAND\_PASS and NOTCH filters. Sets the width (in frequency domain) of the stop or pass band at which the amplitude is equal to  $\sin(PI/4)$  (i.e. .707). So, for example, if you wanted the frequencies 100 Hz above and below the breakpoint to be at .707 of the maximum amplitude, set bw to 100. Of course, past those frequencies the attenuation continues. Larger values result in a less pointy band.

13.45.4.2 ModuleParameter CX::Synth::RecursiveFilter::frequency

The cutoff frequency of the filter.

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

- CX\_ModularSynth.h
- CX\_ModularSynth.cpp

13.46 CX::CX\_SlidePresenter::Slide Struct Reference

#include <CX\_SlidePresenter.h>

**Public Types** 

enum {
 NOT\_STARTED, COPY\_TO\_BACK\_BUFFER\_PENDING, SWAP\_PENDING, IN\_PROGRESS,
 FINISHED }

### **Public Attributes**

std::string slideName

The name of the slide. Set by the user during slide creation.

· ofFbo framebuffer

A framebuffer containing image data that will be drawn to the screen during this slide's presentation. If drawingFunction points to a user function, framebuffer will not be drawn.

• std::function< void(void)> drawingFunction

Pointer to a user function that will be called to draw the slide. If this points to a user function, it overrides framebuffer. The drawing function is not required to call ofBackground() or otherwise clear the display before drawing, which allows you to do what is essentially single-buffering using the back buffer as the framebuffer. However, if you want a blank framebuffer, you will have to clear it manually.

enum

CX::CX\_SlidePresenter::Slide:: { ... } slideStatus

SlideTimingInfo intended

The intended timing parameters (i.e. what should have happened if there were no presentation errors).

SlideTimingInfo actual

The actual timing parameters.

• CX\_Millis copyToBackBufferCompleteTime

The time at which the drawing operations for this slide finished. This is pretty useful to determine if there was an error on the trial (e.g. framebuffer was copied late). If this is greater than actual.startTime, the slide may not have been fully drawn at the time the front and back buffers swapped.

### 13.46.1 Detailed Description

This struct contains information related to slide presentation using CX\_SlidePresenter.

13.46.2 Member Enumeration Documentation

13.46.2.1 anonymous enum

Status of the current slide vis a vis presentation.

13.46.3 Member Data Documentation

13.46.3.1 enum { ... } CX::CX\_SlidePresenter::Slide::slideStatus

Status of the current slide vis a vis presentation.

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

CX\_SlidePresenter.h

# 13.47 CX::CX\_SlidePresenter::SlideTimingInfo Struct Reference

```
#include <CX_SlidePresenter.h>
```

### **Public Attributes**

- uint32\_t startFrame
- · uint32\_t frameCount
- CX Millis startTime
- CX\_Millis duration

### 13.47.1 Detailed Description

Contains information about the presentation timing of the slide.

13.47.2 Member Data Documentation

13.47.2.1 CX\_Millis CX::CX\_SlidePresenter::SlideTimingInfo::duration

Time amount of time the slide was/should have been presented for.

13.47.2.2 uint32\_t CX::CX\_SlidePresenter::SlideTimingInfo::frameCount

The number of frames the slide was/should be presented for.

13.47.2.3 uint32\_t CX::CX\_SlidePresenter::SlideTimingInfo::startFrame

The frame on which the slide started/should have started. Can be compared with the value given by Display.getFrame-Number().

13.47.2.4 CX Millis CX::CX\_SlidePresenter::SlideTimingInfo::startTime

The time at which the slide was/should have been started. Can be compared with values from Clock.getTime().

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

· CX SlidePresenter.h

### 13.48 CX::Synth::SoundObjectInput Class Reference

```
#include <CX_ModularSynth.h>
```

Inherits CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

### **Public Member Functions**

- void setSoundObject (CX::CX\_SoundObject \*so, unsigned int channel=0)
- void **setTime** (double t)
- double getNextSample (void) override
- bool canPlay (void)

**Additional Inherited Members** 

13.48.1 Detailed Description

This class allows you to use a CX\_SoundObject as the input for the modular synth. It is strictly monophonic, so when you associate a CX\_SoundObject with this class, you must pick one channel of the sound to use.

13.48.2 Member Function Documentation

13.48.2.1 bool SoundObjectInput::canPlay (void)

Checks to see if the sound object that is associated with this SoundObjectInput is able to play. It is unable to play if CX\_SoundObject::isReadyToPlay() is false or if the whole sound has been played.

13.48.2.2 double SoundObjectInput::getNextSample(void) [override], [virtual]

This function should be overloaded for any derived class that produces values (outputs do not produce values, they produce sound via sound hardware).

Reimplemented from CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

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

- · CX ModularSynth.h
- CX\_ModularSynth.cpp

### 13.49 CX::Synth::SoundObjectOutput Class Reference

#include <CX\_ModularSynth.h>

Inherits CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

**Public Member Functions** 

- · void setup (float sampleRate)
- void sampleData (double t)

**Public Attributes** 

CX::CX\_SoundObject so

**Additional Inherited Members** 

13.49.1 Detailed Description

This class provides a method of capturing the output of a modular synth and storing it in a CX\_SoundObject for later use.

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

- · CX\_ModularSynth.h
- CX\_ModularSynth.cpp

# 13.50 CX::Synth::Splitter Class Reference

```
#include <CX_ModularSynth.h>
Inherits CX::Synth::ModuleBase.
```

#### **Public Member Functions**

- Splitter (void)
- double getNextSample (void) override

### **Additional Inherited Members**

#### 13.50.1 Detailed Description

This class splits a signal and sends that signal to multiple outputs. This can be used for panning effects, for example.

This class is special because it allows multiple outputs.

```
Splitter sp;
Oscillator osc;
Multiplier m1;
Multiplier m2;
StereoStreamOutput out;
osc >> sp;
sp >> m1 >> out.left;
sp >> m2 >> out.right;
```

### 13.50.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

```
13.50.2.1 Splitter::Splitter (void)
```

Only used for BAND\_PASS and NOTCH filters. Sets the width (in frequency domain) of the stop or pass band at which the amplitude is equal to  $\sin(PI/4)$  (i.e. .707). So, for example, if you wanted the frequencies 100 Hz above and below the breakpoint to be at .707 of the maximum amplitude, set bw to 100. Of course, past those frequencies the attenuation continues. Larger values result in a less pointy band.

### **Parameters**

bw	The bandwidth.

### 13.50.3 Member Function Documentation

```
13.50.3.1 double Splitter::getNextSample (void ) [override], [virtual]
```

This function should be overloaded for any derived class that produces values (outputs do not produce values, they produce sound via sound hardware).

Reimplemented from CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

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

- · CX ModularSynth.h
- CX\_ModularSynth.cpp

# 13.51 CX::Synth::StereoSoundObjectOutput Class Reference

```
#include <CX_ModularSynth.h>
```

#### **Public Member Functions**

- void setup (float sampleRate)
- void sampleData (double t)

### **Public Attributes**

- · GenericOutput left
- · GenericOutput right
- CX::CX SoundObject so

### 13.51.1 Detailed Description

This class provides a method of capturing the output of a modular synth and storing it in a CX\_SoundObject for later use.

This captures stereo audio by taking the output of different streams of data into either the left or right modules that this class has. See the example code.

```
StereoSoundObjectOutput sout;
sout.setup(44100);

Splitter sp;
Oscillator osc;
Multiplier leftM;
Multiplier rightM;

leftM.amount = .1;
rightM.amount = .01;

osc >> sp;
sp >> leftM >> sout.left;
sp >> rightM >> sout.right;

sout.sampleData(2); //Sample 2 seconds worth of data on both channels.
```

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

- · CX\_ModularSynth.h
- CX\_ModularSynth.cpp

### 13.52 CX::Synth::StereoStreamOutput Class Reference

```
#include <CX_ModularSynth.h>
```

#### **Public Member Functions**

void setOuputStream (CX::CX\_SoundStream &stream)

### **Public Attributes**

- · GenericOutput left
- · GenericOutput right

### 13.52.1 Detailed Description

This class is much like StreamOutput except in stereo.

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

- · CX ModularSynth.h
- CX\_ModularSynth.cpp

# 13.53 CX::Synth::StreamOutput Class Reference

```
#include <CX_ModularSynth.h>
```

Inherits CX::Synth::ModuleBase.

### **Public Member Functions**

void setOuputStream (CX::CX\_SoundStream &stream)

**Additional Inherited Members** 

### 13.53.1 Detailed Description

This class provides a method of playing the output of a modular synth using a CX\_SoundStream.

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

- · CX ModularSynth.h
- CX\_ModularSynth.cpp

### 14 File Documentation

# 14.1 advancedChangeDetectionTask.cpp File Reference

```
#include "CX_EntryPoint.h"
```

### **Functions**

- int drawStimuli (void)
- int presentStimuli (void)
- int getResponse (void)
- void generateTrials (int trialCount)
- void updateExperiment (void)

- void drawFixation (void)
- void drawBlank (void)
- void drawSampleArray (void)
- void drawTestArray (void)
- ofColor backgroundColor (50)
- void runExperiment (void)

#### **Variables**

- CX TrialController trialController
- CX\_SlidePresenter SlidePresenter
- CX DataFrame trialDf
- int trialIndex = 0
- int circleRadius = 0

### 14.1.1 Detailed Description

This example is a more advanced version of the change detection task presented in the basicChangeDetectionTask example. It is not "advanced" because it is more complex, but because it uses more features of CX. It actually ends up being simpler because of how it uses features of CX.

Items that are commented are new, although not all new stuff will neccessarily be commented. The two main features that are demonstrated are CX\_DataFrame and CX\_TrialController. Using custom units and a custom coordinate system is shown with CX\_CoordinateConverter and CX\_DegreeToPixelConverter.

### 14.2 advancedNBack.cpp File Reference

```
#include "CX_EntryPoint.h"
```

#### **Functions**

- ofColor backgroundColor (50)
- ofColor textColor (255)
- void finalSlideFunction (CX SlidePresenter::FinalSlideFunctionArgs &info)
- void drawStimuliToFramebuffers (CX\_SlidePresenter &sp, int trialIndex)
- void appendDrawingFunctions (CX SlidePresenter &sp, int trialIndex)
- · void drawStimulus (string letter, bool showInstructions)
- void drawBlank (void)
- void generateTrials (int numberOfTrials)
- void runExperiment (void)

#### Variables

- · CX DataFrame df
- CX DataFrame::rowIndex t trialNumber = 0
- int trialCount = 40
- int lastSlideIndex = 0
- int nBack = 2

- ofTrueTypeFont letterFont
- ofTrueTypeFont instructionFont
- char targetKey = 'f'
- char nonTargetKey = 'j'
- string kevReminderInstructions
- CX Millis stimulusPresentationDuration = 1000
- CX Millis interStimulusInterval = 1000
- CX SlidePresenter SlidePresenter
- bool useFramebuffersForStimuli = true
- vector< stimulusFunctor > stimulusFunctors

### 14.2.1 Detailed Description

In this example, we are going to consider two different ways of using the slide presenter to present stimuli. One method is the one used in the change detection example: Draw the stimuli to framebuffers that are managed by the SlidePresenter. This approach is fairly easy to do, but it had a time cost, because allocating and copying all of the framebuffers takes time. This example builds on the nBack example.

In this example, we are going to contrast using the framebuffer approach with the slide presenter with the use of drawing functions. The standard framebuffer approach has the following major steps:

1) Allocate the framebuffer 2) Draw your stimuli to the famebuffer 3) Copy the framebuffer to the back buffer 4) Swap front and back buffers

Using drawing functions, we avoid steps 1 and 3, which are generally both very costly in terms of time. Step 2 becomes "Draw your stimuli to the back buffer directly". For an N-back task, there are no indefinitely-long pauses where you can prepare stimuli: you have to get the next sitmulus ready within a fixed interval, so using drawing functions may be the best approach. We are going to examine that issue with this example.

The way in which you use a drawing function with a CX\_SlidePresenter is with the appendSlideFunction() function. This function takes three arguments: the drawing function, the duration for which the stimuli drawn by that drawing function should be presented, and the name of the slide (optional). When the stimuli specified by the drawing function are ready to be presented, the drawing function will be called. In the drawing function, you do not need to call Display-beginDrawingToBackBuffer(); the slide presenter does that for you. See drawStimulus() below for an example of what a drawing function might look like.

We can compare the performance of the framebuffer and functor approaches by examining how much time is used for various processes. One thing to consider is the amount of time it takes to allocate the framebuffers and render your stimuli to the framebuffers.

Another consideration is the amount of time it takes to copy a framebuffer to the back buffer (step 3 above). This may take longer than drawing a small amount of stimuli directly to the back buffer. The framebuffer approach provides a nice security blanket: "I know that regardless of whatever is the the framebuffer, it will be copied in the same amount of time as any other framebuffer." However, if that copying time is longer than any of the stimulus drawing times, then using framebuffers is less efficient than drawing directly to the back buffer.

We will be using a special kind of function object, known as a functor (http://www.cprogramming.-com/tutorial/functors-function-objects-in-c++.html) to do our drawing. A functor is basically a structure that can be called like a function using operator(). But unlike a normal function, a functor carries data along with it that can be used in the function call. Thus, a fuctor is a way to have a function without certain arguments for which you can still specify those arguments (in a sense) by setting data members of the functor. See struct stimulusFunctor below for an implementation.

# 14.3 basicChangeDetectionTask.cpp File Reference

```
#include "CX_EntryPoint.h"
```

#### **Functions**

- void updateExperiment (void)
- vector< TrialData\_t > generateTrials (int trialCount)
- void outputData (void)
- · void drawFixation (void)
- void drawBlank (void)
- void drawSampleArray (const TrialData\_t &tr)
- void drawTestArray (const TrialData t &tr)
- ofColor backgroundColor (50)
- void runExperiment (void)

### **Variables**

- CX SlidePresenter SlidePresenter
- vector< TrialData t > trials
- int trialIndex = 0
- int circleRadius = 30
- string trialPhase = "drawStimuli"

### 14.3.1 Detailed Description

This example shows how to do a simple change-detection experiment using CX. The stimuli are colored circles which are presented in a 3X3 matrix.

Press the S key to indicate that you think the test array is the same or the D key to indicate that you think the test array is different.

# 14.4 nBack.cpp File Reference

```
#include "CX_EntryPoint.h"
```

#### **Functions**

- ofColor backgroundColor (50)
- ofColor textColor (255)
- void finalSlideFunction (CX\_SlidePresenter::FinalSlideFunctionArgs &info)
- void drawStimulusForTrial (unsigned int trial, bool showInstructions)
- void generateTrials (int numberOfTrials)
- void runExperiment (void)

### Variables

- · CX DataFrame df
- CX DataFrame::rowIndex t trialNumber = 0
- int trialCount = 40
- int lastSlideIndex = 0
- int **nBack** = 2
- ofTrueTypeFont letterFont
- ofTrueTypeFont instructionFont
- char targetKey = 'f'
- char nonTargetKey = 'j'
- string keyReminderInstructions
- CX Millis stimulusPresentationDuration = 1000
- CX Millis interStimulusInterval = 1000
- CX\_SlidePresenter

### 14.4.1 Detailed Description

This example shows how to implement an N-Back task using an advanced feature of the CX\_SlidePresenter (SP). There is a feature of the SP that allows you to give it a pointer to a function that will be called every time the SP has just presented the final slide that it currently has. In your function, you can add more slides to the SP, which will allow it to continue presenting slides. If you don't add any more slides, slide presentation will stop with the currently presented slide.

For this N-Back task, the presentation of stimuli will follow the pattern stimulus-blank-stimulus-blank etc. The idea is that you will load up the SP with the first few stimuli and blanks. The SP will be started and will present the first few stimuli. When it runs out of stimuli, the last slide user function will be called. In this function, we will check for any responses that have been made since the last time the function was called and draw the next stimulus-blank pair. See the definition of finalSlideFunction and setupExperiment for the implementation of these ideas.

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