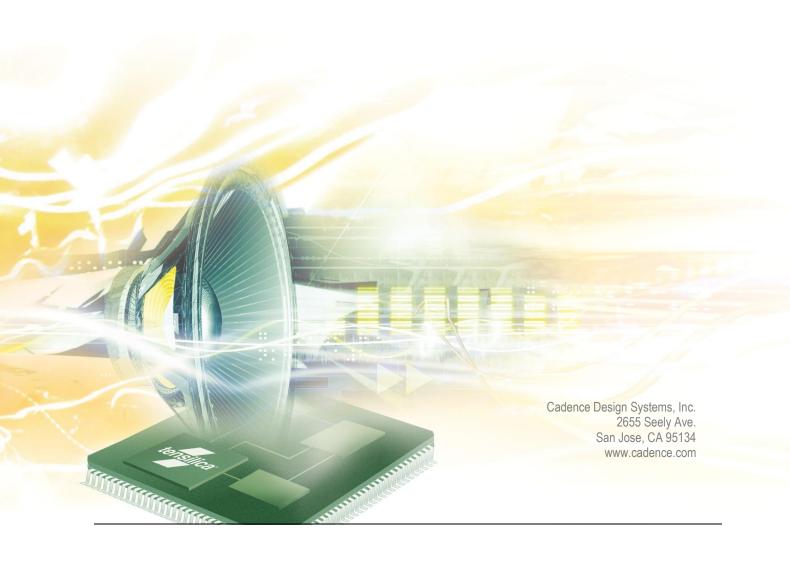


HiFi 5 Neural Network Library

Programmer's Guide

For HiFi DSPs





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Document Change History

Version	Changes		
1.0	Initial version		
1.1	Added quantized 8 bit variants for depthwise convolution, fully connected and softmax		
1.2	Added quantized 8 bit kernels for SVDF support and for standard convolution, average pooling, and quantization.		
1.3	Added quantized 8 bit kernels (asymmetric int8) for pointwise convolution, max pooling, elementwise addtion and multiplication.		
1.4	Added description of 8 bit kernels (asymmetric int8) for elementwise compare operations, elementwise subtraction, maximum, minimum, tanh, prelu and hardswish.		
	Added description of logical operation kernels (boolean 1-byte) for elementwise logical_and, logical_or, logical_not operations.		
1.5	Added per channel quantized sym8s kernel, asym8s input, asym8s output – dilated 2D convolution (without stride support).		
1.5	Added desciption of L2 Normalization, reduce mean, reduce max kernels (asymmetric int8).		
	Added description of boradcast variants of elementwise maximum, minumum kernels.		

1.Introduction to the HiFi 5 NN Library

The HiFi 5 Neural Network (NN) Library is a HiFi-optimized implementation of various NN layers and low level NN kernels. The library is designed with speech and audio neural network domain focus. The low level NN kernels are HiFi-optimized building blocks for NN layer implementation with a generic and simple interface. The NN layers are built using low level kernels and accept input in the form of 'shapes' (up to four dimensions) and produce the output, also in the form of shapes. The layers use the weights or coefficients and biases stored 'externally' for their operation. The shape of the input, output, weights and biases are as per the layer's design.

This guide refers to the HiFi 5 NN Library as HiFi NN Library, NN layers simply as layers and low level NN kernels as low-level kernels. The current version of the library implements GRU, LSTM (forward path), and CNN layers. It also implements matrix vector multiply, activation, pooling, and convolution functions as low-level kernels.

Note

This version of the library supports HiFi 5 DSPs with the NN Extension enabled. The SP-VFPU (Single Precision Vector Floating Point Unit) is optional. The library can be compiled for HiFi 5 DSPs with or without the SP-VFPU enabled.

1.1 Organization of the HiFi 5 NN Library Package

The HiFi NN Library package includes the HiFi NN library containing all layers and low-level kernels implementations, and a set of sample test applications (for layers and low-level kernels).

The HiFi NN library implements a set of NN layers. The application can instantiate these layers and connect inputs and outputs across the layers to form a Neural Network system.

The HiFi NN library also provides a set of low level NN kernels. The application can use these kernels to implement or optimize performance of other NN layers.

The sample test applications implement a file-based application to test an instance of a layer or low level NN kernels for the given specification using pre-generated input, weight or coefficients and bias shapes stored in files in raw binary format.

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¹ Refer to Section 2.1 Shape

² Refer to Section 2.2.3 Weights and Biases Memory



1.1.1 Document Overview

This document covers all the information required to integrate the HiFi NN Library into a Neural Network system. All the layers implement "HiFi NN layer APIs", which is generic and explained in Section 2. The low level NN kernels are explained in Section 3. The APIs for each layer are described in Section 3.6.2. Section 5 provides details about available sample testbenches. References are listed in Section 6.

1.2 HiFi 5 NN Library Specification

The current version of the HiFi NN Library provides the following HiFi-optimized low-level kernels and layer implementations.

1.2.1Low Level Kernels

- Matrix-vector multiplication kernels
- Convolution kernels
- Activation kernels
- Pooling kernels
- Basic operations kernels

These kernels support fixed point 8 bit, 16 bit, and single precision floating point data types for weights or coefficients, biases, input, and output. Refer to Section 3 for details.

Additionally, 8-bit and 16-bit quantized datatypes as defined in TensorFlow (TF), TensorFlow Lite for Microcontrolllers (TFLM) are also supported for select kernels [3]. These datatypes use 8-bit/16-bit quantized values (asym8u – asymmetric 8-bit unsigned, asym8s – asymmetric 8-bit signed, sym8s – symmetric 8-bit signed) for weights or coefficients, input, and output. Biases are 32-bit quantized values.

8-bit quantized types are either unsigned (0, 255) or signed (-128, 127) 8-bit integer with 3 additional parameters.

Three numbers are associated with a quantized 8-bit value that can be used to convert the 8-bit integer to the real value and vice versa. These numbers are:

- Shift: an integer value indicating the amount of shift. If the value is positive, it is left shift and if negative, it is right shift
- Multiplier: a 32 bit (Q31) fixed point value greater than zero.
- Zero point: a 32 bit integer, in range [0, 255] for unsigned type, in range [-128, 127] for signed type.

The formula is:

```
real_value = (quantized_value - zero_point) * 2^(shift) * multiplier
```

The 'sym8s' type is symmetrical around 0, this means that quantized values are between -127 to 127 and zero point is 0, so all the calculation required due to zero point is avoided.



To match the asym8u/asym8s/sym8s APIs with Tensorflow, we define zero point as zero_bias in the NN library APIs. The zero_bias is an integer value having range asym8u - [0, 255], asym8s – [-128, 127] (or asym8u - [-255, 0], asym8s – [-127, 128] in case of the reverse operation depending on the corresponding Tensorflow kernel).

In addition to the quantized 8-bit datatypes, a similar 16-bit quantized datatype (asym16s) is used for few kernels. The zero_bias for asym16s datatype is an integer value having range – [-32768, 32767].

1.2.2Layers

- GRU layer (8x16, 16x16 precision)
- LSTM (forward path) layer (8x16, 16x16 precision)
- CNN layer (8x8, 8x16, 16x16, and float32xfloat32 precision)

Note: MxN precision above denotes (weights or coefficients) x (input, output, bias) precision. Refer to Section 3.6.2 for details.

1.2.3 Support for TensorFlow Lite Micro Operators

The HiFi 5 NN Library low level kernels can be used to implement the following operators of TensorFlow Lite Micro:

No.	Operator	Float32 Datatype Support	Uint8 (asymmetric quantized uint8) Datatype Support	Int8 (quantized int8) Datatype Support	Boolean (1 Byte) Datatype Support
1	FULLY_CONNECTED		Yes	Yes	
2	MAX_POOL_2D	Yes		Yes	
3	SOFTMAX		Yes	Yes	
4	LOGISTIC	Yes		Yes	
5	SVDF			Yes	
6	CONV_2D	Yes	Yes	Yes	
7	DEPTHWISE_CONV_2D	Yes	Yes	Yes	
8	AVERAGE_POOL_2D	Yes	Yes	Yes	
9	FLOOR	Yes			
10	RELU	Yes	Yes	Yes	
11	RELU6	Yes	Yes	Yes	
12	ADD			Yes	
13	MUL			Yes	
14	QUANTIZE			Yes	
15	EQUAL			Yes	
16	GREATER			Yes	
17	GREATEREQUAL			Yes	



18	HARDSWISH	Yes	
19	LESS	Yes	
20	LESSEQUAL	Yes	
21	MAXIMUM	Yes	
22	MINIMUM	Yes	
23	NOTEQUAL	Yes	
24	PRELU	Yes	
25	SUB	Yes	
26	TANH	Yes	
27	LOGICALAND		Yes
28	LOGICALOR		Yes
29	LOGICALNOT		Yes
30	L2 NORM	Yes	
31	MEAN	Yes	
32	REDUCEMAX	Yes	



2. Generic HiFi NN Layer API

Note This section explains an API standard that is evolving. The APIs may undergo some changes in future versions.

This section describes the API that is common to all the HiFi NN layers. The API facilitates any layer instance that works in the overall method shown in Figure 2-1.

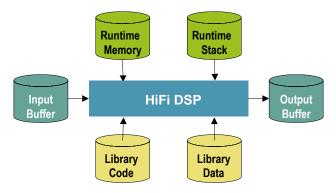


Figure 2-1 HiFi NN Layer Interfaces

All the buffers, input, output, weights and biases are described as shapes. Section 2.1 explains the shape structure.

Section 2.2 discusses all the types of runtime memory required by the layer instances. There is no state information held in static memory, therefore a single thread can perform time division processing of multiple layer instances. Additionally, multiple threads can perform concurrent layer instance processing.

The output from one instance can be fed as input to the next instance if the precision and the dimension matches.

The data types, structures, and error codes explained in this section are declared/defined in $xa_nnlib_standard.h$. By default, the API header file of each layer will include this header file. The application need not include this file.

2.1 Shape

The shapes are used to describe any buffer used in the NN library. The structure xa_nnlib_shape_t is defined in xa_nnlib_standard.h. The shape can be vector, matrix, or cube.

- Vector is a one-dimensional shape specified by length.
- Matrix is a two-dimensional shape specified by rows, columns, and row_offset. This assumes that the elements in a row are stored at consecutive addresses in memory.



- Cube is a three-dimensional shape specified by height, width, depth, height_offset, width_offset, and depth offset. Cube supports the following shape types:
 - SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T

This assumes that elements are stored in depth, width, and height order; that is, elements with the same height and width indices are stored consecutively.

SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T

This assumes that elements are stored in width, height, and depth order; that is, elements with the same height and depth are stored consecutively.

Figure 2-2 shows the dimension variables of matrix and cube shapes.

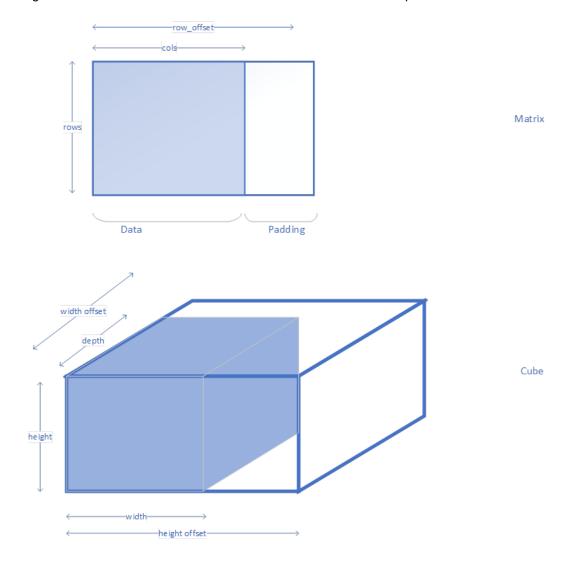


Figure 2-2 Matrix and Cube (SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T) Shape Representation



2.2 Memory Management

The HiFi NN layer API supports a flexible memory scheme and a simple interface that eases the integration into the final application. The API allows the layers to request the required memory for their operations during runtime.

The runtime memory requirement consists primarily of the scratch and persistent memory. The components also require an input buffer and output buffer for the passing of data into and out of the layer.

2.2.1API Handle / Persistent Memory

The layer API stores persistent state information in a structure that is referenced via an opaque handle. The handle is passed by the application for each API call. This object contains all state and history information that is maintained from one-layer frame invocation to the next within the same thread or instance. The layers expect that the contents of the persistent memory be unchanged by the system apart from the layer itself for the complete lifetime of the layer.

2.2.2Scratch Memory

This is the temporary buffer used by the layer during a single frame processing call. The contents of this memory region should not be changed if the actual layer execution process is active; that is, if the thread running the layer is inside any API call. This region can be used freely by the system between successive calls to the layer.

2.2.3Weights and Biases Memory

The weights or coefficients and biases should be managed by the application, and memory should not be requested by the API. If the design requires DMA access from or to the internal memory for better performance, a ping-pong or circular buffer is allocated as part of the scratch into which the weights, biases, input, and output are copied using DMA. If required, these memories can also be persistent.

2.2.4Input Buffer

This is the buffer from which the layer reads the input. This buffer must be made available for the layer before its execution call. The input buffer should have an associated shape information to describe the input data format. The input buffer pointer can be changed by the application between calls to the layer, but shape information cannot be changed. This allows the layer to read directly from the output of another layer.

2.2.5Output Buffer

This is the buffer to which the layer writes the output. This buffer must be made available for the layer before its execution call. The output buffer should have an associated shape information to which the layer can describe the output data format. The output buffer pointer can be changed by the application between calls to the layer. This allows the layer to write directly to the input of another layer.



2.3 Generic API Errors

Layer API functions return an error code of type Int32, which is of type signed int. The format of the error codes is defined in the following table.

31	30 - 27	26-12	11 - 7	6 - 0
Fatal	Class	Reserved	Component	Sub code

The errors that can be returned from the API are subdivided into those that are fatal, which require resetting the layer; and those that are nonfatal and are provided for information to the application.

The class of an error can be API, Config, or Execution. The API category errors are concerned with the incorrect use of the API. The Config errors are produced when the layer parameters are incorrect or outside the supported usage. The Execution errors are returned after a call to the main process and indicate situations that have arisen due to the input data.

2.3.1Common API Errors

The following errors are fatal and should not be encountered during normal application operation. They signal that a serious error has occurred in the application that is calling the layer.

- XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC
 At least one of the pointers passed into the API function is NULL.
- XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALIGN
 At least one of the pointers passed into the API function is not properly aligned.
- XA_NNLIB_FATAL_INVALID_SHAPE
 At least one of the shapes passed to the API function is invalid.

2.4 C Language API

An overview of the NN layer flow is shown in Figure 2-3. The NN layer API consists of query, initialization, and execution functions.

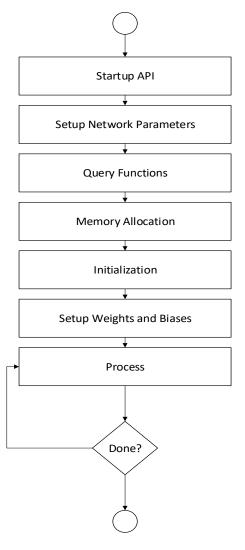


Figure 2-3 NN Layer Flow Overview



2.4.1Startup Functions

The API startup functions shown in Table 2-1 get the various identification strings from the component library. They are for information only and their usage is optional. These functions do not take any input arguments and return const char *.

Table 2-1 Library Identification Functions

Function	Description
xa_nnlib_get_lib_name_string	Get the name of the library.
xa_nnlib_get_lib_version_string	Get the version of the library.
xa_nnlib_get_lib_api_version_string	Get the version of the API.

Example

```
const char *name = xa_nnlib_get_lib_name_string();
const char *ver = xa_nnlib_get_lib_version_string();
const char *aver = xa_nnlib_get_lib_api_version_string();
```

Errors

None



2.4.2Query Functions

The query functions are used in the startup and the memory allocation stages to obtain information about the memory requirements of the library.

Following is the naming convention for query functions:

```
xa_nnlib_<layer>_get_{persistent | scratch}_<placement>
```

Where:

<layer> indicates the module name (such as gru).

<placement> specifies fast or slow.

2.4.3Initialization Functions

The initialization functions are used to reset the layer to its initial state. Because the layers are fully reentrant, the application can initialize the layer multiple times.

Following is the naming convention for initialization functions:

2.4.4Execution Functions

The execution functions are used to generate the output shape by processing one input shape.

Following is the naming convention for execution functions:



3. HiFi 5 NN Library - Low-Level Kernels

This section explains the low-level kernels provided in the NN library. All the low-level kernels have a generic, simple interface.

The NN library is a single archive containing all low-level kernels and layers implementations. The following sections explain each low-level kernel in detail.

3.1 Matrix X Vector Multiplication Kernels

3.1.1 Matrix X Vector Kernels

Description

These kernels perform the dual matXvec operation with bias addition; that is, z = mat1*vec1 + mat2*vec2 + bias. The column dimension of mat1 must match the row dimension of vec1 and similarly for mat2, vec2. Bias and resulting output vector z have as many rows as mat1 and mat2.

bias_shift and acc_shift arguments are provided in the kernel API to adjust Q format of bias and output, respectively. Both bias_shift and acc_shift can be either positive or negative, where positive value denotes a left shift and negative value denotes a right shift.

bias_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the bias to make it in the same Q format as matXvec multiplication – accumulation result. acc_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the accumulator to obtain the output in desired Q format.

Note, acc_shift and bias_shift arguments are not relevant in case of floating-point kernels and quantized 8-bit kernels.

row_stride1 and row_stride2 arguments are provided in kernel API for row offsets of mat1 and mat2, respectively. Note, input matrices are expected to be appropriately padded in case of row_stride > cols.

For conversion from higher precision accumulator to lower precision output, symmetric rounding is used.

The arguments, mat1_zero_bias, mat2_zero_bias, vec1_zero_bias, vec2_zero_bias, are provided to convert the quantized 8-bit inputs into their real values and perform matXvec operation. The out_zero_bias, out_multiplier and out_shift values are used to quantize real values of output back to 8-bit.

Function variants available are xa_nn_matXvec_[p]x[q]_[r], where:

- [p]: Matrix precision in bits
- [q]: Vector precision in bits



[r]: Output precision in bits

Precision

There are twelve variants available:

Туре	Description
16x16_16	16-bit matrix inputs, 16-bit vector inputs, 16-bit output
16x16_32	16-bit matrix inputs, 16-bit vector inputs, 32-bit output
16x16_64	16-bit matrix inputs, 16-bit vector inputs, 64-bit output
8x16_16	8-bit matrix inputs, 16-bit vector inputs, 16-bit output
8x16_32	8-bit matrix inputs, 16-bit vector inputs, 32-bit output
8x16_64	8-bit matrix inputs, 16-bit vector inputs, 64-bit output
8x8_8	8-bit matrix inputs, 8-bit vector inputs, 8-bit output
8x8_16	8-bit matrix inputs, 8-bit vector inputs, 16-bit output
8x8_32	8-bit matrix inputs, 8-bit vector inputs, 32-bit output
f32xf32_f32	float32 matrix inputs, float32 vector inputs, float32 output
asym8uxasym8u_asym8u	asym8u matrix inputs, asym8u vector inputs, asym8u output
sym8sxasym8s_asym8s	sym8s matrix inputs, asym8s vector inputs, asym8s output

Algorithm

$$z_n = 2^{acc\text{-}shift} \left(\sum_{m=0}^{cols1-1} mat1_{n,m} \cdot vec1_m + \sum_{m=0}^{cols2-1} mat2_{n,m} \cdot vec2_m + 2^{bias\text{-}shift}bias_n \right)$$

For floating-point and quantized 8-bit routines, acc_shift=0 and bias_shift=0.

Thus, $2^{acc\text{-}shift} = 2^{bias\text{-}shift} = 1$

Prototype

```
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_16x16_16
(WORD16 * p_out, WORD16 * p_mat1, WORD16 * p_mat2,
WORD16 * p_vec1, WORD16 * p_vec2, WORD16 * p_bias,
WORD12 rows
WORD32 rows,
                            WORD32 cols1,
                                                          WORD32 cols2,
WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_16x16_32
WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_16x16_64
(WORD64 * p_out, WORD16 * p_mat1, WORD16 * p_mat2,
WORD16 * p_vec1, WORD16 * p_vec2, WORD16 * p_bias,
WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 cols2,
WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2,
WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_8x16_16
(WORD16 * p_out,
                            WORD8 * p_mat1,
                                                          WORD8 * p_mat2,
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WORD16 * p_vec1, WORD16 * p_vec2, WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1,
                                                          WORD16 * p_bias,
                                                          WORD32 cols2,
                         WORD32 row_stride2,
WORD32 bias_shift);
WORD32 row_stride1,
WORD32 acc_shift,
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_8x16_32
(WORD32 * p_out, WORD8 * p_mat1,
                                                       WORD8 * p_mat2,
WORD16 * p_vec1, WORD16 * p_vec2, WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1,
                                                      WORD16 * p_bias,
                                                         WORD32 cols2,
WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2,
WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_8x16_64
(WORD64 * p_out, WORD8 * p_mat1,
                                                        WORD8 * p_mat2,
WORD16 * p_vec1, WORD16 * p_vec2, WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift);
                                                         WORD16 * p bias,
                                                      WORD32 cols2,
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_8x8_8
(WORD8 * p_out, WORD8 * p_mat1,
WORD8 * p_vec1, WORD8 * p_vec2,
WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1,
WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2,
WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift);
                                                       WORD8 * p_mat2,
                                                      WORD8 * p_bias,
                                                       WORD32 cols2,
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_8x8_16
(WORD16 * p_out, WORD8 * p_mat1,
                                                       WORD8 * p_mat2,
WORD8 * p_vec1,
                           WORD8 * p_vec2,
                                                        WORD8 * p_bias,
WORD32 rows,
                           WORD32 cols1,
                                                        WORD32 cols2,
WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2,
WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_8x8_32
(WORD32 * p_out, WORD8 * p_mat1,
                                                       WORD8 * p_mat2,
WORD8 * p_vec1,
                           WORD8 * p_vec2,
                                                         WORD8 * p_bias,
WORD32 rows,
                            WORD32 cols1,
                                                         WORD32 cols2,
WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_f32xf32_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out, const FLOAT32 * p_mat1, const FLOAT32 * p_mat2,
const FLOAT32 * p_vec1, const FLOAT32 * p_vec2, const FLOAT32 * p_bias,
WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2);
                                                         WORD32 cols2,
WORD32 xa nn matXvec asym8uxasym8u asym8u
(UWORD8 * p_out, const UWORD8 * p_mat1, const UWORD8 * p_mat2,
const UWORD8 * p_vec1, const UWORD8 * p_vec2, const WORD32 * p_bias,
WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 cols2, WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2, WORD32 mat1_zero_bias, WORD32 wec1_zero_bias, WORD32 vec2_zero_bias,
WORD32 out_multiplier, WORD32 out_shift, WORD32 out_zero_bias);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_sym8sxasym8s_asym8s
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_mat1, const WORD8 * p_mat2,
const WORD8 * p_vec1, const WORD8 * p_vec2, const WORD32 * p_bias,
WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 cols2, WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2, WORD32 vec1_zero_bias,
WORD32 vec2 zero bias, WORD32 out multiplier, WORD32 out_shift,
WORD32 out zero bias);
```



Arguments

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, const FLOAT32 * const UWORD8 *,	p_mat1	rows*cols1	Input matrix 1, fixed, floating point, asym8u or sym8s
const WORD8 *			
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, const FLOAT32 * const UWORD8 *, const WORD8 *	p_mat2	rows*cols2	Input matrix 2, fixed, floating point, asym8u or sym8s
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, const FLOAT32 * const UWORD8 *, const WORD8 *	p_vec1	cols1*1	Input vector 1, fixed, floating point, asym8u or asym8s
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, const FLOAT32 * const UWORD8 *, const WORD8 *	p_vec2	cols2*1	Input vector 2, fixed, floating point, asym8u or asym8s
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, const WORD32 *, const FLOAT32 *	p_bias	rows*1	Bias vector, fixed or floating point
WORD32	rows		Number of rows in matrix 1, 2 and bias
WORD32	cols1		Number of columns in matrix 1 and rows in vector 1
WORD32	cols2		Number of columns in matrix 2 and rows in vector 2
WORD32	row_stride1		Row offset of matrix 1
WORD32	row_stride2		Row offset of matrix 2
WORD32	acc_shift		Shift applied to accumulator
WORD32	bias_shift		Shift applied to bias
WORD32	mat1_zero_bias		Zero offset of matrix 1
WORD32	mat2_zero_bias		Zero offset of matrix 2
WORD32	vec1_zero_bias		Zero offset of vector 1
WORD32	vec2_zero_bias		Zero offset of vector 2
WORD32	out_multiplier		Multiplier value of output
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value of output
WORD32	out_zero_bias		Zero offset of output
Output			



Туре	Name	Size	Description
WORD8 *, UWORD8 *,	p_out	rows*1	Output, fixed, floating point,
WORD16 *,			asym8u or asym8s.
WORD32 *,			
WORD64 *,			
FLOAT32 *			

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions	
row_stride1, row_stride2,	row_stride1 >= cols1	
cols1, cols2	row_stride2 >= cols2	
p_mat1, p_mat2, p_vec1,	Aligned on <size element="" of="" one=""> boundary</size>	
p_vec2, p_bias, p_out	Should not overlap	
p_mat1, p_vec1, p_out	Cannot be NULL	
acc_shift, bias_shift,	{-31,, 31}	
out_shift		
mat1_zero_bias,	{-255, 0} for asym8u,	
mat2_zero_bias,	{-127, 128} for asym8s	
vec1_zero_bias,	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
vec2_zero_bias		
out_multiplier	Greater than 0	
out_zero_bias	{0,,255} if out type is asym8u,	
	{-128,127} if out type is asym8s	

3.1.2Fused (Activation) Matrix X Vector Kernels

Description

These kernels perform the fused dual matXvec operation with an activation function i.e. z = activation (mat1*vec1 + mat2*vec2 + bias). The column dimension of mat1 must match the row dimension of vec1 and similarly for mat2, vec2. Bias and resulting output vector z have as many rows as mat1 and mat2.

Intermediate output of (mat1*vec1 + mat2*vec2 + bias) is stored in temporary memory provided by the p_scratch argument to kernel API. Activation function is applied on this intermediate output to get final output. Note, for fixed point kernels, the activation function always takes input in Q6.25 format.

bias_shift and acc_shift arguments are provided in kernel API to adjust Q format of bias and intermediate output respectively. Both bias_shift and acc_shift can be either positive or negative, where positive value denotes a left shift and negative value denotes a right shift.



bias_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the bias to make it in the same Q format as matXvec multiplication – accumulation result. acc_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the accumulator to obtain the intermediate output in Q6.25 format.

Note: acc_shift and bias_shift are not relevant in case of floating point kernels.

row_stride1 and row_stride2 arguments are provided in kernel API for row offsets of mat1 and mat2 respectively. Note, input matrices are expected to be appropriately padded in case of row_stride > cols.

For conversion from higher precision accumulator to lower precision output, symmetric rounding is used.

Function variants available are xa_nn_matXvec_[p]x[q]_[r]_<activation>, where:

- [p]: Matrix precision in bits
- [q]: Vector precision in bits
- [r]: Output precision in bits
- <activation>: activation tag `tanh' or `sigmoid'

Precision

There are eight variants available:

Туре	Description
16x16_16_tanh	16-bit matrix inputs, 16-bit vector inputs, 16-bit output with
	tanh activation function
16x16_16_sigmoid	16-bit matrix inputs, 16-bit vector inputs, 16-bit output with
	sigmoid activation function
8x16_16_tanh	8-bit matrix inputs, 16-bit vector inputs, 16-bit output with tanh
	activation function
8x16_16_sigmoid	8-bit matrix inputs, 16-bit vector inputs, 16-bit output with
	sigmoid activation function
8x8_8_tanh	8-bit matrix inputs, 8-bit vector inputs, 8-bit output with tanh
	activation
8x8_8_sigmoid	8-bit matrix inputs, 8-bit vector inputs, 8-bit output with sigmoid
	activation
f32xf32_f32_tanh	float32 matrix inputs, float32 vector inputs, float32 output with
	tanh activation
f32xf32_f32_sigmoid	float32 matrix inputs, float32 vector inputs, float32 output with
	sigmoid activation

Algorithm

$$\begin{split} z_n &= activation \left(2^{acc\text{-}shift} \left(\sum_{m=0}^{cols1-1} mat1_{n,m} \cdot vec1_m \, + \, \sum_{m=0}^{cols2-1} mat2_{n,m} \cdot vec2_m \right. \\ &\left. + \, 2^{bias\text{-}shift} bias_n \, \right) \right), \qquad n = 0, \dots, \overline{rows-1} \end{split}$$



In case of floating point routine, acc_shift=0 and bias_shift=0.

Thus, $2^{acc\text{-}shift} = 2^{bias\text{-}shift} = 1$

activation is tanh or sigmoid

Prototype

```
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_16x16_16_tanh
                                           WORD16 * p_mat1, WORD16 * p_mat2,

WORD16 * p_vec2, VOID * p_bias,

WORD32 cols1, WORD32 cols2,
(WORD16 * p_out, WORD16 * p_mat1,
 WORD16 * p_vec1,
 WORD32 rows,
 WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 bias_precision, VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_16x16_16_sigmoid
(WORD16 * p_out, WORD16 * p_mat1, WORD16 * p_mat2,
WORD16 * p_vec1, WORD16 * p_vec2, VOID * p_bias,
WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 cols2,
 WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 bias_precision, VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_8x16_16_tanh
 (WORD16 * p_out, WORD8 * p_mat1, WORD8 * p_mat2,
WORD16 * p_vec1, WORD16 * p_vec2, VOID * p_bias,
WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 cols2,
WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2, WORD32 acc_shift,
WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 bias_precision, VOID * p_scratch);
(WORD16 * p_out, WORD8 * p_mat1,
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_8x16_16_sigmoid
(WORD16 * p_out, WORD8 * p_mat1, WORD8 * p_mat2,
WORD16 * p_vec1, WORD16 * p_vec2, VOID * p_bias,
WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 cols2,
WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2, WORD32 acc_shift,
WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 bias_precision, VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_8x8_8_tanh
(WORD8 * p_out, WORD8 * p_mat1, WORD8 * p_mat2, WORD8 * p_vec1, WORD8 * p_vec2, VOID * p_bias, WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 cols2, WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 bias_precision, VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_8x8_8_sigmoid
(WORD8 * p_out, WORD8 * p_mat1, WORD8 * p_mat2, WORD8 * p_vec1, WORD8 * p_vec2, VOID * p_bias, WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 cols2,
 WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 cols2, WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 bias_precision, VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_f32xf32_f32_tanh
(FLOAT32 * p_out, FLOAT32 * p_mat1, FLOAT32 * p_mat2,
FLOAT32 * p_vec1, FLOAT32 * p_vec2, FLOAT32 * p_bias,
WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 cols2,
 WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2 FLOAT32 * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_f32xf32_f32_sigmoid
(FLOAT32 * p_out, FLOAT32 * p_mat1, FLOAT32 * p_mat2, FLOAT32 * p_vec1, FLOAT32 * p_vec2, FLOAT32 * p_bias, WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 cols2,
 WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 row_stride2 FLOAT32 * p_scratch);
```



Arguments

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *	p_mat1	rows*cols1	Input matrix 1, fixed or floating point
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *	p_mat2	rows*cols2	Input matrix 2, fixed or floating point
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *	p_vec1	cols1*1	Input vector 1, fixed or floating point
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *	p_vec2	cols2*1	Input vector 2, fixed or floating point
VOID *, FLOAT32 *	p_bias	rows*1	Bias vector, fixed or floating point
WORD32	rows		Number of rows in matrix 1,2, bias and output
WORD32	cols1		Number of columns in matrix 1 and rows in vector 1
WORD32	cols2		Number of columns in matrix 2 and rows in vector 2
WORD32	row_stride1		Row offset of matrix 1
WORD32	row_stride2		Row offset of matrix 2
WORD32	acc_shift		Shift applied to accumulator
WORD32	bias_shift		Shift applied to bias
WORD32	bias_precision		Precision of bias in bytes
Output			
WORD8 *, WORD16 *, FLOAT32 *	p_out	rows*1	Output, fixed (Q7, Q15) or floating point
Temporary			
VOID *, FLOAT32 *	p_scratch	rows*4	Scratch (temporary) memory pointer

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions
<pre>row_stride1, row_stride2, cols1, cols2</pre>	Multiples of 4 (2 in case of floating point)
p_mat1, p_mat2, p_vec1,	Aligned on 16-byte boundary
p_vec2, p_bias, p_out	Should not overlap
p_mat1, p_vec1, p_bias,	Cannot be NULL
p_out	
acc_shift, bias_shift	{-31,, 31}
bias_precision	{-1, 8, 16, 32, 64} (-1 in case of floating point)



3.1.3 Matrix X Vector Batch Kernels

Description

These kernels perform the operation of multiplication of a single matrix with a series of vectors along with bias addition; that is, zi = mat1*vec1i + bias. These kernels can also be viewed as matrix X matrix-transpose multiplication kernels. The column dimension of mat1 must match the row dimension of vectors in vec1. Bias and resulting output vector sequence z have as many numbers of rows as mat1. vec1 is a sequence of vec_count number of input vectors and bias is added to each resulting vector after multiplication with mat1. Thus, output z has dimensions $rows*vec_count$. vec_count number of input vectors and output vectors are provided as array of pointers arguments to kernel API.

bias_shift and acc_shift arguments are provided in kernel API to adjust Q format of bias and output respectively. Both bias_shift and acc_shift can be either positive or negative where positive value denotes a left shift and negative value denotes a right shift.

bias_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the bias to make it in the same Q format as matXvec multiplication – accumulation result. acc_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the accumulator to obtain the output in desired Q format.

Note: acc_shift and bias_shift are not relevant in case of floating point kernels.

The row_stride1 argument is provided in kernel API for row offset of mat1. Note, input matrix is expected to be appropriately padded in case of row_stride1 > cols1.

For conversion from higher precision accumulator to lower precision output, symmetric rounding is used.

Function variants available are xa_nn_matXvec_batch_[p]x[q]_[r], where:

- [p]: Matrix precision in bits
- [q]: Vector precision in bits
- [r]: Output precision in bits

Precision

There are four variants available:

Туре	Description
16x16_64	16-bit matrix inputs, 16-bit vector inputs, 64-bit output vectors
8x16_64	8-bit matrix inputs, 16-bit vector inputs, 64-bit output vectors
8x8_32	8-bit matrix inputs, 8-bit vector inputs, 32-bit output vectors
f32xf32_f32	float32 matrix inputs, float32 vector inputs, float32 output



Algorithm

$$z_{n,i} = 2^{acc\text{-}shift} \left(\sum_{m=0}^{cols1-1} mat1_{n,m} \cdot vec1_{m,i} + 2^{bias\text{-}shift}bias_n \right),$$

$$n = 0, \dots, \overline{rows - 1} \quad ; \quad i = 0, \dots, \overline{vec\text{-}count - 1}$$

In case of floating point routine, acc_shift=0 and bias_shift=0.

Thus,
$$2^{acc\text{-}shift} = 2^{bias\text{-}shift} = 1$$

Prototype

```
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_batch_16x16_64
(WORD64 ** p_out, WORD16 * p_mat1, WORD16 ** p_vec1, WORD16 * p_bias, WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift
                                                                      WORD32 bias_shift,
 WORD32 vec_count);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_batch_8x16_64
(WORD64 ** p_out, WORD8 * p_mat1,
WORD16 * p_bias, WORD32 rows,
WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 acc_shift,
                                                                      WORD16 ** p_vec1,
                                                                      WORD32 cols1,
                                                                      WORD32 bias_shift,
 WORD32 vec_count);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_batch_8x8_32
(WORD32 ** p_out, WORD8 * p_mat1, WORD8 ** p_vec1, WORD8 * p_bias, WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols1, WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift
                                                                      WORD32 bias_shift,
WORD32 vec_count);
WORD32 xa_nn_matXvec_batch_f32xf32_f32
(FLOAT32 ** p_out, FLOAT32 * p_mat1, FLOAT32 * p_bias, WORD32 rows, WORD32 row_stride1, WORD32 vec_count);
                                                                      FLOAT32 ** p_vec1,
                                                                      WORD32 cols1,
```

Arguments

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *	p_mat1	rows*cols1	Input matrix, fixed or floating point
WORD16 **, WORD8 **, FLOAT32 **	p_vec1	cols1*vec_co unt	Input vector pointers, fixed or floating point
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *	p_bias	rows*1	Bias vector, fixed or floating point
WORD32	rows		Number of rows in input matrix, bias and output
WORD32	cols1		Number of columns in input matrix and rows in input vector
WORD32	row_stride1		Row offset of input matrix
WORD32	acc_shift		Shift applied to accumulator
WORD32	bias_shift		Shift applied to bias
WORD32	vec_count		Number of input vectors



Туре	Name	Size	Description
Output			
WORD32 **, WORD64 **, FLOAT32 **	p_out	rows*vec_cou nt	Output vector pointers, fixed or floating point

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions
row_stride1, cols1	Multiples of 4 (2 in case of floating point)
<pre>p_mat1, p_vec1, p_bias, p_out</pre>	Aligned on 16-byte boundary Should not overlap Cannot be NULL
acc_shift, bias_shift	{-31,, 31}

3.1.4 Matrix Multiplication Kernels

Description

These kernels perform the operation of multiplication of a matrix mat1 with another matrix mat2 along with bias addition; that is, z = mat1 * mat2 + bias. The first matrix should be stored in row major order and the second matrix should be stored in column major order. The first matrix is of dimensions $rows \times cols$. The second matrix mat2 is of dimensions $cols \times vec_count$. These kernels can also be viewed as a modification of the Matrix X Vector Batch kernels. The column dimension of mat1 matches the row dimension of mat2 i.e. the length of each vector in p_mat2 . Bias and resulting output vector sequence z have as many numbers of rows as mat1. mat2 is a sequence of vec_count number of input vectors and bias is added to each resulting vector after multiplication with mat1. Thus, output z has dimensions $rows * vec_count$. The arguments vec_offset and out_offset are offsets to the next vector and output addresses. The argument out_stride defines the row offset for the output matrix. For standard matrix multiplication, vec_offset should be equal to cols, out_offset equal to 1 and out_stride should be equal to vec_count i.e. columns of mat2.

The bias_shift and acc_shift arguments are provided in kernel API to adjust Q format of bias and output respectively. Both bias_shift and acc_shift can be either positive or negative where positive value denotes a left shift and negative value denotes a right shift.

The bias_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the bias to make it in the same Q format as multiplication – accumulation result. acc_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the accumulator to obtain the output in desired Q format.

Note, the acc_shift and bias_shift arguments are not relevant in case of quantized 8-bit kernels.

The row_stride argument indicates the offset to next row of mat1.



The vec offset argument refers to the column offset of mat2.

Similarly, the <code>out_offset</code> and <code>out_stride</code> arguments refer to the column offset and row offset of the output matrix rows * vec count respectively.

For conversion from higher precision accumulator to lower precision output, symmetric rounding is used.

The arguments, <code>mat1_zero_bias</code>, <code>mat2_zero_bias</code>, are provided to convert the quantized 8-bit inputs into their real values and perform <code>matXvec</code> batch operation. The <code>out_zero_bias</code>, <code>out_multiplier</code> and <code>out_shift</code> values are used to quantize real values of output back to quantized 8-bit values.

For the quantized int8 variant, we have per-row quantized input mat1.

Function variants available are $xa_nn_matmul_[p]x[q]_[r]$, where:

- [p]: Matrix 1 precision in bits
- [q]: Matrix 2 precision in bits
- [r]: Output precision in bits

Precision

There are three variants available:

Туре	Description
8x8_8	8-bit matrix inputs, 8-bit vector inputs, 8-bit output vectors
asym8uxasym8u_asym8u	asym8u matrix inputs, asym8u vector inputs, asym8u output vectors
per_chan_sym8sxasym8 s_asym8s	per channel quantized sym8s matrix inputs, asym8s vector inputs, asym8s output vectors

Algorithm

$$z_{n,i} = 2^{acc\text{-}shift} \left(\sum_{m=0}^{cols1-1} mat1_{n,m} \cdot mat2_{m,i} + 2^{bias\text{-}shift} bias_n \right),$$

$$n = 0, \dots, \overline{rows-1} \; ; \quad i = 0, \dots, \overline{vec\text{-}count-1}$$

In case of quantized 8-bit routines, acc_shift=0 and bias_shift=0.

Thus,
$$2^{acc-shift} = 2^{bias-shift} = 1$$

Prototype



```
WORD32 row_stride, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 vec_count, WORD32 vec_offset, WORD32 out_offset, WORD32 out_stride);

WORD32 xa_nn_matmul_asym8uxasym8u_asym8u
(UWORD8 * p_out, const UWORD8 * p_mat1, const UWORD8 * p_mat2, const WORD32 * p_bias, WORD32 rows, WORD32 cols, WORD32 row_stride, WORD32 vec_count, WORD32 vec_offset, WORD32 out_offset, WORD32 out_stride, WORD32 out_stride, WORD32 out_shift, WORD32 out_zero_bias, WORD32 out_multiplier, WORD32 out_shift, WORD32 va_nn_matmul_per_chan_sym8sxasym8s_asym8s
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_mat1, const WORD8 * p_mat2, const WORD32 row_stride, WORD32 rows, WORD32 row_stride, WORD32 vec_count, WORD32 vec_offset, WORD32 row_stride, WORD32 vec_count, WORD32 vec_offset, WORD32 out_offset, WORD32 out_stride, WORD32 vec1_zero_bias const WORD32 * p_out_multiplier, const WORD32 p_out_shift, WORD32 out_zero_bias);
```

Arguments

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input	•	•	
WORD8 *, UWORD8 *, const WORD8 *	p_mat1	rows*cols	Input matrix 1, fixed point, asym8u or sym8s
WORD8 *, UWORD8 *, const WORD8 *	p_mat2	cols * vec_count	Input matrix 2, fixed , asym8u or sym8s
WORD8 *, const WORD32 *	p_bias	rows*1	Bias vector, fixed point
WORD32	rows		Number of rows in input matrix, bias and output
WORD32	cols		Number of columns in input matrix and rows in input vector
WORD32	row_stride		Row offset of input matrix
WORD32	acc_shift		Shift applied to accumulator
WORD32	bias_shift		Shift applied to bias
WORD32	vec_count		Number of vectors (columns) in matrix 2
WORD32	vec_offset		Offset to the next vector address
WORD32	out_offset		Offset to the next output address
WORD32	out_stride		Row offset of output matrix
WORD32	mat1_zero_bias		Zero offset of matrix 1
WORD32	vec1_zero_bias		Zero offset of matrix 2
WORD32	out_multiplier		Multiplier value of output
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value of output
WORD32	out_zero_bias		Zero offset of output
Output			
WORD8 *, UWORD8 *	p_out	rows*vec_ count	Output matrix, fixed-point, floating point or asym8u



Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions	
p_mat1, p_mat2, p_out	Aligned on (size of one element)-byte boundary Cannot be NULL Should not overlap	
p_bias	Aligned on (size of one element)-byte boundary	
<pre>acc_shift, bias_shift, out_shift</pre>	{-31,, 31}	
vec_count	Greater than 0	
<pre>vec_offset, out_offset, out_stride</pre>	Should not be 0	
mat1_zero_bias,	{-255,, 0}	
vec1_zero_bias	{-255, 0} for asym8u, {-127, 128} for asym8s	
out_multiplier	Greater than 0	
out_zero_bias	{0,,255} if out type is asym8u, {-128,127} if out type is asym8s	

3.1.5Matrix X Vector Kernels with Output Stride

Description

These kernels perform a single matXvec operation with bias addition; that is, z = mat1*vec1 + bias. The column dimension of mat1 must match the row dimension of vec1. Bias and resulting output vector z have as many rows as mat1.

row_stride1 is provided in kernel API for row offsets of mat1. Note, input matrices are expected to be appropriately padded in case of row_stride > cols.

For conversion from higher precision accumulator to lower precision output, symmetric rounding is used.

The argument out stride is helpful in storing the output at a given offset.

The argument vec1_zero_bias is provided to convert the quantized 8-bit inputs into their real values and perform matXvec operation. The out_multiplier and out_shift values are used to convert real values of output to 16-bit.

Function variants available are xa_nn_matXvec_[p]x[q]_[r], where:

[p]: Matrix precision in bits



- [q]: Vector precision in bits
- [r]: Output precision in bits

Precision

There is one variant available:

Туре	Description
sym8sxasym8s_16	sym8s matrix inputs, asym8s vector inputs, asym8s output

Algorithm

$$z_n = \left(\sum_{m=0}^{cols1-1} mat1_{n,m} \cdot vec1_m + bias_n\right)$$

Prototype

Arguments

Туре	Name	Size	Description	
Input	•	•		
const WORD8 *	p_mat1	rows*cols1	Input matrix, sym8s	
const WORD8 *	p_vec1	cols1*1	Input vector, asym8s	
const WORD32 *	p_bias	rows*1	Bias vector	
WORD32	rows		Number of rows in matrix and number of elements in bias	
WORD32	cols1		Number of columns in matrix and elements in vector	
WORD32	row_stride1		Row offset of matrix	
WORD32	out_stride		Row offset of output	
WORD32	vec1_zero_bias		Zero offset of vector	
WORD32	out_multiplier		Multiplier value of output	
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value of output	
Output				
WORD16 *	p_out	rows*1	Output, 16-bit	

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters



Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions
row_stride1, cols1	row_stride1 >= cols1
<pre>p_mat1, p_vec1, p_bias, p_out</pre>	Aligned on <size element="" of="" one=""> boundary Should not overlap</size>
p_mat1, p_vec1, p_out	Cannot be NULL
out_shift	{-31,, 31}
vec1_zero_bias	{-127, 128} for asym8s
out_multiplier	Greater than 0

3.2 Convolution Kernels

3.2.1Standard 2D Convolution Kernel

Description

These kernels perform the 2D convolution operation as z = inp(*) kernel + bias. A 3D input cube (input_height x input_width x input_channels), is convolved with a 3D kernel cube (kernel_height x kernel_width x input_channels) to produce a 2D convolution output plane (out_height x out_width). With out_channels number of such 3D kernels, output cube (out_height x out_width x out_channels) is produced. The bias having dimension (out_channels) is added after the convolution (one bias value is added to each output channel) to produce the final output.

Note: The depth or channels dimension (input_channels) of input and kernel must be identical for 2D convolution.

bias_shift and acc_shift arguments are provided in kernel API to adjust Q format of bias and output, respectively. Both bias_shift and acc_shift can be either positive or negative where positive value denotes a left shift and negative value denotes a right shift.

bias_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the bias to make it in the same Q format as convolution - accumulation result. acc_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the accumulator to obtain the output in desired Q format.

Note: acc_shift and bias_shift are not relevant in case of floating point kernels and quantized 8-bit kernels.

The x_stride and y_stride arguments in kernel API define the step size of the kernel when traversing the input in width and height dimensions respectively.

The $x_{padding}$ argument defines padding to the left of the input in the width dimension and the $y_{padding}$ argument defines padding to the top of the input in the height dimension.



The right padding is calculated based on out_width as right_paddding = kernel_width + (out_width - 1) * x_stride - (x_padding + input_width).

The bottom padding is calculated based on out_height as bottom_paddding = kernel_height + (out_height - 1) * y_stride - (y_padding + input_height).

For conversion from higher precision accumulator to lower precision output, symmetric rounding is used.

The kernel is expected to be padded in the depth or channels dimension if the number of input_channels is not a multiple of 4 in case of fixed point variants other than the 8x8, asym8uxasym8u and per_chan_sym8sxasym8s variant, and 2 in case of floating point variant. No padding is needed for 8x8 and quantized 8-bit variants.

These kernels require temporary buffer for convolution computation. This temporary buffer is provided by p_scratch argument of kernel API. The size of temporary buffer should be queried using xa_nn_conv2d_std_getsize() helper API.

These kernels expect input and kernel cubes in SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T shape type and can produce output cube in either SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T or SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T shape type. The out_data_format argument to kernel API controls the output cube shape type.

Function variants available are xa nn conv2d std [p]x[q], where:

- [p]: Kernel precision in bits
- [q]: Input precision in bits

Precision

There are six variants available.

Туре	Description	
16x16	16-bit kernel, 16-bit input, 16-bit output	
8x16	8-bit kernel, 16-bit input, 16-bit output	
8x8	8-bit kernel, 8-bit input, 8-bit output	
f32	float32 kernel, float32 input, float32 output	
asym8uxasym8u	asym8u kernel, asym8u input, asym8u output	
per_chan_sym8sxasym8s	per channel quantized sym8s kernel, asym8s input, asym8s	
	output	

Algorithm

$$\begin{split} z_{h,w,d} &= 2^{acc\text{-}shift} \left(\sum_{i=0}^{K_H-1} \sum_{j=0}^{K_W-1} \sum_{k=0}^{I_C-1} in_{pad}{}_{(h*y\text{-}stride+i),(w*x\text{-}stride+j),k} \cdot ker_{pad}{}_{d,i,j,k} \right. \\ &+ 2^{bias\text{-}shift} b_d \right) \\ h &= 0, \dots, \overline{out\text{-}height-1}, w = 0, \dots, \overline{out\text{-}width-1}, \end{split}$$



```
d = 0, \dots, \overline{out\text{-}channels - 1}
```

In case of floating-point kernels and quantized 8-bit kernels, acc_shift=0 and bias_shift=0.

```
Thus, 2^{acc-shift} = 2^{bias-shift} = 1
```

 in_{pad} , ker_{pad} denote the padded p_inp and padded p_ker shapes, respectively.

 K_H, K_W, I_C denote kernel_height, kernel_width, and input_channels, respectively.

b denotes the bias shape.

```
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_std_getsize
(WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height,
                               WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 y_padding,
WORD32 kernel_width,
                            WORD32 input_precision);
WORD32 out_height,
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_std_16x16
                       WORD16 * p_inp,
(WORD16 * p_out,
                                                             WORD16 * p_ker,
                       WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width,
WORD16 * p_bias,
WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 kernel_width ,
WORD32 out_channels, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 acc_shift,
WORD32 out_data_format, VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_std_8x16
(WORD16 * p_out, WORD16 * p_inp,
                                                          WORD8 * p_ker,
                       WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width,
WORD16 * p_bias,
WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 kernel_width,
WORD32 out_channels, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 acc_shift,
WORD32 out_data_format, VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_std_8x8
(WORD8 * p_out, WORD8 * p_inp, WORD8 * p_ker,
WORD8 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width,
WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 kernel_width,
WORD32 out_channels, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 acc_shift,
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_std_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out, const FLOAT32 * p_inp, const FLOAT32 * p_ker,
const FLOAT32 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width,
WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 kernel_width,
WORD32 out_channels, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 out_data_format, VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_std_asym8uxasym8u
(UWORD8 * p_out, const UWORD8 * p_inp, const UWORD8 * p_ker,
const WORD32 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width,
WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 kernel_width, WORD32 out_channels, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 input_zero_bias, WORD32 kernel_zero_bias,
```



```
WORD32 out_multiplier, WORD32 out_shift, WORD32 out_zero_bias, WORD32 out_data_format, VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_std_per_chan_sym8sxasym8s

(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_inp, const WORD8 * p_ker, const WORD32 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 kernel_width, WORD32 out_channels, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 input_zero_bias, WORD32 * p_out_multiplier, WORD32 * p_out_shift, WORD32 out_zero_bias, WORD32 out_data_format, VOID * p_scratch);
```

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, const FLOAT32 *, const UWORD8 *, const WORD8 *	p_inp	input_height* input width* input_channels	Input cube, fixed, floating point, asym8u or asym8s, in SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, const FLOAT32 *, const UWORD8 * const WORD8 *	p_ker	<pre>out_channels* (kernel_height * kernel width* input_channels)</pre>	Kernel cube, fixed, floating point, asym8u or sym8s, in SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *, const WORD32 *	p_bias	out_channels	Bias vector, fixed or floating point
WORD32	input_height		Input height
WORD32	input_width		Input width
WORD32	input_channels		Number of input channels
WORD32	kernel_height		Kernel height
WORD32	kernel_width		Kernel width
WORD32	out_channels		Number of output channels
WORD32	x_stride		Horizontal stride over input
WORD32	y_stride		Vertical stride over input
WORD32	x_padding		Left padding width on input
WORD32	y_padding		Top padding height on input
WORD32	out_height		Output height
WORD32	out_width		Output width
WORD32	bias_shift		Shift applied to bias
WORD32	acc_shift		Shift applied to accumulator



WORD32	input_zero_bias		Zero offset of input
WORD32	kernel_zero_bia s		Zero offset of kernel
WORD32	out_multiplier		Multiplier value of output
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value of output
WORD32	out_zero_bias		Zero offset of output
WORD32	out_data_format		Output data format
			0:SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T
			1:SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T
VOID *	p_scratch	xa_nn_conv2d_s	Scratch memory pointer
		td_getsize()	
Output			
WORD16 *,	p_out	(out_height*	Output cube, fixed,
WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *,		out_width)*	floating point, asym8u or
UWORD8 *		out_channels	asym8s, as per the
			out_data_format
			argument.

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Arguments	Restrictions
<pre>p_out, p_inp, p_ker, p_bias,</pre>	Cannot be NULL
p_scratch	Should not overlap
	Aligned on 16-byte boundary except for quantized
	8-bit kernels where only p_scratch is required to be
	16-byte aligned.
	For p_scratch - memory size >= size returned by
	xa_nn_conv2d_std_getsize()
<pre>input_height, input_width,</pre>	Greater than or equal to 1
input_channels	
kernel_height	{1, 2,, input_height}
kernel_width	{1, 2,, input_width}
out_channels	Greater than or equal to 1
x_stride	{1, 2,, kernel_width}
y_stride	Greater than or equal to 1
x_padding, y_padding	Greater than or equal to 0
out_height, out_width	Greater than or equal to 1
acc_shift, bias_shift,	{-31 31} for fixed point and quantized 8-bit APIs
out_shift	(055 0) (0 1 1 (105 100) (
input_zero_bias	{-255,, 0} for asym8u input, {-127, 128} for
	asym8s input
kernel_zero_bias	{-255, 0} for asym8u kernel
out_zero_bias	{0,,255} for asym8u output, {-128, 127} for
	asym8s output
out_multiplier	Greater than 0



out_data_format	Can be 0: SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T or
	1: SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T

3.2.2 Standard 2D Convolution Kernel with Dilation

Description

These kernels perform the dilated 2D convolution operation as $z=\inf(*) \text{ kernel} + \text{bias. A 3D}$ input cube (input_height x input_width x input_channels), is convolved with a 3D dilated kernel cube to produce a 2D convolution output plane (out_height x out_width). With out_channels number of such 3D kernels, output cube (out_height x out_width x out_channels) is produced. Before convolution, the 3D kernel cube (kernel_height x kernel_width x input_channels) is dilated by skipping dilation_height-1 elements in height dimension and dilation_width-1 elements in width dimension with, dilation_height>=1 and/or dilation_width>=1. Post dilation, the kernel cube is of size kernel_height_dilation = kernel_height + (kernel_height-1) * (dilation_height-1) in height dimension and kernel_width_dilation = kernel_width + (kernel_width-1) * (dilation_width-1) in width dimension. The bias having dimension (out_channels) is added after the convolution (one bias value is added to each output channel) to produce the final output.

Note: The depth or channels dimension (input_channels) of input and kernel must be identical for 2D convolution.

bias_shift and acc_shift arguments are provided in kernel API to adjust Q format of bias and output, respectively. Both bias_shift and acc_shift can be either positive or negative where positive value denotes a left shift and negative value denotes a right shift.

bias_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the bias to make it in the same Q format as convolution - accumulation result. acc_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the accumulator to obtain the output in desired Q format.

The x_stride and y_stride arguments in kernel API define the step size of the kernel when traversing the input in width and height dimensions respectively. Presently, stride feature is not supported and so, stride values equal to 1 only to be used.

The $x_{padding}$ argument defines padding to the left of the input in the width dimension and the $y_{padding}$ argument defines padding to the top of the input in the height dimension.

```
The right padding is calculated based on out_width as right_paddding = kernel_width dilation + (out_width - 1) * x_stride - (x_padding + input_width).
```

The bottom padding is calculated based on out_height as bottom_paddding = kernel_height_dilation + (out_height - 1) * y_stride - (y_padding + input_height).

For conversion from higher precision accumulator to lower precision output, symmetric rounding is used.



These kernels require temporary buffer for convolution computation. This temporary buffer is provided by p_scratch argument of kernel API. The size of temporary buffer should be queried using xa nn dilated conv2d std getsize() helper API.

These kernels expect input and kernel cubes in SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T shape type and can produce output cube in either SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T or SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T shape type. The out_data_format argument to kernel API controls the output cube shape type.

Precision

Туре	Description
per_chan_sym8sxasym8s	per channel quantized sym8s kernel, asym8s input, asym8s
	output

Algorithm

$$\begin{split} &Z_{h,w,d}\\ &=2^{acc\text{-}shift}\left(\sum_{i=0}^{K_H-1}\sum_{j=0}^{K_W-1}\sum_{k=0}^{I_C-1}in_{pad}{}_{(h*y_stride+i*dilation_height),(w*x_stride+j*dilation_width),k}\right.\\ &\cdot ker_{d,i,j,k}\,+2^{bias\text{-}shift}\,b_d\right)\\ &h=0,\ldots,\overline{out\text{-}height-1},w=0,\ldots,\overline{out\text{-}width-1},\\ &d=0,\ldots,\overline{out\text{-}channels-1} \end{split}$$

 in_{pad} , ker denote the padded p_inp and kernel p_ker shapes, respectively.

 K_H , K_W , I_C denote kernel_height, kernel_width, and input_channels, respectively.

b denotes the bias shape.

```
WORD32 xa_nn_dilated_conv2d_std_getsize

(WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_channels,WORD32 kernel_height,
WORD32 kernel_width, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 y_padding,
WORD32 out_height, WORD32 input_precision, WORD32 dilation_height);

WORD32 xa_nn_dilated_conv2d_std_per_chan_sym8sxasym8s

(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_inp, const WORD8 * p_ker,
const WORD32 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width,
WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 kernel_width,
WORD32 out_channels, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride,
WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height,
WORD32 out_width, WORD32 input_zero_bias,WORD32 v_pout_multiplier,
WORD32 * p_out_shift, WORD32 dilation_height, WORD32 dilation_width);
```



Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, const FLOAT32 *, const UWORD8 *, const	p_inp	<pre>input_height* input width* input_channels</pre>	Input cube, fixed, floating point, asym8u or asym8s, in SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, const FLOAT32 *, const UWORD8 * const WORD8 *	p_ker	<pre>out_channels* (kernel_height * kernel width* input_channels)</pre>	Kernel cube, fixed, floating point, asym8u or sym8s, in SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *, const WORD32 *	p_bias	out_channels	Bias vector, fixed or floating point
WORD32	input_height		Input height
WORD32	input_width		Input width
WORD32	input_channels		Number of input channels
WORD32	kernel_height		Kernel height
WORD32	kernel_width		Kernel width
WORD32	out_channels		Number of output channels
WORD32	x_stride		Horizontal stride over input
WORD32	y_stride		Vertical stride over input
WORD32	x_padding		Left padding width on input
WORD32	y_padding		Top padding height on input
WORD32	out_height		Output height
WORD32	out_width		Output width
WORD32	bias_shift		Shift applied to bias
WORD32	acc_shift		Shift applied to accumulator
WORD32	input_zero_bias		Zero offset of input
WORD32	kernel_zero_bia s		Zero offset of kernel
WORD32	out_multiplier		Multiplier value of output
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value of output
WORD32	out_zero_bias		Zero offset of output
WORD32	out_data_format		Output data format 0:SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T 1:SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T
VOID *	p_scratch	<pre>xa_nn_dilated_ conv2d_std_get size()</pre>	Scratch memory pointer
WORD32	dilation_height		Kernel height dilation factor



WORD32	dilation_width		Kernel width dilation factor
Output			
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *, UWORD8 *	p_out	<pre>(out_height* out_width)* out_channels</pre>	Output cube, fixed, floating point, asym8u or asym8s, as per the
			out_data_format argument.

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Arguments	Restrictions
<pre>p_out, p_inp, p_ker, p_bias,</pre>	Cannot be NULL
p_scratch	Should not overlap
	Aligned on 16-byte boundary except for quantized
	8-bit kernels where only p_scratch is required to be
	16-byte aligned.
	For p_scratch - memory size >= size returned by
	xa_nn_conv2d_std_getsize()
input_height, input_width,	Greater than or equal to 1
input_channels	·
kernel_height	{1, 2,, input_height}
kernel_width	{1, 2,, input_width}
out_channels	Greater than or equal to 1
x_stride	Equal to 1
y_stride	Equal to 1
x_padding, y_padding	Greater than or equal to 0
dilation_height,	Greater than or equal to 1
dilation_width out_height, out_width	Greater than or equal to 1
<pre>acc_shift, bias_shift, out shift</pre>	{-31 31} for fixed point and quantized 8-bit APIs
input_zero_bias	{-255,, 0} for asym8u input, {-127, 128} for
	asym8s input
kernel_zero_bias	{-255, 0} for asym8u kernel
out_zero_bias	{0,,255} for asym8u output, {-128, 127} for
	asym8s output
out_multiplier	Greater than 0
out_data_format	Can be 0: SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T or
	1: SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T



3.2.3 Standard 1D Convolution Kernel

Description

These kernels perform the 1D convolution operation as z = inp(*) kernel + bias. A 3D input cube (input_height x input_width x input_channels) is convolved with a 3D kernel cube (kernel_height x input_width x input_channels) to produce a 1D convolution output vector (out_height). With out_channels number of such 3D kernels, output matrix (out_height x out_channels) is produced. The bias having dimension (out_channels) is added after the convolution (one bias value is added to each output column) to produce the final output.

Note: The depth or channels dimension (input_channels) of input and kernel must be identical, and width dimension (input width) of input and kernel also must be identical for 1D convolution.

bias_shift and acc_shift arguments are provided in kernel API to adjust Q format of bias and output, respectively. Both bias_shift and acc_shift can be either positive or negative, where positive value denotes a left shift and negative value denotes a right shift.

bias_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the bias to make it in the same Q format as convolution - accumulation result. acc_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the accumulator to obtain the output in desired Q format.

Note: acc_shift and bias_shift are not relevant in case of floating point kernels.

The y_stride argument to kernel API defines the step size of the kernel when traversing the input in height dimension.

The y_padding argument defines padding to the top of the input in the height dimension.

The bottom padding is calculated based on out_height as bottom_paddding = kernel_height + (out_height - 1) * y_stride - (y_padding + input_height).

For conversion from higher precision accumulator to lower precision output, symmetric rounding is used.

The kernel is expected to be padded if the product input_channels*input_width is not a multiple of 4 in case of fixed point variants, and 2 in case of floating point variant.

These kernels require temporary buffer for convolution computation. This temporary buffer is provided by p_scratch argument of kernel API. The size of temporary buffer should be queried using xa_nn_convld_std_getsize() helper API.

These kernels expect input and kernel cubes in SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T shape type and can produce output matrix with either (out_height x out_channels) or (out_channels x out_height) dimensions. The out_data_format argument to kernel API controls the output matrix height and width order.

Function variants available are xa_nn_conv1d_std_[p], where:

■ [p]: precision in bits



Precision

There are four variants available:

Туре	Description
16x16	16-bit kernel, 16-bit input, 16-bit output
8x16	8-bit kernel, 16-bit input, 16-bit output
8x8	8-bit kernel, 8-bit input, 8-bit output
f32	float32 kernel, float32 input, float32 output

Algorithm

$$\begin{split} z_{h,d} &= 2^{acc\text{-}shift} \left(\sum_{i=0}^{K_H-1} \sum_{j=0}^{I_W-1} \sum_{k=0}^{I_C-1} in_{pad}_{(h*y\text{-}stride+i),j,k} \cdot ker_{pad}_{d,i,j,k} \right. \\ &+ 2^{bias\text{-}shift} b_d \\ h &= 0, \dots, \overline{out\text{-}height-1}, d = 0, \dots, \overline{out\text{-}channels-1} \end{split}$$

In case of floating point kernel, acc_shift=0 and bias_shift=0.

Thus,
$$2^{acc\text{-}shift} = 2^{bias\text{-}shift} = 1$$

 n_{pad} , ker_{pad} denote the padded p_inp and padded p_ker shapes, respectively.

 K_H , I_W , I_C denote kernel_height, input_width, and input_channels, respectively.

b denotes the bias shape.

```
WORD32 xa_nn_convld_std_getsize
(WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels,
WORD32 input_precision);

WORD32 xa_nn_convld_std_16x16
(WORD16 * p_out, WORD16 * p_inp, WORD32 input_width,
WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width,
WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 out_channels,
WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height,
WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 out_data_format,
VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_convld_std_8x16
(WORD16 * p_out, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width,
WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 input_width,
WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 out_channels,
WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height,
WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 out_data_format,
VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_convld_std_8x8
(WORD8 * p_out, WORD8 * p_inp, WORD8 * p_ker,
```



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WORD38 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 out_channels, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 out_data_format, VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_convld_std_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out, FLOAT32 * p_inp, FLOAT32 * p_ker, FLOAT32 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_data_format, VOID * p_scratch);
```

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input	•		•
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *,	p_inp	<pre>input_height* input width* input_channels</pre>	Input cube, fixed or floating point, in SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *,	p_ker	<pre>out_channels* (kernel_height* input width* input_channels)</pre>	Kernel cube, fixed or floating point, in SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *,	p_bias	out_channels	Bias vector, fixed or floating point
WORD32	input_height		Input height
WORD32	input_width		Input width
WORD32	input_channels		Number of input channels
WORD32	kernel_height		Kernel height
WORD32	out_channels		Number of output channels
WORD32	y_stride		Vertical stride over input
WORD32	y_padding		Top padding height on input
WORD32	out_height		Output height
WORD32	bias_shift		Shift applied to bias
WORD32	acc_shift		Shift applied to accumulator
WORD32	out_data_format		Output matrix order 0: out_height x out_channels 1: out_channels x out_height
VOID *	p_scratch	xa_nn_conv1d_st d_getsize()	Scratch memory pointer
Output	•	•	•
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *,	p_out	out_height* out_channels	Output matrix, fixed or floating point, as per the out_data_format argument.



- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters



Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions
p_out, p_inp, p_ker,	Cannot be NULL
p_bias, p_scratch	Should not overlap
	Aligned on 16-byte boundary
	For p_scratch - memory size >= size
	returned by
	xa_nn_conv1d_std_getsize()
input_height,	Greater than or equal to 1
input_width,	
input_channels	
kernel_height	{1, 2,, input_height}
out_channels	Greater than or equal to 1
y_stride	{1, 2,, kernel_height}
y_padding	Greater than or equal to 0
out_height	Greater than or equal to 1
acc_shift, bias_shift	{-31 31} for fixed point APIs
out_data_format	Can be 0: out_height x
	out_channels or
	1:out_channels x out_height

3.2.4Depthwise Separable 2D Convolution Kernel

Depthwise Separable 2D Convolution is computed in two steps using following two low level kernels:

First step: xa_nn_conv2d_depthwise_xx() low level kernel

These kernels convolve each input 2D plane (input_height x input_width) from input cube (input_height x input_width x input_channels) with channels_multiplier number of 2D kernels (kernel_height x kernel_width) to produce channels_multiplier number of 2D output planes (out_height x out_width). Thus, with kernel cube of dimension (kernel_height x kernel_width x (channels_multiplier * input_channels)), output cube of dimension (out_height x out_width x (channels_multiplier * input_channels)) is produced. Bias is added to the convolution output. There is one bias value for each output 2D plane; that is, bias is a vector of dimension (channels_multiplier * input_channels).

Second step: xa_nn_conv2d_pointwise_xx()low level kernel

These kernels take output cube (out_height x out_width x (channels_multiplier * input_channels)) of first step as input and perform pointwise multiplication with kernel vector (channels_multiplier * input_channels) in depth dimension to produce output 2D plane (out_height x out_width). Thus, with out_channels kernel vectors, output cube of dimension (out_height x out_width x out_channels) is produced. Bias is added to the pointwise multiplication output. There is one bias value for each output 2D plane; that is, bias is a vector of dimension out_channels.



Following are the descriptions for these two low level kernels.

3.2.4.1 Depthwise 2D Convolution Kernel

Description

These kernels perform the 2D depthwise convolution operation as $z=\inf(*)$ kernel + bias. These kernels convolve each input 2D plane (input_height x input_width) from input cube (input_height x input_width x input_channels) with channels_multiplier number of 2D kernels (kernel_height x kernel_width) to produce channels_multiplier number of 2D output planes (out_height x out_width). Thus, with kernel cube of dimension (kernel_height x kernel_width x (channels_multiplier * input_channels)), output cube of dimension (out_height x out_width x (channels_multiplier * input_channels)) is produced. Bias is added to the convolution output. There is one bias value for each output 2D plane; that is, bias is a vector of dimension (channels_multiplier * input_channels).

bias_shift and acc_shift arguments are provided in kernel API to adjust Q format of bias and output respectively. Both bias_shift and acc_shift can be either positive or negative where positive value denotes a left shift and negative value denotes a right shift.

bias_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the bias to make it in the same Q format as convolution - accumulation result. acc_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the accumulator to obtain the output in desired Q format.

Note: acc_shift and bias_shift are not relevant in case of floating point kernels and quantized 8-bit kernels.

The x_stride and y_stride arguments in kernel API define the step size of the kernel when traversing the input in width and height dimensions, respectively.

The x_padding argument defines padding to the left of the input in the width dimension, and y_padding argument defines padding to the top of the input in the height dimension.

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The right padding is calculated based on out_width as right_paddding = kernel_width + (out_width - 1) * x_stride - (x_padding + input_width).
```

The bottom padding is calculated based on out_height as bottom_paddding = kernel_height + (out_height - 1) * y_stride - (y_padding + input_height).

For conversion from higher precision accumulator to lower precision output, symmetric rounding is used.

These kernels require a temporary buffer for convolution computation. This temporary buffer is provided by the p_scratch argument of kernel API. The size of temporary buffer should be queried using xa_nn_conv2d_depthwise_getsize() helper API.

The arguments input_zero_bias, kernel_zero_bias are provided to convert the quantized 8-bit inputs into their real values and perform Depthwise 2D Convolution operation. The out_zero_bias, out multiplier and out shift values are used to quantize real values of output back to 8-bit.



The depthwise kernels expect input cube in SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T and SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T shape type and produce output cube in SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T shape type respectively. The inp data format argument to the kernel API can be 0 or 1 to indicate input cube shape respectively.

The out_data_format argument to the kernel API must be 0 for all the kernels to indicate output cube shape.

Function variants available are xa_nn_conv2d_depthwise_[p], where:

■ [p]: precision in bits

Precision

There are six variants available:

Туре	Description
16x16	16-bit kernel, 16-bit input, 16-bit output
8x16	8-bit kernel, 16-bit input, 16-bit output
8x8	8-bit kernel, 8-bit input, 8-bit output
f32	float32 kernel, float32 input, float32 output
asym8uxasym8u	asym8u kernel, asym8u input, asym8u output
per_chan_sym8sxasym8s	per channel quantized sym8s kernel, asym8s input, asym8s
	output

Algorithm

$$\begin{split} z_{h,w,d*C_M+m} &= 2^{acc\text{-}shift} \, \left(\sum_{i=0}^{K_H-1} \sum_{j=0}^{K_W-1} in_{pad}_{(h*y\text{-}stride+i),(w*x\text{-}stride+j),d} \right. \\ & \cdot \, ker_{pad}_{i,j,(d*C_M+m)} \, + 2^{bias\text{-}shift} \, b_{0,0,d*C_M+m} \, \right) \\ h &= 0, \dots, \overline{out\text{-}height-1}, w = 0, \dots, \overline{out\text{-}width-1} \, , \\ d &= 0, \dots, \overline{input\text{-}channels-1}, \\ m &= 0, \dots, \overline{channels\text{-}multiplier-1} \end{split}$$

In case of floating-point kernel and quantized 8-bit kernels, acc_shift=0 and bias_shift=0.

Thus,
$$2^{acc\text{-}shift} = 2^{bias\text{-}shift} = 1$$

 in_{nad} , ker_{nad} denote the padded p_inp and padded p_ker shapes, respectively.

 K_H , K_W , C_M denote kernel_height, kernel_width, and channels_multiplier, respectively.

b denotes the bias shape.

```
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_depthwise_getsize
(WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width WORD32 input_channels,
WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 kernel_width, WORD32 channels_multiplier,
```



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WORD32 x stride,
                                          WORD32 y_stride,
                                                                               WORD32 x padding,
 WORD32 y_padding,
                                          WORD32 output height,
                                                                               WORD32 output width,
 WORD32 circ buf precision, WORD32 inp_data_format);
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_depthwise_16x16
(WORD16 * p_out, WORD16 * p_ker, WORD16 * p_inp,
 WORD16 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 kernel_width,
 {\tt WORD32~channels\_multiplier, WORD32~x\_stride,} \qquad {\tt WORD32~y\_stride,}
 WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift,
 WORD32 inp_data_format, WORD32 out_data_format, VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_depthwise_8x16
(WORD16 * p_out, WORD8 * p_ker, WORD16 * p_inp, WORD16 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 kernel_width,
 WORD32 channels_multiplier, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride,
 WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift,
 WORD32 inp_data_format, WORD32 out_data_format, VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_depthwise_8x8
(WORD8 * p_out, WORD8 * p_ker, WORD8 * p_inp,
WORD8 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width,
WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 kernel_width,
WORD32 channels_multiplier, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift,
 WORD32 inp_data_format, WORD32 out_data_format, VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_depthwise_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out, const FLOAT32 * p_ker, const FLOAT32 * p_inp,
 const FLOAT32 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width,
 WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 kernel_width,
 WORD32 channels_multiplier, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height,
VOID * p_scratch);
 WORD32 out_width,
                                      WORD32 inp_data_format, WORD32 out_data_format,
WORD32 xa nn conv2d depthwise asym8uxasym8u
(pUWORD8 p_out, const UWORD8 * p_kernel, const UWORD8 * p_inp, const WORD32 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel height, WORD32 kernel width,
(pUWORD8 p out,
WORD32 channels_multiplier, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 input_zero_bias, WORD32 kernel_zero_bias,
 WORD32 out_multiplier, WORD32 out_shift, WORD32 out_zero_bias, WORD32 inp_data_format, WORD32 out_data_format, pVOID p_scratch);
WORD32 xa nn conv2d depthwise per chan sym8sxasym8s
(pWORD8 pout, const WORD8 * p_kernel, const WORD8 * p_inp, const WORD32 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 channels_multiplier, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 v_padding, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 input_zero_bias, const WORD32 * p_out_multiplier, const WORD32 * p_out_multiplier, const WORD32 * p_out_shift WORD32 out_rero_bias, word32 input_shift WORD32 out_rero_bias, word32 input_shift WORD32 out_rero_bias.
 const WORD32 * p_out_shift,WORD32 out_zero_bias,
                                                                                 WORD32 inp_data_format,
 WORD32 out data format, pVOID p scratch);
```

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			



Туре	Name	Size	Description
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *, const UWORD8 *, const WORD8 *	p_ker	kernel_height* kernel width* input_channels* channels_multiplier	Kernel cube, fixed, floating point, asym8u or sym8s, in SHAPE_CUBE_D WH or SHAPE_CUBE_W HD_T
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *, const UWORD8 *, const WORD8 *	p_inp	input_height* input width* input_channels	Input cube, fixed, floating point, asym8u or asym8s in SHAPE_CUBE_D WH or SHAPE_CUBE_W HD_T
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *, const WORD32 *	p_bias	input_channels*chann els_multiplier	Bias vector, fixed or floating point
WORD32	input_height		Input height
WORD32	input_width		Input width
WORD32	input_channels		Number of input channels
WORD32	kernel_height		Kernel height
WORD32	kernel_width		Kernel width
WORD32	channels_multipl ier		Multiplier value for each input channel
WORD32	x_stride		Horizontal stride over input
WORD32	y_stride		Vertical stride over input
WORD32	x_padding		Left padding width on input
WORD32	y_padding		Right padding height on input
WORD32	out_height		Output height
WORD32	out_width		Output width
WORD32	acc_shift		Shift applied to accumulator
WORD32	bias_shift		Shift applied to bias
WORD32	input_zero_bias		Zero offset of input
WORD32	kernel_zero_bias		Zero offset of kernel
WORD32	out_multiplier		Multiplier value of output
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value of output
WORD32 *	p_out_multiplier	input_channels*chann els_multiplier	Array of multiplier values of output



Туре	Name	Size	Description
WORD32 *	p_out_shift	input_channels*chann els_multiplier	Array of shift values of output
WORD32	out_zero_bias		Zero offset of output
WORD32	inp_data_format		Input and Kernel data format 0:SHAPE_CUBE_ DWH_T 1:SHAPE_CUBE_ WHD_T
WORD32	out_data_format		Output data format 0:SHAPE_CUBE_ DWH_T
VOID *	p_scratch	<pre>xa_nn_conv2d_depthwi se_getsize()</pre>	Scratch memory pointer
Output			
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, UWORD8 * FLOAT32 *,	p_out	out_height* out width* input_channels* channels_multiplier	Output cube, fixed, floating point, asym8u or asym8s, in SHAPE_CUBE_D WH_T

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Arguments	Restrictions
p_out, p_ker, p_inp, p_bias,	Cannot be NULL
	Should not overlap
	Aligned on <size element="" of="" one=""> boundary</size>
p_scratch	Cannot be NULL
	Should not overlap with other buffers
	Aligned on 16-byte boundary
	For p_scratch - memory size >= size
	returned by
	xa_nn_conv2d_depthwise_getsize(
)
p_out_multiplier	Cannot be NULL
	Should not overlap
	Aligned on 4-byte boundry
p_out_shift	Cannot be NULL
	Should not overlap
	Aligned on 4-byte boundry
	Each 32-bit value should be in range [-31 31]



<pre>input_height, input_width, input_channels</pre>	Greater than or equal to 1	
kernel_height	{1,2,, input_height}	
kernel_width	{1,2,, input_width}	
channels_multiplier	Greater than or equal to 1	
x_stride	{1,2,, kernel_width}	
y_stride	{1,2,, kernel_height}	
x_padding, y_padding	Greater than or equal to 0	
out_height, out_width	Greater than or equal to 1	
<pre>acc_shift,bias_shift, out shift</pre>	{-31 31} for fixed point and quantized 8-bit APIs	
input_zero_bias	{-255,, 0} for asym8u input, {-127, 128} for asym8s input	
kernel_zero_bias	{-255, 0} for asym8u kernel	
out_zero_bias	{0,,255} for asym8u output, {-128, 127} for asym8s output	
out_multiplier	Greater than 0	
inp_data_format	can be 0: SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T or 1: SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T	
out_data_format	must be 0: SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T	

3.2.4.2 Pointwise 2D Convolution Kernel

Description

These kernels perform pointwise multiplication of input cube (input_height \times input_width \times input_channels) with kernel vector (input_channels) in depth dimension to produce output 2D plane (input_height \times input_width). Thus, with out_channels kernel vectors, output cube of dimension (input_height \times input_width \times out_channels) is produced. Bias is added to the pointwise multiplication output. There is one bias value for each output 2D plane; that is, bias is a vector of dimension out_channels.

The bias_shift and acc_shift arguments are provided in kernel API to adjust Q format of bias and output respectively. Both bias_shift and acc_shift can be either positive or negative, where positive value denotes a left shift and negative value denotes a right shift.

bias_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the bias to make it in the same Q format as convolution - accumulation result. acc_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the accumulator to obtain the output in desired Q format.

Note: acc_shift and bias_shift are not relevant in case of floating point kernels and quantized 8-bit kernels.

For conversion from higher precision accumulator to lower precision output, symmetric rounding is used.

These kernels expect input cube in SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T shape type, kernel as matrix, bias as vector and produce output cube in SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T or SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T (only for 8x8, asym8uxasym8u and per_chan_sym8sxasym8s kernels) shape type. The out_data_format argument



to kernel API must be always 1 except for 8x8 and quantized 8-bit kernels for which it can be 0 or 1 indicating SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T and SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T respectively.

Function variants available are xa_nn_conv2d_pointwise_[p], where:

[p]: precision in bits

Precision

There are six variants available:

Туре	Description	
16x16	16-bit kernel, 16-bit input, 16-bit output	
8x16	8-bit kernel, 16-bit input, 16-bit output	
8x8	8-bit kernel, 8-bit input, 8-bit output	
f32	float32 kernel, float32 input, float32 output	
asym8uxasym8u	asym8u kernel, asym8u input, asym8u output	
per_chan_sym8sxasym8s per channel quantized sym8s kernel, asym8s input, a		
	output	

Algorithm

$$\begin{split} z_{h,w,d} &= 2^{acc\text{-}shift} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{I_{C}-1} in_{h,w,k} \cdot ker_{d,0,0,k} + 2^{bias\text{-}shift} \, b_{0,0,d} \right) \\ h &= 0, \dots \overline{input\text{-}height-1}, w = 0, \dots \overline{input\text{-}width-1}, \\ d &= 0, \dots \overline{out_{channels}-1} \end{split}$$

In case of floating-point kernel and quantized 8-bit kernels, acc_shift=0 and bias_shift=0. Thus, $2^{acc\text{-}shift}=2^{bias\text{-}shift}=1$

in, ker denote the p_inp, and p_ker shapes respectively.

 I_{C} denotes input_channels

b denotes the bias shape

```
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_pointwise_16x16

(WORD16 * p_out, WORD16 * p_ker, WORD16 * _inp, WORD16 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 out_channels, WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 out_data_format);

WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_pointwise_8x16

(WORD16 * p_out, WORD8 * p_ker, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 out_channels, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 bias_shift, WORD32 out_data_format);

WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_pointwise_8x8

(WORD8 * p_out, WORD8 * p_ker, WORD8 * p_inp, WORD8 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD8 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width,
```



```
WORD32 out_channels,
                                                            WORD32 acc_shift,
WORD32 input_channels,
WORD32 bias_shift,
                             WORD32 out_data_format);
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_pointwise_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out, const FLOAT32 * p_ker, const FLOAT32 * p_inp,
const FLOAT32 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width,
WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 out_channels,
WORD32 out_data_format);
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_pointwise_asym8uxasym8u
(UWORD8 * p_out, const UWORD8 * p_ker, const UWORD8 * p_inp, WORD32 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 out_channels, WORD32 input_zero_bias,
(UWORD8 * p_out,
WORD32 kernel zero bias, WORD32 out multiplier, WORD32 out shift,
WORD32 out zero bias, WORD32 out_data_format);
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_pointwise_asym8uxasym8u
(UWORD8 * p_out, const UWORD8 * p_ker, const UWORD8 * p_inp,
const WORD32 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width,
WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 out_channels, WORD32 input_zero_bias, WORD32 out_multiplier, WORD32 out_shift,
WORD32 out zero bias, WORD32 out_data_format);
WORD32 xa_nn_conv2d_pointwise_per chan sym8sxasym8s
                     const WORD8 * p_ker, const WORD8 * p_inp,
(WORD8 * p_out,
const WORD32 * p_bias, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 out_channels, WORD32 input_zero_bia
WORD32 * p_out_multiplier, WORD32 * p_out_shift, WORD32 out_zero_bias,
                                                           WORD32 input zero bias,
WORD32 out_data_format);
```

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, const FLOAT32 *, const UWORD8 *, const WORD8 *	p_ker	out_channels * input_channels	Kernel matrix, fixed, floating point, asym8u or asym8s, (out_channels x input_channels)
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, const FLOAT32 *, const UWORD8 *, const WORD8 *	p_inp	<pre>input_height* input width* input_channels</pre>	Input cube, fixed or floating point, asym8u or sym8s, in SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *, const WORD32 *	p_bias	out_channels	Bias vector, fixed or floating point
WORD32	input_height		Input height
WORD32	input_width		Input width
WORD32	input_channels		Number of input channels
WORD32	out_channels		Number of output channels
WORD32	acc_shift		Shift applied to accumulator
WORD32	bias_shift		Shift applied to bias
WORD32	input_zero_bias		Zero offset of input



WORD32	kernel_zero_bias		Zero offset of kernel
WORD32	out_multiplier		Multiplier value of output
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value of output
WORD32	out_zero_bias		Zero offset of output
WORD32	out_data_format		Output data format
			0:SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T
			1:SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T
Output			
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *, UWORD8 *	p_out	<pre>(out_height* out_width)* out_channels</pre>	Output cube, fixed, floating point, asym8u or asym8s, as per the out_data_format
			argument.

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Arguments	Restrictions
p_out, p_ker, p_inp, p_bias	Cannot be NULL
	Should not overlap
	Aligned on 16-byte boundary except for 8x8 and
	quantized 8-bit kernels
input_height, input_width	Greater than or equal to 1
input_channels	Greater than or equal to 4, multiple of 4 except for
	8x8 and asym8u kernels
out_channels	Greater than or equal to 1
acc_shift, bias_shift,	{-31 31} for fixed point and quantized 8-bit APIs
out_shift	
input_zero_bias	{-255,, 0} for asym8u input, {-127, 128} for
	asym8s input
kernel_zero_bias	{-255, 0} for asym8u kernel
out_zero_bias	{0,,255} for asym8u output, {-128, 127} for
	asym8s output
out_multiplier	Greater than 0
out_data_format	Can be 0: SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T or
	1: SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T for 8x8 and quantized
	8-bit kernels. Must be 1 for other kernels.

3.3 Activation Kernels

3.3.1Sigmoid

Description

These kernels perform the sigmoid operation on input vector x and give output vector as y = sigmoid(x). Both the input and output vectors have size vec_length .

The fixed-point kernels accept 32-bit input in Q6.25 format and give output in Q16.15 (32-bit), Q15 (16-bit), or Q7 (8-bit) format.

For the asym8u and asym8s kernels both the input and output are of asym8u and asym8s datatype respectively.

Function variants available are $xa_nn_vec_sigmoid_[p]_[q]$, where:

- [p]: Input precision in bits
- [q]: Output precision in bits

Precision

There are six variants available.

Туре	Description
32_32	32-bit input, 32-bit output
32_16	32-bit input, 16-bit output
32_8	32-bit input, 8-bit output
f32_f32	float32 input, float32 output
asym8uxasym8u	asym8u input, asym8u output
asym8sxasym8s	asym8s input, asym8s output

Algorithm

$$y_n = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-x_n)}$$
, $n = 0, \dots, \overline{vec\text{-length} - 1}$

```
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_sigmoid_32_32
(WORD32 * p_out, const WORD32 * p_vec,
                                                 WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_sigmoid_32_16
(WORD16 * p_out,
                        const WORD32 * p_vec,
                                                 WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_sigmoid_32_8
(WORD8 * p_out,
                         const WORD32 * p_vec,
                                                 WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_sigmoid_f32_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out,
                        const FLOAT32 * p_vec,
                                                 WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_sigmoid_asym8u_asym8u
                const UWORD8 * p vec,
(UWORD8 * p out,
                                                 WORD32 zero point,
WORD32 input range radius, WORD32 input multiplier, WORD32 input left shift,
```



Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
const WORD32 *, const UWORD8 *, const FLOAT32 *, const WORD8 *	p_vec	vec_length	Input vector, Q6.25, floating point, asym8u or asym8s
WORD32	zero_point		bias value
WORD32	input_range_radius		Range radius: For asym8u output = $((x_i - zero_point) < radius)$? sigmoid() : 255 output = $((x_i - zero_point) > (-radius))$? sigmoid() : 0 For asym8s output = $((x_i - zero_point) < radius)$? sigmoid() : 127 output = $((x_i - zero_point) > (-radius))$? sigmoid() : -128
WORD32	input_multiplier		Multiplier value of input
WORD32	input_left_shift		Left Shift value of input
WORD32	vec_length		Length of input vector
Output	<u> </u>		
WORD32 *, WORD16 *, WORD8 *, UWORD8 *, FLOAT32 *	p_out	vec_length	Output vector, fixed (Q16.15, Q15, Q7), floating point, asym8u or asym8s

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Arguments	Restrictions
p_vec, p_out	Should not overlap
	Cannot be NULL
zero_point	[0, 255] for asym8u
	[-128, 127] for asym8s
input_range_radius	[0, 255]
input_left_shift	[-31, 31]
input_multiplier	Shouldn't be less than 0.



3.3.2Tanh

Description

These kernels perform the hyperbolic tangent operation on input vector x and give output vector as $y = \tanh(x)$. Both the input and output vectors have size vec_length .

The fixed-point kernels accept 32-bit input in Q6.25 format and give output in Q16.15 (32-bit), Q15 (16-bit), or Q7 (8-bit) format.

For the asym8s kernels both the input and output are of asym8s datatype.

Function variants available are xa_nn_vec_tanh_[p]_[q], where:

- [p]: Input precision in bits
- [q]: Output precision in bits

Precision

There are five variants available:

Туре	Description	
32_32	32-bit input, 32-bit output	
32_16	32-bit input, 16-bit output	
32_8	32-bit input, 8-bit output	
f32_f32	float32 input, float32 output	
asym8sxasym8s	asym8s input, asym8s output	

Algorithm

$$y_n = \tanh(x_n)$$
, $n = 0, \dots, \overline{vec\text{-length} - 1}$

```
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_tanh_32_32
(WORD32 * p_out, const WORD32 * p_vec,
                                               WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_tanh_32_16
(WORD16 * p_out, const WORD32 * p_vec,
                                               WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_tanh_32_8
(WORD8 * p_out,
                        const WORD32 * p_vec,
                                               WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_tanh_f32_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out, const FLOAT32 * p_vec,
                                               WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_tanh_asym8s_asym8s
(WORD8 * p_out,
               const WORD8 * p vec,
                                               WORD32 zero_point,
WORD32 input range radius, WORD32 input multiplier, WORD32 input left shift,
WORD32 vec length);
```



Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
const WORD32 *, const FLOAT32 *, const WORD8 *	p_vec	vec_length	Input vector, Q6.25, floating point or asym8s
WORD32	zero_point		Bias value
WORD32	input_range_radius		Range radius: output = ((x _i - zero_point) < radius)? tanh() : 127 output = ((x _i - zero_point) > (-radius))? tanh() : -128
WORD32	input_multiplier		Multiplier value of input
WORD32	input_left_shift		Left shift value of input
WORD32	vec_length		Length of input vector
Output			
WORD32 *, WORD16 *, WORD8 *, FLOAT32 *	p_out	vec_length	Output vector, fixed (Q16.15, Q15, Q7), floating point or asym8s

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Arguments	Restrictions
p_vec, p_out	Should not overlap
	Cannot be NULL
zero_point	[-128, 127]
input_range_radius	[0, 255]
input_multiplier	Shouldn't be less than 0
vec_length	Greater than 0

3.3.3 Rectifier Linear Unit (ReLU)

Description

These kernels compute the rectifier linear unit function of input vector x and give output vector as y = relu(x). Both the input and output vectors have size vec_length .

The fixed-point routines accept 32-bit input in Q6.25 format and gives 32-bit output in Q16.15 format.

The threshold argument to relu kernel API allows to set upper threshold for proper compression of output signal and is expected in Q16.15 format. In relu1 and relu6 kernels, the thresholds are set to 1 and 6, respectively.

For the asym8u and asym8s kernels, the quantized input is requantized and applied the standard ReLU function to give the output. The threshold argument is not applicable for quantized ReLU kernels.

The standard ReLU kernels relu std can be used when the threshold is not required.

Function variants available are xa_nn_vec_relu_[p]_[q], xa_nn_vec_relu1_[p]_[q], and xa_nn_vec_relu6_[p]_[q], where:

- [p]: Input precision in bits
- [q]: Output precision in bits

Precision

There are six variants available:

Туре	Description	
32_32	32-bit input, 32-bit output	
f32_f32	float32 input, float32 output	
16_16	16-bit input, 16-bit output	
8_8	8-bit input, 8-bit output	
asym8u_asym8u	asym8u input, asym8u output	
asym8s_asym8s	asym8s input, asym8s output	

Algorithm

```
y_n = \max(0, \min(x_n, K)), \qquad n = 0, \dots, \overline{vec\text{-length} - 1}
```

K represents threshold



```
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_relu_16_16
(WORD16 * p_out,
                  const WORD16 * p_vec, WORD16 threshold,
WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_relu_8_8
(WORD8 * p_out,
                  const WORD8 * p_vec, WORD8 threshold,
WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_relu_asym8u_asym8u
(UWORD8 * p_out, const UWORD8 * p_vec,WORD32 inp_zero_bias, WORD32 out_multiplier, WORD32 out_shift, WORD32 out_zero_bias,
WORD32 quantized activation min, WORD32 quantized activation max,
WORD32 vec length);
WORD32 xa nn vec relu asym8s asym8s
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_vec, WORD32 inp_zero_bias, WORD32 out_multiplier, WORD32 out_shift, WORD32 out_zero_bias,
WORD32 quantized activation min, WORD32 quantized activation max,
WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_relu1_32_32
(WORD32 * p_out, const WORD32 * p_vec, WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_relu1_f32_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out, const FLOAT32 * p_vec, WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_relu6_32_32
(WORD32 * p_out, const WORD32 * p_vec, WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_relu6_f32_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out, const FLOAT32 * p_vec, WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_relu_std 32 32
(WORD32 * p_out, const WORD32 * p_vec, WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_relu_std_f32_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out, const FLOAT32 * p_vec, WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_relu_std_16_16
(WORD16 * p_out, const WORD16 * p_vec, WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_relu_std_8_8
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_vec, WORD32 vec_length);
```

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
const WORD32 *, const FLOAT32 *, const WORD16 *, const WORD8 *, const UWORD8 *	p_vec	vec_length	Input vector, fixed-point, floating point, asym8u or asym8s
WORD32	inp_zero_bias		Zero bias value for input vector
WORD32	out_multipler		Fixed-point multiplier value for output
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value for output
WORD32	vec_length		length of input vector
WORD32	out_zero_bias		Zero bias value for output vector
WORD32	quantized_act ivation min		Lower threshold value, quantized.
WORD32, FLOAT32	quantized_act ivation_max		Upper threshold value, quantized
WORD32 FLOAT32 WORD16 WORD8	threshold		threshold, fixed or floating point



Output			
WORD32 *, FLOAT32 *, WORD16 *, WORD8 *, UWORD8 *	p_out	vec_length	Output vector, fixed-point, floating point, asym8u or asym8s

0: no error

-1: error, invalid parameters

Arguments	Restrictions
p_vec, p_out	Should not overlap
	Cannot be NULL
inp_zero_bias,	{0,,255} for asym8u, {-128, 127} for asym8s
out_zero_bias	input
out_multiplier	Shouldn't be less than 0.
out_shift	{-31,, 31}
quantized_activation_min	{0,,255} for asym8u output, {-128, 127} for
quantized_activation_max	asym8s output
	quantized_activation_min < quantized_activation_max

3.3.4Softmax

Description

These kernels compute the softmax (normalized exponential function) of input vector x and give output vector as y = softmax(x). Both the input and output vectors have size vec_length .

The fixed-point kernels accept 32-bit input in Q6.25 format and give 32-bit output in Q16.15 format.

For the asym8u kernels, both the input and output are of the same precision and for asym8s kernels, the input is asym8s and the output precision can be asym8s or 16-bit.

Function variants available are xa_nn_vec_softmax_[p]_[q], where:

- [p]: Input precision in bits
- [q]: Output precision in bits

Precision

There are five variants available:

Туре	Description	
32_32	32-bit input, 32-bit output	
f32_f32	float32 input, float32 output	
asym8u_asym8u	asym8u input, asym8u output	
asym8s_asym8s	asym8s input, asym8s output	
asym8s_16	asym8s input, 16-bit output	

Algorithm

$$y_n = \frac{\exp(x_n)}{\sum_k \exp(x_k)}, \quad n = 0, \dots, \overline{vec\text{-length} - 1}$$

```
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_softmax_32_32

(WORD32 * p_out, const WORD32 * p_vec, WORD32 vec_length);

WORD32 xa_nn_vec_softmax_f32_f32

(FLOAT32 * p_out, const FLOAT32 * p_vec, WORD32 vec_length);

WORD32 xa_nn_vec_softmax_asym8u_asym8u

(UWORD8 * p_out, const UWORD8 * p_vec, WORD32 diffmin,

WORD32 input_left_shift, WORD32 input_multiplier,

WORD32 vec_length, pVOID p_scratch);

WORD32 xa_nn_vec_softmax_asym8s_asym8s

(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_vec, WORD32 diffmin,

WORD32 input_left_shift, WORD32 input_multiplier,

WORD32 vec_length, pVOID p_scratch);

WORD32 vec_length, pVOID p_scratch);

WORD32 xa_nn_vec_softmax_asym8s_16

(WORD16 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_vec, WORD32 diffmin,

WORD32 input_left_shift, WORD32 input_multiplier,

WORD32 vec_length, pVOID p_scratch);
```



Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
WORD32 *, FLOAT32 *, const UWORD8 *, const WORD8 *	p_vec	vec_length	Input vector, Q6.25, floating point, asym8u or asym8s
WORD32	diffmin		Diffmin value: output = ((x _i – max) > diffmin) ? softmax(): 0
WORD32	input_ left_shift		left shift value of input
WORD32	input_ multiplier		multiplier value of input
WORD32	vec_length		Length of input vector
Output			
WORD32 *, FLOAT32 *, UWORD8 *, WORD8 *, WORD16 *	p_out	vec_length	Output vector, Q16.15, floating point, asym8u, asym8s or 16-bit.
Temporary			
VOID *,	p_scratch		Scratch (temporary) memory pointer

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions	
p_vec, p_out	Should not overlap	
	Cannot be NULL	
input_left_shift	[-31, 31]	
input_multiplier	Shouldn't be less than 0.	
vec_length	Greater than 0	

3.3.5 Activation Min Max

Description

These kernels compute the activation minimum and maximum value of input vector x and give output vector as y = activation min max(x). Both the input and output vectors have size num elm.

For activation min max kernels, the input precision and the output precision are same.

The activation_min and activation_max arguments to the kernel API allow to set the threshold for proper compression of the output. The kernel is a generic implementation of the ReLU function.



Function variant available is xa_nn_vec_activation min max_[p]_[q], where:

- [p]: Input precision in bits
- [q]: Output precision in bits

Precision

There are four variants available:

Туре	Description	
f32_f32	float32 input, float32 output	
asym8uxasym8u	asym8u input, asym8u output	
16_16	16-bit input, 16-bit output	
8_8	8-bit input, 8-bit output	

Algorithm

```
y_n = \max(activation\_min, \min(x_n, activation\_max)), \qquad n = 0, \dots, \overline{vec\_length-1} activation\_min \text{ represents lower threshold.}
```

activation_max represents upper threshold.

Prototype

```
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_activation_min_max_f32_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out, const FLOAT32 * p_vec, FLOAT32 activation_min, FLOAT32 activation_max, WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_activation_min_max_asym8u_asym8u
(UWORD8 * p_out, const UWORD8 * p_vec, int activation_min, int activation_max, WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_activation_min_max_16_16
(WORD16 * p_out, const WORD16 * p_vec, int activation_min, int activation_max, WORD32 vec_length);
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_activation_min_max_8_8
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_vec, int activation_min, int activation_max, WORD32 vec_length);
```

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
const UWORD8 *, const FLOAT32 *, const WORD16 *, const WORD8 *	p_vec	vec_length	Input vector, floating- point,asym8u or fixed point.
WORD32	vec_length		Length of input vector
WORD32, FLOAT32	activation_min		Lower threshold value, floating- point, asym8u or fixed point.
WORD32, FLOAT32	activation_max		Upper threshold value, floating- point, asym8u or fixed point



Output			
UWORD8 *, FLOAT32 *, WORD16 *, WORD8 *	p_out	vec_length	Output vector, floating-point, asym8u or fixed point

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions
p_vec, p_out	Aligned on (size of one element)-byte boundary
	Cannot be NULL

3.3.6Hard Swish

Description

These kernels compute the hard-swish function of input vector x and give output vector as y = hard swish(x). Both the input and output vectors have size vec_length .

The hard-swish activation function is a type of activation function based on swish but replaces the computationally expensive sigmoid function by ReLU6.

Function variants available are xa_nn_vec_hard swish_[p]_[q], where:

- [p]: Input precision in bits
- [q]: Output precision in bits

Precision

There is one variant available:

Туре	Description	
asym8s_asym8s	asym8s input, asym8s output	

Algorithm

$$y_n = x_n * [ReLU6(x_n + 3)/6], \quad n = 0, \dots, \overline{vec\text{-length} - 1}$$

```
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_hard_swish_asym8s_asym8s
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_vec, WORD32 inp_zero_bias, WORD16 reluish_multiplier, WORD32 reluish_shift, WORD32 out_shift, WORD32 out_zero_bias, WORD32 vec_length);
```



Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
const WORD8 *	p_vec	vec_length	Input vector, asym8s
WORD32	inp_zero_bias		Zero bias value for input vector
WORD16	reluish_multi pler		Fixed-point multiplier value for reluish scale
WORD32	reluish_shift		Shift value for reluish scale
WORD16	out_multipler		Fixed-point multiplier value for output
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value for output
WORD32	out_zero_bias		Zero bias value for output vector
WORD32	vec_length		length of input vector
Output	Output		
WORD8 *	p_out	vec_length	Output vector, asym8s

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions
p_vec, p_out	Cannot be NULL
	Should not overlap (the two pointers could be
	same, inplace operation is possible)
inp_zero_bias,	{-128, 127} for asym8s datatype
out_zero_bias	
out_multiplier,	Shouldn't be less than 0
reluish_multiplier	
out_shift,reluish_shift	{-31,, 31}

3.3.7Parametric ReLU (PReLU)

Description

These kernels compute the Parametric ReLU function of input vector x and give output vector as y = prelu(x). Both the input and output vectors have size vec_length .

The PReLU activation function acts like a standard ReLU function for input values greater than or equal to 0. For input values less than 0, a learnable parameter alpha(a) is multiplied with input to get the output.

Function variants available are xa_nn_vec_prelu_[p]_[q], where:

- [p]: Input precision in bits
- [q]: Output precision in bits



Precision

There is one variant available:

Туре	Description
asym8s_asym8s	asym8s input, asym8s output

Algorithm

```
y_n = x_n, when x_n \ge 0 n = 0, ..., \overline{vec\text{-length} - 1}
y_n = ax_n, when x_n < 0
```

where a is the learnable parameter alpha.

Prototype

```
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_prelu_asym8s_asym8s

(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_vec, const WORD8 * p_vec_alpha,

WORD32 inp_zero_bias, WORD32 alpha_zero_bias, WORD32 alpha_multiplier,

WORD32 alpha_shift, WORD32 out_multiplier, WORD32 out_shift,

WORD32 out_zero_bias, WORD32 vec_length);
```

Arguments

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
const WORD8 *	p_vec	vec_length	Input vector, asym8s
const WORD8 *	p_vec_alpha	vec_length	alpha input vector, asym8s
WORD32	inp_zero_bias		Zero bias value for input vector
WORD32	alpha_zero_bias		Zero bias value for alpha input vector
WORD16	alpha_multipler		Fixed-point multiplier value for alpha input.
WORD32	alpha_shift		Shift value for alpha input.
WORD16	out_multipler		Fixed-point multiplier value for output
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value for output
WORD32	out_zero_bias		Zero bias value for output vector
WORD32	vec_length		length of input vector
Output			
WORD8 *	p_out	vec_length	Output vector, asym8s

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters



Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions
p_vec, p_out	Cannot be NULL Should not overlap (the two pointers could be same, inplace operation is possible)
inp_zero_bias, alpha zero bias	{-127, 128} for asym8s datatype
out_zero_bias	{-128, 127} for asym8s datatype
out_multiplier, alpha_multiplier	Shouldn't be less than 0
out_shift,alpha_shift	{-31,, 31}

3.4 Pooling Kernels

3.4.1Average Pool Kernel

Description

These kernels compute 2D average pool on a set of input planes (matrices) x and give a set of planes y as output.

The pooling region is defined by $kernel_height$ and $kernel_width$. It is shifted over the input plane in steps of x_stride horizontally and in steps of y_stride vertically to generate the specified output plane size. The input is extended by zero padding as specified by the padding region. The padding is determined by the parameters $x_padding$, $y_padding$ for left and top side padding respectively, and out_width , out_height for right and bottom padding respectively. Around the edges of input planes, if only a part of pooling region is covering input plane then only the average of those elements is calculated, and the denominator is the number of elements from input in current pooling region.

The average pool kernels accept input as 8-bit, 16-bit integer, asym8u or single precision floating point format and give output in the same precision as input.

These kernels require temporary buffer for average pool computation. This temporary buffer is provided by the p_scratch argument of kernel API. The size of the temporary buffer should be queried using $xa_nn_avgpool_getsize()$ helper API.

These kernels expect input cube in SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T and SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T shape type and produce output cube in SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T and SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T shape type respectively. The inp_data_format and out_data_format arguments to the kernel API can be 0 or 1 to indicate input and output cube shapes respectively.

The value of inp data format and out_data_format must be equal.

Note, the fixed-point 8-bit average pool kernel, xa_nn_avgpool_8 can be used for the quantized int8 datatype.



Function variants available are xa_nn_avgpool_[p], where:

[p]: Input and Output precision in bits

Precision

There are four variants available:

Туре	Description
8	8-bit input, 8-bit output
16	16-bit input, 16-bit output
f32	float32 input, float32 output
asym8u	asym8u input, asym8u output

Algorithm

$$\begin{split} z_{h,w,d} &= \frac{1}{K_H K_W} \left(\sum_{i=0}^{K_H-1} \sum_{j=0}^{K_W-1} in_{(h*y-stride+i),(w*x-stride+j),d)} \right) \\ h &= 0, \dots, \overline{out-height-1}, \quad w = 0, \dots, \overline{out-width-1}, \\ d &= 0, \dots, \overline{out-channels-1} \end{split}$$

in denotes padded input cube, z denotes output

 K_H , K_W denote kernel_height, kernel_width respectively.

```
WORD32 xa_nn_avgpool_getsize
(WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 inp_precision, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 v_mordata_format, WORD32 v_mordata_format);

WORD32 xa_nn_avgpool_8
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_inp, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 v_mordata_format);

WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 v_stride, WORD32 v_padding, WORD32 v_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 inp_data_format, WORD32 out_data_format, VOID * p_scratch);

WORD32 x_nn_avgpool_16
(WORD16 * p_out, const WORD16 * p_inp, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 v_stride, WORD32 v_padding, WORD32 v_padding, WORD32 v_padding, WORD32 v_stride, WORD32 v_stride, WORD32 v_padding, WORD32 v_padding, WORD32 v_stride, WORD32 v_stride, WORD32 v_stride, WORD32 v_padding, WORD32 v_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 v_padding, WORD32 v_padding, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 v_stride, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 v_stride, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 out_height, WOR
```



```
VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_avgpool_asym8u
(UWORD8* p_out, const UWORD8* p_inp, WORD32 input_height,
WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height,
WORD32 kernel_width, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride,
WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height,
WORD32 out_width, WORD32 inp_data_format, WORD32 out_data_format,
VOID *p_scratch);
```

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
const WORD8 *, const WORD16 *, const UWORD8 *, const FLOAT32 *	p_inp	<pre>input_height * input_width * input_channels</pre>	Input cube
WORD32	input_height		Input height
WORD32	input_width		Input width
WORD32	input_channels		Input number of channels
WORD32	kernel_height		Pooling window height
WORD32	kernel_width		Pooling window width
WORD32	x_stride		Horizontal stride over input
WORD32	y_stride		Vertical stride over input
WORD32	x_padding		Left padding width on input
WORD32	y_padding		Top padding height on input
WORD32	out_height		Output height
WORD32	out_width		Output width
WORD32	inp_data_format		Input data format 0:SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T 1:SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T
WORD32	out_data_format		Output data format: 0:SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T 1:SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T
Output			
WORD8 *, WORD16 *, UWORD8 *, FLOAT32 *	p_out	<pre>out_height * out_width * input_channels</pre>	Output cube
Temporary			
VOID *	p_scratch	xa_nn_avgpool_ getsize()	Temporary / scratch memory

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters



Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions	
p_inp, p_out	Cannot be NULL	
	Should not overlap	
p_scratch	Cannot be NULL	
	Should not overlap	
	Memory size ≥ size returned by	
	xa_nn_avgpool_getsize()	
input_height, input_width	Greater than or equal to 1	
input_channels	Greater than or equal to 1	
kernel_height	{1, 2,, min(input_height, 256)} (for 8-bit and 16-	
	bit)	
	{1, 2,, input_height} (for float32)	
kernel_width	{1, 2,, min(input_width, 256)} (for 8-bit and 16-	
	bit)	
	{1, 2,, input_width} (for float32)	
x_stride, y_stride	Greater than or equal to 1	
x_padding, y_padding	Greater than or equal to 0	
out_height, out_width	greater than or equal to 1	
inp_data_format	Can be 0: SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T or	
	1: SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T	
out_data_format	Must be equal to inp_data_format	

3.4.2Max Pool Kernel

Description

These kernels perform 2D max pooling operation over a set of input planes x and give as output, a set of planes y.

The pooling region is defined by $kernel_height$ and $kernel_width$. It is shifted over the input plane horizontally in steps of x_stride and vertically in steps of y_stride to generate the specified output plane size.

The input plane, padded with the maximum negative values is considered while performing the max pooling operation. The padding region is determined by the parameters $x_{padding}$, $y_{padding}$ for left and top side padding respectively, and out_{width} , out_{height} for right and bottom padding respectively.

The max pool kernels accept input as 8-bit, 16-bit integer, asym8u or single precision floating point format and give output in the same precision as input.

These kernels require temporary buffer for max pool computation. This temporary buffer is provided by the p_scratch argument of kernel API. The size of the temporary buffer should be queried using the xa_nn_maxpool_getsize() helper API.

These kernels expect input cube in SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T and SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T shape type and produce output cube in SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T and SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T shape type respectively. The



<code>inp_data_format</code> and <code>out_data_format</code> arguments to the kernel API can be 0 or 1 to indicate input and output cube shapes respectively.

The value of inp data format and out_data_format must be equal.

Note, the fixed-point 8-bit max pool kernel, $xa_nn_maxpool_8$ can be used for the quantized int8 datatype.

Function variants available are xa_nn_maxpool_[p], where:

[p]: Input and Output precision in bits

Precision

There are four variants available:

Туре	Description	
8	8-bit input, 8-bit output	
16	16-bit input, 16-bit output	
f32	float32 input, float32 output	
asym8u	asym8u input, asym8u output	

Algorithm

$$\begin{split} z_{h,w,d} &= \max \left(i n_{(h*y-stride+i),(w*x-stride+j),d)} \right) \\ h &= 0, \dots, \underbrace{out-height-1}_{out-channels-1}, \quad w = 0, \dots, \underbrace{out-width-1}_{out-width-1}, \\ d &= 0, \dots, \underbrace{out-channels-1}_{i=0, \dots, K_H-1, \quad j=0, \dots, K_W-1} \end{split}$$

in denotes padded input cube, z denotes output.

 K_H , K_W denote kernel_height, kernel_width respectively.



Prototype

```
WORD32 xa nn maxpool getsize
(WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 inp_precision, WORD32 out_precision,
 WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 kernel_width, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 inp_data_format, WORD32 out_data_format);
WORD32 xa_nn_maxpool_8
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_inp, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height, WORD32 kernel_width, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 out_data_format,
 VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_maxpool_16
(WORD16 * p_out, const WORD16 * p_inp, WORD32 input_height,
WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height,
WORD32 kernel_width, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 out_data_format,
 VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa_nn_maxpool_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out, const FLOAT32 * p_inp, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels, WORD32 kernel_height,
WORD32 Imput_width, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 out_data_format,
 VOID * p_scratch);
WORD32 xa nn maxpool_asym8u
 (UWORD8* p_out, const UWORD8* p_inp, WORD32 input_height, WORD32 input_width, WORD32 input_channels WORD32
(UWORD8* p_out,
 WORD32 Input width, WORD32 Input channels, WORD32 kernel_kernel, WORD32 x_stride, WORD32 y_stride, WORD32 x_padding, WORD32 y_padding, WORD32 out_height, WORD32 out_width, WORD32 inp_data_format, WORD32 out_data_format,
 VOID *p scratch);
```

Arguments

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
const WORD8 *, const WORD16 *, const UWORD8 *, const FLOAT32 *	p_inp	<pre>input_height * input_width * input_channels</pre>	Input cube
WORD32	input_height		Input height
WORD32	input_width		Input width
WORD32	input_channels		Input number of channels
WORD32	kernel_height		Pooling window height
WORD32	kernel_width		Pooling window width
WORD32	x_stride		Horizontal stride over input
WORD32	y_stride		Vertical stride over input
WORD32	x_padding		Left padding width on input
WORD32	y_padding		Top padding height on input



WORD32	out_height		Output height
WORD32	out_width		Output width
WORD32	inp_data_format		Input data format
			0:SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T
			1:SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T
WORD32	out_data_format		Input data format
			0:SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T
			1:SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T
Output			
WORD8 *, WORD16 *, UWORD8 *, FLOAT32 *	p_out	<pre>out_height * out_width * input_channels</pre>	Output cube
Temporary			
VOID *	p_scratch	xa_nn_maxpool_ getsize()	Temporary / scratch memory

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions	
p_inp, p_out	Cannot be NULL	
	Should not overlap	
	Should not overlap	
	Memory size ≥ size returned by	
	xa_nn_maxpool_getsize()	
input_height, input_width	Greater than or equal to 1	
input_channels	Greater than or equal to 1	
kernel_height	{1, 2,, input_height}	
kernel_width	{1, 2,, input_width}	
x_stride, y_stride	Greater than or equal to 1	
x_padding, y_padding	Greater than or equal to 0	
out_height, out_width	Greater than or equal to 1	
inp_data_format	Can be 0: SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T or	
	1: SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T	
out_data_format	Must be equal to inp_data_format	

3.5 Fully connected Layer

3.5.1Fully Connected Kernel

Description

These kernels perform the operation of multiplication of weight matrix with input vectors in a fully connected neural network layer i.e. z = weight*input + bias. The column dimension of weight must match the row dimension of input. Bias and resulting output vector z have as many numbers of rows as weight matrix.

The bias_shift and acc_shift arguments are provided in kernel API to adjust Q format of bias and output, respectively. Both bias_shift and acc_shift can be either positive or negative, where positive value denotes a left shift and negative value denotes a right shift.

bias_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the bias to make it in the same Q format as weight X input multiplication – accumulation result. acc_shift is the shift in number of bits applied to the accumulator to obtain the output in desired Q format.

Note: acc_shift and bias_shift are not relevant in the case of floating point and quantized 8-bit kernels.

For conversion from higher precision accumulator to lower precision output, symmetric rounding is used.

The precision of output is the same as precision of input vector.

The arguments <code>input_zero_bias</code>, <code>weight_zero_bias</code> are provided to convert the quantized 8-bit inputs into their real values and perform Fully Connected kernel operation. The <code>out_zero_bias</code>, <code>out_multiplier</code> and <code>out_shift</code> values are used to quantize real values of output back to 8-bit.

Function variants available (for fixed point) are xa_nn_fully_connected_[p]x[q]_[r], where:

- [p]: Weight matrix precision in bits
- [q]: Input vector precision in bits
- [r]: Output vector precision in bits

Precision

There are six variants available:

Туре	Description	
16x16_16	16-bit weight matrix, 16-bit input vector, 16-bit output	
8x16_16	8-bit weight matrix, 16-bit input vector, 16-bit output	
8x8_8	8-bit weight matrix, 8-bit input vector, 8-bit output	
f32	float32 weight matrix, float32 input vector, float32 output	
asym8uxasym8u_asym8u	asym8u weight matrix, asym8u input vector, asym8u output	
sym8sxasym8s_asym8s	sym8s weight matrix, asym8s input vector, asym8s output	



Algorithm

$$z_n = 2^{acc\text{-}shift} \left(\sum_{m=0}^{W_D-1} weight_{n,m} \cdot input_m + 2^{bias\text{-}shift} bias_n \right),$$

$$n = 0, \dots, \overline{out\text{-}depth-1}$$

where W_D represents weight_depth

For floating point and quantized 8-bit routines, acc_shift=0 and bias_shift=0

Thus, $2^{acc\text{-}shift} = 2^{bias\text{-}shift} = 1$

Prototype

```
WORD32 xa_nn_fully_connected_16x16_16
(WORD16 * p_out, WORD16 * p_weight,
                                                    WORD16 * p_inp,
                        WORD32 weight_depth,
WORD16 * p_bias,
                                                      WORD32 out_depth,
WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift);
WORD32 xa_nn_fully_connected_8x16_16
(WORD16 * p_out, WORD8 * p_weight, WORD16 * p_inp,
WORD16 * p_bias, WORD32 weight_depth, WORD32 out_depth,
WORD32 weight_depth,
WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift);
WORD32 xa_nn_fully_connected_8x8_8
(WORD8 * p_out, WORD8 * p_weight, WORD8 * p_inp,
WORD8 * p_bias, WORD32 weight_depth, WORD32 out_depth,
WORD32 acc_shift, WORD32 bias_shift);
WORD32 xa_nn_fully_connected_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out, FLOAT32 * p_weight, FLOAT32 * p_inp, FLOAT32 * p_bias, WORD32 weight_depth, WORD32 out_depth);
WORD32 xa_nn_fully_connected asym8uxasym8u asym8u
(UWORD8 * p_out, const UWORD8 * p_weight, const UWORD8 * p_inp,
const WORD32 * p_bias, WORD32 weight_depth, WORD32 out_depth,
WORD32 input_zero_bias, WORD32 weight_zero_bias, WORD32 out_multiplier,
WORD32 out shift, WORD32 out zero bias);
WORD32 xa_nn_fully_connected sym8sxasym8s asym8s
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_weight, const WORD8 * p_inp,
const WORD32 * p_bias, WORD32 weight_depth, WORD32 out_depth,
WORD32 input zero_bias, WORD32 out_multiplier, WORD32 out_shift,
WORD32 out_zero_bias);
```

Arguments

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, pFLOAT32, const UWORD8 *, const WORD8 *	p_weight	out_depth* weight_depth	Weight matrix, fixed, floating point, asym8u or sym8s
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, pFLOAT32, const UWORD8 *,	p_inp	weight_depth* 1	Input vector, fixed, floating point, asym8u or asym8s



const WORD8 *			
WORD16 *, WORD8 *, pFLOAT32, WORD32 *	p_bias	out_depth*1	Bias vector, fixed or floating point, 32-bit for quantized kernels
WORD32	out_depth		Number of rows in weight matrix, bias and output vector
WORD32	weight_depth		Number of columns in weight matrix and rows in input vector
WORD32	acc_shift		Shift applied to accumulator
WORD32	bias_shift		Shift applied to bias
WORD32	input_zero_bias		Zero offset of input
WORD32	weight_zero_bias		Zero offset of weights
WORD32	out_multiplier		Multiplier value of output
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value of output
WORD32	out_zero_bias		Zero offset of output
Output			
WORD8 *, WORD16 *, pFLOAT32, WORD8 *, UWORD8*	p_out	out_depth*1	Output vector, fixed, floating point, asym8u or asym8s

Returns

0: no error

■ -1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions	
weight_depth	Multiple of 4 for fixed point kernels.(2 in case of floating point). No restriction for quantized 8-bit kernels.	
	row_stride>=cols	
p_weight, p_inp, p_bias,	Aligned on 16-byte boundary, should not overlap	
p_out	(size of one element)-byte boundary in case of	
	floating point and quantized 8-bit kernels).	
p_weight, p_inp, p_out	Cannot be NULL	
out_depth	Greater than or equal to 1	
acc_shift, bias_shift,	{-31,,31}	
out_shift		
input_zero_bias	{-255,,0} for asym8u, {-127,,128} for asym8s	
weight_zero_bias	{-255,,0} for asym8u	
out_zero_bias	{0,,255} for asym8u, {-128,,127} for asym8s	



3.6 Basic Operations and Miscellaneous Kernels

3.6.1Interpolation Kernel

Description

This kernel performs interpolation between two input vectors h and y using interpolation factor from vector x to get output vector z.

The interpolation kernel accepts 16-bit inputs and 16-bit interpolation factor in Q15 format and produces 16-bit output in Q15 format.

Precision

Туре	Description	
16-bit	16-bit input, 16-bit interpolation factor, 16-bit output	

Algorithm

$$z_n = x_n * y_n \; + (1-x_n) * h_n \;\; , \qquad n = 0 \ldots, \overline{num\text{-}elements-1}$$

 x_n represents interpolation factor.

 y_n represents first input, h_n represents second input.

 z_n represents output.

Prototype

```
WORD32 xa_nn_vec_interpolation_q15
(WORD16 * p_out, WORD16 * p_ifact, WORD16 * p_inp1,WORD16 * p_inp2, WORD32
num_elements);
```

Arguments

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
WORD16 *	p_ifact	num_elements	Interpolation factor vector
WORD16 *	p_inpl	num_elements	First input vector
WORD16 *	p_inp2	num_elements	Second input vector
WORD32	num_elements		Number of elements
Output			
WORD16 *	p_out	num_elements	Output vector

Returns

0: no error



-1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions
<pre>p_ifact, p_inp1, p_inp2,</pre>	Aligned on 8-byte boundary
p_out	Should not overlap
	Cannot be NULL
num_elements	Multiple of 4

3.6.2 Dot Product Kernels

Description

These kernels perform the dot product operations between two sets of input vectors p_{inp1} and p_{inp2} to get output vector p_{out} . The supported precisions are: f32xf32_f32 and 16x16_asym8s.

Function variants available are xa nn elm quantize [p]x[q] [r], where:

- [p],[q]: Input precision
- [r]: Output precision

Precision

There are two variants available:

Туре	Description
f32xf32_f32	float32 input, float32 output
16x16_asym8s	16-bit input, asym8s output

Algorithm

$$z_n = \left(\sum_{m=0}^{vec_length-1} inp1_m \cdot inp2_m + bias_n\right)$$

$$n = 0, \dots, \overline{vec_count - 1}$$

Prototype

```
WORD32 xa_nn_dot_prod_f32xf32_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out, const FLOAT32 * p_inp1, const FLOAT32 * p_inp2,
WORD32 vec_length, WORD32 num_vecs);
WORD32 xa_nn_dot_prod_16x16_asym8s
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD16 * p_inp1, const WORD16 * p_inp2,
const WORD32 * bias_ptr, WORD32 vec_length, WORD32 out_multiplier,
WORD32 out_shift, WORD32 out_zero_bias, WORD32 vec_count);
```



Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
const	p_inp1	vec_length	First input vector
FLOAT32 *			
WORD16 *			
const	p_inp2	vec_length	Second input vector
FLOAT32 *			
const			
WORD16 *	la di a a contra		D: .
WORD32 *	bias_ptr	vec_count	Bias vector
WORD32	vec_length		Length of each vector
WORD32	out_multiplier		Multiplier value of output
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value of output
WORD32	out_zero_bias		Zero offset of output
WORD32	num_vecs,		Number of input vectors
	vec_count		'
Output	Output		
FLOAT32 *	p_out	num_vecs	Output vector
WORD8 *			

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions:

Arguments	Restrictions
p_inp1,p_inp2, p_out	Aligned on (size of one element)-byte boundary
	Cannot be NULL
vec_length, num_vecs	Greater than 0
out_shift	{-31,, 31}
out_multiplier	Greater than 0
out_zero_bias	{-128,127} for out type asym8s

3.6.3 Elementwise Quantize Kernel

Description

These kernels perform the quantization operation of the p_inp1 input vector elements to get the output vector p_out . The kernel is developed in reference to the Quantize operator implementation in Tensorflow Lite Micro.

Function variants available are $xa_nn_elm_quantize_[p]_[q]$, where:

- [p]: Input precision
- [p]: Output precision



Precision

Туре	Description
asym16s_asym8s	asym16s input, asym8s output

Prototype

Arguments

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
const WORD16 *	p_inp	num_elm	Input vector
WORD32	inp_zero_bias		Zero offset of input
WORD32	out_zero_bias		Zero offset of output
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value of output
WORD32	out_multiplier		Multiplier value of output
WORD32	num_elm		Number of input elements
Output	Output		
WORD8 *	p_out	num_vecs	Output vector

Returns

0: no error

-1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions:

Arguments	Restrictions
p_inp, p_out	Aligned on (size of one element)-byte boundary
	Cannot be NULL
num_elm	Greater than 0
out_shift	{-31,, 31}
out_multiplier	Greater than 0
inp_zero_bias	{-32768,32767} for out type asym8s
out_zero_bias	{-128,127} for out type asym8s

3.6.4 Basic Kernels

Description

These kernels perform basic elementwise operations on one or two input vectors \mathbf{x} and \mathbf{y} to get output vector \mathbf{z} . The supported operations are: add, subtract, multiply, floor, minimum and maximum. The supported precisions are: 8-bit, float32 and asym8s.

The 8-bit elementwise minimum and maximum kernels can be also used for asym8s datatype.

Function variants available are xa_nn [o] [p]_[q], where:

- [o]: Operations: elm add, elm sub, elm mul, elm floor, elm min, elm max
- [p]: Input Precision in bits- input1xinput2 or input1
- [q]: Output Precision in bits

Precision

Туре	Description
f32xf32_f32	float32 input, float32 output
8x8_8	8-bit input, 8-bit output
asym8sxasym8s_asym8s	asym8s input, asym8s output

Algorithm

```
\begin{array}{lll} \text{elm\_add:} & z_n = x_n + y_n \,, & n = 0 \, \dots, \overline{num\text{-}elm-1} \\ \text{elm\_sub:} & z_n = x_n - y_n \,, & n = 0 \, \dots, \overline{num\text{-}elm-1} \\ \text{elm\_mul:} & z_n = x_n * y_n \,, & n = 0 \, \dots, \overline{num\text{-}elm-1} \\ \text{elm\_floor:} & z_n = \left\lfloor x_n \right\rfloor \,, & n = 0 \, \dots, \overline{num\text{-}elm-1} \\ \text{elm\_min:} & z_n = \min(x_n, y_n) \,, & n = 0 \, \dots, \overline{num\text{-}elm-1} \\ \text{elm\_max:} & z_n = \max(x_n, y_n) \,, & n = 0 \, \dots, \overline{num\text{-}elm-1} \end{array}
```

 x_n represents first input, y_n represents second input.

 z_n represents output.

Prototype

```
WORD32 xa_nn_elm_floor_f32_f32
(FLOAT32 * p_out, const FLOAT32 * p_inp, WORD32 num_elm);
WORD32 xa_nn_elm_add_asym8sxasym8s_asym8s
(WORD8 * p_out, WORD32 out_zero_bias, WORD32 out_shift,
WORD32 out_multiplier, WORD32 out_activation_min, WORD32 out_activation_max,
const WORD8 * p_inp1, WORD32 inp1_zero_bias, WORD32 inp1_shift,
WORD32 inp1_multiplier, const WORD8 * p_inp2, WORD32 inp2_zero_bias,
WORD32 inp2_shift, WORD32 inp2_multiplier, WORD32 inp2_zero_bias,
WORD32 num_elm);
WORD32 xa_nn_elm_sub_asym8sxasym8s_asym8s
(WORD8 * p_out, WORD32 out_zero_bias, WORD32 out_left_shift,
```



```
WORD32 out_multiplier, WORD32 out_activation_min, WORD32 out_activation_max, const WORD8 * p_inp1, WORD32 inp1_zero_bias, WORD32 inp1_left_shift, WORD32 inp2_left_shift, WORD32 inp2_multiplier, WORD32 inp2_multiplier, WORD32 num_elm);

WORD32 num_elm);

WORD32 xa_nn_elm_mul_asym8sxasym8s_asym8s (WORD8 * p_out, WORD32 out_zero_bias, WORD32 out_shift, WORD32 out_multiplier, WORD32 out_activation_min, const WORD8 * p_inp1, WORD32 out_activation_min, WORD32 inp2_zero_bias, WORD32 inp2_zero_bias, WORD32 num_elm);

WORD32 xa_nn_elm_min_8x8_8 (WORD8 * p_out, WORD32 num_elm);

WORD32 xa_nn_elm_max_8x8_8 (WORD32 num_elm_max_8x8_8 (WORD32 num_elm_max_8x8_8 (WORD32 num_elm_max_8x8_8 (WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_in1, const WORD8 * p_in2, WORD32 num_elm_max_8x8_8 (WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_in1, const WORD8 * p_in2, WORD32 num_element);
```

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
const WORD8 * FLOAT32 *	p_inp1, p_inp, p_in1	num_elm	First input vector
const WORD8 *	p_inp2, P_in2	num_elm	Second input vector
WORD32	num_elm/num_element		Number of elements
WORD32	out_zero_bias		Zero bias of output
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value of output
WORD32	out_multiplier		Multiplier value of output
WORD32	out_activation_min		Activation min of output
WORD32	out_activation_max		Activation max of output
WORD32	inp1_zero_bias		Zero bias of input 1
WORD32	inp1_shift		Shift value of input 1
WORD32	inp1_multiplier		Multiplier value of input 1
WORD32	inp2_zero_bias		Zero bias of input 2
WORD32	inp2_shift		Shift value of input 2
WORD32	inp2_multiplier		Multiplier value of input 2
WORD32	left_shift		Global left shift value for
			inputs.
Output			
WORD8 * FLOAT32 *	p_out	num_elm	Output vector

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions:

Arguments	Restrictions
<pre>p_inp1,p_inp2, p_inp,p_in1,p_in2 p_out</pre>	Aligned on (size of one element)-byte boundary Cannot be NULL



num_elm, num_element	Greater than 0
<pre>inp1_zero_bias, inp2_zero_bias</pre>	{-127, 128} for asym8s input
<pre>inp1_shift, inp2_shift, out_shift</pre>	{-31 31} for fixed point and quantized 8-bit APIs
left_shift	{0 31}
<pre>inp1_multiplier, inp2_multiplier out_multiplier</pre>	Shouldn't be less than 0.
out_zero_bias	{-128, 127} for asym8s output
out_activation_min, out_activation_max	{-128, 127} for asym8s output out_activation_min < out_activation_max

3.6.5 Basic Kernels with Broadcasting

Description

These kernels perform a broadcast operation and apply an arithmetic operator. The supported operators are: elementwise minimum and maximum.

Details of the broadcast operation can be found at Tensorflow Broadcasting semantics [4].

There are two variants of these kernels, one for 4-dimensional and another for 8-dimensional input/output tensors. Input tensors smaller than these dimensions must be have their shapes extended^{4,1} to match either of these two.

Tensors must also be broadcast compatible (as these kernels do not perform any runtime checks and depend on the TensorFlow infrastructure)

The input to these kernels are the IO pointers to tensors stored in row-major format, the shape of the resulting broadcasted output and the input 'strides' [5].

Function variants available are xa nn [op] [d] Bcast [p], where:

- [op]: Operation: elm_min, elm_max
- [d]: Number of IO dimensions: 4D, 8D
- [p]: Input/Output precision in bits as [in1 precision] x[in2 precision]_[out precision]

Precision

Туре	Description
8x8_8	Signed 8-bit inputs, signed 8-bit output

Algorithm

```
\begin{array}{l} p\_out[i_0][i_1] \dots [i_N] = \\ [op](p\_in1([i_0 \ i_1 \ \dots \ i_N] \cdot [s1_0 \ s1_1 \ \dots \ s1_N]) \ , \ p\_in2([i_0 \ i_1 \ \dots \ i_N] \cdot [s2_0 \ s2_1 \ \dots \ s2_N])) \end{array}
```

Where,

- $i_n \in (0 \text{ out_extents}[n]]$, and, $n \in (0 \text{ 4}]$ for 4D tensors, or, (0 8] for 8D Tensors
- $s1_n = \text{in1_strides}[n]$, with *n* defined the same as above
- $s2_n = \text{in2_strides}[n]$, with n defined the same as above

Prototypes

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Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
const WORD8*	p_in1	-	First input tensor in row-major
const int* const	in1_strides	4 or 8	Strides for first input tensor
const WORD8*	p_in2	-	Second input tensor in row-major
const int* const	in2_strides	4 or 8	Strides for second input tensor
const int* const	out_extents	4 or 8	Broadcasted output shape
Output			
WORD8*	p_out	<pre>prod(out_extents)</pre>	Output tensor in row-major

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions
p_in1,p_in2 p_out	Aligned on byte boundary Cannot be NULL
<pre>out_extents, in1_strides, in2_strides</pre>	Positive integers

3.6.6 Elementwise Comparison Kernels

Description

These kernels perform elementwise comparison operations on two input vectors \mathbf{x} and \mathbf{y} to get the output vector \mathbf{z} . The supported operations are: equal, not equal, greater, greater equal, less, less equal. The output for all the comparison kernels is a boolean value that requires 1-byte space. The supported precisions are: asym8s.

Function variants available are xa_nn [o] [p], where:



- [o]: Operations: elm_equal, elm_notequal, elm_greater, elm_greaterequal, elm less, elm lessequal
- [p]: Input Precision in bits- input1xinput2

Precision

Туре	Description
asym8sxasym8s	asym8s inputs, boolean(1-byte) output

Algorithm

```
elm_equal:
                      z_n = (x_n == y_n),
                                                    n = 0 \dots, \overline{num-elm-1}
elm_notequal:
                      z_n = (x_n! = y_n),
                                                    n = 0 \dots, \overline{num-elm-1}
elm greater:
                       z_n = (x_n > y_n) \,,
                                                    n=0\ldots,\overline{num-elm-1}
elm_greaterequal: z_n = (x_n \ge y_n),
                                                    n = 0 \dots, \overline{num-elm-1}
                                                  n = 0 \dots, \overline{num-elm-1}
elm_less:
                       z_n = (x_n < y_n) \,,
elm_lessequal:
                       z_n = (x_n \le y_n),
                                                    n=0\ldots,\overline{num-elm-1}
```

 x_n represents first input, y_n represents second input.

 z_n represents output.

Prototype

```
WORD32 xa nn elm equal asym8sxasym8s
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_inp1, WORD32 inp1_zero_bias, WORD32 inp1_shift, WORD32 inp1_multiplier, const WORD8 * p_inp2, WORD32 inp2_zero_bias, WORD32 inp2_shift, WORD32 inp2_multiplier WORD32 left_shift, WORD32 num_elm);
(WORD8 * p_out,
                                                                                 WORD32 inp2 multiplier,
WORD32 xa_nn_elm_notequal_asym8sxasym8s
 (WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_inp1, WORD32 inp1_zero_bias, WORD32 inp1_shift, WORD32 inp1_multiplier, const WORD8 * p_inp2, WORD32 inp2_zero_bias, WORD32 inp2_shift, WORD32 inp2_multiplier
(WORD8 * p_out,
                                                                                 WORD32 inp2 multiplier,
 WORD32 left shift, WORD32 num elm);
WORD32 xa_nn_elm_greater_asym8sxasym8s
 (WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_inp1, WORD32 inp1_zero_bias, WORD32 inp1_shift, WORD32 inp1_multiplier, const WORD8 * p_inp2,
(WORD8 * p_out,
 WORD32 inp2_zero_bias, WORD32 inp2_shift, WORD32 left_shift, WORD32 num_elm);
                                                                                 WORD32 inp2 multiplier,
WORD32 xa_nn_elm_greaterequal_asym8sxasym8s
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_inp1, WORD32 inp1_zero_bias, WORD32 inp1_shift, WORD32 inp1_multiplier, const WORD8 * p_inp2, WORD32 inp2_zero_bias, WORD32 inp2_shift, WORD32 inp2_multiplier WORD32 left_shift, WORD32 num_elm);
                                                                                 WORD32 inp2 multiplier,
WORD32 xa_nn_elm_less_asym8sxasym8s
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_inp1, WORD32 inp1_zero_bias, WORD32 inp1_shift, WORD32 inp1_multiplier, const WORD8 * p_inp2,
 WORD32 inp2_zero_bias, WORD32 inp2_shift, WORD32 inp2_multiplier,
 WORD32 left_shift, WORD32 num_elm);
WORD32 xa_nn_elm_lessequal_asym8sxasym8s
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD8 * p_inp1, WORD32 inp1_zero_bias, WORD32 inp1_shift, WORD32 inp1_multiplier, const WORD8 * p_inp2, WORD32 inp2_zero_bias, WORD32 inp2_shift, WORD32 inp2_multiplier WORD32 left_shift, WORD32 num_elm);
                                                                                 WORD32 inp2 multiplier,
```



Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input		•	
const WORD8 *	p_inp1	num_elm	First input vector
const WORD8 *	p_inp2	num_elm	Second input vector
WORD32	num_elm		Number of elements
WORD32	inp1_zero_bias		Zero bias of input 1
WORD32	inp1_shift		Shift value of input 1
WORD32	inp1_multiplier		Multiplier value of input 1
WORD32	inp2_zero_bias		Zero bias of input 2
WORD32	inp2_shift		Shift value of input 2
WORD32	inp2_multiplier		Multiplier value of input 2
WORD32	left_shift		Global left shift value for inputs.
Output			
WORD8 *	p_out	num_elm	Output vector

Returns

0: no error

-1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions:

Arguments	Restrictions
p_inp1,p_inp2,p_out,	Aligned on (size of one element)-byte boundary
	Cannot be NULL
num_elm	Greater than 0
inpl_zero_bias,	{-127, 128} for asym8s input
inp2_zero_bias	
inp1_shift, inp2_shift	{-31 31} for fixed point and quantized 8-bit APIs
inp1 multiplier,	Shouldn't be less than 0.
inp2_multiplier	
left_shift	{0 31}

3.6.7 Elementwise Logical Kernels

Description

These kernels perform elementwise logical operations on two boolean input vectors \mathbf{x} and \mathbf{y} to get the boolean output vector \mathbf{z} . The supported operations are: logical_and, logical_or, logical_not. The inputs and output for all the logical kernels are boolean values that requires 1-byte space each. The supported precisions are: bool.

Function variants available are xa_nn [o] [p], where:



- [o]: Operations: elm logicaland, elm logicalor, elm logicalnot
- [p]: Input Precision in bits- input1xinput2

Precision

Туре	Description
boolxbool	boolean(1-byte) inputs, boolean(1-byte) output

Algorithm

```
elm_logicaland: z_n = (x_n \&\& y_n), n = 0 \dots, \overline{num - elm - 1} elm_logicalor: z_n = (x_n || y_n), n = 0 \dots, \overline{num - elm - 1} elm_logicalnot: z_n = (! x_n), n = 0 \dots, \overline{num - elm - 1}
```

 x_n represents first input, y_n represents second input.

 z_n represents output.

Prototype

```
WORD32 xa_nn_elm_logicaland_boolxbool_bool
(WORD8 * _restrict_ p_out, const WORD8 * _restrict_ p_inp1,
const WORD8 * _restrict_ p_inp2, WORD32 num_elm);

WORD32 xa_nn_elm_logicalor_boolxbool_bool
(WORD8 * _restrict_ p_out, const WORD8 * _restrict_ p_inp1,
const WORD8 * _restrict_ p_inp2, WORD32 num_elm);
WORD32 xa_nn_elm_logicalnot_bool_bool
(WORD8 * _restrict_ p_out, const WORD8 * _restrict_ p_inp,
WORD32 num_elm);
```

Arguments

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
const WORD8 *	p_inp1 / p_inp	num_elm	First input vector
const WORD8 *	p_inp2	num_elm	Second input vector
WORD32	num_elm		Number of elements
Output			
WORD8 *	p_out	num_elm	Output vector

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters



Restrictions:

Arguments	Restrictions
p_inp1/p_inp,p_inp2,p_out	Aligned on (size of one element)-byte boundary
	Cannot be NULL
num_elm	Greater than 0

3.6.8 L2 Normalization Kernel

Description

This kernel performs L2 normalization of an input vector x to get output vector z, which means every element of input vector x is divided by L2 norm of x, this gives an output vector z whose L2 norm is 1.

The L2 Normalization kernel accepts asym8s input vector and produces asym8s output vector.

Precision

Туре	Description
asym8s	asym8s input, asym8s output

Algorithm

$$z_n = \frac{x_n}{\sqrt{\sum_{n=1}^N |x_n|^2}}, \quad n = 1 \dots, \overline{num\text{-elements}}$$

 x_n represents input vector.

 z_n represents output vector.

Prototype

Arguments

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			·
const WORD8 *	p_inp	num_elm	Input vector
WORD32	zero_point		Input zero bias
WORD32	num_elm		Number of elements
Output			
WORD8 *	p_out	num_elm	Output vector



Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions

Arguments	Restrictions	
p_inp, p_out	Aligned on (size of one element)-byte boundary	
	Should not overlap	
	Cannot be NULL	
zero_point	{-128, 127} for asym8s input	
num_elm	Greater than 0	

3.6.9 Reduce Kernels

Description

These kernels perform reduction operations on an input vector \mathbf{x} based on the dimensions given in axis vector and get the output vector \mathbf{z} . The supported operations are: reduce_max and reduce_mean. The supported precisions are: asym8s. The kernels presently support upto 4 dimensions and the input data is assumed to be in "NHWC" or "DWHN" data format (Depth or channels dimension is written first).

Note: The axis vector should have non-duplicate values to avoid larger execution time and poor performance.

For the reduce_max kernel, the input and output quantization are expected to be same. Thus, the API does not include quantization specific multiplier, shift and zero bias arguments. For the dimensions mentioned in the axis vector, max operation is carried out thereby reducing the dimension size to 1.

For the reduce_mean kernel, the input and output quantization can be different. The arguments inp_zero_bias, out_zero_bias, out_multiplier and out_shift are provided for the Mean operation and requantization into asym8s output. For the dimensions mentioned in the axis vector, mean operation is carried out thereby reducing the dimension size to 1.

Note: The total number of elements in axis dimensions i.e. the values which are to be reduced should not be more than 127 for the reduce_mean kernel.

These kernels require temporary buffer for reduce operation. This temporary buffer is provided by $p_scratch$ argument of kernel API. The size of temporary buffer should be queried using $xa_nn_reduce_getsize_nhwc()$ helper API. The $reduce_ops$ argument accepts an enumerator that will state the reduce operation type. It can take the following values: REDUCE_MAX and REDUCE_MEAN.

Function variants available are xa_nn reduce [o] [n] [p], where:

- [o]: Operations: reduce max, reduce mean
- [n]: Number of dimentions: 4D



[p]: Input Precision in bits-input output

Precision

Туре	Description
asym8s_asym8s	asym8s input, asym8s output

Algorithm

Reduce Max:

• For every dimension r in axis: $Z_{N,H,W,C} = \max \left(i n_{n,h,w,c} [r_i], i n_{n,h,w,c} [r_j] \right)$

Where.

- The values of output dimensions(N, H, W, C) if reduced will be equal to 1
- $r \in \text{dimensions along which reduce max is to be performed}$.
- r_i and r_i are the elements in the input shape along the r dimension.

Reduce Mean:

- For every dimension r in axis: $S_{N,H,W,C} = sum(in_{n,h,w,c}[r_i], in_{n,h,w,c}[r_j])$
- Then, we compute the mean

$$Z_{N,H,W,C} = \frac{1}{\prod nElem_r} S_{N,H,W,C}$$

Where,

- The values of output dimensions(N, H, W, C) if reduced will be equal to 1
- $r \in$ dimensions along which reduce mean is to be performed.
- r_i and r_i are the elements in the input shape along the r dimension.
- Π *nElem*_r is the product of number of elements in every r dimension.

 $S_{N,H,W,C}$ represents the intermediate reduce sum output required for reduce mean.

 $Z_{N,H,W,C}$ represents the reduce operation output and $in_{n,h,w,c}$ represents the input vector.

Prototype

```
WORD32 xa_nn_reduce_getsize_nhwc
(WORD32 inp_precision, const WORD32 *const p_inp_shape, WORD32 num_inp_dims, const WORD32 *p_axis, WORD32 num_axis_dims, WORD32 reduce_ops);

WORD32 xa_nn_reduce_max_4D_asym8s_asym8s
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD32 *const p_out_shape, const WORD8 * p_inp, const WORD32 *const p_inp_shape, const WORD32 * p_axis, WORD32 num_out_dims, WORD32 num_inp_dims, WORD32 num_axis_dims, pVOID p_scratch_in);

WORD32 xa_nn_reduce_max_4D_asym8s_asym8s
```



```
(WORD8 * p_out, const WORD32 *const p_out_shape, const WORD8 * p_inp, const WORD32 *const p_inp_shape, const WORD32 * p_axis, WORD32 num_out_dims, WORD32 num_inp_dims, WORD32 num_axis_dims, WORD32 inp_zero_bias, WORD32 out_multiplier, WORD32 out_shift, WORD32 out_zero_bias, pVOID p_scratch_in);
```

Туре	Name	Size	Description
Input			
const WORD32 *const	p_out_shape	num_out_dims	Output shape vector containing size in each output dimension.
const WORD8 *	p_inp	Product of all dims in p_inp_shape	Input vector, asym8s
const WORD32 *const	p_inp_shape	num_inp_dims	Input shape vector containing size in each input dimension.
const WORD32 *	p_axis	num_axis_dims	Axis vector, contains dimensions for reduce operation
WORD32	num_out_dims		Number of output dimension
WORD32	num_inp_dims		Number of input dimension
WORD32	num_axis_dims		Number of axis dimension
WORD32	inp_zero_bias		Zero offset of input
WORD32	out_multiplier		Multiplier value of output
WORD32	out_shift		Shift value of output
WORD32	out_zero_bias		Zero offset of output
pVOID	p_scratch	<pre>xa_nn_reduce_ge tsize_nhwc()</pre>	Scratch memory pointer
Output			
WORD8 *	p_out	Product of all dims in p_out_shape	Output vector, asym8s

Returns

- 0: no error
- -1: error, invalid parameters

Restrictions:

Arguments	Restrictions
reduce_ops	Should be REDUCE_MAX or REDUCE_MEAN.
p_inp,p_axis,p_out,p_inp_	Aligned on (size of one element)-byte boundary
shape,p_out_shape	
	Cannot be NULL and cannot overlap
num_inp_dims,	Should be more than 0 and less than equal to 4.
num_out_dims,	·
num_axis_dims	Shouldn't be less than 0 and more than 4.
p_axis	The axis values should be between 0 and
	(num_inp_dims - 1).
p_inp_shape,p_out_shape	The shape values should be greater than 0.



p_out_shape	The output length i.e the product of all the shape values must be <= 127.
inp_zero_bias out_zero_bias	{-128,127} for asym8s
out_multiplier	Greater than 0
out_shift	{-31,, 31}



4. HiFi 5 NN Library – Layers

This section explains the APIs of each layer implementation in the NN library. All the layers conform to the "generic NN Layer API" and flow explained in Section 2.

The NN library is a single archive containing all layers and low-level kernels implementations. Each layer has its own header file that defines the APIs specific to the layer. The following sections explain each layer in detail.

Note

This version of the library supports GRU, LSTM, and CNN layers.

4.1 GRU Layer

The GRU APIs are defined in xa_nnlib_gru_api.h. Refer to the overall signal flow diagram of GRU in 11.

4.1.1GRU Layer Specification

GRU layer implements the following input-output equations 11:

```
 \begin{split} z_t &= sigmoid(W_z * x_t + U_z * prev-h + b_z) \\ r_t &= sigmoid(W_r * x_t + U_r * prev-h + b_r) \\ g &= \tanh(W_h * x_t + U_h * (r_t \cdot prev-h) + b_h) \\ y_t &= h_t = z_t \cdot g + (1 - z_t) \cdot prev-h \\ prev-h &= h_t \end{split}
```

 x_t : input vector y_t , h_t : output vector W, U: weight matrices

prev-h: previous output vector

 z_t : update gate vector r_t : reset gate vector b: bias vectors



4.1.2Error Codes Specific to GRU

Other than common error codes explained in Section 2.3, the GRU layer may also report the following error codes, which may be generated during the initialization stage.

- XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IN_FEATS³
 Number of input features is not supported
- XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_OUT_FEATS
 Number of output features is not supported
- XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PRECISION
 I/O precision is not supported
- XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_COEFF_QFORMAT
 Number of fractional bits for coefficients is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IO_QFORMAT
 Number of fractional bits for input-output is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_MEMBANK_PADDING
 Membank padding should be 0 or 1.
- XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_ID
 Parameter identifier (param_id) is not valid

The following error codes may be generated during the execution stage.

- XA_NNLIB_GRU_EXECUTE_FATAL_INSUFFICIENT_DATA
 Input data passed in is insufficient
- XA_NNLIB_GRU_EXECUTE_FATAL_INSUFFICIENT_OUTPUT_BUFFER_ SPACE
 - Output Buffer Size is not sufficient

³ FEATS := features



4.1.3API Functions Specific to GRU

4.1.3.1 Query Functions

Table 4-1 GRU Get Persistent Size Function

F (1			
Function	xa_nnlib_gru_get_persistent_fast		
Syntax	<pre>Int32 xa_nnlib_gru_get_persistent_fast(</pre>		
	<pre>xa_nnlib_gru_init_config_t *config)</pre>		
Description	Returns persistent memory size in bytes required by GRU layer.		
Parameters	Input: config		
	Initial configuration parameters (see Table 4-7).		
Errors	If return value is less than 0, then it is an error. Following are the possible error codes:		
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC		
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IN_FEATS		
	Number of input features is not supported		
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IN_FEATS		
	Number of output features is not supported		
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PRECISION		
	I/O precision is not supported		
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_COEFF_ QFORMAT		
	Number of fractional bits for coefficients is not supported.		
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IO_ QFORMAT		
	Number of fractional bits for input-output is not supported.		



Table 4-2 GRU Get Scratch Size Function

Function			
	xa_nnlib_gru_get_scratch_fast		
Syntax	<pre>Int32 xa_nnlib_gru_get_scratch_fast(</pre>		
	<pre>xa_nnlib_gru_init_config_t *config)</pre>		
Description	Returns scratch memory size in bytes required by GRU layer.		
Parameters	Input: config		
	Initial configuration parameters (see Table 4-7).		
Errors	If return value is less than 0, then it is an error. Following are the possible error codes:		
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC		
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IN_FEATS		
	Number of input features is not supported		
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IN_FEATS		
	Number of output features is not supported		
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PRECISION		
	I/O precision is not supported		
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_COEFF_ QFORMAT		
	Number of fractional bits for coefficients is not supported		
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IO_ QFORMAT		
	Number of fractional bits for input-output is not supported		



4.1.3.2 Initialization Stage

Table 4-3 GRU Init Function

Function	xa_nnlib_gru_init				
Syntax	Int32				
	xa_nnlib_gru_init (
	xa_nnlib_handle_t handle,				
	xa_nnlib_gru_init_config_t *config)				
Description	Reset the GRU Layer API handle into its initial state. Set up the GRU Layer to the specified initial configuration parameters. This function sets prev_h vector to 0; the user can put the desired values in prev_h by using set config XA_NNLIB_GRU_RESTORE_CONTEXT (refer to Table 4-11 for more information).				
Parameters	Input: handle				
	Pointer to the component persistent memory. This is the opaque handle.				
	Required size: see xa_nnlib_gru_get_persistent_fast.				
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.				
	Input: config				
	Initial configuration parameters (see Table 4-7). Note that the initial				
	configuration parameters <i>must</i> be identical to those passed to query functions.				
Errors	If the return value is not XA_NNLIB_NO_ERROR, it implies that the function has encountered one of the following errors:				
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC				
	One of the pointers is invalid.				
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALIGN				
	One of the pointers is not properly aligned.				
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IN_FEATS				
	Number of input features is not supported				
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IN_FEATS				
	Number of output features is not supported				
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PRECISION				
	I/O precision is not supported.				
	 XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_COEFF_QFORMAT 				
	Number of fractional bits for coefficients is not supported.				
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IO_QFORMAT				
	Number of fractional bits for input-output is not supported.				



4.1.3.3 Execution Stage

Table 4-4 GRU Execution Function

Function	xa_nnlib_gru_process			
Syntax	Int32 xa_nnlib_gru_process(
	xa_nnlib_handle_t handle,			
	void *scratch,			
	void *input,			
	void *output,			
	xa_nnlib_shape_t *p_in_shape,			
.	xa_nnlib_shape_t *p_out_shape)			
Description	Processes one input shape to generate one output shape.			
Parameters	Input: handle			
	The opaque component handle.			
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.			
	Input: scratch			
	·			
	A pointer to the scratch buffer.			
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.			
	Input: input			
	A pointer to the input buffer. Input buffer contains input data.			
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.			
	Output: output			
	A pointer to the output buffer. Output is written to output buffer.			
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.			
	Input/Output: p_in_shape			
	Pointer to the shape containing input buffer dimensions. Contains			
	the length of input data passed to GRU layer.			
	Required alignment: 4 bytes.			
	Required alignment. 4 bytes.			
	Input/Output: p_out_shape			
	Pointer to the shape for output buffer dimensions. On return,			
	*p_out_shape is filled with the length of output generated by HiFi			
	GRU Layer.			
	Required alignment: 4 bytes.			
Errors				
LIIJIJ	If the return value is not XA_NNLIB_NO_ERROR, it implies that			
	the function has encountered one of the following errors:			
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC			
	One of the pointers is NULL.			
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALIGN			
	One of the pointers is not properly aligned.			



	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_INVALID_SHAPE
	Either input or output shape is invalid.
•	XA_NNLIB_GRU_EXECUTE_FATAL_INSUFFICIENT_ DATA
	Input data passed in insufficient.
•	XA_NNLIB_GRU_EXECUTE_FATAL_INSUFFICIENT_ OUTPUT_BUFFER_SPACE
	Output buffer size is not sufficient.

Table 4-5 GRU Set Parameter Function Details

Function	xa_nnlib_gru_set_config			
Syntax	Int32			
	xa_nnlib_gru_set_config (
	xa_nnlib_handle_t handle,			
	<pre>xa_nnlib_gru_param_id_t param_id,</pre>			
	void *params)			
Description	Sets the parameter specified by param_id to the value passed in the buffer pointed to by params.			
Parameters	Input: handle			
	The opaque component handle.			
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.			
	Input: param_id			
	Identifies the parameter to be written. Refer to Table 4-11 for the list of supported parameters.			
	Input: params			
	A pointer to a buffer that contains the parameter value.			
	Required alignment: 4 bytes.			
Errors	If the return value is not XA_NNLIB_NO_ERROR, it implies that function has encountered one of the following errors:			
	 XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC One of the pointers (handle or params) is NULL. 			
	 XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALIGN One of the pointers (handle or params) is not aligned correctly. XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_ID Parameter identifier (param_id) is not valid. 			



Table 4-6 GRU Get Parameter Function Details

Function	xa_nnlib_gru_get_config			
Syntax	Int32 xa_nnlib_gru_get_config (
	xa_nnlib_handle_t handle,			
	xa_nnlib_gru_param_id_t param_id,			
	void *params)			
Description	Gets the value of the parameter specified by param_id in the buffer pointed to by params.			
Parameters	Input: handle			
	The opaque component handle.			
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.			
	 Input: param_id			
	Identifies the parameter to be read. Refer to Table 4-11 for the list			
	of supported parameters.			
	Output: params A pointer to a buffer that is filled with the parameter value when the			
	function returns.			
	Required alignment: 4 bytes.			
Errors				
Lifors	If the return value is not XA_NNLIB_NO_ERROR, it implies that function has encountered one of the following errors:			
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC			
	One of the pointers (handle or params) is NULL.			
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALIGN			
	One of the pointers (handle or params) is not aligned correctly.			
	XA_NNLIB_GRU_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_ID			
	Parameter identifier (param_id) is not valid.			



4.1.4Structures Specific to GRU

Table 4-7 GRU Config Structure xa_nnlib_gru_init_config_t

Element Type	Element Name	Range	Default	Description
Int32	in_feats	4-2048	256	Number of input features (must be multiple of 4)
Int32	out_feats	4-2048	256	Number of output features (must be multiple of 4)
Int32	pad	0, 1	1	Padding 16 bytes for HiFi 5
Int32	mat_prec	8, 16	16	Matrix input precision
Int32	vec_prec	16	16	Vector input precision
xa_nnlib_gru _precision_t	precision	XA_NNLIB_ GRU_ 16bx16b, XA_NNLIB_ GRU_ 8bx16b	XA_NNLIB_ GRU_16bx16b	Coef and I/O precision. Note: Current library supports only 16bx16b and 8bx16b precision for GRU
Int16	coeff_Qformat	0-15	15	Number of fractional bits for weights and biases
Int16	io_Qformat	0-15	12	Number of fractional bits for input and output

Table 4-8 xa_nnlib_gru_weights_t Parameter Type

Element Type	Element Name	Range	Default	Description
coeff_t *	W_Z	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix w_z.
xa_nnlib_ shape_t	shape_w_z	NA	NA	Shape information about w_z.
coeff_t *	u_z	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix u_z.
xa_nnlib_ shape_t	shape_u_z	NA	NA	Shape information about u_z.
coeff_t *	w_r	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix w_r.
xa_nnlib_ shape_t	shape_w_r	NA	NA	Shape information about w_r.
coeff_t *	u_r	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix u_r.
xa_nnlib_ shape_t	shape_u_r	NA	NA	Shape information about u_r.
coeff_t *	w_h	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix w_h.
xa_nnlib_ shape_t	shape_w_h	NA	NA	Shape information about w_h.
coeff_t *	u_h	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix u_h.
xa_nnlib_ shape_t	shape_u_h	NA	NA	Shape information about u_h.



Table 4-9 xa_nnlib_gru_biases_t Parameter Type

Element Type	Element Name	Range	Default	Description		
coeff_t *	b_z	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix b_z.		
xa_nnlib_	shape_b_z	NA	NA	Shape information about b_z.		
shape_t						
coeff_t *	b_r	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix b_r.		
xa_nnlib_	shape_b_r	NA	NA	Shape information about b_r.		
shape_t						
coeff_t *	b_h	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix b_h.		
xa_nnlib_	shape_b_h	NA	NA	Shape information about b_h.		
shape_t						

Note GRU requires all weight matrices' and bias vectors' pointers to be 8 bytes aligned.

4.1.5Enums Specific to GRU

Table 4-10 Enum xa_nnlib_gru_precision_t

Element	Description				
XA_NNLIB_GRU_16bx16b	Coef: 16 bits, I/O: 16 bits Fixed Point				
XA_NNLIB_GRU_8bx16b	Coef: 8 bits, I/O: 16 bits Fixed Point				
XA_NNLIB_GRU_8bx8b	Not supported				
XA_NNLIB_flt16xflt16	Not supported				

Note Currently, GRU only supports XA_NNLIB_GRU_16bx16b, XA_NNLIB_GRU_8bx16b precision setting.

Table 4-11 describes parameter IDs for parameters supported by GRU. It contains the following columns:

- Parameter ID: Parameter identifier (param_id).
- Value type: A pointer (params) to a variable of this type is to be passed.
- RW: Indicates whether the parameter can be read (get) and/or written (set).
- Range: Indicates valid values of the parameter.
- Default: Default value of the parameter
- Description: Brief description of the parameter.



Table 4-11 GRU Specific Parameters

Parameter ID	Value Type	RW	Range	Default	Description
XA_NNLIB_GRU_RESTORE_CONTEXT	vect_t []	RW	NA	NA	Set previous output. This can be used to set prev_h to specific context (size should be equal to number of output features). Upon set config, the buffer passed is copied to persistent memory; upon get config, it returns the prev_h state in the given buffer.
XA_NNLIB_GRU_WEIGHT	xa_nnli b_gru_ weights _t	RW	NA	NA	Weight matrices, pointers to weight matrices along with shape information must be passed via xa_nnlib_gru_weights_t structure for set config. Upon get config, it returns pointers to weight matrices along with their shape information in same structure.
XA_NNLIB_GRU_BIAS	xa_nnli b_gru_ biases_ t	RW	NA	NA	Bias vectors, pointers to bias vectors along with shape information must be passed via xa_nnlib_gru_biases_t structure for set config. Upon get config, it returns pointers to bias vectors along with their shape information in same structure.
XA_NNLIB_GRU_INPUT_SHAPE	xa_nnli b_shape _t	R	NA	NA	Input shape information, get information of the input shape expected by the layer.
XA_NNLIB_GRU_OUTPUT_SHAPE	xa_nnli b_shape _t	R	NA	NA	Output shape information, get information of the output shape expected by layer.

4.2 LSTM Layer

The LSTM APIs are defined in xa_nnlib_lstm_api.h.

4.2.1LSTM Layer Specification

The LSTM layer implements the following forward path input-output equations:

```
\begin{split} f_f &= sigmoid \big(w_{xf} * frame_f + prev-h * w_{hf} + b_f \big) \\ i_f &= sigmoid \big(w_{xi} * frame_f + prev-h * w_{hi} + b_i \big) \\ c-hat_f &= \tanh(w_{xc} * frame_f + prev-h * w_{hc} + b_c ) \\ c_f &= f_f.prev-c + i_f * c-hat_f \\ o_f &= sigmoid \big(w_{xo} * frame_f + prev-h * w_{ho} + b_o \big) \\ h_f &= o_f * \tanh(c_f) \end{split}
```

 i_f : input gate prev-h: previous output vector h_t : output vector prev-c: previous cell output $c-hat_f$: intermediate cell state vector f_f : forget gate $frame_f$: Input vector f_f : cell state vector f_f : weight matrices of input f_f : weight matrices of recurrent connections

4.2.2 Error Codes Specific to LSTM

Other than common error codes explained in Section 2.3, the LSTM layer may also report the following error codes, which may be generated during the initialization stage:

- XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IN_FEATS⁴
 Number of input features is not supported
- XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_OUT_FEATS
 Number of output features is not supported
- XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PRECISION
 I/O precision is not supported
- XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_COEFF_QFORMAT
 Number of fractional bits for coefficients is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_CELL_QFORMAT
 Number of fractional bits for cells is not supported

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⁴ FEATS: = features



- XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IO_QFORMAT
 Number of fractional bits for input-output is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_MEMBANK_PADDING
 Membank padding should be 0 or 1.
- XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_ID
 Parameter identifier (param_id) is not valid

The following error codes may be generated during the execution stage.

- XA_NNLIB_LSTM_EXECUTE_FATAL_INSUFFICIENT_DATA
 Input data passed in insufficient
- XA_NNLIB_LSTM_EXECUTE_FATAL_INSUFFICIENT_OUTPUT_BUFFER_ SPACE

Output Buffer Size is not sufficient



4.2.3 API Functions Specific to LSTM

4.2.3.1 Query Functions

Table 4-12 LSTM Get Persistent Size Function

xa_r	cm_get_persistent_fast (nnlib_lstm_init_config_t *config) ory size in bytes required by LSTM layer.
Description Returns persistent mem	ory size in bytes required by LSTM layer.
Description Returns persistent mem	ory size in bytes required by LSTM layer.
Parameters Input: config	(/ Talle 4.40)
	meters (see Table 4-18).
Errors If return value is less that codes:	an 0 then it is an error. Following are the possible error
■ XA_NNLIB_FA ⁻	ΓAL_MEM_ALLOC
■ XA_NNLIB_LST	M_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IN_FEATS
Number of inpu	features is not supported
■ XA_NNLIB_LS1	M_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_OUT_FEATS
Number of outp	ut features is not supported
■ XA_NNLIB_LST	M_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PRECISION
I/O precision is	not supported
■ XA_NNLIB_LS1	M_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_COEFF_QFORMAT
Number of fract	ional bits for coefficients is not supported.
■ XA_NNLIB_LST	M_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_CELL_QFORMAT
Number of fract	ional bits for cells is not supported
■ XA_NNLIB_LST	M_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IO_QFORMAT
Number of fract	ional bits for input-output is not supported.
■ XA_NNLIB_LST PADDING	M_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_MEMBANK_
Membank padd	ing should be 0 or 1.



Table 4-13 LSTM Get Scratch Size Function

Function	xa_nnlib_lstm_get_scratch_fast			
Syntax	Int32 xa_nnlib_lstm_get_scratch_fast (
	<pre>xa_nnlib_lstm_init_config_t *config)</pre>			
Description	Returns scratch memory size in bytes required by LSTM layer.			
Parameters	Input: config Initial configuration parameters (see Table 4-18).			
Errors	If return value is less than 0 then it is an error, the possible error codes are:			
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC			
	XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IN_FEATS			
	Number of input features is not supported			
	XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_OUT_FEATS			
	Number of output features is not supported			
	XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PRECISION			
	I/O precision is not supported			
	XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_COEFF_QFORMAT			
	Number of fractional bits for coefficients is not supported.			
	XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_CELL_QFORMAT			
	Number of fractional bits for cells is not supported			
	XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IO_QFORMAT			
	Number of fractional bits for input-output is not supported.			
	XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_MEMBANK_ PADDING			
	Membank padding should be 0 or 1.			



4.2.3.2 Initialization Stage

Table 4-14 LSTM Init Function

Function	xa_nnlib_lstm_init						
Syntax	Int32						
	xa_nnlib_lstm_init (
	xa_nnlib_handle_t handle,						
	xa_nnlib_lstm_init_config_t *config)						
Description	Reset the LSTM layer API handle into its initial state. Set up the LSTM layer to the specified initial configuration parameters. This function sets prev_h vector and prev_c vector to 0; the user can put the desired values in prev_h and prev_c by using set config XA_NNLIB_LSTM_RESTORE_CONTEXT_OUTPUT and XA_NNLIB_LSTM_RESTORE_CONTEXT_CELL respectively (refer to Table 4-22 for more information).						
Parameters	Input: handle						
	Pointer to the component persistent memory. This is the opaque handle. Required size: see xa_nnlib_lstm_get_persistent_fast.						
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.						
	Input: config Initial configuration parameters (see Table 4-18). Note that the initial configuration parameters MUST be identical to those passed to query functions.						
Errors	If the return value is not XA_NNLIB_NO_ERROR, it implies that the function has encountered one of the following errors:						
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC						
	One of the pointers is invalid.						
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALIGN						
	One of the pointers is not properly aligned.						
	XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IN_FEATS						
	Number of input features is not supported						
	XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_OUT_FEATS						
	Number of output features is not supported						
	XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PRECISION						
	I/O precision is not supported						
	XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_COEFF_QFORMAT						
	Number of fractional bits for coefficients is not supported.						



XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_CELL_QFORMAT
 Number of fractional bits for cells is not supported
 XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_IO_QFORMAT
 Number of fractional bits for input-output is not supported
 XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_MEMBANK_
 PADDING
 Membank padding should be 0 or 1.

4.2.3.3 Execution Stage

Table 4-15 LSTM Execution Function

Syntax Int32 xa_nnlib_lstm_process (xa_nnlib_lstm_process		
Parameters Input: handle The opaque component handle. Required alignment: 8 bytes. Input: scratch A pointer to the scratch buffer. Required alignment: 8 bytes.			
The opaque component handle. Required alignment: 8 bytes. Input: scratch A pointer to the scratch buffer. Required alignment: 8 bytes.			
A pointer to the input buffer. Input buffer contains input data. Required alignment: 8 bytes. Output: output A pointer to the output buffer. Output is written to the output buffer. Required alignment: 8 bytes. Input/Output: p_in_shape Pointer to the shape containing input buffer dimensions. Contains the length of input data passed to LSTM layer. Required alignment: 4 bytes. Input/Output: p_out_shape			



,	Pointer to the shape for output buffer dimensions. On return, *p_out_shape is filled with the length of output generated by HiFi LSTM layer. Required alignment: 4 bytes.			
	If the return value is not XA_NNLIB_NO_ERROR, it implies that the function has encountered one of the following errors: XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC One of the pointers is NULL. XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALIGN One of the pointers is not having proper alignment. XA_NNLIB_FATAL_INVALID_SHAPE Either input or output shape is invalid. XA_NNLIB_LSTM_EXECUTE_FATAL_INSUFFICIENT_DATA Input data passed in insufficient XA_NNLIB_LSTM_EXECUTE_FATAL_INSUFFICIENT_OUTPUT_ BUFFER_SPACE Output Buffer Size is not sufficient			



Table 4-16 LSTM Set Parameter Function Details

Function	xa_nnlib_lstm_set_config					
Syntax	Int32					
,	 xa_nnlib_lstm_set_config (
	xa_nnlib_handle_t handle,					
	xa_nnlib_lstm_param_id_t param_id,					
	void *params)					
Description	Sets the parameter specified by param_id to the value passed in the buffer pointed to by params.					
Parameters	Input: handle					
	The opaque component handle.					
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.					
	Input: param_id					
	Identifies the parameter to be written. Refer to Table 4-11 for the list of supported parameters.					
	Input: params					
	A pointer to a buffer that contains the parameter value.					
	Required alignment: 4 bytes.					
Errors	If the return value is not XA_NNLIB_NO_ERROR, it implies that the function has encountered one of the following errors:					
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC					
	One of the pointers (handle or params) is NULL.					
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALIGN					
	One of the pointers (handle or params) is not aligned correctly.					
	XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_ID					
	Parameter identifier (param_id) is not valid.					



Table 4-17 LSTM Get Parameter Function Details

Function	xa_nnlib_lstm_get_config						
Syntax	Int32 xa_nnlib_lstm_get_config (
	xa_nnlib_handle_t handle,						
	xa_nnlib_lstm_param_id_t param_id,						
	void *params)						
Description	Gets the value of the parameter specified by param_id in the buffer pointed to by params.						
Parameters	Input: handle						
	The opaque component handle.						
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.						
	Input: param_id						
	Identifies the parameter to be read. Refer to Table 4-11 for the list of						
	supported parameters.						
	Output: params						
	A pointer to a buffer that is filled with the parameter value when the						
	function returns.						
	Required alignment: 4 bytes.						
Errors	If the return value is not XA_NNLIB_NO_ERROR, it implies that the function has encountered one of the following errors:						
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC						
	One of the pointers (handle or params) is NULL.						
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALIGN						
	One of the pointers (handle or params) is not aligned correctly.						
	XA_NNLIB_LSTM_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_ID						
	Parameter identifier (param_id) is not valid.						



4.2.4 Structures Specific to LSTM

Table 4-18 LSTM Config Structure xa_nnlib_lstm_init_config_t

Element Type	Element Name	Range	Default	Description
Int32	in_feats	4-2048	256	Number of input features (must be multiple of 4)
Int32	out_feats	4-2048	256	Number of output features (must be multiple of 4)
Int32	pad	0, 1	1	Padding 16 bytes for HiFi 5 DSP
Int32	mat_prec	8, 16	16	Matrix input precision
Int32	vec_prec	16	16	Vector input precision
xa_nnlib_lst m_precision_ t	precision	XA_NNLIB_LSTM _16bx16b, XA_NNLIB_LSTM _8bx16b	XA_NNLIB_LST M_16bx16b	Coef and I/O precision. Note: The current library supports only 16bx16b and 8bx16b precision for LSTM.
Int16	coeff_Qfo rmat	0-15	15	Number of fractional bits for weights and biases
Int16	cell_Qfor mat	0-26		Number of fractional bits for cells.
Int16	io_Qforma t	0-15	12	Number of fractional bits for input and output

Table 4-19 xa_nnlib_lstm_weights_t Parameter Type

Element Type	Element Name	Range	Default	Description
coeff_t *	w_xf	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix w_xf.
xa_nnlib_	shape_w_xf	NA	NA	Shape information about w_xf.
shape_t				
coeff_t *	w_xi	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix w_xi.
xa_nnlib_	shape_w_xi	NA	NA	Shape information about w_xi.
shape_t				
coeff_t *	W_XC	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix w_xc.
xa_nnlib_	shape_w_xc	NA	NA	Shape information about w_xc.
shape_t				
coeff_t *	W_XO	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix w_xo.
xa_nnlib_	shape_w_xo	NA	NA	Shape information about w_xo.
shape_t				
coeff_t *	w_hf	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix w_hf.
xa_nnlib_	shape_w_hf	NA	NA	Shape information about w_hf.
shape_t				
coeff_t *	w_hi	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix w_hi.

Element Type	Element Name	Range	Default	Description
xa_nnlib_	shape_w_hi	NA	NA	Shape information about w_hi.
shape_t				
coeff_t *	w_hc	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix w_hc.
xa_nnlib_	shape_w_hc	NA	NA	Shape information about w_hc.
shape_t				
coeff_t *	w_ho	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix w_ho.
xa_nnlib_	shape_w_ho	NA	NA	Shape information about w_ho.
shape_t				

Table 4-20 xa_nnlib_lstm_biases_t Parameter Type

Element Type	Element Name	Range	Default	Description
coeff_t *	b_f	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix b_f.
xa_nnlib_shape_t	shape_b_f	NA	NA	Shape information about b_f.
coeff_t *	b_i	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix b_i.
xa_nnlib_shape_t	shape_b_i	NA	NA	Shape information about b_i.
coeff_t *	b_c	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix b_c.
xa_nnlib_shape_t	shape_b_c	NA	NA	Shape information about b_c.
coeff_t *	b_0	NA	NA	Pointer to coefficient matrix b_o.
xa_nnlib_shape_t	shape_b_o	NA	NA	Shape information about b_o.

Note LSTM requires all weight matrices' and bias vectors' pointers to be 8 bytes aligned.

4.2.5 Enums Specific to LSTM

Table 4-21 Enum xa_nnlib_lstm_precision_t

Element	Description
XA_NNLIB_LSTM_16bx16b	Coef: 16 bits, I/O: 16 bits Fixed Point
XA_NNLIB_LSTM_8bx16b	Coef: 8 bits, I/O: 16 bits Fixed Point
XA_NNLIB_LSTM_8bx8b	Not supported
XA_NNLIB_flt16xflt16	Not supported

Note Currently, LSTM only supports the XA_NNLIB_LSTM_16bx16b, XA_NNLIB_LSTM_8bx16b precision setting.



Table 4-22 describes parameter IDs for parameters supported by LSTM. It contains the following columns:

- Parameter ID: Parameter identifier (param_id).
- Value type: A pointer (params) to a variable of this type is to be passed.
- RW: Indicates whether the parameter can be read (get) and/or written (set).
- Range: Indicates valid values of the parameter.
- Default: Default value of the parameter.
- Description: Brief description of the parameter.

Table 4-22 LSTM Specific Parameters

Parameter ID	Value Type	RW	Range	Default	Description
XA_NNLIB_LSTM_RESTORE_	vect_t []	RW	NA	NA	Set previous output. This can be used
CONTEXT_OUTPUT					to set prev_h to specific context (size should be equal to number of output features). Upon set config, the buffer passed is copied to persistent memory; upon get config, it returns the prev_h state in the given buffer.
XA_NNLIB_LSTM_RESTORE_ CONTEXT_CELL	vect_t []	RW	NA	NA	Set previous cell state. This can be used to set prev_c to specific cell context (size should be equal to number of output features). Upon set config, the buffer passed is copied to persistent memory; upon get config, it returns the prev_c state in the given buffer.
XA_NNLIB_LSTM_WEIGHT	xa_nnlib_ lstm_ weights_t	RW	NA	NA	Weight matrices, pointers to weight matrices along with shape information needs to be passed via xa_nnlib_lstm_weights_t structure for set config. Upon get config, it returns pointers to weight matrices along with their shape information in same structure.
XA_NNLIB_LSTM_BIAS	xa_nnlib_ lstm_ biases_t	RW	NA	NA	Bias vectors, pointers to bias vectors along with shape information needs to be passed via xa_nnlib_lstm_biases_t structure for set config. Upon get config, it returns pointers to bias vectors along with their shape information in same structure.
XA_NNLIB_LSTM_INPUT_ SHAPE	xa_nnlib_ shape_t	R	NA	NA	Input shape information, get information of the input shape expected by the layer.
A_NNLIB_LSTM_OUTPUT_ SHAPE	xa_nnlib_ shape_t	R	NA	NA	Output shape information, get information of the output shape expected by layer.



4.3 CNN Layer

The CNN APIs are defined in xa_nnlib_cnn_api.h.

4.3.1CNN Layer Specification

The CNN layer implements Standard 2D Convolution, Standard 1D Convolution, and Depthwise Separable 2D Convolution. Refer to the equations in Section 3.2.1 for Standard 2D Convolution, Section 3.2.2 for Standard 1D Convolution, and Section 3.2.4 for Depthwise Separable 2D Convolution.

4.3.2 Error Codes Specific to CNN

Other than common error codes explained in Section 2.3, the CNN layer may also report the following error codes, which may be generated during the initialization stage.

- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_ALGO
 Algorithm is not supported
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PRECISION
 I/O precision is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_BIAS_SHIFT
 Value of Bias shift is not supported
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_ACC_SHIFT
 Value of Accumulator shift is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_STRIDE
 Value of strides is not supported
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PADDING
 Value of padding is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_INPUT_SHAPE
 Input shape dimension is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_OUTPUT_SHAPE
 Out shape dimension is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_KERNEL_SHAPE
 Kernel shape dimension is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_BIAS_SHAPE
 Bias shape dimension is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_ID
 Parameter identifier (param_id) is not valid



XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_COMBINATION
 Parameter combination (param_id) is not valid

The following error codes may be generated during the execution stage.

XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_INPUT_SHAPE
 Input shape passed during execution does not match with the input shape passed during initialization

4.3.3 API Functions Specific to CNN

4.3.3.1 Query Functions

Table 4-23 CNN Get Persistent Size Function

Function	xa_nnlib_cnn_get_persistent_fast					
Syntax	Int32 xa_nnlib_cnn_get_persistent_fast (
	xa_nnlib_cnn_init_config_t *config)					
Description	Returns persistent memory size in bytes required by CNN layer.					
Parameters	Input: config					
	Initial configuration parameters (see Table 4-29).					
Errors	If return value is less than 0, then it is an error. Following are the possible error codes:					
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC					
	XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_ALGO					
	Algorithm is not supported					
	XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PRECISION					
	I/O precision is not supported.					
	XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_BIAS_SHIFT					
	Value of Bias shift is not supported					
	XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_ACC_SHIFT					
	Value of Accumulator shift is not supported.					
	XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_STRIDE					
	Value of strides is not supported					
	XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PADDING					
	Value of padding is not supported.					



XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_INPUT_SHAPE Input shape dimension is not supported.
 XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_OUTPUT_SHAPE Out shape dimension is not supported.
 XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_KERNEL_SHAPE Kernel shape dimension is not supported.
 XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_BIAS_SHAPE Bias shape dimension is not supported
 XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_ID Parameter identifier (param_id) is not valid
 XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_COMBINATION
 Parameter combination (param_id) is not valid

Table 4-24 CNN Get Scratch Size Function

Function	xa_nnlib_cnn_get_scratch_fast					
Syntax	Int32 xa_nnlib_cnn_get_scratch_fast (
	xa_nnlib_cnn_init_config_t *config)					
Description	Returns scratch memory size in bytes required by CNN layer.					
Parameters	Input: config					
	Initial configuration parameters (see Table 4-29).					
Errors	If return value is less than 0, then it is an error. Following are the possible					
	error codes:					
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC					
	XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_ALGO					
	Algorithm is not supported					
	XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PRECISION					
	I/O precision is not supported.					
	XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_BIAS_SHIFT					
	Value of bias shift is not supported					
	XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_ACC_SHIFT					
	Value of Accumulator shift is not supported.					
	XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_STRIDE					
	Value of strides is not supported					



- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PADDING
 Value of padding is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_INPUT_SHAPE
 Input shape dimension is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_OUTPUT_SHAPE
 Out shape dimension is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_KERNEL_SHAPE
 Kernel shape dimension is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_BIAS_SHAPE
 Bias shape dimension is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_ID
 Parameter identifier (param_id) is not valid
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_ COMBINATION

Parameter combination (param_id) is not valid



4.3.3.2 Initialization Stage

Table 4-25 CNN Init Function

Function	xa_nnlib_cnn_init					
Syntax	int xa_nnlib_cnn_init (
	xa_nnlib_handle_t handle,					
	xa_nnlib_cnn_init_config_t *config)					
Description	Reset the CNN layer API handle into its initial state. Set up the CNN layer to the specified initial configuration parameters.					
Parameters	Input: handle Pointer to the component persistent memory. This is the opaque handle. Required size: see xa_nnlib_cnn_get_persistent_fast. Required alignment: 8 bytes. Input: config Initial configuration parameters (see Table 4-29). Note that the initial configuration parameters must be identical to those passed to query functions.					
Errors	If the return value is not XA_NNLIB_NO_ERROR, it implies that the function has encountered one of the following errors: XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC One of the pointers is invalid. XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALIGN One of the pointers is not properly aligned. XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_ALGO Algorithm is not supported. XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PRECISION I/O precision is not supported. XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_BIAS_SHIFT Value of Bias shift is not supported. XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_ACC_SHIFT Value of Accumulator shift is not supported. XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_STRIDE Value of strides is not supported. XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PADDING Value of padding is not supported.					



- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_INPUT_SHAPE
 Input shape dimension is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_OUTPUT_SHAPE
 Out shape dimension is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_KERNEL_SHAPE
 Kernel shape dimension is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_BIAS_SHAPE
 Bias shape dimension is not supported.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_ID
 Parameter identifier (param_id) is not valid.
- XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_ COMBINATION

Parameter combination (param_id) is not valid.



4.3.3.3 Execution Stage

Table 4-26 CNN Execution Function

Function	xa_nnlib_cnn_process						
Syntax	int xa_nnlib_cnn_process (
_	xa_nnlib_handle_t handle,						
	void *scratch,						
	void *input,						
	void *output,						
	xa_nnlib_shape_t *p_in_shape,						
	xa_nnlib_shape_t *p_out_shape)						
Description	Processes one input shape to generate one output shape.						
Parameters	Input: handle						
	The opaque component handle.						
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.						
	Input: scratch						
	A pointer to the scratch buffer.						
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.						
	Required alignment. o bytes.						
	Input: input						
	· -						
	A pointer to the input buffer. Input buffer contains input data.						
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.						
	Output: output						
	A pointer to the output buffer. Output is written to the output buffer.						
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.						
	Input/Output: p_in_shape						
	Pointer to the shape containing input buffer dimensions. Contains the length						
	of input data passed to the CNN layer.						
	Required alignment: 4 bytes.						
	1,						
	Output: p_out_shape						
	Pointer to the shape for output buffer dimensions. Upon return,						
	*p_out_shape is filled with the length of output generated by the CNN						
	layer.						
	Required alignment: 4 bytes.						
Errors							
	If the return value is not XA_NNLIB_NO_ERROR, it implies that the function						
	has encountered one of the following errors:						
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC						
	One of the pointers is NULL						



XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALIGN
 One of the pointers is not having required alignment

XA_NNLIB_FATAL_INVALID_SHAPE

Input shape passed during execution does not match with the

Input shape passed during execution does not match with the input shape passed during initialization

Table 4-27 CNN Set Parameter Function Details

Function	xa_nnlib_cnn_set_config					
Syntax	int xa_nnlib_cnn_set_config (
	xa_nnlib_handle_t handle,					
	xa_nnlib_cnn_param_id_t param_id,					
	void *params)					
Description	Sets the parameter specified by param_id to the value passed in the buffer pointed to by params.					
Parameters	Input: handle					
	The opaque component handle.					
	Required alignment: 8 bytes.					
	Input: param_id					
	Identifies the parameter to be written. Refer to Table 4-32 for the list of supported parameters.					
	Input: params					
	A pointer to a buffer that contains the parameter value.					
	Required alignment: 4 bytes.					
Errors	If the return value is not XA_NNLIB_NO_ERROR, it implies that the function has encountered one of the following errors:					
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC					
	One of the pointers (handle or params) is NULL.					
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALIGN					
	One of the pointers (handle or params) is not aligned correctly.					
	XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_ID					
	Parameter identifier (param_id) is not valid.					



Table 4-28 CNN Get Parameter Function Details

Function	xa_nnlib_cnn_get_config			
Syntax	<pre>int xa_nnlib_cnn_get_config(xa_nnlib_handle_t handle, xa_nnlib_cnn_param_id_t param_id, void *params)</pre>			
Description	Gets the value of the parameter specified by param_id in the buffer pointed to by params.			
Parameters	Input: handle The opaque component handle. Required alignment: 8 bytes. Input: param_id			
	Identifies the parameter to be read. Refer to Table 4-32 for the list of supported parameters. Output: params A pointer to a buffer that is filled with the parameter value when the			
	nction returns. equired alignment: 4 bytes.			
Errors	If the return value is not XA_NNLIB_NO_ERROR, it implies that the function has encountered one of the following errors:			
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALLOC			
	One of the pointers (handle or params) is NULL.			
	XA_NNLIB_FATAL_MEM_ALIGN			
	One of the pointers (handle or params) is not aligned correctly.			
	XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONFIG_FATAL_INVALID_PARAM_ID			
	Parameter identifier (param_id) is not valid.			



4.3.4 Structures Specific to CNN

Table 4-29 CNN Config Structure xa_nnlib_cnn_init_config_t

Element Type	Element Name	Range	Default	Description		
xa_nnlib_	input_	NA	height = 16	Input shape dimensions		
shape_t	shape		width = 16 channels = 4			
Int32	output_ height	NA 16		Output height		
Int32	output_ width	NA	16	Output width		
Int32	output_ channels	NA	4	Output depth or channels		
Int32	output_ format	0 or 1	0	Output data format 0: SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T 1: SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T		
xa_nnlib_ shape_t	kernel_ std_shape	NA	height = 16 width = 16 channels = 4	Standard 1D/2D Convolution Kernel (Filter) shape dimensions output_channels indicate number of kernels		
xa_nnlib_ shape_t	kernel_ ds_depth_ shape	NA	NA	Depthwise Separable 2D Convolution - Depthwise Kernel (filter) Dimensions		
xa_nnlib_ shape_t	kernel_ds_ point_ shape	NA	NA	Depthwise Separable 2D Convolution - Pointwise Kernel (filter) Dimensions		
xa_nnlib_ shape_t	bias_std_ shape	NA	channels = 4	Standard 1D/2D Convolution Bias dimensions		
xa_nnlib_ shape_t	bias_ds_ depth_ shape	NA	NA	Depthwise Separable 2D Convolution - Depthwise Bias) Dimensions		
xa_nnlib_ shape_t	bias_ds_ point_ shape	NA	NA	Depthwise Separable 2D Convolution – Pointwise Bias Dimensions		
xa_nnlib_cnn _precision_t	precision	XA_NNLIB_ CNN_16bx1 6b, XA_NNLIB_ CNN_8bx16 b, XA_NNLIB_ CNN_8bx8b, XA_NNLIB_ CNN_f32xf3 2	XA_NNLIB_CNN_8b x16b	Kernel (filter), input, output precision setting		
Int32	bias_ shift	-31 to 31	7	Q-format adjustment for bias before addition into accumulator, +/- value - left/right shift		

Element Type	Element Name	Range	Default	Description
Int32	acc_shift	-31 to 31	-7	Q-format adjustment for accumulator before rounding to
				result, +/- value - left/right shift
Int32	channels_	NA	NA	Depthwise Separable 2D
	multiplier			Convolution - channel multiplier.
				(channels_multiplier
				* input_channels) must
				be multiple of 4
Int32	x_padding	NA	2	Left side padding to be added to
				input
Int32	y_padding	NA	2	Top padding to be added to
				input
Int32	x_stride	NA	2	Strides over padded input in
				width dimension
Int32	y_stride	NA	2	Strides over padded input in
				height dimension
xa_nnlib_cnn	algo	NA	XA_NNLIB_CNN_CO	Convolution algorithm
_algo_t			NV2D_STD	

4.3.5 Enums Specific to CNN

Table 4-30 Enum xa_nnlib_cnn_precision_t

Element	Description		
XA_NNLIB_CNN_16bx16b	Coef: 16 bits, I/O: 16 bits fixed point		
XA_NNLIB_CNN_8bx16b	Coef: 8 bits, I/O: 16 bits fixed point		
XA_NNLIB_CNN_8bx8b	Coef: 8 bits, I/O: 8 bits fixed point		
XA_NNLIB_CNN_f32xf32	Coef: single precision float, I/O: single precision float		

Table 4-31 Enum xa_nnlib_cnn_algo_t

Element	Description
XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONV1D_ST	Standard 1D Convolution
XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONV2D_STD	Standard 2D Convolution
XA_NNLIB_CNN_CONV2D_DS	Depthwise Separable 2D Convolution



Table 4-32 describes parameter IDs for parameters supported by CNN. It contains the following columns:

- Parameter ID: Parameter identifier (param_id).
- Value type: A pointer (params) to a variable of this type is to be passed.
- RW: Indicates whether the parameter can be read (get) and/or written (set).
- Range: Indicates valid values of the parameter.
- Default: Default value of the parameter
- Description: Brief description of the parameter.

Table 4-32 CNN Specific Parameters

Parameter ID	Value Type	RW	Range	Default	Description
XA_NNLIB_CNN_KERNEL	vect_t []	RW	NA	NA	Kernel shape information, get or set information of the kernel shape expected by the layer
XA_NNLIB_CNN_BIAS	vect_t []	RW	NA	NA	Bias shape information, get or set information of the bias shape expected by the layer
XA_NNLIB_CNN_INPUT_ SHAPE	xa_ nnlib_ shape_ t	R	NA	NA	Input shape information, get information of the input shape expected by the layer.
XA_NNLIB_CNN_OUTPUT_ SHAPE	xa_ nnlib_ shape_ t	R	NA	NA	Output shape information, get information of the output shape produced by layer.



5.Introduction to the Example Testbench

5.1 Making the Library

If you have source code distribution, you must build the NN library before you can build the testbench. To do so, follow these steps:

- 1. Go to build.
- 2. From the command prompt, enter: xt-make -f makefile clean all install

The NN library xa_nnlib.a will be built and copied to the lib directory.

5.2 Making the Executable

To build the testbenches, follow these steps:

- 1. Go to test/build.
- 2. From the command-line prompt, enter: xt-make -f makefile_testbench_sample clean all

This will build the example testbenches for all the kernels and layers.

The following header files are common and used by all testbenches.

- Testbench header files (test/include)
 - xt_profiler.h
 - cmdline_parser.h
 - file_io.h
 - xt_manage_buffers.h

The following sections describe each low-level kernel and layer testbench.



5.3 Sample Testbench for Matrix X Vector Multiplication Kernels

The NN library Matrix X Vector Multiplication Kernels are provided with a sample testbench application. The supplied testbench consists of the following files:

- Testbench source files (test/src)
 - xa_nn_matXvec_testbench.c

5.3.1 Usage

The NN library Matrix X Vector Multiplication Kernels executable can be run with command-line options as follows.

\$ xt-run [--mem_model] [--turbo] xa_nn_matXvec_test [options]

Following are available options:

Option	Description	Additional Information
-rows	Rows of mat1.	
-cols1	Columns of mat1 and rows of mat2 (Default=32)	Columns of mat1 must be multiple of 4
-cols2	Columns of mat2 (Default=32)	Columns of mat2 must be multiple of 4
-row_stride1	Row stride for mat1(Default=32)	
-row_stride2	Row stride for mat2(Default=32)	
-vec_count	Vec count for Time batching(Default=1)	
-acc_shift	Accumulator shift(Default=-7)	
-bias_shift	Bias shift(Default=7)	
-mat_precision	8, 16, -1(single precision float), -3 (asym8u) or -5 (sym8s); (Default=16)	
-inp_precision	8, 16, -1(single precision float), -3 (asym8u) or -4 (asym8s); (Default=16)	
-out_precision	8, 16, 32, 64 -1(single precision float), -3 (asym8u) or -4 (asym8s); (Default=16)	
-bias_precision	16, 64 -1(single precision float), 32(for quantized 8-bit kernels); (Default=16)	
-membank_padding	0 or 1 (Default=1)	
-frames	Positive number; (Default=2)	
-activation	Sigmoid, tanh, relu or softmax (Default= bypass i.e. no activation for output)	



Option	Description	Additional Information
-write_file	Set to 1 to write input and output vectors to file; (Default=0)	
-read_inp_file_name	Full filename for reading inputs (order - mat1, vec1, mat2, vec2, bias)	
-read_ref_file_name	Full filename for reading reference output	
- write_inp_file_name	Full filename for writing inputs (order - mat1, vec1, mat2, vec2, bias)	
- write_out_file_name	Full filename for writing output	
-verify	Verify output against provided reference	0: Disable, 1: Bit exact match (Default=1)
-batch	Flag to execute time batching kernels	0: Disable, 1: Enable (Default=0)
-fc	Flag to execute fully connected kernels	0: Disable, 1: Enable (Default=0)
-help	Prints help	

If no command line arguments are given, the Matrix X Vector Multiplication Kernels sample testbench runs with default values.

5.4 Sample Testbench for Convolution Kernels

The NN library convolutional kernels are provided with a sample testbench application. The supplied testbench consists of the following files:

- Testbench source files (test/src)
 - xa_nn_conv_testbench.c

5.4.1 Usage

The NN Library convolutional kernels executable can be run with command-line options as follows.

Following are available options:

Option	Description
-input_height	Input height (Default=16)
-input_width	Input width (Default=16)
-input_channels	Input channels (Default=4)
-kernel_height	Kernel height (Default=3)



Option	Description	
-kernel_width	Kernel width (Default=3)	
-out_channels	Out channels (Default=4)	
-channels_multiplier	Channel Multiplier (Default=1)	
-x_stride	Stride in width dimension (Default=2)	
-y_stride	Stride in height dimension (Default=2)	
-x_padding	Left padding in width dimension (Default=2)	
-y_padding	Top padding in height dimension (Default=2)	
-dilation_height	Kernel Dilation factor in height dimension (Default=1)	
-dilation_width	Kernel Dilation factor in width dimension (Default=1)	
-out_height	Output height (Default=16)	
-out_width	Output width (Default=16)	
-bias_shift	Bias shift (Default=7)	
-acc_shift	Accumulator shift (Default=-7)	
-inp_data_format	0 (SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T), 1 (SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T) (Default=1)	
-out_data_format	0 (SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T), 1 (SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T) (Default=0)	
-inp_precision	8, 16, -1(single precision float), -3 (asym8u) or -4 (asym8s); (Default=16)	
-kernel_precision	8, 16, -1(single precision float), -3 (asym8u) or -5 (sym8s); (Default=8)	
-out_precision	8, 16, -1(single precision float), -3 (asym8u) or -4 (asym8s); (Default=16)	
-bias_precision	8, 16, -1(single precision float), 32(for quantized 8-bit kernels) (Default=16)	
-frames	Positive number (Default=2)	
-kernel_name	conv2d_std, conv2d_depth, conv1d_std, dilated_ conv2d_std; (Default= conv2d_std)	
-write_file	Set to 1 to write input and output vectors to file; (Default=0)	
-read_inp_file_name	Full filename for reading inputs (order - input, kernel, bias, (pointwise kernel, pointwise bias for depth separable))	



Option	Description
-read_ref_file_name	Full filename for reading reference output
-write_inp_file_name	Full filename for writing inputs (order - input, kernel, bias, (pointwise kernel, pointwise bias for depth separable))
-write_out_file_name	Full filename for writing output
-verify	Verify output against provided reference; 0: Disable, 1: Bit exact match (Default=1)
-help	Prints help

If no command line arguments are given, the Convolutional Kernels sample testbench runs with default values.



5.5 Sample Testbench for Activation Kernels

The NN library activation kernels are provided with a sample testbench application. The supplied testbench consists of the following files:

- Testbench source files (test/src)
 - xa_nn_activations_testbench.c

5.5.1 **Usage**

The NN library activation kernels executable can be run with command-line options as follows.

\$ xt-run [--mem_model] [--turbo] xa_nn_activation_test [options]

Following are available options:

Option	Description
-num_elements	Number of elements (Default=32)
-relu_threshold	Threshold for relu in Q16.15 (Default= 32768 i.e. =1 in Q16.15)
-inp_precision	8, 16, 32, -1 (single precision float), -3 (asym8u) or -4 (asym8s); (Default=32)
-out_precision	8, 16, 32, -1(single precision float), -3 (asym8u) or -4 (asym8s); (Default=32)
-frames	Positive number (Default=2)
-activation	Sigmoid, tanh, relu, relu_std, relu1, relu6, activation_min_max, softmax, hard_swish or prelu (Default= sigmoid)
-write_file	Set to 1 to write input and output vectors to file; (Default=0)
-read_inp_file_name	Full filename for reading input
-read_ref_file_name	Full filename for reading reference output
- write_inp_file_name	Full filename for writing input
- write_out_file_name	Full filename for writing output
-verify	Verify output against provided reference; 0: Disable, 1: Bit exact match (Default=1)
Quantized 8-bit specific parameters	
-diffmin	Diffmin; Default=-15
-input_left_shift	Input_left_shift; Default=27
-input_multiplier	Input_multiplier; Default=2060158080



Option	Description
-activation_max	asym8u input data activation max; Default=0
-activation_min	asym8u input data activation min; Default=0
-input_range_radius	Sigmoid_asym8u input parameter; Default=128
-zero_point	Sigmoid_asym8u input parameter; Default=0
-inp_zero_bias	Zero bias value for input Default=0
-alpha_zero_bias	Prelu parameter - Zero bias value for alpha Default=0
-alpha_multiplier	Prelu parameter - Multiplier value for alpha Default=0x40000000
-alpha_shift	Prelu parameter - Shift value for alpha Default=0
-reluish_multiplier	Hard Swish parameter - Multiplier value for relu scale Default=0x40000000
-reluish_shift	Hard Swish parameter - Shift value for relu scale Default=0
-out_multiplier	Multiplier value for output Default=0x40000000
-out_shift	Shift value for output Default=0
-out_zero_bias	Zero bias value for output Default=0
-help	Prints help

If no command line arguments are given, the Activation Kernels sample testbench runs with default values.

5.6 Sample Testbench for Pooling Kernels

The NN library pooling kernels are provided with a sample testbench application. The supplied testbench consists of the following files:

- Testbench source files (test/src)
 - xa_nn_pool_testbench.c

5.6.1 **Usage**

The NN library pooling kernels executable can be run with command-line options as follows.

```
$ xt-run [--mem_model] [--turbo] xa_nn_pool_test [options]
```

Following are available options:



Option	Description	
-input_height	Input height (Default=16)	
-input_width	Input width (Default=16)	
-input_channels	Input channels (Default=4)	
-kernel_height	Kernel height (Default=3)	
-kernel_width	Kernel width (Default=3)	
-x_stride	Stride in width dimension (Default=2)	
-y_stride	Stride in height dimension (Default=2)	
-x_padding	Left padding in width dimension (Default=2)	
-y_padding	Top padding in height dimension (Default=2)	
-out_height	Output height (Default=16)	
-out_width	Output width (Default=16)	
-acc_shift	Accumulator shift (Default=-7)	
-inp_data_format	0 (SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T), 1 (SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T) (Default=1)	
-out_data_format	0 (SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T), 1 (SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T) (Default=1)	
-inp_precision	8, 16, -1(single precision float), -3(asym8u) (Default=16)	
-out_precision	8, 16, -1(single precision float), -3(asym8u) (Default=16)	
-frames	Positive number (Default=2)	
-kernel_name	avgpool, maxpool (Default= avgpool)	
-write_file	set to 1 to write input and output vectors to file; (Default=0)	
-read_inp_file_name	Full filename for reading inputs (order - inp)	
-read_ref_file_name	Full filename for reading reference output	
-write_inp_file_name	Full filename for writing inputs (order - inp)	
-write_out_file_name	Full filename for writing output	
-verify	Verify output against provided reference; 0: Disable, 1: Bit exact match (Default=1)	
-help	Prints help	

If no command line arguments are given, the Pooling Kernels sample testbench runs with default values.



5.7 Sample Testbench for Basic Operations Kernels

The NN library basic kernels are provided with a sample testbench application. The supplied testbench consists of the following files:

- Testbench source files (test/src)
 - xa_nn_basic_testbench.c

5.7.1 Usage

The NN library basic kernels executable can be run with command-line options as follows.

\$ xt-run [--mem_model] [--turbo] xa_nn_basic_test [options]

Following are available options:

Option	Description
-io_length	Input/output vector length; Default=1024
-inp_precision	16, -3 (asym8u), -1 (single prec float), -4(asym8s), 1(bool); Default=-1
-out_precision	-3 (asym8u), -1 (single prec float), -4(asym8s), 1(bool); Default=-1
-vec_count	Number of input vectors; Default=1
-frames	Positive number; Default=2
-kernel_name	elm_add, elm_sub, elm_mul, elm_floor, dot_prod, elm_min and elm_max, elm_equal, elm_notequal, elm_greater, elm_greaterequal, elm_less, elm_lessequal, elm_logicaland, elm_logicalor, elm_logicalnot, reduce_max_4D, reduce_mean_4D, elm_min_4D_Bcast, elm_max_4D_Bcast; Default=elem_add
-write_file	Set to 1 to write input and output vectors to file; Default=0
-read_inp1_file_name	Full filename for reading inputs (order - inp)
-read_inp2_file_name	Full filename for reading inputs (order - inp)
-read_ref_file_name	Full filename for reading reference output
-write_inp1_file_name	Full filename for writing inputs (order - inp)



Option	Description	
-write_inp2_file_name	Full filename for writing inputs (order - inp)	
-write out file name	Full filename for writing output	
-verify	Verify output against provided reference; 0: Disable, 1: Bit exact match; Default=1	
-read_inp_shape_str	Takes the input shape dimensions(space ' 'separated) as a string	
-read_out_shape_str	Takes the output shape dimensions(space ' 'separated) as a string	
-read_axis_data_str	Takes the axis data (space ' ' separated) as a string	
Broadcast speci		
-input1_numElements	Number of elements in input	
-input2_numElements	Number of elements in input	
-input1_strides	Input strides	
-input2_strides	Input strides	
Quantized 8-bit sp		
-output_zero_bias	Output zero bias; Default=127	
-output_left_shift	Output_left_shift; Default=1	
-output_multiplier	Output_multiplier; Default=0x7fff	
-output_activation_min	Output_activation_min; Default=0	
-output_activation_max	Output_activation_max; Default = 225	
-input1 zero bias	Input1 zero bias; Default=-127	
-input1_left_shift	Input1 left shift; Default=0	
-input1_multiplier	Input1 multiplier; Default=0x7fff	
-input2_zero_bias	Input2 zero bias; Default=-127	
-input2_left_shift	Input2 left shift; Default=0	
-input2_multiplier	Input2 multiplier; Default=0x7fff	
-left_shift	Global left shift; Default=0	
-h	Prints help	

If no command line arguments are given, the Basic Kernels sample testbench runs with default values.



5.8 Sample Testbench for Normalization Kernels

The NN library Normalization Kernels are provided with a sample testbench application. The supplied testbench consists of the following files:

- Testbench source files (test/src)
 - xa nn norm testbench.c

5.8.1 Usage

The NN library Normalization Kernels executable can be run with command-line options as follows.

Following are available options:

Option	Description
-num elms	Number of elements; Default=256
-inp_precision	-4(asym8s); Default=16
-out_precision	-4(asym8s); Default=16
-frames	Positive number; Default=2
-kernel_name	L2_norm; Default=I2_norm
-zero_point	Input Zero point; Default = 0
-write_file	Set to 1 to write input and output vectors to file; Default=0
-read_inp_file_name	Full filename for reading inputs (order - inp)
-read_ref_file_name	Full filename for reading reference output
-write_inp_file_name	Full filename for writing inputs (order - inp)
-write_out_file_name	Full filename for writing output
-verify	Verify output against provided reference; 0: Disable, 1: Bit exact match; Default=1
-h	Prints help

If no command line arguments are given, the Normalization Kernels sample testbench runs with default values.



5.9 Sample Testbench for GRU Layer

The NN library GRU layer is provided with a sample testbench application. The supplied testbench consists of the following files:

- Testbench source files (test/src)
 - xa_nn_gru_testbench.c

5.9.1 Usage

The NN library GRU executable can be run with command-line options as follows.

Following are available options:

Option	Description	Additional Information
in_feats	Input length (Default=256)	Range: 4-2048 Note: Input length must be multiple of 4
out_feats	Output length (Default=256)	Range: 4-2048 Note: Output length must be multiple of 4
membank_padding	Memory bank padding (Default=1)	Must be 0 or 1
mat_prec	Coefficient precision (Default=16)	Must be 8 or 16
vec_prec	Input precision (Default=16)	Must be 16
verify	Verify output against ref output (Default=1)	Supported values: 0: Disable, 1: Enable
input_file	Input file name	
filter_path	Path where file containing filter are stored	
output_file	File to which output will be written	
prev_h_file	File containing context data	
ref_file	File which has ref output	
-help	Prints help	

If no command line arguments are given, the GRU sample testbench runs with default values.

5.10 Sample Testbench for LSTM Layer

The NN library LSTM layer is provided with a sample testbench application. The supplied testbench consists of the following files:

Testbench source files (test/src)



xa_nn_lstm_testbench.c

5.10.1 Usage

The NN library LSTM executable can be run with command-line options as follows.

Following are available options:

Option	Description	Additional Information
in_feats	Input length (Default=256)	Range: 4-2048 Note: Input length must be multiple of 4
out_feats	Output length (Default=256)	Range: 4-2048 Note: Output length must be multiple of 4
membank_padding	Memory bank padding (Default=1)	Must be 0 or 1
mat_prec	Coefficient precision (Default=16)	Must be 8 or 16
vec_prec	Input precision (Default=16)	Must be 16
verify	Verify output against ref output (Default=1)	Supported values: 0: Disable, 1: Enable
input_file	File containing input shape	
filter_path	Path where file containing filter are stored	
output_file	File to which output will be written	
output_cell_file	File to which cell output will be written	
prev_h_file	File containing context (previous output) data	
prev_c_file	File containing context (previous cell state) data	
ref_file	File which has ref output	
ref_cell_file	File which has ref cell output	
-help	Prints help	

If no command line arguments are given, the LSTM sample testbench runs with default values.

5.11 Sample Testbench for CNN Layer

The NN library CNN layer is provided with a sample testbench application. The supplied testbench consists of the following files:

- Testbench source files (test/src)
 - xa_nn_cnn_testbench.c



5.11.1 Usage

The NN Library CNN executable can be run with command-line options as follows.

\$ xt-run [--mem_model] [--turbo] xa_nn_cnn_test [options]

Following are available options:

Option	Description
-input_height	Input height (Default=16)
-input_width	Input width (Default=16)
-input_channels	Input channels (Default=4)
-kernel_height	Kernel height (Default=3)
-kernel_width	Kernel width (Default=3)
-out_channels	Out channels (Default=4)
-channels_multiplier	Channel Multiplier (Default=1)
-x_stride	Stride in width dimension (Default=2)
-y_stride	Stride in height dimension (Default=2)
-x_padding	Left padding in width dimension (Default=2)
-y_padding	Top padding in height dimension (Default=2)
-out_height	Output height (Default=16)
-out_width	Output width (Default=16)
-bias_shift	Bias shift (Default=7)
-acc_shift	Accumulator shift (Default=-7)
-out_data_format	Output data format, 0 (SHAPE_CUBE_DWH_T), 1 (SHAPE_CUBE_WHD_T); (Default=0)
-inp_precision	8, 16, -1(single precision float); (Default=16)
-kernel_precision	8, 16, -1(single precision float); (Default=8)
-out_precision	8, 16, -1(single precision float); (Default=16)
-bias_precision	8, 16, -1(single precision float); (Default=16)
-frames	Positive number; (Default=2)
-kernel_name	conv2d_std, conv2d_depth, conv1d_std; (Default= conv2d_std)
-write_file	Set to 1 to write input and output vectors to file; (Default=0)



Option	Description
-read_inp_file_name	Full filename for reading inputs (order - input, kernel, bias, (pointwise kernel, pointwise bias for depth separable))
-read_ref_file_name	Full filename for reading reference output
-write_inp_file_name	Full filename for writing inputs (order - input, kernel, bias, (pointwise kernel, pointwise bias for depth separable))
-write_out_file_name	Full filename for writing output
-verify	Verify output against provided reference; 0: Disable, 1: Bit exact match; Default=1
-help	Prints help

If no command line arguments are given, the CNN sample testbench runs with default values.



5.12 Sample Testbench of TF Micro Lite Example

The NN library package contains a sample testbench of the TF Micro Lite example application. This application is based on the Micro Speech Example provided by Google [2] in the TensorFlow GitHub repository (TensorFlow v2.3). It accepts 1 sec wav audio from the input file and outputs the scores for the twelve classes: silence, unknown, yes, no, up, down, left, right, on, off, stop, go. It uses optimized NN Library kernels for the inference as per the network model specified in the application. The TensorFlow Lite model 'low_latency_conv', comprising of one depthwise convolutional layer followed by three fully connected layers is used in this application. The model uses three operations depthwiseConv, FullyConnected and Softmax. The testbench consists of the following files:

- Testbench source files (test/tf_micro_lite)
 - test/src/... The TF Micro Lite application source
 - tensorflow/... Supporting files from the tensorflow package

5.12.1 Usage

The TF Micro Lite example can be run with command-line options as follows.

\$ xt-run [--mem_model] [--turbo] xa_nn_tfulite_test <input-wav-file.wav>
<test result.txt>

Option	Description
<pre><input-wav-file.wav></input-wav-file.wav></pre>	Full filename for reading input
_	wav audio
<test result.txt=""></test>	Output text file for storing the
_	classification score
-help	Shows help

If no command line arguments are given, the sample testbench runs with default values.



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