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Using this manual

Audience and scope

This manual guides you when using the PCIS-DASK software driver for NuDAQ PCI bus data acquisition cards. This manual also describes how to install and use the software library and meet your requirements when creating programs for your software applications.

How this manual is organized

This manual is organized as follows:

Chapter 1 Introduction: This chapter intoduces the PCIS-DASK and lists all DAQ modules and language environments which the program supports.

Chapter 2 Function Classes: This chapter describes the classes of functions which the PCIS-DASK supports.

Chapter 3 Building Applications: This section describes the fundamentals of building PCIS-DASK applications in Windows and Linux.

Chapter 4 Application Hints: This chapter provides the PCIS-DASK programming schemes for various DAQ operations.

Chapter 5 Continuous Data Transfer: This section illustrates the mechanism and techniques that PCIS-DASK uses for continuous data transfer.

Chapter 6 Utilities: This chapter describes the Win32 and PCIS-DASK/X utilities.

Chapter 7 Sample Programs: This chapter provides some PCIS-DASK sample programs for supported module

Chapter 8 Distribution of Applications: This section lists the files, installers, and manual installation procedures needed when distributing your PCIS-DASK-based applications.



Conventions

Take note of the following conventions used throughout the manual to make sure that you perform certain tasks and instructions properly.

NOTE	Additional information, aids, and tips that help you perform particular tasks.
IMPORTANT	Critical information and instructions that you MUST perform to complete a task.
WARNING	Information that prevents physical injury, data loss, module damage, program corruption etc. when trying to complete a particular task.

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1 Introduction

The PCIS-DASK is a software development kit for NuDAQ data acquisition cards utilizing the PCI bus. With high performance data acquisition driver, the PCIS-DASK lets you develop custom applications under Windows® NT/98/2000/XP/Server 2003 and Linux environments

With memory and data buffer management capabilities, the PCIS-DASK gives you freedom from dealing with complex issues and focus more on developing your applications. The PCIS-DASK also implements simple communication with NuDAQ PCI-bus cards, while the easy-to-use functions allow you to utilize all the card's features in a high-level way.

The PCIS-DASK also delivers you the advantage of all the power features of Microsoft[®] Win32 System and Linux for your data acquisition applications, including running multiple applications and using extended memory. The PCIS-DASK's flawless support for Visual Basic environment makes it easy to create custom user interfaces and graphics.

In addition to the software drivers, the PCIS-DASK comes with sample programs for your reference. These sample programs help you develop your applications guickly and conveniently.

1.1 Hardware Support

The PCIS-DASK currently supports the following NuDAQ data acquisition and NuIPC CompactPCI cards:

- ▶ PCI-6202
- ► PCI-6208A/cPCI-6208A
- ▶ PCI-6208V/16V/cPCI-6208V
- ► PCI-6308A
- ▶ PCI-6308V
- ▶ PCI-7200/cPCI-7200
- ▶ PCI-7230/cPCI-7230
- ▶ PCI-7233/PCI-7233H
- ▶ PCI-7234
- ▶ PCI-7224
- ▶ PCI-7248/cPCI-7248
- ▶ cPCI-7249R
- ▶ PCI-7250
- ▶ cPCI-7252
- ▶ PCI-7256
- ▶ PCI-7258
- ▶ PCI-7260
- ▶ PCI-7296
- ▶ PCI-7300A/cPCI-7300A
- ▶ PCI-7348
- ▶ PCI-7350

- ▶ PCI-7396
- ▶ PCI-7432/cPCI-7432
- PCI-7433/cPCI-7433PCI-7434/cPCI-7434
- ▶ cPCI-7432R
- ▶ cPCI-7433R
- ▶ cPCI-7434R
- ▶ PCI-7442
- ▶ PCI-7443
- ▶ PCI-7444
- ▶ cPCI-7452
- ▶ PCI-8554
- ▶ PCI-9111
- ► PCI-9112/cPCI-9112
- ▶ PCI-9113
- ▶ PCI-9114
- ▶ cPCI-9116
- PCI-9118
- ▶ PCI-9221
- ► PCI-9222/9223
- ► PCI-9812/10

NOTE

ADLINK periodically upgrades the PCIS-DASK for new cards/modules. Check the card/modules's Release Notes to know if PCIS-DASK supports it.

1.2 Language Support

The PCIS-DASK is a DLL (Dynamic-Link Library) version for use-with Windows® and Linux environments. It works with any Windows programming language that allows calls to a DLL. These include Microsoft® Visual C/C++ (4.0 or higher versions), Borland C++ (5.0 or higher versions), or Microsoft® Visual Basic (4.0 or higher version). In Linux, it works with any 32-bit compiler, such as gcc.

The PCIS-DASK also comes with a prototype function that supports Borland Delphi 2.x (32-bit) or higher versions.

2 Function Classes

This chapter describes the classes of functions that the PCIS-DASK supports.

All PCIS-DASK functions are grouped into different classes:

- ▶ General Configuration Function Group
- Actual Sampling Rate Function Group
- Analog Input Function Group
 - Analog Input Configuration Functions
 - One-Shot Analog Input Functions
 - Continuous Analog Input Functions
 - Asynchronous Analog Input Monitoring Functions
- ▶ Analog Output Function Group
 - Analog Output Configuration Functions
 - One-Shot Analog Output Functions
 - Continuous Analog Output Functions
 - Asynchronous Analog Output Monitoring Functions
- ▶ Digital Input Function Group
 - Digital Input Configuration Functions
 - One-Shot Digital Input Functions

 - > Asynchronous Digital Input Monitoring Functions
- Digital Output Function Group
 - Digital Output Configuration Functions
 - One-Shot Digital Output Functions

 - Asynchronous Digital Output Monitoring Functions
- ► Timer/Counter Function Group
- ▶ DIO Function Group
 - Digital Input/Output Configuration Functions
 - Dual-Interrupt System Setting Functions

- ► Emergency Shutdown Function Group
- ▶ Watchdog Timer Function Group
- ► Hot-system Reset Hold Function Group
- ► Calibration Function Group
- ▶ SSI Function Group
- ► PWM Function Group
- ▶ Inter-Integrated Circuit (I²C) Function Group
- ► Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI) Function Group

2.1 General Configuration Function Group

These functions initialize and configure data acquisition cards.

Register_Card Initializes the hardware and software

states of a NuDAQ PCI-bus data acquisition card. This function must be called before any other DASK library functions.

Release CardTells the DASK library that the registered

card is not in use and can be released. This function makes room for a new card

to register.

GetCardType Gets the card type of the device with a

specified card index.

GetCardIndexFromID Gets the card type and the sequence

number of the device with a specified

card ID.

GetBaseAddr Gets the I/O base addresses of the

device with a specified card index.

GetLCRAddr Gets the LCR base address (defined by

the PCI controller on board) of the

device with a specified card index.

SetInitPattern Sets the state of the initial or safety-out

pattern.

GetInitPattern Gets the state of relays set by the

onboard switches.

IdentifyLED_Control Controls identification LED.

2.2 Actual Sampling Rate Function Group

GetActualRate Returns the actual sampling rate the

device will perform for the defined sam-

pling rate value.

GetActualRate_9524 Obtains the actual sampling rate the

PCI-9524 will perform according to the

board type and the specified rate.

2.3 Analog Input Function Group

Analog Input Configuration Functions

Al_9111_Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger

source and trigger mode selected for the analog input operation of PCI9-111. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog

input operation of PCI-9111.

Al_9112_Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger

source selected for the analog input operation of PCI-9112. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog input operation

of PCI-9112.

Al_9113_Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger

source selected for the analog input operation of PCI-9113. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog input operation

of PCI-9113.

Al 9114 Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger

source selected for the analog input operation of PCI-9114. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog input operation

of PCI-9114.

Al 9116 Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger

source, trigger mode, input mode, and conversion mode selected for the analog input operation of PCI-9116. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog

input operation of PCI-9116.

Al 9118 Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger

source, trigger mode, input mode, and conversion mode selected for the ana-

log input operation of PCI9118. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog input operation of PCI-9118.

Al 9221 Config

Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger source, trigger mode, and trigger properties selected for the analog input operation of PCI-9221. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog input operation of PCI-9221.

Al_9222_Config

Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger source, trigger mode, and trigger properties selected for the analog input operation of PCI-9222. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog input operation of PCI-9222.

Al_9223_Config

Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger source, trigger mode, and trigger properties selected for the analog input operation of PCI-9223. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog input operation of PCI-9223

Al 9524 Config

Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger source, trigger mode, and trigger properties selected for the analog input operation of PCI-9524. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog input operation of PCI-9524.

Al 9812 Config

Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger source, trigger mode, and trigger properties selected for the analog input operation of PCI-9812. You must call this function before calling function to per-

form continuous analog input operation of PCI-9812.

Al_9116_CounterInterval

Informs PCIS-DASK library of the scan interval value and sample interval value selected for the analog input operation of PCI-9116. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog input operation of PCI-9116.

Al 9221 CounterInterval

Informs PCIS-DASK library of the scan interval value and sample interval value selected for the analog input operation of PCI-9221. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog input operation of PCI-9221.

Al 9222 CounterInterval

Informs PCIS-DASK library of the scan interval value and sample interval value selected for the analog input operation of PCI-9222. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog input operation of PCI-9222 with internal clock.

Al 9223 CounterInterval

Informs PCIS-DASK library of the scan interval value and sample interval value selected for the analog input operation of PCI-9223. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog input operation of PCI-9223 with internal clock.

Al 9524 PollConfig

The function should be called if the Al transfer mode is set to polling mode by Al_9524_Config(). The function will start ADC with the set speed and range. You can use Al polling functions to get the acquired value.

Al 9524 SetDSP The function should be called if the load

cell AI operation will be performed. The function sets DSP configurations for AI load cell channels. Please refer PCI-

9524 hardware manual for details.

Al_InitialMemoryAllocated Gets the actual size of analog input

memory that is available in the device

driver.

Al_GetView Gets the mapped buffer address of the

analog input memory that is available in

the device driver.

Al SetTimeOut Sets the Timeout period for Sync mode

of continuous AI.

One-Shot Analog Input Functions

Al ReadChannel Performs a software triggered A/D con-

version (analog input) on an analog input channel and returns the value con-

verted (unscaled).

Al ReadChannel32 Performs a software triggered A/D con-

version (analog input) on an analog input channel and returns the 32-bit

value converted (unscaled).

Al VReadChannel Performs a software triggered A/D con-

version (analog input) on an analog input channel and returns the value scaled to a voltage in units of volts.

Al ReadMultiChannels Performs software triggered A/D conver-

sions on the specified analog input

channels.

Al ScanReadChannels Performs software triggered A/D conver-

sions on the specified analog input

channels.

Al_ScanReadChannels32 Performs software triggered A/D conver-

sions on the specified analog input

channels.

Al_VoltScale Converts the result from an

Al_ReadChannel call to the actual input

voltage.

Al_VoltScale32 Converts the result from an

Al ReadChannel32 call to the actual

input voltage.

Continuous Analog Input Functions

Al_ContReadChannel Performs continuous A/D conversions

on the specified analog input channel at a rate as close to the rate you specified.

Al_ContScanChannels Performs continuous A/D conversions

on the specified continuous analog input channels at a rate as close to the rate you specified. This function is only available for those cards that support auto-

scan functionality.

Al ContReadMultiChannels

Performs continuous A/D conversions on the specified analog input channels at a rate as close to the rate you specified. This function is only available for those cards that support auto-scan functionality.

Al ContReadChannelToFile

Performs continuous A/D conversions on the specified analog input channel at a rate as close to the rate you specified and saves the acquired data in a disk file.

Al ContScanChannelsToFile

Performs continuous A/D conversions on the specified continuous analog input channels at a rate as close to the rate you specified and saves the acquired data in a disk file. This function is only

available for those cards that support auto-scan functionality.

Al_ContReadMultiChannelsToFile

Performs continuous A/D conversions on the specified analog input channels at a rate as close to the rate you specified and saves the acquired data in a disk file. This function is only available for those cards that support auto-scan

functionality.

Al ContVScale Converts the values of an array of

acquired data from an continuous A/D conversion call to the actual input volt-

ages.

Al ContStatus Checks the current status of the continu-

ous analog input operation.

Al EventCallBack Controls and notifies the user's applica-

tion when a specified DAQ event occurs. The notification is performed through a

user-specified callback function.

Al ContBufferReset Resets all the buffers set by function

"Al ContBufferSetup" for continuous

analog input.

Al ContBufferSetup Sets up a specified buffer for continuous

analog input.

Asynchronous Analog Input Monitoring Functions

Al AsyncCheck Checks the current status of the asyn-

chronous analog input operation.

Al_AsyncClear Stops the asynchronous analog input

operation.

Al_AsyncDblBufferMode Enables or disables double buffer data

acquisition mode.

Al AsyncDblBufferHalfReady

Checks whether the next half buffer of

data in circular buffer is ready for transfer during an asynchronous double-buffered analog input operation.

Al_AsyncDblBufferTransfer

Copies half of the data of circular buffer to user buffer. You can execute this function repeatedly to return sequential half buffers of the data.

Al AsyncDblBufferOverrun

Checks or clears overrun status of the double-buffered analog input operation.

Al_AsyncDblBufferHandled

Notifies the PCIS-DASK that the ready buffer has been handled in user application.

Al_AsyncDblBufferToFile

Logs the data of the circular buffer to a disk file

Al AsyncReTrigNextReady

Checks whether the data associated to the next trigger signal is ready during an asynchronous re-triggered analog input operation.

2.4 Analog Output Function Group

Analog Output Configuration Functions

AO_6202_Config Inform the PCIS-DASK library of the trigger source, trigger mode, and trigger

properties selected for the PCI-6202 with card ID CardNumber. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog output oper-

ation.

AO 6208A Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the cur-

rent range selected for the analog output operation of PCI-6208A. You must call this function before calling function to

perform current output operation.

AO 6308A Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the cur-

rent range selected for the analog output operation of PCI-6308A. You must call this function before calling function to

perform current output operation.

AO 6308V Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the polar-

ity (unipolar or bipolar) that the output channel is configured for the analog output and the reference voltage value selected for the analog output channel(s) of PCI-6308V. You must call this function before calling function to per-

form current output operation.

AO 9111 Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the polar-

ity (unipolar or bipolar) that the output channel is configured for the analog output of PCI-9111. You must call this function before calling function to perform

voltage output operation.

AO 9112 Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the refer-

ence voltage value selected for the analog output channel(s) of PCI-9112. You

must call this function before calling function to perform voltage output operation

AO_9222_Config

Inform the PCIS-DASK library of the trigger source, trigger mode, and trigger properties selected for the PCI-9222 with card ID CardNumber. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog output operation

AO 9223 Config

Inform the PCIS-DASK library of the trigger source, trigger mode, and trigger properties selected for the PCI-9223 with card ID CardNumber. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous analog output operation.

AO_InitialMemoryAllocated

Gets the actual size of analog output memory that is available in the device driver.

AO SetTimeOut

Sets the Timeout period for Sync mode of continuous AO.

One-Shot Analog Output Functions

AO_WriteChannel Writes a binary value to the specified

analog output channel.

AO_VWriteChannel Accepts a voltage value, scales it to the

proper binary value and writes a binary value to the specified analog output

channel.

AO VoltScale Scales a voltage to a binary value.

AO_SimuWriteChannel Writes binary values to the specified

analog output channels simultaneously.

AO_SimuVWriteChannel Accepts voltage values, scales them to

the proper binary values and writes binary values to the specified analog

output channels simultaneously.

Continuous Analog Output Functions

AO_ContBufferReset Reset all the buffers set by function

AO_ContBufferSetup for continuous

analog output.

AO_ContBufferSetup Set up the buffer for continuous analog

output operation.

AO ContWriteChannel Performs continuous D/A conversions

on the specified analog output channel at a rate as close to the rate you speci-

fied.

AO_ContWriteMultiChannels

Performs continuous D/A conversions on the specified analog output channels at a rate as close to the rate you speci-

fied.

AO_EventCallBack Controls and notifies the user's applica-

tion when a specified DAQ event occurs.

AO_ContBufferCompose Fills the data for a specified channel in

the buffer for multi-channels of continu-

ous analog output operation.

AO_ContStatus Returns D/A status while performing

continuous D/A conversions.

Asynchronous Analog Output Monitoring Functions

AO_AsyncCheck Check the current status of the asyn-

chronous analog output operation.

AO_AsyncClear Stop the asynchronous analog output

operation.

AO_AsyncDblBufferHalfReady

Checks whether the next half buffer is ready for new data during an asynchronous double-buffered analog output

operation.

AO_AsyncDblBufferMode Enables or disables double-buffered

data acquisition mode.

Digital Input Function Group 2.5

Digital Input Configuration Functions

DI_7200_Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger

> source and trigger properties selected for the digital input operation of PCI-7200. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous

digital input operation of PCI-7200.

DI_7300A_Config

DI 7300B Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger

source and trigger properties selected for the digital input operation of PCI-7300A Rev A or PCI-7300A Rev B. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous digital input operation of PCI-7300A Rev.A or

PCI-7300A Rev B

DI 7350 Config Informs the PCIS-DASK library of the

selected port width, operation mode, trigger mode, and sampled clock mode for the PCIe-7350 card with card ID.

DI 7350 ExportSampCLKConfig

Configures exported sampled clock configurations of the PCIe-7350 for continu-

ous digital input operation.

DI 7350_ExtSampCLKConfig

Configures external sampled clock configurations of the PCIe-7350 for continu-

ous digital input operation.

DI 7350 SoftTriggerGen Generates a software trigger signal for

digital input operation.

DI_7350_TrigHSConfig Configures advanced handshake and

trigger configurations of the PCIe-7350 for continuous digital input operation.

DI_9222_Config Inform the PCIS-DASK library of the trig-

ger source, trigger mode, and trigger properties selected for the PCI-9222

with card ID CardNumber.

DI_9223_Config Inform the PCIS-DASK library of the trig-

ger source, trigger mode, and trigger properties selected for the PCI-9223

with card ID CardNumber.

DI_InitialMemoryAllocated

Gets the actual size of digital input DMA memory that is available in the device

driver.

DI_GetView Gets the mapped buffer address of the

digital input memory that is available in

the device driver.

DI_SetTimeOut Sets the Timeout period for Sync mode

of continuous DI.

One-Shot Digital Input Functions

DI_ReadLineReads the digital logic state of the speci-

fied digital line in the specified port.

DI_ReadPort Reads digital data from the specified

digital input port.

Continuous Digital Input Functions

DI_ContReadPort Performs continuous digital input on the

specified digital input port at a rate as

close to the rate you specified.

DI_ContReadPortToFile Performs continuous digital input on the

specified digital input port at a rate as close to the rate you specified and saves the acquired data in a disk file.

DI_ContStatus Checks the current status of the continu-

ous digital input operation.

DI_EventCallBack Controls and notifies the user's applica-

tion when a specified DAQ event occurs. The notification is performed through a

user-specified callback function.

DI_ContMultiBufferSetup Set up the buffer for multi-buffered con-

tinuous digital input.

DI ContMultiBufferStart Starts the multi-buffered continuous digi-

tal input on the specified digital input port at a rate as close to the rate you

specified.

DI ContBufferReset Reset all the buffers set by function

DI ContBufferSetup for continuous digi-

tal input.

DI_ContBufferSetup Set up the buffer for continuous digital

input operation.

Asynchronous Digital Input Monitoring Functions

DI AsyncCheck Checks the current status of the asyn-

chronous digital input operation.

DI AsyncClear Stops the asynchronous digital input

operation.

DI AsyncDblBufferMode Enables or disables double buffer data

acquisition mode.

DI AsvncDblBufferHalfReadv

Checks whether the next half buffer of data in circular buffer is ready for transfer during an asynchronous double-buff-

ered digital input operation.

DI AsyncDblBufferHandled

Notifies PCIS-DASK the ready buffer has been handled in user application.

DI_AsyncDblBufferToFile For double buffer mode of continuous DI, if the continuous DI function is DI ContReadPortToFile, call this function to log the data of the circular buffer

into a disk file

DI AsyncDblBufferTransfer

Copies half of the data of circular buffer to user buffer. You can execute this function repeatedly to return sequential half buffers of the data.

DI AsyncMultiBufferNextReady

Checks whether the next buffer of data in circular buffer is ready for transfer during an asynchronous multi-buffered digital input operation.

DI AsyncDblBufferOverrun

Checks or clears overrun status of the double-buffered digital input operation.

DI_AsyncMultiBuffersHandled

Notifies PCIS-DASK the ready buffers have been handled in user application.

DI_AsyncReTrigNextReady

Checks whether the data associated to the next trigger signal is ready during an asynchronous re-triggered digital input operation.

2.6 Digital Output Function Group

Digital Output Configuration Functions

DO_7200_Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger

source and trigger properties selected for the digital input operation of PCI-7200. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous digital output operation of PCI-7200.

DO_7300A_Config

DO 7300B Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the trigger

source and trigger properties selected for the digital input operation of PCI-7300A Rev.A or PCI-7300A Rev.B. You must call this function before calling function to perform continuous digital output operation of PCI-7300A Rev.A or

PCI-7300A Rev.B.

DO 7350 Config Informs the PCIS-DASK library of the

selected port width, operation mode, trigger mode, and sampled clock mode for the PCIe-7350 card with card ID.

DO_7350_ExportSampCLKConfig

Configures exported sampled clock configurations of the PCIe-7350 for continu-

ous digital output operation.

DO_7350_ExtSampCLKConfig

Configures external sampled clock configurations of the PCIe-7350 for continu-

ous digital output operation.

DO_7350_SoftTriggerGen Generates a software trigger signal for

digital output operation.

DO_7350_TrigHSConfig Configures advanced hand hake and

trigger configurations of the PCIe-7350 for continuous digital output operation.

DO_9222_Config Inform the PCIS-DASK library of the trig-

ger source, trigger mode, and trigger properties selected for the PCI-9222

with card ID CardNumber.

DO_9223_Config Inform the PCIS-DASK library of the trig-

ger source, trigger mode, and trigger properties selected for the PCI-9223

with card ID CardNumber.

EDO 9111 Config Informs PCIS-DASK library of the mode

of EDO channels of PCI-9111.

DO InitialMemoryAllocated

Gets the actual size of digital output DMA memory that is available in the

device driver.

DO GetView Gets the mapped buffer address of the

digital output memory that is available in

the device driver.

DO SetTimeOutSets the Timeout period for Sync mode

of continuous DO.

One-Shot Digital Output Functions

DO_WriteLineSets the specified digital output line in

the specified digital output port to the specified state. This function is only available for those cards that support digital output read-back functionality.

DO_WritePort Writes digital data to the specified digital

output port.

DO_SImuWritePort Write the output digital data to the speci-

fied digital output port simultaneously.

DO_ReadLine Reads the specified digital output line in

the specified digital output port.

DO_ReadPort Reads digital data from the specified

digital output port.

DO_WriteExtTrigLine Sets the digital output trigger line to the

specified state. This function is only

available for PCI-7200.

Continuous Digital Output Functions

DO_ContWritePort Performs continuous digital output on

the specified digital output port at a rate

as close to the rate you specified.

DO_ContStatus Checks the current status of the continu-

ous digital output operation.

DO_EventCallBack Controls and notifies the user's applica-

tion when a specified DAQ event occurs. The notification is performed through a

user-specified callback function.

DO_PGStart Performs pattern generation operation.

DO_PGStop Stops pattern generation operation.

DO_ContMultiBufferSetup Set up the buffer for multi-buffered con-

tinuous digital output.

DO_ContMultiBufferStart Starts the multi-buffered continuous digi-

tal output on the specified digital output port at a rate as close to the rate you

specified.

Asynchronous Digital Output Monitoring Functions

DO_ContBufferReset Reset all the buffers set by function

DO_ContBufferSetup for continuous dig-

ital output.

DO_ContBufferSetup Set up the buffer for continuous digital

output operation.

DO_AsyncCheck Checks the current status of the asyn-

chronous digital output operation.

DO_AsyncClear Stops the asynchronous digital output

operation.

DO_AsyncMultiBufferNextReady

Checks whether the next buffer is ready for new data during an asynchronous multi-buffered digital output operation.

2.7 Timer/Counter Function Group

Timer/Counter Functions

CTR_Setup Configures the selected counter to oper-

ate in the specified mode.

CTR_Read Reads the current contents of the

selected counter.

CTR_Clear Sets the output of the selected counter

to the specified state.

CTR_Update Writes a new initial count to the selected

counter.

CTR_8554_ClkSrc_Config Sets the counter clock source.

CTR 8554 CK1 Config Sets the source of CK1.

CTR_8554_Debounce_ConfigSets the debounce clock.

General-Purpose Timer/Counter Functions

GCTR_Setup Controls the general-purpose counter to

operate in the specified mode.

GCTR_Read Reads the current counter value of the

general-purpose counter.

GCTR_Clear Clears the general-purpose timer/coun-

ter control register and counter register.

GPTC_9524_PG_Config This function sets the generated pulse

number of GPTC pulse generator.

GPTC_Clear Halts the specified general-purpose

counter operation and reloads the initial

value of the timer/counter.

GPTC_Control Controls the selected counter/timer by

software.

GPTC EventSetup Sets the configurations of the selected

event of the counter/timer.

GPTC EventCallBack Controls and notifies the user's applica-

tion when a specified GPTC event

occurs.

GPTC Read Reads the counter value of the general-

purpose counter without disturbing the

counting process.

Sets the configurations of the selected **GPTC Setup**

counter/timer.

GPTC Status Reads the latched GPTC status of the

> counter/timer general-purpose from

GPTC status register.

DIO PortConfig

2.8 Digital Input/Output Function Group

Digital Input/Output Configuration Functions

DIO_LineConfig This function is only used by the Digital

I/O cards whose I/O port can be set as input port or output port. This function informs PCIS-DASK library of the line direction selected for the digital input/output operation. You must call this function before calling functions to perform

digital input/output operation.

DIO LinesConfigThis function is only used by the Digital

I/O cards whose I/O port can be set as input port or output port. This function informs PCIS-DASK library of the entire lines direction of the port selected for the digital input/output operation. You must call this function before calling functions

call this function before calling functions to perform digital input/output operation.

This function is only used by the Digital I/O cards whose I/O port can be set as input port or output port. This function informs PCIS-DASK library of the port direction selected for the digital input/output operation. You must call this function before calling functions to perform

digital input/output operation.

DIO_7350_AFIConfig Configures the AFI port of the 7350 to

be as the COS or PM event out.

DIO VoltLevelConfig Configures the voltage level for the

specified port type.

Dual-Interrupt System Setting Functions

DIO_SetDualInterrupt Controls two interrupt sources of Dual

Interrupt system.

DIO_SetCOSInterrupt Sets the ports used for COS interrupt

detection.

DIO_SetCOSInterrupt32 Sets the ports with 32-bit data width

used for COS interrupt detection.

DIO_GetCOSLatchData Get the DI data that latched in the COS

Latch register while the Change-of-State

(COS) interrupt occurred.

DIO_GetCOSLatchData32 Get the DI data with 32-bit data width

that latched in the COS Latch register while the Change-of-State (COS) inter-

rupt occurred.

DIO_INT_EventMessage Controls and notifies the user's applica-

tion when an interrupt event occurs. The notification is performed through a user-specified callback function or the Win-

dows PostMessage API.

DIO_INT1_EventMessage Controls the interrupt sources of INT1 of

Dual Interrupt system and notifies the user's application when an interrupt event occurs. The notification is performed through a user-specified callback function or the Windows

PostMessage API.

DIO INT2 EventMessage Controls the interrupt sources of INT2 of

Dual Interrupt system and notifies the user's application when an interrupt event occurs. The notification is performed through a user-specified callback function or the Windows

PostMessage API.

DIO PMConfigSets the configurations of pattern

matching.

DIO_PMControl

Controls the pattern match operation.

DIO_GetPMLatchData32

Gets the 32-bit width DI data latched in the pattern match latch register while the pattern match interrupt occurs.

Local Interrupt Setting Functions

DIO_7300SetInterrupt Controls the interrupt sources (AUXDI

and Timer2) of local Interrupt system of

PCI-7300A/cPCI-7300A.

DIO AUXDI EventMessageControls AUXDI Interrupt and notifies

the user's application when an interrupt event occurs. The notification is performed through a user-specified callback function or the Windows

PostMessage API.

DIO_T2_EventMessage Controls Timer2 Interrupt and notifies

the user's application when an interrupt event occurs. The notification is performed through a user-specified callback function or the Windows

PostMessage API.

2.9 Emergency Shutdown Function Group

EMGShutDownControl Controls emergency shutdown.

EMGShutDownStatus Returns the emergency shutdown condi-

tion.

2.10 Watchdog Timer Function Group

WDT_Control Control watchdog timer.

WDT_Reload Reload watchdog timer counter.

WDT_Setup Setup a watchdog timer.

WDT_Status Get the overflow status of a watchdog

timer

2.11 Hot-system Reset Hold Function Group

HotResetoldStatus Read hot reset hold status.

HotResetHoldControl Controls hot-system reset DO hold func-

tion. Hold the current DO output value while your computer is hot reset if hot-reset-hold is enabled. Otherwise, the ini-

tial pattern is outputted.

2.12 Calibration Function Group

PCI_DB_Auto_Calibration_ALL

Calibrates the specified device.

PCI_EEPROM_CAL_Constant_Update

Saves new calibration constants to the

specified EEPROM bank.

PCI_Load_CAL_Data Loads calibration constants from the

specified EEPROM bank.

PCI9524_Acquire_AD_CalConst

Obtains the AD calibration constants of

PCI-9524.

PCI9524_Acquire_DA_CalConst

Obtains the DA calibration constants of

PCI-9524.

2.13 SSI Function Group

SSI_SourceClear Disconnects all of the device signals

from the SSI bus trigger lines.

SSI_SourceConn Connects a device to the specified SSI

bus trigger line.

SSI_SourceDisConn Disconnects a device signal from the

specified SSI bus trigger line.

2.14 PWM Function Group

PWM_Output Start the PWM output.
PWM_Stop Stop the PWM output.

2.15 Inter-Integrated Circuit (I²C) Function Group

I2C_Control Controls the specified Inter-Integrated

Circuit (I²C) port with the specified con-

trol operation.

I2C_Read Reads the data from the specified Inter-

Integrated Circuit (I²C) port with the

specified slave address.

I2C_Setup Sets the configurations of the specified

Inter-Integrated Circuit (I²C) port.

I2C_Status Obtains the status of the specified Inter-

Integrated Circuit (I²C) port.

I2C_Write Writes the data to the specified Inter-

Integrated Circuit (I²C) port with the

specified slave address.

2.16 Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI) Function Group

SPI_Control Controls the specified Serial Peripheral

Interface (SPI) port with the specified

control operation.

SPI Read Reads the data from the specified Serial

Peripheral Interface (SPI) port with the

specified slave address.

SPI Setup Sets the configurations of the specified

Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI) port.

SPI Status Obtains the status of the specified Serial

Peripheral Interface (SPI) port.

SPI_Write Writes the data to the specified Serial

Peripheral Interface (SPI) port with the

specified slave address.

3 Building Applications

3.1 Contiguous Memory Allocation

The PCIS-DASK features continuous data transfer functions that input or output blocks of data to or from an installed NuDAQ PCI device. To prevent reduced data transfer performance caused by memory fragment, the PCIS-DASK allocates physically contiguous buffers in device driver at system startup time (Windows[®] 98) or when system boots (Windows[®] NT/2000/XP/2003 and Linux).

The PCIS-DASK comes with the **PciUtil** applications to set or modify the sizes of contiguous memory allocated in the driver for continuous analog input, analog output, digital input, and digital output. Device drivers allocates these memory sizes. The size of initially allocated memory is the maximum memory size that continuous data transfer can be performed. Refer to the NuDAQ Registry/Configuration utility section for details.

For input operations, the specified data count are transferred to the driver buffer while the PCIS-DASK copies the data from the driver buffer (kernel level) to a user buffer (user level). For output operations, PCIS-DASK copies the data from a user buffer (driver level) to the driver buffer (kernel level) and transfers outgoing data from the driver buffer to the NuDAQ PCI device.

When performing only polling I/O, the initial allocated memory is not needed and you may use the NuDAQ Registry/Configuration utility to set the buffer size to 0.

3.2 Application Building Fundamentals in Windows

The following sections provide fundamental instructions when using PCIS-DASK to build application in Windows[®] NT/98/2000/XP/Server 2003 operating environment.

Using Microsoft® Visual C®/C++®

Follow these steps to create a data acquisition application using PCIS-DASK and Microsoft Visual C/C++.

- 1. Launch the Microsoft Visual C/C++ application.
- Open a new or existing project that you want to apply the PCIS-DASK.
- Include header file DASK.H in the C/C++ source files that call PCIS-DASK functions. DASK.H contains all the function declarations and constants that can be used to develop data acquisition applications. Incorporate the following statement in the code to include the header file.

```
#include "DASK.H"
```

4. After setting the appropriate compile and link options, build the application by selecting the Build command from Build menu (Visual C/C++ 4.0). Remember to link PCIS-DASK's import library, PCIS-DASK.LIB.

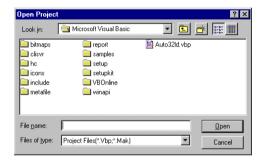
Using Microsoft® Visual Basic®

Follow the steps in the succeeding sections to create a data acquisition application using PCIS-DASK and Visual Basic.

Open a project

Do one of the following to open a new or existing project:

 Open a new project by selecting the New Project command from the File menu. To open an existing project, select the Open Project command from the File menu to display the Open Project dialog box.



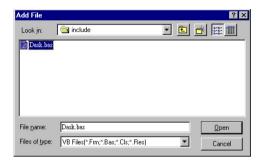
2. Locate the existing project, then double-click on the project file name to load.

Add the file

You must add the file **DASK.BAS** to the project, if the file is not yet included. This file contains all the procedure declarations and con-

stants that can be used to develop the data acquisition application. To add the file:

1. Select Add File from the File menu. The Add File window appears, displaying a list of files in the current directory.



2. Double-click on the DASK.BAS file. If the file is not on the list, make sure the list is displaying files from the correct directory. By default, the DASK.BAS file is installed at C:\ADLink\PCIS-DASK\INCLUDE.

Design the interface

To design the interface for the application, place all the interface elements such as command buttons, list boxes, and text boxes on the Visual Basic form. These standard controls are available from the Visual Basic Toolbox.

To place a control on the form, select the desired control from the Toolbox, then draw it on the form. You may also double-click on the control icon from the Toolbox to place it on the form.

Set the interface controls

To view the property list, click the desired control, then choose the Properties command from the View menu, or press F4. You may also click on the Properties button from the toolbar.

Write the event code

The event code defines the required action to be performed when an event occurs. To write the event code, double-click on the control or form to view the code module, then add the event code. You can also call the functions declared in the DASK.BAS file to perform data acquisition operations.

Run the application

Do one of the following to run the application:

- ► Choose **Start** from the **Run** menu
- ▶ Click the Start icon from the toolbar
- ▶ Press <F5>

Distribute the application

After completing the project, save the application as an executable (.EXE) file using the **Make EXE File** command from the File menu. The application, after being transformed into an executable file, is now ready for distribution.

You must include the PCIS-DASK's DLL and driver files when the application is distributed. Refer to Chapter 5: Continuous Data Transfer for the details.

3.3 Application Building Fundamentals in Linux

The following sections provide fundamental instructions when using PCIS-DASK to build application in Linux. To create a data acquisition application using PCIS-DASK/X and GNU C/C++, follow these steps:

Edit the source files

Include the header file **dask.h** in the C/C++ source files that call PCIS-DASK/X functions. The dask.h has all the function declarations and constants that you can use to develop your data acquisition application. Add this statement in your code to include the header file.

#include "dask.h"

Build your application

Using the appropriate C/C++ compiler (gcc or cc) to compile the program. You should add **-lpci_dask** option to link **libpci_dask.so** library. For multi-threaded applications, the **-lpthread** string is required. For example:

qcc -o testai testai.c -lpci_dask

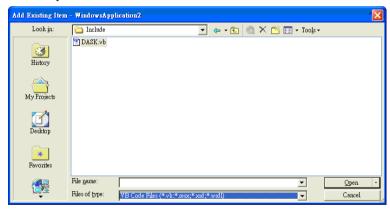
3.4 Application Building Fundamentals Using .NET

The following sections provide fundamental instructions when using PCIS-DASK to build application in Linux. To create a data acquisition application using PCIS-DASK/X and GNU C/C++, follow these steps:

Using Microsoft VB.net.

To create a data acquisition application using PCIS-DASK and VB.net, follow these steps after entering VB.net:

- 1. Open a new or existing project.
- Add the file **DASK.vb** to the project, if the file is not yet included. This file contains all the procedure declarations and constants that can be used to develop the data acquisition application. To add the file:
- Select Add File from the File menu. The Add Existing Item window appears, displaying a list of files in the current directory.



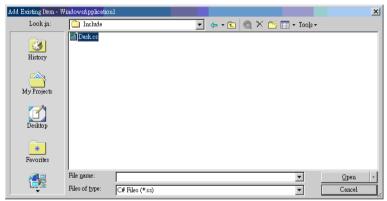
▶ Double-click on the DASK.vb file. If the file is not on the list, make sure the list is displaying files from the correct directory. By default, the DASK.vb file is installed at C:\ADLINK\PCIS-DASK\INCLUDE.

- 3. Develop the application. You can call the functions that are declared in the file Dask.vb to perform data acquisition operations.
- 4. Run your application. Do one of the following to run the application:
 - Choose Start from the Run menu
 - ▷ Click the Start icon from the toolbar
 - ▷ Press <F5>
- 5. Distribute the application. After completing the project, save the application as an executable (.EXE) file using the Make EXE File command from the File menu. The application, after being transformed into an executable file, is now ready for distribution. You must include the PCIS-DASK's DLL and driver files when the application is distributed. Refer to Chapter 8: Distribution of Applications for the details.

Using Microsoft C#

To create a data acquisition application using PCIS-DASK and C#, follow these steps after entering C#:

- 1. Open a new or existing project.
- Add the file **DASK.cs** to the project, if the file is not yet included. This file contains all the procedure declarations and constants that can be used to develop the data acquisition application. To add the file:
 - Select Add File from the File menu. The Add Existing Item window appears, displaying a list of files in the current directory. From the Project menu, select the Add Existing Item command. The Add Existing Item window appears, displaying a list of files in the current directory.



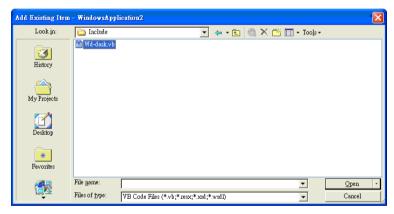
Double-click on the DASK.cs file. If the file is not on the list, make sure the list is displaying files from the correct directory. By default, the DASK.cs file is installed at C:\ADLINK\PCIS-DASK\INCLUDE.

- Develop the application. You can call the functions that are declared in the file Dask.cs to perform data acquisition operations.
- 4. Run your application. Do one of the following to run the application:
 - Choose Start from the Run menu
 - ▷ Click the Start icon from the toolbar
 - ▷ Press <F5>
- 5. Distribute the application. After completing the project, save the application as an executable (.EXE) file using the Make EXE File command from the File menu. The application, after being transformed into an executable file, is now ready for distribution. You must include the PCIS-DASK's DLL and driver files when the application is distributed. Refer to **Chapter 8: Distribution of Applications** for the details.

Creating Windows® PCIS-DASK Application Using Microsoft VB.net.

To create a data acquisition application using DASK and C#, follow these steps after entering VB.net:

- 1. Open a new or existing project.
- Add the file **DASK.vb** to the project, if the file is not yet included. This file contains all the procedure declarations and constants that can be used to develop the data acquisition application. To add the file:
 - Select Add File from the File menu. The Add Existing Item window appears, displaying a list of files in the current directory. From the Project menu, select the Add Existing Item command. The Add Existing Item window appears, displaying a list of files in the current directory.



- ▶ Double-click on the DASK.vb file. If the file is not on the list, make sure the list is displaying files from the correct directory. By default, the DASK.vb file is installed at C:\ADLINK\PCIS-DASK\INCLUDE.
- 3. Develop the application. You can call the functions that are declared in the file DASK.vb to perform data acquisition operations.

- 4. Run your application. Do one of the following to run the application:

 - Click the Start icon from the toolbar
 - ▷ Press <F5>
- 5. Distribute the application. After completing the project, save the application as an executable (.EXE) file using the Make EXE File command from the File menu. The application, after being transformed into an executable file, is now ready for distribution. You must include the PCIS-DASK's DLL and driver files when the application is distributed. Refer to Chapter 8: Distribution of Applications for the details.

Using Callback Functions in a VB.net Application with PCIS-DASK

To use callback functions in a VB.net application with PCIS-DASK, follow these steps after creating a Windows $^{(\!R)}$ 2000/XP PCIS-DASK application using VB.net:

1. Create a callback function. For example:

2. Set the callback function. For example:

Using Callback Functions in a C# Application with PCIS-DASK

To use callback functions in a c# Application with PCIS-DASK, follow these steps after creating a Windows $^{(\!g\!)}$ 2000/XP PCIS-DASK application using C#:

1. Create a callback function. For example:

```
private static void CallBack()
{
     //Add the C# function you like.
}
```

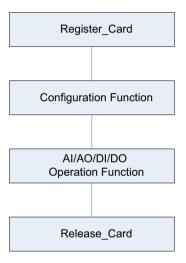
2. Set the callback function. For example:

PCIS-DASK Application Building Fundamentals Using .NET

4 Application Hints

This chapter provides the programming schemes showing the function flow of that PCIS-DASK performs analog I/O and digital I/O.

The figure below shows the basic building blocks of a PCIS-DASK application. However, except using Register_Card at the beginning and Release_Card at the end, depending on the specific devices and applications you have, the PCIS-DASK functions comprising each building block vary.



The programming schemes for analog input/output and digital input/output are described individually in the following sections.

4.1 Analog Input

PCIS-DASK provides two kinds of analog input operation: nonbuffered single-point analog input readings and buffered continuous analog input operation.

The non-buffered single-point AI uses software polling method to read data from the device.

The buffered continuous analog input uses interrupt transfer or DMA transfer method to transfer data from device to user's buffer. The maximum number of count in one transfer depends on the size of initially allocated memory for analog input in the driver. The driver allocates the memory at system boot (in Windows® NT) or Windows startup time (in Windows® 98). It is recommended that the Al_InitialMemoryAllocated function be used to get the size of initially allocated memory before performing continuous Al operation.

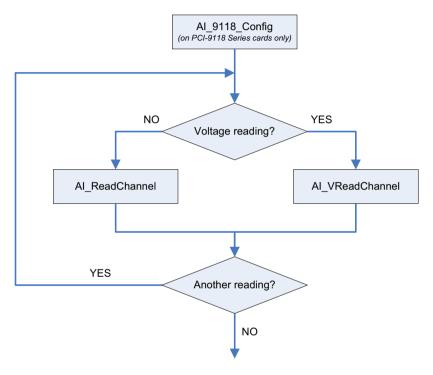
The buffered continuous analog input includes:

- synchronous continuous AI
- non-triggered non-double-buffered asynchronous continuous AI
- non-triggered double-buffered asynchronous continuous AI
- ▶ triggered non-double-buffered asynchronous continuous AI
- triggered double-buffered asynchronous continuous AI

These are described in section to section. For special consideration and performance issues for the buffered continuous analog input, refer to **Chapter 5: Continuous Data Transfer**.

One-Shot Analog Input

This section describes the function flow typical of non-buffered single-point analog input readings. While performing one-shot Al operation, most cards (except PCI-9118 Series cards) doesn't need to include the Al configuration step at the beginning of the application.

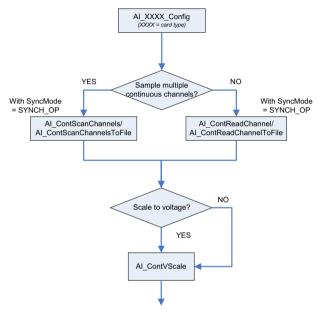


Example code fragment

```
card = Register_Card(PCI_9118, card_number);
...
AI_9118_Config(card,Input_Signal|Input_Mode,0,0,0);
AI_ReadChannel(card, channelNo, range,
   &analog_input[i]);
...
Release_Card(card);
```

Synchronous Continuous Analog Input

This section describes the function flow typical of synchronous analog input operation. While performing continuous AI operation, the AI configuration function has to be called at the beginning of your application. In addition, for synchronous AI, the SyncMode argument in continuous AI functions has to be set to SYNCH OP.

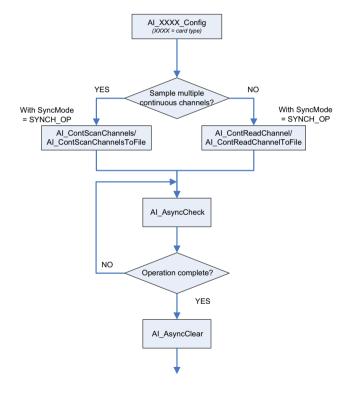


Example code fragment

```
card = Register_Card(PCI_9112, card_number);
...
AI_9112_Config(card,TRIG_INT_PACER);
AI_ContScanChannels (card, channel, range, ai_buf,
    data_size, (F64)sample_rate, SYNCH_OP); or
AI_ContReadChannel(card, channel, range, ai_buf,
    data_size, (F64)sample_rate, SYNCH_OP)
...
Release_Card(card);
```

Non-Trigger Non-double-buffered Asynchronous Continuous Analog Input

This section describes the function flow typical of non-trigger, non-double-buffered asynchronous analog input operation. While performing continuous AI operation, the AI configuration function has to be called at the beginning of your application. In addition, for asynchronous AI, the SyncMode argument in continuous AI functions has to be set to ASYNCH OP.

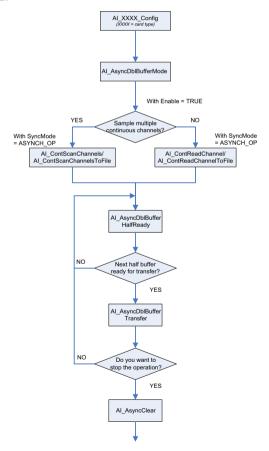


Example code fragment

```
card = Register_Card(PCI_9112, card_number);
...
AI_9112_Config(card,TRIG_INT_PACER);
AI_AsyncDblBufferMode (card, 0); //non-double-buffer
AI
AI_ContScanChannels (card, channel, range, ai_buf,
    data_size, (F64)sample_rate, ASYNCH_OP); or
AI_ContReadChannel(card, channel, range, ai_buf,
    data_size, (F64)sample_rate, ASYNCH_OP)
    do {
    AI_AsyncCheck(card, &bStopped, &count);
    } while (!bStopped);
AI_AsyncClear(card, &count);
...
Release_Card(card);
```

Non-Trigger Double-buffered Asynchronous Continuous Analog Input

This section describes the function flow typical of non-trigger, double-buffered asynchronous analog input operation. While performing continuous AI operation, the AI configuration function has to be called at the beginning of your application. For asynchronous AI, The SyncMode argument in continuous AI functions has to be set to ASYNCH_OP. In addition, double-buffered AI operation is enabled by setting Enable argument of AI_AsyncDblBufferMode function to 1. For more information on double buffer mode, refer to section 5.2.

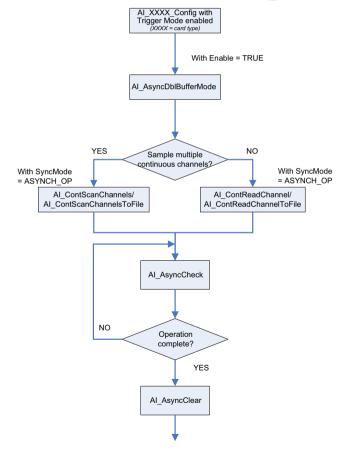


Example code fragment

```
card = Register Card(PCI 9112, card number);
AI 9112 Config(card, TRIG_INT_PACER);
AI_AsyncDblBufferMode (card, 1); // Double-buffered
AI_ContScanChannels (card, channel, range, ai_buf,
  data size, (F64) sample rate, ASYNCH_OP); or
AI ContReadChannel(card, channel, range, ai buf,
  data_size, (F64)sample_rate, ASYNCH_OP)
do {
      do {
         AI AsyncDblBufferHalfReady(card, &HalfRead
  &fstop);
      } while (!HalfReady);
      AI_AsyncDblBufferTransfer(card, ai_buf);
} while (!clear_op);
AI AsyncClear(card, &count);
Release_Card(card);
```

Trigger Mode Non-double-buffered Asynchronous Continuous Analog Input

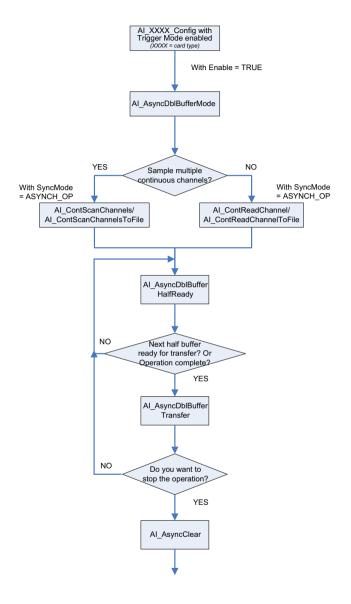
This section describes the function flow typical of trigger mode double-buffered asynchronous analog input operation. A trigger is an event that occurs based on a specified set of conditions. An interrupt mode or DMA-mode Analog input operation can use a trigger to determinate when acquisition stop. The trigger mode data acquisition programming is almost the same as the non-trigger mode asynchronous analog input programming. When using PCIS-DASK to perform trigger mode data acquisition, the Sync-Mode of continuous AI should be set to ASYNCH_OP.



Example code fragment

Trigger Mode Double-buffered Asynchronous Continuous Analog Input

This section describes the function flow typical of trigger mode double-buffered asynchronous analog input operation. A trigger is an event that occurs based on a specified set of conditions. An interrupt mode or DMA-mode Analog input operation can use a trigger to determinate when acquisition stop. The trigger mode data acquisition programming is almost the same as the non-trigger mode asynchronous analog input programming. When using PCIS-DASK to perform trigger mode data acquisition, the Sync-Mode of continuous AI should be set to ASYNCH_OP. In addition, double-buffered AI operation is enabled by setting Enable argument of AI_AsyncDblBufferMode function to 1. For more information on double buffer mode, refer to section 5.2 for the details.



Example code fragment

```
card = Register Card(PCI 9118, card number);
AI 9118 Config(card, P9118 AI BiPolar | P9118 AI SingE
P9118 AI DtrgPositive P9118 AI EtrgPositive
P9118 AI AboutTrgEn, 0, postCount)
AI AsyncDblBufferMode (card, 1); Double-buffered A
AI ContScanChannels (card, channel, range, ai buf,
  data_size, (F64)sample_rate, ASYNCH_OP); or
AI_ContReadChannel(card, channel, range, ai_buf,
  data size, (F64) sample rate, ASYNCH OP)
do {
      do {
         AI_AsyncDblBufferHalfReady(card, &HalfRead
  &fstop);
      } while (!HalfReady && !fstop);
      AI AsyncDblBufferTransfer(card, ai buf);
} while (!clear_op && !fstop);
AI_AsyncClear(card, &count);
AI AsyncDblBufferTransfer(card, ai buf);
Release_Card(card);
```

4.2 Analog Output Programming Hints

The PCIS-DASK provides two kinds of analog output operations: non-buffered single-point analog output operation and buffered continuous analog output operation.

The non-buffered single-point AO uses software polling method to write data to the device. The programming scheme for this kind of AO operation is described in section 4.2.1.

The buffered continuous AO uses a DMA transfer method to transfer data from user's buffer to device. The maximum number of count in one transfer depends on the size of initially allocated memory for analog output in the driver. The driver allocates the memory at Windows startup. We recommend that applications use AO_InitialMemoryAllocated function to get the size of initially allocated memory before beginning to perform continuous AO operations.

Single-point Analog Output Programming Scheme

This section described the function flow typical of non-buffered single-point digital output operation. While performing one-shot AO operation, the cards whose I/O port can be set as input or out put port need to include port configuration function at the beginning of your application.

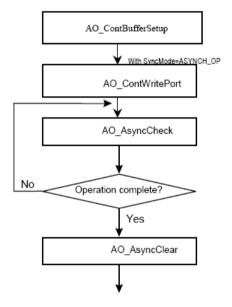
Example code fragment

```
card = _Register_Card(PCI_6202, card_number);
...
AO_WriteChannel(card, chan, out_value);
...
Release_Card(card);
```

Continuous Analog Output (with initial default settings) Programming Scheme

This section described the function flow typical of synchronous analog output operation performed by the device with initial default configuration. While performing continuous AO operation, the AO configuration function has to be called at the beginning of your application. In addition, the SyncMode argument in continuous AO functions has to be set as ASYNCH_OP.

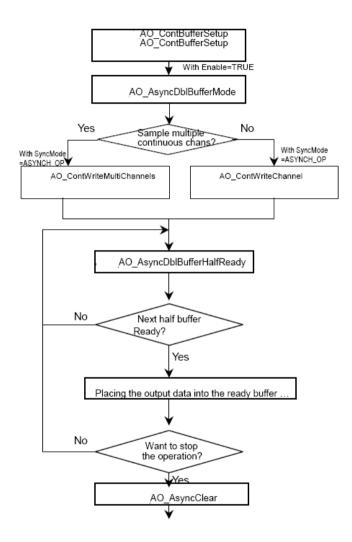
 Non-double-buffered Asynchronous Continuous Analog Output Programming Scheme



Example code fragment

```
card = Register_Card(PCI_6202, card_number);
...
AO_ContBufferSetup (card, ao_buf, data_size, &DaId)
AO_ContWriteChannel(card, 0, DaId, data_size,
    iteration, samp_intrv, samp_intrv, ASYNCH_OP);;
do {
    AO_AsyncCheck(card, &bStopped, &count);
} while (!bStopped);
AO_AsyncClear(card, &count, mode);
...
Release_Card(card);
```

2. Double-buffered Asynchronous Continuous Analog Output Programming Scheme



Example code fragment

4.3 Digital Input Programming Hints

The PCIS-DASK provides two types of digital input operation: nonbuffered single-point digital input operation and buffered continuous digital input operation.

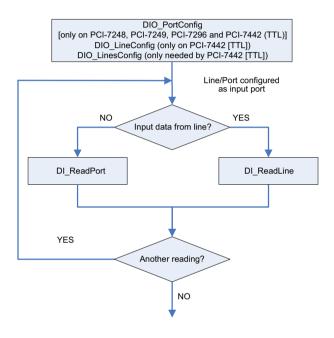
The non-buffered single-point DI uses software polling method to read data from the device. The programming scheme for this kind of DI operation is described in section .

The buffered continuous DI uses DMA transfer method to transfer data from device to user's buffer. The maximum number of count in one transfer depends on the size of initially allocated memory for digital input in the driver. The driver allocates the memory at system boot (in Windows[®] NT) or during Windows startup (in Windows[®] 98). It is recommended that the applications use the DI_InitialMemoryAllocated function to get the size of initially allocated memory before performing continuous DI operation.

The buffered continuous analog input includes synchronous continuous DI, non-double-buffered asynchronous continuous DI and double-buffered asynchronous continuous DI. These are described in section to section section. For special consideration and performance issues for the buffered continuous analog input, refer to **Chapter 5: Continuous Data Transfer**.

One-Shot Digital Input

This section describes the function flow typical of non-buffered single-point digital input readings. While performing one-shot DI operation, devices whose I/O port can be set as input or output port (PCI-7248, PCI-7296, and PCI-7442) need to include port configuration function at the beginning of the application.



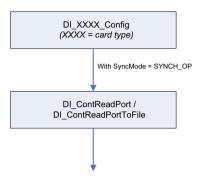
Example code fragments:

```
card = Register_Card(PCI_7248, card_number);
//port configured
DIO_PortConfig(card ,Channel_P1A, INPUT_PORT);
DIO_PortConfig(card, Channel_P1B, INPUT_PORT);
DIO_PortConfig(card, Channel_P1CL, INPUT_PORT);
DIO_PortConfig(card, Channel_P1CH, INPUT_PORT);
//DI operation
DI_ReadPort(card, Channel_P1A, &inputA);
...
Release_Card(card);
```

```
card = Register_Card(PCI_7442, card_number);
//line configured
DIO_LineConfig(card ,P7442_TTL0, 0, INPUT_LINE);
//DI operation
DI_ReadLinet(card, P7442_TTL0, 0, &inDataLine0);
...
Release_Card(card);
```

Synchronous Continuous Digital Input

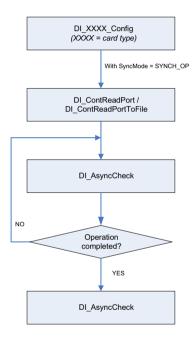
This section describes the function flow typical of synchronous digital input operation. While performing continuous DI operation, the DI configuration function has to be called at the beginning of the application. For synchronous DI, the SyncMode argument in continuous DI functions has to be set to SYNCH OP.



Example code fragment:

Non-double-buffered Asynchronous Continuous Digital Input

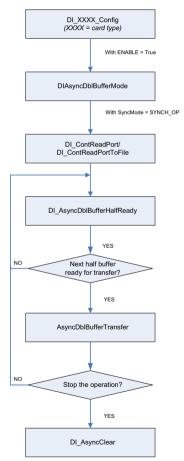
This section describes the function flow typical of non-double-buffered asynchronous digital input operation. While performing continuous DI operation, the DI configuration function has to be called at the beginning of the application. For asynchronous DI operation, the SyncMode argument in continuous DI functions has to be set to ASYNCH OP.



Example code fragment:

Double-buffered Asynchronous Continuous Digital Input

This section describes the function flow typical of double-buffered asynchronous digital input operation. While performing continuous DI operation, the DI configuration function has to be called at the beginning of the application. For asynchronous DI, the SyncMode argument in continuous DI functions has to be set to ASYNCH_OP. In addition, double-buffered DI operation is enabled by setting Enable argument of DI_AsyncDblBufferMode function to 1. For more information on double buffer mode, refer to section 5.2.

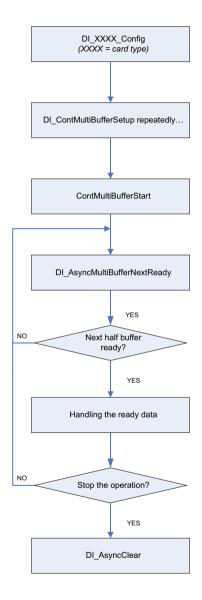


Example code fragment:

```
card = Register_Card(PCI_7200, card_number);
DI_7200 Config(card, TRIG_INT_PACER, DI_NOWAITING,
  DI_TRIG_FALLING, IREQ_FALLING);
DI AsyncDblBufferMode (card, 1); // Double-buffered
  mode
DI_ContReadPort(card, 0, pMem, data_size,
   (F64)sample_rate, ASYNCH_OP)
do {
                 do {
           DI_AsyncDblBufferHalfReady(card,
   &HalfReady);
      } while (!HalfReady);
    DI_AsyncDblBufferTransfer(card, pMem);
} while (!clear_op);
DI_AsyncClear(card, &count);
Release Card(card);
```

Multiple-buffered Asynchronous Continuous Digital Input

This section describes the function flow typical of multi-buffered asynchronous digital input operation. While performing continuous DI operation, the DI configuration function has to be called at the beginning of the application. For asynchronous DI, the SyncMode argument in continuous DI functions has to be set to ASYNCH_OP.



Example code fragment:

```
card = Register_Card(PCI_7300A_RevB, card_number);
DI 7300B Config(card, 16, TRIG CLK 10MHZ,
  P7300_WAIT_NO, P7300_TERM_ON, 0, 1, 1);
//setting the DMA buffers repeatedly
DI_ContMultiBufferSetup (card, in_buf, data_size,
  &BufferId);
DI_ContMultiBufferSetup (card, in_buf, data_size,
  &BufferId);
// start multi-buffered DI
DI_ContMultiBufferStart (card, 0, 1);
do {
          do {
          DI_AsyncDblBufferHalfReady(card,
  &HalfReady);
      } while (!HalfReady);
     //Handling the ready data
} while (!clear_op);
DI_AsyncClear(card, &count);
Release_Card(card);
```

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4.4 Digital Output Programming Hints

The PCIS-DASK provides three types of digital output operation: non-buffered single-point digital output operation, buffered continuous digital output operation, and pattern generation.

The non-buffered single-point DO uses software polling method to write data to the device. The programming scheme for this kind of DO operation is described in section .

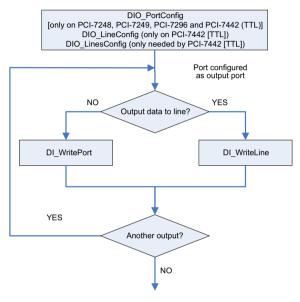
The buffered continuous DO uses DMA transfer method to transfer data from user's buffer to device. The maximum number of count in one transfer depends on the size of initially allocated memory for digital output in the driver. The driver allocates the memory during system boot (in Windows[®] NT) or Windows startup (in Windows[®] 98). It is recommended that applications use DO_InitialMemoryAllocated function to get the size of initially allocated memory before performing continuous DO operation.

The buffered continuous digital output includes synchronous continuous DO and asynchronous continuous DO. These are described in section and section . For special consideration and performance issues for the buffered continuous analog input, refer to **Chapter 5: Continuous Data Transfer**.

The Pattern Generation DO outputs digital data pattern repeatedly at a predetermined rate. The programming scheme for this kind of DO operation is described in section .

One-Shot Digital Output

This section describes the function flow typical of non-buffered single-point digital output operation. While performing one-shot DO operation, the cards whose I/O port can be set as input or output port (PCI-7248, PCI7249, PCI-7296, and PCI-7442) need to include port configuration function at the beginning of the application.



Example code fragments:

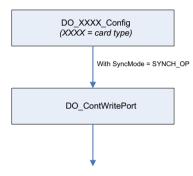
```
card = Register_Card(PCI_7248, card_number);
//port configured
DIO_PortConfig(card ,Channel_P1A, OUTPUT_PORT);
DIO_PortConfig(card, Channel_P1B, OUTPUT_PORT);
DIO_PortConfig(card, Channel_P1CL, OUTPUT_PORT);
DIO_PortConfig(card, Channel_P1CH, OUTPUT_PORT);
//DO operation
DO_WritePort(card, Channel_P1A, outA_value);
...
Release_Card(card);
```

.

```
card = Register_Card(PCI_7442, card_number);
//Lines configured
DIO_LineConfig(card, P7442_TTL0, 0, OUTPUT_LINE);
//DO operation
DO_WriteLine(card, P7442_TTL0, 0, out_value);
...
Release_Card(card);
```

Synchronous Continuous Digital Output

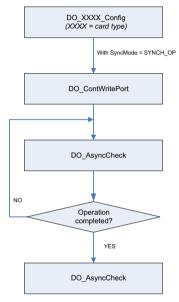
This section describes the function flow typical of synchronous digital output operation. While performing continuous DO operation, the DO configuration function has to be called at the beginning of the application. In addition, the SyncMode argument in continuous DO functions for synchronous mode has to be set to SYNCH OP.



Example code fragment:

Asynchronous Continuous Digital Output

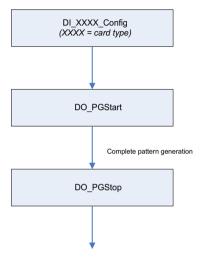
This section describes the function flow typical of asynchronous digital output operation. While performing continuous DO operation, the DO configuration function has to be called at the beginning of the application. In addition, the SyncMode argument in continuous DO functions for asynchronous mode has to be set to ASYNCH_OP.



Example code fragment:

Pattern Generation Digital Output

This section describes the function flow typical of pattern generation for digital output. While performing pattern generation of DO, the DO configuration function has to be called at the beginning of the application.



Example code fragment:

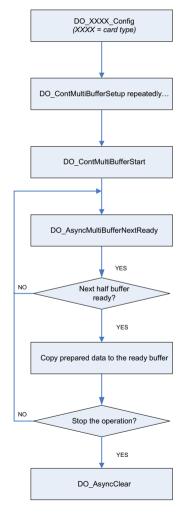
```
card = Register_Card(PCI_7300A_RevB, card_number);
...

DO_7300B_Config (card, 16, TRIG_INT_PACER,
        P7300_WAIT_NO, P7300_TERM_ON, 0, 0x40004000);
//start pattern generation
DO_PGStart (card, out_buf, 10000, 5000000);
...

//stop pattern generation
DO_PGStop (card);
Release_Card(card);
```

Multiple-buffered Asynchronous Continuous Digital Output

This section describes the function flow typical of multi-buffered asynchronous digital output operation. While performing continuous DO operation, the DO configuration function has to be called at the beginning of the application. For asynchronous DO, the SyncMode argument in continuous DO functions has to be set as ASYNCH OP.



Example code fragment:

```
card = Register_Card(PCI_7300A_RevB, card_number);
DO 7300B Config (card, 16, TRIG CLK 10MHZ,
  P7300_WAIT_NO, P7300_TERM_ON, 0, 0x00040004);
//setting the DMA buffers repeatedly
DO_ContMultiBufferSetup (card, out_buf, data_size,
  &BufferId);
DO_ContMultiBufferSetup (card, out_buf, data_size,
  &BufferId);
// start multi-buffered DO
DO_ContMultiBufferStart (card, 0, 1);
do {
                 do {
           DO_AsyncDblBufferHalfReady(card,
  &HalfReady);
      } while (!HalfReady);
     // Copy prepared data to the ready buffer
} while (!clear_op);
DO_AsyncClear(card, &count);
Release_Card(card);
```

4.5 DAQ Event Message Programming Hints

DAQ Event Message functions are efficient ways to monitor your background data acquisition processes without dedicating your foreground process for status checking. There are two kinds of events: AI/DI/DO operation completed notification event and half buffer ready notification event.

To receive notification from the PCIS-DASK data acquisition process in case of special events, you can call AI_EventCallBack, DI_EventCallBack, or DO_EventCallBack to specify an event.

Event notification is done through user-defined callbacks. When a user-specified DAQ event occurs, PCIS-DASK calls the user-defined callback. After receiving the message, the user's application carries out the appropriate task.

The event message mechanism is easy and safe in Windows[®] 98 and Windows[®] NT systems. However, the time delay between the event and notification is highly variable and depends largely on how your system is loaded. In addition, if a callback function is called, succeeding events will not be handled until your callback has returned. If the time interval between events is smaller than the time taken for callback function processing, the succeeding events will not be handled. Therefore this mechanism is not suitable for the frequent events occurrence condition.

Example code fragment:

```
card = Register Card(PCI 9118DG, card number);
AI_9118_Config(card, P9118_AI_BiPolar | P9118_AI_SingE
  P9118_AI_DtrgPositive P9118_AI_EtrgPositive P9118
  I AboutTrgEn,0,postCount);
AI_AsyncDblBufferMode(card, 1); //double-buffer mo
// Enable half buffer ready event notification
          AI_EventCallBack (card, 1, DBEvent, (U32)
  DB_cbfn );
//Enable AI completeness event notification
AI_EventCallBack (card, 1, AIEnd, (U32) AI_cbfn );
AI_ContScanChannels (card, channel, range, NULL,
  data_size, (F64)sample_rate, ASYNCH_OP); or
AI ContReadChannel(card, channel, range, NULL,
  data_size, (F64)sample_rate, ASYNCH_OP)
Release_Card(card);
//Half buffer ready call back function
void DB cbfn()
{
//half buffer is ready
AI_AsyncDblBufferTransfer(card, ai_buf); //transfe
  to user buffer
}
//AI completeness call back function
void AI_cbfn()
//AI is completed ]
AI_AsyncClear(card, &count);
//Transfer the remainling data into the user buffer
AI_AsyncDblBufferTransfer(card, ai_buf);
··· •
}
```

4.6 Interrupt Event Message Programming Hints

The PCIS-DASK comes with two methods of performing interrupt occurrence notification for NuDAQ DIO cards that have dual-interrupt system.

The **Event Message** method handles event notification through user-defined callbacks and/or the Windows Message queue (for VB5, through user-defined callbacks only). When a user-specified interrupt event occurs, PCIS-DASK calls the user-defined callback (if defined) and/or puts a message into the Windows Message queue, if you specified a window handle. After receiving the message, the user's application can carry out the appropriate task.

The event message mechanism is easy and safe in Windows[®] 98 and Windows[®] NT systems. However, the time delay between the event and notification is highly variable and depends largely on how your system is loaded. In addition, if a callback function is called, succeeding events will not be handled until your callback has returned. If the time interval between events is smaller than the time taken for callback function processing, the succeeding events will not be handled. Therefore this mechanism is not suitable for the frequent events occurrence condition.

The **Event Status** checking and waiting method handles interrupt event status checking through Win32 wait functions, such as Wait-ForSingleObject or WaitForMultipleObjects. This method is useful for situations when the interrupt event occurs very often and when the applications written in the language doesn't support function pointers (e.g. VB4).

Through user-defined callbacks and Windows Message queue

Example code fragment:

```
card = Register Card(PCI 7230, card number);
//INT1 event notification is through window message
DIO INT1 EventMessage (card, INT1 EXT SIGNAL, hWnd,
  WM_INT, NULL);
//INT2 event notification is through a callback
  function
DIO_INT2_EventMessage (card, INT2_EXT_SIGNAL, hWnd,
  NULL, (void *) cbfn);
//window message handling function
long PASCAL MainWndProc(hWnd, message, wParam,
  1Param)
  switch(message) {
  case WM_INT: //interrupt event occurring message
  break:
  case WM DESTROY:
//Disable interrupts
DIO INT1 EventMessage (card, INT1 DISABLE, hMainWn
  NULL, NULL);
DIO_INT2_EventMessage (card, INT2_DISABLE, hMainWnd
  NULL, NULL);
//Release card
if (card >= 0) Release Card(card);
PostQuitMessage(0);
break;
 }
//call back function
LRESULT CALLBACK cbfn()
{
```

Through a Win32 wait function

Example code fragment:

5 Continuous Data Transfer

The continuous data transfer function in the PCIS-DASK inputs or outputs blocks of data to or from a plugged-in NuDAQ PCI device. For input operations, the PCIS-DASK transfers the incoming data to a buffer in the system memory. For output operations, the PCIS-DASK transfers outgoing data from a buffer in the computer memory to the NuDAQ PCI device.

This chapter describes the mechanism and techniques that PCIS-DASK use for continuous data transfer and the considerations for selecting the continuous data transfer mode (synchronous or asynchronous, double buffered, triggered or non-triggered mode).

5.1 Mechanisms

The PCIS-DASK uses two mechanisms to perform continuous data transfer: interrupt transfer and DMA.

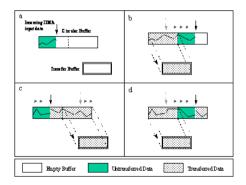
Interrupt transfer transfers data through the interrupt mechanism, while the DMA controller chip performs data transfer via a hardware. The PCIS-DASK uses the interrupt or DMA depending on the device. When the device supports both mechanisms, the PCIS-DASK decides on the data transfer method that takes maximum advantage of available resources. For example, PCI-9112 supports both interrupt and DMA for data transfers. The PCIS-DASK uses DMA data transfer in this instance since it is faster. For PCI-9111 that supports FIFO Half-Full and EOC interrupt transfer modes, the PCIS-DASK uses the FIFO Half-Full interrupt transfer mode since the CPU is interrupted to do data transfer only when the FIFO becomes half-full.

5.2 Double-Buffered AI/DI Operation

The PCIS-DASK uses double-buffering techniques in its driver software for continuous input of large amounts of data.

Double Buffer Mode Principle

The data buffer for double-buffered continuous input operation is a logical circular buffer. It is logically divided into two equal halves. The double-buffered input begins when the device starts writing data into the first half of the circular buffer (a). Refer to figure below. When the device starts writing to the second half of the circular buffer, the data is copied from the first half to the transfer buffer (b) also known as user buffer. You can now process the data in the transfer buffer depending on the application needs. After the board has filled the second half of the circular buffer, the board returns to the first half buffer and overwrites the old data. The data is copied from the second half of the circular buffer to the transfer buffer (c). The data in the transfer buffer is again available for process. The process may be repeated endlessly to provide a continuous stream of data to your application (d).



The PCIS-DASK double buffer mode functions were designed according to the principle described above. If you use:

AI_AsyncDblBufferMode or DI AsyncDblBufferMode

to enable double buffer mode, the following continuous AI/DI function performs double-buffered continuous AI/DI. You may call

AI_AsyncDblBufferHalfReady or DI AsyncDblBufferHalfReady

to check if data in the circular buffer is half full and ready for copying to the transfer buffer. Then you may call:

AI_AsyncDblBufferTransfer or DI_AsyncDblBufferTransfer

to copy data from the ready half buffer to the transfer buffer.

Single-Buffered Versus Double-Buffered Data Transfer

Single-buffered data transfer is the most common method for continuous data transfer. In single-buffered input operations, a fixed number of samples are acquired at a specified rate and transferred into user's buffer. After the user's buffer stores the data, the application can analyze, display, or store the data to the hard disk for later processing. Single-buffered operations are relatively simple to implement and can usually take advantage of the full hardware speed of the device. However, the major disadvantage of single-buffered operation is that the maximum amount of data that can be input at any one time is limited to the amount of initially allocated memory allocated in driver and the amount of free memory available in the computer.

In double-buffered operations, as mentioned above, the data buffer is configured as a circular buffer. Therefore, unlike single-buffered operations, double-buffered operations reuse the same buffer and are able to input or output an infinite number of data points without requiring an infinite amount of memory. However, there exists the undesired result of data overwritten for double-buffered data transfer. The device might overwrite data before PCIS-DASK has copied it to the transfer buffer. Another data overwritten problem occurs when an input device overwrites data that PCIS-DASK is simultaneously copying to the transfer buffer. Therefore, the data must be processed by the application at least as fast as the rate at which the device is reading data. For most of the applications, this requirement depends on the speed and efficiency of the computer system and programming language.

Hence, double buffering might not be practical for high-speed input applications.

5.3 Trigger Mode Data Acquisition for Analog Input

A trigger is an event that occurs based on a specified set of conditions. An interrupt mode or DMA-mode analog input operation can use a trigger to determinate when acquisition stops or starts.

The PCIS-DASK also provides two buffering methods for trigger mode AI double-buffering and single-buffering. However, the single buffer in trigger mode AI is different from that in non-trigger mode AI. It is a circular buffer just like that in double buffer mode but the data stored in the buffer can be processed only when the continuous data reading is completed. The buffer is reused until the data acquisition operation is completed. Therefore, to keep the data you want to transfer from being overwritten, the size of the single buffer should be the same as or larger than the amount of data you want to access.

For example, if you want to perform single-buffered middle-trigger AI with PCI-9812, and the amount of data you want to collect before and after the trigger event are 1000 and 3000, respectively, the size of single buffer should be at least 4000. Since the data are handled after the input operation is completed, data loss problems are eliminated

Since PCIS-DASK uses asynchronous AI to perform trigger mode data acquisition, the SyncMode of continuous AI should be set as ASYNCH OP.

6 Utilities

This chapter introduces the tools that came with the PCIS-DASK package.

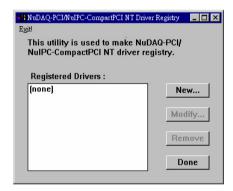
6.1 Win32 Utilities

NuDAQ Registry/Configuration (PciUtil)

The **PciUtil** registers the PCIS-DASK drivers (Windows[®] NT4 only), removes installed drivers (Windows[®] NT4 only), and sets/ modifies the allocated buffer sizes of AI, AO, DI, and DO. By default, the utility is located at <InstallDir>\Util directory.

Using PciUtil in Windows® NT

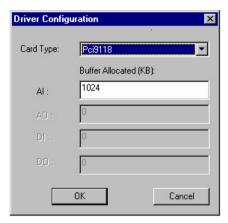
The PciUtil main window shows all registered PCIS-DASK/NT drivers. When detected, PciUtil displays the driver in the **Registered Drivers** section.



To register a PCIS-DASK driver, click New.



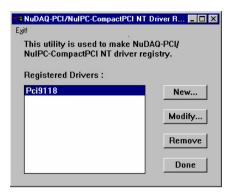
A **Driver Configuration** window appears.



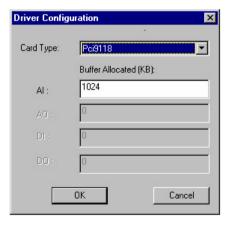
From the **Card Type** drop-down menu, select the driver you want to register, then key-in the allocated buffer (KB) for the AI, AO, DI, or DO functions depending on your application requirements.

The allocated buffer represents the size of contiguous, initially allocated memory for continuous analog input, analog output, digital input, and digital output. The device driver allocates the memory size during system startup. The size of initially allocated memory is the maximum memory size that DMA or interrupt transfer can be performed. An unexpected result occurs when the DMA or interrupt transfer performs an operation exceeding the initially allocated size.

After setting the driver configuration, click **OK** to register the driver and return to the PciUtil main window. The registered driver appears on the registered driver list.



To change the allocated buffer, select the driver from the Registered Driver list, then click **Modify**. The **Driver Configuration** window appears.



Key-in the new allocated buffer size in each available AI, AO, DI and DO fields, then click **OK**.

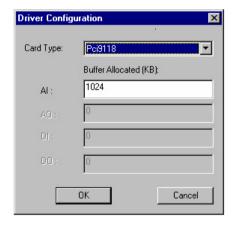
To remove a registered driver, select the driver from the **Registered Driver** list from the PciUtil main window, then click **Remove**. The selected driver is deleted from the registry table.

Using PciUtil in Windows® 98/2000/XP/Server 2003

The **PciUtil** sets or modifies the allocated buffer sizes of AI, AO, DI and DO in Windows[®] 98/2000/XP/Server 2003 environment.

The allocated buffer represents the size of contiguous, initially allocated memory for continuous analog input, analog output, digital input, and digital output. The device driver allocates the memory size during system startup. The size of initially allocated memory is the maximum memory size that DMA or interrupt transfer can be performed. An unexpected result occurs when the DMA or interrupt transfer performs an operation exceeding the initially allocated size.

To set the buffer size, key-in the allocated buffer (KB) for the AI, AO, DI, or DO functions depending on your application requirements from the **Driver Configuration** window. Click **OK** when finished.



Data File Converter (DAQCvt)

When performing continuous data acquisition followed by storage to a disk operation, the data files generated by the PCIS-DASK functions are written in binary format. Normal text editors may not be able to read binary files and spreadsheet applications may not recognize binary files for analysis.

The PCIS-DASK comes with the **DAQCvt** tool to conveniently convert these binary files into easily-read formats. The utility may be found at <InstallDir>\Util directory.

The DAQCvt main window is shown below.

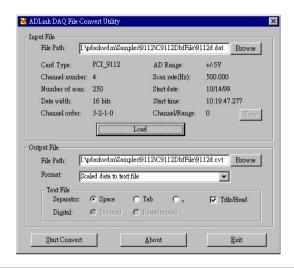


The DAQCvt main window is divided into two sections: **Input File** and **Output File**. The Input File section identifies the source data file while the Output File section identifies the destination for the converted file.

To convert a binary file:

- 1. Click Browse to locate the binary file.
- After locating the binary file, click Load. The binary file information displays on the Input File section for your reference. The default converted data file path and format also appear in the Output File section.





NOTE

The default destination for the converted file with a .cvt extension is in the same directory as the source file.

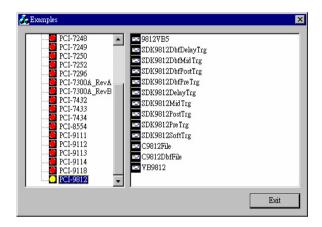
- 3. To change the default file path, click **Browse**, then select the destination for the converted file.
- 4. To change the format of the converted file, click the Format drop-down menu, then select from three available data formats. Refer to the formats' description below:
 - Scaled data to text file. The data in hexadecimal format is scaled to engineering unit (voltage, ample, etc.) according to the card type, data width, and data range, then written to disk in text file format. This type is available for the data accessed from continuous AI operation only.
 - Scaled data to binary file (float). The data in hexadecimal is scaled to engineering unit (voltage, ample, etc.) according to the card type, data width and data range, then written to disk in binary file format. This type is available for the data accessed from continuous AI operation only.

- Binary codes to text file. The data in hexadecimal format or converted to a decimal value is written to disk in text file format. If the original data includes channel information, the raw value is handled to get the real data value. This type is available for data accessed from continuous AI and DI operations.
- 5. Select the text file separator. You may separate data using a space, a comma, or a tab.
- Check the **Title/Head** option if you want to add a title/ head, including the card type information, at the beginning of the file.
- 7. When finished, click **Start Convert** to convert the file.



Sample Programs Browser

The PCIS-DASK comes with **Examples.exe** — a sample program browser that allows you to view and execute all bundled sample programs. Examples.exe is located at the **<InstallDir>\Samples** directory. After launching Examples.exe, double-click the icon of the sample you want to execute.



6.2 PCIS-DASK/X Utilities

This section introduces the tools that comes with the PCIS-DASK/X package for Linux distributions.

dask conf

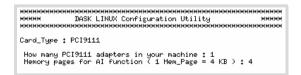
The **dask_conf** configures the PCIS-DASK drivers, removes configured drivers, and sets or modifies the allocated buffer sizes of AI, AO, DI and DO. By default, the dask_conf is located at pcidask_xxx/util (where xxx is the version number) directory.

Using dask conf in Linux

The dask_conf main screen shows all configured PCIS-DASK/X drivers in the **Configured Cards** list.

card Type	====== C Cards	onfigured (Buffer Si: AI			======= 4KB/page)] DO
PCI6208 PCI6308 PCI7200	1 2 3	0	0	0	0 0 0
	 (2)PCI6308 (7)PCI7248				
(11)PCI729	(7)PC17248 6 (12)PC174 the card t	32 (13)PCI	7433 (14)	PCI7434	(15)PCI911

To configure a PCIS-DASK/X driver, type the card type number. A **Driver Configuration** screen appears.



From this screen, key-in the number of cards and buffer size for continuous operations. To be platform-independent, the buffer size is set by the memory-page. The PAGE_SIZE for Intel platform is 4 KB. The **Memory Pages** of AI, AO, DI, and DO represent the

number of pages of contiguous initially allocated memory for continuous analog input, analog output, digital input, and digital output. The device driver allocates these memory sizes from the memory management module.

After the selected driver is configured, type **Y** to confirm and return to the dask_conf main screen. The configured driver now appears at the Configured Cards list.

Card Type	====== C Cards	onfigured (Buffer Siz AI			
PCI6208 PCI6308 PCI7200 PCI9111	1 2 3 1	0 0 0 4	0	0	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
(6)PCI7234 (11)PCI729		(8)PCI7249 32 (13)PCI7	(9)PCI7	250 (10) PCI7434	

To modify the driver configuration, including the number of cards and the buffer size, select the driver from the list, then assign the new settings. When the number of cards is set to zero, the configuration for the selected driver is removed.

When configuration is finished, the device configuration information is saved in pci-dask_xxx/drivers/pcidask.conf. The content of dask.conf is shown on the following illustration.

Card Type	Cards	Configured Ca Buffer Size AI		pages(DI	4KB/page)] D0
PCI6208 PCI6308 PCI7200 PCI9111	1 2 3 1	○○4	0 0 0	0 0	0 0 0

6.3 Module Installation Script

The PCI-bus architecture allows automatic detection of PCI devices right after these are installed and device nodes are created.

The following commands are necessary:

```
"insmod p9111"
"grep'p9111' /proc/devices"
"mknod /dev/PCI9111W0 c 254 0"
"mknod /dev/PCI9111W1 c 254 1"...
```

You can do these commands manually or use the provided installation scripts. The installation script is located at pci-dask_xxx/drivers.

Using the **pcidask.conf** configuration file, the installation script inserts all previously configured device modules and the memory management module, if required. The script then makes device nodes according to the number of cards. To install, execute this script:

```
<InstallDir>/pci-dask_xxx/drivers/dask_inst.pl
```

By default, the installation script reads the configuration file in the current directory. You may specify the work directory for the PCIS-DASK/X to install script from the command argument. For example, if the pcis-dask/x had been installed in /usr/local/pdask, you may install the driver using the following command:

```
dask_inst.pl /usr/local/pdask
```

The installation script reads the related configuration file by its argument and inserts the modules needed by the configured devices. This may be useful if the installation needs to be executed by init after system starts up.

For example, if you install the PCIS-DASK/X in the /usr/pdask directory and the system needs to insert the modules automatically. You may add the following command in the /etc/inittab, then the init process inserts the modules automatically.

```
ad:2345:wait:/usr/pdask/drivers/dask_inst.pl /
    usr/pdask "Insert ADLINK modules"
```

Because the current modules are designed based on Uni-Processor kernel, these modules may not work with SMP kernel. The installation script checks the kernel version through the /proc/sys/kernel/version file. For SMP kernel, the version-checking procedure displays the additional error/warning messages and stops the installation.

6.4 Uninstallation Script

The dask_remove.pl removes the PCIS-DASK/X installed in Linux. By default, this script is located at pci-dask_xxx/util directory.

To remove the PCIS-DASK for Linux, execute the uninstallation script:

```
<InstallDir>/pci-dask_xxx/util/dask_remove.pl
```

The script removes the device nodes made in /dev and the library copied into /usr/lib.

6.5 Data File Converter (DAQCvt)

When performing continuous data acquisition followed by storage to a disk operation, the data files generated by the PCIS-DASK functions are written in binary format. Normal text editors may not be able to read binary files and spreadsheet applications may not recognize binary files for analysis.

The PCIS-DASK comes with the **DAQCvt** tool to conveniently convert these binary files into easily-read formats. The utility may be found at <InstallDir>\Util directory.

DAQCvt may be launched using the "--help" argument. The DAQCvt main screen is shown below.

Options for data format conversion

DAQCvt provides three data format options.

```
-st : text file with scaled data
```

The data in hexadecimal format is scaled to engineering unit (voltage, ample, etc.) according to the card type, data width, and data range, then written to disk in text file format. This type is available for the data accessed from continuous AI operation only.

```
-sb : binary file with scaled data (float)
```

The data in hexadecimal is scaled to engineering unit (voltage, ample, etc.) according to the card type, data width and data range, then written to disk in binary file format. This type is available for the data accessed from continuous AI operation only.

```
-bt : text file with binary codes
```

The data in hexadecimal format or converted to a decimal value is written to disk in text file format. If the original data includes channel information, the raw value is handled to get the real data value. This type is available for data accessed from continuous AI and DI operations.

The default option for data format conversion is -st.

Options for separator in text file

The data separator in the converted text file may either be a space, tab, or comma.

```
-sep0 : add space as separator
-sep1 : add Tab as separator
-sep2 : add comma as separator
```

The default option for data format conversion is -sep0.

Options for Title/Head in text file

If you do not want to add the title/head at the beginning of the file, add the -nohead option.

After specifying the input filename, output filename, and the options in the command line, DAQCvt converts the file and saves it into the default location.

7 Sample Programs

Several sample programs are provided in the software CD. These sample program are designed to assist you when creating your own applications using PCIS-DASK.

NOTE

ADLINK periodically upgrades the PCIS-DASK for new cards/modules. Check the card/modules's Release Notes to know if PCIS-DASK supports it.

7.1 Brief Program Descriptions

Below is a list of programs and their description.

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
	C6202AO_SSI_Source	D/A Continuous Conversion with SSI signal out Visual C++ Program
	C6202AO_SSI_Target	D/A Continuous Conversion with SSI signal in Visual C++ Program
	C6202AODoubleBuffer	D/A Continuous Conversion in double buffer mode Visual C++ Program
PCI-6202	C6202AOSingleBuffer	D/A Continuous Conversion Visual C++ Program
FCI-0202	C6202DIO	DIO Polling Visual C++ Program
	C6202Encoder	Encoder with Encoder Position Trigger Visual C++ Program
	C6202GPTC	General Purpose Timer/Counter Visual C++ Program
	CAOOnePoint	D/A Polling Visual C++ Program
	SDK6208V	D/A conversion of PCI-6208V/16V Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-6208	SDK6208A	D/A conversion of PCI-6208A Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-0200	VB6208	D/A conversion of PCI-6208A Visual Basic Program
	VB6216	D/A conversion of PCI-6208V/16V Visual Basic Program
	SDK6308V	D/A conversion of PCI-6308V Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-6308	SDK6308A	D/A conversion of PCI-6308A Visual C/C++ Program
FCI-0308	VB6308A	D/A conversion of PCI-6308A Visual Basic Program
	VB6308V	D/A conversion of PCI-6308V Visual Basic Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
	C7200File	Digital input of PCI-7200/cPCI-7200 through DMA transfer Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
	C7200DbfFile	Double buffer mode digital input of PCI-7200/ cPCI-7200 through DMA transfer Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
PCI-7200	SDK7200Wave	Digital input of PCI-7200/cPCI-7200 through DMA transfer Visual C/C++ Program
1 01 7200	SDK7200DbfWav	Double buffer mode digital input of PCI-7200/cPCI-7200 through DMA transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7200HdSk	HandShanking mode digital input of PCI-7200/cPCI-7200 through DMA transfer Visual C/C++ program
	SDKETrigLine	ExtTrig Line setting of PCI-7200/cPCI-7200 Visual C/C++ Program
	VB7200Dma	Digital input of PCI-7200/cPCI-7200 through DMA transfer Visual Basic Program
	SDK7230	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7230/cPCI-7230 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7230Int	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7230/cPCI-7230 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7230	SDK7230DbEvt	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7230/cPCI-7230 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7230IntMsg	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7230/cPCI-7230 by Interrupt Event Message method
	SDK7230DbEvtMsg	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7230/cPCI-7230 by Interrupt Event Message method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
	VB7230	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7230/cPCI-7230 Visual Basic Program
	SDK7233	D/I of PCI-7233 Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7233	SDK7233Int	D/I of PCI-7233 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7233	SDK7233DbEvt	D/I of PCI-7233 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
	VB7233	D/I of PCI-7233 Visual Basic Program
PCI-7234	SDK7234	D/O of PCI-7234 Visual C/C++ Program
FUI-7234	VB7234	D/O of PCI-7234 Visual Basic Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
	SDK7248	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7248/cPCI-7248 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7248Int	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7248/cPCI-7248 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7248	SDK7248DbEvt	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7248/cPCI-7248 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7246	SDK7248IntMsg	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7248/cPCI-7248 by Interrupt Event Message method Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7248DbEvtMsg	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7248/cPCI-7248 by Interrupt Event Message method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
	VB7248	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7248/cPCI-7248 Visual Basic Program
	SDK7249	D/I, and D/O of cPCI-7249 Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7249	SDK7249Int	D/I, and D/O of cPCI-7249 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7249DbEvt	D/I, and D/O of cPCI-7249 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method (Dual Interrupt Events) <i>Visual C/C++ Program</i>
VB7249	VB7249	D/I, and D/O of cPCI-7249 Visual Basic Program
PCI-7250	SDK7250	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7250/51 Visual C/C++ Program
PGI-7250	VB7250	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7250/51 Visual Basic Program
DOI 7050	SDK7252	D/I, and D/O of cPCI-7252 Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7252	VB7252	D/I, and D/O of cPCI-7252 Visual Basic Program
	SDK7256	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7256 Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7256	SDK7256Int	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7256 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7256DbEvt	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7256 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
	VB7256	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7256 Visual Basic Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
	SDK7296	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7296 Visual C/C++ sample program
	SDK7296Int	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7296 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method Visual C/C++ sample program
PCI-7296	SDK7296DbEvt	D/l, and D/O of PCI-7296 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ sample program
PGI-7290	SDK7248IntMsg	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7296 by Interrupt Event Message method Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7248DbEvtMsg	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7296 by Interrupt Event Message method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
	VB7296	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7296 Visual Basic Program
	SDK7300Wave	Digital input of PCI-7300A_Rev.A/cPCI-7300A_Rev.A through DMA transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	S7300PGwav	Pattern generation of PCI-7300A_Rev.A/cPCI-7300A_Rev.A Visual C/C++ program
	SDK7300aMBufWav	Multiple buffer mode digital input of PCI-7300A_Rev.A/cPCI-7300A_Rev.A through DMA transfer Visual C/C++ sample program
PCI-7300 Rev.A	SDK7300Int	Interrupt operation of PCI-7300A_Rev.A/cPCI-7300A_Rev.A by Event Status checking and waiting method Visual C/C++ program
	SDK7300DbEvt	Interrupt operation of PCI-7300A_Rev.A/cPCI-7300A_Rev.A by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
	C7300File	Digital input of PCI-7300A_Rev.A/ cPCI-7300A_Rev.A through DMA transfer Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console program
	SDK7300Wave	Digital input of PCI-7300A_Rev.B/cPCI-7300A_Rev.B through DMA transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	S7300PGwav	Pattern generation of PCI-7300A_Rev.B/cPCI-7300A_Rev.B Visual C/C++ program
	SDK7300aMBufWav	Multiple buffer mode digital input of PCI-7300A_Rev.B/cPCI-7300A_Rev.B through DMA transfer Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7300	SDK7300Int	Interrupt operation of PCI-7300A_Rev.B/cPCI-7300A_Rev.B by Event Status checking and waiting method Visual C/C++ program
Rev.B	SDK7300DbEvt	Interrupt operation of PCI-7300A_Rev.B/cPCI-7300A_Rev.B by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ sample program
	C7300bDbfDO	Double buffer mode digital output of PCI-7300A_Rev.B/cPCI-7300A_Rev.B through DMA transfer Visual C/C++ console Program
	C7300File	Digital input of PCI-7300A_Rev.B/cPCI-7300A_Rev.B through DMA transfer Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ sample program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
	C7350_DI_DMA	Digital input of PCIe-7350 through DMA transfer. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DI_DMA_File	Digital input of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DI_DMA_SoftTrig	Digital input of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer with soft trigger. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DI_DMA_ExtTrig	Digital input of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer with external trigger. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DI_DMA_ExtReTrig	Digital input of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer with external retrigger. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DI_DMA_ExtReTrig_Event	Digital input of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer with external retrigger. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DI_DMA_ExtInfTrig	Digital input of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer with infinite retrigger. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DI_DMA_ExtClk	Digital input of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer with external sampled clock. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DI_MBF_Overrun	Continuous digital input of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer with multi-buffers. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DI_MBF_Event	Continuous digital input of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer with multi-buffers. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DO_DMA	Digital output of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DO_DMA_SoftTrig	Digital output of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer with soft trigger. Visual C/C++ Program.
PCIe-7350	C7350_DO_DMA_ExtTrig	Digital output of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer with external trigger. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DO_DMA_ExtReTrig	Digital output of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer with external retrigger. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DO_DMA_ExtReTrig_Event	Digital output of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer with external retrigger. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DO_DMA_ExtInfTrig_Event	Digital output of PCIe-7350 through DMA transfer with infinite retrigger. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DO_DMA_ExtClk	Digital output of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer with external sampled clock. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DO_MBF	Continuous digital output of PCIe-7350 through DMA transfer with multi-buffers. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DO_MBF_Event	Continuous digital output of PCIe-7350 through DMA transfer with multi-buffers. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DIO_POLL	Digital input and output of PCle-7350 with polling mode. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DIO_HandShake	Digital input and output of PCIe-7350 through DMA transfer with hand shake mode. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_DIO_BurstHandShake	Digital input and output of PCle-7350 through DMA transfer with burst hand shake mode. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_COS	Change of state of PCIe-7350. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_PM_Level	Pattern match of PCIe-7350. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_PM_Edge	Pattern match of PCIe-7350. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_I2C	Inter-Integrated Circuit of PCIe-7350. Visual C/C++ Program.
	C7350_SPI	Serial Peripheral Interface of PCIe-7350. Visual C/C++ Program.

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Card Type	Sample Name	Description
	SDK7348	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7348 Visual C/C++ sample program
	SDK7348Int	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7348 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7348DbEvt	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7348 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7348COSi	COS of Interrup operation of D/I, and D/O of PCI-7348 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method Visual C/C++ sample program
	SDK7348IntMsg	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7348 by Interrupt Event Message method Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7348DbEvtMsg	D/I, and D/O of PCI- PCI-7348 by Interrupt Event Message method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7348	VB7348	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7348 Visual Basic Program
PCI-7396	SDK7396	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7396 Visual C/C++ sample program
	SDK7396Int	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7396 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7396DbEvt	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7396 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ sample program
	SDK7396COSi	COS of Interrup operation of D/I, and D/O of PCI-7396 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7396IntMsg	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7396 by Interrupt Event Message method Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7396DbEvtMsg	D/I, and D/O of PCI- PCI-7396 by Interrupt Event Message method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
	VB7396	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7396 Visual Basic Program
	SDK7432	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7432/cPCI-7432 Visual C/C++ sample program
	SDK7432Int	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7432/cPCI-7432 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method Visual C/C++ Program
DOI 7400	SDK7432DbEvt	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7432/cPCI-7432 by Interrupt Event Status checking and waiting method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7432	SDK7432IntMsg	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7432/cPCI-7432 by Interrupt Event Message method Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7432DbEvtMsg	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7432/cPCI-7432 by Interrupt Event Message method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
	VB7432	D/I, and D/O of PCI-7432/cPCI-7433 Visual Basic Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
	SDK7433	D/I of PCI-7433/cPCI-7433 Visual C/C++ sample program
	SDK7433R	D/I of cPCI-7433R Visual C/C++ sample program
	SDK7433Int	D/I of PCI-7433/cPCI-7433 through Interrupt operation Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7433	SDK7433DbEvt	D/I of PCI-7433/cPCI-7433 through Interrupt operation (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7433IntMsg	D/I of PCI-7433/cPCI-7433 by Interrupt Event Message method Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7433DbEvtMsg	D/I of PCI-7433/cPCI-7433 by Interrupt Event Message method (Dual Interrupt Events) Visual C/C++ Program
	VB7433	D/I of PCI-7433/cPCI-7433 Visual Basic Program
	SDK7434	D/O of PCI-7434/cPCI-7434 Visual C/C++ sample program
PCI-7434	SDK7434R	D/O of cPCI-7434R Visual C/C++ sample program
-	VB7434	D/O of PCI-7434/cPCI-7434 Visual Basic Program
	C7442TTL_Line	Programmable D/I and D/O of PCI-7442 Visual C/C++ Program
	C7442TTL_Port	Programmable D/I and D/O of PCI-7442 Visual C/C++ Program
	CDIOOnePoint	D/I and D/O of PCI-7442 Visual C/C++ Program
	CWdtOvflow	Watchdog timer of PCI-7442 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7442DbEvt	Change-of-state of PCI-7442 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7442DBEvtMsg	Change-of-state of PCI-7442 Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7442	SDK7442int	Change-of-state of PCI-7442 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7442intMsg	Change-of-state of PCI-7442 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7442TTL	Programmable D/I and D/O of PCI-7442 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7442DIO	D/I and D/O of PCI-7442 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDKWdtOvflow	Watchdog Timer of PCI-7442 Visual C/C++ Program
	VB7442TTL	Programmable D/I and D/O of PCI-7442 Visual Basic Program
	VB7442DIO	D/I and D/O of PCI-7442 Visual Basic Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
	C7443TTL_Line	Programmable D/I and D/O of PCI-7443 Visual C/C++ Program
	C7443TTL_Port	Programmable D/l and D/O of PCI-7443 Visual C/C++ Program
	CDIOnePoint	D/I of PCI-7443 Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7443	SDK7443intMsg	Change-of-state of PCI-7443 Visual C/C++ Program
FCI-7443	SDK7443MultiEvt	Change-of-state of PCI-7443 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7443MultiEvtMsg	Change-of-state of PCI-7443 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7443TTL	Programmable D/l and D/O of PCI-7443 Visual C/C++ Program
	VB7443TTL	Programmable D/I and D/O of PCI-7443 Visual C/C++ Program
	C7444TTL_Line	Programmable D/I and D/O of PCI-7444 Visual C/C++ Program
	C7444TTL_Port	Programmable D/I and D/O of PCI-7444 Visual C/C++ Program
	CD00nePoint	D/O of PCI-7444 Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-7444	CWdtOvflow	Watchdog timer of PCI-7444 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK7444TTL	Programmable D/l and D/O of PCI-7444 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDKWdtOvflow	Watch-dog Timer of PCI-7444 Visual C/C++ Program
	VB7444TTL	Programmable D/l and D/O of PCI-7444 Visual Basic Program
	SDK8554	Timer/counter of PCI-8554 Visual C/C++ sample program
PCI-8554	SDKEventCnt	Event counter of PCI-8554 Visual C/C++ sample program
	VB8554	Timer/counter of PCI-8554 Visual Basic Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
	SDK9111	A/D conversion, D/A conversion, D/I, and D/O of PCI9111 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9111Int	Analog input of PCI-9111 through Interrupt operation Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9111DbfPreTrg	Pre-trigger with Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9111 through Interrupt operation Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9111SpreTrg	Pre-trigger with Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9111 through Interrupt operation Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-9111	C9111File	Analog input of PCI-9111 through Interrupt operation Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
PCI-9111	C9111DbfFile	Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9111 through Interrupt operation Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
	VB9111	A/D conversion, D/A conversion, D/I, and D/O of PCI9111 Visual Basic Program
	VB9111Int	Analog input of PCI-9111 through Interrupt operation Visual Basic Program
	VB9111PreTrg	Pre-trigger with Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9111 through Interrupt operation Visual Basic Program
	VB9111Scan	Autoscan Analog input of PCI-9111 Visual Basic Program
	SDK9112	A/D conversion, D/A conversion, D/I, and D/O of PCI9112/cPCI-9112 Visual C/C++ program
	SDK9112DMA	Analog input of PCI-9112/cPCI-9112 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9112DbfDma	Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9112/cPCI-9112 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ sample program
PCI-9112	C9112File	Analog input of PCI-9112 through DMA data transfer Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
	C9112DbfFile	Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9112 through DMA data transfer Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
	VB9112	A/D conversion, D/A conversion, D/I, and D/O of PCI9112/cPCI-9112 Visual Basic Program
	VB9112DbfDma	Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9112/cPCI-9112 through DMA data transfer Visual Basic Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
PCI-9113	SDK9113	A/D conversion, D/A conversion, D/I, and D/O of PCI-9113 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9113Int	Analog input of PCI-9113 through Interrupt operation Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9113DbfInt	Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9113 through Interrupt operation Visual C/C++ sample program
	C9113File	Analog input of PCI-9113 through Interrupt operation Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
	C9113DbfFile	Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9113 through Interrupt operation Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console program
	VB9113	A/D conversion, D/A conversion, D/I, and D/O of PCI-9113 Visual Basic Program
	VB9113Int	Analog input of PCI-9113 through Interrupt operation Visual Basic Program
	VB9113Scan	Autoscan Analog input of PCI-9113 Visual Basic Program
PCI-9114	SDK9114	A/D conversion, D/A conversion, D/I, and D/O of PCI-9114 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9114Int	Analog input of PCI-9114 through Interrupt operation Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9114DbfInt	Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9114 through Interrupt operation Visual C/C++ sample program
	C9114File	Analog input of PCI-9114 through Interrupt operation Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
	C9114DbfFile	Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9114 through Interrupt operation Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
	VB9114	A/D conversion, D/A conversion, D/I, and D/O of PCI-9114 Visual Basic Program
	VB9114Int	Analog input of PCI-9114 through Interrupt operation Visual Basic Program
	VB9114Scan	Autoscan Analog input of PCI-9114 Visual Basic Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
cPCI-9116	SDK9116	A/D conversion of cPCI-9116 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9116ScanDma	Software trigger with Single buffer mode analog input of cPCI-9116 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9116PostTrg	Post trigger with Single buffer mode analog input of cPCI-9116 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9116MidTrg	Middle trigger with Single buffer mode analog input of cPCI-9116 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9116DlyTrg	Delay trigger with Single buffer mode analog input of cPCI-9116 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9116DbfDma	Double buffer mode analog input of cPCI-9116 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9116DbfAboutTrg	Middle trigger with Double buffer mode analog input of cPCI-9116 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9116DbfPostTrg	Post trigger with Double buffer mode analog input of cPCI-9116 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9116DbfDlyTrg	Delay trigger with Double buffer mode analog input of CPCI-9116 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	C9116File	Analog input of cPCI-9116 through DMA data transfer Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
	C9116DbfFile	Double buffer mode analog input of cPCI-9116 through DMA data transfer Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
	VB9116	Analog input of CPCI-9116 through DMA data transfer Visual Basic Program
PCI-9118	SDK9118	A/D conversion, D/A conversion, D/I, and D/O of PCI-9118 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9118DbfAboutTrg	About trigger with Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9118 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9118BurstDma	Analog input of PCI-9118 through Burst Mode DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9118DbfDma	Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9118 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program

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Card Type	Sample Name	Description
PCI-9118	SDK9118HRDbfDma	Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9118HR through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9118ScanDma	Autoscan Analog input of PCI-9118 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9118HRScanDma	Autoscan Analog input of PCI-9118HR through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9118DbfPreTrg	Pre-trigger with Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9118 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9118DbfPostTrg	Post trigger with Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9118 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ sample program
	SDK9118AboutTrg	About trigger with Single buffer mode analog input of PCI-9118 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9118HRAboutTrg	About trigger with Single buffer mode analog input of PCI-9118HR through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9118PostTrg	Post trigger with Single buffer mode analog input of PCI-9118 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	C9118File	Analog input of PCI-9118 through DMA data transfer Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
	C9118DbfFile	Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9118 through DMA data transfer Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
	VB9118DgHr	A/D conversion, D/A conversion, D/I, and D/O of PCI9118DG/HR Visual Basic Program
	VB9118Hg	A/D conversion, D/A conversion, D/I, and D/O of PCI9118HG Visual Basic Program
	VB9118AboutTrg	About trigger with Single buffer mode analog input of PCI-9118 through DMA data transfe Visual Basic Program
	VB9118PostTrg	Post trigger with Single buffer mode analog input of PCI-9118 through DMA data transfe Visual Basic sample program
	VB9118Dma	Analog input of PCI-9118 through DMA data transfer Visual Basic Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
	C9221AIDma	A/D conversion of PCI-9221 Visual C/C++ Program
	C9221AIDma_ExtD	A/D conversion of PCI-9221 with external trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9221AIDmaToFile	A/D conversion of PCI-9221 Stores acquired data to a disk file Visual C/C++ Program
	C9221AIPol1	A/I Polling of PCI-9221 Visual C/C++ Program
	C9221AIPoll_MultiChn	A/I Polling of PCI-9221 for multiple channels Visual C/C++ Program
	C9221AO	A/O of PCI-9221 Visual C/C++ Program
	C9221Cal	Calibration of PCI-9221 Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-9221	C9221DIO_Line	D/I and D/O of PCI-9221 Visual C/C++ Program
1 01-9221	C9221DIO_Port	D/I and D/O of PCI-9221 Visual C/C++ Program
	C9221GPTC	General-Purpose Timer/Counter of PCI-9221 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9221AIDma	A/D conversion of PCI-9221 Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9221AIDmaDbf	Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9221 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9221AIDmaDbfCallBack	Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9221 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9221DIO	D/I and D/O of PCI-9221 Visual C/C++ Program
	VB9221AIDma	A/D conversion of PCI-9221 Visual Basic Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
	C9222_AI_Polling	A/D Polling Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AI_DMA	A/D Continuous Conversion Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AI_DMA_Event	A/D Continuous Conversion with AlEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AI_DMA_ExtDtoFile	A/D Continuous Conversion with External Digital Trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AI_DMA_ReTrigger	A/D Continuous Conversion with External Digital Re-trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AI_DMA_InfiniteReTrigger	A/D Continuous Conversion with Infinite External Digital Re-trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AI_DMA_ReTrigEvent	A/D Continuous Conversion with External Digital Re-trigger and TrigEvent/AlEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AI_DMA_GatedTrigger	A/D Continuous Conversion with Gated Trigger Mode Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AI_DMA_DBFtoFile	A/D Infinite Conversion with Double Buffer Mode Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AI_DMA_DBFOverrun	A/D Infinite Conversion with Double Buffer Mode and Double Buffer Overrun Check Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-9222	C9222_AI_DMA_DBFEvent	A/D Infinite Conversion with Double Buffer Mode and DBEvent/AIEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AO_Polling	D/A Polling Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AO_DMA_SimuWrites	D/A Simultaneous Continuous Update Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AO_DMA_WaveRepeat	D/A Continuous Update with Waveform Repeat Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AO_DMA_ReTrigEvent	D/A Continuous Update with External Digital Re-trigger Mode and TrigEvent/AOEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AO_DMA_InfiniteDReTrigger	D/A Continuous Update with Infinite External Digital Re-trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AO_DMA_DBF	D/A Infinite Continuous Update with Double Buffer Mode Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_AO_DMA_DBFEvent	D/A Infinite Continuous Update with Double Buffer Mode and DBEvent/AOEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_DIO_Polling	DIO Polling Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_DI_DMA	DI Continuous Conversion Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_DI_DMA_Retrigger	DI Continuous Conversion with External Digital Re-trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_DI_DMA_InfiniteReTrigger	DI Continuous Conversion with Infinite External Digital Re-trigger Visual C/C++ Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
PCI-9222 (cont.)	C9222_DI_DMA_DBFtoFile	DI Infinite Continuous Conversion with Double Buffer Mode Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_DI_DMA_DBFEvent	DI Infinite Continuous Conversion with Double Buffer Mode and DBEvent/DIEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_DO_DMA	DO Continuous Update Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_DO_DMA_Event	DO Continuous Update with DOEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_DO_DMA_DelayTrigger	DO Continuous Update with Delay Trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_DO_DMA_ReTrigEvent	DO Continuous Update with External Digital Re-trigger and TrigEvent/ DOEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_DO_DMA_InfiniteReTrigger	DO Continuous Update with Infinite External Digital Re-trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_Encoder	CW/CCW, x1, x2, x4 AB Phase Encoder Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_Encoder_Event	CW/CCW, x1, x2, x4 AB Phase Encoder with Encoder Position Trigger/Event Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_GPTC	General Purpose Timer/Counter Visual C/C++ Program
	C9222_Calibration	A/D and D/A Auto Calibration Visual C/C++ Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
	C9223_AI_Polling	A/D Polling Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AI_DMA	A/D Continuous Conversion Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AI_DMA_Event	A/D Continuous Conversion with AlEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AI_DMA_ExtDtoFile	A/D Continuous Conversion with External Digital Trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AI_DMA_ReTrigger	A/D Continuous Conversion with External Digital Re-trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AI_DMA_InfiniteReTrigger	A/D Continuous Conversion with Infinite External Digital Re-trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AI_DMA_ReTrigEvent	A/D Continuous Conversion with External Digital Re-trigger and TrigEvent/AlEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AI_DMA_GatedTrigger	A/D Continuous Conversion with Gated Trigger Mode Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AI_DMA_DBFtoFile	A/D Infinite Conversion with Double Buffer Mode Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AI_DMA_DBFOverrun	A/D Infinite Conversion with Double Buffer Mode and Double Buffer Overrun Check Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-9223	C9223_AI_DMA_DBFEvent	A/D Infinite Conversion with Double Buffer Mode and DBEvent/AlEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AO_Polling	D/A Polling Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AO_DMA_SimuWrites	D/A Simultaneous Continuous Update Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AO_DMA_WaveRepeat	D/A Continuous Update with Waveform Repeat Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AO_DMA_ReTrigEvent	D/A Continuous Update with External Digital Re-trigger Mode and TrigEvent/AOEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AO_DMA_InfiniteDReTrigger	D/A Continuous Update with Infinite External Digital Re-trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AO_DMA_DBF	D/A Infinite Continuous Update with Double Buffer Mode Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_AO_DMA_DBFEvent	D/A Infinite Continuous Update with Double Buffer Mode and DBEvent/AOEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_DIO_Polling	DIO Polling Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_DI_DMA	DI Continuous Conversion Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_DI_DMA_Retrigger	DI Continuous Conversion with External Digital Re-trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_DI_DMA_InfiniteReTrigger	DI Continuous Conversion with Infinite External Digital Re-trigger Visual C/C++ Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
PCI-9223 (cont.)	C9223_DI_DMA_DBFtoFile	DI Infinite Continuous Conversion with Double Buffer Mode Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_DI_DMA_DBFEvent	DI Infinite Continuous Conversion with Double Buffer Mode and DBEvent/DIEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_DO_DMA	DO Continuous Update Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_DO_DMA_Event	DO Continuous Update with DOEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_DO_DMA_DelayTrigger	DO Continuous Update with Delay Trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_DO_DMA_ReTrigEvent	DO Continuous Update with External Digital Re-trigger and TrigEvent/ DOEnd Event Call Back Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_DO_DMA_InfiniteReTrigger	DO Continuous Update with Infinite External Digital Re-trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_Encoder	CW/CCW, x1, x2, x4 AB Phase Encoder Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_Encoder_Event	CW/CCW, x1, x2, x4 AB Phase Encoder with Encoder Position Trigger/Event Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_GPTC	General Purpose Timer/Counter Visual C/C++ Program
	C9223_Calibration	A/D and D/A Auto Calibration Visual C/C++ Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
	AI_Polling	A/D Fast Polling Visual C/C++ Program
	AI_ScanChannels	A/D Fast Channels-Scan Polling Visual C/C++ Program
	AI_ContDma	A/D Continuous Conversion Visual C/C++ Program
	AI_ContDmaFile	A/D Continuous Conversion Visual C/C++ Program
	AI_ContDmaExtD	A/D Continuous Conversion with External Digital Trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	AI_ContScans	A/D Continuous Channels-Scan Conversion Visual C/C++ Program
	AI_ContScansFile	A/D Continuous Channels-Scan Conversion Visual C/C++ Program
	AI_ContScansExtTrig	A/D Continuous Channels-Scan Conversion with QD/PG Internal Trigger Visual C/C++ Program
PCI-9524	AI_ContDbfDma	A/D Infinite Continuous Conversion with Double Buffer Mode Visual C/C++ Program
	AI_ContDbfDmaFileExtD	A/D Infinite Continuous Conversion with Double Buffer Mode and External Digital Trigger Visual C/C++ Program
	AI_ContDbfScansFile	A/D Infinite Continuous Channels-Scan Conversion with Double Buffer Mode Visual C/C++ Program
	AO_PollUpdate	D/A Polling Visual C/C++ Program
	AO_SimuUpdate	D/A Simultaneous Polling Visual C/C++ Program
	DIO_Polling	DIO Polling Visual C/C++ Program
	CTR_PulseGenration	CLK/DIR, CW/CCW Pulse Generation Visual C/C++ Program
	CTR_QuadratureDecoder	X4 AB Phase Decoder Visual C/C++ Program
	Calibration	D/A Infinite Continuous Update with Double Buffer Mode Visual C/C++ Program

Card Type	Sample Name	Description
PCI-9812	SDK9812SoftTrg	Software trigger with Single buffer mode analog input of PCI-9812/ cPCI-9812 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9812PreTrg	Pre-trigger with Single buffer mode analog input of PCI-9812/cPCI- 9812 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9812PostTrg	Post trigger with Single buffer mode analog input of PCI-9812/cPCI-9812 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9812MidTrg	Middle trigger with Single buffer mode analog input of PCI-9812/cPCI- 9812 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9812DelayTrg	Delay trigger with Single buffer mode analog input of PCI-9812/cPCI- 9812 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9812DbfMidTrg	Middle trigger with Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9812/ cPCI-9812 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9812DbfPreTrg	Pre-trigger with Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9812/cPCI- 9812 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9812DbfPostTrg	Post trigger with Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9812/cPCI- 9812 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	SDK9812DbfDelayTrg	Delay trigger with Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9812/cPCI- 9812 through DMA data transfer Visual C/C++ Program
	C9812File	Analog input of PCI-9812/10 through DMA data transfer Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
	C9812DbfFile	Double buffer mode analog input of PCI-9812/10 through DMA data transfer Storing the data to disk Visual C/C++ console Program
	VB9812	Analog input of PCI-9812/cPCI-9812 through DMA data transfer Visual Basic 4.0 Program
	9812 VB5	Analog input of PCI-9812/cPCI-9812 through DMA data transfer Visual Basic 5.0 Program

NOTE

The PCIS-DASK comes with Examples.exe - a sample program browser that allows you to view and execute all bundled sample programs. Examples.exe is located in <InstallDir>\Samples directory. After launching Examples.exe, double-click the icon of the sample you want to execute.

7.2 Development Environments

Visual Basic Sample Programs

Several Visual Basic sample programs are provided for each card. Using VB9112DMA as example, the following files are included in each sample program:

- ▶ VB project file VB9112D.VBP
- ▶ VB form files VB9112D.FRM
- Executable file VB9112D.EXE

You must install a 32-bit Microsoft[®] Visual Basic 4.0 Professional Edition or higher to view these sample programs. Refer to Microsoft[®] Visual Basic 4.0 Professional Edition manual or related reference books to get the information on using Visual Basic 4.0.

If you want to execute the VB sample programs without installing Microsoft[®] Visual Basic 4.0, use the VB4 Runtime package. The VB4 Runtime package includes the required library and DLL files to run the VB sample programs. You can find this package from the main setup window or root directory of the ADLINK All-In-One CD.

Microsoft C/C++ Sample Programs

The PCIS-DASK also includes Microsoft[®] C/C++ sample programs featuring similar functions as those provided by VB samples. These may be directly executed and do not require installation of any additional package. It is recommended that you use Microsoft[®] C/C++ sample programs when testing the PCIS-DASK packages.

Using SDK7200WAV as example, the following files are included in each sample program:

- C source file 7200WAV.C
- ▶ Workspace file 7200WAV.MDP
- ▶ Resource script file 7200WAV.RC, RESOURCE.H
- ▶ Make file 7200WAV.MAK
- Executable file 7200WAV.EXE

You can use any Microsoft[®] Visual C++ 4.0 editor to view or modify these source files. However, you must install Microsoft[®] Visual C++ 4.0 or higher to build the executable 7200WAV.EXE. Refer to the Microsoft[®] Visual C++ manual or related reference books for additional information.

7.3 Execute Sample Programs

To run the sample programs:

1. Open the sample program

You can use Microsoft Visual C++ 4.0 or Visual Basic 4.0 to open and execute the sample programs. Or you can run the executable files directly.

2. Set the testing parameters

Depending on your requirements, set the testing parameters such as A/D or D/A conversion, testing channels, sampling rate, transfer count, etc.

3. Click the **Start** button to run the program.

7.4 Detailed Descriptions of Programs

Four types of sample programs are provided together with the PCIS-DASK software driver:

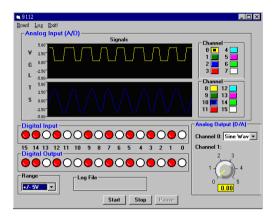
- ▶ AD conversion, D/A conversion, and D/O
- ▶ Data I/O through DMA Data Transfer or Interrupt operation
- ▶ Double buffer mode data I/O through DMA transfer or Interrupt operation
- ► Trigger Mode Data I/O through DMA Data Transfer or Interrupt operation

NOTE

The following sections describing these types of sample programs use the VB 9112, SDK 9112DMA, SDK 9112CDMA and SDK 9118 DbfPreTrg screens as examples.

A/D Conversion, D/A Conversion, D/I, and D/O

This sample illustrates how to use the PCIS-DASK to operate software trigger with program polling data mode and read/write data from digital input/output channels on PCI-9112. The main program main screen is shown below:



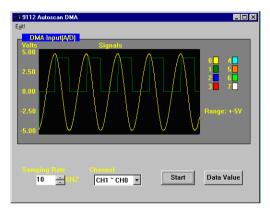
Analog Input (A/D). Shows the results of A/D conversion. You can select the input channels (allows multiple channels) and the input range (gain) you want to test.

Analog output (D/A). Shows the results of D/A conversion. You may turn the tuner to set the output voltage. You can also set the output waveform to sine or square.

D/I and D/O. Shows the results of read/write data from/to digital input/output channels. To set the output value, click the channel buttons. A red color indicates an ON channel, while a white color indicates an OFF channel.

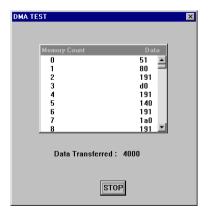
Data I/O Through DMA Data Transfer or Interrupt Operation

This program demonstrates the use of PCIS-DASK to operate data I/O through DMA data transfer or Interrupt operation. The program main screen is shown below.



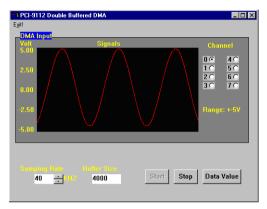
These programs allow you to adjust the input channels, input range (PCI-7200 does not have these two options), sampling rate, and data size (transfer count).

To view the input data, click on the **Data Value** button in the main screen when data transfer is finished. Refer to the following screen.



Double Buffer Mode Data I/O Through DMA Transfer or Interrupt Operation

This program tells you how to use PCIS-DASK to operate double-buffered data I/O through DMA transfer or Interrupt operation. The program main screen is shown below:



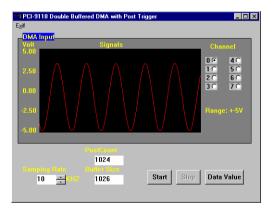
These programs lets you input channel, input range (PCI-7200 does not have this two options), sampling rate, and data size (transfer count).

To view the input data, click on the **Data Value** button in the main screen after you stop the double-buffered operation.

Trigger Mode Data I/O Through DMA Data Transfer or Interrupt Operation

These programs tell you how to use PCIS-DASK to operate trigger mode data I/O through DMA data transfer or interrupt operation. Except for the additional input item **postCount**, the main screen of these programs are similar with Single-Buffer Mode or Double-Buffer Mode programs. Please refer to these two sections for the details.

The **postCount** item represents the number of data accessed after a specific trigger event or the counter value for deferring to access data after a specific trigger event. Refer to the description of AI configuration functions (AI_9111_Config, AI_9118_Config, AI_9812_Config) for details.



NOTE

Except for VB9812, all trigger mode data acquisition sample programs use external digital trigger source to provide trigger signal. Refer to the card's documentation if you you want to operate for the detailed description of trigger mode data acquisition.

8 Distribution of Applications

8.1 Required Files

When installing an application that uses PCIS-DASK on another computer, you must install the necessary driver files and supporting libraries on the target system. You can create an automatic installer that installs your program and all files needed to run the program or you can install the program and program files manually For both installation methods, you must install the following files:

Required support DLLs: Pci-dask.dll

Driver files

Windows® 98

- Corresponding driver files in \Software\Pcisdask\W98NT2K \redist\W98\drivers (e.g. pci7200.sys for PCI-7200). These files must be copied to the Windows\system32\drivers directory.
- Corresponding INF files in \Software\Pcis-dask\W98NT2K \redist\W98\Inf (e.g. p7200.inf for PCI-7200). These files must be copied to the Windows\inf directory.
- Device configuration utility in \Software\Pcisdask\W98NT2K\redist\W98\Util.

Windows® NT 4.0

- adIdask.sys in \Software\Pcisdask\W98NT2K\redist\Wnt\drivers. This file must be copied to Winnt\system32\drivers directory.
- Corresponding driver files in \Software\Pcisdask\W98NT2K \redist\Wnt\drivers (e.g. pci7200.sys for PCI-7200). These files must be copied to Winnt\system32\drivers directory.
- Device configuration utility in \Software\Pcisdask\W98NT2K/redist\Wnt\Util.

Windows® 2000

 Corresponding driver file in \Software\Pcisdask\W98NT2K \redist\W2000\drivers (e.g. pci7200.sys

- for PCI-7200). These files must be copied to **Winnt\system32\drivers** directory.
- ➤ Corresponding INF file in \Software\Pcis-dask\W98NT2K \redist\W2000\Inf (e.g. p7200.inf for PCI-7200). These files must be copied to Winnt\inf directory.
- Device configuration utility in \Software\Pcisdask\W98NT2K \redist\W2000\Util.

Utility file (option)

▶ Data conversion utility DAQCvt.exe in \Software\Pcisdask\ W98NT2K\redist\W98\Util, \Software\Pcisdask\W98NT2K\redist\Wnt\Util, or \Software\Pcisdask\W98NT2K\redist\W2000\Util to convert the binary data file to an easily read file format.

8.2 Automatic Installers

Several programming environments provide setups or distribution kit tools that automatically create an installation program so that it can be conveniently installed from one computer to another. For the application to function properly, this tool must locate and include the required control files and supporting libraries in the installation program that it creates.

Some tools, such as the Visual Basic 5 Setup Wizard, uses dependency files to determine which libraries are required by a VB application. Some setup tools may not automatically recognize which files are required by a program, but they provide an option to add additional files to the installation program. In this case, verify that all the necessary files described in the previous section are included. The user should also check if the resulting installation program does not copy older versions of a file over a newer version on the target computer.

If the programming environment does not provide a tool or wizard for building an installation program, third-party tools such as InstallShield may be used instead. Some programming environments provide simplified or trial versions of third-party installer creation tools on their installation CDs.

8.3 Manual Installation

If the programming environment does not include a setup or distribution kit tool, the installation task may be performed manually. To install the program to another computer:

- 1. Copy the program executable to the target computer.
- Copy all required PCIS-DASK files described in the section 8.1 to the appropriate directory on the target computer.
- 3. Use NuDAQ Device Configuration utility to configure the device.

NOTE Do not replace a newer version of a file installed in the target computer.