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# 1. Free Functions

The following free functions are defined in namespace xsp:

# 1.1. clearLogHandler()

```
void xsp::clearLogHandler()
```

Removes the log handler, which has been set with setLogHandler().

# **Important**

This function has to called before the handler goes out of scope.

## **Example**

# 1.2. createSystem()

```
std::unique_ptr<xsp::System> xsp::createSystem(const std::string& config_file)
```

Creates a System object, initialized with values from the specified configuration file.

The function may return a nullptr, if multi-host synchronization could not be established. This is usually the case, if the process receives a SIGINT signal (e.g. by pressing Ctrl-C) while still in the synchronizing phase.

The function throws a ConfigError exception, if the configuration file cannot be opened for reading, or if there were errors while reading.

### **Parameters**

config\_file absolute path of configuration file

#### **Return Value**

A pointer to a System object

# **Example**

```
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    return 0;
}
```

# 1.3. libraryMajor()

```
int xsp::libraryMajor()
```

Returns the major version number of the library.

## **Return Value**

The major version number

# **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    std::cout << "libxsp major: " << xsp::libraryMajor() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

# **Possible Output**

```
libxsp major: 2
```

# 1.4. libraryMinor()

```
int xsp::libraryMinor()
```

Returns the minor version number of the library.

#### **Return Value**

The minor version number

#### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    std::cout << "libxsp minor: " << xsp::libraryMinor() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
libxsp minor: 0
```

# 1.5. libraryPatch()

```
int xsp::libraryPatch()
```

Returns the patch version number of the library.

#### **Return Value**

The patch version number

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    std::cout << "libxsp patch: " << xsp::libraryPatch() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
libxsp patch: 2
```

# 1.6. libraryVersion()

```
std::string xsp::libraryVersion()
```

Returns the version of the library as a string in the format "major.minor.patch".

#### **Return Value**

A string with the library version

# **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    std::cout << "libxsp version: " << xsp::libraryVersion() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

#### **Possible Output**

```
libxsp version: 1.0.2
```

# 1.7. setLogHandler()

```
void xsp::setLogHandler(
     const std::function<void(LogLevel, const std::string&)>& h
)
```

Sets a handler, which is called to log information from within the library. The handler must be defined as a method to accept two arguments: the level of type <code>LogLevel</code> and a string.

# **Important**

It must be assured that the handler is callable until clearLogHandler() is called.

## **Parameters**

h

a callable object (e.g. a lambda expression)

# **Example**

# **Possible Output**

DEBUG: created DetectorSystem with ID SYS

# 2. Common Classes

The following common classes are defined in namespace xsp:

ConfigError represents a configuration error

Detector base class for detectors
Error base class for all exceptions

EventType type of user event Frame acquired frame

FrameStatusCode status code of acquired frame

 $\begin{array}{lll} {\tt LogLevel} & & {\tt log\ severity\ level} \\ {\tt Position} & & {\tt module\ position} \end{array}$ 

PostDecoder base class for post decoder Receiver base class for receivers

Rotation module rotation

RuntimeError indicates a runtime error

ShuffleMode shuffle mode used for compression StatusCode status code of a detector operation

System detector system

# 2.1. ConfigError

Represents an error while parsing the system configuration file.

It inherits the public member methods from Error.

# 2.2. Detector

Represents the control interface to a physical detector.

It provides the following public member methods:

clearEventHandler() removes a user event handler

connect() connects a detector disconnects a detector

frameCount() returns number of frames to acquire

 $\operatorname{id}()$  returns the detector ID  $\operatorname{initialize}()$  initializes a detector

isBusy() returns whether a detector is busy with acquisition

isConnected() returns whether a detector is connected

 ${\tt isReady()} \qquad \qquad {\tt returns\ whether\ a\ detector\ is\ ready\ for\ acquisition}$ 

liveFrame()
liveFrameDepth()
liveFrameHeight()
returns bit depth of live frame
returns live frame height
liveFrameSelect()
returns live frame to display

liveFramesQueued() returns number of queued live frames

liveFrameWidth() returns live frame width

 ${\tt release()} \qquad \qquad {\tt releases \ a \ live \ frame \ from \ the \ queue}$ 

reset() resets a detector

setEventHandler() adds a user event handler

setFrameCount() sets number of frames to acquire

setShutterTime()
sets shutter time

# 2.2.1. clearEventHandler()

```
void xsp::Detector::clearEventHandler()
```

Removes handler, which has been previously set with setEventHandler().

# **Important**

This function has to called before the handler goes out of scope.

### **Example**

# 2.2.2. connect()

```
void xsp::Detector::connect()
```

Opens the control connection to the detector. Depending on the detector type, some initial data transfer is performed to identify the connected detector modules.

If connection cannot be established, a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD\_COMMUNICATION\_ERROR is thrown. For a multi-module detector, a failure on at least one module will disconnect the whole detector unless the ModuleFlag is set on that module.

If the connection can be established, but identification of a module failed, a  ${\tt RuntimeError}$  exception with status code  ${\tt BAD\_DEVICE\_FAILURE}$  is thrown. The detector is not disconnected, so that communication to other modules, which have been identified correctly, is still possible.

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    d->connect();
```

```
return 0;
}
```

# 2.2.3. disconnect()

```
void xsp::Detector::disconnect()
```

Closes the control connection to the detector.

Calling this method has no effect, if the detector is already disconnected.

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    d->connect();
    d->disconnect();
    return 0;
}
```

# 2.2.4. frameCount()

```
std::uint64_t xsp::Detector::frameCount() const
```

Returns the currently configured number of frames to acquire.

The frame count is not read from detector hardware, but instead is cached within the library. It is therefore necessary to call <code>setFrameCount()</code> at least once to get a meaningful value.

### **Return Value**

Number of frames to acquire

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    d->setFrameCount(100);
    std::cout << "n frames: " << d->frameCount() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Output**

```
n frames: 100
```

# 2.2.5. id()

```
std::string xsp::Detector::id() const
```

Returns the detector ID.

The detector ID is configured as:

```
detectors:
   - id: DET_01
   [...]
```

#### **Return Value**

A string with the detector ID

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    std::cout << "detector ID: " << d->id() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
detector ID: DET_01
```

# 2.2.6. initialize()

```
void xsp::Detector::initialize()
```

Initializes the detector.

This function requires that the detector has been connected by calling <code>connect()</code> beforehand. If the detector is disconnected, then this function throws a <code>RuntimeError</code> exception with status code <code>BAD\_NOT\_CONNECTED</code>.

The exact behavior of this function depends on the detector model, but usually initial configuration and calibration data are sent to the detector. If the communication with the detector fails, a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD\_COMMUNICATION\_ERROR is thrown.

Execution of this function takes some time to transfer data into the detector.

# **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    d->connect();
    d->initialize();
    return 0;
}
```

# 2.2.7. isBusy()

```
bool xsp::Detector::isBusy()
```

Returns whether a detector is busy.

A detector is busy, if startAcquisition() has been called. This flag is reset, when stopAcquisition() is called or when all frames have been received.

Users might check detector state using isBusy() before calling startAcquisition() to be sure that no acquisition is currently ongoing.

#### **Return Value**

True, if detector is busy with acquisition

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");

    if (!d->isBusy())
        d->startAcquisition();
    std::cout << "detector DET_01 busy: "
        << (d->isBusy() ? "yes" : "no") << std::endl;

    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Output**

```
detector DET_01 busy: yes
```

# 2.2.8. isConnected()

```
bool xsp::Detector::isConnected()
```

Returns whether a detector is connected.

A detector is connected, if the control network connection has been established.

#### **Return Value**

True, if a detector is connected

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    s->connect();
    if (d->isConnected())
        std::cout << "detector DET_01 connected" << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
detector DET_01 connected
```

# 2.2.9. isReady()

```
bool xsp::Detector::isReady()
```

Returns whether a detector is ready.

A detector is ready, if the detector and his associated data receivers have been successfully initialized. The detector is then ready for data acquisition and startaguisition() can be called.

#### **Return Value**

True, if a detector is ready for acquisition

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();

while (!d->isReady())
        sleep(1);
    std::cout << "detector DET_01 ready" << std::endl;

return 0;
}</pre>
```

#### **Possible Output**

```
detector DET_01 ready
```

# **2.2.10. liveFrame()**

```
const xsp::Frame* xsp::Detector::liveFrame(int timeout_ms) const
```

Returns a pointer to the live frame.

The live frame is the composition of all module frames, and is updated regularly during acquisition. Frame data is guaranteed to be valid until release() has been called.

The update period can be changed in the detectors: section of the system configuration file, as shown in the following example:

```
detectors:
   - id: DET_01
   type: Lambda
   live-update: 1000 # ms
[...]
```

The default update period is 1000 ms.

# **Note**

The update period is translated into a frame number difference. Thus the actual time between two live updates depends on the time required to

decode all intermediate frames. This time can be considerably longer than the configured update period, especially at short shutter times.

#### **Parameters**

timeout in milliseconds to wait for frames

#### **Return Value**

A pointer to a Frame object.

# **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
       s->detector("DET_01"));
   d->setFrameCount(1);
   d->setShutterTime(0.5);
   d->startAcquisition();
   auto f = d->liveFrame();
    // display f->data()
   d->release(f);
   return 0;
```

# 2.2.11. liveFrameDepth()

```
int xsp::Detector::liveFrameDepth() const
```

Returns the bit depth of the live frame. The value represents a number of significant bits per frame pixel. For example, a frame depth of 12 bits indicates that frame pixels are stored as 16-bit integers, where only the lower 12 bits may have non-zero values.

The live frame is the composition of all module frames, and is updated regularly during acquisition.

#### **Return Value**

An integer with the number of valid bits per frame pixel

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    std::cout << "frame depth: " << d->liveFrameDepth() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

```
frame depth: 12
```

# 2.2.12. liveFrameHeight()

```
int xsp::Detector::liveFrameHeight() const
```

Returns the height of the live frame.

The live frame is the composition of all module frames, and is updated regularly during acquisition.

#### **Return Value**

An integer with the height of the frame in pixel

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    std::cout << "frame height: " << d->liveFrameHeight() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
frame height: 516
```

# 2.2.13. liveFrameSelect()

```
void xsp::Detector::liveFrameSelect(int subnr, int conn) const
```

Selects the frame to use as live frame based on the specified subframe and connector number. The connector number is used for discrete sensor layouts to select the live view from a specific connector, for non-discrete (i.e. compound) sensor layouts, it has to be set to 1.

In dual counter mode, subframe number 1 selects the frame with the lower threshold to be displayed in the live view, and subframe number 2 selects the frame with the higher threshold to be displayed in the live view.

For discrete sensor layout, the connector number selects the compact sensor to be displayed in the live view. The connector number must be between 1 and 4.

If liveFrameSelect() has not been called, then the default is to select subframe number 1 and connector 1.

#### **Parameters**

```
subnr subframe number (either 1 or 2) conn connector number (between 1 and 4)
```

```
#include <iostream>
```

# 2.2.14. liveFramesQueued()

```
int xsp::Detector::liveFramesQueued() const
```

Returns the number of live frames that have been queued inside the detector. If this number is non-zero, users are able to get live frames by calling the live-frame() method.

#### **Return Value**

Number of frames actually queued

### **Example**

### **Possible Output**

```
live frames queued: 10
```

# 2.2.15. liveFrameWidth()

```
int xsp::Detector::liveFrameWidth() const
```

Returns the width of the live frame.

The live frame is the composition of all module frames, and is updated regularly during acquisition.

#### **Return Value**

An integer with the width of the frame in pixel

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    std::cout << "frame width: " << d->liveFrameWidth() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

## **Possible Output**

```
frame width: 772
```

# 2.2.16. release()

```
void xsp::Detector::release(const xsp::Frame* f)
```

Releases a live frame.

This function must be called after the frame data has been processed in order to remove the frame from the internal queue.

#### **Parameters**

f pointer as returned by a previous call to liveFrame()

#### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
       s->detector("DET_01"));
   d->setFrameCount(100);
   d->setShutterTime(0.5);
   d->startAcquisition();
   while (true) {
        auto f = d->liveFrame(100);
       if (f == nullptr) break;
        // display frame data
       d->release(f);
   return 0;
```

# 2.2.17. reset()

```
void xsp::Detector::reset()
```

Resets a detector.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the reset command into the detector.

The detector is automatically reinitialized after the reset. The state of the detector after a reset is identical to the state after initialization.

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();

    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    d->reset();
    return 0;
}
```

# 2.2.18. setEventHandler()

Sets a handler, which is called on user events.

The handler is called with 2 arguments: the EventType and a pointer. The pointer may point to auxiliary data, depending on the event type. If no auxiliary data is required, then the pointer must be set to nullptr.

#### **Parameters**

h

a callable object (e.g. a lambda expression)

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
   bool ready_flag = false;
   d->setEventHandler([&](auto t, const void* d) {
           switch (t) {
                case xsp::EventType::READY:
                    std::cerr << "received READY event" << std::endl;
                    ready_flag = true;
                    break;
            }
        });
   s->connect();
    s->initialize();
   while (!ready_flag)
        sleep(1);
   std::cout << "detector ready" << std::endl;</pre>
```

```
d->clearEventHandler();
  return 0;
}
```

```
received READY event detector ready
```

# 2.2.19. setFrameCount()

```
void xsp::Detector::setFrameCount(uint64_t count)
```

Sets the number of frames to acquire to count.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the value into the detector.

#### **Parameters**

count

number of frames to acquire

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    d->setFrameCount(100);
    std::cout << "n frames: " << d->frameCount() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

#### **Output**

```
n frames: 100
```

# 2.2.20. setShutterTime()

```
void xsp::Detector::setShutterTime(double time_ms)
```

Sets the shutter time.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the value into the detector.

The valid value range depends on the specific detector type.

#### **Parameters**

time\_ms shutter time in milliseconds

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
{
```

```
auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
d->setShutterTime(0.5);
std::cout << "shutter time [ms]: " << d->shutterTime() << std::endl;
return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Output**

```
shutter time [ms]: 0.5
```

# 2.2.21. shutterTime()

```
double xsp::Detector::shutterTime() const
```

Returns the currently configured shutter time in milliseconds.

The shutter time is not read from detector hardware, but instead is cached within the library. It is therefore necessary to call <code>setShutterTime()</code> at least once to get a meaningful value.

#### **Return Value**

The shutter time in milliseconds

# **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    d->setShutterTime(0.5);
    std::cout << "shutter time [ms]: " << d->shutterTime() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

#### **Output**

```
shutter time [ms]: 0.5
```

# 2.2.22. startAcquisition()

```
void xsp::Detector::startAcquisition()
```

Starts an acquisition.

The method can only be called, if the detector is not busy. If it is called, while the detector is busy, a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD\_DEVICE\_BUSY is thrown.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD\_COMMUNI-CATION\_ERROR, if there are communication failures while writing the start command into the detector.

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
```

```
int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();

    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    d->setFrameCount(100);
    d->setShutterTime(0.5);
    d->startAcquisition();

    return 0;
}
```

# 2.2.23. stopAcquisition()

```
void xsp::Detector::stopAcquisition()
```

Stops a running acquisition.

If no acquisition is running, this function has no effect and returns immediately.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the start command into the detector.

Execution of this functions may take at most the time, that has been configured as link timeout (in milliseconds) for receivers. <sup>1</sup>

```
receivers:
- [...]
links:
- [...]
timeout: 1000
```

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    d->setFrameCount(100);
    d->setShutterTime(1000.0);
    d->startAcquisition();
    sleep(5);
    d->stopAcquisition();
    return 0;
}
```

# 2.2.24. type()

```
std::string xsp::Detector::type() const
```

Returns the detector type.

The detector type is configured as:

```
detectors:
   - id: DET_01
```

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Internally, the link timeout is used to regularly check, whether an acquisition stop has been requested.

```
type: Lambda
```

### **Return Value**

A string with the detector type

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    std::cout << "detector type: " << d->type() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

# **Possible Output**

```
detector type: Lambda
```

# 2.2.25. userData()

```
std::string xsp::Detector::userData(const std::string& key)
```

Returns configured user data value associated with requested key.

The method returns an empty string, if a key cannot be found.

### **Parameters**

key

the key for a user data item

#### **Return Value**

A string representing the value of a user data key

## **Example**

#### **Possible Output**

```
sensor material: Si
```

# **2.3. Error**

Base class for all library exceptions: ConfigError, RuntimeError.

It provides the following public member methods:

what()

returns a textual description of the error condition

# 2.3.1. what()

```
const char* xsp::Error::what() const
```

Returns the textual description of the error.

# 2.4. EventType

This enumeration indicates the type of an event.

#### **Values**

READY detector or receiver is ready
START detector has been started
STOP detector has been stopped

# **2.5. Frame**

This class represents an acquired frame.

It provides the following public member methods:

```
returns the connector number
connector()
                                      returns pointer to the frame data
data()
nr()
                                      returns the frame number
                                      returns the hardware generated sequence number
seq()
                                      returns the number of frame data bytes
size()
                                     returns the frame status code
status()
subframe()
                                      returns the subframe number
trigger()
                                      returns the trigger number
```

# **2.5.1.** connector()

```
int xsp::Frame::connector() const
```

Returns the connector number for Hydra type detectors with discrete sensors. For detectors with compound sensors, the connector number is always 1.

### **Return Value**

The connector number

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();
```

```
received frame #1 on connector #1
```

# 2.5.2. data()

```
const std::uint8_t* xsp::Frame::data() const
```

Returns a pointer to the frame data. The size of the array can be determined with the size() method.

Frame data is returned as a pointer to a byte array. The exact meaning of each byte depends on the detector type and operation mode. It might be a chunk of compressed data, a two-dimensional array of pixels, or a record with a detector specific structure.

The pointer may need to be casted to a different integer size in order to access multi-byte values.

#### **Return Value**

A pointer to a byte array

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
   auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
   d->setFrameCount(1);
   d->setShutterTime(0.5);
   d->startAcquisition();
   auto f = r - > frame(100);
   if (f != nullptr) {
        // assuming frame data is a 2D array of 16-bit uints
        auto dp = reinterpret_cast<std::uint16_t*>(f->data());
       std::cout << "pixel value at origin: " << dp[0];
        r->release(f);
   return 0;
```

```
pixel value at origin: 42
```

# 2.5.3. nr()

```
std::uint64_t xsp::Frame::nr() const
```

Returns the frame number.

The number will start at 1 for each new acquisition.

#### **Return Value**

Frame number

#### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
   auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
   d->setFrameCount(1);
   d->setShutterTime(0.5);
   d->startAcquisition();
   auto f = r - > frame(100);
   if (f != nullptr) {
        std::cout << "received frame #" << f->nr() << std::endl;
        r->release(f);
   return 0;
```

### **Possible Output**

```
received frame #1
```

# 2.5.4. seq()

```
std::uint64_t xsp::Frame::seq() const
```

Returns the frame sequence number, as generated by the hardware.

The number may have less than 64 significant bits. It wraps to zero on overflow of the significant bits. It is not guaranteed that the detector resets the number when starting a new acquisition run.

#### **Return Value**

Frame sequence number

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
```

```
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
   auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
   d->setFrameCount(1);
   d->setShutterTime(0.5);
   d->startAcquisition();
   auto f = r - > frame(100);
   if (f != nullptr) {
        std::cout << "received frame #" << f->nr()
            << ", seq #" << f->seq() << std::endl;
        r->release(f);
   }
   return 0;
```

```
received frame #1, seq #177
```

# 2.5.5. size()

```
std::size_t xsp::Frame::size() const
```

Returns the size of the frame data array in number of bytes.

#### **Return Value**

Size of the frame data array in bytes

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
   auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
   d->setFrameCount(1);
   d->setShutterTime(0.5);
   d->startAcquisition();
   auto f = r - > frame(100);
   if (f != nullptr) {
       std::cout << "frame size [bytes]: " << f->size();
       r->release(f);
   return 0;
```

### **Possible Output**

```
frame size [bytes]: 796704
```

# 2.5.6. status()

```
xsp::FrameStatusCode xsp::Frame::status() const
```

Returns the frame status code of type FrameStatusCode.

#### **Return Value**

Frame status code

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
   auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
   d->setFrameCount(1);
   d->setShutterTime(0.5);
   d->startAcquisition();
   auto f = r - > frame(100);
   if (f != nullptr) {
       if (f->status() == xsp::FrameStatusCode::FRAME_OK)
            std::cout << "frame is ok" << std::endl;
           std::cout << "frame is not ok" << std::endl;
        r->release(f);
   return 0;
```

#### **Possible Output**

```
frame is ok
```

# 2.5.7. **subframe()**

```
int xsp::Frame::subframe() const
```

Returns the subframe number.

In single counter mode, the subframe number is always 1. In dual counter mode, subframe 1 contains the counter values for the lower threshold and subframe 2 contains the counter values for the higher threshold.

### **Return Value**

The subframe number

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main()
{
```

```
received frame #1, subframe #1
```

# 2.5.8. trigger()

```
std::uint64_t xsp::Frame::trigger() const
```

Returns the trigger pulse number.

The trigger pulse number is generated inside the detector by incrementing a counter for each new trigger. Older detectors may not count trigger pulses, in that case, a value of 0 is returned.

This value may overflow and restart at 0, if the counter inside the detector has less than 64 bit. It is not guaranteed that the detector resets the counter when starting a new acquisition run.

### **Return Value**

The trigger pulse number

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
   auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
   d->setFrameCount(1);
   d->setShutterTime(0.5);
   d->startAcquisition();
   auto f = r - > frame(100);
   if (f != nullptr) {
       std::cout << "received frame #" << f->nr()
            << " on trigger pulse " << f->trigger() << std::endl;
       r->release(f);
   return 0;
```

}

### **Possible Output**

```
received frame #17 on trigger pulse 2
```

# 2.6. FrameStatusCode

This enumeration indicates the status of a received frame.

#### **Values**

FRAME\_OK the frame contains valid data

FRAME\_INCOMPLETE the frame has been received incompletely due to loss of packets

during transmission

FRAME\_MISSING the frame has not been received at all due to loss of packets dur-

ing transmission

FRAME COMPRESSION FAILED the frame could not be compressed

# 2.7. LogLevel

This enumeration indicates the severity level of a log message. It can have the following values:

ERROR for critical messages, current task is aborted

WARN for non-critical messages, current task can continue

INFO for informal messages

DEBUG for more verbose informal messages

# 2.8. Position

This struct represents a position in terms of three coordinates.

#### **Members**

x x coordinatey y coordinatez z coordinate

# 2.9. PostDecoder

The PostDecoder class represents the interface to an additional post processing block, which further processes the decoded images. This includes summing of several consecutive images, and stitching images from multiple modules into a single image for the whole detector.

It provides the following public member methods:

clearEventHandler() removes a user event handler

frame()
frame()
frameDepth()
frameHeight()
frameHeight()
frameSQueued()

returns pointer to next processed frame
returns bit depth of processed frame
returns height of processed frame

frameSummingEnabled() returns whether frame summing is enabled

```
frameWidth()
                                      returns width of processed frame
                                      returns the id
id()
                                     initializes the post decoder
initialize()
isBusy()
                                      returns whether a post decoder is busy with acquisition
isReady()
                                      returns whether a post decoder is ready for acquisition
numberOfSubFrames()
                                      returns the number of subframes per exposure
numberOfConnectedSensors()
                                      returns the number of connected sensors
                                      releases an processed frame from the queue
release()
                                      sets the compression level
setCompressionLevel()
setEventHandler()
                                      adds an user event handler
                                      sets shuffle mode for compression
setShuffleMode()
                                     sets number of frames which are summed
setSummedFrames()
                                      returns current shuffle mode for compression
shuffleMode()
summedFrames()
                                      returns number of frames which are summed
```

# 2.9.1. clearEventHandler()

```
void xsp::PostDecoder::clearEventHandler()
```

Removes an event handler, which has been previously set with setEven-tHandler().

# **Important**

This function has to called before the handler goes out of scope.

# **Example**

# 2.9.2. compressionEnabled()

```
bool xsp::PostDecoder::compressionEnabled() const
```

Returns whether compression is enabled. The compression is enabled via system configuration file by setting the compressor in the post decoding block to something else than "none".

#### **Return Value**

True, if compression is enabled

```
#include <iostream>
```

```
compression: enabled
```

# 2.9.3. compressionLevel()

```
int xsp::PostDecoder::compressionLevel() const
```

Returns the configured compression level.

# **Return Value**

Compression level

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
    std::cout << "compression level: " << p->compressionLevel() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
compression level: 4
```

# 2.9.4. compressor()

```
std::string xsp::PostDecoder::compressor() const
```

Returns the configured compressor. If no compressor has been configured, then the string "none" is returned.

### **Return Value**

A string with the configured compressor

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
```

```
{
  auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
  s->connect();
  auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");

  std::cout << "compressor: " << p->compressor() << std::endl;
  return 0;
}</pre>
```

```
compressor: zlib
```

# 2.9.5. frame()

```
const xsp::Frame* xsp::PostDecoder::frame(int timeout_ms) const
```

Returns a pointer to a processed frame. The function waits the specified time in milliseconds for a frame to be queued. If no frame has been processed and queued within this time, a nullptr is returned.

Frame data is guaranteed to be valid until release() has been called.

# **Note**

This function does not remove the frame from the queue. Thus, release() must be called after frame data has been processed.

In single counter mode, one frame is queued for each exposure. In dual counter mode, two frames with same frame number and sub frame numbers 1 and 2 are queued for each exposure. The number of sub frames can be determined by calling numberOfSubFrames().

### **Parameters**

timeout\_ms timeout in milliseconds to wait for frames

#### **Return Value**

A pointer to a Frame object or a nullptr.

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
       s->detector("DET_01"));
   auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
   d->setFrameCount(1);
   d->setShutterTime(0.5);
   d->startAcquisition();
   auto f = p - strame(100);
   p->release(f);
   return 0;
```

}

# 2.9.6. frameDepth()

```
int xsp::PostDecoder::frameDepth() const
```

Returns the bit depth of the frame. The value represents a number of significant bits per frame pixel. For example, a frame depth of 12 bits indicates that frame pixels are stored as 16-bit integers, where only the lower 12 bits may have non-zero values.

The frame depth is only available after the system has been initialized.

#### **Return Value**

Number of valid bits per frame pixel

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();

    std::cout << "frame depth: " << p->frameDepth() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
frame depth: 12
```

# 2.9.7. frameHeight()

```
int xsp::PostDecoder::frameHeight() const
```

Returns the height of the frame.

The frame height is only available after the system has been initialized.

#### **Return Value**

Height of the frame in pixel

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();

    std::cout << "frame height: " << p->frameHeight() << std::endl;
    return 0;</pre>
```

}

## **Possible Output**

```
frame height: 1163
```

# 2.9.8. framesQueued()

```
int xsp::PostDecoder::framesQueued() const
```

Returns the number of processed frames inside the internal frame queue. If this number is non-zero, users are able to get frames by calling the frame() function.

### **Return Value**

Number of frames actually queued

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
       s->detector("DET_01"));
   d->setFrameCount(10);
   d->setShutterTime(0.5);
   d->startAcquisition();
   usleep(10000);
   std::cout << "frames queued: " << p->framesQueued() << std::endl;</pre>
   return 0;
```

### **Possible Output**

```
frames queued: 10
```

# 2.9.9. frameSummingEnabled()

```
bool xsp::PostDecoder::frameSummingEnabled() const
```

Returns if frame summing is enabled. Frame summing is enabled, if the number of summed frames is greater than 1.

#### **Return Value**

True if frame summing is enabled, false otherwise.

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
```

```
frame summing enabled: true
```

# **2.9.10. frameWidth()**

```
int xsp::PostDecoder::frameWidth() const
```

Returns the width of the frame.

The frame width is only available after the system has been initialized.

### **Return Value**

Width of the frame in pixel

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");

    s->connect();
    s->initialize();
    std::cout << "frame width: " << p->frameWidth() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

## **Possible Output**

```
frame width: 800
```

# 2.9.11. id()

```
std::string xsp::PostDecoder::id() const
```

Returns the post decoder ID.

The post decoder ID is equivalent to the configured reference, detector ID or detector ID plus '/' plus module number, configured as:

```
postdecoders:
    - ref: DET_01/1
    [...]
# or
    - ref: DET_01
    [...]
```

#### **Return Value**

A string with the post decoder ID

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
    std::cout << "post decoder ID: " << p->id() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

## **Possible Output**

```
post decoder ID: DET_01
```

# 2.9.12. initialize()

```
void xsp::PostDecoder::initialize()
```

Initializes a post decoder.

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
    p->initialize();
    return 0;
}
```

# 2.9.13. isBusy()

```
bool xsp::PostDecoder::isBusy() const
```

Returns whether a post decoder is busy.

A post decoder is busy, if an acquisition has been started.

## **Return Value**

True, if a post decoder is busy with acquisition

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();

while (!p->isBusy())
        sleep(1);
    std::cout << "post decoder DET_01 busy" << std::endl;
    while (p->isBusy())
```

```
sleep(1);
std::cout << "post decoder DET_01 idle" << std::endl;
return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Output**

```
post decoder DET_01 busy
post decoder DET_01 idle
```

# 2.9.14. isReady()

```
bool xsp::PostDecoder::isReady() const
```

Returns whether a post decoder is ready.

A post decoder is ready, if it has been successfully initialized. The post decoder is then ready for data reception, i.e. frame() can be called to access the processed frames.

### **Return Value**

True, if a post decoder is ready for acquisition

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();

while (!p->isReady())
        sleep(1);
    std::cout << "post decoder DET_01 ready" << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
post decoder DET_01 ready
```

# 2.9.15. numberOfConnectedSensors()

```
int xsp::PostDecoder::numberOfConnectedSensors() const
```

Returns the number of connected sensors in case of Hydra type Lambda detectors with discrete compact sensors. For normal detectors, such as 60K, 250K, 350K, 750K, a value of 1 is returned.

# **Important**

Discrete sensor layout is currently not supported in the post decoder.

#### **Return Value**

Number of connected sensors

## **Example**

## **Possible Output**

```
connected sensors: 1
```

# 2.9.16. numberOfSubFrames()

```
int xsp::PostDecoder::numberOfSubFrames() const
```

Returns the number of subframes per exposure. This number is usually 1. For dual counter mode, 2 subframes are acquired per exposure.

For discrete sensor layout, the number of subframes is equal to the number of connected single chip sensors. If in addition dual counter mode is enabled, then twice the number of connected chip sensors is returned.

When reading the decoded frames from the post decoder, all subframes will have the same frame number, but different subframe numbers. Subframe number always starts at 1.

### **Return Value**

Number of subframes per exposure

### **Example**

### **Possible Output**

```
n subframes: 1
```

# 2.9.17. release()

```
void xsp::PostDecoder::release(const xsp::Frame* f)
```

Releases a frame from the queue.

This function must be called after the frame data has been processed in order to remove the frame from the queue.

#### **Parameters**

f pointer to the frame as returned by a previous call to frame()

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
      s->detector("DET_01"));
  auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
   d->setFrameCount(100);
   d->setShutterTime(0.5);
   d->startAcquisition();
   while (true) {
       auto f = p - sframe(100);
       if (f == nullptr) break;
        // process frame data
       p->release(f);
   return 0;
```

# 2.9.18. setCompressionLevel()

```
void xsp::PostDecoder::setCompressionLevel(int level) const
```

Returns the configured compression level.

### **Return Value**

Compression level

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
    p->setCompressionLevel(1);
    std::cout << "compression level: " << p->compressionLevel() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

## **Possible Output**

```
compression level: 1
```

# 2.9.19. setEventHandler()

Sets a handler, which is called on user events.

The handler is called with 2 arguments: the EventType and a pointer. The pointer may point to auxiliary data, depending on the event type. If no auxiliary data is required, then the pointer must be set to nullptr.

#### **Parameters**

h

a callable object (e.g. a lambda expression)

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
   auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
       s->detector("DET_01"));
   bool started_flag = false;
   p->setEventHandler([&](auto t, const void* d) {
           switch (t) {
                case xsp::EventType::START:
                   std::cout << "received START event" << std::endl;
                    ready_flag = true;
                    break;
        });
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   d->startAcquisition();
   while (!started_flag)
        sleep(1);
   std::cout << "postDecoder started" << std::endl;</pre>
   p->clearEventHandler();
   return 0;
```

## **Possible Output**

```
received START event
postDecoder started
```

# 2.9.20. setShuffleMode()

```
void xsp::PostDecoder::setShuffleMode(xsp::ShuffleMode) const
```

Returns the configured ShuffleMode.

## **Return Value**

Enumeration of type ShuffleMode

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
```

```
s->connect();
auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");

p->setShuffleMode(xsp::ShuffleMode::NO_SHUFFLE);
switch (p->shuffleMode()) {
   case xsp::ShuffleMode::NO_SHUFFLE:
        std::cout << "shuffle mode: NO_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;
        break;

   case xsp::ShuffleMode::BYTE_SHUFFLE:
        std::cout << "shuffle mode: BYTE_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;
        break;

   case xsp::ShuffleMode::BIT_SHUFFLE:
        std::cout << "shuffle mode: BIT_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;
        break;

   case xsp::ShuffleMode::AUTO_SHUFFLE:
        std::cout << "shuffle mode: AUTO_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;
        break;
}

return 0;
}</pre>
```

```
shuffle mode: NO_SHUFFLE
```

# 2.9.21. setSummedFrames()

```
int xsp::PostDecoder::setSummedFrames() const
```

Sets the number of frames, which are summed into a single combined frame. A value of 1 disables the frame summing.

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();

    p->setSummedFrames(100);
    std::cout << "summed frames: " << p->summedFrames() << std::endl;
    if (p->frameSummingEnabled()) {
        std::cout << "frame summing enabled" << std::endl;
    } else {
        std::cout << "frame summing disabled" << std::endl;
    }
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
summed frames : 100 frame summing enabled
```

# 2.9.22. shuffleMode()

```
xsp::ShuffleMode xsp::PostDecoder::shuffleMode() const
```

Returns the configured ShuffleMode.

### **Return Value**

Enumeration of type ShuffleMode

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   s->connect();
   auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
   switch (p->shuffleMode()) {
    case xsp::ShuffleMode::NO_SHUFFLE:
      std::cout << "shuffle mode: NO_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;</pre>
    case xsp::ShuffleMode::BYTE_SHUFFLE:
      std::cout << "shuffle mode: BYTE_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;</pre>
      break;
    case xsp::ShuffleMode::BIT_SHUFFLE:
      std::cout << "shuffle mode: BIT_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;</pre>
      break;
    case xsp::ShuffleMode::AUTO_SHUFFLE:
      std::cout << "shuffle mode: AUTO_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;</pre>
   return 0;
```

## **Possible Output**

```
shuffle mode: AUTO_SHUFFLE
```

# 2.9.23. summedFrames()

```
int xsp::PostDecoder::summedFrames() const
```

Returns number of frames, which are summed into a single frame. A value of 1 disables the frame summing.

### **Return Value**

Number of summed frames

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto p = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();

    std::cout << "summed frames: " << p->summedFrames() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
summed frames : 10
```

# 2.10. Receiver

The Receiver class represents the data interface to a physical detector.

It provides the following public member methods:

```
removes a user event handler
clearEventHandler()
                                      connects a receiver
connect()
disconnect()
                                      disconnects a receiver
                                      returns pointer to next acquired frame
frame()
frameDepth()
                                      returns bit depth of acquired frame
                                      returns height of acquired frame
frameHeight()
                                      returns number of queued frames
framesQueued()
frameWidth()
                                      returns width of acquired frame
id()
                                      returns the receiver ID
initialize()
                                      initializes a receiver
isBusy()
                                      returns whether a receiver is busy with acquisition
isConnected()
                                      returns whether a receiver is connected
                                      returns whether a receiver is ready for acquisition
isReady()
                                      returns whether RAM buffer has been completely allocated
ramAllocated()
                                      releases an acquired frame from the queue
release()
setEventHandler()
                                      adds a user event handler
                                      returns the receiver type
type()
userData()
                                      returns a user data value
```

# 2.10.1. clearEventHandler()

```
void xsp::Receiver::clearEventHandler()
```

Removes an event handler, which has been previously set with setEven-tHandler().

# **Important**

This function has to called before the handler goes out of scope.

### **Example**

# 2.10.2. connect()

```
void xsp::Receiver::connect()
```

Opens the data connection to the receiver.

If connection cannot be established, a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD\_COMMUNICATION\_ERROR is thrown.

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
    r->connect();
    return 0;
}
```

# 2.10.3. disconnect()

```
void xsp::Receiver::disconnect()
```

Closes the data connection to the receiver.

Calling this function has no effect, if the receiver is already disconnected.

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
    r->connect();
    r->disconnect();

    return 0;
}
```

# 2.10.4. frame()

```
const xsp::Frame* xsp::Receiver::frame(int timeout_ms) const
```

Returns a pointer to an acquired frame. The function waits for the specified time in milliseconds for a frame to be queued. If no frame has been received and queued within this time, a nullptr is returned.

Frame data is guaranteed to be valid until release() has been called.

## **Note**

This function does not remove the frame from the queue. Thus, release() must be called after frame data has been processed.

### Note

In single counter mode, one frame is queued for each exposure. In dual counter mode, two frames with same frame number and sub frame numbers 1 and 2 are queued for each exposure. The number of sub frames can be determined by calling numberOfSubFrames() on the receiver object.

For discrete sensors, one frame per connected compact sensor is sent for each exposure. Each of these frames has the same frame number but different connector number. The number of connected compact sensors (i.e. chips) can be determined by calling numberOfConnectedSensors() on the receiver object.

### **Parameters**

timeout in milliseconds to wait for frames

#### **Return Value**

A pointer to a Frame object or a nullptr.

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
       s->detector("DET_01"));
   auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
   d->setFrameCount(1);
   d->setShutterTime(0.5);
   d->startAcquisition();
   auto f = r - > frame(100);
   r->release(f);
   return 0;
```

# 2.10.5. frameDepth()

```
int xsp::Receiver::frameDepth() const
```

Returns the bit depth of the frame. The value represents a number of significant bits per frame pixel. For example, a frame depth of 12 bits indicates that frame pixels are stored as 16-bit integers, where only the lower 12 bits may have non-zero values.

The frame depth is only available after the system has been initialized.

### **Return Value**

Number of valid bits per frame pixel

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
    std::cout << "frame depth: " << r->frameDepth() << std::endl;</pre>
```

```
return 0;
}
```

```
frame depth: 12
```

# 2.10.6. frameHeight()

```
int xsp::Receiver::frameHeight() const
```

Returns the height of the frame.

The frame height is only available after the system has been initialized.

### **Return Value**

Height of the frame in pixel

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
    std::cout << "frame height: " << r->frameHeight() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
frame height: 516
```

# 2.10.7. framesQueued()

```
int xsp::Receiver::framesQueued() const
```

Returns the number of acquired frames inside the internal frame queue. If this number is non-zero, users are able to get frames by calling the frame() function.

## **Return Value**

Number of frames actually queued

```
d->setFrameCount(10);
d->setShutterTime(0.5);
d->startAcquisition();
usleep(10000);
std::cout << "frames queued: " << r->framesQueued() << std::endl;
return 0;
}</pre>
```

```
frames queued: 10
```

# **2.10.8. frameWidth()**

```
int xsp::Receiver::frameWidth() const
```

Returns the width of the frame.

The frame width is only available after the system has been initialized.

### **Return Value**

Width of the frame in pixel

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
    std::cout << "frame width: " << r->frameWidth() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

## **Possible Output**

```
frame width: 772
```

# 2.10.9. id()

```
std::string xsp::Receiver::id() const
```

Returns the receiver ID.

The receiver ID is equivalent to the configured reference, detector ID plus '/' plus module number, configured as:

```
receivers:
  - ref: DET_01/1
  [...]
```

## **Return Value**

A string with the receiver ID

```
#include <iostream>
```

```
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
    std::cout << "receiver ID: " << r->id() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

```
receiver ID: DET_01/1
```

# 2.10.10. initialize()

```
void xsp::Receiver::initialize()
```

Initializes the receiver.

This function requires that the receiver has been connected by calling <code>connect()</code> beforehand. If the receiver is disconnected, then this function throws a <code>RuntimeError</code> exception with status code <code>BAD\_NOT\_CONNECTED</code>.

If the communication with the detector fails, a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD COMMUNICATION ERROR is thrown.

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01");
    r->connect();
    r->initialize();

    return 0;
}
```

# 2.10.11. isBusy()

```
bool xsp::Receiver::isBusy() const
```

Returns whether a receiver is busy.

A receiver is busy, if an acquisition has been started.

### **Return Value**

True, if a receiver is busy with acquisition

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
    s->connect();
```

```
s->initialize();

while (!r->isBusy())
    sleep(1);

std::cout << "receiver DET_01/1 busy" << std::endl;
while (r->isBusy())
    sleep(1);
std::cout << "receiver DET_01/1 idle" << std::endl;
return 0;
}</pre>
```

## **Output**

```
receiver DET_01/1 busy receiver DET_01/1 idle
```

# **2.10.12.** isConnected()

```
bool xsp::Receiver::isConnected() const
```

Returns whether a receiver is connected.

A receiver is connected, if the data network connection has been established.

### **Return Value**

True, if a receiver is connected

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
    s->connect();
    if (r->isConnected())
        std::cout << "receiver DET_01/1 connected" << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
receiver DET_01/1 connected
```

# 2.10.13. isReady()

```
bool xsp::Receiver::isReady() const
```

Returns whether a receiver is ready.

A receiver is ready, if it has been successfully initialized. The receiver is then ready for data reception, i.e. frame() can be called to access the acquired frames.

### **Return Value**

True, if a receiver is ready for acquisition

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
```

```
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();

    while (!r->isReady())
        sleep(1);
    std::cout << "receiver DET_01/1 ready" << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

```
receiver DET_01/1 ready
```

# 2.10.14. ramAllocated()

```
bool xsp::Receiver::ramAllocated() const
```

Returns whether the RAM buffer has been allocated.

The allocation is performed in the background. Especially when configuring large buffers with several tens of GB, this may take some time (in the range of seconds). Users can call this method periodically to check, whether allocation has completed.

## **Note**

Acquisitions can already be started before RAM has been completely allocated. It is then using only the buffer that has been allocated so far.

#### **Return Value**

True, if RAM buffer is completely allocated

### **Example**

### **Possible Output**

```
allocated: no allocated: no
```

```
allocated: no allocated: yes
```

# 2.10.15. release()

```
void xsp::Receiver::release(const xsp::Frame* f)
```

Releases a frame from the queue.

This function must be called after the frame data has been processed in order to remove the frame from the queue.

### **Parameters**

f pointer to the frame as returned by a previous call to frame()

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
#include <unistd.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
       s->detector("DET_01"));
   auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
   d->setFrameCount(100);
   d->setShutterTime(0.5);
   d->startAcquisition();
   while (true) {
       auto f = r - sframe(100);
       if (f == nullptr) break;
       // process frame data
       r->release(f);
   return 0;
```

# 2.10.16. setEventHandler()

Sets a handler, which is called on user events.

The handler is called with 2 arguments: the EventType and a pointer. The pointer may point to auxiliary data, depending on the event type. If no auxiliary data is required, then the pointer must be set to nullptr.

## **Parameters**

h a callable object (e.g. a lambda expression)

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <libxsp.h>
```

```
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
   bool ready_flag = false;
   r->setEventHandler([&](auto t, const void* d) {
           switch (t) {
                case xsp::EventType::READY:
                    std::cerr << "received READY event" << std::endl;
                    ready_flag = true;
                   break;
            }
        });
   s->connect();
   s->initialize();
   while (!ready_flag)
       sleep(1);
   std::cout << "receiver ready" << std::endl;</pre>
   r->clearEventHandler();
   return 0;
```

```
received READY event receiver ready
```

# 2.10.17. type()

```
string xsp::Receiver::type() const
```

Returns the receiver type.

The receiver type is equivalent to the type of the referenced detector.

### **Return Value**

A string with the receiver type

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
    std::cout << "receiver type: " << r->type() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
receiver type: Lambda
```

# 2.10.18. userData()

```
std::string xsp::Receiver::userData(const std::string& key) const
```

Returns configured user data value associated with requested key

The method returns an empty string, if a key cannot be found.

### **Parameters**

key the key for a user data item

### **Return Value**

A string representing the value of a user data key

### **Example**

## **Possible Output**

```
sensor material: Si
```

# 2.11. Rotation

This struct represents a rotation as three Euler angles.

### **Members**

```
alpha alpha angle
beta beta angle
gamma gamma angle
```

# 2.12. RuntimeError

Indicates an error while executing a detector command.

It provides the following public member methods:

```
code() returns the numerical status code
```

It inherits the public member methods from Error.

# 2.12.1. code()

```
std::uint32_t xsp::RuntimeError::code() const
```

Returns the numerical value of the StatusCode of the executed command.

# 2.13. ShuffleMode

This enumeration indicates the shuffling mode used before compressing data.

### **Values**

```
NO_SHUFFLE do not shuffle data

BYTE_SHUFFLE shuffle data on byte level

BIT_SHUFFLE shuffle data on bit level
```

AUTO\_SHUFFLE shuffle on byte level for multi-byte data, otherwise do not shuffle

# 2.14. StatusCode

This enumeration specifies command execution status codes.

#### **Values**

GOOD command executed successful (0x00000000) BAD\_UNEXPECTED\_ERROR an unexpected error occured (0x80010000) BAD\_INTERNAL\_ERROR an internal library error occured (0x80020000) BAD\_OUT\_OF\_MEMORY failed to allocate memory (0x80030000) BAD RESOURCE UNAVAILABLE a requested resource is unavailable (0x80040000) BAD COMMUNICATION ERROR communication with detector failed (0x80050000) BAD\_DEVICE\_NOT\_CONNECTED detector or receiver is not connected (0x80100000) BAD\_DEVICE\_NOT\_SUPPORTED detector is not supported (0x80110000) BAD\_DEVICE\_NOT\_READY detector is not ready to accept commands (0x80120000) BAD\_DEVICE\_BUSY detector is busy (0x80130000) detector reported a failure (0x80140000) BAD\_DEVICE\_FAILURE command was not accepted (0x80400000) BAD\_COMMAND\_NOT\_ACCEPTED BAD\_COMMAND\_NOT\_IMPLEMENTED command is not implemented (0x80410000) BAD COMMAND NOT SUPPORTED command is not supported (0x80420000) BAD COMMAND TIMED OUT command timed out (0x80430000) BAD\_COMMAND\_FAILED command failed (0x80440000) BAD\_ARG\_OUT\_OF\_RANGE command argument out of range (0x804a0000) BAD\_ARG\_INVALID command argument is invalid (0x804b0000)

# **2.15. System**

This class represents a detector system.

It provides the following public member methods:

connects to a detector system connect() returns a pointer to a detector object detector() returns a vector of detector IDs detectorIds() disconnect() disconnects a detector system id() returns the system ID initialize() initializes a detector system isBusy() returns whether a detector system is busy with acquisition returns whether a detector system is connected isConnected() isReady() returns whether a detector system is ready for acquisition receiver() returns a pointer to a receiver object returns a vector of receiver IDs receiverIds() resets a detector system reset() returns a pointer to a postDecoder object postDecoder() returns a vector of postDecoder IDs postDecoderIds() startAcquisition() starts an acquisition stopAcquisition() stops an acquisition

# 2.15.1. connect()

void xsp::System::connect()

Opens the control and data connection to all configured detectors.

If connections cannot be established, a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD\_NOT\_CONNECTED is thrown.

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    return 0;
}
```

# 2.15.2. detector()

```
std::shared_ptr<xsp::Detector> xsp::System::detector(const std::string& id) const
```

Returns a pointer to the detector with the specified id.

The returned pointer needs to be casted into a pointer to a specific detector class in order to get access to detector type specific functions.

#### **Parameters**

id

detector ID

## **Return Value**

A pointer to a Detector object

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    std::cout << "detector ID: " << d->id() << std::endl;
    std::cout << "detector type: " << d->type() << std::endl;
    if (d->type() == "Lambda") {
        auto l = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(d);
        std::cout << "chip IDs: ";
        for (const auto& i: l->chipIds())
            std::cout << std::endl;
    }
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

## **Possible Output**

```
detector ID: DET_01
detector type: Lambda
chip IDs: 103D6 103E6 103B6 103K7 103J7 103H7
```

# **2.15.3. detectorIds()**

```
std::vector<std::string> xsp::System::detectorIds() const
```

Returns the IDs of the configured detectors.

The detector IDs are configured as:

```
detectors:
    - id: DET_01
    [...]
    - id: DET_02
    [...]
```

### **Return Value**

A vector of strings with the detector IDs

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    std::cout << "detector IDs: ";
    for (const auto& i: s->detectorIds())
        std::cout << i << " ";
    std::cout << std::endl;

    return 0;
}</pre>
```

## **Possible Output**

```
detector IDs: DET_01 DET_02
```

# **2.15.4. disconnect()**

```
void xsp::System::disconnect()
```

Closes the control and data connection to all configured detectors.

Calling this function has no effect, if the detector system is already disconnected.

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->disconnect();
    return 0;
}
```

# 2.15.5. id()

```
std::string xsp::System::id() const
```

Returns the system ID.

The system ID is configured as:

```
system:
id: SYSID
```

#### **Return Value**

A string with the system ID

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    std::cout << "system ID: " << s->id() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
system ID: SYS_ID
```

# 2.15.6. initialize()

```
void xsp::System::initialize()
```

Initializes the detector system.

This function requires that the system has been connected by calling <code>connect()</code> beforehand. If the system is disconnected, then this function throws a <code>RuntimeError</code> exception with status code <code>BAD\_NOT\_CONNECTED</code>.

If the communication with the detector fails, a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD\_COMMUNICATION\_ERROR is thrown.

Execution of this function may take some time to transfer data into the detector.

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();

    return 0;
}
```

# 2.15.7. isBusy()

```
bool xsp::System::isBusy() const
```

Returns whether a detector system is busy.

A detector system is busy, if startAcquisition() has been called. This flag is reset, when stopAcquisition() is called or when all frames have been received.

### **Return Value**

True, if a system is busy with acquisition

```
#include <iostream>
```

```
#include <unistd.h>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();
    while (!s->isReady())
        usleep(1000);

    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    d->start_acquisition();
    while (!s->isBusy())
        usleep(1000);
    std::cout << "system busy: " << (s->isBusy() ? "yes" : "no") << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

```
system busy: yes
```

# 2.15.8. isConnected()

```
bool xsp::System::isConnected() const
```

Returns whether a detector system is connected.

A detector system is connected, if <code>connect()</code> has been called and all network connections for control and data have been established.

### **Return Value**

True, if a system is connected

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    if (s->isConnected())
        std::cout << "system connected" << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
system connected
```

# 2.15.9. isReady()

```
bool xsp::System::isReady() const
```

Returns whether a detector system is ready.

A detector system is ready, if <code>initialize()</code> has been called and all detectors and receivers were successfully initialized. The detector system is then ready for data acquisition.

If the system runs on a single host, then the system is ready, when the call to initialize() returns. For a detector system using multiple hosts, this is not the case, and users need to periodically check the state using this method.

### **Return Value**

True, if a system is ready for acquisition

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();
    while (!s->isReady())
        sleep(1);
    std::cout << "system ready" << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
system ready
```

# 2.15.10. receiver()

```
std::shared_ptr<xsp::Receiver> xsp::System::receiver(const std::string& id) const
```

Returns a pointer to the receiver with the specified id.

### **Parameters**

d receiver ID

### **Return Value**

A pointer to a Receiver object

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
    std::cout << "receiver ID: " << r->id() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
receiver ID: DET_01/1
```

# **2.15.11.** receiverIds()

```
std::vector<std::string> xsp::System::receiverIds(const string& detector="") const
```

Returns the IDs of the configured receivers for the specified detector, or all receivers if the detector is not specified.

The receiver IDs are identical to the reference, which are configured as:

```
detectors:
    - ref: DET_01/1
    [...]
    - ref: DET_01/2
    [...]
```

### **Return Value**

A vector of strings with the receiver IDs

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    std::cout << "receiver IDs: ";
    for (const auto& i: s->receiverIds())
        std::cout << i << " ";
    std::cout << std::endl;

    return 0;
}</pre>
```

## **Possible Output**

```
receiver IDs: DET_01/1 DET_01/2
```

# 2.15.12. reset()

```
void xsp::System::reset()
```

Resets a detector system.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the reset command into the detector.

Detectors are automatically reinitialized after the reset. The state of a detector after a reset is identical to the state after a system initialization.

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();

    s->reset();
    return 0;
}
```

# **2.15.13.** postDecoder()

```
std::shared_ptr<xsp::PostDecoder> xsp::System::postDecoder(const std::string& id) const
```

Returns a pointer to the post decoder for a specified detector.

#### **Parameters**

id

post decoder ID

### **Return Value**

A pointer to a PostDecoder object

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto pd = s->postDecoder("DET_01");
    return 0;
}
```

# 2.15.14. postDecoderIds()

```
std::vector<std::string> xsp::System::postDecoderIds() const
```

Returns the IDs of the configured post decoders.

The post decoder IDs are configured as receiver references:

```
post-decoding:
    ref: DET_01/1
    [...]
    ref: DET_01/2
    [...]
```

### **Return Value**

A vector of strings with the post decoder IDs

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    std::cout << "post decoder IDs: ";
    for (const auto& i: s->postDecoderIds())
        std::cout << i << " ";
    std::cout << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
post decoder IDs: DET_01/1 DET_01/2
```

# 2.15.15. startAcquisition()

```
void xsp::System::startAcquisition()
```

Starts an acquisition on all detectors of a system.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the start command into the detectors.

The acquisition is automatically stopped, if the number of frames have been acquired, as programmed with the last call to setFrameCount().

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();

    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    d->setFrameCount(100);
    d->setShutterTime(0.5);

    s->startAcquisition();
    return 0;
}
```

# 2.15.16. stopAcquisition()

```
void xsp::System::stopAcquisition()
```

Stops a running acquisition on all detectors of a system.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the start command into the detectors.

Execution of this functions may take at most the time, that has been configured as link timeout (in milliseconds) for receivers.<sup>2</sup>

```
receivers:
- [...]
links:
- [...]
timeout: 1000
```

If no acquisition is running, this function has no effect and returns immediately.

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = s->detector("DET_01");
    d->setFrameCount(100);
    d->setShutterTime(1000.0);

    s->startAcquisition();
    sleep(5);
    s->stopAcquisition();

    return 0;
}
```

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Internally, the link timeout is used to regularly check, whether an acquisition stop has been requested.

# 3. Lambda Classes

The following common classes are defined in namespace xsp::lambda:

BitDepth bit depth enumeration

ChargeSumming charge summing mode enumeration

CounterMode counter mode enumeration

Detector Lambda detector class

Feature firmware feature flag enumeration

Gating gating mode enumeration

ModuleFlag module flag enumeration

OperationMode operation mode class

Pitch pixel pitch enumeration

Receiver Lambda receiver class

Threshold threshold enumeration

TrigMode trigger mode enumeration

# 3.1. BitDepth

This enumeration indicates the bit depth to use for acquisitions.

### **Values**

DEPTH\_1 1 bit depth
DEPTH\_6 6 bit depth
DEPTH\_12 12 bit depth
DEPTH\_24 24 bit depth

# 3.2. ChargeSumming

This enumeration indicates whether charge summing is used.

#### **Values**

OFF charge summing is not used ON charge summing is used

# 3.3. CounterMode

This enumeration indicates how to use the counters during acquisitions.

### **Values**

SINGLE only 1 counter is used during acquisition

DUAL 2 counter is used during acquisition (for 1, 6, and 12 bit depths only)

# 3.4. Detector

This class represents a Lambda detector.

## It provides the following public member methods:

returns current beam energy beamEnergy() returns current bit depth bitDepth() chargeSumming() returns current charge summing mode chipIds() returns readout chip IDs returns readout chip numbers chipNumbers() returns current counter mode counterMode() returns whether countrate correction is enabled countrateCorrectionEnabled() returns global DAC discriminator settings dacDisc() dacOut() returns output of internal test DAC disableCountrateCorrection() disables countrate correction clears equalization bit in OMR disableEqualization() disableFlatfield() disable flatfield correction disables interpolation of extra large pixels disableInterpolation() disableLookup() disables lookup of raw counter values disables specified module flag disableModuleFlag() disables flagging of pixel saturation disableSaturationFlag() disableTestMode() disables test mode enables countrate correction enableCountrateCorrection() sets equalization bit in OMR enableEqualization() enableFlatfield() enables flatfield correction enables interpolation of extra large pixels enableInterpolation() enables lookup of raw counter values enableLookup() enables the specified module flag enableModuleFlag() enables flagging of pixel saturation enableSaturationFlag() enableTestMode() enables test mode equalizationEnabled() return whether equalization bit in OMR is set returns whether flatfield correction is enabled flatfieldEnabled() firmwareVersion() returns module firmware version framesPerTrigger() returns the configured frames per trigger returns the current gating mode gatingMode() returns whether module firmware supports the specified hasFeature() feature humidity() returns measured humidity inside module returns whether interpolation of extra large pixels is eninterpolationEnabled() ioDelay() returns the configured hardware I/O delays returns whether module is busy with acquisition isModuleBusy() isModuleConnected() returns whether module is connected returns whether module is ready for acquisition isModuleReady() loads a test pattern into a readout chip loadTestPattern() returns whether lookup of raw counter values is enabled lookupEnabled() returns whether specified module flag is enabled moduleFlagEnabled() numberOfModules() returns number of detector modules operationMode() returns current operation mode returns per pixel discH values pixelDiscH() returns per pixel discL values pixelDiscL() returns per pixel mask bits pixelMaskBit() returns per pixel test bits pixelTestBit() rawThresholds() returns raw threshold values readTestPattern() reads test pattern from a readout chip

returns the configured number of rows for ROI readout roiRows() returns whether flagging of saturated pixels is enabled saturationFlagEnabled() returns the configured threshold for saturation flag saturationThreshold() returns the configured per pixel threshold for saturation saturationThresholdPerPixel() selectDiscH() selects discH for readout selects discL for readout selectDiscL() returns measured module sensor current sensorCurrent() setBeamEnergy() sets beam energy used for flatfield correction setBitDepth() sets bit depth setChargeSumming() sets charge summing mode setCounterMode() sets counter mode sets global DAC discriminator values setDacDisc() sets value for internal test DAC setDacIn() sets number of frames to acquire per trigger setFramesPerTrigger() setGatingMode() sets gating mode setIoDelay() sets hardware I/O delays setOperationMode() sets operation mode setPixelDiscH() sets per pixel discH values setPixelDiscL() sets per pixel discL values setPixelMaskBit() sets per pixel mask bits setPixelTestBit() sets per pixel test bits setRawThresholds() sets raw threshold values sets number of rows for ROI readout setRoiRows() setSaturationThreshold() sets threshold for saturation flag setSaturationThresholdPerPixel() sets per pixel threshold for saturation flag sets energy thresholds setThresholds() setTriggerMode() sets trigger mode setVoltage() sets value of sensor HV returns measured temperature inside module temperature() testModeEnabled() returns whether test mode is enabled thresholds() returns current energy thresholds returns current trigger mode triggerMode() returns measured sensor HV voltage() returns whether sensor HV has reached configured value voltageSettled()

It inherits all methods from xsp::Detector base class.

# 3.4.1. beamEnergy()

```
double xsp::lambda::Detector::beamEnergy() const
```

Returns the current beam energy setting in keV for the Lambda detector.

If no beam energy has been set using the setBeamEnergy() method, then 0.0 is returned.

### **Return Value**

Beam energy in keV

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
```

### **Output**

```
beam energy: 20.0
```

# 3.4.2. bitDepth()

```
xsp::lambda::BitDepth xsp::lambda::Detector::bitDepth() const
```

Returns the bit depth for the Lambda detector.

### **Return Value**

Enumeration of type BitDepth

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
       s->detector("DET_01"));
   auto bit_depth = d->bitDepth();
   switch (bit_depth) {
    case xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_1:
      std::cout << "bit depth: 1" << std::endl;
    case xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_6:
      std::cout << "bit depth: 6" << std::endl;
    case xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_12:
      std::cout << "bit depth: 12" << std::endl;
    case xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_24:
      std::cout << "bit depth: 24" << std::endl;
      break;
   return 0;
```

## **Possible Output**

```
bit depth: 12
```

# 3.4.3. chargeSumming()

```
xsp::lambda::ChargeSumming xsp::lambda::Detector::chargeSumming() const
```

Returns the charge summing mode for the Lambda detector.

#### **Return Value**

Enumeration of type ChargeSumming

## **Example**

## **Possible Output**

```
charge summing: off
```

# 3.4.4. chipIds()

```
std::vector<std::string> xsp::lambda::Detector::chipIds(int module_nr) const
```

Returns a vector of strings with decoded chip IDs from a specific detector module.

This function always returns a vector of 12 strings, regardless of how many chips have been configured in the configuration file. The IDs are returned in the sequence of chip numbers, as defined in section A.1.1.

The chip ID is a 32 bit value, which is decoded into a string according to Figure 42 on page 57 of the CERN Medipix3RX Manual v1.4 or Figure 1 on page 30 of the Salland Electrical Test SPEC for Medipix 3RX. The string contains comma-separated values for the decoded chip ID, the tester, and the raw 32-bit value. The ID is the concatenation of batch and waver number (1-4095), the X coordinate (A-M), and the Y coordinate (1-11). Tester is either CRN for CERN or SAL for Salland.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures with the detector.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

module\_nr module number

### **Return Value**

A vector of 12 decoded chip IDs with waver number, X and Y coordinate, IDs of non-existing chips are decoded as empty strings

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
```

```
chip #1: w257-A01,CRN,0x00010111
```

# 3.4.5. chipNumbers()

```
std::vector<int> xsp::lambda::Detector::chipNumbers(int module_nr) const
```

Returns the chip numbers for the specified Lambda detector module, as defined in the calibration.yml file.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

### **Parameters**

module\_nr module number

### **Return Value**

Vector of chip numbers

### **Example**

### **Possible Output**

```
chips: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
```

# 3.4.6. counterMode()

```
xsp::lambda::CounterMode xsp::lambda::Detector::counterMode() const
```

Returns the counter mode for the Lambda detector.

#### **Return Value**

Enumeration of type CounterMode

## **Example**

### **Possible Output**

```
counter mode: single
```

# 3.4.7. countrateCorrectionEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Detector::countrateCorrectionEnabled() const
```

Returns whether correction of counts is enabled, either via system configuration or by a call to <code>enableCountrateCorrection()</code>.

#### **Return Value**

True, if correction of counts is enabled

### **Example**

#### **Possible Output**

```
countrate correction: disabled
```

# 3.4.8. dacDisc()

```
std::vector<std::uint8t> xsp::lambda::Detector::dacDisc(
   int module_nr, int chip_nr
   ) const
```

Returns the values of  $I\_DAC\_DiscL$  and  $I\_DAC\_DiscH$  from the specified module and chip. Modules and chips are numbered from 1 to n.

The values are not read from hardware, but are instead cached inside the library from a previous call to setDacDisc().

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number chip_nr chip number
```

#### **Return Value**

Vector with I\_DAC\_DiscL and I\_DAC\_DiscH value

## **Example**

## **Output**

```
I_DAC_DiscL: 20
I_DAC_DiscH: 50
```

# 3.4.9. dacOut()

```
double xsp::lambda::Detector::dacOut(int module_nr, int chip_nr) const
```

Returns the measured analog DAC output from a specific detector module and chip.

Older detector firmware might not support this command. In this case, the value of 0.0 is returned.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number chip_nr chip number
```

#### **Return Value**

A measured DAC output in [V]

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
chip 1 DAC output: 0.7 V
```

# 3.4.10. disableCountrateCorrection()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::disableCountrateCorrection() const
```

Disables correction of counts.

Whether correction has been enabled or not, can be checked on either the detector or the receiver object by calling countrateCorrectionEnabled().

### **Example**

#### **Output**

```
countrate correction: disabled
```

# 3.4.11. disableEqualization()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::disableEqualization()
```

Disables threshold equalization mode by clearing bit 19 of OMR register.

```
return 0;
}
```

```
equalization: disabled
```

# 3.4.12. disableFlatfield()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::disableFlatfield() const
```

Disables flat field correction.

### **Example**

## **Output**

```
flat field: disabled
```

# 3.4.13. disableInterpolation()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::disableInterpolation()
```

Enables interpolation of extra large pixels at the border of each readout chip.

### **Example**

#### **Output**

```
interpolation: disabled
```

# 3.4.14. disableLookup()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::disableLookup()
```

Disables lookup of counter values, when decoding raw data. This is only useful when reading out test pattern, which have been previously loaded with load-TestPattern().

This setting is only used in test mode. In normal mode the lookup is always enabled and this setting is ignored.

### **Example**

### **Output**

```
lookup: disabled
```

# 3.4.15. disableModuleFlag()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::disableModuleFlag(int module_nr, ModuleFLag flag)
```

Disables the specified flag for a module.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number flag module flag
```

```
ignore-errors: no
```

# 3.4.16. disableSaturationFlag()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::disableSaturationFlag() const
```

Disable flagging of pixel saturation.

Whether the flag has been enabled or not, can be checked on either the detector or the receiver object by calling saturationFlagEnabled().

### **Example**

### **Output**

```
saturation flag: disabled
```

# 3.4.17. disableTestMode()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::disableTestMode()
```

Disables test mode, data is decoded normally.

#### Example

### **Output**

```
test mode: disabled
```

# 3.4.18. enableCountrateCorrection()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::enableCountrateCorrection() const
```

Enables correction of counts. Actual counts are then replaced with corrected values. The corrected values are organized as a simple lookup table, which contains corrected values for each actual count up to a maximum corrected values. All actual counts above the maximum corrected values are replaced with the maximum corrected value. The lookup table is stored in a file in the module directory. If this file does not exist, no correction is applied.

Whether correction has been enabled or not, can be checked on either the detector or the receiver object by calling countrateCorrectionEnabled().

## **Example**

### Output

```
countrate correction: enabled
```

# 3.4.19. enableEqualization()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::enableEqualization()
```

Enables threshold equalization mode by setting bit 19 of OMR register.

#### **Example**

### **Output**

```
equalization: enabled
```

# 3.4.20. enableFlatfield()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::enableFlatfield() const
```

Enables flat field correction.

## **Example**

## **Output**

```
flat field: enabled
```

# 3.4.21. enableInterpolation()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::enableInterpolation()
```

Enables interpolation of extra large pixels at the border of each readout chip.

### **Example**

#### **Output**

```
interpolation: enabled
```

# 3.4.22. enableLookup()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::enableLookup()
```

Enables lookup of counter values, when decoding raw data.

This setting is only used in test mode. In normal mode the lookup is always enabled and cannot be switched off.

```
#include <iostream>
```

```
lookup: enabled
```

# 3.4.23. enableModuleFlag()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::enableModuleFlag(int module_nr, ModuleFlag flag)
```

Enables the specified flag for a module.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number flag module flag
```

## **Example**

#### **Output**

```
ignore-errors: yes
```

# 3.4.24. enableSaturationFlag()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::enableSaturationFlag() const
```

Enable flagging of pixel saturation. If the count is above a saturation threshold, measured in counts/s/pixel, then the MSB of the unused bits within the frame is set. The threshold can be set with setSaturationThreshold().

Whether the flag has been enabled or not, can be checked on either the detector or the receiver object by calling saturationFlagEnabled().

### **Example**

### Output

```
saturation flag: enabled
```

# 3.4.25. enableTestMode()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::enableTestMode()
```

Enables test mode. In test mode the decoding is changed the following way:

- data is delivered using the chip coordinate system (first pixel is origin from chip)
- extra large pixels are not interpolated
- unconnected pixels are included (e.g. for 350K Hexa modules)
- · live view is disabled

### **Example**

#### **Output**

```
test mode: enabled
```

# 3.4.26. equalizationEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Detector::equalizationEnabled() const
```

Returns whether threshold equalization mode is enabled.

#### **Return Value**

True, if equalization is enabled, false otherwise.

#### **Example**

### **Output**

```
equalization: disabled
```

# 3.4.27. flatfieldEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Detector::flatfieldEnabled() const
```

Returns whether flat field correction has been enabled by a call to enableFlat-field().

#### **Return Value**

True, if flat field correction has been enabled

#### **Example**

### **Possible Output**

```
flat field: disabled
```

# 3.4.28. firmwareVersion()

```
std::string xsp::lambda::Detector::firmwareVersion(unsigned int module_nr) const
```

Returns a string with information about the firmware version, protocol versions, and feature bits.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method. The number 0 can be used to read out firmware version of a separate master board.

#### **Parameters**

module\_nr module number

#### **Return Value**

A string with the version information.

### **Example**

### **Possible Output**

```
firmware=2.0.3 [ctrl=v0, data=v0, feat=0x0b]
```

# 3.4.29. framesPerTrigger()

```
int xsp::lambda::Detector::framesPerTrigger() const
```

Returns the number of frames to acquire per external trigger.

#### **Return Value**

Number of frames per trigger

### **Example**

#### **Output**

```
frames per trigger: 1
```

# 3.4.30. gatingMode()

```
xsp::lambda::Gating xsp::lambda::Detector::gatingMode() const
```

Returns the gating mode for the Lambda detector.

#### **Return Value**

Enumeration of type Gating

## **Example**

## **Output**

```
gating mode: OFF
```

# 3.4.31. hasFeature()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Detector::hasFeature(
    int module_nr, xsp::lambda::Feature f
    ) const
```

Returns whether the specified feature is supported by the firmware.

If the module number is invalid (either 0 or larger than the number of modules), a false is returned.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number feature to test
```

#### **Return Value**

True, if the firmware feature is supported

```
? "yes" : "no");
std::cout << std::endl;
return 0;
}
```

### **Possible Output**

```
features:
  HV adjust: yes
  1/6-bit : no
```

# 3.4.32. humidity()

```
double xsp::lambda::Detector::humidity(int module_nr) const
```

Returns the measured humidity from a specific detector module.

Older detector firmware might not support this command. In this case, the value of 0.0 is returned.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

module\_nr module number

#### **Return Value**

A measured humidity in [%].

### **Example**

### **Possible Output**

```
humidity: 56.2%
```

# 3.4.33. interpolationEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Detector::interpolationEnabled() const
```

Returns whether interpolation of extra large pixels is enabled.

#### **Return Value**

True, if interpolation is enabled

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
```

## **Possible Output**

```
interpolation: enabled
```

# 3.4.34. ioDelay()

Returns the I/O delays for the specified module. This method has 2 variants:

- Variant (1) is used for generation 1 readout boards (i.e. firmware 0.0.0) and requires a chip number. It returns a vector of 9 values, where the first 8 values are the I/O delays for the 8 data lines, and the 9th value is the I/O delay for the clock line.
- Variant (2) is used for generation 2 readout boards (i.e. firmware 2.x.x). It returns a vector of 2 values, where the first value is the I/O delay for the left half of a module, and the second value is the I/O delay for the right half of the module.

Modules and chips are numbered from 1 to n.

## Note

The returned values are the ones that are cached inside the library after a call to setIoDelay().

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number chip_nr chip number
```

### **Return Value**

Vector with delays, 9 values between 0-63 for variant (1), and 2 values between 0-31 for variant (2)

```
#include <iostream>
#include <cstdint>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
```

```
left delay set to: 12
right delay set to: 13
```

# 3.4.35. isModuleBusy()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Detector::isModuleBusy(int module_nr) const
```

Returns whether a specific detector module is busy.

A module is busy, if startAcquisition() has been called. This flag is reset, when stopAcquisition() is called or if all frames have been acquired.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

module\_nr module number

#### **Return Value**

True, if a detector module is busy with acquisition

## **Example**

#### **Output**

```
module 1 of detector DET_01 busy: yes
```

# 3.4.36. isModuleConnected()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Detector::isModuleConnected(int module_nr) const
```

Returns whether a detector module is connected.

A detector module is connected, if the control network connection to readout board has been established.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method. The number 0 can be used to check connection status of a separate master board.

#### **Parameters**

module\_nr module number

#### **Return Value**

True, if a detector module is connected

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();

    auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
        s->detector("DET_01"));
    if (d->isModuleConnected(1))
        std::cout << "module 1 of detector DET_01 connected" << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

## **Possible Output**

```
module 1 of detector DET_01 connected
```

# 3.4.37. isModuleReady()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Detector::isModuleReady(int module_nr) const
```

Returns whether a detector module is ready.

A detector module is ready, if the module and his associated data receiver have been successfully initialized. The detector module is then ready for data acquisition.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

module nr module number

#### **Return Value**

True, if a detector module is ready for acquisition

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    s->initialize();

auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
        s->detector("DET_01"));
    while (!d->isModuleReady(1))
        usleep(1000);
    std::cout << "module 1 of detector DET_01 ready" << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
module 1 of detector DET_01 ready
```

# 3.4.38. loadTestPattern()

Loads the specified test pattern into all chips of all modules of the connected detector.

The pattern is a vector of 256\*256 16-bit values. It is always loaded into both low and high 12-bit counters. Once loaded, the pattern can be read back with readTestPattern().

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the pattern into the detector.

#### **Parameters**

pattern

vector of 256\*256 16-bit values

### **Example**

# 3.4.39. lookupEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Detector::lookupEnabled() const
```

Returns whether counter value lookup is enabled or not.

### **Return Value**

True, if lookup is enabled

### **Example**

### Output

```
lookup: disabled
```

# 3.4.40. moduleFlagEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Detector::moduleFlagEnabled(
    int module_nr, xsp::lambda::ModuleFlag flag
    ) const
```

Returns whether the specified ModuleFlag is enabled for a module.

If the module number is invalid (either 0 or larger than the number of modules), a false is returned.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number flag module flag
```

#### **Return Value**

True if the module flag is enabled

```
return 0;
}
```

## **Possible Output**

```
ignore-errors: no
```

# 3.4.41. numberOfModules()

```
int xsp::lambda::Detector::numberOfModules() const
```

Returns the number of modules for a Lambda detector.

#### **Return Value**

Number of detector modules

## **Example**

### **Possible Output**

```
n modules: 1
```

# 3.4.42. operationMode()

```
xsp::lambda::OperationMode xsp::lambda::Detector::operationMode() const
```

Returns the OperationMode for the Lambda detector.

### **Return Value**

Operation mode

```
break;
case xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_24:
    std::cout << "bit depth: 24" << std::endl;
    break;
}
return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
bit depth: 12
```

# 3.4.43. pixelDiscH()

```
std::vector<std::uint8t> xsp::lambda::Detector::pixelDiscH(
    int module_nr, int chip_nr
) const
```

Returns the values of adjustment for the higher threshold (disc\_h) of all pixels from the specified module and chip. Modules and chips are numbered from 1 to n.

The values are not read from hardware, but are instead cached inside the library from a previous call to setPixelDiscH().

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number chip_nr chip number
```

#### **Return Value**

Vector with 8-bit unsigned values as 256x256 one-dimensional array in row-major order

#### **Example**

#### **Possible Output**

```
disc_h at (1,1): 17
```

# **3.4.44.** pixelDiscL()

```
std::vector<std::uint8t> xsp::lambda::Detector::pixelDiscL(
    int module_nr, int chip_nr
    ) const
```

Returns the values of adjustment for the lower threshold (disc\_l) of all pixels from the specified module and chip. Modules and chips are numbered from 1 to n.

The values are not read from hardware, but are instead cached inside the library from a previous call to setPixelDiscL().

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number chip_nr chip number
```

#### **Return Value**

Vector with 8-bit unsigned values as 256x256 one-dimensional array in row-major order

## **Example**

### **Possible Output**

```
disc_l at (1,1): 9
```

# 3.4.45. pixelMaskBit()

```
std::vector<std::uint8t> xsp::lambda::Detector::pixelMaskBit(
    int module_nr, int chip_nr
) const
```

Returns the values of the mask bit of all pixels from the specified module and chip. Modules and chips are numbered from 1 to n.

The values are not read from hardware, but are instead cached inside the library from a previous call to setPixelMaskBit().

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number chip_nr chip number
```

#### **Return Value**

Vector with 8-bit unsigned values as 256x256 one-dimensional array in row-major order

```
#include <iostream>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
mask bit at (1,1): 0
```

# 3.4.46. pixelTestBit()

```
std::vector<std::uint8t> xsp::lambda::Detector::pixelTestBit(
    int module_nr, int chip_nr
) const
```

Returns the values of the test bit of all pixels from the specified module and chip. Modules and chips are numbered from 1 to n.

The values are not read from hardware, but are instead cached inside the library from a previous call to setPixelTestBit().

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number chip_nr chip number
```

### **Return Value**

Vector with 8-bit unsigned values as 256x256 one-dimensional array in row-major order

## **Example**

### **Possible Output**

```
test bit at (1,1): 0
```

## 3.4.47. rawThresholds()

```
std::vector<unsigned> xsp::lambda::Detector::rawThresholds(
    int module_nr, int chip_nr
    ) const
```

Returns the digital 9-bit threshold values for a specific module and chip.

The thresholds are not read from hardware, but are instead cached inside the library from a previous call to setRawThresholds().

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number chip_nr chip number
```

#### **Return Value**

Vector of eight digital threshold values as 9-bit integers

### **Example**

#### **Output**

```
raw thresholds chip #1: 57 511 511 511 511 511 511
```

# 3.4.48. readTestPattern()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::readTestPattern()
```

Reads back the previously loaded test pattern from the detector. This basically runs a regular acquisition. To read out low and high counter, the dual counter operation mode must be selected, and the bit depth must be set to 12. In addition, the test mode must be enabled with enableTestMode(), and lookup must be disabled with disableLookup().

# **Important**

To avoid counts due to radiation, the sensor should be covered, thresholds should be set as high as possible (i.e. 40.0 keV), and shutter time should be set to minimum (i.e. 0.5ms).

The pattern themselves are read using the frame() method from the associated receiver objects. The first received frame contains the low counter values and the second received frame contains the high counter values.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while starting the read back.

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <cstdint>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
       s->detector("DET_01"));
   auto r = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Receiver>(
       s->receiver("DET_01/1"));
   r->enableTestMode();
   r->disableLookup();
   std::uint16_t pattern[256*256];
   for (auto i = 256*256; i-- > 0;) pattern[i] = i%4096;
   d->loadTestPattern(pattern);
   d->setFrameCount(1);
   auto om = d->operationMode();
   om.bit_depth = xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_12;
   om.counter_mode = xsp::lambda::CounterMode::DUAL;
   d->setOperationMode(om);
   d->readTestPattern();
   auto pattern_l = r->frame(1500);
   auto pattern_h = r->frame(1500);
   // process pattern
   r->release(pattern_l);
   r->release(pattern_h);
   return 0;
```

# 3.4.49. roiRows()

```
int xsp::lambda::Detector::roiRows() const
```

Returns the numbers of readout rows per chip. A value of 256 indicates full readout, values less then 256 indicate region of interest readout.

## **Note**

Region of interest readout is currently not implemented, thus this method will always return 256.

### **Return Value**

number of readout rows per chip

```
return 0;
}
```

```
region of interest: 256 rows
```

# 3.4.50. saturationFlagEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Detector::saturationFlagEnabled() const
```

Returns whether flagging of pixel saturation is enabled either via system configuration or by a call to <code>enableSaturationFlag()</code>.

#### **Return Value**

True, if flagging of pixel saturation is enabled

### **Example**

## **Possible Output**

```
saturation flag: disabled
```

# 3.4.51. saturationThreshold()

```
int xsp::lambda::Detector::saturationThreshold(int module_nr) const
```

Returns actual saturation threshold in counts per second per pixel of the specified module. Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

module\_nr module number

#### **Return Value**

Saturation threshold in counts per second per pixel

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
```

```
{
  auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
  auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
    s->detector("DET_01"));

std::cout << "saturation threshold: " << d->saturationThreshold(1)
    << std::endl;

return 0;
}</pre>
```

## **Possible Output**

```
saturation threshold: 200000
```

# 3.4.52. saturationThresholdPerPixel()

```
const std::vector<int> xsp::lambda::Detector::saturationThresholdPerPixel(
    int module_nr
    ) const
```

Returns the per pixel saturation thresholds in counts per second per pixel of the specified module. Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

If no per pixel saturation thresholds have been configured or set, then the returned vector has size 0.

#### **Parameters**

module nr module number

#### **Return Value**

Vector with per pixel saturation threshold in counts per second per pixel

## **Example**

#### **Possible Output**

```
saturation threshold per pixel: not set
```

# 3.4.53. selectDiscH()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::selectDiscH()
```

Selects output of discriminator DiscH, if threshold equalization mode is enabled with a previous call to  ${\tt enableEqualization}()$ . If threshold equalization mode is not enabled, the method has no effect.

### **Example**

# 3.4.54. selectDiscL()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::selectDiscL()
```

Selects output of discriminator DiscL, if threshold equalization mode is enabled with a previous call to <code>enableEqualization()</code>. If threshold equalization mode is not enabled, the method has no effect.

## **Example**

# 3.4.55. sensorCurrent()

```
double xsp::lambda::Detector::sensorCurrent(int module_nr) const
```

Returns the measured sensor current from a specific detector module.

Older detector firmware might not support this command. In this case, the value of 0.0 is returned.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

module\_nr module number

#### **Return Value**

Measured sensor current in [mA]

## **Example**

### **Possible Output**

```
sensor current: 371.52mA
```

# 3.4.56. setBeamEnergy()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setBeamEnergy(double e_kev)
```

Sets the beam energy in keV for the Lambda detector. The energy is used to select the correct flatfield.

#### **Parameters**

e kev

beam energy in keV

## **Example**

#### **Output**

```
beam energy: 20.0
```

# 3.4.57. setBitDepth()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setBitDepth(xsp::lambda::BitDepth depth)
```

Sets the specified BitDepth for the Lambda detector.

Older firmware does not support bit depth 1 and 6. Whether these are supported can be tested using the  ${\tt hasFeature}()$  method with  ${\tt FEAT\_1\_6\_BIT}$ . If this method is called with unsupported bit depths, a  ${\tt RuntimeError}$  exception with status code  ${\tt BAD\_ARG\_INVALID}$  is thrown.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the value into the detector.

#### **Parameters**

depth bit depth

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
       s->detector("DET_01"));
   d->setBitDepth(xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_24);
   auto bit_depth = d->bitDepth();
   switch (bit_depth) {
    case xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_1:
      std::cout << "bit depth: 1" << std::endl;
    case xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_6:
      std::cout << "bit depth: 6" << std::endl;
    case xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_12:
      std::cout << "bit depth: 12" << std::endl;
    case xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_24:
      std::cout << "bit depth: 24" << std::endl;
   return 0;
```

## **Output**

```
bit depth: 24
```

# 3.4.58. setChargeSumming()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setChargeSumming(xsp::lambda::ChargeSumming cs)
```

Sets the specified ChargeSumming mode for the Lambda detector.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the value into the detector.

#### **Parameters**

cs

charge summing mode

```
case xsp::lambda::ChargeSumming::OFF:
    std::cout << "charge summing: off" << std::endl;
    break;
case xsp::lambda::ChargeSumming::ON:
    std::cout << "charge summing: on" << std::endl;
    break;
}
return 0;
}</pre>
```

```
charge suming: on
```

# 3.4.59. setCounterMode()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setCounterMode(xsp::lambda::CounterMode cm)
```

Sets the specified CounterMode for the Lambda detector.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the value into the detector.

#### **Parameters**

cm

counter mode

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
        s->detector("DET_01"));
   d->setCounterMode(xsp::lambda::CounterMode::DUAL);
   auto cm = d->counterMode();
   switch (cm) {
    case xsp::lambda::CounterMode::SINGLE:
       std::cout << "counter mode: single" << std::endl;</pre>
       break;
    case xsp::lambda::CounterMode::DUAL:
       std::cout << "counter mode: dual" << std::endl;</pre>
       break;
   return 0;
```

### **Output**

```
counter mode: dual
```

# 3.4.60. setDacDisc()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setDacDisc(
    int module_nr, int chip_nr, const std::vector<std::uint8_t>& values
)
```

Sets the values of I\_DAC\_DiscL and I\_DAC\_DiscH for the specified module and chip. Modules and chips are numbered from 1 to n.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the values into the detector.

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number

chip_nr chip number

values vector with I_DAC_DiscL and I_DAC_DiscH value
```

## **Example**

## **Output**

```
I_DAC_DiscL: 20
I_DAC_DiscH: 50
```

# 3.4.61. setDacIn()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setDacIn(int module_nr, int chip_nr, double voltage)
```

Sets the analog DAC input voltage for a specific detector module and chip. Voltage must be in the range of  $0..1\ V$ .

Older detector firmware might not support this command. In this case, the command has no effect.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number chip_nr chip number
```

# 3.4.62. setFramesPerTrigger()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setFramesPerTrigger(int n)
```

Sets the number of frames to acquire per external trigger, if trigger mode has been set to EXT FRAMES.

Currently, only 1 frame per trigger is supported. If this function is called with values other than 1, a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD\_ARG\_OUT\_OF\_RANGE is thrown.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD\_COMMUNI-CATION\_ERROR, if there are communication failures while writing the value into the detector.

#### **Parameters**

n

frames per trigger

## **Example**

#### **Output**

```
frames per trigger: 1
```

# 3.4.63. setGatingMode()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setGatingMode(xsp::lambda::Gating mode)
```

Sets the specified Gating mode for the Lambda detector.

Older firmware does not support gating in combination with trigger modes EXT\_SEQUENCE and EXT\_FRAMES. Whether these combinations are supported can be tested using the hasFeature() method with FEAT\_EXTENDED\_GATING. If this method is called resulting in an unsupported combination, a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD ARG INVALID is thrown.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD\_COMMUNICATION\_ERROR, if there are communication failures while writing the value into the detector.

### **Parameters**

mode

gating mode

#### **Example**

#include <iostream>

```
gating mode: ON
```

## 3.4.64. setIoDelay()

Sets the I/O delays for the specified module. This method has 2 variants:

- Variant (1) is used for generation 1 readout boards (i.e. firmware 0.0.0) and requires a chip number and a vector of 9 values, where the first 8 values are the I/O delays for the 8 data lines, and the 9th value is the I/O delay for the clock line.
- Variant (2) is used for generation 2 readout boards (i.e. firmware 2.x.x) and requires a vector of 2 values, where the first value is the I/O delay for the left half of a module, and the second value is the I/O delay for the right half of the module. For 6-chip, 4-chip, and 1-chip sensor modules, only the left half value needs to be written.

Modules and chips are numbered from 1 to n. The delay values have to be between 0 and 63 for variant (1), and between 0 and 31 for variant (2). Values outside of this range are silently cropped to the maximum value.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the values into the detector.

### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number

chip_nr chip number

values vector with delays, values can be 0-63 for variant (1), and 0-31 for variant (2).
```

```
#include <iostream>
#include <cstdint>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xxp::lambda::Detector>(
```

```
left delay set to: 12
right delay set to: 13
```

# 3.4.65. setOperationMode()

Sets the specified OperationMode for the Lambda detector.

Older firmware does not support bit depth 1 and 6. Whether these are supported can be tested using the  ${\tt hasFeature}()$  method with  ${\tt FEAT\_1\_6\_BIT}$ . If this method is called with unsupported bit depths, a  ${\tt RuntimeError}$  exception with status code  ${\tt BAD\_ARG\_INVALID}$  is thrown.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the values into the detector.

#### **Parameters**

mode

operation mode

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
        s->detector("DET_01"));
   d->setOperationMode(OperationMode(xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_24);
   auto om = d->operationMode();
   switch (om.bit_depth) {
    case xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_1:
      std::cout << "bit depth: 1" << std::endl;</pre>
      break;
    case xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_6:
      std::cout << "bit depth: 6" << std::endl;
      break;
    case xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_12:
      std::cout << "bit depth: 12" << std::endl;
    case xsp::lambda::BitDepth::DEPTH_24:
      std::cout << "bit depth: 24" << std::endl;
   return 0;
```

```
bit depth: 24
```

# 3.4.66. setPixelDiscH()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setPixelDiscH(
    int module_nr, int chip_nr, const std::vector<std::uint8_t>& values
)
```

Sets the values of the adjustment for the higher threshold (disc\_h) of all pixels from the specified module and chip. Modules and chips are numbered from 1 to n.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the values into the detector.

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number
chip_nr chip number
values vector with 256x256 5-bit adjustments
```

### **Example**

#### **Output**

```
disc_h at (1,1) set to: 20
```

# 3.4.67. setPixelDiscL()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setPixelDiscL(
    int module_nr, int chip_nr, const std::vector<std::uint8_t>& values
)
```

Sets the values of the adjustment for the lower threshold (disc\_l) of all pixels from the specified module and chip. Modules and chips are numbered from 1 to n.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the values into the detector.

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number chip_nr chip number
```

values

vector with 256x256 5-bit adjustments

### **Example**

### **Output**

```
disc_1 at (1,1) set to: 12
```

## 3.4.68. setPixelMaskBit()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setPixelMaskBit(
    int module_nr, int chip_nr, const std::vector<std::uint8_t>& values
)
```

Sets the values of the mask bit of all pixels from the specified module and chip. Modules and chips are numbered from 1 to n.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the values into the detector.

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number
chip_nr chip number
values vector with 256x256 mask bits
```

## **Output**

```
mask bit at (1,1) set to: 1
```

## 3.4.69. setPixelTestBit()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setPixelTestBit(
    int module_nr, int chip_nr, const std::vector<std::uint8_t>& values
)
```

Sets the values of the test bit of all pixels from the specified module and chip. Modules and chips are numbered from 1 to n.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the values into the detector.

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number
chip_nr chip number
values vector with 256x256 test bits
```

## **Example**

### **Output**

```
test bit at (1,1) set to: 1
```

## 3.4.70. setRawThresholds()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setRawThresholds(
    int module_nr, int chip_nr, const std::vector<unsigned>& thresholds_9bit
)
```

Sets the thresholds as 9-bit digital value for a specific module and chip. If less than 8 thresholds are specified, the remaining thresholds are not changed.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the values into the detector.

## **Important**

There are different sets of raw thresholds for single-pixel mode and for charge-summing mode. If the mode is switched, then the set of raw

thresholds is also exchanged. Therefore, raw thresholds must be written after setting the mode.

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number

chip_nr chip number

thresholds 9bit vector of up to 8 9-bit threshold values
```

### **Example**

### **Output**

```
raw thresholds chip #1: 57 511 511 511 511 511 511 511
```

## 3.4.71. setRoiRows()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setRoiRows(int rows)
```

Sets the number of readout rows per chip, the number must be a power of 2. A value of 256 switches to full readout, a value of 128, 64, 32, 16, 8, 4, 2, and 1 switches to region of interest readout.

## **Note**

Region of interest readout is currently not implemented, thus this method will only accept a value of 256.

#### **Parameters**

rows number of readout rows per chip

## **Output**

```
region of interest: 256 rows
```

## 3.4.72. setSaturationThreshold()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setSaturationThreshold(int module_nr, int n)
```

Sets global saturation threshold in counts per second per pixel for the specified module. Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

module\_nr module number
n saturation threshold in counts/s/px

### **Example**

## **Output**

```
saturation threshold: 180000
```

# 3.4.73. setSaturationThresholdPerPixel()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setSaturationThresholdPerPixel(
    int module_nr, const std::vector<int>& v
)
```

Sets individual saturation thresholds in counts per second per pixel for the specified module. Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

The vector contains the saturation thresholds for each pixels of a frame, stored in row-major order.

#### **Parameters**

```
module_nr module number vector of per pixel saturation thresholds in counts/s/px
```

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
{
```

## 3.4.74. setThresholds()

Sets the thresholds in keV for the Lambda detector. If less than 8 thresholds are specified, the remaining thresholds are not changed.

### Note

If no beam energy has been set using the <code>setBeamEnergy()</code> method, then the beam energy is implicitly set to double the value of the first threshold.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception, if there are communication failures while writing the values into the detector.

#### **Parameters**

thresholds\_kev vector of up to 8 threshold values in keV

#### **Example**

#### **Output**

```
thresholds: 7.0 15.0
```

# 3.4.75. setTriggerMode()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setTriggerMode(xsp::lambda::TrigMode mode)
```

Sets the specified TrigMode for the Lambda detector.

Older firmware does not support the modes <code>EXT\_SEQUENCE</code> and <code>EXT\_FRAMES</code> in combination with gating. Whether these combinations are supported can be test-

ed using the hasFeature() method with FEAT\_EXTENDED\_GATING. If this method is called resulting in an unsupported combination, a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD\_ARG\_INVALID is thrown.

This function throws a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD\_COMMUNI-CATION\_ERROR, if there are communication failures while writing the value into the detector.

#### **Parameters**

mode trigger mode

#### **Example**

### **Output**

```
trigger mode: SOFTWARE
```

## 3.4.76. setVoltage()

```
void xsp::lambda::Detector::setVoltage(int module_nr, double v)
```

Sets the high voltage for a specific detector module. Only the integer part of the specified voltage is used. The time to ramp up the voltage is approximately 7s for 200.0V and 10s for 300.0V. Newer firmware performs the ramp up in the background, so that applications need to periodically check whether voltage has reached the specified value using <code>voltageSettled()</code>.

## **Important**

The method may throw a BAD\_COMMAND\_TIMED\_OUT error, if the firmware is not able to set the voltage to the desired level within the timeout as specified in the configuration file. In such a case, the system must be disconnected and connected again.

Older detector firmware might not support this command. In this case, the command throws a RuntimeError exception with status code BAD\_COMMAND\_NOT\_SUPPORTED. Whether a firmware supports this command can be tested using the hasFeature() method with FEAT\_HV.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

module\_nr module number v voltage

## **Example**

### **Possible Output**

```
high voltage: 200.05V
```

## **3.4.77.** temperature()

```
std::vector<double> xsp::lambda::Detector::temperature(int module_nr) const
```

Returns a vector of measured temperatures from a specific detector module. The number of values and their meaning depends on hardware revision of the detector readout board.

For new readout boards, three values are returned: the board temperature, the FPGA temperature, and the temperature from the humidity sensor. Older boards do not support this command, and an empty vector is returned.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

module\_nr module number

#### **Return Value**

A vector of measured temperatures in [°C]

### **Example**

#### **Possible Output**

```
temperatures: 39.7° 40.2° 36.1°
```

## 3.4.78. testModeEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Detector::testModeEnabled() const
```

Returns whether test mode is enabled or not.

#### **Return Value**

True, if test mode is enabled

## **Example**

## Output

```
test mode: disabled
```

## 3.4.79. thresholds()

```
vector<double> xsp::lambda::Detector::thresholds() const
```

Returns the threshold settings in keV for the Lambda detector.

The thresholds are not read from hardware, but are instead cached inside the library from a previous call to setThresholds().

### Note

Initially, no thresholds in keV are set, so that a call to this method returns an empty vector.

#### **Return Value**

Vector of up to 8 threshold values in keV

```
return 0;
}
```

## **Output**

```
thresholds: 6.0
```

## 3.4.80. triggerMode()

```
xsp::lambda::TrigMode xsp::lambda::Detector::triggerMode() const
```

Returns the trigger mode for the Lambda detector.

#### **Return Value**

Enumeration of type TrigMode

### **Example**

#### **Output**

```
trigger mode: SOFTWARE
```

# 3.4.81. voltage()

```
double xsp::lambda::Detector::voltage(int module_nr) const
```

Returns the measured high voltage value from a specific detector module.

Older detector firmware might not support this command. In this case, a value of 0.0 is returned. Whether a firmware supports this command can be tested using the feature bits as returned by the hasFeature() method with FEAT\_HV.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

module\_nr module number

## **Return Value**

The measured high voltage in [V].

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
```

```
high voltage: 198.75V
```

## 3.4.82. voltageSettled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Detector::voltageSettled(int module_nr) const
```

Returns whether the sensor HV for a specific detector module has reached the configured setpoint with a tolerance of 5.0V. The setpoint is either defined in the system configuration, or with a call to setVoltage().

## Note

Starting an acquisition before the high voltage is settled, results in incorrect counts due to sensor malfunction.

Older detector firmware might not support this command. In this case, a value of true is returned. Whether a firmware supports this command can be tested using the feature bits as returned by the hasFeature() method with FEAT\_HV.

Modules are numbered from 1 to n, where n is the value returned by the numberOfModules() method.

#### **Parameters**

module\_nr module number

#### **Return Value**

Whether measured high voltage has reached the defined setpoint

### **Example**

#### **Output**

```
high voltage set
```

## 3.5. Feature

This enumeration indicates the features that are provided by the firmware.

#### **Values**

FEAT\_HV high voltage can be adjusted programmatically

FEAT\_1\_6\_BIT firmware supports 1- and 6-bit mode

FEAT\_MEDIPIX\_DAC\_IO Medipix DAC\_OUT and EXTDAC\_IN can be set and read out

FEAT\_EXTENDED\_GATING gating can be combined with external trigger

## 3.6. Gating

This enumeration indicates whether gating is switched on or off.

#### **Values**

OFF gating is switched off, always counting

ON gating is switched on, counting only when gating input is low

# 3.7. ModuleFlag

This enumeration specifies the module flags.

#### **Values**

IGNORE ignore module failures

# 3.8. OperationMode

This struct represents the Lambda operation mode.

#### **Members**

bit\_depth BitDepth selects the frame bit depth

charge\_summing ChargeSumming selects whether to use charge summing mode counter\_mode CounterMode selects whether to use single or dual counter pitch Pitch selects fine pitch or spectroscopic mode

#### Construction

An OperationMode can be constructed using either a default constructor, or a constructor with bit depth plus optional charge summing mode, counter mode, and pitch.

## 3.9. Pitch

This enumeration indicates, whether single pixels or group of 4 pixels are read out.

#### **Values**

PITCH\_55 fine pitch mode (55 μm pitch)

PITCH\_110 spectroscopic mode (110 µm pitch)

## 3.10. Receiver

This class represents a Lambda receiver.

It provides the following public member methods:

beamEnergy() returns current beam energy compressionEnabled() returns whether compression is enabled returns current compression level compressionLevel() compressor() returns configured compressor returns whether countrate correction is enabled countrateCorrectionEnabled() flatfield() returns current flatfield correction values flatfieldAuthor() returns the author of the actual flatfield correction values flatfieldEnabled() returns whether flatfield correction is enabled flatfieldError() returns errors for flatfield correction values returns date and time of measurement of actual flatfield flatfieldTimestamp() correction values returns whether interpolation of extra large pixels is eninterpolationEnabled() returns whether lookup of raw counter values is enabled lookupEnabled() maxFrames() returns maximal number of frames that can be stored in RAM buffer returns number of connected sensors numberOfConnectedSensors() numberOfSubframes() returns number of subframes per exposure returns current pixel mask pixelMask() returns whether pixel mask correction is enabled pixelMaskEnabled() position() returns position of detector module rotation() returns rotation of detector module returns whether flagging of saturated pixels is enabled saturationFlagEnabled() returns current threshold for saturation flag saturationThreshold() saturationThresholdPerPixel() returns current per pixel threshold for saturation flag setCompressionLevel() sets compression level sets shuffle mode for compression setShuffleMode() returns current shuffle mode for compression shuffleMode() returns whether test mode is enabled testModeEnabled() thresholds() returns current energy thresholds

It inherits all methods from xsp::Receiver base class.

## **3.10.1.** beamEnergy()

```
double xsp::lambda::Receiver::beamEnergy() const
```

Returns the currently set beam energy.

If energy or threshold has not been set using either setBeamEnergy() or `setThresholds() on the detector object, then 0.0 is returned.

#### **Return Value**

The actual set beam energy

#### **Example**

#include <iostream>

```
beam energy: 20.0
```

# 3.10.2. compressionEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Receiver::compressionEnabled() const
```

Returns whether compression is enabled. The compression is enabled via system configuration file by setting the compressor to something else than "none".

#### **Return Value**

True, if compression is enabled

## **Example**

## **Possible Output**

```
compression: enabled
```

## 3.10.3. compressionLevel()

```
int xsp::lambda::Receiver::compressionLevel() const
```

Returns the configured compression level.

### **Return Value**

Compression level

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
```

```
int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
    std::cout << "compression level: " << r->compressionLevel() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

```
compression level: 4
```

# **3.10.4.** compressor()

```
std::string xsp::lambda::Receiver::compressor() const
```

Returns the configured compressor. If no compressor has been configured, then the string "none" is returned.

#### **Return Value**

A string with the configured compressor

### **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
    std::cout << "compressor: " << r->compressor() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

### **Possible Output**

```
compressor: zlib
```

# 3.10.5. countrateCorrectionEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Receiver::countrateCorrectionEnabled() const
```

Returns whether correction of counts is enabled either via system configuration or by a call to <code>enableCountrateCorrection()</code>.

#### **Return Value**

True, if correction of counts is enabled

```
if (r->countrateCorrectionEnabled())
    std::cout << "countrate correction: enabled" << std::endl;
else
    std::cout << "countrate correction: disabled" << std::endl;
return 0;
}</pre>
```

```
countrate correction: disabled
```

## 3.10.6. flatfield()

Returns a reference to the flat field correction data for the specified Threshold.

If no flat field file has been configured in the system configuration, then the vector is empty.

#### **Parameters**

th

threshold (LOWER or UPPER)

#### **Return Value**

A reference to a vector of double precision floating points

### **Example**

#### **Possible Output**

```
flat field: defined
```

# 3.10.7. flatfieldAuthor()

Returns the author of the currently used flat field for the specified Threshold.

If no flat field is defined, i.e. the flatfield() method would return a zero size vector, an empty string is returned.

#### **Parameters**

th

threshold (LOWER or UPPER)

#### **Return Value**

String naming the flat field author

### **Example**

## **Possible Output**

```
flat field author: X-Spectrum
```

## 3.10.8. flatfieldEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Receiver::flatfieldEnabled() const
```

Returns whether flat field correction has been enabled either via configuration or by a call to <code>enableFlatfield()</code>.

#### **Return Value**

True, if flat field correction is enabled

### **Example**

## **Possible Output**

```
flat field: disabled
```

## 3.10.9. flatfieldError()

```
) const
```

Returns a reference to the error in the flat field correction data for the specified << ref-lmb-threshold, Threshold>.

If no flat field file has been configured in the system configuration, then the vector is empty.

#### **Parameters**

th

threshold (LOWER or UPPER)

#### **Return Value**

A reference to a vector of floating points

## **Example**

#### **Possible Output**

```
flat field error: not defined
```

## 3.10.10. flatfieldTimestamp()

Returns the timestamp of the currently used flat field for the specified Threshold.

If no flat field is defined, i.e. the flatfield() method returns a zero size vector, then an empty string is returned.

#### **Parameters**

th

threshold (LOWER or UPPER)

#### **Return Value**

A date time string

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
```

```
flat field timestamp: Tue, 30 Mar 2021 09:13:41 +0200
```

## 3.10.11. interpolationEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Receiver::interpolationEnabled() const
```

Returns whether interpolation of extra large pixels is enabled.

#### **Return Value**

True, if interpolation is enabled

### **Example**

#### **Possible Output**

```
interpolation: enabled
```

# 3.10.12. lookupEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Receiver::lookupEnabled() const
```

Returns whether counter value lookup is enabled or not.

### **Return Value**

True, if lookup is enabled

```
return 0;
}
```

### **Output**

```
lookup: disabled
```

## 3.10.13. maxFrames()

```
int xsp::lambda::Receiver::maxFrames() const
```

Returns the number of frames that can be stored in the RAM buffer.

The number of frames is only available after the system has been initialized. It may change, if the bit depth is changed.

#### **Return Value**

Size of RAM buffer in number of frames

### **Example**

## **Possible Output**

```
max frames: 99871
```

# 3.10.14. numberOfConnectedSensors()

```
int xsp::lambda::Receiver::numberOfConnectedSensors() const
```

Returns the number of connected sensors in case of Hydra type Lambda detectors with discrete compact sensors. For normal detectors, such as 60K, 250K, 350K, 750K, a value of 1 is returned.

#### **Return Value**

Number of connected sensors

```
connected sensors: 1
```

## 3.10.15. numberOfSubFrames()

```
int xsp::lambda::Receiver::numberOfSubFrames() const
```

Returns the number of subframes per exposure. This number is usually 1. For dual counter mode, 2 subframes are acquired per exposure.

For discrete sensor layout, the number of subframes is equal to the number of connected single chip sensors. If in addition dual counter mode is enabled, then twice the number of connected chip sensors is returned.

When reading the decoded frames from the receiver, all subframes will have the same frame number, but different subframe numbers. Subframe number always starts at 1.

#### **Return Value**

Number of subframes per exposure

### **Example**

#### **Possible Output**

```
n subframes: 1
```

# 3.10.16. pixelMask()

```
const vector<uint32_t>& xsp::lambda::Receiver::pixelMask() const
```

Returns a reference to the pixel mask, which is a vector of 32-bit integers with values defined by the NeXus standard. The values are stored in row-major order.

If no pixel mask file has been configured in the system configuration, then the vector is empty.

#### **Return Value**

A reference to a vector of 32-bit unsigned integers

```
#include <iostream>
```

```
pixel mask: defined
```

## 3.10.17. pixelMaskEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Receiver::pixelMaskEnabled() const
```

Returns whether processing of pixel mask has been enabled.

#### **Return Value**

True, if pixel mask processing is enabled

## **Example**

#### **Possible Output**

```
pixel mask: not enabled
```

## **3.10.18.** position()

```
xsp::Position xsp::lambda::Receiver::position() const
```

Returns the Position of the associated detector module.

#### **Return Value**

A position

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
```

```
module position: (0,0,0)
```

## 3.10.19. rotation()

```
xsp::Rotation xsp::lambda::Receiver::rotation() const
```

Returns the Rotation of the associated detector module.

#### **Return Value**

A rotation

### **Example**

#### **Possible Output**

```
module rotation: (0,0,0)
```

## 3.10.20. saturationFlagEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Receiver::saturationFlagEnabled() const
```

Returns whether flagging of pixel saturation is enabled or not

#### **Return Value**

True, if flagging of saturated pixels is enabled

```
if (r->saturationFlagEnabled())
    std::cout << "saturation flag: enabled" << std::endl;
else
    std::cout << "saturation flag: disabled" << std::endl;
return 0;
}</pre>
```

```
saturation flag: disabled
```

## 3.10.21. saturationThreshold()

```
int xsp::lambda::Receiver::saturationThreshold() const
```

Returns actual saturation threshold in counts per second per pixel.

#### **Return Value**

Saturation threshold in counts per second per pixel

## **Example**

## **Possible Output**

```
saturation threshold: 200000
```

## 3.10.22. saturationThresholdPerPixel()

Returns the per pixel saturation thresholds in counts per second per pixel.

If no per pixel saturation thresholds have been configured or set, then the returned vector has size 0.

#### **Return Value**

Vector with per pixel saturation threshold in counts per second per pixel

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
{
```

```
saturation threshold per pixel: not set
```

## 3.10.23. setCompressionLevel()

```
void xsp::lambda::Receiver::setCompressionLevel(int level)
```

Sets the compression level.

The level must be in the range of 0 to 9. A value of 0 means no compression, a value of 1 means fastest compression, and a value of 9 means best compression.

#### **Parameters**

level compression level

## **Example**

### **Possible Output**

```
compression level: 6
```

# 3.10.24. setShuffleMode()

```
void xsp::lambda::Receiver::setShuffleMode(xsp::ShuffleMode mode)
```

Sets the specified ShuffleMode used during compression.

#### **Parameters**

mode shuffle mode

## **Example**

```
#include <iostream>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <libxsp.h>
int main()
   auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
   auto d = std::dynamic_pointer_cast<xsp::lambda::Detector>(
       s->detector("DET_01"));
   auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
   r->setShuffleMode(xsp::ShuffleMode::BYTE_SHUFFLE);
    switch (r->shuffleMode()) {
    case xsp::ShuffleMode::NO_SHUFFLE:
      std::cout << "shuffle mode: NO_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;</pre>
    case xsp::ShuffleMode::BYTE_SHUFFLE:
      std::cout << "shuffle mode: BYTE_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;</pre>
      break;
    case xsp::ShuffleMode::BIT_SHUFFLE:
      std::cout << "shuffle mode: BIT_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;</pre>
    case xsp::ShuffleMode::AUTO_SHUFFLE:
       std::cout << "shuffle mode: AUTO_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;</pre>
   return 0;
```

## **Output**

```
shuffle mode: BYTE_SHUFFLE
```

## **3.10.25. shuffleMode()**

```
xsp::ShuffleMode xsp::lambda::Receiver::shuffleMode() const
```

Returns the configured ShuffleMode.

#### **Return Value**

Enumeration of type ShuffleMode

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>

int main()
{
    auto s = xsp::createSystem("/path/to/system.yml");
    s->connect();
    auto r = s->receiver("DET_01/1");
    switch (r->shuffleMode()) {
        case xsp::ShuffleMode::NO_SHUFFLE:
            std::cout << "shuffle mode: NO_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;
            break;
        case xsp::ShuffleMode::BYTE_SHUFFLE:
            std::cout << "shuffle mode: BYTE_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;
            break;
        case xsp::ShuffleMode::BIT_SHUFFLE:
            std::cout << "shuffle mode: BIT_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;
            break;
        case xsp::ShuffleMode::AUTO_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;
            break;
        case xsp::ShuffleMode::AUTO_SHUFFLE:
            std::cout << "shuffle mode: AUTO_SHUFFLE" << std::endl;</pre>
```

```
break;
}
return 0;
}
```

```
shuffle mode: AUTO_SHUFFLE
```

## 3.10.26. testModeEnabled()

```
bool xsp::lambda::Receiver::testModeEnabled() const
```

Returns whether test mode is enabled.

#### **Return Value**

True, if test mode is enabled

### **Example**

### **Output**

```
test mode: disabled
```

# 3.10.27. threshold()

```
double xsp::lambda::Receiver::threshold(xsp::lambda::Threshold th) const
```

Returns the currently set value of the specified Threshold.

If no thresholds have been set using setThresholds() on the detector object, then a value of 0.0 is returned.

#### **Parameters**

1

threshold (LOWER or UPPER)

#### **Return Value**

Value of specified threshold

```
#include <iostream>
#include <libxsp.h>
```

```
threshold: 10.0
```

## 3.11. Threshold

This enumeration indicates the threshold to select.

#### **Values**

LOWER select the lower threshold UPPER select the upper threshold

# 3.12. TrigMode

This enumeration indicates the trigger mode to use for acquisitions.

#### **Values**

SOFTWARE acquisition is started after startAcquisition() is called EXT\_SEQUENCE rising edge on trigger input starts acquisition of all frames

EXT\_FRAMES for 24 bit depth, a rising edge on trigger input starts acquisition of one or

more frames with the programmed shutter time, trigger input is ignored until

counter has been read out;

for all other bit depths, a rising edge on trigger input stops acquisition of current frame and immediately starts acquisition of next frame, the programmed

shutter time is ignored in this case

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