

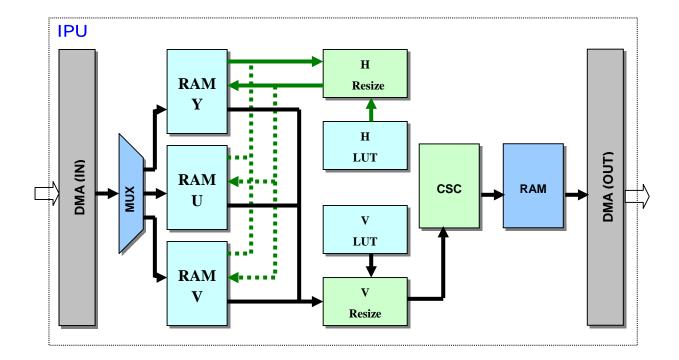
## 1 Overview

IPU (Image process unit) contains Resize and CSC (color space conversion), which is used for image post processing.

#### **Features**

- Input data: from external memory
- Input format: YUV /YCbCr (4:2:0, 4:2:2, 4:4:4, 4:1:1)
- Output format: RGB (565, 555, 888)
- Minimum input image size: 33x33
- Maximum input image size: 2047x2047
- Image resizing:
  - -- Up scaling ratios up to 1:2 in fractional steps
  - -- Down scaling ratios up to 20:1 in fractional steps

### **Block Diagram**





## 2 Data flow

### **Input Data**

Y, U, V (or Y, Cb, Cr; the following use YUV for convenience) data would be fetched from external memory by DMA burst read operation respectively.

#### **Output Data**

The data format after CSC could be RGB (565, 555, 888), and the data would be stored to the external memory by DMA burst write operation.

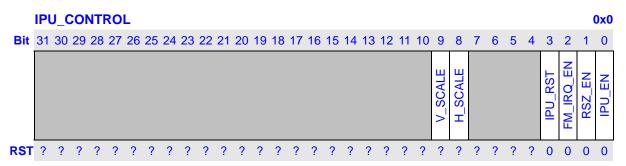
#### **Resize Coefficients LUT**

The resize coefficients look up table is preset by software according to specific format (see later chapter for detail). There are 2 tables support independent horizontal and vertical scaling. Each table has 20 entries that can accommodate up to 20 coefficients.



# 3 Register definition

### **IPU Control Register**

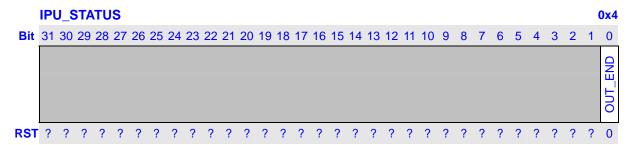


Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:10	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
9	V_SCALE	Vertical direction scale flag. 0: down scaling; 1: up scaling	RW
8	H_SCALE	Horizontal direction scale flag. 0: down scaling; 1: up scaling	RW
7:4	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
3	IPU_RST	Reset IPU. Writing 1: reset IPU; 0: no effect. Read as zero	W
2	FM_IRQ_EN	Frame process finish interrupt enable. 1: enable; 0: disable	RW
1	RSZ_EN	Resize enable. 1: enable; 0: disable	RW
0	IPU_EN	IPU enable. 1: enable; 0: disable	RW
		Once IPU enabled, IPU works until flag OUT_END in the	
		IPU_STATUS is set value 1.	

#### NOTES:

Setting value 1 to IPU\_RST will reset all software visible IPU registers immediately. It is not recommended that stopping IPU abruptly by clearing IPU\_EN when IPU is running (IPU\_EN=1, OUT\_END=0), or writing value 1 to IPU\_RST when DMA (in or out) is working (IPU\_EN=1, OUT\_END=0), otherwise, the result is unpredictable.

### **IPU Status Register**



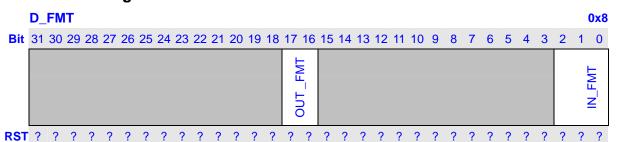
Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:1	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
0	OUT_END	Output DMA termination flag. 1: finished; 0: not finished	R/W
		HW can only set value 1, SW can only clear it to value 0	



#### **NOTES:**

If IPU\_CONTROL.FM\_IRQ\_EN has been set 1, once OUT\_END is set value 1 which denotes a frame's post process done, an low level active interrupt request will be issued until corresponding software handler clear OUT\_END to value 0.

### **Data Format Register**



Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:18	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
17:16	OUT_FMT	Indicates the destination data format:	
		00: RGB555	
		01: RGB565	RW
		10: RGB888	
		11: reserved	
15:3	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
2:0	IN_FMT	Indicates the source data format:	
		000: YUV 4:2:0	
		001: YUV 4:2:2	
		010: YUV 4:4:4	
		011: YUV 4:1:1	RW
		100: YCbCr 4:2:0	
		101: YCbCr 4:2:2	
		110: YCbCr 4:4:4	
		111: YCbCr 4:1:1	

### **Input Y Data Address Register**



Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:0	Y_ADDR	The source Y data buffer's start address	RW

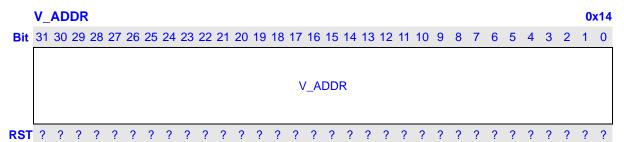


## Input U Data Address Register



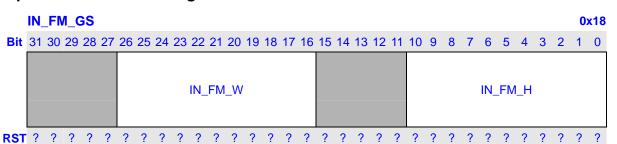
Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:0	U_ADDR	The source U data buffer's start address	RW

### Input V Data Address Register



Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:0	V_ADDR	The source V data buffer's start address	RW

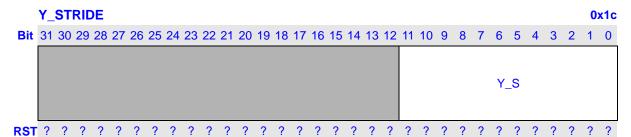
### **Input Geometric Size Register**



Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:27	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
26:16	IN_FM_W	The width of the input frame (unit: byte). Y data width is same	
		as this value while U/V or Cb/Cr data width should do relatively	RW
		zoom in according to the source data format.	
15:11	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
10:0	IN_FM_H	The height of the input frame (unit: byte). Y data width is same	
		as this value while U/V or Cb/Cr data width should do relatively	RW
		zoom in according to the source data format.	

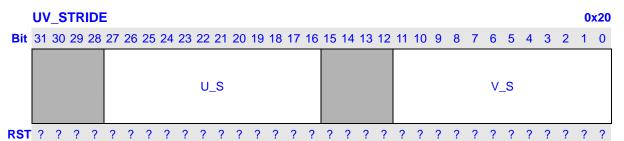


### **Input Y Data Line Stride Register**



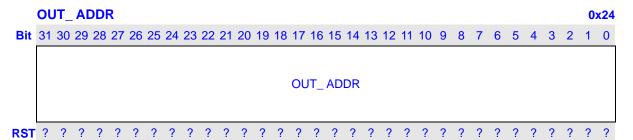
Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:12	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
11:0	Y_S	The line stride of the source Y data in the external memory.	RW
		(unit: byte)	KVV

### Input UV Data Line Stride Register



Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:28	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
27:16	U_S	The line stride of the source U data in the external memory.	RW
		(unit: byte)	
15:12	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
11:0	V_S	The line stride of the source V data in the external memory.	DW
		(unit: byte)	RW

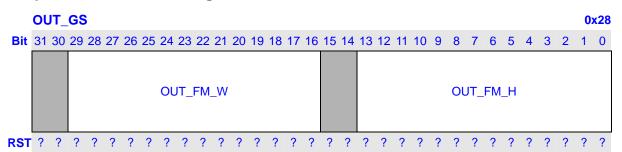
### **Output Frame Start Address Register**



Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:0	OUT_ ADDR	The output buffer's start address.	RW

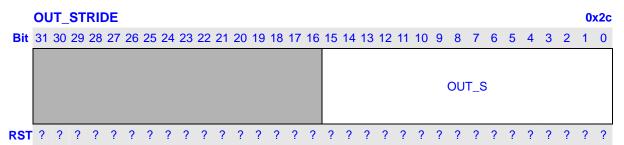


### **Output Geometric Size Register**



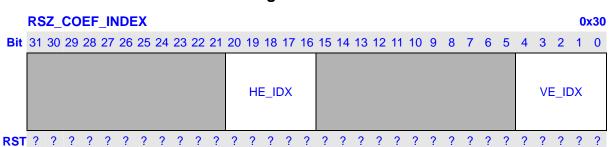
Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:30	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
29:16	OUT_FM_W	The width of the output destination frame (unit: byte).	RW
15:14	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
13:0	OUT_FM_H	The height of the output destination frame (unit: byte).	RW

### **Output Data Line Stride Register**



Bits	Name	Name Description						
31:16	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R					
15:0	OUT_S	The line stride of the destination data buffer in the external memory. (unit: byte)	RW					

### **Resize Coefficients Table Index Register**



Bits	Name	Name Description							
31:21	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R						
20:16	HE_IDX	Indicates the end address of the horizontal resize look up table.	RW						
15:5	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R						
4:0	VE_IDX	Indicates the end address of the vertical resize look up table.	RW						



### **CSC C0 Coefficient Register**

CSC\_C0\_COEF

8it 31 30 29 28 27 26 25 24 23 22 21 20 19 18 17 16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

C0\_COEF

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Bits	Name	Description						
31:12	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R					
11:0	C0_COEF	The C0 coefficient of the YUV/YCbCr to RGB conversion.	RW					
		C0_COEF = [C0 * 1024 + 0.5]	RVV					

#### Note:

R = C0\*(Y - X0) + C1\*(Cr-128)

G = C0\*(Y - X0) - C2\*(Cb-128) - C3\*(Cr-128)

B = C0\*(Y - X0) + C4\*(Cb-128)

### **CSC C1 Coefficient Register**

CSC\_C1\_COEF 0x38

Bit 31 30 29 28 27 26 25 24 23 22 21 20 19 18 17 16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

C1\_COEF

Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:12	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
11:0	C1_COEF	The C1 coefficient of the YUV/YCbCr to RGB conversion.	DW
		C1_COEF = [C1 * 1024 + 0.5]	RW

#### Note:

R = C0\*(Y - X0) + C1\*(Cr-128)

G = C0\*(Y - X0) - C2\*(Cb-128) - C3\*(Cr-128)

B = C0\*(Y - X0) + C4\*(Cb-128)



### **CSC C2 Coefficient Register**

CSC\_C2\_COEF 0x3c

Bit 31 30 29 28 27 26 25 24 23 22 21 20 19 18 17 16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0 C2\_COEF

#### ? ? ? Bits Name R/W **Description** 31:12 Reserved Writing has no effect, read as zero. R The C2 coefficient of the YUV/YCbCr to RGB conversion. 11:0 C2\_COEF RW $C2\_COEF = [C2 * 1024 + 0.5]$

#### Note:

R = C0\*(Y - X0) + C1\*(Cr-128)

G = C0\*(Y - X0) - C2\*(Cb-128) - C3\*(Cr-128)

B = C0\*(Y - X0) + C4\*(Cb-128)

### **CSC C3 Coefficient Register**

CSC\_C3\_COEF 0x40

Bit 31 30 29 28 27 26 25 24 23 22 21 20 19 18 17 16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

C3\_COEF

Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:12	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
11:0	C3_COEF	The C3 coefficient of the YUV/YCbCr to RGB conversion.	DW
		C3_COEF = [C3 * 1024 + 0.5]	RW

#### Note:

R = C0\*(Y - X0) + C1\*(Cr-128)

G = C0\*(Y - X0) - C2\*(Cb-128) - C3\*(Cr-128)

B = C0\*(Y - X0) + C4\*(Cb-128)



## **CSC C4 Coefficient Register**

CSC\_C4\_COEF 0x44

Bit 31 30 29 28 27 26 25 24 23 22 21 20 19 18 17 16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0

C4\_COEF

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Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:12	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
11:0	C4_COEF	The C4 coefficient of the YUV/YCbCr to RGB conversion.	DW
		C4_COEF = [C4 * 1024 + 0.5]	RW

#### Note:

R = C0\*(Y - X0) + C1\*(Cr-128)

G = C0\*(Y - X0) - C2\*(Cb-128) - C3\*(Cr-128)

B = C0\*(Y - X0) + C4\*(Cb-128)



## Horizontal Resize Coefficients Look Up Table Register group

RST ?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?

Bits	Name	Description	R/W
31:13	Reserved	Writing has no effect, read as zero.	R
9:2	W_COEF	Weighting coefficients, 8 bits length, that is to say the precision is 1/128. For up-scaling, $W_k = 1 - (kn/m - [kn/m]), \ k = 0, 1, \dots m-1.$ For down-scaling, for (t=0, k=0; k < n; k++) { $ If ([(tn+1)/m] - k >=1) \ \{ \ W_k = 0; \} $ $ else if ((tn+1)/m - k == 0) \ \{ \ W_k = 1; \ t++; \} $ $ else \{ \ W_k = 1 - (\ (tn+1)/m - [tn/m]); \ t++; \} $	RW
		W_COEF <sub>k</sub> = [128 * W <sub>k</sub> ]  Here n stands for original pixel points, m stands for pixel points after resize. For example down-scaling 5:3, n = 5, m = 3.  Moreover, m and n are prime, that is, for example 8:2 should be converted to 4:1.  When IPU_CONTROL.RSZ_EN set as 1 and m:n = 1:1, all coefficients should be calculated as up-scale case.	
1	IN_EN	Tick for whether new pixel would be used.  IN_EN = 0, no new pixel  IN_EN = 1, one new pixel  In down scale case, IN_EN always equals 1.  In up scale case,  For (i=0, k=0; k < m; k++) {  If(i<= kn/m) { IN_EN k = 1; i++;}  else { IN_EN k = 0;} }	RW
0	OUT_EN	Tick for whether current interpolation would be output.  OUT_EN = 0, current interpolation would not be output  OUT_EN = 1, current interpolation would be output  In up scale case, OUT_EN always equals 1.  In down scale case,  For (k=0, t=0; t < n; t++) {  If([(kn+1)/m] - t >=1)	RW



$OUT_EN_t = 0;$	
else {OUT_EN <sub>t</sub> =1; k++;}	
}	

#### NOTES:

The coefficient number equals to max (m, n). HLUT (horizontal look up table) and VLUT (vertical look up table) are independent, so the two tables may have different coefficient number. Therefore,

RSZ\_COEF\_INDEX.VIDX = The coefficient number of VLUT - 1

RSZ\_COEF\_INDEX.HIDX = The coefficient number of HLUT - 1

Moreover, when m=1 for down-scaling, discard above formula and use following rules:

- 1.  $W_COEF_0 = 64 (W_0 = 0.5)$ , and  $W_COEF_{1 \sim n-1} = 0$
- 2. IN\_EN always equals 1
- 3. OUT\_EN<sub>0</sub> = 1, and OUT\_EN<sub>1  $\sim$  n-1</sub> = 0

Following are two examples of setting LUT

Resize coefficients for 7:3

W	W_COEF	IN_EN	OUT_EN	Pixel1	Pixel2	OUT
2/3	85	1	1	P [0]	P [1]	P [0] * 2/3 + P [1] * 1/3
0	0	1	0	P [1]	P [2]	No new pixel out
1/3	42	1	1	P [2]	P [3]	P [2] * 1/3 + P [3] * 2/3
0	0	1	0	P [3]	P [4]	No new pixel out
0	0	1	0	P [4]	P [5]	No new pixel out
1	128	1	1	P [5]	P [6]	P [5] * 1 + P [6] * 0
0	0	1	0	P [6]	P [7]	No new pixel out

Resize coefficients for 3:5

W	W_COEF	IN_EN	OUT_EN	Pixel1	Pixel2	OUT
1	128	1	1	P [0]	P [1]	P [0] * 1 + P [1] * 0
2/5	51	0	1	P [0]	P [1]	P [0] * 2/5 + P [1] * 3/5
4/5	102	1	1	P [1]	P [2]	P [1] * 4/5 + P [2] * 1/5
1/5	25	0	1	P [1]	P [2]	P [1] * 1/5 + P [2] * 4/5
3/5	76	1	1	P [2]	P [3]	P [2] * 3/5 + P [3] * 2/5

### **Vertical Resize Coefficients Look Up Table Register group**

Function descriptions are same as horizontal LUT.



### Resized width and height calculation

For software, to preset correct value for register OUT\_GS, please refer to following formula.

Set IW stand for original input frame width, IH stand for original input frame height, OW stand for new frame width after resize, OH stand for new frame height after resize.

#### In Up-scale case (n < m):

```
If [(IW - 1) * (m/n)] * (n/m) ==(IW-1) then OW = [(IW - 1) * (m/n)] + 1; Else OW = [(IW - 1) * (m/n)] + 2; If [(IH - 1) * (m/n)] * (n/m) == (IH-1) then OH = [(IH - 1) * (m/n)] + 1; Else OH = [(IH - 1) * (m/n)] + 2; In Down\text{-scale case (n>m)}: If [(IW - 1) * (m/n)] * (n/m) ==(IW-1) then OW = [(IW - 1) * (m/n)]; Else OW = [(IW - 1) * (m/n)] + 1; If [(IH - 1) * (m/n)] * (n/m) ==(IH-1) then OH = [(IH - 1) * (m/n)]; Else OH = [(IH - 1) * (m/n)] + 1;
```

#### For example:

A 36x46 frame with the horizontal resize ratio of 4:5 (up-scale) and vertical resize ratio of 7:6 (down-scale), by the expressions above we get its new size after resize from the following process.

```
For Width: [(36 - 1) * (5/4)] * (4/5) = 34.4 \neq (36-1)

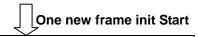
So OW = [(36 - 1) * (5/4)] + 2 = 45

For Height: [(46 - 1) * (6/7)] * (7/6) = 44.33 \neq (46 - 1)

So OH = [(46 - 1) * (6/7)] + 1 = 39
```



#### **IPU Initialization Flow**



### Clear IPU status register.

(IPU\_STATUS.OUT\_END = 0)

#### Note:

This process is necessary due to this bit is set by IPU finish processing previous frame, so it should be cleared to ensure current frame enter into processing successfully.

### **Set IPU primary control:**

-- Resize enable/disable.

(IPU\_CONTROL.RSZ\_EN = 1/0)

-- Interrupt request enable/disable.

(IPU\_CONTROL.FM\_IRQ\_EN = 1/0)

#### Set IPU input/output frame format:

- -- Input format (YUV/YCbCr 444, 420, 422, 411)
- (D\_FMT.IN\_FMT)
- -- Output format (RGB 555, 565, 888)

(D\_FMT.OUT\_FMT)



#### Set input frame size:

-- Input frame width (Eg: 288x188 frame)

 $(IN_FM_GS.IN_FM_W = 288)$ 

-- Input frame height (Eg: 288x188 frame)

 $(IN_FM_GS.IN_FM_H = 188)$ 

- -- Y frame stride (Y\_STRIDE.Y\_S)
- -- U frame stride (UV STRIDE.U S)
- -- V frame stride (UV\_STRIDE.V\_S)

**Note:** Frame width/height value should be restricted according to frame format (ensure it is a legal size). In 411 case the value should be multiple of 4. In 420/422 case the value should be multiple of 2. 444 case, the value can be any integer in the legal range (33 ~ 2047). Moreover, all the three stride values should be set to ensure frames' every line start address are word aliened, reference to attached Figure A-1.

### Set input/output data start address:

- -- Y frame start address (Y\_ADDR.Y\_ADDR)
- -- U frame start address (U\_ADDR.U\_ADDR)
- -- V frame start address (V\_ADDR.V\_ADDR)
- -- Output frame start address

(OUT\_ADDR.OUT\_ADDR)

**Note:** Y/U/V frame start address must be word aliened. Output frame start address can be half-word or word aliened except RGB888 format, which should be aliened by word.

### Set output frame size:

-- Output frame width

(OUT\_GS.OUT\_FM\_W)

-- Output frame height

(OUT\_GS.OUT\_FM\_H)

-- Output frame stride

(OUT\_STRIDE.OUT\_S)

**Note:** All values above are united by byte, so the values filled in are the pixel numbers left shifted by 1 or 2 according to output format. For example: RGB888, each pixel takes 4 bytes, so the width value is pixel numbers \* 4. Such as a RGB888 frame with size of 120x80 and stride of 124, their value should be filled as: OUT\_GS.OUT\_FM\_W=120<<2;

OUT\_GS.OUT\_FM\_H=80<<2;OUT\_STRIDE.OUT\_S=124<<2



### Set CSC coefficients:

CSC\_C0\_COEF = 0x400(YUV)/ 0x4A8(YCbCr)

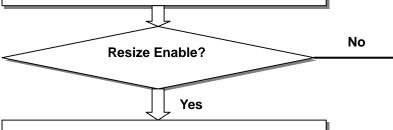
 $CSC\_C1\_COEF = 0x59C(YUV)/0x662(YCbCr)$ 

 $CSC_C2_COEF = 0x161(YUV)/0x341(YCbCr)$ 

CSC\_C3\_COEF = 0x2DC(YUV)/0x190(YCbCr)

 $CSC_C4_COEF = 0x718(YUV)/0x812(YCbCr)$ 

**Note:** More information reference to the following attached Table A-1.



### Set Vertical direction scale flag:

(IPU\_CONTROL.V\_SCALE)

### Set Horizontal direction scale flag:

(IPU\_CONTROL.H\_SCALE)

**Note:** For example, Vertical resize ratio is 4:5 and Horizontal resize ratio is 7:6, that is vertical up-scale and horizontal down-scale, so these two bits should be set as:

IPU\_CONTROL.V\_SCALE=1; IPU\_CONTROL.H\_SCALE=0

#### Set resize coefficients table index register

- -- Vertical LUT (RSZ\_COEF\_INDEX.VE\_IDX)
- -- Horizontal LUT (RSZ\_COEF\_INDEX.HE\_IDX)

**Note:** For example, Vertical resize ratio is 3:5 and Horizontal resize ratio is 7:2, according to the calculation expressions in LUT register group's description table, Vertical LUT has 5 coefficients and Horizontal LUT has 7 coefficients. So they should be set as:

RSZ\_COEF\_INDEX.VE\_IDX=4 (VLUT index from 0~4)

RSZ\_COEF\_INDEX.HE\_IDX=6 (HLUT index from 0~6)

### **Set Vertical direction Look-Up Table:**

(VRSZ\_COEF\_LUT)

**Set Horizontal direction Look-Up Table:** 

(HRSZ\_COEF\_LUT)

**Note:** Reference to calculation expressions in LUT register group's description table above.





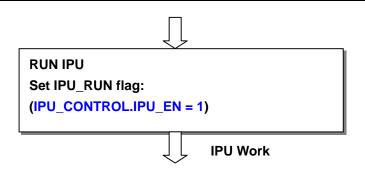


Table A-1. YUV/YCbCr to RGB CSC Equations

Input data	Matrix	CSC_COEF register values
	R = C0*(Y - X0) + C1*(V-128)	CSC_C0_COEF = 0x400
	G = C0*(Y - X0) - C2*(U-128) - C3*(V-128)	CSC_C1_COEF= 0x59C
	B = C0*(Y - X0) + C4*(U-128)	CSC_C2_COEF = 0x161
	X0: 0	CSC_C3_COEF = 0x2DC
YUV	C0: 1	CSC_C4_COEF = 0x718
	C1: 1.4026	
	C2: 0.3444	
	C3: 0.7144	
	C4: 1.7730	
	R = C0*(Y - X0) + C1*(Cr-128)	CSC_C0_COEF = 0x4A8
	G = C0*(Y - X0) - C2*(Cb-128) - C3*(Cr-128)	CSC_C1_COEF = 0x662
	B = C0*(Y - X0) + C4*(Cb-128)	CSC_C2_COEF = 0x341
	X0: 16	CSC_C3_COEF = 0x190
YCbCr	C0: 1.164	CSC_C4_COEF = 0x812
	C1: 1.596	
	C2: 0.813	
	C3: 0.391	
	C4: 2.018	

Table A-2. Output data package format

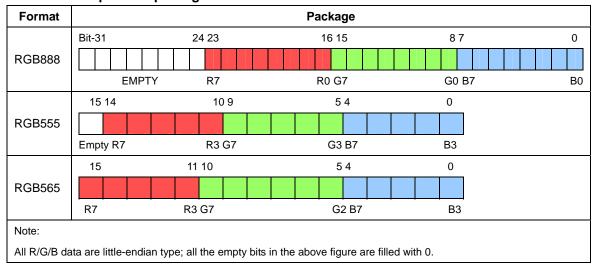
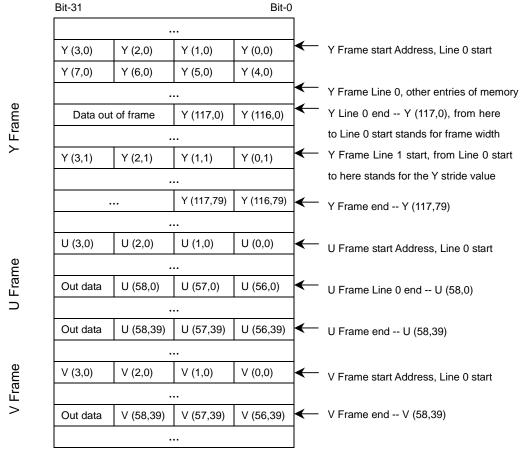




Figure A-1 Source Data storing format in external memory.

Example: YUV420 118x80 frame



Note: 1. Every line's start address should be word aliened.

- 2. All pixel data should be stored as little-endian type.
- Destination data (RGB) storing format in external memory is similar with above figure, but RGB555
  and RGB565 frame's every line start address can be half-word aliened (RGB888 frame still need
  word aliened).