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User's Manual

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## 4. Technical Terms and Abbreviation



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## 1. Overview

### 1.1. Overview of this document.

In this chapter, overview of ADSP Interface for Linux is explained.

### 1.2. The architecture of the Software and scope of this document

The architecture of ADSP Interface for Linux is shown in Figure 1-1. ADSP Interface for Linux is a user space library which provides the interface to control ADSP Framework via ADSP Driver for Linux.

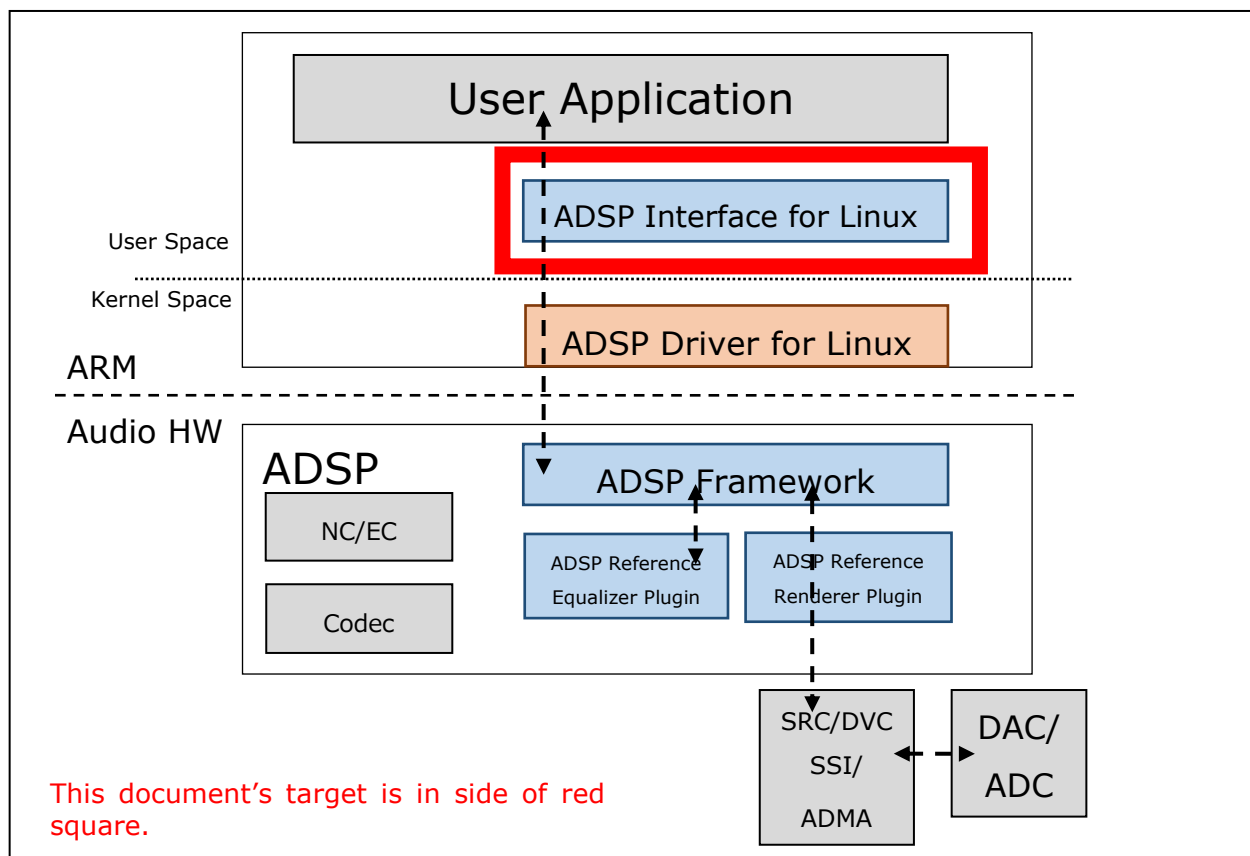


Figure 1-1 The software architecture

### 1.3. Software necessary to be prepared in advance

ADSP Driver for Linux should be loaded in advance to use ADSP Interface for Linux.

## 1.4. Related documents

Table 1-1 shows related documents.

Table 1-1 The list of related documents

No.	Name	Published by
[1]	R-Car Series, 3rd Generation User's Manual: Hardware	Renesas Electronics Corporation
[2]	ADSP Framework User's Manual	Renesas Electronics Corporation

## 1.5. The definition of common types

Table 1-2 shows the list of type definitions used in ADSP Interface for Linux.

Table 1-2 The list of common types

type	size [byte]		
s8	1	signed 8 bit integer	-128 to 127
s16	2	signed 16 bit integer	-32768 to 32767
s32	4	signed 32 bit integer	-2147483648 to 2147483647
u8	1	unsigned 8 bit integer	0 to 255
u16	2	unsigned 16 bit integer	0 to 65535
u32	4	unsigned 32 bit integer	0 to 4294967295

[notice] the size of a pointer depends on architecture.



## 2. Software specification

### 2.1. The list of functions

Table 2-1 shows the functions provided by this software. See 2.3 for more detailed specification of the functions.

Table 2-1 The list of functions

name	outline
xf_proxy_init	ADSP Interface for Linux initialization
xf_proxy_close	ADSP Interface for Linux close
xf_proxy_pool	Get pointer to auxiliary shared buffer pool from ADSP Interface for Linux struct
xf_pool_alloc	Allocate buffer pool
xf_pool_free	Release buffer pool
xf_buffer_get	Get buffer from buffer pool
xf_buffer_put	Return buffer to buffer pool
xf_buffer_data	Get buffer address
xf_buffer_length	Get buffer size
xf_open	Get handle of ADSP Plugin
xf_close	Release handle of ADSP Plugin
xf_handle_aux	Get the address of shared buffer from the handle of ADSP Plugin
xf_handle_auxlen	Get the size of shared buffer from the handle of ADSP Plugin.
xf_route	Set routing of ADSP Plugin
xf_unroute	Release routing of ADSP Plugin
xf_command	Send a command to ADSP Plugin
xf_response_put	Send a message to pipe
xf_response_get	Get a message from pipe
xf_response_cb	Callback function

## 2.2. The list of structures

Table 2-2 shows the list of structures which user should allocate memory in using the software. See 2.5 for more detailed specification of the structures.

Table 2-2 The list of structures

name	outline	remark
xf_proxy_t	The structure of ADSP Interface for Linux	Direct access to a member of the structure is prohibited.
xf_handle_t	The handle structure of ADSP Plugin	Direct access to a member of the structure is prohibited.
xf_pool_t	The structure of buffer pool	Direct access to a member of the structure is prohibited.
xf_buffer_t	The structure of buffer	Direct access to a member of the structure is prohibited.
xf_set_param_msg_t	The structure of XF_SET_PARAM	See the manual of ADSP Framework for details
xf_get_param_msg_t	The structure of XF_GET_PARAM	See the manual of ADSP Framework for details
xf_start_msg_t	The structure of Runtime Initialization Stage	See the manual of ADSP Framework for details
xf_user_msg_t	The structure of user message	See the manual of ADSP Framework for details

## 2.3. Function specification

### 2.3.1. xf\_proxy\_init

xf_proxy_init		
Synopsis	This function initializes ADSP Interface for Linux. It should be called once in advance to call other functions.	
Syntax	<pre>int xf_proxy_init(     xf_proxy_t *proxy,     u32 core);</pre>	
Parameter	proxy	The pointer to ADSP Interface for Linux structure
	core	Specify 0.
Return values	success	0
	fail	non-zero

### 2.3.2. xf\_proxy\_close

xf_proxy_close		
Synopsis	This function terminates ADSP Interface for Linux. After calling this function, other function can't be called until executing xf_proxy_init.	
Syntax	<pre>void xf_proxy_close(     xf_proxy_t *proxy);</pre>	
Parameter	proxy	The pointer to ADSP Interface for Linux structure
Return value	None	

### 2.3.3. xf\_proxy\_pool

xf_proxy_pool		
Synopsis	This function gets the member of auxiliary shared buffer pool from ADSP Interface for Linux structure. This function is a function-like macro.	
Syntax	#define xf_proxy_pool(proxy) ((proxy)->aux)	
Parameter	proxy	The pointer to ADSP Interface for Linux structure
Return value	The pointer to AUX shared buffer pool	

### 2.3.4. xf\_pool\_alloc

xf_pool_alloc			
Synopsis	This function allocates buffer pool.		
Syntax	<pre>int xf_pool_alloc(     xf_proxy_t *proxy,     u32 number,     u32 length,     xf_pool_type_t type,     xf_pool_t **pool);</pre>		
Parameter	proxy	The pointer to ADSP Interface for Linux structure	
	number	The number of buffers to allocate	
	length	The length of each buffer	
	type	The kind of buffer pool to allocate	
		XF_POOL_AUX	AUX buffer
		XF_POOL_INPUT	Input buffer
		XF_POOL_OUTPUT	Output buffer
pool	The double pointer to buffer pool to allocate. When allocating AUX buffer, specify the pointer to xf_proxy_pool macro.		
Return value	success	0	
	fail	non-zero	

### 2.3.5. xf\_pool\_free

xf_pool_free		
Synopsis	This functions releases buffer pool	
Syntax	<pre>void xf_pool_free(     xf_pool_t *pool);</pre>	
Parameter	pool	The pointer to buffer pool to be released.
Return value	None	

### 2.3.6. xf\_buffer\_get

xf_buffer_get		
Synopsis	This function gets buffer from buffer pool.	
Syntax	<pre>xf_buffer_t * xf_buffer_get(     xf_pool_t *pool);</pre>	
Parameter	pool	The pointer to buffer pool from which buffer is obtained.
Return value	success	The address of buffer
	fail	0

### 2.3.7. xf\_buffer\_put

xf_buffer_put		
Synopsis	This functions returns buffer to buffer pool.	
Syntax	<pre>void xf_buffer_put(     xf_buffer_t *buffer);</pre>	
Parameter	buffer	The pointer to the buffer to be returned
Return value	None	

### 2.3.8. xf\_buffer\_data

xf_buffer_data		
Synopsis	This function gets buffer address.	
Syntax	<pre>static inline void* xf_buffer_data(     xf_buffer_t *buffer);</pre>	
Parameter	buffer	The pointer to the buffer
Return value	The address of the buffer	

### 2.3.9. xf\_buffer\_length

xf_buffer_length		
Synopsis	This function gets buffer size.	
Syntax	<pre>static inline size_t xf_buffer_length(     xf_buffer_t *buffer);</pre>	
Parameter	buffer	The pointer to the buffer
Return value	The size of the buffer	

### 2.3.10. xf\_open

xf_open		
Synopsis	This function gets the handle of ADSP Plugin.	
Syntax	<pre>int xf_open(xf_proxy_t *proxy,     xf_handle_t *handle,     xf_id_t id,     u32 core,     xf_response_cb response);</pre>	
Parameter	proxy	The pointer to ADSP Interface for Linux structure
	handle	The pointer to ADSP Plugin handle structure
	id	The component ID of the plugin.
	core	Specify 0
	response	The pointer to the callback function
Return value	success	0
	fail	non-zero

**2.3.11.      xf\_close**

xf_close		
Synopsis	This function releases the handle of ADSP Plugin.	
Syntax	<pre>void xf_close(     xf_handle_t *handle);</pre>	
Parameter	handle	The pointer to ADSP Plugin handle structure
Return value	None	

**2.3.12.      xf\_handle\_aux**

xf_handle_aux		
Synopsis	This function gets the address of shared buffer from ADSP Plugin handle.	
Syntax	<pre>static inline void* xf_handle_aux(     xf_handle_t *handle);</pre>	
Parameter	handle	The pointer to ADSP Plugin handle structure
Return value	The address of shared buffer	

**2.3.13.      xf\_handle\_auxlen**

xf_handle_auxlen		
Synopsis	This function gets the size of shared buffer from ADSP Plugin handle.	
Syntax	<pre>static inline size_t xf_handle_auxlen(     xf_handle_t *handle);</pre>	
Parameter	handle	The pointer to ADSP Plugin handle structure
Return value	The size of shared buffer	

### 2.3.14.        xf\_route

xf_route		
Synopsis	<p>This function connects the ports between 2 ADSP Plugins.  It enables to use the data of source ADSP Plugin as the input of target ADSP Plugin.  It is impossible to connect one port to multiple ports.</p>	
Syntax	<pre>int xf_route(xf_handle_t *src,             u32 src_port,             xf_handle_t *dst,             u32 dst_port,             u32 num,             u32 size,             u32 align);</pre>	
Parameter	src	The pointer of source ADSP Plugin handle structure
	src_port	The source port
	dst	The pointer of target ADSP Plugin handle structure
	dst_port	The target port
	num	The number of buffers allocated between the ports
	size	The size of buffers allocated between the ports
Return value	align	The align of buffers allocated between the ports
	success	0
	fail	non-zero

### 2.3.15.        xf\_unroute

xf_unroute		
Synopsis	<p>This function disconnects the connection between the ports of 2 ADSP Plugins.</p>	
Syntax	<pre>int xf_unroute(xf_handle_t *src,               u32 src_port);</pre>	
Parameter	src	The pointer of source ADSP Plugin handle structure
	src_port	The source port
Return value	success	0
	fail	non-zero

### 2.3.16.        xf\_command

xf_command		
Synopsis	This function sends a command to ADSP Plugin.	
Syntax	<pre>int xf_command(xf_handle_t *handle,                u32 port,                u32 opcode,                void *buffer,                u32 length)</pre>	
Parameter	handle	The pointer of target ADSP Plugin handle structure
	port	The target port of ADSP Plugin
	opcode	Command code (see user manuals of ADSP Framework and ADSP Plugin)
	buffer	The pointer to the buffer in which command is stored.
	length	The size of the buffer in which command is stored.
Return value	success	0
	fail	non-zero

### 2.3.17.        xf\_response\_put

xf_response_put		
Synopsis	This function sends a message to pipe. The main usage is to send a message from callback function to main process.	
Syntax	<pre>static inline int xf_response_put(xf_handle_t *handle,                                   xf_user_msg_t *msg);</pre>	
Parameter	handle	The pointer to ADSP Plugin handle structure which sends a command.
	msg	The pointer to user message structure
Return value	success	0
	fail	non-zero

### 2.3.18.        xf\_response\_get

xf_response_get		
Synopsis	This function gets a message from pipe. It waits for reception of a message if no message exists. The main usage is to wait for the finish of callback process after transmission of a command.	
Syntax	<pre>static inline int xf_response_get(xf_handle_t *handle,                                   xf_user_msg_t *msg);</pre>	
Parameter	handle	The pointer to ADSP Plugin handle structure which sends a command.
	msg	The pointer to user message structure
Return value	success	0
	fail	non-zero



## 2.4. Callback function specification

### 2.4.1. xf\_response\_cb

xf_response_cb		
Synopsis	This function performs ADSP Plugin callback feature. It is necessary for the user to make the callback function with the format of the syntax. Register the pointer to the callback function as the response parameter when executing xf_open.	
Syntax	void (*xf_response_cb)(xf_handle_t *h, xf_user_msg_t *msg);	
Parameter	h	The pointer to ADSP Plugin handle structure
	msg	The pointer to user message structure
Return value	None	

## 2.5. Structures specification

### 2.5.1. xf\_proxy\_t

xf_proxy_t		
Synopsis	This is ADSP Interface for Linux structure. Direct access to a member of the structure is prohibited.	
Access function	xf_proxy_pool	This function gets the pointer to AUX shared buffer pool in this structure.

### 2.5.2. xf\_handle\_t

xf_handle_t		
Synopsis	This is ADSP Plugin handle structure. Direct access to a member of the structure is prohibited.	
Access function	xf_handle_aux	This function gets the address of shared buffer in this structure.
	xf_handle_auxlen	This function gets the size of shared buffer in this structure.

### 2.5.3. xf\_pool\_t

xf_pool_t		
Synopsis	This is buffer pool structure. Direct access to a member of the structure is prohibited. Allocate this structure as many as necessary in / out buffer pools.	
Access function	xf_buffer_get	This function gets buffer from buffer pool allocated by this structure.
	xf_buffer_put	This function returns buffer to buffer pool.

### 2.5.4. xf\_buffer\_t

xf_buffer_t		
Synopsis	This is buffer structure. Direct access to a member of the structure is prohibited. Allocate this structure as many as necessary in / out buffers.	
Access function	xf_buffer_data	This function gets the address of buffer in this structure.
	xf_buffer_length	This function gets the size of buffer in this structure.

## 2.5.5. xf\_user\_msg\_t

xf_user_msg_t			
Synopsis	This is user message structure. Specify the pointer of this structure as a parameter of callback function.		
Member	u32	id	Component ID (only used for administration and not used by user)
	u32	opcode	Command code (see user's manuals of ADSP Framework and ADSP Plugin for details)
	u32	length	The length of the data stored in the buffer
	void *	buffer	The address of the buffer

### 3. Process sequence

#### 3.1. Initialization flow

Figure 3-1 shows the initialization flow.

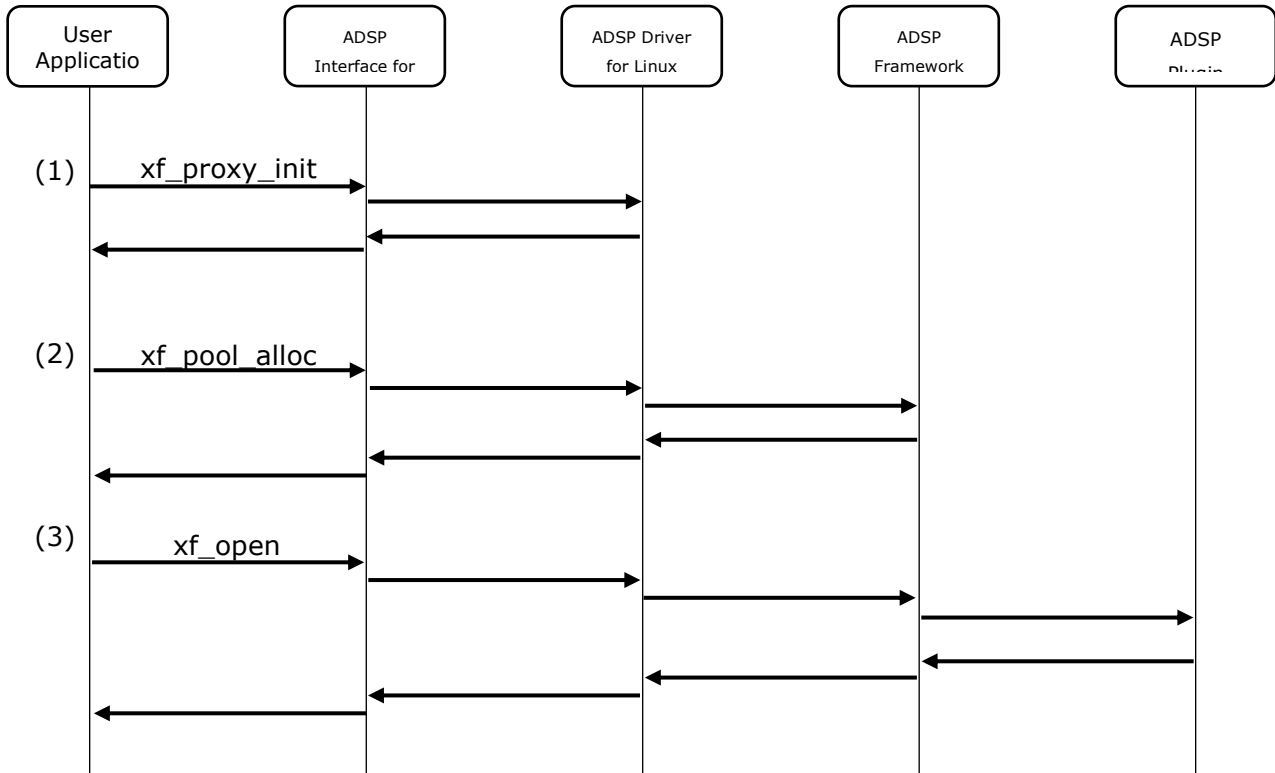


Figure 3-1 Initialization flow

- (1) The `xf_proxy_init` performs initialization of ADSP Interface for Linux and ADSP Driver for Linux.
- (2) The `xf_pool_alloc` performs allocation of the shared buffer pool whose type is `XF_POOL_AUX`. Specify the pointer returned from `xf_proxy_pool` in advance.
- (3) `xf_open` performs initialization of ADSP Plugin. A shared buffer whose type is `XF_POOL_AUX` is allocated to ADSP Plugin from shared buffer pool.

### 3.2. Flow of sending a command

Figure 3-2 shows the reference flow to send / receive a command.

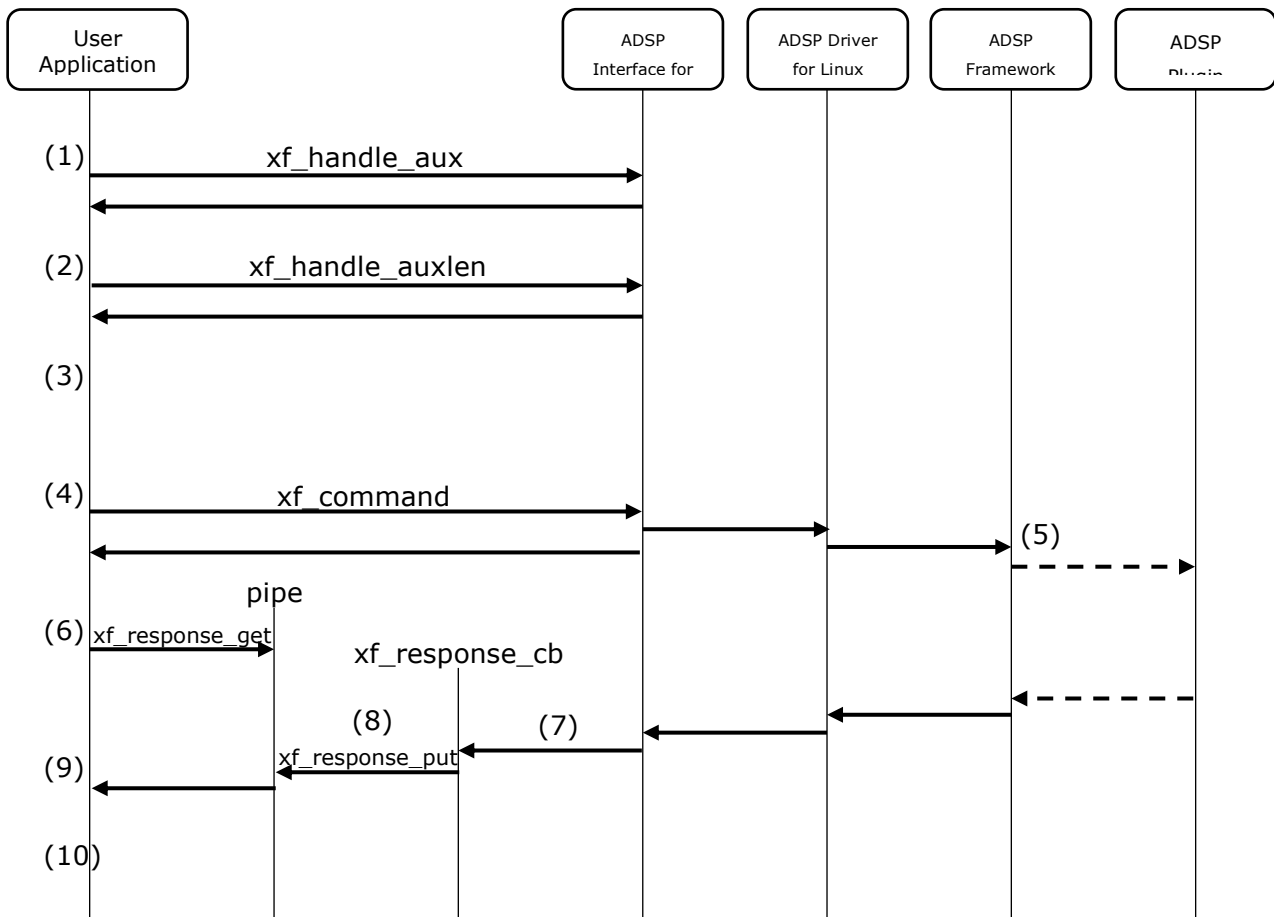


Figure 3-2 The standard flow to send / receive a command

- (1) `xf_handle_aux` gets the address of buffer in which command is stored.
- (2) `xf_handle_auxlen` gets the size of the buffer.
- (3) Store a command to the buffer. Take care that the command does not exceed the size of the buffer.
- (4) `xf_command` sends the command. The function ends after the finish of sending.
- (5) Some commands are processed by ADSP Framework, others by ADSP Plugin.
- (6) `xf_response_get` waits for a message from pipe.
- (7) The callback function registered by `xf_open` is called after finish of the process of command.
- (8) `xf_response_put` sends the received message to pipe.
- (9) When `xf_response_put` is executed, `xf_response_get` stops. If the order of (6) and (8) is inverted, `xf_response_get` stops immediately.
- (10) Continue process according to received message.

### 3.3. Flow to allocate input / output buffer

Figure 3-1 shows the reference flow to allocate input / output buffer.

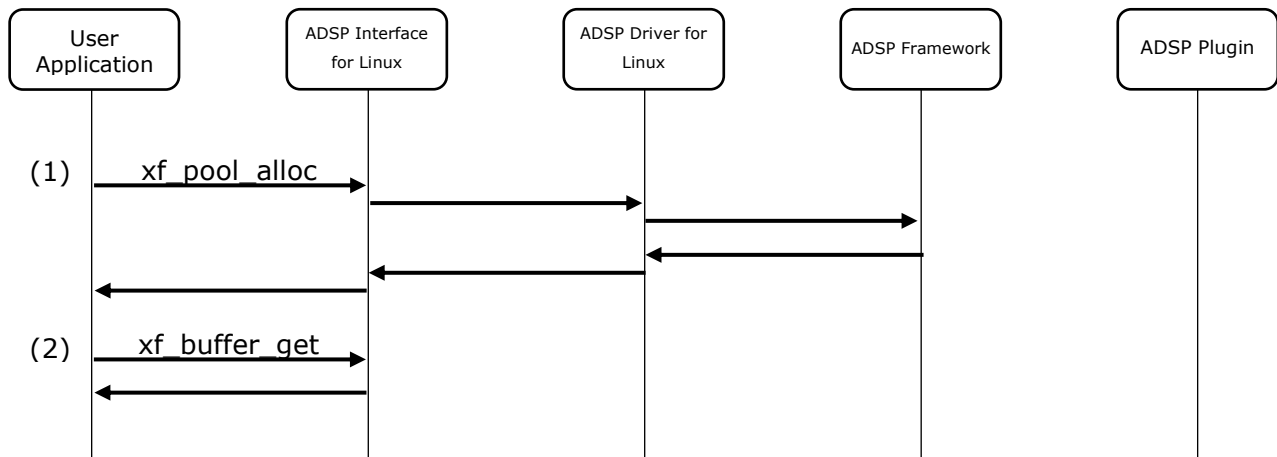


Figure 3-3 The standard flow to allocate input / output buffer

- (1) `xf_pool_alloc` allocates buffer pool whose type is `XF_POOL_INPUT` or `XF_POOL_OUTPUT`.
- (2) `xf_buffer_get` gets buffer from the buffer pool.

### 3.4. Flow of send / receive input buffer

Figure 3-2 shows the reference flow to send / receive input buffer.

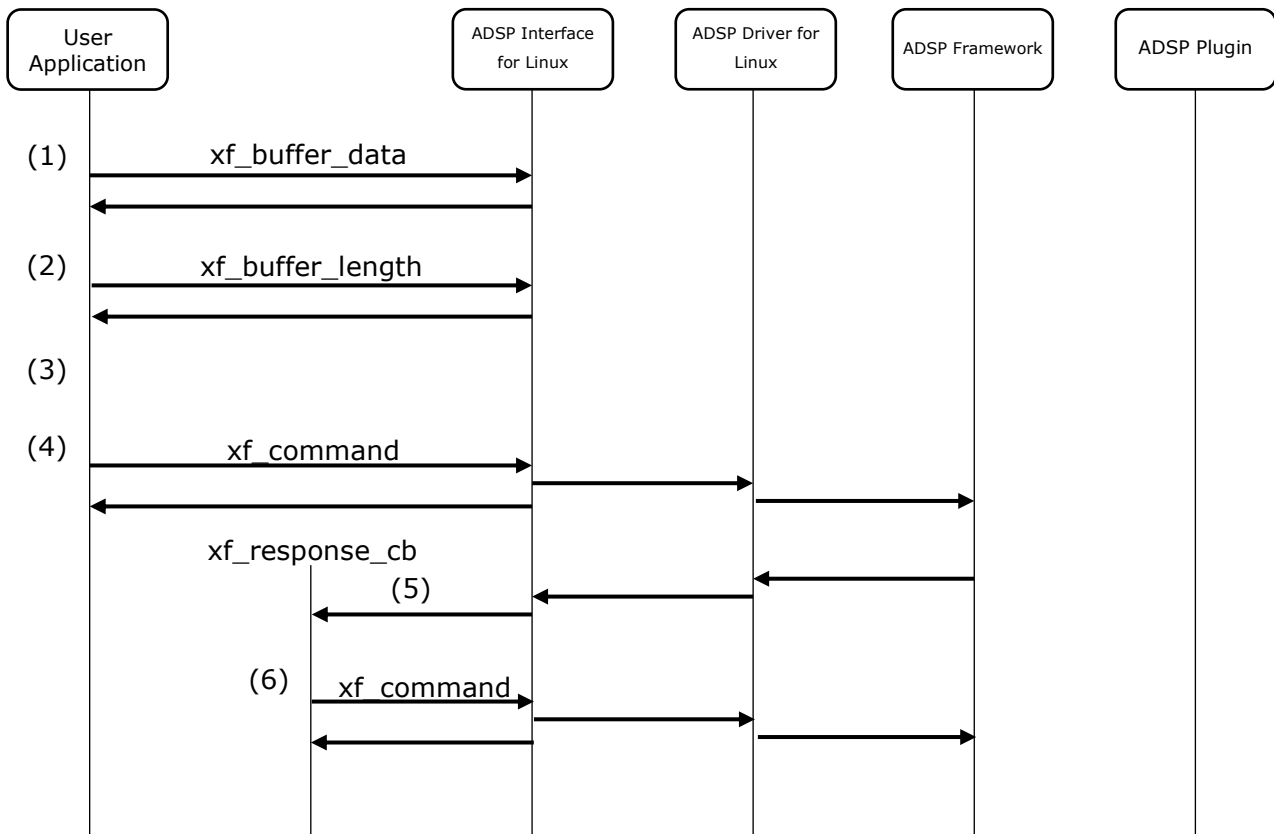


Figure 3-4 The standard flow to send / receive data

- (1) `xf_buffer_data` gets the address of buffer to send data.
- (2) `xf_buffer_length` gets the size of the buffer.
- (3) Store data to the buffer. Take care that the data does not exceed the size of the buffer.
- (4) `xf_command` sends the data in the buffer. The function ends after the finish of sending. Specify `XF_EMPTY_THIS_BUFFER` for the command code. See ADSP Framework user's manual for details.
- (5) The callback function registered by `xf_open` is called after finish of the process.
- (6) If necessary, continue to store next data to the buffer and send again. It is also possible to use another thread, not by callback function.

### 3.5. Flow to send / receive output buffer

Figure 3-2 shows the reference flow to send / receive output buffer.

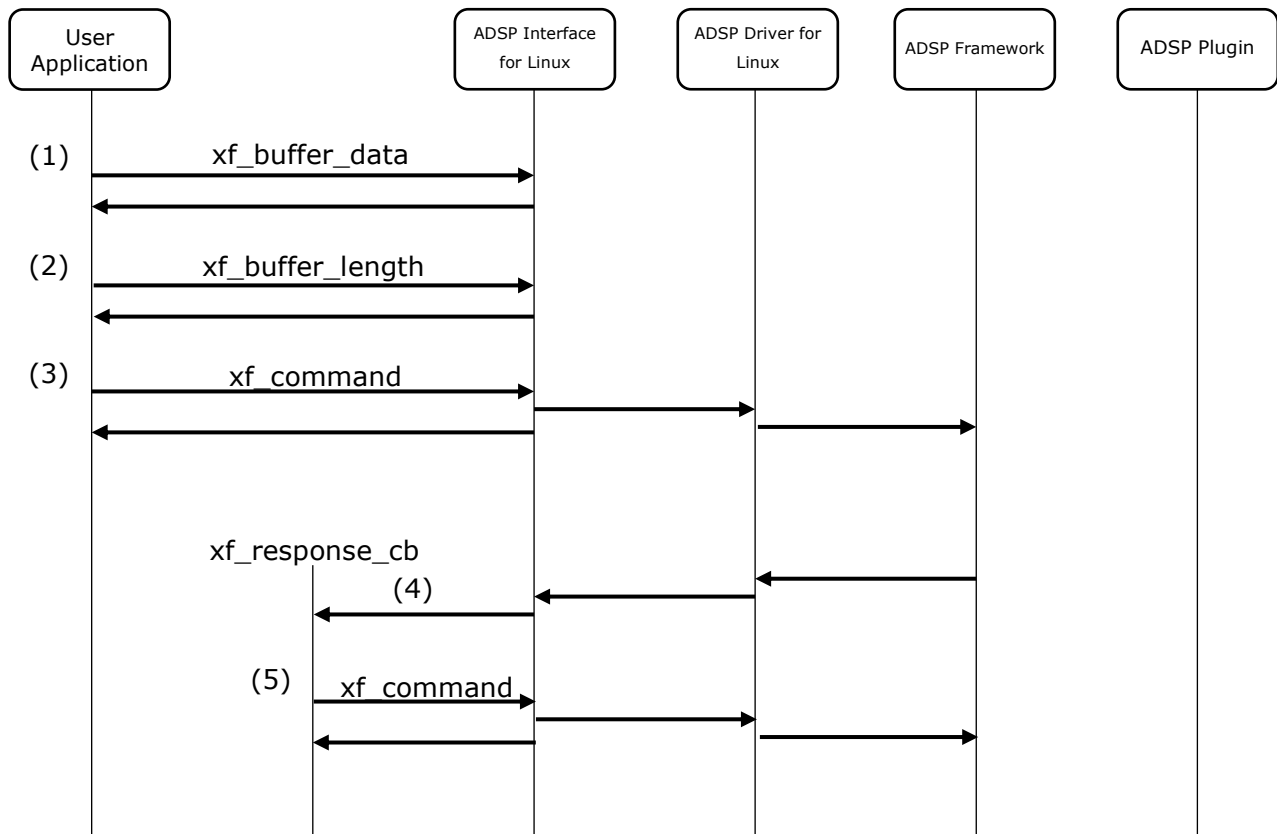


Figure 3-5 The flow to send / receive output buffer

- (1) `xf_buffer_data` gets the address of buffer to send data.
- (2) `xf_buffer_length` gets the size of the buffer.
- (3) `xf_command` sends the data in the buffer. The function ends after the finish of sending. Specify `XF_FILL_THIS_BUFFER` for the command code. See ADSP Framework user's manual for details.
- (4) The callback function registered by `xf_open` is called after finish of the process.
- (5) Get the output data from the buffer after the process is finished. If necessary, continue to store next data to the buffer and send again. It is also possible to use another thread, not by callback function.



### 3.6. Flow to release input / output buffer

Figure 3-1 shows the reference flow to release input / output buffer.

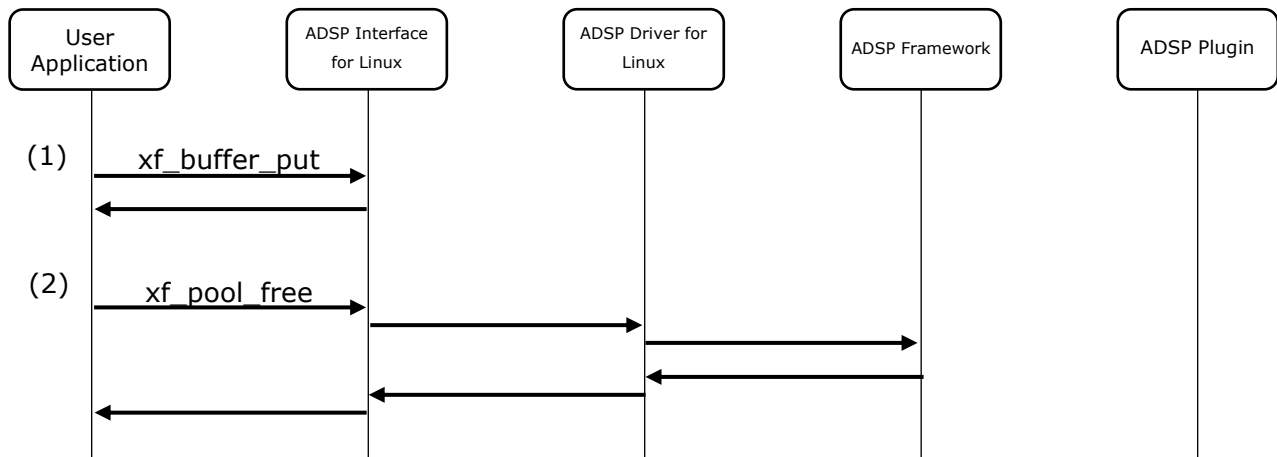


Figure 3-6 The standard flow to release input / output buffer

- (1) `xf_buffer_put` returns all grabbed buffers to the buffer pool.
- (2) `xf_pool_free` releases the buffer pool.

### 3.7. Termination flow

Figure 3-1 shows termination flow.

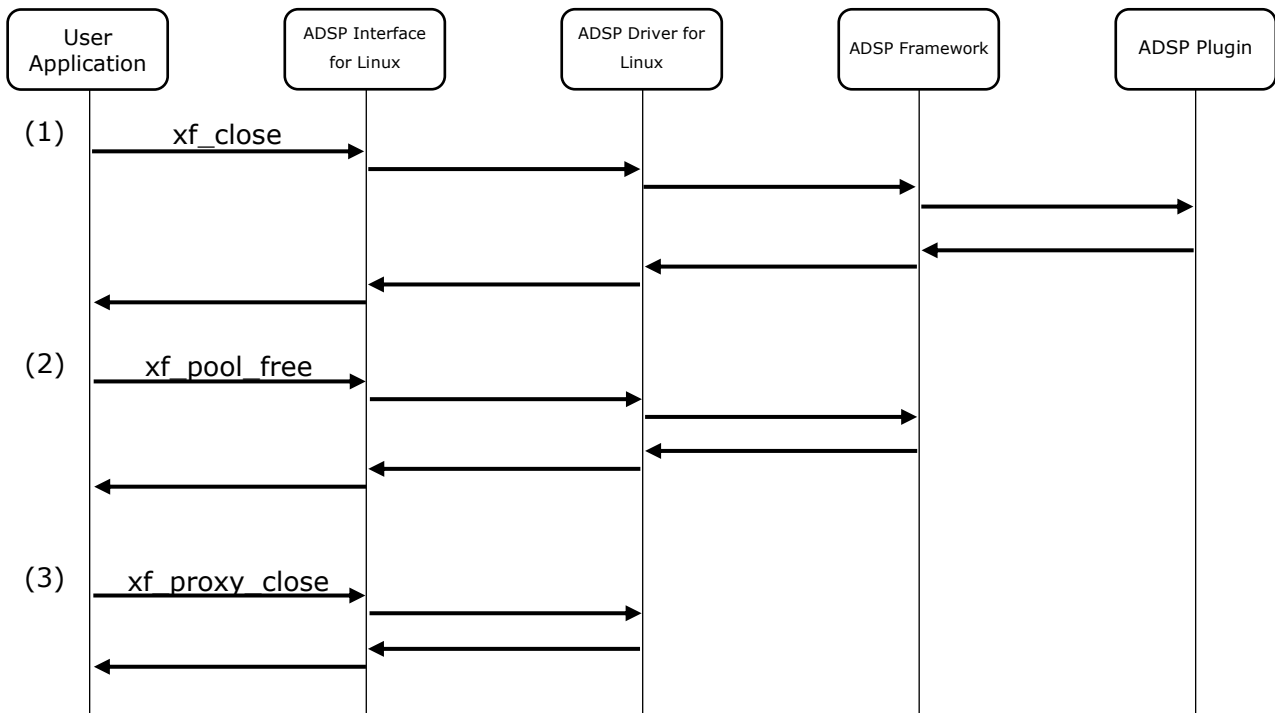


Figure 3-7 Termination flow

(1) `xf_close` performs ADSP Plugin termination.

(The following process should be performed only when ADSP Interface for Linux is also terminated.)

(2) `xf_pool_free` releases the shared buffer pool whose type is `XF_POOL_AUX` by using the return value of `xf_proxy_pool`.

(3) `xf_proxy_close` terminates ADSP Interface for Linux and ADSP Driver for Linux.

## 4. Notes

This section describes the notice of developing user programs.

### 4.1. Function Call

User programs which calls the functions in this specification should obey the calling rules of compiler.

### 4.2. Other notes

#### 4.2.1. Allocation of memory

Before calling the functions in this specification, allocate necessary memory area and each structure used for the parameters of each function.

#### 4.2.2. Out of range memory access

The functions in this specification never access out of allocated memory or related I/O.

#### 4.2.3. Combination with other applications

Take care not to duplicate symbol names when other applications are combined with other programs.

#### 4.2.4. Monitoring on Performance

The products embedding this Software shall observe performance of the Software periodically with Watch Dog timer or such functions in order not to damage system performance.

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