

Layout Transitions

Vulkan layout transitions

相比于dx11和opengl, vulkan和dx12 多了资源转换屏障的操作

if we are writing to a resource, say a texture, we will set the texture state to a render target state; when we need to read the texture, we will change its state to a shader resource state.

大概意思就是对于资源的使用例如Image 这种需要定义其状态, 比如当前是可读还是可写, 或者是其他类型, 避免同时被两个进程读写, 以预防**resource hazard** 状态

同时, 从官方给出来的数据来看, 资源transitions了之后, 而不是没指定的VK_IMAGE_LAYOUT_UNDEFINED, 从性能和资源占用的角度都会快很多。

```
enum class ImageUsageFlagBits : VkImageUsageFlags
{
    eTransferSrc                = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_TRANSFER_SRC_BIT,
    eTransferDst                = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_TRANSFER_DST_BIT,
    eSampled                    = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_SAMPLED_BIT,
    eStorage                     = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_STORAGE_BIT,
    eColorAttachment            = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_COLOR_ATTACHMENT_BIT,
    eDepthStencilAttachment     = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_DEPTH_STENCIL_ATTACHMENT_BIT,
    eTransientAttachment        = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_TRANSIENT_ATTACHMENT_BIT,
    eInputAttachment            = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_INPUT_ATTACHMENT_BIT,
    eVideoDecodeDstKHR          = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_VIDEO_DECODE_DST_BIT_KHR,
    eVideoDecodeSrcKHR          = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_VIDEO_DECODE_SRC_BIT_KHR,
    eVideoDecodeDpbKHR          = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_VIDEO_DECODE_DPB_BIT_KHR,
    eShadingRateImageNV         = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_SHADING_RATE_IMAGE_BIT_NV,
    eFragmentDensityMapEXT      = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_FRAGMENT_DENSITY_MAP_BIT_EXT,
    eFragmentShadingRateAttachmentKHR = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_FRAGMENT_SHADING_RATE_ATTACHMENT_BIT_KHR,
#ifdef VK_ENABLE_BETA_EXTENSIONS
    eVideoEncodeDstKHR          = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_VIDEO_ENCODE_DST_BIT_KHR,
    eVideoEncodeSrcKHR          = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_VIDEO_ENCODE_SRC_BIT_KHR,
    eVideoEncodeDpbKHR          = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_VIDEO_ENCODE_DPB_BIT_KHR,
#endif /*VK_ENABLE_BETA_EXTENSIONS*/
    eAttachmentFeedbackLoopEXT  = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_ATTACHMENT_FEEDBACK_LOOP_BIT_EXT,
    eInvocationMaskHUAWEI       = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_INVOCATION_MASK_BIT_HUAWEI,
    eSampleWeightQCOM           = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_SAMPLE_WEIGHT_BIT_QCOM,
    eSampleBlockMatchQCOM       = VK_IMAGE_USAGE_SAMPLE_BLOCK_MATCH_BIT_QCOM
};
```

来个例子

比如一张Image, 写完后转为可读, 一般都是通过同步来操作, 正如官方介绍的

One of the most common ways to perform layout transitions is using an *image memory barrier*. A pipeline barrier like that is generally used to synchronize access to resources, like ensuring that a write to a buffer completes before reading from it, but it can also be used to transition image layouts and transfer queue family ownership when `VK_SHARING_MODE_EXCLUSIVE` is used. There is an equivalent *buffer memory barrier* to do this for buffers.

如下API:

```
command_buffer->pipelineBarrier(
    source_stage,
    destination_stage,
    vk::DependencyFlags(),
    0, nullptr,
    0, nullptr,
    1, &barrier
);
```

其实在Unreal 中也有相关的代码：

```
RHICmdList.Transition({
    FRHITransitionInfo(ParticleSimulationResources->RenderAttributesTexture.TextureRHI, ERHIAccess::Unknown, ERHIAccess::RTV),
    FRHITransitionInfo(ParticleSimulationResources->SimulationAttributesTexture.TextureRHI, ERHIAccess::Unknown, ERHIAccess::RTV)
});
```

```
virtual void RHIWriteGPUFence_TopOfPipe(FRHICmdListBase& RHICmdList, FRHIGPUFence* FenceRHI);

virtual void RHICreateTransition(FRHITransition* Transition, const FRHITransitionCreateInfo& CreateInfo)
{
}

virtual void RHIReleaseTransition(FRHITransition* Transition)
{
}

/**
```

Derived functions of 'RHICreateTransition'

FD3D11DynamicRHI	UE5
FD3D12DynamicRHI	UE5
FNullDynamicRHI	UE5
FValidationRHI	UE5
FVulkanDynamicRHI	UE5

居然Dx11也有这个功能。但看着只是改了bUAVBarrier，大胆猜测只是UE 内部的一些statu