

QElem structure

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#include <OSUtils.h>
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typedef struct QElem {
    QElemPtr  qLink;      Size  Offset  Description
                        4      0      Address of next element in the queue
                        (0=last)
    short      qType;      2      4      Type of data:
                                0 = special meaning in DrvQEI (dummyType)
                                1 = vType (vertical retrace task) VBLTask
                                2 = ioQType (I/O request queue) ParamBlockRec
                                3 = drvType (drive queue) DrvQEI
                                4 = evType (event queue) EvQEI
                                5 = fsQType (volume control block) VCB
                                6 = slQType SlotIntQElement
                                7 = dtQType (desktop param block) DTPBRec
    char       qData[1];   n      6      Data starts here, length varies
} QElem ;                6+n

typedef QElem *QElemPtr;
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Notes: For queues created and maintained by an application, use any code you like for the qType field. See **Enqueue** and **Dequeue**. System-defined queue elements use various structures, depending upon qType, as indicated above.

All standard Operating System queues have a QHdr structure which contains a pointer to the first queue element. Each element points to the next, and the final element has a qLink value of 0.