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Comprehensive guide to the Streaming Avatar API

- ⓘ Both the avatar_id and voice_id can be easily obtained by copying them directly from the web interface. You can also create and manage your streaming avatars using our intuitive web platform.

Create and manage your avatars at: <https://akool.com/apps/upload/avatar?from=%2Fapps%2Fstreaming-avatar%2Fedit>

- ⚠ The resources (image, video, voice) generated by our API are valid for 7 days. Please save the relevant resources as soon as possible to prevent expiration.

- ⓘ To experience our live avatar streaming feature in action, explore our demo built on the Agora streaming service: [AKool Streaming Avatar React Demo](#).

- ⓘ **Knowledge Base Integration:** You can enhance your streaming avatar with contextual AI responses by integrating a [Knowledge Base](#). When creating a session, provide a `knowledge_id` parameter to enable the AI to use documents and URLs from your knowledge base for more accurate and relevant responses.

API Endpoints

Avatar Management



Upload Streaming Avatar - Create a new streaming avatar from a video URL

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Get Avatar List - Retrieve a list of all streaming avatars

Get Avatar Detail - Get detailed information about a specific avatar

Session Management

Create Session - Create a new streaming avatar session

Get Session Detail - Retrieve detailed information about a specific session

Close Session - Close an active streaming avatar session

Get Session List - Retrieve a list of all streaming avatar sessions

Live Avatar Stream Message

```
IAgoraRTCClient.on(event: "stream-message", listener: (uid: UID, plid: Uint8Array) => void): void  
IAgoraRTCClient.sendStreamMessage(msg: Uint8Array | string, flag: boolean): void
```

Send Data

Chat Type Parameters

Parameter	Type	Required	Value	Description
v	Number	Yes	2	Version of the message
type	String	Yes	chat	Message type chat interaction
mid	String	Yes		Unique message identifier for



Parameter	Type	Required	Value	Description
				conversation tracking
idx	Number	Yes		Sequential index of the message start from 0
fin	Boolean	Yes		Indicates if this is the final part of the message
pId	Object	Yes		Container for message payload
pId.text	String	Yes		Text content to send to avatar (e.g. "Hello")


Command Type Parameters

Parameter	Type	Required	Value	Description
v	Number	Yes	2	Protocol version number
type	String	Yes	command	Specifies this is a system command message
mid	String	Yes		Unique ID to track and correlate command messages
pId	Object	Yes		Contains the command data parameters
pId.cmd	String	Yes		Command action to execute. Valid values are "set-params" for avatar settings



Parameter	Type	Required	Value	Description
				"interrupt" (stop current avatar response)
pld.data	Object	No		Parameters for command (required for "set-params")
pld.data.vid	String	No		Deprecated. Use pld.data.vpara instead. Voice change avatar's voice. Only used with "set-params". Get valid voice IDs from Voice List API
pld.data.vurl	String	No		Deprecated. Use pld.data.vpara instead. Custom model URL. Or with "set-params". Get valid URLs from Voice List API
pld.data.lang	String	No		Language code for avatar response ("en", "es"). Only used with "set-params". Get valid codes from Language List API
pld.data.mode	Number	No		Avatar interaction style. Only used with "set-params". Retelling (avatar repeats content) = 1, Dialogue (avatar engages in conversation) = 2
pld.data.bgurl	String	No		URL of background image/video for avatar

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Parameter	Type	Required	Value	Description
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pld.data.vparams	Object	No		Voice parameter use for the session

Voice Parameters


Parameter	Type	Required	Value	Description
vid	String	No		Voice ID to change avatar's voice. used with "set-params" . Get voice IDs from Voice List API
vurl	String	No		Custom voice URL. Only use "set-params" . valid URLs from Voice List API
speed	double	No	1	Controls the speed of the generated speech. Values range from 0.8 to 1.2, with 1.0 being the default speed
pron_map	Object	No		Pronunciation mapping for custom words. Example: <code>"pron_map": { "akool" : "ai ku" }</code>
stt_type	String	No		Speech-to-text engine. <code>"openai_realtime"</code> = OpenAI Realtime



Parameter	Type	Required	Value	Description
turn_detection	Object	No		Turn detection configuration.
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Turn Detection Configuration

Parameter	Type	Required	Value	Description
type	String	No	"server_vad"	Turn detection type. "server_vad" = Server VAD, "semantic_v" = Semantic V
threshold	Number	No	0.5	Activation threshold (0 to 1). A higher threshold will require longer audio to activate the model, and thus might perform better in noisy environments. Available when type is "server_vad"
prefix_padding_ms	Number	No	300	Amount of audio (in milliseconds) to include before VAD detects speech. Available when type is "server_vad"
silence_duration_ms	Number	No	500	Duration of silence (in milliseconds) to detect speech

Parameter	Type	Required	Value	Description
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				"server_vad


JSON Example

Chat Request

Set Avatar Params

Interrupt Response

Set Avatar Actions




```
{
  "v": 2,
  "type": "chat",
  "mid": "msg-1723629433573",
  "idx": 0,
  "fin": true,
  "pld": {
    "text": "Hello"
  },
}
```


Receive Data

Chat Type Parameters

Parameter	Type	Value	Description
v	Number	2	Version of the message
type	String	chat	Message type for chat interactions
mid	String		Unique message identifier for tracking conversation flow

Parameter	Type	Value	Description
 idx	Number		Sequential index of the message part
fin	Boolean		Indicates if this is the final part of the response
pld	Object		Container for message payload
pld.from	String	"bot" or "user"	Source of the message - "bot" for avatar responses, "user" for speech recognition input
pld.text	String		Text content of the message

Command Type Parameters

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Parameter	Type	Value	Description
v	Number	2	Version of the message
type	String	command	Message type for system commands
mid	String		Unique identifier for tracking related messages in a conversation
pld	Object		Container for command payload
pld.cmd	String	"set-params", "interrupt"	Command to execute: "set-params" to update avatar settings, "interrupt" to stop current response
pld.code	Number	1000	Response code from the server, 1000 indicates success
pld.msg	String		Response message from the server

JSON Example

Chat Response Command Response



```
{
  "v": 2,
  "type": "chat",
  "mid": "msg-1723629433573",
  "idx": 0,
  "fin": true,
  "pld": {
    "from": "bot",
    "text": "Hello! How can I assist you today? "
  }
}
```

Typescript Example

Create Client Send Message Set Avatar Params Interrupt Response

```
const client: IAgoraRTCClient = AgoraRTC.createClient({
  mode: 'rtc',
  codec: 'vp8',
});

client.join(agora_app_id, agora_channel, agora_token, agora_uid);

client.on('stream-message', (message: Uint8Array | string) => {
  console.log('received: %s', message);
});
```

Integrating Your Own LLM Service

Before dispatching a message to the WebSocket, consider executing an HTTP request to your LLM service.



```
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  mode: 'rtc', >
  codec: 'vp8',
});

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client.on('stream-message', (message: Uint8Array | string) => {
  console.log('received: %s', message);
});

let inputMessage = 'hello';

try {
  const response = await fetch('https://your-backend-host/api/llm/answe
    method: "POST",
    headers: {
      "Content-Type": "application/json",
    },
    body: JSON.stringify({
      question: inputMessage,
    }),
  });

  if (response.ok) {
    const result = await response.json();
    inputMessage = result.answer;
  } else {
    console.error("Failed to fetch from backend", response.statusText);
  }
} catch (error) {
  console.error("Error during fetch operation", error);
}
```




```
const message = {  
  type: "chat",  
  mid: "msg-1723629433573",  
  idx: 0,  
  fin: true,  
  pld: {  
    text: inputMessage,  
  },  
};  
client.sendStreamMessage(JSON.stringify(message), false);
```

Response Code Description

ⓘ Please note that if the value of the response code is not equal to 1000, the request is failed or wrong

Parameter	Value	Description
code	1000	Success
code	1003	Parameter error or Parameter can not be empty
code	1008	The content you get does not exist
code	1009	You do not have permission to operate
code	1101	Invalid authorization or The request token has expired
code	1102	Authorization cannot be empty
code	1200	The account has been banned
code	1201	create audio error, please try again later

Parameter	Value	Description
 code	1202	The same video cannot be translated lipSync in the same language more than 1 times
code	1203	video should be with audio
code	1204	Your video duration is exceed 60s!
code	1205	Create videoerror, please try again later
code	1207	The video you are using exceeds the size limit allowed by the system by 300M
code	1209	Please upload a video in another encoding format
code	1210	The video you are using exceeds the value allowed by the system by 60fp
code	1211	Create lipsync error, please try again later