

OpenGL<sup>®</sup> ES  
Common/Common-Lite Profile Specification  
Version 1.1.12 (Difference Specification) (Annotated)



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# Chapter 1

## Overview

This document outlines the OpenGL ES Common and Common-Lite profiles. A profile pipeline is described in the same order as in the OpenGL specification. The specification lists supported commands and state, and calls out commands and state that are part of the full (*desktop*) OpenGL specification but not part of the profile definition. This specification is *not* a standalone document describing the detailed behavior of the rendering pipeline subset and API. Instead, it provides a concise description of the differences between a full OpenGL renderer and the Common/Common-Lite renderer. This document is defined relative to the OpenGL 1.5 specification.



## Chapter 2

# OpenGL Operation

The basic GL operation remains largely unchanged. Two significant changes in the Common and Common-Lite profiles are that commands cannot be accumulated in a display list for later processing, and the first











OpenGL 1.5	Common	Common-Lite
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OpenGL 1.5	Common	Common-Lite
LineWidth		



OpenGL 1.5	Common	Common-Lite
<b>CopyConvolutionFilter2D</b> (enum target, enum internal format, int x, int y, sizei width, sizei height)	–	–
<b>SeparableFilter2D</b> (enum target, enum internal format, sizei width, sizei height, enum format, enum type, const void *row, const void *column)	–	–
<b>GetSeparableFilter</b> (enum target, enum format, enum type, void *row, void *column, void *span)	–	–



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OpenGL 1.5	Common	Common-Lite
BI TMAP	-	



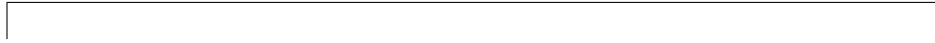




OpenGL 1.5	Common	Common-Lite
<b>CompressedTexImage3D</b> (enum target, int level, enum internal format, size_t width, size_t height, size_t depth, int border, size_t imageSize, const void *data)		

OpenGL 1.5	Common	Common-Lite
cap = TEXTURE_1D, TEXTURE_3D, TEXTURE_CUBE_MAP	–	–/F79 6–

described below. The same correction was made in the OpenGL 2.0 specification, but a corrected version of the OpenGL 1.5 specification was never issued.



COMBINE_RGB	Texture Function
REPLACE	<i>Arg0</i>





## Chapter 4















## 5.6 Hints

## Chapter 6

# State and State Requests

### 6.1 Querying GL State

State queries are supported for *static* and *dynamic* state explicitly supported in the profile. The supported

Client and server attribute stacks are not supported by the profiles; consequently, the commands **PushAttrib**, **PopAttrib**, **PushClientAttrib**, and **PopClientAttrib** are not supported. Gets are supported by the profiles to allow an application to save and restore dynamic state.

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OpenGL 1.5
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Common
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OpenGL 1.5	Common	Common-Lite
<b>PushAttrib</b> (bitfield mask)	–	–
<b>PopAttrib</b> (void)	–	–





State	Exposed	Queryable	Common
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State	Exposed	Queryable	Common Get	Common-Lite Get
LIGHTING			IsEnabled	IsEnabled
COLOR_MATERIAL			Is Enabled	IsEnabled
COLOR_MATERIAL_PARAMETER	–	–	–	–
COLOR_MATERIAL_FACE	–	–	–	



State	Exposed	Queryable	Common Get	Common-Lite Get
TEXTURE_1D	-	-	-	-

State	Exposed	Queryable	
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State	Exposed	Queryable
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State	Exposed	Queryable	Common Get	Common-Lite
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	Exposed	Queryable	Common Get	Common-Lite Get47
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State	Exposed	Queryable	Common Get	Common-Lite Get
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MI NMAX				

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<b>State</b>	
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State	Exposed	Queryable	Common Get	Common-Lite Get
MAX_ATTRI B				

State	Exposed	Queryable	
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State	Exposed	Queryable	Common Get
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## Chapter 7

# Core Additions and Extensions

An OpenGL ES profile consists of two parts: a subset of the full OpenGL pipeline, and some extended functionality that is drawn from a set of OpenGL ES-specific extensions to the full OpenGL specification. Each extension is pruned to match the profile's command subset and added to the profile as either a core addition or a profile extension. Core additions differ from profile extensions in that the commands and tokens do not include extension suffixes in their names.

Profile extensions are further divided into required (mandatory) and optional extensions. Required ex-



<b>Scalex</b> (fi xed x, fi xed y, fi xed z)
<b>Translatex</b> (fi xed x, fi xed y, fi xed z)

## *Core Additions and Extensions*

The vertex arrays will be extended to include a point size array. The point size array can be enabled/disabled via `POINT_SIZE_ARRAY_`

## Chapter 8

# Packaging

Appendix C.4 of the Full Specification, and the Khronos API Implementers Guide referred to from that appendix, describe recommended and required practice for implementing OpenGL ES, including names of header files and libraries making up the implementation, and links to standard versions of the header files





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## Appendix B

# OES Extension Specifications

### B.1 OES\_byte\_coordinates

Name

OES\_byte\_coordinates

Name Strings

GL\_OES\_byte\_coordinates

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Version

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Number

OpenGL ES Extension #4 (formerly OpenGL Extension #291)

Dependencies

OpenGL 1.1 is required.

Overview

This extension allows specifying, additionally to all existing values, byte-valued vertex and texture coordinates to be used.







None



```
GetFixedvOES(enum pname, fixed* params);
```

#### New Tokens

FIXED_OES	0x140C
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Additions to Chapter 2 of the OpenGL 1.3 Specification (OpenGL Operation)

#### Section 2.1.1 Floating-Point Computation

Add the following paragraphs:

On some platforms, floating-point computations are not sufficiently well supported to be used in an OpenGL implementation. On such platforms, fixed-point representations may be a viable substitute for floating-point. Internal computations can use either fixed-point or floating-point arithmetic. Fixed-point computations must be accurate to within  $\pm 2^{-15}$ . The maximum representable magnitude for a fixed-point number used to represent positional or normal



Language binding are part of the language binding definition and may be platform-dependent. Type conversion and type promotion behavior when mixing actual and formal arguments of different data types are specific to the language binding and platform. For example, the C language includes automatic conversion between integer and floating-point data types, but does not include automatic conversion between the `int` and `fixed` or `float` and `fixed GL` types since the `fixed` data type is not a distinct built-in type. Regardless of language binding, the `enum` type converts to `fixed-point` without scaling and integer types are converted by multiplying by  $2^{16}$ .

## Section 2.7 Vertex Specification

Commands are revised to include `'x'` suffix.

## Section 2.8 Vertex Arrays

Table 2.4 Vertex Array Sizes is revised to include the `'fixed'` type for all commands except `EdgeFlagPointer`.

References to Vertex command suffixes are revised to include `'x'`.

## Section 2.9 Rectangles

Revise to include `'x'` suffix.

## Section 2.10 Coordinate Transformations

Revise to include `'x'` suffix. Section 2.10.1 describes `clampx`. Add alternate suffixed versions of `Ortho` and `Frustum`.

## Section 2.11 Clipping

Add alternate suffixed version of `ClipPlane00(to)-600(Vertex)-600(command)-600(suffix)`.

Revise to include `'x'` suffix.

## Section 3.10 and









## B.3 OES\_single\_precision

Name

OES\_single\_precision

Name Strings

GL\_OES\_single\_precision

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Status

Resolved: This might create additional confusion, so it is better to define new commands.

#### New Procedures and Functions

```
void DepthRangeFOES(clampf n, clampf f);
void FrustumFOES(float l, float r, float b, float t, float n, float f);
void OrthoFOES(float l, float r, float b, float t, float n, float f);

void ClipPlaneFOES(enum plane, const float* equation);
void GetClipPlaneFOES(enum plane, float* equation);

void glClearDepthFOES(clampd depth);
```

#### New Tokens

None

#### Additions to Chapter 2 of the OpenGL 1.3 Specification (OpenGL Operation)

##### Section 2.10 Coordinate Transformations

Revise to include 'f' suffix.  
Add alternate suffixed versions of DepthRange (2.10.1).  
Add alternate suffixed versions of Ortho and Frustum (2.10.2).

##### Section 2.11 Clipping

Add alternate suffixed version of ClipPlane.

#### Additions to Chapter 3 of the OpenGL 1.3 Specification (Rasterization)

None

#### Additions to Chapter 4 of the OpenGL 1.3 Specification (Per-Fragment Operations and the Frame Buffer)

##### Section 4.2.3 Clearing the Buffers

Add alternate suffixed version of ClearDepth.

#### Additions to Chapter 5 of the OpenGL 1.3 Specification (Special Functions)

None

#### Additions to Chapter 6 of the OpenGL 1.3 Specification (State and State Requests)

None

#### Additions to Appendix A of the OpenGL 1.3 Specification (Invariance)









## B.4 OES\_read\_format

Name

OES\_read\_format

Name Strings

GL\_OES\_read\_format

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Status

Not a Standard  
Revision 0.2 rati h-32.616T[(Name)]TJ1-23.umatROd[1.9BT0.2 rati h-32.613tName



Additions to Appendix A of the OpenGL 1.3 Specification (Invariance)

None

Additions to the AGL/GLX/WGL Specifications

None

Additions to the WGL Specification

None

Additions to the AGL Specification

None

Additions to Chapter 2 of the GLX 1.3 Specification (GLX Operation)

Additions to Chapter 3 of the GLX 1.3 Specification (Functions and Errors)

Additions to Chapter 4 of the GLX 1.3 Specification (Encoding on the X Byte Stream)

Additions to Chapter 5 of the GLX 1.3 Specification (Extending OpenGL)

Additions to Chapter 6 of the GLX 1.3 Specification (GLX Versions)

GLX Protocol

TBD

Errors

None

New State

None

New Implementation Dependent State

(table 6.28)

Get Value	Type	Get Command	Value	Description	Sec.	Attribute
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## B.5 OES\_query\_matrix

Name

OES\_query\_matrix

Name Strings

New Procedures and Functions



Dependencies on OES\_fixed\_point

OES\_fixed\_point is required for the GL\_fixed definition.

Errors

None

New State

None

New Implementation Dependent State

None

Revision History

Apr 15, 2003	Kari Pulli	Created the document
Jul 08, 2003	David Blythe	Clarified the Dependencies section, Added extension number
Jul 12, 2003	David Blythe	Add GLX protocol note

## B.6 OES\_compressed\_paletted\_texture

Name

OES\_compressed\_paletted\_texture

Name Strings

GL\_OES\_compressed\_paletted\_texture

Contact







Additions to Chapter 5 of the OpenGL 1.3 Specification (Special Functions)

None

Additions to Chapter 6 of the OpenGL 1.3 Specification (State and State Requests)

None

Additions to Appendix A of the OpenGL 1.3 Specification (Invariance)

Additions to the AGL/GLX/WGL Specification

None

GLX Protocol

None

Errors

INVALID\_OPERATION is generated by TexImage2D, CompressedTexSubImage2D, and TexImage3D [TJO-11.955] CopyError

INVALID\_OPERATION is generated by TexImage2D, CompressedTexSubImage2D, and TexImage3D [TJO-11.955]

format tokens to match scheme used for other internal formats.

07/08/2003      0.3      (David Blythe)

- Add official enumerant values and extension number.

07/09/2003      0.4      (David Blythe)

- Note that [NUM\_]COMPRESSED\_TEXTURE\_FORMAT queries include the new formats.

07/21/2004      0.5      (Aaftab Munshi)

- Fixed PALETTE\_8xxx drawing

11/12/2005      0.6      (Aaftab Munshi)

- Corrections

## B.7 OES\_matrix\_palette

### Name

OES\_matrix\_palette

### Name Strings

GL\_OES\_matrix\_palette

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### Version

### Number

OpenGL ES Extension #12

### Dependencies

OpenGL ES 1.0 is required.

### Overview

This extension adds the ability to support vertex skinning in OpenGL ES. A simplified version of the ARB\_matrix\_palette extension is used to define OES\_matrix\_palette extension.

This extension allow OpenGL ES to support a palette of matrices. The matrix palette defines a set of matrices that can be used to transform a vertex. The matrix palette is not part of the model view matrix stack and is enabled by setting the MATRIX\_MODE to MATRIX\_PALETTE\_OES.

The  $n$  vertex units use a palette of  $m$  model view matrices (where  $n$  and  $m$  are constrained to implementation defined maxima.) Each vertex has a set of  $n$  indices into the palette, and a corresponding set of  $n$  weights. Matrix indices and weights can be changed for each vertex.

When this extension is utilized, the enabled units transform each vertex by the model view matrices specified by the vertices' respective indices. These results are subsequently scaled by the weights of the respective units and then summed to create the eyespace vertex.

A similar procedure is followed for normals. Normals, however,







Additions to Chapter 2 of the OpenGL ES 1.0 Specification

- Added to section 2.8

```
void WeightPointerOES(int size, enum type, sizei stride, void *pointer);
```

```
void MatrixIndexPointerOES(int size, enum type, sizei stride, void *pointer);
```

WeightPointerOES & MatrixIndexPointerOES are used to describe the weights and matrix indices used to blend corresponding matrices for a given vertex.

For implementations supporting matrix palette, note that <size> values for WeightPointerOES & MatrixIndexPointerOES must be less than or equal to the implementation defined value MAX\_VERTEX\_UNIFORMS\_OES.

- Added to table in section 2.8

Command	Sizes	Types
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WeightPointerOES	1..MAX_VERTEX_UNIFORMS_OES	fixed, float
MatrixIndexPointerOES	1..MAX_VERTEX_UNIFORMS_OES	ubyte





Get Value	Type	Get Command	Initial Value	Description
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MATRIX_INDEX_ARRAY_OES	B	IsEnabled	False	matrix index array enable
MATRIX_INDEX_ARRAY_SIZE_OES	Z+	GetIntegerv	0	matrix indices per vertex
MATRIX_INDEX_ARRAY_TYPE_OES	Z+	GetIntegerv	UBYTE	type of matrix index data
MATRIX_INDEX_ARRAY_STRIDE_OES	Z+	GetIntegerv	0	stride between matrix indices
MATRIX_INDEX_ARRAY_POINTER_OES	Y	GetPointerv	0	pointer to matrix index array
WEIGHT_ARRAY_OES	B	IsEnabled	False	weight array enable
WEIGHT_ARRAY_SIZE_OES	Z+	GetIntegerv	0	weights per vertex
WEIGHT_ARRAY_TYPE_OES	Z2	GetIntegerv	FLOAT	type of weight data
WEIGHT_ARRAY_STRIDE_OES	Z+	GetIntegerv	0	stride between weights per vertex



## B.8 OES\_point\_







per-fragment clipping operations (scissoring, window ownership test) still apply.

#### New Procedures and Functions

None

#### New Tokens

Accepted by the <cap> parameter of Enable, Disable, and by the <target> parameter of TexEnvf, TexEnvfv, TexEnvx, TexEnvxv:

POINT_SPRITE_OES	0x8861
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When the <target> parameter of TexEnvf, TexEnvfv, TexEnvx, TexEnvxv, is POINT\_SPRITE\_OES, then the value of <pname> may be:

COORD_REPLACE_OES	0x8862
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When the <target> and <pname> parameters of TexEnvf, TexEnvfv, TexEnvx, TexEnvxv, are POINT\_SPRITE\_OES and COORD\_REPLACE\_OES

Replace the first two sentences of the second paragraph of section 3.3.1 (page 67) with the following:

three floating-point values specifying the distance attenuation coefficients, a bit indicating whether or not antialiasing is enabled, a bit indicating whether or not point sprites are enabled,





## Issues

## New Procedures and Functions

```
void PointSizePointerOES(enum type, sizei stride, const void *ptr )
```

valid values of type are GL\_FIXED and GL\_FLOAT  
the <size> parameter is removed since <size> is always 1

## New Tokens

Accepted by the <cap> parameters of EnableClientState/DisableClientState  
and by the <pname> parameter of IsEnabled:

```
POINT_SIZE_ARRAY_OES          0x8B9C
```

Accepted by the <pname> parameter of GetInterv:

```
POINT_SIZE_ARRAY_TYPE_OES      0x898A
POINT_SIZE_ARRAY_STRIDE_OES     0x898B
POINT_SIZE_ARRAY_BUFFER_BINDING_OES 0x8B9F
```

Accepted by the <pname> parameter of GetPointerv:

```
POINT_SIZE_ARRAY_POINTER_OES   0x898C
```

## Additions to Chapter 2 of the OpenGL 1.5 specification

- section 2.8, added the following

```
void PointSizePointerOES(enum type, sizei stride, const void *ptr);
```

PointSizePointerOES is used to describe the point size for a given vertex

- Added to table 2.4

Command	Sizes	Types
-----	-----	-----
PointSizePointerOES	1	float, fixed

- (section 2.8), added the following  
Extend the cap flags passed to EnableClientState/DisableClientState  
to include POINT\_SIZE\_ARRAY\_OES

If point size array is enabled but the point size vertex pointers are invalid,  
then DrawArrays and DrawElements will not render the point primitive.

## Errors

None.









## New State

Get Value -----	Type ----	Command -----	Value -----
MODELVIEW_MATRIX_FLOAT_AS_INT_BITS_OES	4* x 4* x Z	GetIntegerv	0
PROJECTION_MATRIX_FLOAT_AS_INT_BITS_OES	4* x 4* x Z	GetIntegerv	0
TEXTURE_MATRIX_FLOAT_AS_INT_BITS_OES	4* x 4* x Z	GetIntegerv	0

## Revision History

June 30, 2004	Aaftab Munshi	Initial version of document
July 16, 2004	Aaftab Munshi	Removed the description of NaN & denorms

## B.11 OES\_draw\_texture

### Name

OES\_draw\_texture

### Name Strings

GL\_OES\_draw\_texture

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### Status

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### Version

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Author Revision 0.96

### Number

OpenGL ES Extension #7

### Dependencies

OES\_fixed\_point is required.  
EXT\_fog\_coord affects the definition of this extension.  
This extension is written against the OpenGL 1.3 and  
OpenGL ES 1.0 Specifications.

### Overview

This extension defines a mechanism for writing pixel rectangles from one or more textures to a rectangular region of the screen. This capability is useful for fast rendering of background paintings, bitmapped font glyphs, and 2D framing elements in games. This



any portion of a sprite that lies within the viewing frustrum. (There is a well-known work-around for this, but it's ugly.)





- (16) Should we have a single global crop rect, or one per texture unit?

RESOLVED. Neither. We should have one per texture, with TexParameter setting the rect for the currently active texture. It isn't a lot of state, it attaches the rect to a specific texture (which makes sense) rather than a texture unit (which doesn't), it is more orthogonal, and it allows tex coords to be meaningful (if not actually useful) when multiple texture units are enabled.

- (17) Should the destination rectangle specified by DrawTex\*() be defined as integer only like the crop rectangle, or should its p0(TexPared)-600be defined as real-valued 0-23.91Td[ (RESOLVED)



Xs and Ys are given directly in window (viewport) coordinates. Zs is mapped to window depth Zw as follows:

$$Z_w = \begin{cases} n, & \text{if } z \leq 0 \\ f, & \text{if } z \geq 1 \\ n + z * (f - n), & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

where <n> and <f> are the near and far values of DEPTH\_RANGE. Ws and Hs specify the width and height of





optional profile extensions.

Additions to Chapter 7 of the OpenGL ES 1.0 Specification  
(Core Additions and Extensions):

At the end of Table 7.1: OES Extension Disposition, add a new entry:

Extension Name	Common	Common-Lite
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OES_draw_texture	optional extension	optional extension

After section 7.6, Query Matrix, insert

7.7 Draw Texture

The optional OES\_draw\_texture extension allows rectangular subregions of a texture to be written to the screen using the fragment pipeline. Texture coordinates are generated for each fragment in the destination rectangle, such that texels in the source texture are mapped linearly to pixels on the screen.

GLX Protocol

None

Errors

None

Dependencies on OES\_fixed\_point

The DrawTex{si fx}[v]() function makes use of the 'x'



texture state (set by TexParameter) rather than by