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VECTOR VX1000 DaVinci Integration



Specifications

Product Name: VX1000 DaVinci Integration

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Overview VX1000 DaVinci Integration

The VX1000 provides powerful measurement and calibration access to the microcontroller via debug interfaces. For maximum flexibility and optimal measurement results, the VX1000 Application Driver must be integrated into the ECU software. The VX1000 Application Driver is a Complex Device Driver in the AUTOSAR stack. AUTOSAR modules are typically configured using dedicated AUTOSAR configuration tools such as DaVinci Configurator. This application note shall provide the essential information for integrating the VX1000 Application Driver into the ECU Software with the help of DaVinci.

The VX1000 Application Driver configuration with the DaVinci Configurator is optional and allows an easy-to-use configuration of the Application Driver in an AUTOSAR project. If DaVinci is not used within the project, the C4VX1000 Application Driver can easily be configured by directly modifying its _cfg.h files. For the latter, please see the Getting Started Application Notes that are delivered with the VX1000 Application Driver.

Installation of the VX1000 Application Driver

2.1 Getting the VX1000 Application Driver

The VX1000 Application Driver can be downloaded via

https://www.vector.com/VX1000If-VX1000AppDriver.

Please note the Product-Specific Special Terms for VX1000lf and the VX1000 AppDriver, clearly highlighted on the website or within the driver package.

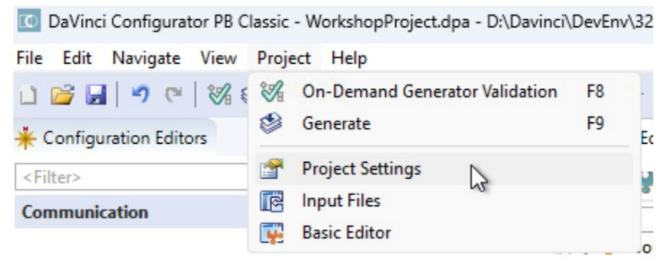
Installation in the Software Integration Package

After installation, the installation folder contains two folders.s

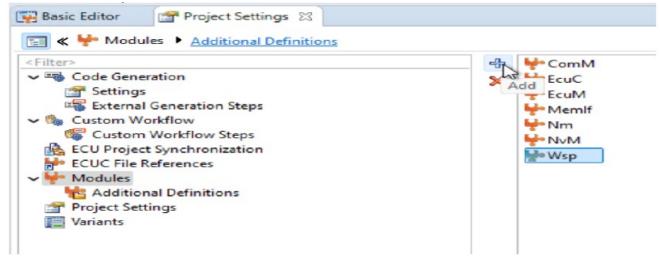


The folder "MSR_Components" is structured to allow seamless copying into the Software Integration Package (SIP) without requiring modifications.

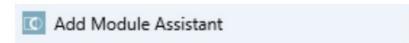
- Ensure that you Davinci software is closed.
- Copy \$Install-Directory/MSR_Components/VX1000 to \$SIPLocation/Components/VX1000
- Open DaVinci
- Open the project settings



Select "Modules "and press Add

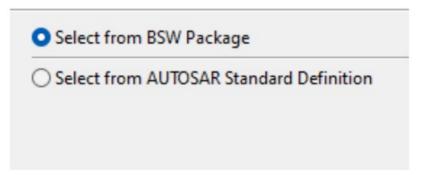


Use "Select from BSW package"

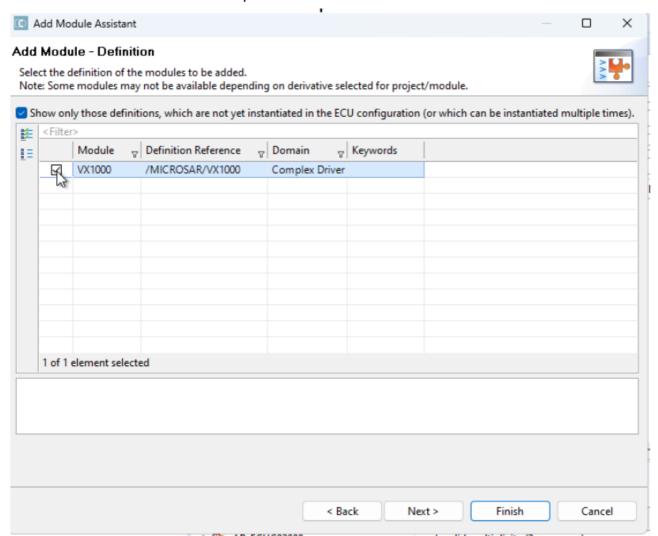


Add Module - Source

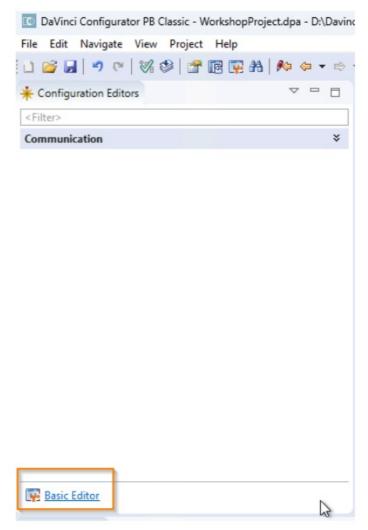
Select the source of the module definitions.



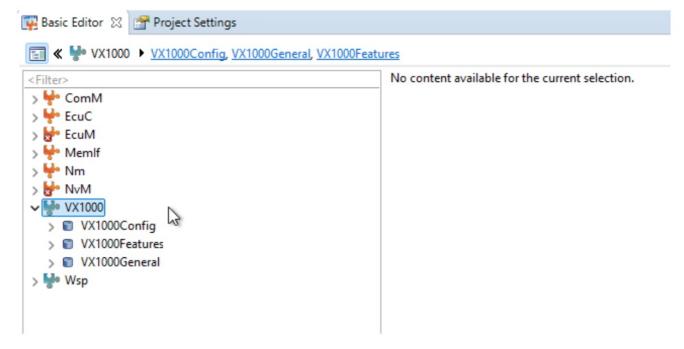
• Select the VX1000 Module and press "Finish"



Switch to the Basic Editor.



• Now, the VX1000 Module can be configured like other AUTOSAR modules



Modifications of the build process

To add the VX1000 Application Driver to the build process, the file \$(Project)\Appl\Makefile.project.part.Definitions must be modified. Add these lines at the end of the file

```
# additional includes for VX1000 driver

ADDITIONAL_INCLUDES += $(ROOT) \Components\VX1000\Implementation

ADDITIONAL_INCLUDES += $(ROOT) \Components\VX1000If\Implementation

# vx1000 driver source files

APP_SOURCE_LST += $(ROOT) \Components\VX1000\Implementation\VX1000.c

APP_SOURCE_LST += $(ROOT) \Components\VX1000If\Implementation\VX1000If.c
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additional includes for VX1000 driver

ADDITIONAL_INCLUDES += \$(ROOT)\Components\VX1000\Implementation

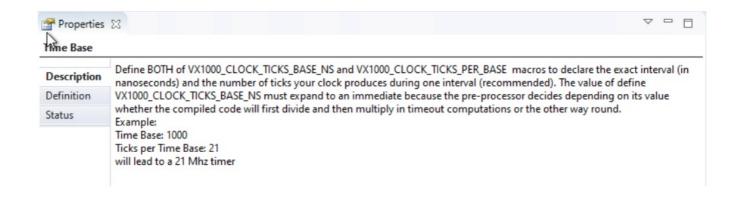
ADDITIONAL_INCLUDES += \$(ROOT)\Components\VX1000If\Implementation

vx1000 driver source files

 $APP_SOURCE_LST += \$(ROOT)\Components\VX1000\Implementation\VX1000.c$ $APP_SOURCE_LST += \$(ROOT)\Components\VX1000\If\Implementation\VX1000\If.c$

VX1000 Application Driver configuration

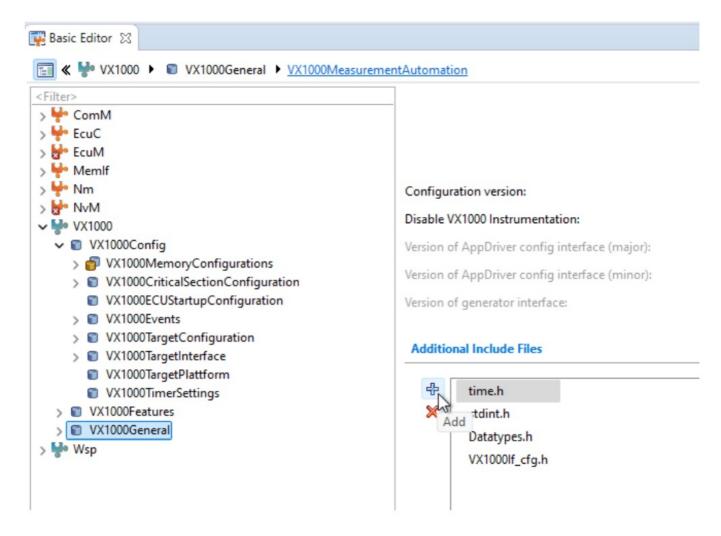
The module configuration contains several configuration options. A functional description is provided for each parameter.



The most important steps are described in the later sections of this Application Note. For advanced features, please refer to the corresponding Application Notes or Getting Started Manuals.

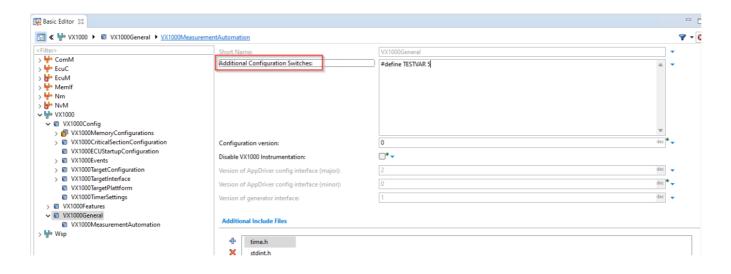
Additional Include Files

If you require additional header files for your implementation, you can add these easily.



Additional Code includes

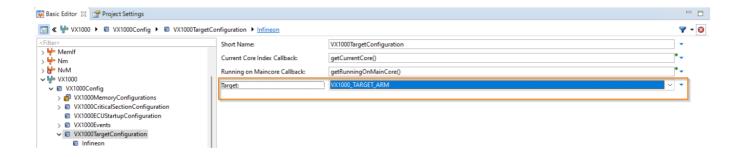
If some additional code blocks are required for the configuration, these can be added within "Additional Configuration Switches". This block will be copied without modification to the generated file.



Target controller configuration

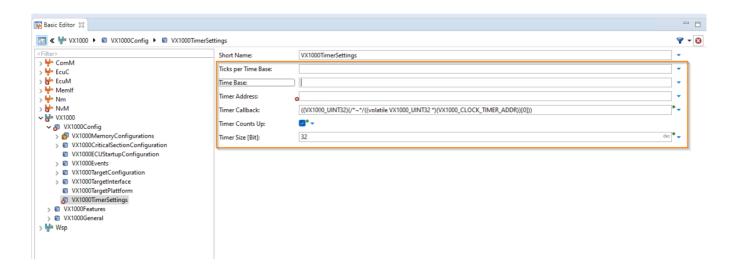
The VX1000 supports many different target controller families and architectures. The correct target can be configured through

VX1000/VX1000Config/VX1000TargetConfiguration[VX1000_TARGET]



Timer configuration

Each time a measurement event is triggered, the VX1000 Application Driver captures a timestamp. The timestamp source must be explicitly configured:



Time Base + Ticks per Time Base

For the tool to correctly interpret the timestamps, the timestamp resolution must be declared. For this, the characteristics of the timer counter must be specified as a time base in decades of nanoseconds and the ticks per time base. The latter is the counter increment within the time base period.

• Example:

Time Base: 1000

Ticks per Time Base: 21

Specifies a counter incrementing at a rate of 21 MHz (21 ticks per 1000 ns)

Timer Address:

The address of the counter register of the used timer.

Timer Callback:

This callback is executed whenever the VX1000 AppDriver needs to capture a

timestamp. In most cases, the default configuration is sufficient and does not require modification.

• Timer Counts Up:

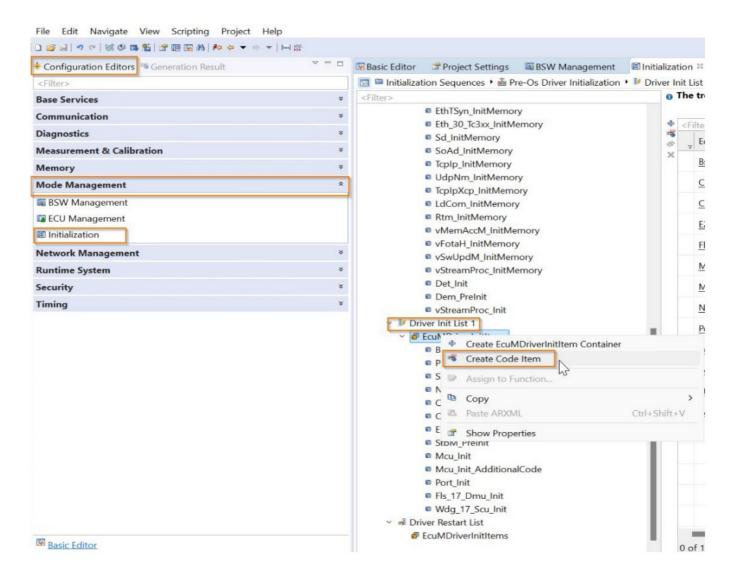
 Specifies whether the counter is an up-counter or a down-counter. In most cases, up-counters are used.

• Timer Size [Bit]:

 Size in bytes of the timer counter, which is used for timestamping. Supported timer counter widths are 16-bit, 24-bit or 32-bit. In most cases, 32-bit counters are used.

Startup configuration

For the correct startup configuration, the Mode Management Initialisation must be modified. Right-click on "Driver Init List 1" and select "Create Code Item" for the initialisation functions in the next sections.



/Initialisation Sequences/Pre-Os Driver Initialisation/Driver Init List 1/EcuMDriverInitItems /VX1000If_InitAsyncStart Select "Create Code Item" for the function VX1000If_InitAsyncStart()

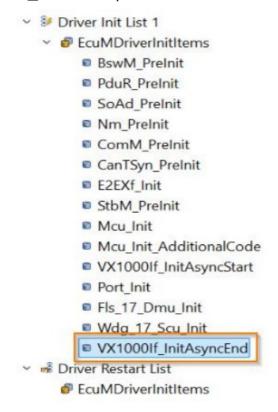
Name:	VX1000IfAsyncEnd
Header:	VX1000lf.h
Code:	VX1000If_InitAsyncEnd();

Name: VX1000If_InitAsyncStart

Header: VX1000lf.h

Code: VX1000If InitAsyncStart();

Move the code after the MCU_Init init steps.



Memory allocation

The VX1000 communicates with the VX1000 Application Driver via a shared memory structure. Adjusting the address of this communication structure in the VX1000 configuration is error-prone when switching between different ECU Software Versions. By pinning the structure to a fixed address, the workflow becomes both simpler and faster. To do so, the vLinkGen module can be used to put the variable into a linker section at a fixed address.

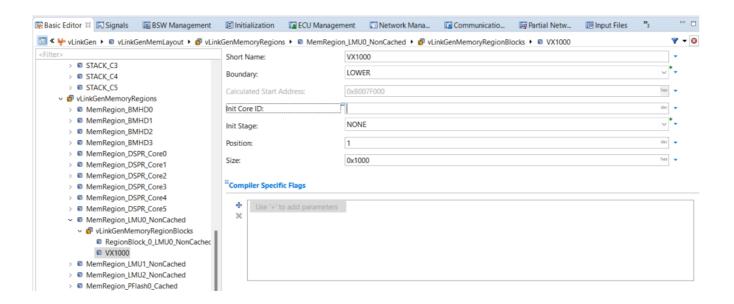
Configuration of vLinkGen

LinkGenMemoryRegion

Create a VX1000 container in the appropriate vLinkGenMemoryRegions, like the LMU0 memory. The memory must be uncached. Its required size depends on the expected extent of the DAQ configurations. The parameter

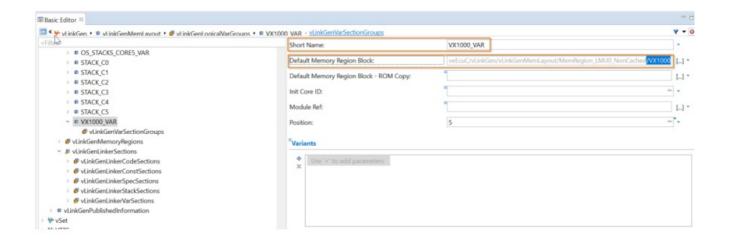
/VX1000/VX1000Config/VX1000MemoryConfiguration/VX1000OldaMemory/VX1000_OL DA_MEMORY_SIZE should be taken into consideration.

Treepath: /vLinkGen/vLinkGenMemLayout/vLinkGenMemoryRegions



Create vLinkGenLogicalVarGroups Container VX1000_VA.R

Create a VX1000_VAR container in vLinkGenLogicalVarGroups container with reference "Default Memory Region Block" to the container from step 1. Treepath /vLinkGen/vLinkGenMemLayout/vLinkGenLogicalVarGroups/VX1000_VARCreate

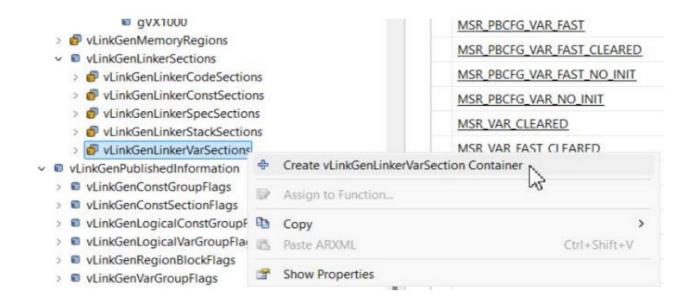


Create vLinkGenLinkerVarSection

For assigning the VX1000 Variables to a memory section, vLinkGenLinkerVarSections

must be created:

/vLinkGen/vLinkGenMemLayout/vLinkGenLinkerSections/vLinkGenLinkerVarSections
Right click on vLinkGenLinkerVarSections and press "Create vLinkGenLinkerVarSection
Container" for each of the following Linker Sections



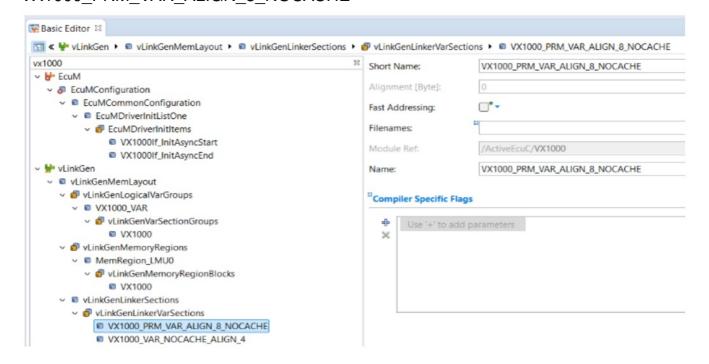
Create vLinkGenLinkerVarSection VX1000 PRM VAR ALIGN 8 NOCACHE

Create a new vLinkGenLinkerVarSection with name

VX1000 PRM VAR ALIGN 8 NOCACHE. Select

VX1000_PRM_VAR_ALIGN_8_NOCACHE as Name and Short Name

/vLinkGen/vLinkGenMemLayout/vLinkGenLinkerSections/vLinkGenLinkerVarSections/ VX1000 PRM VAR ALIGN 8 NOCACHE

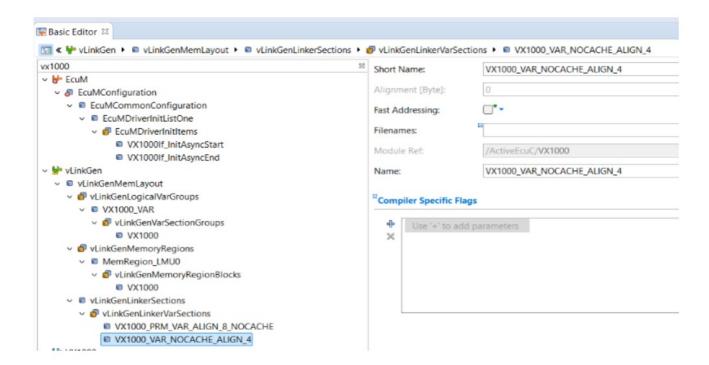


Create a vLinkGenLinkerVarSection VX1000 VAR NOCACHE ALIGN 4.

/vLinkGen/vLinkGenMemLayout/vLinkGenLinkerSections/vLinkGenLinkerVarSections/ VX1000 VAR NOCACHE ALIGN 4

Create a new vLinkGenLinkerVarSection with name

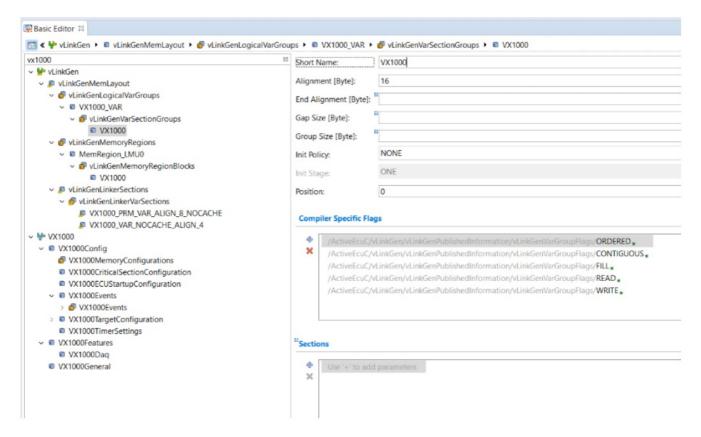
VX1000_VAR_NOCACHE_ALIGN_4. Select VX1000_VAR_NOCACHE_ALIGN_4 as name and Short Name.



Create vLinkGenVarSectionGroup Container VX1000

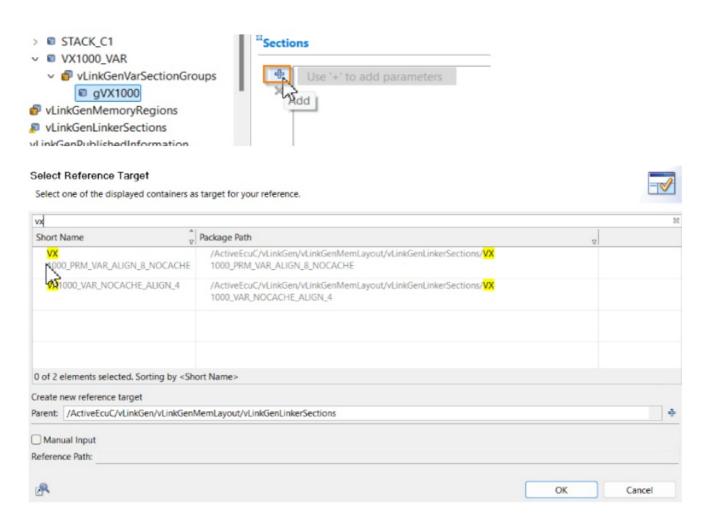
Create a vLinkGenVarSectionGroup Container

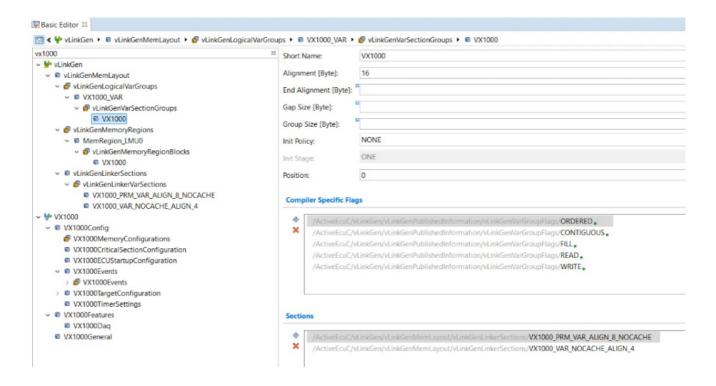
/vLinkGen/vLinkGenMemLayout/vLinkGenLogicalVarGroups/VX1000_VAR/vLinkGenVar SectionGroups /VX1000



Add the Linker Section Groups

VX1000_PRM_VAR_ALIGN_8_NOCACHE, VX1000_VAR_NOCACHE_ALIGN_4,





After you have generated your project ...

The compiler/link should look like this (.Appl\Source vLinkGen_Template.lsl)



the compiler/link should look like this (.\Appl\Source\ vLinkGen_Template.lsl)

```
286
        group VX1000 VAR GROUP (ordered, contiguous, fill, run addr = mem:mpe:VX1000)
287
          group VX1000 (ordered, contiguous, fill, align = 16)
288
289
290
            section "VX1000_SEC" (blocksize = 2, attributes = rw)
292
              select "[.]bss.VX1000 PRM VAR ALIGN 8 NOCACHE";
              select "[.]bss.VX1000_VAR_NOCACHE_ALIGN_4";
293
294
            }
295
296
          " VX1000 START" = " lc gb VX1000";
          "_VX1000_END" = ("_lc_ge_VX1000" == 0) ? 0 : "_lc_ge_VX1000" - 1;
297
          "_VX1000_LIMIT" = "_lc_ge_VX1000";
298
299
          " VX1000 VAR ALL START" = " VX1000 START";
           VX1000 VAR ALL END" = " VX1000 END";
           VX1000 VAR ALL LIMIT" = " VX1000 LIMIT";
```

After compiling the application with b.bat in the .\Appl directory, the gVX1000 structure should be put in the memory region defined in 5.6.1.1 Overview VX1000 DaVinci Integration. You can double-check this in the map file.

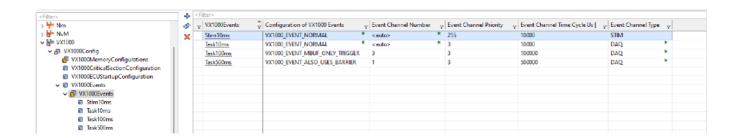
```
70103 | 0xb0041000 | _lc_gb_vX1000_vAR_GROUP

70104 | 0xb0041000 | gvX1000

70105 | 0xb004150c | vx1000_DetectStartTime
```

DAQ Event configuration

The VX1000 provides the possibility to configure DAQ events and to set various attributes of these events. A detailed configuration is only needed for special features like Multibuffer OLDA or In-Place OLDA. For plain OLDA or Data Trace-based measurement, nothing must be configured, and this chapter can be skipped.



 Configuration of VX1000 DAQ Events: This is the measurement type and how the event is instrumented within the ECU software.

For In-Place OLDA Events, besides triggering the event, the

VX1000If_EventProcessingBarrier must be called in a defined sequence. To indicate this special type of code instrumentation, such events need to be configured as VX1000 EVENT ALSO USES BARRIER.

Events that have a very short cycle time < 1ms should be marked as VX1000_EVENT_MBUF_ONLY_TRIGGER.

This annotation given by the ECU software is just a hint for the VX1000. In the VX1000, there are also configuration options to override these settings.

Event Channel Number:

This is the XCP DAQ event channel number that must be used by the measurement tool for this event channel. For <auto>, the numbers are calculated on demand and can be accessed via VX1000_EVTCH_\$(Eventname) (with Eventname in uppercase letters).

• Event Channel Priority:

The EVENT_CHANNEL_PRIORITY defines the processing order of this event channel by the VX1000 when multiple channels are triggered at the same time.

• Event Channel Time Cycle [us]:

The EVENT_CHANNEL_TIME_CYCLE indicates the period for cyclic events,

specifying how frequently this event channel is triggered. This is useful information for the VX1000 and for the measurement tool. A non-cyclic task is indicated by 0.

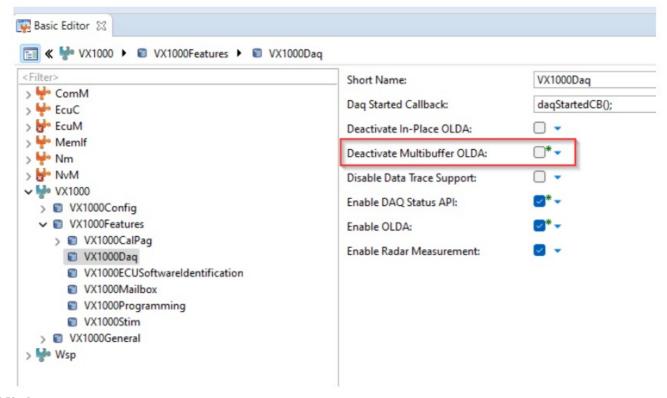
• Event Channel Type:

Describes the type of event channel. DAQ is for Synchronous Data Acquisition and is used for measuring ECU data. STIM is for Synchronous Data Stimulation and is used for sending data to the ECU, like for functional bypassing use cases. DAQ_STIM events can be used for either DAQ or STIM.

Feature configuration

Short cycle times

Projects that must acquire data at very short cycle times of <1ms should ensure that Multibuffer OLDA is activated. Als,o ensure that the fast event channels are correctly configured (see 5.7 DAQ Event configuration).



Minimum system

If running on a device with very limited hardware resources, the VX1000 Application Driver can be configured to have a minimal RAM and runtime footprint. Start with an empty configuration, then ...

Check: Deactivate In-Place OLDA

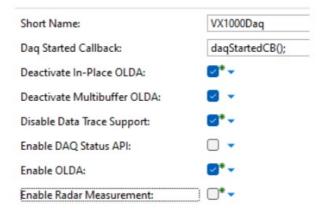
Check: Deactivate Multibuffer OLDA

Check: Disable Data Trace Support

• Uncheck: Enable DAQ Status API

Check: Enable OLDA

Uncheck: Enable Radar Measurement



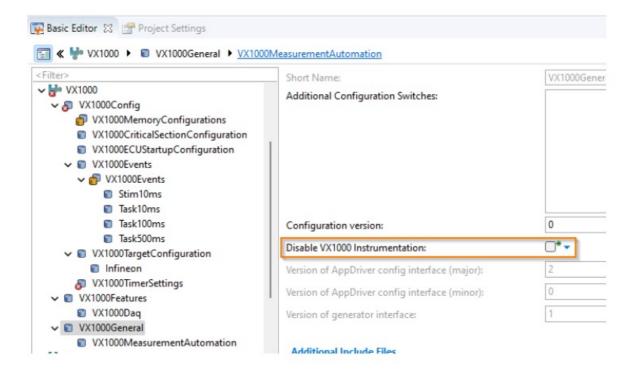
Disable VX1000 Application Driver

The VX1000 Application Driver provides configuration switches to remove nearly the complete driver from

code. Afterwards, the VX1000 measurement features are not available anymore. The driver can be easily reactivated later with all settings preserved.

Parameter:

/ActiveEcuC/VX1000/VX1000General[VX1000 DISABLE INSTRUMENTATION]



Please make sure to carefully read the VX1000lf Technical Documentation and ensure that VX1000lf IsVX1000DriverAccessEnabled is correctly defined.

Additional Resources

TechnicalReference_VX1000.pdf: Technical Reference for the VX1000 Application Driver

TechnicalReference_VX1000lf.pdf: Technical Reference for the VX1000 Interface

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FAQs

Where can I download the VX1000 Application Driver?

The VX1000 Application Driver can be downloaded from here.

How do I add the VX1000 Application Driver to the build process?

Modify the file \$(Project)ApplMakefile.project.part.defines by adding the specified lines at the end of the file.

Documents / Resources



<u>VECTOR VX1000 DaVinci Integration</u> [pdf] Instruction Manual VX1000 DaVinci Integration, VX1000, DaVinci Integration, Integration

References

- User Manual
 - DaVinci Integration, Integration, Vector, VX1000, VX1000 DaVinci
- VECTOR Integration

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