

MR Reader SDK Development Guide

MR Reader SDK is a software development kit that use for user develop application program. SDK provide to user in dynamic-link library document form.

When user using MR reader to develop their own application development platform, user will be able to complete their application development in high efficiently and correctly based on MR SDK. SDK support Visual C++、VB、C++ Builder and Delphi different language development. Demo program source code of VC++ version is available now, please contact with our engineer if have any needs.

SDK development guide is a reference manual for user secondary development. After review this manual, user will be able to solve their problem in fast way during their development.

According to functions performance, the SDK function can be apart in four segments: reader management functions、ISO18000-6B tag operation functions、EPC GEN2 tag operation functions and tag data management functions.

Remark: In this development guide, there is only once description for case of different functions but same parameter.

1 Read/write device management functions

1.1 CommOpen

| Functions Description | apiStatus DrfCommOpen (HANDLE * hCom, char *com_port) |
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| Function | Open PC COMM port |
| Parameter | Com port: name hCom: COMM port handle pointer |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | Open COMM Port 1 if(Comm Open(&ComHandle,"COM1") == 0) { } |

1.2 CommClose

| Functions Description | apiStatus CommClose (HANDLE hCom) |
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| Function | Close PC COMM Port |
| Parameter | hCom: COMM Handle |
| Return Value | Success return 0, Fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

1.3 SetBaudRate

| Functions Description | apiStatus SetBaudRate(HANDLE hCom, USHORT BaudRate, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
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| Function | Set reader's baud rate |
| Parameter | Baud Rate: Baud rate code. 0~4 separate symbolizes 9600、19200、38400、57600 and115200 Reader Address: use for fixed reader RS485, Default 0XFF (handheld reader and module is invalid parameter) |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

1.4 Reset

| Functions Description | apiStatus Reset (HANDLE hCom, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
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| Function | Reader reset |
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| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

1.5 GetFirmwareVersion

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| Functions | apiStatus GetFirmwareVersion (HANDLE hCom, unsigned char *major,unsigned char *minor, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Description | |
| Function | Read the reader's firmware version number |
| Parameter | major: major version information pointer Minor: minor version information pointer |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | To read and output firmware version number if(GetFirmwareVersion(ComHandle,&ver1,&ver2,0xff) == 0) printf("Firmware Version is:%d.%d",ver1,ver2); |

1.6 SetRf

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| Functions | apiStatus SetRf(HANDLE hCom,unsigned char power,unsigned char freq_type,unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Description | |
| Function | Set reader's power and frequency parameter |
| Parameter | Power value: dereference 0~30, corresponding 0~30dBm. Frequency type: dereference 0 as China standard (920M~925M) , dereference 1 as America standard (902M~928M) others are special type (i.e. 868M), refer to special specification |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | Set reader as America frequency, power configure as 0.5W (27dBm) SetRf(ComHandle,27,1,0xff); |

1.7 GetRf

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| Functions | apiStatus GetRf(HANDLE hCom,unsigned char * power,unsigned char *freq_type,unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Description | |
| Function | Read the reader's current RF parameter |
| Parameter | Power: Power value pointer Frequency type: Frequency type pointer |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

2 ISO18000-6B Tag Operation Functions

2.1 IsoMultiTagIdentify

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| Functions | apiStatus IsoMultiTagIdentify(HANDLE hCom, unsigned int * Count,TagIds |
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| Description | *value, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Function | ISO18000-6B multi-tag identification contains repeat data filtration. Please use ClearIDBuffer functions to clearing reader's internal buffer before restart new operation of multi-tag identification. |
| Parameter | Count: Tags quantity that being read this time, value: Tags data that being read. Saved as TagIds structure. TagIds structure: Total 14 byte, the 1 st byte is tags type (ISO18000-6B tag is 1, EPC GEN2 is 4) the 2 nd byte is antenna port (specific to multi-port reader). The last 12 byte is the data of tag, UID of ISO18000-6B should be front 8 byte. |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | <pre> Start multi-tag identify ClearIDBuffer (ComHandle,0xff) ; While(non-stop event) { if(IsoMultiTagIdentify (ComHandle, &Cnt,TagData,0Xff) ==0) { for(i = 0; i < Cnt; i++) OutputDate(TagData[i]); } } </pre> |

2.2 IsoMultiTagRead

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| Functions | apiStatus IsoMultiTagRead(HANDLE hCom, unsigned char |
| Description | iRomAddr,unsigned int * Count,TagIds *value, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Function | ISO18000-6B multi-tag reading: it's able to read the front 8 byte data of random address started. |
| Parameter | iRomAddr: read the tags start address, Count: tags quantity being read this time; value: the tag data being read, saved as TagIds structure |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

2.3 IsoWriteTag

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| Functions | apiStatus IsoWriteTag(HANDLE hCom ,unsigned char iRomAddr,unsigned |
| Description | char value, unsigned char ReaderAddr); |
| Function | ISO18000-6B tag's write: one time write one byte data |
| Parameter | iRomAddr: Tags store address to be written. Value: data to be written. |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | <pre> Write 0xAA in tag address 20 if(IsoWriteTag(ComHandle,20,0xAA,0Xff) == 0) printf("write success"); else printf("write failed"); </pre> |

2.4 IsoReadWithID

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| Functions Description | apiStatus IsoReadWithID(HANDLE hCom, unsigned char* TagID, unsigned char iRomAddr, unsigned char *AntNum, unsigned char* value, unsigned char ReaderAddr); |
| Function | Read tag data that specified ID. Read the specified address started 8 byte data of each reading. |
| Parameter | TagID: 8 byte UID; iRomAddr, read first address; AntNum, read the tag serial number. Value, read the tag data |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

2.5 IsoWriteWithID

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| Functions Description | apiStatus IsoWriteWithID(HANDLE hCom, unsigned char* TagID, unsigned char iRomAddr, unsigned char value, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Function | Write the data to specified ID tag. |
| Parameter | Tag ID: 8 byte UID; iRomAddr, write address; value: write data |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | Write 0xAA to specified tag address 30 unsigned char Id[8] = {0xE0,0x04,0x00,0x00,0xB5,0x73,0x8C,0x01} if(IsoWriteWithID (ComHandle, Id,30,0xAA,0Xff) == 0) printf("write success"); else printf("write fail"); |

2.6 IsoLockTag

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| Functions Description | apiStatus IsoLockTag(HANDLE hCom ,unsigned char iRomAddr, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Function | To write and lock to the specified tag address, this address can't be unlock after lock. |
| Parameter | iRomAddr, tag address to be write and lock |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

2.7 IsoQueryLock

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| Functions Description | apiStatus IsoQueryLock(HANDLE hCom, unsigned char iRomAddr, unsigned char *status, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Function | Inquiry specified address locked or not |
| Parameter | iRomAddr: inquiry address, status, return status, 0 is un-lock, 1 is locked |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

2.8 IsoBlockWrite

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| Functions Description | apiStatus IsoBlockWrite(HANDLE hCom, unsigned char iRomAddr, unsigned char length, unsigned char* value, unsigned char ReaderAddr); |
| Function | Write 4 byte content to specified address continuously |
| Parameter | iRomAddr, write address, only the multiple of 4, Value:write data, 4 byte |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

3 EPC GEN2 Tag Operation Functions

3.1 Gen2MultiTagIdentify

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|--------------------------|---|
| Functions Description | apiStatus Gen2MultiTagIdentify(HANDLE hCom, unsigned int * Count,TagIds *value, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Function | EPC GEN2 multi-tag Identification contains repeat data filtration. |
| Parameter | Count: tag quantity being identified this time; value: tag data |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | Refer to IsoMultiTagIdentify application example |

3.2 Gen2WriteEPC

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| Functions Description | apiStatus Gen2WriteEPC(HANDLE hCom ,unsigned char WordPtr,unsigned int value, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Function | EPC GEN2 tag: EPC write data, write 1 word (2byte) data on each time. |
| Input parameter | WordPtr, write word serial number. Value: write content. |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | Write 0x55AA to EPC 4 byte. if(Gen2WriteEPC (ComHandle,4,0x55AA,0Xff) == 0) printf("write suces"); else printf("write fail"); |

3.3 Gen2LockTag

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| Functions Description | apiStatus Gen2LockTag(HANDLE hCom,unsigned char MemBank = 1, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Function | Write and lock operation to EPC tag, write and lock one area each time. |
| Input parameter | MemBank area of write and lock, 0 is reservation, 1 is EPC, 2 is TID, 3 is user area |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

3.4 Gen2KillTag

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| Functions Description | apiStatus Gen2KillTag(HANDLE hCom ,unsigned int PassWord, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Function | EPC GEN2 Tag's Kill |
| Input parameter | PassWord,32 bit kill password, the tag can't be kill if the tag password is 0 |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

3.5 Gen2InitEPC

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| Functions Description | apiStatus Gen2InitEPC(HANDLE hCom, unsigned char WordCount = 6, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Function | EPC tag length initialized, Normally, Initialized is 96 bit (6 word) |
| Input parameter | WordCount, initialized number(1 word is 2 byte) |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | Initialized is 96 bit: Gen2InitEPC (ComHandle,6,0Xff) ; |

3.6 Gen2Read

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| Functions Description | apiStatus Gen2Read(HANDLE hCom,unsigned char Membank,unsigned char WordPtr,unsigned char WordCnt, unsigned char *value, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Function | EPC tag's reading |
| Input parameter | Membank: read area; WordCnt: read wordcount; alue:read data |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | Read 4 byte TID of tag <pre> unsigned char value[4]; if(Gen2Read(ComHandle,2,2,&value,0xff) == 0) { Printf("TID:%x%x%x%x",value[0],value[1],value[2],value[3]); } </pre> |

3.7 Gen2Write

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|-----------------------|---|
| Functions Description | apiStatus Gen2Write(HANDLE hCom ,unsigned char Membank,unsigned char WordPtr,unsigned int value, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Function | EPC GEN2 tag single word write |
| Input parameter | Membank: Write area; WordPtr: Write address; Value: Write data (2 byte) |

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| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

3.8 Gen2BlockWrite

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| Functions Description | apiStatus Gen2BlockWrite(HANDLE hCom, unsigned char Membank, unsigned char WordPtr, unsigned char WordCnt, unsigned char *value, unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Function | EPC GEN2 tag block write |
| Parameter | Membank, write area; WordPtr: write address; WordCnt: write wordcount (max. value depend on tag supporting length, commonly max. support 2 word write); Value: write data |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | Write 4 byte data into tag's user area <pre> unsigned char value[4] = {0x01,0x02,0x03,0x04}; if(Gen2BlockWrite (ComHandle,3,0,2,value,0xff) == 0) { Printf("data write sucess"); } </pre> |

4 Tag data management function

The segment indicates "internal use" may have been embedded in other functions or internal test use, user don't have to care about it.

4.1 GetTagData

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| Functions Description | apiStatus GetTagData(HANDLE hCom,int Count,TagIds *value, unsigned char ReaderAddr); |
| Function | Obtain tag data from reader's buffer store area (internal use) |
| Parameter | Count: groups of tag data; Value: return tag data |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

4.2 ClearIDBuffer

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| Functions Description | apiStatus ClearIDBuffer(HANDLE hCom,unsigned char ReaderAddr); |
| Function | Clear readers tag data buffer area, it able to used before multi-tag identification. |
| Parameter | |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | Refer to example 2.1 |

4.3 QueryIDCount

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| Functions Description | apiStatus QueryIDCount(HANDLE hCom,unsigned char* Count,unsigned char ReaderAddr); |
| Function | Inquiry tag quantity when in caching status |
| Parameter | Count, return tag quantity pointer |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

4.4 GetIdWithoutDel

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| Functions Description | apiStatus GetIdWithoutDel(HANDLE hCom,unsigned char *value,unsigned char ReaderAddr); |
| Function | Take one group data of tag, but not delete data (internal use) |
| Parameter | Value: obtain the tag data |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |

4.5 GetIDACK

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|--------------------------|---|
| Functions Description | apiStatus GetIDACK(HANDLE hCom,unsigned char ReaderAddr) |
| Function | Confirm after get data, reader will delete the data that obtain previous (internal use) |
| Parameter | |
| Return Value | Success return 0, fail return not 0 |
| Example | |