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# Chapter 1

## Warp3D

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```

## 1.2 Warp3D/W3D\_AllocStencilBuffer

### NAME

W3D\_AllocStencilBuffer -- Allocate stencil buffer

### SYNOPSIS

```

success = W3D_AllocStencilBuffer(context);
d0                                a0

ULONG W3D_AllocStencilBuffer(W3D_Context *);

```

### FUNCTION

Allocate a stencil buffer for the given context. For more information on stencil buffering, see the OpenGL specs.

### INPUTS

context - The context the stencil buffer is allocated on

### RESULT

One of the following values:

W3D_SUCCESS	The allocation was successful
W3D_NOFXMEM	No memory was left on the graphics board
W3D_NOSTENCILBUFFER	Stencil buffering is not available

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

Stencil buffering and the ViRGE: The ViRGE is not capable of stencil buffering, it became a necessity later when hardware accelerators started to support the OpenGL standard.

## BUGS

## SEE ALSO

W3D\_FreeStencilBuffer

## 1.3 Warp3D/W3D\_AllocTexObj

## NAME

W3D\_AllocTexObj -- Allocate a new texture object

## SYNOPSIS

```
texture = W3D_AllocTexObj(context, error, ATOTags);
d0          a0          a1          a2
```

```
W3D_Texture *W3D_AllocTexObj(W3D_Context, ULONG *, struct TagItem *);
```

## FUNCTION

Create a new texture object. Such a texture object contains information about a texture in addition to the normal image data that is displayed.

## INPUTS

```
context - pointer to a W3D_Context
error   - pointer to a ULONG, which will contain an error code,
           or NULL if you do not want to get the error code.
ATOTags - pointer to a taglist. Supported tags are:
    W3D_ATO_IMAGE (mandatory):
        A pointer to the source texture image
    W3D_ATO_FORMAT (mandatory):
        The texture format of the source texture. Must be
        one of the following values (check the include file
        for more precise definition):
        - W3D_CHUNKY
        - W3D_A1R5G5B5
        - W3D_R5G6B5
        - W3D_R8G8B8
        - W3D_A4R4G4B4
        - W3D_A8R8G8B8
        - W3D_R8G8B8A8
        - W3D_A8
        - W3D_L8
        - W3D_L8A8
        - W3D_I8
    W3D_ATO_WIDTH (mandatory):
        The width of the texture in pixels. Must
        be 2^n.
    W3D_ATO_HEIGHT (mandatory):
```

The height of the texture in pixels. Must be  $2^n$ .

W3D\_ATO\_MIPMAP (optional):

If specified, the texture can be used for mipmapping. The value of this tag defines, which mipmap levels have to be generated automatically. It should be set so that the generated mipmaps and the provided ones build a complete mipmap set.

The value is a bitmask with one specific bit representing a mipmap level. Bit 0 corresponds to level 1, Bit 1 to level 2, so Bit  $n$  to level  $n-1$ . A value of 0 means, that all mipmaps are provided by the application.

Note, that providing only a part of all mipmaps which leave holes between the provided levels may result in performance loss.

W3D\_ATO\_MIPMAPPTRS (mandatory for user-supplied mipmaps)

If W3D\_ATO\_MIPMAP is specified, mipmapping is used for texturing. The mipmap mask specifies which of the mipmaps will be created. With the W3D\_ATO\_MIPMAPPTRS tag, an array of (void \*) to the mipmaps you want to supply yourself is defined. This array must be NULL-Terminated

Example: You want to give only level 3 and 5, and let W3D\_AllocTexObj create the rest of the mipmaps. Assume a 128x128 texture (7 mipmap levels)

Define an array like this:

```
void *mips[3];
mips[0] = (void *)level_3_map;
mips[1] = (void *)level_5_map;
mips[2] = NULL;
```

When calling W3D\_AllocTexObj, you would give W3D\_ATO\_MIPMAP the value 0x6B (binary 1101011) W3D\_ATO\_MIPMAPPTRS would be mips.

W3D\_ATO\_PALETTE (mandatory for chunky textures):

Defines the palette which is necessary to handle chunky textures. A pointer to a palette must be provided. The palette itself is an array of ULONG's, and every ULONG defines the ARGB value for one color index. Therefore the palette must be 1024 bytes. (Note: On 8bit screens, this palette \*should\* be the screen palette, unless the driver returns TRUE on W3D\_Q\_PALETTECONV.)

## RESULT

Either a pointer to the successfully created texture object, or NULL, in which case the optional error variable is set to one of the following values:

W3D_SUCCESS	It worked!
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Some information was invalid, maybe a mandatory tag missing
W3D_NOMEMORY	No memory was available
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDTEXSIZE	The driver can't handle a texture of the given size.
W3D_NOPALETTE	The texture should be a chunky (CLUT) texture, but no palette was given.
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDTEXFMT	The format can not be used with the



current driver

#### EXAMPLE

```
extern W3D_Context *context;
void *image = LoadImage("texture.iff");
W3D_Texture *texobj;
struct TagItem tags[] = {
    W3D_ATO_IMAGE,      image,
    W3D_ATO_FORMAT,     W3D_A1R5G5B5,
    W3D_ATO_WITDH,      128,
    W3D_ATO_HEIGHT,     128,
    TAG_DONE,           0
};
ULONG error;

texobj = W3D_AllocTexObj(context, &error, tags);
if (!texobj)
    printf("An error has occurred because: An error has occurred (%d)\n",
           error);
```

#### NOTES

The pointers to textures and mipmaps passed to this function are considered 'locked' until this texture object is released again, or the image is updated with W3D\_UpdateTexImage. You may not free the memory.

#### BUGS

#### SEE ALSO

W3D\_FreeTexObj, W3D\_ReleaseTexture, W3D\_UpdateTexImage,  
W3D\_FlushTextures, W3D\_SetFilter, W3D\_SetTexEnv, W3D\_SetWrapMode  
W3D\_UploadTexture

## 1.4 Warp3D/W3D\_AllocZBuffer

#### NAME

W3D\_AllocZBuffer -- Allocate a ZBuffer

#### SYNOPSIS

```
result = W3D_AllocZBuffer(context);
d0                      a0
```

```
ULONG W3D_AllocZBuffer(W3D_Context *);
```

#### FUNCTION

Allocates a ZBuffer. The size of the ZBuffer depends on the size of the bitmap used with this context. The memory is allocated on the graphics board.

#### INPUTS

context - pointer to the context to be used with the ZBuffer

#### RESULT

One of the following values:

W3D_SUCCESS	The allocation was successful
W3D_NOGFXMEM	Not enough video memory
W3D_NOZBUFFER	ZBuffering is not available on this hardware
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	- The bitmap is not visible/swapped out of vmem

**EXAMPLE**

```

ULONG error, status;
struct BitMap myBitMap;
struct TagItem taglist[] = {
    W3D_CC_BITMAP,      (ULONG)&myBitMap,
    W3D_CC_YOFFSET,     0,
    W3D_CC_DRIVERTYPE,   W3D_DRIVER_BEST
};
W3D_Context *context;

InitBitMap(&myBitMap, 15, 640, 480);
createPlanes(&myBitMap);
context = W3D_CreateContext(&error, taglist);
status = W3D_AllocZBuffer(context);

```

**NOTES**

This function should be called before textures are uploaded to the graphics board, to avoid fragmentation of video memory.

**BUGS****SEE ALSO**

W3D\_FreeZBuffer

## 1.5 Warp3D/W3D\_CheckDriver

**NAME**

W3D\_CheckDriver -- Check driver availability

**SYNOPSIS**

```

flags = W3D_CheckDriver();
d0

```

```

ULONG W3D_CheckDriver(void);

```

**FUNCTION**

Checks what driver is available (CPU/HW), and returns it as a bit mask.

**INPUTS**

None

**RESULT**

A long word that has it's bit set accordingly:

W3D_DRIVER_3DHW	- A hardware driver is available
W3D_DRIVER_CPU	- A software driver is available

**EXAMPLE**

```

ULONG flags = W3D_CheckDriver();
if (flags & W3D_DRIVER_3DHW) printf("Hardware driver available\n");

```

```
if (flags & W3D_DRIVER_CPU) printf("Software driver available\n");
```

**NOTES**

This function can be called without a valid context. It can be used to evaluate the possibilities the system is offering. Note though, that you should give the user a chance to get into your program, even if you think it would be too slow without hardware acceleration...

**BUGS****SEE ALSO**

## 1.6 Warp3D/W3D\_CheckIdle

**NAME**

W3D\_CheckIdle -- check if hardware is working

**SYNOPSIS**

```
working = W3D_CheckIdle(context);  
d0                      a0  
  
ULONG W3D_CheckIdle(W3D_Context *);
```

**FUNCTION**

Check if the hardware is finished with it's current operation.

**INPUTS**

context - a pointer to a W3D\_Context

**RESULT**

One of to values indicating busy/idle state:  
W3D\_SUCCESS - The hardware is idle  
W3D\_BUSY - The hardware is still working

**EXAMPLE****NOTES**

This function is not very useful for applications.

**BUGS****SEE ALSO**

W3D\_WaitIdle

## 1.7 Warp3D/W3D\_ClearStencilBuffer

**NAME**

W3D\_ClearStencilBuffer -- Clear the stencil buffer

**SYNOPSIS**

```
success = W3D_ClearStencilBuffer(context, clearval);
```

---

```
d0                                a0    a1
```

```
ULONG W3D_ClearStencilBuffer(W3D_Context *, ULONG *);
```

## FUNCTION

Clear the stencil buffer (fill it up) with the value pointed to by `clearval`.  
This function may only be used while the hardware is locked, except when indirect drawing is used.

## INPUTS

```
context  - the context to work on
clearval - pointer to a value used for clearing
```

## RESULT

```

One of the following:
W3D_SUCCESS           Operation was successful
W3D_NOSTENCILBUFFER   Stencil buffer not present (not allocated,
                        or not supported by driver)
W3D_NOTVISIBLE         The stencil buffer can not be accessed by
                        the hardware
W3D_QUEUEFAILED        In indirect mode only. Queueing this request
                        failed

```

### EXAMPLE

## NOTES

## BUGS

SEE ALSO

W3D\_AllocStencilBuffer, W3D\_FreeStencilBuffer

## 1.8 Warp3D/W3D ClearZBuffer

## NAME \_\_\_\_\_

W3D\_ClearZBuffer -- Clear the ZBuffer with a given value

## SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_ClearZBuffer(context, clearvalue);
d0          a0          a1
```

```
ULONG W3D_ClearZBuffer(W3D_Context *, W3D_Double *);
```

## FUNCTION

Clear the ZBuffer with a given value.  
This function may only be used while the hardware is locked,  
except when indirect drawing is used.

## INPUTS

context - pointer to the context  
clearvalue - pointer to a W3D\_Double, ranging from [0..1].  
If NULL, 0.0 is used

## RESULT

One of the following values:

W3D_SUCCESS	operation successful
W3D_NOZBUFFER	No ZBuffer was allocated
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	The ZBuffer was not in video ram
W3D_QUEUEFAILED	In indirect mode only. Queueing this request failed

EXAMPLE

NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO

W3D\_AllocZBuffer, W3D\_FreeZBuffer

## 1.9 Warp3D/W3D\_CreateContext

NAME

W3D\_CreateContext -- Create a new Warp3D context

SYNOPSIS

```
context = W3D_CreateContext(&error, CCTags);
D0                      A0      A1
```

```
W3D_Context *W3D_CreateContext(ULONG *, struct TagItem *);
```

FUNCTION

This function creates a new Warp3D context, which is required by most other API functions as first parameter.

The number of open contexts is not limited. Full multitasking capabilities are provided.

INPUTS

error - A pointer to a ULONG which gets the error value, or NULL if you don't want an error code returned

CCTags - A taglist containing various input parameters:

W3D\_CC\_MODEID (special):

Specifies the ModeID of the screen you opened or intend to open, or generally the ModeID of the drawing area you intend to use. If you plan to use Warp3D in windowed mode, you may leave this tag unset. Otherwise, the tag MUST be set correctly, as the ModeID is used to extract the required hardware.

W3D\_CC\_BITMAP (mandatory):

A pointer to the bitmap which is used for 3D drawing. For 3DHW drivers, the bitmap must absolutely be located in video memory (it may be swapped out at the moment). For CPU drivers, it doesn't matter, where the bitmap is located. Note, that CPU drivers might use FAST-RAM buffers for intermediate results to speed up rendering, therefore bitmaps in FAST-RAM might not be optimal in this case.

Also note, that never bitmaps should be provided which

are directly visible!

W3D\_CC\_YOFFSET (mandatory):

A vertical offset, which defines, at which Y-Position the drawing area starts. This can be used to achieve multibuffering using the ScrollVPort trick, which might be the only possibility to achieve proper multibuffering with some graphics interface software.

W3D\_CC\_DRIVERTYPE (mandatory):

A constant which defines what type of driver should be used (use the API function W3D\_CheckDriver to get more information about the drivers). Possible values are:

- W3D\_DRIVER\_BEST               the best driver is chosen
- W3D\_DRIVER\_3DHW           the hardware driver is chosen,  
                                  if none is present, NULL is  
                                  returned
- W3D\_DRIVER\_CPU           the software driver is chosen,  
                                  if none is present, NULL is  
                                  returned

W3D\_CC\_W3DBM (optional):

Boolean tag. If this is set to TRUE, the W3D\_CC\_BITMAP tag doesn't point to a struct BitMap. Instead, it points to a Warp3D bitmap (of type W3D\_Bitmap), which might be in fast-ram (for CPU rendering). Note that the W3D\_CC\_YOFFSET tag is ignored if W3D\_CC\_W3DBM is set to TRUE.

W3D\_CC\_INDIRECT (optional):

Boolean tag. If set to TRUE, then all drawing actions are possibly not performed directly, but are queued until the buffer is full, or W3D\_Flush is called, or the indirect state is switched off with W3D\_SetState

W3D\_CC\_GLOBALTEXENV (optional):

Boolean tag. If set to TRUE, calls to SetTexEnv do not modify the given texture, but are used for all textures.

W3D\_CC\_DOUBLEHEIGHT (optional):

Boolean tag. This tag should be set to TRUE if the drawing area is a double height screen. Double height screens may be used for double buffering with CyberGraphX.

W3D\_CC\_FAST: (optional):

Boolean tag. If set to TRUE, drawing functions are allowed to modify the passed structures.

## RESULT

A pointer to a newly created context structure, or NULL for failure. If an error variable was provided, the error value is filled in.

It may be one of the following values:

- W3D\_SUCCESS               - Operation was successful
- W3D\_ILLEGALINPUT       - Illegal input, maybe a left out tag item
- W3D\_NOMEMORY           - Unable to get enough memory
- W3D\_NODRIVER           - No driver was available
- W3D\_UNSUPPORTEDFMT   - The supplied bitmap can't be supported
- W3D\_ILLEGALBITMAP   - The bitmap is not properly initialised

## EXAMPLE

```
ULONG error;
struct BitMap myBitMap;
```

```

struct TagItem taglist[] = {
    W3D_CC_BITMAP,      (ULONG) &myBitMap,
    W3D_CC_YOFFSET,     0,
    W3D_CC_DRIVERTYPE,   W3D_DRIVER_BEST
};
W3D_Context *context;

InitBitMap(&myBitMap, 15, 640, 480);
createPlanes(&myBitMap);
context = W3D_CreateContext(&error, taglist);

```

**NOTES**

An error of type W3D\_UNSUPPORTEDFMT is returned if a W3D\_Bitmap is given as drawregion and no CPU driver is available, or a HW driver is also requested.

**BUGS****SEE ALSO**

W3D\_DestroyContext, W3D\_Flush, W3D\_SetState

## 1.10 Warp3D/W3D\_DestroyContext

**NAME**

W3D\_DestroyContext -- Release a Warp3D context

**SYNOPSIS**

```

W3D_DestroyContext(context);
                    A0

```

```

void W3D_DestroyContext(W3D_Context *);

```

**FUNCTION**

This function frees up all resources for the given context, destroying it.

**INPUTS**

context - Pointer to a Warp3D context

**RESULT**

None

**EXAMPLE**

```

W3D_Context *context;
...
context = W3D_CreateContext(...);
...
W3D_DestroyContext(context);

```

**NOTES**

Always release contexts. Even if the memory loss doesn't kill you, the hardware may be blocked.

**BUGS**

SEE ALSO  
W3D\_CreateContext

## 1.11 Warp3D/W3D\_DrawLine

### NAME

W3D\_DrawLine -- Draw a three-dimensional line

### SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_DrawLine(context, line);
d0          a0          a1

ULONG W3D_DrawLine(W3D_Context *, W3D_Line *);
```

### FUNCTION

This function draws a line based on the current state.  
It may only be used while the hardware is locked, except when indirect drawing is used.

### INPUTS

context - The context to be drawn in  
line - Definition of a line.

### RESULT

A value indicating success or failure. One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	(you guessed it!)
W3D_NOTEXTURE	The line has no texture
W3D_TEXNOTRESIDENT	The required texture is not in video ram
W3D_NOGFXMEM	No memory available on the graphics card
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	The drawing area is not visible
W3D_NOZBUFFER	No ZBuffer
W3D_QUEUEFAILED	The request can't be queued in indirect mode

### EXAMPLE

### NOTES

The linewidth parameter will probably not be supported by most 3D hardware.

### BUGS

SEE ALSO

## 1.12 Warp3D/W3D\_DrawLineLoop

### NAME

W3D\_DrawLineLoop -- Draw a closed sequence of connected lines (V2)

### SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_DrawLineLoop(context, lines);
d0          a0          a1
```



```
ULONG W3D_DrawLineLoop(W3D_Context *, W3D_Lines *);
```

#### FUNCTION

This function draws a connected sequence of lines, similar to the W3D\_DrawLineStrip function. The only difference is that the last vertex is connected to the first with a line segment, too, meaning that the vertexcount lines are drawn.

#### INPUTS

context        - pointer to the context.  
lines         - pointer to the W3D\_Lines (not the trailing 's')  
                 structure defining the line strip.

#### RESULT

One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	It worked.
W3D_NOTEXTURE	No texture given
W3D_TEXNOTRESIDENT	The texture is not on the graphics board's memory
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	The drawing area is not visible
W3D_NOZBUFFER	No ZBuffer present, although it has been requested
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Fewer than two vertices were given
W3D_QUEUEFAILED	The request can't be queued in indirect mode

#### EXAMPLE

#### NOTES

#### BUGS

Currently, this call is not queued.

#### SEE ALSO

W3D\_DrawLineLoop, W3D\_DrawLine

## 1.13 Warp3D/W3D\_DrawLineStrip

#### NAME

W3D\_DrawLineStrip -- Draw a sequence of connected lines (V2)

#### SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_DrawLineStrip(context, lines);
d0                          a0          a1
```

```
ULONG W3D_DrawLineStrip(W3D_Context *, W3D_Lines *);
```

#### FUNCTION

Draws a sequence of connected lines (a line strip). The first line is defined by vertices 0 and 1, the second line by vertices 1 and 2, ..., up to the last line being defined by vertices n-1 and n, with n being the vertexcount field from the W3D\_Lines structure.

#### INPUTS

context        - pointer to the context.  
lines         - pointer to the W3D\_Lines (not the trailing 's')  
                 structure defining the line strip.

## RESULT

One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	It worked.
W3D_NOTEXTURE	No texture given
W3D_TEXNOTRESIDENT	The texture is not on the graphics board's memory
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	The drawing area is not visible
W3D_NOZBUFFER	No ZBuffer present, although it has been requested
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Fewer than two vertices were given
W3D_QUEUEFAILED	The request can't be queued in indirect mode

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

## BUGS

Currently, this call is not queued.

## SEE ALSO

W3D\_DrawLineLoop, W3D\_DrawLine

## 1.14 Warp3D/W3D\_DrawPoint

## NAME

W3D\_DrawPoint -- Draw a point

## SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_DrawPoint(context, point);
d0          a0          a1

ULONG W3D_DrawPoint(W3D_Context *, W3D_Point *);
```

## FUNCTION

Draw a point based on the current context  
It may only be used while the hardware is locked, except when  
indirect drawing is used.

## INPUTS

context - a pointer to the context to draw with  
point - a pointer to a filled W3D\_Point

## RESULT

One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	It worked.
W3D_NOTEXTURE	No texture given
W3D_TEXNOTRESIDENT	The texture is not on the graphics board's memory
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	The drawing area is not visible
W3D_NOZBUFFER	No ZBuffer present, although it has been requested
W3D_QUEUEFAILED	The request can't be queued in indirect mode

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

The pointsize parameter will probably not be supported by most  
3D hardware.

Although the vertex has it's own color, the GOURAUD shading state must be enabled to use this color, otherwise the current color set by W3D\_SetCurrentColor/W3D\_SetCurrentPen will be used.

BUGS

SEE ALSO

## 1.15 Warp3D/W3D\_DrawTriangle

NAME

W3D\_DrawTriangle -- Draw a triangle

SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_DrawTriangle(context, triangle);
d0          a0          a1
```

```
ULONG W3D_DrawTriangle(W3D_Context *, W3D_Triangle *);
```

FUNCTION

Draw a triangle to the given context, based on that context's state.

It may only be used while the hardware is locked, except when indirect drawing is used.

INPUTS

```
context      - the context to be drawn to
triangle     - the triangle to be drawn
```

RESULT

One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	It worked.
W3D_NOTEXTURE	No texture given
W3D_TEXNOTRESIDENT	The texture is not on the graphics board's memory
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	The drawing area is not visible
W3D_NOZBUFFER	No ZBuffer present, although it has been requested
W3D_QUEUEFAILED	The request can't be queued in indirect mode

EXAMPLE

NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO

W3D\_DrawTriFan, W3D\_DrawTriStrip

## 1.16 Warp3D/W3D\_DrawTriFan

NAME

W3D\_DrawTriFan -- Draw a triangle fan

## SYNOPSIS

```

    success = W3D_DrawTriFan(context, triangles);
    d0          a0          a1

    ULONG W3D_DrawTriFan(W3D_Context *, W3D_Triangles *);

```

## FUNCTION

Draw a triangle fan. The first vertex in the list is considered the common point for the fan. For more information on triangle fans, see the OpenGL specs. This function may only be used while the hardware is locked, except when indirect drawing is used.

## INPUTS

```

    context      - pointer to the context.
    triangles    - pointer to a vertex list. Note that this
                  is a W3D_Triangles (trailing s, avoid mixing
                  up with W3D_Triangle)

```

## RESULT

One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	It worked.
W3D_NOTTEXTURE	No texture given
W3D_TEXNOTRESIDENT	The texture is not on the graphics board's memory
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	The drawing area is not visible
W3D_NOZBUFFER	No ZBuffer present, although it has been requested
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Less than three vertices were given
W3D_QUEUEFAILED	The request can't be queued in indirect mode

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

## BUGS

## SEE ALSO

W3D\_DrawTriangle, W3D\_DrawTriStrip

## 1.17 Warp3D/W3D\_DrawTriStrip

## NAME

W3D\_DrawTriStrip -- Draw a triangle strip

## SYNOPSIS

```

    success = W3D_DrawTriStrip(context, triangles);
    d0          a0          a1

    ULONG W3D_DrawTriStrip(W3D_Context *, W3D_Triangles *);

```

## FUNCTION

Draw a triangle strip. For more information on triangle strips, see the OpenGL specs. This function may only be used while the hardware is locked, except when indirect drawing is used.

## INPUTS

context - pointer to the context.  
 triangles - pointer to a vertex list. Note that this is a W3D\_Triangles (trailing s, avoid mixing up with W3D\_Traingle)

## RESULT

One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	It worked.
W3D_NOTEXTURE	No texture given
W3D_TEXNOTRESIDENT	The texture is not on the graphics board's memory
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	The drawing area is not visible
W3D_NOZBUFFER	No ZBuffer present, although it has been requested
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Less than three vertices were given
W3D_QUEUEFAILED	The request can't be queued in indirect mode

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

## BUGS

## SEE ALSO

W3D\_DrawTriangle, W3D\_DrawTriFan

## 1.18 Warp3D/W3D\_FillStencilBuffer

## NAME

W3D\_FillStencilBuffer -- Fill the stencil buffer

## SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_FillStencilBuffer(context, x, y, width, height, depth, data);
d0                                a0      d0 d1 d2      d3      d4      a1
```

```
ULONG W3D_FillStencilBuffer(W3D_Context *, ULONG, ULONG, ULONG, ULONG,
                           ULONG, void *);
```

## FUNCTION

This function fills the stencil buffer with a rectangular image with the given dimensions.  
 This function may only be used while the hardware is locked, except when indirect drawing is used.

## INPUTS

context - the context  
 x,y - Coordinates into the stencil buffer  
 width - Width of the image data  
 height - Height of the image data  
 depth - Depth of the image data. Must be 8,16 or 32  
 data - The data itself

## RESULT

One of the following values:

W3D_SUCCESS	Operation successful
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W3D_NOSTENCILBUFFER	No stencil buffer present (either it's not allocated, or not supported)
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Illegal depth value
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	The stencil buffer can not be accessed by the hardware

EXAMPLE

NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO

W3D\_CreateStencilBuffer, W3D\_ClearStencilBuffer

## 1.19 Warp3D/W3D\_Flush

NAME

W3D\_Flush -- Flush indirect drawing queue

SYNOPSIS

```
result = W3D_Flush(context);
a0
```

```
ULONG W3D_Flush(W3D_Context *);
```

FUNCTION

If the given context is not in indirect mode, nothing happens. Otherwise, the internal queue is flushed and all buffered drawing request are drawn.

INPUTS

context - the context which should be flushed

RESULT

A value indicating error or success:

W3D\_SUCCESS success

W3D\_NOTVISIBLE Locking the hardware was unsuccessful

EXAMPLE

NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO

W3D\_SetState, W3D\_CreateContext, W3D\_LockHardware, W3D\_UnLockHardware

## 1.20 Warp3D/W3D\_FlushFrame

NAME

W3D\_FlushFrame -- Flush the current frame

## SYNOPSIS

```
W3D_FlushFrame(context);
               a0
```

```
void W3D_FlushFrame(W3D_Context*);
```

## FUNCTION

This function flushes the current frame. It must be called at the end of your drawing when the frame is finished. This function *\*must\** be called by any application, even if you do not "intent" to support CPU drivers (for which this function is mainly designed).

## INPUTS

context - The context to flush

## RESULT

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

If the context is indirect, this function also flushes the Queue.

## BUGS

## SEE ALSO

## 1.21 Warp3D/W3D\_FlushTextures

## NAME

W3D\_FlushTextures -- Release all textures from video ram

## SYNOPSIS

```
W3D_FlushTextures(context);
               a0
```

```
void W3D_FlushTextures(W3D_Context);
```

## FUNCTION

This function releases every texture that's currently on the graphics board's texture memory.

## INPUTS

context - Pointer to a W3D\_Context

## RESULT

None

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

## BUGS

SEE ALSO  
W3D\_ReleaseTexture

## 1.22 Warp3D/W3D\_FreeAllTexObj

NAME  
W3D\_FreeAllTexObj -- Free all textures in context

SYNOPSIS  
W3D\_FreeAllTexObj(context);  
a0

void W3D\_FreeTexObj(W3D\_Context \*);

FUNCTION  
Free all texture objects allocated in the current context.

INPUTS  
context - the pointer to the context

RESULT

EXAMPLE

NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO  
W3D\_FreeTexObj, W3D\_AllocTexObj

## 1.23 Warp3D/W3D\_FreeStencilBuffer

NAME  
W3D\_FreeStencilBuffer -- Free the stencil buffer

SYNOPSIS  
success = W3D\_FreeStencilBuffer(context);  
d0 a0

ULONG W3D\_FreeStencilBuffer(W3D\_Context \*);

FUNCTION  
Free up all memory associated with the stencil buffer.

INPUTS  
context - the context containing the stencil buffer to be freed

RESULT  
One of the following values:  
W3D\_SUCCESS Operation succesful  
W3D\_NOSTENCILBUFFER No stencil buffer was allocated, or stencil

---



buffering is not supported by the current hardware driver.

W3D\_NOTVISIBLE      The stencil buffer can not be accessed by the hardware

EXAMPLE

NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO

W3D\_CreateStencilBuffer

## 1.24 Warp3D/W3D\_FreeTexObj

NAME

W3D\_FreeTexObj -- Free a texture object

SYNOPSIS

```
W3D_FreeTexObj(context, texture);
               a0      a1
```

```
void W3D_FreeTexObj(W3D_Context *, W3D_Texture *);
```

FUNCTION

Remove the texture object from the list of textures and free up all resources associated with it.

INPUTS

context - Pointer to a W3D\_Context

texture - Pointer to a texture to be released

RESULT

None

EXAMPLE

```
extern W3D_Context *context;
void *image = LoadImage("texture.iff");
W3D_Texture *texobj;
struct TagItem tags[] = {
    W3D_ATO_IMAGE,      image,
    W3D_ATO_FORMAT,     W3D_A1R5G5B5,
    W3D_ATO_WIDTH,      128,
    W3D_ATO_HEIGHT,     128,
    TAG_DONE,           0
};
ULONG error;

texobj = W3D_AllocTexObj(context, &error, tags);
if (!texobj) {
    printf("An error has occurred because: An error has occurred (%d)\n",
          error);
} else {
    ... Draw some cool stuff ...
}
```

---

```
W3D_FreeTexObj(context, texobj);
```

#### NOTES

Free all textures. Even if you can afford the memory loss in main memory, you'll lose video memory.

The 'locked' pointers (those to the image and user-defined mipmaps) are now 'unlocked', and may be used again.

#### BUGS

#### SEE ALSO

W3D\_AllocTexObj

## 1.25 Warp3D/W3D\_FreeZBuffer

#### NAME

W3D\_FreeZBuffer -- Free ZBuffer

#### SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_FreeZBuffer(context);  
d0                      a0
```

```
ULONG W3D_FreeZBuffer(W3D_Context *);
```

#### FUNCTION

Free the ZBuffer previously allocated with W3D\_AllocZBuffer

#### INPUTS

context - Pointer to a W3D\_Context

#### RESULT

One of the following values:

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
W3D_NOZBUFFER	No Z Buffer was allocated
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	ZBuffer is not visible

#### EXAMPLE

#### NOTES

#### BUGS

#### SEE ALSO

W3D\_AllocZBuffer

## 1.26 Warp3D/W3D\_GetDestFmt

#### NAME

W3D\_GetDestFmt -- Get information about supported formats

#### SYNOPSIS

---

```
format = W3D_GetDestFmt();
d0
```

```
ULONG W3D_GetDestFmt(void);
```

#### FUNCTION

*\*DEPRECATED\** DO NOT USE THIS IN NEW PROJECTS

This function can be used to get information about the destination (i.e. screen) format supported by the current driver. The result is a bitmask, with each bit representing a supported format. This function can be used before opening a display, to ensure that only a supported display area is selected.

#### INPUTS

None

#### RESULT

A bitmask representing supported modes. Currently, some of the following bits:

```
W3D_FMT_CLUT
W3D_FMT_R5G5B5
W3D_FMT_B5G5R5
W3D_FMT_R5G5B5PC
W3D_FMT_B5G5R5PC
W3D_FMT_R5G6B5
W3D_FMT_B5G6R5
W3D_FMT_R5G6B5PC
W3D_FMT_B5G6R5PC
W3D_FMT_R8G8B8
W3D_FMT_B8G8R8
W3D_FMT_A8R8G8B8
W3D_FMT_A8B8G8R8
W3D_FMT_R8G8B8A8
W3D_FMT_B8G8R8A8
```

#### EXAMPLE

```
ULONG fmt = W3D_GetDestFmt();

if (fmt & W3D_FMT_CLUT)      printf("Driver supports 8 bit modes\n");
if (fmt & W3D_FMT_R5G5B5)    printf("Driver supports 15 bit RGB modes\n");
```

#### NOTES

This function is deprecated and should not be used in future projects.

#### BUGS

#### SEE ALSO

W3D\_CreateContext, W3D\_Query, W3D\_GetDrivers

## 1.27 Warp3D/W3D\_GetDrivers

#### NAME

W3D\_GetDrivers -- Get the internal list of drivers (V2)

## SYNOPSIS

```
driverarray = W3D_GetDrivers();
D0
```

```
W3D_Driver **W3D_GetDrivers(void);
```

## FUNCTION

This function returns a (NULL-Terminated) Array of pointers to W3D\_Driver structures. You can use these to find a suitable driver, offer the user a selection of hardware, or activate one driver for further queries.

## INPUTS

## RESULT

driverarray - A null-terminated array of pointers to W3D\_Driver structures.

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

The returned list is STRICTLY read-only.

## BUGS

## SEE ALSO

W3D\_TestMode

## 1.28 Warp3D/W3D\_GetDriverState

## NAME

W3D\_GetDriverState -- get current state of driver

## SYNOPSIS

```
result = W3D_GetDriverState(context);
d0          a0
```

```
ULONG W3D_GetDriverState(W3D_Context *);
```

## FUNCTION

Return information about the current state of the driver. This function can be used to check if the current driver is able to start rendering now.

## INPUTS

context - The context to check the state for

## RESULT

One of the following values:

W3D_SUCCESS	Success, rendering possible
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Drawing area is not currently on the video card's memory.

## EXAMPLE

```
if (W3D_SUCCESS == W3D_GetDriverState(context))
```

```

        RenderFrame();
    else
        printf("Error: Bitmap not visible, can't render\n");

```

NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO

W3D\_LockHardware

## 1.29 Warp3D/W3D\_GetDriverTexFmtInfo

NAME

W3D\_GetDriverTexFmtInfo -- Get information about the texture format (V2)

SYNOPSIS

```

info = W3D_GetDriverTexFmtInfo(driver, format, destfmt);
d0                                a0          d0          d1

```

```

ULONG W3D_GetDriverTexInfo(W3D_Driver*, ULONG, ULONG);

```

FUNCTION

This function is used to get information about the texture format, i.e. if it's directly supported by the hardware, or must be converted in some way. Contrary to the similar function `W3d_GetTexFmtInfo`, this function does not need a context to operate, but can be used to query individual drivers about their texture format capabilities.

INPUTS

`driver` - A pointer to a `W3D_Driver` structure

`texfmt` - The texture format to be queried. Currently, one of the following:

<code>W3D_CHUNKY</code>	palettized
<code>W3D_A1R5G5B5</code>	a rrrrr ggggg bbbbb
<code>W3D_R5G6B5</code>	rrrrr ggggg bbbbb
<code>W3D_R8G8B8</code>	rrrrrrrr gggggggg bbbbbbbb
<code>W3D_A4R4G4B4</code>	aaaa rrrr gggg bbbb
<code>W3D_A8R8G8B8</code>	aaaaaaaa rrrrrrrr gggggggg bbbbbbbb
<code>W3D_R8G8B8A8</code>	rrrrrrrr gggggggg bbbbbbbb aaaaaaaa
<code>W3D_A8</code>	aaaaaaaa
<code>W3D_L8</code>	llllllll
<code>W3D_L8A8</code>	llllllll aaaaaaaa
<code>W3D_I8</code>	iiiiiii

See the main documentation for more information.

`destfmt` - The destination screen format.

RESULT

A bitvector with the following bits

<code>W3D_TEXFMT_FAST</code>	Format directly supported by HW
<code>W3D_TEXFMT_CLUTFAST</code>	Format directly supported in CLUT modes only
<code>W3D_TEXFMT_ARGBF</code>	Format directly supported in direct color modes only
<code>W3D_TEXFMT_UNSUPPORTED</code>	Format not supported, and can't be emulated

W3D\_TEXFMT\_SUPPORTED      Format is supported, although it may be internally converted

#### EXAMPLE

#### NOTES

Formats that are not directly supported can still be used for textures. Note, however, that those textures must be converted.

#### BUGS

#### SEE ALSO

W3D\_GetTexFmtInfo()

## 1.30 Warp3D/W3D\_GetState

#### NAME

W3D\_GetState -- Get current state of hardware/context

#### SYNOPSIS

```
result = W3D_GetState(context, state);
d0                              a0              d0
```

```
ULONG W3D_GetState(W3D_Context *, ULONG);
```

#### FUNCTION

This function reads the state of the bits in the state field of the context structure.

#### INPUTS

context - pointer to a Warp3D context  
state - The bit that is tested. Currently, this may be one of the following:

W3D_AUTOTEXMANAGEMENT	automatic texture management
W3D_SYNCHRON	wait, until HW is idle
W3D_INDIRECT	buffer drawings until W3D_Flush()'ed
W3D_GLOBALTEXENV	global texture modes
W3D_DOUBLEHEIGHT	screen has double height.
W3D_FAST	Drawing functions may modify passed ←
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W3D_TEXMAPPING	texmapping state
W3D_PERSPECTIVE	perspective correction state
W3D_GOURAUD	gouraud/flat shading
W3D_ZBUFFER	Z-Buffer state
W3D_ZBUFFERUPDATE	Z-Buffer update state
W3D_BLENDING	Alpha blending state
W3D_FOGGING	Fogging state
W3D_ANTI_POINT	Point antialiasing
W3D_ANTI_LINE	Line antialiasing
W3D_ANTI_POLYGON	Polygon antialiasing
W3D_ANTI_FULLSCREEN	Fullscreen antialiasing
W3D_DITHERING	dithering state
W3D_LOGICOP	logical operations state
W3D_STENCILBUFFER	stencil buffer state

W3D_ALPHATEST	Alpha test state
W3D_SPECULAR	Specular highlighting state
W3D_TEXMAPPING3D	3D texturemapping state

**RESULT**

One of the following:

W3D\_ENABLED        the mode is enabled  
W3D\_DISABLED       the mode is disabled/not available

**EXAMPLE**

```
if (W3D_ENABLED == W3D_GetState(context, W3D_FOGGING)) {
    printf("Gee, I can't see in all this fog\n");
} else {
    printf("Aha, that's better\n");
}
```

**NOTES**

Don't use W3D\_SYNCHRON, this state might only be useful for debugging purposes.

The W3D\_FAST mode can speed up your application, always use it, if you don't care what happens to the values in the drawing structures (like W3D\_Triangle, W3D\_Line etc.)

'Indirect drawing' has the advantage, that the 'locking' time is minimized, please provide at least an option for the user to use it.

For more information about the different states, please refer to the Warp3D Programmer Documentation.

**BUGS****SEE ALSO**

W3D\_SetState

## 1.31 Warp3D/W3D\_GetTexFmtInfo

**NAME**

W3D\_GetTexFmtInfo -- Get information about the texture format

**SYNOPSIS**

```
info = W3D_GetTexFmtInfo(context, format, destfmt);
d0                            a0            d0            d1
```

```
ULONG W3D_GetTexInfo(W3D_Context, ULONG, ULONG);
```

**FUNCTION**

This function is used to get information about the texture format, i.e. if it's directly supported by the hardware, or must be converted in some way.

**INPUTS**

context - A valid context pointer  
texfmt - The texture format to be queried. Currently,

one of the following:

W3D_CHUNKY	palettized
W3D_A1R5G5B5	a rrrrrr gggggg bbbbbb
W3D_R5G6B5	rrrrrr gggggg bbbbbb
W3D_R8G8B8	rrrrrrrr gggggggg bbbbbbbb
W3D_A4R4G4B4	aaaa rrrr gggg bbbb
W3D_A8R8G8B8	aaaaaaaa rrrrrrrr gggggggg bbbbbbbb
W3D_R8G8B8A8	rrrrrrrr gggggggg bbbbbbbb aaaaaaaa
W3D_A8	aaaaaaaa
W3D_L8	llllllll
W3D_L8A8	llllllll aaaaaaaa
W3D_I8	iiiiiii

See the main documentation for more information.

destfmt - The destination screen format.

#### RESULT

A bitvector with the following bits

W3D_TEXFMT_FAST	Format directly supported by HW
W3D_TEXFMT_CLUTFAST	Format directly supported in CLUT modes only
W3D_TEXFMT_ARGBFAST	Format directly supported in direct color modes only
W3D_TEXFMT_UNSUPPORTED	Format not supported, and can't be emulated
W3D_TEXFMT_SUPPORTED	Format is supported, although it may be internally converted

#### EXAMPLE

```
ULONG info = W3D_GetTexFmtInfo(NULL, W3D_CHUNKY, W3D_FMT_CLUT);
if (info & W3D_TEXFMT_CLUTFAST) printf("Supported in CLUT modes\n");
```

#### NOTES

Formats that are not directly supported can still be used for textures. Note, however, that those textures must be converted.

**IMPORTANT:** Prior to Version 2 of the API, this function could be called with a NULL context to query the default driver. Although this is still possible for backward compatibility reasons, a programmer must not use this feature in new projects, but rather use the new and improved W3D\_GetDriverTexFmtInfo() function instead, which is essential for multiple driver support. You may still call this function with a valid context, of course.

#### BUGS

#### SEE ALSO

W3D\_GetDriverTexFmtInfo()

## 1.32 Warp3D/W3D\_Hint

#### NAME

W3D\_Hint -- Hint about rendering quality

#### SYNOPSIS

```
result = W3D_Hint(context, mode, quality);
d0          a0          d0          d1
```



```
ULONG W3D_Hint(W3D_Context, ULONG, ULONG);
```

#### FUNCTION

Gives Warp3D a hint about the desired quality of some effects. This can be used to improve rendering speed at the cost of display quality.

#### INPUTS

context - The context to hint for  
mode - The mode to hint for. One of the following values

W3D_H_TEXMAPPING	- quality of general texmapping
W3D_H_MIPMAPPING	- quality of mipmapping
W3D_H_BILINEARFILTER	- quality of bilinear filtering
W3D_H_MMFILTER	- quality of depth filter
W3D_H_PERSPECTIVE	- quality of perspective correction
W3D_H_BLENDING	- quality of alpha blending
W3D_H_FOGGING	- quality of fogging
W3D_H_ANTIALIASING	- quality of antialiasing
W3D_H_DITHERING	- quality of dithering
W3D_H_ZBUFFER	- quality of ZBuffering

quality - The desired quality. Possible values are

W3D_H_FAST	- fast, low quality
W3D_H_AVERAGE	- average speed, average quality
W3D_H_NICE	- low speed, high quality

#### RESULT

A value indicating success or failure:

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Failure, illegal input

#### EXAMPLE

#### NOTES

This function only gives hints to Warp3D. It is possible that it doesn't do anything at all, depending on the possibility the hardware or driver offers.

#### BUGS

The ViRGE driver selects it's filter modes when they are set with W3D\_SetFilter, so you have to set the filter modes again when messing with the W3D\_H\_BILINEARFILTER setting.

#### SEE ALSO

## 1.33 Warp3D/W3D\_LockHardware

#### NAME

W3D\_LockHardware -- Gain exclusive hardware access

#### SYNOPSIS

```
res = W3D_LockHardware(context);
d0          a0

ULONG W3D_LockHardware(W3D_Context *);
```

## FUNCTION

This function gains exclusive access to the hardware. It must be called whenever objects are drawn, except when operating in 'indirect render' mode. You should not lock the frame too long, because the system is freezed in locked state.

## INPUTS

context - a pointer to a W3D\_Context structure

## RESULT

A value indication success or failure:

W3D\_SUCCESS - The hardware is locked

W3D\_NOTVISIBLE - The bitmap is not visible/swapped out of vmem

## EXAMPLE

```
if (W3D_SUCCESS == W3D_LockHardware(context) {
    ...
    Render some stuff
    ...
    W3D_UnLockHardware(context);
} else {
    printf("Can't lock hardware\n");
}
```

## NOTES

This function may forbid multitasking (depending on the driver), or even disable interrupts.

## BUGS

## SEE ALSO

W3D\_UnLockHardware, W3D\_SetState

## 1.34 Warp3D/W3D\_Query

## NAME

W3D\_Query -- Query capabilities of the driver

## SYNOPSIS

```
res = W3D_Query(context, query, destfmt)
d0          a0          d0          d1
```

```
ULONG W3D_Query(W3D_Context *, ULONG, ULONG);
```

## FUNCTION

This function is used to query the hardware/driver capabilities. It takes destination formats into account (checking compatibility).

## INPUTS

context - pointer to a W3D\_Context

query - a value to be queried.

Currently, the following values are supported:

W3D\_Q\_DRAW\_POINT point drawing

W3D_Q_DRAW_LINE	line drawing
W3D_Q_DRAW_TRIANGLE	triangle drawing
W3D_Q_DRAW_POINT_X	points with size != 1 supported
W3D_Q_DRAW_LINE_X	lines with width != 1 supported
W3D_Q_DRAW_LINE_ST	line stippling supported
W3D_Q_DRAW_POLY_ST	polygon stippling supported
W3D_Q_TEXMAPPING	texmapping in general
W3D_Q_MIPMAPPING	mipmapping
W3D_Q_BILINEARFILTER	bilinear filter
W3D_Q_MMFILTER	mipmap filter
W3D_Q_LINEAR_REPEAT	W3D_REPEAT for linear texmapping
W3D_Q_LINEAR_CLAMP	W3D_CLAMP for linear texmapping
W3D_Q_PERPESCTIVE	perspective correction
W3D_Q_PERSP_REPEAT	W3D_REPEAT for persp. texmapping
W3D_Q_PERSP_CLAMP	W3D_CLAMP for persp. texmapping
W3D_Q_ENV_REPLACE	texenv REPLACE
W3D_Q_ENV_DECAL	texenv DECAL
W3D_Q_ENV_MODULATE	texenv MODULATE
W3D_Q_ENV_BLEND	texenv BLEND
W3D_Q_FLATSHADING	flat shading
W3D_Q_GOURAUDSHADING	gouraud shading
W3D_Q_ZBUFFER	Z buffer in general
W3D_Q_ZBUFFERUPDATE	Z buffer update
W3D_Q_ZCOMPAREMODES	Z buffer compare modes
W3D_Q_ALPHATEST	alpha test in general
W3D_Q_ALPHATESTMODES	alpha test modes
W3D_Q_BLENDING	alpha blending
W3D_Q_SRCFACTORS	source factors
W3D_Q_DESTFACTORS	destination factors
W3D_Q_FOGGING	fogging in general
W3D_Q_LINEAR	linear fogging
W3D_Q_EXPONENTIAL	exponential fogging
W3D_Q_S_EXPONENTIAL	square exponential fogging
W3D_Q_ANTIALIASING	antialiasing in general
W3D_Q_ANTI_POINT	point antialiasing
W3D_Q_ANTI_LINE	line antialiasing
W3D_Q_ANTI_POLYGON	polygon antialiasing
W3D_Q_ANTI_FULLSCREEN	fullscreen antialiasing
W3D_Q_DITHERING	dithering
W3D_Q_SCISSOR	scissor test
W3D_Q_MAXTEXWIDTH	max. texture width
W3D_Q_MAXTEXHEIGHT	max. texture height
W3D_Q_RECTTEXTURES	rectangular textures
W3D_Q_LOGICOP	logical operations
W3D_Q_MASKING	color/index masking
W3D_Q_STENCILBUFFER	stencil buffer in general
W3D_Q_STENCIL_MASK	mask value
W3D_Q_STENCIL_FUNC	stencil functions
W3D_Q_STENCIL_SFAIL	stencil operation SFAIL
W3D_Q_STENCIL_DPFail	stencil operation DPFail
W3D_Q_STENCIL_DPPASS	stencil operation DPPASS
W3D_Q_STENCIL_WRMASK	stencil buffer supports write ↔
maskin	
g	
te	
W3D_Q_PALETTECONV	driver can use texture with a ↔
pallet	

		other than the screen palette ←
		on
		8 bit screens
	W3D_Q_DRAW_POINT_FX	driver supports point fx (fog, ←
	zbuffe	
r)	W3D_Q_DRAW_POINT_TEX	driver supports points textured
	W3D_Q_DRAW_LINE_FX	driver supports line fx
	W3D_Q_DRAW_LINE_TEX	driver supports textured lines
	W3D_Q_SPECULAR	driver supports specular reflection
destfmt	- The destination format	

#### RESULT

Depends on the item. With most of the "is this supported"-type queries, one of the following constants is returned:

W3D_FULLY_SUPPORTED	Completely supported by driver
W3D_PARTIALLY_SUPPORTED	Only partially supported
W3D_NOT_SUPPORTED	Not supported

With "what is the value"-type queries like W3D\_Q\_MAXTEXWIDTH, an ULONG is returned.

#### EXAMPLE

```
switch(W3D_Query(context, W3D_Q_TEXMAPING, destfmt)) {
case W3D_FULLY_SUPPORTED:    printf("Completely supported by driver\n");
                             break;
case W3D_PARTIALLY_SUPPORTED: printf("Only partially supported\n");
                             break;
case W3D_NOT_SUPPORTED:     printf("Not supported\n");
                             break;
}
```

#### NOTES

Regarding chunky/ARGB combinations:

You are advised that you always use chunky textures with chunky screens only, and ARGB textures with ARGB screens

**IMPORTANT:** Prior to Version 2 of the API, the W3D\_Query function could be called with a NULL pointer instead of a context. Although this possibility is still supported for backward compatibility, the programmer is strictly encouraged to use the new W3D\_QueryDriver function instead. The W3D\_QueryDriver function may be used to directly query a specific driver for capabilities, which is essential when working with V2+ and multiple drivers.

#### BUGS

#### SEE ALSO

W3D\_QueryDriver()

## 1.35 Warp3D/W3D\_QueryDriver

#### NAME

W3D\_QueryDriver -- Query capabilities of any driver (V2)

## SYNOPSIS

```
res = W3D_QueryDriver(driver, query, destfmt)
d0          a0          d0          d1
```

```
ULONG W3D_QueryDriver(W3D_Driver *, ULONG, ULONG);
```

## FUNCTION

This function is similar to the `W3D_Query` function, only that it does not require a context but rather operates on a driver obtained by `W3D_GetDrivers()`.

## INPUTS

`driver` - A pointer to a `W3D_Driver` structure obtained by `W3D_GetDrivers()`  
`query` - The data item to be queried. See `W3D_Query()` for a list of available query items.  
`destfmt` - The destination format you intend to use.

## RESULT

One of the following values is returned:

<code>W3D_FULLY_SUPPORTED</code>	Completely supported by driver
<code>W3D_PARTIALLY_SUPPORTED</code>	Only partially supported
<code>W3D_NOT_SUPPORTED</code>	Not supported

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

## BUGS

## SEE ALSO

`W3D_Query()`, `W3D_GetDrivers()`

## 1.36 Warp3D/W3D\_ReadStencilPixel

## NAME

`W3D_ReadStencilPixel` -- Read a pixel from the stencil buffer

## SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_ReadStencilPixel(context, x, y, st);
d0          a0          d0 d1 a1
```

```
ULONG W3D_ReadStencilPixel(W3D_Context *, ULONG, ULONG, ULONG *);
```

## FUNCTION

Read the stencil buffer pixel at `x,y` into the variable pointed to by `st`.  
 This function may only be used while the hardware is locked, except when indirect drawing is used.

## INPUTS

`context` - The context to use  
`x,y` - Coordinates of point  
`st` - Pointer to a variable to hold the read pixel

## RESULT

One of the following values:

W3D_SUCCESS	Operation successful
W3D_NOSTENCILBUFFER	No stencil buffer present
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	The stencil buffer can not be accessed by the hardware
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

This function is primarily intended for OpenGL implementations, which might need access to the stencil buffer. This function is slow and should normally not be called.

Important note: In indirect mode you have to make sure, that the stencil buffer is up to date, no Flush is internally done by this function. You have to call W3D\_Flush, if the stencil buffer is not up to date yet.

## BUGS

Indirect mode: the hardware is internally not locked for performance reasons, therefore the result might be wrong, if the corresponding buffer is swapped out.

## SEE ALSO

W3D\_ReadStencilSpan

## 1.37 Warp3D/W3D\_ReadStencilSpan

## NAME

W3D\_ReadStencilSpan -- Read a range of stencil buffer pixels

## SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_ReadStencilSpan(context, x, y, n, st);
d0                                a0                d0 d1 d2 a1
```

```
ULONG W3D_ReadStencilSpan(W3D_Context *, ULONG, ULONG, ULONG,
                          ULONG []);
```

## FUNCTION

Read a span of pixel value from the stencil buffer. The resulting pixels are put into the memory area pointed to by st. This function may only be used while the hardware is locked, except when indirect drawing is used.

## INPUTS

context	- The context
x,y	- Coordinates of span start
n	- Number of pixels to read
st	- pointer to the array to hold the pixel

## RESULT

One of the following values:

W3D_SUCCESS	Operation successful
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W3D_NOSTENCILBUFFER	No stencil buffer found
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	The stencil buffer can not be accessed by the hardware
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

#### EXAMPLE

#### NOTES

If you need to read more than one consecutive pixel, use this function instead of calling the single pixel version repeatedly.

This function is primarily intended for OpenGL implementations, which might need access to the stencil buffer. This function is slow and should normally not be called.

Important note: In indirect mode you have to make sure, that the stencil buffer is up to date, no Flush is internally done by this function. You have to call W3D\_Flush, if the stencil buffer is not up to date yet.

#### BUGS

Indirect mode: the hardware is internally not locked for performance reasons, therefore the result might be wrong, if the corresponding buffer is swapped out.

#### SEE ALSO

W3D\_ReadStencilPixel

## 1.38 Warp3D/W3D\_ReadZPixel

#### NAME

W3D\_ReadZPixel -- Read a pixel value from the ZBuffer

#### SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_ReadZPixel(context, x, y, z);
d0          a0          d0 d1 a1
```

```
ULONG W3D_ReadZPixel(W3D_Context *, ULONG, ULONG, W3D_Double *);
```

#### FUNCTION

Read ZBuffer pixel x,y into variable pointed to by z;  
This function may only be used while the hardware is locked, except when indirect drawing is used.

#### INPUTS

```
context - pointer to the context
x,y     - coordinates of pixel
z       - pointer to a W3D_Double
```

#### RESULT

One of the following:

```
W3D_SUCCESS      Successful operation
W3D_NOZBUFFER    No ZBuffer was allocated
W3D_NOTVISIBLE   ZBuffer is not visible
```

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

This function is primarily intended for OpenGL implementations, which might need access to the Z buffer. This function is slow and should normally not be called.

## \* IMPORTANT NOTE: \*

For speed reasons, this call is *\*NOT\** compatible with indirect drawing. To use this call with indirect mode, you have to manually W3D\_Flush, and, should you use any drawing calls, you'll have to W3D\_Flush again.

## BUGS

Indirect mode: the hardware is internally not locked for performance reasons, therefore the result might be wrong, if the corresponding buffer is swapped out.

## SEE ALSO

W3D\_ReadZSpan

## 1.39 Warp3D/W3D\_ReadZSpan

## NAME

W3D\_ReadZSpan -- read a range of ZBuffer pixels

## SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_ReadZSpan(context, x, y, n, z);
d0          a0          d0 d1 d2 a1
```

```
ULONG W3D_ReadZSpan(W3D_Context *, ULONG, ULONG, ULONG, W3D_Double []);
```

## FUNCTION

Read a span of ZBuffer pixels into an array pointed to by the z parameter.

This function may only be used while the hardware is locked, except when indirect drawing is used.

## INPUTS

context - Pointer to the context  
 x,y - Coordinates of pixels  
 n - Number of pixels to read  
 z - Array of W3D\_Double to fill. Note that the array must be large enough (i.e. at least n)

## RESULT

One of the following values

W3D_SUCCESS	Operation successful
W3D_NOZBUFFER	No ZBuffer was allocated
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	ZBuffer is not visible

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

You should use this function instead of W3D\_ReadZPixel if you're going to read more pixels than just one.



This function is primarily intended for OpenGL implementations, which might need access to the Z buffer. This function is slow and should normally not be called.

\* IMPORTANT NOTE: \*

For speed reasons, this call is *\*NOT\** compatible with indirect drawing. To use this call with indirect mode, you have to manually `W3D_Flush`, and, should you use any drawing calls, you'll have to `W3D_Flush` again.

#### BUGS

Indirect mode: the hardware is internally not locked for performance reasons, therefore the result might be wrong, if the corresponding buffer is swapped out.

#### SEE ALSO

`W3D_ReadZPixel`

## 1.40 Warp3D/W3D\_ReleaseTexture

#### NAME

`W3D_ReleaseTexture` -- Release texture from video ram

#### SYNOPSIS

```
W3D_ReleaseTexture(context, texture);
                   a0      a1
```

```
void W3D_ReleaseTexture(W3D_Context *, W3D_Texture *);
```

#### FUNCTION

Release a texture from video ram. This frees the memory allocated by that texture.

#### INPUTS

`context` - Pointer to a `W3D_Context`  
`texture` - Pointer to the texture to be released

#### RESULT

None

#### EXAMPLE

```
extern W3D_Texture *texture;
extern W3D_Context *context;
W3D_ReleaseTexture(context, texture);
```

#### NOTES

This call does nothing if `W3D_AUTOTEXMANAGEMENT` is set in the context's state.

#### BUGS

#### SEE ALSO

`W3D_UploadTexture`

---

## 1.41 Warp3D/W3D\_RequestMode

### NAME

W3D\_RequestMode -- Request a screen mode (V2)

### SYNOPSIS

```
ModeID = W3D_RequestMode(taglist);
      D0                      a0
```

```
ULONG W3D_RequestMode(struct TagItem *);
```

### FUNCTION

This function presents the user with an ASL-Type screen mode requester. The mode requester will only include those screen modes that are supported by the specified combination of tag items.

### INPUTS

taglist - A taglist of W3D\_SMR\_#? items. The following items are defined:

W3D\_SMR\_SIZEFILTER (BOOL)

If set to TRUE, filter ASLSM\_MinWidth, ASLSM\_MinHeight, ASLSM\_MaxWidth, ASL\_MaxHeight

W3D\_SMR\_DRIVER (W3D\_Driver \*)

A pointer to a W3D\_Driver structure that you want to use. If this tag is specified, the screen modes in the requester will all be compatible with this driver.

W3D\_SMR\_DESTFMT (W3D\_FMT\_#? constants)

The screen/bitmap formats you want to use. If this tag is active, all screenmodes will be filtered accordingly. You may specify a bitmask to get more than one format.

W3D\_SMR\_TYPE (W3D\_DRIVER\_3DHW/W3D\_DRIVER\_CPU)

Specifies if you want to filter the screen modes according to the driver type. If this is set to W3D\_DRIVER\_CPU, only the active CPU driver is used for filtering. Otherwise, all modes of all hardware is filtered, unless the W3D\_SMR\_DRIVER tag specifies a special driver.

ASLSM\_???

You may give an arbitrary number of ASLSM\_#? tags that will be passed to asl.library. Most notably, these include those tags the localize the requester or modify the look, including position and size. Most notably, the ASLSM\_Min#? and ASLSM\_Max#? tags may be used in a special meaning if the W3D\_SMR\_SIZEFILTER tag item is present and set to TRUE.

Not all of the combinations make sense, for example, specifying W3D\_SMR\_TYPE together with W3D\_SMR\_DRIVER.

### RESULT

ModeID - The ModeID the user selected, or INVALID\_ID if the requester was cancelled.

### EXAMPLE

### NOTES

### BUGS

SEE ALSO  
 W3D\_SelectDriver()

## 1.42 Warp3D/W3D\_SetAlphaMode

### NAME

W3D\_SetAlpha -- Set the alpha test mode

### SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_SetAlphaMode(context, mode, refval);
d0              a0              d1      a1

ULONG W3D_SetAlphaMode(W3D_Context, ULONG, W3D_Float *);
```

### FUNCTION

This function defines the way the alpha test is performed. This test compares the incoming pixel's alpha value with the reference value, and decides, depending on the set mode, if the pixel is discarded or not.

### INPUTS

context - The context  
 mode - The alpha test mode. One of the following:

W3D_A_NEVER	Always discard
W3D_A_LESS	Draw, if value < refvalue
W3D_A_GEQUAL	Draw, if value >= refvalue
W3D_A_LEQUAL	Draw, if value <= refvalue
W3D_A_GREATER	Draw, if value > refvalue
W3D_A_NOTEQUAL	Draw, if value != refvalue
W3D_A_ALWAYS	always draw

refvalue - Pointer to the alpha reference value. Must be in the interval [0..1]

### RESULT

One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Illegal alpha mode
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDTEST	Alpha test unsupported
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

### EXAMPLE

### NOTES

Alpha testing is probably not supported on older 3D hardware.

### BUGS

SEE ALSO

## 1.43 Warp3D/W3D\_SetBlendMode

## NAME

W3D\_SetBlendMode -- Set the blending mode

## SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_SetBlendMode(context, srcfunc, dstfunc);
d0          a0          d0          d1
```

```
ULONG W3D_SetBlendMode(W3D_Context *, ULONG, ULONG);
```

## FUNCTION

Sets the blending mode. Blending has to be enabled using W3D\_SetState. For more information about the blending modes, see the OpenGL specs.

## INPUTS

context - pointer to the W3D\_Context

srcfunc - The mode for the source pixel. Values are:

```
W3D_ZERO
W3D_ONE
W3D_DST_COLOR
W3D_ONE_MINUS_DST_COLOR
W3D_SRC_ALPHA
W3D_ONE_MINUS_SRC_ALPHA
W3D_DST_ALPHA
W3D_ONE_MINUS_DST_ALPHA
W3D_SRC_ALPHA_SATURATE
W3D_CONSTANT_COLOR
W3D_ONE_MINUS_CONSTANT_COLOR
W3D_CONSTANT_ALPHA
W3D_ONE_MINUS_CONSTANT_ALPHA
```

dstfunc - Mode for the destination:

```
W3D_ZERO
W3D_ONE
W3D_SRC_COLOR
W3D_ONE_MINUS_SRC_COLOR
W3D_SRC_ALPHA
W3D_ONE_MINUS_SRC_ALPHA
W3D_DST_ALPHA
W3D_ONE_MINUS_DST_ALPHA
W3D_CONSTANT_COLOR
W3D_ONE_MINUS_CONSTANT_COLOR
W3D_CONSTANT_ALPHA
W3D_ONE_MINUS_CONSTANT_ALPHA
```

## RESULT

One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Illegal alpha blend mode
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDBLEND	Mode is not supported by current driver
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

## BUGS

SEE ALSO  
W3D\_SetState, W3D\_GetState

## 1.44 Warp3D/W3D\_SetColorMask

### NAME

W3D\_SetColorMask -- Set mask for drawing

### SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_SetColorMask(context, red, green, blue, alpha);
d0          a0          d0  d1  d2  d3

ULONG W3D_SetColorMask(W3D_Context *, W3D_Bool, W3D_Bool, W3D_Bool,
W3D_Bool);
```

### FUNCTION

This function defines the mask for all drawing operations in direct color mode (15/16/24/32 bit modes).

### INPUTS

context        - the context  
red  
green  
blue  
alpha        - If set to FALSE, the component should be masked out.

### RESULT

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
W3D_MASKNOTSUPPORTED	Masking is not supported by the current driver
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

### EXAMPLE

### NOTES

### BUGS

SEE ALSO  
W3D\_SetPenMask

## 1.45 Warp3D/W3D\_SetCurrentColor

### NAME

W3D\_SetCurrentColor -- Set color for single-color operations

### SYNOPSIS

```
ret = W3D_SetCurrentColor(context, color);
          a0          a1

ULONG W3D_SetCurrentColor(W3D_Context *, W3D_Color *);
```

**FUNCTION**

Defines the color to use for operations where one single color is used, i.e. flat-shaded objects. This color is only used for RGBA destinations.

**INPUTS**

context - Context pointer  
color - Pointer to a color to use

**RESULT**

W3D\_QUEUFAIL Queueing failed in indirect mode  
W3D\_NOTVISIBLE Locking failed in indirect mode

**EXAMPLE****NOTES****BUGS****SEE ALSO**

## 1.46 Warp3D/W3D\_SetCurrentPen

**NAME**

W3D\_SetCurrentPen -- Set pen for single-color operations

**SYNOPSIS**

```
W3D_SetCurrentPen(context, pen);  
                  a0      d1
```

```
void W3D_SetCurrentPen(W3D_Context *, ULONG);
```

**FUNCTION**

Define the pen to use for single-color operations, such as flat-shaded objects. The pen setting is only used for chunky destinations.

**INPUTS**

context - a context pointer  
pen - the pen number to use

**RESULT**

W3D\_QUEUFAIL Queueing failed in indirect mode  
W3D\_NOTVISIBLE Locking failed in indirect mode

**EXAMPLE****NOTES****BUGS****SEE ALSO**

## 1.47 Warp3D/W3D\_SetDrawRegion

### NAME

W3D\_SetDrawRegion -- Set the clipping rectangle

### SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_SetDrawRegion(context, bm, yoffset, scissor);
d0          a0          a1  d1          a2

ULONG W3D_SetDrawRegion(W3D_Context *, struct BitMap *, ULONG,
                        W3D_Scissor *);
```

### FUNCTION

This function defines/changes the current drawing region.  
It's used for multibuffering and clipping.

### INPUTS

context - The context  
bm - The bitmap to draw to. If NULL, the old bitmap is used  
yoffset - The vertical offset for the top-left edge. Used for multibuffering.  
scissor - If not NULL, defines the scissoring region. All values are taken to be relative to (0, yoffset) in the bitmap.

### RESULT

One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	Success.
W3D_ILLEGALBITMAP	Illegal bitmap
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDFMT	Unsupported format
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

### EXAMPLE

### NOTES

Due to constraints on bitmap placement in some drivers, bitmap data must be aligned to 8 byte boundaries

### BUGS

### SEE ALSO

## 1.48 Warp3D/W3D\_SetDrawRegionWBM

### NAME

W3D\_SetDrawRegionWBM -- Set the clipping rectangle for a W3D\_Bitmap

### SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_SetDrawRegion(context, bm, scissor);
d0          a0          a1  a2

ULONG W3D_SetDrawRegion(W3D_Context *, W3D_Bitmap *, W3D_Scissor *);
```

### FUNCTION

This function defines/changes the current drawing region.  
 It's used for multibuffering and clipping.  
 The only difference to W3D\_SetDrawRegion is the bitmap used.

#### INPUTS

context - The context  
 bm - The bitmap to draw to. If NULL, the old bitmap is used  
 scissor - If not NULL, defines the scissoring region. All values  
           are taken to be relative to (0, yoffset) in the bitmap.

#### RESULT

One of the following:  
 W3D\_SUCCESS Success.  
 W3D\_ILLEGALBITMAP Illegal bitmap  
 W3D\_UNSUPPORTEDFMT Unsupported format

#### EXAMPLE

#### NOTES

#### BUGS

#### SEE ALSO

W3D\_SetDrawRegion

## 1.49 Warp3D/W3D\_SetFilter

#### NAME

W3D\_SetFilter -- Set the filter method

#### SYNOPSIS

```
res = W3D_SetFilter(context, texture, MinFilter, MagFilter);
d0                  a0          a1          d0          d1
```

```
ULONG W3D_SetFilter(W3D_Context *, W3D_Texture *, ULONG,
                    ULONG);
```

#### FUNCTION

Set the texture's filter mode. The filter mode used is  
 texture dependant, so it is possible to set different  
 filter modes for different texture.

#### INPUTS

context - Pointer to a W3D\_Context  
 texture - Pointer to the texture to be modified  
 MinFilter - Minification filter. May be one of the following:  
           W3D\_NEAREST no mipmapping, no filtering  
           W3D\_LINEAR no mipmapping, bilinear filtering  
           W3D\_NEAREST\_MIP\_NEAREST mipmapping, no filtering  
           W3D\_LINEAR\_MIP\_NEAREST mipmapping, bilinear filtering  
           W3D\_NEAREST\_MIP\_LINEAR mipmapping filtered, no filtering ↩  
                                   on

texture  
                                   W3D\_LINEAR\_MIP\_LINEAR mipmapping with trilinear ↩  
                                   filtering



MagFilter - Magnification filter. One of these:

W3D_NEAREST	no filtering
W3D_LINEAR	Bilinear filtering

#### RESULT

A value indicating success or failure. May be one of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Illegal values for Min/MagFilter
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDFILTER	Desired filter not supported by driver
W3D_WARNING	Success, but the filter mode was adjusted, because *_MIP_* was given for a texture without mipmaps
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

#### EXAMPLE

#### NOTES

Some hardware may ignore the MagFilter. In this case, the MinFilter is used even if the texture is enlarged.

#### BUGS

#### SEE ALSO

W3D\_Query, W3D\_GetTexFmtInfo

## 1.50 Warp3D/W3D\_SetFogParams

#### NAME

W3D\_SetFogParams -- Set fog parameters

#### SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_SetFogParams(context, fogparams, fogmode);
d0              a0      a1      d1
```

```
ULONG W3D_SetFogParams(W3D_Context *, W3D_Fog *, ULONG);
```

#### FUNCTION

This function defines fogging parameters and modes.

#### INPUTS

context	- The context to be modified
fogparams	- Pointer to a W3D_Fog.
fogmode	- The type of fog.
	W3D_FOG_LINEAR    Linear fog
	W3D_FOG_EXP      Exponential fog
	W3D_FOG_EXP_2    Square exponential fogging

#### RESULT

One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Illegal input
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDFOG	Fog mode is not supported by current driver
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

#### EXAMPLE

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NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO

## 1.51 Warp3D/W3D\_SetLogicOp

NAME

W3D\_SetLogicOp -- Define logical operation

SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_SetLogicOp(context, operation);
d0          a0          d1
```

```
ULONG W3D_SetLogicOp(W3D_Context *, ULONG);
```

FUNCTION

Set the logical operation. For further information, see the OpenGL specs.

INPUTS

context	- Same as ever	
operation	- The logical operation desired. Possible values are:	
	W3D_LO_CLEAR	dest = 0
	W3D_LO_AND	dest = source & dest
	W3D_LO_AND_REVERSE	dest = source & !dest
	W3D_LO_COPY	dest = source
	W3D_LO_AND_INVERTED	dest = !source & dest
	W3D_LO_NOOP	dest = dest
	W3D_LO_XOR	dest = source ^ dest
	W3D_LO_OR	dest = source   dest
	W3D_LO_NOR	dest = !(source   dest)
	W3D_LO_EQUIV	dest = !(source ^ dest)
	W3D_LO_INVERT	dest = !dest
	W3D_LO_OR_REVERSE	dest = source   !dest
	W3D_LO_COPY_INVERTED	dest = !source
	W3D_LO_OR_INVERTED	dest = !source   dest
	W3D_LO_NAND	dest = !(source & dest)
	W3D_LO_SET	dest = 1

RESULT

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Wrong operation
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDLOGICOP	Unsupported by current driver
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

EXAMPLE

NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO

## 1.52 Warp3D/W3D\_SetPenMask

NAME

W3D\_SetPenMask -- set a pen mask for drawing operations

SYNOPSIS

```
ret = W3D_SetPenMask(context, indexmask)
d0          a0          d1
```

```
ULONG W3D_SetPenMask(W3D_Context *, ULONG);
```

FUNCTION

This function defines the mask for all drawing operations in chunky modes (8 bit modes).

INPUTS

context        - The context to use  
indexmask      - A bitmask which is applied to chunky pixels

RESULT

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
W3D_MASKNOTSUPPORTED	Masking is not supported by the current driver
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

EXAMPLE

NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO

W3D\_SetColorMask

## 1.53 Warp3D/W3D\_SetScissor

NAME

W3D\_SetScissor -- (Re-) Set the clipping rectangle

SYNOPSIS

```
W3D_SetScissor(context, scissor);
a0          a1
```

```
void W3D_SetScissor(W3D_Context* context, W3D_Scissor* scissor);
```

FUNCTION

This function sets or resets the clipping rectangle while retaining the current drawing region.

INPUTS

context        - The context structure

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scissor - A new scissor or NULL for full-screen/no clipping

RESULT

EXAMPLE

NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO

W3D\_SetDrawRegion()

## 1.54 Warp3D/W3D\_SetState

NAME

W3D\_SetState -- Enable or disable hardware and context states

SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_SetState(context, state, newstate);
d0          a0          d0          d1
```

```
ULONG W3D_SetState(W3D_Context *, ULONG, ULONG);
```

FUNCTION

This function is used to enable or disable hardware effects or context states. Success or failure depends on the hardware's ability to use the effect. Some hardware may not even be able to switch off some effects.

INPUTS

context	- pointer to a W3D_Context
state	- state to be changed. Current states are listed here. For a more detailed description, read the doc files.
	W3D_AUTOTEXMANAGEMENT automatic texture management
	W3D_SYNCHRON wait, until HW is idle
	W3D_INDIRECT buffer drawings until W3D_Flush()'ed
	W3D_GLOBALTEXENV global texture modes
	W3D_DOUBLEHEIGHT screen has double height
	W3D_FAST Drawing functions may modify passed ←
	st

tructures

W3D_TEXMAPPING	texmapping state
W3D_PERSPECTIVE	perspective correction state
W3D_GOURAUD	gouraud/flat shading
W3D_ZBUFFER	Z-Buffer state
W3D_ZBUFFERUPDATE	Z-Buffer update state
W3D_BLENDING	Alpha blending state
W3D_FOGGING	Fogging state
W3D_ANTI_POINT	Point antialiasing
W3D_ANTI_LINE	Line antialiasing
W3D_ANTI_POLYGON	Polygon antialiasing
W3D_ANTI_FULLSCREEN	Fullscreen antialiasing
W3D_DITHERING	dithering state
W3D_LOGICOP	logical operations state

	W3D_STENCILBUFFER	stencil buffer state
	W3D_ALPHATEST	alpha test operation
	W3D_SPECULAR	Specular highlighting state
	W3D_TEXMAPPING3D	3D texturemapping state
	W3D_SCISSOR	Scissor test
newstate	- indicates what should be done to the state bit:	
	W3D_ENABLE	try to switch this feature on
	W3D_DISABLE	try to switch it off

**RESULT**

One of two constants:

W3D_SUCCESS	the operation was successful
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDSTATE	the operation can not be done

**EXAMPLE**

```
if (W3D_UNSUPPORTEDSTATE == W3D_SetState(context, W3D_ANTI_FULLSCREEN,
                                             W3D_ENABLE)) {
    printf("This hardware does not support fullscreen antialiasing\n");
} else {
    printf("Fullscreen antialiasing enabled\n");
}
```

**NOTES**

It's not required to check the return value, however, do not assume ↵ anything.

The current hardware may not have any restrictions on using i.e. Z buffering, but future hardware may.

**BUGS****SEE ALSO**

W3D\_GetState, W3D\_Query

## 1.55 Warp3D/W3D\_SetStencilFunc

**NAME**

W3D\_SetStencilFunc -- Set stencil function

**SYNOPSIS**

```
success = W3D_SetStencilFunc(context, func, refvalue, mask);
d0                a0                d0    d1    d2
```

```
ULONG W3D_SetStencilMode(W3D_Context *, ULONG, ULONG, ULONG);
```

**FUNCTION**

Set the stencil test function, as used by the OpenGL render pipeline. For more information, refer to the OpenGL specs.

**INPUTS**

context	- W3D context structure
func	- stencil test function. Possible value are:
	W3D_ST_NEVER don't draw pixel
	W3D_ST_ALWAYS draw always
	W3D_ST_LESS draw, if refvalue < ST
	W3D_ST_LEQUAL draw, if refvalue <= ST

	W3D_ST_EQUAL	draw, if refvalue == ST
	W3D_ST_GEQUAL	draw, if refvalue >= ST
	W3D_ST_GREATER	draw, if refvalue > ST
	W3D_ST_NOTEQUAL	draw, if refvalue != ST
refvalue	- reference value (0-255) used for the stencil test	
mask	- mask value applied to 'refvalue' and to the stencil ←	
buffer		
	content	

RESULT

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Illegal input
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDSTTEST	Not supported by current driver
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

#### EXAMPLE

#### NOTES

Stencil buffering is only supported by newer hardware  
 Note that the stencil test has to be enabled using  
 W3D\_SetState.

#### BUGS

#### SEE ALSO

## 1.56 Warp3D/W3D\_SetStencilOp

#### NAME

W3D\_SetStencilOp -- Set stencil operation

#### SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_SetStencilOp(context, sfail, dpfail, dppass);
d0          a0          d0          d1          d2

ULONG W3D_SetStencilOp(W3D_Context *, ULONG, ULONG, ULONG);
```

#### FUNCTION

Set the stencil test operation, as used by the OpenGL render pipeline. For more information, refer to the OpenGL specs.

#### INPUTS

context	- context pointer
dpfail	- action, if depth test fails
dppass	- action, if depth test succeeds. Possible values are (for all three mentioned cases):
	W3D_ST_KEEP           keep stencil buffer value
	W3D_ST_ZERO          clear stencil buffer value
	W3D_ST_REPLACE       replace by reference value
	W3D_ST_INCR          increment
	W3D_ST_DECR          decrement
	W3D_ST_INVERT        invert bitwise

#### RESULT

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
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W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Illegal input
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDSTTEST	Not supported by current driver
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

Stencil buffering is only supported on newer hardware.  
 Note that the stencil test has to be enabled using  
 W3D\_SetState.

## BUGS

## SEE ALSO

## 1.57 Warp3D/W3D\_SetTexEnv

## NAME

W3D\_SetTexEnv -- Set texture environment parameters

## SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_SetTexEnv(context, texture, envparam, envcolor);
d0          a0          a1          d1          a2
```

```
ULONG W3D_SetTexEnv(W3D_Context *, W3D_Texture *, ULONG,
                    W3D_Color *);
```

## FUNCTION

This function is used to set the texture environment parameters.  
 These parameters define how a texture is applied to a drawn  
 primitive. This also involves lit-texturing, and unlit-texturing.

## INPUTS

context	- a pointer to a W3D_Context (surprise !:)
texture	- a pointer to the texture object to be modified
envparam	- the environment parameter. One of the following:
	W3D_REPLACE      Unlit texturing
	W3D_DECAL        Lit texturing using the alpha component
	as blending value
	W3D_MODULATE     Lit texturing by modulation of source
	and destination. Modulation means
	source and destination are multiplied.
	W3D_BLEND        Blending with the color in envcolor.
envcolor	- Only specified when envparam == W3D_BLEND. The
	given color value is used for blending with the texture.
	Must be NULL for all other envparams.

## RESULT

A value indicating success or failure. Current values are:

W3D_SUCCESS	(guess :)
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	Unknown envparam given
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDTEXENV	Not supported by the current driver
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

The texture environment is texture-specific by default. By enabling the W3D\_GLOBALTEXENV state using W3D\_SetState() the texture environment can be made global for all textures (this is the case in OpenGL, for example).

## BUGS

## SEE ALSO

W3D\_GetTexFmtInfo

## 1.58 Warp3D/W3D\_SetWrapMode

## NAME

W3D\_SetWrapMode -- Set the texture's wrapping mode

## SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_SetWrapMode(context, texture, mode_s, mode_t, border);
d0          a0          a1          d0          d1          a2
```

```
ULONG W3D_SetWrapMode(W3D_Context *, W3D_Texture *, ULONG,
                      ULONG, W3D_Color *);
```

## FUNCTION

Sets the texture's wrapping mode.

## INPUTS

context	- A W3D_Context pointer
texture	- The texture to be modified
mode_s	- The wrapping in s direction (vertical). Can be one of the following constants: W3D_REPEAT      Texture is repeated W3D_CLAMP      Texture is clamped, the border is filled with the color given in border.
mode_t	- Wrapping in t direction (horizontal). Same as above.
border	- A pointer to a W3D_Color used for the border (when clamping).

## RESULT

A value indicating success or failure. One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	- Success
W3D_ILLEGALINPUT	- Illegal wrap mode
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDWRAPMODE	- The desired wrap mode is not supported by the current driver

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

The Virge does not allow asymmetric wrapping, therefore you should use the query facility, if asymmetric wrapping is possible.

You should usually use W3D\_REPEAT, since W3D\_CLAMP is currently not possible with the Virge.

## BUGS



SEE ALSO  
W3D\_Query, W3D\_GetTexFmtInfo

## 1.59 Warp3D/W3D\_SetWriteMask

### NAME

W3D\_SetWriteMask -- write protext bits in the stencil buffer

### SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_SetWriteMask(context, mask);
d0              a0              d1

ULONG W3D_SetWriteMask(W3D_Context *, ULONG);
```

### FUNCTION

Defines which bits of the stencil buffer are write protected

### INPUTS

context - context pointer  
mask - a bitmask, indicating which bits of the stencil buffer should be write-protected. Setting a bit to 1 allows write access, while a 0 bit protects it from writing

### RESULT

W3D_SUCCESS	success
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDTEST	Not supported by current driver
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

### EXAMPLE

### NOTES

Stencil buffering is only supported on newer hardware.  
Note that the stencil test has to be enabled using W3D\_SetState.

### BUGS

SEE ALSO

## 1.60 Warp3D/W3D\_SetZCompareMode

### NAME

W3D\_SetZCompareMode -- Set the ZBuffer compare mode

### SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_SetZCompareMode(context, mode);
d0              a0              d1

ULONG W3D_SetZCompareMode(W3d_Context *, ULONG);
```

FUNCTION

Set the compare mode used by ZBuffering. This mode determines what will be drawn depending on the z coordinate of the primitive to be drawn, and the value currently in the ZBuffer. For more information on ZBuffering, see the OpenGL specs, or get a textbook about Computer Graphics.

## INPUTS

```
context - A context pointer
mode    - The ZBuffer compare mode. One of the following values:
           W3D_Z_NEVER           Never pass, discard pixel
           W3D_Z_LESS           Draw if z < zbuffer
           W3D_Z_GEQUAL        Draw if z >= zbuffer
           W3D_Z_LEQUAL        Draw if z <= zbuffer
           W3D_Z_GREATER       Draw if z > zbuffer
           W3D_Z_NOTEQUAL      Draw if z != zbuffer
           W3D_Z_EQUAL         Draw if Z == zbuffer
           W3D_Z_ALWAYS        Always draw
```

## RESULT

One of the following values:

W3D_SUCCESS	Operation successful
W3D_ILLEGLAINPUT	Illegal compare mode
W3D_UNSUPPORTEDZCMP	Comparemode unsupported by current driver
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	Indirect mode only. Locking failed.

### EXAMPLE

## NOTES

W3D\_Z\_LESS is the "normal" behavior (i.e. depth cueing), while W3D\_Z\_NOTEQUAL can be used as a poor man's stencil buffering.

When mixing software and hardware rendering (for example in OpenGL implementations, then you should be aware, that using some of the Z compare modes (i.e. W3D\_Z\_EQUAL, W3D\_Z\_NOTEQUAL) might not work correctly, since the results of the software engine might not be exactly the same as the results of the hardware engine.

## BUGS

SEE ALSO

W3D\_ClearZBuffer

### 1.61 Warp3D/W3D TestMode

## NAME

W3D\_TestMode -- Test Mode and return driver (V2)

## SYNOPSIS

```
driver = W3D_TestMode(modeid);  
        D0                D0  
  
W3D_Driver *W3D_TestMode(ULONG);
```

## FUNCTION

Given a standard ModeID, this function tests if there is a driver available for this DisplayID. A hardware driver is preferred, although it will return a CPU driver (if found) in case none of the installed hardware drivers support this screenmode.

## INPUTS

modeid - A standard AmigaOS DisplayID

## RESULT

driver - A pointer to a suitable driver or NULL if no matching or CPU driver found.

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

This function will also check if the CPU driver actually supports this format, so be prepared to check for a NULL return value.

## BUGS

## SEE ALSO

W3D\_GetDrivers

## 1.62 Warp3D/W3D\_UnLockHardware

## NAME

W3D\_UnLockHardware -- Release the exclusive hardware lock

## SYNOPSIS

```
W3D_UnLockHardware(context);  
a0  
  
void W3D_UnLockHardware(W3D_Context *);
```

## FUNCTION

This function releases a hardware lock previously acquired with W3D\_LockHardware.

## INPUTS

context - a pointer to a W3D\_Context

## RESULT

None

## EXAMPLE

```
if (W3D_SUCCESS == W3D_LockHardware(context)) {  
    ...  
    Render some stuff  
    ...  
    W3D_UnLockHardware(context);  
} else {  
    printf("Can't lock hardware\n");  
}
```

NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO

W3D\_LockHardware, W3D\_GetState

## 1.63 Warp3D/W3D\_UpdateTexImage

NAME

W3D\_UpdateTexImage -- Change the image of a texture or mipmap

SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_UpdateTexImage(context, texture, teximage, level, palette);
d0              a0      a1      a2      d1      a3
```

```
ULONG W3D_UpdateTexImage(W3D_Context *, W3D_Texture *, void *,
                          ULONG, ULONG *);
```

FUNCTION

Change the image mipmap data to the given texture. The new source image must have dimensions and format equal to the old one. Also, mipmap mode must be the same (meaning that if the old texture had mipmaps, so must the new).

The resident state is unaffected. If the texture is in video ram, the copy there will be replaced by the new image as soon as the texture is used again for rendering.

INPUTS

context	- a pointer to the current context
texture	- a pointer to the texture to be modified
teximage	- a pointer to the new image data
level	- the texture level to be changed. 0 is the source image, while levels != 0 are the mipmaps.
palette	- a pointer to a palette, if needed. May be NULL, even if the texture is chunky, in which case the old palette will remain valid. See the note to the W3D_ATO_PALETTE tag in W3D_AllocTexObject for some constraints on using chunky textures on 8bit screens

RESULT

One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
W3D_NOMEMORY	No memory left
W3D_NOMIPMAPS	Mipmaps are not supported by this texture object
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	(Indirect context only) Flushing failed due to failed hardware locking

EXAMPLE

NOTES

Update operations are expensive, when done very often, because of the bus bandwidth limitation. Be especially careful when using texture animations. On hardware with a lot of VRAM, it might be

better to treat all frames of such an animation as separate textures, so that all (or most of them) might be in VRAM.

BUGS

SEE ALSO

W3D\_AllocTexObj

## 1.64 Warp3D/W3D\_UpdateTexSubImage

NAME

W3D\_UpdateTexSubImage -- Change part of a texture

SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_UpdateTexSubImage(context, texture, teximage, level,
                                d0          a0          a1          a2          d1
                                palette, scissor, srcbpr);
                                a3          a4          d0
```

```
ULONG W3D_UpdateTexImage(W3D_Context *, W3D_Texture *, void *,
                          ULONG, ULONG *, W3D_Scissor*, ULONG);
```

FUNCTION

Update only part of a texture, as defined by the scissor region. The image data is assumed to be as large as the scissor region. If it's larger, the srcbpr parameter can be used to define the number of bytes per source row. If teximage is non-zero, the contents is copied into the texture. It can also be set to NULL. In this case, you can alter the texture image yourself in the following way: The pointer supplied with W3D\_AllocTexObj/W3D\_UpdateTexImage points to your supplied image data. You are allowed to change this data, BUT you MUST call W3D\_UpdateTexSubImage after changing BEFORE doing anything else. This call must not be used ← inside a W3D\_LockHardware/W3D\_UnLockHardware pair. The scissor is then considered a "damage region", and the area defined by it will be updated.

This function also recreates mipmaps, also only restricted to the scissor region.

INPUTS

context	- a pointer to the current context
texture	- a pointer to the texture to be modified
teximage	- a pointer to the new image data. Note that this pointer is only "temporary", it may be reused immediatly. This is different from the W3D_UpdateTexImage call.
level	- the texture level to be changed. 0 is the source image, while levels != 0 are the mipmaps.
palette	- a pointer to a palette, if needed. May be NULL, even if the texture is chunky, in which case the old palette will remain valid. See the note to the W3D_ATO_PALETTE tag in W3D_AllocTexObject for some constraints on using chunky textures on 8bit screens
scissor	- The given image data will be transfered into this region.
srcbpr	- Bytes per row in source image. May be set to zero to indicate that image data ans scissor size match.

## RESULT

One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
W3D_NOMEMORY	No memory left
W3D_NOMIPMAPS	Mipmaps are not supported by this texture object, or no mipmaps have been created yet.
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	(Indirect context only) Flushing failed due to failed hardware locking

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

Update operations are expensive, when done very often, because of the bus bandwidth limitation. Be especially careful when using texture animations. On hardware with a lot of VRAM, it might be better to treat all frames of such an animation as separate textures, so that all (or most of them) might be in VRAM.

## BUGS

## SEE ALSO

W3D\_AllocTexObj, W3D\_UpdateTexImage

## 1.65 Warp3D/W3D\_UploadTexture

## NAME

W3D\_UploadTexture -- Transfer a texture to video ram

## SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_UploadTexture(context, texture);
d0                      a0          a1

ULONG W3D_UploadTexture(W3D_Context *, W3D_Texture *);
```

## FUNCTION

'Upload' a texture to video ram. Video memory is allocated and the texture image is copied there. The source texture stays in main memory.

## INPUTS

context - a W3D\_Context  
texture - the W3D\_Texture to be transferred

## RESULT

A value indicating success or failure. One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	It worked.
W3D_NOGFXMEM	No video ram remaining.

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

This function does nothing when W3D\_AUTOTEXMANAGEMENT is set in the current context's state. Note also that transferring textures to video ram means transfer over the hardware's bus

system. Although newer cards like the CVPPC will have a PCI or similar bus, those bus system are still considered 'bottlenecks', and are usually much slower than main memory transfers. It is advised that you use automatic texture management, as this uses a LRU caching scheme. This was also used in ADescent, and gave about 99.7 % hit ratio.

BUGS

SEE ALSO

W3D\_ReleaseTexture, W3D\_FlushTexture.

## 1.66 Warp3D/W3D\_WaitIdle

NAME

W3D\_WaitIdle -- Wait for the hardware to become idle

SYNOPSIS

```
W3D_WaitIdle(context);  
a0
```

```
void W3D_WaitIdle(W3D_Context *);
```

FUNCTION

This function waits for the hardware to finish it's current operation. It blocks your program until then.

INPUTS

context - a pointer to W3D\_Context

RESULT

None

EXAMPLE

```
W3D_DrawSomething(context);  
W3D_WaitIdle(context);  
printf("Hardware is free again\n");
```

NOTES

You should use this function instead of W3D\_CheckIdle if you just want to wait for the hardware. This function may use signals and/or interrupts for waiting, letting the CPU take care of other tasks while waiting

Usually you won't need to call this function, since W3D takes care, that any drawing operation is only done, if the hardware is ready to get a new job.

BUGS

SEE ALSO

W3D\_CheckIdle

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## 1.67 Warp3D/W3D\_WriteStencilPixel

### NAME

W3D\_WriteStencilPixel -- Write a pixel into the stencil buffer

### SYNOPSIS

```
res = W3D_WriteStencilBuffer(context, x, y, st);
d0          a0          d0 d1 d2

ULONG W3D_WriteStencilBuffer(W3D_Context *, ULONG, ULONG, ULONG);
```

### FUNCTION

This function writes the pixel `st` into the stencil buffer of `context`, at position `x,y`.  
This function may only be used while the hardware is locked, except when indirect drawing is used.

### INPUTS

`context` - a context pointer  
`x,y` - position to write to  
`st` - the pixel value

### RESULT

A constant indicating success or failure. One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
W3D_NOSTENCILBUFFER	Stencil buffering not supported by current driver
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	The stencil buffer can not be accessed by the hardware

### EXAMPLE

### NOTES

Stencil buffering is not supported on older hardware.

This function is primarily intended for OpenGL implementations, which might need access to the stencil buffer. This function is slow and should normally not be called.

Important note: In indirect mode you have to make sure, that the stencil buffer is up to date, no Flush is internally done by this function. You have to call `W3D_Flush`, if the stencil buffer is not up to date yet.

### BUGS

Indirect mode: the hardware is internally not locked for performance reasons, therefore the result might be wrong, if the corresponding buffer is swapped out.

### SEE ALSO

`W3D_AllocStencilBuffer`

## 1.68 Warp3D/W3D\_WriteStencilSpan



## NAME

W3D\_WriteStencilSpan -- Write a span of stencil pixels

## SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_WriteStencilSpan(context, x, y, n, st, mask);
d0                                a0          d0 d1 d2 a1  a2
```

```
ULONG W3D_WriteStencilSpan(W3D_Context *, ULONG, ULONG, ULONG,
                           ULONG [], UBYTE []);
```

## FUNCTION

Write a span of n stencil pixels into the stencil buffer, starting at x,y. Pixels are taken from st. The mask array is used to skip pixels: If a byte is set to 0, the corresponding pixel is not written. This function may only be used while the hardware is locked, except when indirect drawing is used.

## INPUTS

context - a context pointer  
x,y - starting coordinates  
n - number of pixels  
st - array of stencil pixels  
mask - mask array. May be NULL

## RESULT

A constant indicating success or failure. One of the following:

W3D_SUCCESS	Success
W3D_NOSTENCILBUFFER	Stencil buffering not supported by current driver
W3D_NOTVISIBLE	The stencil buffer can not be accessed by the hardware

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

Stencil buffering is not supported on older hardware.

This function is primarily intended for OpenGL implementations, which might need access to the stencil buffer. This function is slow and should normally not be called.

Important note: In indirect mode you have to make sure, that the stencil buffer is up to date, no Flush is internally done by this function. You have to call W3D\_Flush, if the stencil buffer is not up to date yet.

## BUGS

Indirect mode: the hardware is internally not locked for performance reasons, therefore the result might be wrong, if the corresponding buffer is swapped out.

## SEE ALSO

## 1.69 Warp3D/W3D\_WriteZPixel

### NAME

W3D\_WriteZPixel -- Write a pixel into the ZBuffer

### SYNOPSIS

```
success = W3D_WriteZPixel(context, x, y, z);
d0          a0          d0 d1 a1

ULONG W3D_WriteZBuffer(W3D_Context *, ULONG, ULONG, W3D_Double *);
```

### FUNCTION

Write ZBuffer pixel z into context's ZBuffer, at x,y.  
This function may only be used while the hardware is locked,  
except when indirect drawing is used.

### INPUTS

context - The context  
x,y - Coordinates of the pixel  
z - Pointer to a W3D\_Double that's put into the zbuffer

### RESULT

### EXAMPLE

### NOTES

This function is primarily intended for OpenGL implementations,  
which might need access to the Z buffer. This function  
is slow and should normally not be called.

#### \* IMPORTANT NOTE: \*

For speed reasons, this call is *\*NOT\** compatible with indirect drawing.  
To use this call with indirect mode, you have to manually W3D\_Flush,  
and, should you use any drawing calls, you'll have to W3D\_Flush again.

### BUGS

Indirect mode: the hardware is internally not locked for  
performance reasons, therefore the result might be wrong, if  
the corresponding buffer is swapped out.

### SEE ALSO

## 1.70 Warp3D/W3D\_WriteZSpan

### NAME

W3D\_WriteZSpan -- Write a span of z pixels

### SYNOPSIS

```
W3D_WriteZSpan(context, x, y, n, z, mask);
a0          d0 d1 d2 a1 a2

W3D_WriteZSpan(W3D_Context *, ULONG, ULONG, ULONG,
W3D_Double [], UBYTE []);
```

## FUNCTION

Write a span of pixels pointed to by `z` into the `zbuffer`. Writing begins at `x,y`, `n` pixels will be drawn. `mask` points to an equally sized array of `UBYTES`. A 0 in the array indicates that the corresponding `z` pixel will not be drawn. This function may only be used while the hardware is locked, except when indirect drawing is used.

## INPUTS

`context` - a context pointer  
`x,y` - the starting position  
`n` - number of pixels  
`z` - pointer to a span of `zpixels`  
`mask` - pointer to mask array. May be `NULL`

## RESULT

## EXAMPLE

## NOTES

This function is primarily intended for OpenGL implementations, which might need access to the `Z` buffer. This function is slow and should normally not be called.

\* IMPORTANT NOTE: \*

For speed reasons, this call is *\*NOT\** compatible with indirect drawing. To use this call with indirect mode, you have to manually `W3D_Flush`, and, should you use any drawing calls, you'll have to `W3D_Flush` again.

## BUGS

Indirect mode: the hardware is internally not locked for performance reasons, therefore the result might be wrong, if the corresponding buffer is swapped out.

## SEE ALSO