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# About this publication

This publication describes in detail how to configure the Fast Fourier Transform library (FFT) and how to program applications using it on the IBM Software Development Kit for Multicore Acceleration (SDK). It contains detailed reference information about the APIs for the library as well as sample applications showing usage of these APIs.

### Who should use this book

The target audience for this document is application programmers using the SDK. You are expected to have a basic understanding of programming on the Cell Broadband Engine<sup>TM</sup> (Cell/B.E.) platform and common terminology used with the Cell/B.E. platform.

### **Typographical conventions**

The following table explains the typographical conventions used in this document.

Typeface	Indicates	Example
Bold	Lowercase commands, library functions.	void sscal_spu ( float *sx, float sa, int n )
Italics	Parameters or variables whose actual names or values are to be supplied by the user. Italics are also used to introduce new terms.	The following example shows how a test program, <i>test_name</i> can be run
Monospace	Examples of program code or command strings.	int main()

Table 1. Typographical conventions

### **Related information**

For a list of SDK documentation, see Appendix A, "Related documentation," on page 35.

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# Part 1. Overview of the FFT library

The FFT library is a collection of C routines for computing discrete Fourier transform (DFT). The FFT is a widely used algorithm in science and engineering, with applications in almost every discipline.

This FFT library provides both one-dimensional and two-dimensional FFT routines. These routines are implemented in the C interface. Each FFT routine has three versions:

Data type	Short name
Complex to Complex	C2C
Complex to Real	C2R
Real to Complex	R2C

The FFT library in the SDK supports both single precision (SP) and double precision (DP). All SP and DP FFT routines are supported on the Power Processing Element (PPE). An SPE interface for single precision FFTs is also available.

Each of the different types of FFTs use APIs with the following naming pattern:

- fft\_init: this routine is called to set up the environment for performing FFT
- fft\_perform: this routine accomplishes FFT computation one or many FFTs
- fft\_terminate: this routine is used to clean up the environment

# Part 2. Installing and configuring the FFT library

The following section describes how to install and configure the FFT library.

The FFT library is installed and configured during the installation of the SDK. For details about how to install the SDK, see the "Installing the SDK" section of the *SDK Installation Guide* available at the Cell/B.E. Resource Center developerWorks Web site:

http://www-128.ibm.com/developerworks/power/cell

# Part 3. Programming

These topics provide information about how to program with the FFT library.

- Chapter 1, "Basic structure of the FFT library," on page 7
- Chapter 2, "Using the FFT library," on page 9
- Chapter 3, "Tuning the FFT library for performance," on page 15

# Chapter 1. Basic structure of the FFT library

This topic describes the FFT library directory paths for each of the supported platform.

The following tables detail the location of the various files installed with the FFT package:

Table 2. FFT library contents (Hybrid)

Platform	X86 or x86_64 (Development)
PPE 32–bit library	/opt/cell/sysroot/usr/lib/libfft.so.3.1
PPE 64–bit library	/opt/cell/sysroot/usr/lib64/libfft.so.3.1
SPE library	/opt/cell/sysroot/usr/spu/lib/libfft.a
PPE/SPE header files	/opt/cell/sysroot/usr/include/libfft.h /opt/cell/sysroot/usr/spu/include/libfft_spu.h
Example code	/opt/cell/sdk/src/libfft-examples-source.tar

Table 3. FFT library contents (Cell/B.E.)

Platform	Cell/B.E. or Power Host (Development or execution including Simulator)
PPE 32–bit library	/usr/lib/libfft.so.3.1
PPE 64–bit library	/usr/lib64/libfft.so.3.1
SPE library	/usr/spu/lib/libfft.a
PPE/SPE header files	/usr/include/libfft.h /usr/spu/include/libfft_spu.h
Example code	/opt/cell/sdk/src/libfft-examples-source.tar

The following table describes the key file components of the FFT library.

Table 4. File description

File	Description
libfft.h	Contains the C function interface of FFT on PPE and SPE
libfft_spu.h	Contains the C function interface of FFT on PPE and SPE
libfft.a	Contains the static FFT library which for SPE
libfft.so	Shared FFT library for Cell/B.E
lifft-examples-source.tar	Contains examples that demonstrate how to use the FFT library with the SDK

# Chapter 2. Using the FFT library

These topics use programming examples to describe how to use the FFT library.

### **Programming examples**

The following example application shows you how to use the FFT library. It invokes the PPE library APIs.

#### Building the examples

To build the examples listed in this document, follow this procedure:

- 1. Cut and paste the Makefile source from an online or PDF copy of this document into an editor and save it as Makefile.
- 2. Cut and paste the example source from an online or PDF copy of this document into an editor and save the file with a name such as FFT1D sample.c.
- 3. Edit the Makefile to use the name of the source file that you chose in the previous step. If you did not use fft\_example.c then substitute the name you chose into the lines that contain FFT1D\_sample and FFT1D\_sample.a.
- 4. Copy the Makefile and the example source file into your development source directory (for example into /opt/sandbox/).
- 5. From a shell prompt, type the following commands:

```
$ cd /opt/sandbox
$ export CELL_TOP=/opt/cell/sdk
$ make
```

Here is the Makefile:

```
# Target
*******
ifdef CREATE LIB PPU64
PROGRAM ppu6\overline{4} = FFT1D sample
LDFLAGS += -R/usr/lib64
else
PROGRAM_ppu = FFT1D_sample
LDFLAGS += -R/usr/lib
endif
*****
# Objects
IMPORTS +=-lfft -lm
*****
# make.footer
*****
ifdef CELL TOP
include $(CELL_TOP)/buildutils/make.footer
else
 include ../../buildutils/make.footer
endif
```

### **Example: PPE application**

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The following sample application shows you how to use FFT library on PPE. It invokes the FFT 1D routine.

```
FFT1D sample.c - a simple routine to drive the fft library
*/
/* NOTE:
* Computing a forward followed by a backward transform (or vice versa) will
* result in the original data multiplied by the size of the transform
* (the product of the dimensions).
 */
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <strings.h>
#include <time.h>
#include <sys/time.h>
#include <fcntl.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/mman.h>
#include <errno.h>
#include <libfft.h>
#define HUGE TLB
#define HUGE PAGE SIZE (16*1024*1024) /* 16MB */
// Forward declare.
int test 1D(int numberOfFfts, int sizeOfFfts, int spusToUse, int flavor,
int hugepage_flag);
// Main.
int main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
 if (argc < 6 || argc > 7)
  {
   fprintf(stderr, "Usage: %s <function type = c2c, r2c, c2r> <number of ffts>
    <spus to use> <size of each fft> <hugepage flag>\n", argv[0]);
   exit(1);
 }
 int numberOfFfts = atoi(argv[2]);
 int spusToUse = atoi(argv[3]);
 int sizeOfFfts = atoi(argv[4]);
 int hugepage_flag = atoi(argv[5]);
 int flavor;
 if (strcasecmp(argv[1], "c2c") == 0)
  {
    flavor = FFT TYPE C2C;
  }
 else if (strcasecmp(argv[1], "r2c") == 0)
    flavor = FFT TYPE R2C;
  }
 else if (strcasecmp(argv[1], "c2r") == 0)
  {
   flavor = FFT_TYPE_C2R;
  }
 else
  {
```

```
fprintf(stderr, "Bad function type.\n");
    exit(1);
  }
  int res = test 1D(numberOfFfts, sizeOfFfts, spusToUse, flavor, hugepage flag);
  return res;
} // end main
// Generate complex numbers as input.
void generateC2Cdata(int numberOfFfts, int sizeOfFfts, float **problems)
{
  int i;
  for (i=0; i<numberOfFfts; ++i)</pre>
  {
    int j;
    for (j=0; j<sizeOfFfts; ++j)</pre>
    {
      problems[i][j*2] = rand() % 1024; // Real
      problems[i][j*2+1] = rand() % 1024; // Imag
    }
  }
}
// Generate packed reals as input.
void generateR2Cdata(int numberOfFfts, int sizeOfFfts, float **problems)
  int i:
  for (i=0; i<numberOfFfts; ++i)</pre>
  {
    int j;
    for (j=0; j<sizeOfFfts; ++j)</pre>
    {
      problems[i][j] = rand() % 1024; // Real
    }
    // Don't care about the elements in the other half of the array,
    // since they don't get used.
  }
}
// Generate complex conjugates as input.
void generateC2Rdata(int numberOfFfts, int sizeOfFfts, float **problems)
{
  int i;
  for (i=0; i<numberOfFfts; ++i)</pre>
    problems[i][0] = rand() % 1024; // Real
    problems[i][1] = 0; // Imag
    int j;
    for (j=1; j<(sizeOfFfts+1)/2; ++j)</pre>
    {
      problems[i][j*2] = rand() % 1024; // Real
      problems[i][j*2+1] = rand() % 1024; // Imag
      // Complex conjugate.
      problems[i][(sizeOfFfts-j)*2] = problems[i][j*2]; // Real
      problems[i][(sizeOfFfts-j)*2+1] = -problems[i][j*2+1]; // Imag
    if (!(sizeOfFfts % 2)) // Size is even.
    {
      problems[i][sizeOfFfts] = rand() % 1024; // Real
      problems[i][sizeOfFfts+1] = 0; // Imag
    }
  }
}
// Allocate space for data and perform the FFT.
int test 1D(int numberOfFfts, int sizeOfFfts, int spusToUse, int flavor,
```

```
int hugepage flag)
  // Allocate storage for input and output data.
 void *ptr;
 int i;
 posix memalign(&ptr, 128, sizeof(float *) * numberOfFfts);
 float **input data = (float **)ptr;
 posix memalign(&ptr, 128, sizeof(float *) * numberOfFfts);
 float **output_data = (float **)ptr;
 unsigned int mallocLen = sizeof(float) * 2 * sizeOfFfts; // Real + imaginary
 mallocLen += mallocLen % 16;
 unsigned int dataLen = 0;
 if (hugepage flag)
 /* Using hugepage can significantly reduce the TLB miss thus improve
 the performance */
  {
    int fmem;
    char *mem file = "/huge/FFT1D sample mem.bin";
    if ((fmem = open(mem file, 0 CREAT | 0 RDWR, 0755)) == -1)
    {
       fprintf(stderr, "ERROR: unable to open file %s (errno=%d).\n", mem file, errno);
       return -1;
    }
    else
    {
      remove(mem file);
      dataLen = numberOfFfts * mallocLen * 2;
      dataLen = ( dataLen + HUGE PAGE SIZE-1 ) & ~ (HUGE PAGE SIZE-1);
      ptr = mmap(0, dataLen, PROT READ | PROT WRITE, MAP PRIVATE, fmem, 0);
      if (ptr == MAP_FAILED) {
         printf("ERROR: unable to mmap file %s (errno=%d).\n", mem file, errno);
         close (fmem);
         return -1;
      for (i=0; i<numberOfFfts; i++)</pre>
      {
        input data[i] = (float *)ptr;
        /* If the input data are no longer used after computation,
        * the input and output data can share the same buffer.
         * In this in-place case, TLB miss can be further reduced.
        */
        ptr += mallocLen;
        output data[i] = (float *)ptr;
        ptr += mallocLen;
    }
  }
 else
  {
    for (i=0; i<numberOfFfts; ++i)</pre>
    {
      posix_memalign(&ptr, 128, mallocLen);
      input_data[i] = (float *)ptr;
      posix_memalign(&ptr, 128, mallocLen);
      output data[i] = (float *)ptr;
 }
 // Populate input data.
 srand(time(NULL));
 if (flavor == FFT TYPE C2C)
  {
   generateC2Cdata(numberOfFfts, sizeOfFfts, input data);
 else if (flavor == FFT TYPE R2C)
```

```
generateR2Cdata(numberOfFfts, sizeOfFfts, input data);
}
else if (flavor == FFT TYPE C2R)
{
  generateC2Rdata(numberOfFfts, sizeOfFfts, input_data);
}
// Start timer.
struct timeval start, end;
gettimeofday(&start, NULL);
// Call library to process.
fft_handle_t handle;
int res = fft_1d_sp_initialize(&handle, spusToUse);
if (res == FFT_RC_SUCCESS)
{
  // Perform the transform.
 res = fft_ld_sp_perform(handle, numberOfFfts, sizeOfFfts, (void **)input_data,
  (void **)output_data, 0, flavor);
  if (res != FFT_RC_SUCCESS)
  {
    fprintf(stderr, "FFT failure: %d\n", res);
  }
 // Cleanup.
  fft 1d sp terminate(handle);
}
else
{
  fprintf(stderr, "FFT failed to initialize: %d\n", res);
}
// Stop timer.
gettimeofday(&end, NULL);
unsigned int elapsed = ((end.tv sec * 1000000) + end.tv usec) -
((start.tv sec * 1000000) + start.tv usec);
fprintf(stderr, "Calculation time took %u usec.\n", elapsed);
// Cleanup.
if (hugepage flag)
{
 munmap(input data[0], dataLen);
}
else
{
  for (i=0; i<numberOfFfts; ++i)</pre>
  {
    free(input data[i]);
    free(output data[i]);
  }
}
free(input data);
free(output_data);
return res;
```

}

# Chapter 3. Tuning the FFT library for performance

The FFT library provides additional features for customizing the FFT library. You can use these features to effectively use the available resources and potentially achieve higher performance.

The following are tips for optimizing the FFT program:

- It is advisable to use huge pages for storing the input/output matrix of computing FFT. This reduces page fault which may affect performance.
- Make the data 128-byte aligned. Memory access is more efficient when the data is 128-byte aligned.
- If you want to use more than 8 SPEs, use NUMA APIs to interleave the memory of the data on different nodes.
- The library performs better for 1D FFTs if the vector size is a multiple of 16 \* number\_of\_spu<sup>2</sup>.
- The library performs better for 2D FFTs if the matrix dimensions are powers of 2.
- For 2D FFTs, if input data follows the 'tiled' format, performance is greatly improved.

# Part 4. FFT API reference

The FFT library provides two sets of interfaces.

The interfaces are:

- Chapter 4, "PPE APIs," on page 19
- Chapter 5, "SPE APIs," on page 29

# **Chapter 4. PPE APIs**

The FFT library provides three sets of FFT APIs.

One set is for FFT 1D single precision and the other two sets are for FFT 2D single and double precision.

The following APIs are provided:

### FFT 1D single precision APIs

- "fft\_1d\_sp\_initialize" on page 20
- "fft\_1d\_sp\_perform" on page 21
- "fft\_1d\_sp\_terminate" on page 22

#### FFT 2D single precision APIs

- "fft\_2d\_sp\_initialize" on page 23
- "fft\_2d\_sp\_perform" on page 24
- "fft\_2d\_sp\_terminate" on page 25

### FFT 2D double precision APIs

- "fft\_2d\_dp\_initialize" on page 26
- "fft\_2d\_dp\_perform" on page 27
- "fft\_2d\_dp\_terminate" on page 28

### fft\_1d\_sp\_initialize

### NAME

**fft\_1d\_sp\_initialize**: Sets up the environment for performing 1D FFTs single precision computation.

### **SYNOPSIS**

#### int fft\_1d\_sp\_initialize(fft\_handle\_t \*handle, unsigned int nspus);

Parameters	
handle [IN]	Handle of type <i>*fft_handle_t</i> .
nspus [IN]	Number of SPUs to be assigned to the problem.

### DESCRIPTION

This function set up the environment for performing 1D FFTs single precision computation. Number of *spu* and *fft\_handle* are input.

FFT_RC_SUCCESS	Success
FFT_RC_NO_SPUS	Insufficient SPUs are available
FFT_RC_BAD_PARM	Invalid input parameter
FFT_RC_FAILED	Generic internal errors

# fft\_1d\_sp\_perform

### NAME

fft\_1d\_sp\_perform: Accomplishes either one or many 1D complex to complex, complex to real, real to complex FFTs.

### SYNOPSIS

int fft\_1d\_sp\_perform(fft\_handle\_t handle, unsigned int n\_arrays, unsigned int num\_elems, void \*\*src\_addr, void \*\*dst\_addr, unsigned int inverse\_flag, unsigned int format\_flag);

Parameters	
handle[IN]	Pointer to the handle created in the initialization step.
n_arrays[IN]	Number of FFTs that the customer wishes to compute with this call.
num_elems[IN]	Number of elements of each FFT.
<pre>src_addr[IN]</pre>	An array of addresses of $n_arrays$ input arrays. Each such array contains the data for a particular 1D to be performed.
dst_addr[IN]	An array of addresses of $n_arrays$ output arrays. Each such array is sized large enough to hold the 1D output of the FFT operation.
inverse_flag[IN]	Flag, which is a 0 for a forward FFT, and non-zero for an inverse FFT.
format_flag[IN]	Bit flag to set the FFT type. Possible values are:
	<ul> <li>FFT_TYPE_C2C Do 1D Complex to Complex.</li> </ul>
	• FFT_TYPE_R2C Do 1D Real to Complex. Not implemented if <i>num_elems</i> is greater than 10000. The size of output buffer should be double size of input, but the only the first (num_elems/2)+1 complexes in the output buffer are valid. FFT 1D R2C is a forward FFT transform always and <i>inverse_flag</i> will be ignored here.
	• FFT_TYPE_C2R Do 1D Complex to Real FFT. Not implemented if <i>num_elems</i> is greater than 10000. FFT 1D C2R is a forward FFT transform always, and <i>inverse_flag</i> will be ignored here. Only FFT_TYPE_C2C can be used for an inverse transform.

### DESCRIPTION

This function accomplishes either one or many 1D complex to complex, complex to real, real to complex FFTs. According to inverse flag, determine whether an FFT or IFFT is needed. *format\_flag* determines the FFT type. FFT\_TYPE\_R2C and FFT\_TYPE\_C2R are not implemented if *num\_elems* is greater than 10000.

### **RETURN VALUE**

FFT\_RC\_SUCCESSSuccFFT\_RC\_NOT\_IMPLEMENTEDNotFFT\_RC\_BAD\_PARMInvaFFT\_RC\_FAILEDGen

Success Not implemented feature Invalid input parameter Generic internal errors

# fft\_1d\_sp\_terminate

### NAME

**fft\_1d\_sp\_terminate** - Cleans up the environment after you have finished computing 1D FFTs.

### **SYNOPSIS**

int fft\_1d\_sp\_terminate(fft\_handle\_t handle);

 Parameters

 handle [IN]
 The handle created in the initialization step

### DESCRIPTION

This function cleans up the environment after you have finished computing 1D FFTs. *fft\_handle* is input.

FFT_RC_SUCCESS	Success
FFT_RC_BAD_PARM	Invalid input parameter
FFT_RC_FAILED	Generic internal errors

# fft\_2d\_sp\_initialize

### NAME

fft\_2d\_sp\_initialize: Sets up the environment for performing 2D FFTs single precision computation.

### SYNOPSIS

### int fft\_2d\_sp\_initialize(fft\_2d\_handle\_t \*handle, unsigned int nspus);

Parameters	
handle [IN]	A handle to the FFT runtime code
nspus [IN]	Number of SPUs to be assigned to the problem

### DESCRIPTION

This function set up the environment for performing 2D FFTs single precision computation. Number of *spu* and *fft\_handle* are input.

FFT_RC_SUCCESS	Success
FFT_RC_NO_SPUS	Insufficient SPUs are available
FFT_RC_BAD_PARM	Invalid input parameter
FFT_RC_FAILED	Generic internal errors

### fft\_2d\_sp\_perform

### NAME

fft\_2d\_sp\_perform: Completes one 2D complex to complex single precision FFTs.

### **SYNOPSIS**

int fft\_2d\_sp\_perform(fft\_2d\_handle\_t handle, unsigned int xdim, unsigned int ydim, void \*\*src\_addr, void \*\*dst\_addr, unsigned int inverse\_flag, unsigned int format\_flag);

#### Parameters

handle[IN]	Pointer to the handle created in the initialization step.
xdim[IN]	Size of 2D array in the x dimension.
ydim[IN]	Size of 2D array in the y dimension.
<pre>src_addr[IN]</pre>	Input data address.
dst_addr[IN]	Output data address.
inverse_flag[IN]	Flag, which is a 0 for a forward FFT, and non-zero for an inverse FFT.
<pre>format_flag[IN]</pre>	Bit flag to set the FFT type. Possible values are:
	• FFT_TILED: The format of all input and output matrices is TILED.
	<ul> <li>FFT_TYPE_C2C: Do 2D Complex to Complex FFT.</li> </ul>
	• FFT_TYPE_R2C: Do 2D Real to Complex FFT. <i>xdim</i> or <i>ydim</i> must be to the power of 2. FFT2D R2C is a forward transform always and <i>inverse_flag</i> will be ignored here. The size of output buffer should be double size of input.
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• FFT\_TYPE\_C2R: Do 2D Complex to Real FFT. *xdim* or *ydim* must be to the power of 2. FFT2D C2R is an inverse transform always, and *inverse\_flag* will be ignored here.

### DESCRIPTION

This function completes one 2D complex to complex single precision FFTs. According to inverse flag, determine whether a FFT or IFFT is needed. *format\_flag* determines FFT type. Also *format\_flag* help determines whether input data is tiled format. If *xdim* or *ydim* are not to the power of 2, **fft\_2d\_sp\_perform** does not support FFT\_TYPE\_C2R and FFT\_TYPE\_R2C.

FFT RC SUCCESS	Success.
FFT RC BAD DIMENSION	<i>xdim</i> or <i>ydim</i> is less than 1 or larger than 2048.
FFT_RC_NOT_IMPLEMENTED	Not implemented feature.
FFT_RC_NO_INVERSE	This is a limitation of the current release. Inverse FFT is not supported in this release.
FFT_RC_BAD_PARM	Invalid input parameter.
FFT_RC_FAILED	Generic internal errors.

# fft\_2d\_sp\_terminate

### NAME

**fft\_2d\_sp\_terminate**: Cleans up the environment after you have finished computing 2D FFTs.

### **SYNOPSIS**

int fft\_2d\_sp\_terminate(fft\_2d\_handle\_t handle);

 Parameters

 handle [IN]
 The handle created in the initialization step

### DESCRIPTION

This function cleans up the environment after you have finished computing 2D FFTs. *fft\_handle* is input.

### **RETURN VALUE**

FFT\_RC\_SUCCESS FFT\_RC\_BAD\_PARM FFT\_RC\_FAILED Success Invalid input parameter Generic internal errors

### fft\_2d\_dp\_initialize

### NAME

**fft\_2d\_2p\_initialize**: Sets up the environment for performing 2D FFTs double precision computation.

### **SYNOPSIS**

#### int fft\_2d\_dp\_initialize(fft\_2d\_handle\_t \*handle, unsigned int nspus);

Parameters	
handle [IN]	A handle to the FFT runtime code
nspus [IN]	Number of SPUs to be assigned to the problem

### DESCRIPTION

This function set up the environment for performing 2D FFTs double precision computation. Number of *spu* and *fft\_handle* are input.

FFT_RC_SUCCESS	Success
FFT_RC_NO_SPUS	Insufficient SPUs are available
FFT_RC_BAD_PARM	Invalid input parameter
FFT_RC_FAILED	Generic internal errors

# fft\_2d\_dp\_perform

### NAME

fft\_2d\_dp\_perform: Completes one 2D complex to complex double precision FFTs.

### **SYNOPSIS**

int fft\_2d\_dp\_perform(fft\_2d\_handle\_t handle, unsigned int xdim, unsigned int ydim, void \*\*src\_addr, void \*\*dst\_addr, unsigned int inverse\_flag, unsigned int format\_flag);

### Parameters

handle[IN]	Handle of type <i>*fft_2d_handle_t</i> created in the initialization
	step.
xdim[IN]	Size of 2D array in the x dimension.
ydim[IN]	Size of 2D array in the y dimension.
src_addr[IN]	Input data address.
dst_addr[IN]	Output data address.
inverse_flag[IN]	Flag, which is a 0 for a forward FFT, and non-zero for an inverse FFT.
format_flag[IN]	Bit flag to set the FFT type. Possible values are:
	<ul> <li>FFT_TYPE_C2C: Do 2D Complex to Complex FFT</li> </ul>

### DESCRIPTION

This function completes one 2D complex to complex double precision FFTs. According to inverse flag, determine whether a FFT or IFFT is needed. *format\_flag* determines the FFT type. For this release, only FFT\_TYPE\_C2C is supported.

FFT RC SUCCESS	Success.
FFT_RC_BAD_DIMENSION	<i>xdim</i> or <i>ydim</i> is less than 1 or larger than 2048.
FFT_RC_NOT_IMPLEMENTED	Not implemented feature.
FFT_RC_NO_INVERSE	This is a limitation of the current release. Inverse FFT is not
	supported in this release.
FFT_RC_BAD_PARM	Invalid input parameter.
FFT_RC_FAILED	Generic internal errors.

# fft\_2d\_dp\_terminate

### NAME

**fft\_2d\_dp\_terminate**: Cleans up the environment after you have finished computing 2D FFTs.

### **SYNOPSIS**

int fft\_2d\_dp\_terminate(fft\_2d\_handle\_t handle);

Parametershandle [IN]The handle created in the initialization step

### DESCRIPTION

This function cleans up the environment after you have finished computing 2D FFTs. *fft\_handle* is input.

FFT_RC_SUCCESS	Success
FFT_RC_BAD_PARM	Invalid input parameter
FFT_RC_FAILED	Generic internal errors

# **Chapter 5. SPE APIs**

The FFT library provides one set of SPE APIs for single precision FFT 1D computation.

This section describes the following APIs:

- "fft\_1d\_c2c\_spu" on page 30
- "fft\_1d\_c2r\_spu" on page 31
- "fft\_1d\_r2c\_spu" on page 32

# fft\_1d\_c2c\_spu

### NAME

fft\_1d\_c2c\_spu: Performs a single complex to complex FFT on the SPU.

### **SYNOPSIS**

int fft\_1d\_c2c\_spu(unsigned int num\_elems, vector float\* srcAddr, vector float\* dstAddr, unsigned int inverse\_flag);

#### Parameters

num_elems[IN]	Number of elements of each FFT
<pre>srcAddr[IN]</pre>	Address of the first input element
dstAddr[IN]	Address of the first output element
inverse_flag[IN]	Flag, which is a 0 for a forward FFT, and non-zero for an
—	inverse FFT

### DESCRIPTION

This function completes one complex to complex FFT 1D on SPU. *inverse flag* determines whether a FFT or IFFT is needed.

### **RETURN VALUE**

FFT\_RC\_SUCCESSSuccessFFT\_RC\_BAD\_DIMENSIONIf num\_elems > MAX\_PROB\_SIZE\_C2C\_1 (10000).FFT\_RC\_BAD\_PARMInvalid input parameter

# fft\_1d\_c2r\_spu

### NAME

fft\_1d\_c2r\_spu: Performs a single complex to real FFT on the SPU.

### **SYNOPSIS**

int fft\_1d\_c2r\_spu(unsigned int num\_elems, vector float\* srcAddr, vector float\* dstAddr, unsigned int inverse\_flag);

#### Parameters

Number of elements of each FFT
Address of the first input element
Address of the first output element
Flag, which is a 0 for a forward FFT, and non-zero for an inverse FFT

### DESCRIPTION

This function completes one complex to real FFT 1D on the SPU. It only does a forward transform. Inverse transform has not been implemented.

### **RETURN VALUE**

FFT\_RC\_SUCCESS FFT\_RC\_BAD\_DIMENSION FFT\_RC\_BAD\_PARM FFT\_RC\_NOT\_IMPLEMENTED Success If *num\_elems* > MAX\_PROB\_SIZE\_C2R\_1 (10000) Invalid input parameter If *inverse\_flag* for C2R/R2C is set to non-zero

### fft\_1d\_r2c\_spu

### NAME

fft\_1d\_r2c\_spu: Performs a single real to complex FFT on the SPU.

### **SYNOPSIS**

int fft\_1d\_r2c\_spu(unsigned int num\_elems, vector float\* srcAddr, vector float\* dstAddr, unsigned int inverse\_flag);

#### Parameters

num_elems[IN]	Number of input
<pre>srcAddr[IN]</pre>	Address of the first input element
dstAddr[IN]	Address of the first output element
inverse flag[IN]	Flag, which is a 0 for a forward FFT, and non-zero for an
_	inverse FFT

### DESCRIPTION

This function completes one real to complex FFT 1D on the SPU. It only does a forward transform here. Inverse transform has not been implemented.

FFT_RC_SUCCESS	Success
FFT_RC_BAD_DIMENSION	If $num\_elems > MAX\_PROB\_SIZE\_C2C\_1$ (10000)
FFT_RC_BAD_PARM	Invalid input parameter
FFT_RC_NOT_IMPLEMENTED	If <i>inverse_flag</i> for C2R/R2C is set to non-zero

Part 5. Appendixes

# Appendix A. Related documentation

This topic helps you find related information.

### **Document location**

Links to documentation for the SDK are provided on the IBM<sup>®</sup> developerWorks<sup>®</sup> Web site located at:

http://www.ibm.com/developerworks/power/cell/

Click the **Docs** tab.

The following documents are available, organized by category:

#### Architecture

- Cell Broadband Engine Architecture
- Cell Broadband Engine Registers
- SPU Instruction Set Architecture

#### Standards

- C/C++ Language Extensions for Cell Broadband Engine Architecture
- Cell Broadband Engine Linux Reference Implementation Application Binary Interface Specification
- SIMD Math Library Specification for Cell Broadband Engine Architecture
- SPU Application Binary Interface Specification
- SPU Assembly Language Specification

### Programming

- Cell Broadband Engine Programmer's Guide
- Cell Broadband Engine Programming Handbook
- Cell Broadband Engine Programming Tutorial

### Library

- Accelerated Library Framework for Cell Broadband Engine Programmer's Guide and API Reference
- Basic Linear Algebra Subprograms Programmer's Guide and API Reference
- Data Communication and Synchronization for Cell Broadband Engine Programmer's Guide and API Reference
- Example Library API Reference
- Fast Fourier Transform Library Programmer's Guide and API Reference
- LAPACK (Linear Algebra Package) Programmer's Guide and API Reference
- Mathematical Acceleration Subsystem (MASS)
- Monte Carlo Library Programmer's Guide and API Reference
- SDK 3.0 SIMD Math Library API Reference
- SPE Runtime Management Library
- SPE Runtime Management Library Version 1 to Version 2 Migration Guide
- SPU Runtime Extensions Library Programmer's Guide and API Reference

• Three dimensional FFT Prototype Library Programmer's Guide and API Reference

### Installation

• SDK for Multicore Acceleration Version 3.1 Installation Guide

### Tools

- Getting Started XL C/C++ for Multicore Acceleration for Linux
- Compiler Reference XL C/C++ for Multicore Acceleration for Linux
- Language Reference XL C/C++ for Multicore Acceleration for Linux
- Programming Guide XL C/C++ for Multicore Acceleration for Linux
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- Performance Analysis with the IBM Full-System Simulator
- IBM Full-System Simulator User's Guide
- IBM Visual Performance Analyzer User's Guide

### **IBM PowerPC® Base**

- *IBM PowerPC Architecture*<sup>TM</sup> Book
  - Book I: PowerPC User Instruction Set Architecture
  - Book II: PowerPC Virtual Environment Architecture
  - Book III: PowerPC Operating Environment Architecture
- IBM PowerPC Microprocessor Family: Vector/SIMD Multimedia Extension Technology Programming Environments Manual

# **Appendix B. Accessibility features**

Accessibility features help users who have a physical disability, such as restricted mobility or limited vision, to use information technology products successfully.

The following list includes the major accessibility features:

- Keyboard-only operation
- Interfaces that are commonly used by screen readers
- · Keys that are tactilely discernible and do not activate just by touching them
- · Industry-standard devices for ports and connectors
- The attachment of alternative input and output devices

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# Glossary

## API

Application Program Interface.

# **Broadband Engine**

See CBEA.

# CBEA

Cell Broadband Engine Architecture. A new architecture that extends the 64-bit PowerPC Architecture. The CBEA and the Cell Broadband Engine are the result of a collaboration between Sony, Toshiba, and IBM, known as STI, formally started in early 2001.

# Cell/B.E. processor

The Cell/B.E. processor is a multi-core broadband processor based on IBM's Power Architecture.

# **Cell Broadband Engine processor**

See Cell/B.E processor.

### compiler

A programme that translates a high-level programming language, such as C++, into executable code.

# DFT

Discrete Fourier transform. One of the specific forms of Fourier analysis. It transforms one function into another, which is called the frequency domain representation, or the DFT, of the original function. The DFT requires an input function that is discrete and whose non-zero values have a limited (finite) duration.

## FFT

Fast Fourier Transform. An algorithm to compute the discrete Fourier transform (DFT) and its inverse.

### FORTRAN

FORmula TRANslator). A high-level programming language for problems that can be expressed algebraically.

### PDF

Portable document format.

## PPE

PowerPC Processor Element. The general-purpose processor in the Cell.

### PPU

PowerPC Processor Unit. The part of the *PPE* that includes the execution units, memory-management unit, and L1 cache.

# SDK

Software development toolkit for Multicore Acceleration. A complete package of tools for application development.

## SPE

Synergistic Processor Element. Extends the PowerPC 64 architecture by acting as cooperative offload processors (synergistic processors), with the direct memory access (DMA) and synchronization mechanisms to communicate with them (memory flow control), and with enhancements for real-time management. There are 8 SPEs on each cell processor.

## SPU

Synergistic Processor Unit. The part of an SPE that executes instructions from its local store (LS).

### vector

An instruction operand containing a set of data elements packed into a one-dimensional array. The elements can be fixed-point or floating-point values. Most Vector/SIMD Multimedia Extension and SPU SIMD instructions operate on vector operands. Vectors are also called SIMD operands or packed operands.

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